



Telecooperation Lab
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Telekooperation 1: Exercise WS15/16

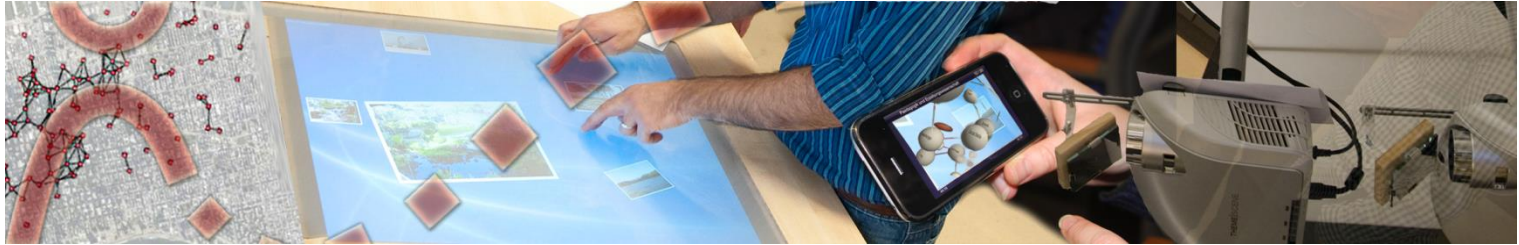
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TK1 – EXERCISE

- Solution 4th Exercise
- 5th Theory Exercise
- 3rd Programming Exercise



Task 1: WSDL Elements (6P)



The web service is given in illustration 1. Assume that the Class “Location” has the attributes “int x” and “int y”.

Write down the WSDL definitions (types, messages, portType and operations) for this web service in XML format.

```
package de.tu_darmstadt.informatik.tk;

import javax.jws.WebService;
import javax.jws.soap.SOAPBinding;

@WebService(targetNamespace="http://tk.informatik.tu-darmstadt.de",
name="LocationService")
@SOAPBinding(style=SOAPBinding.Style.RPC)
public class LocationServiceImpl{
    public Location getLocation(int id){ ... }
}
```

Illustration 1: LocationService.java



Task 1: WSDL Elements (6P)



Types. Defines non atomic types.

```
<types>
```

```
  <xsd:schema>
```

```
    <xsd:complexType name="Location">
```

```
      <xsd:sequence>
```

```
        <xsd:element name="x" type="xsd:integer"/>
```

```
        <xsd:element name="y" type="xsd:integer"/>
```

```
      </xsd:sequence>
```

```
    </xsd:complexType>
```

```
  </xsd:schema>
```

```
</types>
```



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Messages. Defines incoming and outgoing messages.

```
<message name="getLocationRequest">  
  <part name="arg0" type="xsd:integer"></part>  
</message>  
<message name="getLocationResponse">  
  <part name="return" type="Location"></part>  
</message>
```



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Port Type. Defines the interactions.

```
<portType name="LocationService">  
  <operation name="getLocation" parameterOrder="arg0">  
    <input message="tns:getLocationRequest"> </input>  
    <output message="tns:getLocationResponse"> </output>  
  </operation>  
</portType>
```



Task 2: REST vs. SOAP (4P)



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Discuss the differences between REST and SOAP web services. Identify the advantages and disadvantages. Discuss especially the following attributes: transport protocol, typing, data format, addressing and states.



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| | REST | SOAP |
|--------------------|--|---|
| Transport protocol | http: + Simple to implement | Many options (http, smtp ...): + Ability to choose - Complexity |
| Typing | No Typing + Simplicity | Typing + More powerful |
| Data format | Multiple document formats (XML, HTML, PNG ...) + Flexibility | Message exchange in XML: - Big overhead |
| Addressing | A URI references a resource: + Direct addressing | A URI references an interface - No direct addressing |
| States | Server is stateless + Good scalability | Server saves the state: + State does not have to be transmitted every time |