Gemini Web 2.0.0 Release Review



Planned Review Date: 17-24 August 2011 Communication Channel: Gemini forum Glyn Normington (Subproject Lead)

Introduction

- Gemini Web is a mature project derived from SpringSource OSGi Web Container v1.0.0 which is the Reference Implementation of the OSGi Web Applications specification
- Major use case: web container for Virgo web server
- Release contents:
 - Web container runtime

Features

- ² The objective of this release is to upgrade to Tomcat 7 and servlet 3.0.
- Significant features:
 - Rebased on Tomcat 7
 - Reworked to pass OSGi Web Applications Compliance Tests and to continue to be the OSGi Web Applications Reference Implementation

Non-Code Aspects

- User documentation:
 - User Guide
 - Programmer Guide
 - OSGi Enterprise Specification
 - Further information in Virgo User Guide
- I18n not relevant as there are no end user oriented messages

APIs

The project provides no APIs

Architectural Issues

None

Tool Usability

- The Libra project supports creating Web Application Bundles
- The Virgo tooling also supports creating WABs but is not yet released.

End-of-Life

Not applicable

Bugzilla

Fixed

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Not fixed

Target Milestone				
			2.0.0.RELEASE	Total
Severity	enhancement	<u>6</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>7</u>
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Standards

- Gemini Web Container requires Java 6 or later
- Supports Web Application Bundles as defined by OSGi Enterprise Spec v4.2
- Tomcat 7 provides underlying servlet 3.0 support

UI Usability

□ There is no UI

Schedule

Release schedule slipped from June 2011 to August 2011

Communities

- Bugzilla in active use by users and contributors
- Gemini forum and gemini-dev less active
- Blogs
- Twitter is used for propagating news updates
- Interaction with Virgo project
 - Gemini Web is regarded as a sister project of Virgo

IP Log

- Eclipse IP policies and procedures have been followed
- □ Frozen IP log:
 - https://bugs.eclipse.org/bugs/attachment.cgi?id=200887

Credits and Kudos

- New committer and prolific contributor:
 - Violeta Georgieva (SAP AG)