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Migrating to **Red Hat JBoss Middleware**

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Definition : "Middleware Migration"

Different <u>vendor</u> and / or major version

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Major technical upgrade of an application landscape, its runtime environments and life cycles without functional change.









• BENEFITS – Why migrating to JBoss Middleware?

• APPROACH – How to do it best?

• EXAMPLES - Customer success stories!

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Agenda



Why migrating?

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BENEFITS



WHY CHANGE? **Business Expectations become IT Challenges**



Go to market FAST

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- Deliver VALUE to the Business
- Build and manage with LIMITED RESOURCES



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WHY CHANGE? **Business Expectations become IT Challenges**



RISING COST OF STATUS QUO

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COMPLEXITY



There is hope: migrate to Red Hat JBoss Middleware



RE-BALANCE MAINTENANCE AND INNOVATION

REMOVE TECHNICAL DEBT & RISK

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BECOME MORE PRODUCTIVE



Balance Maintenance cost and Innovation JBOSS MIGRATION BENEFITS



- Lower TCO
 - Customer-friendly Subscription model, simple and flexible
 - Standardize, simplify, automate
 - Lower operational cost, higher productivity.
- Cloud ready at your pace
- Enable business innovation beyond the Application Server with the Red Hat JBoss Middleware Portfolio

Shift budgets from "keeping lights on" to innovation





Balance Maintenance cost and innovation JBOSS MIGRATION BENEFITS - COST

Use the JBoss EAP platform cost comparison calculator: Available at http://www.redhat.com/promo/eap_calculator/ 3 year cost comparison – license and support

- Fully customizable for your situation

Oracle IBM					
	Year 1		Year 2		
	IBM Websphere Application Server ND	JBoss Enterprise EAP Platform	IBM Websphere Aplication Server ND	JBoss Enterprise EAP Platform	IBM Websphere Application Server ND
Existing Processors	32	n/a	40	n/a	48
New Processors	8		8		8
Cores per Processor	4		4		4
Total Cores	160	160	192	192	224
IBM Value Units per Core *	100	n/a	100	n/a	100
New Value Units	3200		3200		3200
Total Value Units	16000		19200		22400
IBM List License Cost / Value Unit	\$202		\$202		\$202
License Discount	0%		0%		0%
Total License Costs	\$646,400		\$646,400		\$646,400
Production Support (% of License Net)	20%	n/a	20%	n/a	20%
Total Support Costs	\$517,120		\$646,400		\$775,680
Total License + Support -or- Subscription Cost	\$1,163,520	\$120,000	\$1,292,800	\$144,000	\$1,422,080
JBoss Savings per Year	\$1,043,520		\$1,148,80	0	\$1,254,080
JBoss Savings Over 3 Years	\$3,446,400				
JBoss Savings % Over 3 Years	89%				



*Values for IBM PVUs per core range from 50-120. The default is set for a middle-range processor which has 100 PVUs/core. When customizing, please be specific as to which processor you are using and adjust the PVU value accordingly

Disclaimer

Oracle/IBM prices are up-to-date as of January 19, 2014

- JBoss Enterprise Middleware pricing is for demonstration purposes only and DOES NOT constitute an official price quote. Red Hat reserves the right to change prices in this calculator without notice. JBoss Middleware pricing in this calculator does not include volume discounts. For an official quote with pricing customized for your business, please contact your Red Hat sales representative.
- · Calculator assumes the same number of cores/processor and same Oracle core factor or the same number of IBM Value Units per core for all years.
- IBM and Oracle pricing and support costs are derived from publicly available data. See above links for details.



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Balance Maintenance cost and innovation JBOSS MIGRATION BENEFITS - ROI

IDC Study - Financial benefits of moving from a proprietary platform to JBoss EAP

- IDC interviewed 6 large, US-based companies using JBoss EAP to develop and run custom applications for at least 12 months.
- Financial benefits experienced moving from IBM WebSphere and Oracle WebLogic to Red Hat JBoss EAP included:
 - **39% shorter development time** for new applications (avg. 16 weeks!)
 - 24% less developer hours per application
 - 65% less infrastructure costs supporting development
 - 89% less cost to manage
 - 51% more applications developed in 1 year
 - 569% ROI over 3 years, payback of initial investment in less than 6 months after deploying the platform



Study available at https://engage.redhat.com/content/jboss-eap-businessvalue-s-201401170935



Technical Debt and Risk JBOSS MIGRATION BENEFITS



- Reduce technical and business risks
 - Technology and framework updates, standard components
 - Security, audit-ability, maintainability, modularity, scalability
- new initiatives



Eliminate lock-in: embrace Open Source and open standards

Spend less time dealing with technical debt, focus energies on

Standardize and modernize applications for lower maintenance, integration cost and lower risk.



Productivity to develop, deploy and operate **JBOSS MIGRATION BENEFITS**



- Simplify and streamline application environments
 - Reduce operational complexity
 - -High degree of automation
 - -Infrastructure to support better process, not get in the way
- Enable business agility, align IT and business
 - Boost developer productivity
 - Cloud / DevOps / PaaS readiness

innovations that make a difference.



New apps and features faster, focus creative energies on







Productivity to develop, deploy and operate **JBOSS EAP ON OPENSHIFT BENEFITS**

Calculate the business benefits and impacts of PaaS:

- Accelerated application development
- Automated application provisioning and config
- Web-scale application operations
- Increased hardware utilization efficiency



Results

OpenShift Enterprise by Red Hat, as an on-premise private PaaS solution, provides an automated, self-service platform for application environment ng, hosting and scaling. This allows IT teams to more easily meet the growing demand for new application services coming from the business The Results table below shows the potential savings and benefits you can achieve from implementing the OpenShift Enterprise by Red Hat solution over

Three Year Benefits with OpenShift Enterprise by Red Hat: \$103,940,976

HOW WILL THESE SAVINGS BE ALLOCATED?

The OpenShift Enterprise by Red Hat can improve application development efficiency. Indicate what percentage of these savings should be applied to reduce application development costs, versus used to develop more applications

REDUCE	INCREASE APPLICAT
DEVELOPMENT COSTS	DEVELOPMENT

THREE YEAR RESULTS Click on the links to view details

Three Year Results	Benefits with OpenShift Enterprise Solution		
Application Development Savings	\$4,758,222	10.0%	
System Configuration Savings	\$72,870,318	85.0%	
Systems Management Savings	\$19,661,580	25.0%	
Application Acceleration Benefits	\$3,025,817	45.0%	
Additional Application Benefits	\$2,353,384	N/A	
IT Capital Cost Savings	\$1,271,655	22.0%	
Total	\$103,940,976	46.3%	

Accelerate Application Delivery by 45.0%

Reduce Application Development Costs by

\$4,758,222

Lower System Configuration Costs by \$72,870,318

Improve Resource Utilization by

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Customize to your own situation and download report:



https://www.openshift.com/enterprise-paas/paas-demo-and-benefits-estimator







Migrations to JBoss Middleware Red Hat's Catalyzers



Red Hat JBoss Migration Toolkit

A Overview O Compatible Files O EJBs O Server Resources	🔊 Tattletale 🔹 About		
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Migrations to JBoss Middleware Red Hat's Catalyzers

Red Hat JBoss Migration Toolkit



Collaboration, Sharing, Knowledge

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Red Hat JBoss Migration Toolkit



Collaboration, Sharing, Knowledge



Methodology and Approach



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PROVEN APPROACH

How to?



Expect answers today!

- How many man-days do I need to migrate all my applications?

What is the best approach to identify and mitigate migration risks?

What are the biggest time-savers and catalysts for a migration?



Common Migration Challenges

MoNSTeR application

- Huge and monolithic
- Historically grown
- Tightly coupled
- Poorly documented
- Customized standards
- Horrifying tech. debt
- Highly tuned
- Company critical
- "Do not touch" sticker



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- Dr. Frankenstein (SME) no longer in-house
- Missing knowledge of the target platform
- Technical and business releases combined
- Weak automation across the app. life-cycle
- No automated tests, low coverage





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Enterprise Class Challenges



- Very heterogenous implementations across enterprise
 - Java 3, 4, 5, 6, 7
 - No standard: any version of any imaginable framework - Customized version of the above
- Too many tightly coupled applications
 - Hard to define a migration strategy (big bang vs. pragmatic)
 - Effort to estimate itself takes too much time
 - Unknowns creates fear to get started
- Impact on the whole application life-cycle Development \rightarrow Build \rightarrow Test \rightarrow Operations







Scope of a migration

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Application code



Infrastructure hardware + virtualization + C



Processes application life-cycle, build, configuration, deployment, provisioning, DevOps, environments, test, integration, continuity *, monitoring ...



Knowledge

hardware + virtualization + OS + JVM + application container



Core recommendation

Involve Red Hat JBoss expertise before it gets purely technical ...



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... to make your migrations low-risk, predictable and efficient.







Migration Good Practices – Top 3



Information sharing based on a central collaborative platform <u>Least effort</u>: no issue solved twice, no question asked twice



Reuse, automate, standardize as much as possible

- infrastructure, environment, dependencies, processes, operations
- strategy for software versioning and revision control
- functional and non-functional tests



Minimalist and pragmatic methodology



- <u>As few changes as possible to get a running functionally identical application</u>







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Collaboration and Information Sharing

- Establish one living collaborative documentation platform:
 - central entry point for the migration
 - significant catalyst and time-saver
 - exhaustive, concise, comprehensive and accurate documentation

 easy to browse and to search (tagged content, lean structure)







Collaboration Content – Example

- Step-by-Step Migration Guide
- Migration Cookbook Thematic collection of "How-to" and "Known-solution" recipes Recipe = article ("issue", "resolution", "learn more")
- Platform FAQ Learning fast and more about the new platform
- Pilot changes Description of all changes done to specific projects

Comprehensive and pragmatic approach to migrate an application from scratch









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Automation: Wind-up your applications

Windup = open source reverse-engineering tool generating top-down HTML report foreseeing migration changes

- upgrade applications to Red Hat JBoss EAP \rightarrow Application complexity not taken into account.
- Decompiles and analyzes specific packages and files \rightarrow No source code required. Only the JAR / WAR / EAR files.
- Rule-based estimation, listing potential changes for the migration



Shows a holistic picture of the Level of Effort in story points needed to migrate or



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Windup – Usage Example

Some generated HTML reports ...

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- Migrate WebLogic ApplicationLifecycleEvent to standard EJB with JBoss EAP
- Java EE ServletContextEvent JavaDoc
- WebLogic custom ApplicationLifecycleEvent Documentation

Use-cases

- Migration assessment
 - → Identify critical issues
 - \rightarrow Do estimates
 - → Build application clusters
 - \rightarrow Select pilots
- Exhaustive migration support
- Extend with new/custom rules
 - Linking collaboration platform
 - Specific pattern detection



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Migration Methodology







Migration Assessment





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Migration





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Migration Assessment



Analysis

- infrastructure, architecture, technologies and application landscape dependencies, interfaces, non-functional constraints
- knowledge, processes and life-cycles

Definition

Report and management presentation

- Feasibility and early identification of potential risks (PoC)
- Migration plan draft and gross estimates













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Assessment Time Plan – Example







Proofs of Concepts

- How
 - Isolate and solve previously identified technical risk
 - Focus on feasibility and documentation no (pilot) application migrated
- Why
 - Risk mitigation Find and crack the hardest nuts first!
 - Prepare and seed the target infrastructure
- Examples
 - Replacement strategy for proprietary code and libs (OS native, WebSphere, Weblogic...) Integration with 3rd party components (WebSphere TAM, TAI, LogFaces...)

 - Infrastructure, management, provisioning, monitoring and security implementations













- How
 - Finalize the infrastructure (CI/CD/PaaS)
 - Define application clusters / types
 - Select representative applications
 - Technically migrate and document
 - Move applications through their life-cycle
- Why
 - Sharpen estimates and minimize risks
 - Prepare large-scale migrations (infrastructure, processes, documentation)





Pilot





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Plan and Prepare

- Define the migration execution strategy
- Make estimates based on ... Assessment / Windup reports / Proof of Concept / Pilot
- Refine the project plan
- Finalize all preparations Structured documentation / Guidance / Knowledge transfer



Phases / Order / Teams / Documentation / Code / Infrastructure / Processes





- Developer and administrator enablement courses 1. Understanding the new Application Platform 2. Using the new infrastructure (PaaS) 3. Migrating your applications
- Step-by-step application migration
- Dedicated technical support





Execution



Continuous improvement loop: infrastructure, standards, documentation (DevOps)

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- 1. Initial server configuration
- 2. Pre-emptive changes
 - ... use Windup report, migration guide, Java standards ...
- 3. Iterative deployments and modifications until the application runs ... do as few changes as possible, document all changes
- 4. Optional changes a. Standardization / Cloudification b. Framework updates / Refactoring / Optimizations
- 5. Staging, quality and functional as non-functional tests

6. Go-live





Step-by-Step Migration







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EXAMPLES

Customer successes...

Some JBoss Migration Customers



50-60% cost savings; increased performance, deployment speed, streamlined processes; faster development cycles, improved security



Replaced aging and costly IT infrastructure. Scale to growth and respond agilely to changing market dynamics. Improved reliability and scalability, cut costs, new financial services and products to market faster



More flexibility at lower cost, better separation of Dev and Ops considerations, save time deploying, provisioning, managing. WebLogic to JBoss EAP



Saved 50%+ by migrating Gained flexibility, accommodate new customer requests faster Free from HW and SW lock-in



Saves \$4 million annually in licensing and maintenance fees, improved developer productivity, reduced time to market



Reduced cost, developer workload and time-to-market, faster provisioning, optimized operations, high automation. Approx. 600 Java applications. EAP, Data Services, **OpenShift** (POC).

http://customers.redhat.com/



Customer Story: Dienst Uitvoering Onderwijs (DUO)

- Executive agency of the Dutch ministry of education
- Finances and informs all participants in education
- Manages student grants and loans
- Organizes examinations
- 2700 employees, over 500 IT specialists



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Migration motivation

- IBM WebSphere costs too high
- Update to Java EE 6
- Unsatisfied business needs: quality and time-to-market



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Selection Criteria

- Functional Java EE 6 certified full profile with management tooling
- Support Enterprise-class support with a long life-cycle
- Experience Proven platform with many relevant public references
- Cost Lower cost than WebSphere, free version available



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Scope





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Migration Roadmap

- Phase 1 (2014) Preparation Phase
 - Migration assessment
 - Proof of Concepts
 - Pilot projects
 - Preparation, planning and documentation
- Phase 2 (2015/2016) Large scale migration
 - Enablement workshops for developers
 - Application migration and dedicated support
 - Improvement loop: infrastructure, standards, documentation

• End of 2016 – IBM WebSphere decommissioned



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Experience so far ...

- Catalyzed migration, high-quality outcome
 - Standardized and automated everything
 - Paradigm shift to DevOps and PaaS
 - Early involved Red Hat knowledge and expertise
- Financially scalable model
- Flexible choice of products and suppliers (no lock-in)
- Business department is excited!



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Wrap-up









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