gPM features and architecture

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gPM: generic Process Management

- ▶ <u>Main objective</u> : generate applications from a process definitions
- gPM : generic application / meta-tool
 - for sheets and lifecycles management
 - customizable
- Possibility to create applications fully adapted to the process, whatever the process:
 - Change management
 - Test management
 - ..

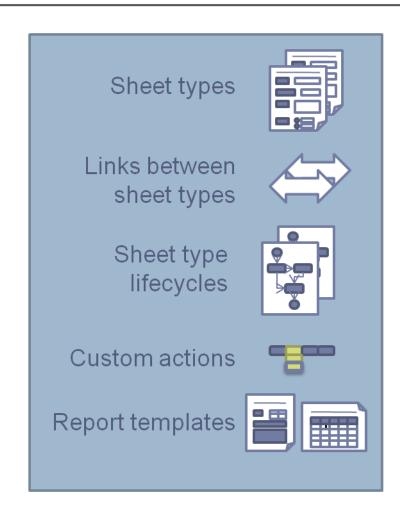
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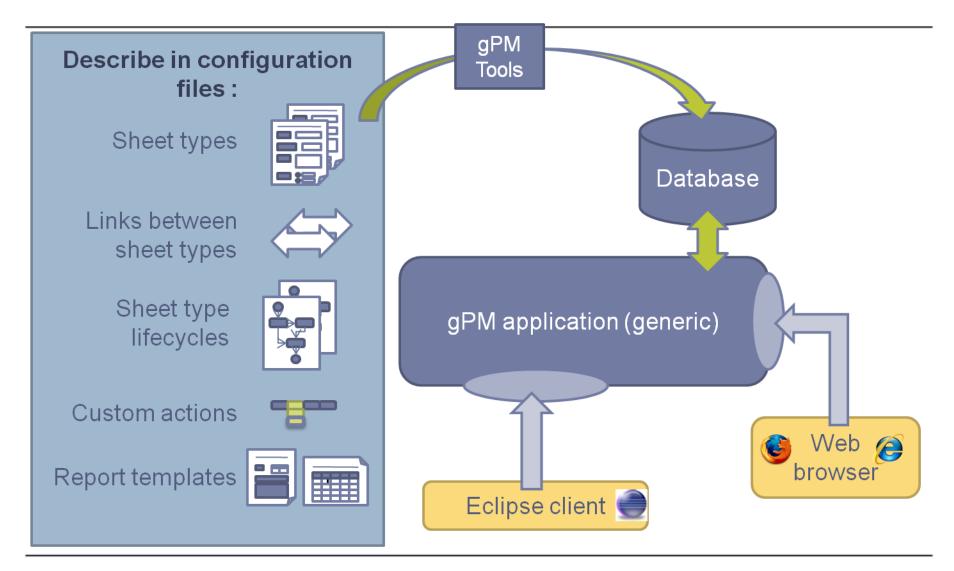
gPM - process definition

- Defining a process :
 - Identify the elements to handle and their structure:
 - ⇒ Will be the sheet types, and the forms
 - Identify links between these elements
 - Define the **lifecycle** for each sheet
 - ⇒ States / transitions
 - Identify specific actions to add
 - ⇒ UI actions added to the final application
 - Define export templates (PDF/XLS/ CSV)



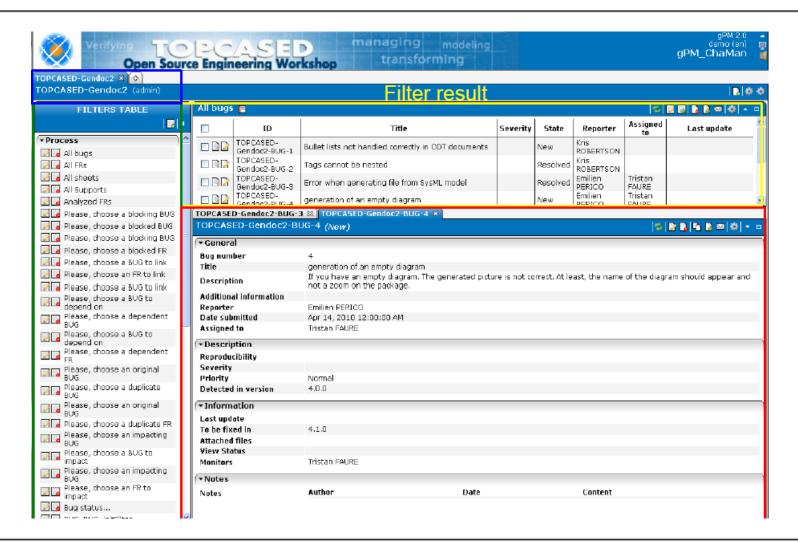


gPM: from process to application



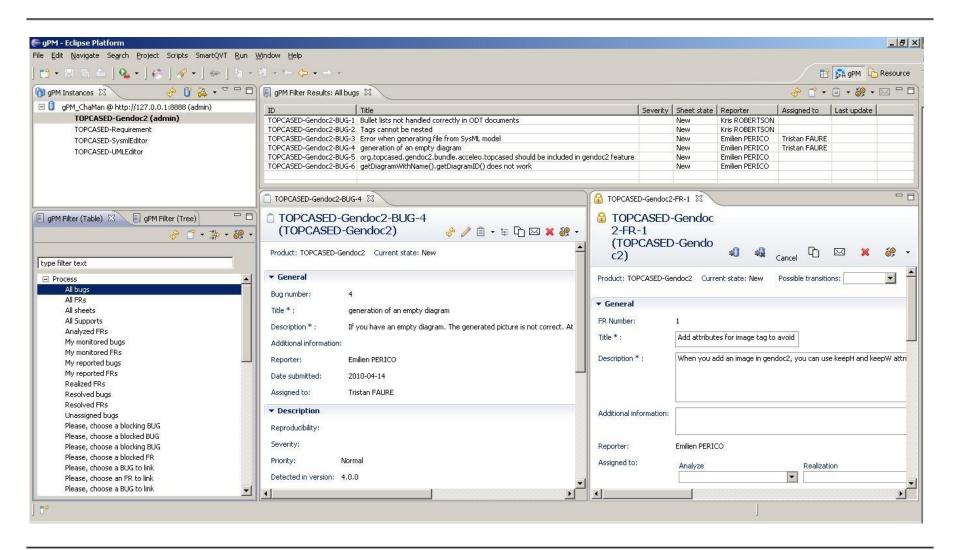


gPM - Web client





gPM – Eclipse client





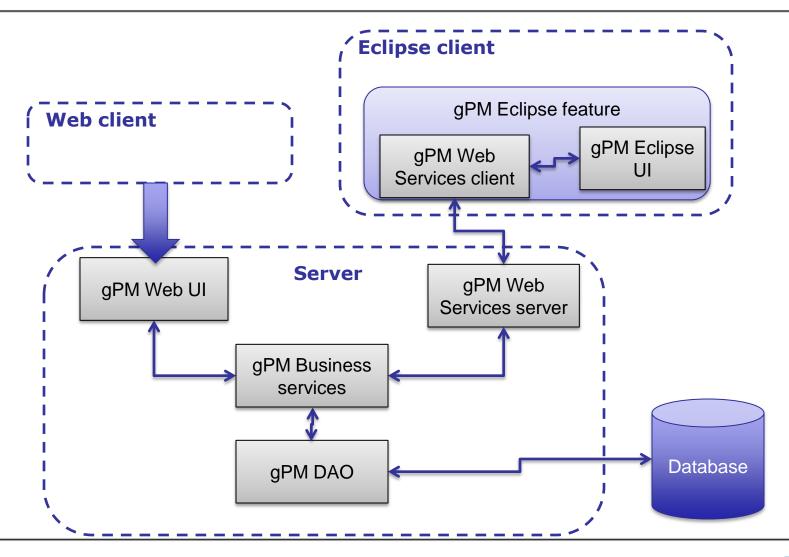
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gPM features

- Management of simultaneous tool instances designed for specific business processes
- Management of products and product hierarchy
- Parameterization of sheet types : number, content and life cycle
- Creation, modification, initialization and display of sheets
- Customization of functional id management
- Possibility to create links between sheets
- Set up of data dictionary to control values inserted by user
- Customizable search using filter
- Sheet initialization functionality
- Mail management
- Specific or generic export functionalities (PDF, XML, Excel)
- Access control management
- Administration functionalities



gPM Architecture





gPM deployment pre-requisites

- ▶ Java:
 - JDK 1.6.0_18+
- Database server
 - PostgreSQL v8.4+
 - or Oracle v10.X
- Application server :
 - Apache Tomcat v5.5+
 - or Jetty v6.1.15+

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Some applications realized with gPM

- gPM SUMO: change management process
 - ~ 22000 sheets, 100 products, 600 users



- gPM Track-Dev : coordination processes between Airbus and Suppliers
 - ~ 4000 sheets, 320 products, 1300 users



- ► gPM APIS : manage support, defects and enhancements for gPM metatool project itself

 AtoS
 - ~ 1400 sheets, 15 products, 30 users
- gPM DOJO : Configuration management process
 - Status : not in production yet



