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Deploying Java™ Platform, Standard Edition (Java SE Platform) in Today's Embedded Devices

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Goal of this presentation

Learn the basic steps involved in
developing and deploying embedded
solutions based on Java Standard
Edition platform for Embedded

Agenda

Define Your Target Device Requirements

Which Java Platform Edition Is Right for You

Selecting Support Libraries

Developing Your Application Code

Building Your Target Image

Debugging

Performance Tuning

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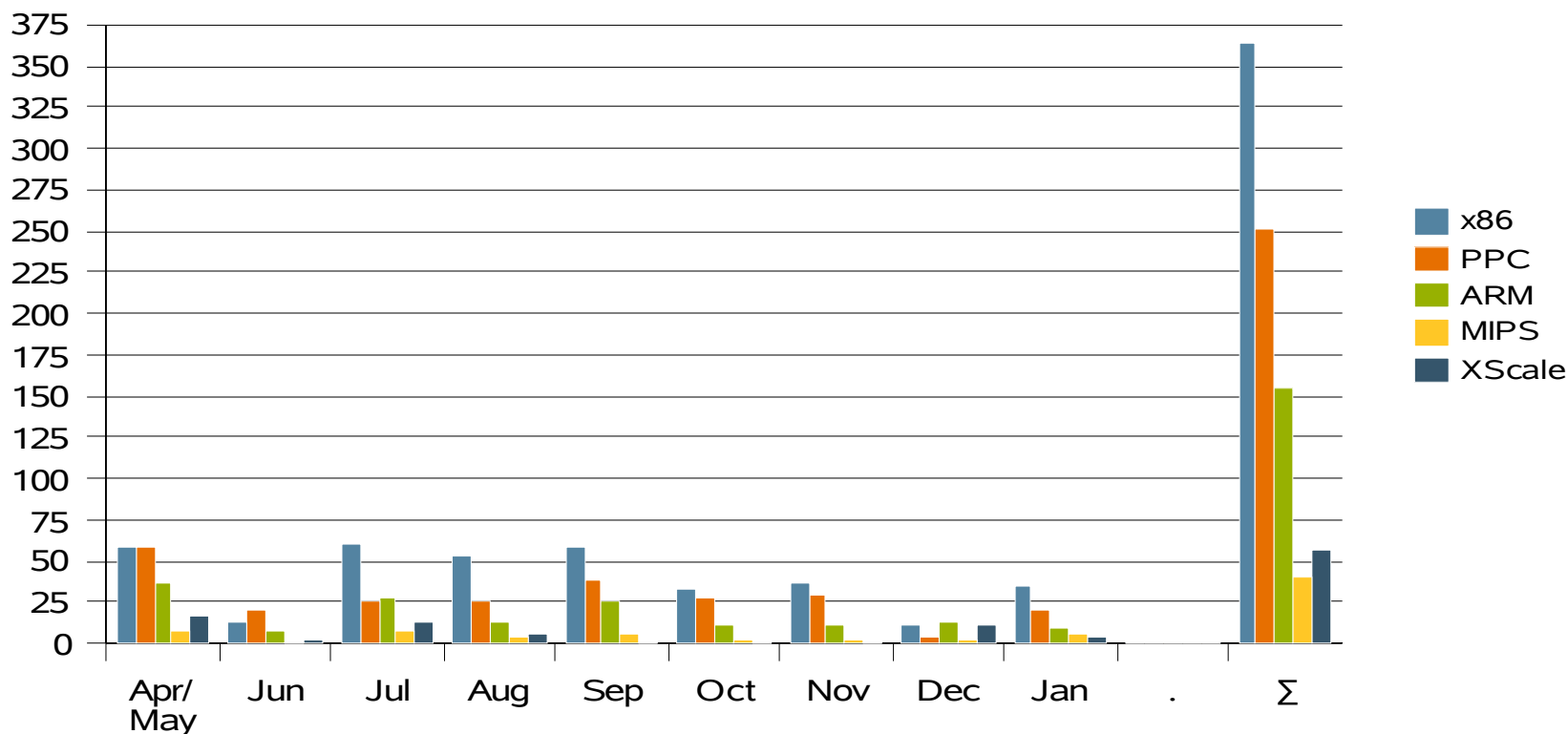
Defining Target Device Requirements

- Hardware
 - CPU
 - Persistent memory: ROM, flash/stick, disk
 - Volatile memory: RAM
 - Peripheral I/O (optional):
 - Networking: Ethernet, wireless, Bluetooth
 - Parallel (IEEE-1284, ...)
 - Serial (RS-232/422/485, USB, ...)
 - Graphics (2D, 3D, acceleration ...)
- Software
 - Operating Systems
 - Linux, Windows XP-Embedded or other
 - User software: [Java Runtime Environment \(JRE™\)](#), [Java applications](#), Java Libraries, native apps

Embedded Processor Adoption

Data from Java SE platform embedded Web site survey
(1000 responses)

CPU stats Apr '06–Jan '07



Defining Target Device Requirements

How much RAM do you need?

- Factors Impacting RAM consumption
 - How many Java technology processes
 - Complexity of Java application
 - How much Java technology heap space
 - How much Just-In-Time Compilation do you need for best performance
 - Size of non-Java technology processes
 - Which Operating System you choose

RFID Reader
Single Func Dev

PDA

Telco CSCF Server
(Call Session
Control Function)

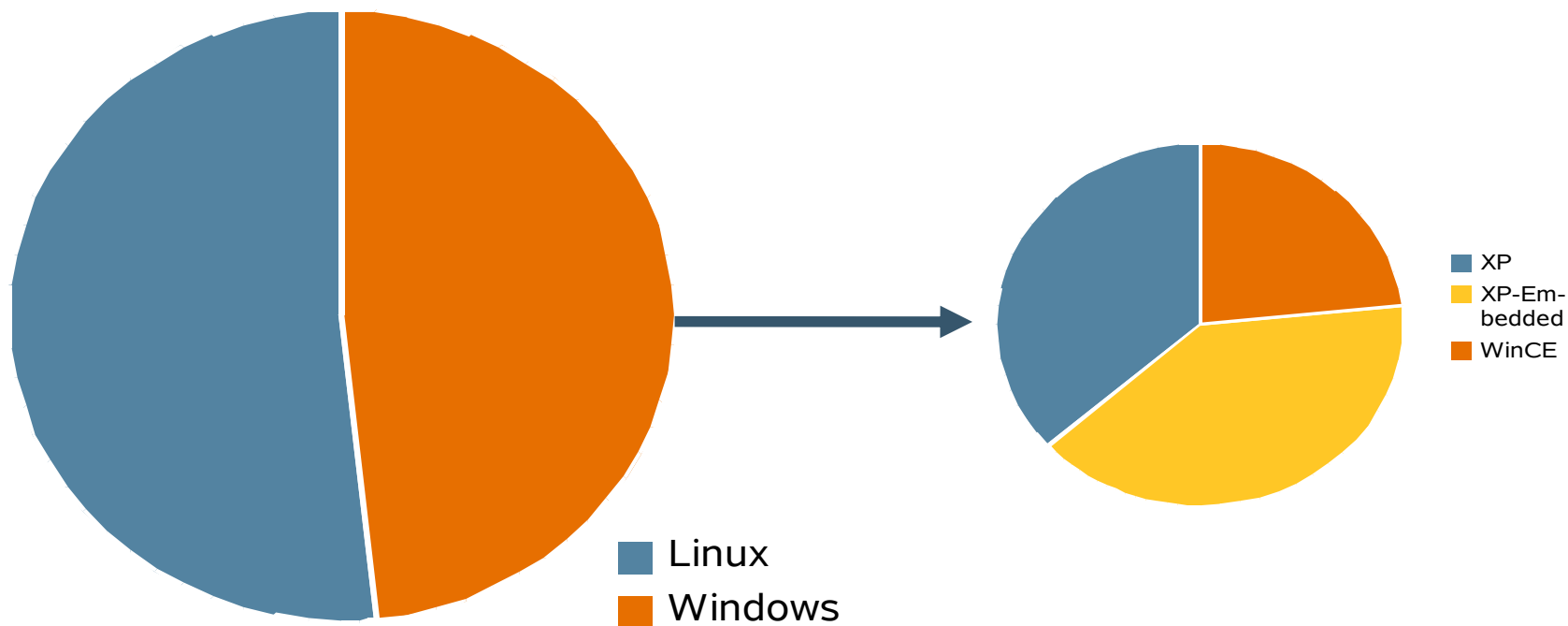
Display Device

Headless or Headfull?

- We Offer a Headless version of Java SE platform Embedded; Still full Java SE platform compatibility but...
 - No mouse, keyboard input
 - No window creation or display graphics
 - Graphics APIs throws HeadlessException
 - Java 2D™ API graphics still fully functional for printing or off screen rendering
 - Saves RAM and DISK space

Embedded Operating System Selection

Sun Java Platform embedded survey data 5/06 to 2/07



Windows vs. Linux

Windows Breakdown

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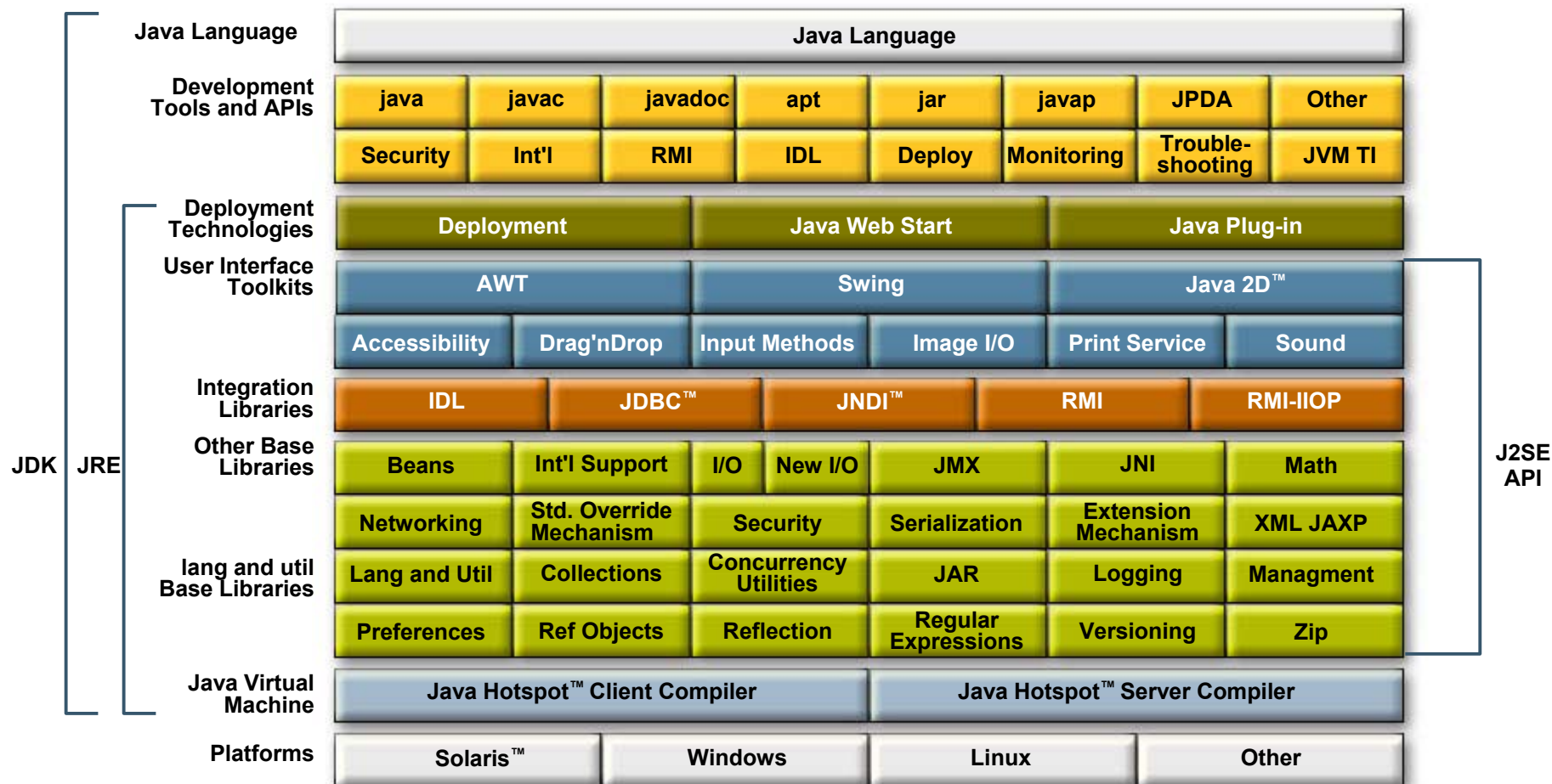
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Java 2 Platform, Standard Edition (J2SE™ Platform) 5.0

Rich set of APIs for embedded developers



Java Standard Edition Platform for Embedded

Selection guidelines

Embedded Device Requirements

Java SE platform compatibility?
Require SE Packages?



YES

No—Both viable

Java SE
Platform for
Embedded

Multi-CPU, multi-core?
Heavily multi-threaded?



YES

No—Both viable

RAM > 32MB?



YES

No

DISK or FLASH Storage > 32MB?



YES

No

Java 2 Platform, Micro
Edition (J2ME™ Platform)

Java SE Embedded Platforms

Continually updating

Release	Platform	Headless	Small Footprint	Full Featured
Java SE Platform 1.4.2	Linux PowerPC	Yes	Yes	
	Linux ARM (New)	Yes	Yes	
Java SE Platform 5.0	Linux x86	Yes	Yes	Yes
	Linux PowerPC	Yes	Yes	
	Windows XP Embedded	No	Reduced	Yes
Java SE Platform 6.0	Linux x86	Yes	Yes	Yes

Other combinations available by request

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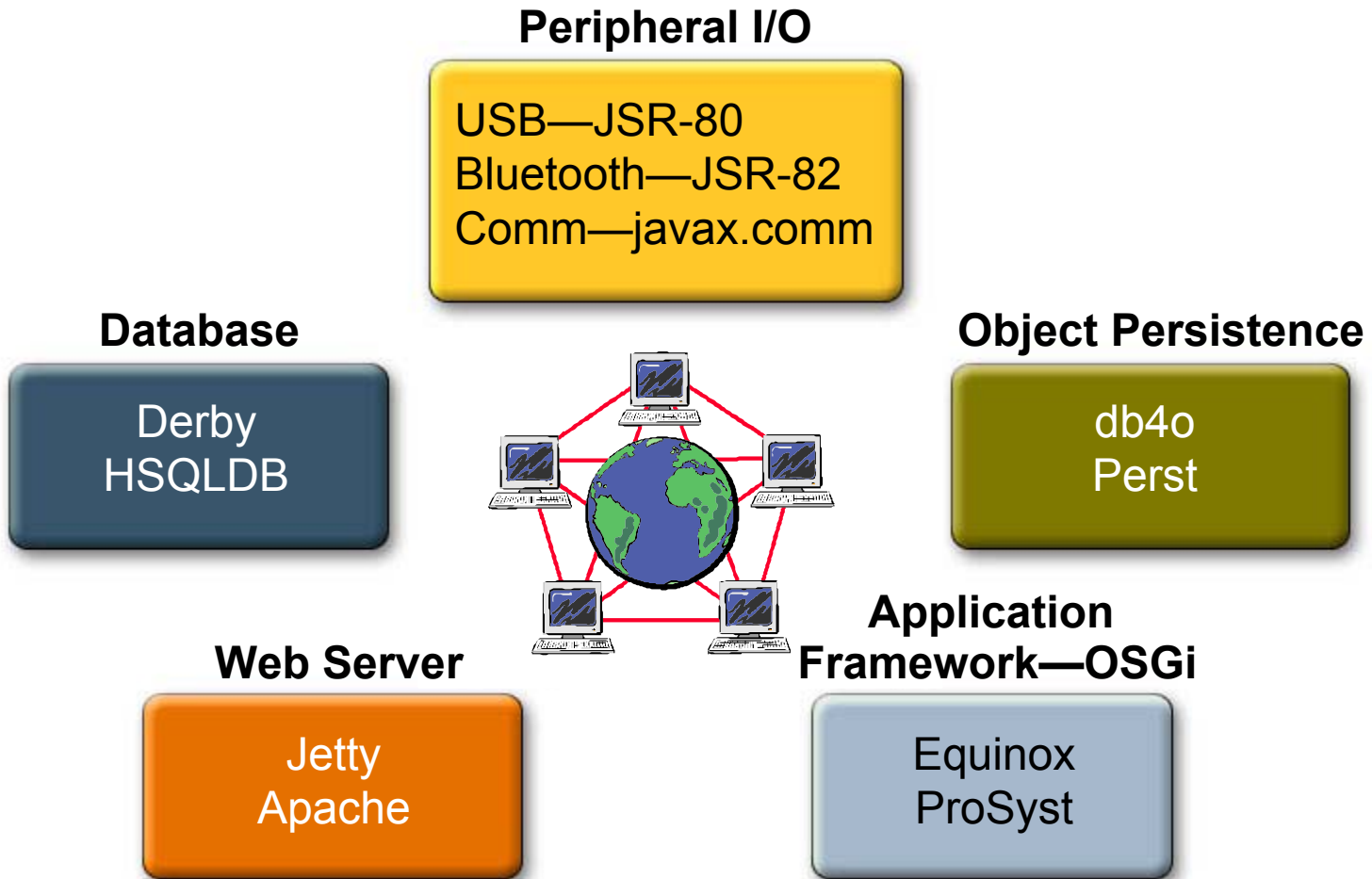
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Third Party Tools, Utilities, Libraries

Abundant

- **Main software sources: community development, collaboration/participation platforms, companies**
 - <http://apache.org/> Apache
 - <http://sourceforge.net/> SourceForge
 - <http://freshmeat.net/> FreshMeat
 - <http://gnu.org/> GNU's Not Unix
- **Companies providing free software or promoting free software development (Sun: <http://java.net/>)**

Middleware for Embedded Java Platform



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NetBeansTM Software

- Besides Java SE platform support, also support for: Java ME platform (Mobility pack), Java Platform, Enterprise Edition (Java EE platform) (Enterprise pack)
 - Java EE platform: web apps [servlets, JavaServer PagesTM (JSPTM) technology, Enterprise JavaBeansTM (EJBTM) architecture], remote deployment
- Advanced, descriptor-based project management (XML descriptors):
 - Development (editing, configuration, version control)
 - Advanced editing: automatic code generation (RAD) for common design/implementation patterns, context-sensitive auto-completion, color-coding, etc.
 - Building, bundling (e.g., using Apache ant tool)
 - Deployment/installation (local, remote)



Projects | **Files** | **Runtime**

RouletteDemo

- Resources
- Source Packages
 - com.sun.demos.embeddeddemo.roulette
 - BetListModel.java
 - RFIDReaderThread.java
 - Roulette.java
 - RouletteController.java
 - RouletteDemo.java
 - RouletteDemo
 - Fields
 - Constructors
 - Methods
 - Bean Patterns
 - Form RouletteDemo
 - RoulettePanel.java
 - X10Appliance.java
 - X10Controller.java
- Libraries

Navigators

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Welcome | RouletteDemo.java

NetBeans

GETTING STARTED

- Getting Started
- What's New
- Introduction to Java EE 5

Add-on Packs

- Profiler
- Mobility
- Enterprise
- Visual Web
- C/C++

NetBeans Resources

- Docs and Support
- Mailing Lists
- NetBeans Platform

ARTICLES & NEWS

Welcome to NetBeans IDE

To quickly get started, see the resources under Getting Started or open one of the many sample projects under Sample Projects.

This section and the Blogs section below will automatically display the latest NetBeans tutorials, important NetBeans announcements, and postings from our active NetBeans blogger community.

3/21/07

Why vi?

Ernie Rael released a vi editor module for NetBeans IDE. Why would anybody want vi keybindings? Read this article and find out.

3/21/07

Connecting to a MySQL Database

Working with MySQL in NetBeans 5.5: Creating new tables, populating tables with data, running SQL queries, and more.

3/21/07

Enterprise Application Client Project in NetBeans 5.5

Tutorial on how to use NetBeans IDE 5.5 to create and use an enterprise application client to access EJBs.

3/12/07

Contribute to NetBeans with the NetBeans Community Docs Program

Last week, we rolled out the NetBeans Community Docs program to make it easier for you to write about NetBeans, whether in the form of tutorials, white papers, FAQs, tips and tricks, blogs or Flash demos. Using the Ne...

ALL NEWS **ALL ARTICLES**

SAMPLE PROJECTS

- General
- Web
- Enterprise
- NetBeans Plug-in Modules
- Java BluePrints Solutions

CREATE NEW PROJECT

BLOGS

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Lukas Hasik's Weblog: Jolt Award for Mobility Pack

And the winner of Jolt's Community Awards is NetBeans Mobility Pack 5.5 and Sun Java Wireless Toolkit 2.2 ... Second Jolt's award in row, yupiii.

3/22/07 8:49 AM

James' Blog: Community Docs Contributor Spotlight: Toni Epple

Hi all, The NetBeans Community Docs effort is gaining momentum. More contributions are rolling in. Today, I'd like to focus on another contributor: Toni Epple. Toni is a geneticist and computer scientist working for Gen...

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Geertjan's Weblog: Getting Further Into Groovy

ALL BLOGS

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☒ **SHOW ON STARTUP**

NetBeans Software

- **Profiling** (Including BCI: byte code instrumentation)
<http://profiler.netbeans.org/>
- **Debugging** (Java Platform Debugger Architecture product (JPDA) based)
<http://debugger.netbeans.org/>
- **Database connectivity/interaction** (JDBC software-based)
<http://db.netbeans.org/>
- **GUI RAD: Project Matisse** (Form-based: XML GUI descriptor)
<http://www.netbeans.org/kb/articles/matisse.html>

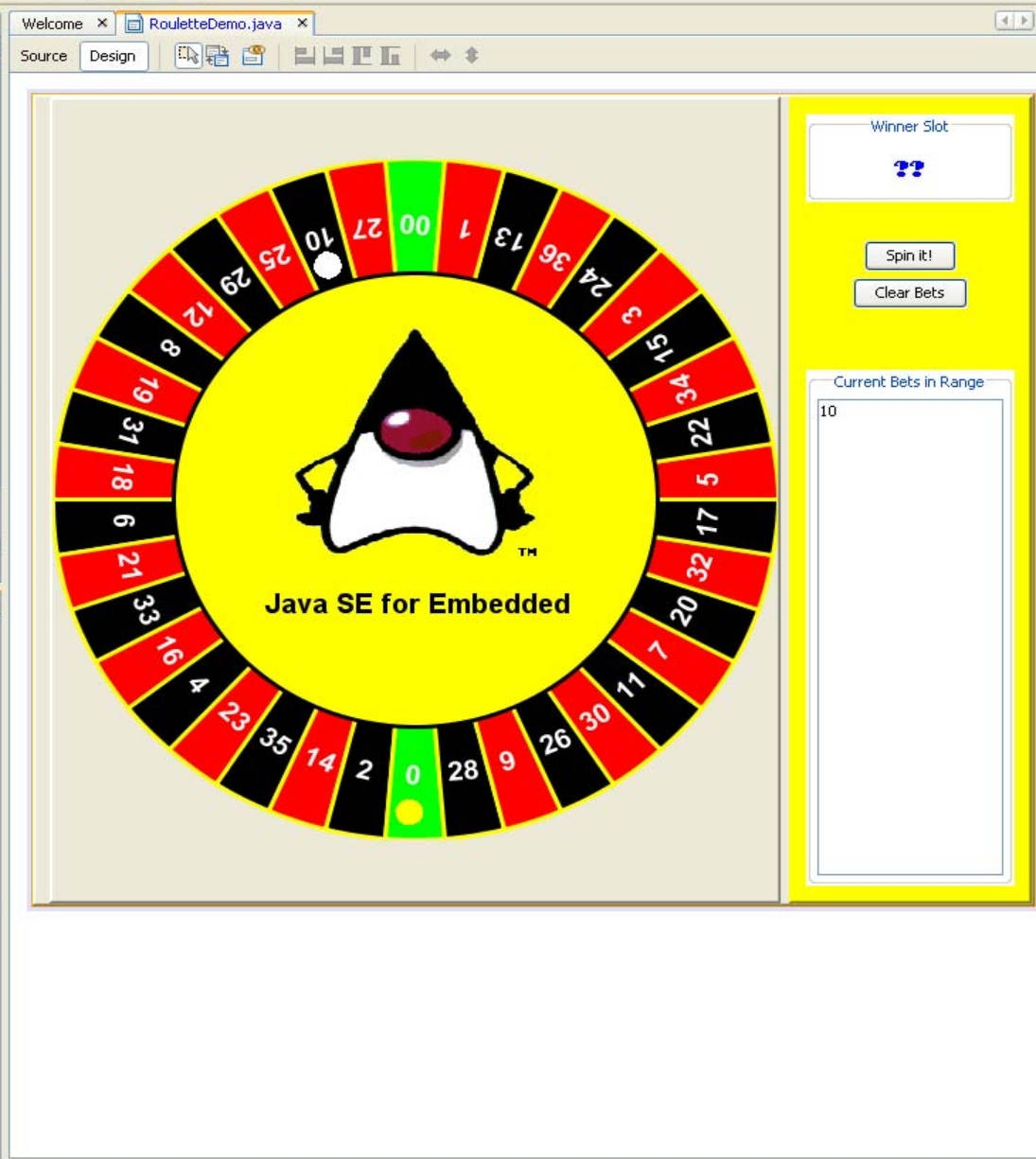


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Navigator **Inspector**

- Form RouletteDemo
 - Other Components
 - [JFrame]
 - GridLayout
 - mainPanel [JPanel]
 - BoxLayout
 - roulettePanel1 [RoulettePanel]



Palette

- Swing
 - JLabel
 - JButton
 - JToggleButton
 - JCheckBox
 - JRadioButton
 - ButtonGroup
 - JComboBox
 - JList
 - JTextField
 - JTextArea
 - JPanel
 - JTabbedPane
 - JScrollbar
 - JScrollPane
 - JMenuBar
 - JPopupMenu
 - JSlider
 - JProgressBar

roulettePanel1 [RoulettePanel] - Pro...

Properties	Events	Code
Properties		
background	<input type="checkbox"/> [236,233,216]	...
border	[BevelBorder]	...
componentPopupMenu	<none>	...
foreground	<input type="checkbox"/> [0,0,0]	...
toolTipText	null	...
Other Properties		
UIClassID	PanelUI	...
accessibleContext	[AccessibleJPanel]	...
alignmentX	0.0	...
alignmentY	0.5	...
ancestorListeners	[Array of javax.swing.e	...
autoscrolls	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	...
components	[Array of java.awt.Com	...
containerListeners	[Array of java.awt.eve	...
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enabled	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	...

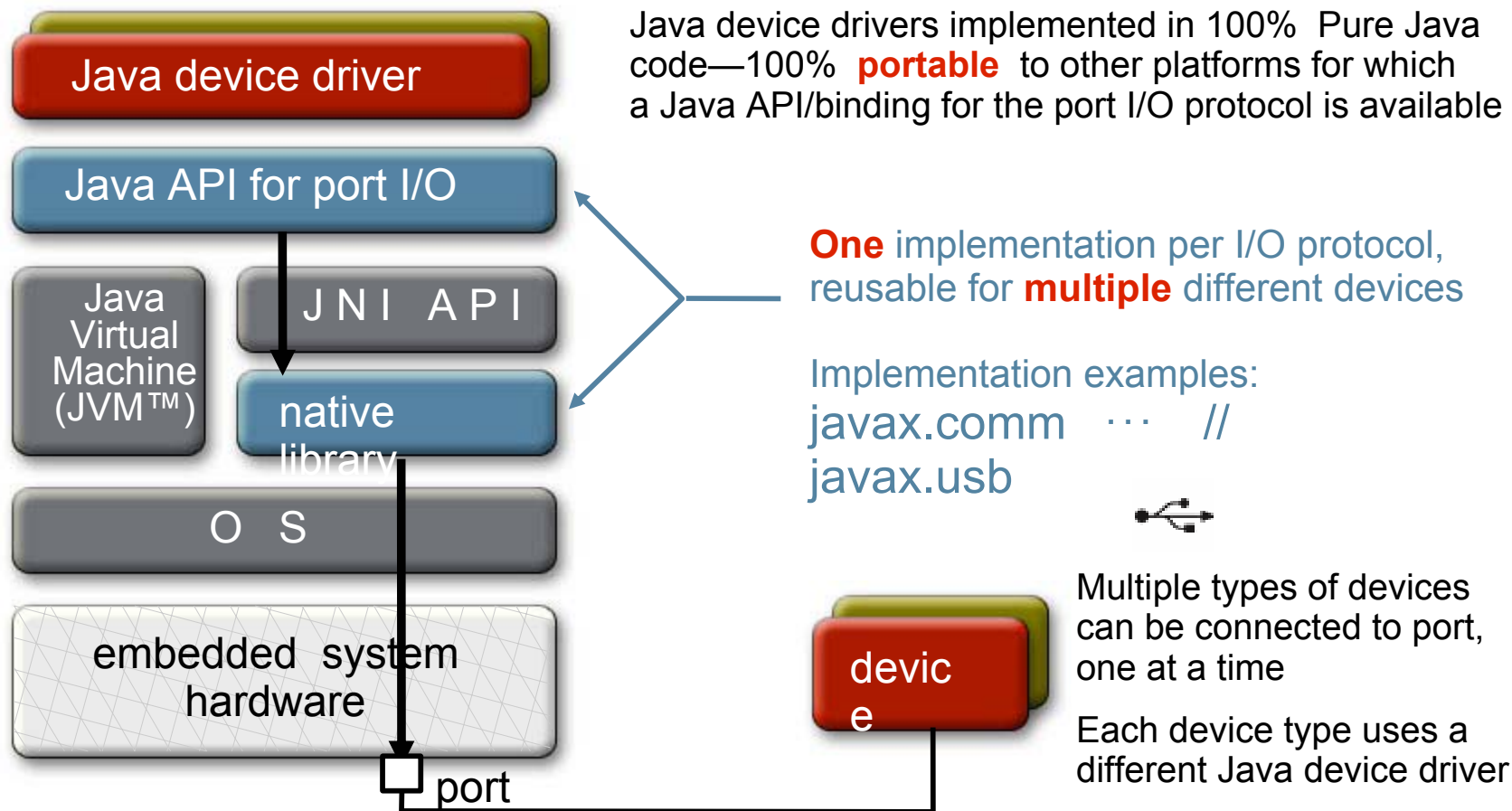
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Use of Native Libraries

- Leverage legacy native code for embedded systems
 - Retain value/benefits of, and previous investment in, existing native code, and gain benefits of Java platform
- Java technology provides interface for this: Java Native Interface (JNI™) API
 - <http://java.sun.com/j2se/1.5.0/docs/guide/jni/>
 - <http://java.sun.com/products/jdk/faq/jnifaq.html>
- JNI API allows you to write “glue code” to bind/link Java code to native code: Java code wrapper, Java API

Peripheral I/O

Java device drivers



The terms “Java Virtual Machine” and “JVM” mean a Virtual Machine for the Java™ platform.

Use of Native Libraries

- ***Process of writing JNI API glue code can be largely automated—a.k.a. auto-wrapping/ binding:***
 - **GlueGen:** <https://gluegen.dev.java.net/>
 - **SWIG:** <http://www.swig.org/>
 - **JANET:** <http://janet-project.sourceforge.net/>

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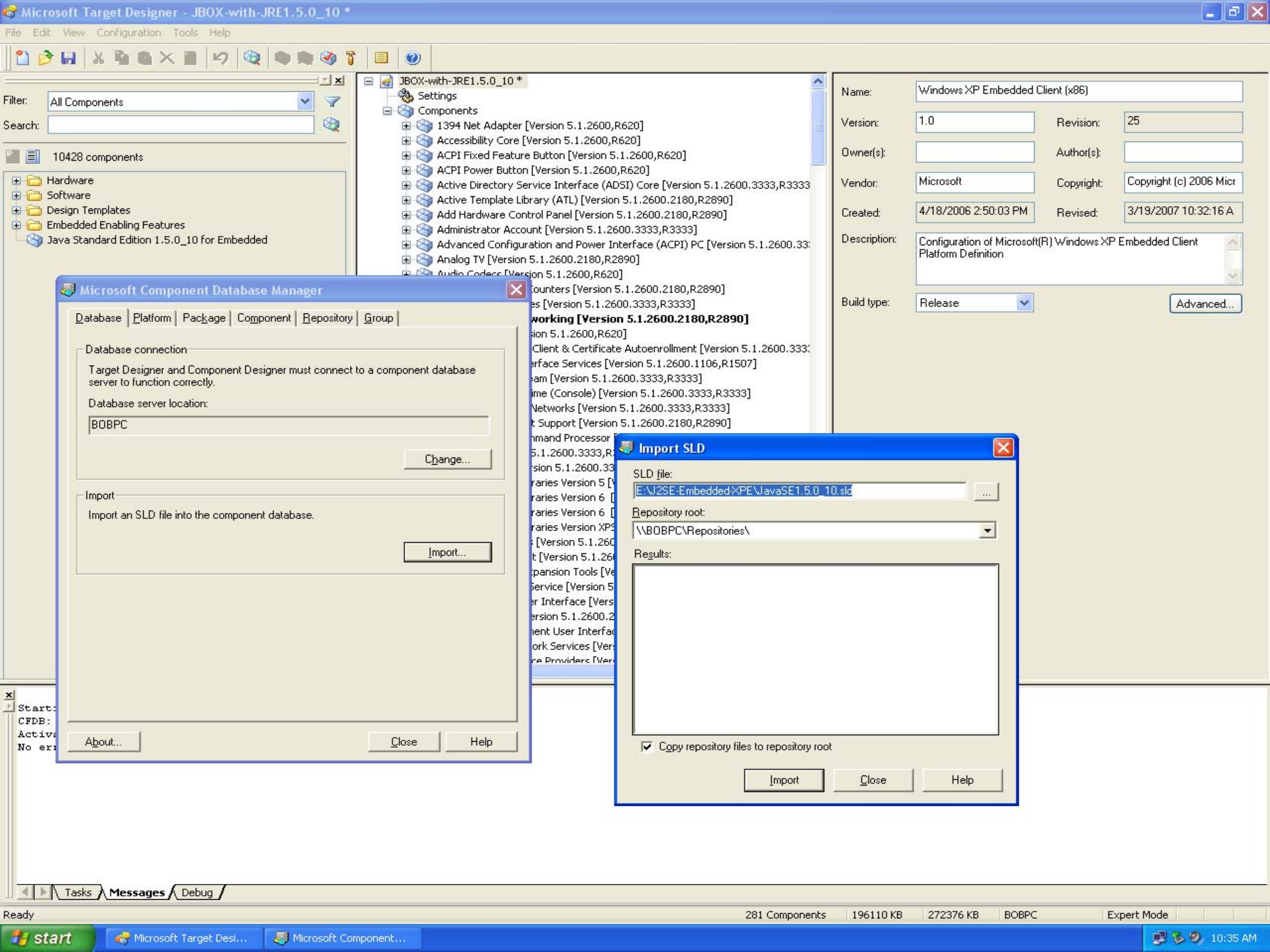
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Adding Java Technology to Your Embedded OS

- Linux
 - Embedded OS vendor specific
 - ftp/nfs transfer to FLASH/DISK common
 - Unzip/untar Java SE platform distribution
- Windows XP Embedded
 - Microsoft provides Platform Builder GUI

Enabled Windows XP Embedded OS Image

- System Level Definition File (.sld) distribution of Java SE platform Embedded now available
 - Eases development of XP Embedded OS image
- Uses Microsoft Windows Embedded Studio Target Designer
 - Import Java platform .sld file into Target Designer
 - Double Click on Java Component
 - Java platform now available
- Java SE platform for Embedded Requires Windows Application Compatibility Macro Component





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- Hardware
- Software
- Design Templates
- Embedded Enabling Features
- Java Standard Edition 1.5.0_10 for Embedded**

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- Internet Protocol Network Address Translation [Version 5.1.2600.2180,R2890]
- IP Conference Telephony Service Provider [Version 5.1.2600.2180,R2890]
- IP Security Services [Version 5.1.2600.2180,R2890]
- ISAPNP Read Data Port [Version 5.1.2600,R620]
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- Jet Database Engine [Version 5.1.2600.2180,R2890]
- Kernel Audio Support [Version 5.1.2600.2180,R2890]**
- Kernel Mode Crypto Driver for RSA [Version 5.1.2600,R620]
- Kernel Streaming User Mode Support [Version 5.1.2600.3333,R3333]
- Key Manager [Version 5.1.2600.2180,R2890]
- Legacy Audio Drivers [Version 5.1.2600,R620]
- Legacy Video Capture Devices [Version 5.1.2600,R620]
- Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP) client [Version 5.1.2600.1106,R1507]
- Local Printing [Version 5.1.2600.3333,R3333]
- Logical Disk Manager [Version 5.1.2600,R620]
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- MCI Support [Version 5.1.2600.2180,R2890]
- Media Control Devices [Version 5.1.2600,R620]
- Media Files [Version 5.1.2600,R620]
- Microcode Update Device [Version 5.1.2600,R620]
- Microsoft ACPI-Compliant System [Version 5.1.2600,R620]
- Microsoft Audio Compression Manager (MME Core) [Version 5.1.2600.3333,R3333]
- Microsoft Data Access Components (MDAC) [Version 5.1.2600.3333,R3333]
- Microsoft Foundation Class Library (Legacy) [Version 5.1.2600.3333,R3333]
- Microsoft Foundation Class Library (MFC) [Version 5.1.2600.2180,R2890]
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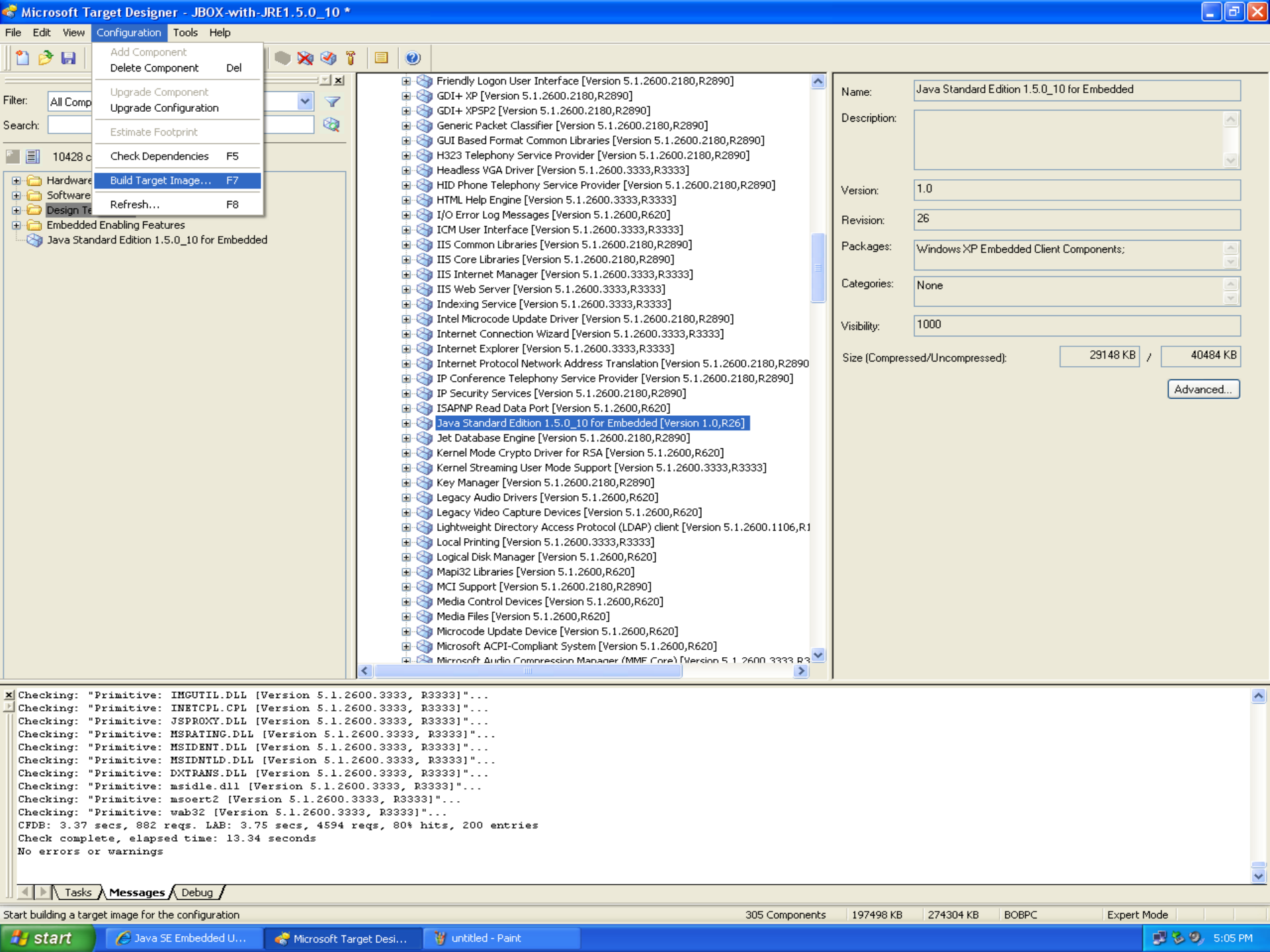
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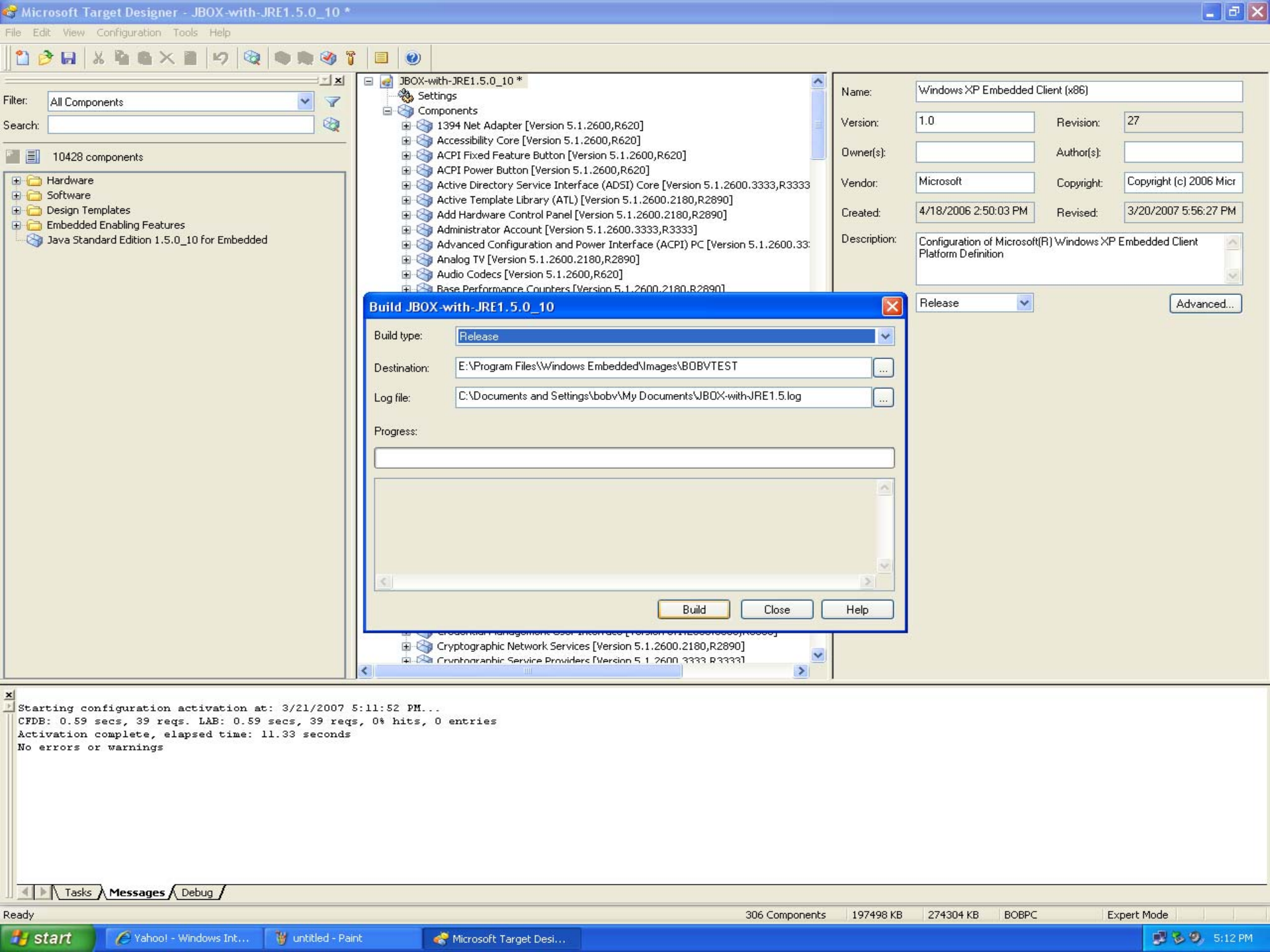
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Software Deployment Options

Physical Transfer

- 1) Software is prepared separately (e.g., on PC), then copied to portable persistent memory: ROM/flash/stick**
- 2) Portable persistent memory is inserted into embedded device (on board or through I/O port)**
 - **Software is run directly from inserted memory**
 - **Software is first copied to non-portable persistent memory in embedded device (ROM/flash/stick/disk), then run from there**

Software Deployment Options

Network Transfer

Software is migrated across network to non-portable persistent memory (ROM/flash/stick/disk), then run from there

- ***Software “push”/upload to device***
 - *cp (using NFS mount), rcp, ftp, etc.*
- ***Software “pull”/download***
 - *An agent running on device “pulls” software in, e.g., a servlet (using HTTP) or Java Web Start software (using JNLP)*

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Troubleshooting

- ***Three broad categories***

- ***Monitoring and Management***
- ***Profiling***
- ***Debugging***

See also Troubleshooting and Diagnostic Guide:

http://java.sun.com/j2se/1.5/pdf/jdk50_ts_guide.pdf

- ***Basic strategies***

- ***Local*** ***(using local filesystem, in-process)***
- ***Remote*** ***(using network, client-server)***

Troubleshooting



Target Device



Serial or Net



Development Platform

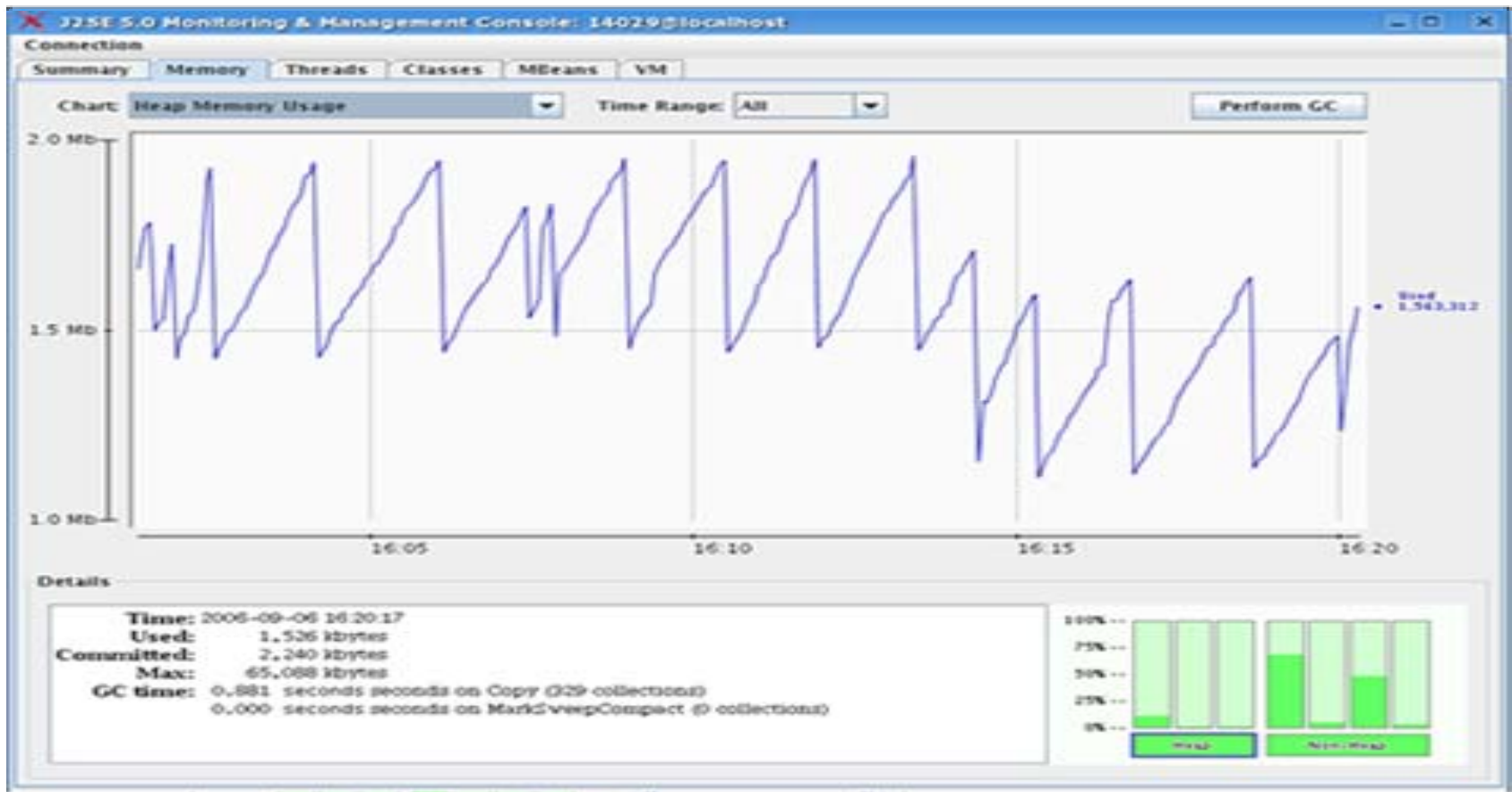
Troubleshooting

Monitoring and Management

- Get info about: JVM machine, memory consumption, thread use, class loading, etc.
 - <http://java.sun.com/j2se/1.5.0/docs/guide/management/>
- Based on Java Management Extension (JMX™). Lightweight agent, minimally intrusive to JVM machine being monitored/managed
- Basic strategies: local or remote
- Convenient GUI front-end tool (separate): jconsole
 - <http://java.sun.com/javase/6/docs/technotes/guides/management/agent.html>
 - <http://java.sun.com/javase/6/docs/technotes/tools/share/jconsole.html>

Troubleshooting

Monitoring and Management—jconsole



Troubleshooting

Profiling

- hprof—Heap/CPU profiling tool
 - Based on JVM Tool Interface as of 5.0
 - <http://java.sun.com/developer/technicalArticles/Programming/HPROF.html>
- jhat—heap dump analysis tool
 - <http://java.sun.com/javase/6/docs/technotes/tools/share/jhat.html>
- NetBeans software profiler
 - <http://profiler.netbeans.org/>
- Basic strategies: local or remote

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Debugging

- Java Platform Debugger Architecture (JPDA) product software
 - Tiered architecture comprising three interface layers: Java Debug Interface (JDI) software (high-level), Java Debug Wire Protocol (JDWP) software (mid-level), JVM Tool Interface (low-level)
 - Based on JVM Tool Interface as of 5.0
 - jdb—Java platform debugger (Sun's JDI implementation)
 - <http://java.sun.com/j2se/1.5.0/docs/guide/jpda/>
- NetBeans software debugger: GUI front-end to jdb
- Basic strategies: Local or remote

Troubleshooting

Remote debugging example

- ***On embedded system, start Java application in JVM Tool Interface-based debugging mode:***
 - ***java -Xint -agentlib:jdwp=transport=dt_socket,server=y,suspend=n,address=7778 JavaMain***
 - ***Remote JPDA-compliant debuggers (debug clients) can now attach/connect***
- ***Remote debugger (e.g., NetBeans software) attaches/connects; must know:***
 - ***Location of Java binary code (jars) produced with javac -g:
Used for symbol names, line numbers***
 - ***Location of corresponding Java source code:
used for display of current line, surrounding lines, context***

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Performance Tuning

- Garbage Collection
- Proper Heap Sizing
- Compilation Policy
- Tuning Application Code
- Calling Native Code (JNI API overhead)
- Using Hardware Acceleration Efficiently



For More Information

<http://java.sun.com/javase/embedded>



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