

JavaTM Server

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• Java Server Toolkit 1.0

• Servlet API (Java Servlet Development Kit)

• Java Web Server 1.0

Java Platform for Servers

- Portable
- Goodbye to memory leaks, pointer smashing and type-safety bugs
- Servers need multithreading
- Productivity improvements

Java Server Architecture

Custom Security Custom

HTTP Service Security

Proxy Service Security

Admin Security Custom Custom

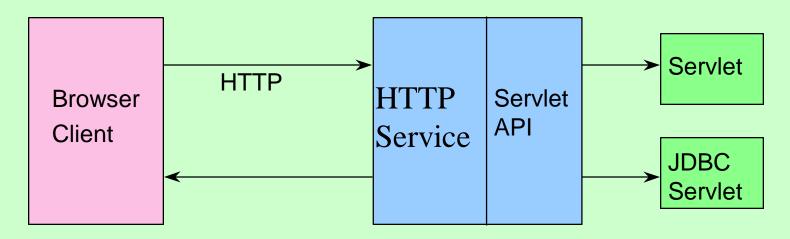
Admin Security Custom

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What are Servlets?

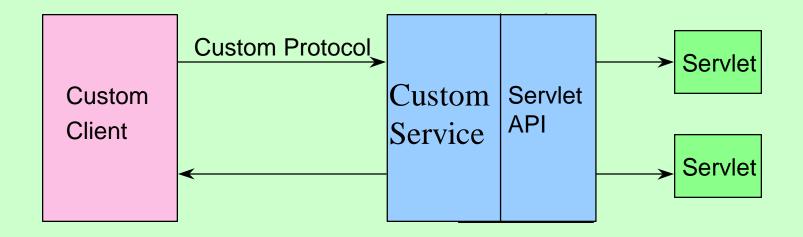
- A Servlet is a Java program that extends network or information server operation
- Servlets are to servers... as applets are to browsers
- Standard Java extension API

HTTP Based Client-Server Architecture



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Custom Client-Server Architecture



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Java Server Toolkit

- Server API
 - Interfaces for underlying classes
 - start/stop services
 - configure parameters
- Connection Management
 - Time-out
 - Number of connections
- Thread Management
 - Handler threads watermarks

Java Server Toolkit (cont.)

Security

- Secure Socket Layer (SSL) 3.0 support
 - Provides encryption, integrity and authentication (X.509 certs)
- Dynamically configurable access control lists (ACL)
- Basic and Digest authentication
- Servlet signing support
 - Trusted and untrusted servlets can be distinguished

Java Server Toolkit (cont.)

- Extensible Logging
 - Log to files with optional roll-over
 - Log across a network
 - Customizable Logging Formats
- Dynamic Administration
 - Applet based GUI
 - plug-n-play of admin applets
 - Property based
 - reads from config file
 - Support for loading remote servlets_{avaSoft, Sun Microsystems, Inc}

Java Server Toolkit (cont.)

- Session Management
 - Track each simultaneous user session
 - Persistent session storage
- Web page compilation
 - Include java code in-line with HTML
 - Pages compile into Servlet
 - Scripting style development

Adding New Services/Protocols

- Extend Service class for service lifecycle support: init, run, shutdown
- Extend ServiceHandler class to handle new connections
- Hook into Administration Classes
 - Provide default service properties
 - Provide service-specific admin applet
 - Optionally, set up autostart

Servlets

- Dynamically extend the capabilities of servers
 - Loaded from network or local disk
- Lightweight runs as a java thread
- Better performance
- Platform and web server independent
- Easy to maintain
- Secure

Servlet API

- Standard Java Extension API
- package javax.servlet
 - interface Servlet
 - interface ServletRequest
 - interface ServletResponse
 - class GenericServlet
- package javax.servlet.http
 - class HttpServlet

/* SimpleServlet.java */

```
import javax.servlet.*;
import java.io.*;
public class SimpleServlet extends GenericServlet {
   public void service (
        ServletRequest req, ServletResponse res)
        throws ServletException, IOException {
                ServletInputStream in = req.getInputStream();
                ServletOutputStream out = res.getOutputStream();
```

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So Long, CGI
import javax.servlet.*;
import javax.servlet.http.*;
import ...
public class FormServlet extends HttpServlet
  public void doPost (HttpServletRequest
                                            req,
                     HttpServletResponse resp) {
      Enumeration custInfo =req.getParameterNames();
      PrintStream out =
             new PrintStream(resp.getOutputStream());
```

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resp.setContentType("text/html");
while (custInfo.hasMoreElements()) {
       String name, value;
       name = (String) custInfo.nextElement();
       value = req.getParameter(name);
       printWriter.println(name + ":" + value);
out.println("Thanks for participating");
out.close();
```

Servlet Security

- Trusted Servlets
 - System Servlets
 - Servlets in 'servlets' sub-directory
 - Signed and authorized Servlets
- Un-trusted Servlets
 - Un-signed remote Servlets
 - Remote Servlets signed but not authorized
- Runs in 'Servlet Sandbox'

Alternatives

• CGI

- Inefficient; a process is started every time
- Hard to maintain, debug and port
- Weak protection and security

NSAPI, ISAPI

- Works on a specific server and platform
- Crashes the server if code is written poorly
- Code has to be written more carefully
- Weak protection and security

Servlet Developers Kit

• Servlet API 1.0

Servlet Runner

Servlet Support for other web servers

Java Web Server

- An extensible product for people who want to use a 100% Java Web server
 - Intranet developers and Webmasters
 - Internet Service Providers (ISPs)
 - Small Businesses
 - Departmental groups in Enterprise
- Provides a more portable solution than existing scripting extensions

Java Web Server 1.0 Protocol Features

- HTTP 1.0 support
- HTTP keep-alive support
- Proxy support and Proxy caches
- FTP support

Java Web Server 1.0 Features

- Virtual Hosting
- Dynamic loading of servlets
 - From local host
 - Over the network
- Administrative support
 - Dynamically control server performance via threads
 - Single point of administration for all servlets

Java Web Server Competitive Strengths

- Extensible via servlets
 - Native support for Servlets
 - Servlets drop into existing security and administrative framework
 - Single point of administration for services
- Runs on any platform that supports JDK 1.1
- Security is built-in

Java Server Product Line

- Developer product
 - Java Server Toolkit
 - Servlet Developers Kit
- End-user product: Java Web Server
 - Downloadable binary, free of charge for noncommercial uses. Site licensing for commercial uses

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