

Metro (JAX-WS)

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- Metro Announcement
- JAX-WS Standards
- Metro
- GlassFish Intro



Project Metro Announcement

- Just announced today on java.net
 - http://metro.dev.java.net
- New Java.net project representing the GlassFish web services stack.
- The core of Metro is the JAX-WS RI.
 - Includes JAXB, SAAJ, WSIT, etc.
- Why Metro?
 - Sives a common name to all of the components that make up the GlassFish WS stack



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JAX-WS Standards

- New, easy to use web services API
 - > Replaces JAX-RPC
- Embrace plain old Java object (POJO) concepts
- Descriptor-free programming
- Layered Architecture
- SOAP 1.2, WS-I BP 1.1, MTOM, REST
- 100% of XML Schema via JAXB data binding
- Application portability, smaller footprint
- Part of Java SE 6 and Java EE 5 platforms



Using JAX-RPC 1.1

```
import java.rmi.*;
public class CalculatorServiceImpl
     implements CalculatorServiceSEI {
     public int add(int a, int b) {
    return a+b;
import java.rmi.*;
public interface CalculatorServiceSEI
                extends java.rmi.Remote {
     public int add(int a, int b)
           throws java.rmi.RemoteException;
```

```
<?xml version='1.0' encoding='UTF-8' ?>
<webservices xmlns='http://java.sun.com/xml/ns/j2ee' version='1.1'>
 <webservice-description>
  <webservice-description-name>
  CalculatorService</webservice-description-name>
  <wsdl-file> WEB-INF/wsdl/CalculatorService.wsdl</wsdl-file>
  <jaxrpc-mapping-file> WEB-INF/CalculatorService-mapping.xml /jaxrpc-mapping-file>
  <port-component xmlns:wsdl-port_ns='urn:CalculatorService/wsdl'>
   <port-component-name>CaculatorService</port-component-name>
   <wsdl-port>wsdl-port ns:CalculatorServiceSEIPort</wsdl-port>
   <service-endpoint-interface>endpoint.CalculatorServiceSEI
   <service-impl-bean>
    <servlet-link>WSServlet CalculatorService/servlet-link>
   </service-impl-bean>
  </port-component>
 </webservice-description>
</webservices>
<?xml version='1.0' encoding='UTF-8' ?>
<configuration xmlns='http://java.sun.com/xml/ns/jax-rpc/ri/config'>
 <service name='CalculatorService' targetNamespace='urn:CalculatorService/wsdl'</p>
   typeNamespace='urn:CalculatorService/types' packageName='endpoint'>
  <interface name='endpoint.CalclatorServiceSEI'
    servantName='endpoint.CalulatorServiceImpl'>
  </interface>
 </service>
</configuration>
```



Server-side Programming Model

- 1. Write a POJO implementing the service
- 2. Add @Webservice to it
- 3. Optionally, inject a WebServiceContext
- 4. Deploy the application
- 5. Point your client at the WSDL
 - http://myserver/myapp/MyService?WSDL



Example: Servlet-Based Endpoint

```
@WebService
public class Calculator {
   public int add(int a, int b) {
     return a+b;
   }
}
```

- All public methods become web service operations
- Default values for service name, etc.
- WSDL/Schema generated automatically



Example: EJB 3.0-Based Endpoint

```
@WebService
@Stateless
public class Calculator {
          @Resource
          WebServiceContext context;

public int add(int a, int b) {
      return a+b;
    }
}
```

- It's a regular EJB 3.0 component so it can use EJB features
 - > Transactions, security, interceptors...



Infinite Customizability via Annotations

```
@WebService(name="CreditRatingService",
          targetNamespace="http://example.org")
 public class CreditRating {
    @WebMethod(operationName="getCreditScore")
   public Score getCredit(
        @WebParam(name="customer")
        Customer c) {
      // ... implementation code ...
```



Data Binding

JAXB Integrated With JAX-WS

- Lower layer in JAX-WS
- JAX-WS 2.0 delegates all data binding functionality to JAXB 2.0
- One mapping, one set of annotations
- XML Schema 100% supported
- Attachment support (MTOM/XOP)
- Richer type mapping via Java API for XML Processing (JAXP)
 - > e.g. javax.xml.datatype.XMLGregorianCalendar



Data Binding Tips

- Use regular Java classes as data types
- Follow JavaBeans[™] based property pattern:

```
public String getName() { ... }
public void setName(String name) {...}
```

Or use public fields:
 public String name;

Use enumerated types and collections:

```
public enum Color {RED, WHITE, BLUE};
public Color garmentColor;
public List<Person> contacts;
```



Java SE Client-Side Programming

- Point a tool at the WSDL for the service
 - wsimport http://example.org/calculator.wsdl
- Generate annotated classes and interfaces
- Call new on the service class
- Get a proxy using a getPort method
- Invoke any remote operations



Example: Java SE-Based Client

```
CalculatorService svc = new CalculatorService();
Calculator proxy = svc.getCalculatorPort();
int answer = proxy.add(35, 7);
```

- No factories yet the code is fully portable
 - CalculatorService is defined by the specification
 - Internally it uses a delegation model



Java EE Client-Side Programming

- 1. Point a tool at the WSDL for the service
 - wsimport http://example.org/calculator.wsdl
- 2. Generate annotated classes and interfaces
- 3.Inject a WebServiceReference of the appropriate type
- 4. Invoke any remote operations



Example: Java EE-Based Client

Still No Factories and No Java Naming and Directory Interface™ API Either!

```
@Stateless
public class MyBean {
    @WebServiceRef(CalculatorService.class)
    Calculator proxy;

    public int mymethod() {
        return proxy.add(35, 7);
}
```



Can I Rename The Generated Classes?

Using The Binding Customization Language

- You can rename pretty much everything
- When you run the tool to import a WSDL, specify some customizations
- Customizations are written in XML
- Two models:
 - Embedded in WSDL/Schema
 - As a separate customization file
- JAXB customizations work the same way



Example: Customization File

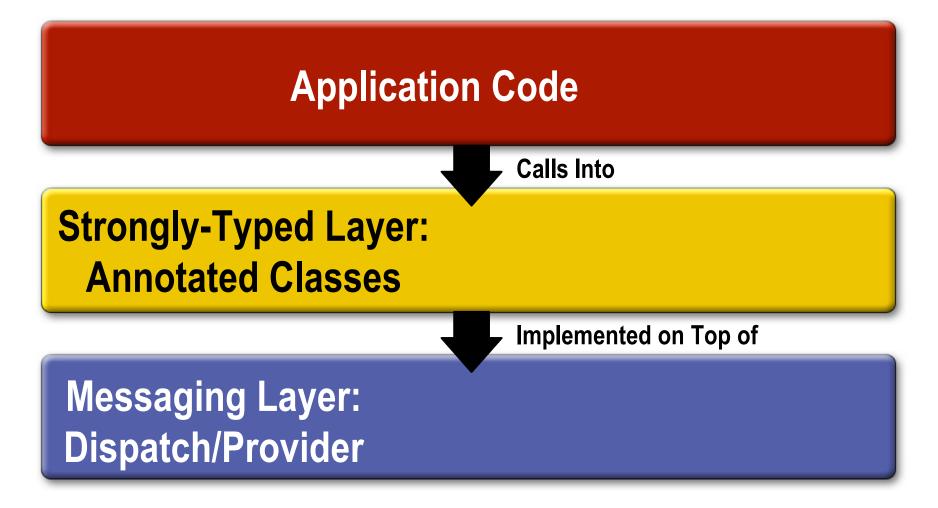


Protocol and Transport Independence No SOAP In Sight

- Typical application code is protocol-agnostic
- Default binding in use is SOAP 1.1/HTTP
- Server can specify a different binding, e.g. @BindingType(SOAPBinding.SOAP12HTTP_BINDING)
- Client must use binding specified in WSDL
- Bindings are extensible, expect to see more of them
 - > e.g. SOAP/Java Message Service(JMS) or XML/SMTP



Layered Architecture





What Does It Mean?

- Upper layer uses annotations extensively
 - > Easy to use
 - > Great toolability
 - > Fewer generated classes
- Lower layer is more traditional
 - > API-based
 - > For advanced scenarios
- Most application will use the upper layer only
- Either way, portability is guaranteed



Lower Level

- Message or Payload access
- Client XML API: Dispatch<T>
 - > one-way and asynch calls available
- Server XML API: Provider<T> for T:
 - javax.xml.transform.Source (JAXP)
 - javax.activation.DataSource (ACTIVATION)
 - javax.xml.soap.SOAPMessage (SAAJ)
 - > Object using JAXB (strongly-typed)
- May be used to create RESTful clients/services



Dispatch Using PAYLOAD

```
private void invokeAddNumbers(int a, int b) throws
   Exception {
   Dispatch<Source> sourceDispatch = service.createDispatch
     (portQName, Source.class, Service.Mode.PAYLOAD);
   String request = "<addNumbers><num1>" + a +
       "</num1><num2>" + b + "</num2></addNumbers>";
   Source result = sourceDispatch.invoke(new
      StreamSource(new StringReader(request)));
   String xmlResult = sourceToXMLString(result);
   System.out.println("Received xml response: " +
      xmlResult);
```



Dispatch Using MESSAGE

```
private void invokeAddNumbers(int a,int b) throws Exception {
   Dispatch<Source> sourceDispatch = service.createDispatch
     (portQName, Source.class, Service.Mode.MESSAGE);
   String request = "<addNumbers><num1>" + a +
       "</num1><num2>" + b + "</num2></addNumbers>";
   String message = "<soapenv:Envelope><soapenv:Body>" +
      request + "</soapenv:Body></soapenv:Envelope>";
   Source result = sourceDispatch.invoke(new
      StreamSource(new StringReader(message)));
   String xmlResult = sourceToXMLString(result);
   System.out.println("Received xml response: " +
      xmlResult);
```



Provider Using PAYLOAD

```
public Source invoke(Source source, JAXRPCContext context)
   throws RemoteException {
   try {
      DOMResult dom = new DOMResult();
      Transformer trans = ...;
      trans.transform(source, dom);
      Node addNumbers = dom.getNode().getFirstChild();
      Node num1Element = addNumbers();
      int num1 = Integer.decode(num1Element.getFirstChild()
          .getNodeValue());
      Node num2Element = num1Element.getNextSibling();
      int num2 = Integer.decode(num2Element.getFirstChild()
         .getNodeValue());
      return sendSource(num1, num2);
   } catch(Exception e) {...}
```



Provider Using PAYLOAD continued

```
private Source sendSource(int number1, int number2) {
   int sum = number1+number2;
   String body =
        "<ns:addNumbersResponse xmlns:ns=\"...\"><return>"
        + sum
        + "</return></ns:addNumbersResponse>";
   Source source = new StreamSource(
        new ByteArrayInputStream(body.getBytes()));
   return source;
}
```



Web Service Endpoints on the Java SE Platform

- New in Mustang
- Endpoint classes are annotated POJOs
- Application creates an instance and publishes it
- Easy and error-free
- Lots of defaults applied automatically
 - > WSDL, data binding, port number, threading...



Publishing a POJO

```
@WebService
public class Calculator {
  @Resource
  WebServiceContext context;
  public int add(int a, int b) {
    return a+b;
// create and publish an endpoint
Calculator calculator = new Calculator();
Endpoint endpoint =
    Endpoint.publish("http://localhost/calculator",
           calculator);
```



Endpoint.publish is All it Takes!

- Really!
- Simple HTTP server embedded in Mustang
- Reasonable defaults for threading, etc.
- WSDL created and published on the fly:

```
http://localhost/calculator?WSDL
```

- Optionally, applications can control low-level functionality, e.g.
 - Threading via an Executor object
 - > WSDL/XML Schema via metadata



Type Substitution

- JAX-WS 2.1 allows for abstract types to be used in SEI
- Use the JAXB @XmlSeeAlso annotation to specify additional classes
 - Can be placed in any JAXB bean or on the SEI
 - Schema types will be generated for all specified types
- When importing WSDLs that include schemas containing type substitutions
 - > SEI generated will contain the appropriate @XmlSeeAlso annotation



Type Substitution Example

```
// abstract
public abstract class Car {...}
// concrete classes
public class Toyota extends Car { ... }
public class GMC extends Car { ... }
// SEI
@WebService
@XmlSeeAlso({Toyota.class, GMC.class})
public Dealership {
    public Car tradeIn(Car oldCar) {
         if (oldCar instanceof GMC) {...}
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```



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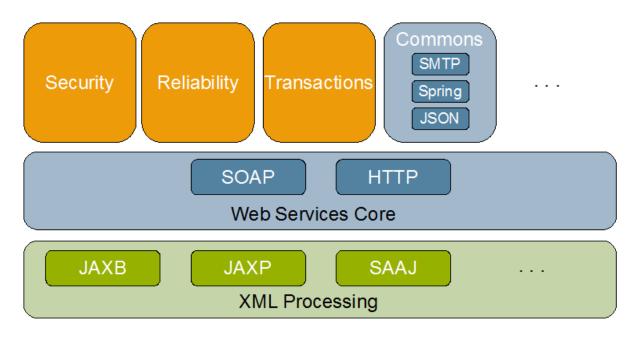


Metro

- High Performance
- Easy to use
- Extensible



Metro



Metro – GlassFish Web Services Stack metro.dev.java.net



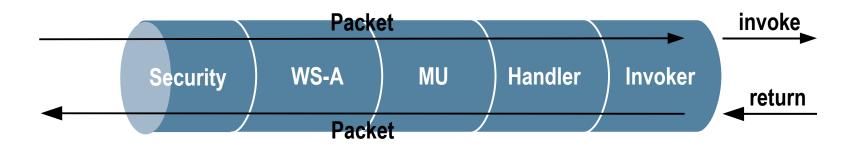
Core Abstractions

- Packet, Message, Header, and Attachment
 - > SOAP message abstraction
- Tube
 - > Abstraction of processing SOAP messages
 - Composed to form a tubeline
- WSDL Model and SEI Model
 - > Representation, construction, and extensibility



Tubeline

- Tube works like a filter. Acts on a Packet, and then it tells the JAX-WS that the packet should be passed into another Tube.
- Multiple Tube(s) are assembled to form a tubeline
- Typical server-side tubeline





Tube

- SOAP level processing unit
- Runs asynchronously
- Typically extended from base classes
 - AbstractFilterTubeImpl, AbstractTubeImpl



Sample Tube

```
class DumpTube implements AbstractFilterTubeImpl {
   DumpTube(Tube next) {
        super(next);
   NextAction processRequest(Packet req) {
        dump("request", req);
        return super.processRequest(req);
   NextAction processResponse(Packet res) {
        dump("response", res);
        return super.processResponse(res);
```



Tubeline Assembly

- Done by TubelineAssembler extension
- Default JAX-WS implementation
 - Covers JAX-WS API functionality
 - For e.g Handlers, MU processing
- Plug-in custom tubeline assemblers



Custom Tubeline Assemblers

- Write your own Assembler
 - > To add more functionality
 - To replace the default JAX-WS RI Tubes
- WSIT provides its own Assembler
 - Adds more tubes for WS-* (e.g. RM, MEX, Transactions)

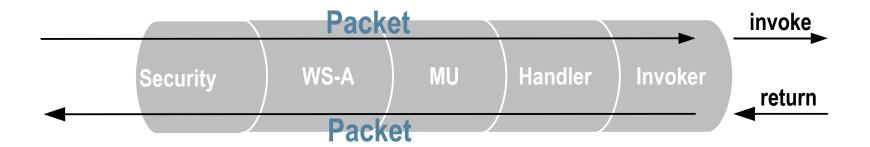


Tubeline Assembly Factory

- TubelineAssemblerFactory is used to find Assembler
 - Container could provide one for a specific endpoint
 - Otherwise, the first one found using META-INF/services mechanism



Packet



- Wrapper around Message
- Adds a few more properties
 - Map for storing "random stuff"
 - Target endpoint address
 - SOAP action



Message

- Single interface to access SOAP message
- Hide physical data representation
 - > Implemented many times by different data store
- Randomly accessible headers + read-once body
- Consists of
 - "Header" for each header
 - > "Attachment" for BLOBs



Message

```
class Message {
    HeaderList getHeaders()
    String getPayloadLocalPart()
    AttachmentSet getAttachments()
    Source readPayloadAsSource()
    SOAPMessage readAsSOAPMessage()
    Object readPayloadAsJAXB(Unmarshaller)
    writeTo(XMLStreamWriter)
    Message copy()
         May 18, 2006
```



Message

- Backed by
 - > InputStream
 - JAXB objects
 - Source for SOAP envelope
 - Source for SOAP payload
 - DOM node
 - SAAJ SOAPMessage
 - None (empty payload)



WSDLModel

- Abstraction of a WSDL document
 - wsdl:service, wsdl:binding, wsdl:portType, extensibilility elements etc.
- Used by the runtime and extensions
 - For example, WSIT TubelineAssembler builds the Tube line based on the policy assertions stored in the WSDLModel
 - Parameter bindings that are not captured in the SEI
 - > Rpc/Literal, un-bound parameters, WSDL MIME binding



SEIModel

- Abstraction of the Java Service Endpoint Interface (SEI)
- Data binding for each operation in SEI
- Method dispatching



SEIModel - JavaMethod

```
public interface JavaMethod{
   SOAPBinding getBinding(); //SOAPBinding of this method
   String getOperationName(); //wsdl:operation name
   MEP getMEP(); //tells the message exchange pattern
   Method getMethod(); //gives the java.lang.Method
   QName getRequestPayloadName(); //Tag of S:Body child
   SEIModel getOwner(); // SEIModel that owns it
}
```



Metro Transports

- In-VM
- Servlet (standard)
- JMS
- SOAP over TCP
- For more information
 - https://jax-ws.dev.java.net/transport.html

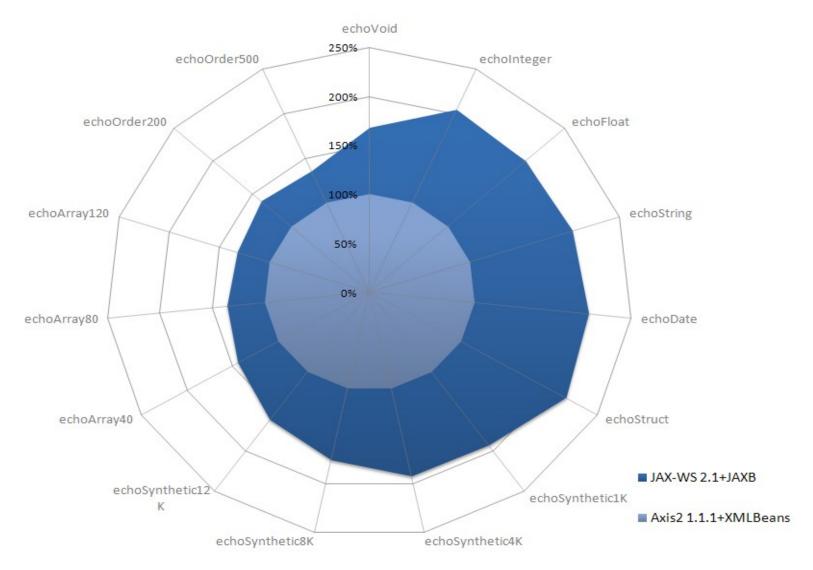


Other Extensibility Points

- WSDL Parsing
- WSDL Generation
- Provide your own transport
- WSIT is a great example
 - > Built using the JAX-WS extension points
 - Adds WS-* capability to Metro



Performance vs Axis2





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For More Information

- http://metro.dev.java.net
- http://forums.java.net/jive/forum.jspa?forumID=46
- users@jax-ws.dev.java.net
- http://glassfish.dev.java.net
- http://wsit.dev.java.net



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