

Adding Telephony to JavaTM Technology-Based Enterprise Applications

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Project SailFin

- Based on Ericsson's contribution of SIP Servlet technology to GlassFish[™] community
- Foundation technology for many mobile services
- Also enables media interaction to be added to Enterprise Web applications





Adding Telephony to Java Enterprise Applications

Learn about **SIP Servlets** and how to use them to develop **voice-enabled** enterprise applications.





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Can You Do This on the Java Platform?

















SIP Technology Makes It Possible

Session Initiation Protocol

- Signaling protocol for Internet multimedia
- Only responsible for setting up communications
- Defined by RFCs 3261(sip), 4566(sdp), 3550(rtp)

Similar to HTTP

- Text-based request and response
- Shared status codes (200 OK, 404 Not Found)
- State data stored in session (SipSession)

Different from HTTP

- Asynchronous
- Multiple servlets can receive the same message

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SIP Servlets API

- SIP Servlets process SIP message
 - Based on the Generic Servlet model
 - Defined by Java Specification Request (JSR) 116
- Defines high-level objects
 - Message, Request, and Response
 - SIPApplicationSession, SipSession, SipFactory
 - Timers
- Work together with HTTP Servlets
 - HTTP Servlets can initiate calls
 - Send an HTTP URL in a SIP Redirect
 - Share session data

Writing SIP Applications

- Application contains one or more SIP Servlets to handle SIP protocol messages
- Packaged and deployed as SIP Archive
 - .sar is similar to .war web archive format
 - sip.xml: SIP-specific deployment descriptor
- SIP Servlets have different methods for handling each type of SIP message
 - e.g., servlet must contain doInvite() method to process an INVITE message
- No context roots!



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SIP Application Composition

- A message may be seen by multiple SIP Applications simultaneously
 - e.g., CallFilter and CallForward
 - Both applications express interest in INVITE Message

<sip-app></sip-app>	<sip-app></sip-app>
<servlet></servlet>	<servlet></servlet>
<servlet-name><u>CallFilter</u></servlet-name>	<servlet-name><u>CallForward</u></servlet-name>
<servlet-class>com.acme.CallFilte</servlet-class>	er <servlet-class>com.acme.CallForward</servlet-class>
<servlet-mapping></servlet-mapping>	<servlet-mapping></servlet-mapping>
<servlet-name>CallFilter</servlet-name>	<servlet-name>CallForward</servlet-name>
<pattern></pattern>	<pattern></pattern>
<pre><equal><var>request.method</var></equal></pre>	d <equal><var>request.method</var></equal>
<value>INVITE</value>	<value>INVITE</value>

INVITE message is seen by both applications. Order is important!



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Session Management

- Every established dialog results in a SIPSession
 - Tracks one point-to-point communication session
 - Similar to HttpSession
 - Can be explicitly invalidated or timed out
- SIPApplicationSession
 - Groups many protocol sessions
 - A SIP application can have many simultaneous sessions
 - Unique to each active invocation of application
 - Reclaimed by explicit invalidation or timer
 - All child sessions must also be ready for reclamation



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JSR 289: SIP Servlets 1.1

- Convergence: combine Java Platform, Enterprise Edition (Java EE platform) and SIP
- Java EE platform services in SIP applications
 - Dependency injection
 - Invoke Web Services
 - Transactions, Enterprise JavaBeans[™] (EJB[™]) technology, and Java Persistence API
 - Java EE platform Connectors and Message Driven Beans associated with SIP Sessions
 - Co-packaging

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- SIP services in Java EE platform applications
 - Initiate calls from servlets and EJBs
 - Share state between SIP and web sessions

Converged Sessions

 HttpSession and SIPSession objects are interlinked

HttpSession httpSession=req.getSession();

ConvergedHttpSession convSession = (ConvergedHttpSession) httpSession;

Iterator<SipSession> sipSessions =
 appSession.getSessions("SIP");

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Click-to-Dial

- Launch and register SIP softphone
- Click on a registered attendee to place a call
 - Calls your phone first
 - When you answer, calls the other person
 - When they answer, starts the call











Registrar SIP Servlet

public class RegistrarServlet extends SipServlet {
 protected void doRegister(SipServletRequest req) {
 // get the data model from the servlet context
 Model m = (Model) servletCtx.getAttribute("model");

// find Alice's object in the database
Person a = m.getPerson(req.getFrom());

// store the updated phone number for this person
a.setTelephone(req.getFrom().getURI());
m.updatePerson(a);

// send an OK response
SipServletResponse resp = req.createResponse(SC_OK);
resp.send();



PlaceCall HTTP Servlet

@Resource private SipFactory sipFactory;

```
// get registered SIP addresses from database
Person alice = model.getPerson(request.getSession());
Address a = alice.getTelephone();
Address b = getAddress(request.getAttribute("to"));
```

```
// create a new INVITE request to Alice
SipServletRequest req =
   sipFactory.createRequest(appSession, "INVITE", b, a);
```

```
// store Bob's address in the sip session
req.getSession().setAttribute("addr", b);
```

```
// send the request
req.send();
```



HandleCall: SIP Servlet

protected void doSuccessResponse(SipServletResponse resp) {

// retrieve the addresses from the session
Address a = (Address) session.getRemoteParty();
Address b = (Address) session.getAttribute("addr");

// send an invite to Bob
SipServletRequest invite =

sf.createRequest(appSession,"INVITE", a, b); invite.setContent(resp.getContent(),"application/sdp");

// link the sessions
session.setAttribute("Linked", invite.getSession());
invite.getSession().setAttribute("Linked", session);

```
invite.send();
```



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Click-to-Dial

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Sun Labs Conference Manager

- Integrates VoIP-based telephony
- Implemented on top of SailFin prototype
 - Converged SIP and web application
 - Demonstrates possibilities of JSR 289
- Uses Sun Labs Voice Bridge
 - Pure Java technology RTP Mixing
 - Advanced audio features
- Based on research into the most common problems in distributed meetings



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Conference Manager



Architecture

Traditional Web App



JSP[™] = JavaServer Pages[™]

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Integrating a Media Gateway

- Runs as a separate process
- Choose strategy based on interface to gateway
- SIP-based gateway
 - Back-to-back user agent
 - e.g., MSML, MSCML
- Other gateways
 - Java EE platform Connector, Message-Driven EJB technology
 - e.g., MGCP, Sun Labs Voice Bridge
- Coming Soon: JSR 309

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Java EE Platform Connector Interfaces

public interface BridgeConnection { // place a new call and return a call id public String placeCall(CallParticipant participant); // mute or unmute the given call public void setMute(String callId, boolean isMuted) . . . // get the next message from the bridge public BridgeMessage nextMessage(); } public interface BridgeMessageListener { // called when a message is received from the bridge public void onMessage(BridgeMessage message); }



Architecture Java EE Platform Connector









SIP Servlet for Incoming Call

```
protected void doInvite(SipServletRequest req) {
    // notify that we are trying
    SipServletResponse response =
    req.createResponse(SipServletResponse.SC_TRYING);
    response.send();
```

```
// place the call in the bridge
BridgeConnection bc = bcf.getConnection();
String callId = bc.placeCall(cp);
```

```
// setup the session
SipApplicationSession s = req.getApplicationSession();
Map callMap = (Map) s.getAttribute("callMap");
callMap.put(callId, req.getSession());
req.getSession().setAttribute("req", req);
```



}

Managing Conference State

SipSession

- One per call
- Maintain user-specific state
 - e.g., name, speaking, mute
- SipApplicationSession
 - One per conference
 - Maintain conference-wide state
 - e.g., user list, voting state

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Message-Driven Bean for Call Status

@MessageDriven
public class StatusBean implements BridgeMessageListener {
 @EJB private CallHandlerLocal callHandler;
 @Resource private SipSessionsUtil ssu;

```
public void onMessage(BridgeMessage message) {
    // get the call from the session
    Call call = getCall(ssu, message.getCallId());
    // handle status updates
    gwitch (message getCede()) {
```

```
switch (message.getCode()) {
```

case STARTEDSPEAKING:

callHandler.speaking(call, true);

break;

case ENDED:

. . .

callHandler.callEnded(call);







Voice Bridge



HTTP Servlet SIP Servlet Summing the local PSTN SIP 4. JCA Connector **Message-Driven** places call into Bean . conference on Voice Bridge, starts RTP mixing. **JCA** Connector **Voice Bridge**



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Scalability

- SIP Load Balancing works on header fields
 - Session-Id stored in Via header
 - Call-Id
 - From and To headers
 - Other policies like actual server load
- Usually sticky SIPSessions
- Complexities for conference calls
 - Conference calls with thousands of callers
 - Callers are scattered across the world
 - For performance reasons good to direct all calls in a conference call to same server instance in cluster



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Scalability

• Too many callers in a conference

- Centralized audio mixing can get expensive
- User's voice quality experience can degrade
- Solution: hierarchical mixing with careful handling of timestamps
- Participants are from scattered geographies
 - Aggregate users based on source IP address
 - Local audio mixing and upstream transmission
 - Receive remote mixed stream and match with locally mixed audio



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Summary

- JSR 289 brings communications to enterprise Java applications
- Java EE platform enables development of powerful communications applications
 - From click-to-dial to multi-user collaboration
 - Add multimedia to existing applications
- Just the beginning
 - Need a better multi-user collaboration frameworks



For More Information

Project SailFin

http://sailfin.dev.java.net

- GlassFish[™] Project http://glassfish.dev.java.net
- SIP Servlets 1.1

http://jcp.org/en/jsr/detail?id=289

Conference Manager

http://research.sun.com/projects/mc/confmgr.html



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