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Preface

This redbook will help you understand, configure, and use the IBM WebSphere Application Server 1.2 for OS/390. The material for the book was developed using OS/390 R8 and the IBM HTTP Server 5.2 for OS/390.

This book is for webmasters and system programmers who install or customize the IBM WebSphere Application Server for OS/390. We describe how to configure the Application Server and enable subsystems to use it. We also provide sample programs and servlets, and give information on more advanced WebAS (WAS) configuration and performance tuning.

In Appendix C, we include a relevant portion of the softcopy document WebSphere Application Planning, Installing and Using Version 1.2, GC34-4757 to help you perform both basic and advanced servlet administration tasks.

This redbook should be used in conjunction with OS/390 e-business Infrastructure: IBM HTTP Server 5.1 - Customization and Usage, SG24-5603. It is an update to OS/390 e-business Infrastructure: IBM WebSphere Application Server 1.1 - Customization and Usage, SG24-5604 (level 00).

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Chapter 1. IBM WebSphere Application Server introduction

In June 1998, IBM published the IBM WebSphere Strategy. The strategy, and the products related to it, have been enhanced since that time. The most current information about this topic can be found on the IBM Web site at:


The IBM WebSphere product portfolio contains such products as Web servers, Web application servers, networking infrastructure tools, and application development tools such as Component Broker (CB).

IBM WebSphere Application Server 1.2 is a Java engine (servlet engine) that works as an application server plug-in to Domino Go Webserver (DGW) 5.0 for OS/390 R5 and R6, or to IBM HTTP Server for OS/390.

IBM WebSphere Application Server 1.2 replaces IBM WebSphere Application Server 1.1, which succeeded the Java application server plug-in ServletExpress shipped with Domino Go Webserver 5.0.

1.1 IBM WebSphere Application Server 1.2 functions

IBM WebSphere Application Server 1.2 supports Java servlets (servlet level 2.0.1) and Java Server Pages (JSP level 0.91). The Java (JDK) level to run the IBM WebSphere Application Server should be 1.1.8.

WebAS 1.2 replaces WebAS 1.1. It runs on OS/390 R5 and higher.
- For R5 and R6 it will be plugged to Domino Go Webserver 5.0.
- For R7 it will be plugged to IBM HTTP Server 5.1.
- For R8 and R9 it will be plugged to IBM HTTP Server 5.2.

IBM WebSphere Application Server 1.2 provides several new functions:
- Connection Manager support for JDBC
- New servlet management functions
- New Application Server Manager interface
- Improved property file update process
- Support for the WLM-managed (scalable) Web server
- Support for retrieving session tracking information from DB2 databases
1.2 IBM WebSphere Application Server project playground

This is a short introduction to our "playground," the system setup we used for the items we describe in the book. We include it here because you will find some names and/or settings we used mentioned in the screen shots or configuration samples.

1.2.1 Project playground description

To develop this book, we ran several WebSphere Application Server environments in parallel. We used started procedures to run the servers.

Following is the procedure to run IBM HTTP Server 5.2 for OS/390. We called it WEBAPPLE:

```hll
//APPLESRV PROC P1='-vv',
// P2='-r /web/apple/httpd.conf',
// P3='-p 7101',
// LEPARM='ENVAR("_CEE_ENVFILE=/web/apple/httpd.envvars")'
//*****************************************************************************
//*
//WEBSRV EXEC PGM=IMWHTTPD,REGION=0K,TIME=NOLIMIT,
// PARM=('&LEPARM/&P1 &P2 &P3')
//*PARM=('HEAPP(ON) ALL31(ON) POS(ON) STAC(200K) &LEPARM/&P1 &P2 &P3')
//*
//STEPLIB DD DSN=DSN610.SDSNLOAD,DISP=SHR
// DD DSN=DSN610.SDSNEXIT,DISP=SHR
//DSNAOINI DD DSN=DB2V61S3.DB2CLI.CLIINI.RRS,DISP=SHR
//*
//SYSIN DD DUMMY
//OUTDSC DD SYSOUT=*  
//SYSPRINT DD SYSOUT=*  
//SYSSERR DD SYSOUT=*  
//STDOUT DD SYSOUT=*  
//STDERR DD SYSOUT=*  
//SYSPUT DD SYSOUT=*  
//CEEDUMP DD SYSOUT=*  
```

Figure 1. Sample Web server procedure

There is no deep meaning behind the names we used; we just named the servers from A to Z, and in order not to be tedious, we used names associated with food and such.

All servers ran IBM HTTP Server 5.2 for OS/390 and IBM WebSphere Application Server 1.2 on OS/390 R8.
The configuration files for the various servers were placed in HFS data sets named /web/apple/, /web/bean/, /web/candy/, and so on.

We also configured the ServerRoot and PID file directive to point to the respective directories. Refer to *OS/390 e-business Infrastructure: IBM HTTP Server 5.1 - Customization and Usage*, SG24-5603 for details.

The environments for the IBM WebSphere Application Server engines were placed in the following separate HFS data sets:

- /was/apple/AppServer/
- /was/bean/AppServer/
- /was/candy/AppServer/
Chapter 2. IBM WebSphere Application Server configuration

This chapter guides you through the post-installation steps required to configure the IBM WebSphere Application Server (WebAS or WAS).

2.1 Prerequisites

There are a number of prerequisites to WebAS. Before installing it, you must have a working HTTP server and also have Java installed.

First complete the IBM HTTP Server installation and customization as described in HTTP Server Planning, Installing, and Using Version 5.2, SC31-8690. It is important with all documentation in this area to always have the latest. For the most current information and updates, go to: http://www.ibm.com/software/webservers/httpservers/doc52.html

If you are installing your HTTP server from scratch, we suggest reading through 2.2.4, “Directory structure naming convention” on page 8 first, so you can plan the names you will use for your directory structure.

Note: We strongly recommend that you first customize and start the IBM HTTP Server without WebAS to make sure that you can successfully serve HTML pages before you start the WebAS customization.

For installing WebAS, and for migration considerations from previous releases of WebAS, refer to the following documents for details:

- WebSphere Application Server for OS/390 Release 2, Modification Level 0 Program Directory, GI10-6780

For the most current information and updates, go to:


In order to have Java available to WebAS, you must install the Java Development Kit (JDK). At the time of writing, the latest generally available version of the Java Development Toolkit for OS/390 was JDK 1.1.8 (January 2000 update), which is downloadable from the following URL:

http://www.ibm.com/s390/java
In addition, this URL documents the latest prerequisites and instructions required to install and customize the JDK environment. For additional information, refer to the following redbooks:

- *Integrating Java with existing Data and Applications on OS/390*, SG24-5142
- *e-business Application Solutions Using Java: Volume I*, SG24-5342
- *e-business Application Solutions on OS/390 Using Java: Samples*, SG24-5365
- *Java Programming Guide for OS/390*, SG24-5619

2.2 Basic setup

This section gives a brief overview of the procedure to follow to get WebAS up and running in its most basic configuration. It then goes on to describe the steps of the process in enough detail so you can get the setup ready for starting your Web server with WebAS.

2.2.1 Overview of the setup process

Once you have a working Web server (HTTP Server) and Java installed, you need to create and populate the WAS (FMID HEJS120) directories as described in *OS/390 V2R8.0 Program Directory*. This set of directories is known as the *applicationserver_root* or simply the *install image*, and by default is mounted at /usr/lpp/WebSphere/AppServer. WebSphere 1.2 requires an Application server model in order to run, and you build as many of these from your single applicationserver_root as you require. An Application server model is a set of directories, similar in structure to applicationserver_root, but called *server_model_root*, containing the configuration properties of an individual Application server. To create the Application server model, you run the makeserver.sh shell script.

The makeserver.sh shell script requires three parameters to be passed to it with: the name of the server_model_root, which httpd.conf is used by the Web server associated with this Application server, and which jdk_root to use. It then creates a WebSphere configuration file, *was.conf*, and sets up Application server properties files.

The file *was.conf* is a documented listing of all the variables used by the shell script to build the Application server properties files. When the Application server is initialized and running, it uses the definitions in the properties files, not the ones in *was.conf*. This needs to be borne in mind when maintaining...
the Application server. Subsequent changes to the properties files are carried out by modifying was.conf, and running the updateproperties utility.

So, in summary, you create a single applicationserver_root, by default in /usr/lpp/WebSphere/AppServer. You then build as many Application server models (IBM WebSphere Application servers) as you require by running makeserver.sh and telling it where to create server_model_root, which httpd.conf it corresponds to, and which jdk_root to use. It would be very unusual to have more than one Application server for a Web server. Conversely, installations may have a number of Web servers and associated Application servers running on a given OS/390 system.

2.2.2 Preparing the environment

1. Define the Java environment, especially the $JAVA_HOME variable, in your .profile file. You can issue the echo $JAVA_HOME command in the OMVS shell to verify that the variable points to the JDK directory.
2. Make sure you are running under a superuser ID or UID=0.
3. Give the superuser ID read access to the profile BPX.FILEATTR.PROGCTL in the RACF FACILITY class to enable this superuser ID to update the HFS file attributes using the extattr command:

```bash
REDEFINE FACILITY BPX.FILEATTR.PROGCTL UACC(NONE)
PERMIT BPX.FILEATTR.PROGCTL CLASS(FACILITY) ID(superuserID) ACCESS(READ)
SETROPTS RACLIST(FACILITY) REFRESH
```

Figure 2. extattr enablement

2.2.3 Creating applicationserver_root

The creation of applicationserver_root (the install image) is achieved by working through the installation instructions detailed in the Program Directory for WebSphere Application Server for OS/390 Release 2, Modification Level 0, GI10-6780, the latest version of which can be found at:


It is worth going through the entire Program Directory carefully, paying particular attention to the PSP bucket. Note that the Program Directory does not mention applicationserver_root by name, but talks about “Installing the Application Server” instead.

The PSP bucket, and a lot of extra problem determination and troubleshooting information can be found in WebSphere Troubleshooter for OS/390 at the URL
2.2.4 Directory structure naming convention

The directory structure that you choose to implement governs the future ease of maintenance of your Application server.

We suggest having a directory structure for your Application server similarly named as the one for your Web server. Although you may initially have a single Web server and Application server, you would be wise to use a naming convention for your directories that allows for painless expansion.

During our work on WebSphere, we were running a number of Web servers and Application servers concurrently on the same OS/390 system, and we adhered to the convention outlined in Table 1.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Directory content</th>
<th>Directory name</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>First HTTP server</td>
<td>/web/&lt;server_name_1&gt;/</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>nth HTTP server</td>
<td>/web/&lt;server_name_n&gt;/</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Applicationserver_root</td>
<td>/usr/lpp/WebSphere/AppServer</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>First server_model_root</td>
<td>/was/&lt;app_server_1&gt;/AppServer/</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>nth server_model_root</td>
<td>/was/&lt;app_server_n&gt;/AppServer/</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Note: The text enclosed in angled brackets is for you to decide upon. So, /web/<server_name_1>/ could be /web/serverA/. For ease of typing, you may want to keep names as short as possible. You could replace AppServer with A, for instance. The drawback of shortening the names is a reduction in the clarity of the directories’ contents.

It makes sense, for ease of problem diagnostics and future maintenance, to keep <server_name_n> and <app_server_n> the same for a given Web server and Application server pair. Note also that you should only perform mkdir’s as far as /was/<app_server_n>/, as the makeserver shell script will only write to directories that do not already exist.

2.2.5 Building the Application Server model (server_model_root)

As outlined in 2.2, “Basic setup” on page 6, you need to create an Application server model (server_model_root) for each Application server. This is done by running the makeserver.sh script.
When you run makeserver.sh, you must specify three parameters: the server_model_root you want to create, the httpd.conf that applies to the Application server, and the java_root that the Application server will use. You also need to make sure that you are running as superuser when you issue the command.

The syntax of the command is:

```
makeserver.sh <server_model_root> <httpd.conf> <java_root>
```

When you run the makeserver.sh script, you get some brief details about the parameters used for the server_model_root you are building, and an indication of whether your command executed successfully.

```
ITSO3B:/usr/lpp/WebSphere/AppServer/config: >makeserver.sh /was3/itso3b/AppServer /web3/itso3b/httpd.conf /usr/lpp/java18p/J1.1
Start - OS/390 WebSphereAS 1.2 makeserver: Tuesday 03/14/00 03:16:16 PM
Starting utility 'updateproperties' .... - 15:16:55 on 03-14-2000
App Server Root Directory : /was3/itso3b/AppServer/
App Server Log File : /was3/itso3b/AppServer/logs/updateproperties.log
Properties in all Files successfully updated - 15:16:55 on 03-14-2000
Ended Successfully - OS/390 WebSphereAS 1.2 makeserver: Tuesday 03/14/00 03:16:56 PM
ITSO3B:/usr/lpp/WebSphere/AppServer/config:
```

Figure 3. makeserver.sh invocation and output

You will notice that makeserver.sh also runs updateproperties, which takes the contents of was.conf created by makeserver.sh, and creates the configuration files that the Application server runs with. This is discussed in more detail in 2.4, “Application Server maintenance” on page 12.

The makeserver script creates the initial WebSphere configuration file was.conf, which can be found in server_model_root/properties/was.conf.

### 2.2.6 Updating httpd.conf

Once you have created your server_model_root, you need to make a number of changes to your Web server's httpd.conf in order to use it, as shown in Figure 4 on page 10. All references to our sample server_model_root /was3/itso3b/AppServer will need to be modified to the name of your server_model_root.
You also need to add some Pass statements in order for requests for html files associated with servlets to search the appropriate directories, something similar to the following (which we use for our examples):

```
Pass /IBMWebAS/samples/* /was3/itso3b/AppServer/samples/*
Pass /IBMWebAS/* /was3/itso3b/AppServer/web/*
```

### 2.2.7 Turning on the program control flags

The program control flags need to be turned on for a number of modules if you are using UNIX System Services level security, that is, the RACF BPX.DAEMON facility class is active.

**WebAS modules**

The program control flags need to be set for the following WebAS modules:

- /applicationserver_root/lib/libadpter.so
- /applicationserver_root/lib/libicsnativ.so

Go to the OMVS shell using the superuser ID and do the following:
Figure 5. Turning on program control for WebAS modules

Alternatively, you can change the program control flags using the ISPF shell (ISHELL) using Option a, choose Edit, then Extended attributes, and set the program control flag to 1 for each module.

Note that because these modules reside in applicationserver_root, you need only perform this once, and not once for each server_model_root.

**JDK DLLs**
WebAS depends on a proper Java installation. If you install the JDK, retain a “proper” environment for the Application server by setting the extended program control flags for the modules in:

```
/usr/lpp/java18p/J1.1/lib/mvs/native_threads
```

Go to the OMVS shell and do the following:

```
cd /usr/lpp/java18p/J1.1/lib/mvs/native_threads
extattr +p *.*
ls -E
```

The result follows:

```
-rwxr-x--x -p 2 WEBADM  IMWEB  221184 May 14 09:55 libadapter.so
-rwxr-x--x -p 2 WEBADM  IMWEB  114688 May 14 09:55 libicsnativ.so
```

Figure 6. Turning on program control for Java modules

2.3 IBM WebSphere Application Server startup

Once you have completed the entire process outlined in 2.2, “Basic setup” on page 6, you can start your Web server, which will automatically start the Application server plug-in. The startup will take longer because the WebAS plug-in needs more system resources. The messages shown in Figure 7 on page 12 confirm that the server has initialized successfully and can process Internet requests.

```
cd /applicationserver_root/lib
extattr +p *.so
ls -E
```

```
The result follows:
-rwxr-x--x -ps 2 WEBADM  IMWEB  221184 May 14 09:55 libadapter.so
-rwxr-x--x -ps 2 WEBADM  IMWEB  114688 May 14 09:55 libicsnativ.so
```
You should confirm that both the Web server and Application server are started by looking at the output written to the SYSPRINT DD for a message containing the smiley face, like the following:

A single sample servlet (shown in Table 2) is shipped with WebAS and automatically loaded at Web server startup. Try to execute it, to verify that everything is configured correctly. To execute the servlet, you just need to open its URL.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Servlet</th>
<th>URL to open</th>
<th>Expected result</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Hello</td>
<td><a href="http://your.server.name/servlet/HelloWorldServlet">http://your.server.name/servlet/HelloWorldServlet</a></td>
<td>Displays the string, Hello World</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

For additional samples, refer to Chapter 4, “How to run the samples” on page 31.

### 2.4 Application Server maintenance

Modifications to the Application server’s properties are done by editing was.conf, and then running the updateproperties utility. You must run updateproperties from applicationserver_root/config (usually /usr/lpp/WebSphere/AppServer/config). This should only be done when the Web server is down.

When you run updateproperties you get a brief response indicating the result of your action:
You will notice that an updateproperties.log file is created, in sever_model_root/logs/updateproperties.log, which details all of the parameters processed from was.conf in the latest run of updateproperties.

2.5 Multiple IBM WebSphere Application Servers setup

With WebAS 1.1 it was a cumbersome process to install multiple Application server instances. You needed to make clones of your server_model_root and make changes to a number of hard-coded parameters. Now you just use makeserver.sh to create as many instances as you need.

We suggest that you adhere to a directory naming scheme similar to that in 2.2.4, “Directory structure naming convention” on page 8.

2.6 Troubleshooting

In this section we identify some common installation problems that you may encounter. Some of these were drawn from experiences with WebAS 1.1, but have been retained in this section as they might still give pointers to possible problem resolutions.

More hints and tips on how to configure WebAS can be found in WebSphere Troubleshooter for OS/390 at the URL:


Enable native DLL plug-in logging and JVM logging for diagnostic messages generated by WebAS by setting the appropriate parameters in was.conf similar to those in the parameter file fragment shown in Figure 10 on page 14, and running updateproperties. The paths for the log files will be server_model_root/logs/ by default.
Here are some things to analyze:

### 2.6.1 Application Server does not initialize

See `ncf_native.log`:

```
StoreTranslationinVM done
StoreTranslationinVM done
StoreTranslationinVM done
StoreTranslationinVM done
After InitDirectoryTranslationBefore CallNCFInit /web/egg/h1
```

Possible causes:

- The `server.properties` file does not have the `servletservice` option in the `autostart` options:

  ```
  /was/egg/properties/server/servlet/server.properties
  server.service.autostart=adminservice servletservice
  ```

- Missing or incorrect JVM install library.
- Missing or incorrect IBM WebSphere Application Server install library.

### 2.6.2 Clients may receive ERROR 500 with message

The message is:

```
IMW0241E Access denied - surrogate user setup error.
```

Review the IBM HTTP Server trace log to determine if the following messages were issued for the particular client request:

```
Failed access as Surrogate: <surrogate ID>, Errno: 139,
Errno2: 0be802af, Error: EDC5139I Operation not permitted.
IMW0241E Access denied - surrogateuser setup error.
```

or

```
Failed access as Surrogate: <surrogate ID>, Errno: 139,
```
Errno2: 090c02af, Error: EDC5139I Operation not permitted.

IMW0241E Access denied - surrogateuser setup error.

If these messages are generated for the failing client request, you must turn on program control. See 2.2.7, “Turning on the program control flags” on page 10 for instructions.

Error 500 also occurs when calling a servlet and the Service handler is not activated. This is often caused by typos in the ServerInit, ServerTerm and Service configuration directives in httpd.conf. An indication of this case is if you turned on the Application server logs but nothing is written to them.

Another Error 500 condition is if there are typos in the setup for the ncf.jvm.classpath property in was.conf. Turn on the Application server logs and verify the initialization messages in ncf.jvm.log. At the beginning of this log file, the WebSphere Application Server shows a resolution of the classpath and libpath used.

### 2.6.3 Forever sleeping JVM

If you customized the IBM WebSphere Application Server, it sometimes never initializes. There are also cases where it initialized at first, but when additional support, like the JDBC support, was added, the problem occurred.

The following is an example of the NCF native log file somebody sent the team that wrote the WebAS 1.1 book. You can see that it is not one of our examples because it does not follow our file setup rules.

```
Opened log file /usr/lpp/WebSphere/AppServer/logs/native.log.

Try to create a rule base out of
/usr/lpp/WebSphere/AppServer/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/rules.properties
Rule base was created

/servlet=invoker

*.jsp=pageCompile

*.jhtml=pageCompile

*.shtml=pageCompile

PATH=/usr/lpp/java/J1.1/bin:/bin:../usr/sbin:/usr/lpp/internet/bin:/usr/lpp/internet/sbin:/usr/lpp/ldap/bin:/usr/lpp/java/J1.1/bin
LIBPATH=/usr/lpp/java/J1.1/lib:/usr/lpp/java/J1.1/lib/mvs/native_threads:/usr/lpp/WebSphere/AppServer/lib:/usr/lib:/usr/lpp/internet

Attempting to load Java library: libjava.a

Loaded libjava.a and function pointers successfully.

ncf.jvm.classpath =
```
In most of these cases, the problem is solved by adjusting the storage values for the Web server. See 6.1.8, “Language Environment (LE)” on page 91.
Chapter 3. Enable subsystems for the Application Server

This chapter discusses the customization needed to enable communication between the subsystems and IBM WebSphere Application Server.

See the following sections for descriptions to enable specific subsystems:
- 3.1, “Enable DB2 for the IBM WebSphere Application Server” on page 17
- 3.2, “Enable CICS for the IBM WebSphere Application Server” on page 24
- 3.3, “Enable IMS for the IBM WebSphere Application Server” on page 25
- 3.4, “Enable MQSeries for the IBM WebSphere Application Server” on page 27
- 3.5, “Enable Oracle for the IBM WebSphere Application Server” on page 28

For information about DB2, IMS, MQSeries and CICS installation and customization refer to the following documentation:

3.1 Enable DB2 for the IBM WebSphere Application Server

In order for the Web servers and their Java applications to have access to DB2, you need JDBC and/or SQLJ support on OS/390.

For JDBC and SQLJ support, you need DB2 for OS/390 V5.1 or higher. Always apply the latest maintenance level available.

We discuss only the JDBC implementation here. For more information about SQLJ, see UDB for OS/390 V6 Application Programming Guide and Reference for Java, SC26-9018, and the URL:
3.1.1 IBM WebSphere Application Server settings for JDBC

In the file was.conf, do the following:

- Add to ncf.jvm.classpath:\n/usr/lpp/db2/db2610/classes/db2jdbcclasses.zip

- Add to ncf.jvm.libpath:\n/usr/lpp/db2/db2610/lib

- In the IBM HTTP Server 5.2 for OS/390 startup procedure add the steplib:\n//DSNAOINI DD DSN=DB2V610.DB2CLI.CLIINI,DISP=SHR

Note: You also need a steplib to SDSNLOAD and SDSNEXIT if they are not already in the linklist (usually they are). The steplib can be specified either in the Web server's started task procedure or in the httpd.envvars file.

For more information about the CLI initialization data set, see 3.1.2.2, "DB2 Call Level Interface (CLI) initialization file" on page 19.

3.1.2 DB2 JDBC support enablement

- The following DB2 components must be installed and enabled:
  - DB2 DRDA with DDF
  - DB2 Call Level Interface (CLI)
  - DB2 JDBC Driver

  For information about DRDA, CLI and JDBC Driver installation refer to DB2 for OS/390 V6 Application Programming Guide and Reference for Java(TM), SC26-9018 and Program Directory for DB2 for OS/390, GT02-0571.

- GRANT the servlet owners to the DSNACLI plan (see 3.1.2.2, "DB2 Call Level Interface (CLI) initialization file" on page 19 for the DSNACLI name).

Note: If you rebind plan DSNACLI at DB2, you have to redo your GRANTs to this plan.

- Make sure your servlets refer to the right DB2 subprotocol, DB2 Driver name, and the location name. See an example in 4.5.1, "JDBCServlet" on page 44.

  The JDBC driver name for DB2 for OS/390 is ibm.sql.DB2Driver.
  The DB2 subprotocol for OS/390 is db2os390.

1 We put that path information right before the Java classes.zip file which is the last entry in the classpath.
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For information about the location name see 3.1.2.3, “DB2 location-name” on page 21.

3.1.2.1 JDBC overview
JDBC is a Java application programming interface (API) that Java applications use to access any relational database. DB2 for OS/390 support for JDBC enables you to write Java applications that access local DB2 data or remote relational data on a server that supports DRDA.

To enable JDBC for OS/390, a Java Development Kit (JDK) for OS/390 is required. We suggest that you use the most current version (we used 1.1.8). The contents of the JDK include a Java compiler, Java Virtual Machine (JVM), and Java Debugger. You can learn more about the JDK and obtain the code from the Java for OS/390 Web site at:

http://www.ibm.com/s390/java

A Java application executes under the JVM. The Java application first loads the JDBC driver, in this case the DB2 for OS/390 JDBC driver, and subsequently connects to the local DB2 subsystem or a remote DRDA application server by invoking the DriverManager.getConnection method.

3.1.2.2 DB2 Call Level Interface (CLI) initialization file
A set of optional keywords can be specified in a DB2 CLI initialization file, an EBCDIC file that stores default values for various DB2 CLI configuration options. Because the initialization file has EBCDIC text, it can be updated using a file editor, such as the TSO editor.

The DB2 CLI initialization file is read at application runtime. The file can be specified by either a DSNAOINI DD card or by defining a DSNAOINI UNIX System Services environmental variable. The initialization file specified can be either a tradition MVS data set or a UNIX HFS file.

For MVS data sets, the record format of the initialization file can be either fixed or variable length. See the following example of a CLI ini file.
MVSDEFAULTSSID = ssid

The MVSDEFAULTSSID keyword specifies the default DB2 subsystem to which the application is connected when invoking the SQLAllocEnv function. You must specify a 4-character name of an installed DB2 subsystem.

MVSATTACHTYPE = CAF | RRSAF

The MVSATTACHTYPE keyword is used to specify the DB2 for OS/390 attachment type that DB2 CLI uses to connect to the DB2 for OS/390 address space. This parameter is ignored if the DB2 CLI application is running as a DB2 for OS/390 stored procedure. In that case, DB2 CLI uses the attachment type that was defined for the stored procedure.

CAF: DB2 CLI uses the DB2 for OS/390 call attachment facility (CAF).

RRSAF: DB2 CLI uses the DB2 for OS/390 Recoverable Resource Manager Services attachment facility (RRSAF).
In our testing of the IBM WebSphere Application Server servlets samples, we used RRSAF. That is a prerequisite for the session manager facility of IBM WebSphere Application Server, that some of the samples are used.

**PLANNNAME = planname**
The PLANNNAME keyword specifies the name of the DB2 for OS/390 PLAN that was created during installation. A PLAN name is required when initializing the application connection to the DB2 for OS/390 subsystem, which occurs during the processing of the SQLAllocEnv call.

If no PLANNNAME is specified, the default value DSNACLI is used.

**3.1.2.3 DB2 location-name**
The Java application identifies the target data source it wants to connect to by passing a database Uniform Resource Locator (URL) to the DriverManager.

The URL values for a DB2 for OS/390 data source are specified as follows:

```
jdbc:db2os390:<location>
```

**Note:** db2os390 is the subprotocol name for DB2 for OS/390.

If location-name is not the local site, it must be defined in SYSIBM.LOCATIONS. If location-name is the local site, it must have been specified in the field DB2 LOCATION NAME of the DISTRIBUTED DATA FACILITY panel during DB2 installation. In our case the subsystem ID was used.

To see the location name at your DB2 subsystem, open the DB2 Master address space sysout. Find "DDF". Look at the keyword "Location". It will be displayed during DB2 startup.

In the following example, the location name is DBS3.
3.1.3 IBM WebSphere Application Server settings for SQLJ

SQLJ is the JAVA equivalent of embedded SQL. It performs better than JDBC but requires additional maintenance. To add the SQLJ support in IBM WebSphere Application Server, do the following:

1. In the file was.conf:
   Add to ncf.jvm.classpath:
   /usr/lpp/db2/db2610/classes/db2sqljruntime.zip

2. In the file httpd.envvars:
   Add the following environment variables:
   
   ```
   DB2 SQLJ subsystem ID: DB2SQLJSSID=DBS3
   DB2 SQLJ plan name: DB2SQLJPLANNAME=SQLJSAMP
   DB2 SQLJ attach type: DB2SQLJATTACHTYPE=RRSAF
   ```

   There are more settings available, depending on your environment's needs.

   Alternatively, you might specify the DB2SQLJPROPERTIES environment variable, which points to a file containing all the necessary SQLJ settings. By default it points to db2sqljdbc.properties in the present working directory. Here is an example of such a profile:
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We used RRS as attachtype. The SQLJPLAN needs to be created by the application programmer and bound to DB2. On how to prepare a servlet using SQLJ in WebSphere, refer to 4.5.6, “SQLJ servlet sample” on page 52. You can specify only one SQLJPLAN for your or the Web server's UNIX System Services environment variable. Make sure that all DBRMs from servlets using SQLJ are bound in that single plan. We recommend binding the DBRM member belonging to one servlet into one package and binding all the servlet packages to one plan. This will make the maintenance of changes easier. While creating that plan, don’t forget to include the default package DSNJDBC.* in that plan. Make sure that the Web server user ID has execute rights granted on the SQLJPLAN.

A more detailed description is in Chapter 20 of JAVA Programming Guide for OS/390, SG24-5619.

Also refer to DB2 for OS/390 V6 Application Programming Guide and Reference for Java(TM), SC26-9018, and the IBM DB2 SQLJ Web page at:

http://www.ibm.com/software/data/db2/java/sqlj

3.1.4 Settings for the new Type 2 SQLJ/JDBC Driver

If you plan to use JDBC and SQLJ concurrently from different servlets, then make sure that you have applied APARFIX CQ19814 (V5) or APARFIX AQ36011 (V6) and installed and customized the new Type 2 Driver. The old driver delivered with DB2 uses different connect types for JDBC and SQLJ resulting in SQLSTATE=-808 and making the environment virtually unusable.

The new driver only works with the db2sqljjdbc.properties file and the DB2SQLJPROPERTIES environment variable specified in your httpd.envvars file as described in 3.1.3, “IBM WebSphere Application Server settings for SQLJ” on page 22. You need to have the serialized profile created by running the db2genJDBC utility (ask your DBA; it is run once during driver install) in your Application Server classpath as well. Only one plan for both SQLJ and JDBC is possible (DB2SQLJPLANNAME). Therefore, you need to include the default JDBC packages and the SQLJ packages for your servlets in one plan. For more details, refer to the README file delivered with the new driver.
Note: The old driver delivered with DB2 was not JDBC-certified! This may mean that the new driver may in some cases exhibit behavior different from the old one.

After applying the APARFIX, the names for the new combined JDBC and SQLJ driver are as follows (used in the class.for.name method):

For JDBC: ibm.sql.DB2Driver
For SQLJ: COM.ibm.db2os390.sqlj.jdbc.DB2SQLJDriver

We found only this scenario working in our environment, although the documentation states that the SQLJ driver name could be used for JDBC as well. Make sure that your applications comply with JDBC specification Version 1.0, or you might get strange results. For example: We experienced problems when using the executeQuery() method for updates and inserts with the new driver, which worked with the old driver.

The driver distinguishes between SQLJ and DB2 using the subprotocol name, which is either db2os390 or db2os390sqlj. The URLs for accessing DB2 are as follows:

- JDBC: jdbc:db2os390:<location>
- SQLJ: jdbc:db2os390sqlj:<location>

3.2 Enable CICS for the IBM WebSphere Application Server

The Java interface into CICS used to be via the IBM CICS Gateway for Java (MVS). With the CICS Transaction Server, this is now the CICS Transaction Gateway for OS/390 (CTG). While working on CICS for this book, we used CICS Transaction Server 1.3.0.

Before you begin interfacing your Application server to CICS, you must have your CICS transaction server working properly, and also have EXCI correctly configured. Refer to CICS External Interfaces Guide, SC33-1944 for details.

More information about the CICS Gateway and Java can be found at:


To download the CTG code, go to:

http://www.ibm.com/software/ts/cics/download

When we downloaded the code, we received a tar file called ctg-310m.tar. We unpacked this file into /usr/lpp/cicsts . It created a subdirectory called ctg. The install path for our CTG is now /usr/lpp/cicsts/ctg .
We used a pax command to unpack the file:

```
pax -rv < ctg-310m.tar
```

### 3.2.1 Preparing the Application Server for CICS TS

A number of changes need to be made to the Application server, the Web server, and CICS in order to get Java servlets talking to the CICS transaction server:

1. In was.conf:
   - Add the following jar files to ncf.jvm.classpath:
     `/usr/lpp/cicsts/ctg/classes/ctgclient.jar`
     `/usr/lpp/cicsts/ctg/classes/ctgserver.jar`
   - Add the following directory to ncf.jvm.libpath:
     `/usr/lpp/cicsts/ctg/bin`

   **Note:** We found it necessary to add these three definitions at the beginning of the properties definitions lists.

2. In the IBM HTTP Server 5.2 for OS/390 startup procedure, add the CICS Transaction Server SDFHEXCI library as a steplib to the Web server started procedure.

3. Define the Language Environment resources to CICS:
   - Define data set CEE.SCEECICS as a steplib to your CICS procedure.
   - Define CEE.SCEERUN and CEE.SCEECICS to the DFHRPL concatenation in your CICS procedure.

4. Define session and connection resources to CICS by installing the DFH$EXCI group.

### 3.3 Enable IMS for the IBM WebSphere Application Server

In order for the Web servers and their Java applications to have access to IMS, you need the IMS TCP/IP OTMA Connector (ITOC) installed and customized. In IMS Version 7, this will be the IMS Connect Feature. Open Transaction Manager Access (OTMA) is the interface to access IMS transactions and was introduced with IMS V5. The ITOC is a so-called OTMA client and is the interface between TCP/IP and OTMA. For OTMA communication a protocol called Cross Memory Communications Facility (XCF) is used.

More information about the ITOC can be found at:
The ITOC is available for IMS Version 5 and higher. For using ITOC, the OTMA needs to be set up. For further information, refer to the IMS/ESA V6 OTMA Guide and Reference, SC26-8743.

3.3.1 Enabling JITO (Java ITOC) interface

The JITO is the preferred tool to develop Java servlets accessing IMS. It uses the IBM Enterprise Access Builder library, the IBM Java Record Library, the IBM Common Connector Framework and the IBM JITO class library. The JITO uses the ITOC for accessing IMS.

In order to run servlets developed with VisualAge for Java Enterprise Edition, the following jar files need to be uploaded to the host, stored in your HFS, and added to ncf.jvm.classpath:

- /your_path/eablib.jar
- /your_path/recjava.jar
- /your_path/ccf.jar
- /your_path/imstoc.jar

You will find these files in the classes directory where the IBM Connectors have been installed on your workstation running Visual Age for Java Enterprise Edition.

In addition, the jar files containing the Enterprise Access Bean (EAB) commands your servlets executes need to be in the classpath as well.

3.3.2 Enabling the OTMA Callable Interface sample classes

The OTMA Callable Interface is an API that hides the complexity of the XCF protocol that is used to communicate between OTMA and its clients. OTMA CI is available with APAR PQ17203 for IMS V6.1.

There is a Java class sample available that makes the OTMA Callable Interface API available on OS/390 using the Java Native Interface (JNI). The JAVAOTMA package can be downloaded at:

http://www.s390.ibm.com/nc/sntc/

In order to use this package, you need to adjust your environment as follows:

In the file was.conf:

- Add to ncf.jvm.classpath: /your_path/otmaclass.jar
Add to ncf.jvm.libpath the path where libjotmaNative.so is stored.

A more detailed description is in Chapter 20 of Java Programming Guide for OS/390, SG24-5619.

Further information about the setup and configuration of the OTMA CI API can be found in Appendix D of IMS/ESA V6 OTMA Guide and Reference, SC26-8743. Check the IMS OTMA CI Web page as well:


3.4 Enable MQSeries for the IBM WebSphere Application Server

In order for the Web servers and their Java applications to have access to MQSeries, you need to have the MQSeries subsystem configured and customized and the Queue manager up and running.

3.4.1 IBM WebSphere Application Server settings for using MQSeries

The Java classes for the OS/390 bindings connection (not using the common connector framework) can be found and downloaded at the MQSeries txppacs homepage (package name MA1G):


The classes used here are different from those that are used by Visual Age for Java V3 and included in the Common Connector Framework.

An API description is on the download page as well, including the API and class descriptions to use MQSeries.

In order to get the MQSeries classes for OS/390 running, you need to adjust your environment as follows:

1. In the file was.conf:
   – Add to ncf.jvm.classpath: <mq_dir>/java/lib
   – Add to ncf.jvm.classpath: <mq_dir>/java/lib/com.ibm.mq.jar
   – Add to ncf.jvm.libpath: <mq_dir>/java/lib

2. Add to STEPLIB the following data sets, if not already in linklist concatenation:
   – MQHLQ.SCSQAUTH
   – MQHLQ.SCSQANLE
STEPLIB entries could be done either in httpd.envvars or in the Web server's started task procedure.

A more detailed description about the usage of the MQSeries classes for OS/390 is in Chapter 19 of Java Programming Guide for OS/390, SG24-5619.

3.5 Enable Oracle for the IBM WebSphere Application Server

This section describes how to enable the IBM WebSphere Application Server to access Oracle data using JDBC.

3.5.1 Obtain Oracle JDBC drivers

In order for the Web servers and their Java servlets to have access to Oracle, you need the Oracle JDBC type 4 (*thin*, Java Sockets) driver class files.

The Oracle drivers are comprised of two class files: one is for National Language Support (NLS) and the other for base JDBC driver requirements.

You may obtain copies of these files directly from Oracle Corporation, at the following URL:

http://www.oracle.com

Follow the links to the Oracle Technology Network. There you need to register in order to obtain the Oracle JDBC drivers.

When downloading JDBC driver files, be sure to obtain the *JDBC-Thin, 100% Java* and *NLS-zip, 100% Java* versions of the class files, and make sure you select them for the Oracle version you are using.

We tested the Oracle8i 8.1.6 JDBC "thin" driver files specifically developed for version 1.1.x of the JDK.

Note that, at the time of this writing, there are two sets of Oracle JDBC drivers: One is for use with JDK 1.1.x and the other for the J2EE (JDK 1.2.x) releases. Make sure you download the 1.1.x version of appropriate Oracle JDBC type 4 drivers, since WAS 1.2 only supports JDK 1.1.x.

We downloaded and used the drivers in the following directory:

/usr/lpp/oracle/jdbc/classes
3.5.2 Configure and install Oracle for OS/390

You will also need to have Oracle for OS/390 version 8.04 or later (8.1.5) installed and configured for access via TCP/IP. Consult the Oracle for OS/390 Installation, Administration and User's guides.

3.5.3 IBM WebSphere Application Server settings for JDBC

Add the Oracle JDBC drivers to ncf.jvm.classpath in the IBM WebSphere Application Server configuration file was.conf.

These consist of two zip files:

/usr/lpp/oracle/jdbc/classes/classes12.zip
/usr/lpp/oracle/jdbc/classes/nls_charset12.zip

Run updateproperties to activate the changes to was.conf.

This is all the setup required. In order to test your configuration, you may use the sample servlet for JDBC provided by Oracle. You may obtain the sample from the additional material repository of the redbooks Web server at:


It is called OracleTestServlet.java. It must be compiled and moved into the appropriate directory where you store servlets, like /web/apple/servlets, and then invoked from your browser at:

http://your_server/servlets/OracleTestServlet
Chapter 4. How to run the samples

In this chapter we describe the steps you need to perform in order to be able to use the samples provided with this redbook. These samples are based on the samples that are delivered with IBM WebSphere Application Server V1.1. They were improved to suit our environment and to make them easier to maintain. Other samples are new and were added to make a complete collection for this redbook.

It is assumed that your IBM HTTP Server and WebAS are up and running on your system.

We tested and used all these samples using Netscape Communicator V4.7. We have not tested them using any earlier version or other browsers.

Be sure to have Javascript enabled. Some samples use Javascript.

4.1 Download and install the samples

You may obtain the samples from the additional material repository of the redbooks Web server at:


All the samples are packaged together into an approximately 6.5 MB pax file, Was12.Samples.ITSO.pax.

Download the file into the OS/390 UNIX HFS directory structure, as we did into /u/trauner in our example. Use the OMVS shell. Change the directory to your server_model_root. Unpack the file using the pax -rv command. Be sure to be authorized to create directories and have write access, else you would need to use superuser mode.

Example:

TRAUNER:/u/trauner: >cd /was/helen/AppServer
TRAUNER:/was/helen/AppServer: >
=== pax -rv < /u/trauner/Was12.Samples.ITSO.pax

Unpacking of this archive file creates three subdirectories, /samples, /doc and /web, and will also put files into the /servlet directory.
4.2 Configuring the environment

In order to run the samples, some key additions need to be made to your configuration files and WebAS environment. Although most of the updates should already be in place, we make reference to them here.

4.2.1 Updating the httpd.conf file

Add the following PASS rules required to access the samples from the Web browser:

```
Pass /IBMWebAS/samples/* /server_model_root/samples/*
Pass /IBMWebAS/doc/* /server_model_root/doc/*
Pass /IBMWebAS/* /server_model_root/web/*.
```

where server_model_root is the directory structure defined by your WebSphere Application Server environment. In our examples we used /was/helen/AppServer.

4.2.2 Updating the httpd.envvars file

The httpd.envvars file might need some updates to run the samples, as shown in Figure 13.

```
PATH=/bin:.:/usr/sbin:/usr/lpp/internet/bin:/usr/lpp/internet/sbin:
    /usr/lpp/ldap/bin:/usr/lpp/ldap/sbin:
    /usr/lpp/ldap/lib
SHELL=/bin/sh
TZ=EST5EDT
LANG=C
LC_ALL=en_US.IBM-1047
NLSPATH=/usr/lib/nls/msg/%L/%N:/usr/lpp/internet/%L/%N:
    /usr/lpp/ldap/lib/nls/msg/%L/%N
LIBPATH=/usr/lpp/internet/bin:/usr/lpp/internet/sbin:/usr/lpp/ldap/lib:
    /usr/lpp/ldap/lib
LD_LIBRARY_PATH=/usr/lpp/db2/db2610/lib:
JAVA_HOME=/usr/lpp/java18p/J1.1
CLASSPATH=.:/usr/lpp/internet/server_root/CAServlet:
    /usr/lpp/java18p/J1.1/lib/classes.zip:
    /usr/lpp/db2/db2610/classes/db2jdbcclasses.zip
STEPLIB=DEBV610.SDSNLOAD:DB2V610.SDSNEXIT
DASMINI=DEBV61063.DBCLLY.CLIINI.RAS
```

Figure 13. Updates to httpd.envvars to run the ITSO samples

Notes for the httpd.envvars file:

1 These lines have been split for redbook printing purposes. In the actual file, they are on a single line.
4.2.3 Updating the was.conf file

The following classes need to be added to the ncf.jvm.classpath property, in addition to the default WebAS class libraries:

/usr/lpp/java18p/J1.1/lib/classes.zip: ---> contains JDK1.1.8 classes
/usr/lpp/db2/db2610/classes/db2jdbcclasses.zip: ---> required for DB2 samples

The following classes need to be added to the ncf.jvm.libpath property, in addition to the default WebAS executable libraries:

/usr/lpp/java18p/J1.1/lib:/usr/lpp/java18p/J1.1/lib/mvs/native_threads: ---> JDK DLL’s
/usr/lpp/db2/db2610/lib: ---> required for DB2 samples (JDBC drivers)

The ncf.jvm.path property should contain the Java path
/usr/lpp/java18p/J1.1/bin (default setting defined by the makeserver script).

4.2.4 Updating the personal .profile file

The following minimum paths need to be added to your personal (user) .profile file to allow you to compile most of the Java source files (refer to the samples and subsystem setup in order to set up the environment variables):
To verify that Java is correctly installed, type:

    java -fullversion

The Java command displays the version and build date of the JDK.
4.2.5 Customizing the userprofile properties

Two of the ITSO database samples (WOMBank and TicketCentral) require the use of the UserProfile class. The UserProfile class is part of the com.ibm.servlet.personalization.userprofile package and holds basic information about the user.

To successfully use the UserProfile class, you need access to DB2 OS/390 to store the data, and IBM HTTP Server must have access to it. Follow these steps to configure the class:

Step1. Create the database.

The UserProfile class stores its data in a DB2 table called userprofile (by default). You'll need to create the table as shown in A.1, “User profile” on page 98.

Step2. Enable server access to the UserProfile class.

To enable the UserProfile class, configure the class manually. Update the userprofile.properties file in the /server_model_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/ directory as shown in Figure 14. We found that this file is not updated using was.conf and running the updateproperties utility located in the /server_model_root/config directory. Create a backup of this file before making any modifications.

```
# @(#)sessionstate.properties
#
# User Profiles Configuration Screen
#
#ncf.userprofile=false ------- default
ncf.userprofile=true
#ncf.userprofile.db.used=db2 -------- default
ncf.userprofile.db.used=db2os390
#ncf.userprofile.db.jdbcdriver=COM.ibm.db2.jdbc.app.DB2Driver -> default
ncf.userprofile.db.jdbcdriver=ibm.sql.DB2Driver
ncf.userprofile.db.instance=DBS3
ncf.userprofile.db.owner=user_name
ncf.userprofile.tablename=userprofile
ncf.userprofile.userid=
ncf.userprofile.password=
cnf.userprofile.classname=com.ibm.servlet.personalization.
buserProfile
```

Figure 14. Sample userprofile.properties file
Notes to Figure 14 on page 35:

1 Enable the user profile class; by default it is disabled.

2 The name of the database product on OS/390.

3 The name of the JDBC driver on OS/390.

4 This is the LOCATION name as specified in DDF in DB2 or the local name. The name can be obtained from the DB2MSTR started task log when DDF initializes, for example:

   Refer to Chapter 3, “Enable subsystems for the Application Server” on page 17 for more details.

5 The name of the owner of the user profile table. See A.1, “User profile” on page 98.

6 This line has been split for redbook printing purposes. In the actual file the text appears on one line.

Step3. Restart WebAS to activate the changes.

4.2.6 Configuring the session tracker

Two of the database samples (WOMBank and TicketCentral) require the use of the session tracker.

WebAS can maintain a series of requests in a session, originating from the same user, at the same workstation. The class that coordinates the session tracking is:

   com.ibm.servlet.personalization.sessiontracking.IBMSessionContextImpl

   It is called the session tracker. Refer to WebSphere Application Server Planning, Installing and Using Version 1.2, GC34-4757 for more information. By default, the session tracker is disabled. Refer to the session.properties file in the /server_model_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/ directory as shown in Figure 15 on page 37. Any modifications to this file should be made using the was.conf file in /server_model_root/properties/ directory. The
updateproperties utility will overwrite the settings made manually with those defined in was.conf.

```plaintext
# @(#)session.properties.1.4 97/09/14
#
# Properties for session tracking
#
enable.sessions=true
enable.urlrewriting=false
enable.cookies=true
enable.protocolswitchrewriting=false

session.invalidationinterval=10000
session.swapinterval=10000
session.persistence=true
# if nothing is entered for session.swapdirectory, # Session Tracking will use its default of # <install root>/logs/sessSwap
session.swapdirectory=
session.maxresidents=1024
session.invalidationtime=1800000

session.standalone.host=true
session.server.host=
session.cluster.host=

session.cookie.name=sesessionid
session.cookie.comment=servlet Session Support
session.cookie.domain=
session.cookie.maxage=
session.cookie.path=
session.cookie.secure=
```

**Figure 15. Sample default session.properties file**

**Note to Figure 15:**

If the browser does not accept cookies, this implementation will not work.

**Important**

Shut down and restart the HTTP Server for the changes to take effect. We found this to be true for all servlet changes in WebAS.
4.3 Accessing the samples

All the samples provided with WebAS can be found in
\texttt{/server\_model\_root/samples}.

For quick access to the samples, use your browser to open the samples index page \texttt{http://your.server.name/IBMWebAS/samples} where your.server.name is the host name of the machine on which the IBM WebSphere Application Server is installed, for example \texttt{http://wtsc58oe.itsc.ibm.com:7101/}.

The source code (.java files) and HTML files for a given sample are in the respective subdirectories under the \texttt{/server\_model\_root/samples} path. We also found some of the source files in the \texttt{/server\_model\_root/servlets} directory.

4.4 Running the no-database samples

This section describes the samples that do not require a database.

4.4.1 ReqInfoServlet

This servlet requires no modifications to the source. Use your browser to open the samples index page and select the servlet under Basic Servlets. The servlet extracts information about the servlet request and returns it to the client.

The sample displays output as shown in Figure 16 on page 39.
4.4.2 FormDisplayServlet

This servlet requires no modifications to the source. Use your browser to open the samples index page and select the servlet under Basic Servlets. The servlet reads input from an HTML form and returns it in a Web page.

The sample displays output as shown in Figure 17 on page 40.
FormDisplayServlet Companion HTML Form

First Name: Misaelh
Last Name: Vallabh
Company: IBM South Africa
Desired Seminar Date: June 17

Figure 17. Sample output from FormDisplayServlet (part 1 of 2)

HTML Form Data Display
This is an echo of the data contained in the HTML Form.
The Form parameter is submit_btn
The parameter value is SUBMIT
The Form parameter is first_name
The parameter value is Misaelh
The Form parameter is last_name
The parameter value is Vallabh
The Form parameter is company
The parameter value is IBM South Africa
The Form parameter is sem_date
The parameter value is June 17

Figure 18. Sample output from FormDisplayServlet (part 2 of 2)
4.4.3 FormProcessingServlet

This servlet requires no modifications to the source. Copy the seminar.txt file from the server_model_root/samples/FormProcessingServlet directory to the Web content root directory as specified in the httpd.conf file, for example:

```
Pass /* /web/apple/pub/*
```

Make your Web server authorization user ID the owner of the /web/apple/pub/seminar.txt file and set the permission bits to 766 in order to have access to the file. If the user ID statement in httpd.conf is %CLIENT%, make sure that all the client user IDs accessing this sample have read and write rights to this file.

Use your browser to open the samples index page and select the servlet under Basic Servlets. The servlet reads and processes registration data from an HTML form, returns a customized page, and writes registration data to a file.

The sample displays output as shown in Figure 19.

![Sample output from FormProcessingServlet (part 1 of 2)](image)
Figure 20. Sample contents of the seminar.txt file

Notes to Figure 20:

1 The servlet stores the values in an 8x2 string array (Venue and Date combinations). Boston already has two entries for June 17; hence the class is full.

The class was full in Boston on June 17. You have been registered for the seminar in Boston on June 24. Thank you.

Figure 21. Sample output from FormProcessingServlet (part 2 of 2)
4.4.4 XtremeTravel

The XtremeTravel sample uses the XTBean.class and SendMessage.class files. We found the XTBean.class file in the 
/server_model_root/web/admin/classes directory. This directory had to be placed in ncf.jvm.classpath in was.conf. When the sample is called and the Java server page (JSP) is served, the pagecompile directory gets created by the pagecompile servlet. This directory is used to keep track of JSP-created Java files that have been compiled into Class files. Ensure that you have the correct owner and permission bits set to this directory (corresponding to the Web server's authorization user ID set with the UserID statement in httpd.conf).

We found that the ibmwebas.jar file in the /server_model_root/lib directory did not contain the correct com.ibm.servlet.servlets.personalization.util package, hence the SendMessage class could not be found together with the other classes, namely, CheckMessage, GetMessage, GetVariableText and SetVariableText.

We corrected the "hard links" for the missing classes to exist in the directory /server_model_root/servlets/com/ibm/servlet/servlets/personalization/util.
4.5 Running the database samples

Important

If you plan to make changes to the Java source files, we recommend doing the following:

- Copy the respective source files to your own user directory.
- Make the changes as outlined in this chapter.
- Make sure that all needed classes and class libraries are in the CLASSPATH.
- Compile the code using the `javac filename.java` command.
- Copy the generated class files to the `server_model_root/servlets` directory.

We put the sample in the `server_model_root/servlets` directory. You should put your own servlets into a directory defined by the `servlets.classpath` definition or in a directory belonging to your WebAS instance.

This ensures that the original source files stay intact for future reference.

Before running the samples:

Make sure that the subsystems are identified to WebAS and customized to accept requests, including the sample databases and applications that are delivered with them.

Note: All samples are described for using the old JDBC/SQLJ driver that is delivered with DB2. For running the samples with the new type 2 driver described in 3.1.4, “Settings for the new Type 2 SQLJ/JDBC Driver” on page 23, refer to 4.5.11, “Run the samples with the new Type 2 Driver” on page 65.

4.5.1 JDBCServlet

The JDBCServlet reads input from an HTML form to build an SQL query, makes a JDBC connection to the IBM DB2 sample database, processes the query result set, and returns it to the Web page.

To run the sample, complete the following steps:

Step 1. Create the sample database provided by DB2 for OS/390.
This sample uses the EMPLOYEE sample database provided with DB2 for OS/390. Consult with your database administrator (DBA) for information on how to create this database.

**Step 2.** Copy and edit the login.properties file.

Copy the login.properties file from the `applicationserver_root/samples` directory to the `applicationserver_root/servlets` directory, where `applicationserver_root` is the root directory of your WebAS installation.

Edit the `applicationserver_root/servlets/login.properties` file. We had the following values specified:

1. `JDBCServlet.dbOwner=dsn8610`, the owner of the employee database (Consult your DBA.)
2. `JDBCServlet.dbUserid=null`
3. `JDBCServlet.dbPassword=null`
4. `JDBCServlet.dbName=DBS3`, the location name in DDF (Refer to Figure 14 on page 35 for an explanation of what the location name is.)
5. `JDBCServlet.dbProtocol=db2os390`, JDBC subprotocol
6. `JDBCServlet.dbPoolName=JdbcDb2`, the JDBC pool name (Ask your webmaster.)
7. `JDBCServlet.JDBCDriver=ibm.sql.DB2Driver`, the JDBC Driver Name
8. `JDBCServlet.BackGround=/IBMWebAS/samples/images/background.jpg` (The background picture for the output page could be optionally specified.)

The sample is changed so that all necessary parameters could be changed in the login.properties file. You can change them without changing and recompiling the sample source code.

**Step 3.** Run the sample.

Use your browser to open the samples index page and select the servlet under Basic Servlets.

**Known Problems:**

- Not all views or SELECT combinations are available. For example, SELECT STAFF.* is a table that does not exist in the sample employee database in DB2 OS/390. This operation results in an SQL exception, which is displayed on your browser.

- After three successful queries we got the following message on our browser: ***Connection is already in use . . . try later!*** We had to
restart the Web server in order to run this sample again. We found this true when running multiple IBM WebSphere Application Server instances using the same JDBC Pool name and accessing the same tables. Make sure that the JDBC Pools are unique across multiple Web servers.

4.5.2 IBMConnMgrTest

The IBMConnMgrTest servlet shows how to use the connection manager to manage JDBC connections to the IBM DB2 sample database.

To run the sample, complete the following steps:

**Step 1.** Create the sample database provided by DB2 for OS/390.

This sample uses the EMPLOYEE sample database provided with DB2 OS/390. Consult with your database administrator for information on how to create this database.

**Step 2.** Copy and edit the login.properties file.

Copy the login.properties file from the server_model_root/samples directory to the server_model_root/servlets directory.

Edit the server_model_root/servlets/login.properties file. We had the following values specified:

1. JDBCServlet.dbOwner=dsn8610, the owner of the employee database (Consult your DBA.)
2. JDBCServlet.dbUserid=null
3. JDBCServlet.dbPassword=null
4. JDBCServlet.dbName=DBS3, the location name in DDF (Refer to Figure 14 on page 35 for an explanation.)
5. JDBCServlet.dbProtocol=db2os390, JDBC subprotocol
6. JDBCServlet.dbPoolName=JdbcDb2, the JDBC pool name (Ask your webmaster.)
7. JDBCServlet.JDBCDriver=ibm.sql.DB2Driver, the JDBC Driver Name
8. JDBCServlet.BackGround=/IBMWebAS/samples/images/background.jpg (The background picture for the output page could be optionally specified.)

**Note:** Some samples use the same login.properties values, like the IBMConnMgrTest and the JDBCServlet sample. This is true for other samples as well. In the section we listed all values for the properties, even though that special sample doesn’t use all of them. For details about what properties are
used by a certain sample, refer to the source code of the sample. The login.properties were used for easier maintenance of the samples in a test environment, where it might happen that subsystem IDs, owners of the databases, and database qualifiers change frequently.

**Step 3.** Run the sample.

Use your browser to open the samples index page and select the servlet at the database servlets page. The sample displays the following result: Hello JOHN Parker.

### 4.5.3 IBMDataAccessTest

The IBMDataAccessTest servlet shows how to use the IBM VisualAge for Java data access beans to connect to the IBM DB2 sample database. This sample uses a class library that is only delivered with VisualAge for Java Enterprise Edition V2 or V3.

To run the sample, complete the following steps:

**Step 1.** Create the sample database provided by DB2 for OS/390, if not already installed.

This sample uses the EMPLOYEE sample database provided with DB2 OS/390. Consult with your database administrator for information on how to create this database.

**Step 2.** Copy and edit the login.properties file.

Copy the login.properties file from the applicationserver_root/samples directory to the applicationserver_root/servlets directory, where applicationserver_root is the root directory of your WebAS installation.

Edit the applicationserver_root/servlets/login.properties file. We had the following values specified:

1. JDBCServlet.dbOwner=dsn8610, the owner of the employee database (Consult your DBA.)
2. JDBCServlet.dbUserid=null
3. JDBCServlet.dbPassword=null
4. JDBCServlet.dbName=DBS3, the location name in DDF (Refer to Figure 14 on page 35 for an explanation.)
5. JDBCServlet.dbProtocol=db2os390, JDBC subprotocol
6. JDBCServlet.dbPoolName=JdbcDb2, the JDBC pool name (Ask your webmaster.)
7. JDBCServlet.JDBCDriver=ibm.sql.DB2Driver, the JDBC Driver Name

8. JDBCServlet.BackGround= /IBMWebAS/samples/images/background.jpg (The background picture for the output page could be optionally specified.)

**Step 3.** Update your was.conf file.
We needed to include the data access beans class library. We found it in the EAB/runtime20 directory of VisualAge for Java V3.

Edit the `server_model_root/properties/was.conf` file. Add the following class to `ncf.jvm.classpath` in order to run the sample:

- `/your_path/ivjdab.jar`

Activate the changes.

**Step 4.** Run the sample.
Use your browser to open the samples index page and select the servlet under Database Servlets. The sample displays two result rows. When reloading the servlet you will see an increasing value in the second row. This is intended; it is due to the use of caching. Check the source code of the sample for details.

### 4.5.4 WOMBank

This sample uses a JDBC connection to a DB2 database to maintain customer IDs, passwords, and account information. It does its own user authentication, allowing customers to register or log in, open accounts, deposit, withdraw, or transfer funds, and view a log of their transactions. WOMBank uses user profiles and session tracking to personalize the Web pages and track the application state. To run the sample, complete the following steps:

**Step 1.** Create the sample database.

WOMBank provides a womdb.bat file to populate the database. The file is found in the directory `server_model_root/samples/WomBank/`. We created the equivalent SQL statements for DB2 OS/390 based on this file; see A.2, “WOMBank” on page 99 for the SQL statements.

**Step 2.** Copy and edit the login.properties file.
Copy the login.properties file from the `applicationserver_root/samples` directory to the `applicationserver_root/servlets` directory, where `applicationserver_root` is the root directory of your WebAS installation.
Edit the `applicationserver_root/servlets/login.properties` file. We had the following values specified:

1. `WomBank.dbOwner=dsn8610`, the owner of the womdb database as defined in A.2, “WOMBank” on page 99 (Consult your DBA for more information.)
2. `WomBank.dbUserid=null`
3. `WomBank.dbPassword=null`
4. `WomBank.JDBCLocation=DBS3` (For the LOCATION name in DB2 DDF, refer to Figure 14 on page 35.)
5. `WomBank.JDBCDriver=ibm.sql=DB2Driver`, the JDBC Driver
6. `WomBank.JDBCProtocol=db2os390`, JDBC subprotocol

**Step3.** Configure the user profile class.
See 4.2.5, “Customizing the userprofile properties” on page 35 for details.

**Step4.** Configure the session tracker.
See 4.2.6, “Configuring the session tracker” on page 36 for details.

**Step5.** Update the permission bits.

The sample creates a directory called `server_model_root/logs/upobjects`. Make sure that the Web server authentication user ID specified in `httpd.conf` has access to create this directory (WEBADM in our case). We set the permission bits for the logs directory to 775, since the group ID for the user WEBADM and the group owner of the logs directory were both IMWEB. If the UserID statement in `httpd.conf` is `%CLIENT%`, make sure that all the client user IDs accessing this sample have read, write and execute rights to this directory.

**Step6.** Run the sample.

Use your browser to open the samples index page and select WOMBank.
4.5.5 TicketCentral

This sample uses a JDBC connection to a DB2 database. It searches several preloaded database tables to find ticket information, and reads and writes other tables to authenticate customers and maintain their data. Registered customers can log in, specify ticket search information, select tickets to purchase, and use a credit card to pay for them. TicketCentral uses user profile and session tracking to personalize the Web pages and track the application state.

To run the sample, complete the following steps:

Step 1. Create the sample database.
TicketCentral provides a tcdb.bat file to populate the database. The file is found in the directory server_model_root/servlets/. We created the equivalent SQL statements for DB2 OS/390 based on this file. See A.3, “TicketCentral” on page 100 for the SQL statements.

Step 2. Copy and edit the login.properties file.
Copy the login.properties file from the applicationserver_root/samples directory to the applicationserver_root/servlets directory, where applicationserver_root is the root directory of your WebAS installation.
Edit the applicationserver_root/servlets/login.properties file. We had the following values specified:
1. TicketCentral.dbOwner=owner_name, the owner of the TCDB database as defined in A.3, “TicketCentral” on page 100 (Consult your DBA.)
2. TicketCentral.dbUserid=null
3. TicketCentral.dbPassword=null
4. TicketCentral.JDBCLocation=DBS3 (For the LOCATION name in DB2 DDF, refer to Figure 14 on page 35.)
5. TicketCentral.JDBCProtocol=db2os390
You might wonder why there is no JDBC Driver specified as in the WomBank sample. The JDBC Driver in all TicketCentral source files is ibm.sql.DB2Driver and is hard-coded.

Step 3. Populate the TCDB database.
From the OMVS shell, issue the following commands to populate the database:

```
cd /applicationserver_root/servlets
java PopulateTCData tcevent tcevent.txt
java PopulateTCData tcprice tcprice.txt
java PopulateTCData tcvenue tcvenue.txt
java PopulateTCData tcsession tcsession.txt.
```

**Step 4.** Configure the user profile class.

Refer to 4.2.5, “Customizing the userprofile properties” on page 35 for details.

**Step 5.** Configure the session tracker.

Refer to 4.2.6, “Configuring the session tracker” on page 36 for details.

**Step 6.** Run the sample.

Use your browser to open the samples index page and select Ticket Server.
4.5.6 SQLJ servlet sample

This sample uses SQLJ to connect to a DB2 database.

To run the sample, complete the following steps:

Step 1. Create the sample database provided by DB2 for OS/390 (if not already done).

This sample uses the EMPLOYEE sample database provided with DB2 OS/390. Consult with your database administrator for information on how to create this database.

Step 2. Edit the login.properties file (if not already done).

Edit the server_model.root/servlets/login.properties file. This sample uses the same values as the JDBCServlet Sample. We had the following values specified:

6. SQLJServlet.SQLJDriver=COM.ibm.db2os390.sqlj.jdbc.DB2SQLJDriver, the SQLJ driver name

7. SQLJServlet.SQLJProtocol=db2os390sqlj, SQLJ subprotocol

8. SQLJServlet.SQLJLocation=DBS3, the location name in DDF (Refer to Figure 14 on page 35 for an explanation.)

9. SQLJServlet.BackGround=/IBMWebAS/samples/images/background.jpg (The background picture for the output page could be optionally specified.)

Step 3. Update your personal profile file.

Edit the /u/user_name/.profile file. Make sure that your PATH statement includes the following in order to run the DBRM utility:

/usr/lpp/db2/db2610/bin

Make sure that your LIBPATH statement includes the following:

/usr/lpp/db2/db2610/lib

Activate the changes.

Step 4. Run the DBRM utility.

It creates and stores a member in your DBRM library using the .ser file that was created by the SQLJ preprocessor utility (db2profc). This member is used to create the SQLJPLAN later. The default data set name is <USERNAME>.DBRMLIB.DATA. You might change this using the environment variable DB2SQLJDBRMLIB:

export DB2SQLJDBRMLIB="/HLQ.DBRMLIB.DATA"
Go to the OMVS shell and run the utility using the following command (the .ser file that is delivered with the sample is in the server_model_root/servlets directory):

db2profc -pgmname=SQLJSAMP  SQLSampleServlet_SJProfile0.ser

Change the pgmname as appropriate for your environment. We used SQLJSAMP.

**Step 5.** Bind the DBRM member and create the SQLJPLAN.

Ask your database administrator for support. In order to run this sample, bind the DBRM member directly to a plan. In 4.5.8, “SQLJ manufacturer servlet” on page 57 we describe how to run multiple SQLJ servlets using packages for each servlet and creating a plan for all packages. We used the DB2 ISPF panels to create the SQLJSAMP plan.

This servlet accesses the EMP table that is delivered with the DB2 sample databases. The SELECT statement in the sample does not reference a qualifier for the table. In order to run the sample, make sure to specify a qualifier and that the table USERID.EMP exists and is authorized to access (GRANT).

**Known Problems:**

- If you experience an SQLSTATE=FFFFF (an internal SQLJ processing error), then it might be that you have an authorization problem, or the SQLJPLAN environment variable is missing or wrong, or your plan is...
missing a package. Maybe you forgot to grant access to the plan after rebinding the plan.

- SQLState=50003 means that the timestamps of the servlet and the package do not match. This might be because the .ser file is not in the classpath or the bind options are not appropriate.

In order to run the sample, we used the following BIND options:

```
Command ===>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Command</th>
<th>Defaults for Bind Plan</th>
<th>SSID: DBS3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>ISOLATION LEVEL</td>
<td>CS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>VALIDATION TIME</td>
<td>RUN</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>RESOURCE RELEASE TIME</td>
<td>DEALLOCATE</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>EXPLAIN PATH SELECTION</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>DATA CURRENCY</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>PARALLEL DEGREE</td>
<td>1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7</td>
<td>RESOURCE ACQUISITION TIME</td>
<td>ALLOCATE</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>REOPTIMIZE FOR INPUT VARS</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9</td>
<td>DEEPER PREPARE</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10</td>
<td>KEEP SQL PAST COMMIT</td>
<td>NO</td>
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<td>11</td>
<td>DEP/PROTOCCl</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12</td>
<td>OPTIMIZATION HINT</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>13</td>
<td>DYNAMIC RULES</td>
<td>RUN</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>14</td>
<td>SQLRULES</td>
<td>DB2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15</td>
<td>DISCONNECT</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
```

Don’t forget to grant execute rights to the authorization user ID of the Web server (WEBADM in our sample) in order to be able to access the plan; you might use SPUFI to run the SQL command:

```
GRANT EXECUTE ON PLAN SQLJSAMP TO WEBADM;
```

Remember that the authorization user ID is specified in http.conf with the userid statement. If userid %CLIENT% is used, every Web user is subject to authentication with user ID and password. Then this userid is used to access DB2. The rights granted to the plan override the rights granted to the packages that are included in the plan.

**Step 6.** Change the environment variables in your httpd.envvars.
Specify the PLAN that includes the DBRM you created in Step 8, as described in 3.1.3, “IBM WebSphere Application Server settings for SQLJ” on page 22.

```
- \$DB2SQLJPLANNAME=SQLJSAMP
  \$DB2SQLJATTACHTYPE=RRSAF
  \$DB2SQLJSSID=DBS3
```

**Step 7. Run the sample.**

Use your browser to open the samples index page and select the servlet under Database Servlets. The sample displays all people stored in the Employee sample database.

**Additional hints:**

- Make sure that the IBM WebSphere Application Server is not active when rebinding or binding the plans/packages while testing. You might experience hung threads in DB2, leading to the inability to rebind.
- You might experience a java.sql.SQLException: No suitable driver. SQLSTATE=08001 SQLCODE=0 error, when the environment variables are not specified in httpd.envvars, or the wrong driver is specified in login.properties.

### 4.5.7 Steps for compiling and running an SQLJ servlet

Here is a description of how to prepare, compile and run .sqlj files that contain embedded SQL and the environment changes that are necessary. SQLJ sources end with .sqlj and not with .java, even though they contain Java code. The description is made using the SQLJ Sample Servlet example. The basis is the driver delivered with DB2.

**Step 1. Update your personal profile file.**

Edit the `/u/username/.profile` file. Add the following classes to the classpath in order to be able to compile the SQLJ sample sources:

- `/usr/lpp/db2/db2610/classes/db2sqljclasses.zip`
- `/usr/lpp/db2/db2610/classes/db2sqljruntime.zip` (only necessary if you plan to run Java applications in your OMVS shell)

Make sure that your PATH statement includes the following:

`/usr/lpp/db2/db2610/bin`

Make sure that your LIBPATH statement includes the following:
Step 2. Run the SQLJ preprocessor.

It translates the embedded SQL statements marked by #sql in the source code to classes and creates the profile that is later used for binding the plan or package.

Go to the OMVS shell and run the translator using the following command:

```
sqlj SQLJSampleServlet.sqlj
```

The utility generates the SQLJSampleServlet.java source file and the serialized profile SQLJSampleServlet_SJProfile0.ser.

Step 3. Compile the Java source.

Go to the OMVS shell and compile the source code using the following command:

```
javac SQLJSampleServlet.java
```

The compile generates the class files necessary to run the samples:

- `SQLJSampleServlet.class`
- `SQLJSampleServletIter.class`
- `SQLJSampleServlet_SJProfileKeys.class`
- `SQLJSampleServletctx.class`

Copy these files to the `server_model_root/servlets` directory using the following command:

```
cp *.class server_model_root/servlets
```

Step 4. Run the DBRM utility.

It customizes the .ser file for DB2 for OS/390 and stores a member in your DBRM library. This member is later used to create the SQLJPLAN. The default data set name is <USERNAME>.DBRMLIB.DATA. You might change this using the environment variable DB2SQLJDBRMLIB:

```
export DB2SQLJDBRMLIB="/USERNAME.DBRMLIB.DATA"
```

Go to the OMVS shell and run the utility using the following command:

```
db2profc -pgmname=SQLJSAMP SQLJSampleServlet_SJProfile0.ser
```

Change the pgmname as appropriate for your environment; e.g., we used SQLJSAMP.

It is essential that the .ser file is in a directory that is included in the classpath; e.g., copy it to the `server_model_root/servlets` directory using the following command:
Step 5. Bind the DBRM to be included in the SQLJPLAN of your IBM WebSphere Application Server.

4.5.8 SQLJ manufacturer servlet

This sample uses SQLJ to read and update a DB2 database and provides a sample for a manufacturer database.

To run the sample, complete the following steps:

Step 1. Create the sample manufacturer database provided with this sample.

Consult with your database administrator for information on how to create this database. We used the DB2 SPUFI panels to create it. In your server_model_root/samples/sqlj directory is a file called db2.data.xmit. It contains all the SQL statements necessary to create the sample manufacturer database.

Create an MVS data set with the following space allocation settings:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Organization: PS</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Record format: FB</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Record length: 80</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Block size: 3120</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1st extent cylinders: 1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Secondary cylinders: 1</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Copy file db2.data.xmit to that data set:

```bash
cp db2.data.xmit "//'USER.DB2.XMIT'"
```

Change to TSO and receive the data set:

```bash
receive INDSN('USER.DB2.XMIT')
```

Specify DSNAME('OUTPUTDATASETNAME') when prompted. It will create a PDS containing one member called INSERT2. Adapt this member to suit your environment’s needs; e.g., name of the database, owner, storage group, and run SPUFI to create the database and insert the records containing the sample data. Make sure that the output data set, if used, is large enough (the output will be around 8 cyls); otherwise you will get B37 abends).

Step 2. Edit the login.properties file (if not already done).
Edit the `server_model_root/servlets/login.properties` file. This sample uses the same values as the JDBCServlet sample. We had the following values specified (both SQLJ servlets use the same SQLJ settings):

1. `SQLJServlet.SQLJDriver=COM.ibm.db2os390.sqlj.jdbc.DB2SQLJDriver`, the SQLJ driver name
2. `SQLJServlet.SQLJProtocol=db2os390sqlj`, SQLJ subprotocol
3. `SQLJServlet.SQLJLocation=DBS3`, the location name in DDF (refer to Figure 14 on page 35 for an explanation)
4. `SQLJServlet.BackGround=/IBMWebAS/samples/images/background.jpg`, the background picture for the output page could be optionally specified

**Step 3.** Update your personal profile file (if not already done).

Edit the `/u/user_name/.profile` file. Make sure that your PATH statement includes the following in order to run the DBRM utility:

```
/usr/lpp/db2/db2610/bin
```

Make sure that your LIBPATH statement includes the following:

```
/usr/lpp/db2/db2610/lib
```

Activate the changes.

**Step 4.** Run the DBRM utility.

It creates and stores a member in your DBRM library using the .ser file that was created by the SQLJ preprocessor utility (`db2profc`). This member is later used to create the SQLJPLAN. The default data set name is `<USERNAME>.DBRMLIB.DATA`. You might change this using the environment variable `DB2SQLJDBRMLIB`:

```
export DB2SQLJDBRMLIB="/HLQ.DBRMLIB.DATA"
```

Go to the OMVS shell and run the utility using the following command (the .ser file that is delivered with the sample is in the `server_model_root/servlets` directory):

```
db2profc -pgmname=SQLJMANU SQLJServlet_SJProfile0.ser
```

Change the `pgmname` as appropriate for your environment; e.g., we used SQLJMANU. If you plan to use the SQL Sample Servlet described in 4.5.6, “SQLJ servlet sample” on page 52 as well, make sure you run the utility for that sample as well:

```
db2profc -pgmname=SQLJSERV SQLJSampleServlet_SJProfile0.ser
```

**Step 5.** Bind the DBRM members and create the SQLJPLAN.
Ask your database administrator for support. In order to run this sample, bind the DBRM member directly to a plan. We assume that you plan to run both the SQLJ Servlet Sample and the SQLJ Manufacturer Servlet. So here is the description of how to create one package for each servlet and a plan containing those packages to run the servlets. We used the DB2 ISPF panels for this.

A DBRM member is bound to a package. Several packages (usually if they belong to the same application) are collected under the same collection ID. So a single package is referenced with $collectionID$.PackageName. Multiple packages might be bound into one PLAN. This is done for easier maintenance (remember, only one SQLJ plan could be specified per Application Server instance). If one application changes, only the corresponding package needs to be rebound, not the whole PLAN, which might include 100 or more packages.

Create a package for the SQLJ servlet sample:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Command</th>
<th>SSID: DBS3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>COMMAND ==&gt;</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>SPECIFY OUTPUT LOCATION AND COLLECTION NAMES</strong>:</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1 LOCATION NAME ............ ===&gt; <strong>(Defaults to local)</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2 COLLECTION-ID ............. ===&gt; SQLJSERV <strong>(Required)</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>SPECIFY PACKAGE SOURCE (DBRM OR COPY)</strong>:</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3 DBRM: COPY: ===&gt; <strong>DBRM</strong> <strong>(Specify DBRM or COPY)</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4 MEMBER or COLLECTION-ID ===&gt; SQLJSERV</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5 PASSWORD or PACKAGE-ID .. ===&gt;</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6 LIBRARY or VERSION ...... ===&gt; DBRMLIB.DATA</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7 ........ -- OPTIONS ...... ===&gt; <strong>(Blank, or COPY version-id)</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>ENTER OPTIONS AS DESIRED</strong>:</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8 CHANGE CURRENT DEFAULTS? .. ===&gt; YES <strong>(NO or YES)</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9 ENABLE/DISABLE CONNECTIONS? ====&gt; NO <strong>(NO or YES)</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10 OWNER OF PACKAGE (AUTHID) .. ===&gt; WEBADM <strong>(Leave blank for primary ID)</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11 QUALIFIER ................. ===&gt; WEBHELEN <strong>(Leave blank for OWNER)</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12 ACTION ON PACKAGE .... .... ===&gt; REPLACE <strong>(ADD or REPLACE)</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>13 INCLUDE PATH?.............. ===&gt; NO <strong>(NO or YES)</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>14 REPLACE VERSION .......... ===&gt; <strong>(Replacement version-id)</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>PRESS: ENTER to process END to save and exit HELP for more information</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Make sure that the database QUALIFIER.EMP exists. This is the place to specify the owner of the database, not the servlet source code. The BIND will only succeed if the database exists and authorizations are set properly (remember GRANT). Note that the collection ID is specified and the package ID will be equal to the member name.
Create a package for the SQLJ manufacturer servlet:

```
BIND PACKAGE SSID: DBS3

Specify output location and collection names:
1 LOCATION NAME .............. ===> (Defaults to local)
2 COLLECTION-ID .............. ===> SQLJMANU (Required)

Specify package source (DBRM or COPY):
3 DBRM: COPY: ===> DBRM (Specify DBRM or COPY)
4 MEMBER or COLLECTION-ID ===> SQLJMANU
5 PASSWORD or PACKAGE-ID .. ===> 
6 LIBRARY or VERSION ...... ===> DBRMLIB.DATA

(Blank, or COPY version-id)

7 ......... -- OPTIONS ...... ===> (COMPOSITE or COMMAND)

Enter options as desired:
8 CHANGE CURRENT DEFAULTS? .. ===> YES (NO or YES)
9 ENABLE/DISABLE CONNECTIONS? ===> NO (NO or YES)
10 OWNER OF PACKAGE (AUTHID)... ===> WEBADM (Leave blank for primary ID)
11 QUALIFIER ..................... ===> WEBHELEN (Leave blank for OWNER)
12 ACTION ON PACKAGE .......... ===> REPLACE (ADD or REPLACE)
13 INCLUDE PATH?............... ===> NO (NO or YES)
14 REPLACE VERSION ............ ===> 

(Replacement version-id)

PRESS: ENTER to process END to save and exit HELP for more information
```

Make sure that the database QUALIFIER.MANUFACTURER exists. This is the place to specify the owner of the database, not the servlet source code. The BIND will only succeed if the database exists and authorizations are set properly (remember GRANT).

Ask your DBA about the default JDBC package. In our environment it was stored under collection-id DSNJDBC with names DSNJDBC1, DSNJDBC2, DSNJDBC3, and DSNJDBC4. Make sure that execute authorizations are granted properly (we had execute rights granted to the Web server user ID).
Create the PLAN including the packages necessary to run both the SQLJ Sample Servlet and the SQLJ manufacturer servlet:

```
COMMAND ==> BIND PLAN  SSID: DBS3

Enter DBRM data set name(s):
1 MEMBER ............ ===> 
2 PASSWORD ........... ===> 
3 LIBRARY ............. ===> 
4 ADDITIONAL DBRMs? ........... ===> NO (YES to include more DBRMs)

Enter options as desired:
5 PLAN NAME .................... ===> WEBHELEN (Required to create a plan)
6 CHANGE CURRENT DEFAULTS? .. ===> YES (NO or YES)
7 ENABLE/DISABLE CONNECTIONS? ===> NO (NO or YES)
8 INCLUDE PACKAGE LIST? ===> YES (NO or YES)
9 OWNER OF PLAN (AUTHID) ........ ===> WEBADM (Leave blank for your primaryID)
10 QUALIFIER .................. ===> (For tables, views, and aliases)
11 CACHESIZE .................. ===> (Blank, or value 0-4096)
12 ACTION ON PLAN ............ ===> REPLACE (REPLACE or ADD)
13 RETAIN EXECUTION AUTHORITY. ===> NO (YES to retain user list)
14 CURRENT SERVER ............ ===> (Location name)
15 INCLUDE PATH? .............. ===> NO (NO or YES)

PRESS: ENTER to process  END to save and exit  HELP for more information
```

These are the options we used for the PLAN:

```
COMMAND ==> DEFAULTS FOR BIND PLAN  SSID: DBS3

Change default options as necessary:
1 ISOLATION LEVEL ........ ===> CS (RR, RS, CS, or UR)
2 VALIDATION TIME ........ ===> RUN (RUN or BIND)
3 RESOURCE RELEASE TIME ... ===> DEALLOCATE (COMMIT or DEALLOCATE)
4 EXPLAIN PATH SELECTION ... ===> NO (NO or YES)
5 DATA CURRENCY ........... ===> NO (NO or YES)
6 PARALLEL DEGREE ........===> 1 (1 or ANY)
7 RESOURCE ACQUISITION TIME ===> ALLOCATE (USE or ALLOCATE)
8 REOPTIMIZE FOR INPUT VARS ===> NO (NO or YES)
9 DEFER PREPARE ............ ===> NO (NO or YES)
10 KEEP DYN SQL PAST COMMIT. ===> NO (NO or YES)
11 DBPROTOCOL .............. ===> (Blank, DRDA or PRIVATE)
12 OPTIMIZATION HINT ........===> (Blank or 'hint-id')
13 DYNAMIC RULES ............ ===> RUN (RUN or BIND)
14 SQLRULES .................. ===> DB2 (DB2 or STD)
15 DISCONNECT ............... ===> EXPLICIT (EXPLICIT, AUTOMATIC, or CONDITIONAL)

PRESS: ENTER to process  END to save and exit  HELP for more information
```
The following panel is used to specify the packages that need to be included in the PLAN. Remember you need to include the default packages and the packages for the two servlets just created. For the packages it is enough to specify the collection ID and an asterisk to include all packages:

```
From the package list for bind plan SSSID: DBS3

COMMAND ===> SCROLL ===> PAGE

Enter names to be included in package list for: WEBHELEN

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>CMD</th>
<th>LOCATION</th>
<th>COLLECTION</th>
<th>PACKAGE-ID</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>----</td>
<td>DSNJDBC</td>
<td>*</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>----</td>
<td>SQLJSERV</td>
<td>SQLJSERV</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>----</td>
<td>SQLJMANU</td>
<td>SQLJMANU</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
```

The PLAN will only be bound successfully if the specified tables and plans exist and the authorization is specified properly.

Don’t forget to GRANT execute rights on the plan you just created to the Web server’s authorization user ID (which is PUBLIC in our environment):

```
GRANT EXECUTE ON PLAN WEBHELEN TO PUBLIC;
```

**Step 6.** Change the environment variables in your httpd.envvars.

Specify the PLAN that includes the DBRM you created in Step 8, as described in 3.1.3, “IBM WebSphere Application Server settings for SQLJ” on page 22.

```
DB2SQLJPLANNAME=WEBHELEN
DB2SQLJATTACHTYPE=RRSAF
DB2SQLJSSID=DBS3
```

**Step 7.** Run the sample.

Use your browser to open the samples index page and select the servlet under Database Servlets. The sample lets you display, add and update records in the manufacturer database.
4.5.9 JDBC manufacturer servlet

This sample uses JDBC to read and update a DB2 database and provides a sample for a manufacturer database.

To run the sample, complete the following steps:

**Step 1.** Create the sample manufacturer database provided with this sample (if not already done).

Refer to Step 1 in 4.5.8, “SQLJ manufacturer servlet” on page 57 for details.

**Step 2.** Edit the login.properties file (if not already done).

Edit the `server_model_root/servlets/login.properties` file. This sample uses the same values as the JDBCServlet sample. We had the following values specified (both JDBC manufacturer servlet and JDBC manufacturer JSP sample use the same JDBC settings):

1. Manufacturer.dbOwner=WEBHELEN
2. Manufacturer.dbUserid=null
3. Manufacturer.dbPassword=null
4. Manufacturer.dbName=DBS3, the location name in DDF (refer to Figure 14 on page 35 for an explanation)
5. Manufacturer.dbProtocol=db2os390, JDBC subprotocol
6. Manufacturer.dbPoolName=JdbcDb2
7. Manufacturer.JDBCDriver=ibm.sql.DB2Driver, the JDBC driver name
8. Manufacturer.BackGround=/IBMWebAS/samples/images/background.jpg (the background picture for the output page could be optionally specified)

**Step 3.** Run the sample.

Use your browser to open the samples index page and select the servlet under Basic Servlets, Query a database (JDBC). The sample lets you display, add and update records in the manufacturer database.
4.5.10 JDBC manufacturer JSP sample

This sample uses Java Server Pages (JSPs) and Java Beans to read and update a DB2 database and provides a sample for a manufacturer database.

JSPs have the advantage that business logic (Java Beans) and presentation (HTML in the JSPs) are separated. With this technology you are able to use standard tools to create JSPs for your HTML output without recompiling the Java code if the presentation requires changes.

To run the sample, complete the following steps:

**Step 1.** Create the sample manufacturer database provided with this sample (if not already done).

Refer to Step 1 in 4.5.8, “SQLJ manufacturer servlet” on page 57 for details.

**Step 2.** Edit the login.properties file (if not already done).

Edit the server_model_root/servlets/login.properties file. This sample uses the same values as the JDBCServlet sample. We had the following values specified (both JDBC manufacturer servlet and JDBC manufacturer JSP sample use the same JDBC settings):

1. Manufacturer.dbOwner=WEBHELEN
2. Manufacturer.dbUserId=null
3. Manufacturer.dbPassword=null
4. Manufacturer.dbName=DBS3, the location name in DDF (Refer to Figure 14 on page 35 for an explanation.)
5. Manufacturer.dbProtocol=db2os390, JDBC subprotocol
6. Manufacturer.dbPoolName=JdbcDb2
7. Manufacturer.JDBCDriver=ibm.sql.DB2Driver, the JDBC driver name
8. Manufacturer.BackGround=/IBMWebAS/samples/images/background.jpg (The background picture for the output page could be optionally specified.)

**Step 3.** Run the sample.

Use your browser to open the samples index page and select the servlet under Basic Servlets, Query a database (JDBC). The sample lets you display, add and update records in the manufacturer database.
4.5.11 Run the samples with the new Type 2 Driver

All previous samples used the driver that was delivered with DB2 for OS/390. This chapter explains the steps to implement the new driver.

With the new Type 2 Driver that is introduced in 3.1.4, “Settings for the new Type 2 SQLJ/JDBC Driver” on page 23 the use of the db2profc utility changed. The pgmname specified is now restricted to 7 characters. The reason for this is that four DBRM members are created for all possible isolation levels (which is automatically done for the DSNJDBC package).

The new sqlj utility now does all the steps necessary to create the serialized profile, the Java code, and the executables (Steps 2 and 3 in 4.5.7, “Steps for compiling and running an SQLJ servlet” on page 55) out of the *.sqlj source.

In order to run all described database samples in this book with the new driver, the following steps are required:

Step 1. Rerun the db2profc utility for all your SQLJ servlets and bind the packages. This will create the following four DBRM members for each isolation level:

- THENAME1 for isolation level UR
- THENAME2 for isolation level CS
- THENAME3 for isolation level RS
- THENAME4 for isolation level RR.

Bind the package THENAME to include all four DBRMs with the specified isolation levels. Make sure that the execute rights for this package have been set to suit your environment's needs.

Step 2. Make sure that the package DSNJDBC created by the DBRMs from the new driver exists.

Check if the package includes the following DBRMs bound with the right isolation level (ask your DBA for support):

- DSNJDBC1 for isolation level UR
- DSNJDBC2 for isolation level CS
- DSNJDBC3 for isolation level RS
- DSNJDBC4 for isolation level RR.

Create the package if it is not already bound. If you are not sure whether the package is from the new or from the old driver, run the db2genJDBC
utility from the new driver and bind the package with the DBRMs and isolation levels mentioned in this step.

**Step 3.** Bind all packages into one plan.

Bind the DSNJDBC package and all SQLJ packages created for your servlets into one plan. Make sure that you do not override special qualifiers that your packages might contain while binding the plan. Do not forget to grant execution rights for that plan to meet your environment’s needs.

**Note:** Previously granted rights are lost when replacing or freeing packages or plans.

**Step 4.** Update your `db2sqljdbc.properties` file.

Change the SQLJPLANNAMEnAME environment variable to the name of the plan that contains all SQLJ packages and the default DSNJDBC package.

**Step 5.** Check PATH, LIBPATH and CLASSPATH in your environment (was.conf, your personal profile).

Change the PATH, LIBPATH and CLASSPATH environment variables, if the new driver is in a different directory than the old or default driver. Your system programmer may have chosen the option to use both drivers concurrently or to install the new driver in a different directory for fallback reasons.

**Step 6.** Restart the Web server to activate the changes.

**Important:** If you experience strange behavior of your servlets, check to make sure that they meet the JDBC 1.0 specification.

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**4.6 IMS samples**

IMS servlet samples using ITOC and OTMA Callable Interface assume IMS, OTMA and ITOC (IMS Connect Feature in Version 7) to be started and customized as described in 3.3, “Enable IMS for the IBM WebSphere Application Server” on page 25.

**4.6.1 IMS JITO C servlet sample**

This sample allows the user to access the IMS IVP (Installation Verification Procedure) phone book transactions. These transactions are delivered with IMS. Check that the corresponding transactions (IVTNV, IVTNO) and database (IVPDB2) are up and running. The ITOC or IMS Connect Feature
needs to be configured and running as well. This sample uses class libraries that are only delivered with VisualAge for Java Enterprise Edition V3.

The IMS JITOC Servlet Sample uses the VisualAge for Java classes as described in 3.3.1, “Enabling JITOC (Java ITOC) interface” on page 26. These class libraries need to be added to the ncf.jvm.classpath statement in was.conf.

The jar file that contains the EAB commands that the sample uses is located in the directory server_model_root/samples/JTCV83. It must be added to the ncf.jvm.classpath in was.conf as well.

Restart the server in order to get the changes applied.

For running the sample you need to know the following information, which needs to be typed in the mask that invokes the servlet:

- ITOC host name or IP address
- ITOC port number
- IMS datastore ID
- Valid RACF user ID and password to access IMS (not needed if OTMA security is set to NONE)

**Known Problems:**

The servlet is not perfect in catching all errors that might occur -- for example, if the transaction is stopped, or in some security violation scenarios when IMS sends messages, including NACK.

### 4.6.2 IMS OTMA Callable Interface command sample

This sample allows the user to test with OTMA CI (OTMA Callable Interface), which directly connects to OTMA not using the ITOC.

It is assumed that the OTMA CI sample classes are configured as described in Appendix D of *IMS/ESA V6 OTMA Guide and Reference*, SC26-8743.

To run the sample you need to know the following information, which needs to be typed in the Formula that invokes the servlet (for the XCF information, refer to your system programmer or issue a /DIS OTMA command):

- XCF group name, where your IMS is server
- Your IMS XCF member name
- Your unique XCF client member name
• The IMS command and its keywords

We recommend that you use this interface with some (not many) OTMA clients that have multiple sessions. XCF supports up to 256 clients in one group and up to 999 sessions per client. This means that session management should be implemented. However, our samples don’t have a session management included.

Known problems:
• You need to apply an APAR, otherwise you will get abends while freeing the session in the sample. Refer to PMR PQ35669.
• The command cannot be longer than 8 characters (including the slash), due to a restriction in the OTMA_allocate call. So the short commands should be used (like DBR instead of DBRECOVERY). Keywords should be specified in the keywords field. There are no restrictions.
• Check your IMS security in order to be able to issue IMS commands using the OTMA interface. IMS default security prohibits issuing commands.
• Some commands, such as /DIS TRAN ALL, return segments that are too long for OTMA CI to handle, and you will get errors instead of a result. Sessions will be shown with the /DIS TMEMBER TPIPE ALL command.
• The Java classes do not provide security parameters to be passed to IMS (although the OTMA CI API does). The Web server started task user ID is used and should be authorized in IMS.
You might display a successful connect to IMS by issuing the /DIS OTMA command in IMS. It will show a list with all XCF clients, even if they are inactive now (IMS XCF information is highlighted in bold):

```
059,/DIS OTMA
IEE500I REPLY TO 059 IS;/DIS OTMA
DFS000I GROUP/MEMBER XCF-STATUS USER-STATUS SECURITY IMSA
DFS000I  IMEXCF IMSA
DFS000I  -IMEX7 ACTIVIE SERVER NONE IMSA
DFS000I  -INSMEM ACTIVE ACCEPT TRAFFIC IMSA
DFS000I  -WEBHELIX NOT DEFINED DISCONNECTED IMSA
DFS000I  -OTMACLXX NOT DEFINED DISCONNECTED IMSA
DFS000I  -OTMACLX1 ACTIVE ACCEPT TRAFFIC IMSA
DFS000I  -OTMACL7 NOT DEFINED DISCONNECTED IMSA
DFS000I  *00068/211036* IMSA
061 DFS996I *IMS READY* IMSA
```

### 4.6.3 IMS OTMA CI servlet sample

This sample allows the user to test to OTMA CI, which directly connects to OTMA not using the ITOC. This servlet includes the code to generate the HTML. A better way is to separate the business logic from the presentation. This can be done using an HTML editor to create Java Server Pages (JSPs) and to use Java beans to handle the communication (e.g., a data bean and an OTMA CI communication bean). Otherwise, as in this example, you need to change the Java source code every time the HTML needs to be updated or changed.

It is assumed that the OTMA CI sample classes are configured as described in Appendix D of *IMS/ESA V6 OTMA Guide and Reference*, SC26-8743.

**Step 1.** Make sure the necessary transactions and database are available.

This sample uses the DSPALLI, CLOSE and DISBURSE IVP transactions, accessing the DI21PART database, that are delivered with IMS. Make sure that the transactions and PSBs are started and the database DI21PART is available.

**Step 2.** Edit the login.properties file.
Edit the server_model_root/servlets/login.properties file. You have to specify the OTMA connection properties. We had the following values specified:

1. OTMAServlet.XCFGroupName=IMSXCF
2. OTMAServlet.IMSMemberName=IMSAV7
3. OTMAServlet.ClientMemberName=WEBHELEN

**Step 3. Run the sample.**

### 4.7 MQSeries sample

MQSeries samples assume MQSeries to be configured and the queue manager to be started and customized as described in 3.4, “Enable MQSeries for the IBM WebSphere Application Server” on page 27.

#### 4.7.1 MQSeries servlet sample

The MQSeries sample uses the OS/390 bindings connection to directly connect to the queue manager. The sample allows you to specify the queue manager name to connect to, the queue to use, and the message to be sent and received on the input form HTML page.

In order to run the sample, you’ll need a queue that is get enabled, put enabled, and shared. We used the following settings to define the queue and to run the sample successfully. The most important values for creating the queue are specified here (the output was generated using the MQSeries CSQOREXX panels):

```plaintext
Queue name . . . . . . . . . CSQ2.TESTQUEUE
Description . . . . . . . . . : Testqueue
Put enabled . . . . . . . . . : Y Y = Yes, N = No
Get enabled . . . . . . . . . : Y Y = Yes, N = No
Usage . . . . . . . . . . . . : N N = Normal, X = XmitQ
Storage class . . . . . . . . : DEFAULT
Permit shared access . . . . : Y Y = Yes, N = No
Default share option . . . : S S = Exclusive, S = Shared
Index type . . . . . . . . . : C N = None, N = MsgId, C = CorrelId
```

This sample uses the correl ID and the message ID internally to put and get the message and only your message back. It will work in a concurrent user environment as well. For further details refer to the source code.
4.8 CICS Transaction Gateway sample

The CICS Transaction Gateway (CTG) sample assumes you have set up the CICS Transaction Server, the Web server, and also the Application server in line with the guidance in 3.2, “Enable CICS for the IBM WebSphere Application Server” on page 24.

4.8.1 CICS TG servlet sample

The CICS sample uses the CTG class ECIRequest. This is documented in CICS Transaction Server for OS/390 CICS Internet Guide Release 3, SC34-5445.

The sample is trivial. It takes three input fields from the Web page that invokes it and passes the name of a CICS program and the contents of a communication area to the CICS region specified on the Web page.

The return codes and return string from the ECIRequest are given as response.

By default, the program called is READCO. This should be modified to any locally available CICS program.

4.9 More samples

More samples can be found on a CD attached to e-business Application Solutions on OS/390 Using Java: Samples, SG24-5365 or from our FTP server directly at:


Additional samples can be found on a CD attached to Java Programming Guide for OS/390, SG24-5619 or from our FTP server directly at:

ftp://www.redbooks.ibm.com/redbooks/SG245619/
This chapter contains more advanced WebAS configuration information that is not covered in the basic setup in Chapter 2, “IBM WebSphere Application Server configuration” on page 5. We recommend that you work through that chapter before going on with this one. The bulk of this chapter deals with configuration useful in development environments.

5.1 Automatic servlet reloading

Turning on automatic servlet reloading is only recommended for development environments, as it requires considerable resource overhead. The reason for this is that as soon as a servlet in one of the reload directories is modified, all of the servlets that have been loaded from a reload directory are also reloaded.

You turn on automatic servlet reloading by setting the servlets.reload property to “true” in was.conf. You can then list all the directories from which you want servlets to be automatically reloaded using the servlets.reload.directories property.

The search sequence used by WebAS for servlets is as follows:
1. The directories listed in the ncf.jvm.classpath property
2. The directories listed in the servlets.reload.directories property
3. The contents of the server_model_root/servlets directory

You must be aware, though, that automatic reload only works for 2. and 3. If any of your reload directories are also in your ncf.jvm.classpath, they will not be subject to automatic reloads. There is no need to place your /servlets directory in servlets.reload.directories, because it is always searched by default and always subject to automatic reloads if servlets.reload is set to true.

Automatic reloading takes place immediately when a servlet loaded from a reload directory is modified. This typically happens when a servlet is recompiled. However, it could also happen when a different version of a servlet is copied into the reload directory from elsewhere. You do not have to reinvoke the servlet to initiate the reload.

You can see, in Figure 22 on page 74, the activity that takes place when the reload starts, servlets are destroyed and reinitialized. This log is found in file event_log.<server_start_date>, in
For more information about Application server logging and tracing, see 5.2, “Logging Application Server events and errors” on page 75.

Figure 22. A fragment of servletservice/event_log showing servlets reloading

5.1.1 Reloading servlets from JAR files

We tested the automatic reloading of servlets contained in JAR files. Our setup was simple, consisting of a single JAR file containing two servlets, as follows:

The JAR file resided in our server_model_root/servlets directory, and we had servlets.reload set to true.

We found that once a servlet from the JAR file was loaded by the Application server, then if a change was made to the JAR file, the expected reload processing took place.

So, when we recompiled CICStestZ and rebuilt the JAR file, reload processing started. The Application server did not reload the servlets from the new JAR file until they were called for.
5.2 Logging Application Server events and errors

There are two sections in *WebSphere Application Server for OS/390 Application Server Planning, Installing, and Using V1.2*, GC34-4757 that give details on how to turn on tracing and logging for the Application server. The sections are “Configuration settings: Logging settings for error and event messages” and Appendix B, “Producing error logs for IBM support personnel”.

We republished some chapters of this publication in Appendix D of this book. See C.4, “Producing error logs for IBM support personnel” on page 145.

These should be used in conjunction with the tracing available within the Web server.

Web server tracing options are detailed in *IBM HTTP Server for OS/390 HTTP Server Planning, Installing, and Using Version 5.2*, SC31-8690, which is available on the Web at:


There are also some details in the comments at the top of the default HTTP server started task.

Another important source of information about Application server log and trace settings is in the comments was.conf file, primarily in sections "Log settings" and "Trace settings".

It is important to remember, once again, that WebAS logging options are controlled by properties in was.conf. So after you have made changes you must stop the Web server, run updateproperties, and restart the Web server.

The two logging options we found most useful when modifying and testing our samples were native DLL logging and Java Standard Out logging.

Native DLL logging is controlled by the boolean ncf.native.logison, and the Java Standard Out is controlled by two booleans. The first sets logging on or off, ncf.jvm.stdoutlog.enabled, the second specifies whether it is written to a file, or to the Java console, ncf.jvm.stdoutlog.file.

All log path and file names are customizable.
5.3 Java Server Pages (JSP) support

In order for your Web server to support Java Server Pages (JSPs are a freely available specification for extending the Java Servlet API to generate dynamic Web pages on a Web server) you need to have the following parameter coded in httpd.conf:

```
Service /*.jsp server_model_root/lib/libadpter.so:AdapterService
```

You almost certainly added this during your Application server setup, described in 2.2.6, “Updating httpd.conf” on page 9.

The first time a JSP is accessed, WAS will compile it to a servlet. WAS is using the server_model_root/servlets/pagecompile directory as a working directory.

Make sure to allow WAS to create subdirectories and write into pagecompile. This can be done by either setting the pagecompile directory permission bits to 777, or by setting the owner of the directory to the anonymous user ID of the Web server (usually PUBLIC) and the permission bits to 775 or 755. This implies that JSPs are called using the user ID of PUBLIC.

Write access is only needed the first time a JSP is called, to compile the JSP. You may use the method to change the permission bits to 777 for this occasion, and you are then referencing all JSPs. After that is completed, you might change the permission bits back to the original value.

If you change a JSP, you first need to have write access again (because it will be recompiled). In some circumstances we also found that if you change a JSP, you might need to delete the appropriate files in the pagecompile directory manually before accessing the changed JSP (which will then start a compile again).
Chapter 6. Performance tuning

This chapter describes performance information related to the IBM WebSphere Application Server (WAS or WebAS).

In general, WAS performance is affected by end-to-end components and subsystems that provide application services. These can be software, hardware, and the networking environment.

In the WAS environment, the application services are mainly affected by external components and subsystems, since WAS is constructed merely by adding a servlet engine to the Web server.

This also implies that resources of server processor cycles and storage can be important to WAS performance, as can Java servlet codes that can cause a long-wait or deadlock situation due to wrong handling of resource protection mechanisms of the Java servlet engine.

This book is designed to be used in conjunction with OS/390 e-business Infrastructure: IBM HTTP Server 5.1 - Customization & Usage, SG24-5603. Refer to that book for Web server performance-related items.

This chapter is a presentation guide that uses a presentation about IBM WebSphere Application Server 1.2 tuning by Roland Trauner. You may obtain the latest version of this presentation over the Internet using a Web browser from the following FTP site:


6.1 IBM WebSphere Application Server tuning

We list here the topics of the presentation and add some comments if needed.

Components to tune:
- OS/390
- OS/390 UNIX
- DFSMS
- WLM, SRM
- VTAM, TCP/IP
- Java
- IBM HTTP Server
- IBM WebSphere Application Server
- LE environment
Objectives:
- OS/390 R8
- IBM HTTP Server 5.2
- IBM WebSphere Application Server 1.2
- Java /390 1.1.8
- WAS is the only business application on the system
  - No mixed workload, i.e. WAS & Domino /390
- Hardware (CPU and I/O) is not discussed
  - MIPS, Memory, Network Adapters, I/O cache etc.

This is the environment for which the tuning recommendations are targeted.

6.1.1 Basic OS/390 tuning

Language environment runtime
- Put SCEERUN in LINKLIST (SYS1.PARMLIB)
- Put SCEELPA in LPALST (SYS1.PARMLIB)
- Include the following modules in Dyn. LPA:
  
  ```
  INCLUDE LIBRARY(CEE.SCEERUN) MODULES(CEEBINIT CEEBLIBM CEEEV003 EDCZV EDCZ24)
  ```
- Include the following modules in MLPA (SYS1.PARMLIB(IEALPAxx)):
  
  ```
  INCLUDE LIBRARY(SYS1.LINKLIB) MODULES(IEFIB600 IEFXB603)
  ```

Source: OS/390 V2R8 UNIX System Services Planning, SC28-1890

Check the following performance Web site:


Make the Web server non-swappable
Customize SCHEDxx (SYS1.PARMLIB):

```
PPT PGMNAME(IMWHTTPD) NOSWAP
```

Keep in mind that if you change the module name for the Web server (see LE setup), you need to add that module name here.

UID and GID caching
Use VLF caching for OE UIDs and GIDs (SYS1.PARMLIB(COFVLFxx)):

```
CLASS NAME(CSVLLA) EMAJ(LLA)
CLASS NAME(IRRUMAP) EMAJ(UMAP)
CLASS NAME(IRRGMAP) EMAJ(GMAP)
CLASS NAME(IRRGTS) EMAJ(GTS)
CLASS NAME(IRRACEE) EMAJ(ACEE)
```
CLASS NAME(IRRSMAP) EMAJ(SMAP)

Make sure VLF is started.

Source: OS/390 V2R8 UNIX System Services Planning, SC28-1890

Check the following performance Web site:


6.1.2 OS/390 UNIX tuning

Basic setup

Customize BPXPRMxx (SYS1.PARMLIB):

- MAXPROCSYS(5000) /* Allow 5000 processes to be active concurrently */
- MAXPROCUSER(500) /* Allow each user (same UID) to have 500 concurrent processes active */
- MAXUIDS(200) /* 200 concurrent users */
- MAXFILEPROC(10000) /* 10000 open files per user */
- MAXTHREADTASKS(3000) /* Allow 3000 threads tasks to be active concurrently in a single process */
- MAXTHREADS(6000) /* Allow 6000 threads to be active concurrently in a single process */

Use the RMF Kernel activity report to adjust the options.

These parameters influence the entire UNIX environment. The values should be set to meet the requirements of the combined peak demand for all UNIX applications.

More BPXPRMxx customization (SYS1.PARMLIB)

Change the values of the XPG4 Interprocess Communications definitions:

- IPCMSGNIDS (20000) /* default 500 */
- IPCMSGBYTES (262144) /* default */
- IPCMSGQNUM (10000) /* default */
- IPCSHMNIDS (20000) /* default 500 */
- IPCSHMSPAGES (2621440) /* default */
- IPCSHMPAGES (25600) /* default 256 */
- IPCSHMSEGS (1000) /* default 10 */
- IPCSEMNIDS (20000) /* default 50 */
- IPCSEMNSEMS (32767) /* default 25 */
- IPCSMEOPS (32767) /* default 25 */

Disable all tracing

Customize CTIBPXxx (SYS1.PARMLIB):

- Turn TRACEOPTS OFF
• OS/390 UNIX CTRACE options

**DFSMS 1.5 HFS setup**
Customize BPXPRMxx (SYS1.PARMLIB) or use the confighfs command.

• Set VIRTUAL and FIXED values.
  – Determine the values using the RMF - HFS Postprocessor report.
  – The default for FIXED is 0. Fix at least 10 MB. Max is 50% of real storage.

• Define an in-storage file system (TFS) for /tmp.

**Note:** A Web server/WebSphere production environment mostly reads data.
The deferred-write capability of DFSMS 1.5 is valuable for log files if they are needed.

13x reduction in read response time
4x reduction in read CPU time
36x reduction in write response time
7x reduction in write CPU time

**512 byte file, 9021-9X2, 3390**
DFSMS 1.5; result of confighfs query:

```
TRAUNER:/u/trauner: >confighfs -q
HFS Statistics  
( 03/16/00 2:33pm )
Virtual storage: 41984 (pages)  
                164 (MB)
Fixed storage: 2423 (pages)  
                9.4648438 (MB)
Lookup cache hit: 3580652
```

Source: Hierarchical File System Usage Guide, SG24-5482
http://www.redbooks.ibm.com/abstracts/sg245482.html
Lookup cache miss: __________ 52937
1st data page hit: ____________ 8608559
1st data page miss: ____________ 69826

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*RACF Setup*

Enable the RACF UNIXMAP class:

```
SETROPTS CLASSACT(UNIXMAP)
```

- UNIXMAP reduces the problem of "invalid" UIDs and GIDs.
- Check if all HFS files are owned by a valid UID and GID.
  - Valid means: having a RACF user ID assigned.
  - Command to find these files:
    ```
    find / -nouser -nogroup
    ```

Enable SAFFASTPATH:

```
RDEFINE FACILITY BPX.SAFFASTPATH UACC(NONE)
```

This limits RACF checking for HFS access.

Source: *OS/390 V2R8 UNIX System Services Planning, SC28-1890*

*SMF recording*

Limit SMF recording as much as possible.

- Turn off SMF type 92 recording (HFS access recording).

Customize BPXPRMxx (SYS1.PARMLIB).

**6.1.3 Workload Manager**

*Adjust the dispatching priorities*

Set up the appropriate policies for WLM goal mode.

Set up IEAIPSxx and IEAICSxx for compatibility mode.

Recommendations:

- Keep in mind what the "service" chain is:
  1) VTAM
2) TCP/IP
3) OMVS
4) Web server

6.1.4 VTAM and TCP/IP tuning

**Communication Storage Manager (CSM)**

Customize IVTPRMxx (SYS1.PARMLIB)

Typical values are:

- **FIXED**: `MAX(120M)`
- **ECSA**: `MAX(120M)`
- **POOL**: `(4K, ECSA, 200, 20, 100)`
- **POOL**: `(4K, DSPACE, 200, 20, 100)`
- **POOL**: `(16K, DSPACE, 50, 10, 50)`
- **POOL**: `(32K, ECSA, 20, 10, 20)`
- **POOL**: `(60K, DSPACE, 1, 1, 6)`
- **POOL**: `(180K, DSPACE, 1, 1, 2)`

Source: *CSM Guide*, SC31-8575

**TCP/IP tuning for WebSphere**

Customize TCPIP.PROFILE:

- Increase the Send Buffer Pool Size depending on the average data you send from your Web environment:

  ```
  TCPCONFIG RESTRICTLOWPORTS 
  TCPSENDBFRSIZE 65535 
  ```

- Disable the SNMP subagent:

  ```
  SACONFIG DISABLE 
  ```

- Increase the connection request queue (default 10):

  ```
  SOMAXCONN 1000 
  ```

Source: *IP Configuration Guide*, SC31-8513

6.1.5 Java tuning

**Java I/O tuning**

Most Java functions can only be tuned in the IBM WebSphere Application Server.

The only thing you can tune is to explicitly cache Java classes and executables.
Explicitly means: if you want to do special caching besides the DFSMS HFS caching.

Use the filecache command. The following definitions are part of the /etc/rc script:

```
/usr/sbin/filecache -p
/usr/sbin/filecache -a /usr/lpp/java18/J1.1/bin/*
/usr/sbin/filecache -a /usr/lpp/java18/J1.1/lib/classes.zip
/usr/sbin/filecache -a /usr/lpp/db2/db2610/lib/*
/usr/sbin/filecache -a /usr/lpp/db2/db2610/classes/*
```

You may also cache critical JAR files, application "bins," etc.

Java for S/390 source:

http://www.s390.ibm.com/java

6.1.6 IBM HTTP Server tuning

**General setup**

Configure httpd.conf:

```
DNS-Lookup off DNS resolution for the log
imbeds off Server Side Includes
# AccessLog /web/apple/logs/httpd-log Disable all logging
Welcome index.html Check the order of the welcome files
UseMetaFiles off Don't use meta files
UseACls never Don't use access control lists
SMF none Don't write SMF records
SNMP off Disable SNMP
ServerPriority -19-20 is highest
MaxActiveThreads 120 adjust the threads to your demands
```

Source: IBM HTTP Server Customization and Usage, SG24-5603.

http://www.redbooks.ibm.com/abstracts/sg245603.html

**Enable the Fast Response Cache (FRCA)**

Configure httpd.conf:

```
EnableFRCA on Enables FRCA
FRCACacheSize 25000 # of 4k blocks, ca 100MB
FRCACacheEntries 1000 Max amount of files in cache
FRCAMaxFileSize 200k Max File Size to be cached
FRCAStrackName TCPIP Name of TCP/IP stack; Match BPXPRMxx
FRCAVirtualHost auto Serve multiple IP adresses
```

FRCA caches only static, unprotected resources.

For protected resources, use CacheLocalFile.
Display an FRCA cache example:

```
D TCPIP,TCPIPOE,NET,CACH
EZ25001 NETSTAT CS V2R8 TCPIPOE 673
CLIENT: WEB3C LISTENING SOCKET: 0.0.0.0..7103
MAXCACHESIZE: 0000025000 CURRCACHESIZE: 0000000035
MAXNUMOBJECTS: 0000001000 CURRNUMOBJECTS: 0000000017
NUMCONNS: 0000000011 CONNSPROCESSED: 0000000000
CONNSDEFERRED: 0000000011 CONNSTIMEDOUT: 0000000000
REQUESTSPROCESSED: 0000000000 INCOMPLETEREQUESTS: 0000000000
NUMCACHEHITS: 0000000000 NUMCACHEMISSES: 0000000011
NUMUNPRODCACHEHITS: 0000000000

CLIENT: WEBHELEN LISTENING SOCKET: 0.0.0.0..8890
MAXCACHESIZE: 0000025000 CURRCACHESIZE: 0000000131
MAXNUMOBJECTS: 0000001000 CURRNUMOBJECTS: 0000000051
NUMCONNS: 0000000086 CONNSPROCESSED: 0000000035
CONNSDEFERRED: 0000000051 CONNSTIMEDOUT: 0000000000
REQUESTSPROCESSED: 0000000091 INCOMPLETEREQUESTS: 0000000000
NUMCACHEHITS: 0000000091 NUMCACHEMISSES: 0000000044
NUMUNPRODCACHEHITS: 0000000000
```

2 OF 2 RECORDS DISPLAYED

**TCP/IP parameters**

Configure httpd.conf:

- **ListenBacklog 250**
- **InputTimeout 20 secs**
- **OutputTimeout 90 secs**
- **ScriptTimeout 30 secs**
- **PersistTimeout 2 secs**
- **MaxPersistRequests 2**

**Streamline the configuration**

Remove all definitions that are not needed for your Web application:

- Disable all Proxy items; configure httpd.conf:
  ```
  # =====================================================
  # *** OS/390 Web Traffic Express Support directives ***
  # ==============================================================
  # ServerInit /usr/lpp/internet/bin/Jav_dll.so:Javelin_init
  # Service /cgi-bin/dogc.icapi /usr/lpp/internet/bin/Jav_dll.so:doGC
  # PreExit /usr/lpp/internet/bin/Jav_dll.so:Javelin_preFilter
  # Enable ICSERRORLOG /usr/lpp/internet/bin/Jav_dll.so:Javelin_errorLog
  # Pass /reports/javelin/* /usr/lpp/....
  ```

- Disable service functions; configure httpd.conf:
# service /cgi-bin/htimage* INTERNAL:HTImage*
# service /cgi-bin/imagemap* INTERNAL:HTImage*
# service /Usage* INTERNAL:UsageFn
# service /admin-bin/trace* INTERNAL:TraceFn

- Disable the Web admin and reporting; configure httpd.conf:

  # Pass /icons/* /usr/lpp/internet/server_ro...
  # Pass /Admin/*.jpg /usr/lpp/internet/server_ro...
  # Pass /Admin/*.gif /usr/lpp/internet/server_ro...
  # Pass /Admin/*.html /usr/lpp/internet/server_ro...
  # Pass /Docs/* /usr/lpp/internet/server_ro...
  # Pass /reports/java/* /usr/lpp/internet/server_ro...
  # Pass /reports/* /web3/itso3c/reports/*
  # Pass /img-bin/* /usr/lpp/internet/server_ro...

- Disable the Web admin and reporting protection; configure httpd.conf:

  # Protection IMW_Admin {
  #   ServerID IMWEBSRV_Administration
  #   AuthType Basic
  #   PasswdFile %%SAF%%
  #   ACLOverride Off
  #   Mask WEBADM,webadm
  # }

  # Protect /admin-bin/* IMW_Admin WEBADM
  # Protect /reports/* IMW_Admin WEBADM
  # Protect /Usage* IMW_Admin WEBADM

Check statement order
- If you have protected resources, put the PASS and EXEC statements for the unprotected resources before the PROTECT statement.
- Put the PASS and EXEC statements for the protected resources after the PROTECT statement.
- Caution: PASS /* must always be last!

Environment variables
Optimize the path library concatenation; configure httpd.envvars:
- PATH
  1) /usr/lpp/internet/bin
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2) /usr/lpp/internet/sbin
3) /usr/lpp/java/J1.1/bin
4) /usr/sbin
5) /bin
6) /usr/lpp/ldap/bin (if needed, check /bin for symlinks)

- **NLSPATH**
  1) /usr/lpp/internet/%L/%N
  2) /usr/lib/nls/msg/%L/%N
  3) /usr/lpp/ldap/lib/nls/msg/%L/%N (if needed, check /usr/lib/nls/msg for symlinks)

- **LIBPATH**
  - Define the libraries used by the Web server only. All WAS directories should be defined in was.conf.
    1) /usr/lpp/internet/bin
    2) /usr/lpp/internet/sbin
    3) /usr/lpp/java/J1.1/mvs/native_threads
    4) /usr/lpp/ldap/lib

- **CLASSPATH**
  - Define the libraries used by the Web server only. All WAS directories should be defined in was.conf.
    1) /web/apple/mycgi
    2) /usr/lpp/java/J1.1/lib/classes.zip

- **Other environment variables:**
  - `GSK_SSL_HW_DETECT_MESSAGE=1` To indicate if the HW crypto feature is used
  - `_EDC_IP_CACHE_ENTRIES=50` Web server DNS resolution cache

**Related discussions**

Make sure the Web server is not started using a trace option (i.e., -vv).

Optimize your Web page design:

- Avoid excessive use of "dummy" GIFs to place the content.
- If you need to use SSL, try to avoid graphics in the SSL page.
  - Use Frames to separate encrypted from non-encrypted content.

Store Web pages in ASCII.

Use dedicated Application Web servers:
Use a Portal server and Application servers such as an SSL server, WAS server DB2, WAS server IMS, etc.

Use Redirect or "hidden" Proxy to connect these servers.

Each Web server can be tuned separately.

WLM characteristics for each Web server can be different.

6.1.7 WAS tuning

Main WAS configuration file:
...server_model_root.../properties/was.conf

Notes to was.conf:

- It is only a "front-end" file.
- It is not used for the server operation.
- Configuration changes done in was.conf require a utility program (updateproperties) to be "activated."
- Updateproperties analyzes was.conf, does some checking, and spreads the configuration parameters into several properties files (see next page).
- Check .../logs/updateproperties.log for details.

Updateproperties changes the following properties files:

- In ...server_model_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice:
  - jvm.properties
  - session.properties
  - connmgr.properties
  - systemDefaults.properties
  - servlets.properties
  - httpd.properties
  - rules.properties
- In ...server_model_root/properties/server/servlet:
  - debug.properties

WAS configuration FAQ:
- Do I need to use WAS.CONF or can I update these properties files manually?
Answer:

- You can update the properties files manually.
- For some configuration changes, you need to update them.

Caution:

- Never update properties in the properties files that are updated by updateproperties, or, in other words, that are defined in was.conf.
- Next time you run updateproperties, your updates are lost.

Configure was.conf:

- Enable functions (true) only if needed
  
  java.compiler=jitc Enable the JITC (default)
  session.enable=false Just enable the session tracker if needed
  log.error.level=1 Log major problems. That should not occur too often. If so, then you have serious problems that should be fixed rather than turning off this log completely.
  log.event.level=0 Turn off the event log.
  servlets.startup=invoker HelloWorldServlet. You may specify your servlets here. Then they will be loaded at server startup time. If not specified, they will be loaded the first time they are used. Server startup time is faster if no servlets are specified.
  servlets.reload=false Don’t enable automatic servlet reloading. Stop/Start the Web server to do so
  ncf.native.logison=false Native DLL logging. Disable the log. This log is very valuable to develop servlets and to set up the server. Once done and working, there should be no need to enable this log.
  ncf.jvm.stdoutlog.enabled=false Java standard outlogging. Same condition as native log. Depends on the amount of messages your servlets produce.
  trace.enable=false WAS internal Java tracing.

Configure server.properties:
server.security=false  Servlet security manager. Depends on the security requirements.

Configure httpd.properties:

enable.acls=false  Don't use Access Control Lists.

Configure jvm.properties:

ncf.jvm.mx=67108864  Java maximum heap size (default). Don't limit the heap size here. The heap size is limited by LE parameters linked with the Web server module.

**CLASSPATH discussion**
The more applications and subsystems you add to WAS, the longer the classpath will be.

Use dedicated function Web servers to reduce the length.

Put the application directories first.

Put the Java classes.zip file last.

Put subsystem jar and zip files after the WAS-provided files (jst.jar etc.). Order: most frequently used first.

If you define ncf.use.system.classpath=true in was.conf, then the CLASSPATH defined in httpd.envvars will be concatenated to ncf.jvm.classpath.

**CLASSPATH verification**
The native.log.mmmddyyyy file displays the "effective" CLASSPATH after the resolution.

Opened log file /was3/itso3z/AppServer/logs/native.log.Apr102000. Try to create a rule base out of /was3/itso3z/AppServer/properties/se Rule base was created

... PATH=/usr/lpp/java18p/J1.1/bin:/bin:/usr/sbin:/usr/lpp/internet/bin LIBPATH=/usr/lpp/java18p/J1.1/lib:/was3/itso3z/AppServer/lib:/usr/lib Attempting to load Java library: libjava.a Loaded libjava.a and function pointers successfully.
ncf.jvm.classpath = /web3/itso3z/servlets:/was3/itso3z/AppServer/serv
Opened java VM, classpath = /web3/itso3z/servlets:/was3/itso3z/AppSer
createJVM: About create thread for JVM...
createJVM: pthread_create...errno = 0
createJVM: Sleeping...Zzzzz
After JNI_GetDefaultJavaVMInitArgs /web3/itso3z/servlets:/was3/itso3z
launchCreateJVM: About to loop forever...
createJVM: Out of loop - jvm_ready=1
createJVM: JVM creation was successful!
Run: Successfully created JVM!
Started java VM.
Initialization is done.

**LIBPATH discussion**
The more applications and subsystems you add to WAS, the longer the
LIBPATH might become.

Use dedicated Application Web servers to reduce the length.

Be aware that the LIBPATH of httpd.envvars is concatenated to
cmp.jvm.libpath. Every library defined in the httpd.envvars is valid for the
whole Web server environment and can be omitted in ncf.jvm.libpath.

## 6.1.8 Language Environment (LE)

**Runtime options for WAS**
Recommended WAS runtime options:

- HEAPP(ON)
- ALL31(ON)
- ANYHEAP(,,KEEP)
- POS(ON)
- STACK(200k,16k,ANY,FREE)
- STOR(,,0K)
- LIBS(1k,1k,FREE)
- BE(400k,50k,FREE)
- RPTOPTS(ON)

Relink the Web server module with the appropriate LE parameters.

The procedure is described in *IBM HTTP Server Customization and Usage*,
SG24-5603.


**Conclusion**
Overcome JCL parameter limitations.

Load modules with different LE parameters for different needs are possible:
**Display the LE options**

Use `RPTOPTS(ON)` to display all the effective LE options.

**RPTOPTS sample:**

Options Report for Enclave main 04/03/00 4:36:20 PM
Language Environment V2 R8.0

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<td>Programmer default</td>
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</table>
Display the Storage options

Use RPTSTG(ON) to find out about the storage used in certain areas (heappools etc.). Use the output to adjust the LE storage settings.

Use RPTSTG(ON) only for short-term measurements, then turn it off again. RPTSTG(ON) degrades performance.

RPTSTG sample:

Storage Report for Enclave main 04/03/00 4:36:20 PM
Language Environment V2 R8.0

STACK statistics:
  Initial size: 204800
  Increment size: 16384
  Maximum used by all concurrent threads: 259876
  Largest used by any thread: 45704
  Number of segments allocated: 58
  Number of segments freed: 0

NONIPTSTACK statistics:
  Initial size: 0
  Increment size: 0
Maximum used by all concurrent threads: 0
Largest used by any thread: 0
Number of segments allocated: 0
Number of segments freed: 0
LIBSTACK statistics:
  Initial size: 1024
  Increment size: 1024
  Maximum used by all concurrent threads: 37536
  Largest used by any thread: 816
  Number of segments allocated: 1
  Number of segments freed: 0
THREADHEAP statistics:
  Initial size: 4096
  Increment size: 4096
  Maximum used by all concurrent threads: 0
  Largest used by any thread: 0
  Successful Get Heap requests: 0
  Successful Free Heap requests: 0
  Number of segments allocated: 0
  Number of segments freed: 0
HEAP statistics:
  Initial size: 4194304
  Increment size: 1048576
  Total heap storage used (sugg. initial size): 84067032
  Successful Get Heap requests: 68473
  Successful Free Heap requests: 67660
  Number of segments allocated: 12
  Number of segments freed: 0
ANYHEAP statistics:
  Initial size: 4194304
  Increment size: 1048576
  Total heap storage used (sugg. initial size): 13156200
  Successful Get Heap requests: 1672
  Successful Free Heap requests: 719
  Number of segments allocated: 12
  Number of segments freed: 1
BELOWHEAP statistics:
  Initial size: 409600
  Increment size: 51200
  Total heap storage used (sugg. initial size): 560456
  Successful Get Heap requests: 63
  Successful Free Heap requests: 56
  Number of segments allocated: 5
  Number of segments freed: 1
Additional Heap statistics:
  Successful Create Heap requests: 0
  Successful Discard Heap requests: 0
Total heap storage used: 0
Successful Get Heap requests: 0
Successful Free Heap requests: 0
Number of segments allocated: 0
Number of segments freed: 0

HeapPools Statistics:
Pool 1 size: 16
Successful Get Heap requests: 1- 8 13147
Successful Get Heap requests: 9- 16 26149
Pool 2 size: 48
Successful Get Heap requests: 17- 24 23903
Successful Get Heap requests: 25- 32 16618
Successful Get Heap requests: 33- 40 8912
Successful Get Heap requests: 41- 48 7307
Pool 3 size: 232
Successful Get Heap requests: 49- 56 3955
Successful Get Heap requests: 57- 64 2284
Successful Get Heap requests: 65- 72 1644
Successful Get Heap requests: 73- 80 1661
Successful Get Heap requests: 81- 88 951
Successful Get Heap requests: 89- 96 807
Successful Get Heap requests: 97- 104 5628
Successful Get Heap requests: 105- 112 5879
Successful Get Heap requests: 113- 120 7960
Successful Get Heap requests: 121- 128 6932
Successful Get Heap requests: 129- 136 5104
Successful Get Heap requests: 137- 144 4585
Successful Get Heap requests: 145- 152 699
Successful Get Heap requests: 153- 160 469
Successful Get Heap requests: 161- 168 808

....
Successful Get Heap requests: 1977-1984 2
Successful Get Heap requests: 1985-1992 3
Successful Get Heap requests: 1993-2000 15

Requests greater than the largest cell size: 7480

HeapPools Summary:

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</table>

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Suggested Percentages for current Cell Sizes:
HEAPP(ON,16,6,48,13,232,14,616,15,1040,9,2000,10)
Suggested Cell Sizes:
HEAPP(ON,32,,64,,152,,400,,1040,,2048,)

Largest number of threads concurrently active: 58
End of Storage Report

6.1.9 More tuning information

OS/390 e-business performance page:

Domino Go Webserver for OS/390: Capacity Planning:

Tuning your Web server for better performance:

Language Environment performance considerations:

WebSphere Troubleshooter

Tune-up and perform:

Porting (link to the Porting Guide):

Java performance
Appendix A. Sample JCL and source code

This appendix contains the sample JCL and source code that we used to run the samples in Chapter 4, “How to run the samples” on page 31.

Also refer to the following FTP site for the source files:


Note

Consult your database administrator (DBA) before running these jobs.

To run the jobs you need to have the relevant DB2 authority. In our installation, we used the job shown in Figure 23 to execute the SQL statements:

//<JOBCARD> JOB ............................
//STEP1 EXEC PGM=IKJEFT01
//SYSPRINT DD SYSOUT=* 
//SYSTSIN DD *
DSN SYSTEM(DBS3)
RUN PROGRAM(DSNTIAD) PLAN(DSNTIA2T) -
LIBRARY('DB2V61S3.RUNLIB.LOAD')
END
//SYSIN DD DSN=USER.JCL.CNTL(sql_input_deck),DISP=SHR
//

Figure 23. Sample JCL to execute SQL statements

Note:

- Customize the SQL statements to reflect your DB2 environment. All names and user IDs in the SQL source that could be changed are highlighted in italics.
- It is important that the GRANT statements are executed.
A.1 User profile

The userprofile database is required by the user profile class to maintain persistent information about your Web site visitors and to use that information to customize your Web pages. Create the userprofile table using the sample SQL statements in Figure 24.

```
CREATE STOGROUP WEBASTOR VOLUMES (OP1DB2) VCAT DB2V510U;

CREATE DATABASE WEBASDB STOGROUP WEBASTOR BUFFERPOOL BP32K;

CREATE TABLESPACE USRPRFDS IN WEBASDB
  USING STOGROUP WEBASTOR
  PRIQTY 20 SECQTY 20 ERASE NO BUFFERPOOL BP0 CLOSE NO;
COMMIT;

CREATE TABLE USERPROFILE (
  USERNAME VARCHAR(20) NOT NULL,
  LANGUAGE VARCHAR(20),
  ADDRESS1 VARCHAR(20),
  ADDRESS2 VARCHAR(20),
  TOWN VARCHAR(20),
  STATE VARCHAR(20),
  COUNTRY VARCHAR(10),
  ZIPCODE VARCHAR(10),
  EMPLOYER VARCHAR(20),
  EMAIL VARCHAR(40),
  DAYPHONE VARCHAR(20),
  NIGHTPHONE VARCHAR(20),
  FAX VARCHAR(20),
  FIRSTNAME VARCHAR(20),
  MIDNAME VARCHAR(20),
  LASTNAME VARCHAR(20),
  GROUPS VARCHAR(26),
  PRIMARY KEY (USERNAME)
) IN WEBASDB.USRPRFDS;
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX XC_USERPROFILE
  ON USERPROFILE (USERNAME)
  CLOSE NO;
COMMIT;

GRANT ALL ON TABLE OWNER.USERPROFILE TO PUBLIC;
COMMIT;
```

*Figure 24. SQL statements to create the userprofile database*
CREATE TABLESPACE WOMDB IN WEBASDB
   USING STOGROUP WEBASTOR
   PRI QTY 20 SEC QTY 20 ERASE NO BUFFERPOOL BP0 CLOSE NO;
COMMIT;

CREATE TABLE BANKACCOUNT
   (USERNAME VARCHAR(32) NOT NULL,
    NUMBER VARCHAR(32) NOT NULL,
    TYPE VARCHAR(32),
    BALANCE DECIMAL(15,2),
   PRIMARY KEY (NUMBER))
   IN WEBASDB.WOMDB;
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX XC_BANKACCOUNT
   ON BANKACCOUNT (NUMBER)
   CLOSE NO;
COMMIT;

CREATE TABLE PASSWD
   (USERNAME VARCHAR(32) NOT NULL,
    PASSWORD VARCHAR(32) NOT NULL,
   PRIMARY KEY (USERNAME))
   IN WEBASDB.WOMDB;
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX XC_PASSWD
   ON PASSWD (USERNAME)
   CLOSE NO;
COMMIT;

CREATE TABLE ALOGRECORD
   (USERNAME VARCHAR(32) NOT NULL,
    NUMBER VARCHAR(32) NOT NULL,
    PROCTIME VARCHAR(64),
    LONGDATE FLOAT,
    TRANS VARCHAR(50))
   IN WEBASDB.WOMDB;
COMMIT;
GRANT ALL ON TABLE OWNER.BANKACCOUNT TO PUBLIC;
GRANT ALL ON TABLE OWNER.PASSWD TO PUBLIC;
GRANT ALL ON TABLE OWNER.ALOGRECORD TO PUBLIC;
COMMIT;

Figure 25. SQL statements to create the WOMBank database
CREATE TABLESPACE TCDB IN WEBASDB
  USING STOGROUP WEBASTOR
  PRTQTY 20 SBCQTY 20 ERASE NO BUFFERPOOL BP0 CLOSE NO;
COMMIT;

CREATE TABLE TCEVENT (  
  EVNUM INTEGER NOT NULL,
  EVNAME CHAR(254),
  EVTHMB CHAR(254),

  PRIMARY KEY (EVNUM)
) IN WEBASDB.TCDB;
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX XC_TCEVENT
  ON TCEVENT (EVNUM)
  CLOSE NO;
COMMIT;

CREATE TABLE TCPRICE (  
  PRNUM INTEGER NOT NULL,
  PRLEVEL CHAR(1),
  PRPRC NUMERIC(15,2) NOT NULL,
  PRSCODE CHAR(7),
  PRSNUM INTEGER NOT NULL,
  PRSIXAV INTEGER NOT NULL,
  PRPID CHAR(12),

  PRIMARY KEY (PRNUM)
) IN WEBASDB.TCDB;
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX XC_TCPRICE
  ON TCPRICE (PRNUM)
  CLOSE NO;
COMMIT;

CREATE TABLE TCVENUE (  
  VECODE VARCHAR(10) NOT NULL,
  VEMILES CHAR(20),
  VEDESC CHAR(254),
  VELOCAT CHAR(254),

  PRIMARY KEY (VECODE)
) IN WEBASDB.TCDB;
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX XC_TCVENUE
  ON TCVENUE (VECODE)
  CLOSE NO;
COMMIT;

Figure 26. SQL statements to create the TicketCentral database (part 1 of 3)
CREATE TABLE TCSESSION (  
  SENUM INTEGER NOT NULL,  
  SEDESC VARCHAR(1024),  
  SESTIME TIME NOT NULL,  
  SEFTIME TIME,  
  SEDATE DATE NOT NULL,  
  SEEVNUM INTEGER NOT NULL,  
  SEVECOD CHAR(10),  
  SETIXAV INTEGER NOT NULL,  
  PRIMARY KEY (SENUM)  
) IN WEBASDB.TCDB;
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX XC_TCSESSION
  ON TCSESSION (SENUM)
  CLOSE NO;
COMMIT;

CREATE TABLE CUSTOMER (  
  CUUSERNAME VARCHAR(20) NOT NULL PRIMARY KEY,  
  CUTITLE VARCHAR(5),  
  CUPASSWD VARCHAR(20) NOT NULL,  
  CUACC INTEGER,  
  CUADDRCHG INTEGER,  
  CUNEW CHAR(1) NOT NULL  
) IN WEBASDB.TCDB;
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX XC_CUSTOMER
  ON CUSTOMER (CUUSERNAME)
  CLOSE NO;
COMMIT;

CREATE TABLE ORDER (  
  ORUSERNAME VARCHAR(20) NOT NULL,  
  ORSTAMP INTEGER NOT NULL,  
  ORSTAT CHAR(1) NOT NULL,  
  ORITEMNUM INTEGER NOT NULL,  
  ORQUANTITY INTEGER NOT NULL,  
  ORCONFIRMATIONNO INTEGER,  
  PRIMARY KEY(ORUSERNAME, ORITEMNUM, ORSTAT, ORSTAMP)  
) IN WEBASDB.TCDB;
CREATE UNIQUE INDEX XC_ORDER
  ON ORDER (ORUSERNAME, ORITEMNUM, ORSTAT, ORSTAMP)
  CLOSE NO;
COMMIT;

Figure 27. SQL statements to create the TicketCentral database (part 2 of 3)
CREATE TABLE CCARD (  
  CCUSERNAME VARCHAR(20) NOT NULL,  
  CCTYPE VARCHAR(10) NOT NULL,  
  CCNUM VARCHAR(20) NOT NULL,  
  CCEXPM INTEGER NOT NULL,  
  CCEXPY INTEGER NOT NULL  
) IN WEBASDB.TCDB;  
COMMIT;

GRANT ALL ON TABLE OWNER.TCEVENT TO PUBLIC;  
GRANT ALL ON TABLE OWNER.TCSESSION TO PUBLIC;  
GRANT ALL ON TABLE OWNER.TCPRICE TO PUBLIC;  
GRANT ALL ON TABLE OWNER.TCVENUE TO PUBLIC;  
GRANT ALL ON TABLE OWNER.CUSTOMER TO PUBLIC;  
GRANT ALL ON TABLE OWNER.CCARD TO PUBLIC;  
GRANT ALL ON TABLE OWNER.ORDER TO PUBLIC;  
COMMIT;

Figure 28. SQL statements to create the TicketCentral database (part 3 of 3)
Appendix B. Fixing the WAS 1.1-provided samples

In this chapter we describe the steps you need to perform in order to fix the samples provided with IBM WebSphere Application Server 1.1. The updated versions of the downloadable samples on the Internet already contain these changes.

B.1 Fixing the no-database samples

This section describes how to fix the samples that do not require a database. Samples that run without any changes in source or environment are not mentioned in this chapter.

B.1.1 XtremeTravel

We found that the ibmwebas.jar file in the /applicationserver_root/lib directory did not contain the correct com.ibm.servlet.servlets.personalization.util package, hence the SendMessage class could not be found together with these other classes: CheckMessage, GetMessage, GetVariableText and SetVariableText.

Solution: We needed to create “hard links” for the missing classes in the directory
/applicationserver_root/servlets/com/ibm/servlet/servlets/personalization/util to the modules in the directory
/applicationserver_root/servlets/com/ibm/servlet/servlets/personalization/util/IBM, as follows:

- CheckMessage.class EJSCCKMS
- EmptyEnumeration.class EJSCEE
- GetVariableText.class EJSCGVT
- SendMessage.class EJSCSM
- SetVariableText.class EJSCSVT
- VariableText.class EJSCVT

B.2 Fixing the database samples
To fix the sample, complete the following steps:

**Step 1.** Edit the JDBCServlet.java source file.

Copy the JDBCServlet.java source from the /applicationserver_root/samples/JDBCServlet directory to your directory, for example /u/user_name.

Find and change the following lines in the source code. The bold text highlights what we changed. The bold italic text is for information only.

```java
static String DbName = null;
static String DbOwner = null;
//static String Db = "db2"; ---> comment out
static String Db = "db2os390"; --> replace with this line
//static String JDBC_DRIVER = "COM.ibm.db2.jdbc.app.DB2Driver"; --> comment out
static String JDBC_DRIVER = "ibm.sql.DB2Driver"; --------- replace with this line
static final String CONFIG_BUNDLE_NAME = "login";
```

We recommend that you put these samples in the /applicationserver_root/servlets directory, because they are part of the IBM delivery. You should put your own servlets into a directory defined by the servlets.classpath definition and not into the WebAS installation directories.

This ensures that the original source files stay intact for future reference.
Step 2. Compile the new JDBCServlet.java source file.

Go to the OMVS shell and compile the changed source code using the following command:

javac JDBCServlet.java

The compile generates two class files: JDBCServlet.class and ConInfo.class. Copy these files to the applicationserver_root/servlets directory using the following commands (back up the original files before copying):

cp JDBCServlet.class /applicationserver_root/servlets
cp ConInfo.class /applicationserver_root/servlets

Step 3. Change the JDBCServletForm.html file.

Back up the JDBCServletForm.html file in the /applicationserver_root/samples/JDBCServlet/ directory. Edit the file and issue the following ISPF edit commands to change the respective text words:

change ‘employee’ ‘emp’ all
change ‘department’ ‘dept’ all
change ‘project’ ‘proj’ all
change ‘emp_act’ ‘empprojact’ all

B.2.2 IBMConnMgrTest

To fix the sample, complete the following steps:

Step 1. Edit the IBMConnMgrTest.java source file.

Copy the IBMConnMgrTest.java file from the /applicationserver_root/samples/database directory to your directory, for example /u/user_name.

Find and change the following lines in the source code. The bold text highlights what we changed. The bold italic text is for information only.

```java
static String DbName = null; // database name
//static String Db = "db2"; //JDBC subprotocol for DB2 ---> comment out
static String Db = "db2os390"; ---> replace with this line
static String poolName = "JdbcDb2"; // from Webmaster
//static String jdbcDriver = "COM.ibm.db2.jdbc.app.DB2Driver";
static String jdbcDriver = "ibm.sql.DB2Driver"; ---> replace with this line
static String url = null; // constructed later
```

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Edit the source code and issue the following ISPF edit commands to replace the respective text words:

change 'employee' 'emp' all

**Step 2.** Compile the new IBMConnMgrTest.java source file.

Go to the OMVS shell and compile the changed source code using the following command:

```
javac IBMConnMgrTest.java
```

The compile generates the IBMConnMgrTest.class class file. Copy this file to the `applicationserver_root/servlets` directory using the following command (back up the original file before copying):

```
cp IBMConnMgrTest.class /applicationserver_root/servlets
```

### B.2.3 IBMDataAccessTest

To fix the sample, complete the following steps:

**Step 1.** Update your personal profile file to include the EnterpriseAccessBeans for DB2 of VisualAge for JAVA V2.

Edit the `/u/user_name/.profile` file. Add the following class library to the classpath in order to be able to compile the SQLJ sample:

```
/your_path/ivjdab.jar
```

Activate the changes.

**Step 2.** Edit the IBMDataAccessTest.java source file.

Copy the IBMDataAccessTest.java file from the `/applicationserver_root/samples/database` directory to your directory, for example: `/u/user_name`.

Find and change the following lines in the source code. The bold text highlights what we changed. The bold italic text is for information only.

```
\[
\begin{array}{l}
\text{static String DbName = null; // database name} \\
\quad \text{//static String Db = "db2"; //JDBC subprotocol for DB2 --- comment out} \\
\quad \text{static String Db = "db2os390"; --- replace with this line} \\
\quad \text{//static String poolName = "JdbcDb2"; // from Webmaster} \\
\quad \text{//static String jdbcDriver = "COM.ibm.db2.jdbc.app.DB2Driver"; --- comment out} \\
\quad \text{static String jdbcDriver = "ibm.sql.DB2Driver"; --- replace with this line} \\
\quad \text{static String url = null; // constructed later}
\end{array}
\]
```
Change the SQL query as follows. It needs to be changed to be adapted to the sample database that is delivered with DB2/390.

```
// Query string, with :idParm and :deptParm parameters.
String sqlQuery = "SELECT EMPNO, LASTNAME, WORKDEPT, COMM " +
    "FROM " + owner + ".EMP " +
    "WHERE EMPNO >= ? " +
    "AND WORKDEPT = ? " +
    "ORDER BY EMPNO ASC";
```

The metadata statements need to be changed as well, due to different datatypes and names in the sample database for DB2/390.

```
metaData.addParameter("idParm", String.class, Types.CHAR);
metaData.addParameter("deptParm", String.class, Types.CHAR);
metaData.addColumn("EMPNO", String.class, Types.CHAR);
metaData.addColumn("LASTNAME", String.class, Types.VARCHAR);
metaData.addColumn("WORKDEPT", String.class, Types.CHAR);
metaData.addColumn("COMM", BigDecimal.class, Types.DECIMAL);
metaData.addTable(owner + ".EMP");
```

The conditions for the SELECT clause in the sample need to be changed as well.

```
String wantThisDept = "E21";
String wantThisId = "000100";
selectStatement.setParameter("deptParm", wantThisDept);
selectStatement.setParameter("idParm", wantThisId);
```
Finally the HTML output needs to be adapted to names and datatypes.

```java
out.println("<TD>" + (String)result.getColumnValue("EMPNO") + "</TD>";
out.println("<TD>" + (String)result.getColumnValue("LASTNAME") + "</TD>";
out.println("<TD>" + (String)result.getColumnValue("WORKDEPT") + "</TD>";
out.println("<TD>" + (BigDecimal)result.getColumnValue("COMM") + "</TD>";
out.println("</TR>");
result.previousRow();
```

**Step 3.** Compile the new IBMDataAccessTest.java source file.

Go to the OMVS shell and compile the changed source code using the following command:

```bash
javac IBMDataAccessTest.java
```

The compile generates the IBMConnMgrTest.class class file. Copy this file to the `applicationserver_root/servlets` directory using the following command (back up the original file before copying):

```bash
cp IBMDataAccessTest.class /applicationserver_root/servlets
```

**B.2.4 WOMBank**

To fix the sample, complete the following steps:

**Step 1.** Edit the bankserv.java source file.

Copy the bankserv.java file from the `applicationserver_root/samples/WomBank/` directory to your user directory, for example: `/u/user_name/wm`.

Find and change the following lines in the source code. The bold text highlights the changes. The bold italic text is for information only.
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Note: For the LOCATION name in DB2 DDF, refer to Figure 14 on page 35.

```java
int cnt = 0;
stmt = info.con.createStatement();
//String query = "Select number, proctime, trans from " + DbOwner + ".alogrecord where username = '" + uname + '" order by longdate desc";
String query = "Select number, proctime, trans, longdate from " + DbOwner + ".alogrecord where username = '" + uname + '" order by longdate desc";
System.out.println("Executing Query: " + query);
rs = stmt.executeQuery (query);
while (rs.next() && cnt < MAXLOGRECS)
```

Note: 1 This line appears on one line in the actual file; it is split for redbook printing purposes.

- Find all occurrences (there are two) of getOutputStream() and replace them with:

```java
//ServletOutputStream out = res.getOutputStream();
res.setContentType("text/html");
res.setHeader("Pragma","No-cache");
res.setDateHeader("Expires",0);
res.setHeader("Cache-control","no-cache");
//PrintWriter printWriter = new PrintWriter(out);
PrintWriter printWriter = res.getWriter();
```

```java
//ServletOutputStream out = info.res.getOutputStream();
info.res.setContentType("text/html");
info.res.setHeader("Pragma","No-cache");
info.res.setHeader("Cache-control","no-cache");
info.res.setDateHeader("Expires",0);
//PrintWriter printWriter = new PrintWriter(out);
PrintWriter printWriter = info.res.getWriter();
```
**Note:** If the getWriter/getOutputStream changes are not performed, the data will appear as EBCDIC on the browser.

**Step 2.** Compile the new bankserv.java source file.

Go to the OMVS shell and compile the changed source code using the following command:

```
javac bankserv.java
```

**Note:** Ignore the following warning message when you compile:

```
MINESHV:/u/mineshv/wm: >javac bankserv.java
Note: bankserv.java uses a deprecated API. Recompile with "-deprecation" for details. 1 warning
MINESHV:/u/mineshv/wm: >
```

The compile generates the Bankinfo.class and bankserv.class files. Copy these files to the `applicationserver_root/servlets` directory using the following commands:

```
cp bankserv.class /applicationserver_root/servlets
cp Bankinfo.class /applicationserver_root/servlets
```

**B.2.5 TicketCentral**

To fix the sample, complete the following steps:

**Step 1.** Copy the source files.

Copy all the Java source files from the `/applicationserver_root/samples/TicketCentral/` directory to your work directory, for example: `/u/user_name/tc`. Go to the OMVS shell and issue the following commands:

```
cd /applicationserver_root/samples/TicketCentral/
cp * .java /u/mineshv/tc
```

**Step 2.** Edit the Java source files in `/u/user_name/tc`.

The bold text highlights the changes. The bold italic text is for information only.

```
Accept.java:

```java

// register the driver with DriverManager
//Class.forName("COM.ibm.db2.jdbc.app.DB2Driver"); ----> comment out
Class.forName("ibm.sql.DB2Driver");            ----> replace with this line

// Render the Register/Signon page
////------------------------------------------------------------------------------
//ServletOutputStream out = res.getOutputStream(); --> comment out
//PrintWriter printWriter = new PrintWriter(out); --> comment out
//PrintWriter printWriter = res.getWriter();     ----> replace with this line

```

ConnectionManager.java:

```java

static String DBUSERID = "null";
static String DBPASSWD = "null";
//static String DBUSER = "db2";            ----> comment out
static String DBUSER = "db2os390";          ----> replace with this line
static String DBOWNER = "null";
//static String DB_NAME = "tcdb";          ----> comment out
static String DB_NAME = "DBS3";           ----> replace with LOCATION name in DDF

```

**Note:** For the LOCATION name in DB2 DDF, refer to Figure 14 on page 35.

Delivery.java:

```java

// register the driver with DriverManager
//Class.forName("COM.ibm.db2.jdbc.app.DB2Driver"); ----> comment out
Class.forName("ibm.sql.DB2Driver");            ----> replace with this line

// Render the Register/Signon page
////------------------------------------------------------------------------------
//ServletOutputStream out = res.getOutputStream(); --> comment out
//PrintWriter printWriter = new PrintWriter(out); --> comment out
//PrintWriter printWriter = res.getWriter();     ----> replace with this line

```
Payment.java:

```java
// register the driver with DriverManager
//Class.forName("COM.ibm.db2.jdbc.app.DB2Driver");  ----> comment out
Class.forName("ibm.sql.DB2Driver");  ----> replace with this line

// Render the Register/Signon page
//-------------------------------------------------------------
//ServletOutputStream out = res.getOutputStream();  ---> comment out
//PrintWriter printWriter = new PrintWriter(out);  ---> comment out
PrintWriter printWriter = res.getWriter();  ----> replace with this line
```

PopulateTCData.java:

```java
// register the driver with DriverManager
//Class.forName("COM.ibm.db2.jdbc.app.DB2Driver");  ---> comment out
Class.forName("ibm.sql.DB2Driver");  ---> replace with this line

// register the driver with DriverManager
//Class.forName("COM.ibm.db2.jdbc.app.DB2Driver");  ----> comment out
Class.forName("ibm.sql.DB2Driver");  ----> replace with this line

// Render the Register/Signon page
//-------------------------------------------------------------------------
//ServletOutputStream out = res.getOutputStream();  ---> comment out
//PrintWriter printWriter = new PrintWriter(out);  ---> comment out
PrintWriter printWriter = res.getWriter();  ----> replace with this line
```

Reservation.java:

```java
// register the driver with DriverManager
//Class.forName("COM.ibm.db2.jdbc.app.DB2Driver");  ----> comment out
Class.forName("ibm.sql.DB2Driver");  ----> replace with this line

// Render the Register/Signon page
//-------------------------------------------------------------
//ServletOutputStream out = res.getOutputStream();  ---> comment out
//PrintWriter printWriter = new PrintWriter(out);  ---> comment out
PrintWriter printWriter = res.getWriter();  ----> replace with this line
```
SearchResult.java:

```java
// register the driver with DriverManager
//Class.forName("COM.ibm.db2.jdbc.app.DB2Driver");    ---> comment out
Class.forName("ibm.sql.DB2Driver");   ---> replace with this line

// Render the ticket search page.
//----------------------------------------------------------------------------------
//ServletOutputStream out = res.getOutputStream();   ---> comment out
//PrintWriter printWriter = new PrintWriter(out);   ---> comment out
PrintWriter printWriter = res.getWriter();   ---> replace with this line
```

ShopCart.java:

```java
// register the driver with DriverManager
//Class.forName("COM.ibm.db2.jdbc.app.DB2Driver");    ---> comment out
Class.forName("ibm.sql.DB2Driver");   ---> replace with this line

// Render the ShopCart/Delivery page
//----------------------------------------------------------------------------------
//ServletOutputStream out = res.getOutputStream();   ---> comment out
//PrintWriter printWriter = new PrintWriter(out);   ---> comment out
PrintWriter printWriter = res.getWriter();   ---> replace with this line
```
TicketSearch.java:

```java
// register the driver with DriverManager
//Class.forName("com.ibm.db2.jdbc.app.DB2Driver");  ----> comment out
Class.forName("ibm.sql.DB2Driver");  ----> replace with this line

// Render the Register/Signon or appropriate error page which set in the re
//--------------------------------------------------------------
ServletOutputStream out = res.getOutputStream();  ----> comment out
PrintWriter printWriter = new PrintWriter(out);  ----> comment out
PrintWriter printWriter = res.getWriter();  ----> replace with this line.

stmt = corin.createStatement();
//select = "select DISTINCT MONTH(sedate) as result"
// + " from " + dbOwner + ".tcsession, " + dbOwner + ".tcvenue"
// + " where setixav > 0 and vecode=sevecod and"
// + " MONTH(sedate) >=" + currentMonth  ----> comment out
// + " order by MONTH(sedate)";
select = "select DISTINCT MONTH(sedate) as result"
+ " from " + dbOwner + ".tcsession, " + dbOwner + ".tcvenue"
+ " where setixav > 0 and vecode=sevecod and"
+ " MONTH(sedate) >=" + currentMonth
+ " order by result";
rs = stmt.executeQuery(select);  ----> replace with these lines
```

**Note:** If the getWriter/getOutputStream changes are not performed, the data will appear as EBCDIC on the browser and will not be legible.

**Step 3.** Compile the new source files.

Go to the OMVS shell and compile the changed source codes using the following commands. Ignore the following warning message when you compile:

Note: xxxxxxxx.java uses a deprecated API. Recompile with 
"-deprecation" for details.

```
javac PopulateTCData.java
javac Reservation.java
javac Accept.java
javac Delivery.java
javac Payment.java
javac SearchResult.java
javac ShopCart.java
```

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The compiles generate *.class files. Copy these files to the applicationserver_root/servlets directory using the following commands (back up the original files before copying):

```
cp *.class /applicationserver_root/servlets
```
Appendix C. Excerpts from GC34-4757

In this appendix we reprint some chapters of WebSphere Application Server for OS/390 Application Server Planning, Installing, and Using Version 1.2, GC34-4757.

We do so because a lot of people indicated to us that they want to have a printed version of this book, which is now only available online.

This is a very rapidly evolving area, and changes to the product that need to be reflected in the documentation occur frequently.

We urge you to check the library Web site frequently, especially before starting a new project in the OS/390 WebSphere area:


The reprinted chapters include the updates of 03/17/2000.

C.1 Performing basic servlet administration tasks

This section was originally Chapter 3 in WebSphere Application Server for OS/390 Application Server Planning, Installing, and Using Version 1.2, GC34-4757.

C.1.1 Basic administration tasks requiring changes to the was.conf file

For each Application Server model you are using, you can update the associated was.conf file to:

- Add directories for servlets, JavaBeans and other supported files to the Application Server.
- Specify an abbreviated name for a servlet.
- Set up aliases.
- Associate a servlet with a MIME-type.
After updating an Application Server model was.conf file, you must always run the updateproperties program before any of your changes will go into effect. For instructions on running the updateproperties program, refer to Updating the Application Server model was.conf file.

**C.1.1.1 Adding servlets and JavaBeans and other supported files**

This section describes how to add servlets, JavaBeans and other supported files to the Application Server.

To add a servlet, JavaBean or other supported file to the Application Server you must

- Tell the Application Server where to find the servlet and supporting class files.
- Tell the Web server how the servlets will be invoked.
- Tell the Application Server how the servlets will be invoked.

To tell the Application Server where to find the servlet and supporting class files you must add the Java classpath information for the servlet and supporting class files to either the `ncf.jvm.classpath` or `servlets.reload.directories` properties or place the .servlet or .class files in the IBM provided server_model_root/servlets directory. The `ncf.jvm.classpath` or `servlets.reload.directories` properties are contained in the was.conf file which is located in the server_model_root/properties directory. (See Updating the Application Server model was.conf file for a description of how to update this file.)

When searching for a servlet, JavaBean, or other supported file, the Application Server:

1. First checks the Java classpath that is created from the list of directories, jar files, zip files, and ser files specified on the ncf.jvm.classpath property.
2. Next searches the directories listed on the `servlets.reload.directories` property in the was.conf file for the existence of .class files containing the servlet implementation.
3. Then, searches the server_model_root/servlets directory for the existence of .class files containing the servlet implementation.
Besides the Service directives described in Required Service directives, you must also add Service directives to the Web server httpd.conf file that indicate to the Web server how servlets will be invoked. This directive should have the following general format:

```
Service request-template
      applicationserver_root/lib/libadpter.so:AdapterService
```

`request-template` is the template value contained in a URL that indicates to the Web server that it is to call the Application Server to handle this request. (See your Web server documentation for more information about the Service directive.)

`applicationserver_root` is the fully qualified name of the mounted install-image of an individual execution system. The default value is `/usr/lpp/WebSphere/AppServer`.

One of the Service directives that is suggested looks like the following:

```
Service /servlet/* applicationserver_root/lib/libadpter.so:AdapterService
```

This directive tells the Web server to call the Application Server when a request contains a URL that matches the template `/servlet/*`. Similarly if you also want to invoke servlets using a URL that has the template `/myservlets/*`, add the following directive to the Web server httpd.conf file:

```
Service /myservlets/*
      applicationserver_root/lib/libadpter.so:AdapterService
```

Then when the Web server receives either of the following URLs, it will pass the URL to the Application Server for processing:

```
http://server-name/servlet/HelloWorld
http://server-name/myservlets/MyHelloWorld
```

In order for the Application Server to process the second request for a servlet when it is received from the Web server, you must also add the following line to the was.conf file in the `server_model_root` directory:

```
urltype.servlet=/myservlet
```

The `was.conf` file already includes a `urltype.servlet` property that corresponds to the `/servlet/*` Service directive template, so no additional property needs to be added for this template.

Once the Application Server knows where to find the servlet and supporting class file, and both the Web server and the Application Server know how the servlet will be invoked, the servlet can be invoked by:
• Being called directly by someone specifying a URL.
• Being specified on the ACTION attribute of the `<FORM>` tag in an HTML file.
• Being specified within the `<SERVLET>` tag in an SHTML file.

**Note:** If your servlets are likely to be modified, see “Reloading modified servlets” on page 124 for additional information before adding their directories to the `ncf.jvm.classpath` property.

**File types supported by the Application Server**
The following table describes the file types supported by the Application Server:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>File type</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>.class files</td>
<td>.class files for servlets and JavaBeans are produced by a Java compiler. They contain byte code that will be executed by a Java Virtual Machine</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>.jhtml and .jsp files</td>
<td>After creating these files and placing them in a directory, you must ensure that the necessary PASS statements are included in the Web server configuration file</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>.servlet files</td>
<td>A .servlet file is an XML servlet configuration file and contains the name of the servlet class file, servlet initialization parameters, and a page list containing the URIs (universal resource identifiers) of the JSPs the servlet can call</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Adding JHTML files and JavaServer Pages (JSPs)**
To add JHTML, and JSP files for servlets, create and place these files in a directory of your choice. Next, add PASS statements to the Web server configuration file to point to these files.

Example:

```plaintext
PASS /jsps/* /u/john/mystuff/*
```

To invoke `/u/john/mystuff/myjsp.jsp` from a browser, a developer can enter the following URL:

`http://server_name/jsps/myjsp.jsp`

Your developers must code their servlets to use the method that returns the location of the servlet's JSP file. For example, they might specify the server configuration as:
ServletRequest.getRealPath("/my.jsp")

**Adding .servlet files to the Application Server**

.servlet files are XML servlet configuration files. Each file is an XML document and contains:

- The name of the servlet class file.
- A description of the servlet.
- The servlet initialization parameters.

To add .servlet files to the Application Server, place them in either user created directories or in the IBM provided server_model_root/servlets directory. If you place them in user created directories you must also add their directories to the paths already included on one of the following properties in the server_model_root was.conf file:

- ncf.jvm.classpath property.
- servlets.reload.directories property.

The Application Server searches for .servlet files in the same manner as it searches for .class files containing servlet implementations. (See Adding servlets and JavaBeans and other supported files to the Application Server.)

In the following example, the .servlet file mywizard.servlet resides in the directory proj2/servlets2 which was added to the ncf.jvm.classpath property:

```plaintext
ncf.jvm.classpath=/proj1/servlets1:/proj2/servlets2:/mybeans/classes/
```

**Adding servlets or JavaBeans in jar, ser, or zip files**

If your servlets are in a jar, ser, or zip file, you will need to add the name of the file to the ncf.jvm.classpath property in the server_model_root was.conf file.

In the following example, the jar file myfiles/projA, the ser file myfiles/projB, and the zip file teamfiles/projC were added to the ncf.jvm.classpath property:

```plaintext
ncf.jvm.classpath=myfiles/projA.jar:/myfiles/projB.ser:/teamfiles/projC.zip:/project1/favoriteservlets:/project2/otherservlets:/mybeans/classes/...
```

The lines in this example are split for printing purposes. In the actual file, these lines are on a single line.

**Note:** Modified servlets contained in a jar, ser, or zip file will not become effective until the Web server is stopped and then started again.
C.1.1.2 Associating servlets with MIME-types

For some requests, you may want to set up a MIME-type to indicate to the Application Server that two or more servlets are to be invoked as a series (in a specific order). This is different from setting up an alias because an alias only results in all of the associated servlets being invoked. The order in which they are invoked does not matter. With a servlet series, the series starts with input from the browser being sent to the first servlet in the series. The output from the first servlet serves as input for the next servlet in the series, and so forth until the output from the last servlet in the series is sent as a response back to the browser.

To set up a MIME-type, add a line to the was.conf file of the form:

```
filter.MIME-type=<servlet_1>,<servlet_2>,...,<servlet_n>
```

When associating a series of servlets with a MIME-type, the servlets must be specified in the order in which they are to be invoked, separated by a comma.

MIME-type indicates the generic file category, such as audio, application, image, etc. (See File types supported by the Application Server for a description of the file types supported by the Application Server.)

- `<servlet_1>` is the servlet that you want to receive the initial input.
- `<servlet_2>` is the servlet to which you want `<servlet_1>`’s output to be sent.
- `<servlet_n>` is the last servlet in the series to be invoked.

All of the servlets associated with a particular MIME type are invoked whenever a request with that MIME-type is generated.

If you need to add a servlet to an existing MIME-types or to remove a servlet from an existing MIME-type, edit the filter. property in the was.conf file that defines that MIME-type so that it only includes those servlets you now want associated with this MIME-type.

C.1.1.3 Changing servlet configuration and initialization parameters

After you have started using the Application Server, you may find that you need to update the default servlet configuration and initialization parameters to change:

- Which servlets are to be loaded when the Application Server starts.
- The list of `{name, value}` pairs that a servlet can access using servlet API calls.
To change which servlets are to be loaded when the Application Server starts, update the servlets.startup property in the was.conf file to include only those servlets that are to be automatically loaded whenever the Application Server starts. The servlet names must be separated by blank spaces as shown in the following example:

`servlets.startup=<servlet_1> <servlet_2> ... <servlet_n>`

To change the list of (name, value) pairs that a servlet can access using servlet API calls, update the servlet.servlet_name.initArgs property in the was.conf file to include only the valid parameters and their associated values. You must separate each parameter with a comma as shown in the following example:

`servlet.servlet_name.initArgs=<parm_1_name>=<parm_1_value>,
<parm_2_name>=<parm_2_value>, ... ,<parm_n_name>=<parm_n_value>`

The lines in this example are split for printing purposes. In the actual file, these lines are on a single line.

**C.1.1.4 Assigning a servlet an additional name**

Occasionally you may need to assign an additional name to a servlet. For example, you may have a servlet with a long name that describes its function to which you want to assign an abbreviated name to make it easier to invoke, or you may a servlet that was given a code name while it was being developed to which you want to assign a more meaningful name.

To assign a servlet an additional name, add a new line with the format `servlet.<servlet_name>.code=<servlet_class>` to the was.conf file. This line will specify the additional name (servlet_name), other than its class file name, by which a servlet can be requested. <servlet_name> must be a unique name and can only contain the following types of characters:

- English alphanumeric characters (upper or lowercase letters A to Z and numbers 0 to 9).
- Period (.)
- Underscore (_)
- Hyphen (-)

<servlet_class> is the class file associated with this servlet without the .class extension.

For example, if you want the HelloWorldServlet.class file to be invoked when someone enters <server_name>/servlet/Hi on a browser, you would add the following line to the was.conf file:
C.1.1.5 Using a Java compiler with the Application Server
If your system includes a Just-In-Time (JIT) Java compiler, you may need to:

- Change the default value for the JIT dll file that the Application Server uses to determine the location of the Java compiler.
- Disable the Java compiler when it is not needed.

**Changing the default value for the JIT dll file**
The Application Server determines the location of the Java compiler by inserting the name of the JIT dll file into the template libJIT_dll_file.so. The default value for the JIT dll file is jitc. Given that /usr/lpp/java/J1.1 is the path for your JAVA_HOME root directory, the Application Server will look for the Java compiler in the directory /usr/lpp/java/J1.1/lib/mvs/native_threads/libjitc.so.

To change the location of the Java compiler, modify the java.compiler property in the was.conf file to reflect the correct name for your JIT dll file. The Application Server will then use this name to determine the correct directory for the Java compiler.

**Disabling the Java compiler**
To disable the Java compiler, remove any existing value from the java.compiler property in the was.conf file. The property would then look like the following:

```
java.compiler=
```

To enable the Java compiler again, update the java.compiler property in the was.conf file with the correct name of the JIT dll file you want the Application Server to use to determine the location of the Java compiler. The original value specified for this property was jitc

**Reloading modified servlets**
If your developers need to be able to modify a servlet, .class file or .servlet file and then have it automatically reloaded, the servlet or file must be either placed directly in the IBM provided server_model_root/servlets directory or the directories containing these items need to be included on the servlets.reload.directories property in the server_model_root was.conf file. If the directories containing these items are added to the ncf.jvm.classpath property instead, the changes to the modified servlets, .class files or .servlet files will not take effect until the Web server is stopped and then started again.
In addition, you must change the boolean value of the servlets.reload.
property in the was.conf file to true to activate the automatic reload function.
The default value for this property is false because using this function will
result in additional system overhead and slower performance.

When the automatic reload function is enabled, the Application Server will
monitor reloadable .class files of currently loaded servlets for changes.
(Reloadable .class files are .class files that are located in the directories
specified on the servlets.reload.directories property or that are located in the
server_model_root/servlets directory.) When the Application Server detects
that one of these .class file has been modified, it will automatically reload all
currently active servlets and JavaBeans that are eligible for reloading.

C.1.1.6 Setting up aliases for a single servlet or a chain of servlets
Another way to give a servlet an abbreviated name is to assign it an alias.
One advantage of an alias is that it can be used to associate a single name
with either a single servlet or a chain of servlets that you want to invoke at the
same time with a single request.

To set up an alias for a single servlet, add a line of the form:
alias.alias_name=<servlet_1>

to the was.conf file to specify the path-mapping rules that the Application
Server is to use when invoking the servlet. alias_name is the path for the
servlet relative to the Web server's location.

To set up an alias for multiple servlets, add a line of the form:
alias.alias_name=<servlet_1>,<servlet_2>,<servlet_3>,...,<servlet_n>

to the was.conf file to specify the path-mapping rules that the Application
Server is to use when invoking the listed servlets.

When specifying a servlet series, using the alias. property, enter the name of
each servlet in the series, separated by commas, but with no spaces. For
example:
alias.myservlets=account,date,update

Once you have set up an alias, a shortcut URL can be used to invoke the
associated servlets from a browser, or a Web server servlet can be invoked
from within HTML documents or other Java programs by placing the alias in a
server-side INCLUDE.

Using the previous example, if alias.myservlets is invoked from a browser, all
three servlets, account, date, and update, will be invoked.
For servlets, servlet must be included as part of the servlet name in order for it to be invoked by a servlet alias unless you have added a service directive to the Web server's http.conf file defining another URI, and a corresponding uritype property statement to the was.conf file. For example, if you want URLs that begin with /mycompany to be processed by the Application Server as servlets, add the following directive to the http.conf file:

```
Service /mycompany /usr/lpp/AppServer/lib/libadpter.so:AdapterService
```

and the following uritype property statement to the was.conf file:

```
uritype.servlet=/mycompany
```

**Note:** You can include a wild-card character (*) as part of a servlet alias, but only at the beginning of a pathname.

**Web server configuration file updates for servlet aliases**

If you add a servlet alias to an Application Server model was.conf file that is not covered by an existing Web server Pass rule, you must add a Pass rule for this alias to this httpd.conf file.

For example, the request template /servlet/* tells the Web server to accept and respond to all requests starting with /servlet/. If you add an alias for /other/* using the alias property in the Application Server model was.conf file, you must add a corresponding Pass rule to the Web server httpd.conf configuration file.

If you add /servlet/other/*, you do not need to add a Pass rule to the Web server configuration file because the rule /servlet/* includes /servlet/other/*.

**Related information:**

- For more information on Pass rules, see your Web server documentation.
- For more information on adding a servlet alias, see C.1.1.6, “Setting up aliases for a single servlet or a chain of servlets” on page 125.

**C.1.2 Security considerations**

The Application Server does not provide any additional level of network security. Therefore, you must make sure that the security set up for the Web server on which you will be running the Application Server has been configured to meet any special needs of the resources that will be run on the Application Server. These resources include servlets and JavaServerPages (JSPs) that are accessed through your URLs.
To control client access to these resources, you may need to add access control directives to your Web server configuration file to set up security protection for the URL under which these resources are accessed. These directives are described in detail in your Web server documentation.

In some cases the Application Server generates files for its use. When a JSP is invoked, the files that are created (a Java source file and a class file) are created under the Web server’s identity, and permissions are set so the Web server can access these files. If you start the Web server using a different identity, the Web server may not be able to access these files any longer. You can remove the /servlets/pagecompile directory and the Application Server will create these files with the appropriate ownership and permissions. Alternatively, you must change the ownership and permissions of the sub-directories and files in the pagecompile directory so that the Web server will be able to access them.

If the Web server is unable to access a resource, such as a servlet or JSP, an HTTP status code of 500 is sent to the browser, with a message indicating that an error occurred during processing of the request. An error message is also written to the Application Server’s error log indicating which resource could not be accessed.

**Note:** The Application Server is able to service many requests for a resource after that resource has been loaded into memory. In particular, a servlet may be loaded at start-up and used for the life of the server to process many requests from a large number of clients. Therefore, you should not rely on control of the physical resources (i.e. file permissions, etc..) as an alternative for providing client access control.

### C.1.3 Servlet development considerations

This section discusses servlet development considerations.

#### C.1.3.1 Developing servlets in a development or test environment

If you are configuring the Application Server for a development or test environment, you should consider running in Scalable Server mode to provide developers and testers the flexibility to modify and test their servlets without impacting each other. You may also want to:

- Set the value of the servlets.reload property in the was.conf file to true so that modified servlets are automatically reloaded when they are invoked. For more information about reloading modified servlets, see Reloading modified servlets.
Create a unique application environment (ApplEnv) for each project or developer.

For example, you may want to create an ApplEnv called JOHN for John to develop and test his servlets in, and an ApplEnv called MARY for Mary to develop and test her servlets in. To set this up for John and Mary, follow these steps:

1. Configure WLM so that only one Queue Server is created per system per model of the Application Server for each ApplEnv. For more information on configuring WLM, refer to the OS/390 MVS Planning: Workload Management book. You can view this book on the Web at URL:


2. Add the following ApplEnv directives to the Web server configuration file to indicate that servlets invoked by server_name/servlet/john/* go to John's ApplEnv, and that servlets invoked by server_name/servlet/mary/* go to Mary's ApplEnv:

   \[
   \begin{align*}
   \text{ApplEnv} & \quad /servlet/john/* \quad \text{JOHN} \\
   \text{ApplEnv} & \quad /servlet/mary/* \quad \text{MARY}
   \end{align*}
   \]

   For more information on Scalable Server mode and enabling WLM support on the Web server, refer to your Web server documentation. For information on accessing Web server documentation, see Required OS/390 Web server.

3. Modify the ncf.jvm.classpath property in the Application Server model was.conf file to include the directory paths and/or jar files for John's servlets and Mary's servlets:

   \[
   \text{ncf.jvm.classpath=}/u/john/projB.jar:/u/mary/projA.jar
   \]

   For more information about modifying the Application Server model was.conf file, see Updating the Application Server model was.conf file.

To invoke their servlets from a browser, John and Mary would type in the name of their Web site:

   \[
   \begin{align*}
   \text{http://server_name/servlet/john/WonderfulServlet} \\
   \text{http://server_name/servlet/mary/EvenBetterServlet}
   \end{align*}
   \]

By creating unique application environments for both projects, you provide John and Mary the flexibility to modify and test their respective servlets without impacting each other.
C.1.3.2 Compiling servlets

To compile a servlet:

1. Set the Web server CLASSPATH environment variable to include the Application Server JAR files and the JDK classes.zip file:

   Example:

   ```
   export CLASSPATH=
   applicationserver_root/lib/ibmwebas.jar:
   applicationserver_root/lib/jst.jar:
   applicationserver_root/lib/jsdk.jar:
   applicationserver_root/lib/x509v1.jar:
   jdk_root/lib/classes.zip
   ```

   applicationserver_root is the fully qualified name by which the install-image is mounted to an individual execution system. The default value is /usr/lpp/WebSphere/AppServer.

2. Set the PATH environment variable to include the Java Development Kit/bin directory:

   ```
   export PATH="jdk_root"/bin:$PATH
   ```

   For jdk_root, enter the JAVA_HOME root directory of your Java Development Kit (JDK), for example, /usr/lpp/java/J1.1.

3. Issue the following command to ensure that Java Development Kit (JDK) Version 1.1.6 or higher is in your path:

   ```
   java -version
   ```

   This command should return a message stating what the JDK version is. If the command is not found, you will see an error message.

4. Issue the following command to compile the servlet:

   ```
   javac filename.java
   ```

C.2 Performing advanced administration tasks

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Be sure to check the official Web site for the most up-to-date information:

**C.2.1 Advanced administration tasks requiring changes to was.conf**

For each Application Server model you are using, you must update the associated was.conf file if you want to:

- Use the Connection Manager to connect to a DB2 database.
- Set up session tracking.

After updating an Application Server model was.conf file, you must always run the updateproperties program before any of your changes will go into affect. For instructions on running the updateproperties program, refer to Updating the Application Server model was.conf file.

**C.2.2 Connecting to a DB2 database**

The Application Server uses the Connection Manager to cache and reuse connections to a DB2 database. When a servlet needs a connection, it can usually obtain one from a pool of available connections, thus eliminating the overhead required to open a new connection each time a connection is needed.

Before the Connection Manager can set up a pool of connections to a DB2 database, you must:

- Make sure that the JDBC directory name exists on the ncf.jvm.classpath property in the server_model_root was.conf file. The default installation directory for JDBC is /usr/lpp/db2/db2510/classes/db2jdbcclasses.zip.
- Add the following line to the server_model_root was.conf file, for each pool you want to set up, defining the pool connection.

  \[
  \text{IBMConnMgr.Pool=<pool_name>}
  \]

  where \(<pool\_name>\) specifies the unique name of each new connection pool you are defining.

Each connection pool you define will initially contain two connections. When a servlet requests a connection, the Connection Manager will first look for an idle connection that is already in the pool. If no idle connections are available, the Connection Manager will create a new connection as long as the number of connections already in the pool is less than 2,000.

If the pool already has 2,000 connections, and the servlet is willing to wait for a connection (its waitRetry parameter is set to true), the Connection Manager will grab the first connection that becomes available and assign it to the waiting servlet. If multiple servlets are waiting for a connection, the
Connection Manager will satisfy the requests on a first come first served basis.

Periodically, the Connection Manager examines connections that are not in use in a given pool, and removes those that have been idle for a while, until a minimum of two connections remain in the pool. The last two connections are never removed.

C.2.2.1 Collecting session tracking information
The Application Server lets you specify whether or not you want to collect session tracking information. If you do not want to capture session tracking information, set the session.enable property in the was.conf file to the boolean value f. The Application Server will then ignore all session tracking information. If you do want to capture session tracking information, leave this property at the default value t. (See Updating the Application Server model was.conf file for a description of how to edit this file.)

Using cookies with session tracking
If the session.cookies.enable property in the was.conf file is set to the boolean value t, the Session Tracker uses a unique session ID to match user requests with their HttpSession objects on the server. When the user first makes a request and the HttpSession object is created, the session ID is sent to the browser as a cookie.

On subsequent requests, the browser sends the session ID back as a cookie and the Session Tracker uses it to find the HttpSession associated with this user.

When using cookies, you may also need to modify the following properties in the was.conf file:

- session.cookie.name to specify the name of the cookie. The name specified must be a unique name and can only contain the following types of characters:
  English alphanumeric characters (upper or lowercase letters A to Z and numbers 0 to 9.
  Period (.)
  Underscore (_)
  Hyphen (-)

- session.cookie.comment to specify a comment about the cookie.

- session.cookie.maxage to specify the amount of time in milliseconds that the cookie is to remain valid. This property should only be used to restrict
or extend how long the session cookie will live on the client browser. By default, the cookie only persists for the current invocation of the browser. When the browser is shut down, the cookie is deleted.

`session.cookie.path` to specify the path field that will be sent for session cookies. This property should only be used to restrict which paths on the server (servlets, jhtml files, and html files) the cookies will be sent to. If the value on this property is left at the default, the cookie will be sent on any access to the given server.

In addition, if you want to restrict the exchange of cookies to only HTTPS sessions, you can set the `session.cookie.secure` property to the boolean value `t`.

**Note:** You must run the `updateproperties` program before any of these changes to the `was.conf` file take effect. (See Updating the Application Server model `was.conf` file for information on how to run this program.)

**Maintaining state without cookies**

There are situations in which cookies will not work. For example, some browsers do not support cookies, while other browsers allow the user to disable cookie support. In such cases, the Session Tracker must resort to a second method, URL rewriting, to track a user session.

With URL rewriting, all links that a servlet returns to the browser or redirects have the session ID appended to them. For example, the link

```html
<a href="/store/catalog">
```

can be rewritten as

```html
<a href="/store/catalog;$sessionid$DA32242SSGE2">
```

Then when the user clicks this link, the rewritten form of the URL is sent to the server as part of the client's request. The Session Tracker recognizes `;$sessionid$DA32242SSGE2` as the session ID and uses it to obtain the proper `HttpSession` object for this user.

If Web pages are coded as Java Server Pages (JSP), the JSP processor automatically handles URL rewriting. If a JSP page contains a link, the link is wrapped in an encode URL method when the page is processed.

To maintain session information without cookies for URLs that are not invoked from a JSP file, you must enable URL rewriting by setting the `session.urlrewriting.enable` property in the `was.conf` file to the boolean value `t`. If you also want the Session Tracker to be able to add the session ID to
URLs when the URL requires a switch from HTTP to HTTPS or HTTPS to HTTP, you must set the session.protocolswitchrewriting.enable property in the was.conf file to the boolean value true.

**Note:** You must run the updateproperties program before any changes to the was.conf file take effect. (See Updating the Application Server model was.conf file for information on how to run this program.)

### C.2.2.2 Using a proxy server with the Application Server

During normal servlet processing, if a servlet uses callPage to invoke a JSP, the Application Server provides the JSP with a `<base href>` tag containing the base URL which specifies the server name and port.

If you are using a proxy server to reroute requests from one port to another, the base URL that the Application Server creates will become corrupted, and future requests will fail. To prevent this from happening, when you are using a proxy server:

Set the `servlets.callpage.create.href` property in the was.conf file to the boolean value false and run the updateproperties program.

**Note:** If this property does not already exist in the was.conf file, add the following line to this file and then run the updateproperties program:

```
  servlets.callpage.create.href=false
```

Manually add a `<base href>` tag to each JSP that is going to be invoked so that references within that JSP, such as references to images, do not have to be fully qualified.

### C.3 Property file reference for migrating configuration settings

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#### C.3.1 Before you begin

Configuration information for V1.1 Application Server and ServletExpress was saved in several property files. For V1.2 Application Server, this configuration information is consolidated into one configuration file called was.conf.
To migrate your previous configuration settings, use the information in this section to locate the files and configurable properties from V1.1 Application Server or ServletExpress, then edit your V1.2 was.conf file with the appropriate values.

Important Notes:

1. old_root is the root directory of your previous V1.1 Application Server or ServletExpress installation. Default directories are:
   
   V1.1 Application Server: /usr/lpp/WebSphere/AppServer
   ServletExpress: /usr/lpp/ServletExpress

2. If old_root is not the same root as your V1.2 applicationserver_root, use the V1.1 and ServletExpress file paths below.

   If old_root is the same root as your V1.2 applicationserver_root, the installation program will create backup copies of your property files in the /defaults/ directory. For example, your jvm.properties file would be in the directory:

   old_root/defaults/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/jvm.properties

date-time is in the format YYMMDDHHMM, for example, 9909280850.

3. server_model_root is the directory of the V1.2 Application Server model.

C.3.2 Configuration settings

C.3.2.1 Basic settings

ncf.jvm.use.system.classpath

   V1.1 file: old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/jvm.properties
   ServletExpress file:
      old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/jvm.properties
   V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf
   V1.2 property name: ncf.jvm.use.system.classpath

   Description: The value of this property is a boolean that indicates whether the System Classpath value is appended to the Java Classpath you specify. If you specify false, only the path specified for the ncf.jvm.classpath property is used.

ncf.jvm.classpath

   V1.1 file: old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/jvm.properties
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ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/jvm.properties
V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf
V1.2 property name: ncf.jvm.classpath

Description: The value of this property is a string that specifies the Java Classpath that the Application Server will use. This Classpath must point to the directory and JAR files that contain the necessary Class files.

ncf.jvm.libpath
V1.1 file: old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/jvm.properties
ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/jvm.properties
V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf
V1.2 property name: ncf.jvm.libpath

Description: The value of this property is a string that specifies the Java library path. This is a path that points to the shared libraries that the Application Server will be using, such as the jdk1.1.6/lib directory.

ncf.jvm.path
V1.1 file: old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/jvm.properties
ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/jvm.properties
V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf
V1.2 property name: ncf.jvm.path

Description: The value of this property is a string that specifies the Java path for the binary files (such as Java or Javac).

java.compiler
V1.1 file: old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/jvm.properties
ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/jvm.properties
V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf
V1.2 property name: java.compiler

Description: The value of this property is a string that specifies the name of the JIT DLL file. If no value exists on this property, the JIT is disabled.
**servlets.reload**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/servlets.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/servlets.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: servlets.reload

Description: The value of this property indicates whether or not the automatic servlet reload function is active. The value for this property is either the boolean value true (to enable the function) or false (to disable the function). The default value is false.

**servlets.classpath**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/servlets.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/servlets.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: servlets.reload.directories

Description: The value of this property is a string that specifies additional directories for servlets that will be automatically reloaded when modified.

**C.3.2.2 Session tracking settings**

**enable.sessions**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/session.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/session.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: session.enable

Description: The value of this property is a boolean that indicates whether session tracking is enabled.
**enable.urlrewriting**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/session.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/session.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: session.urlrewriting.enable

Description: The value of this property is a boolean that indicates whether session tracking uses rewritten URLs to carry the session IDs.

**enable.cookies**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/session.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/session.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: session.cookies.enable

Description: The value of this property is a boolean that indicates whether session tracking uses cookies to carry the session IDs.

**enable.protocolswitchrewriting**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/session.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/session.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: session.protocolswitchrewriting.enable

Description: The value of this property is a boolean that indicates whether the session ID is added to URLs when the URL requires a switch from HTTP to HTTPS or HTTPS to HTTP.

**session.cookie.name**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/session.properties
ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/session.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf
V1.2 property name: session.cookie.name

Description: The value of this property is a string that specifies the name of the cookie. This property must be specified if cookies are enabled and can only contain the following types of characters:

- English alphanumeric characters (upper or lowercase letters A to Z and numbers 0 to 9).
- Period (.)
- Underscore (_)
- Hyphen (-)

**session.cookie.comment**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/session.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/session.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf
V1.2 property name: session.cookie.comment

Description: The value of this property specifies a string to be used as a comment about the cookie.

**session.cookie.maxage**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/session.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/session.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf
V1.2 property name: session.cookie.maxage

Description: The value of this property is an integer that specifies the amount of time in milliseconds that a cookie will remain valid. Specify a value only to restrict or extend how long the session cookie will live on the client browser.
By default, the cookie only persists for the current invocation of the browser. When the browser is shut down, the cookie is deleted.

**session.cookie.path**
V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/session.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/session.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: session.cookie.path

Description: The value of this property is a string that specifies the path field that will be sent for session cookies.

**session.cookie.secure**
V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/session.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/session.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: session.cookie.secure

Description: The value of this property is a boolean that indicates whether session cookies include the secure field.

**session.invalidationtime**
V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/session.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/session.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: session.invalidationtime

Description: The value of this property is an integer that specifies the amount of time in milliseconds that a session is allowed to go unused before it is invalidated.
C.3.2.3 Logging settings for error and event messages

**log.error.level**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/systemDefaults.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/systemDefaults.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: log.error.level

Description: The value of this property specifies which error messages will be logged.

**log.error.destination**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/systemDefaults.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/systemDefaults.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: log.error.destination

Description: The value of this property specifies where the error message output should be sent.

**log.error.filename**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/systemDefaults.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/systemDefaults.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: log.error.filename

Description: The value of this property is a string that specifies the name of the log file for error messages.
**log.event.level**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/systemDefaults.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/systemDefaults.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: log.event.level

Description: The value of this property specifies which event messages will be logged.

**log.event.destination**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/systemDefaults.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/systemDefaults.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: log.event.destination

Description: The value of this property specifies where the event message output should be sent.

**log.event.filename**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/systemDefaults.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/systemDefaults.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: log.event.filename

Description: The value of this property is a string that specifies the name of the log file for event messages.
**log.event.filename**

V1.1 file:  
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/systemDefaults.properties

ServletExpress file:  
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/systemDefaults.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: log.event.filename

Description: The value of this property is a string that specifies the name of the log file for event messages.

### C.3.2.4 Managing servlets

#### Adding servlets:

**servlet.servlet_name.code**

V1.1 file:  
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/servlets.properties

ServletExpress file:  
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/servlets.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: servlet.servlet_name.code

Description: The value of this property specifies the name of the associated class file. The servlet_name is a string that specifies the unique name of the servlet and can only contain the following types of characters:

- English alphanumeric characters (upper or lowercase letters A to Z and numbers 0 to 9).
- Period (.)
- Underscore (_)
- Hyphen (-)

**servlet.servlet_name.initArgs**

V1.1 file:  
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/servlets.properties

ServletExpress file:  
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/servlets.properties
V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf
V1.2 property name: servlet.servlet_name.initArgs

Description: The value of this property specifies a list of name, value pairs which can be accessed by the servlet using the servlet API calls. The servlet_name is a string that specifies the unique name of the servlet and can only contain the following types of characters:

- English alphanumeric characters (upper or lowercase letters A to Z and numbers 0 to 9).
- Period (.)
- Underscore (_)
- Hyphen (-)

**servlets.startup**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/servlets.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/servlets.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf
V1.2 property name: servlets.startup

Description: The value of this property specifies servlets to be loaded when the Web server starts.

**Servlet aliases:**

**alias_name**

V1.1 file: old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/alias.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/alias.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf
V1.2 property name: servlet.alias_name

Description: Use this property to specify servlet(s) to be invoked when the associated alias is recognized.
**Filtering using MIME types:**

**filter.enable**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/mimeservlets.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/mimeservlets.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: filter.enable

Description: The value of this property is a boolean that indicates whether filtering is enabled.

**MIME_type**

V1.1 file:
old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/mimeservlets.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/mimeservlets.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: filter.MIME_type

Description: The value of this property is a string that specifies the servlet to be invoked when the associated MIME type is recognized.

**Mapping URL types:**

**URL_type**

V1.1 file: old_root/properties/server/servlet/servletservice/rules.properties

ServletExpress file:
old_root/properties/server/ServletExpress/servletservice/rules.properties

V1.2 file: server_model_root/properties/was.conf

V1.2 property name: urltype.jsp or urltype.servlet

Description: Use this property to specify URL types that should be processed as JSPs or servlets.
C.4 Producing error logs for IBM support personnel

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The Application Server can be configured to perform the following types of logging to assist IBM Service Personnel in diagnosing Application Server errors:

- Native DLL logging: Log messages produced by the Web server C code before entering Java.
- Java standard out logging: Any System.out and System.err prints go to this log.

To enable Native DLL logging:

- Stop the Web server
- Using a text editor, open the server_model_root was.conf file in the server_model_root/properties directory.
- Set the ncf.native.logison= property to the boolean value true.
- Start the Web server

To disable Native DLL logging, stop your Web server, set the ncf.native.logison= property to the boolean value false, and then start the web server again.

To enable Java standard out logging to a file:

- Stop the Web server
- Using a text editor, open the server_model_root was.conf file.
- Set the ncf.jvm.stdoutlog.enable= property to the boolean value true.
- Set the ncf.jvm.stdoutlog.file= property to the boolean value true.
- Start the Web server

The log paths are:

/server_model_root/logs/native.log
/server_model_root/logs/ncf.log
server_model_root is the unique root directory of an Application Server model containing the server properties for that model.
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