



OSGi + Plain Old Maven



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Honestly... I hate Maven | Virgo's Naive Stories

<https://virgo47.wordpress.com/2011/03/07/honestly-i-hate-maven/> ▼

Honestly... I **hate Maven**. March 7, 2011 17 Comments. And I don't give a damn that I don't know it good enough. Why "good enough" in Maven is so difficult ...



"I hate osgi"



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Ricardo Argüello on Twitter: "I hate OSGi."

<https://twitter.com/ricardoarguello/status/608692105653940224> ▼

Jun 10, 2015 - Ricardo Argüello · @ricardoarguello. Un pesimista feliz. Quito, Ecuador. Joined November 2008. Tweets. © 2018 Twitter; About · Help Center ...

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W OSGi n be not so great..

Increase in any 3rd party library integration (like a tax).

Local development turnaround productivity is relatively poor (MVN).

Ask anyone who ever had a SingleFeatureTest (SFT) failure? ;)

It's basically just re-creating a "niche" in the overall Java ecosystem. Check SO.

This costs us real productivity and money overhead, IMHO.





About me

- OpenHab community member
 - BacNet binding
 - Basic karaf support
 - Eclipse Smarthome security
- Java consultant

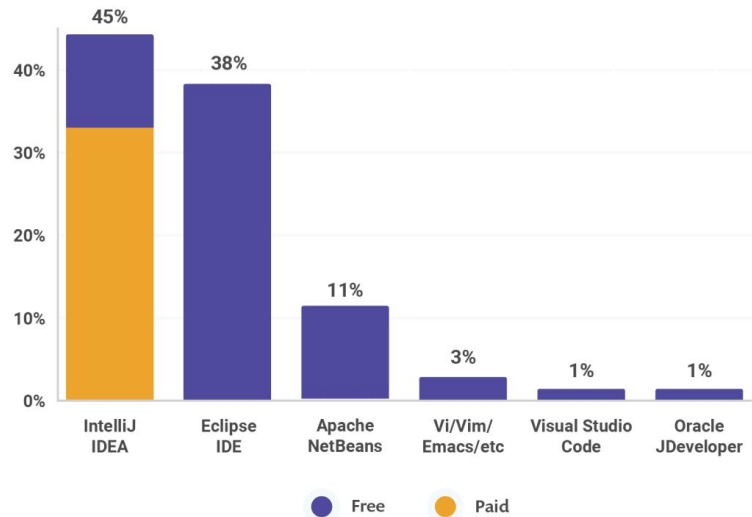


Few words about world

How does it look a like outside

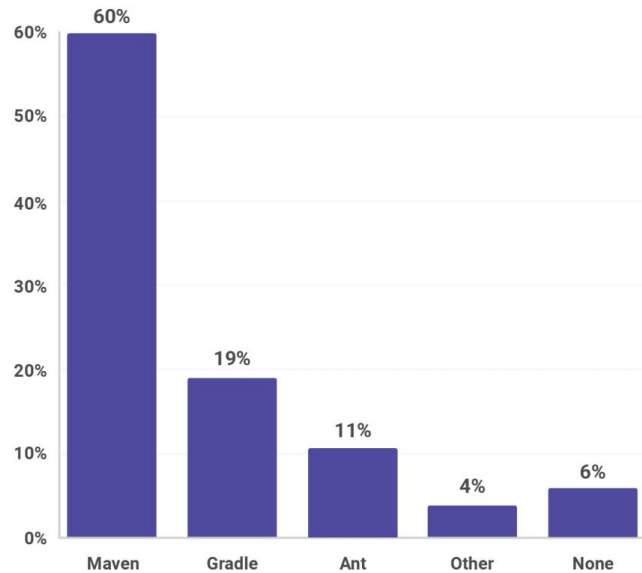


Tool usage



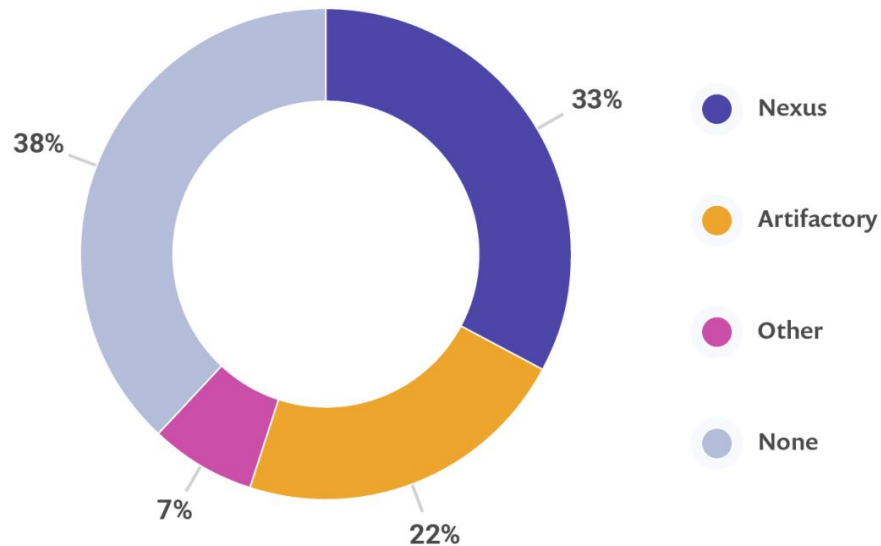


Build tools



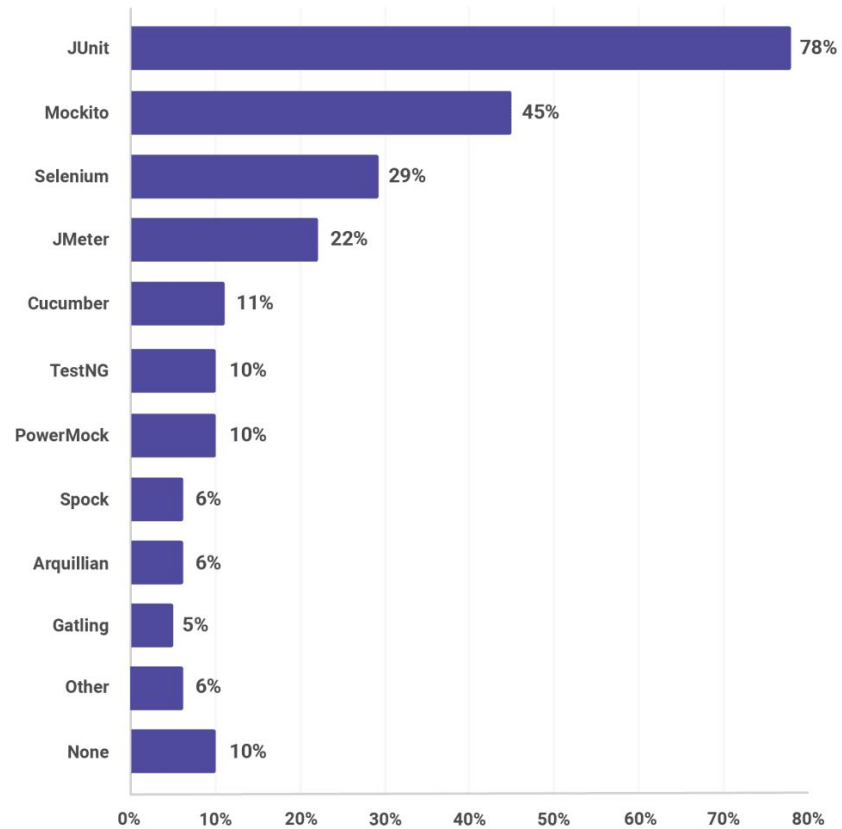


Artifact repositories



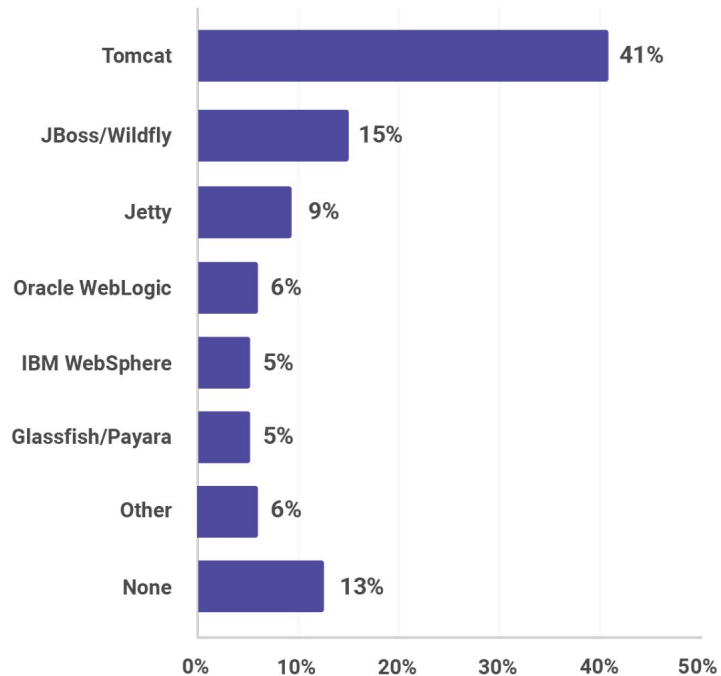


Testing tools





Runtimes





OSGi is not classified in runtimes

- Some of server runtimes can run OSGi
- OSGi can be run inside a WAR
- There are a lot of people who knows Maven, Tomcat, IntelliJ and Eclipse



Ecosystem

- Manifest is useless outside OSGi world
- You need dependency information to compile your project
- Having them in POM allows others to be in sync with them
- BOM - bill of materials pom to import entire dependency management



Issues with Tycho

- There is no offline mode
- Stability of build is questionable
- Slower than normal maven
- "Useless" P2 metadata for primary scenario
- Manually maintained manifest
- Lack of integration with standard repos
- No dependency integration for maven users



#include

```
<dependencyManagement>  
  <dependency>  
    <groupId>org.eclipse.smarthome</groupId>  
    <artifactId>smarthome</artifactId>  
    <version>0.10.0-SNAPSHOT</version>  
    <scope>import</scope>  
    <type>pom</type>  
  </dependency>  
</dependencyManagement>
```

**Any Java developer can be
productive with our OSGi stack.**

**Better support for standard tools,
less complains.**

Manifest is just another resource



Manifest is just another resource

- Regardless of its importance for OSGi - it is just another descriptor
- Common practice is to generate descriptors from sources/annotations
- Maintaining manifest is waste of time which kills productivity



Manifest is just another resource

- Eclipse PDE
- Maven + Tycho
- any other reason ... ?



How to generate SCR

```
<plugin>
  <groupId>org.apache.felix</groupId>
  <artifactId>maven-scr-plugin</artifactId>
  <configuration>
    <specVersion>1.1</specVersion>
  </configuration>
  <executions>
    <execution>
      <id>generate-scr-scrdescriptor</id>
      <goals>
        <goal>scr</goal>
      </goals>
    </execution>
  </executions>
```



How to generate manifest

```
<packaging>bundle</packaging>
<!-- ... -->
<plugin>
  <groupId>org.apache.felix</groupId>
  <artifactId>maven-bundle-plugin</artifactId>
  <configuration>
    <instructions>
      <Export-Package>org.foo.myproject.api</Export-Package>
      <Private-Package>org.foo.myproject.*</Private-Package>
      <Bundle-Activator>org.foo.myproject.impl1.Activator</Bundle-Activator>
    </instructions>
  </configuration>
</plugin>
```



Manifest defaults

Bundle-SymbolicName: \${project.groupId}.\${project.artifactId}

Bundle-Version: \${project.version}

Bundle-Name: \${project.name}

Bundle-Description: \${project.description}

Bundle-Vendor: \${project.organization.name}

Bundle-License: \${project.license*.url}

Import-Package: *



Enhanced settings

```
<properties>
  <bundle.namespace>${project.groupId}.${project.artifactId}</bundle.namespace>
  <osgi.import>
    !${bundle.namespace},*
  </osgi.import>
  <osgi.export>
    !${bundle.namespace}.internal.*,
    ${bundle.namespace}.*
  </osgi.export>
  <osgi.private>${bundle.namespace}.internal.*</osgi.private>
</properties>
```



Enhanced settings cd.

```
<configuration>
  <instructions>
    <Import-Package>${osgi.import}</Import-Package>
    <Export-Package>${osgi.export}</Export-Package>
    <Private-Package>${osgi.private}</Private-Package>
    <_removeHeaders>
      Import-Service, Export-Service,
      Include-Resource, Private-Package,
      Embed-Dependency
    </_removeHeaders>
  </instructions>
</configuration>
```



Deployment

How to bring bundles to runtime



Pax URL

- By default Java runtime supports following URI schemes:
 - http[s]:
 - file:
- OSGi framework can provide own (ie. bundle:)
- Pax URL provides:
 - wrap:
 - classpath:
 - mvn:
 - and few more (exploded dir and similar)



Deploy bundle

- install mvn:org.code-house.osgi/api
- install mvn:org.code-house.osgi/api/LATEST
- install mvn:org.code-house.osgi/api/RELEASE
- install mvn:org.code-house.osgi/api/1.0.0
- install mvn:org.code-house.osgi/api/1.0.0/jar
- install mvn:org.code-house.osgi/api/1.0.0/tests/jar



Testing

OSGi + Tests = mess

OSGi -> junit -> test

junit -> OSGi -> test

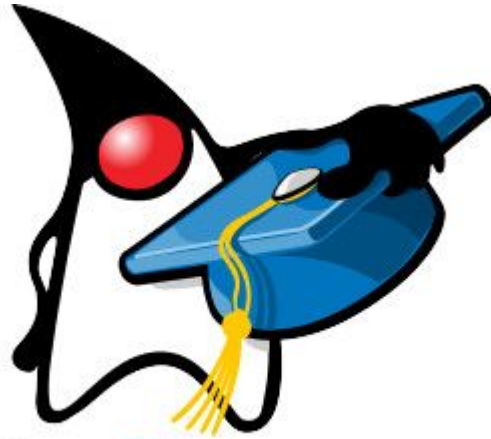


Arquillian





Pax Exam



PaxExam



Exam containers

- OSGi
- Karaf
- Tomcat
- Weld
- JBoss / Wildfly 8 / Wildfly 9



Example test

```
@RunWith(PaxExam.class)
@ExamReactorStrategy(PerMethod.class)
public class ExampleIntegrationTest {
    @Configuration public Option[] config() {
        return options(junitBundles());
    }
    @Test ...
}
```



Felix Connect

- Emulates OSGi framework
 - Activators
 - Service lookups
 - Bundles and classloaders
- Perfect candidate for unit testing based on maven classpath



Felix Connect

```
String bundleFilter = "(&(Bundle-SymbolicName=*)!(Bundle-SymbolicName=org.osgi.*))";  
List<BundleDescriptor> descriptors = new ClasspathScanner().scanForBundles(bundleFilter, loader);  
  
// setup felix-connect to use our bundles  
Map<String, Object> config = new HashMap<>();  
config.put(PojoServiceRegistryFactory.BUNDLE_DESCRIPTOR, bundles);  
PojoServiceRegistry reg = new PojoServiceRegistryFactoryImpl().newPojoServiceRegistry(config);  
BundleContext bundleContext = reg.getBundleContext();
```



JUnit 5





AssertJ

```
// entry point for all assertThat methods and utility methods (e.g. entry)
import static org.assertj.core.api.Assertions.*;

// basic assertions
assertThat(frodo.getName()).isEqualTo("Frodo");
assertThat(frodo).isNotEqualTo(sauron);
```



Demo time