Web Applications Developments

ITWT413

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Course Structure

- Lecture (Sunday& Tuesday)
- Time: 12:30-14:00
- Microsoft Teams Code (goi2d67)

(Lectures, labs, announcements, References):

- Grading :
 - 25% Midterm exam.
 - 25% Assignments
 - 25% Group Project (Groups of two).
 - 25% Final Exam.

Lecture Agenda

- ☐ Introduction to Enterprise Systems
- Overview of Java EE
- ☐ Creating an Application
- ☐ Data Layer
- □ Logic Layer
- ☐ Creating the Interface

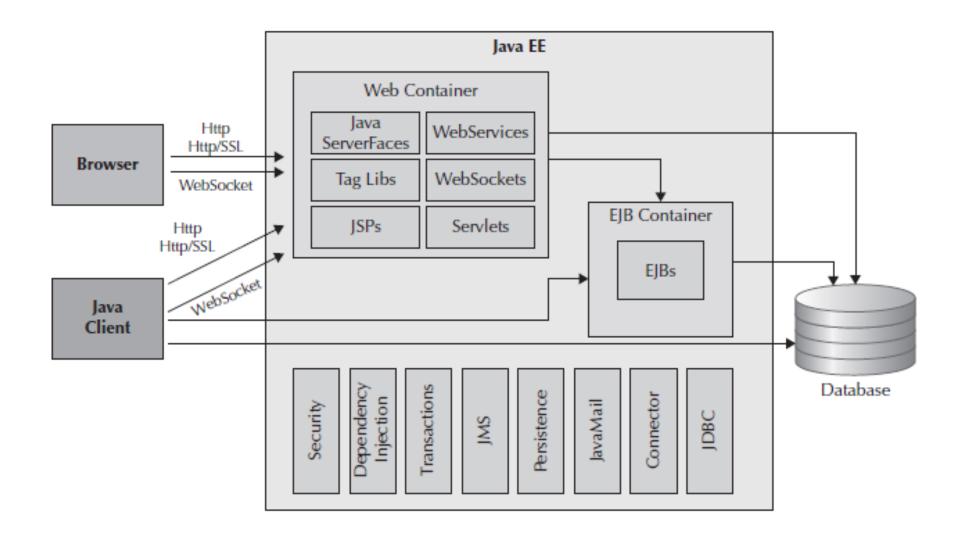
1. Introduction to Enterprise Systems

Definition of Enterprise Systems (ES)

"Enterprise System is software applications that have cross-organizational capabilities as opposed to department or group-specific programs."

-By Neil Kokemuller

- Enterprise systems enable collaboration, communication, and data sharing.
- Features: availability, scalability, performance, security, manageability, data integrity.
- Interoperability is crucial for communication between systems.



1.1 Features of Enterprise Systems

- Availability: Systems must handle increased demand without downtime.
- Scalability: Systems must adapt to organizational changes.
- Performance: Improves business workflow efficiency.
- Security: Ensures data confidentiality and system availability.
- Manageability: Complexity management to avoid system failures.
- Data Integrity: Protects data from corruption or loss.
- Interoperability: Facilitates system communication and collaboration.

1.2 Technologies

- Java EE: API set for enterprise application development.
- .NET: Another common technology for enterprise systems.
- Focus in this course is on Java EE.

2. Overview of Java EE

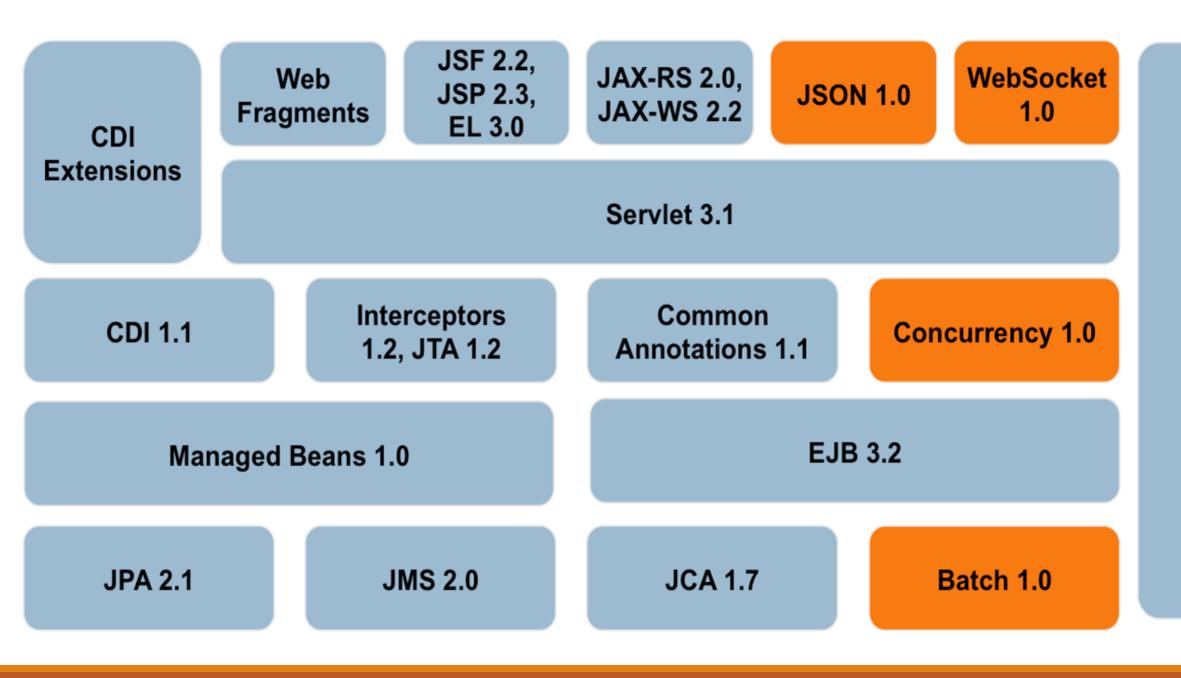
- Java EE provides infrastructure for creating and maintaining enterprise systems.
- Includes APIs like JPA for persistence, JTA for transactions, and JAAS for security.
 - JTA: Java Transaction API provides a standard interface for demarcating transactions. The Java EE architecture provides a default auto commit to handle transactions commits and rollbacks.
- JPA: Java Persistence API is a solution for persistence. Persistence uses an object/relational mapping approach to bridge the gap between an object-oriented model and a relational database. JPA can also be used as a query language.
- Security Services: Java Authentication and Authorization Services (JAAS) enables services to authenticate and enforce access controls upon users

2.1 Understanding Java EE

- Java EE is a set of standards for server-side applications.
- Ensures compatibility with any compliant Java EE server.

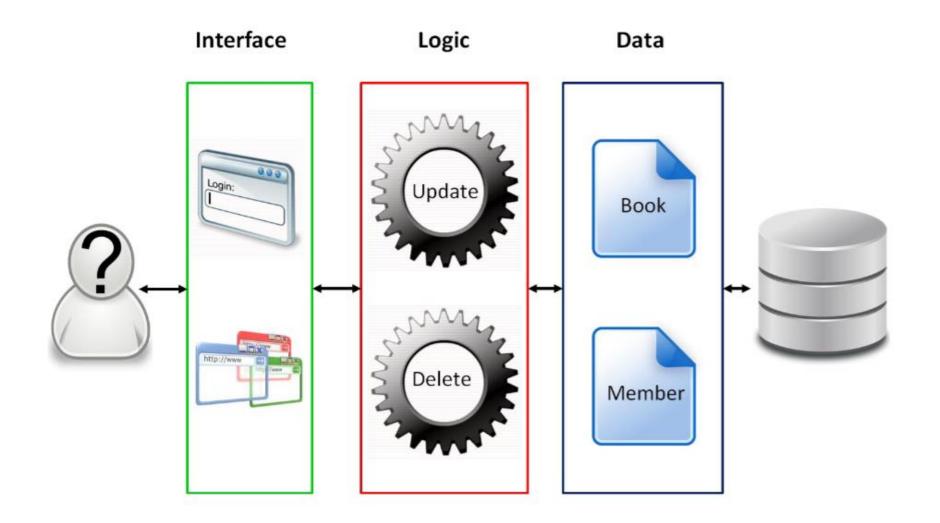
2.2 Java EE8 Specifications

- Created by the Java Community Process (JCP).
- Java SE for desktop apps, Java EE for enterprise, Java ME for embedded systems.
- Java EE has 28 specifications covering various enterprise services.



3. Creating an Application

- Applications consist of UI, business logic, and data layers.
- Example: A Library System to show interactions between these layers.



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4. Data Layer

- Handles persistent data using relational databases.
- JPA provides object-relational mapping for persistence.

4.1 JPA Overview

- JPA handles persistence via entities and manages data in relational databases.
- Includes components like Entity Manager API and JPQL for querying.
- Object Relational Mapping, which is the mechanism to map objects to data stored in the database.
- An Entity Manager API to perform database-related operations such as Create, Read, Update and Delete (CRUD) operations.
- The Java Persistence Query Language (JPQL), which allows users to query and retrieve data easily.

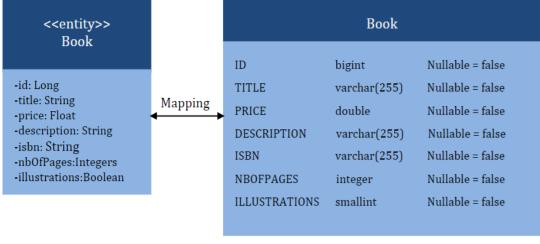
4.2 Understanding Entities

- Entities are persistent objects stored in databases.
- Annotations are used to customize entity-to-table mapping.

4.3 Creating Entity Class

- Example: Book entity class with attributes like title, price, and description.
- Use annotations like @Entity, @Id, and @Column for mapping.

```
@Entity(name = "Book")
public class BookEntity implements Serializable {
     @Id
     @GeneratedValue(strategy = GenerationType.AUTO)
     private long Id;
     @column(nullable = false)
     private String title;
     private Float price;
     @column(length = 2000)
     private String description;
     private String isbn;
     private Integer nbOfPage;
     private Boolean illustrations;
     private int CopyNumber;
     .......
}
```



4.4 Entity Manager

- Entity Manager manages database operations like CRUD.
- Uses persistence context to track and manage entity changes.

```
EntityManagerFactory emf = Persistence.createEntityManagerFactory("chapter02PU");
EntityManager em = emf.createEntityManager();
em.persist(book);
```

5. Logic Layer

- Contains business logic, implemented with Enterprise Java Beans (EJB).
- EJB simplifies database operations and scalability.

5.1 EJB Overview

- EJB encapsulates business logic for server-side applications.
- Manages persistence through the Entity Manager API.

5.2 EJB Container

- EJB Container provides services like transaction management and security.
- In Enterprise Java Bean technology, there is one component called the EJB Container, which is responsible for managing Enterprise JavaBeans.
- The following list is some of the important service:
 - Security
 - Transaction management
 - Remote accessibility
- Resource and life cycle management
- Clustering and load-balancing
- Concurrent requests support
- -It also ensures availability and scalability by managing bean instances dynamically.

5.3 Benefits of EJB

- Simplicity: Focus on business logic without worrying about infrastructure.
- Light-weight Client: Minimal client-side code required.
- Portability: Beans are portable and can be moved between servers.

5.4 Classifications of EJB

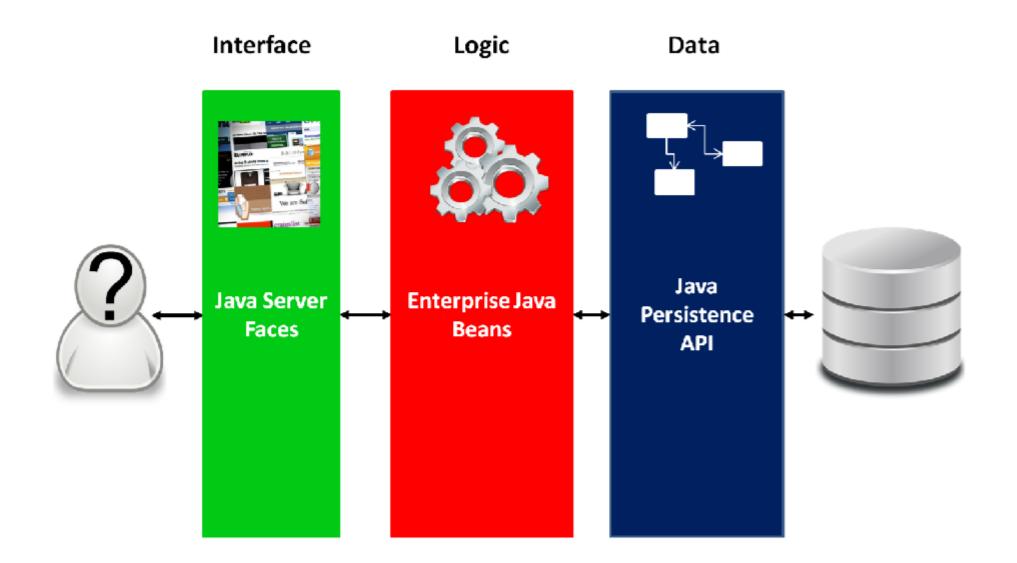
- Session Beans: Handle business logic (can be stateful or stateless).
- Message-Driven Beans: Process messages asynchronously.

5.5 Functionalities Provided by the Container

- Security: Role-based access control using annotations like @RolesAllowed.
- Transactions: Automatic rollback in case of failures.

6. Creating the Interface

- Java Server Faces (JSF) is used for building UI in web applications.
- JSF provides reusable components and libraries for UI development.



7. Conclusion

- Java EE simplifies the development of scalable enterprise systems.
- This chapter provides a basic guide to building enterprise applications.

Questions?