Single Sourcing The Rich Ajax Platform



Who We Are



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Knowledge



Web 2.0?







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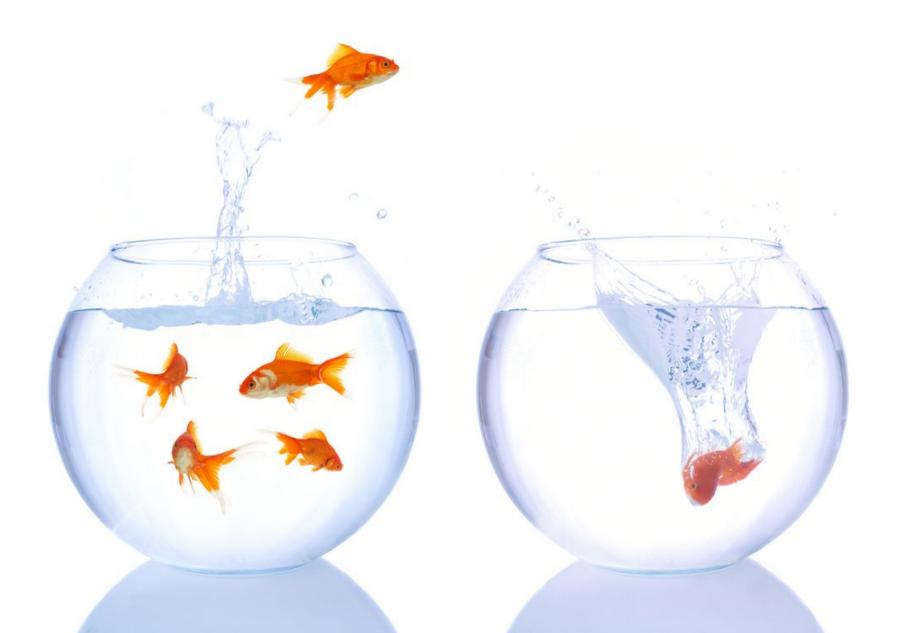
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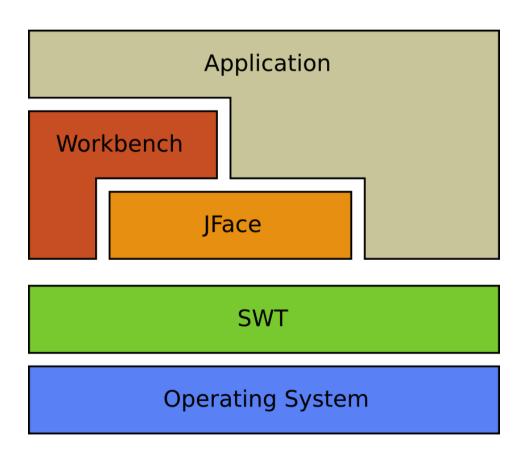
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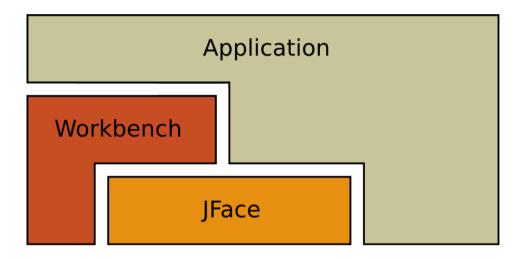
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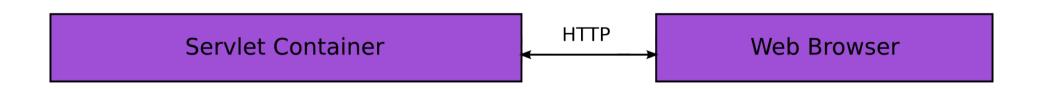


Exchange the runtime

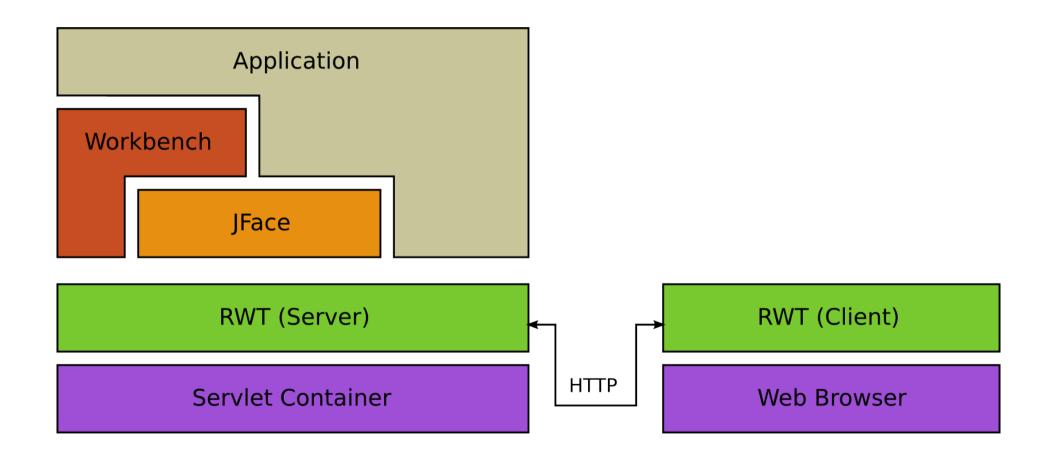
Layers of RCP



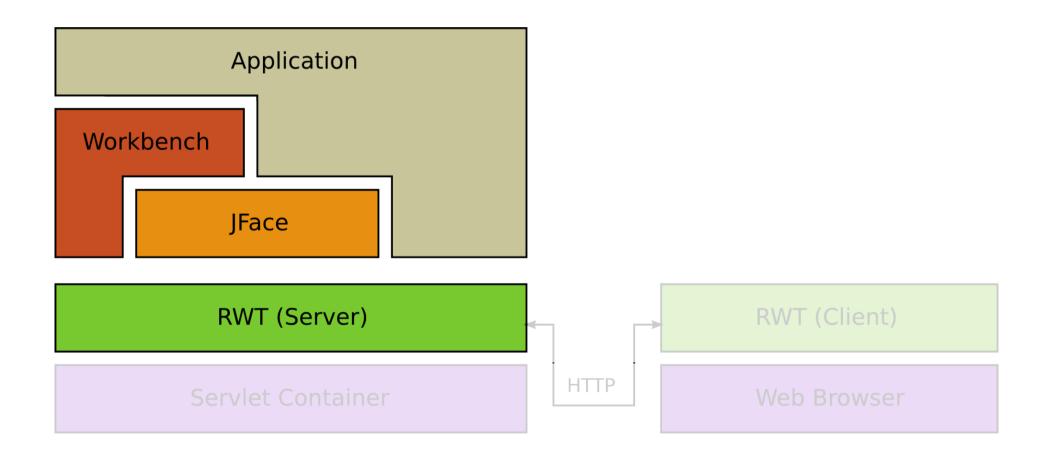




RAP Layers



On the Surface





It's possible!

It saves time...



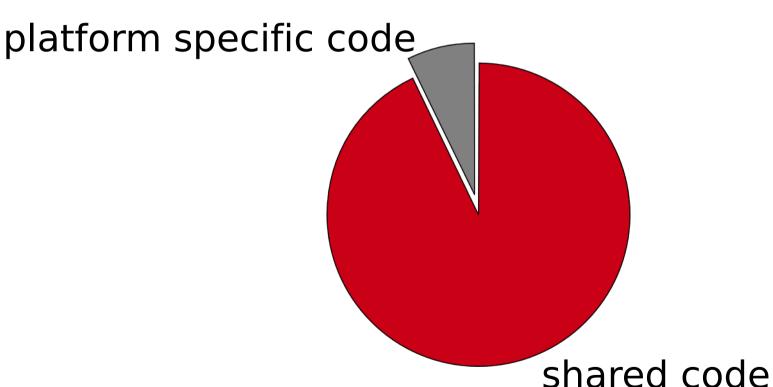
...and money!



How much can we reuse?

Code Reuse

80%-98% is possible



What about the 2-20%?

RAP Runs in a Browser

File system GraphicsContext

File upload





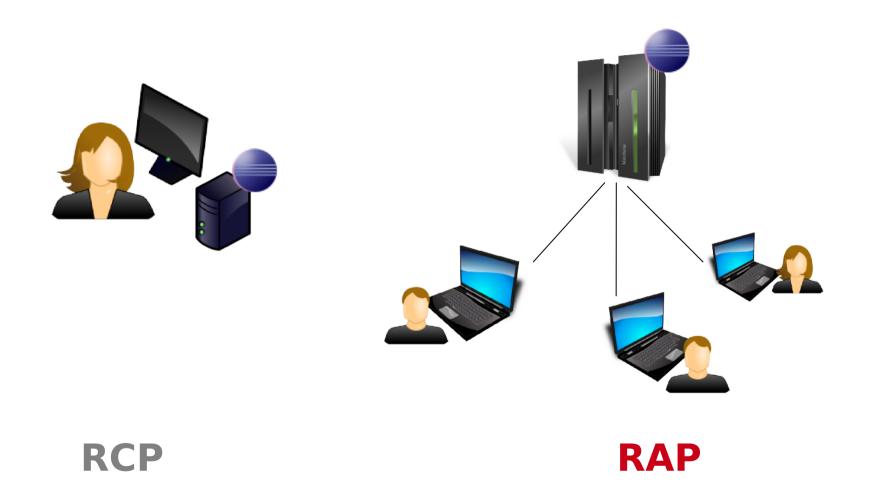




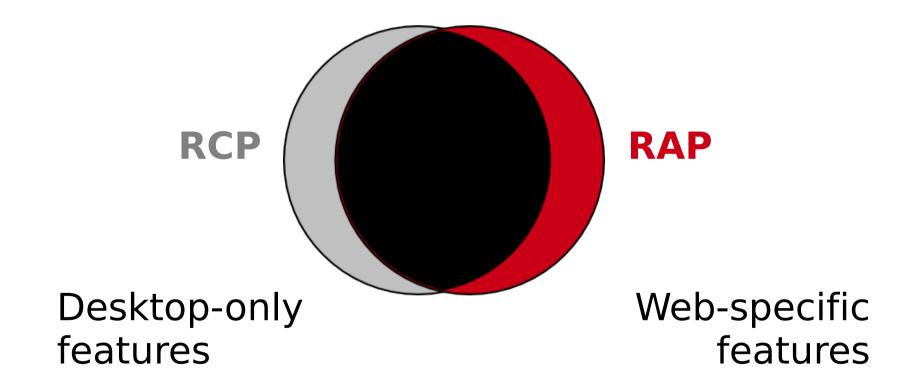


RAP

RAP is Multi-User!



API Differences





Techniques

Hand Tools



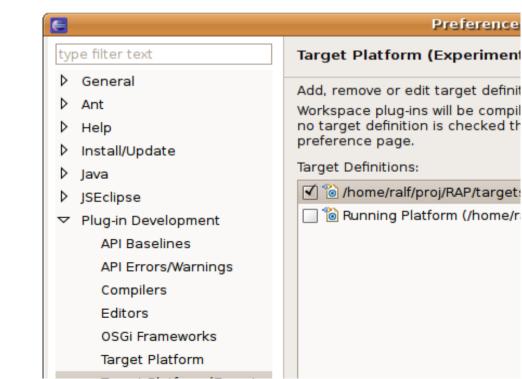
Eclipse SDK



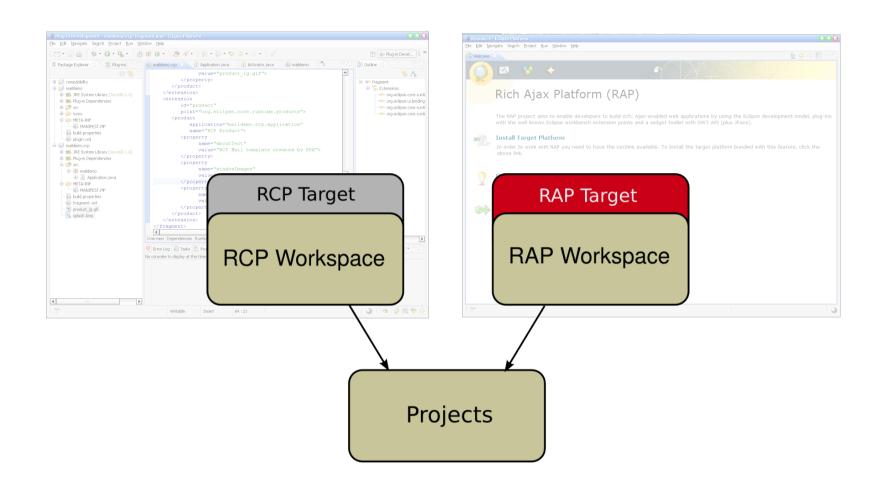
RAP SDK

includes

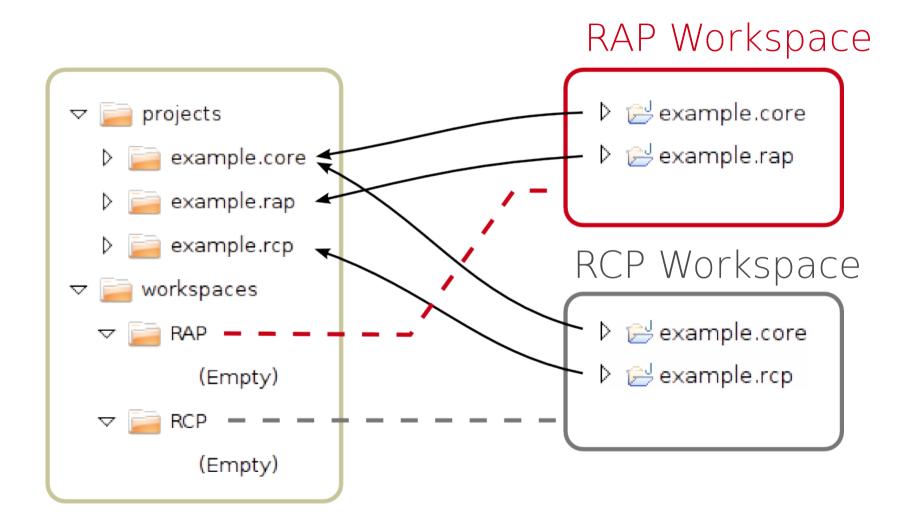
- RAP Runtime
- Tooling
- Help



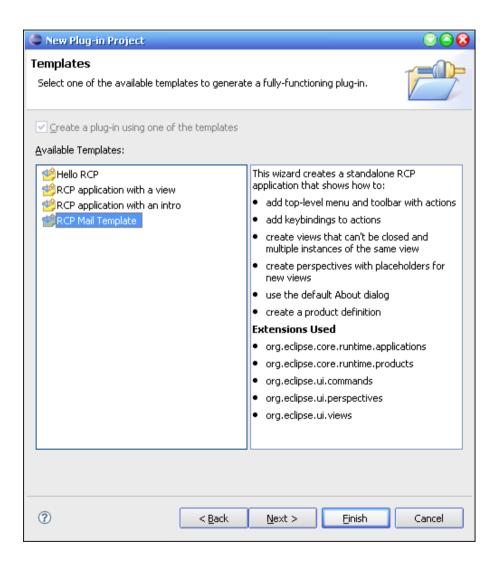
Workplace



Shared Projects

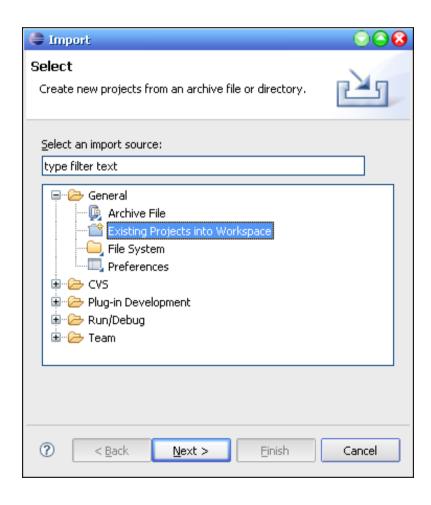


Example Application

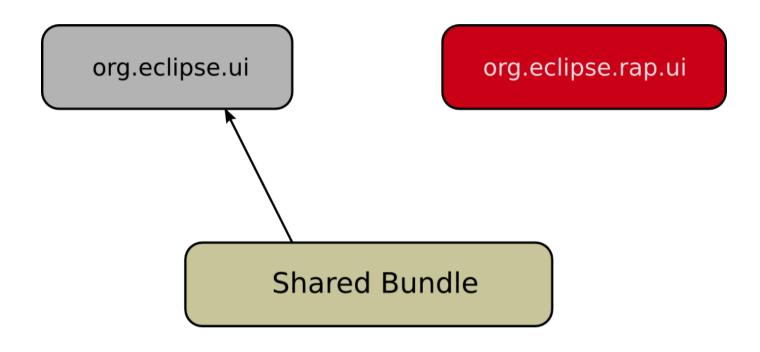


RCP Mail Demo

Import into RAP Workspace

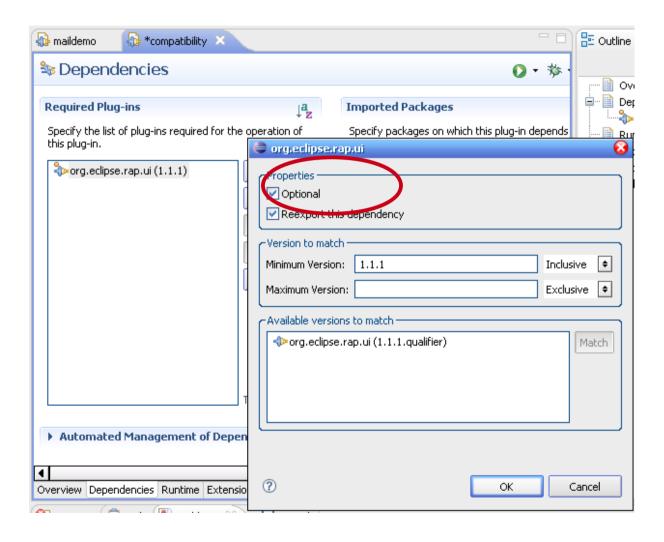


Dependencies

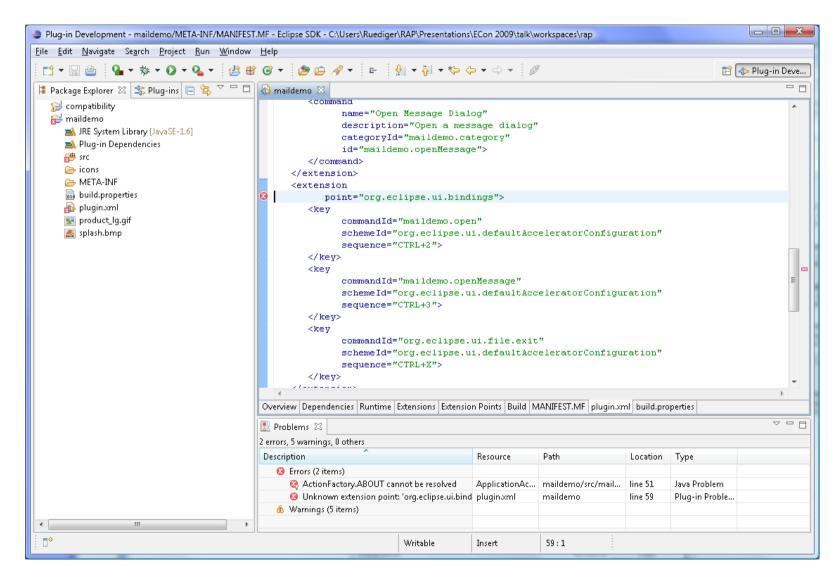


Package Imports
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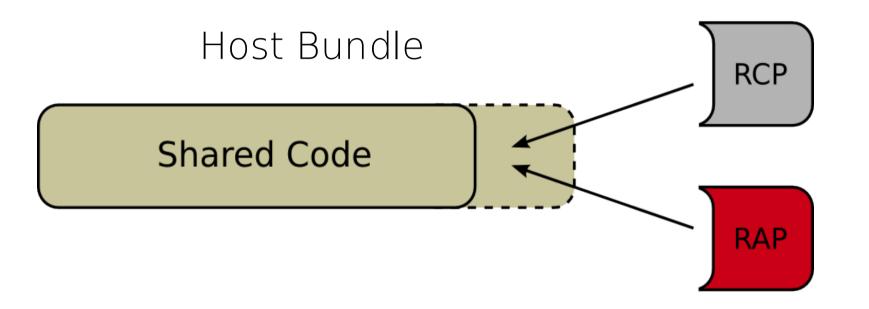


Only Two Errors Left

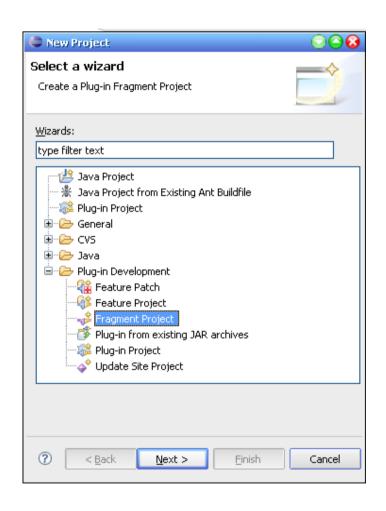


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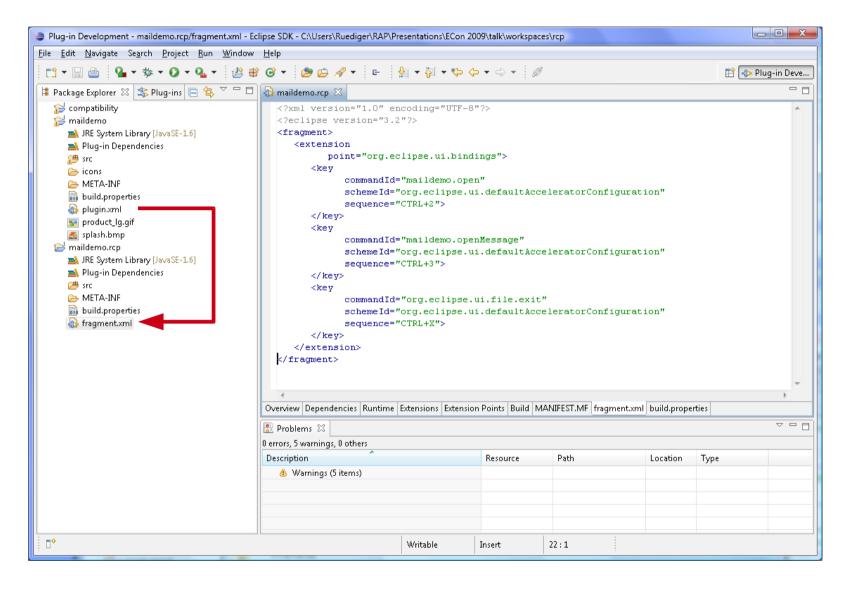


Create Fragments

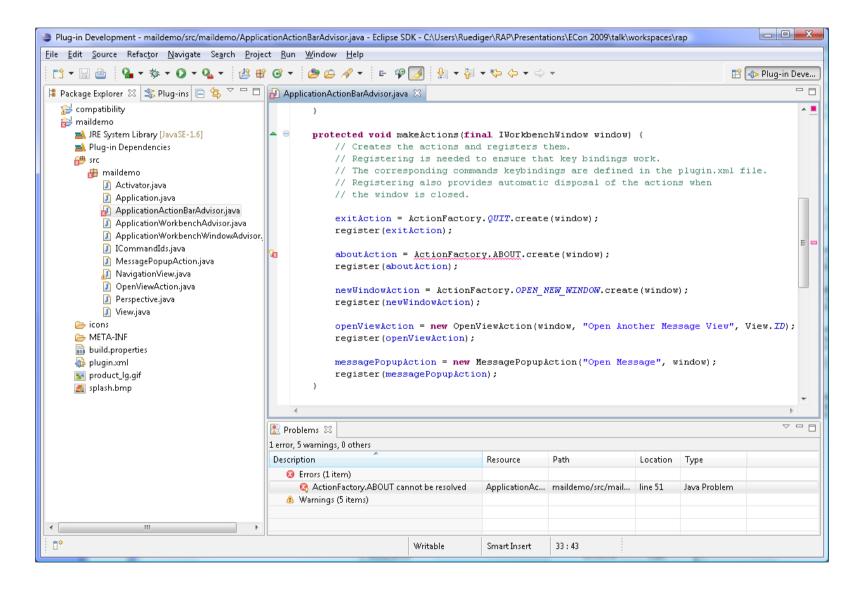




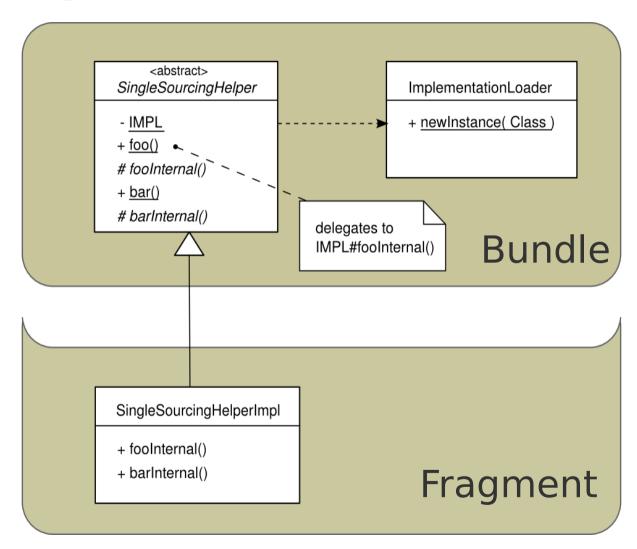
Move extensions



Only One Error Left



Delegation



API Differences

```
RCP
             exitAction = ActionFactory.QUIT.create(window);
             register(exitAction);
             aboutAction = ActionFactory.ABOUT.create(window);
             register(aboutAction);
             aboutAction = new AboutAction(window);
RAP
             register(aboutAction);
RCP
             aboutAction = AboutActionHelper.create(window);
             register(aboutAction);
RAP
```

Helper Class

```
public abstract class AboutActionHelper {
    private static final AboutActionHelper IMPL;
    static {
        IMPL = (AboutActionHelper) ImplementationLoader.newInstance( AboutActionHelper.class );
    }
    public static IWorkbenchAction create( IWorkbenchWindow window ) {
        return IMPL.createInternal( window );
    }
    abstract IWorkbenchAction createInternal( IWorkbenchWindow window );
}
```

ImplementationLoader

```
public class ImplementationLoader {

public static Object newInstance( Class type ) {
    String name = type.getName();
    Object result = null;
    try {
        result = type.getClassLoader().loadClass( name + "Impl" ).newInstance();
    } catch( Throwable throwable ) {
        // TODO handle exception
    }
    return result;
}
```

Implementations

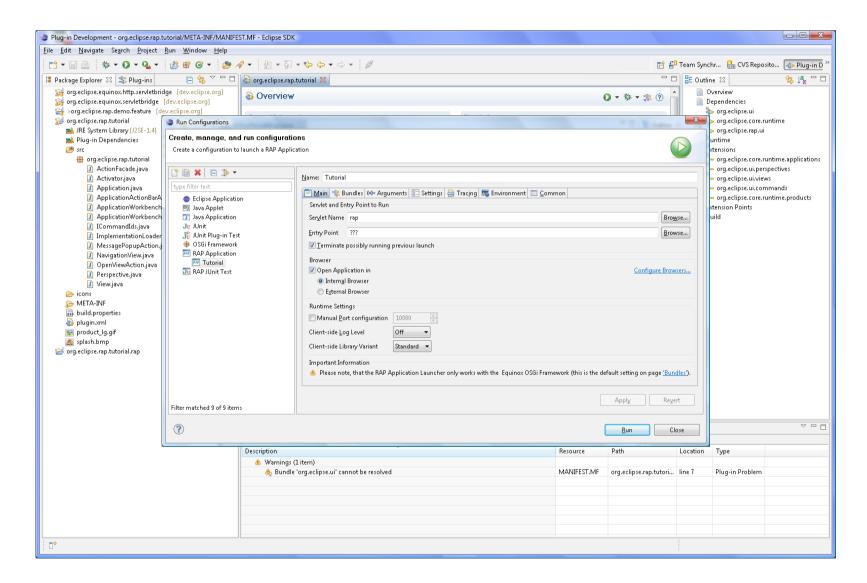
RCP

```
public class AboutActionHelperImpl extends AboutActionHelper {
    IWorkbenchAction createInternal( IWorkbenchWindow window ) {
        return ActionFactory.ABOUT.create( window );
    }
}
```

RAP

```
public class AboutActionHelperImpl extends AboutActionHelper {
    private final class AboutAction extends Action implements IWorkbenchAction {[]
        IWorkbenchAction createInternal( IWorkbenchWindow window ) {
            return new AboutAction( window );
        }
}
```

Zero Errors



Entry Point

Extension Element Details		
Set the properties of "entrypoint". Required fields are denoted by "*".		
id*:	maildemo.rap.entrypoint	
class*:	maildemo.EntryPoint	Browse
parameter*:	maildemo	

```
public class EntryPoint implements IEntryPoint {
    public int createUI() {
        Display display = PlatformUI.createDisplay();
        return PlatformUI.createAndRunWorkbench(display, new ApplicationWorkbenchAdvisor());
}
```

New Extension

Extension Point Selection

Create a new EntryPoint extension.

Extension Points Extension Wizards

Extension Point filter: entrypoint

org.eclipse.rap.ui.entrypoint

Show only extension points from the required plug-ins

A major difference between RCP and RAP is the way an application is started. With regular SWT applications you would use the main (String[] args) method, in RCP an implementation of IApplication. AS RAP uses a life cycle to control the application startup the application needs an IEntrypoint implementation which does mostly the same as IApplication. The difference is that we need to do not

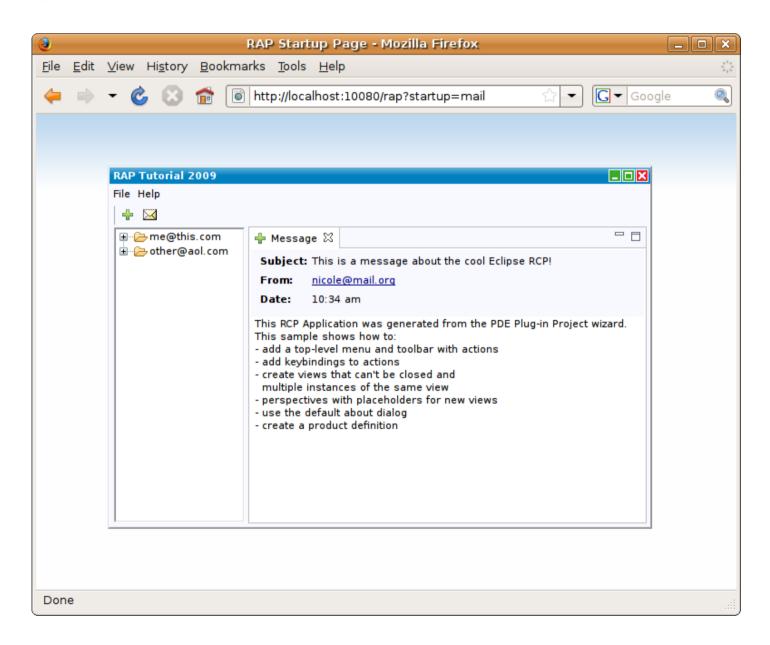
Extension Point Description: EntryPoint

Available templates for entrypoint:

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Cancel

Lift Off





Deployment

OSGI VS. J2EE ?

As server...

Application Bundles

Servlet Container Bundle

RAP Bundles

OSGi (Equinox)

..or embedded

Application Bundles

RAP Bundles

OSGi (Equinox)

OSGi Servlet Bridge

J2EE Servlet Container

Conclusion

"Cool, one runtime to rule them all."

Chris Aniszczyk, EclipseSource

The actors

RAP

http://www.eclipse.org/rap/

RCP

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Thanks for listening!

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