

Eclipse Virgo

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Agenda

- What is Virgo?
- Using Virgo
- How can I get involved?

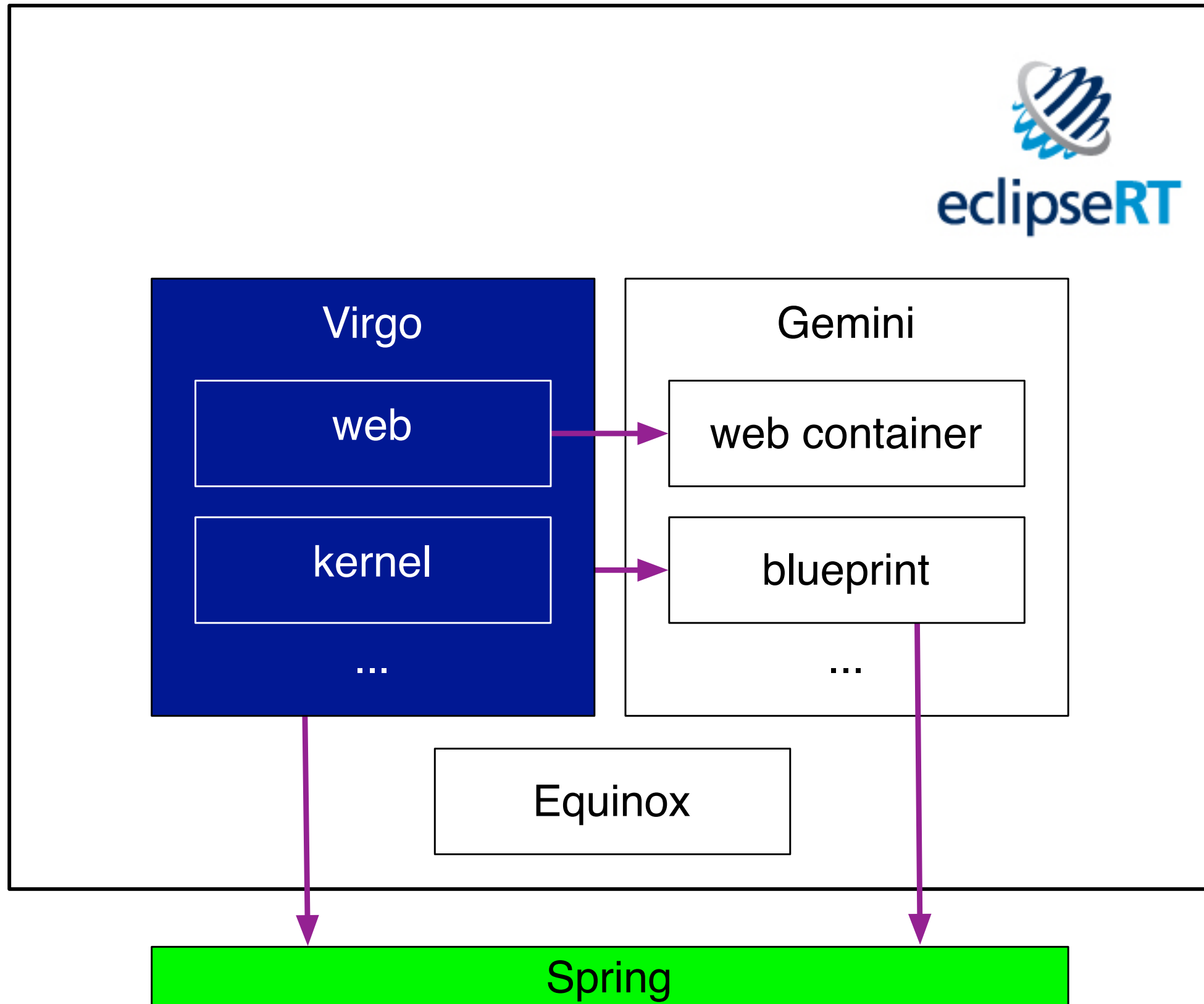
What is Virgo?

- “Dynamic Enterprise Application Platform”
- Based on SpringSource dm Server 2.0
 - Not to be confused with Spring DM
- Objectives:
 - Better OSGi platform
 - Migration of Java EE apps
 - Modular and extensible

Problems Virgo Solves

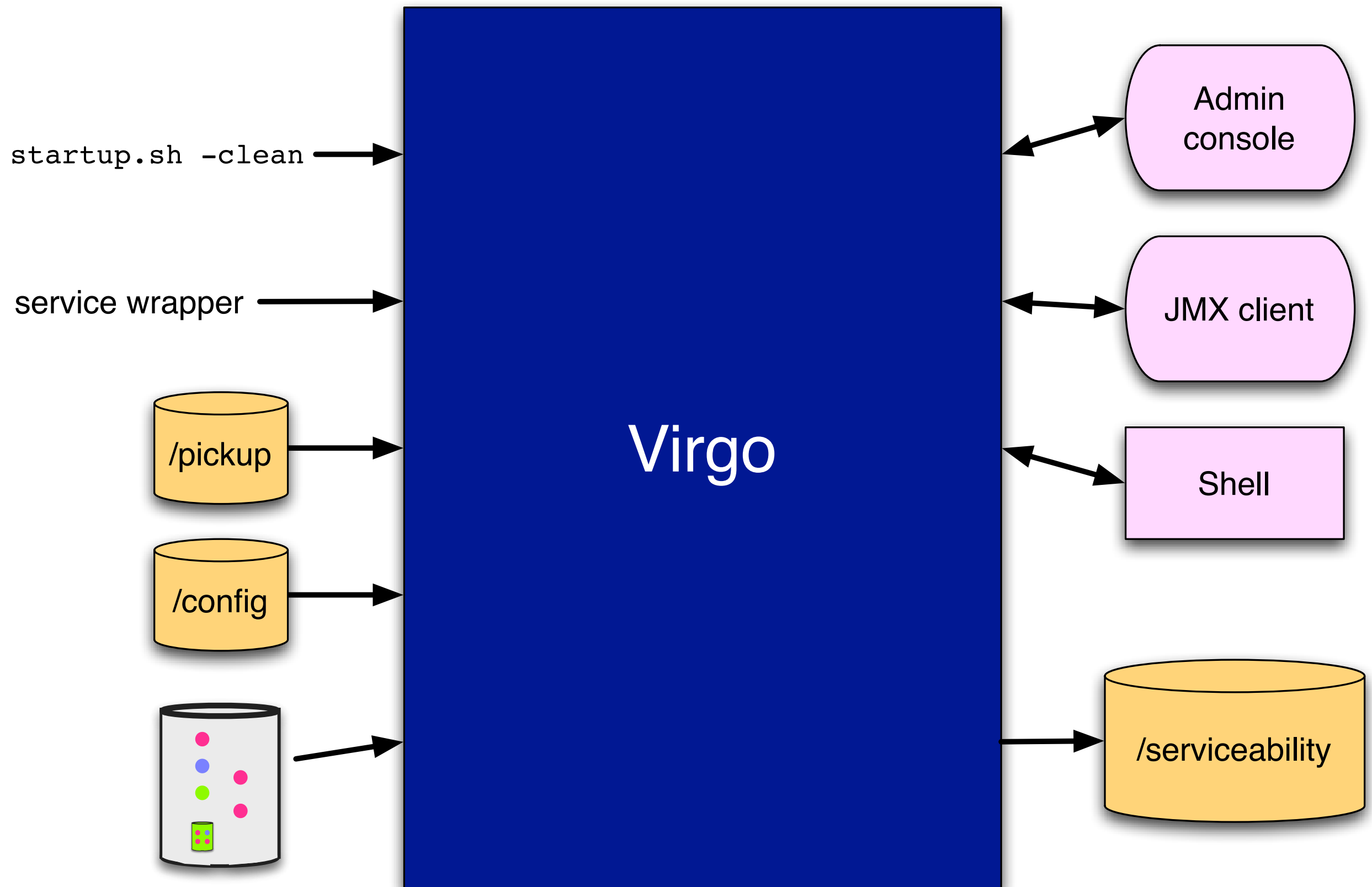
- Groups bundles into manageable units
 - Scoping, atomicity
- Enables existing open source libraries
 - TCCL, LTW, implicit package use
- Provisions from repositories
- Extensive diagnostics
 - resolution failure, deadlock, delayed services

Virgo and EclipseRT



Using Virgo

Virgo Externals



Application Types

- Web apps
- OSGi apps
- New servers/containers

Getting Involved

Work Areas

- Developer docs & wiki
- Baseline release
- Jetty adapter
- Regions and nested frameworks
- p2 integration
- More server types
 - Integration, batch, ECF, ...

Roles

- Casual user: kick the tires
 - make comments
- Expert user: build applications
 - file bugs and feature requests
- Contributor
 - contribute tests, patches
- Committer
 - implement features, fix bugs, improvements
 - support the community
 - mentor contributors

Committer Skills

- Clean architecture
- Clean code
- Unit and integration testing
- Concurrency
- (Deep) OSGi
- git, ant, ivy, etc.

Further Information

- Virgo Community Launch BoF
 - Today 7.15pm in Tasman
- <http://www.eclipse.org/virgo>
 - Join us in the forum and dev list
-  #VirgoRT
- <http://www.springsource.org/dmserver>
 - Download dm Server 2.0 and try it out