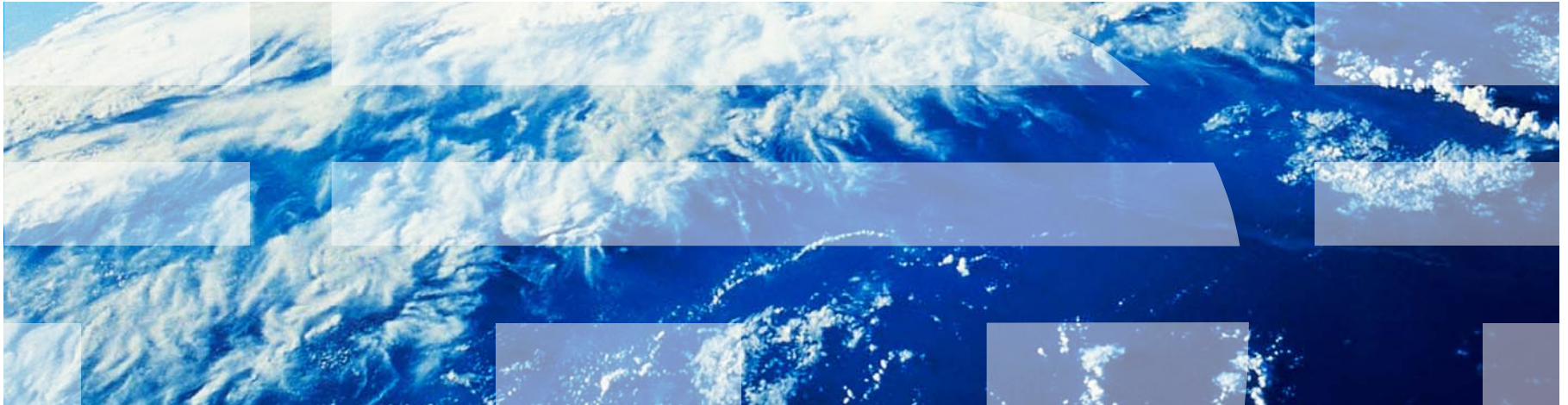


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Cast Iron adapter – Communicating with Cast Iron



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Using this module

- This module is relevant if you have IBM WebSphere® Cast Iron® live, or some Cast Iron environment that is set up.

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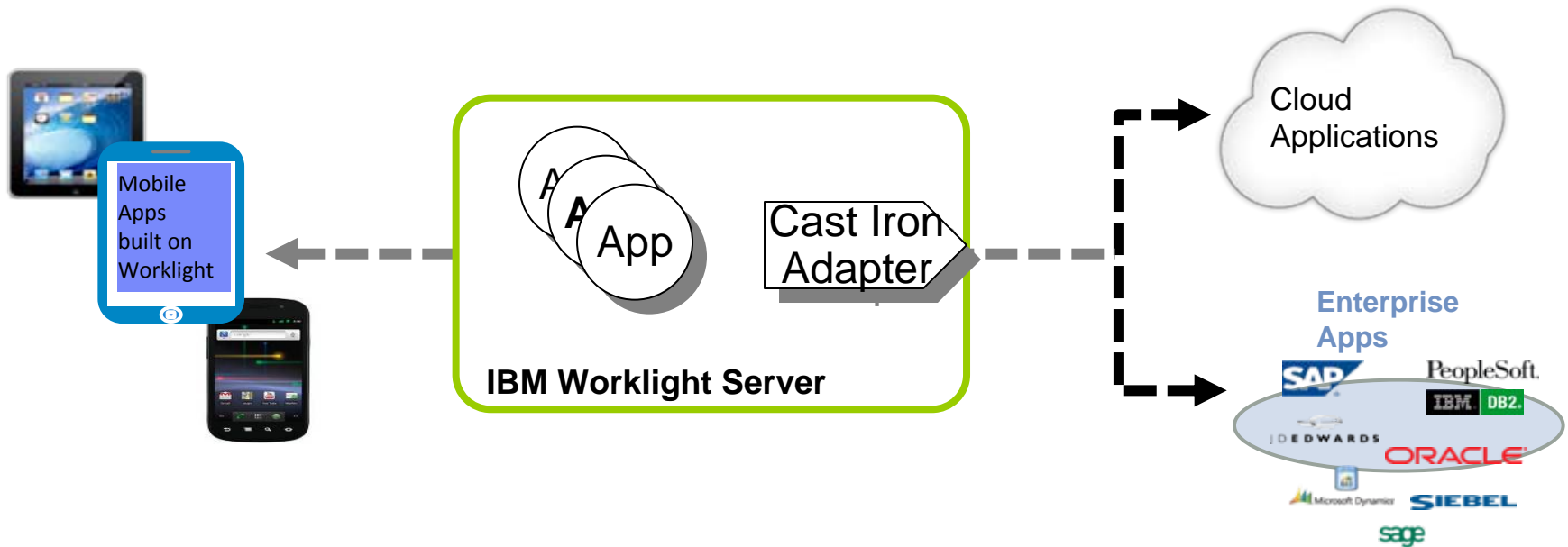
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What is it?

- IBM WebSphere Cast Iron enables companies to integrate applications, whether the applications are located on-premise or in public or private clouds.
- WebSphere Cast Iron provides an approach to integrating applications that does not require any programming knowledge.
- You can build integration flows in WebSphere Cast Iron Studio, which is a graphical development environment that is installed on a personal computer.
 - With Cast Iron Studio, you create an integration project that contains one or more *orchestrations*. Each orchestration is built with a number of activities that define the flow of data.
- IBM Worklight® contains a Cast Iron Adapter type to integrate with WebSphere Cast Iron.

What is it? – continued

- A Worklight Cast Iron adapter initiates orchestrations in Cast Iron to retrieve and return data to mobile clients.



For more information about Cast Iron, see:

<http://www.redbooks.ibm.com/redpapers/pdfs/redp4840.pdf>

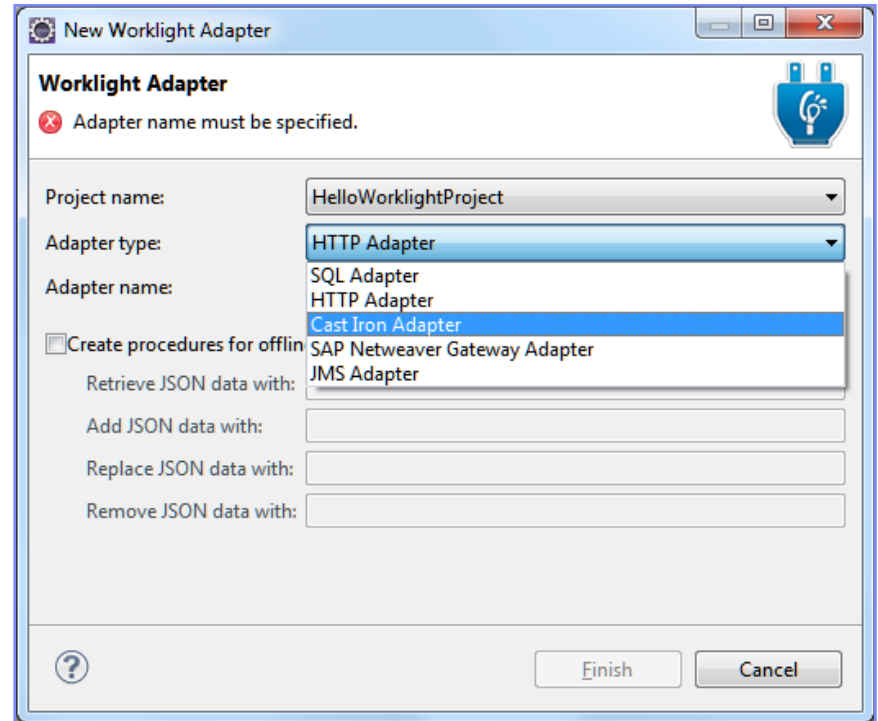
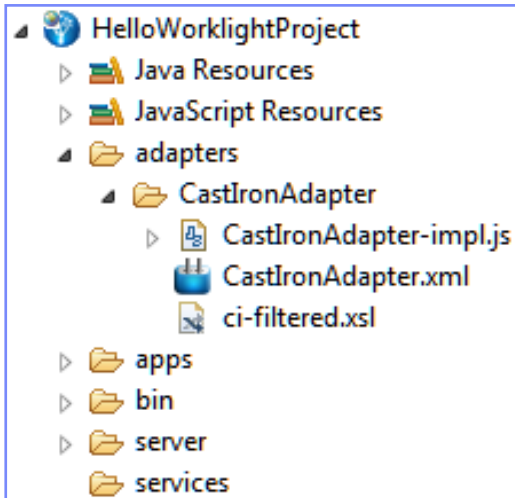
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Creating the adapter

- In Worklight Studio, create a Worklight Adapter.
 - Choose the Cast Iron Adapter type.
 - A standard Cast Iron adapter structure is created:



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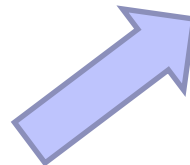
JS File: Procedure implementation

- Procedures are implemented in the adapter JavaScript™ file.
- Procedure names in the JavaScript file must be the same as in the XML file.
- Required invocation parameters are `method`, `appName`, `requestType`, `path`, and `returnedContentType`.
- An optional invocation parameter, `transformation`, has the subparameters `type` and `xslfile`.
- Procedures can be parameterized at run-time.

```
<connectivity>
  <connectionPolicy xsi:type="http:HTTPConnect
    <protocol>http</protocol>
    <domain>your.CastIron.com</domain>
    <port>80</port>
  </connectionPolicy>
  <loadConstraints maxConcurrentConnectionsPer
</connectivity>

<procedure name="startOrchestration"/>
<procedure name="startOrchestrationFiltered"/>
```

Procedure XML file



```
function startOrchestration(orchestrationName){
  var input = {
    method : 'get',
    appName : 'myApp',
    requestType: 'http',
    path : orchestrationName,
    returnedContentType : 'xml'
  };
  return WL.Server.invokeCastIron(input);
}
```

Procedure JavaScript file

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JS File: Procedure implementation

- To invoke a Cast Iron request, use the `WL.Server.invokeCastIron` API method.
- Provide an input parameters object.
- Specify:
 - The HTTP method: `get` or `post`.
 - The application name.
 - The request type.
 - The service path.
 - The returned content type: XML, JSON, HTML, or plain.
 - The transformation type (optional).
- For a complete list of invocation options, see the IBM Worklight user documentation.

```
function startOrchestration(orchestrationName){  
    var input = {  
        method : 'get',  
        appName : 'myApp',  
        requestType: 'http',  
        path : orchestrationName,  
        returnedContentType : 'xml'  
    };  
    return WL.Server.invokeCastIron(input);  
}
```

Creating the adapter – continued

XSL file: Transformation filters

- An XSL transformation can be applied to the received data.
- It can be used to filter received data.
- To apply, specify the transformation options in the procedure invocation input parameters.

```
function startOrchestrationFiltered(orchestrationName){  
  
    var input = {  
        method : 'get',  
        appName : 'myApp',  
        requestType: 'http',  
        path : orchestrationName,  
        returnedContentType : 'xml',  
        transformation : {  
            type : 'xslFile',  
            xslFile : 'ci-filtered.xsl'  
        }  
    };  
  
    return WL.Server.invokeCastIron(input);  
}
```

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