

~~When~~ Camel meets CDI

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Goals

- Determine state of DI support in Camel
- Possible extension points to use
- Transition from Spring to CDI
- Show running CDI + Camel application

Who am I?

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Camel + Red Hat



Brief introduction – CDI, JSR-299

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- Built on top of JSR-330
- Package javax.inject
 - @Inject
 - @Named
 - @Qualifier
 - @Scope
 - @Singleton
 - Provider<T>

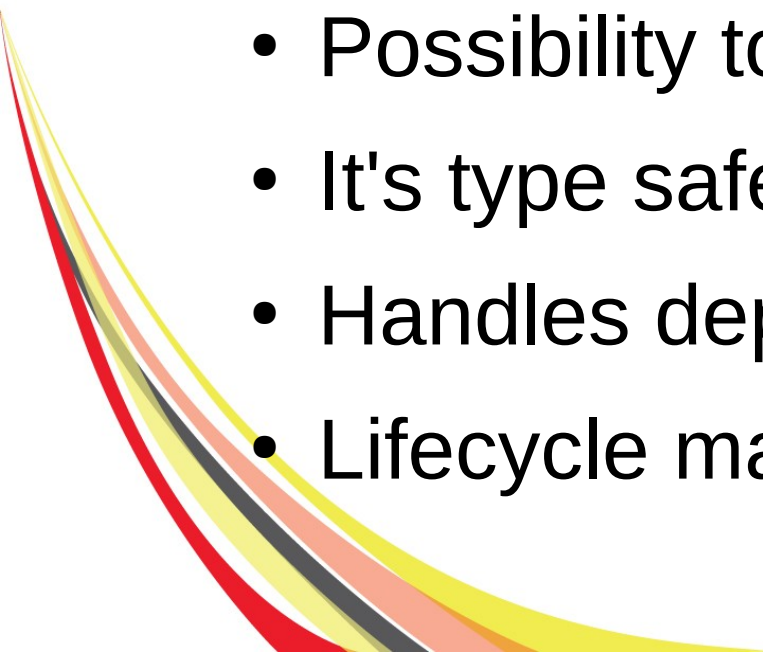
Brief introduction – CDI cont.

```
@WebServlet("/greeting.do")
public class GreetingServlet extends HttpServlet {

    @Inject
    private Greeter greeter;

    @Override
    protected void doGet(HttpServletRequest req, HttpServletResponse resp)
        throws ServletException, IOException {
        resp.getWriter().write(
            greeter.greet(req.getParameter("who")))
        );
    }
}
```

Brief introduction – CDI cont.

- CDI contains more elements specific to full featured DI container
 - Stereotypes
 - Application/Session/Request Scope
 - Bean Registry*
 - Possibility to implement own scopes
 - It's type safe by definition
 - Handles dependent beans creation
 - Lifecycle management with JSR-250
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Brief introduction – CDI cont.

- Discovery of beans rely on presence of beans.xml file in META-INF or WEB-INF
- Container discovers beans automatically
- CDI is extensible
 - Extension interface
 - META-INF/services entry

Support for Dependency Injection in Camel



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Some pictures for fun



Back to Camel



Support for DI in Camel cont.

- Registry
- Injector

Registry

- ▼ **I** Registry
 - `lookup(String) : Object`
 - `lookup(String, Class <T>) <T> : T`
 - `lookupByType(Class <T>) <T> : Map<String, T>`

Core Registries

- CompositeRegistry
- SimpleRegistry
- JndiRegistry
- PropertyPlaceholderDelegateRegistry

3rd Party Registries

- `ApplicationContextRegistry`
- `BlueprintContainerRegistry`
- `OsgiServiceRegistry`
- `CdiBeanRegistry`



Injector

▼ I Injector

- newInstance(Class<T>) <T> : T
- newInstance(Class<T>, Object) <T> : T

Core Injectors

- ReflectionInjector
- DefaultInjector

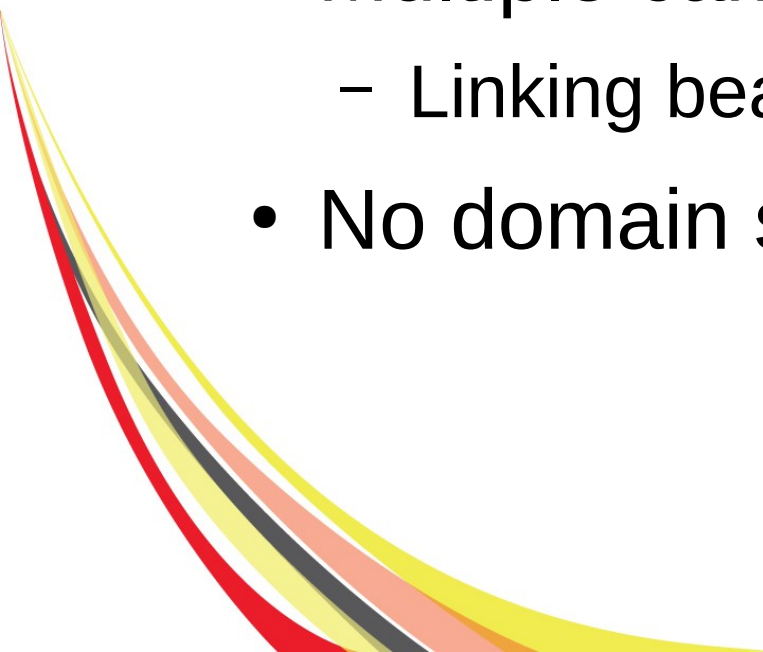
3rd party injectors

- SpringInjector
- GuiceInjector
- CdiInjector

Transition from Spring to CDI



Transition from Spring to CDI

- No `ApplicationContext` instance
 - How do I get bean from it?
 - No pre/post processors
 - `CamelContextAware`
 - Multiple camel contexts
 - Linking beans with camel contexts
 - No domain specific namespaces
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How do I get bean

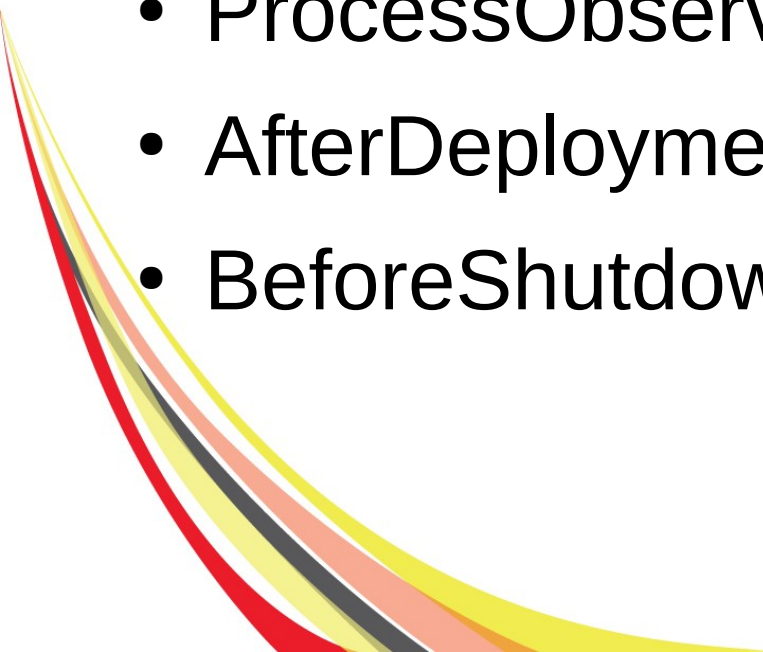
- Use Apache DeltaSpike BeanProvider class:
 - `getContextualReference(String) = Object`
 - `getContextualReference(Class<T>) = T`
 - `getBeanDefinition(Class<T>) = Set<Bean<T>>`
 - `getContextualReferences(Class<T>) = List<T>`



CamelContextAware

```
protected void contextAwareness(@Observes ProcessAnnotatedType<CamelContextAware> process)
    throws Exception {
    AnnotatedType<CamelContextAware> annotatedType = process.getAnnotatedType();
    Class<CamelContextAware> javaClass = annotatedType.getJavaClass();
    if (CamelContextAware.class.isAssignableFrom(javaClass)) {
        Method method = javaClass.getMethod("setCamelContext", CamelContext.class);
        AnnotatedTypeBuilder<CamelContextAware> builder = new AnnotatedTypeBuilder<CamelContextAware>()
            .readFromType(javaClass)
            .addToMethod(method, new InjectLiteral());
        process.setAnnotatedType(builder.create());
    }
}
```

Events

- BeforeBeanDiscovery
 - AfterBeanDiscovery
 - ProcessBean
 - ProcessInjectionTarget
 - ProcessObserverMethod
 - AfterDeploymentValidation
 - BeforeShutdown
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Linking beans

```
@ContextName("contextD")  
public class RoutesContextD extends RouteBuilder {  
      
    @Inject @Uri("seda:D.a")  
    Endpoint a;  
      
    @EndpointInject(uri = "mock:D.b")  
    MockEndpoint b;  
      
    @Inject @Uri("seda:D.a")  
    ProducerTemplate producer;  
      
    @Override  
    public void configure() throws Exception {  
        from(a).to(b);  
    }  
}
```

Demo application



Common problems



Problems ...

- Domination of Spring style DI
- Multiple contexts vs simplicity of extension
- Magic done inside Camel
- Configuring Camel Context bean

TODO

- Support for discovering
 - Intercept Strategies
 - Event Notifiers
 - Executors
 - Resolvers
- Transactional services without spring-tx

Any questions?



Thank you for coming!

