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Preface

WebSphere® Process Server and WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus (ESB) are highly available and scalable products for running enterprise-level service-oriented architecture (SOA) solutions. But does every production topology that uses these products follow the same basic pattern? This book answers that question by providing guidance on how to select and build production topologies based on the applications that you deploy to that topology. It also helps you to discern which production topology is suitable for your environment and provides step-by-step guidance on how to build that topology. The intended audience of this book is IT architects and administrators who want to create appropriate production topologies for WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus.

Part one of the book introduces some of the basic concepts and discusses three types of production topologies for WebSphere ESB and for WebSphere Process Server. It provides guidance on how to select the appropriate topology, discusses security considerations, and introduces the sample scenarios that we built for this book.

Part two focuses on building production topologies for WebSphere ESB. Using sample applications, this part provides step-by-step instructions for building WebSphere ESB V6.0.2 production topologies.

Part three uses a similar format but focuses on production topologies for WebSphere Process Server V6.0.2. This part includes step-by-step instructions on how to build a full support production topology that implements security.

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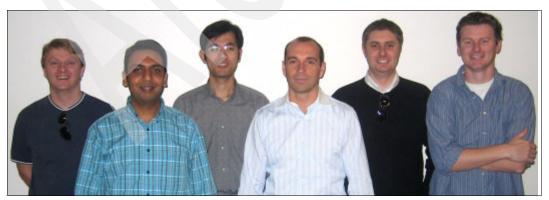


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Part 1

Overview



1

Welcome to this book

This chapter provides guidance on how to get the most out of this book. It includes the following sections:

- ► An introduction to this book
- ► How to read this book

1.1 An introduction to this book

A warm welcome to this book from the team that wrote its content. We gathered for five intensive weeks in Raleigh, North Carolina, U. S., to create this book. We hope that you find it to be an insightful and useful read.

The motivation in writing this book was to show that there are different ways to build production topologies for WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB and how through a selection process that you can pick the correct production topology for your environment.

We also wanted to show how to actually go about building these topologies. We picked two topologies for each product (WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB) and provide step-by-step instructions that you can follow to build each topology.

One of the keys to selecting the correct topology is determining the type of applications that you will deploy to the topology. To help demonstrate this topic, we built four sample applications around a fictional banking organization called *ITSO Bank*. These samples are very simple, including either a basic mediation module or business process and a presentation and enterprise service layer. We deploy a sample application to each of the topologies to demonstrate how each topology works.

We hope that you are able to use the content of this book as a starting point to build your own production topologies with WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB.

1.2 How to read this book

This section describes how we structured this book and provides guidance on which chapters you should read.

We divided this book into three parts. The chapters in Part 1 provide overview information: an overview of the production topologies, an overview of the basic concepts of creating network deployment topologies, an overview of security considerations, and an overview of the sample applications.

Parts 2 and 3 include step-by-step instructions for creating the production topologies. Part 2 describes topologies for WebSphere ESB V6.0.2, and Part 3 describes topologies for WebSphere Process Server V6.0.2.

To keep the step-by-step instructions in parts 2 and 3 succinct, we only enable security for one production topology (the Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server). The security considerations that we discuss in Chapter 9, "Implementing the Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server" on page 319 apply equally to the other topologies. None of the topologies can be considered ready for production if they are not secured.

Part 1: Overview

Part 1 includes the following chapters:

► Chapter 1, "Welcome to this book"

This is the chapter that you are reading now.

Chapter 2, "Introducing the basic concepts and products"

This chapter introduces WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB, and provides basic information about network deployment and clustering terminology. If you are not familiar with building topologies with WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB, then this chapter is a good place to start.

► Chapter 3, "Security considerations for WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB"

This chapter provides an overview of the major security considerations when building WebSphere Process Server or WebSphere ESB topologies. You can apply the concepts in this chapter to all production topologies discussed within this book.

► Chapter 4, "Production topologies for WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB"

This chapter is the main focus of this book and is essential reading. This chapter describes three patterns of production topology for WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB: the Basic topology, Loosely Coupled topology, and Full Support topology. It also provides guidance on selecting the appropriate topology for a given environment.

► Chapter 5, "Scenarios that we use in this book"

This chapter describes sample applications for a fictitious company called ITSO Bank. We use the sample applications in Part 2 and Part 3 of this book.

Part 2: Production topologies for WebSphere ESB

Part 2 includes the following chapters:

► Chapter 6, "Implementing the Basic topology for WebSphere ESB"

The Basic topology for WebSphere ESB is intended for simple synchronous applications. This chapter provides step-by-step instructions for building this topology and deploys one of the sample ITSO Bank applications to it.

► Chapter 7, "Implementing the Full Support topology for WebSphere ESB"

The Full Support topology is suitable for the deployment of any type of WebSphere ESB application, including those that make use of CEI. This chapter provides step-by-step instructions for building this topology and deploys one of the sample ITSO Bank applications to it.

Part 3: Production topologies for WebSphere Process Server Part 3 includes the following chapters:

Chapter 8, "Implementing the Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere Process Server"

The Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere Process Server allows the deployment of applications containing synchronous and asynchronous interactions. This chapter provides step-by-step instructions for building this topology and deploys one of the sample ITSO Bank applications to it.

 Chapter 9, "Implementing the Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server"

The Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server is suitable for any type of WebSphere Process Server application, including those that make use of CEI. This chapter provides step-by-step instructions for building this topology and deploys one of the sample ITSO Bank applications to it.

This chapter also describes how to add security to a production topology. Read this chapter for information about how to apply security to any of the production topologies.



Introducing the basic concepts and products

This chapter provides an introduction to the fundamental concepts and technologies that apply when deploying solutions based on the WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus and WebSphere Process Server products.

It includes the following sections:

- ▶ IBM product overview
- Service Component Architecture
- Messaging
- Business processes
- WebSphere Network Deployment components
- Clustering fundamentals

2.1 IBM product overview

This section gives an overview of WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus. Both are members of the product suite from IBM for integration capabilities within organizations, and each offers an implementation of principles laid down by service-oriented architecture (SOA) and the Service Component Architecture (SCA).

Figure 2-1 shows how the two products are based upon WebSphere Application Server Network Deployment with its J2EE runtime and proven quality of service strengths such as clustering, scalability, and security.

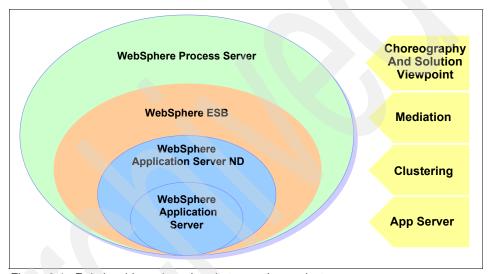


Figure 2-1 Relationship and services between the products

2.1.1 WebSphere Process Server

This section gives an overview of WebSphere Process Server.

Business Process Management

To stay ahead of the competition, companies are constantly striving for differentators. A common practice is to review and to refine business activities. Processes evolve over time as a company reacts and adapts to market conditions, and any method that codifies and automates processes quickly will help bring about competitive advantages.

Thanks to improvements in graphical tools and business-friendly notations, the bridge between business and IT departments is narrowing, and both parties can

work closely in redefining and developing new processes and workflows. In addition, SOA promotes the building of business process models, business rules definition, business rules implementation, and technical workflow models. With these enablements, Business Process Management brings processes, people, and information together to increase efficiency for the entire enterprise.

WebSphere Process Server

WebSphere Process Server is an SCA-compliant runtime element that provides a fully converged, standards-based process engine that is underpinned by WebSphere Application Server. It is, along with WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus, a strategic product for integration and modernization of IT assets, including core systems using SOA. Following the principles of SCA, there is a single invocation model, a single data model, and a component-based framework.

Everything in the WebSphere Process Server is a *component*. These components have an *interface* and can be wired together to form a *module*. This modular arrangement enables the changing of any part of an application without affecting the other parts. For example, a human task can be replaced with a business rule without the need to modify the business process.

Figure 2-2 shows the major components that make up the WebSphere Process Server.

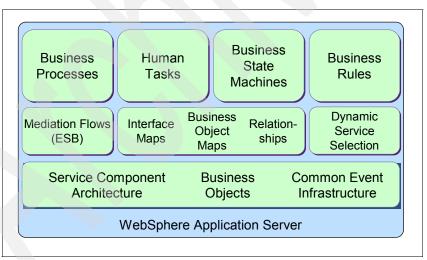


Figure 2-2 WebSphere Process Server V6 components

Business Processes component

The Business Processes component includes a WS-BPEL-compliant process engine. Users develop and deploy business processes with support for long-running and short-running processes and also make use of a robust compensation engine.

WebSphere Process Server supports dynamic business processes by:

- ► Visually describing processes that span people, systems, applications, tasks, rules, and the interactions among them
- Supporting long-running and short-running business processes
- Providing transaction rollback-like functionality for loosely coupled business processes that cannot be undone automatically by the application server
- Integrating fault handling for easy, in-flow exception handling
- ► Accepting Java[™] snippets and artifacts as part of a business process

Human Tasks component

This component helps to describe and to implement automated tasks and role-based human tasks as part of automated business processes. Business processes that involve human interaction can be interruptible and persistent and can offer management of role-based task assignment, invocation, and escalation. For example, users can pause long or complex tasks and resume them later for completion. You can use existing Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP) directories (and operating system repositories and the WebSphere user registry) to access staff information and authorization.

Business State Machine components

These components provide an alternative to modeling a business process. Business can represent their business processes on states and events that sometimes are easier to model than a graph-orientated business process model. These event-oriented scenarios are sometimes hard to model in a WS-BPEL model but can be very easy to model in a state-machine diagram. The WebSphere Process Server state machine is designed to emulate Unified Modeling Language (UML) state-machine diagrams.

There is an event catalog with four main categories that details types of events that WebSphere Process Server manages:

- Common Base Event standard elements
- Business Object events
- Business Process Choreographer events
- Process Server events

Business Rules component

This component provides support for rule sets (*if-then* rules) and decision tables. Business rules are categorized into rule groups that hide implementation details from the consumer and that are accessed similar to any other component. This capability allows dynamic changes of a business process for a more responsive business environment. They include policies and conditions that are imposed by the business.

Additionally, there are a number of supporting components that deal with the differences that come with various applications and systems in a heterogeneous IT environment. These servicing components are:

- ▶ Interface maps: Very often interfaces of existing components match semantically but not syntactically (for example, updateCustomer versus updateCustomerInDB2). This is especially true for already existing components and services. Interface maps translate these calls so that these components can be invoked. Additionally, business object maps can be used to translate the actual business object parameters of a service invocation.
- ▶ Business object maps: Used to translate one type of business object into another type, these maps can be used in a variety of ways (for example, as an interface map to convert one type of parameter data into another).
- Relationships: A common problem with keeping business objects synchronized is that different back-end systems use different keys to represent the same objects. The WebSphere Process Server relationship service establishes relationship instances between objects in these disparate systems. These relationships are typically accessed from a business object map while one business object format is being transformed into another.
- Selector: Different services that all share the same interface can be selected and invoked by a selector dynamically. For example, a customer support process might use different human task implementations during different times of the day. Work is routed to different support centers (Americas, Europe, and Asia-Pacific) based on the time of day.

The key tools for modelling and assembling processes for import into the Business Process Choreographer are WebSphere Business Modeler and WebSphere Integration Developer. With these development tools, the developer can adhere to specification rules and switch off all the extensions or use them as desired.

You can find information about WebSphere Process Server online at:

http://www.ibm.com/software/integration/wps/

2.1.2 WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus

WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus compliments WebSphere Process Server by introducing enhanced integration capabilities. Services should, by definition, be reusable by a number of different consumers, so that the benefits of reduced connections are achieved. This would apply to WebSphere Process Server as a consumer or provider.

WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus is the mediation layer that runs on top of the transport layer within WebSphere Application Server. As such, WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus provides prebuilt mediation functions and easy-to-use tools to enable rapid construction and implementation of an enterprise service bus as a value-add on top of WebSphere Application Server.

Figure 2-3 shows the WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus programming model and features.

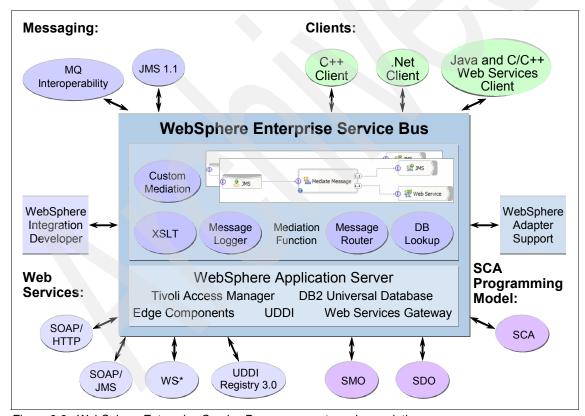


Figure 2-3 WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus components and associations

For integration to be successful, SOA states the need of having a single invocation model and a single data model. WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus uses SCA as its invocation model and that is why SCA is part of the first layer of elements shown in Figure 2-3. Also, Common Event Infrastructure (CEI), the foundation for monitoring business performance, is part of this layer. The ESB is basic for the integration strategy and there's the need to know how it behaves. The event definition is standardized using the OASIS specifications.

From the ESB definition given by SOA, there are four basic tasks that an ESB must perform:

- Route messages among services.
- Transform message formats when necessary.
- Convert protocols for the consumer and the provider.
- ► Handle events from different services.

WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus conforms to all Web services standards to achieve these basic capabilities. It uses SOAP with either JMS or HTTP. It can also talk to WebSphere MQ or WebSphere Message Broker or an adapter.

The modules in charge of doing the operations for WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus are called *mediation components*. These mediation components are built using WebSphere Integration Developer. This tool has features to aid developers similar to an assembly diagram editor, a mediation flow editor, and a visual debugger. When created, the mediation modules are deployed to WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus.

2.1.3 Supporting products

This section includes brief details on the elements that are required to support the operation of both WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus.

WebSphere Application Server

WebSphere Application Server V6 is the IBM implementation of the Java 2 Enterprise Edition (J2EE) platform, which conforms to V1.4 of the J2EE specification. WebSphere Application Server is available in several different configurations that are designed to meet a wide range of customer requirements. Each configuration is packaged with other components that provide a unique environment.

The Network Deployment configuration offers central administration and workload management. A Network Deployment environment consists of one or more *Base* installations and a *Deployment Manager* installation. The Base application servers are added to the cell in a scalable manner and are managed

by the Deployment Manager. The Network Deployment package also includes the Web Services Gateway, a UDDI Registry, and J2EE Connector Architecture services.

For more information about WebSphere Application Server refer to:

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http://www.ibm.com/software/webservers/appserv/was/
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For more information about the J2EE 1.4 specification refer to:

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http://java.sun.com
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IBM DB2 Universal Database

IBM DB2® Universal Database™ Enterprise Server Edition is a version of DB2 Universal Database that allows you to create and manage single partitioned or partitioned database environments. Partitioned database systems can manage high volumes of data and provide benefits such as high availability and increased performance.

DB2 Universal Database V8.2 delivers added features to address the ever-increasing demands and requirements on important data, which include:

- ▶ Broadened autonomic computing solutions that automate and simplify potentially time-consuming and complex database tasks.
- ► A significant amount of new capabilities as well as further integration of DB2 tooling into the Microsoft® .NET and WebSphere Java environments.
 - These new capabilities simplify the development and deployment of DB2 applications and allow application developers to take advantage of the openness, performance, and scalability of DB2, without regard to the back-end database or the chosen application architecture.
- Integration of industry-proven high-availability disaster recovery technology, allowing line-of-business managers and the enterprise to benefit because applications face less risk of downtime.

For more information, refer to the IBM DB2 Universal Database Web site:

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http://www.ibm.com/software/data/db2/udb
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2.2 Service Component Architecture

Service Component Architecture (SCA) is a model for application development that splits the application function from the implementation details. SCA defines *modules* and *components* that are connected using standard interfaces:

- ► A module performs or supports a specific business function and can be deployed directly. Modules can be incorporated into many applications, increasing the potential for re-use across the organization. A module is constructed of one or more components.
- A component is a discrete, reusable unit that provides published interfaces and references other components' interfaces. Components can be implemented with many different technologies such as Plain Old Java Objects (POJO), Enterprise Java Beans (EJB™), Business Process Execution Language (BPEL), or even a simple scripting language such as Perl.

Components expose business-level interfaces to the application business logic so that the service can be used or invoked. The interface of a component defines the operations that can be called and the data that is passed, such as input arguments, returned values, and exceptions. An import and export also has interfaces so that the published service can be invoked.

All components have interfaces of the WSDL type. Only Java components support Java-type interfaces. If a component, import or export, has more than one interface, all interfaces must be the same type.

Components can be called synchronously or asynchronously, and this call is independent of whether the implementation itself is synchronous or asynchronous. The preferred interaction style can be defined as synchronous or asynchronous. The asynchronous interaction advertises to users of the interface that it includes at least one operation that can take a significant amount of time to complete. Consequently, the calling service must avoid keeping a transaction open while waiting for the operation to complete and send its response.

2.2.1 Service Data Objects

Service Data Objects (SDO) provide a framework for the design and use of business objects in an SOA. The fundamental concept in the SDO architecture is the *data object*. In fact, the term SDO is often used interchangeably with the term data object. A data object is a data structure that holds primitive data, multi-valued fields (other data objects), or both.

The data object also has references to metadata that provide information about the data found in the data object. In the SDO programming model, data objects are represented by the commonj.sdo.DataObject Java interface definition. This interface includes method definitions that allow clients to obtain and set the properties associated with DataObject.

Another important concept within the SDO architecture is the *data graph*. A data graph is a structure that encapsulates a set of data objects. From the top level data object in the graph, all other data objects can be reached by traversing the references from the root data object. In the SDO programming model, data graphs are represented by the commonj.sdo.DataGraph Java interface definition.

2.3 Messaging

A *service integration bus* or *bus* is a conceptual architectural component. It gives an administrator the ability to group a collection of resources together that provide the messaging capabilities of the bus. At run time, the bus presents these cooperating messaging resources to applications as a single entity and hides from those applications the details of how the bus is configured and where on the bus the different resources are located.

A bus is defined at the cell level. It is anticipated that, in a standard configuration, no more than one bus will be required within a cell. However, a cell can contain any number of buses.

A *bus member* is simply an application server, or cluster of application servers, that has been added as a member of a bus. Adding an application server, or cluster of application servers, as a member of a bus automatically defines a number of resources on the bus member in question. In terms of the functionality provided by a bus, the most important of the resources that are automatically defined is a messaging engine.

The *messaging engine* is the component within an application server that provides the core messaging functionality of a bus. At run time, it is the messaging engines within a bus that communicate and cooperate with each other to provide the messaging capabilities of the bus. A messaging engine is responsible for managing the resources of the bus and it also provides a connection point to which local and remote client applications can connect.

A messaging engine is associated with a bus member. When an application server is added as a member of a bus, a messaging engine is created and associated automatically with this application server.

A messaging engine is a relatively lightweight run time object. This allows a single application server to host several messaging engines (Figure 2-4). If an application server is added as a member of multiple buses, that application server is associated with multiple messaging engines—one messaging engine for each bus of which it is a member.

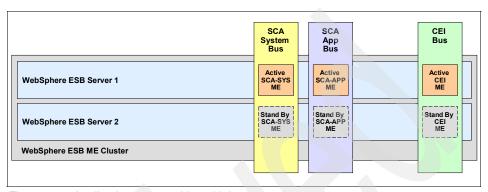


Figure 2-4 Application server with multiple messaging engines

When a cluster of application servers is added as a member of bus, a single messaging engine is created and associated with the application server cluster automatically, regardless of the number of application servers that are defined as members of the cluster. At run time, only one messaging engine is active, and this messaging engine runs within a single application server within the cluster, as shown in Figure 2-4. The application server that is chosen to host the active messaging engine will be the first cluster member to start. The remaining application servers host standby messaging engines.

The active messaging engine is able to run within any of the application servers defined as members of the cluster. If the messaging engine or the application server within which it is running should fail, one of the remaining standby messaging engines is activated, as shown in Figure 2-5. Therefore, adding an application server cluster as a member of a bus enables failover for messaging engines that are associated with that cluster.

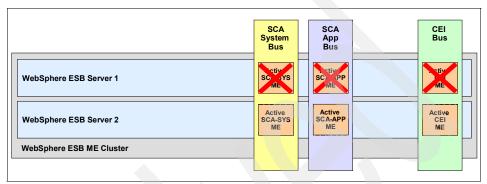


Figure 2-5 Failover of clustered messaging engines

2.4 Business processes

This section discusses some of the fundamental concepts relating to business processes.

2.4.1 Business Process Execution Language

The Business Process Execution Language (BPEL or WS-BPEL) is a description language, based on the Extensible Markup Language (XML), that defines business processes and the logic that is required to perform these processes. BPEL code can be executed to provide services on application servers such as WebSphere Process Server.

2.4.2 Long-running and short-running processes

Business process flows are characterized by the length of time that they are expected to run and are classed as either *long-running* (macro-flow) or *short-running* (micro-flow) processes. This fundamental classification is aligned to the potential run-time of a process rather than the average run-time and ultimately is decided on the basis of whether a process should be written out to disk or held in memory. Processes that involve human task elements are classified as long-running or macro-flow processes.

2.4.3 Human tasks

Human tasks are components that package up human interaction within the flow of the business process. The components enable manual creation, allocation, escalation, and tracking of process instances.

2.4.4 Business relationships and rules

In business integration scenarios, it is often necessary to access the same data (for example, client records) in various backend systems, for example, an Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) system and a Customer Relationship Management (CRM) system.

A common issue when keeping business objects synchronized with one another is that different backend systems use different schemas to represent the same objects. Creating and maintaining mappings between these schemas is a complex task; WebSphere Process Server simplifies the process by providing the relationship service to establish mappings between objects in these disparate backend systems. These relationships are then accessed when translating one business object format into another.

Business rules are a means of implementing and enforcing business policy through the externalization of business function. This enables a business environment to become more responsive by allowing process changes to by dynamically applied. WebSphere Process Server also includes the Business Rules Manager (BRM) Web-based runtime tool for the business analyst so that business rules can be updated as business needs dictate without affecting other SCA services and deployed processes.

2.4.5 Invocation methods

Invocation methods can be split into two logical groups:

Synchronous

A synchronous invocation is one in which a client application process makes a call and waits for a response before proceeding. If there is no further work to do, the client application process ends.

Asynchronous invocation

An asynchronous invocation is one in which a client application process makes a call and does not wait for a response before proceeding.

There are different types of asynchronous invocation:

- Asynchronous one-way invocation
 - A client application process makes a call and proceeds. It does not expect to receive a response from the server application.
- Asynchronous two-way deferred response invocation
 - A client application process makes a call and proceeds without waiting for a response. The client application process will then intermittently poll for a response message.
- Asynchronous two-way with callback invocation
 - A client application process makes a call and proceeds without waiting for a response. A service sends the response back to the client process upon completion of processing the request.

2.5 WebSphere Network Deployment components

WebSphere Network Deployment based products use several logical components that slot together to form highly configurable and scalable application server environments, as shown in Figure 2-6.

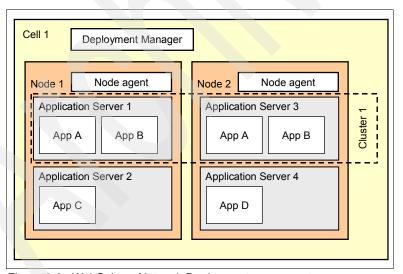


Figure 2-6 WebSphere Network Deployment components

This section describes the WebSphere Network Deployment components.

Cells

A WebSphere *cell* is a logical grouping of nodes that are centrally managed and have access to shared resources. Nodes within a cell typically run one or more application servers that each host one or more applications that are similar in terms of business requirements or non-functional requirements.

Nodes

A WebSphere *node* is a managed container for one or more application servers. Typically, a single node corresponds to a single machine. A node comprises a node agent, by which the node is controlled, and the application servers hosted on that node.

Node agents

The WebSphere *node agent* is a architectural component that enables the deployment manager for the cell to remotely manage the node, its application servers and their applications.

Deployment manager

A WebSphere *deployment manager* is an application server whose only task is the management and configuration of the cell in which it exists. The deployment manager runs a single application—a Web-based configuration front-end, known as the *Administrative Console*—through which you can perform nearly all management tasks.

Clusters

A WebSphere *cluster* is a logical collection of application servers configured to perform the same task as a team. The member application servers can be distributed across one or more nodes in any configuration.

Application servers

A WebSphere *application server* hosts zero or more J2EE applications. An application server instance can be configured as a:

- Stand-alone application server
 - A stand-alone application server does not belong to a cell and runs its own administrative console.
- Singleton application server

A singleton application server resides on a node belonging to a cell and is managed by a deployment manager residing on a separate node. The application server is not part of a cluster.

Member of a cluster

An application server that is a cluster member resides on a node belonging to a cell, and is managed by a deployment manager residing on a separate node. The application server is part of a cluster.

Guided activities

Configuration of clusters or servers to support certain functions, such as network deployment, can be complex and require intimate architectural knowledge. IBM provides WebSphere *Guided Activities* as a way for users to perform such complex tasks.

The Guided Activity is a predefined series of steps that help the user perform the specific task. The Guided Activity describes the steps that must be completed and presents each step in the correct order.

To further simplify configuration tasks, a wizard may be presented to automatically perform a task. Figure 2-7 shows the Administrative Console displaying a guided activity.

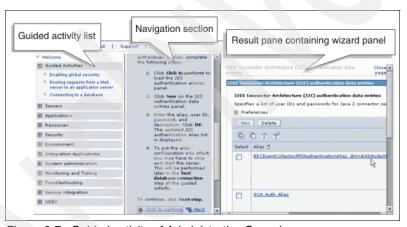


Figure 2-7 Guided activity of Administrative Console

2.6 Clustering fundamentals

A *cluster* is a grouping of one or more fundamentally identical units that perform one task. WebSphere Network Deployment application servers are clustered to allow for higher throughput, to achieve higher levels of resiliency, or both.

2.6.1 Vertical clustering

In a *vertical cluster*, multiple application servers are placed onto the same node in order to better utilize the available resources (Figure 2-8). Such clusters can increase throughput and provide resiliency if one member of the cluster fails due to an application fault. Vertical clusters do not provide resiliency in the event that the hardware hosting the members' node fails.

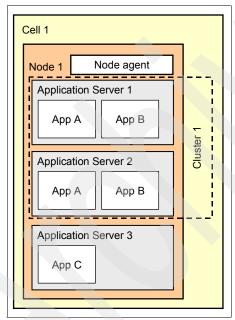


Figure 2-8 A vertically clustered WebSphere environment

2.6.2 Horizontal clustering

In a *horizontal* cluster, multiple application servers are distributed across nodes in order to utilize more physical resource (Figure 2-9). Such clusters can increase throughput and provide resiliency if a cluster member fails due to an application fault or if the hardware underpinning of that member's node fails.

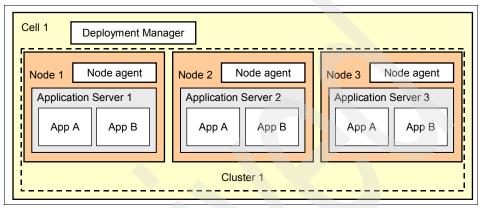


Figure 2-9 A horizontally clustered WebSphere environment

2.6.3 Load balancing

A *load-balanced environment* presents a collection of application servers as a single processing environment. Requests are distributed across application servers in response to the individual load and availability of each server in order to prevent an individual server being overloaded (Figure 2-10).

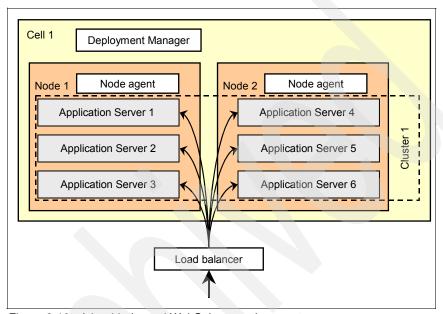


Figure 2-10 A load-balanced WebSphere environment

2.6.4 Failover

Clustering of application servers enables an environment to achieve higher throughput by distributing the load among a collection of application servers. By sharing data, a cluster of servers can all work on a single transaction should different requests arrive at different servers, although transactions are usually passed to the same server to reduce the need for inter-server communication.

Additionally, sharing of data is critical to sustain transactions if a particular application server or its node fails, as shown in Figure 2-11. In this case, another application server would be unable to continue a partially-completed transaction without information about the current state of the transaction in question. Where data is not shared between application servers, all transactions started on a server that subsequently fails is lost.

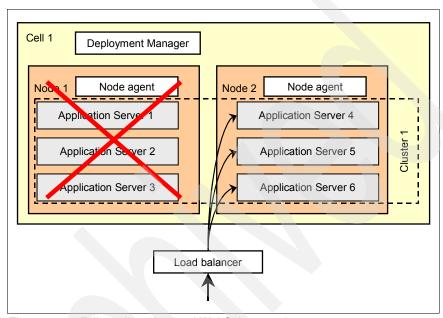


Figure 2-11 Failover in a clustered WebSphere environment



Security considerations for WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB

This chapter addresses security considerations when building WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus topologies. It addresses the following topics:

- Java security
- Global security
- Service integration bus security
- Authentication
- Access control
- Integrity and privacy
- Single sign-on

For more information about security considerations with WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB, refer to the article *WebSphere Process Server security overview*, which is located at:

http://www.ibm.com/developerworks/websphere/library/techarticles/060 2_khangoankar/0602_khangaonkar.html

3.1 Security features in WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB

IBM WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB provide security infrastructure and mechanisms that protect sensitive Java 2 Platform, Enterprise Edition (J2EE) resources and administrative resources. They also address various enterprise end-to-end security requirements. In addition, WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB support other security providers, including:

- ► IBM Tivoli Access Manager (Policy Director)
- ► Reverse secure proxy server including WebSEAL

WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB security is based on fundamental WebSphere Application Server, Java, and operating system security, as shown in Figure 3-1.

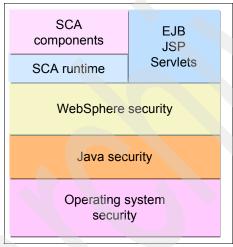


Figure 3-1 WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB security stack

The following sections provide information about three levels of security in WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB:

- Java security
- Global security
- Service integration bus security

3.1.1 Java security

Java 2 security provides a policy-based, fine-grain access control mechanism that increases overall system integrity by checking for permissions before allowing access to certain protected system resources. Java 2 security guards access to system resources such as file I/O, sockets, and properties. J2EE security guards access to Web resources such as servlets, JavaServerTM PagesTM (JSPTM) files, and Enterprise JavaBeansTM (EJB) methods.

WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB global security include J2EE role-based authorization, the Common Secure Interoperability Version 2 (CSIv2) authentication protocol, and Secure Sockets Layer (SSL) configuration.

Because Java 2 security is relatively new, many existing or even new applications might not be prepared for the very fine-grain access control programming model that Java 2 security is capable of enforcing. Administrators need to understand the possible consequences of enabling Java 2 security if applications are not prepared for Java 2 security. Java 2 security places some new requirements on application developers and administrators.

For more information about Java 2 security with WebSphere Application Server based products, refer to:

http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/wasinfo/v6r0/index.jsp?topic=/com.ibm.websphere.express.doc/info/exp/ae/csec rsecmgr2.html

3.1.2 Global security

Global security applies to all applications that are running in an environment and determines whether security is used at all, the type of registry against which authentication takes place, and other values, many of which act as defaults.

The term *global security* represents the security configuration that is effective for the entire security domain. A security domain consists of all of the servers that are configured with the same user registry realm name. In some cases, the realm can be the machine name of a local operating system user registry. In this case, all of the application servers must reside on the same physical machine. In other cases, the realm can be the machine name of a Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP) user registry.

The basic requirement for a security domain is that the access ID that is returned by the user registry from one server within the security domain is the same access ID as that returned from the user registry on any other server within the same security domain. The access ID is the unique identification of a user and is used during authorization to determine if access is permitted to the resource.

The configuration of global security for a security domain involves configuring the following technologies:

- ► The common user registry
- ► The authentication mechanism

The global security configuration applies to every server within the security domain.

3.1.3 Service integration bus security

WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB make extensive use of the Service Integration Bus (SIB) to send and receive messages. Asynchronous invocation in Service Component Architecture (SCA) is implemented using messages that are sent and received over the SIB. The integration environment is not secure if you do not secure the SIB.

SIB supports authentication for connecting to the bus and role-based access control for accessing the destinations, sending, receiving, and browsing messages. WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB uses container managed aliases to authenticate with the SIB. These aliases are set up during installation. Default access control grants permissions to all authenticated users. For a more secure environment, grant permissions only to a limited set of users or groups.

Data is potentially sent over the network between a remote client, such as an adapter and a messaging engine and between two messaging engines (on different nodes). Each communication link needs to be secured with the SSL protocol.

The SIB can hold messages until a consumer is ready to consume the message. The SIB can store messages either in a database or on disk. Storing in a database is more secure. If you decide to let the SIB store messages on a disk, the disk needs to be protected with operating system security.

3.2 Security requirements for a business integration solution

Security requirements for WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB are:

Authentication

A mechanism that ensures the identity of users. Using this mechanism, the system can distinguish between valid users and invalid users of the system.

► Access control

Ensures that authenticated users have necessary permissions to access only those resources or perform only those operations for which the system has granted the users permission.

Integrity

Ensures that data that is sent over the network is not modified in transit.

Privacy and confidentiality

Ensures that data that is sent over the network cannot be viewed by unauthorized parties and that it remains confidential.

Single sign on

When a client request needs to flow through multiple systems within the enterprise, the client should not have to authenticate several times. The client should be authenticated only once. The authenticated context is propagated to downstream systems that can apply access control.

In this section we discuss how WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB offers these required security features.

3.2.1 Authentication

When security is turned on, WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB authenticate clients. WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB support several authentication mechanisms:

- ► HTTP authentication
- Web service (WS) Security token
- ► Secure Socket Layer (SSL) Client authentication
- Java Authentication and Authorization Service (JAAS)

For authentication, WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB support several user registries. User registries manage the identities (user names, passwords, and other information) of entities that interact with the system. The available user registries are:

- Local operating system registries
- ▶ LDAP
- Custom registries

WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB support only the Lightweight Third Party Authentication (LTPA) protocol. The Simple WebSphere Authentication Mechanism (SWAM) protocol is not supported.

Typical clients that are expected to invoke WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB components include Web services clients, Web or HTTP clients, and Java clients. These clients can be authenticated in the following ways:

- Web services clients can use WS-Security/SOAP authentication.
- ▶ Web clients reference JSPs, Servlets, or plain HTML documents. You can set up these artifacts for HTTP basic authentication so that the browser prompts for a user name and password when you reference the URL.
- Java clients should use JAAS for authentication.
- All clients can be set up for SSL client authentication.

The WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB runtime has some authentication aliases that are used to authenticate the runtime code for access to databases and messaging engines. The WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB installer collects the user name and passwords and creates these aliases. You can modify the aliases using the Administrative Console (Security \rightarrow Global Security \rightarrow JAAS Configuration \rightarrow J2C authentication).

Some runtime components have message driven beans (MDBs) that are configured with a *runAs* role. The installer collects the user name and password for the runAs role.

Table 3-1 and Table 3-2 list some aliases that the WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB installer creates. If these aliases are not set up correctly, the server does not function correctly when security is turned on.

Table 3-1 SCA related aliases

Alias	Description	Notes
SCA_Auth_Alias	Used by runtime to authenticate with the messaging engine	User name and password entered on the SCA configuration panel of the installer

Table 3-2 Common Event Infrastructure related alias

Alias	Description	Notes
CommonEventInfrastructureJMSAuthAlias	Used by runtime to authenticate with the messaging engine	User name and password entered on the CEI configuration panel of the installer
EventAuthAlias <dbtype>r</dbtype>	Used by runtime to authenticate with the database	User name and password entered on the CEI configuration panel of the installer

Table 3-3 and Table 3-4 list some aliases that the WebSphere Process Server installer creates.

Table 3-3 BPEL container related authentication alias

Alias	Description	Notes
BPEAuthDataAliasJMS_ <node>_<server></server></node>	Used by runtime to authenticate with the messaging engine	User name and password entered on the BPEL configuration panel of the installer
BPEAuthDataAlias <dbtype>_<node>_<server></server></node></dbtype>	Used by runtime to authenticate with the database	Database configuration is done with BPEL provided scripts

Table 3-4 BPEL container related roles

runAsRole	Description	Notes
JMSAPIUser	Used by the BFM JMS API MDB in bpecontainer.ear	User name and password entered on the BPEL configuration panel of the installer
EscalationUser	Used by the task.ear MDB	User name and password entered on the BPEL configuration panel of the installer

3.2.2 Access control

Access control refers to ensuring that the authenticated user has permission to perform an operation. Some WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB runtime components that are packaged as EAR files secure their operations using J2EE role-based security.

You can also secure components developed by users using the following SCA qualifiers:

- securityPermission, where you specify the role that has the permission to invoke the secured method.
- securityIdentity, which is the same as J2EE runAs identity. The value of this qualifier is a role that is mapped to an identity during deployment. The invocation takes the identity specified.

Access control for SCA components

Components implement interfaces that have methods. You can secure an interface or method using the SCA qualifier securityPermission. Components are defined using the Service Component Definition Language (SCDL). In the sample SCDL in Example 3-1, access to the one-way invoke method is restricted to users that are members of the role manager.

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<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<scdl:component xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"</pre>
xmlns:java="http://www.ibm.com/xmlns/prod/websphere/scdl/java/6.0.0"
xmlns:ns1="http://sample.recovery.security/Itarget"
xmlns:scdl="http://www.ibm.com/xmlns/prod/websphere/scdl/6.0.0"
xmlns:wsdl="http://www.ibm.com/xmlns/prod/websphere/scdl/wsdl/6.0.0"
displayName="secure" name="Component1">
<interfaces>
<interface xsi:type="wsdl:WSDLPortType" portType="ns1:Itarget">
<method name="onewayinvoke">
<scdl:interfaceQualifier xsi:type="scdl:SecurityPermission"</pre>
role="manager"/>
</method>
</interface>
</interfaces>
<references/>
<implementation xsi:type="java:JavaImplementation"</pre>
class="sca.component.java.impl.Component1Impl1">
</implementation>
</scdl:component>
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SCA components are developed using WebSphere Integration Developer. A module with securityPermission is exported from WebSphere Integration Developer as an EAR and installed into WebSphere Process Server or WebSphere ESB. During the installation, you can assign users to roles using any of the following choices:

- Everyone: This is equivalent to no security.
- All authenticated: Every authenticated user is member of the role.
- Mapped User: Individual users are added.
- Mapped Groups: In a real-world enterprise, the administrator should use groups (OS or LDAP) instead of individual users.

Access control for the BPEL container

The Business Process Execution Language (BPEL) runtime installs the EAR files with access control shown in Table 3-5.

Table 3-5 BPEL components with Access Control

Runtime EAR	Roles	Default permission	Notes
bpecontainer.ear	BPESystemAdministrator	Group name entered during install	Access to all business processes and all operations
bpecontainer.ear	BPESystemMonitor	All Authenticated users	Access to read operations
task.ear	TaskSystemAdministrator	Group name entered during install	Access to all human tasks
task.ear	TaskSystemMonitor	All authenticated users	Access to read operations
bpcexplorer.ear	WebClientUser	All authenticated users	Access to use the BPCExplorer

3.2.3 Access control for the Common Event Infrastructure

Common Event Infrastructure (CEI) installs the EAR files with access control, as shown in Table 3-6.

Table 3-6 CEI components with Access Control

Runtime EAR	Roles	Default permission	
EventServer.ear	eventAdministrator	All authenticated users	
EventServer.ear	eventConsumer	All authenticated users	
EventServer.ear	eventUpdater	All authenticated users	
EventServer.ear	eventCreator	All authenticated users	
EventServer.ear	catalogAdministrator	All authenticated users	
EventServer.ear	catalogReader	All authenticated users	

3.2.4 Integrity and privacy

There are two widely used solutions that are supported by WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB for implementing integrity and privacy:

- ▶ The Secure Sockets Layer (SSL) protocol uses a *handshake* to authenticate the end points and exchange information that is used to generate the session key that will be used by end points for encryption and decryption. SSL is a synchronous protocol and suitable for point to point communication. SSL requires that the two end points maintain a connection with each other for the duration of the SSL session.
- WS-Security is a standard that defines SOAP extensions for securing SOAP messages. WS-Security adds support for authentication, integrity, and privacy for a single SOAP message. Unlike SSL, there is no handshake to establish a session key, which makes WS-Security suitable for securing messages in an asynchronous environment, such as SOAP over Java Message Service (JMS).

In a business integration environment, several systems are often involved:

- Multiple enterprise applications
- Adapters
- Multiple servers running WebSphere Application Server, WebSphere Process Server, and WebSphere ESB
- Partner systems outside the intranet

The communication could be point to point or publish/subscribe. Often, the communication is asynchronous. With service-oriented architecture (SOA), most systems are likely to be communicating using Web service and SOAP protocols. This communication makes WS-Security the preferred choice for securing data sent over the network. When SOAP is not involved, you might still need to use SSL.

3.2.5 Single sign-on

When a client request needs to flow through multiple systems within the enterprise, the client should not have to authenticate several times. The client should be authenticated once. The authenticated context is propagated to downstream systems, which can apply access control.

One use case for WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB is to integrate Web applications with back-end enterprise systems. WebSEAL, which is a part of Tivoli Access Manager, can front the Web application and perform authentication on its behalf.

You can configure WebSEAL for trust association with downstream servers, such as WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB. *Trust association* between two processes means that they have authenticated with each other and trust messages from each other. With trust association, one server can authenticate clients and forward the authenticated context to trusted servers. The trusted servers do not need to authenticate the request again. Figure 3-2 illustrates trust association between WebSEAL and WebSphere Process Server is established using SSL.

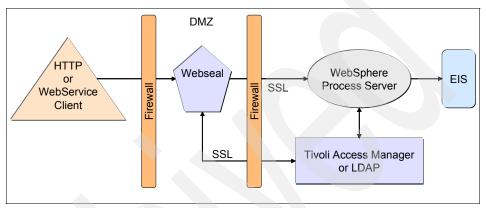


Figure 3-2 Single sign-on

If the target Enterprise Information System (EIS) has its own user registry, you can map the identity from the request to an identity in the target system. By default, WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB supports many-to-one credential mapping. You can map the identities from the incoming requests to one, pre-configured identity in the target EIS security domain. For one-to-one credential mapping, WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB provide an SPI for developers to create their own custom mapping modules.



Production topologies for WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB

When designing a production topology for WebSphere Process Server or WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus (ESB), you can choose to build a topology that supports everything these products have to offer, or you can build a smaller topology that supports just the product components and qualities of service you need.

This chapter introduces three production topologies for the WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB products, each with varying levels of support for product components and qualities of service. You can use this chapter to learn about these topologies and to determine which production topology is right for you.

This chapter includes the following sections:

- Overview of three production topologies
- Basic topology
- ► Loosely Coupled topology
- ► Full Support topology
- Selecting the appropriate production topology

4.1 Overview of three production topologies

This chapter defines three recommended production topologies for WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB configurations:

- Basic topology
- Loosely Coupled topology
- ► Full Support topology

These topologies differ in terms of the WebSphere Process Server or WebSphere ESB components and the qualities of service (QoS) that they support. Therefore, based on the components that are used for a business solution and QoS requirements of a business solution, only one topology might be the most suitable for that solution. Thus, you should choose the most suitable topology for a given business solution after you understand thoroughly the business solution components and QoS requirements of the solution.

This section details the components that are supported and QoS that is provided by the three production topologies.

4.1.1 Component support offered by the production topologies

Component support is a broad term used to describe the supported components, bindings, and the invocation patterns for those components for WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB.

Table 4-1 summarizes the component support for each production topology.

Table 4-1 Summary of components supported by three production topologies

	Basic topology	Loosely Coupled topology	Full Support topology
WebSphere ESB / WebSphere Process Server components supported	All components except ► Long-running business processes ► Business state machines ► Human Task Manager ► Business rule manager	All components except ▶ Business rule manager	All components
Bindings supported (for SCA imports and exports)	➤ Web service ➤ SCA	Web serviceSCAStateless session bean binding	All bindings
Invocation patterns supported	Synchronous invocations only	All invocation patterns except asynchronous, 2-way with deferred response	All invocation patterns
CEI support	No	No	Yes
Security	Yes	Yes	Yes

4.1.2 Quality of service support offered by the production topologies

All the production topologies that we describe in this book offer the *failover* and *load balancing* capabilities that are offered by WebSphere Network Deployment. In addition, these topologies also offer the QoS that is summarized in Table 4-2.

Table 4-2 Summary of QoS support for three production topologies

Name of QoS	Definition	Basic topology	Loosely Coupled topology	Full Support topology
Message sequencing	Business solutions that require preservation of the order of service invocations are said to require QoS message sequencing.	Yes	No	Yes
Cluster size tolerance (Refer to 4.5.1, "Decision factors affecting the topology selection" on page 59 for more information.)	Business solutions that do not require the client business processes to be aware of changes to the cluster size changes are said to be cluster size tolerant.	No	No	Yes
Cluster location tolerance (Refer to 4.5.1, "Decision factors affecting the topology selection" on page 59 for more information.)	Business solutions that do not require the client business processes to be aware of changes to the deployment targets on which business applications are installed are said to be cluster location tolerant.	No	No	Yes

Name of QoS	Definition	Basic topology	Loosely Coupled topology	Full Support topology
Constrained hardware usage	In production environment, sometimes customer can buy hardware as desired for topology or sometimes they have to design a topology to take into considerations hardware constraints. Business solutions that are constrained by hardware, either in terms of the number of machines or the number of concurrent processes per machine, are said to require QoS constrained hardware usage.	Yes	Yes	No

The final choice of a production topology for a given business solution depends on the combination of component support and QoS characteristics that are needed by the business solution.

In the following sections, we discuss the architectural details of the three types of topology and discuss the process for selecting the appropriate topology for a given a business solution.

4.2 Basic topology

This section describes the architectural details and a sample Basic topology for the WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB products.

4.2.1 Architectural details for a Basic topology for WebSphere ESB

Figure 4-1 shows architectural details of the Basic topology for WebSphere ESB.

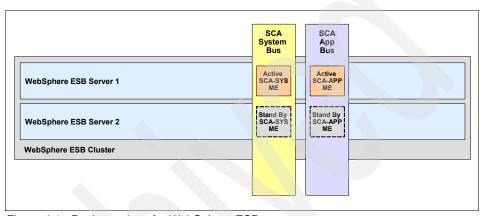


Figure 4-1 Basic topology for WebSphere ESB

The key internal architectural details of this topology are:

- ► The topology is comprised of only one cluster in a cell.
- The cluster is the only member of the SCA-System and SCA-Application buses.
- Business applications and messaging engines reside together inside same application server in the cluster. Therefore, there is no clear distinction between the messaging layer and the application layer.
- ► There is only one active messaging engine on the SCA-System and SCA-Application buses:
 - By default, this active messaging engine starts on one of the application servers inside the cluster.
 - The active messaging engine has a stand-by messaging engine on each of the remaining application servers within the cluster. When the active messaging engine stops, the high availability (HA) manager activates one of the remaining stand-by messaging engines.

In this topology, because there are only synchronous invocations, the messaging engines are not used for communication. Therefore, the business solution designer should not be concerned about internal architectural details about messaging engines and buses.

Sample Basic topology for WebSphere ESB

Figure 4-2 shows a sample Basic WebSphere ESB topology. This sample Basic topology for WebSphere ESB is comprised of a single cluster into which the WebSphere mediation module is deployed.

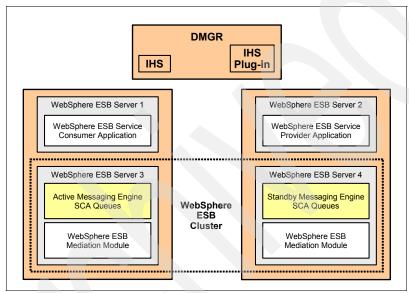


Figure 4-2 Sample Basic topology for WebSphere ESB

The WebSphere ESB service provider and WebSphere ESB service consumer applications can be deployed either into the same cell or into separate cells. In the sample topology, one singleton WebSphere ESB server is used to host each of these applications. In the sample topology, the consumer application, WebSphere mediation module, and service provider applications are all Web services and communicate with each other through SOAP/HTTP. WebSphere ESB Server 1 and WebSphere ESB Server 2, as shown in Figure 4-2, are not added to the SCA-System and SCA-Application buses.

The service consumer application invokes the application within the WebSphere ESB mediation module synchronously. Similarly, the mediation module invokes the service provider application synchronously.

Note: The Basic topology for WebSphere ESB is implemented in Chapter 6, "Implementing the Basic topology for WebSphere ESB" on page 93.

4.2.2 Architectural details for a Basic topology for WebSphere Process Server

Figure 4-3 shows architectural details of the Basic topology for WebSphere Process Server.

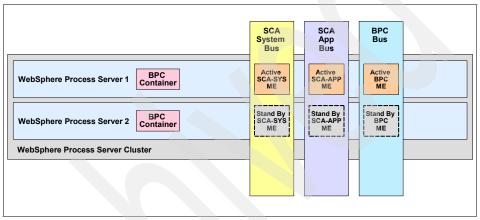


Figure 4-3 Basic topology for WebSphere Process Server

The key internal architectural details of this topology are:

- The topology is comprised of only one cluster in a cell.
- The cluster is the only member of the SCA-System, SCA-Application and BPC buses.
- Business applications and messaging engines reside together inside the same application server within the cluster. Therefore, there is no clear distinction between the messaging layer and the application layer.
- ► There is only one active messaging engine on the SCA-System, SCA-Application and BPC buses:
 - By default, this active messaging engine starts on one of the Application Servers inside the cluster.
 - The active messaging engine has a stand-by messaging engine on each
 of the remaining application servers within the cluster. When the active
 messaging engine stops, the HA manager activates one of the remaining
 stand-by messaging engines.

In this topology as there are only synchronous invocations, therefore the messaging engines are not used for communication. Therefore the business solution designer should not be concerned about internal architectural details about messaging engines and buses.

Sample Basic topology for WebSphere Process Server

Figure 4-4 shows a sample Basic topology for WebSphere Process Server. This sample Basic topology is comprised of a single cluster into which the business process applications are deployed.

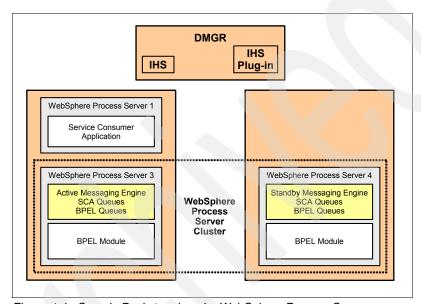


Figure 4-4 Sample Basic topology for WebSphere Process Server

The BPEL container is configured on this WebSphere Process Server cluster, and the cluster is a member of the SCA-System, SCA-Application and BPC buses.

Client applications that invoke business applications within the cluster can be either deployed into the same cell or into separate cells. In the sample topology, one singleton WebSphere Process server hosts these client applications. These applications invoke the business applications within the cluster synchronously using SOAP/HTTP. WebSphere Process Server 1, as shown in Figure 4-4, is not added to the SCA-System, SCA-Application or BPC buses.

4.3 Loosely Coupled topology

This section describes the architectural details and a Loosely Coupled sample topology for the WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB products.

4.3.1 Architectural details for a Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere ESB

Figure 4-5 gives architectural details of the Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere ESB.

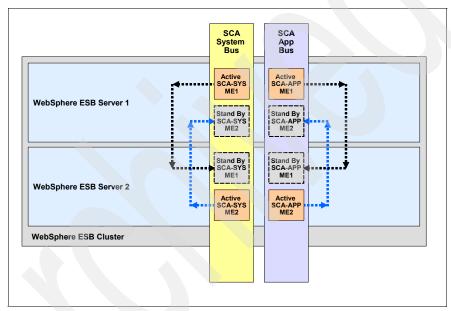


Figure 4-5 Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere ESB

The key internal architectural details of this topology are:

- ► The topology makes use of destination partitioning features that are supported by the service integration bus (SI Bus).
- ► The topology can include one or more application clusters.
- Every cluster is a member of the SCA-System and SCA-Application buses.
- Business applications and messaging engines reside together inside the same application server within the cluster. (No distinction between messaging layer and application layer for a solution.)

- ► There are multiple active messaging engines for every bus within the cluster:
 - By default, an active messaging engine starts on every application server within the cluster for each bus (SCA-System and SCA-Application).
 - Each active messaging engine has a stand-by messaging engine on the other application servers within the cluster. When an active messaging engine stops, the HA manager activates one of the remaining stand-by messaging engines.

Sample topology for a Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere ESB

The sample Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere ESB is comprised of one or more clusters. In Figure 4-6, there are two clusters.

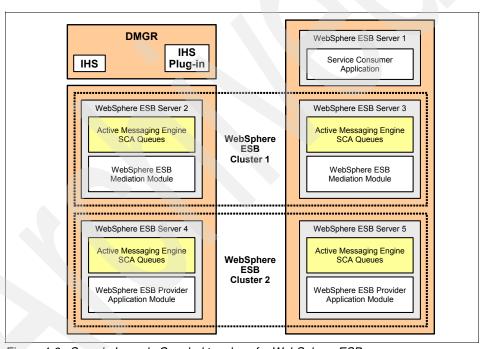


Figure 4-6 Sample Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere ESB

The service provider and service consumer applications can be deployed into the same cell or into separate cells. In Figure 4-6, the service provider application is deployed into the WebSphere ESB cluster, and the services consumer application is deployed onto a singleton server. The service consumer application and WebSphere ESB mediation module are Web services. These

services communicate with each other through SOAP/HTTP and invocation occurs synchronously.

The WebSphere ESB mediation module and WebSphere ESB provider application communicate with each other using SCA bindings. The communication method is asynchronous, 2-way with callback.

The WebSphere ESB Cluster 1 and WebSphere ESB Cluster 2 are added to the SCA-System and SCA-Application. The WebSphere ESB Server 1 is not a member of any of the buses.

4.3.2 Architectural details for a Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere Process Server

Figure 4-7 gives architectural details of the Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere Process Server.

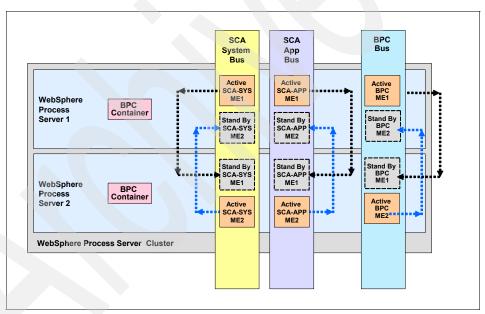


Figure 4-7 Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere Process Server

The key internal architectural details of this topology are:

- The topology makes use of destination partitioning features that are supported by the SI Bus for the SCA-System and SCA-Application and the BPC buses.
- ► The topology can include one or more application clusters.
- Every cluster is a member of the SCA-System, SCA-Application, and BPC buses.
- Business applications and messaging engines reside together inside each application server within the cluster. Therefore, there is no clear distinction between the messaging layer and the application layer.
- ► For the SCA-System, SCA-Application, and BPC buses within each cluster, there is an active messaging engine on each cluster member application server. Destination partitioning features are used for the SCA-System and SCA-Application and BPC bus:
 - By default, an active messaging engine starts on every application server within the cluster for both the SCA-System and SCA-Application buses.
 - Each active messaging engine has a stand-by messaging engine on the other application servers within the cluster. When the active messaging engine stops, the HA manager activates one of the remaining stand-by messaging engines.

Sample topology for a Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere Process Server

The Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere Process Server is comprised of one or more clusters. In Figure 4-8, there are two clusters. Client processes that consume services inside the WebSphere Process Server cluster can be deployed into a single cell or into separate cells.

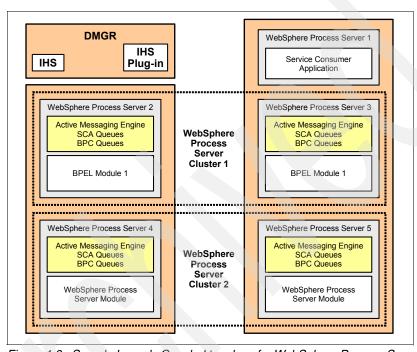


Figure 4-8 Sample Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere Process Server

Client applications are Web services. They invoke BPEL processes using SOAP/HTTP. The interaction style is synchronous.

The BPEL process within *Cluster 1* invokes other applications inside the WebSphere Process server *Cluster 2* using SCA bindings. The invocation method used is asynchronous, 2-way with callback.

The WebSphere Process Server Cluster 1 and WebSphere Process Server Cluster 2 are both added to the SCA-System, SCA-Application, and BPC buses. The WebSphere Process Server 1 is not member of any of the buses.

Note: The Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere Process Server is implemented in Chapter 8, "Implementing the Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere Process Server" on page 231.

4.4 Full Support topology

This section describes the architectural details and a sample scenario for the Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB.

4.4.1 Architectural details for Full Support topology for WebSphere ESB

Figure 4-9 shows the architectural details of the Full Support topology for WebSphere ESB.

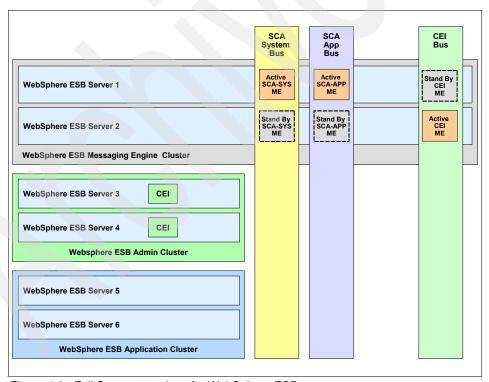


Figure 4-9 Full Support topology for WebSphere ESB

The key internal architectural details of the topology are:

- ► The topology is comprised of one messaging engine cluster, one support cluster, and one or more application clusters.
- ► The messaging engine cluster is the only member of the SCA-System, SCA-Application, and CEI buses.
- Business applications and messaging engines reside in separate application servers within the cluster. Therefore, there is a clear distinction between the messaging layer and the application layer.
- ► There is only one active messaging engine on the SCA-System, SCA-Application, and CEI buses. This messaging engine is located within the messaging engine cluster:
 - By default, an active messaging engine starts on one of the application servers inside the messaging engine cluster.
 - The active messaging engine has stand-by messaging engines on each of the other application servers within the messaging engine cluster. When an active messaging engine stops, the HA manager activates one of the remaining stand-by messaging engines.

Sample topology for Full Support topology for WebSphere ESB

Figure 4-10 shows a sample Full Support topology for WebSphere ESB. The topology is comprised of one messaging engine cluster, one support cluster and one or more WebSphere ESB application clusters.

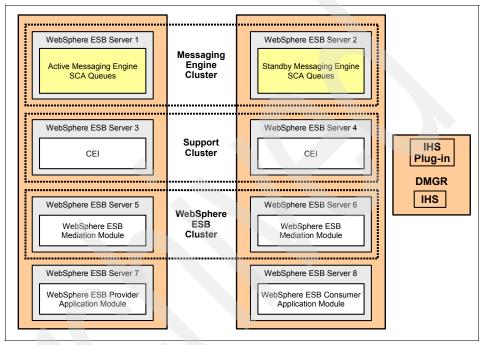


Figure 4-10 Sample Full Support topology for WebSphere ESB

The messaging engine cluster includes one or more WebSphere ESB servers. A single server hosts the active messaging engines for each of the SCA-Application, SCA-System, and CEI buses.

The support cluster includes the CEI-related applications and supports the asynchronous method for querying events.

The WebSphere ESB cluster includes the mediation modules. The service provider applications and the service consumer applications are installed on two separate singleton servers.

In the sample topology, the service consumer application uses MQ-JMS bindings. The consumer application invokes a WebSphere ESB mediation module asynchronously with 2-way, deferred response call.

The WebSphere ESB mediation module invokes the provider application using the SCA binding with a synchronous call.

The messaging engine cluster is the only member of the SCA-System, SCA-Application and CEI buses in this topology. All other servers and clusters refer to this remote messaging engine cluster for their messaging requirements.

Note: The Full Support topology for WebSphere ESB is implemented in Chapter 7, "Implementing the Full Support topology for WebSphere ESB" on page 151.

4.4.2 Architectural details for Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server

Figure 4-11 shows the architectural details of the Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server.

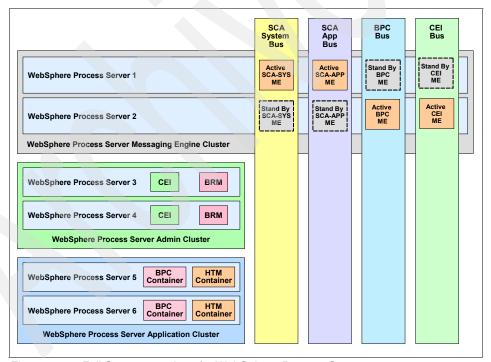


Figure 4-11 Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server

The key internal architectural details of the topology are:

- ► The topology is comprised of one messaging engine cluster, one support cluster, and one or more application clusters.
- ► The messaging engine cluster is the only member of the SCA-System, SCA-Application, BPC, and CEI buses.
- ► The business applications and the messaging engines reside in different application servers within the cluster. Therefore, there is a clear distinction between the messaging and the application layer.
- ► There is only one active messaging engine on the SCA-System, SCA-Application, BPC and CEI buses. This messaging engine is located within the messaging engine cluster:
 - By default, an active messaging engine starts on one of the application servers inside the messaging engine cluster.
 - The active messaging engine has a stand-by messaging engine on each
 of the other application servers within the messaging engine cluster. When
 the active messaging engine stops, the HA manager activates one of the
 remaining stand-by messaging engines.

Sample topology for Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server

Figure 4-12 shows a sample Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server. The topology is comprised of one messaging engine cluster, one support cluster and one or more WebSphere Process Server application clusters.

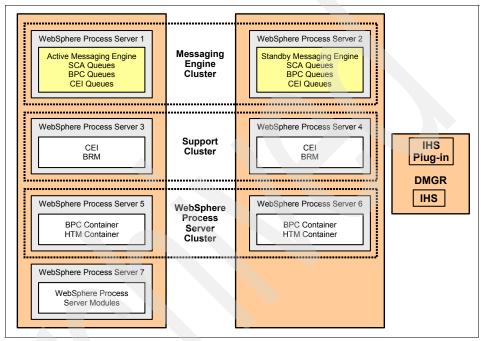


Figure 4-12 Sample Full Support Topology for WebSphere Process Server

The messaging engine cluster includes one or more WebSphere Process Server members. A single member server hosts the active messaging engines for each of the SCA-Application, SCA-System, BPC, and CEI buses.

The support cluster includes the CEI-related and business rules manager-related applications. The cluster supports asynchronous calls for querying events.

In this example, there is one WebSphere Process Server application cluster. The BPC and HTM containers are configured within this cluster, and business processes are deployed within this cluster. The solution includes long-running BPEL flows and interactions with human tasks.

In addition, the topology includes one singleton WebSphere Process Server containing the client applications for invoking business processes. The singleton

server and WebSphere Process Server cluster refer to the remote messaging engine cluster for their messaging needs.

The client application that is running on the singleton server invokes business processes using SCA bindings. The invocation is made asynchronously with a call back mechanism.

Note: The Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server with security is implemented in Chapter 9, "Implementing the Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server" on page 319.

4.5 Selecting the appropriate production topology

This section discusses the selection criteria when choosing the appropriate production topology for a given business solution.

4.5.1 Decision factors affecting the topology selection

Factors that affect the topology selection can be broadly classified into the following categories:

Component support type of factors

Table 4-1 summarizes the components, bindings, and invocation patterns that are supported by each topology.

► QoS type of factors

Table 4-2 summarizes the QoS levels that each topology offers.

Most of the production environments are not static. When demand for a service grows, you might need to purchase additional hardware or replace the hardware that has failed. Therefore, some business solutions need QoS that requires service clients to be unaware of such environment alterations. We discuss these requirements in the following sections.

Cluster size tolerance

Sometimes, it might be necessary to modify the size of a cluster in a production environment. For a topology to be tolerant of changes to the cluster size, client applications should require no notice or modification that the cluster has changed. A production environment that requires client processes to re-establish their connections to the cluster is said to be *cluster size intolerant*.

Figure 4-13 illustrates cluster *size* tolerance and intolerance.

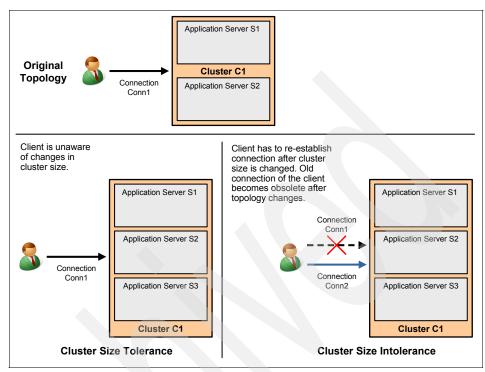


Figure 4-13 Cluster size tolerance

Cluster location tolerance

Sometimes, it might be necessary to modify the location of cluster members in a production environment. For a topology to be tolerant of changes to the location of cluster members, client applications should require no notice or modification that the cluster has changed. A production environment that requires client processes to re-establish their connections to the cluster is said to be *cluster location intolerant*.

Figure 4-14 illustrates cluster *location* tolerance and intolerance.

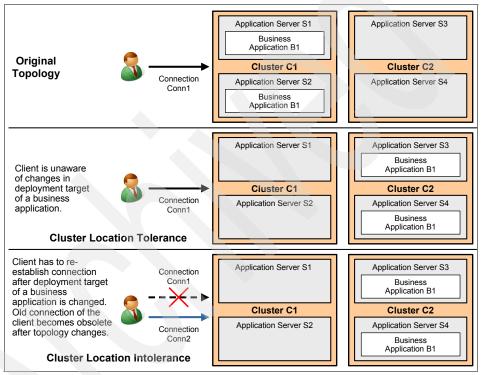


Figure 4-14 Cluster location tolerance

4.5.2 Topology selection flow chart

Figure 4-15 provides a flow chart for selecting the most appropriate production topology for a given business solution.

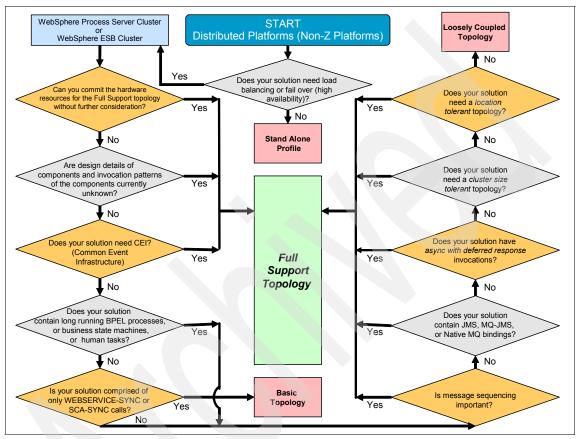


Figure 4-15 Flow chart for selecting the correct production topology for a business solution

Note: This flow chart applies only to distributed platforms. We do not address production topologies for System z^{TM} in this book.

4.6 Summary

To summarize our information about the production topologies or WebSphere Process Server or WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus:

- ► A non-clustered *stand-alone configuration* is sufficient for solutions in which failover and load-balancing are not required.
- ▶ *Basic topology* is a simple clustered solution, but in some circumstances this topology might be sufficient for your needs.
- ► Loosely Coupled topology should be chosen carefully by taking into consideration various conditions that are shown in Figure 4-15 on page 62.
- ► *Full Support topology* is the most capable and commonly used topology.

You can use the flow chart in Figure 4-15 on page 62 to select an appropriate topology for mediation scenarios that are running in WebSphere ESB and business process scenarios that are running in WebSphere Process Server.



Scenarios that we use in this book

In this chapter, we introduce the two business scenarios that we use in this book:

- ► The first business scenario describes a simple ITSO Bank application that implements mediation functionalities between two different bank departments.
- ► The second scenario describes a simple business process application where the account closure process uses several existing ITSO enterprise services.

We present each scenario in two different versions: a simple setup and a more complex setup.

We deploy these solutions to the topologies that we describe in this book. The target runtime for the mediation scenario is WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus, and the target runtime for the business process solution is WebSphere Process Server.

5.1 Mediation scenario context

This section introduces the ITSO Bank mediation scenarios. We describe these scenarios from the business and the IT perspectives. We simplified this business scenario for the purposes of this book.

The ITSO Bank is an imaginary U. S. company in our business scenario. As the ITSO Bank grows, the business requirements expand. The requirement to support potential growth defines which topology is most appropriate.

The ITSO Bank has grown from a local to a large business, and the customer requirements have become more stringent. The growth has come from the acquisition of an English bank, which means that two separate and overlapping stock brokers must be maintained—one for the New York and one for London.

Each stock broker has a different interface to accept orders from the Bank. ITSO Bank customers can place stock orders through a traditional trading Web application. The order management process can use either stock broker to fulfill customer requests.

The mediation issues that we describe in this section are not unique to the finance industry or to company mergers. For any company, continual business change and organizational consolidation can result in a myriad of hardware, software, and application components.

The interfaces between these components are mediated by business logic components that must be flexible and dynamic. The finance industry integration scenario that we present is an example that can be applied to other industries.

Figure 5-1 gives a high-level overview of the mediation scenario.

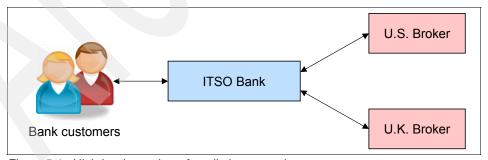


Figure 5-1 High-level overview of mediation scenario

5.1.1 Business goals

The following statements are true for stock orders:

- ► Each stock broker is more familiar with the local stock market.
- ► Each broker can manage the local market more rapidly.
- ▶ The purchasing costs applied by the stock broker are lower locally.

By integrating their stock ordering processes ITSO Bank plans to:

- Reduce costs by reducing the staff workload that is associated with placing stock orders with the target stock broker (New York for U. S stocks and London for U. K. stocks)
- Increase customer satisfaction by decreasing the costs for the stock order.

The ITSO Bank moves to an on demand environment, where only one stock order service is provided and requests are redirected to the most appropriate broker according to the stock location.

Any stock requests outside the U. S. or U. K. are managed by the U. S. stock broker. In the complex scenario, this is considered an exception, and it is handled by an *Event Emitter*. The Event Emitter mediation primitive sends out business events, during a mediation flow. The events are generated in the form of Common Base Events (CBE) and are sent to a Common Event Infrastructure (CEI) server via the SCA infrastructure which provides basic event management services, such as event generation, transmission, persistence, and consumption.

Note: The Event Emitter is a new mediation primitive available with WebSphere Integration Developer 6.0.2. In Appendix D, "New product features used in the sample applications" on page 455 we describe how this primitive has been used in our sample application.

Two different levels of complexity are provided for the mediation business scenario: a simple and complex.

- In the initial phase, the ITSO Bank requires a standard quality of service. The solution provided is tested by bank employees in a production environment. In this first phase, the event emitting and logging capabilities are not business requirements.
 - The bank gains experience with the mediation technologies in a production environment with limited investment in hardware and systems management skills.
- ► The ITSO Bank decides to move to the complex scenario after testing the solution and proving that it meets the business goals. For the complex

mediation scenario the solution also has to meet other requirements, such as availability, performance, scalability, and event logging.

5.1.2 Simple mediation scenario

Note: We use the simple mediation application as the sample scenario that is deployed to the Basic topology for WebSphere ESB. We describe this scenario in Chapter 6, "Implementing the Basic topology for WebSphere ESB" on page 93.

The *best broker decision* is driven by specific business logic. The intention of the simple mediation scenario is to isolate this logic inside a mediation module. The module is composed of:

- One mediation flow that implements the logic to choose the best stock broker
- ► One interface to make the mediation functionalities available to web trading application
- ► Two interfaces for importing the remote broker services

Figure 5-2 shows how we implement the simple scenario:

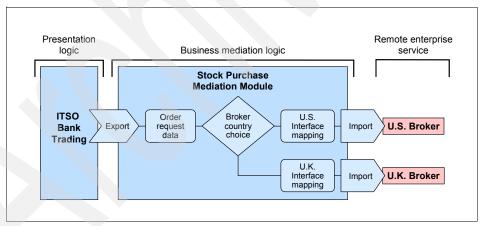


Figure 5-2 Simple mediation scenario used for WebSphere ESB topology patterns

The ITSO Bank mediation solution is composed of three modules:

Presentation module, including the presentation logic
This is a simple representation of a user interface for the ITSO trading application. This interface is used to invoke the mediation module by

submitting a stock order request. The target runtime environment for this application is WebSphere Application Server.

Mediation module, including the mediation logic

The mediation module contains: a simple SCA component to implement the mediation logic, the interfaces for importing remote broker services and the interface to make the mediation logic available to the Web trading application. The target runtime environment for this module is WebSphere ESB.

Service module, including the remote broker services

This is a simple EAR application containing the two broker services. These services are invoked by the mediation module using a Web services binding. The target runtime environment for this application is WebSphere Application Server.

Mediation modules are created using WebSphere Integration Developer and deployed to WebSphere ESB through an EAR file.

For this mediation scenario, the ITSO Bank mediation module implements the following functionality:

- Determination of the most suitable stock broker to fulfill the order
- ► Interface mapping logic between the bank and the stock brokers

In this scenario, the interfaces between the trading web application, the mediation module and the remote services are invoked through Web service (SOAP/HTTP).

Example use of the sample application

This scenario is shipped in three different EAR files:

- ► ITSOESBPresApp: This application includes the simple user interface to the mediation module (presentation layer).
- ► ITSOESBBusApp: This application includes the mediation logic (business layer).
- ► ITSOESBSrvApp: This application includes the two services which represent the U. S. and U. K. brokers (service layer).

These files are available in the additional material that accompanies this book. For more information about how to obtain this additional material, see Appendix A, "Additional material" on page 427.

You can import all WSDL interface descriptions and the project files into WebSphere Integration Developer using Project Interchange file capabilities. Then, you can browse the Web service using the Web service editor.

After installing the applications, you can test the mediation components by accessing the Web interface by following these steps:

 Open a Web browser and enter the following URL: http://
http://
http://ebto.itso:9080/ITSOESBPrsWeb/stockOrder.jsp
For example: http://ebto.itso:9080/ITSOESBPrsWeb/stockOrder.jsp
An input form for stock order displays (Figure 5-3).



Figure 5-3 stockOrder.jsp request

2. Complete all the fields and click Place Order.

A message displays that includes the broker name and confirmation ID (Figure 5-4).



Figure 5-4 stockOrder.jsp response

3. From the component perspective, the message is composed inside the mediation module. The confirmation ID is returned by the remote broker service. This value is appended to the string Confirmation Id from US broker: when the U. S. broker is invoked. A similar message is displayed when the U. K. broker is invoked, where UK appears in the string instead of US.

5.1.3 Complex mediation scenario

Note: We use the complex mediation application as the sample scenario that is deployed to the Full Support topology for WebSphere ESB. We describe the scenario in Chapter 7, "Implementing the Full Support topology for WebSphere ESB" on page 151.

In this section, we introduce some new requirements from the ITSO Bank mediation solution. For the complex scenario, we add the event emitting functionality to the application capabilities that are already available in the simple mediation scenario. Also, the solution requirements are more complex.

In the simple mediation scenario, the potential users of the ITSO Bank solution are the bank employees. After this first testing phase, ITSO Bank verifies that the solution has reached the business goals. Then, the business decides to make the solution available to external Web customers.

In this scenario, the requirements around the mediation are more rigorous, and new service levels are required concerning:

- Availability
- Scalability
- Performance (response time, throughput, and capacity)
- Event emitting and logging when the marketplace is neither the U. S. nor the U. K.

Figure 5-5 shows how the application logic is modified by using the Event Emitter mediation primitive.

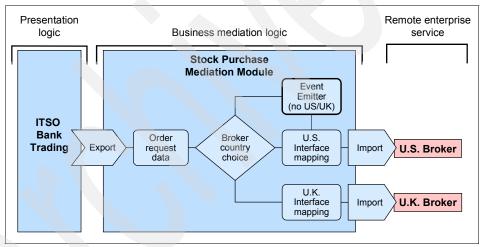


Figure 5-5 Complex mediation scenario used for WebSphere ESB topologies patterns

Example use of the sample application

This book describes two applications for the simple and complex mediation scenarios. New non-functional business requirements and the need to use the CEI infrastructure are the key differences between each application. Business factors define the chosen topology.

From the user perspective, there is no difference between the simple and the complex scenario. The application presentation is unchanged.

In the complex scenario the Common Event Infrastructure is used for event emitting and logging. The CBE Event Browser can be used to view these logged events.

5.2 Business process scenario context

This section describes the high-level sample business process scenario, how the process works, and depicts the flow through the sample application implementation.

The business scenario is focused on the ITSO Bank, the same imaginary company that we use for the mediation scenario. In this section we introduce the role of each of the services involved in the business process. We discuss the business criteria that shape the scenario, as well as the IT requirements that drive the implementation.

The integration issues that we describe in this section are not unique to the finance industry or to company mergers. For any company, continual business change and organizational consolidation can result in a myriad of hardware, software, and application components, which must remain flexible and dynamic. The finance industry integration scenario that we present is an example that you can apply to other industries.

The ITSO Bank is focusing attention on the account closure process. Use of this process by the ITSO Bank employees is supported by many bank applications and services. In addition, the ITSO Bank must meet the requirements concerning the integration of these applications and services. The applications and services that make up the account closure process have satisfied IT functional requirements, but they are disparate. The aim is to focus on the account closure process in terms of integration, coordination, and choreography of the different services.

To meet these requirements, the ITSO Bank builds a new solution based on an automatic business process to manage the account closure request. Essentially, this solution should present a single account closure process by use of a set of existing enterprise services.

This ITSO Bank simple scenario is a simplified application that will be used by the bank employees. The scenario is composed of:

- A number of enterprise services and applications. The new process is composed of the applications and services from existing enterprise information systems.
- ► A simple business process. The process has been formalized, and it is available through the new ITSO business solution.
- ► A Web-based GUI. This is a basic application that demonstrates how a business process can be driven by a typical Web application.

Some of the enterprise services interfaces are based on SOAP/HTTP protocol. Each Web services engine provider involved in the ITSO Bank sample business scenario must provide an implementation for a Web services interface.

An implementation of the ITSO Bank sample business scenario is provided. It uses Web services implementations that are written in J2EE running in WebSphere Application Server.

To demonstrate how knowledge of the application drives the topology choice, we provide two different implementations of the account closure scenario:

- ► The release for the simple ITSO Bank application has no Human Tasks. It is completely automated.
- The final release for the complex ITSO Bank application requires human interaction.

5.2.1 Business goals

The scope of ITSO Bank application is the integration of existing bank services into a business process. The intention is to:

- Reduce costs by reducing the current staff workload associated with management of account closures. With automatic account closure, the employee is no longer required to submit the same information multiple times for different applications.
- Increase customer satisfaction by decreasing account closure response times.
- ▶ Decouple employee knowledge and the account closure process, thus eliminating the need to retrain employees if the account closure process changes.

Figure 5-6 illustrates the ITSO Bank account closure process before the business solution is implemented. The logic concerning the choice of the bank service is held by the bank employee.

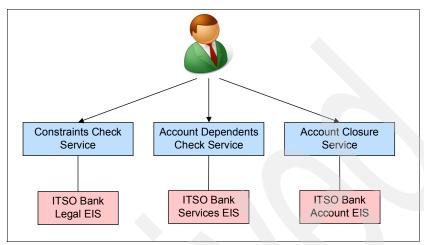


Figure 5-6 Account closure process prior to the ITSO Bank business solution

5.2.2 Simple business process scenario

Note: We describe the simple business process application that we use as the sample scenario that is deployed to the Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere Process Server in Chapter 8, "Implementing the Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere Process Server" on page 231.

The business scenario that we discuss in this section is composed of three sequential phases: request, analysis, and closure. Each of these phases is implemented by means of an existing enterprise service:

1. Request phase

This is the first phase of ITSO Bank account closure process. In this phase the *Constraints check* service is invoked. This service already exists in the bank enterprise information system. The service checks for the presence of constraints (for example legal constraints) that inhibit account closure. If a blocking constraint is raised by this service, an error message is returned to the business user

2. Analysis phase

This phase checks whether there are account dependent services linked to the account (for example, credit card, debit card, taxes payment, and so forth). If no dependencies are present the process continues. Otherwise, a message is returned to the user that includes the dependency information and the actions that have to be managed before account closure can be completed.

Note: To simplify the process proposed in our scenario, the business exceptions, such as constraints and account dependencies, are not managed automatically. In a real business process, exceptions are better managed using WebSphere Integration Developer.

3. Closure phase

The final process phase is closure. The *Closure service* is invoked to submit the account closure request and the process completes with a confirmation message to the user.

In this solution, we have implemented the three enterprise services as sample Java objects to be deployed in WebSphere Application Server with simple logic. The business process invokes the enterprise services through Web service (SOAP/HTTP) bindings.

Figure 5-7 illustrates the simple business account closure process.

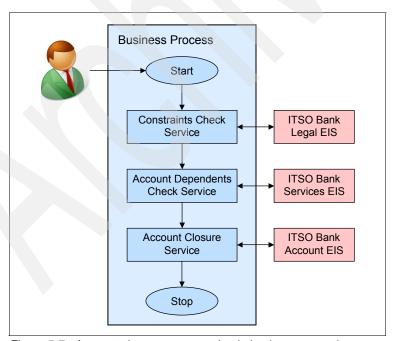


Figure 5-7 Account closure process, simple business scenario

In the simple business scenario, the process is completely automated with the following binding invocations:

- The bank employee submits the account closure order to the process. The interaction between the presentation and the business module is implemented using an SCA binding export.
- 2. The *Constraints check* service is invoked. The connection between the process and the service is a Web service binding invoked synchronously.
- 3. The next service is invoked in the same way, with a sysnchronous Web service binding.
- 4. The process invokes the *Closure* service with an asynchronous one-way Web service binding.
- 5. The process terminates successfully and confirmation is returned.

Example use of the sample application

This scenario is shipped in three different EAR files:

- ► ITSOWPSSmplPresApp, which includes the simple user interface for the process (presentation layer)
- ► ITSOWPSSmplBusApp, which includes the business module that implements the business process defined by the bank (business layer)
- ► ITSOWPSSmplSrvApp, which includes the three services that are used by the process (service layer)

These files are available in the additional material that accompanies this book. For more information about how to obtain this additional material, see Appendix A, "Additional material" on page 427.

After installing the applications, you can test the business components by accessing the Web interface. Follow these steps:

 Open a Web browser and enter the following URL: http://http://http://host>:<port>/ITSOWPSSmp1PrsWeb/startProcess.jsp An input form for account data displays (Figure 5-8).

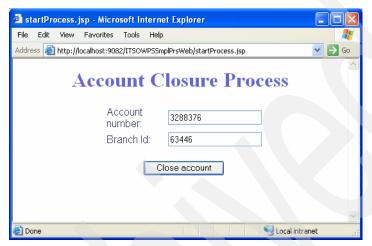


Figure 5-8 Account closure request

- 2. Complete all the fields and click Close account.
- 3. If no constraints or dependencies are found, confirmation of successful account closure is returned (Figure 5-9).

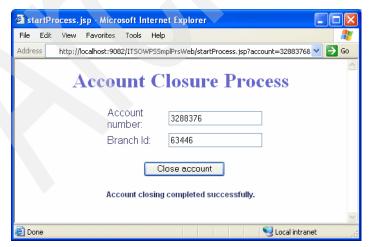


Figure 5-9 Account closure response

4. If constraints or dependencies are found, a warning message displays, and the account closure process is not invoked (for example, Accounts "111111" or "123456" do not complete). Verify in the server console that the process stops before the final closure service is invoked.

5.2.3 Complex business process scenario

Note: We describe the complex business process application that we use as the sample scenario that is deployed to the Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server in Chapter 9, "Implementing the Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server" on page 319.

The next business scenario assumes the first release of ITSO Bank business solution satisfied the business requirements.

The bank has decided to change the process that drives account closure. A bank employee must now check the account balance before the process completes with the invocation of the closure service. Therefore, the process must invoke the enterprise service providing the account balance. After the balance has been calculated, a human task is created inside the process. The simple human task provides the bank employee with the account balance information. Based on this value (for example, the balance exceeds U. S. \$10 000), the employee decides whether to proceed with account closure or to take another action. In the second case, the process stops without invocation of the closure service, and the bank employee takes some account retention action.

Note: WebSphere Integration Developer and WebSphere Process Server provides specific capabilities to automate this decision. By means of Business Rules the threshold (in our example U. S. \$10 000) can be configured at runtime, and a new version of the process is not required if the threshold changes. We use a human task instead of a business rule.

Business Process Start Constraints Check ITSO Bank Service Legal EIS **Account Dependents** ITSO Bank Check Service Services EIS ITSO Bank Get Balance Balance EIS **Human Decision** Account Closure ITSO Bank Service Account EIS Stop

Figure 5-10 illustrates the complex business account closure process.

Figure 5-10 Account closure process, complex business process scenario

Example use of the sample application

This scenario is shipped in three EAR files:

- ► ITSOWPSCplxPresApp, which includes the user interface for the process (presentation layer).
- ► ITSOWPSCplxBusApp, which includes the business module that implements the business process defined by the bank (business layer).
- ► ITSOWPSCplxSrvApp, which includes the service that provides the information about the account balance (service layer). For the complex scenario, we use the same three services that are used in the simple scenario the process (service layer).

These files are available in the additional material that accompanies this book. For more information about how to obtain this additional material, see Appendix A, "Additional material" on page 427.

You can test the business components by using the simple application Web interface. (We discuss how the application works for an account closure request in "Example use of the sample application" on page 77.)

A new management task for the bank employee is to check for approval requests and to take ownership of them.

Note: The scope of the simple application is to provide an example of long-running process, so the human task is managed by the user manually. WebSphere Process Server supports multi-level escalation for human tasks including e-mail notification.

In this section we explain how to use the application for the account closure approval. The bank employee accesses the simple user interface to check for the existence of any account closure requests that are ready to be completed.

When a user clicks **Available tasks**, the Web application queries WebSphere Process Server for the availability of any human tasks. If an account closure request is stopped at the human decision step, the task is retrieved, and the account balance information is displayed. The bank employee makes a decision whether to approve the account closure. If approved the closure service is invoked. Otherwise, the process stops and the account stays open.

After installing the applications, you can test the business components by accessing the Web interface. Follow these steps:

1. Open a Web browser and enter the following URL:

http://entation host>:<port>/ITSOWPSCplxPrsWeb/faces/Index.jsp
An input form for account data displays.

The browser displays a welcome page (Figure 5-11). To start the account closure process for the complex scenario, click **Start process** in the left menu.

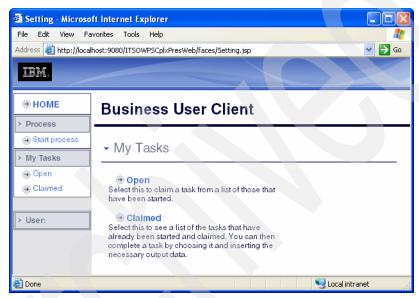


Figure 5-11 Welcome page

2. The new page shows a list of available templates. For our scenario, the template's name is *complexAccountClosure*. To start a new process instance, click **complexAccountClosure**, as shown in Figure 5-12.

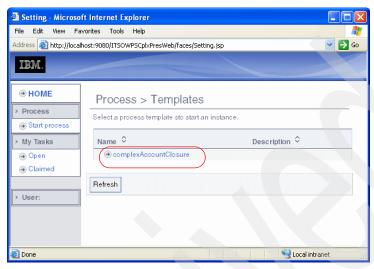


Figure 5-12 List of available process templates

3. In the next page, enter the account data and click **Start** (Figure 5-13).



Figure 5-13 Insert account data

4. At this point the process starts and a confirmation message displays (Figure 5-14).

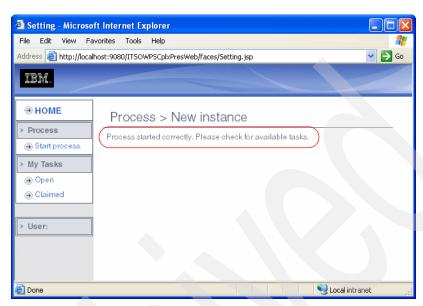


Figure 5-14 New process instance started successfully

5. Repeat steps 2 and 3, and start a new account closure process.

6. Two process instances are started and the bank employee has no knowledge of the process logic. Subsequently, the employee must check for tasks that require approval. In our example, two tasks are present in the list, as shown in Figure 5-15. The bank employee must complete the tasks by approving or denying the account closure. To check the availability of tasks, click **Open** in the **My Tasks** section of menu.

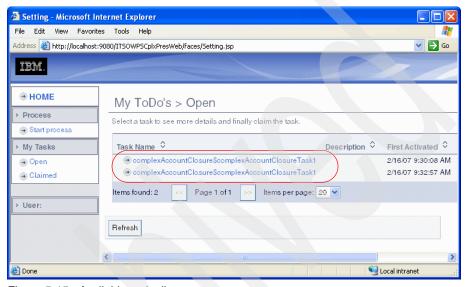


Figure 5-15 Available tasks list

7. Click **Claimed** in the menu to verify that no task is in the *Claimed* state. To claim status, select one of the available tasks, and click the task name. A new page displays with the task information. On this page, click **Claim** to claim the task, as shown in Figure 5-16.

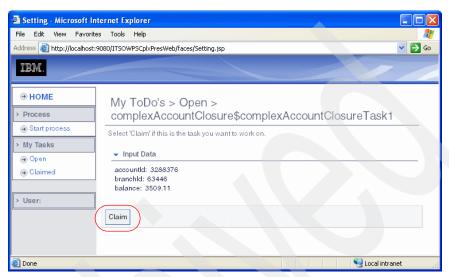


Figure 5-16 Task details

8. The next page provides details on the account closure request and the calculated balance. In this page, do *not* click **Complete**. Before completing the task, verify that only one task is in the *Open* state. Click **Open** in the menu (Figure 5-17).

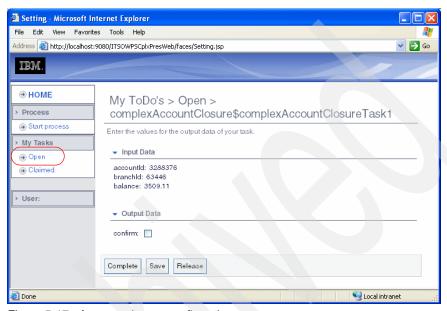


Figure 5-17 Account closure confirmation page

9. To complete the task, click **Claimed** in the menu. The task that you claimed should display (Figure 5-18).

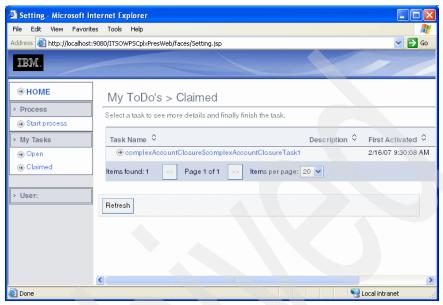


Figure 5-18 One task to claim

10. Click the task name to complete the task. A page with the account closure request details and account balance displays.

At this point, the process is waiting for a human decision. If the account balance is more than U. S. \$10 000, the bank employee must click **Suspend** and some retention actions are required. In this case, the process stops without invoking the closure service, and the account stays open. To complete our example, we decide to confirm the account closure.

11. Select **confirm** and click **Complete** as shown in Figure 5-19.

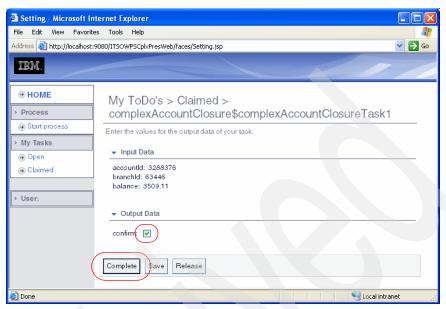


Figure 5-19 Complete the task

12. The claimed task page is refreshed, and the task is no longer available, as shown in Figure 5-20.

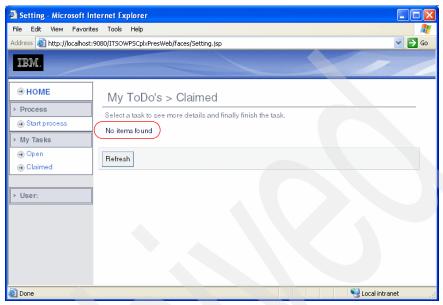


Figure 5-20 Task complete, and no claimed tasks are in the list

At this point, the bank employee has finished all activity with the closure of this account. After confirmation, the process completes after invoking the *Closure* service.

Note: Provision of a console for process tracing is out of the scope of this scenario. You can use the Business Process Choreographer (BPC) Explorer application to verify the Process State and the Process Output Message.



Part 2

Production topologies for WebSphere ESB



Implementing the Basic topology for WebSphere ESB

This chapter details the steps to implement the *Basic topology* for WebSphere ESB and to deploy a sample application to this topology. We discuss the following topics:

- Selecting and implementing the Basic topology
- Generic steps for creating WebSphere ESB clusters
- Specific configuration steps for the Basic topology
- Installing and testing the scenario

For simplicity, this chapter does not implement any security. To be considered a production topology, the addition of security is essential. Chapter 9, "Implementing the Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server" on page 319 shows how to add security to a production topology.

6.1 Selecting and implementing the Basic topology

This section includes the following sections:

Scenario requirements

Summarizes the fictitious business scenario that we deploy to the Basic topology that we build in this chapter.

Selecting the appropriate topology

Demonstrates why we select the Basic topology for WebSphere ESB to host this business scenario.

Overview of how to implement the Basic topology

Describes the steps that are necessary to build the Basic topology for WebSphere ESB.

Note: For an overview of the Basic topology, refer to 4.2, "Basic topology" on page 44.

6.1.1 Scenario requirements

You must build a production topology to host a WebSphere ESB mediation flow that is built for the factious organization ITSO Bank. The mediation flow (shown in Figure 6-1) performs the following functions:

- Bank customers place stock orders through a traditional trading Web application.
- 2. The Web application sends a synchronous call to the Stock Purchase mediation flow running in WebSphere ESB.
- 3. The mediation flow determines by which of two stock brokers the stock order should be fulfilled—either a U. S. broker or a U. K. .broker.
- A Web service request is sent to the appropriate broker, and a response is returned to the trading Web application (through the mediation response flow).

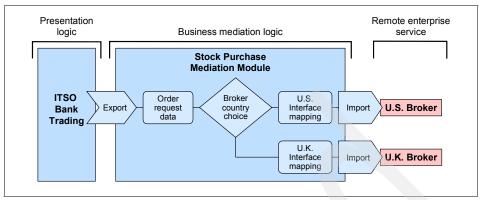


Figure 6-1 Simple mediation scenario for WebSphere ESB

ITSO Bank has the following business and IT requirements for this scenario:

- ► Failover capability
- Limited hardware availability
- ► The application internals are well understood
- ► The flow from consumer to provider is synchronous
- Event management services are not required

Note: For more detailed information about this scenario, refer to 5.1.2, "Simple mediation scenario" on page 68.

6.1.2 Selecting the appropriate topology

Based on the ITSO Bank requirements for the mediation flow scenario, we can select an appropriate production topology to host the Stock Purchase mediation module. To help us select the appropriate topology, we use the topology selection flowchart, as described in 4.5.2, "Topology selection flow chart" on page 62. Figure 6-2 shows that by using the topology selection flowchart, we can select the Basic topology as the topology of choice for the ITSO Bank simple mediation flow scenario.

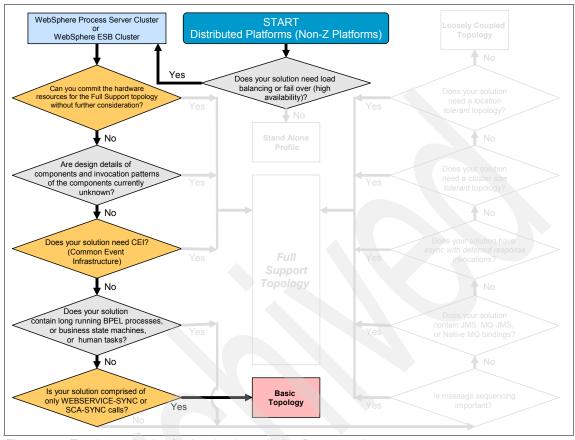


Figure 6-2 Topology selection for the simple mediation flow scenario

The main decision points for ITSO Bank are:

- ► A highly available solution with load balancing is required, so a clustered topology is needed.
- ► ITSO Bank does not want to commit the hardware resources that are required to implement the Full Support topology unless the applications that they are deploying to the topology require those resources.
- Their application solution uses only synchronous Web services calls.
 Therefore, the Basic topology meets their needs and is the topology selected.

6.1.3 Overview of how to implement the Basic topology

Figure 6-3 summarizes the steps to build the Basic topology.

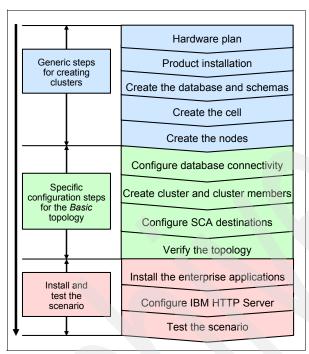


Figure 6-3 Building the Basic topology for WebSphere ESB

WESBCell01 Machine 1 Machine 2 Machine 3 WebSphere ESB WebSphere ESB WebSphere ESB WESBCellManager01 WESBNode01 WESBNode02 WESBServer01 WESBServer02 Dmgr01 SCA Queues (active) SCA Queues (standby) WESBCluster01 webserver1 IHS Plug-in

Figure 6-4 shows the simple mediation application on this topology.

Figure 6-4 Basic topology implementation

6.2 Generic steps for creating WebSphere ESB clusters

This section describes the hardware plan for the Basic topology and describes how to prepare a WebSphere ESB cluster.

6.2.1 Hardware plan for the topology

This section describes the hardware that is required to support the Basic topology. In this topology (illustrated in Figure 6-5 on page 100), three machines support the cell hosting for the mediation module and one machine hosts the client and Web services applications for testing purposes. A final shared machine provides the database functionality. The hardware plan includes:

- The first machine (ebt0) hosts the deployment manager and the IBM HTTP Server and associated plugin.
- ► The second and third machines (ebt1 and ebt2) host the mediation cluster in a horizontally clustered configuration, as well as the associated nodes.
- ► The fourth machine (ebt3) hosts the client application to access the mediation module and the Web services applications in two stand-alone WebSphere Application Servers.

► A fifth machine (db2), not shown in the diagram hosts the database that is required to support the messaging engines.

Note: Although this is the configuration we used, you can choose any combination of machines to create this topology.

Table 6-1 describes how we use these machines. You can choose to use a different combination of machines and operating systems. In total, the topology in this chapter consumes about 2.5 GB of memory.

Table 6-1 Systems that we use for this topology

System name	Host name	Operating system
ebt0	ebt0.itso	Windows® 2003 Server
ebt1	ebt1.itso	Windows 2003 Server
ebt2	ebt2.itso	Windows 2003 Server
ebt3	ebt3.itso	Windows 2003 Server
db2	db2.itso	Red Hat Advanced Server 4 U4

Note: You can define a hosts file that maps the host names that are defined in Table 6-1 to the IP address of each of your machines to help when following the steps in this chapter.

You can find the hosts file on Windows platforms at:

<WINDOWS_HOME>\system32\drivers\etc

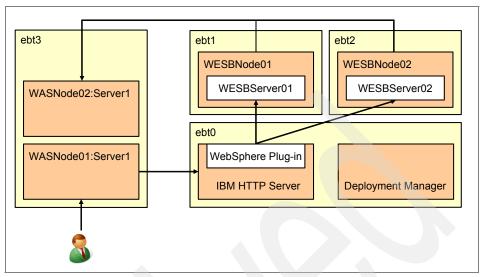


Figure 6-5 Hardware plan for the Basic topology

The end-to-end flow for the topology, as shown in Figure 6-5, is:

- 1. A user makes a request from a browser to the front-end client application, running as a JSP on WASNode01:server1 on host ebt3.
- 2. The client application is configured to forward the request to IBM HTTP Server running on ebt0.
- 3. The WebSphere Plugin distributes the request to a cluster member hosting the mediation module. The cluster member is WESBServer01 or WESBServer02 hosted on ebt1 or ebt2 respectively.
- 4. The mediation application running on this cluster member performs the appropriately mediated call to one of the Web services that is hosted on WASNode02:server1 on host ebt3.
- 5. The return path through the infrastructure is the reverse of this flow.

6.2.2 Product installation

It is assumed that the following products have been installed:

- ▶ WebSphere ESB V6.0.2
- ► IBM HTTP Server V6
- ► DB2 Universal Database Enterprise Server V8.2

Note: For information about how to install these products, refer to Appendix B, "Product installation" on page 429.

6.2.3 Creating the messaging database

This task describes how to create the messaging database. For this chapter, we assume the Relational Database Management System (RDBMS) is DB2, the instance is called ebtinst1, and the administrative user name is ebtinst1.

Log in as the database administrative user and issue the following commands from a DB2 command window to create the required database:

db2start db2 create database MEDB

If the create command is successful, you see the following message:

DB20000I The CREATE DATABASE command completed successfully

6.2.4 Copying the database driver files

The Java driver files for DB2 are located on the database system. In our DB2 example, they are in the directory /opt/IBM/db2/V8.1/java.

On each of the nodes and on the deployment manager, copy the database driver files to a standard location. In this example the standard location for the driver files is c:\db2client.

6.2.5 Creating the messaging database schemas

The messaging database includes two schemas that support the messaging engines in this topology:

- SCA Application
- SCA System

You can create the DB2 commands for generating the schemas on any system with the WebSphere ESB product installed. On any WebSphere ESB node, create the data definition language (DDL) files for the Service Integration Bus (SIB) SCA schemas as detailed in Table 6-2.

Table 6-2 WebSphere ESB SCA schemas

Schema name	Database	Purpose
SCASYS	MEDB	System bus messaging store
SCAAPP	MEDB	Application bus messaging store

In this example:

- ► The database user name is ebtinst1.
- ► The script to generate the schemas is located in the %WAS_HOME%\bin directory (for example, C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\bin).
- ► The database target for the DDL generated is running on a Linux® system.

To create the messaging database schemas, follow these steps:

Open a Windows command prompt and issue the following command:
 cd C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\bin

Note: Each of the commands in this series of steps is a single line although in the format of this book they might wrap. Also, the commands assume that the database is running on a UNIX platform. If you are using Windows, you need to replace -platform unix with -platform windows.

Issue the following command for the SCASYS DDL generation - SCA System Schema:

```
sibDDLGenerator.bat -system db2 -version 8.1 -platform unix -schema
SCASYS -statementend ; -user ebtinst1 >
c:\createSIBSchema SCASYS.ddl
```

3. Issue the following command for the SCAAPP DDL generation - SCA Application Schema:

```
sibDDLGenerator.bat -system db2 -version 8.1 -platform unix -schema
SCAAPP -statementend ; -user ebtinst1 >
c:\createSIBSchema_SCAAPP.dd1
```

- 4. Transfer the DDL files to the DB2 database server and execute them.
 - a. Transfer c:\createSIBSchema_SCASYS.ddl and c:\createSIBSchema_SCAAPP.ddl to the DB2 database server. In this example, the DDL files were transferred to /tmp on the database server.

Attention: If you transfer these files from Windows to UNIX, there might be return characters (\r) at the end of each line. To run the DDL scripts, you must remove these characters. A UNIX utility such as dos2unix will remove these characters.

b. Log in to the DB2 server as the appropriate user (ebtinst1) and run the following commands to create the tables:

```
db2 connect to MEDB
db2 -tf /tmp/createSIBSchema_SCAAPP.ddl
db2 -tf /tmp/createSIBSchema_SCASYS.ddl
db2 connect reset
```

Note: These DB2 commands report various informational index and primary key messages, such as:

SQL0598W Existing index "SIB_SCAA.SIB000PKIX" is used as the index for the primary key or a unique key. SQLSTATE=01550.

These are not errors. You can ignore these messages.

6.2.6 Creating the WebSphere ESB cell

This task creates the WebSphere ESB cell, which is achieved by creating a deployment manager profile. Follow these steps:

- 1. Login to the ebt0.itso machine, which becomes the deployment manager.
- 2. Open the profile creation wizard by selecting Start → All Programs → IBM WebSphere → Enterprise Service Bus 6.0 → Profile creation wizard.

Note: For information about how to launch the Profile creation wizard on other platforms, see:

http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/dmndhelp/v6rxmx/index.js p?topic=/com.ibm.websphere.nd.doc/info/ae/ae/tpro instances.html

- 3. In the Profile creation wizard, click **Next**.
- Select Deployment manager profile and click Next.
- 5. Leave the default profile name as Dmgr01 and click **Next**.
- 6. Leave the default profile directory and click **Next**.

- 7. Specify the node name, host name, and cell name according to the follow specifications and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 6-6.
 - Node name: WESBCellManager01
 - Host name: ebt0.itsoCell name: WESBCell01

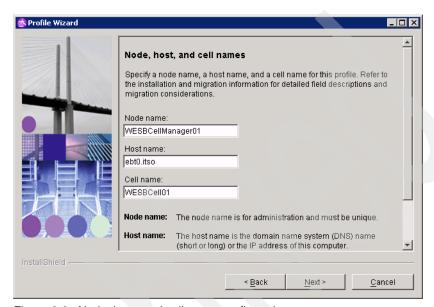


Figure 6-6 Node, host, and cell name configuration

8. Leave the port numbers at their default settings and click Next.

9. In the Windows service definition panel, select **Automatic** for the Startup type and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 6-7.

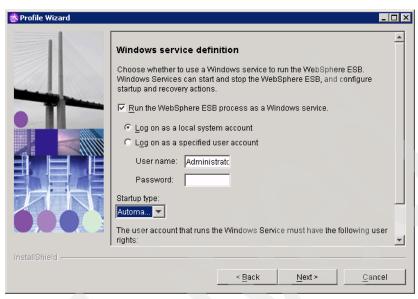


Figure 6-7 Windows service settings

10. On the Service Component Architecture configuration panel, click Next.

11. Confirm that the details are correct on the Profile summary panel and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 6-8.

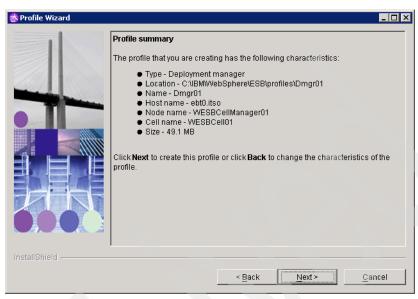


Figure 6-8 Deployment manager creation summary

- 12.A panel displays the progress. When complete, clear the **Launch the First Steps console** check box and click **Finish**. The deployment manager now exists.
- 13. Open a command prompt on ebt0, change to the %WAS_HOME%\profiles\Dmgr01\bin directory, and issue this command: startManager.bat

Figure 6-9 shows the output from this command.

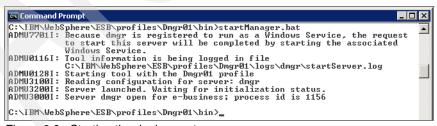


Figure 6-9 Starting the deployment manager

- 14. It should now be possible to connect to the Administrative Console that is running on the deployment manager by opening a browser to:
 - http://ebt0.itso:9060/ibm/console
- 15.Log in to the Administrative Console (as any user). Figure 6-10 shows the Web page that opens.

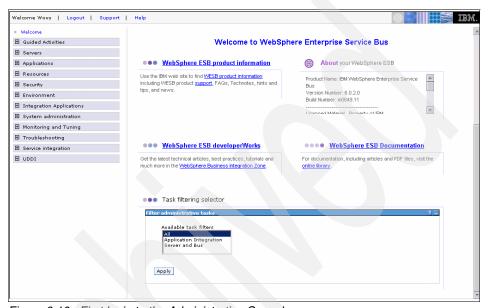


Figure 6-10 First login to the Administrative Console

6.2.7 Creating the nodes

The next step in building this topology is to create the profiles and associated nodes for the topology. The deployment manager must be running on ebt0.itso to enable node federation. The nodes are created on ebt1.itso and ebt2.itso.

Note: Ensure that the time difference between the deployment manager machine and the custom profile machines is within *five* minutes.

To create the nodes, follow these steps:

- On ebt1, open the profile creation wizard by selecting Start → AII
 Programs → IBM WebSphere → Enterprise Service Bus 6.0 → Profile creation wizard.
- 2. In the Profile creation wizard, click Next.
- Select Custom profile radio and click Next.

4. Enter the host name of the deployment manager, in this example ebt0.itso, leave the SOAP port as the default (8879), ensure that **Federate this node later** is *not* selected, and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 6-11.



Figure 6-11 Deployment manager location and federation

- 5. Set the Profile name appropriately (WESBNode01) and click Next.
- 6. Accept the default profile directory and click Next.

7. Specify the node name (WESBNode01) and host name (ebt1.itso) and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 6-12.

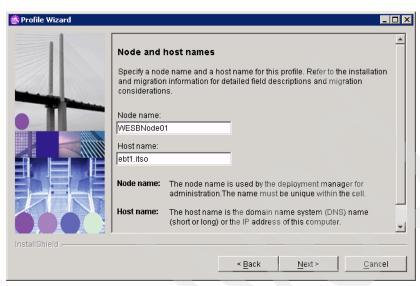


Figure 6-12 Node and host name

8. Leave the default port numbers and click Next.

9. Confirm that the details are correct on the Profile summary panel and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 6-13.

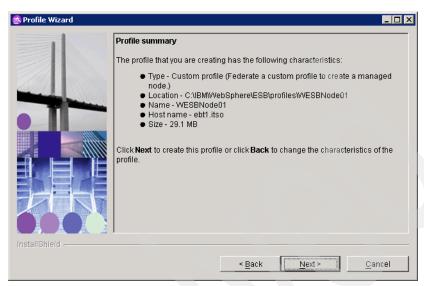


Figure 6-13 Node creation summary

10.A panel displays the progress. When complete, clear the "Launch the First Steps console" check box and click **Finish**.

The node now exists and is federated into the cell. The federation process starts the node automatically.

Repeat these steps for the second node, using the values shown in Table 6-3.

Table 6-3 Second node details

Setting	Value	
Profile name	WESBNode02	
Node name	WESBNode02	
Host name	ebt2.itso	

After you have created both nodes, verify that they are running in the Administrative Console by following these steps:

1. Open a browser to http://ebt0:9060/ibm/console.

Note: You need to logout from any existing console sessions.

 Navigate to System administration → Nodes and verify that all nodes are running as indicated by the green symbol next to each node, as shown in Figure 6-14.

Note: Upon initial log in to the Administrative Console, you might need to change Task filter selection to All and click **Apply** to view all available functionality.

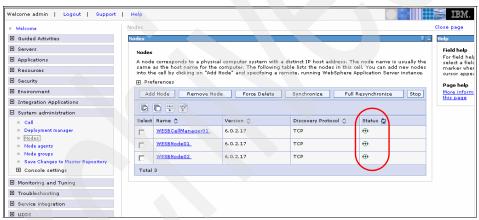


Figure 6-14 Successful node installation and startup

You have now constructed the topology shown in Figure 6-15.

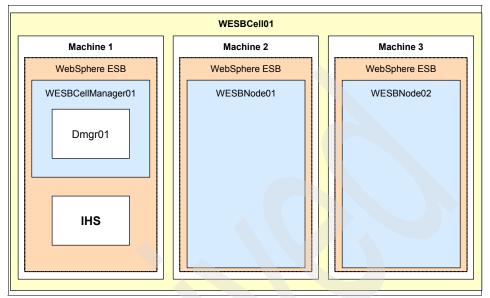


Figure 6-15 Cell and nodes defined

6.3 Specific configuration steps for the Basic topology

This section describes the following:

- Configuring database connectivity
- Configuring the cell
- Verifying the topology

6.3.1 Configuring database connectivity

This section describes how to connect successfully to the database that is required by WebSphere ESB in the Basic topology (the MEDB - Messaging database):

1. On ebt0, open the cell deployment manager Administrative Console and login. We used the following URL:

http://ebt0.itso:9060/ibm/console

2. Navigate to **Guided Activities** → **Connecting to a database** and click Start, as shown in Figure 6-16.

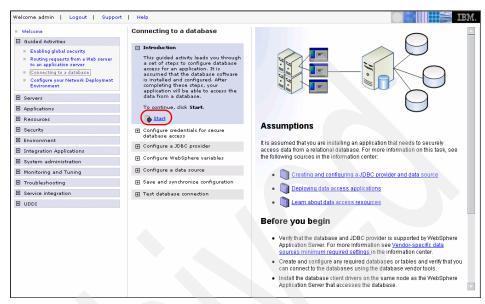


Figure 6-16 Connecting to a database guided activity

3. Select Click to perform in the new panel.

Authenticating the alias

You need to set the user and password values for database access. Follow these steps:

1. Click **New** to create a new authentication alias to connect to the database, as shown in Figure 6-17.

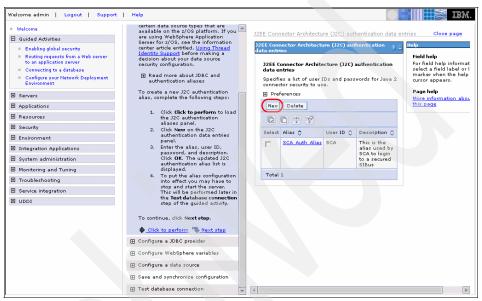


Figure 6-17 Creating a new authentication alias

2. Complete the appropriate information for the database, as shown in Table 6-4, and click **OK**.

Table 6-4 Authentication alias parameters

Parameter	Value
Alias	db_alias
User ID	ebtinst1
Password	itso4you
Description	For all DB connectivity

Figure 6-18 shows an example.

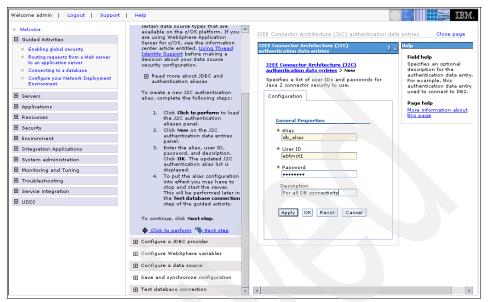


Figure 6-18 Authentication data entries

3. After the values are configured, click Save towards the top of the Web page.

 Select Synchronize changes with Nodes and click Save, as shown in Figure 6-19.

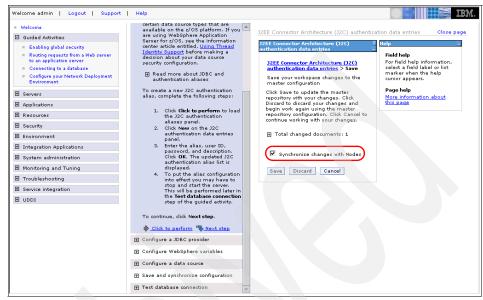


Figure 6-19 Synchronizing the changes

5. When completed, verify that there were no errors with the synchronization and click **OK**.

A new authentication alias called WESBCellManager01/db_alias is created, as shown in Figure 6-20.

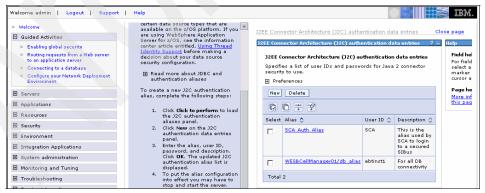


Figure 6-20 New authentication alias created

6. Select **Next step** to continue to the Configure a JDBC[™] provider panel.

Creating a JDBC provider

The next step creates a JDBC provider for use by the data sources later:

- 1. In this panel, select Click to perform.
- 2. Set the scope to cell level only by clearing the Node and Server entry boxes and clicking Apply, as shown in Figure 6-21.

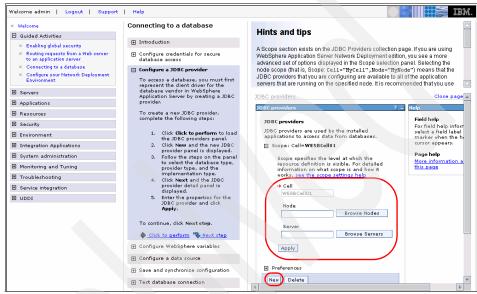


Figure 6-21 Setting the cell scope

3. In the JDBC providers panel below the scope, click **New**, also highlighted in Figure 6-21.

4. From the Configuration panel, select DB2 as the database type, set the provider type to DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider, and the implementation type to XA data source. Click Next, as shown in Figure 6-22.

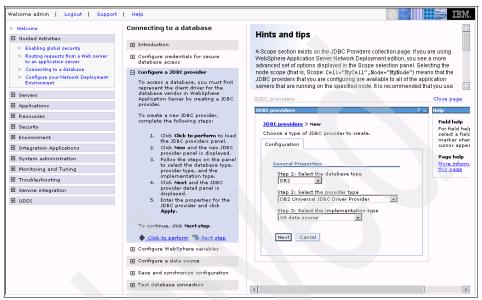


Figure 6-22 JDBC provider configuration

- 5. In the next panel, which names the provider and locates the driver files, accept all the defaults and click **OK**.
- 6. Save and synchronize these changes and click **OK** when complete.
- Select Next step to open the WebSphere variables panel and then in this panel select Click to perform.

Setting the WebSphere variables

The JDBC provider uses WebSphere environment variables to identify the driver file locations. For these variables to resolve, you need to set their values appropriately. The scope for these variables should be **Cell** or **Node**, as shown in Table 6-5 and Table 6-6.

Note: When setting the scope, the selection is not applied until you click **Apply**.

To set the WebSphere variables:

- Clear the node and server entries, and click Apply to set the active scope to the cell.
- 2. Create or modify each environment variable, and set the value as defined in Table 6-5.

Table 6-5 Cell scope environment variables

Name	Value	Scope
UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH	c:\db2client	Cell
DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH	c:\db2client	Cell
DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_NATIVEPATH	c:\db2client	Cell

- When you have defined all three variables at the cell level, click Browse Nodes. Select WESBNode01 and click OK. Click Apply to set the active scope to the node.
- 4. Define the node scope environment variable DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_NATIVEPATH, and set the value as shown in Table 6-6. Also delete the other two variables shown in Table 6-6.

Attention: At the node scope, you *must* delete the environment variables UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH and DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH.

Table 6-6 Node scope environment variables

Name	Value	Scope
DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_NATIVEPATH	c:\db2client	WESBNode01 WESBNode02
UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH	Delete this variable	WESBNode01 WESBNode02
DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH	Delete this variable	WESBNode01 WESBNode02

Figure 6-23 provides an example of the environment variable configuration.



Figure 6-23 Setting an environment variable value

- 5. Repeat this process for WESBNode02 to remove the two environment variables, and set the third to the value shown in Table 6-6 on page 119.
- 6. Save and synchronize these changes.
- 7. Select Next step and then Click to perform.

Configuring the data sources

The next step is to configure the data sources using the JDBC provider that you just created:

1. In the new panel, click the JDBC provider **DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider (XA)**, as shown in Figure 6-24.

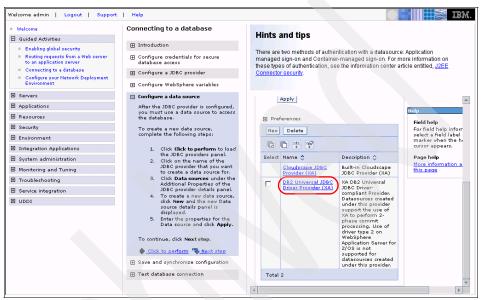


Figure 6-24 JDBC provider selection for data source creation

2. Scroll to the right and click **Data sources**, as shown in Figure 6-25.

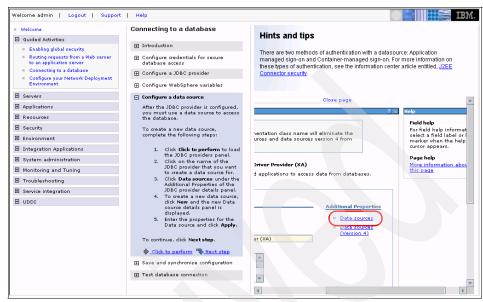


Figure 6-25 Selecting the additional data source property

 You next need to create a data source for the messaging database, MEDB. Click New to create a data source and set the parameters, as shown in Table 6-7.

Table 6-7 Data source configuration

Parameter	Messaging Parameters
Name	MEDB DataSource
JNDI name	jdbc/medb
Description	Messaging engine data source
Component-managed authentication alias	WESBCellManager01/db_alias
Authentication alias for XA recovery	Use component-managed authentication alias
Database name	MEDB
Driver type	4
Server name	db2.itso
Port	50000

Figure 6-26 shows the MEDB data source configuration page. You need to enter the values that are identified in Table 6-7. To enter these values, you need to scroll down in this panel.

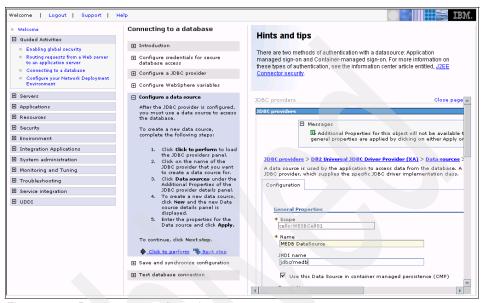


Figure 6-26 Data source configuration

- 4. Click **OK** to create the new data source. When created save, and synchronize the changes and click **OK** to complete.
- 5. Click **Next step** and then **Next step** again in the Save and synchronize configuration panel (because you have already saved and synchronized).

Restarting the environment

You need to restart all nodes and the deployment manager to ensure that the changes that you have made are distributed cell wide. Follow these steps:

- Open the Administrative Console for the deployment manager hosted on ebt0.
- 2. Navigate to **System administration** → **Node agents** and select both nodes.

3. Click **Restart** to cause the nodes to stop and start, as shown in Figure 6-27.

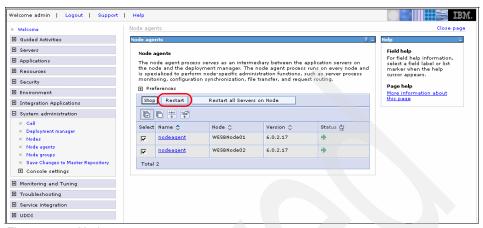


Figure 6-27 Node restart

Note: You need to refresh the Node agents view to see the change in status.

4. Navigate to **System administration** → **Deployment manager** and click **Stop**, as shown in Figure 6-28.



Figure 6-28 Stopping the deployment manager

 Click **OK** in the verification panel and then start the deployment manager, as described in step 13 of 6.2.6, "Creating the WebSphere ESB cell" on page 103.

Testing database connectivity

After the environment has restarted, ensure that the MEDB database is running and test the newly created data sources:

- 1. Open the ebt0 Administrative Console and log in.
- 2. Navigate to Guided Activities → Connecting to a database → Test database connection, as shown in Figure 6-29.



Figure 6-29 Testing the new data sources

- 3. Select Click to perform.
- 4. Verify that the scope is set to **Cell** and click the JDBC provider. In this example, the provider is called **DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider (XA)**.
- 5. In the next panel, scroll right and under **Additional Properties**, click **Data sources**.

6. From the data sources panel, select **MEDB DataSource** and click **Test conne**ction, as shown in Figure 6-30.

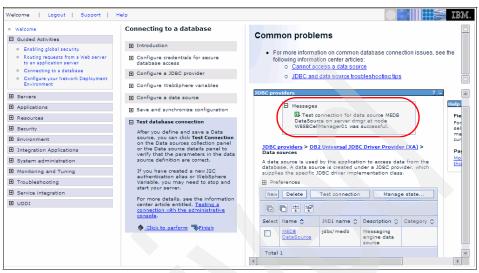


Figure 6-30 Successful database connections

- 7. The Messages dialog box (at the top in Figure 6-30) should indicate that the data source successfully connected to the database.
- 8. Click Finish.

6.3.2 Configuring the cell

To configure the network deployment infrastructure with the options that are required for the Basic topology, follow these steps:

- Open the Administrative Console on ebt0 and login.
- Navigate to Guided Activities → Configure your Network Deployment Environment and click Start.
- 3. Scroll down and select **Click to perform** in the expanded panel to see the list of nodes.
- 4. The nodes are already federated, so select **Next step**.
- 5. The database configuration is already complete, so select **Next step**.
- 6. In the Creating clusters and cluster members panel, select Click to perform.

7. Click **New** and enter a Cluster name of WESBCluster01, as shown in Figure 6-31.

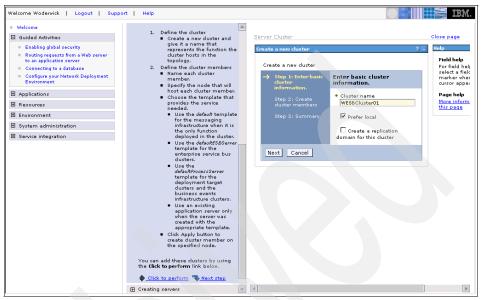


Figure 6-31 Cluster creation

8. Click **Next** and then add a first member of the cluster named WESBServer01 to the node WESBNode01. Set the template to defaultESBServer, as shown in Figure 6-32.

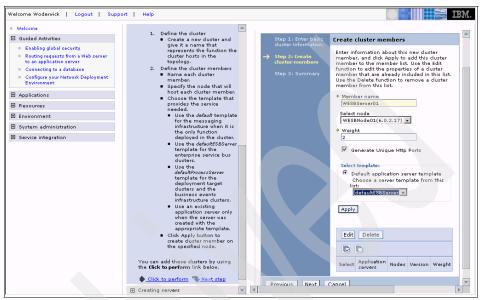


Figure 6-32 Adding the first cluster member

- 9. Click **Apply** to add this server to the new cluster.
- 10. Repeat this process for WESBServer02 on WESBNode02. However, the template option will not be available now because all cluster members are of the type that is defined by the first member.

11. Click **Apply** to add the second cluster member and then click **Next**, as shown in Figure 6-33.

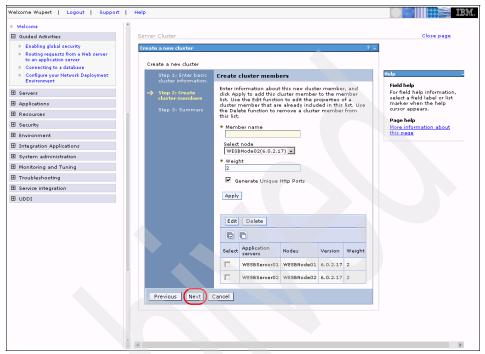


Figure 6-33 Cluster members added

- 12. At the summary page, click **Finish**.
- 13. Save and synchronize the changes.
- 14. Click **Next step** to continue, and then click **Next step** at the **Creating servers** option because you require no more servers.

Configuring the environment

To configure the environment, follow these steps:

- 1. In the Configure your Environment panel, select **Click to perform**.
- 2. Click the radio button to configure a cluster.
- 3. Select WESBCluster01 from the drop-down menu and then click **Add**.

4. Select **Local** for the **SCA Destination** for this cluster, and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 6-34.

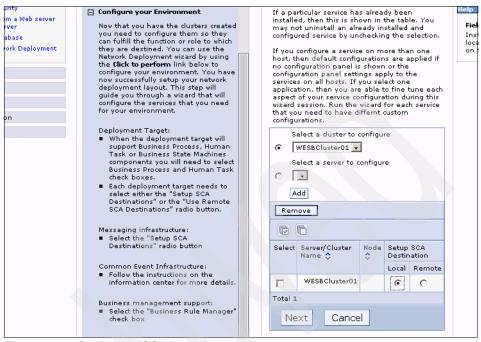


Figure 6-34 Configuring SCA locally

- From the JDBC provider drop-down list, select the appropriate provider. In this
 example the provider is DB2 UDB 8.1 & 8.2 (DB2 Universal JDBC Driver
 Provider (XA) type 4).
- 6. Set the user name to ebtinst1 and the user password to itso4you, and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 6-35.

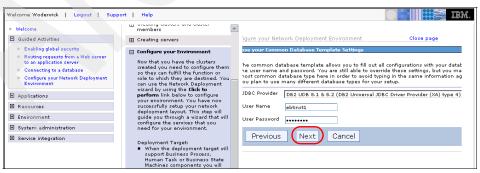


Figure 6-35 JDBC provider selection

- 7. Under System Bus, **select Use existing data source**. In the drop-down menu below, select the data source **medb**.
- 8. Set the schema name to SCASYS.
- 9. Under Application Bus, select **Use existing data source**. In the drop-down menu below, select the data source **medb**.
- 10. Set the schema name to SCAAPP.
- 11. Clear **Create tables** because you have already created the tables manually with the sibDDLgenerator.bat command.

Note: If the database is DB2, this option creates the SCA database schemas the first time that you start the SCA messaging engines.

Figure 6-36 shows these settings.

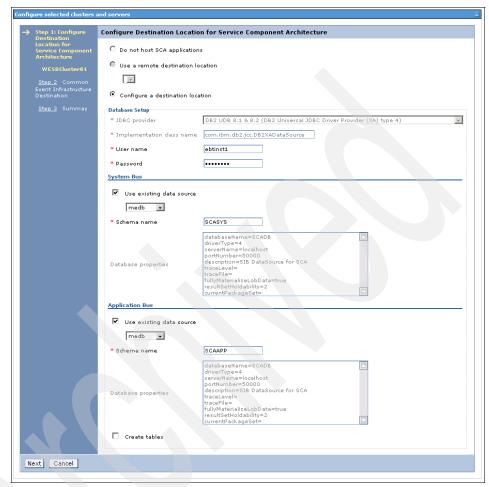


Figure 6-36 SCA Values

- 12. Click **Next**. Clear **Enable service at server startup** because this topology is not CEI enabled.
- 13. Click Next and Finish on the summary page.
- 14. Save the changes to the master configuration and then save and synchronize these changes. Click **OK** when this has completed.
- 15. Click Finish.

You have now constructed the topology that is shown in Figure 6-37.

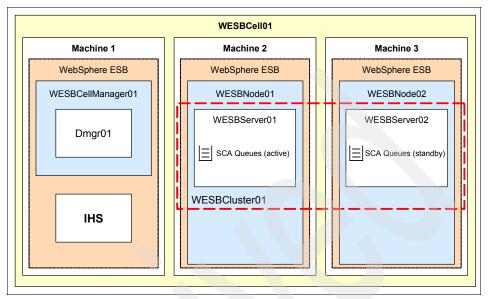


Figure 6-37 Cluster with SCA queues

6.3.3 Verifying the topology

In this section, you verify the database schema and start the cluster.

Checking the database schema

In this example, DB2 is the RDBMS. To check the database schema, follow these steps:

- 1. Log in to the database server as the instance user. In this example this is ebtinst1.
- 2. Run the following commands:

```
db2 connect to MEDB
db2 select tabname from syscat.tables where tabschema=\'SCAAPP\'
db2 select tabname from syscat.tables where tabschema=\'SCASYS\'
```

Note: On Windows platforms do not use the backslashes (\) with the **db2** select command.

Each of the schemas has eight tables. Figure 6-38 shows example output for the SCAAPP schema.

```
[ebtinst1@db2 ~] $ db2 connect to medb
   Database Connection Information
 Database server
                         = DB2/LINUX 8.2.7
SQL authorization ID = EBTINST1
Local database alias = MEDB
[ebtinst1@db2 ~] $ db2 select tabname from syscat.tables where tabschema=\'SCAAPP\'
TABNAME
SIB000
SIB001
SIB002
SIBCLASSMAP
SIBKEYS
SIBLISTING
SIBOWNER
SIBXACTS
  8 record(s) selected.
[ebtinst1@db2 ~]$
```

Figure 6-38 SCAAPP schema

Starting the cluster

To start the cluster, follow these steps:

- 1. Ensure that all nodes are running. If a node is not running, start it with the following commands:
 - a. Open a command prompt on the node's host machine.
 - b. Change directory to the node's bin directory:cd\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\WESBNode01\bin
 - c. Start the node using this command (Figure 6-39):

startNode.bat

```
C:\IBM\\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\\WESBNode01\bin\>startNode.bat
ADM\U01161: Tool information is being logged in file
C:\IBM\\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\\WESBNode01\logs\nodeagent\startServer.l

og
ADM\U01281: Starting tool with the WESBNode01 profile
ADM\U31001: Reading configuration for server: nodeagent
ADM\U31001: Server launched. Waiting for initialization status.
ADM\U30001: Server nodeagent open for e-business; process id is 3892
C:\IBM\\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\\WESBNode01\bin\_
```

Figure 6-39 Starting a node at the command line

- 2. Start the cluster:
 - a. Open the Administrative Console and login.
 - b. Navigate to Servers → Clusters.
 - c. Select WESBCluster01 and click Start, as shown in Figure 6-40.

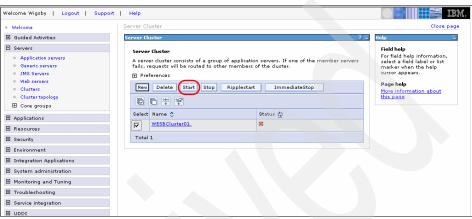


Figure 6-40 Starting the WESBCluster01 cluster

- d. Verify that the cluster starts successfully. The red cross should change to a solid green arrow. You need to refresh the server clusters view to see the change in status.
- 3. Verify that the messaging engines have started:
 - a. Navigate to Service integration → Buses.

There should be two buses listed—one for SCA Application and one for SCA System—as shown in Figure 6-41.



Figure 6-41 Service integration buses

- b. Click SCA.APPLICATION.WESBCell01.Bus.
- Under the Topology section, click Messaging engines.
- d. The status of the WESBCluster01.000-SCA.APPLICATION.WESBCell01.Bus messaging engine should be started, as shown in Figure 6-42.

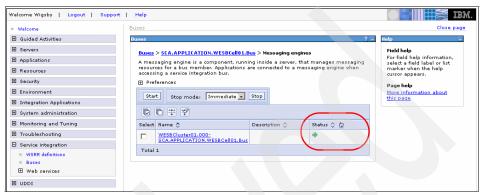


Figure 6-42 Messaging engine in started state

e. Repeat this process for the SCA.SYSTEM.WESBCell01.Bus.

6.4 Installing and testing the scenario

This section describes how to install and test the topology that you have built by deploying presentation logic, business module, and enterprise service layers.

6.4.1 Installing the enterprise applications

To test the business mediation logic for this topology, you need to create a presentation logic layer and a remote enterprise service layer. The presentation logic layer provides the client for the business module, and the remote enterprise service layer provides the services that are mediated.

In this example the presentation logic and remote enterprise service layers are provided by two stand-alone WebSphere Application Server instances. The presentation logic enterprise application, ITSOESBSmplPrsApp.ear, is installed on ebt3 to WASNode01 on server1. The enterprise service enterprise application, ITSOESBSmplSrvApp.ear, is installed on ebt3 to WASNode02 on server1.

Deploying the mediation application

The application supporting the business mediation logic is provided by a single EAR file. You must install this application to the cluster WESBCluster01. Follow these steps:

- 1. Open the ebt0 Administrative Console and log in.
- 2. Navigate to Applications → Install New Application.
- 3. You install the enterprise application ITSOESBSmplBusApp.ear, which includes the mediation logic. This file is included in the additional material that is supplied with this book. To learn how to obtain it, see Appendix A, "Additional material" on page 427. Copy ITSOESBSmplBusApp.ear from the additional material to c:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\installableApps.
- In the Administrative Console, select Local file system and click Browse.
- Navigate to the c:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\installableApps folder.
- 6. Select the ESB mediation module to be installed, in this example ITSOESBSmplBusApp.ear, and click **Open**.
- 7. From the Administrative Console, click **Next**, as shown in Figure 6-43.

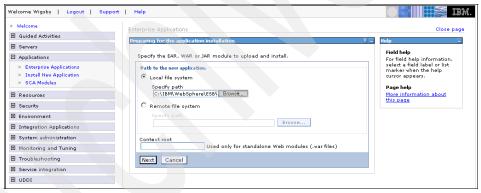


Figure 6-43 Installing the business module

- 8. In the next panel, leave the settings at their default, and click **Next**. Leave all the application deployment settings as the default.
- 9. Click the link to the summary panel, in this example Step 7: Summary.

10. Click Finish, as shown in Figure 6-44.

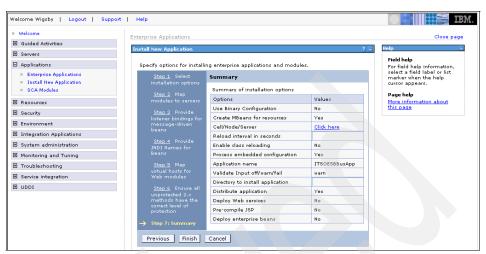


Figure 6-44 Business module installation summary

- 11. After the application is shown as having been installed successfully, click **Save to Master Configuration**.
- 12. Select Synchronize changes with Nodes, and click Save.
- 13. When completed successfully, click OK.

- 14. Start the application (Figure 6-45):
 - a. Navigate to Applications → Enterprise Applications.
 - b. Select ITSOESBSmplBusApp and click Start.

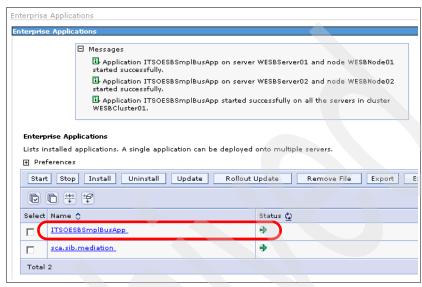


Figure 6-45 Installed enterprise application ITSOESBSmplBusApp

Preparing the presentation logic and enterprise service layers

You need to define a WebSphere Application Server server to host the presentation logic layer and then install the presentation logic application. Follow these steps:

- Create a new WebSphere Application Server profile using the profile creation wizard on ebt3. On Windows platforms, launch the Profile Wizard by clicking Start → All Programs → IBM WebSphere → Application Server Network Deployment V6 → Profile creation wizard.
- 2. Define a profile with the following properties:
 - Profile type: Application Server profile
 - Profile name: WASNode01Node name: WASNode01Host name: ebt3.itso

3. When the profile is created, navigate to the bin directory of the profile (which on our system was C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\WASNode01\bin) and start the server using the command:

startServer server1

4. When the server is started, launch the Administrative Console:

http://ebt3.itso:9060/ibm/console

- 5. Install the presentation logic enterprise application ITSOESBSmplPrsApp.ear. This file is located in the additional material that is supplied with this book. To learn how to obtain it, see Appendix A, "Additional material" on page 427. To install the application, follow these steps:
 - Copy ITSOESBSmplPrsApp.ear from the additional material that is supplied with this book to c:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\installableApps.
 - b. In the Administrative Console, click Applications → Install New Application and install ITSOESBSmplPrsApp.ear. When the application is installed, save the configuration.
 - c. Click Applications → Enterprise Applications and start ITSOESBSmplPrsApp (Figure 6-46).

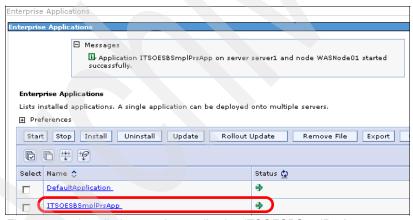


Figure 6-46 Installed enterprise application ITSOESBSmplPrsApp

You need to now define a WebSphere Application Server server to host the enterprise service layer and then install the enterprise service application. Follow these steps:

 Create a new WebSphere Application Server profile using the profile creation wizard on ebt3. On Windows platforms, launch the Profile Wizard by clicking Start → All Programs → IBM WebSphere → Application Server Network Deployment V6 → Profile creation wizard.

- 2. Define a profile with the following properties:
 - Profile type: Application Server profile
 - Profile name: WASNode02Node name: WASNode02Host name: ebt3.itso
- 3. When the profile is created, navigate to the bin directory of the profile (which on our system was C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\WASNode02\bin) and start the server using the command:

startServer server1

- 4. When the server is started, launch the Administrative Console:
 - http://ebt3.itso:9061/ibm/console
- 5. Install the presentation logic enterprise application ITSOESBSmplSrvApp.ear. This file is located in the additional material that is supplied with this book. To learn how to obtain it, see Appendix A, "Additional material" on page 427. Then, follow these steps:
 - a. Copy ITSOESBSmplSrvApp.ear from the additional material that is supplied with this book to c:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\installableApps.
 - b. In the Administrative Console, click Applications → Install New Application and install ITSOESBSmplSrvApp.ear. When the application is installed, save the configuration.
 - c. Click Applications → Enterprise Applications and start ITSOESBSmplSrvApp (Figure 6-47).

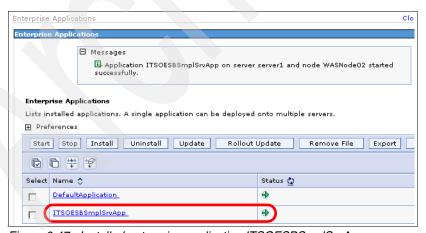


Figure 6-47 Installed enterprise application ITSOESBSmplSrvApp

6.4.2 Configuring IBM HTTP Server

You need to install and configure a router in front of the mediation cluster so that all members of the cluster can be accessed by the presentation logic layer.

Client requests from the browser are made to the presentation layer that runs in a stand-alone WebSphere Application Server. The JSP running on this stand-alone application server cannot make requests to multiple destinations hosting the Web service. The IBM HTTP Server and WebSphere Plugin work together to provide a single point of access for the JSP, routing requests from the presentation logic layer to the mediation cluster members, as illustrated in Figure 6-48. Mediation then takes place, and a Web services call is made to the appropriate target. The response is directed back through the original cluster member.

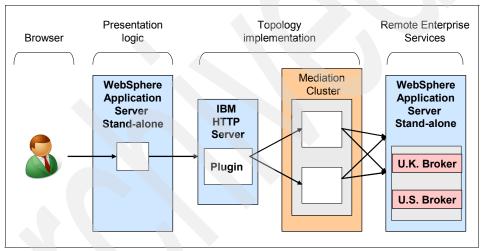


Figure 6-48 Load-balanced and failover-capable mediation cluster

The following products must already be installed:

- IBM HTTP Server in c:\IBMIHS
- ► The WebSphere plugin for IBM HTTP Server in c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins

For instructions on how to install these products, refer to Appendix B, "Product installation" on page 429.

Adding the Web server to the cell

To add the Web server to the cell, follow these steps:

1. Open a command prompt on the machine where the Web server plugin is installed.

2. Change to the c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins\bin directory.

Note: In this example, the Web server is named webserver1. Therefore, the configuration script is named configurewebserver1.bat.

- 3. Copy the configurewebserver1.bat file to %WAS_HOME%\bin on any node in the cell.
- 4. Change to the %WAS_HOME%\bin directory and run configurewebserver1.bat.

This script adds the Web server into the cell and deploys the applications to the Web server.

Configuring the plug-in

To configure the plug-in, follow these steps:

- 1. Open the Administrative Console on ebt0 and login.
- 2. Navigate to Servers → Web servers.
- 3. Select webserver1 and click Generate Plug-in.
- 4. When complete, the message text identifies the location of the generated plug-in file. In this example, it is:
 - c:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\Dmgr01\config\cells\WESBCell01\nodes\ebt0.itso\servers\webserver1\plugin-cfg.xml
- 5. Move the plugin-cfg.xml configuration file.

The location of plugin-cfg.xml that the WebSphere Plug-in uses is specified by the WebSpherePluginConfig variable within the httpd.conf configuration file of IBM HTTP Server. Therefore, you must move the generated plugin-cfg.xml to the path that is defined by this variable. In this example, the command is:

move

c:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\Dmgr01\config\cells\WESBCell01\nodes\e
bt0.itso\servers\webserver1\plugin-cfg.xml
c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins\config\webserver1\plugin-cfg.xml

6. Restart IBM HTTP Server for the changes to take effect.

cd c:\IBMIHS\bin
Apache -k restart

Configuring the application deployment

There are two additional steps to configure the application deployment:

- 1. Configuring the presentation application for the mediation export
- 2. Configuring the mediation application for the remote enterprise services

Presentation logic connectivity to mediation layer

To configure the presentation logic connectivity to the mediation layer:

- Open the presentation logic layer's WebSphere Application Server Administrative Console and login (for example http://ebt3:9060/ibm/console).
- 2. Navigate to Applications → Enterprise Applications.
- 3. Click the presentation application, ITSOESBSmpIPrsApp.
- 4. Under Related Items, click **Web modules**.
- 5. Click the Web Archive (WAR) file, ITSOESBPrsWeb.war.
- 6. Under Additional Properties, click **Web services client bindings**.
- 7. Under Port Information, click Edit (Figure 6-49).



Figure 6-49 Editing port information for the presentation logic layer

8. Change the Overridden Endpoint URL to that of the IBM HTTP Server, in this example:

http://ebt0.itso:80/ITS0ESBBusWeb/sca/stockOrderExport

Note: This Endpoint URL is constructed from:

- The host name of the IBM HTTP Server and the port on which it listens. In this example ebt0.itso:80.
- The context-root of the Web module that is defined in the deployment descriptor of the mediation application, ITS0ESBBusWeb.
- The Web service URL-pattern that is defined in the deployment descriptor of the WAR file within the mediation application. In this example sca/stock0rderExport.

Figure 6-50 shows this step.

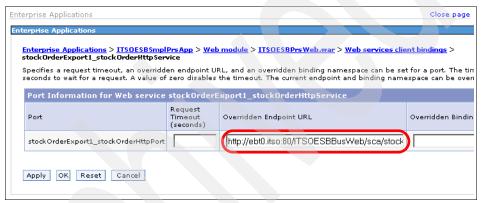


Figure 6-50 Configuring the Endpoint URL

9. Click **OK**. Save the changes.

Mediation layer connectivity to remote enterprise services

To configure the mediation layer connectivity to the remote enterprise services:

- 1. Open the WESBCell deployment manager's Administrative Console and login.
- 2. Navigate to Applications → Enterprise Applications.
- 3. Click ITSOESBSmplBusApp.
- Under Related Items, click EJB Modules.
- 5. Click the JAR file that is presented, **ITSOESBBusEJB.jar**.
- 6. Under Additional Properties, click **Web services client bindings**.

7. For the sca/import/USImport service, click **Edit** under **Port Information**, as shown in Figure 6-51.

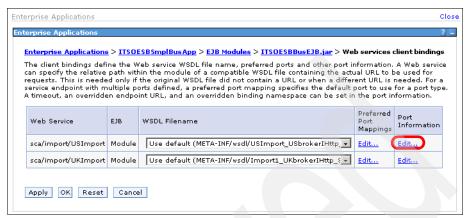


Figure 6-51 Editing port information for the remote enterprise services

 Change the host and port to that of the WebSphere Application Server that is hosting the remote enterprise services, in this example http://ebt3.itso:9081/ (Figure 6-52). Click OK.



Figure 6-52 Configuring the host for the remote enterprise services

- 9. Repeat the previous step for the sca/import/UKImport service.
- 10. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

It is possible to test each of the remote enterprise services with a browser that is directed at the following URLs:

- http://ebt3.itso:9081/ITS0ESBUSsrvWeb/services/USbrokerIExport1_USbrok erIHttpPort
- http://ebt3.itso:9081/ITS0ESBUKsrvWeb/services/UKbrokerIExport1_UKbrokerIHttpPort

The mediation Web services can be reached directly on the following URLs:

- http://ebt1.itso:9080/ITS0ESBBusWeb/sca/stockOrderExport
- http://ebt2.itso:9080/ITS0ESBBusWeb/sca/stockOrderExport

Figure 6-53 shows an example response.

```
{http://ITSOBankLib/stockOrder/Binding}stockOrderExport1_stockOrderHttpPort

Hi there, this is a Web service!
```

Figure 6-53 Example response from Web service call

By appending ?wsd1 to these URLs, the actual WSDL definition can be displayed, as shown in Figure 6-54.

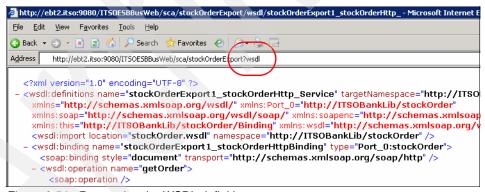


Figure 6-54 Requesting the WSDL definition

6.4.3 Testing the scenario

This section tests the environment and the application that it hosts and shows both mediation and load-balancing that occurs.

Starting the environment

To start the environment, follow these steps:

- 1. Ensure that all three layers of the environment (presentation, mediation, and remote enterprise services) are started.
- 2. Ensure that all applications are running in these layers.
- 3. Start up IBM HTTP Server with the following commands:

```
cd c:\IBMIHS\bin
Apache.exe -k start
```

Testing the mediation

Testing the application involves accessing the JSP front end and sending in a request:

Open a Web browser and launch the presentation logic JSP (Figure 6-55).
 We used:

http://ebt3.itso:9080/ITSOESBPrsWeb/stockOrder.jsp

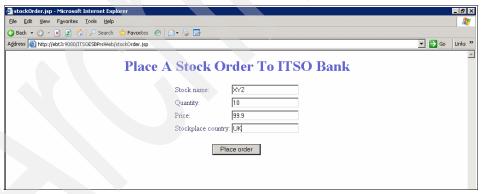


Figure 6-55 Accessing the presentation layer JSP

2. Complete the fields, making sure to specify a Stockplace country value of UK. Click **Place order**. The mediation logic places the order with the U. K. broker service and returns a confirmation ID as shown in Figure 6-56.

```
Order complete. Confirmation Id from broker: 44
```

Figure 6-56 Sample response from U. K. broker

3. Enter a second request, this time specifying a Stockplace country value of USA. Click **Place order**. The mediation logic places the order with the USA broker service and returns a confirmation ID as shown in Figure 6-57.

```
Order complete. Confirmation Id from broker: 8
```

Figure 6-57 Sample response from U. S. broker

This example shows mediation occurring based on the Stockplace country data that is provided by the JSP in the presentation layer. In one case, the UKbrokerIExport1_UKbrokerIHttpPort remote service is called, and in the other case the USbrokerIExport1_USbrokerIHttpPort remote service is called.

Testing load-balancing

By default, the WebSphere Plug-in passes requests made to the HTTP server onto the mediation cluster, using the round-robin balancing algorithm.

By changing the WebSphere Plug-in logging level defined in the plugin-cfg.xml file, it is possible to view which mediation cluster member is selected as each request is made. Follow these steps:

- Open the plugin-cfg.xml file using an appropriate text editor, which in this
 case is located at
 c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins\config\webserver1\plugin-cfg.xml.
- 2. In the first Log stanza, change the LogLevel parameter to Stats, as shown in Figure 6-58.

Figure 6-58 Changing the logging level for the WebSphere Plug-in

3. Save the plugin-cfg.xml file and restart the HTTP server:

```
cd c:\IBMIHS\bin
Apache -k restart
```

4. Submit a series of requests to the presentation layer JSP, as described in "Testing the mediation" on page 148.

- 5. Open the WebSphere Plug-in log file in an appropriate text editor, in this case c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins\logs\webserver1\http_plugin.log.
- 6. A series of lines shows each request that is passed to members of the mediation cluster in turn, as shown in Figure 6-59.

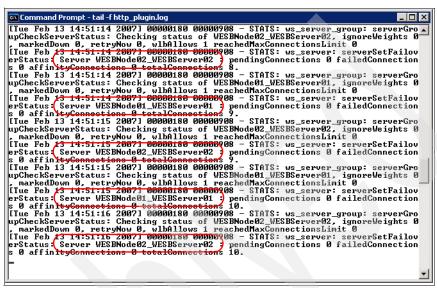


Figure 6-59 Load-balanced requests



Implementing the Full Support topology for WebSphere ESB

This chapter details the steps to implement the $Full\ Support\ topology$ for WebSphere ESB and to deploy a sample application to this topology. We discuss the following topics:

- Selecting and implementing the Full Support topology
- Generic steps for creating WebSphere ESB clusters
- Specific configuration steps for the Full Support topology
- Installing and testing the scenario

For simplicity, this chapter does not implement any security. To be considered a production topology, the addition of security is essential. Chapter 9, "Implementing the Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server" on page 319 shows how to add security to a production topology.

7.1 Selecting and implementing the Full Support topology

This section includes the following sections:

Scenario requirements

Summarizes the fictitious business scenario that we deploy to the Full Support topology we build in this chapter.

Selecting the appropriate topology

Demonstrates why we select the Full Support topology for WebSphere ESB to host this business scenario.

 Overview of how to implement the Full Support topology
 Describes the steps that are necessary to build the Full Support topology for WebSphere ESB.

Note: For an overview of the Full Support topology, refer to 4.4, "Full Support topology" on page 53.

7.1.1 Scenario requirements

You must build a production topology to host a WebSphere ESB mediation flow that is built for the fictitious organization ITSO Bank. The mediation flow (shown in Figure 7-1) performs the following functions:

- 1. Bank customers place stock orders through a traditional trading Web application.
- 2. The Web application sends a synchronous call to the Stock Purchase mediation flow running in WebSphere ESB.
- 3. The mediation flow determines by which of two stock brokers the stock order should be fulfilled—either a U. S. broker or a U. K. broker.
- Under certain conditions, a Common Business Event (CBE) event is logged to CEI before the broker is invoked.
- A Web service request is sent to the appropriate broker, and a response is returned to the trading Web application (through the mediation response flow).

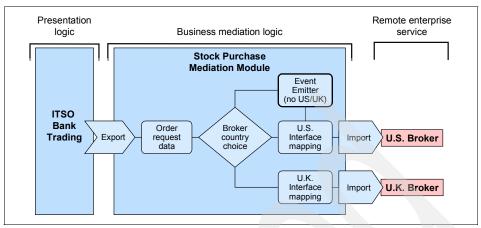


Figure 7-1 Complex mediation scenario for WebSphere ESB

ITSO Bank has the following business and IT requirements for this scenario:

- Failover capability
- The application internals are well understood
- The flow from consumer to provider is synchronous
- Event management services are required

Note: For more detailed information about this scenario, refer to 5.1.3, "Complex mediation scenario" on page 71.

7.1.2 Selecting the appropriate topology

Based on the ITSO Bank requirements for the mediation flow scenario, we can select an appropriate production topology to host the Stock Purchase mediation module. To help us select the appropriate topology, we use the topology selection flowchart, as described in 4.5.2, "Topology selection flow chart" on page 62. Figure 7-2 shows that by using the topology selection flowchart, can select the Full Support topology as the topology of choice for the ITSO Bank mediation flow scenario.

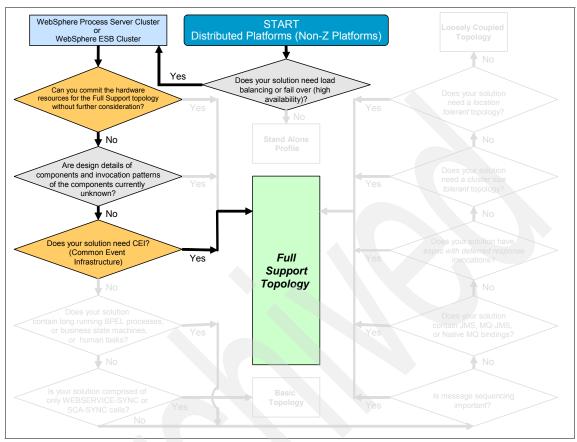
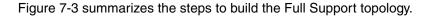


Figure 7-2 Topology selection for the complex mediation flow scenario

The main decision points for ITSO Bank are:

- ► A highly available solution with load balancing is required, so a clustered topology is needed.
- ► ITSO Bank do not wish to commit the hardware resources required to implement the Full Support topology unless the applications they are deploying to the topology require it.
- ► Their application solution uses CEI, therefore there is an application requirement to implement the Full Support topology.

7.1.3 Overview of how to implement the Full Support topology



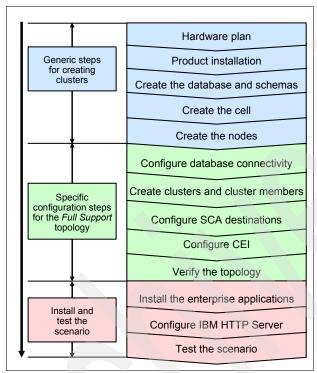


Figure 7-3 Building the Full Support topology for WebSphere ESB

WESBCell01 Machine 1 Machine 3 Machine 2 WebSphere ESB WebSphere ESB WebSphere ESB WESBNode02 WESBCellManager01 WESBNode01 MEServer01 MEServer02 Dmgr01 SCA Queues (active) SCA Queues (standby) CEI Queues (active) CEI Queues (standby) MECluster01 webserver1 IHS WESBServer01 WESBServer02 WESBCluster01 Plug-in CEIServer02 CEIServer01 CElCluster01

Figure 7-4 shows the topology that we build in this chapter.

Figure 7-4 Full Support topology implementation

7.2 Generic steps for creating WebSphere ESB clusters

This section describes the hardware plan and describes how to prepare a WebSphere ESB cluster.

7.2.1 Hardware plan for the topology

This section describes the hardware that is required to support the Full Support topology. In this topology (illustrated in Figure 7-5 on page 158), three machines are used to support the cell hosting mediation module and one machine is used to host the client and Web services applications for testing purposes. A final shared machine provides the database functionality. The hardware plan includes:

► The first machine (egt0) hosts the deployment manager and the IBM HTTP Server and associated plugin.

- ► The second and third machines (egt1 and egt2) host three clusters, as well as the node agents, in a horizontally clustered configuration:
 - The mediation cluster
 - A separate messaging cluster
 - The CEI cluster

These machines need more resources because they are hosting four JVMs each.

Note: In a production environment with high throughput, the mediation bottleneck might be the messaging engine response. In this case, the messaging engine cluster might be hosted on separate hardware to the mediation cluster. Similarly, if the CEI footprint becomes high, there is a possibility that the monitoring infrastructure (CEI cluster) might impact the mediation application. Again, you can host this cluster on different hardware to alleviate any impact.

- The fourth machine (egt3) hosts the client application to access the mediation module and the Web services applications in two stand-alone WebSphere application servers.
- ► A fifth machine (db2), not shown in the diagram, hosts the database that is required to support the messaging engines and CEI.

Note: Although this is the configuration that we used, you can choose any combination of machines to create this topology.

Table 7-1 describes how we use these machines.

Table 7-1 Systems used for this topology

System name	Host name	Operating system
egt0	egt0.itso	Windows 2003 Server
egt1	egt1.itso	Windows 2003 Server
egt2	egt2.itso	Windows 2003 Server
egt3	egt3.itso	Windows 2003 Server
db2	db2.itso	RedHat Advanced Server 4 U4

Note: You can define a hosts file that maps the host names that are defined in Table 7-1 to the IP address of each of your machines to help when following the steps in this chapter.

You can find the hosts file on Windows platforms at:

<WINDOWS_HOME>\system32\drivers\etc

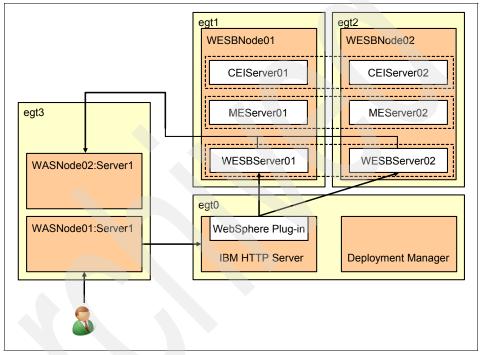


Figure 7-5 Hardware plan for the full support topology

The end-to-end flow for this topology, as shown in Figure 7-5, is:

- 1. A user makes a request from a browser to the front-end client application, running as a JSP on WASNode01:server1 on host egt3.
- 2. The client application is configured to forward the request to IBM HTTP Server running on egt0.
- 3. The WebSphere Plugin distributes the request to a cluster member hosting the mediation module. The cluster member is WESBServer01 or WESBServer02 hosted on egt1 or egt2 respectively.

- 4. The mediation application running on this cluster member performs the appropriately mediated call to one of the Web services hosted on WASNode02:server1 on host egt3. Any CEI primitive calls are also made here.
- 5. The return path through the infrastructure is the reverse of this flow.

7.2.2 Product installation

It is assumed that the following products have been installed:

- ▶ WebSphere ESB V6.0.2
- ► IBM HTTP Server V6
- DB2 Universal Database Enterprise Server V8.2

Note: For information about how to install these products, refer to Appendix B, "Product installation" on page 429.

7.2.3 Creating the messaging database

The first task in creating this topology is to create the messaging database. For this chapter, we assume the Relational Database Management System (RDBMS) is DB2, the instance is called egtinst1, and the administrative user name is egtinst1.

Log in as the database administrative user and issue the following commands from a DB2 command window to create the required database:

db2start db2 create database MEDB

If the **create** command is successful, you see the following message:

DB20000I The CREATE DATABASE command completed successfully

7.2.4 Copying the database driver files

The Java driver files for DB2 are located on the database system. In our DB2 example, they are in the directory /opt/IBM/db2/V8.1/java.

On each of the nodes and the deployment manager, copy the database driver files to a standard location. In this example the standard location for the driver files is c:\db2client.

7.2.5 Creating the messaging database schemas

The messaging database includes three schemas that support the messaging engines in this topology:

- SCA Application
- SCA System
- ► CEI

You can create the DB2 commands for generating the schemas on any system with the WebSphere ESB product installed. On any WebSphere ESB node, create the data definition language (DDL) files for the Service Integration Bus (SIB) SCA schemas as detailed in Table 7-2.

Schema name	Database	Purpose
SCASYS	MEDB	System bus messaging store
SCAAPP	MEDB	Application bus messaging store
CEIMSG	MEDB	CEI messaging store

In this example:

- ► The database user name is egtinst1.
- ► The script to generate the schemas is located in the %WAS_HOME%\bin directory (for example, C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\bin).
- The database target for the DDL generated is running on a Linux system.

To create the messaging database schemas, follow these steps:

1. Open a command prompt and issue the following commands:

cd C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\bin

Note: Each of the commands in this series of steps is a single line although in the format of this book they might wrap. Also, the commands assume that the database is running on a UNIX platform. If you are using Windows, you need to replace -platform unix with -platform windows.

Issue the following command for the SCASYS DDL generation - SCA System Schema:

```
sibDDLGenerator.bat -system db2 -version 8.1 -platform unix -schema
SCASYS -statementend ; -user egtinst1 >
c:\createSIBSchema SCASYS.dd1
```

3. Issue the following command for the SCAAPP DDL generation - SCA Application Schema:

```
sibDDLGenerator.bat -system db2 -version 8.1 -platform unix -schema
SCAAPP -statementend ; -user egtinst1 >
c:\createSIBSchema_SCAAPP.ddl
```

4. Issue the following command for the CEIMSG DDL generation - CEI Messaging Schema:

```
sibDDLGenerator.bat -system db2 -version 8.1 -platform unix -schema
CEIMSG -statementend ; -user egtinst1 >
c:\createSIBSchema CEIMSG.ddl
```

- 5. Transfer the DDL files to the DB2 database server and execute them.
 - a. Transfer c:\createSIBSchema_SCASYS.ddl, c:\createSIBSchema_SCAAPP.ddl and c:\createSIBSchema_CEIMSG.dd to the DB2 database server. In this example, we transferred the DDL files to /tmp on the database server.

Attention: If you transfer these files from Windows to UNIX, there might be return characters (\r) at the end of each line. To run the DDL scripts, you must remove these characters. A UNIX utility such as dos2unix will remove these characters.

b. Login to the DB2 server as the appropriate user (egtinst1) and run the following commands to create the tables:

```
db2 connect to MEDB
db2 -tf /tmp/createSIBSchema_SCAAPP.ddl
db2 -tf /tmp/createSIBSchema_SCASYS.ddl
db2 -tf /tmp/createSIBSchema_CEIMSG.ddl
db2 connect reset
```

Note: These DB2 commands report various informational index and primary key messages, such as:

SQL0598W Existing index "SIB_SCAA.SIB000PKIX" is used as the index for the primary key or a unique key. SQLSTATE=01550.

These are not errors. You can ignore these messages.

7.2.6 Creating the WebSphere ESB cell

This task creates the WebSphere ESB cell, which is achieved by creating a deployment manager profile. Follow these steps:

- 1. Login to the egt0.itso machine, which becomes the deployment manager.
- 2. Open the profile creation wizard by selecting Start → All Programs → IBM WebSphere → Enterprise Service Bus 6.0 → Profile creation wizard.

Note: For information about how to launch the Profile creation wizard on other platforms, see:

http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/dmndhelp/v6rxmx/index.js
p?topic=/com.ibm.websphere.nd.doc/info/ae/ae/tpro instances.html

- In the Profile creation wizard, click Next.
- Select Deployment manager profile and click Next.
- 5. Leave the default profile name as Dmgr01 and click **Next**.
- 6. Leave the default profile directory and click Next.
- 7. Specify the Node name, host name, and cell name according to the following specifications and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 7-6:

Node name: WESBCellManager01

Host name: egt0.itsoCell name: WESBCell01

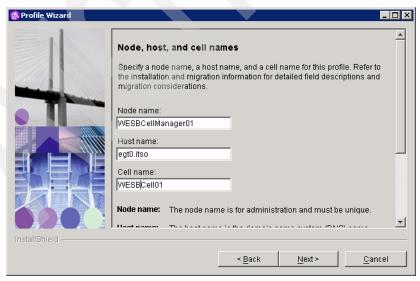


Figure 7-6 Node, host and cell name configuration

- 8. Leave the port numbers at their default settings and click Next.
- 9. In the Windows service definition panel, select **Automatic** and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 7-7.



Figure 7-7 Windows service settings

10.On the Service Component Architecture configuration panel, click Next.

11. Confirm that the details are correct on the Profile summary panel, and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 7-8.



Figure 7-8 Deployment manager creation summary

- 12.A panel displays the progress. When complete, clear the Launch the First Steps console check box and click Finish. The deployment manager now exists.
- 13. Open a command prompt on egt0, change directory to %WAS_HOME%\profiles\Dmgr01\bin (for example, C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\Dmgr01\bin), and issue this command: startManager.bat

Figure 7-9 shows the output from this command.

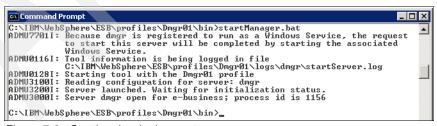


Figure 7-9 Starting the deployment manager

It should now be possible to connect to the Administrative Console that is running on the deployment manager by opening a browser to:

http://egt0.itso:9060/ibm/console

Log in to the Administrative Console (as any user). Figure 7-10 shows the Web that opens. It might be necessary to set the available task filters to All in the Filter administrative tasks panel and click **Apply** on the Welcome page of the Administrative Console to override the default filtering of the available options.

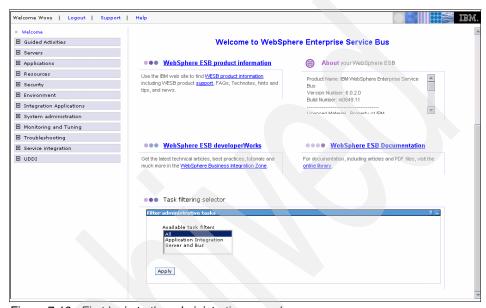


Figure 7-10 First login to the administration console

7.2.7 Creating the nodes

The next step in building this topology is to create the profiles and associated nodes for the topology. The deployment manager must be running on egt0.itso to enable node federation, the nodes are created on egt1.itso and egt2.itso.

Note: Ensure that the time difference between the deployment manager machine and the custom profile machines is within *five* minutes.

To create the nodes, follow these steps:

- On egt1, open the profile creation wizard by selecting Start → AII
 Programs → IBM WebSphere → Enterprise Service Bus 6.0 → Profile creation wizard.
- 2. In the profile creation wizard, click **Next**.
- Select Custom profile and click Next.

4. Enter the host name of the deployment manager, in this example egt0.itso, leave the SOAP port as the default (8879), ensure that **Federate this node later** is *not* selected and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 7-11.

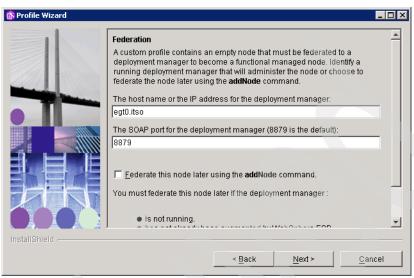


Figure 7-11 Deployment manager location and federation

- 5. Set the Profile name appropriately (WESBNode01) and click Next.
- 6. Accept the default profile directory and click Next.

7. Specify the node name (WESBNode01) and host name (egt1.itso) and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 7-12.

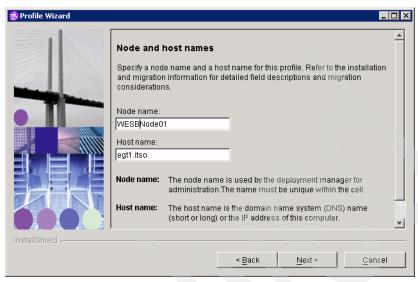


Figure 7-12 Node and host name

8. Leave the default port numbers and click Next.

9. Confirm that the details are correct on the Profile summary panel and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 7-13.

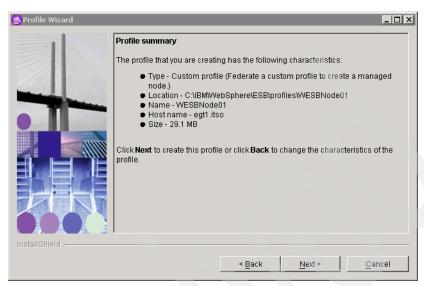


Figure 7-13 Node creation summary

10.A panel displays the progress. When complete, clear the **Launch the First Steps console** check box and click **Finish**.

The node now exists and is federated into the cell. The federation process starts the node automatically.

Repeat these steps for the second node, using the values that are shown in Table 7-3.

Table 7-3 Second node details

Setting	Value
Profile name	WESBNode02
Node name	WESBNode02
Host name	egt2.itso

After you have created both nodes, verify that they are running in the Administrative Console by following these steps:

1. Open a browser to http://egt0.itso:9060/ibm/console.

Note: You need to logout from any existing console sessions.

 Navigate to System administration → Nodes and verify that all nodes are running as indicated by the green symbol next to each node, as shown in Figure 7-14.

Note: Upon initial login to the Administrative Console you might need to change the Task filter selection to All and click **Apply** to view all available functionality.

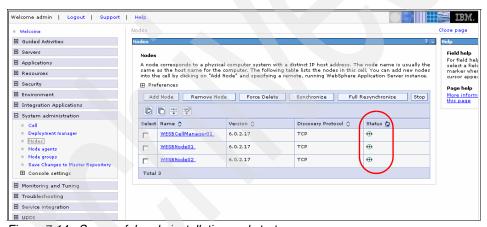


Figure 7-14 Successful node installation and startup

You have now constructed the topology shown in Figure 7-15.

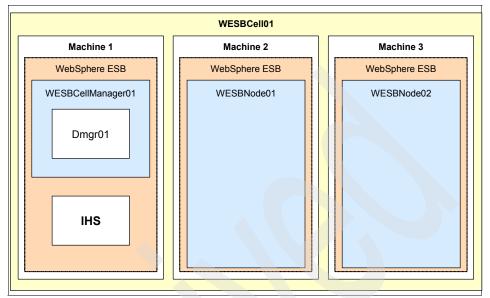


Figure 7-15 Cell and nodes defined

7.3 Specific configuration steps for the Full Support topology

This section describes the following:

- Configuring database connectivity
- Configuring the cell
- Configuring CEI for DB2
- Deploying the CEI applications
- Verifying the topology

7.3.1 Configuring database connectivity

This section describes how to connect successfully to the database that is required by WebSphere ESB in the Full Support topology (the MEDB - Messaging database).

Note: We configure the CEI database later in 7.3.5, "Verifying the topology" on page 206.

To configure database connectivity, follow these steps:

On egt0, open the deployment manager Administrative Console and login.
 We used the following URL:

http://egt0.itso:9060/ibm/console

2. Navigate to **Guided Activities** → **Connecting to a database** and click **Start**, as shown in Figure 7-16.

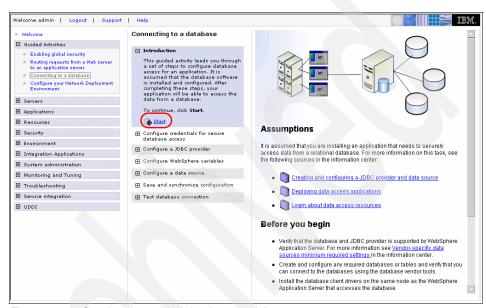


Figure 7-16 Starting the guided database activity

3. Select Click to perform in the new panel.

Authenticating the alias

You need to set the user and password values for database access. Follow these steps:

1. Click **New** to create a new authentication alias to connect to the database, as shown in Figure 7-17.

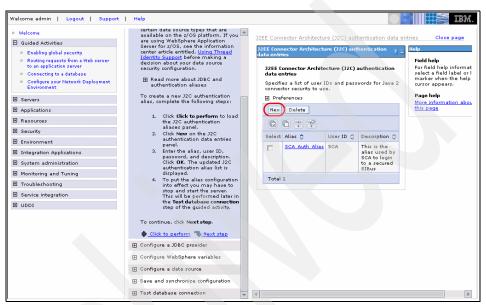


Figure 7-17 Creating a new authentication alias

Complete the appropriate information for the database as shown in Table 7-4 and click OK.

Table 7-4 Authentication alias parameters

Parameter	Value
Alias	db_alias
User ID	egtinst1
Password	itso4you
Description	For all DB connectivity

Figure 7-18 shows an example.

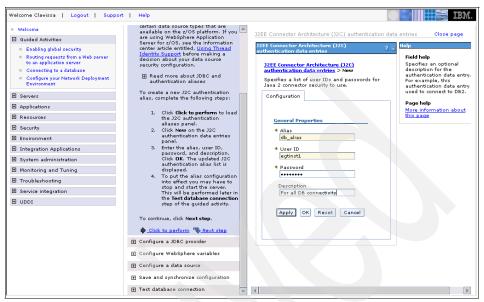


Figure 7-18 Authentication data entries

3. After the values are configured, click Save towards the top of the Web page.

 Select Synchronize changes with Nodes and click Save, as shown in Figure 7-19.

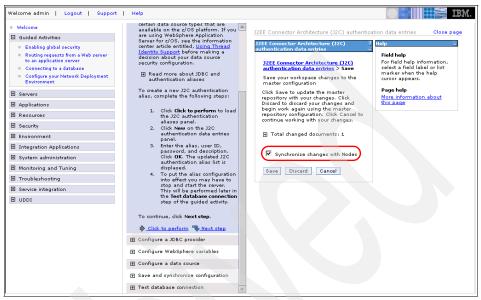


Figure 7-19 Synchronizing the changes

5. When completed, verify that there were no errors with the synchronization and click **OK**.

A new authentication alias called WESBCellManager01/db_alias is created, as shown in Figure 7-20.

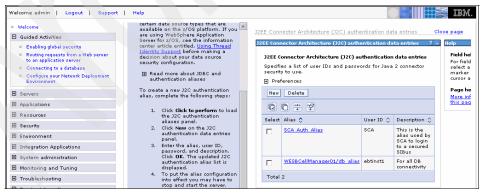


Figure 7-20 New authentication alias created

6. Select **Next step** to continue to the Configure a JDBC provider panel.

Creating a JDBC provider

The next step creates a JDBC provider for use by the data sources later:

- 1. In this panel, select Click to perform.
- 2. Set the scope to cell level by clearing the Node and Server entry boxes and clicking **Apply**, as shown in Figure 7-21.

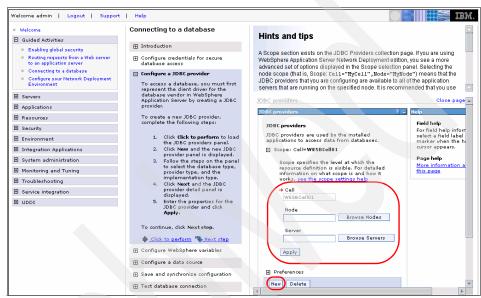


Figure 7-21 Setting the cell scope

3. In the JDBC providers panel below the scope, click **New**, also highlighted in Figure 7-21.

4. From the Configuration panel, select DB2 as the database type, set the provider type to DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider, and the implementation type to XA data source. Click Next, as shown in Figure 7-22.

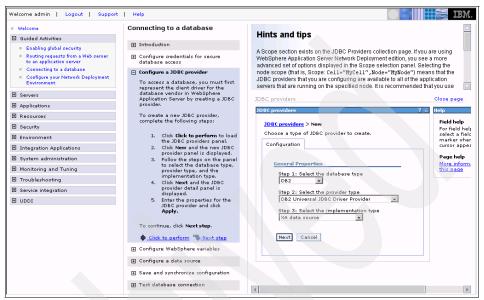


Figure 7-22 JDBC provider configuration

- 5. In the next panel, which names the provider and locates the driver files, accept all the defaults and click **OK**.
- 6. Save and synchronize these changes and click **OK** when complete.
- Select Next step to open the WebSphere variables panel and then in this panel select Click to perform.

Setting the WebSphere variables

The JDBC provider uses WebSphere environment variables to identify the driver file locations. For these variables to resolve, you need to set their vales appropriately. The scope for these variables should be **Cell** or **Node**, as shown in Table 7-5 and Table 7-6.

Note: When setting the scope, the selection is not applied until you click **Apply**.

To set the WebSphere variables:

 Clear the node and server entries, and click Apply to set the active scope to the cell. 2. Create or modify each environment variable, and set the value as defined in Table 7-5.

Table 7-5 Cell scope environment variables

Name	Value	Scope
UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH	c:\db2client	Cell
DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH	c:\db2client	Cell
DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_NATIVEPATH	c:\db2client	Cell

- When you have defined all three variables at cell level, click Browse Nodes.
 Select WESBNode01 and click OK. Click Apply to set the active scope to the node.
- 4. Define the node scope environment variable DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_NATIVEPATH, and set the value as shown in Table 7-6. Also delete the other two variables shown in Table 7-6.

Attention: At the node scope, you *must* delete the environment variables UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH and DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH.

Table 7-6 Node scope environment variables

Name	Value	Scope
DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_NATIVEPATH	c:\db2client	WESBNode01 WESBNode02
UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH	Delete this variable	WESBNode01 WESBNode02
DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH	Delete this variable	WESBNode01 WESBNode02

Figure 7-23 shows an example of the environment variable configuration.

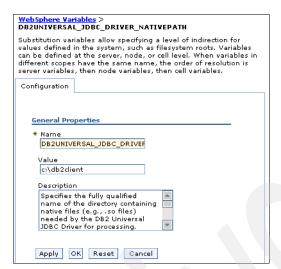


Figure 7-23 Setting an environment variable value

- 5. Repeat this process for WESBNode02 to remove the two environment variables and set the third to the value shown in Table 7-6 on page 177.
- 6. Save and synchronize these changes.
- 7. Select Next step and then Click to perform.

Configuring the data sources

The next step is to configure the data sources using the JDBC provider that you just created:

1. In the new panel, click the new JDBC provider **DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider (XA)**, as shown in Figure 7-24.

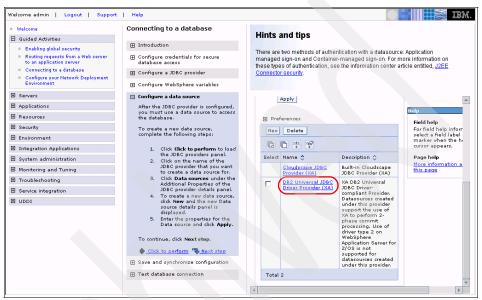


Figure 7-24 JDBC provider selection for data source creation

2. Scroll to the right and click **Data sources**, as shown in Figure 7-25.

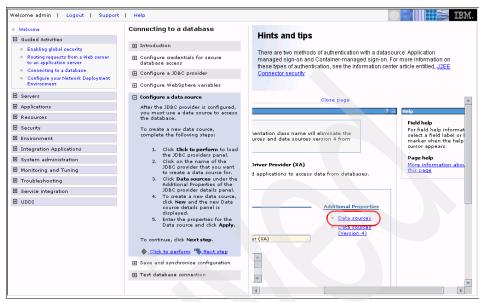


Figure 7-25 Selecting the additional data source property

3. You need to create a data source for the messaging database, MEDB. Click **New** to create a data source and set the parameters, as shown in Table 7-7.

Table 7-7 Data source configuration

Parameter	Messaging Parameters
Name	MEDB DataSource
JNDI name	jdbc/medb
Description	Messaging engine data source
Component-managed authentication alias	WESBCellManager01/db_alias
Authentication alias for XA recovery	Use component-managed authentication alias
Database name	MEDB
Driver type	4
Server name	db2.itso
Port	50004

Figure 7-26 shows the MEDB data source configuration page. You need to enter all the values that are identified in Table 7-7. To enter these values, you need to scroll down in this panel.

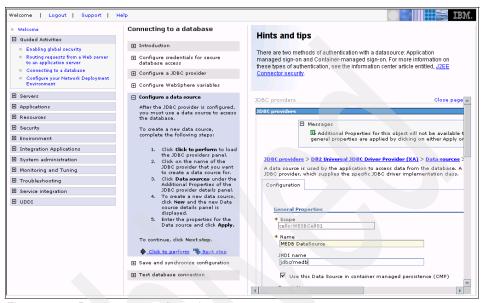


Figure 7-26 Data source configuration

- 4. Click **OK** to create the new data source. When created, save and synchronize the changes and click **OK** to complete.
- 5. Click Next step and then **Next step** again in the Save and synchronize configuration panel (because you have already saved and synchronized).

Restarting the environment

You need to restart all nodes and the deployment manager to ensure that the changes that you made are distributed cell wide. Follow these steps:

- 1. Open the Administrative Console for the deployment manager hosted on egt0.
- 2. Navigate to **System administration** → **Node agents** and select both nodes.

3. Click **Restart** to cause the nodes to stop and start, as shown in Figure 7-27.

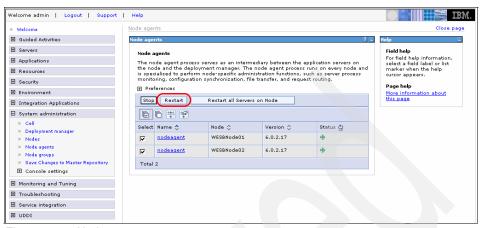


Figure 7-27 Node restart

Note: You need to refresh the Node agents view to see the change in status.

 Navigate to System administration → Deployment manager and click Stop, as shown in Figure 7-28.

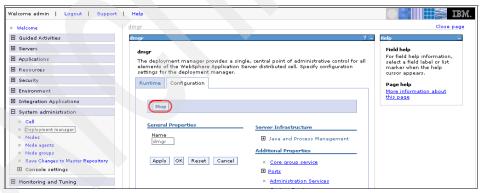


Figure 7-28 Stopping the deployment manager

5. Click **OK** in the verification panel and then start the deployment manager, as described in step 13 of the section 7.2.6, "Creating the WebSphere ESB cell" on page 162.

Testing database connectivity

After the environment has restarted, ensure that the MEDB database is running and test the newly created data sources:

- Open the egt0 Administrative Console and login.
- 2. Navigate to Guided Activities → Connecting to a database → Test database connection, as shown in Figure 7-29.

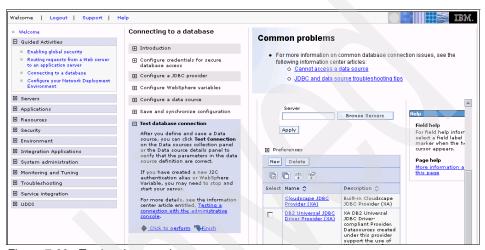


Figure 7-29 Testing the new data source

- 3. Select Click to perform.
- 4. Verify the scope is set to **Cell** and click the JDBC provider. In this example, the provide is called **DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider (XA)**.
- 5. In the next panel, scroll right, and under **Additional Properties**, click **Data sources**.

6. From the data sources panel, select **MEDB DataSource** and click **Test connection**, as shown in Figure 7-30.

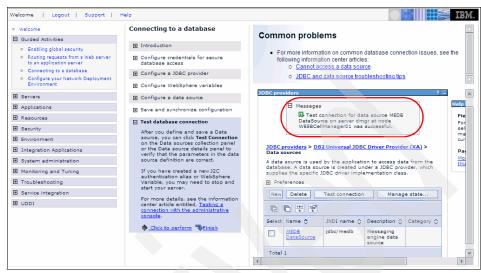


Figure 7-30 Successful database connections

- 7. The Messages dialog box (at the top in Figure 7-30) should indicate that the data source successfully connected to the database.
- 8. Click Finish.

7.3.2 Configuring the cell

To configure the network deployment infrastructure with the options that are required for the Full Support topology, follow these steps:

- Open the Administrative Console on egt0 and login.
- Navigate to Guided Activities → Configure your Network Deployment Environment and click Start.
- 3. Scroll down and select **Click to perform** in the expanded panel to see the list of nodes.
- 4. The nodes are already federated, so select **Next step**.
- 5. The database configuration is already complete, so select **Next step**.
- 6. In the Creating clusters and cluster members panel, select Click to perform.

7. Click **New** and enter a Cluster name of WESBCluster01, as shown in Figure 7-31.

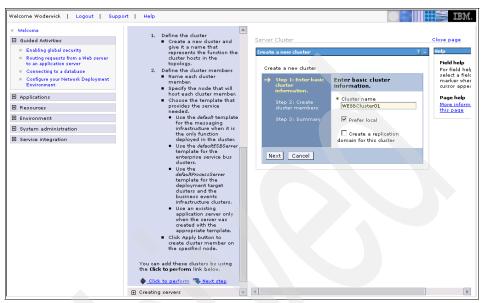


Figure 7-31 Cluster creation

8. Click **Next** and then add a first member of the cluster named WESBServer01 to the node WESBNode01. Set the template to defaultESBServer, as shown in Figure 7-32.

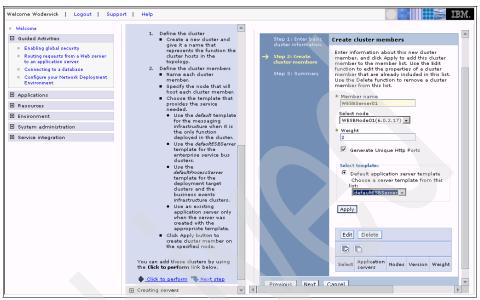


Figure 7-32 Adding the first cluster member

- 9. Click **Apply** to add this server to the new cluster.
- 10. Repeat this process for WESBServer02 on WESBNode02. However, the template option will not be available now because all cluster members are of the type that is defined by the first member.

11. Click **Apply** to add the second cluster member and then click **Next**, as shown in Figure 7-33.

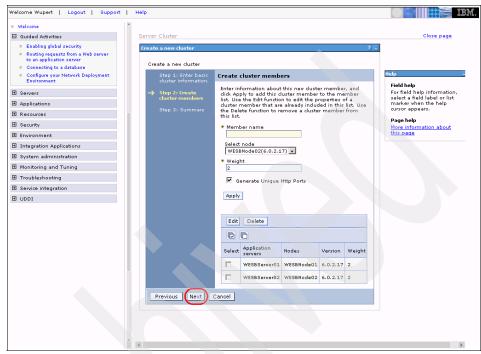


Figure 7-33 Cluster members added

- 12. At the summary page, click Finish.
- 13. Repeat this process for the messaging cluster, using the details that are listed in Table 7-8.

Table 7-8 Messaging cluster configuration

Cluster name	Cluster members	Node name	Template
MECluster01	MEServer01 MEServer02	WESBNode01 WESBNode02	default

14. Repeat this process for the CEI cluster, using the details that are listed in Table 7-9.

Table 7-9 CEI cluster configuration

Cluster name	Cluster members	Node name	Template
CEICluster01	CEIServer01 CEIServer02	WESBNode01 WESBNode02	defaultESBServer

The three clusters are created, as shown in Figure 7-34.

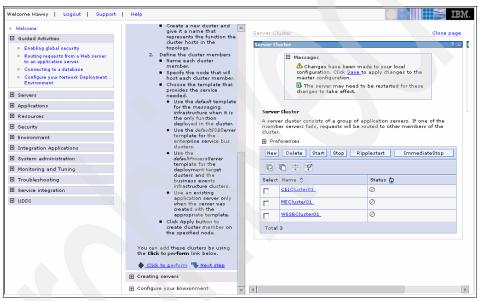


Figure 7-34 Clusters created

- 15. Save and synchronize the changes.
- 16. Select **Next step** to continue, and then select **Next step** at the **Creating servers** option because you require no more servers.

Configuring the environment

To configure the environment, follow these steps:

- 1. In the Configure your Environment panel, select **Click to perform**.
- 2. Click the pull-down menu to configure a cluster, and select the following configuration settings:
 - a. Select WESBCluster01 and click Add.
 - b. Select **MECluster01** and click **Add**.
 - c. Select CElCluster01 and click Add.
 - d. Select **Remote** for the **SCA Destination** for WESBCluster01.
 - e. Select Local for the SCA Destination for MECluster01.
 - f. Select Remote for the SCA Destination for CEICluster01.

Figure 7-35 shows the configuration settings.

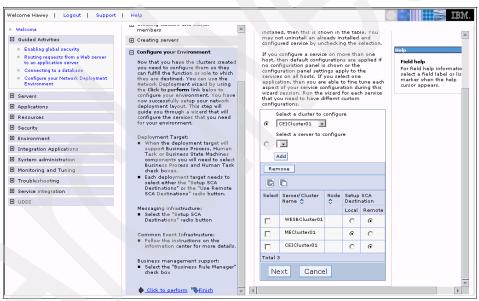


Figure 7-35 Configuring SCA for each cluster

- Click Next.
- From the JDBC provider drop-down list, select the appropriate provider. In this example, the provider is DB2 UDB 8.1 & 8.2 (DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider (XA) type 4).

5. Set the user name to egtinst1 and the user password to itso4you, and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 7-36.

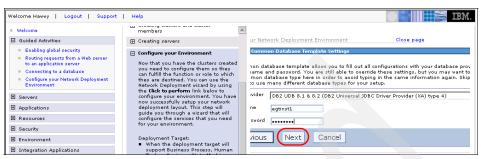


Figure 7-36 JDBC provider selection

- 6. Under System Bus, **select Use existing data source**. In the drop-down menu below, select the data source **medb**.
- 7. Set the schema name to SCASYS.
- 8. Under Application Bus, select **Use existing data source**. In the drop-down menu below, select the data source **medb**.
- 9. Set the schema name to SCAAPP.
- 10. Clear **Create tables** because you have already created the tables manually with the sibDDLgenerator.bat command.

Note: If the database is DB2, this option creates the SCA database schemas the first time that you start the SCA messaging engines.

Figure 7-37 shows these settings.

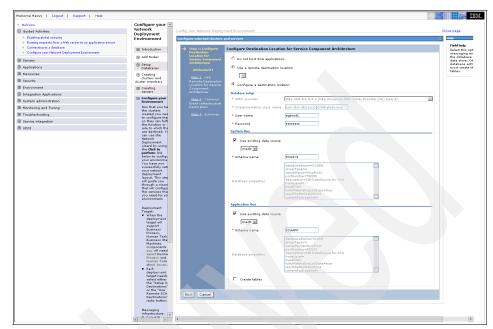


Figure 7-37 SCA Values

11.Click Next.

12. This panel configures the WebSphere ESB and CEI clusters to use a remote destination for SCA. The default should set MECluster01 because of the remote location, as shown in Figure 7-38.

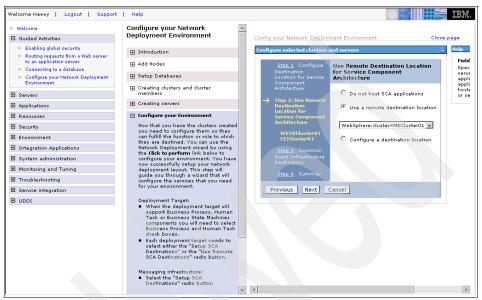


Figure 7-38 Remote SCA configuration

- 13. Click **Next** to move to the next CEI configuration panel.
- 14. Ensure that **Enable service at server startup** is selected, leave the other default values as is, and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 7-39.



Figure 7-39 Startup CEI service settings

15. In the summary panel click **Finish** as shown in Figure 7-40.



Figure 7-40 Cluster configuration summary

16. The network deployment environment is now configured. When it completes save and synchronize the changes.

7.3.3 Configuring CEI for DB2

This section tells you how to create the CEI database (CEIDB) and how to configure the cell that is associated with CEI. In this example, you create the database manually by transferring the creation scripts to the DB2 server.

Generating the CEI database script

You need to generate the scripts to create the CEI database and the associated cell configuration scripts manually. Follow these steps:

- 1. Open a command prompt on the cell deployment manager system.
- Change directory to %WAS_HOME%\profiles\Dmgr01\event\dbconfig. In this example, the directory is C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\Dmgr01\event\dbconfig.
- 3. Copy the file DB2ResponseFile.txt to NewDB2ResponseFile.txt.

4. Using an appropriate editor, edit NewDB2ResponseFile.txt with the correct information for the environment. Table 7-10 lists the changes for this example.

Table 7-10 NewDB2Responsfile.txt settings

Property	Value
SCOPE	cell
DB_NAME	CEIDB
DB_NODE_NAME	db2 (look in db2nodes.cfg on the DB2 server)
JDBC_CLASSPATH	c:\db2client
UNIVERSAL_JDBC_CLASSPATH	c:\db2client
JDBC_DRIVER_TYPE	4
DB2_HOST_NAME	db2.itso
DB2_INSTANCE_PORT	50000
EXECUTE_SCRIPT	NO

- 5. Save the new configuration file.
- 6. From the same directory, run the following script to generate the CEI configuration scripts:

config event database.bat NewDB2ResponseFile.txt

The scripts to configure the cell for CEI are created in the directory %WAS_HOME%\profiles\Dmgr01\event\dsscripts\db2. In this example, the directory is C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\Dmgr01\event\dsscripts\db2.

The C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\Dmgr01\event\dbscripts\db2 directory is also generated, and it includes the CEIDB database creation scripts.

Creating the CEI database

This section describes the steps that are necessary to create the DB2 database, CEIDB, on the database server. You need to transfer the scripts from a WebSphere ESB server to the DB2 server because the DB2 windows client is not installed on the members of the cell. It is assumed that the instance is running, in this case the instance name is egtinst1.

To create the CEI database, follow these steps:

 Transfer the CEIDB creation scripts directory for DB2, %WAS_HOME%\profiles\Dmgr01\event\dbscripts\db2, to the database server. In this example, the directory is C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\Dmgr01\event\dbscripts\db2.

Attention: If you transfer these files from Windows to UNIX, there might be return characters (\r) at the end of each line. To run the DDL scripts, you must remove these characters. A UNIX utility such as dos2unix will remove these characters.

- 2. Login to the DB2 server db2.itso as the instance owner egtinst1.
- 3. Change directory to the /home/egtinst1/db2.
- 4. Run the CEIDB creation script:

```
./cr_event_db2.sh
```

Table 7-11 lists the command line responses.

Table 7-11 cr_event_db2.sh responses

Response	Description
1	script is running on the DB2 server
egtinst1	DB2 user

This series of steps creates the database and appropriate tables.

Configuring the CEI database cell

To configure the cell for connection to the CEIDB database:

- 1. On the cell deployment manager where the scripts were generated, open a command line window.
- 2. Run the JDBC configuration script. In this example, we are running on Windows and the database is DB2. Therefore, the following commands configure the cell:

cd C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\Dmgr01\event\dsscripts\db2
cr db2 jdbc provider.bat cell

Table 7-12 shows the command line responses to this script.

Table 7-12 CEI JDBC Provider responses

Response	Description
egtinst1	DB2 user for CEIDB
itso4you	DB2 password for CEIDB

3. Open the Administrative Console, log in, and navigate to **Resources** → **JDBC Providers**. You should see a JDBC provider at the cell scope for CEI called Event_DB2_JDBC_Provider, as shown in Figure 7-41.

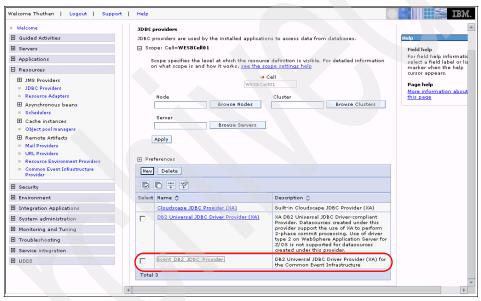


Figure 7-41 CEI JDBC provider

- 4. Click the **Event_DB2_JDBC_Provider** that is highlighted in Figure 7-41.
- 5. In the next panel, scroll right, and under **Additional Properties** click **Data** sources.

From the data sources panel, select the event and event_catalog datasources and click Test connection, as shown in Figure 7-42.

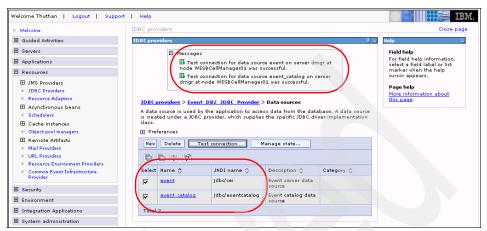


Figure 7-42 Successful database connections

The Messages dialog box (at the top in Figure 7-42) should indicate that the data sources successfully connected to the database.

7.3.4 Deploying the CEI applications

This section explains how install the CEI applications into the CEICluster01 cluster.

Installing the CEI Event Server application

To install the CEI Event Server application:

- 1. Open a command prompt on the deployment manager.
- Change directory to %WAS_HOME%\profiles\Dmgr01\event\application. In this example, this directory is C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\Dmgr01\event\application.
- 3. Execute the command to install the CEI Event Server application. For example:
 - ..\..\bin\wsadmin -f event-application.jacl -profile event-profile.jacl -action install -earfile event-application.ear -backendid DB2UDBNT_V82_1 -cluster CEICluster01

The final line of all the responses should say Configuration updates have been saved. Figure 7-43 shows example output.

```
lete.

ADMA58131: Application EventServer installed successfully.
Feb 22, 2007 3:33:12 PM com.ibm.events.install.nsg
IMFO: CEIIN0580I The enterprise application EventServer is detected.
Feb 22, 2007 3:33:19 PM com.ibm.events.install.nsg
IMFO: CEIIN0638I The registered enterprise application of the Common Event Infra structure service at scope cluster=CEICluster01 is EventServer.
Feb 22, 2007 3:33:19 PM com.ibm.events.install.nsg
IMFO: CEIIN0638I The registered enterprise application of the Common Event Infra structure service at scope cluster=CEICluster01 is EventServer.
Feb 22, 2007 3:33:19 PM com.ibm.events.install.nsg
IMFO: CEIIN0668I The enterprise application EventServer has been installed succe ssfully on cluster CEICluster01.
Feb 22, 2007 3:33:19 PM com.ibm.events.install.nsg
IMFO: CEIIN0680I The Common Event Infrastructure resource of type EventBusIransm issionProfile with the name Default Common Event Infrastructure event bus transm issionProfile with the name Default Common Event Infrastructure event bus transm ission for CEICluster01 at scope Cell:WESBCell01 has been created successfully.
Feb 22, 2007 3:33:20 PM com.ibm.events.install.nsg
IMFO: CEIIN0631 The emitter factory profile Default Common Event Infrastructure emitter for CEICluster01 at scope Cell:WESBCell01 has been created successfully.
Feb 22, 2007 3:33:22 PM com.ibm.events.install.nsg
IMFO: CEIIN0546I Configuration updates have been saved.

C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\Dmgr01\event\application>
```

Figure 7-43 CEI application deployment responses

Adding asynchronous capabilities to the CEI Event Server application

To add asynchronous capabilities to the CEI Event Server application:

- 1. Open a command prompt on the deployment manager.
- Change directory to %WAS_HOME%\profiles\Dmgr01\event\application. In this example, this directory is
 C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\Dmgr01\event\application.
- 3. Execute the command to install the CEI MDB application. For example:

```
..\..\bin\wsadmin -f default-event-message.jacl -profile event-profile.jacl -earfile event-message.ear -action install -cluster CEICluster01
```

Table 7-13 shows the command line responses to this script.

Table 7-13 CEI MDB application responses

Response	Description
sca	embedded messaging authentication user
itso4you	embedded messaging authentication password
itso4you	verified embedded messaging authentication password

The final line of the responses should say Configuration updates have been saved. Figure 7-43 shows example output.

```
CWSCA30131: Resources for the SCA application EventServerMdb are being configure of the CWSCA30231: The EAR file app39121.ear is being loaded for the SCA module. CWSCA30231: Resources for the SCA application EventServerMdb have been configure of the SCA application EventServerMdb with the appContex tIDForSecurity information.

ADMAS0131: Application of the temp directory for application EventServerMdb is complete.

ADMAS0131: Application EventServerMdb installed successfully.

Feb 22, 2007 3:58:43 PM com.ibm.events.install.msg
INFO: CEIIN05001 The enterprise application EventServerMdb is detected.

Feb 22, 2007 3:58:43 PM com.ibm.events.install.msg
INFO: CEIIN06381 The registered enterprise application of the Common Event Infrastructure service at scope cluster=CEIClusterO1 is EventServer EventServerMdb.

Feb 22, 2007 3:58:44 PM com.ibm.events.install.msg
INFO: CEIIN06381 The registered enterprise application of the Common Event Infrastructure service at scope cluster=CEIClusterO1 is EventServer EventServerMdb.

Feb 22, 2007 3:58:44 PM com.ibm.events.install.msg
INFO: CEIIN06381 The enterprise application EventServer EventServerMdb.

Feb 22, 2007 3:58:44 PM com.ibm.events.install.msg
INFO: CEIIN06461 The enterprise application EventServerMdb has been installed su ccessfully on cluster CEIClusterO1.

Feb 22, 2007 3:58:47 PM com.ibm.events.install.msg
INFO: CEIIN05461 Configuration updates have been saved.

C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\Dmgr01\event\application>
```

Figure 7-44 CEI MEDB application deployment response

Modifying the CEI configuration

The default configuration for CEI assumes local messaging engines. In this topology, the messaging engines are located on the MECluster01 cluster members.

Deleting bus member CEICluster01

To delete CEICluster01:

- 1. Open the Administrative Console and login.
- 2. Navigate to Service integration → Buses.
- 3. Click the CommonEventInfrastructure_Bus bus.
- 4. Under the **Topology** heading, click **Bus members**.

 CEICluster01 is a member of the bus. However, in the case of a remote messaging environment, this member name should be MECluster01. Select Cluster=CEICluster01 and click Remove as shown in Figure 7-45.

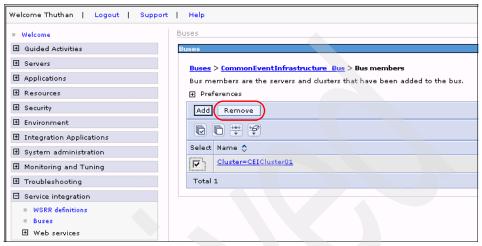


Figure 7-45 Removing CEICluster01 from the bus

6. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

Deleting the Cloudscape data source

To delete the Cloudscape™ data source, follow these steps:

- Navigate to Resources → JDBC Providers.
- 2. Set the scope to the CEICluster01 cluster, and click **Apply**.
- 3. Click Cloudscape JDBC Provider (XA).
- 4. Under Additional Properties, click Data sources.

5. Select **CEICluster01-CommonEventInfrastructure_Bus** and click **Delete**, as shown in Figure 7-46.

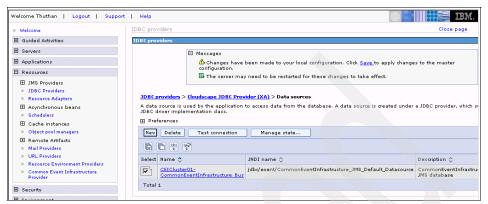


Figure 7-46 Deletion of the CEICluster01-CommonEventInfrastructure_Bus data source

6. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

Adding MECluster01 to the CEI bus

To add MECluster01 to the CEI bus:

- Navigate to Service integration → Buses.
- 2. Click CommonEventInfrastructure_Bus.
- 3. Under Topology, click Bus members.
- 4. Click Add.

5. Select **Cluster**, select **MECluster01**, and set the **Data source JNDI name** to jdbc/medb, as shown in Figure 7-47.

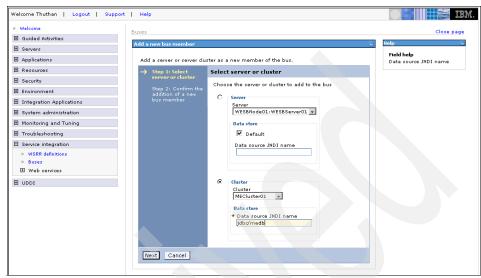


Figure 7-47 Adding the MECluster01 bus member

- 6. Click Next.
- 7. In the confirmation panel, click **Finish**.
- 8. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

Setting the CEIMSG schema

To set the CEIMSG schema:

- Navigate to Service integration → Buses.
- 2. Click CommonEventInfrastructure_Bus.
- 3. Under Topology, click Bus members.
- 4. Click bus member Cluster=MECluster01.
- 5. Click the messaging engine MECluster01.000-CommonEventInfrastructure Bus.
- 6. Under Additional Properties, click Data store.

7. Set the Schema name to CEIMSG, and select **WESBCellManager01/db_alias** from the Authentication alias drop-down list, as shown in Figure 7-48.

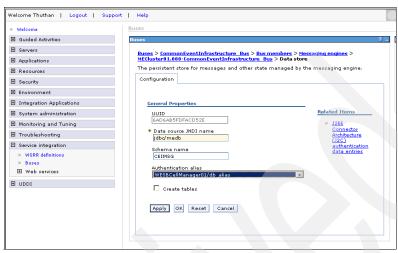


Figure 7-48 Schema configuration for CEI messaging engine

- 8. Clear the Create tables check box.
- 9. Click OK.
- 10. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

Setting the JMS destinations

To set the JMS destination, follow these steps:

- Navigate to Service integration → Buses.
- 2. Click CommonEventInfrastructure_Bus.
- 3. Under Destination resources, click **Destinations**.
- 4. Click New.
- 5. Set the destination type to Queue, and click **Next**.

6. Set the Identifier to CommonEventInfrastructureQueueDestination and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 7-49.

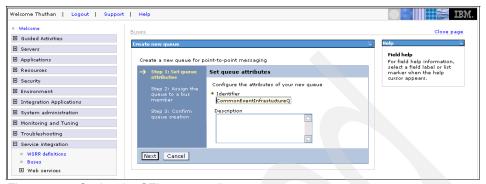


Figure 7-49 Setting the CEI queue attributes

- 7. Select MECluster01 from the Bus member drop-down list, and click Next.
- 8. At the confirmation window, click Finish.
- 9. Click New.
- 10. Set the destination type to *Topic space*, and click **Next**.
- 11.Set the Identifier to CommonEventInfrastructureTopicDestination, and click Next.
- 12. At the confirmation window, click **Finish**.
- 13. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

Setting asynchronous event emission

To set asynchronous event emission, follow these steps:

- 1. Navigate to Resources → Common Event Infrastructure Provider.
- 2. Set the scope to the cell, and click **Apply**.
- 3. Under Additional Properties, click **Emitter Factory Profile**.
- 4. Click Default Common Event Infrastructure emitter.

 Clear the Preferred synchronization mode check box and clear the Synchronous Transmission Profile JNDI Name entry, as shown in Figure 7-50.

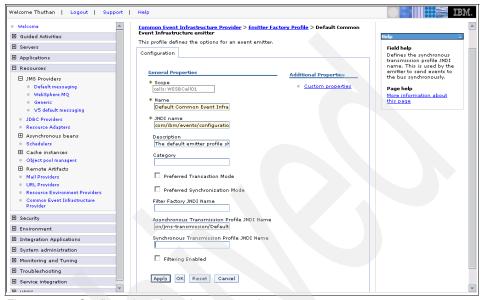


Figure 7-50 Configuration of synchronous mode

- 6. Click OK.
- Click Default Common Event Infrastructure emitter for CEICluster01 emitter.
- 8. Clear Preferred Synchronization Mode.
- 9. Click OK.
- 10. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when completed.

You have now constructed the topology that is shown in Figure 7-51.

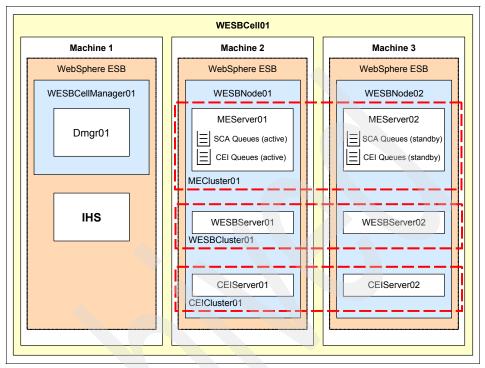


Figure 7-51 Clusters with SCA queues

7.3.5 Verifying the topology

In this section, you verify the database schema and start the cluster.

Checking the messaging engine database schemas

In this example, DB2 is the RDBMS. To check the database schema, follow these steps:

- 1. Log in to the database server as the instance user. In this example this is egtinst1.
- 2. Run the following commands:

```
db2 connect to MEDB
db2 select tabname from syscat.tables where tabschema=\'SCAAPP\'
db2 select tabname from syscat.tables where tabschema=\'SCASYS\'
db2 select tabname from syscat.tables where tabschema=\'CEIMSG\'
```

Note: On Windows platforms, do not use the backslashes (\) with the **db2** select command.

Each of the schemas should have eight tables. Figure 7-52 shows example output for the SCAAPP schema.

```
[ebtinst1@db2 ~] $ db2 connect to medb
   Database Connection Information
 Database server
                        = DB2/LINUX 8.2.7
SQL authorization ID = EBTINST1
Local database alias = MEDB
[ebtinst1@db2 ~] $ db2 select tabname from syscat.tables where tabschema=\'SCAAPP\
TABNAME
SIBOOO
SIB001
SIBOO2
SIBCLASSMAP
SIBKEYS
SIBLISTING
SIBOWNER
SIBXACTS
 8 record(s) selected.
[ebtinst1@db2 ~]$
```

Figure 7-52 SCAAPP schema

Checking the CEI database schemas

In this example, DB2 is the RDBMS. To check the CEI database schemas, follow these steps:

- 1. Log in to the database server as the instance user. In this example this is egtinst1.
- 2. Run the following commands:

```
db2 connect to CEIDB db2 list tables
```

There are 35 tables. Figure 7-53 shows example output.

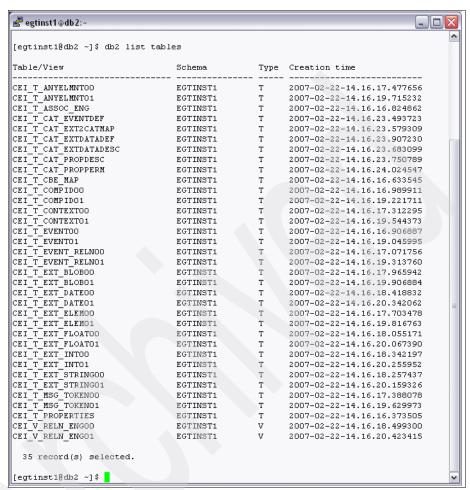


Figure 7-53 CEIDB tables

Starting the messaging cluster

To start the messaging cluster, follow these steps:

- Ensure that all nodes are running. If a node is not running, start it with the following commands:
 - a. Open a command prompt on the node's host machine.
 - b. Change directory to the node's bin directory:cd \IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\WESBNode01\bin
 - c. Start the node using this command (Figure 7-54): startNode.bat

```
C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\WESBNode01\bin>startNode.bat
ADMU01161: Tool information is being logged in file
C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\WESBNode01\logs\nodeagent\startServer.l

og
ADMU01281: Starting tool with the WESBNode01 profile
ADMU013001: Reading configuration for server: nodeagent
ADMU012001: Server launched. Waiting for initialization status.
ADMU010001: Server nodeagent open for e-business; process id is 3892
C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\WESBNode01\bin>_
```

Figure 7-54 Starting a node at the command line

- 2. Start the cluster:
 - a. Open the Administrative Console and login.
 - b. Navigate to Servers → Clusters.
 - c. Select MECluster01 and click Start, as shown in Figure 7-55.

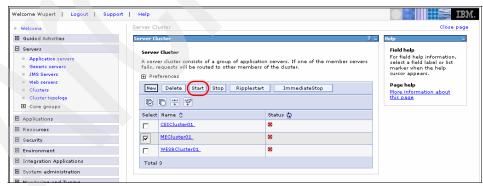


Figure 7-55 Starting the MECluster01 cluster

d. Verify that the cluster starts successfully. The red cross should change to a solid green arrow. You need to refresh the view to see the change in status.

- 3. Verify that the messaging engines have started:
 - a. Navigate to Service integration → Buses.

There should be three buses listed—two for the SCA Application and SCA System buses and a third CommonEventInfrastructure bus—as shown in Figure 7-56.



Figure 7-56 Service integration buses

- b. Click SCA.APPLICATION.WESBCell01.Bus.
- Under the Topology section, click Messaging engines.
- d. The status of the WESBCluster01.000-SCA.APPLICATION.WESBCell01.Bus messaging engine should be started, as shown in Figure 7-57.



Figure 7-57 Messaging engine in started state

e. Repeat this process for the SCA.SYSTEM.WESBCell01.Bus and CommonEventInfrastructure_Bus buses.

Starting the remaining clusters

To start the remaining clusters, follow these steps:

- 1. Open the Administrative Console and login.
- 2. Navigate to Servers → Clusters.
- 3. Select the cluster check box for each stopped cluster and click **Start**, as shown in Figure 7-55.

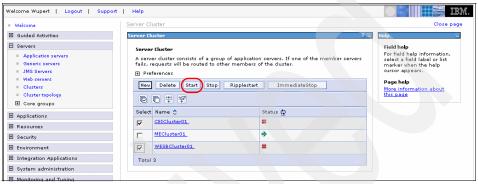


Figure 7-58 Starting the remaining clusters

 Verify that the clusters start successfully. The red cross should change to a solid green arrow. You can view detailed information in SystemOut.log on each cluster member.

7.4 Installing and testing the scenario

This section describes how to test the topology that you have built by deploying presentation logic, business module, and enterprise service layers.

7.4.1 Installing the enterprise applications

To test the business mediation logic for this topology, you need to create a presentation logic layer and a remote enterprise service layer. The presentation logic layer provides the client for the business module, and the remote enterprise service layer presents services to be mediated.

In this example the presentation logic and remote enterprise service layers are provided by two stand-alone WebSphere Application Server instances. The presentation logic enterprise application, ITSOESBCplxPrsApp.ear, is installed on egt3 to WASNode01 on server1. The enterprise service enterprise application, ITSOESBCplxSrvApp.ear, is installed on egt3 to WASNode02 on server1.

Deploying the mediation application

The application supporting the business mediation logic is provided by a single EAR file. You must install this application to the cluster WESBCluster01. Follow these steps:

- 1. Open the egt0 Administrative Console and log in.
- 2. Navigate to Applications → Install New Application.
- 3. You will install the enterprise application ITSOESBSmplBusApp.ear, which includes the mediation logic. This file is located in the additional material that is supplied with this book. To learn how to obtain it, see Appendix A, "Additional material" on page 427. Copy ITSOESBCplxBusApp.ear from the additional material to c:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\installableApps.
- In the Administrative Console, select Local file system and click Browse.
- 5. Navigate to the c:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\installableApps folder.
- 6. Select the ESB mediation module to be installed, in this example ITS0ESBCp1xBusApp.ear, and click **Open**.
- 7. From the Administrative Console, click **Next**, as shown in Figure 7-59.

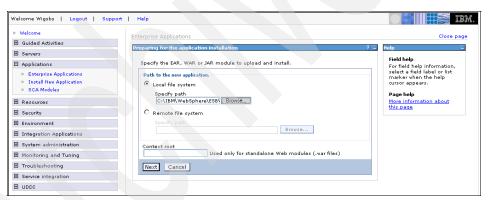


Figure 7-59 Installing the business module

8. In the next panel, leave the settings as default and click **Next**.

All the other application deployment settings will be left as default, but notably the application must be deployed to the WESBCluster01 cluster in step 2 of the wizard, 'Map modules to servers' as shown in Figure 7-60.

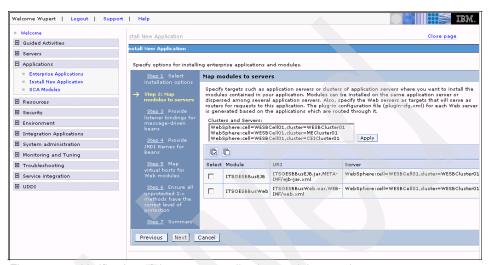


Figure 7-60 Verification of the correct application module mapping

- 9. Click the link to the summary panel, in this example Step 7: Summary.
- 10.Click **Finish**, as shown in Figure 7-61.



Figure 7-61 Business module installation summary

- 11. When the application has been installed successfully, click **Save to Master Configuration**.
- 12. Select Synchronize changes with Nodes, and click Save.
- 13. When completed successfully, click **OK**.
- 14. Start the application (Figure 7-62):
 - a. Navigate to Applications → Enterprise Applications.
 - b. Select ITS0ESBCp1xBusApp and click Start.

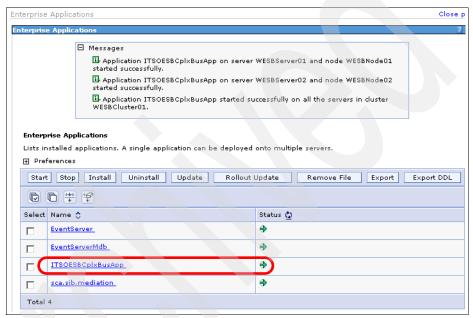


Figure 7-62 Starting the mediation module

Preparing the presentation logic and enterprise service layers

Define a WebSphere Application Server server to host the presentation logic layer, then install the presentation logic application. Follow these steps:

 Create a new WebSphere Application Server profile using the profile creation wizard on egt3. On Windows platforms, launch the Profile Wizard by clicking Start → All Programs → IBM WebSphere → Application Server Network Deployment V6 → Profile creation wizard.

- 2. Define a profile with the following properties:
 - Profile type: Application Server profile
 - Profile name: WASNode01Node name: WASNode01Host name: egt3.itso
- 3. When the profile is created, navigate to the bin directory of the profile (which on our system was C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\WASNode01\bin) and start the server using the command:

startServer server1

- 4. When the server is started, launch the Administrative Console:
 - http://egt3.itso:9060/ibm/console
- Install the presentation logic enterprise application ITSOESBSmplPrsApp.ear. This file is located in the additional material that is supplied with this book. To learn how to obtain it, see Appendix A, "Additional material" on page 427.
 - Copy ITSOESBCplxPrsApp.ear from the additional material that is supplied with this book to c:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\installableApps.
 - b. In the Administrative Console, click Applications → Install New Application and install ITSOESBCplxPrsApp.ear. When the application is installed, save the configuration.
 - c. Click Applications → Enterprise Applications and start ITSOESBCplxPrsApp (Figure 7-63).

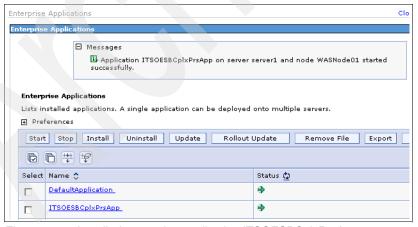


Figure 7-63 Installed enterprise application ITSOESBCplxPrsApp

Define a WebSphere Application Server server to host the enterprise service layer, then install the enterprise service application. Follow these steps:

- Create a new WebSphere Application Server profile using the profile creation wizard on egt3. On Windows platforms, launch the Profile Wizard by clicking Start → All Programs → IBM WebSphere → Application Server Network Deployment V6 → Profile creation wizard.
- 2. Define a profile with the following properties:

Profile type: Application Server profile

Profile name: WASNode02Node name: WASNode02Host name: egt3.itso

3. When the profile is created, navigate to the bin directory of the profile (which on our system was C:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\WASNode02\bin) and start the server using the command:

startServer server1

4. When the server is started, launch the Administrative Console:

http://egt3.itso:9061/ibm/console

- 5. Install the presentation logic enterprise application ITSOESBCplxSrvApp.ear. This file is located in the additional material that is supplied with this book. To learn how to obtain it, see Appendix A, "Additional material" on page 427. Then, follow these steps:
 - a. Copy ITSOESBCplxSrvApp.ear from the additional material supplied with this book to c:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\installableApps.
 - b. In the Administrative Console, click Applications → Install New Application and install ITSOESBCplxSrvApp.ear. When the application is installed, save the configuration.

 c. Click Applications → Enterprise Applications and start ITSOESBCplxSrvApp (Figure 7-64).

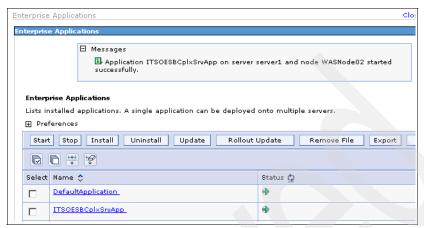


Figure 7-64 Installed enterprise application ITSOESBCplxSrvApp

7.4.2 Configuring IBM HTTP Server

You need to install and configure a router in front of the mediation cluster so that all members of the cluster can be accessed by the presentation logic layer.

Client requests from the browser are made to the presentation layer that runs in a stand-alone WebSphere Application Server. The JSP running on this stand-alone application server cannot make requests to multiple destinations hosting the Web service. The IBM HTTP Server and WebSphere Plugin work together to provide a single point of access for the JSP, routing requests from the presentation logic layer to the mediation cluster members, as illustrated in Figure 7-65. Mediation then takes place, and a Web services call is made to the appropriate target. The response is directed back through the original cluster member.

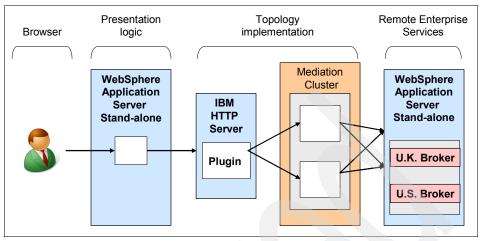


Figure 7-65 Load-balanced and failover-capable mediation cluster

The following products must already be install:

- IBM HTTP Server in c:\IBMIHS
- ► The WebSphere plugin for IBM HTTP Server in c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins

For instructions on how to install these products, refer to Appendix B, "Product installation" on page 429.

Adding the Web server to the cell

To add the Web server to the cell, follow these steps:

- Open a command prompt on the machine where the Web server plugin has been installed.
- 2. Change directory to c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins\bin.

Note: In this example, the Web server is named webserver1. Therefore, the configuration script is named configurewebserver1.bat.

- 3. Copy the configurewebserver1.bat file to %WAS_HOME%\bin on any node in the cell.
- 4. Change directory to %WAS HOME%\bin and run configurewebserver1.bat.

This script adds the Web server into the cell, and deploys the applications to the Web server.

Configuring the plug-in

To configure the plug-in, follow these steps:

- 1. Open the Administrative Console on egt0 and login.
- 2. Navigate to Servers → Web servers.
- 3. Select webserver1 and click Generate Plug-in.
- 4. When complete, the message text identifies the location of the generated plug-in file. In this example, it is:
 - c:\IBM\WebSphere\ESB\profiles\Dmgr01\config\cells\WESBCell01\nodes\e
 gt0.itso\servers\webserver1\plugin-cfg.xml
- 5. Move the plugin-cfg.xml configuration file.

The location of plugin-cfg.xml that WebSphere Plug-in uses is specified by the WebSpherePluginConfig variable within the httpd.conf configuration file of IBM HTTP Server. Therefore, the generated plugin-cfg.xml must be moved to the path that is defined by this variable. In this example, the command is:

move

c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins\config\webserver1\plugin-cfg.xml

Configuring the application deployment

There are two additional steps to configure the application deployment:

- 1. Configuring the presentation application for the mediation export
- 2. Configuring the mediation application for the remote enterprise services

Presentation logic connectivity to mediation layer

To configure the presentation logic connectivity to the mediation layer:

- 1. Open the presentation logic layer's WebSphere Application Server Administrative Console and login (e.g. http://egt3.itso:9060/ibm/console).
- 2. Navigate to Applications → Enterprise Applications.
- 3. Click the presentation application, ITSOESBCplxPrsApp.
- 4. Under Related Items, click Web modules.
- 5. Click the Web Archive (WAR) file, ITSOESBPrsWeb.war.
- 6. Under Additional Properties, click Web services client bindings.

7. Under Port Information, click **Edit**, as shown in Figure 7-66.

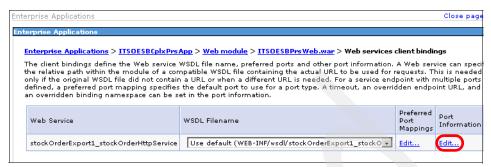


Figure 7-66 Editing port information for the presentation logic layer

8. Change the Overridden Endpoint URL to that of the IBM HTTP Server, in this example:

http://egt0.itso:80/ITSOESBBusWeb/sca/stockOrderExport

Note: This Endpoint URL is constructed from:

- The host name of the IBM HTTP Server and the port on which it listens. In this example egt0.itso:80
- The context-root of the Web module that is defined in the deployment descriptor of the mediation application, ITS0ESBBusWeb.
- The Web service URL-pattern that is defined in the deployment descriptor of the WAR file within the mediation application. In this example sca/stock0rderExport.

Figure 7-67 shows this step.

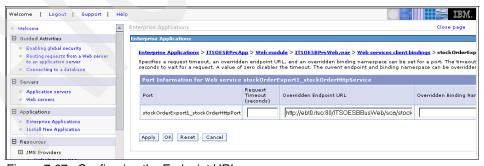


Figure 7-67 Configuring the Endpoint URL

9. Click **OK**. Save and synchronize the changes.

Mediation layer connectivity to remote enterprise services

To configure the mediation layer connectivity to the remote enterprise services:

- 1. Open the WESBCell deployment manager's Administrative Console and login.
- 2. Navigate to **Applications** → **Enterprise Applications**.
- 3. Click ITSOESBCplxBusApp.
- 4. Under Related Items, click EJB Modules.
- 5. Click the JAR file that is presented, **ITSOESBBusEJB.jar**.
- 6. Under Additional Properties, click **Web services client bindings**.
- 7. For the sca/import/USImport service, click **Edit** under **Port Information**, as shown in Figure 7-68.



Figure 7-68 Editing port information for the remote enterprise services

8. Change the host and port to that of the WebSphere Application Server that is hosting the remote enterprise services, in this example http://egt3.itso:9081/ (Figure 7-69).



Figure 7-69 Configuring the host for the remote enterprise services

- 9. Repeat the previous step for the sca/import/UKImport service.
- 10. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

It is possible to test each of the remote enterprise services with a browser directed at the following URLs:

- ► http://egt3.itso:9081/ITS0ESBUSsrvWeb/services/USbrokerIExport1_USbrokerIHttpPort
- http://egt3.itso:9081/ITS0ESBUKsrvWeb/services/UKbrokerIExport1_UKbrokerIHttpPort

The mediation Web services can be reached directly on the following URLs:

- http://egt1.itso:9080/ITS0ESBBusWeb/sca/stockOrderExport
- http://egt2.itso:9080/ITS0ESBBusWeb/sca/stockOrderExport

Figure 7-70 shows an example response.

```
{http://ITSOBankLib/stockOrder/Binding}stockOrderExport1_stockOrderHttpPort

Hi there, this is a Web service!
```

Figure 7-70 Example response from Web service call

By appending ?wsd1 to these URLs, the actual WSDL definition can be displayed, as shown in Figure 7-71.

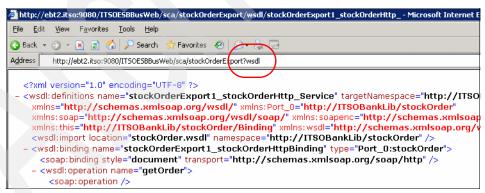


Figure 7-71 Requesting the WSDL definition

7.4.3 Testing the scenario

This section tests the environment and the application that it hosts and shows both mediation and load-balancing that occurs. It also demonstrates the logging of CEI messages.

Starting the environment

To start the environment, follow these steps:

- 1. Ensure that all three layers of the environment (presentation, mediation, and remote enterprise services) are started.
- 2. Ensure that all applications are running in these layers.
- 3. Start up IBM HTTP Server with the following commands:

```
cd c:\IBMIHS\bin
Apache.exe -k start
```

Testing the mediation

Testing the application involves accessing the JSP front end and sending in a request:

Open a Web browser and launch the presentation logic JSP (Figure 7-72).
 We used:

http://egt3.itso:9080/ITSOESBPrsWeb/stockOrder.jsp



Figure 7-72 Accessing the presentation layer JSP

2. Complete the fields, making sure to specify a Stockplace country value of UK. Click **Place order**. The mediation logic places the order with the U. K. broker service and returns a confirmation ID as shown in Figure 7-73.

Order complete. Confirmation Id from broker: 44

Figure 7-73 Sample response from U. K. broker

 Enter a second request, this time specifying a Stockplace country value of USA. Click **Place order**. The mediation logic will place the order with the UK broker service, and will return a confirmation id as shown in Figure 7-74 on page 224.

Order complete. Confirmation Id from broker: 8

Figure 7-74 Sample response from U. S. broker

4. Enter a third request, this time specifying a Stockplace country of Canada. Click Place order. The non-U. K. or non-U. S. stockCountry causes a CEI event to be generated that can be viewed using the Common Base Event Browser (Figure 7-75). The order is then placed with the U. S. broker.

Order complete. Confirmation Id from broker: 8

Figure 7-75 Sample response from US broker

This example shows mediation occurring based on the Stockplace country data that is provided by the JSP in the presentation layer. In one case, the UKbrokerIExport1_UKbrokerIHttpPort remote service is called and in the other two cases the USbrokerIExport1_USbrokerIHttpPort remote service is called.

Testing load-balancing

By default, the WebSphere Plug-in passes requests made to the HTTP server onto the mediation cluster, using the round-robin balancing algorithm.

By changing the WebSphere Plug-in logging level defined in the plugin-cfg.xml file, it is possible to view which mediation cluster member is selected as each request is made. Follow these steps:

1. Open the plugin-cfg.xml file using an appropriate text editor. In this case, the directory is c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins\config\webserver1\plugin-cfg.xml.

2. In the first Log stanza, change the LogLevel parameter to Stats, as shown in Figure 7-76.

Figure 7-76 Changing the logging level for the WebSphere Plug-in

3. Save the plugin-cfg.xml file and restart the HTTP server:

```
cd c:\IBMIHS\bin
Apache -k restart
```

- 4. Submit a series of requests to the presentation layer JSP, as described in "Testing the mediation" on page 223.
- 5. Open the WebSphere Plug-in log file in an appropriate text editor, in this case c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins\logs\webserver1\http_plugin.log.
- 6. A series of lines shows each request that is passed to members of the mediation cluster in turn, as shown in Figure 7-77.

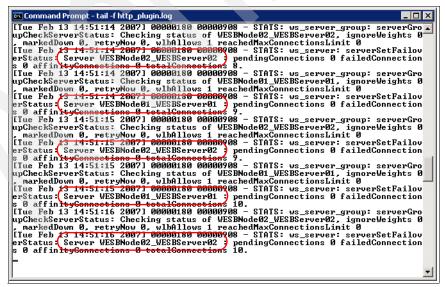


Figure 7-77 Load-balanced requests

Viewing Common Events

To view Common Events:

- In the Administrative Console of egt0, navigate to Applications → Enterprise Applications.
- 2. Click the **EventServer** application.
- Under Additional Properties, click Provide JNDI Names for Beans.
- 4. Note the contents of the **JNDI** name field for the **EventAccessEjb** EJB, as shown in Figure 7-78.

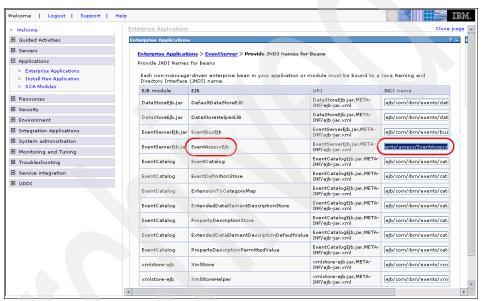


Figure 7-78 Obtaining the JNDI name for the EventAccessEJB

5. Navigate to Integration Applications → Common Base Event Browser.

6. At the top of the panel, set the Event Data Store entry to cell/clusters/<CEI cluster>/ and the JNDI name noted earlier. In this example, the entry is cell/clusters/CEICluster01/ejb/com/ibm/events/access/EventAccess, as shown in Figure 7-79. This is required where CEI is clustered.

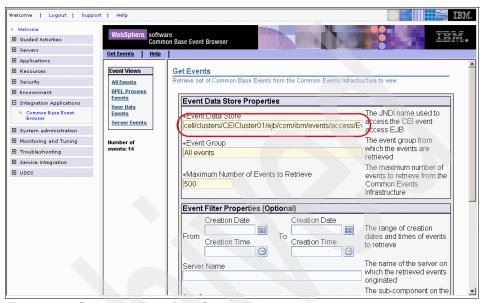


Figure 7-79 Setting the Event Data Store JNDI name

- 7. At the bottom of the panel, click **Get Events** to load CEI events from the CEIDB database.
- 8. Under Event Views, click **All Events** to display the list of events.

9. Events can be viewed by clicking the **Creation Time** field, as shown in Figure 7-80.

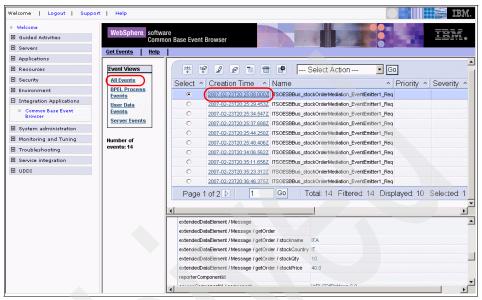


Figure 7-80 Viewing CEI events





Production topologies for WebSphere Process Server



Implementing the Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere Process Server

This chapter details the steps to implement the *Loosely Coupled topology* for WebSphere Process Server and to deploy a sample business process to this topology. We discuss the following topics:

- Selecting and implementing the Loosely Coupled topology
- Generic steps for creating WebSphere Process Server clusters
- Specific configuration steps for the Loosely Coupled topology
- Installing and testing the scenario

For simplicity, this chapter does not implement any security. To be considered a production topology, the addition of security is essential. Chapter 9, "Implementing the Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server" on page 319 shows how to add security to a production topology.

8.1 Selecting and implementing the Loosely Coupled topology

This section includes the following sections:

- Scenario requirements
 - Summarizes the factious business scenario that we deploy to the Loosely Coupled topology we build in this chapter.
- Selecting the appropriate topology
 - Demonstrates why we select the Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere Process Server to host this business scenario.
- Overview of how to implement the Loosely Coupled topology
 Describes the steps that are necessary to build the Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere Process Server.

Note: For an overview of the Loosely Coupled topology, refer to 4.3, "Loosely Coupled topology" on page 48.

8.1.1 Scenario requirements

You must build a production topology to host a WebSphere Process Server business process that is built for the fictitious organization ITSO Bank. The business process (shown in Figure 8-1) performs the following functions:

- A bank employee submits an account closure order to the business process.
 The interaction between the presentation and the business module is implemented using a Service Component Architecture (SCA) binding export.
- 2. The *Constraints check* service is invoked. The connection between the process and the service is a Web service binding that is invoked synchronously.
- 3. The next service is invoked in the same way, with a synchronous Web service binding.
- 4. The process invokes the *Closure service* with an asynchronous one-way Web service binding.
- 5. The process terminates successfully and confirmation is returned.

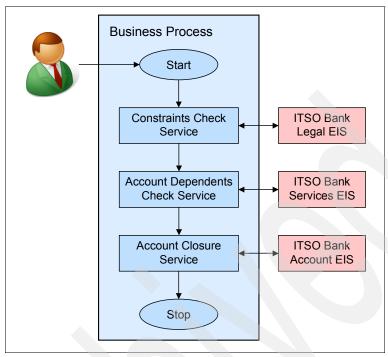


Figure 8-1 Account closure process, simple business scenario

ITSO Bank has the following business and IT requirements for this scenario:

- Failover capability.
- ► There is insufficient hardware resources available to implement the Full Support topology. In this example, it is assumed that the bank is not investing in new hardware for the process implementation.
- ► To implement the new process, the bank has decided to use existing services within the enterprise.
- ► The ITSO Bank Account EIS service is a one-way call and is invoked asynchronously
- Event management services are not required.

Note: For more detailed information about this scenario, refer to 5.2.2, "Simple business process scenario" on page 75.

8.1.2 Selecting the appropriate topology

Based on the ITSO Bank requirements for the business process scenario, we can select an appropriate production topology to host the business process. To help us select the appropriate topology, we use the topology selection flowchart, as described in 4.5.2, "Topology selection flow chart" on page 62. Figure 8-2 shows that by using the topology selection flowchart, we can select the Loosely Coupled topology as the topology of choice for the ITSO Bank simple business process scenario.

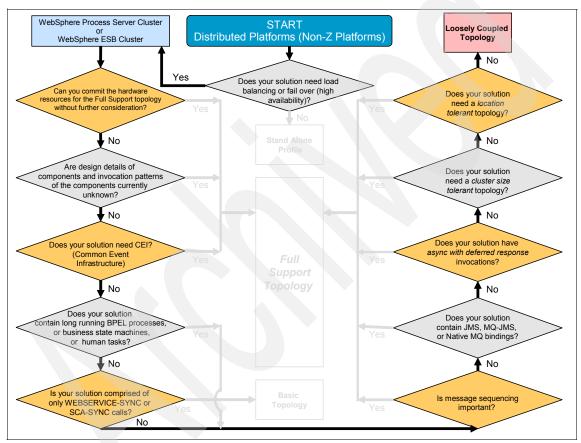


Figure 8-2 Topology selection for the simple business process scenario

The main decision points for ITSO Bank are:

- ► A highly available solution with load balancing is required, so a clustered topology is needed.
- ► ITSO Bank do not want to commit the hardware resources that are required to implement the Full Support topology unless the applications that they are deploying to the topology require it.
- ► The business process is short-running and does not include business state machines or human tasks.
- ► There is a single asynchronous call that does not return a response.
- ► The Loosely Coupled topology meets the needs of the business process and is topology that we select.

8.1.3 Overview of how to implement the Loosely Coupled topology

Figure 8-3 summarizes the steps to build the Loosely Coupled topology.

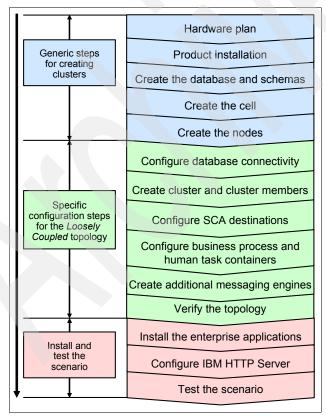


Figure 8-3 Building the Loosely Coupled topology for WebSphere Process Server

Figure 8-4 shows the topology that we build in this chapter.

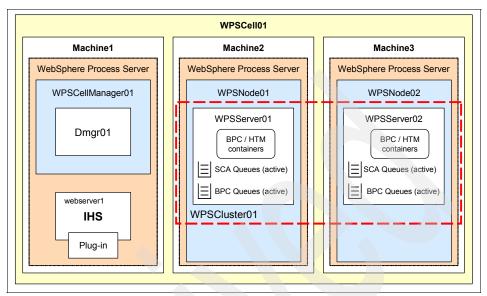


Figure 8-4 Loosely Coupled topology implementation

For each cluster bus member of SCA bus, there are multiple messaging engines. The SCA queue destination is partitioned through the cluster. Each messaging engine running on the cluster member owns one partition of the queue and shares the workload that is delivered to the cluster.

In this topology, there is a single WebSphere Process Server cluster that consists of two or more cluster members. This cluster is configured for SCA with local destinations.

The Business Process Choreographer (BPC) container is configured also within this cluster. If the BPC Explorer is required, you need to configure the Human Task Manager (HTM) container in this cluster because HTM is required to have BPC Explorer work correctly.

8.2 Generic steps for creating WebSphere Process Server clusters

This section describes the hardware plan and how to prepare a WebSphere Process Server cluster.

8.2.1 Hardware plan for the topology

This section describes hardware that is required to support the Loosely Coupled topology. In this topology (illustrated in Figure 8-5 on page 238), three machines are used to host the cell hosting the business process and one machine is used to host the Web services application for testing purposes. A final shared machine provides the database functionality. The hardware plan includes:

- ► The first machine (w1t0) hosts the deployment manager and the IBM HTTP Server and associated plugin.
- ► The second and third machines (wlt1 and wlt2) host the business process cluster, as well as the associated nodes, in a horizontally clustered configuration. These machines also host the client application to invoke the sample business process.
- ► The fourth machine (w1t3) hosts the Web services application in a stand-alone WebSphere Application Server.
- ► A fifth machine (db2), not shown in the diagram, hosts the database that is required to support the messaging engines.

Note: Although this is the configuration that we used, you can choose any combination of machines to create this topology.

Table 8-1 describes how we use these machines. You can choose to use a different combination of machines and operating systems. In total, the topology in this chapter consumes about 2.5 GB of memory.

Table 8-1	Systems	used for	this	topolog	IV
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System name	Host name	Operating system
wlt0	wlt0.itso	Windows 2003 Server
wlt1	wlt1.itso	Windows 2003 Server
wlt2	wlt2.itso	Windows 2003 Server
wlt3	wlt3.itso	Windows 2003 Server
db2	db2.itso	Red Hat Advanced Server 4 U4

Note: You can define a hosts file that maps the host names that are defined in Table 8-1 to the IP address of each of your machines to help when following the steps in this chapter.

You can find the hosts file on Windows platforms at:

<WINDOWS_HOME>\system32\drivers\etc

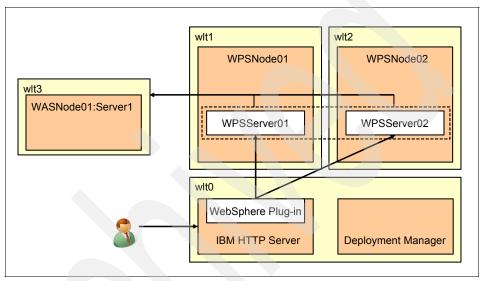


Figure 8-5 Hardware plan

The end-to-end flow for this topology, as shown in Figure 8-5, is:

- 1. A user makes a request from a browser to the server, which load balances through the plugin.
- 2. IBM HTTP Server passes the request to the front-end client application, running as a JSP on WPSNode01:WPSServer01 or WPSNode02:WPSServer02 on either wlt1 or wlt2 respectively.
- 3. The client application is configured to forward the request to the business application that is running on the same server (wlt1 or wlt2).
- 4. The business process application starts the account closure process and calls the appropriate Web service (running on w1t3) to gather account details.
- 5. A confirmation is returned to the user either stating that the account has been closed or that the process has been terminated.

8.2.2 Product installation

It is assumed that the following products have been installed:

- ▶ WebSphere Process Server V6.0.2
- ► IBM HTTP Server V6
- ▶ DB2 Universal Database Enterprise Server V8.2

Note: For information about how to install these products, refer to Appendix B, "Product installation" on page 429.

8.2.3 Creating the databases

To create the WebSphere Process Server clusters, you need to create the databases. This section explains how to create the databases you need.

For the Loosely Coupled topology, you need three databases. You do not need to use the same names for your databases that we use in our examples, but you must your environment consistent if you use other names for the databases. You can find more information about the databases at the following Web site:

http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/dmndhelp/v6rxmx/topic/com.ibm.wsps.602.ins.doc/doc/cins_db_specs.html

Creating the messaging database

The first task is to create the messaging database. We assume the Relational Database Management System (RDBMS) is DB2, the instance is called wltinst1 and the administrative user name is wltinst1.

Log in as the database administrative user and issue the following commands from a DB2 command window to create the required database:

db2start db2 create database MEDB

If the create command is successful, you see the following message:

DB20000I The CREATE DATABASE command completed successfully

Creating the WebSphere Process Server common database

The next task is to create the common database for WebSphere Process Server, WPRCSDB. This database is the shared database that is used by applications such as the Failed Event Manager, Relationship, and CBE Browser.

Log in as the database administrative user and issue the following command from a DB2 command window to create the required database:

db2 create database WPRCSDB

If the create command is successful, you see the following message:

DB20000I The CREATE DATABASE command completed successfully

Creating the WebSphere Process Server BPEDB database

The next task is to create the BPEDB database for WebSphere Process Server business container. This database stores the process-related information.

The DB2 commands for generating the BPEDB database are located in the script %WAS_HOME%\dbscripts\ProcessChoreographer\DB2\createDatabase.sql.
This script exists on any system with the WebSphere Process Server product installed. To create the BPEDB database:

1. Transfer this file to the DB2 server. On our environment, this script was at C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\dbscripts\ProcessChoreographer\DB2.

Attention: If you transfer these files from Windows to UNIX, there might be return characters (\r) at the end of each line. To run the DDL scripts, you must remove these characters. A UNIX utility such as dos2unix will remove these characters.

By default, this script creates a database called BPEDB. If you want to create
the database using a different name, edit createDatabase.sql and replace
BPEDB with the database name of your choice (Example 8-1). We used the
default name.

Example 8-1 Modify the database name

CREATE DATABASE **BPEDB** USING CODESET UTF-8 TERRITORY en-us; CONNECT TO **BPEDB**;

3. Log in as the database administrative user (in this example wltinstl) and issue the following command from a DB2 command window to create the required database:

db2 -tf createDatabase.sql

Note: The default script creates a schema set as the currently logged in user (wltinst1). You can modify the script to your specific requirements.

When completed successfully, the BPEDB database exists.

Listing the created databases

Confirm that all three databases were created successfully in DB2 by following these steps:

- Run the following command to list the databases that are defined to DB2:
 db2 list db directory
- 2. The three databases should be listed. Example 8-2 shows the first of these (WPRCSDB).

Example 8-2 System database directory

```
System Database Directory

Number of entries in the directory = 3

Database 1 entry:

Database alias = WPRCSDB
Database name = WPRCSDB
```

8.2.4 Copying the database driver files

The Java driver files for DB2 are located on the database system. In our DB2 example, they are in the directory /opt/IBM/db2/V8.1/java.

On each of the nodes and the deployment manager, copy the database driver files to a standard location. In this example, the standard location for the driver files is c:\db2client.

8.2.5 Creating the messaging database schemas

The messaging database includes three schemas that support the messaging engines in this topology:

- ► SCA Application
- SCA System
- Business processes

You can create the DB2 commands that generate the schemas on any system with the WebSphere Process Server product installed. On any system where WebSphere Process Server is installed, create the data definition language (DDL) files for the Service Integration Bus (SIB) schemas as detailed in Table 8-2.

Table 8-2 WebSphere Process Server SCA schemas

Schema name	Database	Purpose
SCASYS	MEDB	System bus messaging store
SCASYS2	MEDB	System bus messaging store
SCAAPP	MEDB	Application bus messaging store
SCAAPP2	MEDB	Application bus messaging store
BPCMSG	MEDB	Business process messaging store
BPCMSG2	MEDB	Business process messaging store

In this example:

- ► The database user name is wltinst1.
- ► The script to generate the schemas is located in the %WAS_HOME%\bin directory (for example, C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\bin).
- ► The database target for the DDL generated is running on a Linux system.

To create the messaging database schemas, follow these steps:

1. Open a command prompt and issue the following command:

cd C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\bin

Note: Each of the commands in this series of steps is a single line although in the format of this book they might wrap. Also, the commands assume that the database is running on a UNIX platform. If you are using Windows, you need to replace -platform unix with -platform windows.

Issue the following command for the SCASYS DDL generation - SCA System Schema:

sibDDLGenerator.bat -system db2 -version 8.1 -platform unix -schema
SCASYS -statementend ; -user wltinst1 >
c:\createSIBSchema SCASYS.ddl

3. Issue the following command for the SCASYS2 DDL generation - SCA System Schema for second messaging engine:

```
sibDDLGenerator.bat -system db2 -version 8.1 -platform unix -schema
SCASYS2 -statementend ; -user wltinst1 >
c:\createSIBSchema SCASYS2.ddl
```

4. Issue the following command for the SCAAPP DDL generation - SCA Application Schema:

```
sibDDLGenerator.bat -system db2 -version 8.1 -platform unix -schema
SCAAPP -statementend ; -user wltinst1 >
c:\createSIBSchema SCAAPP.ddl
```

5. Issue the following command for the SCAAPP2 DDL generation - SCA Application Schema for second messaging engine:

```
sibDDLGenerator.bat -system db2 -version 8.1 -platform unix -schema SCAAPP2 -statementend; -user wltinst1 > c:\createSIBSchema\_SCAAPP2.dd1
```

6. Issue the following command for the BPCMSG DDL generation - Business Process Schema:

```
sibDDLGenerator.bat -system db2 -version 8.1 -platform unix -schema BPCMSG -statementend; -user wltinst1 > c:\createSIBSchema\_BPCMSG.dd1
```

7. Issue the following command for the BPCMSG2 DDL generation - Business Process Schema for second messaging engine:

```
sibDDLGenerator.bat -system db2 -version 8.1 -platform unix -schema
BPCMSG2 -statementend ; -user wltinst1 >
c:\createSIBSchema BPCMSG2.dd1
```

8. Transfer the DDL files to DB2 database server. In this example, we transferred the DDL files to /tmp on the database server.

Attention: If you transfer these files from Windows to UNIX, there might be return characters (\r) at the end of each line. To run the DDL scripts, you must remove these characters. A UNIX utility such as dos2unix will remove these characters.

9. Login to the DB2 server as the appropriate user (wltinst1) and run the following commands to create the tables:

```
db2 connect to MEDB
db2 -tf /tmp/createSIBSchema_SCAAPP.dd1
db2 -tf /tmp/createSIBSchema_SCASYS.dd1
db2 -tf /tmp/createSIBSchema_SCASYS.dd1
db2 -tf /tmp/createSIBSchema_SCASYS2.dd1
db2 -tf /tmp/createSIBSchema_BPCMSG.dd1
db2 -tf /tmp/createSIBSchema_BPCMSG2.dd1
```

Note: These DB2 commands report various informational index and primary key messages, such as:

```
SQL0598W Existing index "SIB_SCAA.SIB000PKIX" is used as the index for the primary key or a unique key. SQLSTATE=01550.
```

These are not errors. You can ignore these messages.

8.2.6 Configuring the WebSphere Process Server cell

This task creates the WebSphere Process Server cell, which is achieved by creating a deployment manager profile. Follow these steps:

- 1. Log in to the wlt0 machine, which becomes the deployment manager.
- 2. Open the profile creation wizard by selecting Start → All Programs → IBM WebSphere → Process Server 6.0 → Profile creation wizard.

Note: For information about how to launch the Profile creation wizard on other platforms, see:

```
http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/dmndhelp/v6rxmx/index.js
p?topic=/com.ibm.websphere.nd.doc/info/ae/ae/tpro_instances.html
```

- 3. In the Profile creation wizard, click **Next**.
- 4. Select **Deployment manager profile** and click **Next**.
- 5. Leave the default profile name as Dmgr01 and click **Next**.
- 6. Leave the default profile directory and click **Next**.

- 7. Specify the node name, host name, and cell name according to the following specifications and click Next, as shown in Figure 8-6:
 - Node name: WPSCellManager01
 - Host name: wlt0.itsoCell name: WPSCell01

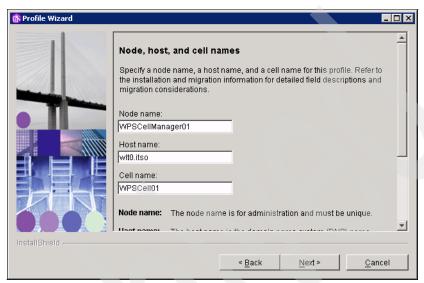


Figure 8-6 Node, host, and cell name configuration

8. Leave port numbers at their default settings and click Next.

9. In the Windows service definition panel, select **Automatic** and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 8-7.



Figure 8-7 Windows service settings

10.On the Service Component Architecture configuration panel, click **Next**. You will not secure the SBI™ in this scenario.

11. From the Database Configuration panel, **select Use an existing database**. This example uses DB2 Universal as the database product and WPRCSDB as the database name, as shown in Figure 8-8.

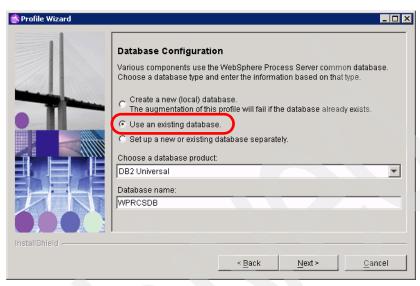


Figure 8-8 WPRCSDB database settings

12. Click **Next** to continue. In the subsequent database configuration panel, set the values as shown in Table 8-3 then click **Next**.

For information about using other database products, refer to:

http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/dmndhelp/v6rxmx/topic/com.ibm.wsps.602.ins.doc/doc/cins_common_database.html

Table 8-3 Database settings

Name	Value
User ID to authenticate with the database	wltinst1
Password (for database authentication)	itso4you
Password confirmation	itso4you
Location (directory) of JDBC driver classpath files	c:\db2client
Database server host name	db2.itso
Server port	50000

Figure 8-9 shows these settings.

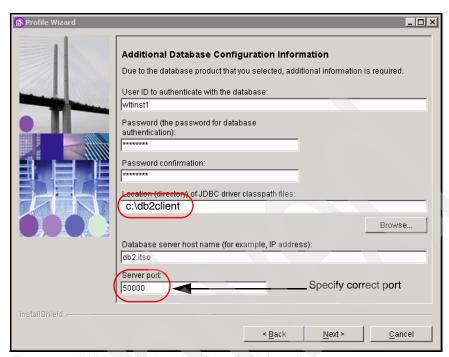


Figure 8-9 Additional database configuration information

- 13. Confirm that the details are correct on the Profile summary panel, and click **Next**.
- 14.A panel displays the progress. When complete, deselect **Launch the First Steps console** and click **Finish**. The deployment manager now exists.
- 15.Open a command prompt on w1t0, change directory to %WAS_HOME%\profiles\Dmgr01\bin (for example, C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\bin), and issue the command:

startManager.bat

Figure 8-10 shows the output from this command.

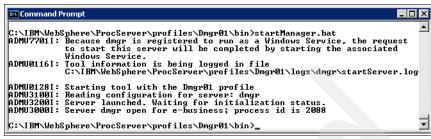


Figure 8-10 Starting the deployment manager

It should now be possible to connect to the Administrative Console that is running on the deployment manager by opening a browser to:

http://wlt0.itso:9060/ibm/console

Log in to the Administrative Console (as any user). Figure 8-11 shows the Web page that opens. It might be necessary to set the available task filters to *All* in the Filter administrative tasks panel and click **Apply** on the Welcome page of the Administrative Console to override the default filtering of the available options.

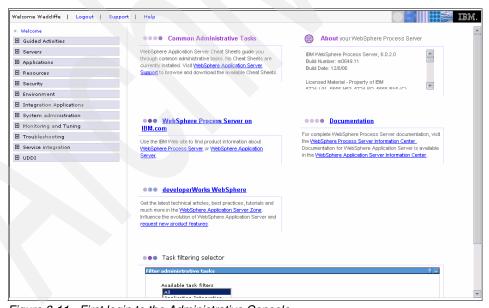


Figure 8-11 First login to the Administrative Console

8.2.7 Creating the nodes

The next step in creating the Loosely Coupled topology is to create the profiles and associated nodes for the topology. The deployment manager must be running on wlt0.itso to enable node federation, the nodes are created on wlt1.itso and wlt2.itso.

Note: Ensure that the time difference between the deployment manager machine and the custom profile machines is within *five* minutes.

To create the nodes, follow these steps:

- On w1t1 open the profile creation wizard by selecting Start → AII
 Programs → IBM WebSphere → Process Server 6.0 → Profile creation wizard.
- 2. In the profile creation wizard, click Next.
- 3. Select Custom profile and click Next.
- 4. Enter the host name of the deployment manager, in this example wlt0.itso, leave the SOAP port as the default (8879), ensure that Federate this node later is not selected, and click Next, as shown in Figure 8-12.

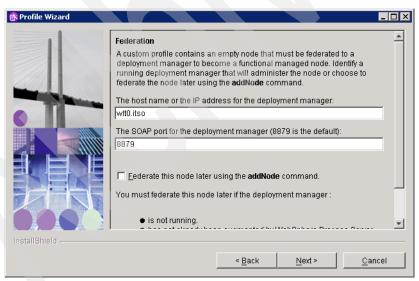


Figure 8-12 Deployment manager location and federation

- 5. Set the Profile name appropriately (WPSNode01) and click **Next**.
- 6. Accept the default profile directory and click **Next**.

7. Specify the node name (WPSNode01) and host name (wltl.itso) on the subsequent panel and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 8-13.

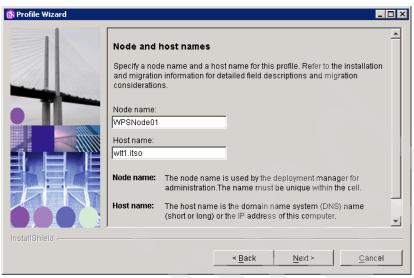


Figure 8-13 Node and host name

8. Leave the default port numbers and click Next.

In the Database Configuration panel, set the database product to DB2
 Universal and the JDBC driver classpath to c:\db2client as shown in Figure 8-14. Click Next.

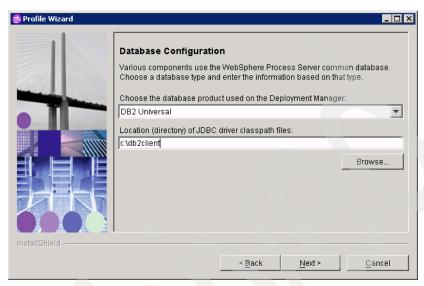


Figure 8-14 Database configuration

- Confirm that the details are correct on the Profile summary panel and click Next.
- 11.A panel displays the progress. When complete, clear the **Launch the First Steps console** check box and click **Finish**.

The node now exists and is federated into the cell. The federation process starts the node automatically.

Repeat these steps for the second node on w1t2, using the values that are shown in Table 8-4.

Table 8-4 Second node details

Setting	Value	
Profile name	WPSNode02	
Node name	WPSNode02	
Host name	wlt2.itso	

After you have created both nodes, verify that they are running in the Administrative Console by following these steps:

1. Open a browser to http://wlt0.itso:9060/ibm/console.

Note: You need to logout from any existing console sessions.

 Navigate to System administration → Nodes and verify that all nodes are running as indicated by the green symbol next to each node, as shown in Figure 8-15.

Note: Upon initial login to the Administrative Console, you might need to change the Task filter selection to All and click **Apply** to view all available functionality.



Figure 8-15 Successful node installation and startup

At this point, you have a WebSphere Process Server cell with the configuration as shown in Figure 8-16.

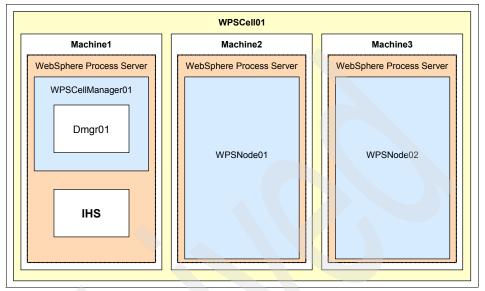


Figure 8-16 Cell and nodes defined

8.3 Specific configuration steps for the Loosely Coupled topology

This section describes the following:

- Configuring database connectivity for the Loosely Coupled topology
- Configuring the cell
- Verifying the topology

8.3.1 Configuring database connectivity for the Loosely Coupled topology

This section describes how to connect successfully to the databases that are required by WebSphere Process Server in the Loosely Coupled topology, including the following databases:

- MEDB Messaging database
- ▶ BPEDB Business container database

Upon cell creation, the data source jdbc/WPSDB is created automatically, along with the data source provider at cell scope, DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider (XA). You can reuse this data source provider. Follow these steps:

 Open the cell Administrative Console on w1t0 and login. We used the following URL:

http://wlt0.itso:9060/ibm/console

 Navigate to Guided Activities → Connecting to a database and click Start, as shown in Figure 8-17.

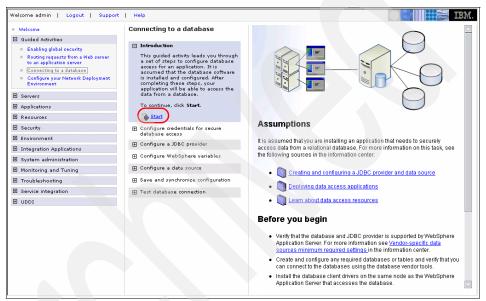


Figure 8-17 Starting the guided database activity

Select Click to perform.

Authenticating the alias

You need to set the user and password values for database access. Because you are creating all databases in the same DB2 instance (wltinstl) with the same user (wltinstl), you can reuse the existing authentication alias. You created this alias when you configured the deployment manager. By default, it is WPSDBAlias. To set the user and password value, select **Next step** to continue to the Configure a JDBC provider panel.

Creating a JDBC provider

The next step creates a JDBC provider for use by the data sources later. Again you reuse the existing provider called DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider

(XA) that you defined at cell scope. To create a JDBC provider, select **Next step** to continue to the Configure WebSphere variables panel.

Setting the WebSphere variables

The JDBC provider uses WebSphere environment variables to identify the driver file locations. For these variables to resolve, you need to set their vales appropriately. The scope for these variables should be **Cell** or **Node**, as shown in Table 8-5 and Table 8-6.

Note: When setting the scope, the selection is not applied until you click **Apply**.

To set the WebSphere variables:

- 1. Select Click to perform.
- Clear the node and server entries, and click Apply to set the active scope to the cell.
- Create or modify each environment variable, and set the value as defined in Table 8-5.

Table 8-5 Cell scope environment variables

Name	Value	Scope
UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH	c:\db2client	Cell
DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH	c:\db2client	Cell
DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_NATIVEPATH	c:\db2client	Cell

- When you have defined all three variables at cell level, click Browse Nodes. Select WPSNode01 and click OK. Click Apply to set the active scope to the node.
- Set the value of the node scope environment variable DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_NATIVEPATH, as shown in Table 8-6. Also delete the other two variables shown in Table 8-6.

Attention: At the node scope, you *must* delete the environment variables UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH and DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH.

Table 8-6 Node scope environment variables

Name	Value	Scope
DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_NATIVEPATH	c:\db2client	WPSNode01 WPSNode02
UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH	Delete this variable	WPSNode01 WPSNode02
DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH	Delete this variable	WPSNode01 WPSNode02

- 6. Repeat the process for WPSNode02 to remove the two environment variables and set the third to the value shown in Table 8-6.
- 7. Save and synchronize these changes.
- 8. Click **Next step**.

Configuring a data source

The next step is to configure the data sources using the existing JDBC provider that you just created:

- 1. Select Click to perform.
- 2. In the new panel, click the JDBC provider that is defined at the cell scope **DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider (XA)**, as shown in Figure 8-18.

Note: To change the scope to Cell, remove any values in the Node and Server scope text boxes and click **Apply**.

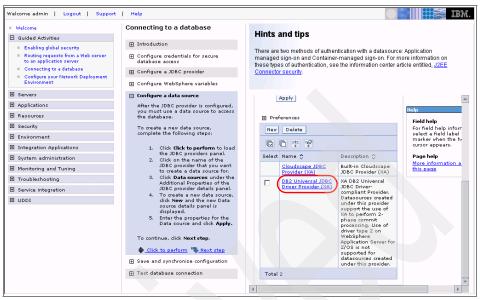


Figure 8-18 JDBC provider selection for data source creation

3. Scroll to the right and click **Data sources**, as shown in Figure 8-19.

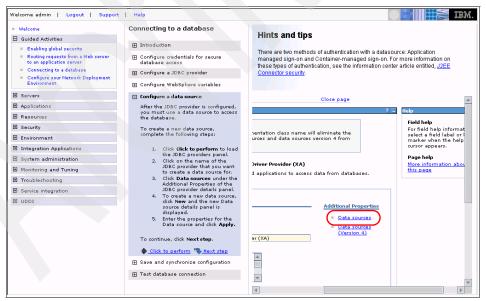


Figure 8-19 Selecting the additional data source property

- 4. You need to create a data source for:
 - Messaging database (MEDB)
 - Business container database (BPEDB)

Click **New** to create a data source and set the parameters, as shown in Table 8-7.

Table 8-7 Data source configuration

Parameter	MEDB Data Source Values	BPEDB Data Source Values
Name	MEDB Data Source	BPEDB Data Source
JNDI name	jdbc/medb	jdbc/bpedb
Description	Messaging engine data source	Business process container data source
Component-managed authentication alias	WPSDBAlias	WPSDBAlias
Authentication alias for XA recovery	Use component-managed authentication alias	Use component-managed authentication alias
Database name	MEDB	BPEDB
Driver type	4	4
Server name	db2.itso	db2.itso
Port	50000	50000

Figure 8-20 shows the MEDB data source configuration page. You need to enter all the values that are identified in Table 8-7. To enter these values, you need to scroll down in this panel.

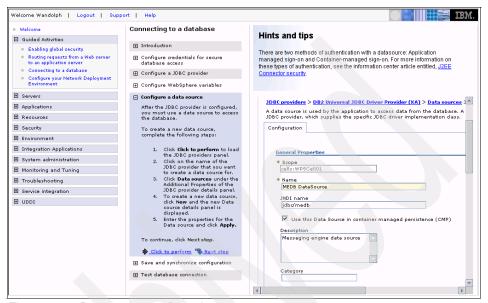


Figure 8-20 Data source configuration

5. Click **OK** to create the new data source. When created, save and synchronize the changes and click **OK** to complete.

Repeat this process for the BPEDB data source. Figure 8-21 shows all the data sources.

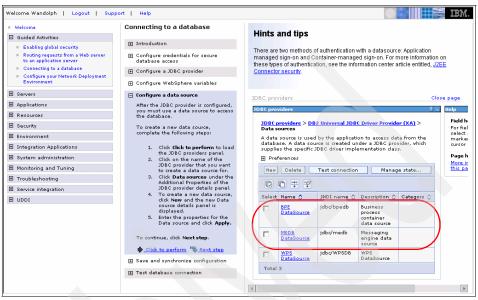


Figure 8-21 Data sources created

7. Click **Next step** and then **Next step** again in the Save and synchronize configuration panel (because you have already saved and synchronized).

Testing database connectivity

Note: Because the data sources are reusing the existing authentication alias, WPSDBAlias, there is no need to restart the environment. You can test these data sources immediately.

Ensure that the MEDB and BPEDB databases are running and test the newly created data sources:

- 1. Select Click to perform.
- 2. Click the JDBC provider that is defined at the cell scope **DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider (XA)**.
- 3. Scroll to the right and click Data sources.

4. Select the check box next to the new data sources as shown in Figure 8-22 and click **Test connection**.

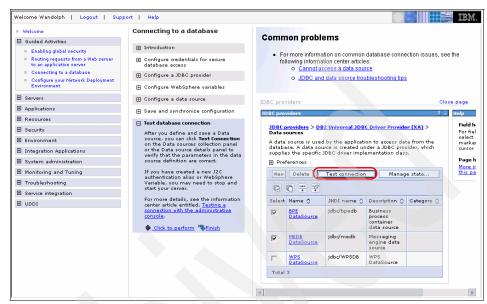


Figure 8-22 Testing the new data source

5. The Messages dialog box (at the top in Figure 8-23) should indicate that the data source successfully connected to the database.

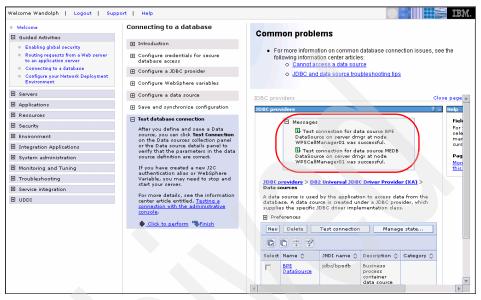


Figure 8-23 Successful database connections

6. Click Finish.

8.3.2 Configuring the cell

To configure the network deployment infrastructure with the options that are required for the Loosely Coupled topology. Follow these steps:

- Open the Administrative Console on w1t0 and login.
- 2. Navigate to Guided Activities → Configure your Network Deployment Environment and click Start.
- Scroll down and select Click to perform in the expanded panel to see the list of nodes.
- 4. The nodes are already federated, so click **Next step**.
- 5. The database configuration is already complete, so click **Next step**.
- 6. In the Creating clusters and cluster members panel, select Click to perform.

- 7. Click **New** and define a new cluster (Figure 8-24).
 - a. Enter a Cluster name of WPSCluster01.
 - b. Select **Prefer local**. This indicates that, if possible, Enterprise JavaBean (EJB) requests are routed to the client node. After you enable this feature, performance is improved because client requests are sent to local enterprise beans.
 - c. Select Create a replication domain for this cluster. Use replication domains to transfer data, objects, or events for session manager, dynamic cache, or stateful session beans among the application servers in a cluster.
 - d. Click Next.



Figure 8-24 Specify the basic cluster information

8. Add a first member of the cluster named WPSServer01 to the node WPSNode01. Set the template to defaultProcessServer, as shown in Figure 8-25.

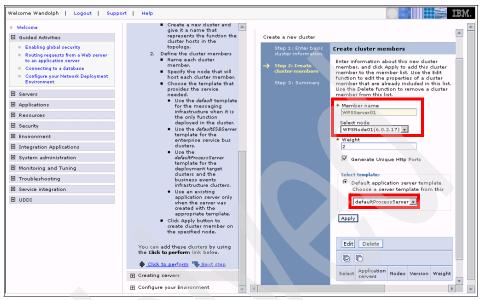


Figure 8-25 Adding the first cluster member

- 9. Click Apply to add this server to the new cluster.
- 10. Repeat this process for WPSServer02 on WPSNode02. However, the template option will not be available now because all cluster members are of the type that is defined by the first member.

11. Click **Apply** to add the second cluster member and then click **Next**, as shown in Figure 8-26.

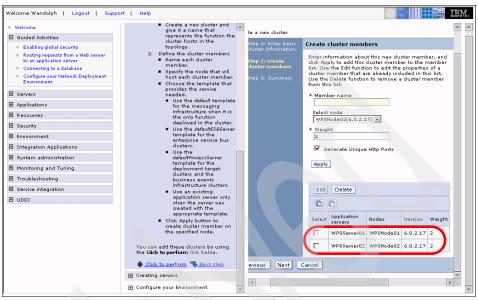


Figure 8-26 Cluster members added

- 12. At the summary page, click Finish.
- 13. Save and synchronize the changes.

You have now created the cluster WPSCluster01. Figure 8-27 shows the current topology.

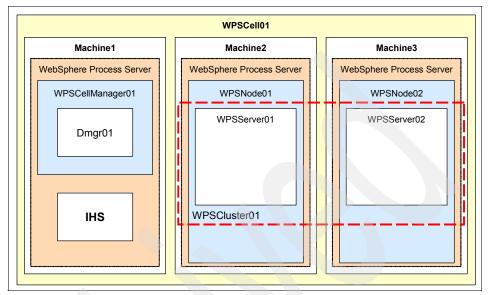


Figure 8-27 The logical view of the cell with cluster created

14. Click **Next step** to continue and then **Next step** at the Creating servers option because this example does not require more servers.

Configuring the environment

In this section, we describe how to configure SCA, BPC, and HTM for the cluster WPSCluster01.

Configuring the cluster for SCA

To configure the cluster for SCA:

- 1. In the Configure your Environment panel, select Click to perform.
- 2. Click the pull-down menu to configure a cluster.

3. Select WPSCluster01 and click Add (Figure 8-28).

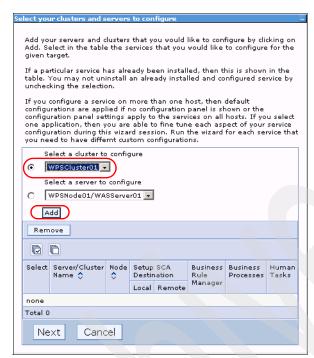


Figure 8-28 Select the cluster to be configured

- 4. In the configuration table, select the components that you need to configure for the cluster. You configure SCA, BPC and HTM for cluster WPSCluster01:
 - Select Local for the Setup SCA Destination
 - Select Business Processes
 - Select Human Tasks

Figure 8-29 shows these options. When set, click Next.

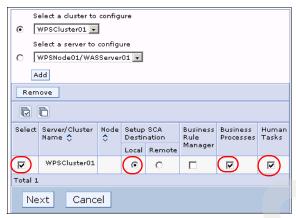


Figure 8-29 Select the component to be configured on the cluster

- From the JDBC provider drop-down list, select the appropriate provider. In this
 example, the provider is DB2 UDB 8.1 & 8.2 (DB2 Universal JDBC Driver
 Provider (XA) type 4).
- 6. Set the user name to wltinst1 and the user password, and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 8-30.



Figure 8-30 JDBC provider selection

- 7. Under System Bus, select **Use existing data source**. In the drop-down menu, select the data source **medb**.
- 8. Set the schema name to SCASYS.
- Under Application Bus, select Use existing data source. In the drop-down menu, select the data source medb.
- 10. Set the schema name to SCAAPP.

11. Clear **Create tables** because you created tables manually with the **sibDDLgenerator.bat** command.

Note: If the database is DB2, this option creates the SCA database schemas the first time that you start the SCA messaging engines.

Figure 8-31 shows these settings.

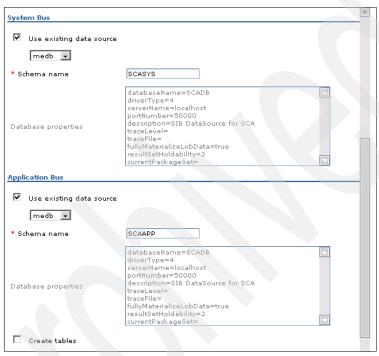


Figure 8-31 SCA values

- 12. Click Next.
- 13. Specify the **Common Event Infrastructure** (CEI) related configuration information. In this topology, there is no CEI configured, so here you can just click **Next**.

14. Configure the Business Process Container by selecting **Configure with the business process container installation wizard** (Figure 8-32). You use the external installation wizard to configure BPC, because the wizard exposes more options than this panel. Click **Next**.

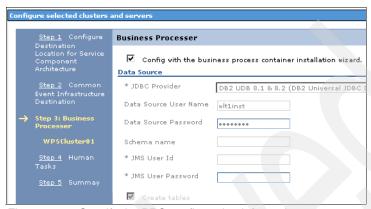


Figure 8-32 Specify the BPC configuration information

15. Configure the Human Task Container by selecting **Configure with the**human task container installation wizard (Figure 8-33). You use the
external installation wizard to configure the Human Task Container, because
the wizard exposes more options than this panel. Click **Next**.

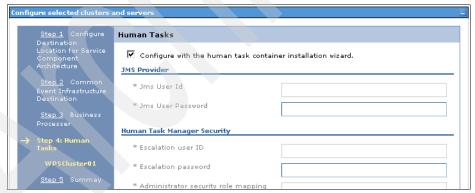


Figure 8-33 Specifying the human task container configuration information

16. Click review the summary information (Figure 8-34) and click Finish.



Figure 8-34 Summary information

- 17. WebSphere Process Server completes the configuration for SCA. Wait for the configuration to complete.
- 18. Click Save to Master Configuration.
- 19. Select Synchronize changes with Nodes and click Save.
- 20. Wait for the synchronization to complete and then click **OK**.

Configuring the cluster for BPC

When configuring the cluster for BPC, you are prompted to Install your Business Process and Human Task Containers.

Note: At this point, do *not* click **Finish.** Otherwise, the process terminates.

To configure the cluster for BPC, follow these steps:

1. Click **WPSCluster01** under **Business Process Container Installation** as shown in Figure 8-35 to launch the external BPC installation wizard.

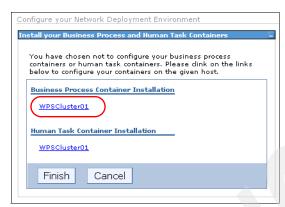


Figure 8-35 Launch the BPC installation wizard

2. Set the values for BPEDB as shown in table Table 8-8.

Table 8-8 DB2 settings for BPC wizard

Name	Value
JDBC providers	DB2 UDB 8.1 & 8.2 (DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider (XA) type 4)
Data source user name	wltinst1
Data source password	itso4you
databaseName	BPEDB
driverType	4
serverName	db2.itso
portNumber	50000

Figure 8-36 illustrates this configuration.

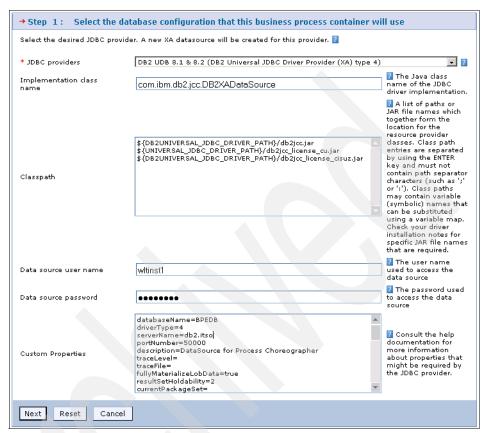


Figure 8-36 Setting the database configuration from the BPC

Click Next.

4. Set the values for JMS Configuration, SCA Bindings, and Security, as shown in Table 8-9.

Table 8-9 JMS Configuration settings

Name	Value	
JMS user ID	sca	
JMS password	itso4you	
Webservice Endpoint	BFMIF_WPSCluster01	
JMS API User ID	sca	
JMS API password	itso4you	
Administrator security role mapping	Administrators	
System monitor security role mapping	Administrators	

Note: You do not enable global security in this scenario, so the Administrators group and the sca user are dummy values.

Figure 8-37 illustrates the JMS configuration.



Figure 8-37 Setting the JMS, SCA, and security configuration for the BPC

5. Click Next.

 Provide details for the Business Process Explorer, audit logging, and Common Event Infrastructure. Leave this panel at the defaults, and click Next (Figure 8-38).

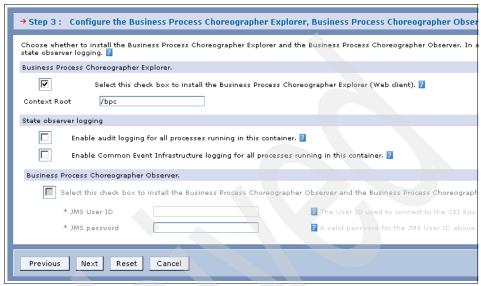


Figure 8-38 Other settings for the BPC

- 7. At the summary panel, click Finish.
- 8. After the installation completes, verify that the configuration is successful (Figure 8-39).

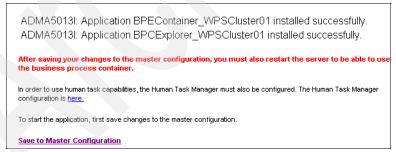


Figure 8-39 Verify the installation of BPC

- 9. Save and synchronize the changes.
- 10. The panel returns to Install your Business Process and Human Tasks Container.

Configuring the cluster for the Human Task Manager

To configure the cluster for the Human Task Manager:

1. Under Human Task Container Installation, click **WPSCluster01** to launch the Human Task Manager installation wizard (Figure 8-40).

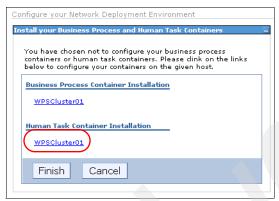


Figure 8-40 Launch the HTM installation wizard

2. Set the configuration for JMS, SCA bindings, and security settings, as detailed in Table 8-10.

Table 8-10 Configuration settings

Name	Value	
JMS user ID	sca	
JMS password	itso4you	
Webservice Endpoint	HTMIF_WPSCluster01(Default)	
Escalation user ID	escalation	
Escalation password	itso4you	
Administrator security role mapping	Administrators	
System monitor security role mapping	Administrators	

Note: You do not enable global security in this scenario, so the Administrators group and the sca and escalation users are dummy values.

Figure 8-41 illustrates these settings.



Figure 8-41 Setting JMS, SCA, and security

- 3. Click Next.
- Select mail session, Common Event Infrastructure logging, and audit logging for all human tasks. You do not use the features for this scenario, so you can click Next here (Figure 8-42).



Figure 8-42 Setting mail session and logging

- 5. On the Summary window, click **Finish**.
- 6. Save and synchronize the configuration.

At this point, you have installed the BPC and HTM containers, as shown in Figure 8-43.

Note: So far, there is only one active messaging engine for the SCA bus and BPC bus in the cell.

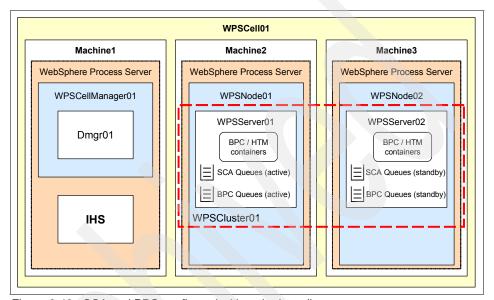


Figure 8-43 SCA and BPC configured with active/standby

Reconfiguring the BPC Bus and messaging engine

To reconfigure the BPC Bus and messaging engine:

- 1. Open the Administrative Console on w1t0 and log in.
- 2. Navigate to **Service integration** → **Buses**.
- 3. Click the BPC.WPSCellO1.Bus bus.
- 4. Select WPSCell01/BPEAuthDataAliasJMS_WPSCluster01 from the **Inter-engine authentication alias** drop-down list.

 Select WPSCell01/BPEAuthDataAliasJMS_WPSCluster01 from the Mediations authentication alias drop-down list, as shown in Figure 8-44.

The application that we use in this example does not require secure mediations; however, we enable the capability as a best-practice.



Figure 8-44 Setting the BPC bus authentication aliases

- 6. Click Apply.
- 7. Under Topology, click Messaging engines.
- 8. Click the WPSCluster01.000-BPC.WPSCell01.Bus messaging engine.
- 9. Under Additional Properties, click **Data store**.

10. In the Configuration panel (Figure 8-45):

- a. Set the Data source JNDI name to jdbc/medb
- b. Set the **Schema name** to BPCMSG, as created earlier
- Select WPSCell01/BPEAuthDataAliasDb2_WPSCluster01 from the Authentication alias
- d. Clear the Create tables check box
- e. Click OK.



Figure 8-45 Correcting the BPC messaging engine schema

11. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

Defining additional messaging engines

To support multiple active SCA and BPC queues, you need to define additional messaging engines. Follow these steps:

- In the Administrative Console of w1t0, navigate to Service integration → Buses.
- 2. Click SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus.
- Click Bus members under Topology.

4. There is only one bus member displayed, Cluster=WPSCluster01. Click this bus member (Figure 8-46).



Figure 8-46 The cluster bus member

5. This bus member has a single messaging engine defined (WPSCluster01.000-SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus). Define a new one. Click **Add messaging engine** (Figure 8-47).

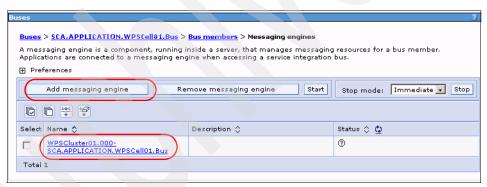


Figure 8-47 Messaging engine

6. Define the messaging engine configuration using the values that are specified in Table 8-11.

Table 8-11 Messaging engine configuration information for SCA application bus

Setting	Value	
Data source JNDI name	jdbc/medb	
Schema name	SCAAPP2	
Authentication alias	WPSCell01/_WPSCluster01	
Create tables	No	

Figure 8-48 shows these settings.

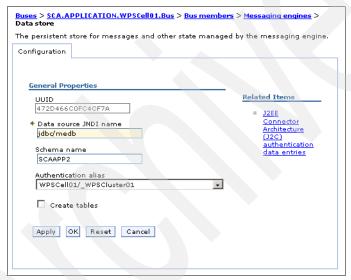


Figure 8-48 Define an additional messaging engine for the SCA application bus

7. Click **OK**. A second messaging engine is now defined (Figure 8-49).



Figure 8-49 Additional messaging engine for the SCA application bus

- 8. Repeat these steps to define an additional messaging engine for the SCA.SYSTEM.WPSCell01.Bus bus.
 - a. Click Service integration → Buses.
 - b. Click SCA.SYSTEM.WPSCell01.Bus \rightarrow Bus members \rightarrow Cluster=WPSCluster01.
 - c. Click **Add messaging engine** and define the messaging engine configuration using the values specified in Table 8-11.

Table 8-12 Messaging engine configuration information for SCA application bus

Setting	Value	
Data source JNDI name	jdbc/medb	
Schema name	SCASYS2	
Authentication alias	WPSCell01/_WPSCluster01	
Create tables	No	

d. Click **OK**. You should see a second messaging engine defined (Figure 8-50).

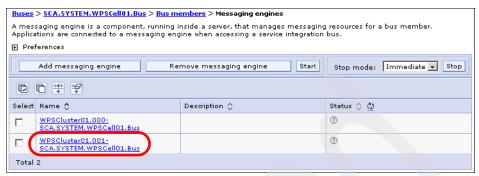


Figure 8-50 Additional messaging engine for the SCA system bus

- 9. Repeat these steps to define an additional messaging engine for the SCA.SYSTEM.WPSCell01.Bus bus.
 - a. Click Service integration → Buses.
 - b. Click BPC.WPSCell01.Bus → Bus members → Cluster=WPSCluster01.
 - c. Click **Add messaging engine** and define the messaging engine configuration using the values that are specified in Table 8-11.

Table 8-13 Messaging engine configuration information for SCA application bus

Setting	Value	
Data source JNDI name	jdbc/medb	
Schema name	BPCMSG2	
Authentication alias	WPSCell01/_WPSCluster01	
Create tables	No	

d. Click **OK**. You should see a second messaging engine defined (Figure 8-50).



Figure 8-51 Additional messaging engine for the BPC bus

10. Save and synchronize the changes.

Creating HA Manager policies

To create HA Manager policies:

- In the Administrative Console of w1t0, navigate to Servers → Core groups → Core group settings.
- 2. Click DefaultCoreGroup (Figure 8-52).

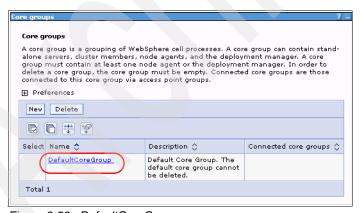


Figure 8-52 DefaultCoreGroup

3. Click Policies under Additional Properties (Figure 8-53).

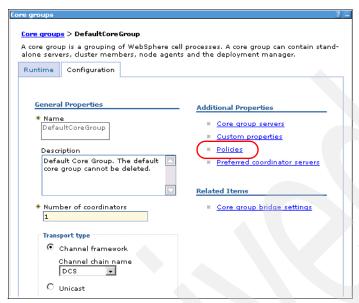


Figure 8-53 Policies link

4. A list of existing policies is displayed (Figure 8-54). Click **New** to define a new policy.



Figure 8-54 Create a new policy

5. Select **One of N** policy, then click **Next** (Figure 8-55).



Figure 8-55 Specify the policy type as One of N

- 6. Specify the configuration information for the policy (Figure 8-56):
 - a. Enter WPSCluster01.000-SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus in the Name field.

Tip: We set the policy name to match the name of the messaging engine to which this policy applies to help identify easily what each policy does.

b. Select **Fail back** to ensure that the preferred server that is specified by this policy will always have high priority to run the messaging engine that is matched by the policy.

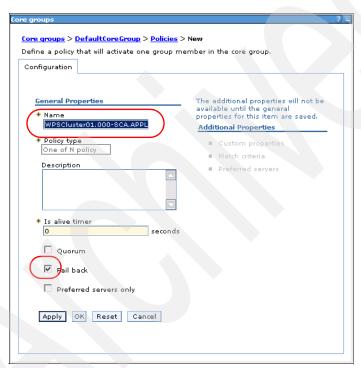


Figure 8-56 Specify the policy configuration information

Click Apply.

- 8. Click **Match criteria** under Additional Properties. You add two matching criteria. Follow these steps:
 - a. Click New.
 - b. Set the Name to WSAF_SIB_MESSAGING_ENGINE.
 - c. Set the Value to WPSCluster01.000-SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus.
 - d. Click **OK** (Figure 8-57).



Figure 8-57 Specify information for the first matching criteria

- e. Click New to create a second matching criteria.
- f. Set the Name to type.
- g. Set the Value to WSAF_SIB.

h. Click **OK** (Figure 8-58).



Figure 8-58 Specify information for the second matching criteria

9. You need to define two match criteria (Figure 8-59).



Figure 8-59 Match policy for the first SCA application messaging engine

- 10. Return back to the Policy panel, and **select WPSCluster01.000-SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus**.
- 11. Click **Preferred servers** under **Additional Properties** of the policy panel.

12. Highlight **WPSNode01/WPSServer01** and click **Add** to add it to the preferred servers list (Figure 8-60).



Figure 8-60 WPSServer01 as the preferred server

- 13. Click **OK**. Save and synchronize the changes.
- 14. Create another policy for the second messaging engine on the SCA. APPLICATION. WPSCell01. Bus bus using the values specified in Table 8-14.

Table 8-14 Policy for second messaging engine on the SCA application bus

Setting	Value
Policy type	One of N policy
Policy name	WPSCluster01.001-SCA.APPLICATION. WPSCell01.Bus
Fail back	Yes
Match criteria 1 name	WSAF_SIB_MESSAGING_ENGINE
Match criteria 1 value	WPSCluster01.001-SCA.APPLICATION. WPSCell01.Bus
Match criteria 2 name	type
Match criteria 2 value	WSAF_SIB
Preferred server	WPSNode02/WPSServer02

15. Create a policy for the first messaging engine on the SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus bus using the values that are specified in Table 8-15.

Table 8-15 Policy for first messaging engine on the SCA system bus

Setting	Value
Policy type	One of N policy
Policy name	WPSCluster01.000-SCA.SYSTEM.WPS Cell01.Bus
Fail back	Yes
Match criteria 1 name	WSAF_SIB_MESSAGING_ENGINE
Match criteria 1 value	WPSCluster01.000-SCA.SYSTEM.WPS Cell01.Bus
Match criteria 2 name	type
Match criteria 2 value	WSAF_SIB
Preferred server	WPSNode02/WPSServer01

16. Create a policy for the second messaging engine on the SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01. Bus bus using the values that are specified in Table 8-15.

Table 8-16 Policy for second messaging engine on the SCA system bus

Setting	Value
Policy type	One of N policy
Policy name	WPSCluster01.001-SCA.SYSTEM.WPS Cell01.Bus
Fail back	Yes
Match criteria 1 name	WSAF_SIB_MESSAGING_ENGINE
Match criteria 1 value	WPSCluster01.001-SCA.SYSTEM.WPS Cell01.Bus
Match criteria 2 name	type
Match criteria 2 value	WSAF_SIB
Preferred server	WPSNode02/WPSServer02

17. Create a policy for the first messaging engine on the BPC.WPSCell01.Bus bus using the values that are specified in Table 8-15.

Table 8-17 Policy for first messaging engine on the BPC bus

Setting	Value	
Policy type	One of N policy	
Policy name	WPSCluster01.000-BPC.WPSCell01.Bus	
Fail back	Yes	
Match criteria 1 name	WSAF_SIB_MESSAGING_ENGINE	
Match criteria 1 value	WPSCluster01.000-BPC.WPSCell01.Bus	
Match criteria 2 name	type	
Match criteria 2 value	WSAF_SIB	
Preferred server	WPSNode01/WPSServer01	

18. Create a policy for the second messaging engine on the BPC.WPSCell01.Bus bus using the values that are specified in Table 8-15.

Table 8-18 Policy for second messaging engine on the BPC bus

Setting	Value
Policy type	One of N policy
Policy name	WPSCluster01.001-BPC.WPSCell01.Bus
Fail back	Yes
Match criteria 1 name	WSAF_SIB_MESSAGING_ENGINE
Match criteria 1 value	WPSCluster01.001-BPC.WPSCell01.Bus
Match criteria 2 name	type
Match criteria 2 value	WSAF_SIB
Preferred server	WPSNode02/WPSServer02

19.At this point, you have defined six HA Manager policies—four for SCA messaging engines and two for BPC messaging engines—as shown in Figure 8-61.



Figure 8-61 Six HA Manager policies

20. Save and synchronize the changes.

Restarting the environment

You need to restart all nodes and the deployment manager to ensure that the changes that you made are distributed cell wide. Follow these steps:

- Open the Administrative Console for the deployment manager hosted on w1t0.
- 2. Navigate to **System administration** → **Node agents** and select both nodes by clicking the check boxes next to them.

3. Click on the **Restart** button to cause the nodes to stop and start, as shown in Figure 8-62.

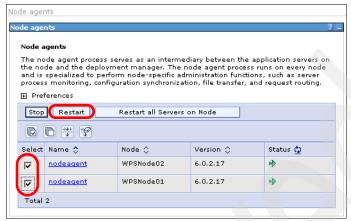


Figure 8-62 Restarting the node

Note: You have to refresh the Node agents view to see the change in status.

 Navigate to System administration → Deployment manager and click Stop, as shown in Figure 8-63.

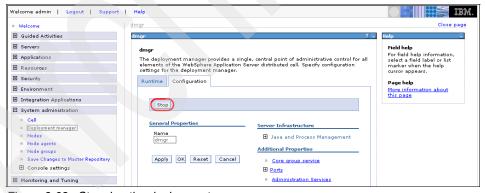


Figure 8-63 Stopping the deployment manager

5. Click **OK** in the verification panel.

Start the deployment manager. Open a command prompt on wlt0, change directory to %WAS_HOME%\profiles\Dmgr01\bin (for example, C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\bin), and issue the following command:

startManager.bat

At this point, the cluster is ready to host the business modules. Figure 8-64 shows the cell infrastructure.

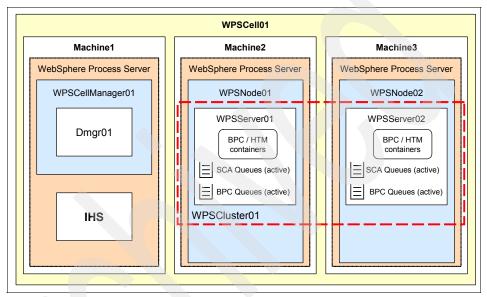


Figure 8-64 The SCA and BPC destinations are partitioned

8.3.3 Verifying the topology

This section describes how to verify the topology by starting the cluster, verifying the messaging engines, verifying the HA Manager policies, and verifying the SCA destinations.

Starting the cluster

To start the cluster:

- 1. Ensure that all nodes are running. If a node is not running, start it with the following commands:
 - a. Open a command prompt on the node's host machine.
 - b. Change directory to the node's bin directory:cd\IBM\WebSphereProcServer\profiles\WPSNode01\bin
 - c. Start the node using the following command: startNode.bat
- 2. Start the cluster:
 - a. Open the wlt0 Administrative Console and login.
 - b. Navigate to Servers → Clusters.
 - c. Select WPSCluster01 and click Start.
 - d. Verify that the cluster starts successfully. The red cross should change to a solid green arrow (Figure 8-65). You need to refresh the server clusters view to see the change in status.



Figure 8-65 Cluster in started state

Verifying the messaging engine

Confirm the messaging engine configuration by following these steps:

- 1. In Administrative Console of w1t0, click Service integration → Buses.
- 2. Select **SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus** (Figure 8-66).

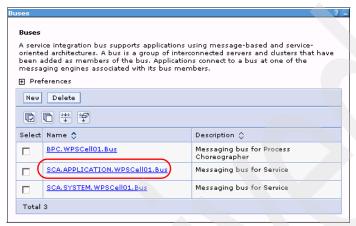


Figure 8-66 Select the bus SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus

- 3. Under Topology, click Messaging engines.
- 4. The messaging engines should be in a status of Started, signified by a green arrow (Figure 8-67).



Figure 8-67 Messaging engines for SCA.APPLICATION bus

5. Repeat these steps to verify the status of the other messaging engines that are located in the other buses.

Verifying the HA Manager policy

To verify the HA Manager policy:

- 1. In Administrative Console of w1t0, click Servers \rightarrow Core groups \rightarrow Core group settings \rightarrow DefaultCoreGroup.
- 2. Go to the Runtime tab (Figure 8-68).



Figure 8-68 Runtime tab

3. Click **Show groups** to delay a list of high availability groups.

 Click the high availability group for WPSCluster01.000-SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus (Figure 8-69).



Figure 8-69 The core group policy list

5. For this policy, the preferred server is WPSServer01 and the server is active, so the WPSCluster01.000-SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus messaging engine is associated with WPSServer01. If you shutdown the server WPSServer01, the messaging engine moves to WPSServer02 automatically (Figure 8-70).

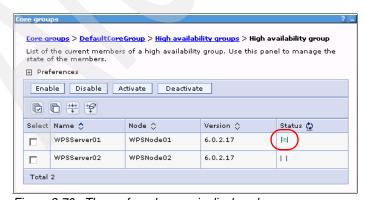


Figure 8-70 The preferred server is displayed

6. Verify the preferred server for other messaging engines according to the information listed in Table 8-19.

Table 8-19 The map between messaging engines and preferred servers

Messaging Engines	Preferred Server
WPSCluster01.001-SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus	WPSServer02
WPSCluster01.000-SCA.SYSTEM.WPSCell01.Bus	WPSServer01
WPSCluster01.001-SCA.SYSTEM.WPSCell01.Bus	WPSServer02
WPSCluster01.000-BPC.WPSCell01.Bus	WPSServer01
WPSCluster01.000-BPC.WPSCell01.Bus	WPSServer02

Verifying the destinations for SCA buses

To verify the destinations for SCA buses, follow these steps:

- In Administrative Console of w1t0, click Service integration → Buses → SCA.SYSTEM.WPSCell01.Bus → Destinations.
- Notice that the SYSTEM.Exception destination is partitioned across the two messaging engines of SCA system bus (Figure 8-71).



Figure 8-71 System exception destination is partitioned cross two messaging engines

3. Click the queue destination **sca/BFMIF_WPSCluster01** (Figure 8-72).

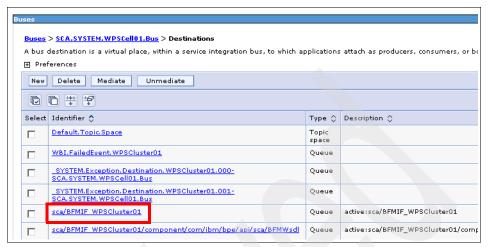


Figure 8-72 Verify a queue destination

- 4. Click Queue points under Message points.
- 5. Two queue points are displayed—one point associates with one messaging engine (Figure 8-73).



Figure 8-73 Queue points configuration

You can also verify the queue points for other destinations in a similar way.

8.4 Installing and testing the scenario

This section describes how to test the topology that you have built by deploying presentation logic, business module, and enterprise service layers.

8.4.1 Installing the enterprise applications

To test the business process logic for this topology, you need to create a presentation logic layer and a remote enterprise service layer. The presentation logic layer provides the client for the business module, and the remote enterprise service layer presents services that are required for the business flows.

In this example the presentation logic layer is hosted on the business cluster alongside the business application. The remote enterprise service layer is hosted on a stand-alone WebSphere Application Server instance.

The presentation logic application ITSOWPSSmplPrsApp.ear is installed on wlt1 and wlt2 to WPSCluster01. The enterprise service application ITSOWPSSmplSrvApp.ear is installed on wlt3 to WASNode01 on server1.

Deploying the business application

The application that supports the business process logic is provided by a single EAR file. This application must be installed to the cluster WPSC1uster01. Follow these steps:

- 1. Open the wlt0 Administrative Console and log in.
- 2. Navigate to Applications → Install New Application.
- 3. You will install the enterprise application ITSOWPSSmplBusApp.ear, which includes the business process logic. This file is located in the additional material that is supplied with this book. To learn how to obtain it, see Appendix A, "Additional material" on page 427. Copy ITSOWPSSmplBusApp.ear from the additional material that is supplied with this book to c:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\installableApps.
- 4. In the Administrative Console, select **Local file system** and click **Browse**.
- 5. Navigate to the c:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\installableApps folder.
- Select the business module to be installed, in this example ITSOWPSCplxBusApp.ear, and click **Open**.

7. From the Administrative Console, click **Next**, as shown in Figure 8-74.

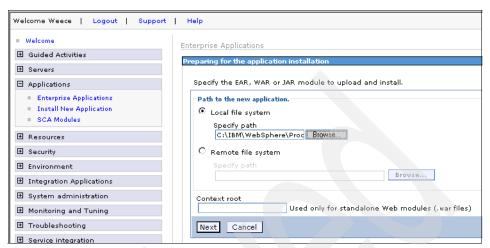


Figure 8-74 Installing the business module

8. In the next panel, leave the settings as default and click **Next**.

All the other application deployment settings are left as default, but notably the application must be deployed to the WPSCluster01 cluster in step 2 of the wizard, 'Map modules to servers' as shown in Figure 8-75.

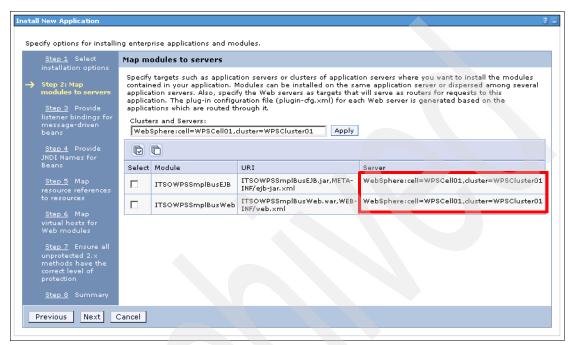


Figure 8-75 Verification of the correct application module mapping

- 9. Click the link to the summary panel, in this example Step 8: Summary.
- 10. Click Finish.
- 11. When the application has been installed successfully, click **Save to Master Configuration**.
- 12. Select Synchronize changes with Nodes, and click Save.
- 13. When completed successfully, click **OK**.

14. Start the application:

- a. Navigate to Applications → Enterprise Applications.
- Select ITSOWPSSmplBusApp and click Start. The status of the application should change to Started (represented by a green arrow), as shown in Figure 8-76.

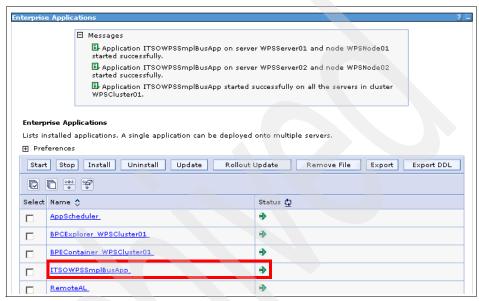


Figure 8-76 Installed enterprise application ITSOWPSSmplBusApp

Deploying the presentation logic application

To deploy the presentation logic application:

 Repeat the steps that are described in "Deploying the business application" on page 304 to deploy and start the presentation logic application ITSOWPSSmplPrsApp.ear to the cluster WPSCluster01. You can also find this file can in the additional material that accompanies this book. 2. Verify that the application starts, as shown in Figure 8-77.

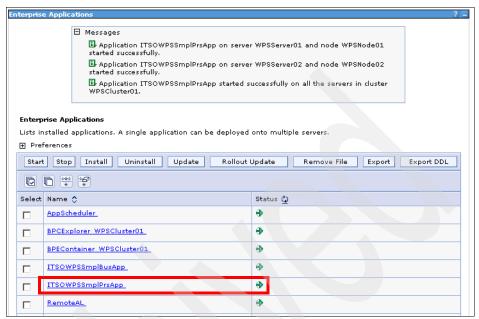


Figure 8-77 Installed enterprise application ITSOWPSSmplPrsApp

- 3. Verify that the presentation logic application is running on WPSServer01 and WPSServer02 within the cluster by entering the following URLs into a browser. You should see the Account Closure Process, as shown in Figure 8-78.
 - http://wlt1.itso:9080/ITSOWPSSmplPrsWeb/startProcess.jsp
 - http://wlt2.itso:9080/ITSOWPSSmplPrsWeb/startProcess.jsp



Figure 8-78 Account Closure Process panel

Preparing the enterprise service layer

You need to define a WebSphere Application Server server to host the enterprise service layer, then install the enterprise service application. Follow these steps:

- Create a new WebSphere Application Server profile using the profile creation wizard on w1t3. On Windows platforms, launch the Profile Wizard by clicking Start → All Programs → IBM WebSphere → Application Server Network Deployment V6 → Profile creation wizard.
- 2. Define a profile with the following properties:

Profile type: Application Server profile

Profile name: WASNode01Node name: WASNode01Host name: wlt3.itso

3. When you have created the profile, navigate to the bin directory of the profile (which on our system was C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\WASNode01\bin) and start the server using the following command:

startServer server1

4. When the server is started, launch the Administrative Console:

http://wlt3.itso:9060/ibm/console

- 5. Install the enterprise service logic enterprise application ITSOWPSSmplSrvApp.ear. This file is located in the additional material that is supplied with this book. To learn how to obtain it, see Appendix A, "Additional material" on page 427. To install this file:
 - a. Copy ITSOWPSSmplSrvApp.ear from the additional material that is supplied with this book to c:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\installableApps.
 - b. In the Administrative Console, click Applications → Install New Application and install ITSOWPSSmplSrvApp.ear. When the application is installed, save the configuration.

 c. Click Applications → Enterprise Applications and start ITSOWPSSmplSrvApp (Figure 8-79).

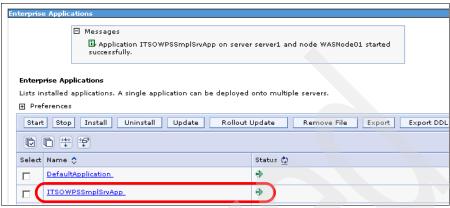


Figure 8-79 Installed enterprise application ITSOWPSSmplSrvApp

8.4.2 Configuring IBM HTTP Server

You need to install and configure a router in front of the presentation layer running on the business process cluster WPSCluster01. This router enables load balancing to the presentation logic layer.

Client requests from the browser are made to the IBM HTTP Server. The IBM HTTP Server passes the request to the WebSphere plugin. The plugin load balances to the presentation applications running in the business cluster.

It is assumed that the following products have been installed:

- IBM HTTP Server in c:\IBMIHS
- ► The WebSphere plugin for IBM HTTP Server in c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins

Adding the Web server to the cell

To add the Web server to the cell:

- Open a command prompt.
- Change directory to c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins\bin.

Note: In this example, the Web server is named webserver1. Therefore, the configuration script is named configurewebserver1.bat.

3. Copy the configurewebserver1.bat file to %WAS_HOME%\bin on any node in the cell.

- 4. The Windows operating system has a limitation for the filename length. In order to avoid the exception caused by that limitation, you should do some additional configuration regarding the working directory of WebSphere Process Server.
 - a. In Administrative Console, click System Administration \rightarrow Deployment Manager \rightarrow Java and Process Management \rightarrow Process Definition \rightarrow Java Virtual Machine \rightarrow Custom Properties
 - b. Click **New** and create a new property with the attributes:
 - Name: websphere.workspace.root
 - Value: C:/w
 - c. Click OK.
 - d. Save and synchronize the configuration.
 - e. Restart the deployment manager.
- 5. Change directory to %WAS_HOME%\bin and run configurewebserver1.bat.

Note: Ensure that the deployment manager has restarted before issuing this command.

This script adds the Web server into the cell and deploys the applications to the Web server.

Configuring the plug-in

To configure the plug-in:

- 1. Open the Administrative Console and login.
- 2. Navigate to Servers → Web servers.
- 3. Select the webserver1 check box and click Generate Plug-in.
- 4. When complete, the message text identifies the location of the generated plug-in file. In this example, it is:
 - c:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\config\cells\WPSCell01\nodes\wlt0.itso\servers\webserver1\plugin-cfg.xml
- 5. Move the plugin-cfg.xml configuration file.

The location of plugin-cfg.xml that the WebSphere Plug-in uses is specified by the WebSpherePluginConfig variable within the httpd.conf configuration file of IBM HTTP Server. Therefore, the generated plugin-cfg.xml must be moved to the path defined by this variable. In this example, the command is:

move

c:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\config\cells\WPSCell01\n
odes\wlt0.itso\servers\webserver1\plugin-cfg.xml
c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins\config\webserver1\plugin-cfg.xml

Configuring application deployment

There is are additional steps to configure the end-to-end application deployment:

- Configuring the presentation layer for the business applications
- Configuring the business application for the remote enterprise services

Presentation layer connectivity to the business layer

To configure the presentation layer connectivity to the business layer, follow these steps:

- 1. Open the cell deployment manager's Administrative Console and login.
- 2. Navigate to Applications → Enterprise Applications.
- 3. Click ITSOWPSSmpIPrsApp.
- 4. Under Related Items, click Web Modules.
- 5. Click the JAR file presented, ITSOWPSSmplPrsWeb.war.
- 6. Under Additional Properties, click **Web services client bindings**.
- 7. For the simpleACProcessIExport_ProcessIHttpService service, click **Edit** under **Port Information**, as shown in Figure 8-82.



Figure 8-80 Editing port information for the business process application

8. Change the Overridden Endpoint URL to that of the IBM HTTP Server, in this example:

http://wlt0.itso:80/ITSOWPSSmplBusWeb/sca/simpleACProcessIExport This change is shown in Figure 8-83.

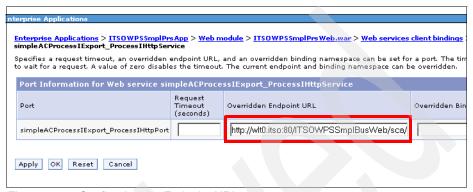


Figure 8-81 Configuring the Endpoint URL

9. Click OK.

Business layer connectivity to remote enterprise services

To configure the business layer connectivity to remote enterprise services, follow these steps:

- 1. Open the cell deployment manager's Administrative Console and login.
- 2. Navigate to Applications → Enterprise Applications.
- 3. Click ITSOWPSSmplBusApp.
- 4. Under Related Items, click **EJB Modules**.
- 5. Click the JAR file presented, ITSOWPSSmplBusEJB.jar.
- 6. Under Additional Properties, click **Web services client bindings**.

7. For the sca/import/LegalServices service, click **Edit** under **Port Information**, as shown in Figure 8-82.



Figure 8-82 Editing port information for the remote enterprise services

 Change the host and port to that of the WebSphere Application Server that is hosting the remote enterprise services, in this example http://wlt3.itso:9080/ (Figure 8-83).

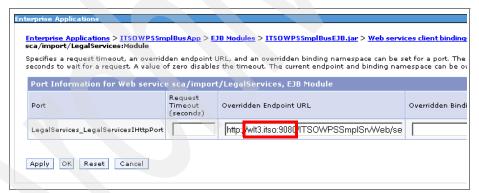


Figure 8-83 Configuring the host for the remote enterprise services

- 9. Click OK.
- 10. Repeat the previous step for the sca/import/AccountServicesImport and the sca/import/DependentsServicesImport services.
- 11. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

It is possible to test each of the remote enterprise services directly with a browser at the following URLs:

- http://wlt3.itso:9080/ITSOWPSSmplSrvWeb/services/LegalServices_LegalServicesIHttpPort
- http://wlt3.itso:9080/ITSOWPSSmplSrvWeb/services/AccountServicesImport _AccountServicesIHttpPort
- http://wlt3.itso:9080/ITSOWPSSmplSrvWeb/services/DependentsServices_DependentsServicesIHttpPort

Figure 8-84 shows an example response.

```
{http://ITSOWPSSmplBus/LegalServicesI/Binding}
LegalServices_LegalServicesIHttpPort
Hi there, this is a Web service!
```

Figure 8-84 Example response from Web service call

By appending ?wsd1 to these URLs, you can display the actual WSDL definition, as shown in Figure 8-85.

```
<wsdl:definitions name="LegalServices_LegalServicesIHttp_Service"</p>
 targetNamespace="http://ITSOWPSSmplBus/LegalServicesI/Binding"
 xmlns="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/"
 xmlns:Port_0="http://ITSOWPSSmplBus/LegalServicesI"
 xmlns:soap="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/soap/"
 xmlns:soapenc="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/encoding/"
 xmlns:this="http://ITSOWPSSmplBus/LegalServicesI/Binding"
 xmlns: wsdl="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/">
 <wsdl:import location="LegalServicesI.wsdl"</p>
  namespace="http://ITSOWPSSmplBus/LegalServicesI" />
 <wsdl:binding name="LegalServices_LegalServicesIHttpBinding" type="Port_0:LegalServicesI">
  <soap:binding style="document" transport="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/http" />
 - <wsdl:operation name="getLegalCons">
    <soap:operation />
   - <wsdl:input name="getLegalConsRequest">
      <soap:body use="literal" />
    </wsdl:input>
   - <wsdl:output name="getLegalConsResponse">
      <soap:body use="literal" />
    </wsdl:output>
  </wsdl:operation>
 </wsdl:binding>
<wsdl:service name="LegalServices_LegalServicesIHttpService">
- <wsdl:port binding="this:LegalServices_LegalServicesIHttpBinding"</p>
    name="LegalServices_LegalServicesIHttpPort">
    <soap:address
      location="http://wlt3.itso:9082/ITSOWPSSmplSrvWeb/services/LegalServices_LegalServices
  </wsdl:port>
 </wsdl:service>
```

Figure 8-85 Requesting the WSDL definition

8.4.3 Testing the scenario

This section tests the environment and the application it hosts.

Starting the environment

To start the environment, follow these steps:

- 1. Ensure that all layers of the environment are started and that all applications running in these layers are started.
- 2. Start up IBM HTTP Server with the following commands:

```
cd c:\IBMIHS\bin
Apache.exe -k start
```

Testing the business process

To test the business process:

1. Launch the presentation layer by browsing to the following URL to launch the presentation layer JSP (Figure 8-86):

http://wlt0.itso/ITSOWPSSmplPrsWeb/startProcess.jsp



Figure 8-86 Account Closure Process JSP

- 2. Enter an Account number, for example 888888.
- 3. Enter a Branch ID, for example 12345.
- 4. Click Close account.

5. If the topology is working, you receive the message Account closing completed successfully as shown in Figure 8-87.

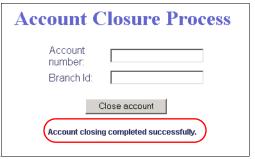


Figure 8-87 The account is closed successfully

- 6. Try submitting a few more requests.
- 7. Open the SystemOut.log file of WPSServer01. You can find the log files in the WPS_HOME\profiles\WPSNode01\logs\WPSServer01 directory (for example in our environment, the WPSServer01 log is stored in the c:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\WPSNode01\logs\WPSServer01\ directory).

You find that the router has dispatched the requests to different cluster members (Example 8-3 and Example 8-4).

Example 8-3 The messages from WPSServer01

```
00000066 SystemOut 0 ##### Account closure service called in asynchronous way for account 666666.##### 00000066 SystemOut 0 ##### Account closure service called in asynchronous way for account 0345678.#####
```

Example 8-4 The messages from WPSServer02

```
0000006a SystemOut 0 #### Account closure service called in asynchronous way for account 888888.#### 0000006a SystemOut 0 #### Account closure service called in asynchronous way for account 999999.####
```

Note: Try sending requests from multiple clients to fully test the load balancing.



Implementing the Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server

This chapter details the steps to implement the $Full\ Support\ topology$ for WebSphere Process Server and to deploy a sample business process to this topology. We discuss the following topics:

- Selecting and implementing the Full Support topology
- ► Generic steps for creating WebSphere Process Server clusters
- Specific configuration steps for the Full Support topology
- Installing and testing the scenario

This chapter also describes how to secure this topology using global security with an LDAP registry, and SSL.

9.1 Selecting and implementing the Full Support topology

This section includes the following sections:

- Scenario requirements
 - Summarizes the fictitious business scenario that we deploy to the Full Support topology we build in this chapter.
- Selecting the appropriate topology
 - Demonstrates why we select the Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server to host this business scenario.
- Overview of how to implement the Full Support topology
 Describes the steps that are necessary to build the Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server.

Note: For an overview of the Full Support topology, refer to 4.4, "Full Support topology" on page 53.

9.1.1 Scenario requirements

You must build a production topology to host a WebSphere Process Server business process that is built for the fictitious organization ITSO Bank. The business process (shown in Figure 9-1) performs the following functions:

- 1. A bank employee submits an account closure order to the business process.
- 2. The *Constraints check* service is invoked. The connection between the process and the service is a Web service binding invoked synchronously.
- 3. The next service is invoked in the same way, with a synchronous Web service binding.
- 4. A service is invoked to calculate the account balance. A human task provides the bank employee with the account balance information. Based on this value (for example the balance exceeds U. S. \$10 000), the employee decides whether to proceed with account closure or to take another action. In the second case, the process stops without invocation of the closure service, and the bank employee takes some account retention action.
- 5. If the account is to be closed, the process invokes the *Closure* service with an asynchronous one-way Web service binding.
- 6. The process terminates successfully and confirmation is returned.

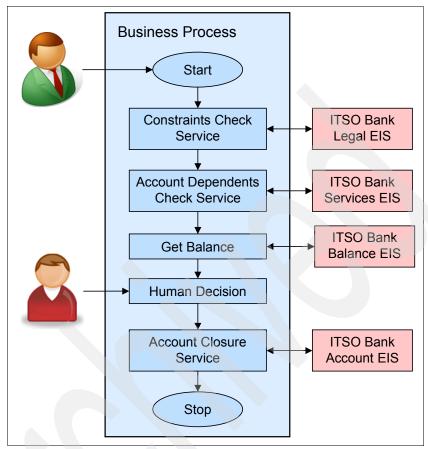


Figure 9-1 Account closure process, complex business process scenario

ITSO Bank has the following business and IT requirements for this scenario:

- Failover capability.
- ► ITSO Bank has acquired new hardware resources and wants to use them to build this topology
- To implement the process, the bank has decided to use existing services within the enterprise.
- ► The ITSO Bank Account EIS service is a one-way call and is invoked asynchronously.
- Event management services are not required.

Note: For more detailed information about this scenario, refer to 5.2.3, "Complex business process scenario" on page 79.

9.1.2 Selecting the appropriate topology

Based on the ITSO Bank requirements for the business process scenario, we can select an appropriate production topology to host the business process. To help us select the appropriate topology, we use the topology selection flowchart, as described in 4.5.2, "Topology selection flow chart" on page 62. Figure 9-2 shows that by using the topology selection flowchart, we can select the Full Support topology as the topology of choice for the ITSO Bank complex business process scenario.

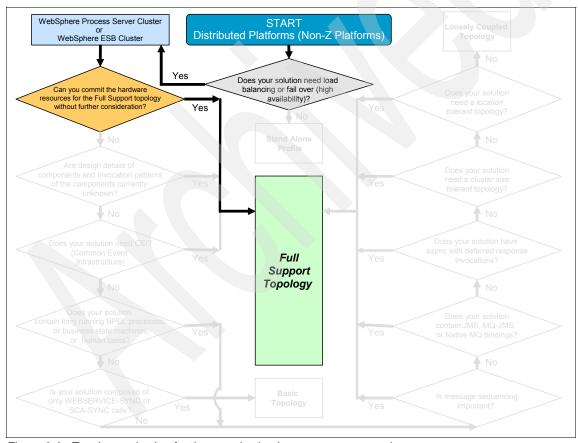


Figure 9-2 Topology selection for the complex business process scenario

The main decision points for ITSO Bank are:

- A highly available solution with load balancing is required, so a clustered topology is needed.
- ► ITSO Bank have sufficient hardware resources to host the Full Support topology. They want to implement the Full Support topology (even if the current business process deployed to this topology does not require it) so that they can support the deployment of any type of application in the future.
- ► The Full Support topology is selected.

9.1.3 Overview of how to implement the Full Support topology

Figure 9-3 summarizes the steps to build this topology.

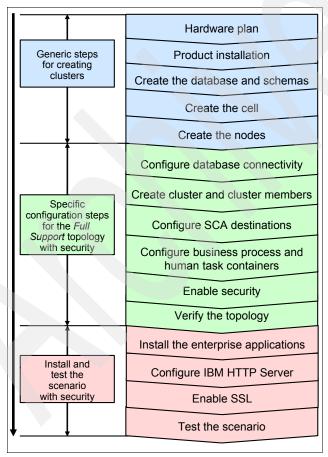


Figure 9-3 Building the Full Support topology for WebSphere Process Server

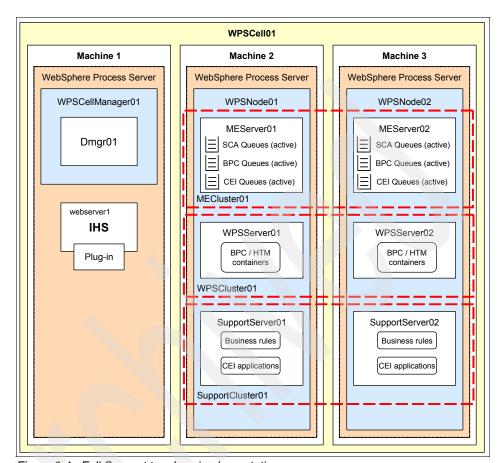


Figure 9-4 shows the topology that we build in this chapter.

Figure 9-4 Full Support topology implementation

9.2 Generic steps for creating WebSphere Process Server clusters

This section describes the hardware plan and describes how to prepare a WebSphere Process Server cluster.

9.2.1 Hardware plan for the topology

This section describes the hardware that is required to support the Full Support topology. In this topology (illustrated in Figure 9-5 on page 326), three machines are used to support the cell hosting the business module and one machine is used to host the client and Web services applications for testing purposes. A final shared machine provides the database functionality. The hardware plan includes:

- ► The first machine (wps0) hosts the deployment manager and the IBM HTTP Server and associated plug-in.
- ► The second and third machines (wps1 and wps2) host three clusters, as well as the node agents, in a horizontally clustered configuration:
 - The business cluster (also hosting the presentation logic)
 - A separate messaging cluster
 - The support cluster

These machines need more resources because they are hosting four JVMs each.

Note: In a production environment with high throughput, the bottleneck might be the messaging engine response. In this case, the messaging engine cluster might be hosted on separate hardware to the business cluster. Similarly, if the support application (CEI and BRM) footprint becomes high, there is a possibility that this might impact the business application. Again, you can host this cluster on different hardware to alleviate any impact.

- ► The fourth machine (wps3) hosts the Web services application in a stand-alone WebSphere Application Server.
- ► The fourth machine (db2), not shown in the diagram, hosts the databases that are required to support WebSphere Process Server (MEDB, WPRCSDB, BPCDB, and CEIDB).
- ► The final machine (1dap), not shown in the diagram, hosts the LDAP ITDS V6.03 server and an associated DB2 instance.

Note: Although this is the configuration that we used, you can choose any combination of machines to create this topology.

Table 9-1 describes these machines.

Table 9-1 Systems used for this topology

System name	Host name	Operating system
wps0	wps0.itso	Windows 2003 Server
wps1	wps1.itso	Windows 2003 Server
wps2	wps2.itso	Windows 2003 Server
wps3	wps3.itso	Windows 2003 Server
db2	db2.itso	Red Hat Advanced Server 4 U4
ldap	ldap.itso	Red Hat Advanced Server 4 U2

Note: To help follow along with this chapter, you might want to define a hosts file on each of your machines. The hosts file maps the host names that are defined in Table 9-1 to the IP address of each of your machines.

You can find the hosts file on Windows platforms:

<WINDOWS_HOME>\system32\drivers\etc

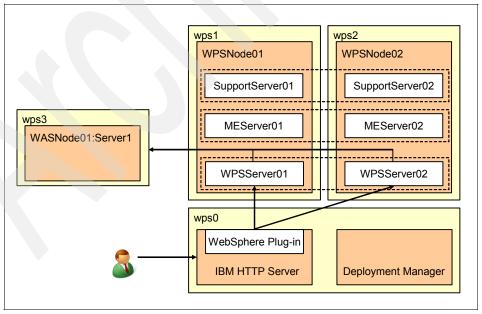


Figure 9-5 Hardware plan for the full support topology

The end-to-end flow for this topology is (Figure 9-5):

- 1. A user makes a request from a browser to the server, which will load balance through the plug-in.
- 2. IBM HTTP Server passes the request to the front-end client application, running as a JSP on WPSNode01:WPSServer01 or WPSNode02:WPSServer02 on either wps1 or wps2 respectively.
- 3. The client application is configured to forward the request to the business application running on the same server (wps1 or wps2).
- 4. The business process application starts the account closure process, calls the appropriate Web service (running on wps3) to gather account details and generates a human task (specific to this scenario). The user receives a response that the process started successfully.
- 5. Because the request has now been submitted the continuation of this account closure task requires the user to check for new account closure confirmation instances from the presentation application.
- If the user confirms an account closure instance, the process continues to completion by means of a call to the Web services closure service that is running in the Web services layer on wps3.
- If the user denies an account closure instance, the process stops and the account is not closed. No call is made to the Web services layer in this case.
- 8. A confirmation is returned to the user either stating the account has been closed or that the process has been terminated.

9.2.2 Product installation

It is assumed that the following products have been installed:

- ▶ WebSphere Process Server V6.0.2
- ► IBM HTTP Server V6
- ► Global Security Kit for IBM HTTP Server
- DB2 Universal Database Enterprise Server V8.2
- ► IBM Tivoli Directory Server V6

Note: For information about how to install these products, refer to Appendix B, "Product installation" on page 429.

9.2.3 Creating the databases

This section describes how to create the messaging engine database, WebSphere Process Server common database, and the WebSphere Process Server BPEDB database.

You do not need to use the same names for your databases that we use in our examples, but your environment must be consistent if you use other names for the databases. You can find more information about the databases at the following Web site:

http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/dmndhelp/v6rxmx/topic/com.ibm.
wsps.602.ins.doc/doc/cins_db_specs.html

Creating the messaging database

The first task is to create the messaging database. We assume the Relational Database Management System (RDBMS) is DB2, the instance is called wpsinst1, and the administrative user name is wpsinst1.

Log in as the database administrative user and issue the following commands from a DB2 command window to create the required database:

db2start db2 create database MEDB

If the create command is successful, you see this message:

DB20000I The CREATE DATABASE command completed successfully

Creating the WebSphere Process Server common database

The next task is to create the common database for WebSphere Process Server, WPRCSDB. This database is the shared database that is used by applications such as the Failed Event Manager, Relationship, and CBE Browser.Log in as the database administrative user and issue the following commands from a DB2 command window to create the required database:

db2start db2 create database WPRCSDB

If the create command is successful, you see the message:

DB20000I The CREATE DATABASE command completed successfully

Creating the WebSphere Process Server BPEDB database

The next task is to create the BPEDB database for WebSphere Process Server business container. This database stores the process-related information.

The DB2 commands for generating the BPEDB database is located in the script %WAS_HOME%\dbscripts\ProcessChoreographer\DB2\createDatabase.sql. This script exists on any system with the WebSphere Process Server product installed. To create the BPEDB database:

1. Transfer this file to the db2 server. On our environment, this script was at C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\dbscripts\ProcessChoreographer\DB2.

Attention: If you transfer these files from Windows to UNIX, there might be return characters (\r) at the end of each line. To run the DDL scripts, you must remove these characters. A UNIX utility such as dos2unix will remove these characters.

Log in as the database administrative user (in this example wpsinst1) and issue the following commands from a DB2 command window to create the required database:

```
db2start
db2 -tf createDatabase.sql
```

Note: The default script creates a database called BPEDB with the schema set as the currently logged in user (wpsinst1). You can modify the script to specific requirements.

When completed successfully, the BPEDB database exists.

Listing the created databases

Confirm that all three databases were successfully created in DB2:

- Run the following command to list the databases that are defined to DB2:
 db2 list db directory
- 2. The three databases should be listed. Example 9-1 shows the first of these (WPRCSDB).

Example 9-1 System database directory

System Database Directory

Number of entries in the directory = 3

Database 1 entry:

Database alias = WPRCSDB
Database name = WPRCSDB

9.2.4 Copying the database driver files

The Java driver files for DB2 are located on the database system. In our DB2 example, they are in the directory /opt/IBM/db2/V8.1/java.

On each of the nodes and the deployment manager, copy the database driver files to a standard location. In this example, the standard location for the driver files is c:\db2client.

9.2.5 Creating the messaging database schemas

The messaging database includes four schemas that support the messaging engines in this topology:

- SCA Application
- SCA System
- Business processes
- ► CEI

You can create the DB2 commands that generate the schemas on any system with the WebSphere Process Server product installed. On any system where WebSphere Process Server is installed, create the data definition language (DDL) files for the Service Integration Bus (SIB) schemas as detailed in Table 9-2.

Table 9-2 WebSphere Process Server SCA schemas

Schema name	Database	Purpose
SCASYS	MEDB	System bus messaging store
SCAAPP	MEDB	Application bus messaging store
BPCMSG	MEDB	Business process messaging store
CEIMSG	MEDB	CEI messaging store

In this example:

- ► The database user name is wpsinst1.
- ► The script to generate the schemas is located in the %WAS_HOME%\bin directory (for example, C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\bin).
- ▶ The database target for the DDL generated is running on a Linux system.

To create the messaging database schemas, follow these steps:

1. Open a command prompt and issue the following command:

```
cd C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\bin
```

Note: Each of the commands in this series of steps is a single line although in the format of this book they might wrap. Also, the commands assume that the database is running on a UNIX platform. If you are using Windows, you need to replace -platform unix with -platform windows.

2. Issue the following command for the SCASYS DDL generation - SCA System Schema:

```
sibDDLGenerator.bat -system db2 -version 8.1 -platform unix -schema SCASYS -statementend; -user wpsinst1 > c:\createSIBSchema\_SCASYS.dd1
```

3. Issue the following command for the SCAAPP DDL generation - SCA Application Schema:

```
\label{lem:condition} $$ sibDDLGenerator.bat -system db2 -version 8.1 -platform unix -schema $$ SCAAPP -statementend ; -user wpsinst1 > c:\createSIBSchema_SCAAPP.dd1 $$
```

4. Issue the following command for the BPCMSG DDL generation - Business Process Schema:

```
sibDDLGenerator.bat -system db2 -version 8.1 -platform unix -schema BPCMSG -statementend ; -user wpsinst1 > c:\createSIBSchema\ BPCMSG.dd1
```

5. Issue the following command for the CEIMSG DDL generation - CEI Messaging Schema:

```
sibDDLGenerator.bat -system db2 -version 8.1 -platform unix -schema
CEIMSG -statementend ; -user wpsinst1 >
c:\createSIBSchema CEIMSG.dd1
```

6. Transfer the DDL files to DB2 database server. In this example, we transfer the DDL files to /tmp on the database server.

Attention: If you transfer these files from Windows to UNIX, there might be return characters (\r) at the end of each line. To run the DDL scripts, you must remove these characters. A UNIX utility such as dos2unix will remove these characters.

7. Login to the DB2 server as the appropriate user (wpsinst1) and run the following commands to create the tables:

```
db2 connect to MEDB
db2 -tf /tmp/createSIBSchema_SCAAPP.ddl
db2 -tf /tmp/createSIBSchema_SCASYS.ddl
db2 -tf /tmp/createSIBSchema_BPCMSG.ddl
db2 -tf /tmp/createSIBSchema CEIMSG.ddl
```

Note: These DB2 commands report various informational index and primary key messages, such as:

```
SQL0598W Existing index "SIB_SCAA.SIB000PKIX" is used as the index for the primary key or a unique key. SQLSTATE=01550.
```

These are not errors. You can ignore these messages.

9.2.6 Configuring WebSphere Process Server cell

This task creates the WebSphere Process Server cell which is achieved by creating a deployment manager profile.

- 1. Login to the wps0.itso machine which becomes the deployment manager.
- 2. Open the profile creation wizard by selecting Start → All Programs → IBM WebSphere → Process Server 6.0 → Profile creation wizard.

Note: For information about how to launch the Profile creation wizard on other platforms, see:

http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/dmndhelp/v6rxmx/index.js
p?topic=/com.ibm.websphere.nd.doc/info/ae/ae/tpro_instances.html

- 3. In the Profile creation wizard, click **Next**.
- 4. Select Deployment manager profile and click Next.
- 5. Leave the default profile name as Dmgr01 and click **Next**.
- 6. Leave the default profile directory and click **Next**.
- 7. Specify the Node name, Host name and Cell name on the subsequent panel and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 9-6. We used:
 - Node name: WPSCellManager01
 - Host name: wps0.itsoCell name: WPSCell01

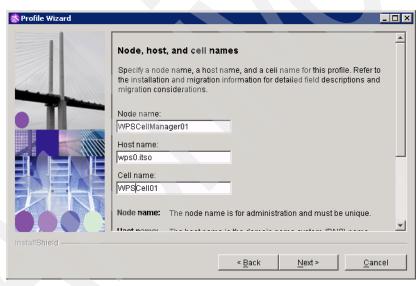


Figure 9-6 Node, host and cell name configuration

8. Leave port numbers at their default settings and click **Next**.

9. In the Windows service definition panel, select **Automatic** and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 9-7.



Figure 9-7 Windows service settings

10.On the Service Component Architecture configuration panel, select Configure the Service Integration Bus in a secured mode and enter the user ID and password for secured SCA communications as detailed in Table 9-3.

When you enable global security, this user must exist within the user registry. In this example, we use IBM Tivoli Directory Server. This user is for inter-bus communication and not database access.

Table 9-3 SCA User information

Name	Value
User Id	sca
Password	itso4you

Figure 9-8 shows these security settings.

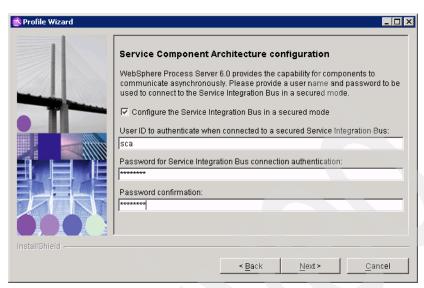


Figure 9-8 SCA security settings

11. Click Next to move to the Database Configuration panel.

12. From the Database Configuration panel, select **Use an existing database**. This example uses DB2 Universal as the database product and WPRCSDB as the database name as shown in Figure 9-9.

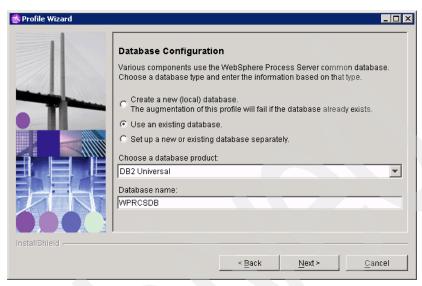


Figure 9-9 WPRCSDB database settings

13. Click **Next** to continue. In the subsequent database configuration panel, set the values as shown in Table 9-4 and click **Next**.

Table 9-4 Database settings

Name	Value
User ID to authenticate with the database	wpsinst1
Password (for database authentication)	itso4you
Password confirmation	itso4you
Location (directory) of JDBC driver classpath files	c:\db2client
Database server host name	db2.itso
Server port	50000

Figure 9-10 shows these settings.

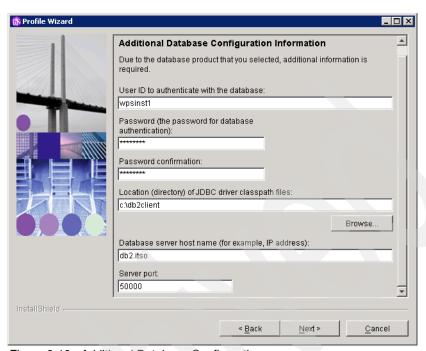


Figure 9-10 Additional Database Configuration

14. Confirm that the details are correct on the Profile summary panel, and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 9-11.

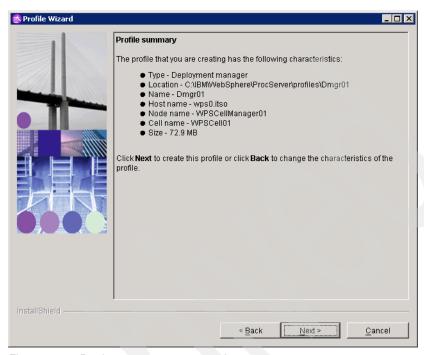


Figure 9-11 Deployment manager creation summary

- 15.A panel displays the progress. When complete, clear the Launch the First Steps console check box and click Finish. The deployment manager now exists.
- 16.Open a command prompt on wps0, change directory to %WAS_HOME%\profiles\Dmgr01\bin (for example, C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\bin), and issue the following command:

startManager.bat

Figure 9-12 shows the output from this command.

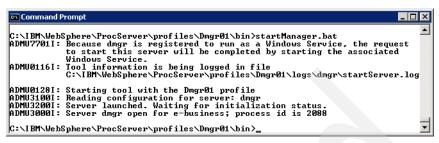


Figure 9-12 Starting the deployment manager

It should now be able to connect to the Administrative Console running on the deployment manager by opening a browser to:

http://wps0.itso:9060/ibm/console

Log in to the Administrative Console (as any user). Figure 9-13 shows the Web page that opens. It might be necessary to set the available task filters to All in the Filter administrative tasks panel and click **Apply** on the Welcome page of the Administrative Console to override the default filtering of the available options.

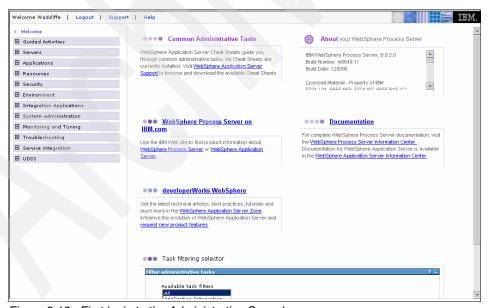


Figure 9-13 First login to the Administrative Console

9.2.7 Creating the nodes

The next step in creating this topology is to create the profiles and associated nodes for the topology. The deployment manager must be running on wps0.itso to enable node federation, the nodes are created on wps1.itso and wps2.itso.

Note: Ensure that the time difference between the deployment manager machine and the custom profile machines is within *five* minutes.

To create the nodes, follow these steps:

- 1. On wps1 open the profile creation wizard from the **Start** → **All Programs** → **IBM WebSphere** → **Process Server 6.0** → **Profile creation wizard**.
- 2. In the profile creation wizard, click Next.
- Select Custom profile and click Next.
- 4. Enter the host name of the deployment manager, in this example wps0.itso, leave the SOAP port as the default (8879), ensure that Federate this node later is not selected, and click Next, as shown in Figure 9-14.

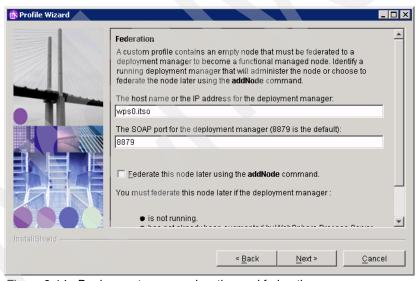


Figure 9-14 Deployment manager location and federation

- 5. Set the Profile name appropriately (WPSNode01) and click **Next**.
- 6. Accept the default profile directory and click Next.

7. Specify the node name (WPSNode01) and host name (wps1.itso) on the subsequent panel and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 9-15.

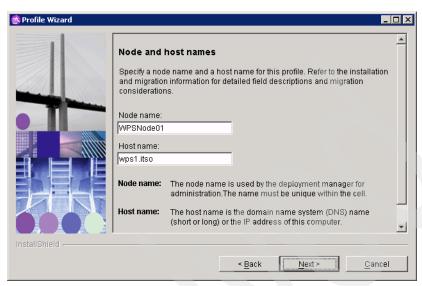


Figure 9-15 Node and host name

8. Leave the default port numbers and click **Next**. Specify the node name (WPSNode01) and host name (wps1.itso) on the subsequent panel and click **Next**.

In the Database Configuration panel, set the database product to DB2
 Universal and the JDBC driver classpath to c:\db2client as shown in Figure 9-16. Click Next.

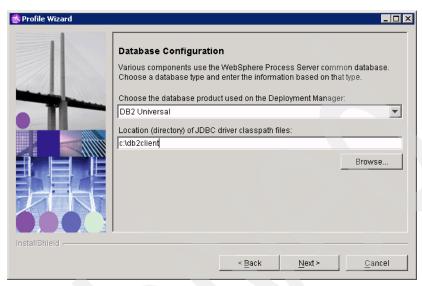


Figure 9-16 Database configuration

10. Confirm that the details are correct on the Profile summary panel and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 9-17.



Figure 9-17 Node creation summary

11.A panel displays the progress. When complete, clear the **Launch the First**Steps console check box and click **Finish**.

The node now exists and is federated into the cell. The federation process starts the node automatically.

Repeat these steps for the second node using the values shown in Table 9-5.

Table 9-5 Second node details

Setting	Value
Profile name	WPSNode02
Node name	WPSNode02
Host name	wps2.itso

After you have created both nodes, verify that they are running in the Administrative Console by following these steps:

1. Open a browser to http://wps0.itso:9060/ibm/console.

Note: You need to logout from any existing console sessions.

 Navigate to System administration → Nodes and verify that all nodes are running as indicated by the green symbol next to each node, as shown in Figure 9-18.

Note: Upon initial login to the Administrative Console, you might need to change the Task filter selection to All and click **Apply** to view all available functionality.

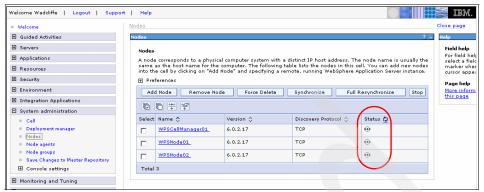


Figure 9-18 Successful node installation and startup

At this point, you have a WebSphere Process Server cell with the configuration as shown in Figure 9-19.

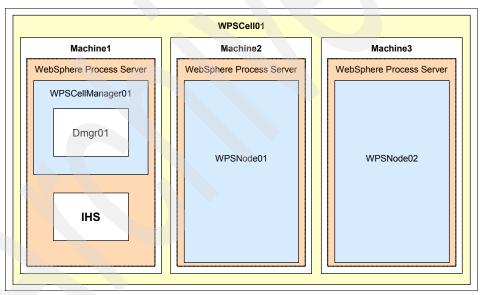


Figure 9-19 Cell and nodes defined

9.3 Specific configuration steps for the Full Support topology

This section describes the following:

- Configuring database connectivity for the Full Support topology
- Configuring the cell
- ► Setting the preferred server for messaging engines
- ► CEI configuration for DB2
- Deploying the CEI applications
- ► Enabling security
- Configuring IBM HTTP Server
- ► Enabling SSL
- Configuring the remote enterprise service
- Verifying the topology

9.3.1 Configuring database connectivity for the Full Support topology

This section describes how to connect successfully to the databases that are required by WebSphere Process Server in the Full Support topology, including the following databases:

- MEDB Messaging database
- BPEDB Business container database

Upon cell creation the data source jdbc/WPSDB is created automatically, along with the data source provider at cell scope, DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider (XA). You can reuse this data source provider. Follow these steps:

1. Open the cell Administrative Console on wps0 and login. We used the following URL:

http://wps0.itso:9060/ibm/console

 Navigate to Guided Activities → Connecting to a database and click Start, as shown in Figure 9-20.

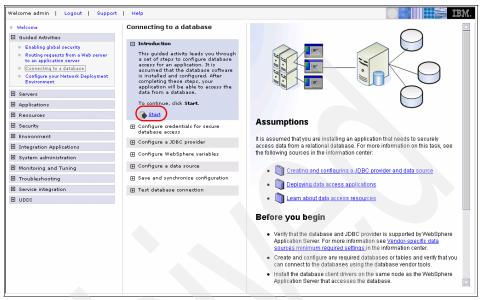


Figure 9-20 Starting the guided database activity

3. Select Click to perform.

Authenticating the alias

You need to set the user and password values for database access. Because you are creating all databases in the same DB2 instance (wpsinst1) with the same user (wpsinst1), you can reuse the existing authentication alias. You created this alias when you configured the deployment manager. By default, it is WPSDBAlias.

You can find step-by-step instructions for the configuration of an authentication alias in 9.3.1, "Configuring database connectivity for the Full Support topology" on page 345.

To set the user and password value, select **Next step** to continue to the Configure a JDBC provider panel.

Creating a JDBC provider

The next step creates a JDBC provider for use by the data sources later. Again you reuse the existing provider called DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider

(XA) that you defined at cell scope. To create a JDBC provider, select **Next step** to continue to the Configure WebSphere variables panel.

Setting the WebSphere variables

The JDBC provider uses WebSphere environment variables to identify the driver file locations. For these variables to resolve, you need to set their vales appropriately. The scope for these variables should be **Cell** or **Node**, as shown in Table 9-6 and Table 9-7.

Note: When setting the scope, the selection is not applied until you click **Apply**.

To set the WebSphere variables:

- 1. Select Click to perform.
- Clear the node and server entries, and click Apply to set the active scope to the cell.
- 3. Create or modify each environment variable, and set the value as defined in Table 9-6 on page 347.

Table 9-6 Cell scope environment variables

Name	Value	Scope
UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH	c:\db2client	Cell
DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH	c:\db2client	Cell
DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_NATIVEPATH	c:\db2client	Cell

- When you have defined all three variables at cell level, click Browse Nodes. Select WPSNode01 and click OK. Click Apply to set the active scope to the node.
- Set the value of the node scope environment variable DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_NATIVEPATH, as shown in Table 9-7. Also delete the other two variables shown in Table 9-7.

Attention: At the node scope, you *must* delete the environment variables UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH and DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH.

Table 9-7 Node scope environment variables

Name	Value	Scope
DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_NATIVEPATH	c:\db2client	WPSNode01 WPSNode02
UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH	Delete this variable	WPSNode01 WPSNode02
DB2UNIVERSAL_JDBC_DRIVER_PATH	Delete this variable	WPSNode01 WPSNode02

- 6. Repeat the process for WPSNode02 to remove the two environment variables and set the third to the value shown in Table 9-7.
- 7. Save and synchronize these changes.
- 8. Click Next step.

Configuring a data source

The next step is to configure the data sources using the existing JDBC provider that you just created:

- Select Click to perform.
- 2. In the new panel, select the JDBC provider that is defined at the cell scope **DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider (XA)**, as shown in Figure 9-21.

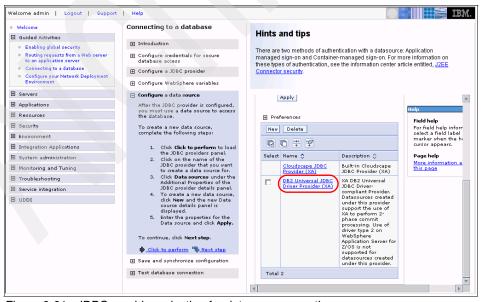


Figure 9-21 JDBC provider selection for data source creation

3. Scroll to the right and select **Data sources**, as shown in Figure 9-22.

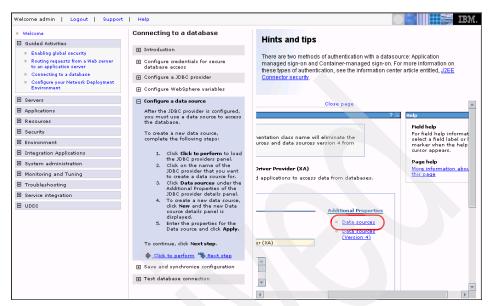


Figure 9-22 Selecting the additional data source property

- 4. You need to create a data source for:
 - Messaging database (MEDB)
 - Business container database (BPEDB)

Click **New** to create a data source and set the parameters, as shown in Table 9-8 under the MEDB Data Source Values column.

Table 9-8 Data source configuration

Parameter	MEDB Data Source Values	BPEDB Data Source Values
Name	MEDB DataSource	BPE DataSource
JNDI name	jdbc/medb	jdbc/bpedb
Description	Messaging engine data source	Business process container data source
Component-managed authentication alias	WPSDBAlias	WPSDBAlias
Authentication alias for XA recovery	Use component-managed authentication alias	Use component-managed authentication alias

Parameter	MEDB Data Source Values	BPEDB Data Source Values
Database name	MEDB	BPEDB
Driver type	4	4
Server name	db2.itso	db2.itso
Port	50000	50000

Figure 9-23 shows the MEDB data source configuration page. To enter these values, you need to scroll down in this panel.

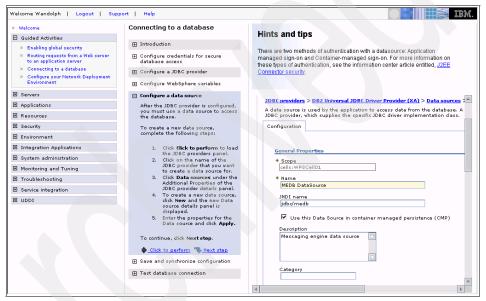


Figure 9-23 Data source configuration

5. Click **OK** to create the new data source. When created, save and synchronize the changes and click **OK** to complete.

 Repeat this process for the BPEDB data source, as shown in Table 9-8 under the BPEDB DataSource Values column. Figure 9-24 shows all the data sources.

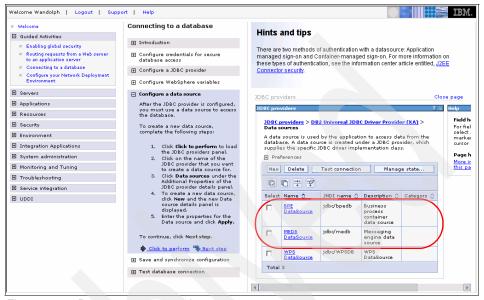


Figure 9-24 Data sources created

Click Next step and then Next step again in the Save and synchronize configuration panel (because you have already saved and synchronized).

Testing database connectivity

Note: Because the data sources are reusing the existing authentication alias, WPSDBAlias, there is no need to restart the environment. You can test these data sources immediately.

Ensure that the MEDB and BPEDB databases are running and test the newly created data sources:

- 1. Select Click to perform.
- Click the JDBC provider that is defined at the cell scope DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider (XA).
- 3. Scroll to the right and select **Data sources**.

4. Select the check box next to the new data sources as shown in Figure 9-25 and click **Test connection**.

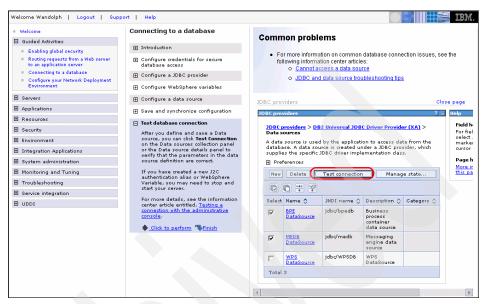


Figure 9-25 Testing the new data source

5. The Messages dialog box (at the top in Figure 9-26) should indicate that the data source connected successfully to the database.

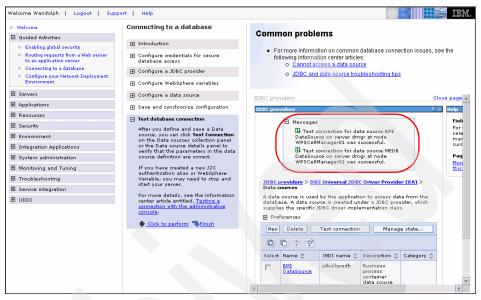


Figure 9-26 Successful database connections

6. Select Finish.

9.3.2 Configuring the cell

To configure the network deployment infrastructure with the options that are required for the Full Support topology. Follow these steps:

- Open the Administrative Console on wps0 and login.
- 2. Navigate to Guided Activities → Configure your Network Deployment Environment and click Start.
- 3. Scroll down and select **Click to perform** in the expanded panel to see the list of nodes.
- 4. The nodes are already federated, so click **Next step**.
- 5. The database configuration is already complete, so click **Next step**.
- 6. In the Creating clusters and cluster members panel, select Click to perform.

7. Click **New** and enter a Cluster name of WPSC1uster01, as shown in Figure 9-27. Click **Next**.

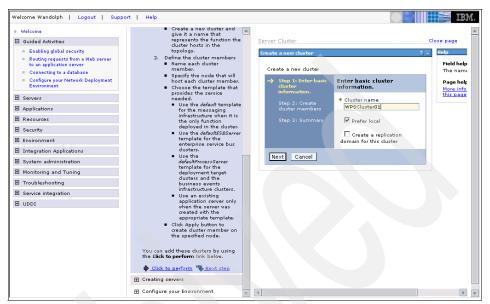


Figure 9-27 Cluster creation

8. Add a first member of the cluster named WPSServer01 to the node WPSNode01. Set the template to defaultProcessServer, as shown in Figure 9-28.

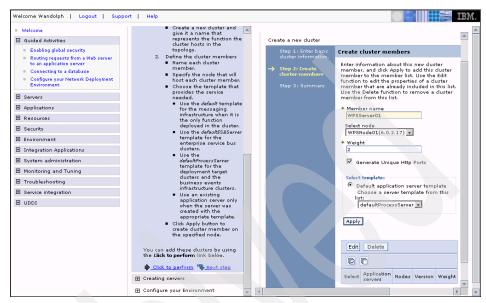


Figure 9-28 Adding the first cluster member

- 9. Click Apply to add this server to the new cluster.
- 10. Repeat this process for WPSServer02 on WPSNode02. However, the template option will not be available now because all cluster members are of the type that is defined by the first member.

11. Click **Apply** to add the second cluster member and then select **Next**, as shown in Figure 9-29.

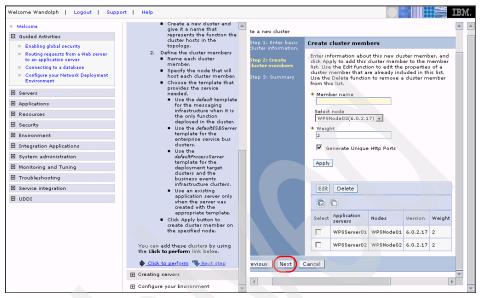


Figure 9-29 Cluster members added

- 12. At the summary page, click Finish.
- 13. Repeat this process for the messaging cluster using the details in Table 9-9.

Table 9-9 Messaging cluster configuration

Cluster name	Cluster members	Node name	Template
MECluster01	MEServer01 MEServer02	WPSNode01 WPSNode02	default

14. Repeat this process for the support cluster using the details in Table 9-10.

Table 9-10 Support cluster configuration

Cluster name	Cluster members	Node name	Template
SupportCluster01	SupportServer01 SupportServer02	WPSNode01 WPSNode02	defaultProcessServer

15. Save and synchronize the changes. The three clusters are created as shown in Figure 9-30.

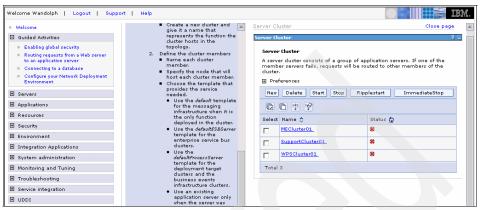


Figure 9-30 Clusters created

16. Click **Next step** to continue and then **Next step** at the Creating servers option because you require no more servers.

The environment now includes three clusters (as illustrated in Figure 9-31). You will create a fourth cluster later for CEI.

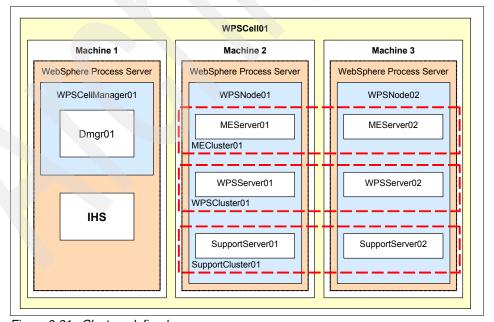


Figure 9-31 Clusters defined

Configuring the environment

In this section, we describe how to configure SCA, BPC, and HTM for the cluster WPSCluster01.

Configuring the cluster for SCA

To configure the cluster for SCA:

- 1. In the Configure your Environment panel, select **Click to perform**.
- 2. Click the pull-down menu to configure a cluster.
- 3. Select WPSCluster01 and click Add.
- 4. Select MECluster01 and click Add.
- Select SupportCluster01 and click Add.
- 6. Select **Remote** for the SCA Destination for WPSC1uster01.
- 7. Select **Local** for the SCA Destination for MECluster01.
- 8. Select **Remote** for the SCA Destination for SupportCluster01.
- 9. Select Business Processes and Human Tasks for WPSCluster01.
- 10. Check the check boxes under **Business Rule Manager** for SupportCluster01.

Figure 9-32 shows the configuration settings.

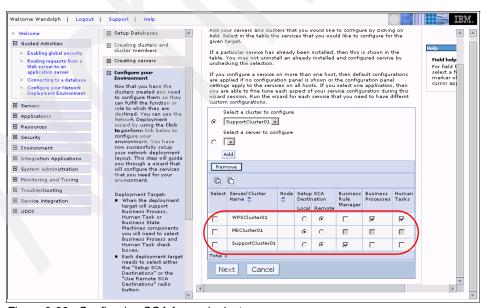


Figure 9-32 Configuring SCA for each cluster

- 11.Click Next.
- 12. From the JDBC provider drop-down list, select the appropriate provider. In this example the provider is DB2 UDB 8.1 & 8.2 (DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider (XA) type 4).
- 13. Set the user name to wpsinst1 and the user password to itso4you, and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 9-33.

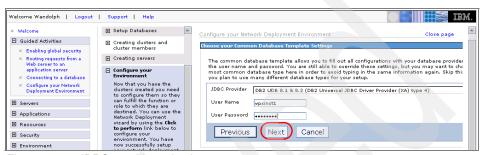


Figure 9-33 JDBC provider selection

- 14. Under System Bus, select **Use existing data source**. In the drop-down menu, select the data source **medb**.
- 15. Set the schema name to SCASYS.
- 16.Under Application Bus, select **Use existing data source**. In the drop-down menu, select the data source **medb**.
- 17. Set the schema name to SCAAPP.
- 18. Clear the **Create tables** check box because you created tables manually with the sibDDLgenerator.bat command.

Note: If the database is DB2, this option creates the SCA database schemas the first time that you start the SCA messaging engines.

Figure 9-34 shows these settings.

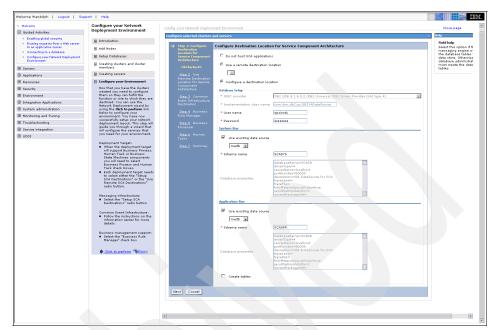


Figure 9-34 SCA Values

19.Click Next.

20. This panel configures the WPS and Support clusters to use a remote destination for SCA. The default should set MECluster01 as the remote location (Figure 9-35).

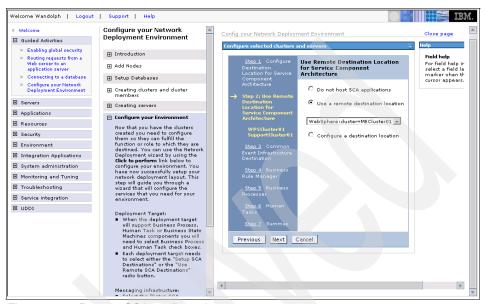


Figure 9-35 Remote SCA configuration

- 21. Click Next.
- 22. Ensure that **Enable service at server startup** is selected, leave the other default values, and click **Next** as shown in Figure 9-36.

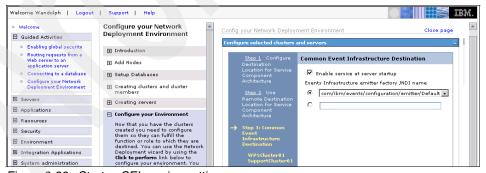


Figure 9-36 Startup CEI service settings

23. In the Business Rule Manager panel, ensure that **Install business rules** manager is selected, as shown in Figure 9-37.

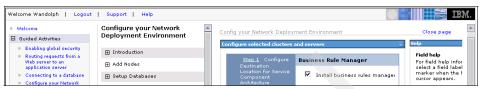


Figure 9-37 Business Rule Manager selected

- 24. Click **Next**, and in the Business Processer (sic) panel, select **Configure with the business process container wizard installation**, because the wizard exposes more options than this panel.
- 25. Click **Next**, and in the Human Tasks panel, select **Configure with the human task container wizard installation**, because the wizard exposes more options than this panel.
- 26. Click Next, and in the summary panel, click Finish as shown in Figure 9-38.

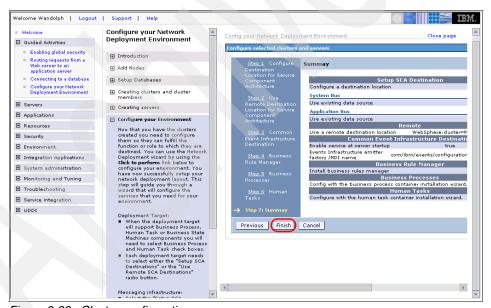


Figure 9-38 Cluster configuration summary

- 27. The network deployment environment is now configured. When completed, click **Save to Master Configuration**.
- 28. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

Configuring the cluster for BPC

To confirm the cluster for BPC, follow these steps:

- The next panel allows configuration of the Business Process and Human Task Containers. Select WPSCluster01 under the Business Process Container Installation heading to start the wizard.
- 2. Set the values as shown in table Table 9-11.

Table 9-11 DB2 settings for BPC wizard

Name	Value
JDBC providers	DB2 UDB 8.1 & 8.2 (DB2 Universal JDBC Driver Provider (XA) type 4)
Data source user name	wpsinst1
Data source password	itso4you
server Name	db2.itso

Figure 9-39 shows this configuration.

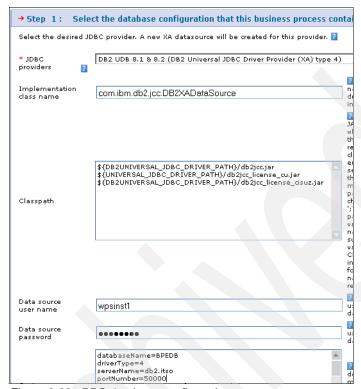


Figure 9-39 BPC database configuration

- 3. Click Next.
- 4. Set the JMS configuration as detailed in Table 9-12.

Table 9-12 JMS Configuration settings

Name	Value
JMS user ID	sca
JMS password	itso4you
JMS API User ID	sca
JMS API password	itso4you
Administrator security role mapping	Administrators
System monitor security role mapping	Administrators

The Administrators group and the sca user must exist in the LDAP registry which will be configure in a later step. Figure 9-40 shows the JMS configuration.

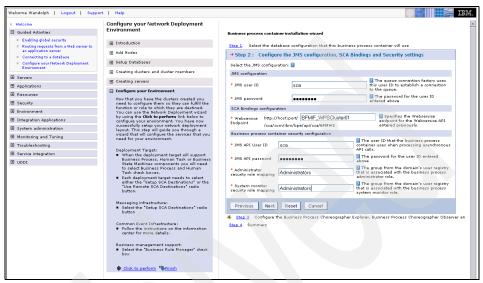


Figure 9-40 JMS configuration settings

5. Click Next.

In the BPC Explorer configuration, select Enable Common Event
 Infrastructure logging and leave the other values as the defaults, as shown in Figure 9-41.

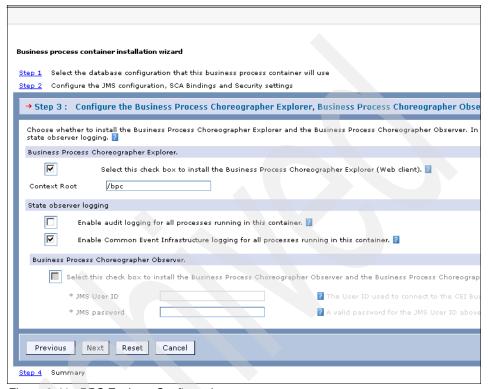


Figure 9-41 BPC Explorer Configuration

- 7. Click **Next**. In the summary panel click **Finish**.
- 8. When complete, click Save to Master Configuration.
- 9. Save and synchronize the changes and click **OK** when complete.

Configuring the cluster for the Human Task Manager

To confirm the cluster for the Human Task Manager, follow these steps:

- 1. Select the cluster WPSCluster01 under the **Human Task Manager Installation** heading to start the wizard.
- 2. Set the JMS configuration as detailed in Table 9-13.

Table 9-13 JMS Configuration settings

Name	Value
JMS user ID	sca
JMS password	itso4you
Escalation user ID	escalation
Escalation password	itso4you
Administrator security role mapping	Administrators
System monitor security role mapping	Administrators

The Administrators group and the escalation user must exist in the LDAP registry which you will configure later. Figure 9-40 shows the JMS configuration.

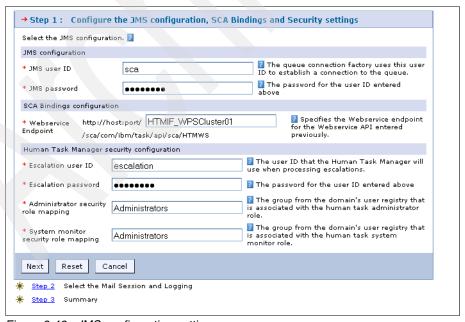


Figure 9-42 JMS configuration settings

- 3. Click Next.
- 4. In the **Mail Session and Logging** panel configuration, select **Enable Common Event Infrastructure logging** and leave the remaining options clear (Figure 9-43).

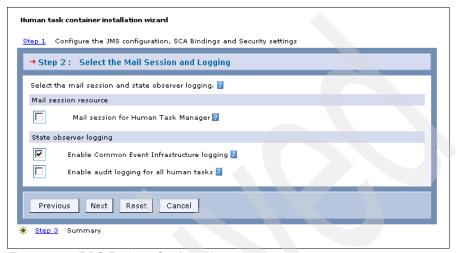


Figure 9-43 BPC Explorer Configuration

- Click Next.
- 6. In the summary panel click **Finish**.
- 7. When complete, click **Save to Master Configuration**. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.
- 8. Click Finish and click Finish again.

Reconfiguring the BPC Bus and messaging engine

To reconfigure the BPC Bus and messaging engine:

- 1. Open the wps0 Administrative Console and log in.
- 2. Navigate to Service integration → Buses.
- Select the BPC.WPSCell01.Bus bus.
- 4. Select WPSCell01/BPEAuthDataAliasJMS_WPSCluster01 from the Inter-engine authentication alias drop-down list.

 Select WPSCell01/BPEAuthDataAliasJMS_WPSCluster01 from the Mediations authentication alias drop-down list, as shown in Figure 9-44.

The application that we use in this example does not require secure mediations; however, we enable the capability as a best practice.

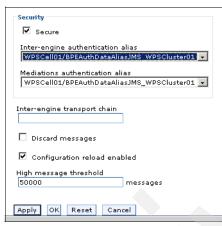


Figure 9-44 Setting the BPC bus authentication aliases

- 6. Click Apply.
- 7. Under Topology, click Messaging engines.
- 8. Click the MECluster01.000-BPC.WPSCell01.Bus messaging engine.
- 9. Under Additional Properties, click **Data store**.

10. In the Configuration panel (Figure 9-45):

- a. Set the Data source JNDI name to jdbc/medb
- b. Set the **Schema name** to BPCMSG, as created earlier
- Select WPSCell01/BPEAuthDataAliasDb2_WPSCluster01 from the Authentication alias
- d. Clear the Create tables check box
- e. Click OK.



Figure 9-45 Correcting the BPC messaging engine schema

11. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

9.3.3 Setting the preferred server for messaging engines

By default, all messaging engines are hosted on the first cluster member in the MECluster01 cluster that starts. To balance the workload of the messaging engines, you need to modify the HA Manager policy to distribute the load. The messaging engines for SCAAPP and SCASYS are configured to have the MEServer01 cluster member as their preferred server, and the messaging engines for CEIMSG and BPCMSG are configured to have the MEServer02 cluster member as their preferred server.

To set the preferred server, follow these steps:

- 1. Open the wps0 Administrative Console and login.
- 2. Navigate to Servers → Core groups → Core group settings.
- 3. Select **DefaultCoreGroup**.
- 4. Under Additional Properties select Policies.
- 5. A list of existing policies displays (Figure 9-46). Click **New** to define a new policy.



Figure 9-46 Create a new policy

6. Select **One of N policy** in the Policies pull-down menu, then click **Next** (Figure 9-47).



Figure 9-47 Specify the policy type as One of N

- 7. Specify the configuration information for the policy (Figure 9-48 on page 372).
 - a. Enter MECluster01.000-SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus in the Name field.

Tip: We have set the policy name to match the name of the messaging engine to which this policy applies. This helps to identify easily what each policy does.

b. Select **Fail back** to ensure that the preferred server that is specified by this policy will always have high priority to host the messaging engine that is matched by the policy.

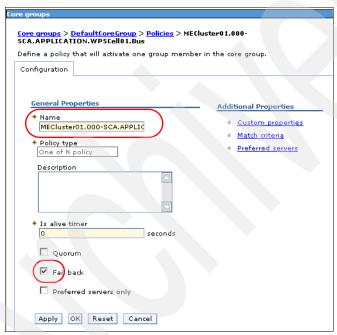


Figure 9-48 Specify the policy configuration information

8. Click Apply.

- 9. Click **Match criteria** under Additional Properties. You add two matching criteria.
 - a. Click New.
 - b. Set the Name to WSAF_SIB_MESSAGING_ENGINE.
 - c. Set the Value to MECluster01.000-SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus.
 - d. Click OK (Figure 9-49).

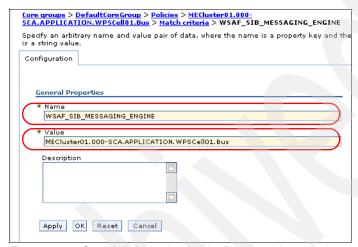


Figure 9-49 Specify information for the first matching criteria

- e. Click New to create a second matching criteria.
- f. Set the Name to type.
- g. Set the Value to WSAF_SIB.
- h. Click OK.

10. You need to define two match criteria (Figure 9-50).



Figure 9-50 Match policy for the first SCA application messaging engine

- 11. From the Policies panel select the MECluster01.000-SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus policy.
- 12. Click Preferred servers under Additional Properties.

13. Highlight **WPSNode01/MEServer01** and click **Add** to add it to the preferred servers list (Figure 9-51).

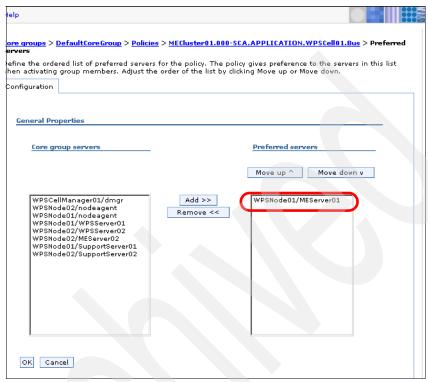


Figure 9-51 MEServer01 as the preferred server

- 14. Click **OK** and save and synchronize the changes.
- 15. Create another policy for the messaging engine on the SCA.SYSTEM.WPSCell01.Bus bus using the values specified in Table 9-14.

Table 9-14 Policy for the SCA system bus

Setting	Value
Policy type	One of N policy
Policy name	MECluster01.000-SCA.SYSTEM.WPSCe II01.Bus
Fail back	Yes
Match criteria 1 name	WSAF_SIB_MESSAGING_ENGINE

Setting	Value
Match criteria 1 value	MECluster01.000-SCA.SYSTEM.WPSCe II01.Bus
Match criteria 2 name	type
Match criteria 2 value	WSAF_SIB
Preferred server	WPSNode01/MEServer01

You have now created the HA Manager policy for the messaging engine on the SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus and SCA.SYSTEM.WPSCell01.Bus buses.

16. Create a policy for the messaging engine on the BPC.WPSCell01. Bus bus using the values specified in Table 9-15

Table 9-15 Policy for the BPC messaging engine

Setting	Value
Policy type	One of N policy
Policy name	MECluster01.000-BPC.WPSCell01.Bus
Fail back	Yes
Match criteria 1 name	WSAF_SIB_MESSAGING_ENGINE
Match criteria 1 value	MECluster01.000-BPC.WPSCell01.Bus
Match criteria 2 name	type
Match criteria 2 value	WSAF_SIB
Preferred server	WPSNode02/MEServer02

17. Create a policy for the messaging engine on the CommonEventInfrastructure.WPSCell01. Bus bus using the values that are specified in Table 9-16.

Table 9-16 Policy for second messaging engine on the BPC bus

Setting	Value
Policy type	One of N policy
Policy name	MECluster01.000-CommonEventInfrastru cture.WPSCell01.Bus
Fail back	Yes

Setting	Value
Match criteria 1 name	WSAF_SIB_MESSAGING_ENGINE
Match criteria 1 value	MECluster01.000-CommonEventInfrastru cture.WPSCell01.Bus
Match criteria 2 name	type
Match criteria 2 value	WSAF_SIB
Preferred server	WPSNode02/MEServer02

18.At this point, you have defined four HA Manager policies—two for SCA messaging engines and one each for BPC and CEI messaging engines—as shown in Figure 9-52.



Figure 9-52 Six HA Manager policies

19. Save and synchronize the changes.

9.3.4 CEI configuration for DB2

This section details the creation of the CEI database (CEIDB) and the cell configuration that is associated with CEI. In this example, we create the database manually by transferring the creation scripts to the DB2 server.

Generating the CEI database script

You need to generate the scripts to create the CEI database and the associated cell configuration scripts manually for the CEI database. Follow these steps:

- 1. Open a command prompt on the wps0.
- Change directory to %WAS_HOME%\profiles\Dmgr01\event\dbconfig. In this example, the directory is
 C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\event\dbconfig.
- 3. Copy the file DB2ResponseFile.txt to NewDB2ResponseFile.txt.
- 4. Using an appropriate editor, edit NewDB2ResponseFile.txt with the correct information for the environment. Table 9-17 lists the changes for this example.

Table 9-17	NewDB2Responsfile.txt sett	inas
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Setting	Value
SCOPE	cell
DB_NAME	CEIDB
DB_NODE_NAME	db2 (look in db2nodes.cfg on the DB2 server)
JDBC_CLASSPATH	c:\db2client
UNIVERSAL_JDBC_CLASSPATH	c:\db2client
JDBC_DRIVER_TYPE	4
DB2_HOST_NAME	db2.itso
DB2_INSTANCE_PORT	50000
EXECUTE_SCRIPTS	NO

- 5. Save the new configuration file.
- 6. From the same directory, run the following script to generate the CEI configuration scripts:
 - config_event_database.bat NewDB2ResponseFile.txt

The scripts to configure the cell for CEI are created in the directory %WAS_HOME%\profiles\Dmgr01\event\dsscripts\db2. In this example, the directory is C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\event\dsscripts\db2.

The C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\event\dbscripts\db2 directory is also generated, and it includes the CEIDB database creation scripts.

Creating the CEI database

This section describes the steps that are necessary to create the DB2 database, CEIDB, on the database server. You need to transfer the scripts from a WebSphere Process Server server to the DB2 server because the DB2 windows client is not installed on the members of the cell. It is assumed that the instance is running, in this case the instance name is wpsinst1.

To create the CEI database, follow these steps:

 Transfer the CEIDB creation scripts directory for DB2, %WAS_HOME%\profiles\Dmgr01\event\dbscripts\db2, to the database server. In this example, this directory is C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\event\dbscripts\db2.

Attention: If you transfer these files from Windows to UNIX, there might be return characters (\r) at the end of each line. To run the DDL scripts, you must remove these characters. A UNIX utility such as dos2unix will remove these characters.

- 2. Log in to the DB2 server db2.itso as the instance owner wpsinst1.
- 3. Run the CEIDB creation script as follows:

```
chmod 755 *
./cr_event_db2.sh
```

Table 9-18 shows the command line responses.

Table 9-18 cr_event_db2.sh responses

Response	Description
1	script is running on the DB2 server
wpsinst1	DB2 user

This series of steps creates the database and appropriate tables.

Configuring the CEI database cell

To configure the cell for connection to the CEIDB database:

- 1. On the cell deployment manager, where the scripts were generated, open a command line prompt.
- 2. Run the JDBC configuration script. In this example, we are running on Windows and the database is DB2. Therefore, the following commands configure the cell:

cd C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\event\dsscripts\db2
cr db2 jdbc provider.bat cell

Table 9-19 shows the command line responses to this script.

Table 9-19 CEI JDBC Provider responses

Response	Description
wpsinst1	DB2 user for CEIDB
itso4you	DB2 password for CEIDB

3. Open the wps0 Administrative Console, log in, and navigate to **Resources** → **JDBC Providers**. You should see a JDBC provider at the cell scope for CEI called Event DB2 JDBC Provider, as shown in Figure 9-53.

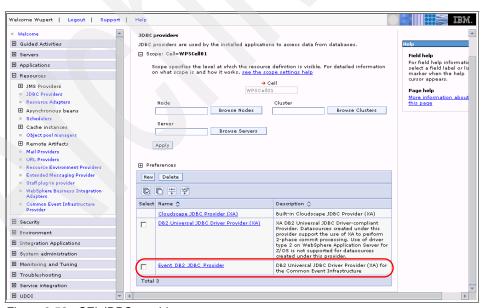


Figure 9-53 CEI JDBC provider

- 4. Click the Event DB2 JDBC Provider that is highlighted in Figure 9-53.
- In the next panel, scroll right and under Additional Properties click Data sources.
- 6. From the data sources panel, select the **event** and **event_catalog** data sources and click **Test connection**, as shown in Figure 9-54.

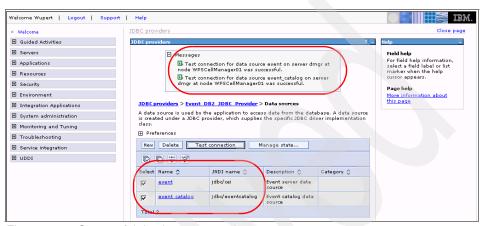


Figure 9-54 Successful database connections

The Messages dialog box (at the top in Figure 9-54) should indicate that the data sources connected successfully to the database.

9.3.5 Deploying the CEI applications

This section explains the steps that are required to install the CEI applications into the SupportCluster01 cluster.

Installing the CEI Event Server application

To install the CEI Event Server application:

- 1. Open a command prompt on the deployment manager.
- Change directory to %WAS_HOME%\profiles\Dmgr01\event\application. In this example, the directory is C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\event\application.
- 3. Execute the command to install the CEI Event Server application. For example:
 - ..\..\bin\wsadmin -f event-application.jacl -profile event-profile.jacl -action install -earfile event-application.ear -backendid DB2UDBNT_V82_1 -cluster SupportCluster01

The final line of all the responses should say Configuration updates have been saved. Figure 9-55 shows example output.

```
lete.
ADMASGN13I: Application EventServer installed successfully.
Feb 27, 2007 6:16:13 PM com.ibm.events.install.msg
INFO: CEIIN05G0I The enterprise application EventServer is detected.
Feb 27, 2007 6:16:21 PM com.ibm.events.install.msg
INFO: CEIIN0638I The registered enterprise application of the Common Event Infra structure service at scope cluster=SupportCluster01 is EventServer.
Feb 27, 2007 6:16:22 PM com.ibm.events.install.msg
INFO: CEIIN0638I The registered enterprise application of the Common Event Infra structure service at scope cluster=SupportCluster01 is EventServer.
Feb 27, 2007 6:16:22 PM com.ibm.events.install.msg
INFO: CEIIN0668I The enterprise application EventServer has been installed succe sfully on cluster SupportCluster01.
Feb 27, 2007 6:16:23 PM com.ibm.events.install.msg
INFO: CEIIN0680I The Common Event Infrastructure resource of type EventBusTransm issionProfile with the name Default Common Event Infrastructure event bus transm ission for SupportCluster01 at scope Cell:WPSCell01 has been created successfully.
Feb 27, 2007 6:16:23 PM com.ibm.events.install.msg
INFO: CEIIN0631 The emitter factory profile Default Common Event Infrastructure emitter for SupportCluster01 at scope Cell:WPSCell01 has been created successfully.
Feb 27, 2007 6:16:28 PM com.ibm.events.install.msg
INFO: CEIIN0546I Configuration updates have been saved.
```

Figure 9-55 CEI application deployment responses

Adding asynchronous capabilities to the CEI Event Server application

To add asynchronous capabilities to the CEI Event Server application:

- 1. Open a command prompt on the deployment manager.
- Change directory to %WAS_HOME%\profiles\Dmgr01\event\application. In this example, the directory is
 C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\event\application.
- 3. Execute the command to install the CEI MDB application. For example:

```
..\..\bin\wsadmin -f default-event-message.jacl -profile event-profile.jacl -earfile event-message.ear -action install -cluster SupportCluster01
```

Table 9-20 shows the command line responses to this script.

Table 9-20 CEI MDB application responses

Response	Description
sca	Embedded messaging authentication user
itso4you	Embedded messaging authentication password
itso4you	Verified embedded messaging authentication password

The final line of the responses should say Configuration updates have been saved. Figure 9-55 shows example output.

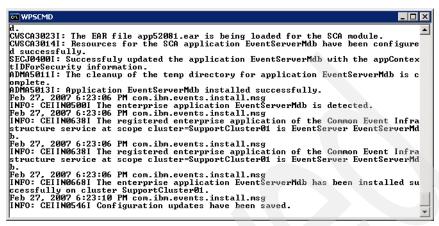


Figure 9-56 CEI MEDB application deployment response

Modifying the CEI configuration

The default configuration for CEI assumes local messaging engines. In this topology, the messaging engines are located on the MECluster01 cluster members.

Deleting bus member SupportCluster01

To delete SupportCluster01:

- 1. Close any existing browsers to the cell Administrative Console.
- 2. Open the cell administration console Administrative Console and login.
- 3. Navigate to Service integration → Buses.
- Click CommonEventInfrastructure_Bus.
- Under the Topology heading, select Bus members.

 SupportCluster01 is a member of the bus; however, in the case of a remote messaging environment, this member should be MECluster01. Select Cluster=SupportCluster01 and click Remove as shown in Figure 9-57.

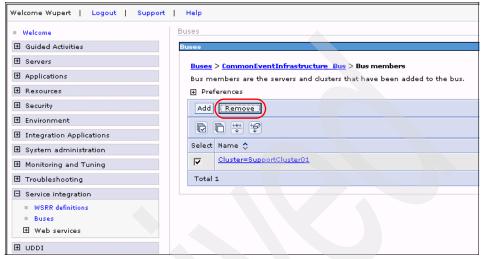


Figure 9-57 SupportCluster01 removal from the bus

7. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

Deleting the Cloudscape data source

To delete the Cloudscape data source, follow these steps:

- 1. Navigate to **Resources** → **JDBC Providers**.
- 2. Set the scope to the **SupportCluster01** cluster, and click **Apply**.
- 3. Select the Cloudscape JDBC Provider (XA).
- 4. Under Additional Properties, click Data sources.
- Select SupportCluster01-CommonEventInfrastructure_Bus and click Delete.
- 6. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

Adding MECluster01 to the CEI bus

To add MECluster01 to the CEI bus:

- Navigate to Service integration → Buses.
- 2. Click CommonEventInfrastructure Bus.
- 3. Under Topology, click **Bus members**.
- 4. Click Add.

5. Select **Cluster**, select the **MECluster01** cluster from the drop-down list, and set the Data source JNDI name to jdbc/medb, as shown in Figure 9-58.

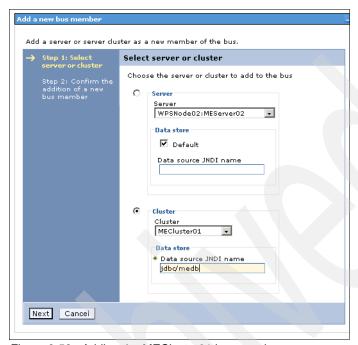


Figure 9-58 Adding the MECluster01 bus member

- 6. Click Next.
- 7. In the confirmation panel, click **Finish**.
- 8. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

Setting the CEIMSG schema

To set the CEIMSG schema:

- Navigate to Service integration → Buses.
- 2. Click the CommonEventInfrastructure Bus.
- 3. Under Topology, select **Bus members**.
- 4. Select bus member Cluster=MECluster01.
- 5. Select the messaging engine MECluster01.000-CommonEventInfrastructure_Bus.
- 6. Under Additional Properties, click **Data store**.
- 7. Set the Schema name to CEIMSG, and select **WPSDBAlias** from the Authentication alias drop-down list (Figure 9-59).

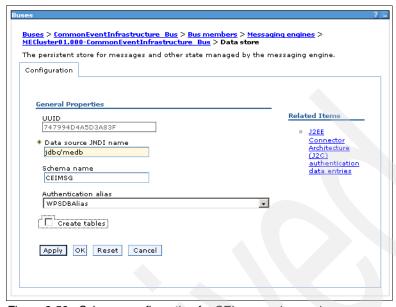


Figure 9-59 Schema configuration for CEI messaging engine

- 8. Clear the Create tables check box.
- 9. Click OK.
- 10. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

Setting the JMS destinations

To set the JMS destination, follow these steps:

- 1. Navigate to **Service integration** → **Buses**.
- 2. Click the CommonEventInfrastructure_Bus.
- 3. Under Destination resources, select **Destinations**.
- 4. Click New.
- 5. Set the destination type to **Queue**, and click **Next**.

6. Set the Identifier to CommonEventInfrastructureQueueDestination and click **Next**, as shown in Figure 9-60.

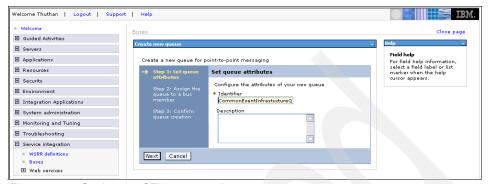


Figure 9-60 Setting the CEI queue attributes

- 7. Select MECluster01 from the Bus member drop-down list, and click Next.
- 8. At the confirmation panel, click Finish.
- 9. Click New.
- 10. Set the destination type to **Topic space**, and click **Next**.
- 11.Set the Identifier to CommonEventInfrastructureTopicDestination, and click Next.
- 12. At the confirmation panel, click **Finish**.
- 13. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

Setting asynchronous event emission

To set asynchronous even emission, follow these steps:

- 1. Navigate to Resources → Common Event Infrastructure Provider.
- 2. Set the scope to the cell, and click Apply.
- 3. Under Additional Properties, click **Emitter Factory Profile**.
- 4. Click Default Common Event Infrastructure emitter.

 Clear the Preferred synchronization mode check box and clear the Synchronous Transmission Profile JNDI Name entry, as shown in Figure 9-61.

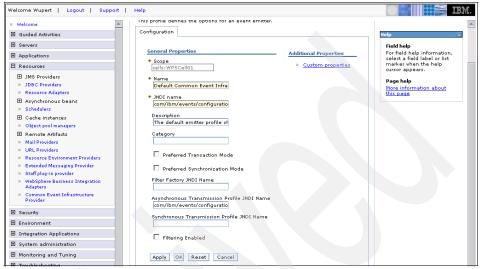


Figure 9-61 Configuration of synchronous mode

- 6. Click OK.
- Click Default Common Event Infrastructure emitter for SupportCluster01.
- 8. Clear the Preferred Synchronization Mode check box.
- 9. Click OK.
- 10. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when completed.

9.3.6 Enabling security

This section discusses the following:

- Enabling security with LDAP
- LTPA password
- Configuring LDAP registry
- Enabling Global Security

Enabling security with LDAP

Enabling security is the same mechanism used with WebSphere Application Server. The difference lies in the users in LDAP. You need to ensure that all nodes are running before enabling security.

When you ran the Business Process Container wizard, you added the following users:

- ► JMS user ID: sca (itso4you)
- ► JMS API User ID: sca (itso4you)
- ► Admin role: Administrators
- Monitor role: Administrators

When you created the cell initially, you set the SCA authentication user to be sca with password itso4you. These users and groups must exist in LDAP for the environment to work when security is enabled.

To enable security, follow these steps:

1. Ensure that the DB2 databases are started and start the LDAP server as the idsldap user with the command:

```
ibmdirctl -D "cn=root" -w itso4you start
```

- 2. Start the deployment manager if it is not already running:
 - c:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\bin\startManager.bat
- 3. Start the node on wps1 if it is not running:
 - c:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\WPSNode01\bin\startNode.sh
- 4. Start the node on wps2 if it is not running:
 - c:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\WPSNode02\bin\startNode.sh

When all the nodes are running, you can configure and enable security, and the nodes synchronize with these changes. If one of the nodes is down, then after a restart of the deployment manager, that node is no longer able to connect as part of the cell because it is unaware of the security changes.

LTPA password

You need to set up an LTPA password that will be used to encrypt and decrypt the LTPA keys. Follow these steps:

1. Open the wps0 Administrative Console and navigate to **Security** → **Global security** → **Authentication mechanisms** → **LTPA**.

It is necessary to set up an initial password. We set the Password and Confirm password fields to itso4you.

The timeout period is the number of minutes that the LTPA token remains valid. By default, single sign-on (SSO) is enabled. If SSO is disabled, cookies are not stored on the authenticating client and every action requiring authentication will incur the overhead of a user authentication.

2. Click **OK**, save and synchronize the changes.

Configuring LDAP registry

WebSphere must be configured to locate the existing LDAP Registry.

Note: For information about how to configure an LDAP Registry, refer to Appendix C, "IBM Tivoli Directory Server (LDAP)" on page 439.

To configure the LDAP registry:

- Open the wps0 Administrative Console and navigate to Security → Global security.
- 2. Select **LDAP** under **User registries**.
- Select Advanced Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP) user registry settings under Additional Properties.
- 4. The LDAP directory that was created uses an object class of inetOrgPerson and therefore the User filter value needs to be changed (the default is *ePerson*). The User filter should be set to:

```
(&(uid=%v)(objectclass=inetOrgPerson))
```

This filter allows the translation of the user short name to an LDAP entry (in conjunction with the User ID map, the LDAP structure includes a parameter uid to match this setting). This parameter enables the user name (wsadmin in this example) to be entered when logging in as opposed to the complete LDAP entry (for example, cn=wsadmin, cn=users, cn=security, o=customer).

- 5. When the user filter has been set to match the LDAP directory, select **OK**, save and synchronize.
- Navigate to Security → Global security.
- 7. Select **LDAP** under **User registries**. The configuration settings in this panel identify how the LDAP server is contacted. Table 9-21 shows the settings.

Table 9-21 LDAP settings

Property	Value	Comment
Server user ID	cn=wsadmin,cn=users,cn= security,o=customer	User ID for WebSphere security
Server user password	itso4you	
Туре	Custom	Because we changed the User filter
Host	Idap.itso	Host name or IP of the LDAP server
Port	389	LDAP server port (no SSL)

Property	Value	Comment
Base distinguished name	O=CUSTOMER	Starting point for LDAP searches
Bind distinguished name	cn=root	Bind user for LDAP
Bind password	itso4you	

Note: By default *Ignore case for authorization* is enabled. This option is required because group data that is acquired from the user object is not guaranteed to be identical to group data that is acquired directly from LDAP.

Figure 9-62 lists the appropriate values.

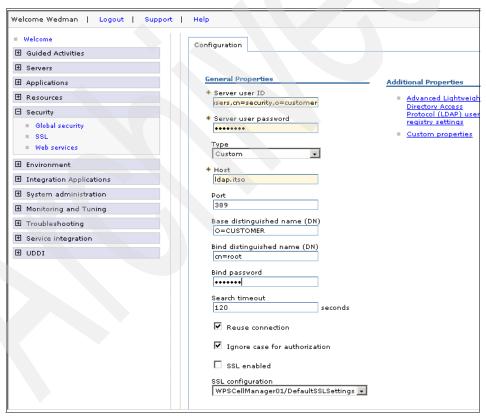


Figure 9-62 LDAP Configuration in WebSphere

8. When completed, select **OK**, save and synchronize.

Enabling Global Security

The final configuration step to enable security checking through the LDAP registry is to enable global security. Follow these steps:

- Navigate to Security → Global security, and select Enable global security.
- 2. In this example, you will not enforce the more restrictive Java 2 security because the applications are not Java 2 security enabled. So, clear this check box.
- 3. In the same panel, under Active authentication mechanism ensure that **Lightweight Third Party Authentication (LTPA)** is selected.
- 4. Under Active user registry, select **Lightweight Directory Access Protocol** (**LDAP**) user registry as shown in Figure 9-63.

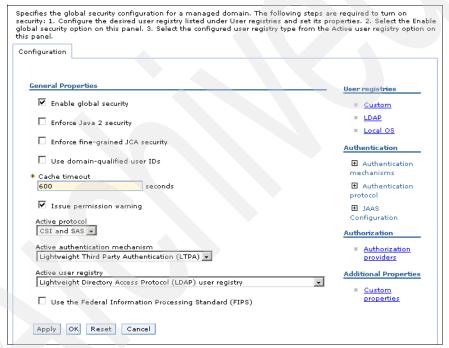


Figure 9-63 Enabling global security: settings

5. When complete, select **OK**, save and synchronize the changes.

Restarting the environment

To enable the security settings, it is essential that you stop and restart all servers, nodes, and the deployment manager. Follow these steps:

- 1. Open the Administrative Console for the deployment manager hosted on wps0.
- 2. Navigate to **System administration** → **Node agents** and select both nodes.
- 3. Click **Restart** to cause the nodes to stop and start, as shown in Figure 9-64.



Figure 9-64 Node restart

 Navigate to System administration → Deployment manager and click Stop, as shown in Figure 9-65.

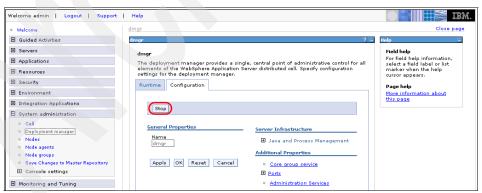


Figure 9-65 Stopping the deployment manager

5. Click **OK** in the verification panel. Wait for the deployment manager to stop.

Start the deployment manager. Open a command prompt on wps0, change directory to %WAS_HOME%\profiles\Dmgr01\bin (for example, C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\bin) and issue the command:

startManager.bat

7. When restarted, launch the Administrative Console using:

https://wps0.itso:9043/ibm/console

8. After a security certificate is accepted, the prompt requests a user ID and password, as shown in Figure 9-66. Enter a user ID of wsadmin and a password of itso4you.

Welcome, please enter your information.
User ID: wsadmin
Password:
Login

Figure 9-66 Secure Administrative Console access

Note: If there is a problem with the security settings and access is no longer available, you can disable it from a wsadmin command line with the following commands:

```
cd c:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\bin
wsadmin.bat -conntype NONE
securityoff
quit
```

Access to applications such as BPC Explorer now require an authenticated user. The BPC Explorer application is set to *All authenticated*. So, any valid user from LDAP allows access.

9.3.7 Verifying the topology

This section includes the following:

- ► Checking the messaging engine database schemas
- ► Checking the CEI database schemas
- Starting the messaging cluster
- Starting the remaining clusters

Checking the messaging engine database schemas

In this example, DB2 is the RDBMS. To check the messaging engine database schemas, follow these steps:

- 1. Log in to the database server as the instance user. In this example this is wpsinst1.
- 2. Run the following commands:

```
db2 connect to MEDB
db2 select tabname from syscat.tables where tabschema=\'SCAAPP\'
db2 select tabname from syscat.tables where tabschema=\'SCASYS\'
db2 select tabname from syscat.tables where tabschema=\'CEIMSG\'
```

Note: On Windows platforms, do not use the backslashes (\) with the **db2** select command.

Each of the schemas should have eight tables. Figure 9-67 shows example output for the SCAAPP schema.

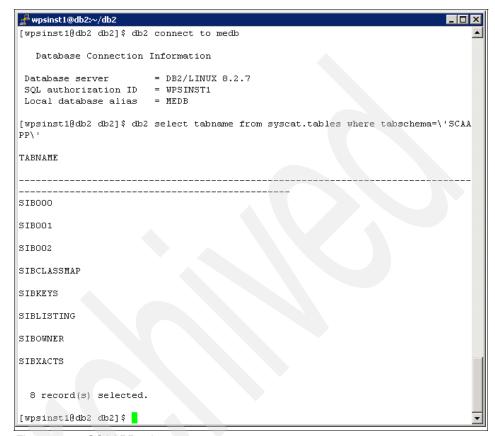


Figure 9-67 SCAAPP schema

Checking the CEI database schemas

- 1. Log in to the database server as the instance user. In this example this is wpsinst1.
- 2. Run the following commands:

```
db2 connect to CEIDB db2 list tables
```

There are 35 tables. Figure 9-68 shows example output.

```
[wpsinst1@db2 db2]$ db2 connect to ceidb
    Database Connection Information
                              = DB2/LINUX 8.2.7
 Database server
 SQL authorization ID = WPSINST1
Local database alias = CEIDB
 [wpsinst1@db2 db2]$ db2 list tables
                                        |Table/View
                                         Schema
                                                              Type Creation time
CEI_T_ANYELMNT00
CEI_T_ANYELMNT01
CEI_T_ASSOC_ENG
CEI_T_CAT_EVENTDEF
CEI_T_CAT_EXT2CATMAP
CEI_T_CAT_EXTDATADEF
CEI_T_CAT_EXTDATADESC
CEI_T_CAT_PROPDESC
CEI_T_CAT_PROPPERM
CEI_T_CBE_MAP
CEI_T_COMPID00
CEI_T_COMPID01
CEI_T_CONTEXT00
CEI_T_CONTEXT01
CEI_T_EVENT00
CEI_T_EVENT01
CEI_T_EVENT_RELN00
CEI_T_EVENT_RELN01
CEI_T_EXT_BLOB00
CEI_T_EXT_BLOB01
CEI_T_EXT_DATE00
CEI_T_EXT_DATE01
CEI_T_EXT_ELEM00
CEI_T_EXT_ELEM01
CEI_T_EXT_FLOAT00
CEI_T_EXT_FLOAT01
CEI_T_EXT_INT00
                                                      T 2007-02-1.
T 2007-02-1.
T 2007-02-7-17.40.
T 2007-02-27-17.46.34.000.
T 2007-02-27-17.46.40.159539
T 2007-02-27-17.46.32.368739
V 2007-02-27-17.46.36.33236
2007-02-27-17.46.43.759679
CEI_T_EXT_INT01
CEI_T_EXT_STRINGOO
CEI_T_EXT_STRINGO1
CEI_T_MSG_TOKENOO
CEI_T_MSG_TOKENO1
                                         WPSINST1 V
WPSINST1 V
WPSINST1 V
CEI_T_PROPERTIES
CEI_V_RELN_ENGOO
CEI_V_RELN_ENG01
   35 record(s) selected.
[wpsinst1@db2 db2]$
```

Figure 9-68 CEIDB tables

Starting the messaging cluster

To start the cluster:

- Ensure that all nodes are running. If a node is not running, start it with the following commands:
 - a. Open a command prompt on the node's host machine.
 - b. Change directory to the node's bin directory:cd\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\WPSNode01\bin
 - c. Start the node: startNode.bat

- 2. Start the messaging cluster:
 - a. Open the cell Administrative Console and login.
 - b. Navigate to **Servers** \rightarrow **Clusters**.
 - c. Select MECluster01 and click Start, as shown in Figure 9-69.

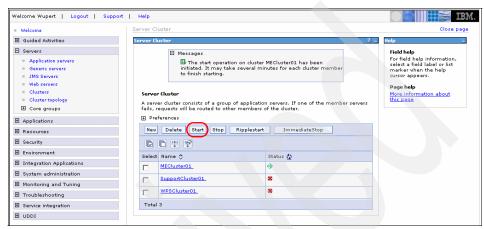


Figure 9-69 Starting the MECluster01 cluster

d. Verify that the cluster starts successfully. The red cross should change to a solid green arrow. You have to refresh the view to see the change in status.

- 3. Verify that the messaging engines have started:
 - a. Navigate to Service integration → Buses.

There should be four buses listed—two for the SCA Application and SCA System buses, a Common Event Infrastructure bus, and the BPC bus—as shown in Figure 9-70.

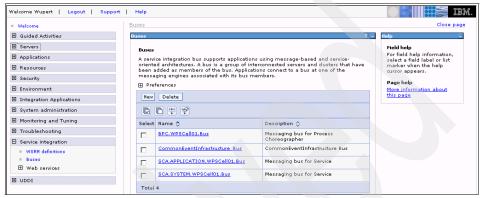


Figure 9-70 Service integration buses

- b. Click SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus.
- c. Under the Topology section, click **Messaging engines**.
- d. The status of the MECluster01.000-SCA.APPLICATION.WPSCell01.Bus messaging engine should be started, as shown in Figure 9-71.

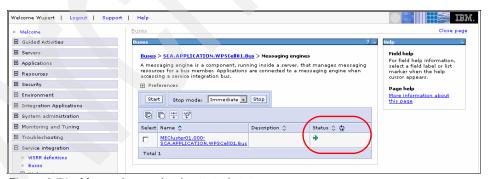


Figure 9-71 Messaging engine in started state

Repeat this process for the SCA.SYSTEM.WPSCell01.Bus, BPC.WPSCell01.Bus and CommonEventInfrastructure_Bus buses.

Starting the remaining clusters

To start the remaining clusters, follow these steps:

- 1. Open the Administrative Console and login.
- 2. Navigate to Servers → Clusters.
- 3. Select the cluster check box for each stopped cluster and click **Start**, as shown in Figure 9-69.

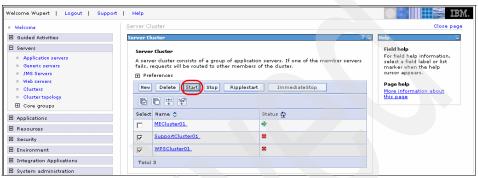


Figure 9-72 Starting the remaining clusters

4. Verify that the clusters start successfully. The red cross should change to a solid green arrow. You can view detailed information in the SystemOut.log log file on each cluster member.

9.4 Installing and testing the scenario

This section describes how to install the applications to test the scenario, how to configure IBM HTTP Server, how to enable SSL, and how to test the scenario business process.

9.4.1 Installing the enterprise applications

To test the business process logic for this topology, you need to create a presentation logic layer and a remote enterprise service layer. The presentation logic layer provides the client for the business module, and the remote enterprise service layer presents services that are required for the business flows.

In this example, the presentation logic layer is hosted on the business cluster alongside the business application. The remote enterprise service layer is hosted on a stand-alone WebSphere Application Server instance.

The presentation logic application ITSOWPSCplxPrsApp.ear is installed on wps1 and wps2 to WPSCluster01. The enterprise service application ITSOWPSCplxSrvApp.ear is installed on wps3 to WASNode01 on server1.

Deploying the business application

The application that supports the business process logic is provided by a single EAR file. This application must be installed to the cluster WPSCluster01. Follow these steps:

- 1. Open the wps0 Administrative Console and log in.
- 2. Navigate to Applications → Install New Application.
- 3. You install the enterprise application ITSOWPSCplxBusApp.ear, which includes the business process logic. This file is located in the additional material that is supplied with this book. To learn how to obtain it, see Appendix A, "Additional material" on page 427. Copy ITSOWPSCplxBusApp.ear from the additional material supplied with this book to c:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\installableApps.
- 4. In the Administrative Console, select Local file system and click Browse.
- 5. Navigate to the c:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\installableApps folder.
- 6. Select the business module to be installed, in this example ITSOWPSCplxBusApp.ear, and click **Open**.
- 7. From the Administrative Console, click **Next**, as shown in Figure 9-73.

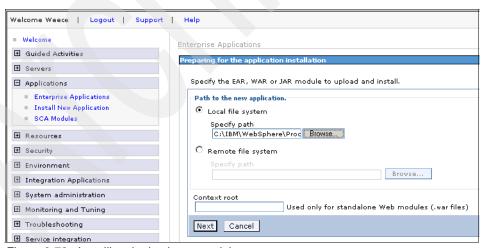


Figure 9-73 Installing the business module

8. In the next panel, leave the settings as default and click Next.

9. In the next panel, leave the settings as default and click **Next**.

All the other application deployment settings are left as default, but notably the application must be deployed to the WPSC1uster01 cluster in step 2 of the wizard, 'Map modules to servers' as shown in Figure 9-74.

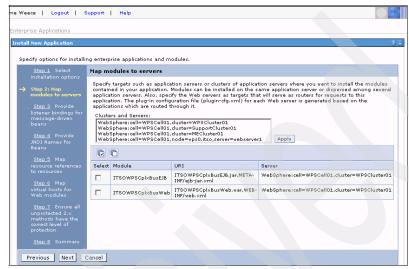
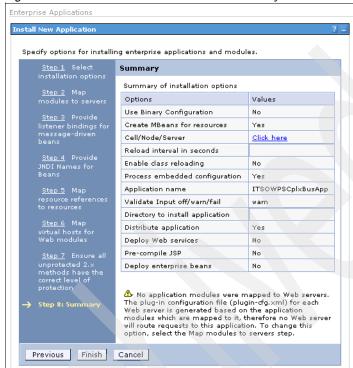


Figure 9-74 Verification of the correct application module mapping

10. Click the link to the summary panel, in this example Step 8: Summary.

11. Click **Finish**, as shown in Figure 9-75. You can ignore any warnings about activation specifications.

Figure 9-75 Business module installation summary



- 12. When the application has been installed successfully, click **Save to Master Configuration**.
- 13. Select Synchronize changes with Nodes, and click Save.
- 14. When completed successfully, click OK.

15. Start the application:

- a. Navigate to Applications → Enterprise Applications.
- b. Select ITSOWPSCplxBusApp and click Start, as shown in Figure 9-76.

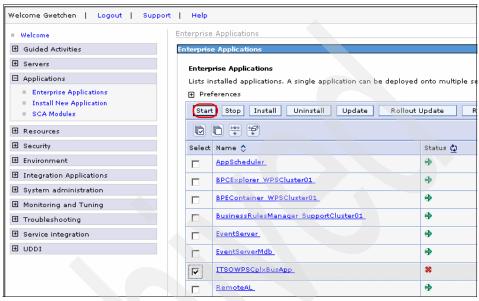


Figure 9-76 Starting the business module

Deploying the presentation logic application

To deploy the presentation logic application:

 Repeat the steps described in "Deploying the business application" on page 401 to deploy and start the presentation logic application ITSOWPSCplxPrsApp.ear to the cluster WPSCluster01. You can also find this file in the additional material that accompanies this book. 2. Verify that the application starts, as shown in Figure 9-77.

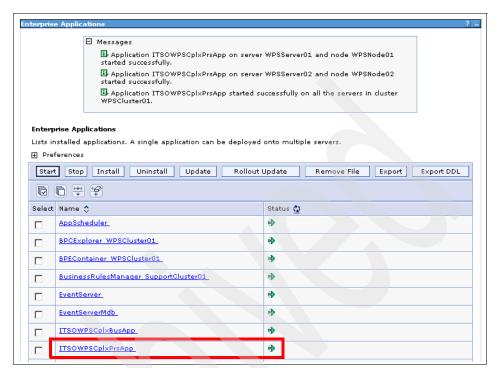


Figure 9-77 Installed enterprise application ITSOWPSCplxPrsApp

- 3. The presentation logic application should be set to use All authenticated rather than Everyone.
 - a. In the Enterprise Applications view select ITSOWPSCplxPrsApp.
 - b. Under Additional Properties, click **Map security roles to users/groups**.
 - c. Select All authenticated (Figure 9-78).

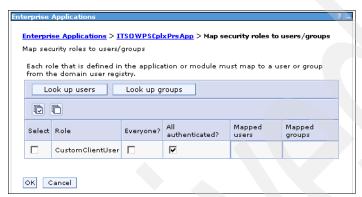


Figure 9-78 Setting the security roles to all authenticated

- d. Click OK. Save and synchronize the changes.
- 4. Verify that the presentation logic application is running on WPSServer01 and WPSServer02 within the cluster and can connect to the business layer.
 - a. Enter one of the following URLs into a browser.

https://wps1.itso:9443/ITSOWPSCplxPrsWeb/faces/Index.jsp https://wps2.itso:9443/ITSOWPSCplxPrsWeb/faces/Index.jsp You should see a panel titled *Login to Business User Client*, as shown in Figure 9-79.



Figure 9-79 Presentation application logon panel

- b. Log in by entering a name of administrator and a password of itso4you. This name and password is authenticated using the LDAP server.
- c. In the Business User Client, click **Start process**. You should see the process complexAccountClosure defined (Figure 9-80).

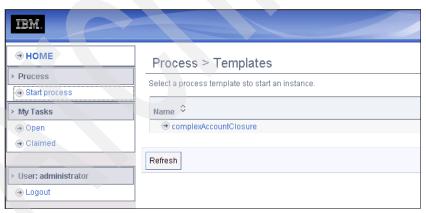


Figure 9-80 complexAccountClosure process template

d. Click Logout.

Preparing the enterprise service layer

Define a WebSphere Application Server server to host the enterprise service layer, then install the enterprise service application. Follow these steps:

- Create a new WebSphere Application Server profile using the profile creation wizard on wps3. On Windows platforms, launch the Profile Wizard by clicking Start → All Programs → IBM WebSphere → Application Server Network Deployment V6 → Profile creation wizard.
- 2. Define a profile with the following properties:
 - Profile type: Application Server profile
 - Profile name: WASNode01Node name: WASNode01Host name: wps3.itso
- 3. When the profile is created, navigate to the bin directory of the profile (which on our system was C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\WASNode01\bin) and start the server using the command:
 - startServer server1
- 4. When the server is started, launch the Administrative Console:
 - http://wps3.itso:9060/ibm/console
- Enable Global Security using LTPA and LDAP. Refer to the following sections to complete this task:
 - a. "LTPA password" on page 389
 - b. "Configuring LDAP registry" on page 390
 - c. "Enabling Global Security" on page 392
- 6. Restart the server.
- 7. When the server is started, log in to the Administrative Console using a user ID of wsadmin and a password of itso4you. This will be authenticated against the LDAP registry.
- 8. Install the enterprise service logic enterprise application ITSOWPSCplxSrvApp.ear. This file is located in the additional material that is supplied with this book. To learn how to obtain it, see Appendix A, "Additional material" on page 427.
 - a. Copy ITSOWPSCplxSrvApp.ear from the additional material that is supplied with this book to c:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\installableApps.
 - b. In the Administrative Console, click Applications → Install New Application and install ITSOWPSCplxSrvApp.ear. When the application is installed, save the configuration.

c. Click Applications → Enterprise Applications and start ITSOWPSCplxSrvApp (Figure 9-81).

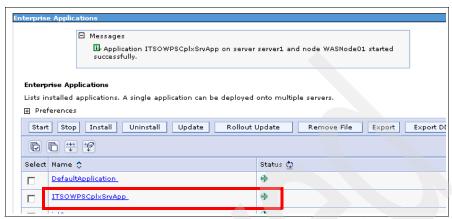


Figure 9-81 Installed enterprise application ITSOWPSCplxSrvApp

- 9. It is possible to test each of the remote enterprise services directly with a browser at the following URLs:
 - https://wps3.itso:9443/ITSOWPSCplxSrvWeb/services/AccountingService s AccountingServicesIHttpPort
 - https://wps3.itso:9443/ITSOWPSCplxSrvWeb/services/LegalServices_LegalServices_LegalServices
 - https://wps3.itso:9443/ITSOWPSCplxSrvWeb/services/DependentsService s_DependentsServicesIHttpPort

By appending ?wsd1 to these URLs, you can display the actual WSDL definition, as shown in Figure 9-82.

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" ?>
<wsdl:definitions name="DependentsServices_DependentsServicesIHttp_Service"</p>
    targetNamespace="http://ITSOWPSSmplBus/DependentsServicesI/Binding" xmlns="http://schemas.xmls
    xmlns:Port_0="http://ITSOWPSSmplBus/DependentsServicesI" xmlns:soap="http://schemas.xmlsoap.ort
    xmlns:soapenc="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/encoding/"
    xmlns: this="http://ITSOWPSSmplBus/DependentsServicesI/Binding" xmlns: wsdl="http://schemas.xmlso
    <wsdl:import location="DependentsServicesI.wsdl" namespace="http://ITSOWPSSmplBus/DependentsServicesI.wsdl" namespace="http://ITSOWPSSmplBus/DependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDependentsDep
 - <wsdl:binding name="DependentsServices_DependentsServicesIHttpBinding" type="Port_0:DependentsServicesIHttpBinding"</li>
        <soap:binding style="document" transport="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/http"/>
    - <wsdl:operation name="getDependents">
             <soap:operation />
         - <wsdl:input name="getDependentsRequest">
                <soap:body use="literal" />
             </wsdl:input>
         - <wsdl:output name="getDependentsResponse">
                <soap:body use="literal" />
             </wsdl:output>
         </wsdl:operation>
    </wsdl:binding>
 - <wsdl:service name="DependentsServices_DependentsServicesIHttpService">
    - <wsdl:port binding="this:DependentsServices_DependentsServicesIHttpBinding"</p>
            name="DependentsServices_DependentsServicesIHttpPort">
             <soap:address
                 location="https://wps3:9443/ITSOWPSCplxSrvWeb/services/DependentsServices_DependentsSe
         </wsdl:port>
     </wsdl:service>
</wsdl:definitions>
```

Figure 9-82 Requesting the WSDL definition

Configuring application deployment

There are additional steps to configure the end-to-end application deployment. You need to configure the business application for the remote enterprise services. Follow these steps:

- 1. Open the cell deployment manager's Administrative Console and login.
- 2. Navigate to Applications → Enterprise Applications.
- 3. Select ITSOWPSCplxBusApp.
- 4. Under Related Items, click **EJB Modules**.
- 5. Select the JAR file presented, ITSOWPSCplxBusEJB.jar.
- 6. Under Additional Properties, click **Web services client bindings**.

7. For the sca/import/LegalServices service, click **Edit** under **Port Information**, as shown in Figure 9-83.

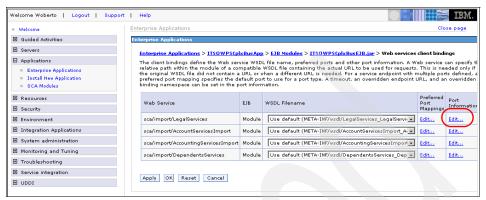


Figure 9-83 Editing port information for the remote enterprise services

 Change the host and port to that of the WebSphere Application Server hosting the remote enterprise services, in this example https://wps3.itso:9443/ (Figure 9-84).

Note: Ensure you set the protocol to https and not http.

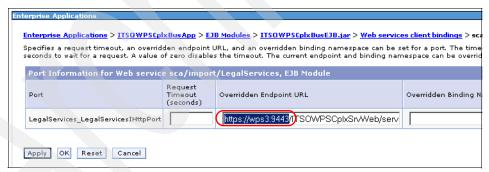


Figure 9-84 Configuring the host for the remote enterprise services

- Repeat the previous step for the sca/import/AccountServicesImport, sca/import/AccountingServicesImport and the sca/import/DependentsServicesImport services.
- 10. Save and synchronize the changes, and click **OK** when complete.

9.4.2 Configuring IBM HTTP Server

You need to install and configure a router in front of the presentation layer running on the business process cluster WPSCluster01 to load balancing to the presentation logic layer.

Client requests from the browser are made to the IBM HTTP Server. The IBM HTTP Server server passes the requests to the WebSphere plug-in. The plug-in load balances to the presentation applications running in the business cluster as illustrated in Figure 9-85.

The presentation application forwards the request to the business application. Multiple requests (dependent upon the business flow) are sent from the business application to the standalone WebSphere Application Server which hosts the external Web Services application (service provider).

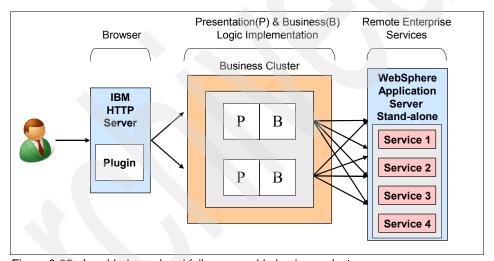


Figure 9-85 Load-balanced and failover-capable business cluster

It is assumed that the following products have been installed:

- ▶ IBM HTTP Server in c:\IBMIHS
- ► The WebSphere plug-in for IBM HTTP Server in c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins

Adding the Web server to the cell

To add the Web server to the cell, follow these steps:

- 1. Open a command prompt.
- 2. Change directory to c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins\bin.

Note: In this example, the Web server is named webserver1. Therefore the configuration script is named configurewebserver1.bat.

- 3. Copy the configurewebserver1.bat file to %WAS_HOME%\bin on any node in the cell.
- 4. The Windows operating system has a limitation for the file name length. To avoid the exception caused by that limitation, you need to do some additional configuration regarding the working directory of WebSphere Process Server.
 - a. In Administrative Console, click System Administration \rightarrow Deployment Manager \rightarrow Java and Process Management \rightarrow Process Definition \rightarrow Java Virtual Machine \rightarrow Custom Properties.
 - b. Click **New** and create a new property with the attributes:
 - Name: websphere.workspace.root
 - Value: C:/w
 - c. Click OK.
 - d. Save and synchronize the configuration.
 - e. Restart the deployment manager.
- 5. Change directory to *WAS_HOME*%\bin and open configurewebserver1.bat in a text editor.
- 6. Add user ID and password credentials as shown in Example 9-2.

Example 9-2 Modify configurewebserver1.bat to add user credentials

```
wsadmin.bat -user wsadmin -password itso4you -f configureWebserverDefinition.jacl
```

7. Run configurewebserver1.bat.

This script adds the Web server into the cell and deploys the applications to the Web server.

Configuring the plug-in

Note: Before generating the plug-in to load balance to the presentation application, you must deploy this application to the webserver1 IBM HTTP Server. This deployment can be set in the Administrative Console by navigating to **Enterprise Applications** \rightarrow **ITSOWPSCplxPrsApp** \rightarrow **Map modules to servers** and setting the servers to both WPSCluster01 and webserver1.

To configure the plug-in, follow these steps:

- 1. Open the Administrative Console and login.
- 2. Navigate to Servers → Web servers.
- Select webserver1 and click Generate Plug-in.
- 4. When complete, the message text identifies the location of the generated plug-in file. In this example, it is:
- 5. Move the plugin-cfg.xml configuration file.

The location of plugin-cfg.xml that WebSphere Plug-in uses is specified by the WebSpherePluginConfig variable within the httpd.conf configuration file of IBM HTTP Server. Therefore, you must move the generated plugin-cfg.xml to the path that is defined by this variable. In this example, the command is:

move

c:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\config\cells\WPSCell01\n
odes\wps0.itso\servers\webserver1\plugin-cfg.xml
c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins\config\webserver1\plugin-cfg.xml

9.4.3 Enabling SSL

This section details the steps that are required to enable SSL encryption. It is assumed that you have installed Global Security Kit (GSK), in C:\Program Files\ibm\gsk7\.

External access to IBM HTTP Server

In this example only SSL access is allowed to the IBM HTTP Server.

If trust store certificates are not available each web server will require a self certified certificate created. The key stores need to be created from every web server in the environment. This process will need to run on wps0 in this example.

The corresponding key store files will be saved in <*IHS_HOME*>\ssl (for example, C:\IBMIHS\ssl).

Creating the PKI artefacts needed for IBM HTTP Server

Follow these steps:

- 1. Start the IBM HTTP Server Key Management Utility in a command prompt with the JAVA_HOME environment variable set.
- 2. Run the ikeyman utility C:\Program Files\ibm\gsk7\bin\gsk7ikm.exe.
- 3. Select **Key Database File** → **New**.
- 4. Specify the following settings (Figure 9-86):
 - Key Database Type: CMS
 - File Name: ihsKeyring.kdb
 - Location: <IHS_HOME>\ssl (create this directory manually before selecting **OK**).



Figure 9-86 Setting the keystore filename

- 5. Select **OK** and specify the following settings when prompted:
 - Password: itso4you
 - Check Stash the password to a file

6. Select **OK** to complete the key store creation as shown in Figure 9-87.

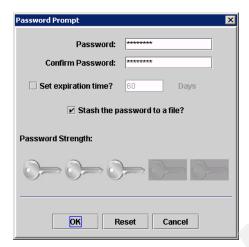


Figure 9-87 Setting keystore password

- 7. Select Create → New Self-Signed Certificate.
- 8. Specify the following parameters:

Key Label: ihsExternalOrganization: CUSTOMERValidity Period: 365 Days

9. Click **OK** to create the certificate (Figure 9-88).

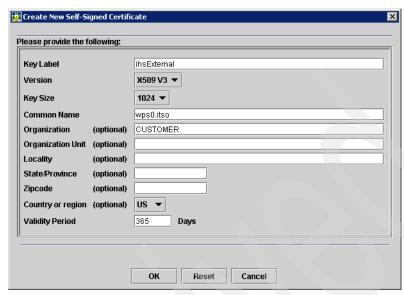


Figure 9-88 Creating the certificate

10. Exit the IBM Key Management utility.

Reconfiguring httpd.conf for the new SSL certificate

You need to add the following entries to the httpd.conf for each Web server to enable SSL encryption with the keystore just created:

- 1. Edit the file C:\IBMIHS\conf\httpd.conf on wps0:
 - a. Remove the line:

Listen 80

b. Append the following lines to the end of the file:

Listen 443
LoadModule ibm_ssl_module modules/mod_ibm_ssl.so
<VirtualHost wps0.itso:443>
SSLEnable
Keyfile ssl/ihsKeyring.kdb
</VirtualHost>

c. Save and close the file.

2. Restart the IBM HTTP Server server with the following commands:

```
cd c:\IBMIHS\bin
apache.exe -k stop
apache.exe -k start
```

Modifying virtual hosts

You need to add a virtual host entry for the SSL default port, 443, for the application server cluster running the presentation logic to respond to requests. Follow these steps:

- 1. Open the cell Administrative Console and log in.
- 2. Navigate to **Environment** → **Virtual Hosts**.
- 3. Click the **default host** virtual host.
- 4. Under Additional Properties, click **Host Aliases** (Figure 9-89).



Figure 9-89 Host aliases

- 5. Click New.
- 6. Set the **Host Name** to *.
- 7. Set the **Port** to 443.

Note: The Host Name entry can be specific to the application server host name. In this case, you must make an entry for every individual application server within the cluster, for example, wps1.itso, wps2.itso, and so forth.

- 8. Click OK.
- 9. Save and synchronize the changes. Click **OK** when complete.
- 10. Navigate to **Servers** → **Clusters**.
- 11.Select WPSCluster01.
- 12.Click **Stop**.
- 13. When complete, select WPSCluster01 and click Start.

Note: You must restart the application server cluster, in this case WPSCluster01, for the virtual hosts directives to take effect.

- 14. Navigate to **Servers** → **Web servers**.
- 15. Select webserver1 and click Generate Plug-in.
- 16. When complete, the message text identifies the location of the generated plug-in file. In this example, it is:
 - c:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\config\cells\WPSCell01\n
 odes\wps0.itso\servers\webserver1\plugin-cfg.xml
- 17. Move the plugin-cfg.xml configuration file.

The location of plugin-cfg.xml that WebSphere Plug-in uses is specified by the WebSpherePluginConfig variable within the httpd.conf configuration file of IBM Http Server. Therefore, you must move the generated plugin-cfg.xml to the path that is defined by this variable. In this example, the command is:

move

c:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\profiles\Dmgr01\config\cells\WPSCell01\n
odes\wps0.itso\servers\webserver1\plugin-cfg.xml
c:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins\config\webserver1\plugin-cfg.xml

Reconfiguring plugin-cfg.xml

You need to modify the plugin-cfg.xml file, which is located in the C:\IBM\WebSphere\Plugins\config\webserver1\ directory, to point to the keyring and stash files on the WebSphere server if the Web server is not on a WebSphere node. If this is the case, you need to generate or copy these files from a WebSphere node.

In this example, we use the default keyring and stash files that are provided with WebSphere. Because the IBM HTTP Server is on a WebSphere node the automatically generated plugin-cfg.xml file points to the correct files.

For each setting of keyring in the plugin-cfg.xml file set the Value to:

C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\etc\plugin-key.kbd

For each setting of stashfile in the plugin-cfg.xml file set the Value to:

C:\IBM\WebSphere\ProcServer\etc\plugin-key.sth

The <VirtualHostGroup Name="default host"> must be listening on port 443.

Restarting IBM HTTP Server

Restart IBM HTTP Server with the following commands:

cd c:\IBMIHS\bin
Apache.exe -k stop
Apache.exe -k start

9.4.4 Configuring the remote enterprise service

To configure the remote enterprise service:

- 1. Open the wps3.itso Administrative Console and log in.
- 2. Navigate to **Environment** → **Virtual Hosts**.
- 3. Click the **default_host** virtual host.
- 4. Under Additional Properties, click Host Aliases.
- 5. Select *:80 and *:9080 host aliases.
- 6. Click Delete.

Note: This represents a remote web service that only allows SSL connections.

7. Open a command prompt, and restart the server with the following commands:

cd c:\IBM\WebSphere\AppServer\profiles\WASNode01\bin
stopServer.bat server1 -username wsadmin -password itso4you
startServer.bat server1 -username wsadmin -password itso4you

9.4.5 Testing the scenario

This section tests the environment and the application it hosts, and shows load-balancing occurring through the business flow.

Starting the environment

To start the environment:

- 1. Ensure that all layers of the environment: presentation, business and remote enterprise services, are started.
- 2. Ensure that all applications are running in these layers.

Business testing

Testing the application involves accessing the JSP front end from the IBM HTTP Server server. Follow these steps:

 Open a browser to https://wps0.itso/ITSOWPSCplxPrsWeb/. Because security is enabled, the initial panel is a login prompt, as shown in Figure 9-90.



Figure 9-90 Accessing the business

2. Log in by entering a name of wsadmin and a password of itso4you. This name and password is authenticated using the LDAP server.

3. You are presented with the window shown in Figure 9-91.

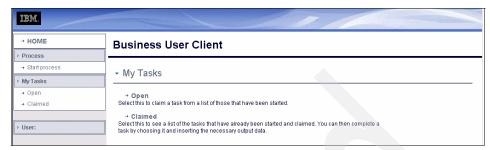


Figure 9-91 Accessing the presentation layer JSP through IBM HTTP Server

- 4. Under the left-hand menu, click Start process.
- 5. Select complexAccountClosure.
- 6. Enter an arbitrary account number and branch number, as shown in Figure 9-92, then click **Start.**

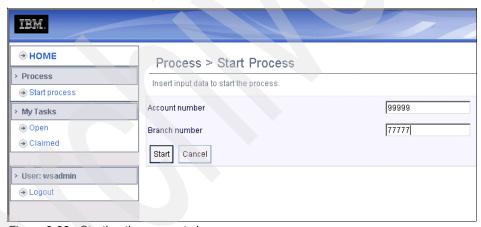


Figure 9-92 Starting the account closure process

- 7. A message displays stating that the process has started correctly.
- 8. Under the left-hand menu, click **Open**.

9. Scroll down to select the open task just created, as shown in Figure 9-93.

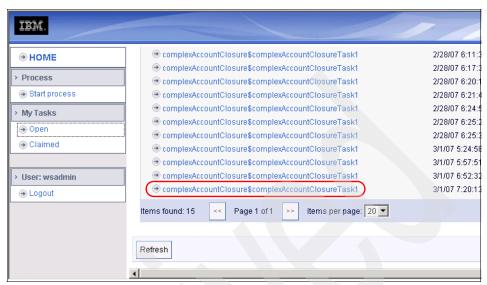


Figure 9-93 Opening a task

10. Click Claim, as shown in Figure 9-94.

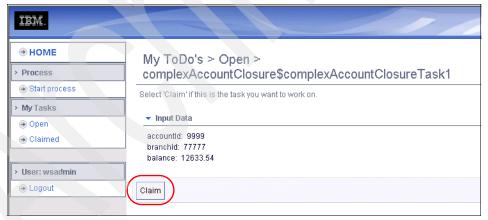


Figure 9-94 Claiming a task

11. Select **confirm**, and click **Complete**, as shown in Figure 9-95.



Figure 9-95 Confirming an account closure request

This end-to-end process has sent a request to close an account through the following path:

- 1. The client browser sent a request to IBM HTTP Server over HTTPS.
- 2. The associated WebSphere Plug in passed this request to one of the WebSphere Process Server cluster members running the presentation application over HTTPS.
- 3. The presentation application called the local business application that is running on the same server, with RMI/IIOP.
- 4. The business application EJB called the remote enterprise service using SOAP/HTTPS.



Part 4

Appendixes





Additional material

This book refers to additional material that you can download from the Internet as described in this appendix.

Locating the Web material

The Web material associated with this book is available in softcopy on the Internet from the IBM Redbooks Web server. Point your Web browser to:

ftp://www.redbooks.ibm.com/redbooks/SG247413

Alternatively, you can go to the IBM Redbooks Web site at:

ibm.com/redbooks

Select the **Additional materials** and open the directory that corresponds with the IBM Redbooks form number, SG24-7413.

Using the Web material

The additional Web material that accompanies this book includes the following files:

File name Description

SG247413.zip Zipped code samples

How to use the Web material

Create a subdirectory (folder) on your workstation, and unzip the contents of the Web material zipped file into this folder.

The ZIP file includes the following directory structure:

► \EAR files

Include the enterprise applications for deployment to the WebSphere ESB and WebSphere Process Server topologies that we describe in this book.

► \ProjectInterchange

Includes the project files that are used in WebSphere Integration Developer V6.0.2 to build the sample applications that we use in this book.

► \LDAP

Includes an LDIF file that stores an LDAP structure that is used by a sample application in this book.

Naming convention used for the EAR files

The EAR files supplied in the \EAR files directory use the following naming convention:

ITSO[WPS|ESB][Smp1|Cp1x][Prs|Bus|Srv]App.ear

Where:

- WPS or ESB is the name of the product (WebSphere Process Server or WebSphere ESB) for which this application has been developed.
- ► Smpl or Cplx indicates whether this is the simple or complex scenario.
- Prs, Bus, or Srv indicates which layer this application is intended to be deployed to: the Presentation layer, Business layer, or Enterprise Service layer.

For example, the enterprise application to be deployed to the presentation layer of the WebSphere ESB simple scenario is called ITS0ESBSmp1PrsApp.ear.



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Product installation

This appendix describes the installation of the following products that we use throughout this book:

- ► IBM WebSphere Process Server V6.0.2 (and WebSphere ESB V6.0.2)
- ► IBM DB2 Universal Database Enterprise Server V8.2
- ► IBM HTTP Server V6
- ► IBM Web server plug-ins
- ► Global Security Kit (GSK)

WebSphere Process Server installation

Note: This book assumes the use of WebSphere Process Server V6.0.2 or WebSphere ESB V6.0.2. WebSphere ESB is a subset of WebSphere Process Server. Therefore, this section applies equally to WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB.

You can either install a new WebSphere Process Server, or upgrade an existing configuration:

➤ You can install a new WebSphere Process Server v6.0.2 using either the GUI Installation Wizard or you can install it silently with a response file. For more information see:

```
http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/dmndhelp/v6rxmx/index.jsp?t
opic=/com.ibm.wsps.602.ins.doc/welcome_wps_ins.html
```

▶ If you have a prior version installed of WebSphere Process Server (such as WebSphere Process Server v6.0.1), you can create a WebSphere Process Server v6.0.2 environment by applying Refresh Pack 2 for WebSphere Process Server Version 6.0. This refresh pack is available from the IBM support Web site for WebSphere Process Server:

```
http://www.ibm.com/software/integration/wps/support/
```

For step-by-step information about installing WebSphere Process Server, refer to the WebSphere Process Server Information Center:

```
http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/dmndhelp/v6rxmx/index.jsp?topic=/com.ibm.wsps.602.ins.doc/welcome_wps_ins.html
```

When performing the installation, consider the following information:

► Install the full product of WebSphere Process Server v6.0.2.0.

Note: The Windows operating system has a limitation for the length of the file path. You are recommended to use a short value for *WPS_HOME* to avoid encountering this problem.

- Perform a custom installation. This will give the option of whether to launch the Profile Wizard.
- When the installation is complete, the Installation Wizard will ask if you
 wish to launch the Profile Wizard. Do not create any profiles at this time.
 Each chapter in this book specifies when you need to create a profile.

- Apply any necessary maintenance to the product.
 - After the installation of the product, it is always a good practice to apply the required maintenance for the product. The information of the maintenance is published on the IBM support Web site for WebSphere Process Server. You can find more information here:

 $http://www.ibm.com/products/finder/us/finders?Ne=5000000&finderN=1000100&trac=SU1&pg=ddfinder&collectionN=0&sid=494345711170684003\\038&cc=us&lc=en&oldC1=5000832&tmpl=%2Fproducts%2Ffinder%2Fus%2Fen%2Ffinders&C1=5000832&C2=5429715$

Validate the installation

Upon installation, one of the following messages can be found in *WAS_HOME*\logs\wbi\log.txt.

- INSTCONFSUCCESS
 Indicates the installation was successful.
- INSTCONFPARTIALSUCCESS
 Indicates the installation was partly successful. Some installation actions failed but can be retried.
- INSTCONFFAILED
 Indicates installation was not successful. Recovery is not possible.

If the result is INSTCONFPARTIALSUCCESS or INSTCONFFAILED, the installation did not complete successfully, and you will need to diagnose the problem. You can find more information about the troubleshooting installation problems at:

http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/dmndhelp/v6rxmx/topic/com.ibm.wsps.602.ins.doc/doc/tins trouble.html

Example 9-3 shows a successful installation.

Example 9-3 Successful installation

com.ibm.ws.install.ni.ismp.actions.ISMPLogSuccessMessageAction, msg1,
INSTCONFSUCCESS

DB2 Universal Database Enterprise Server installation

This book assumes the use of DB2 Universal Database Enterprise Server V8.2 with Fix Pack 14 applied. For information about installing DB2, refer to the DB2 Information Center:

http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/db2luw/v8/index.jsp?topic=/com.ibm.db2.udb.doc/core/c0008880.htm

DB2 is used with WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB. However the DB2 server does not need to reside on the same machine as these products. A DB2 Universal database driver is included in the WebSphere Process Server (or WebSphere ESB) installation at WPS_HOME\universalDriver_wbi. This driver may be used for any resources that are configured to utilize DB2.

Each chapter in this book describes how to create specific DB2 databases that are required for each topology.

IBM HTTP Server installation

The IBM HTTP Server installation is shipped with the WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB installation image under the IHS folder. Installation of IBM HTTP Server is straightforward. Perform the following:

- Launch the Install Shield Wizard of IBM HTTP Server 6.0 (on Windows environments launch install.exe).
- 2. On the Welcome panel, click Next.
- 3. On the Software License Agreement panel, accept the terms, click Next.

4. Set the IBM HTTP Server installation directory, then click **Next** (Figure B-1).

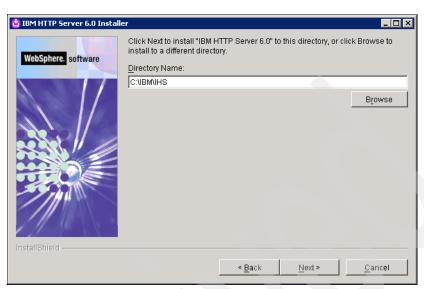


Figure B-1 Select the IBM HTTP Server installation directory

- 5. Select Custom installation, then click Next.
- On the Select features panel, accept the default values, then click Next (Figure B-2).

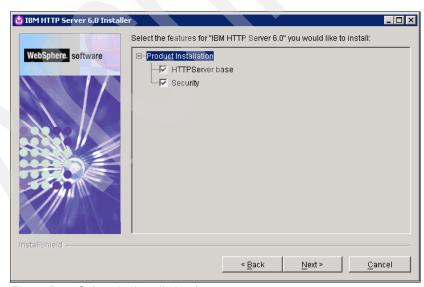


Figure B-2 Select the installation features

7. Specify the TCP/IP ports to use. You must ensure that the assigned ports are available, and are not in use by other applications. Make a note of the HTTP port you use as you will need this value when you configure the HTTP server plug-ins. Click **Next** (Figure B-3).



Figure B-3 Set the value for the default port and the administration port

8. On Windows platforms, decide whether to run IBM HTTP Server as a Windows service. We elected to define a service, so selected **Log on as Local System account**, and clicked **Next** (Figure B-4).



Figure B-4 Run IBM HTTP Server as a Windows service

- 9. On the summary panel, click Next. The installation begins.
- 10.At the last panel, clear the option of Launch the WebSphere Application Server Plugin install and click Finish.

At this point, IBM HTTP Server will be installed. There is additional work to use IBM HTTP Server with WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB (such as editing the httpd.conf file and running a generated script to create a Web server). We describe the steps to perform these tasks in each of the relevant chapters in this book.

IBM Web server plug-ins installation

Web server plug-ins for WebSphere Application Server are shipped with the WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB installation image under the plugin folder. Follow these steps:

- 1. Launch the Install Shield Wizard for Web server plug-ins (on Windows environments launch **install.exe**).
- 2. On the Welcome panel, clear Installation roadmap and click Next.
- 3. On the Software License Agreement panel, accept the terms, click Next.

 On the System prerequisites check panel, the system checks your operating system, and whether a WebSphere Application Server based product is installed. If this completes successfully, click Next (Figure B-5).

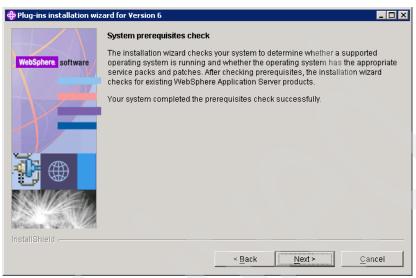


Figure B-5 System prerequisite check

5. You will be asked to select a Web server to configure. Select **IBM HTTP Server V6** and click **Next** (Figure B-6).

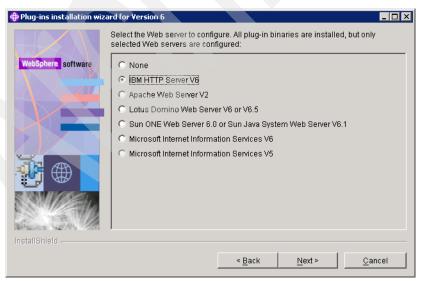


Figure B-6 Select Web server to configure

- 6. Set the installation scenario to Web server machine (remote). Click Next.
- 7. Specify an installation directory and click **Next**.
- 8. Locate the httpd.conf file from your IBM HTTP Server installed, that you installed in "IBM HTTP Server installation" on page 432. The httpd.conf file is located in the conf directory of the IBM HTTP Server installation. Click **Next**.
- 9. Lave the unique Web server definition name as default, and click **Next**.
- 10. Accept the default for the location of the plugin-cfg.xml file and click Next.
- 11. Specify the host name of the application server. This will be specific to your scenario. Click **Next** and the **Next** again.
- 12.On the summary panel, click **Next** to begin the installation.
- 13. When the installation completes, click **Next** and then **Finish**.

Global Security Kit installation

Global Security Kit (GSK) is shipped with the WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB installation image under the GSKit folder. Follow these steps:

- Launch the Install Shield Wizard. From a command prompt navigate to the GSKit folder and issue the command:
 - setup.exe gsk7bas
- 2. On the Welcome panel, click Next.
- 3. Specify a directory to install GSK. Click **Next** and the installation begins.
- 4. When the installation completes, you are presented with the panel shown in Figure B-7. Click **Finish**.



Figure B-7 Setup complete



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IBM Tivoli Directory Server (LDAP)

An LDAP server is used to enable security within WebSphere Application Server and related products. WebSphere Application Server related products offer three security enablement options:

- Local OS
- ▶ LDAP
- Custom registry

Local OS is rarely used in production topologies as it does not scale. For example you cannot use Local OS across two separate servers as the security tokens used include both the hostname and the OS user in their creation so host1:user1 is not the same as host2:user1.

The Custom registry option is viable, but increases complexity. The most common security enablement mechanism is an LDAP server of some kind.

This appendix describes how to install IBM Tivoli Directory Server V6.0 (ITDS) and configure an LDAP directory for use with WebSphere Application Server based products.

Installing Tivoli Directory Server

Before starting an LDAP installation on UNIX it is necessary to switch to an X session. Typically, this is achieved using the startx command as the root user.

By default a Linux installation creates a new user, idsldap, with shell /bin/ksh and .profile configuration to include the path and environment variable settings for LDAP usage. The default for DB2 is the bash shell (using .bashrc). When this user needs to run DB2 commands, it is necessary to change the shell to bash by typing bash at the ksh shell prompt.

By default, the DB2 instance for LDAP (the idsIdap instance) will be listening for connections on port 3700. The following example installs ITDS V6.0 onto a Red Hat EL 4 Update 2 server. The DB2 supporting database is already installed locally.

1. Insert the DVD with the installation media on it. As the root user, mount the drive and copy the files (or extract them) to /opt/ldapsource:

```
mount /dev/dvd
mkdir /opt/ldapsource
cp -r /media/cdrecorder/* /opt/ldapsource
cd /opt/ldapsource
```

- 2. Start the installation from /opt/ldapsource by running the setup command.
 - ./setup
- 3. Select the appropriate language and click **OK**.
- 4. Select Next at the welcome panel, Accept the license, and select Next again.
- 5. The installation should detect the DB2 product as already installed, select **Next** at the panel as shown in Figure C-1.

```
The following applications have been identified on your system.

DB2 8.1.2.112
```

Figure C-1 Preinstalled software

The products shown in Figure C-2 are installed. If the Web Admin Tool and WebSphere Application Server Express are not needed, this part of the product can be removed as there are other mechanisms for performing LDAP administration.

6. Select **Next** when the correct features are selected.

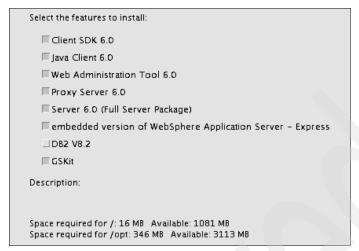


Figure C-2 Components for installation

Note the location of the installation as shown in Figure C-3. The location of the installation is under the /opt file system, which was previously created for product installations.

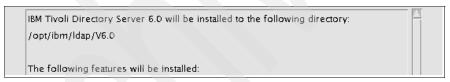


Figure C-3 Installation directory

7. Select **Next** and the product installation begins. The status of the installation displays at the bottom of the panel, as shown in Figure C-4.

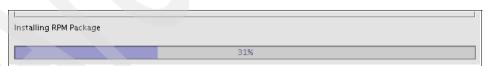


Figure C-4 Installation status bar

8. Select **Yes** and **Next** if prompted about existing links, this occurs if you have previously uninstalled the product but not tidied up or there are existing LDAP components installed (by default with this install of Red Hat).

User and Group modifications

After the installation is complete and before creating a new directory instance set the password for the newly created idsldap user:

1. Log in as root and issue the following command:

```
passwd idsldap
```

You must enter the new password twice. Set the new password to itso4you. Refer to Figure C-5.

```
Changing password for user idsldap.
New UNIX password:
Retype new UNIX password:
```

Figure C-5 Setting the password for idsldap

- 2. Next, you add the users root and idsldap to the group db2grp1. Issue the following command to configure the groups:
 - vi /etc/group
- 3. Scroll down and add root, idsldap to the entry for db2grp1 as shown in Figure C-6:

```
gdm:x:42:
pegasus:x:500:
gb019470:x:501:
dasadm1:x:101:wpsinst1
db2grp1:x:102:idsldap,root
db2fgrp1:x:103:
idsldap:x:502:root
-- INSERT --
```

Figure C-6 /etc/group modifications

- 4. Save the changes in vi.
- 5. Finally, the /home/idsldap directory needs to be group writeable. As the **root** user issue the following command:

```
chmod -R g+w /home/idsldap
```

Creating the LDAP Instance

When installation is complete, the instance administration tool starts. You need to create a new instance for the LDAP directory. Follow these steps:

1. Click **Create** as shown in Figure C-7.

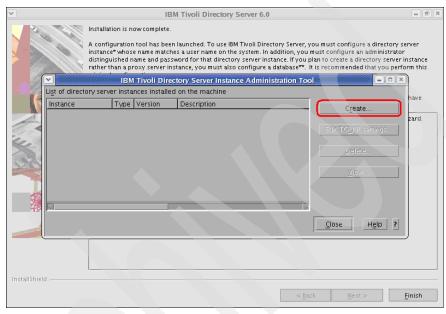


Figure C-7 Creating an LDAP instance

2. In the next panel, ensure that you are creating a new directory server instance as shown in Figure C-8 and select **Next**.



Figure C-8 Creating a new instance

3. Enter the instance details in the next panel. The details are shown in Table C-1.

Table C-1 LDAP configuration settings

User	idsldap
Install location	/home/idsldap
Encryption seed	itso4youitso Needs to be at least 12 chars long
Description	WAS LDAP Instance

4. Select **Next** when you have added these entries (Figure C-9).

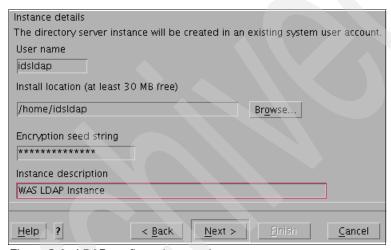


Figure C-9 LDAP configuration panel

5. The next panel sets the new DB2 instance name. In this example, you create an instance called idsldap, as shown in Figure C-10. Select **Next** when this is correct.

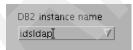


Figure C-10 DB2 database instance name

6. In the next panel, accept the default to listen on all IPs as shown in Figure C-11 and select **Next**.

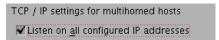


Figure C-11 Listen on all IP addresses for multihome hosts

7. Accept the default ports as shown in Figure C-12 and select Next.

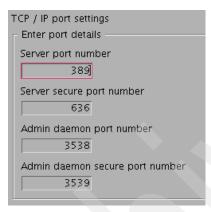


Figure C-12 Default port settings

Ensure that both optional settings for users and database are selected because you will configure these next. (Figure C-13). Click **Next** when the settings are correct.



Figure C-13 Additional steps

9. The user cn=root is the default, set the password (twice) to itso4you as shown in Figure C-14 and click **Next** to continue.



Figure C-14 LDAP Admin DN

10. Use the idsldap user to configure the database, set the password to itso4you and give the database a name: ldap. (Figure C-15). Select **Next** to continue.



Figure C-15

11. Select the defaults on the next panel, as shown in Figure C-16 and click Next.

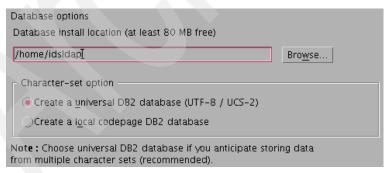


Figure C-16 Database options

12.On the summary page, verify the settings and click **Finish** to create the LDAP instance and the associated DB2 instance and database.

The installation shows the current progress. Figure C-17 shows example output.

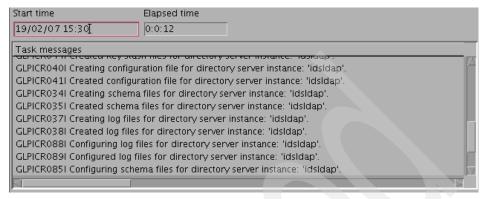


Figure C-17 LDAP creation - output

13. When completed, click **OK** at the Task Completed message and then close the status window. The new instance is shown in the original instance admin tool window (Figure C-18).

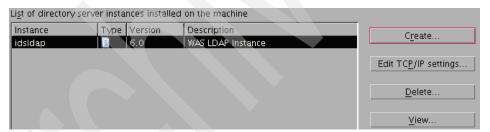


Figure C-18 Newly created LDAP instance

14. Click **View** to see the details of this instance (Figure C-19).

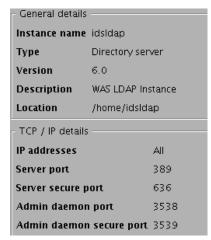


Figure C-19 Instance details

15. Click **OK** to close the view window and **Close** then **Yes** to finish the installation. Click **Finish** in the product installation window.

Note: If you need to rerun the create instance wizard, the command you need to use is **idsxinst**.

ITDS is now installed and running.

Verification and start up

To verity the installation:

 As the idsldap user issue the following command to verify the status of the server:

```
ibmdirctl -D "cn=root" -w itso4you status
```

2. If the status is *not* running, then issue the following command when logged in as the idsldap user from the ksh shell to start it up (this might take about a minute and the DB2 idsldap instance must be running):

```
ibmdirctl -D "cn=root" -w itso4you start
```

You can ignore any rc=-1 error. This error is fixed with ITDS V6.0 Fix Pack 3.

Configuring Tivoli Directory Server



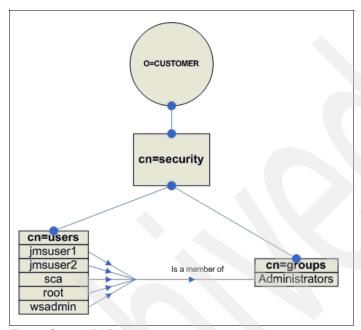


Figure C-20 LDAP directory structure

To create a starting suffix for the schema before loading an LDIF into the directory, follow these steps:

- Log in as root and issue the command xhost + to allow connection to the root X windows session.
- 2. From the same window change to the idsldap user and verify the DISPLAY variable is set.

```
su - idsldap
echo $DISPLAY
```

3. To add a new suffix the server must be stopped. Again as the idsldap user issue the command:

```
ibmdirctl -D "cn=root" -w itso4you stop
```

- 4. Start up the ITDS configuration tool idsxcfq
- 5. From the tasks panel (left-hand side), click Manage suffixes.

- 6. On the right-hand side set the **Suffix DN** to be o=customer and click **Add**. This creates the top level under which the rest of the directory structure can be created.
- 7. Click **OK** to complete this change (Figure C-21).

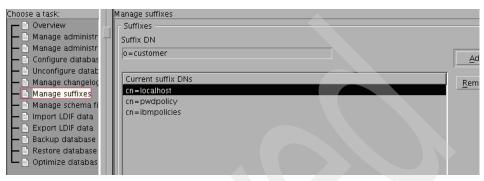


Figure C-21 Adding the new suffix

8. When the suffix is created, exit the idsxcfg tool.

Creating the directory values

The directory structure can be created manually from the idsxcfg tool, we could import an existing LDIF with the tool, or use another tool to import an existing LDIF file. You will choose the latter. Follow these steps:

- Download and unzip an LDAP browser. You can download an example from: http://www-unix.mcs.anl.gov/~gawor/ldap/
- 2. You can launch this browser by running the lde.bat script that comes with it. There is a requirement for JAVA to be installed and in the system path.

 Create a connection to the LDAP server as shown in Figure C-22 (password is itso4you). Ensure that **Anonymous bind** is unchecked, save the connection, and **Open** it.

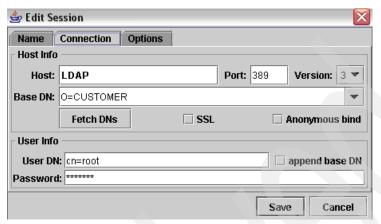


Figure C-22 Configuration for connecting to LDAP

- 4. Select the O=CUSTOMER suffix and click LDIF → Import.
- 5. Browse to the LDIF file orig.ldif which can be found in the \LDAP\ directory of the additional material supplied with this book. To obtain this additional material, refer to Appendix A, "Additional material" on page 427. Verify that Update/Add is selected and click Import. Refer to Figure C-23.



Figure C-23 Importing an LDAP directory structure via an LDIF

The directory structure will be imported, the example LDIF adds 10 new entries. Click **OK** to close the import windows (Figure C-24).

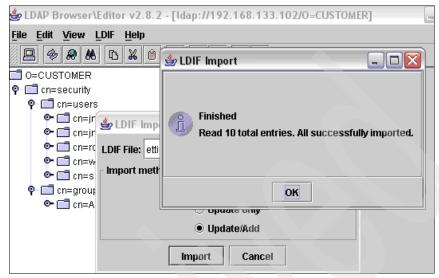


Figure C-24 LDIF successfully imported

It is now possible to browse through the structure that you have created for use in WebSphere security.

7. Close the LDAP browser.

ITDS Configuration is now complete.

Tivoli Directory Server useful commands

This section includes a few useful commands for control of the LDAP environment:

► To start the LDAP server the LDAP database must first be running. Login as the idsldap user, switch to the bash shell and start the database.

bash db2start

► To start the ITDS Admin process, login as the idsIdap user and issue the following commands once DB2 has started (this should be done from the ksh SHELL not bash):

```
ibmdiradm -I idsldap # Start the ITDS Admin process
ibmdirctl -D "cn=root" -w itso4you start
```

Note: If this start command returns an rc=-1 error, you can ignore this error. If you apply the ITDS V6.0 Fix Pack 3, this harmless error can be removed.

► The following command also starts the idsldap instance (if run as the root user):

ibmslapd -I idsldap -n

► To get the server status use:

ibmdirctl -D "cn=root" -w itso4you status

▶ To verify the server is responding use the ldapsearch command:

ldapsearch -b "o=customer" "cn=*"

This will display all container entries below o=customer

► To stop the LDAP server issue the command:

ibmdirctl -D "cn=root" -w itso4you stop

► To stop the ITDS Admin process issue the command:

ibmdirctl -D "cn=root" -w itso4you admstop



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New product features used in the sample applications

This chapter provides information relating to the development of the sample applications that we describe in Chapter 5, "Scenarios that we use in this book" on page 65.

In our sample application, we use two new features that are available with WebSphere Integration Developer 6.0.2:

- Automatic client generation for business processes and human tasks
- Event Emitter mediation primitive to emit business events from within a mediation module

How to use these new features is the topic of this appendix.

Generating human task interfaces

The presentation layer application for the complex business scenario has been developed using new functionality available in WebSphere Integration Developer V6.0.2. This functionality simplifies the building the graphical user interface for the business process.

It is possible to generate a client from a module, business process, or a human task. To generate a client for a human task, proceed as follows:

 In the Business Integration view of WebSphere Integration Developer, right-click the human task or tasks that requires a user-interface, and select Generate User Interfaces. To generate a client for multiple tasks in different modules, select each module in the business integration view while holding the Ctrl key. The User Interface Wizard for Human Tasks launches. See Figure D-1.

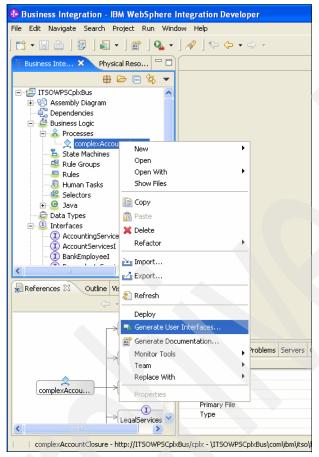


Figure D-1 Generate User Interface launch

Note: if the generated client is intended to be able to start processes, then this process must have a human task defined for the initial receive activity / activities.

- 2. On the Client Generator Selection page, proceed as follows:
 - a. In the Generator type field, choose the generator that you will use to create this client. By default, the JSF Custom Client is selected.
 - b. Use this list to choose the human task or tasks for which you want to generate the client. Expand the tree until you find the required human task, and then enable the associated check box for each task.

- 3. On the JSF client configuration page, proceed as follows:
 - a. In the Name of dynamic Web project field assign the client name.
 - b. In the Company logo field, specify the file location of a graphic file containing a company logo. This logo will appear as a banner on the top of the generated client Web page. Only GIF or JPG files with an image height of 50 pixels are accepted.
 - c. In the Client view area, there are two choices. Choose Local if a single application server will host both the generated client and the related processes and tasks. Choose Remote if, in the same cell, the generated client will be deployed on one server, and the related processes and tasks on another.
 - d. In the Style area, you can choose from the two styles that are provided for your generated client. If neither of these meet your needs, then you can adjust the CSS file accordingly, without needing to regenerate the client. The CSS file is located in the generated web project in WebContent\theme\styles.css.
- 4. On the second JSF client configuration page, select the custom properties (as defined in your business process) that need to be generated with the client. The custom properties can be used as filter criteria for search activities.
- 5. When you are done, click **Finish**. The application is created by the tool, and a confirmation message displays. See Figure D-2.

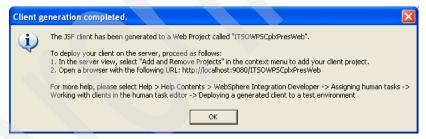


Figure D-2 Generate User Interfaces confirmation message

For our scenario, we added the start process functionality to the application provided by the Generate User Interfaces.

Using the Event Emitter mediation primitive

This section discusses the Event Emitter mediation primitive that was introduced with WebSphere Enterprise Service Bus V6.0.2.

Introduction

The Event Emitter mediation primitive sends out business events during a mediation flow. The events are generated in the form of Common Base Events (CBE) and are sent to a Common Event Infrastructure (CEI) server.

You can generate events that include all or part of the message being processed, by setting the Root property. The Root property is an XPath expression that specifies the section of the Service Message Object (SMO) that is included in the CBE application specific elements (extended data elements). The Root property can specify the complete SMO, a subtree or a leaf element.

If you do not set the Root property then you generate events that do not contain any part of the message being processed. You also generate events that do not include the message in another way: if you specify the Root property, but its value does not match any of the elements in the SMO when the message is mediated.

The Event Emitter mediation primitive has one input terminal and two output terminals. One output terminal is for successful output and one for failure output. The input terminal is wired to accept a message and the output terminals are wired to propagate a message. The successful output terminal propagates the original message. If an exception occurs during the processing of the input message, then the fail terminal propagates the original message, together with any exception information.

Usage

The recommended best practice is to use the Event Emitter mediation primitive to indicate an unusual event, such as notification of a failure within the flow or an unusual path executed in a flow. In our scenario we use the Event Emitter for logging stock orders when the marketplace is neither U. S. nor U. K.

When you place event emitters within a flow you should consider the possible number of events that may be generated as well as the size of the message that will be stored within the event. Placing an event emitter within the normal flow execution path will generate many events compared to placing it within an unusual event or failure path. In addition, consider configuring the emitter to store only significant message data rather than the complete message to reduce the overall size of the event.

You can use the Event Emitter mediation primitive to record a failure in another mediation primitive, and then continue processing. To do this you wire the fail terminal of the previous mediation primitive to the input terminal of the Event Emitter mediation primitive; and wire the output terminal of the Event Emitter mediation primitive to the next step in the flow.

Figure D-3 shows how the Event Emitter is used inside the mediation flow from the complex business process scenario that we use in this book.

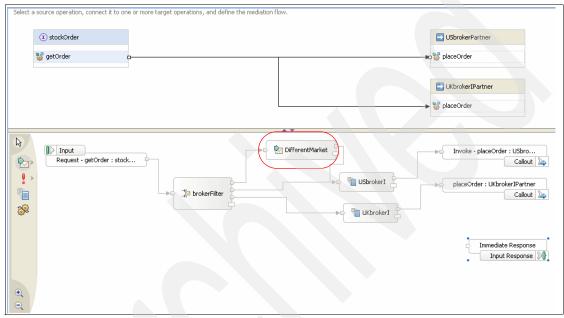


Figure D-3 Event Emitter in mediation flow

In this case, we use the Event Emitter mediation primitive in combination with the brokerFilter Message Filter mediation primitive to generate business events based on message content. We wire one of the output terminals of the Message Filter mediation primitive to the input terminal of the DifferentMarket Event Emitter mediation primitive and wire the output terminal of the Event Emitter mediation primitive to the USbrokerI XSL Transformation, the next step in the flow.

Abbreviations and acronyms

ВРС	Business Process Choreographer	POJO QoS	Plain Old Java Object Qualities of Service
BPEL	Business Process Execution Language	RDBMS	Relational Database Management System
BRM CBE	Business Rules Manager Common Business Event	SCA	Service Component Architecture
CEI CRM	Common Event Infrastructure Customer Relationship	SCDL	Service Component Definition Language
	Management	SDO	Service Data Objects
CSI	Common Secure	SIB	Service Integration Bus
	Interoperability	SMO	Service Message Object
DDL	Data Definition Language	SOA	Service-oriented Architecture
EIS	Enterprise Information System	SSL	Secure Sockets Layer
EJB	Enterprise JavaBean	SSO	Single Sign-on
ERP	Enterprise Resource Planning	SWAM	Simple WebSphere Authentication Mechanism
ESB	Enterprise Service Bus	UML	Unified Modeling Language
GSK	Global Security Kit	WAR	Web Archive
НА	High Availability		
HTM	Human Task Manager		
IBM	International Business Machines Corporation		
IHS	IBM HTTP Server		
ITSO	International Technical Support Organization		
J2EE	Java 2 Platform, Enterprise Edition		
JAAS	Java Authentication and Authorization Service		
JMS	Java Message Service		
LDAP	Lightweight Directory Access Protocol		
LTPA	Lightweight Third Party Authentication		

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Related publications

We consider the publications that we list in this section particularly suitable for a more detailed discussion of the topics that we cover in this book.

Online resources

These Web sites are relevant as further information sources:

WebSphere Process Server product overview

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http://www.ibm.com/software/integration/wps/
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http://www.ibm.com/software/webservers/appserv/was/
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▶ J2EE 1.4 specification

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http://java.sun.com
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► DB2 Universal Database product overview

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http://www.ibm.com/software/data/db2/udb
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WebSphere Process Server security overview

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http://www.ibm.com/developerworks/websphere/library/techarticles/060 2_khangoankar/0602_khangaonkar.html
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Java 2 security with WebSphere Application Server based products

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http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/wasinfo/v6r0/index.jsp?topi
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Discusses messaging, CEI, business process container, and security

Includes selection criteria to pick the right topology

Features examples that include step-by-step instructions

WebSphere Process Server and WebSphere ESB are highly available and scalable products for running enterprise-level SOA solutions. But does every production topology that uses these products follow the same basic pattern? This book answers that question by providing guidance on how to select and build production topologies based on the applications that you deploy to that topology. It also helps you to discern which production topology is suitable for your environment and provides step-by-step guidance on how to build that topology. The intended audience of this book is IT architects and administrators.

Part one of the book introduces some of the basic concepts and discusses three types of production topologies for WebSphere ESB and for WebSphere Process Server. It provides guidance on how to select the appropriate topology, discusses security considerations, and introduces the sample scenarios that we built for this book.

Part two focuses on building production topologies for WebSphere ESB. Using sample applications, this part provides step-by-step instructions for building WebSphere ESB V6.0.2 production topologies.

Part three uses a similar format but focuses on production topologies for WebSphere Process Server V6.0.2. This part includes step-by-step instructions on how to build a full support production topology that implements security.

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