IBM WEBSPHERE BUSINESS MONITOR 6.0.2 - LAB EXERCISE

Monitoring using the sample file emitter

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What this exercise is about

This exercise shows you how to use IBM® WebSphere® Integration Developer to update the File Emitter source code to customize it to emit specific user defined events using the CEI SDK that will be monitored using WebSphere Business Monitor. You will customize the supplied File emitter source code, export the EAR, and deploy the EAR to WebSphere Process Server 6.0.2. You will configure WebSphere Process Server 6.0.2 scheduler. Finally you will conduct a simple test to see if the events are being emitted.

Lab requirements

List of system and software required for the student to complete the lab.

- WebSphere Integration Developer V6.0.2
- WebSphere Process Server V6.0.2 or WebSphere Application Server 6.0.2 with CEI API SDK

What you should be able to do

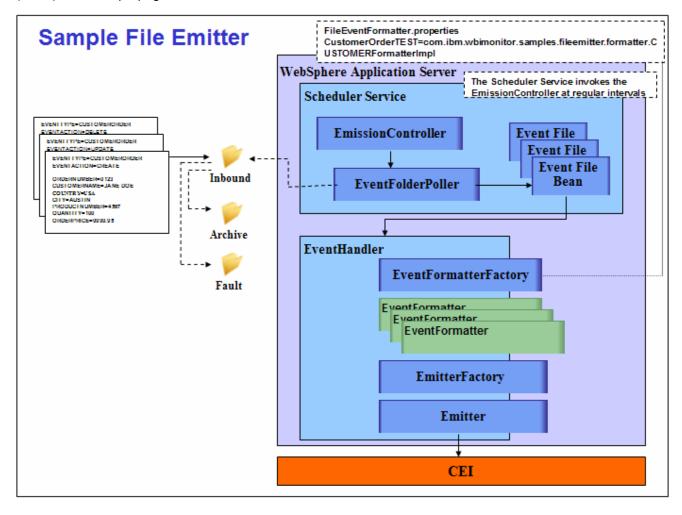
At the end of this lab you should be able to:

- Use WebSphere Integration Developer to import the DB2 Emitter source with CEI SDK emitter transport and perform necessary modifications to it, build the File Emitter project and finally export an EAR file for deployment
- Use the Cview tool to create a database for the scheduler database and configure a data source for the same using the Process Server's administrative console
- Use the WebSphere Process Server administrative console to create a scheduler service
- Use the WebSphere Process Server administrative console to install the EAR
- Run a simple test to view successful events emitted
- View the events emitted using the common base event browser (CBE Browser)

Introduction

The Sample File Event Emitter is a sample program written in Java[™] that demonstrates how an enterprise information system (EIS) resource which stores data pertaining to the state of a business can be instrumented to contribute to the overall monitoring of the activities of a business.

The main goal of the Sample File Event Emitter is to introduce the use of the libraries and APIs provided by the Common Event Infrastructure (CEI) to generate and emit business events in the form of Common Base Events (CBEs). Common Base Events are the data packaging and format used by the WebSphere Business Monitor (WBM) Server to propagate business events.



Exercise instructions

Some instructions in this lab may be Windows® operating-system specific. If you plan on running the lab on an operating-system other than Windows, you will need to run the appropriate commands, and use appropriate files (.sh vs. .bat) for your operating system. The directory locations are specified in the lab instructions using symbolic references, as follows:

| Reference variable | Windows location | AIX [®] /UNIX [®] location |
|-------------------------------------|--|--|
| <wid_home></wid_home> | C:\WID602 | |
| <wps_home></wps_home> | C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer | |
| <wps_profile_dir></wps_profile_dir> | <wps_home>\profiles\<profile_name></profile_name></wps_home> | |
| <labfiles></labfiles> | C:\Labfiles602 | /tmp/Labfiles602 |

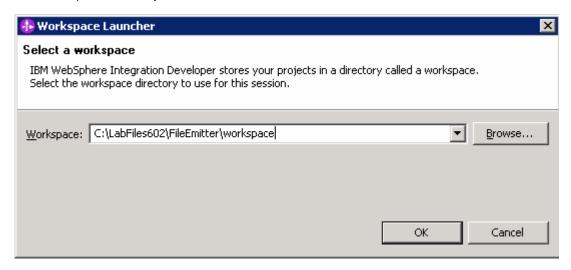
Important: This LAB does not cover the Monitor Model deployment to the WebSphere Business Monitor Server. You should have first hand experience deploying and running a Monitor Model on the Monitor Server.

Important: You can either use WebSphere Process Server 6.0.2 (at times designated as Process Server) or a WebSphere Application Server 6.1 with CEI API SDK installed. This LAB uses WebSphere Process Server 6.0.2.

Important: The source code modification is a demonstration on how the events emitted will be correlated with the Monitor Model. Each event to be consumed by WebSphere Business Monitor needs to be matched to the Monitor Model.

Part 1: Modify Code to handle CustomerOrder event using the CEI API SDK and export the FileEmitter application (EAR)

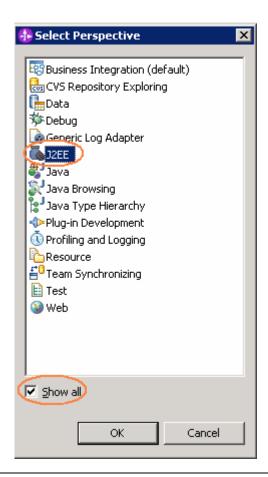
- 1. Start WebSphere Integration Developer, creating a new workspace in the folder C:\ C:\LabFiles602\FileEmitter\workspace, and turn off the auto-build feature
 - __ a. The workspace Launcher window will be displayed. Click the Browse... button and select your workspace directory.



- b. Click **OK**
- __ c. Close the welcome window by clicking the arrow in the top right corner of the welcome window
- 2. Switch to the J2EE perspective and turn off automatic builds
 - __ a. By default WebSphere Integration Developer opens in **Business Integration** perspective. You need to change it to **J2EE** perspective. To do this click on the top right corner of the WebSphere Integration Developer and choose **Other** if **J2EE** is not listed here.

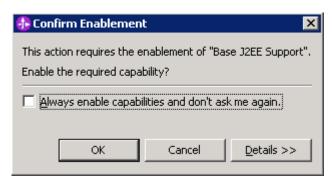


__ b. From the Select Perspective dialog select J2EE and click OK

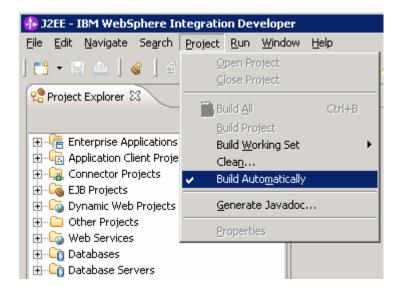


Note: Select the Show all check box if J2EE perspective does not show up.

__ c. Click **OK** on the confirm enablement warning.



__ d. Select **Project > Build Automatically**, to turn off automatic builds.

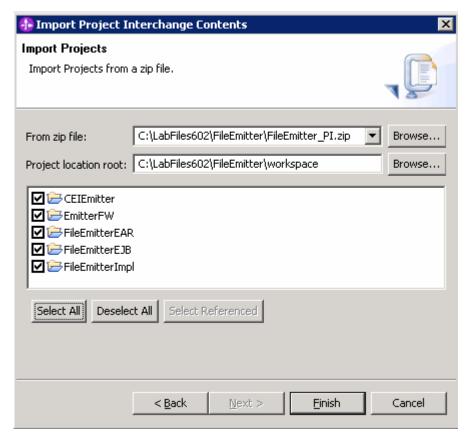


____ 3. Import the **FileEmitter** Projects

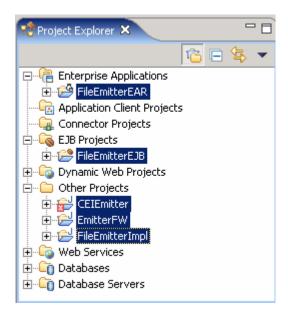
In this step, import all File Emitter projects; make necessary build configurations based on the required emitter transport (CEI API). Also import the necessary jars to support CEI API. Following is a list of the projects that will be imported (part of the Project Interchange **FileEmitter.zip**):

- **FileEmitterEAR:** Project to package artifacts into EAR
- EmitterFW: Common emitter framework source
- CEIEmitter : CEI emitter source
- FileEmitterEJB: File Emitter specific source
- **FileEmitterImpl:** File Emitter specific source. Implementation classes specific to retrieving and formatting events
- __ a. Select **File > Import** from the main menu.
- __ b. From the Import window, select Project Interchange as the source and click Next
- __ c. The Import Project Interchange Contents window will be opened.
- __ d. Now click the first **Browse...** button and select **<LABFILES>\FileEmitter\FileEmitter_Pl.zip** as the source archive file

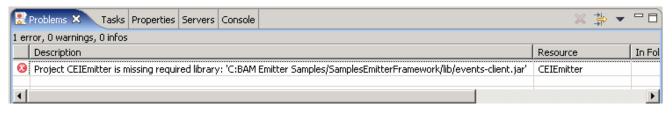
Ex: C:\LabFiles602\FileEmitter\FileEmitter.zip



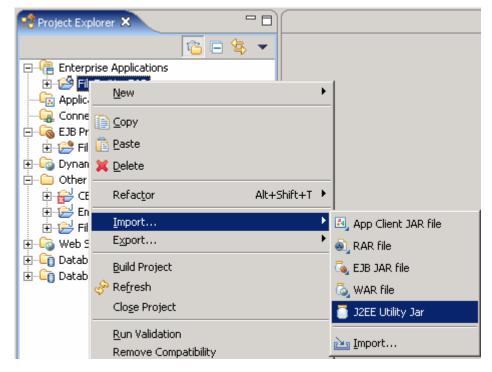
- __ e. Select all the projects and then click Finish
- ____ 4. Review the imported artifacts
 - __ a. In the Project Explorer, expand **Enterprise Applications**, **EJB Projects** and **Other Projects** to view the projects as shown below



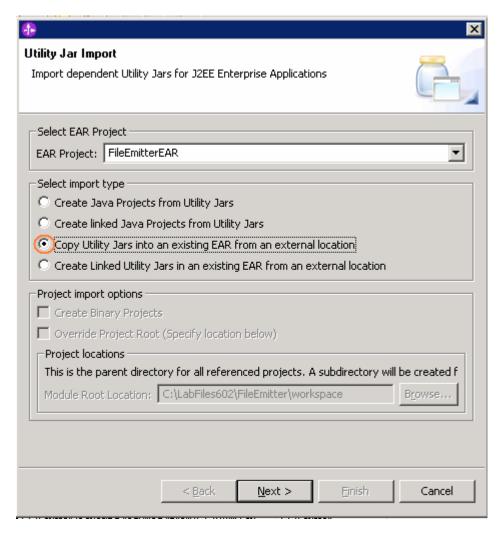
__ b. At this time there will be some errors noticed. Click on the **Problems** tab to view the problems as shown below



- ____ 5. Working towards avoiding the build path errors
 - __ a. It clearly states that the CEIEmitter project is missing a required library **events-client.jar**. Import it as J2EE Utility JAR by right-clicking on the **FileEmitterEAR** project from the project explorer as shown below

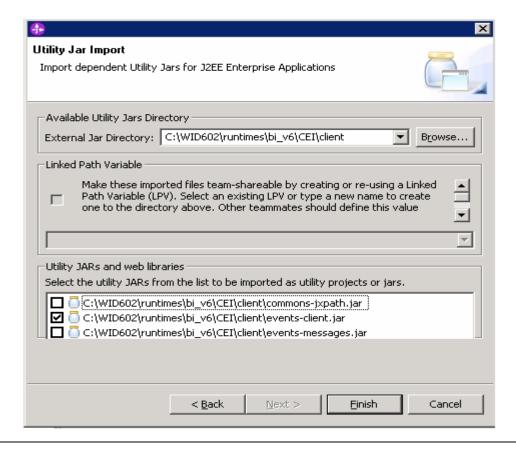


__ b. In the **Utility Jar Import** dialog select the type of Import as **Copy Utility Jars into an existing EAR from an external location** as shown below



__ c. Click Next

__ d. In the next dialog click **Browse** to locate the **events-client.jar** and make sure you select the jar as shown below



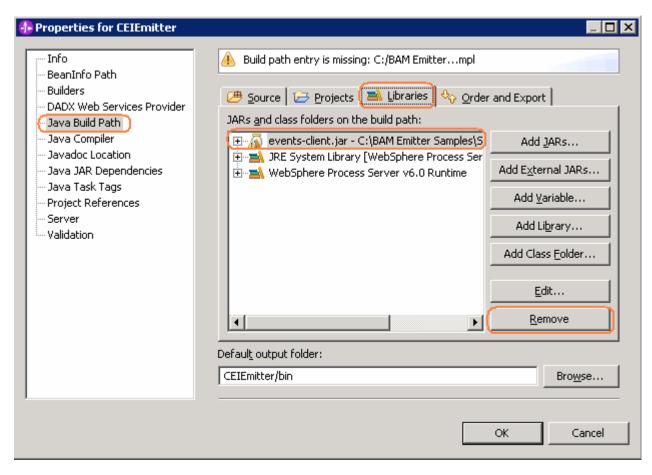
Note: You can find these libraries in WebSphere Process Server or WebSphere Integration Developer as follows:

<WID_HOME>\runtimes\bi_v6\CEI\client or

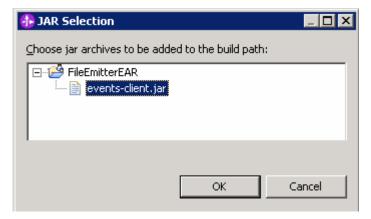
<WPS HOME>\CEI\client

If CEI SDK is not installed on your machine local to the WebSphere Integration Developer, copy the necessary libraries from a remote WebSphere Process Server installation.

- __ e. Click Finish
- __ f. In the Project Explorer, right-click on the CEIEmitter project under **Other Projects** and select properties
- __ g. In the Properties for CEIEmitter window, select Java Build Path in the left frame, select Libraries tab in the right frame



- __ h. Select the **events-client.jar** from the **JARs** listed and click the **Remove** button to remove build path.
- __ i. Now click the **Add JARs** button and select the **events-client.jar** (FileEmitterEAR → events-client.jar)

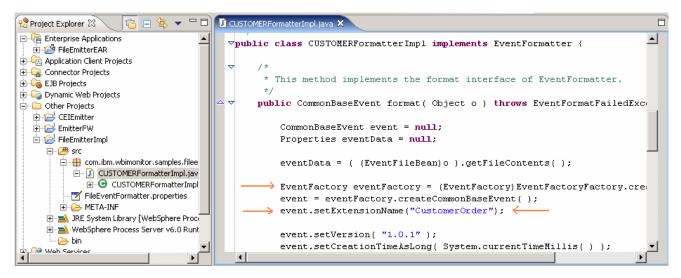


- __ j. Click **OK** over the JAR Selection pop-up window
- __ k. Now click **OK** over the **Properties for CEIEmitter** window
- __ I. There must not be any errors reflected in the Problems tab at this time

_____ 6. Now you will modify the File Emitter sample code **CUSTOMERFormatterImpl.java** which implements the EventFormatter class. The sample code that is provided is based on a CUSTOMER event, but you should also see how to modify it to handle a different event type, CustomerOrder.

Note: A text file named **CUSTOMERFormatterImpl.txt** with lines of code that are to be modified is under <LABFILES>\FileEmitter\src. It is easy to copy these lines of code and paste at the appropriate location.

- __ a. In the Project Explorer expand Other Projects > FileEmitterImpl > src > com.ibm.wbimonitor.samples.fileemitter.formatter and double click on CUSTOMERFormatterImpl.java
- __ b. Set an extension name for the CommonBaseEvent that is being returned. Add the line event.setExtensionName("CustomerOrder"); after the Event factory is created



__ c. Search for the following code segment

ExtendedDataElement id = event.addExtendedDataElement("ID");

id.setValuesAsInt(Integer.parseInt((String)eventData.getProperty("ID")));

And replace them with the following

```
ExtendedDataElement ordernumber = event.addExtendedDataElement( "ORDERNUMBER" ); ordernumber.setValuesAsInt( Integer.parseInt( (String)eventData.getProperty( "ORDERNUMBER" ) ) );
```

__ d. Search for the following code segment

ExtendedDataElement name = event.addExtendedDataElement("NAME");

name.setValuesAsString((String)eventData.getProperty("NAME"));

ExtendedDataElement address = event.addExtendedDataElement("ADDRESS");

address.setValuesAsString((String)eventData.getProperty("ADDRESS"));

ExtendedDataElement tel = event.addExtendedDataElement("TEL");

tel.setValuesAsString((String)eventData.getProperty("TEL"));

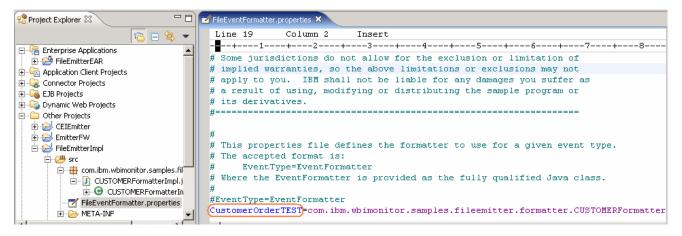
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ExtendedDataElement email = event.addExtendedDataElement( "EMAIL" );
email.setValuesAsString( (String)eventData.getProperty( "EMAIL" ) );

And replace them with the following

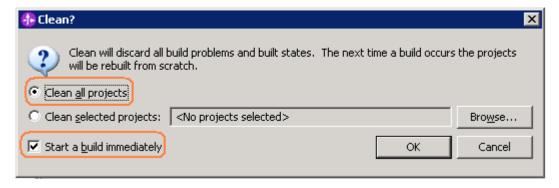
ExtendedDataElement customername = event.addExtendedDataElement( "CUSTOMERNAME" );
customername.setValuesAsString( (String)eventData.getProperty( "CUSTOMERNAME" ) );
ExtendedDataElement country = event.addExtendedDataElement( "COUNTRY" );
country.setValuesAsString( (String)eventData.getProperty( "COUNTRY" ) );
ExtendedDataElement city = event.addExtendedDataElement( "CITY" );
city.setValuesAsString( (String)eventData.getProperty( "CITY" ) );
ExtendedDataElement productnumber = event.addExtendedDataElement( "PRODUCTNUMBER" );
productnumber.setValuesAsString( (String)eventData.getProperty( "PRODUCTNUMBER" ) );
ExtendedDataElement quantity = event.addExtendedDataElement( "QUANTITY" ) );
ExtendedDataElement orderprice = event.addExtendedDataElement( "ORDERPRICE" );
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orderprice.setValuesAsString((String)eventData.getProperty("ORDERPRICE"));

- __ e. Save (Ctrl+S) and close the editor
- __ f. Modify FileEventFormatter.properties. In the Project Explorer expand Other Projects > FileEmitterImpl > src and double click to open FileEventFormatter.properties
- __ g. The relationship between an event type and the EventFormatter class for the type is specified in this property file; that is, Event Formatter registers to the Event Type CustomerOrderTEST. For example, specify the event type as CustomerOrderTEST to be more specific to the scenario.



- __ h. Modify the event type from **CUSTOMER** to **CustomerOrderTEST** and leave the EventFormatter class
 - $\verb|com.ibm.wbimonitor.samples.fileemitter.formatter.CUSTOMERFormatterImplasit is \\$
- __ i. Save (Ctrl+S) and close the file
- __ j. If workspace errors are not removed, it may be necessary to Refresh the projects and clean by clicking on the **Project** > **Clean** and then choose "**Clean All Projects**" in the dialog



- __ k. Ensure that there are no errors
- _____ 7. Review the EJB Deployment Descriptor
 - __ a. In the Project Explorer, expand EJB Projects > FileEmitterEJB and double click on the Deployment Descriptor: FileEmitterEJB to open it in an editor
 - __ b. In the EJB Deployment Descriptor Editor, ensure that the **Source** tab is selected
 - __ c. The following are the default values specified in the EJB deployment descriptor. These can be customized by editing the source projects and exporting a new EAR archive.

<env-entry-name>emitterFactoryJNDI</env-entry-name>
<env-entry-value>iiop://localhost:2809/com/ibm/events/configuration/emitter/Default</env-entry-value>

Note: The default emitter factory specified for the "**emitterFactoryJNDI**" environment entry uses port 2809. Check your server's BOOTSTRAP_ADDRESS to ensure that is the correct port to use. Otherwise, import the source projects into WebSphere Integration Developer and make the necessary modifications to the EJB deployment descriptor.

<env-entry-name>schedulerJNDI</env-entry-name>
<env-entry-value>sched/FolderPoller</env-entry-value>

Note: The JNDI name for the scheduler - the "**schedulerJNDI**" environment entry - is **sched/FolderPoller**. Configure the Scheduler with this JNDI name.

```
<env-entry-name>inboundEventsDirectory</env-entry-name>
<env-entry-value>C:\LabFiles602\FileEmitter\inbound</env-entry-value>
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Note: The "inboundEventsDirectory" environment entry C:\LabFiles602\FileEmitter\inbound is the file system directory where the events are expected to arrive.

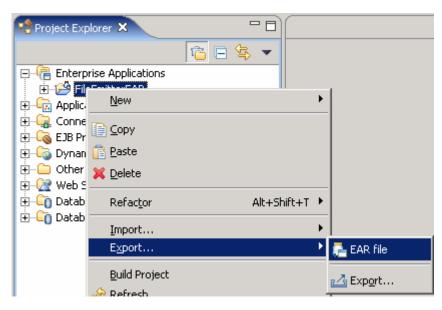
```
<env-entry-name>archivedEventsDirectory</env-entry-name>
<env-entry-value>C:\LabFiles602\FileEmitter\archive</env-entry-value>
```

Note: The "archivedEventsDirectory" environment entry C:\LabFiles602\FileEmitter\archive is the file system directory where the successfully processed events are moved.

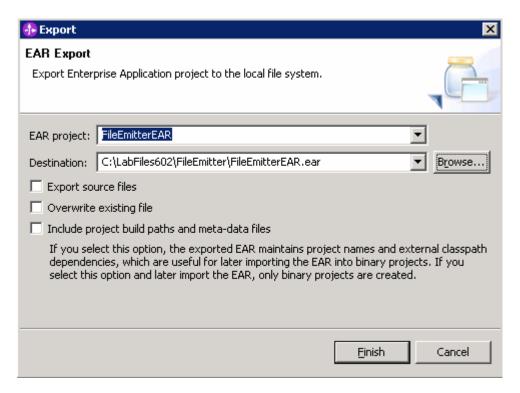
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<env-entry-name>faultDirectory</env-entry-name>
<env-entry-value>C:\LabFiles602\FileEmitter\fault</env-entry-value>
```

Note: The "faultDirectory" environment entry **C:\LabFiles602\FileEmitter\fault** is the file system directory where the events that encountered processing problems are moved.

- d. Close the EJB Deployment Descriptor Editor.
- ____ 8. Export the FileEmitterEAR ear file.
 - __ a. Select **FileEmitterEAR** project in the Enterprise Applications.
 - __ b. Right-click on the FileEmitterEAR project to open the context menu. Select Export > EAR file



_ c. In the Export dialog, select FileEmitterEAR for EAR Project and Browse to choose a Destination for the EAR



__ d. Press Finish button

Part 2: Create file system for file emitter

In this part, a file system is created for the File Emitter. The file system includes an **inbound** directory where the events are expected to arrive, an **archive** directory where the successfully processed events are moved and a **fault** directory where the events that encountered processing problems are moved.

___ 1. Creating an **inbound** directory

Note: This inbound Events Directory structure must match the environment entry in the FileEmitterEJB deployment descriptor.

- In the local file system, explore to C:\Labfiles602\FileEmitter and create a directory named inbound
- Creating an archive directory

Note: This archived Events Directory structure must match the environment entry in the FileEmitterEJB deployment descriptor.

- In the local file system, explore to C:\Labfiles602\FileEmitter and create a directory named archive
- ____ 3. Creating a fault directory

Note: This fault Directory structure must match the environment entry in the FileEmitterEJB deployment descriptor.

 In the local file system, explore to C:\Labfiles602\FileEmitter and create a directory named fault

The file system created for the File Emitter must look as shown below:



Review the Event files:

The event files are located at **<LABFILES>\FileEmitter\FILEEVENTS** directory.

The first two lines are a mandatory

Ex: EVENTTYPE=CustomerOrderTEST

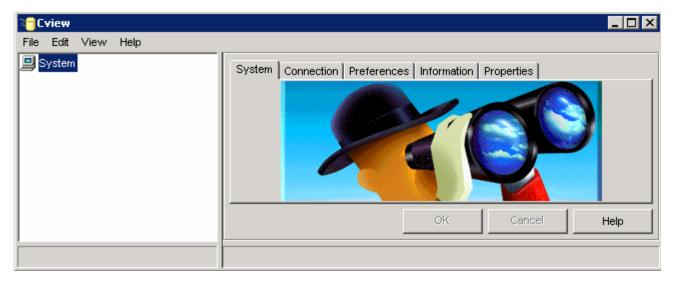
EVENTACTION=CREATE or EVENTACTION=UPDATE or EVENTACTION=DELETE

Part 3: Configure a scheduler service and deploy the FileEmitter EAR

In this part, a Scheduler Service is created for the FileEmitter to invoke the EmissonController at a specified interval.

Follow the steps below to create a Cloudscape[™] database for the scheduler service; configure a Data source for the same and finally a scheduler for the FileEmitter

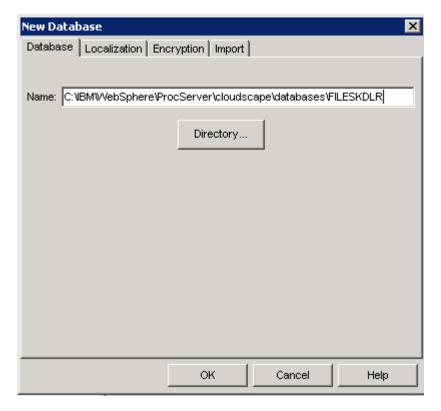
- _____ 1. Create a Cloudscape database for the Scheduler Service
 - __ a. Launch cview.bat
 - __ b. Explore to <WPS_HOME>/cloudscape/bin/embedded and double-click cview.bat to launch the Cview window



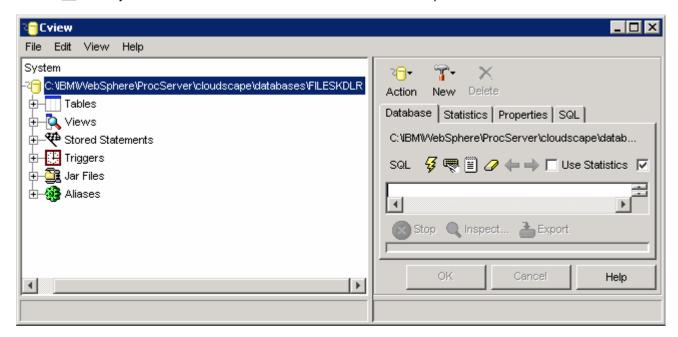
- __ c. From the main menu, select File → New → Database
- __ d. In the name field, enter <WPS_HOME>/cloudscape/databases/FILESKDLR

Where as <WPS_HOME> is C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer

Ex: - C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\cloudscape\databases\FILESKDLR



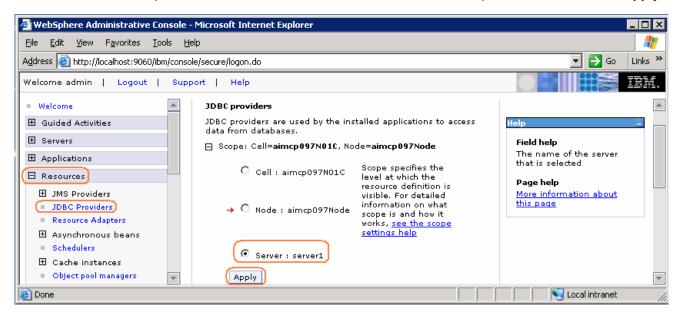
- __ e. Click **OK**
- __ f. Verify that the database is created and is listed on the left pane of the Cview window



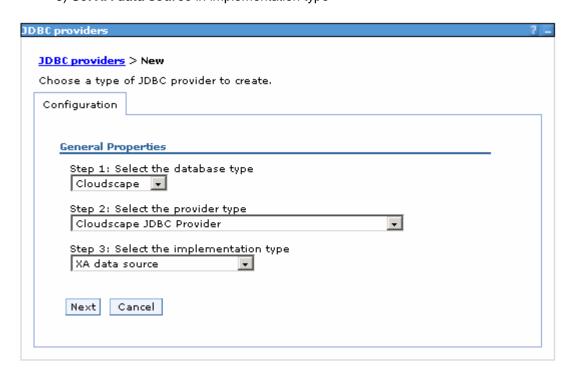
- __ g. Close the Cview window (File → Exit)
- _____ 2. Create a Data source for the Scheduler Service
 - __ a. Launch the WebSphere Process Server Administrative Console and logon to it

Ex: - http://localhost:9060/ibm/console/

__ b. In the left pane, locate Resources → JDBC Providers, set the scope to Servers and click Apply

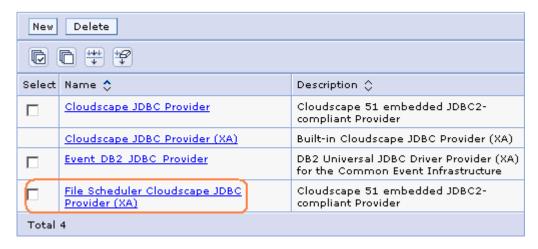


- c. Click the **New** button to create a new JDBC Provider
 - 1) Set Cloudscape in database type
 - 2) Set Cloudscape JDBC Provider in provider type
 - 3) Set XA data source in implementation type



__ d. Click Next

- __ e. In the following screen, enter the **Name** filed to **File Scheduler Cloudscape JDBC Provider** (XA), Click **OK** and **Save** to the master configuration
- __ f. You must the new the Cloudscape JDBC Provider listed as shown below:



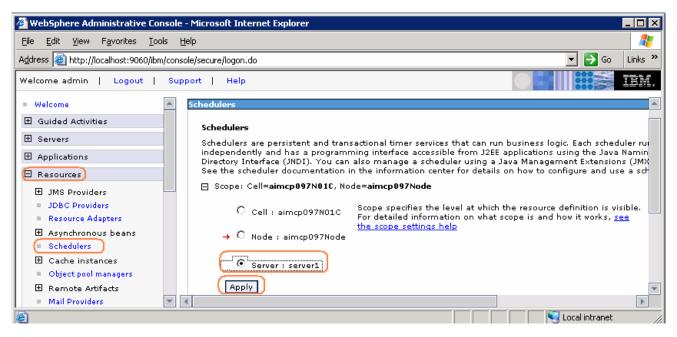
- __ g. Now that a JDBC provider had been created, create a data source
- __ h. Locate Resources > JDBC Providers > File Scheduler Cloudscape JDBC Provider (XA) and click on Data sources under Additional properties

Additional Properties

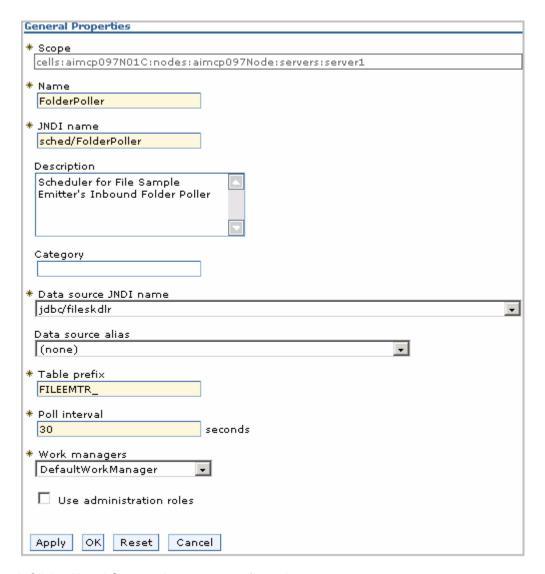
- Data sources
- Data sources (Version 4)
- __ i. In the following screen, click the **New** button to create a new data source
- __ j. Under general properties, enter these values:
 - 1) Name: File SKDLR DataSource
 - 2) JNDI name: jdbc/fileskdlr
 - 3) Disable "Use this Data Source in container managed persistence (CMP)"
 - 4) Description: JDBC DataSource for FILESKDLR Database
 - 5) Database name: C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\cloudscape\databases\FILESKDLR

(<WPS_HOME>\cloudscape\databases\FILESKDLR)

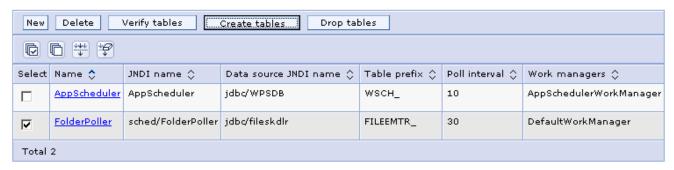
- __ k. Click **OK** and **Save** to the master configuration
- __ I. Test the connection to the scheduler database and ensure that a successful message is resulted
- Create a scheduler for the File Emitter:
 - __ a. Locate **Resources > Schedulers** and the set the scope to **Servers**



- __ b. Click **New** to create a new Scheduler configuration
- __ c. In the Scheduler > New screen, enter the following information:
 - 1) Name: FolderPoller
 - JNDI name: sched/FolderPoller (this is the default specified as an environment entry in the EJB deployment descriptor)
 - 3) Description: Scheduler for File Sample Emitter's Inbound Folder Poller
 - 4) Data source JNDI name: jdbc/fileskdlr (select from the drop down list)
 - 5) Table prefix: FILEEMTR_
 - 6) Poll interval: 30
 - 7) Work managers: DefaultWorkManager



- __ d. Click **OK** and **Save** to the master configuration
- __ e. Select check box next to **FolderPoller** and click the **Create Tables** button

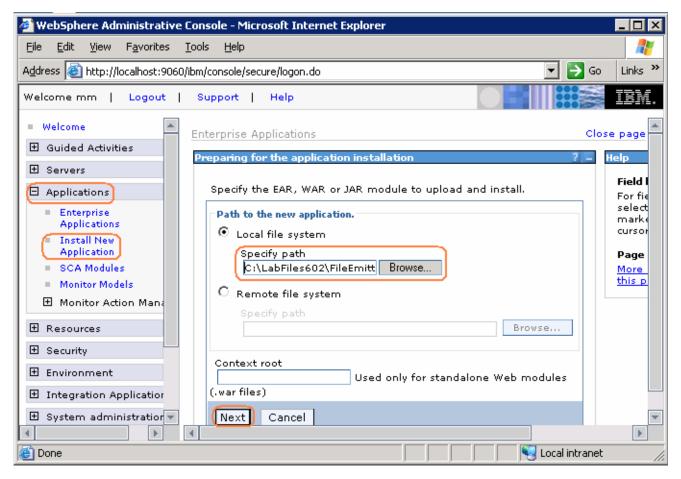


- __ f. Ensure that the tables are created successfully
- _____ 4. The Scheduler configuration is complete

___ 5. Deploy the File Emitter EAR

Note: Ensure that the EAR is copied to the file system local to the application server where you would like to deploy

- _ a. Logon to the Administration console. In the left pane, select Applications >Install New Application
- __ b. Click Browse to Specify Path on the Local file system in the right panel and click Next



- c. Progress through all the 6 steps of "Install New Application" screens, accepting the defaults
- __ d. In Step 6, the **Summary** screen, click the **Finish** button. The install will take several moments
- _ e. After the installation is complete, ensure that the message "Application FileEmitterEAR installed successfully" is displayed.

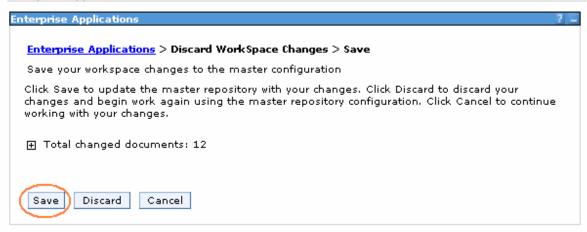
Application FileEmitterEAR installed successfully.

To start the application, first save changes to the master configuration.

Save to Master Configuration

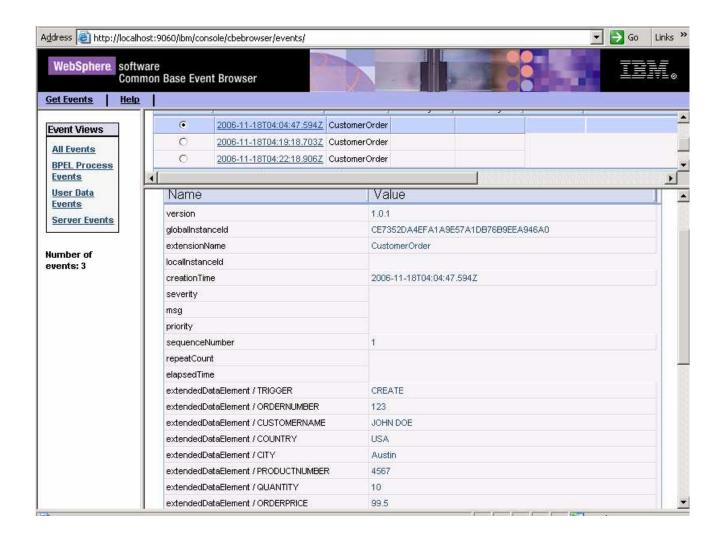
__ f. Click "Save to Master Configuration", and finally click Save on the "Save" screen.

Enterprise Applications



Restart the Process Server

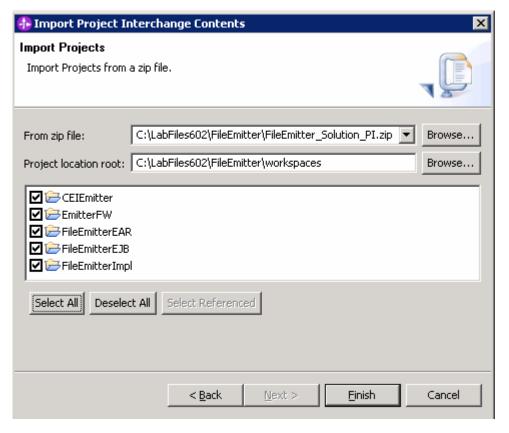
| Part 4: Testing file emitter |
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| 1. Now that the Process Server configuration is complete and FileEmitter application is deployed, it is time to do a simple test for CEI event emissions. |
| a. Ensure that the Process Server and the FileEmitter application are running. |
| b. In the local file system, explore to C:\Labfiles602\FileEmitter\inbound and copy (occur an event) the CUSTOMER_CREATE.txt here |
| Note: The event file (CUSTOMER_CREATE.txt) is located at <labfiles>\FileEmitter\FILEEVENTS directory.</labfiles> |
| c. Once the event file is copied (event occurred) to the inbound directory the CREATE event trigger is fired and on a successful event emission, the event file is archived to the archive directory |
| d. Repeat the step b to copy the CUSTOMER_UPDATE.txt and CUSTOMER_DELETE.txt event files in to the inbound directory |
| e. Once these event files are copied (event occurred) to the inbound directory the UPDATE and DELETE event triggers are fired and on the successful event emissions, the event files are archived to the archive directory |
| Note: On a failed event emission the failed event occurred (files) are moved to the fault directory. |
| 2. To view the events emitted in a CBE browser, logon to the Process Server's Administrative console, Locate Integration Applications > Common Base Event Browser click on the Get Events and then All Events |



Part 5: Solution

If you do not to perform the source modification task, then follow the instructions in this section to import a project interchange file which has the updated source. Import the project interchange that is provided, into WebSphere Integration Developer, Build All projects and export the EAR.

| If using the solution, skip Part 1, complete this section, and then continue with Part 2. |
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| 1. Open WebSphere Integration Developer |
| a. Select Start > Programs > IBM WebSphere > Integration Developer V6.0.2 > WebSphere Integration Developer 6.0.2 |
| b. Workspace Launcher window will be displayed. Click the Browse button and select your workspace directory. (Ex: C:\LabFiles602\FileEmitter\workspace) |
| c. Click OK . |
| d. Close the welcome window by clicking the arrow in the top right corner of the welcome window |
| e. By default WebSphere Integration Developer opens in Business Integration perspective. You need to change it to J2EE perspective. To do this click on the top right corner of the WebSphere Integration Developer and choose Other if J2EE is not listed here. |
| f. Select Project > Build Automatically , to turn off automatic builds |
| 2. Import the solution FileEmitter project interchange into WebSphere Integration Developer |
| a. Select File > Import from the main menu. |
| b. From the Import window select Project Interchange and click Next |
| c. The Import Project Interchange Contents window will be opened. |
| d. Click Browse and select <labfiles>\FileEmitter\FileEmitter_Solution_Pl.zip as the source zip file.</labfiles> |
| Ex: C:\LabFiles602\FileEmitter\FileEmitter_Solution_PI.zip |
| e. Click Select All then click Finish |



- __ f. Refresh the projects and clean by clicking on **Project** > **Clean** and then choose "**Clean All Projects**" in the dialog
- __ g. Click **Project > Build All** to build all the projects
- __ h. Finally in the Project Explorer, right click on **FileEmitterEAR** under Enterprise Applications to choose **Export > EAR file**.
- __ i. Provide the Destination you would like to save the EAR.
- __ j. Close WebSphere Integration Developer.
- __ k. Continue the lab with **Part 2** of this document.

What you did in this exercise

You imported the sample File Emitter source into WebSphere Integration Developer and modified it to match the File Emitter's CUSTOMERORDER data. Then you exported the FileEmitter EAR to WebSphere Process Server 6.0.2 that has a CEI SDK installed.

You Deployed the Application to WebSphere Process Server 6.0.2

You created a local file system where the event occur

You created a cloudscape database for the Scheduler, created a Data source for it and then created a Scheduler service.

You copied (to occur events) event files to the inbound directory to test for the Event Emissions to the CEI server

Finally you used the Process Server's Common Event Browser to view the emitted events.

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