



# Java SE Language Features : Today and Tomorrow

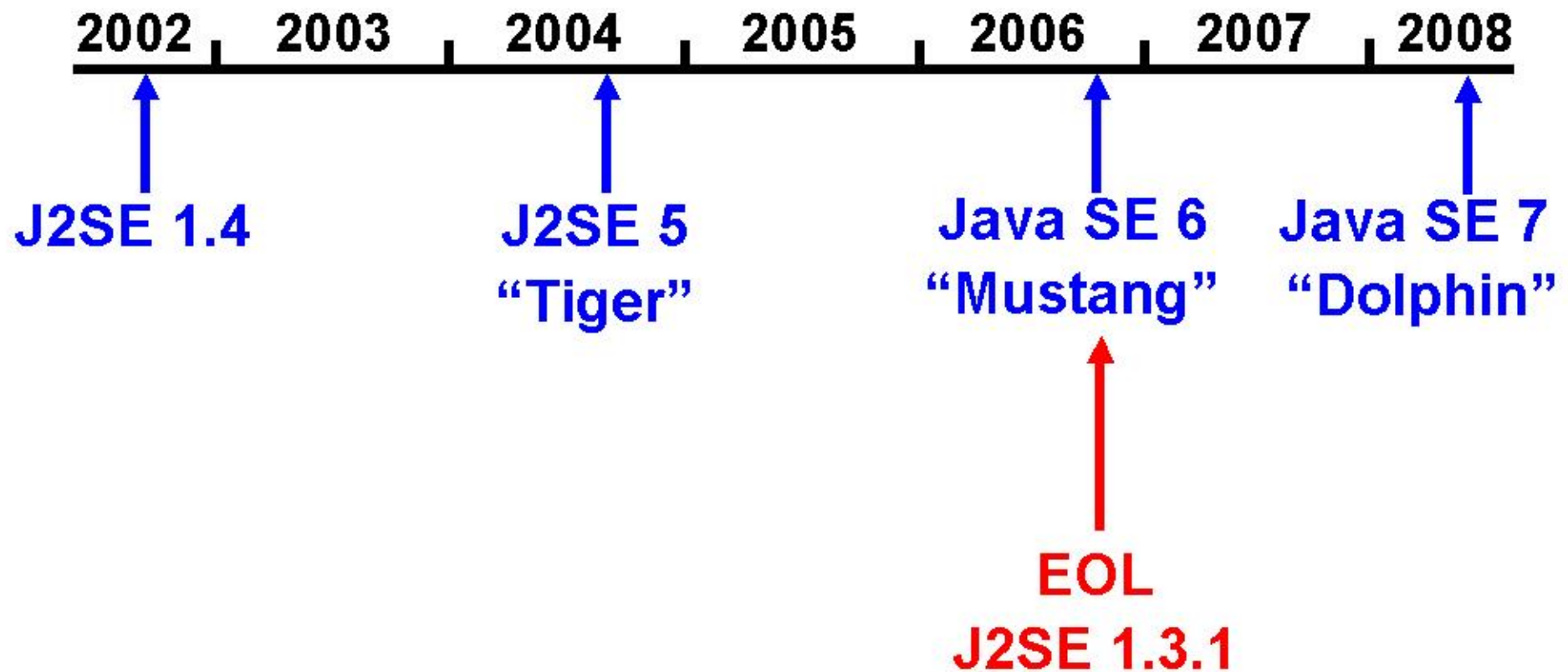
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- Why switch to Java SE 5 / Java SE 6 ?
- New Features in Java SE 6
- What about Java SE 7?
- Resources and Summary

# Java SE road map



|       |           |            |
|-------|-----------|------------|
| 1.4.0 | Merlin    | 2002/2/13  |
| 1.4.1 | Hopper    | 2002/10/16 |
| 1.4.2 | Mantis    | 2003/5/29  |
| 5.0   | Java SE 5 | 2004/9/30  |
| 6     | Java SE 6 | 2006/10    |
| 7     | Java SE 7 | 2008/H2    |

No more maintenance releases (5.1, 6.1, ...)  
Update releases every 8–16 weeks (latest: 5.0u9)

JMX<sup>T</sup> BigDecimal z-ordering jstat  
RMI dynamic proxies updates Generics Gnome Skins jps  
JDBC<sup>TM</sup> Rowsets Autoboxing extended for loop  
faster startup jconsole printf JVM<sup>TM</sup> sharing  
synth L&F SAX 2.0 Concurrency utilities  
Unicode Surrogates importing constants OpenGL  
IP reachability Ocean L&F SASL performance XAWT  
unsynchronized StringBuffer DOM 3 improved cookie support  
XML Schema apt fatal error handlers JVM Monitoring  
Stack trace API Remote JMX improved footprint  
varargs swing printing AMD64 Enumerated types  
XDnD Packed JARs metadata OCSP  
scanning JVMPI Profiling New Memory Model  
performance ergonomics

# It's Time to Upgrade!

Tiger is *Everywhere*

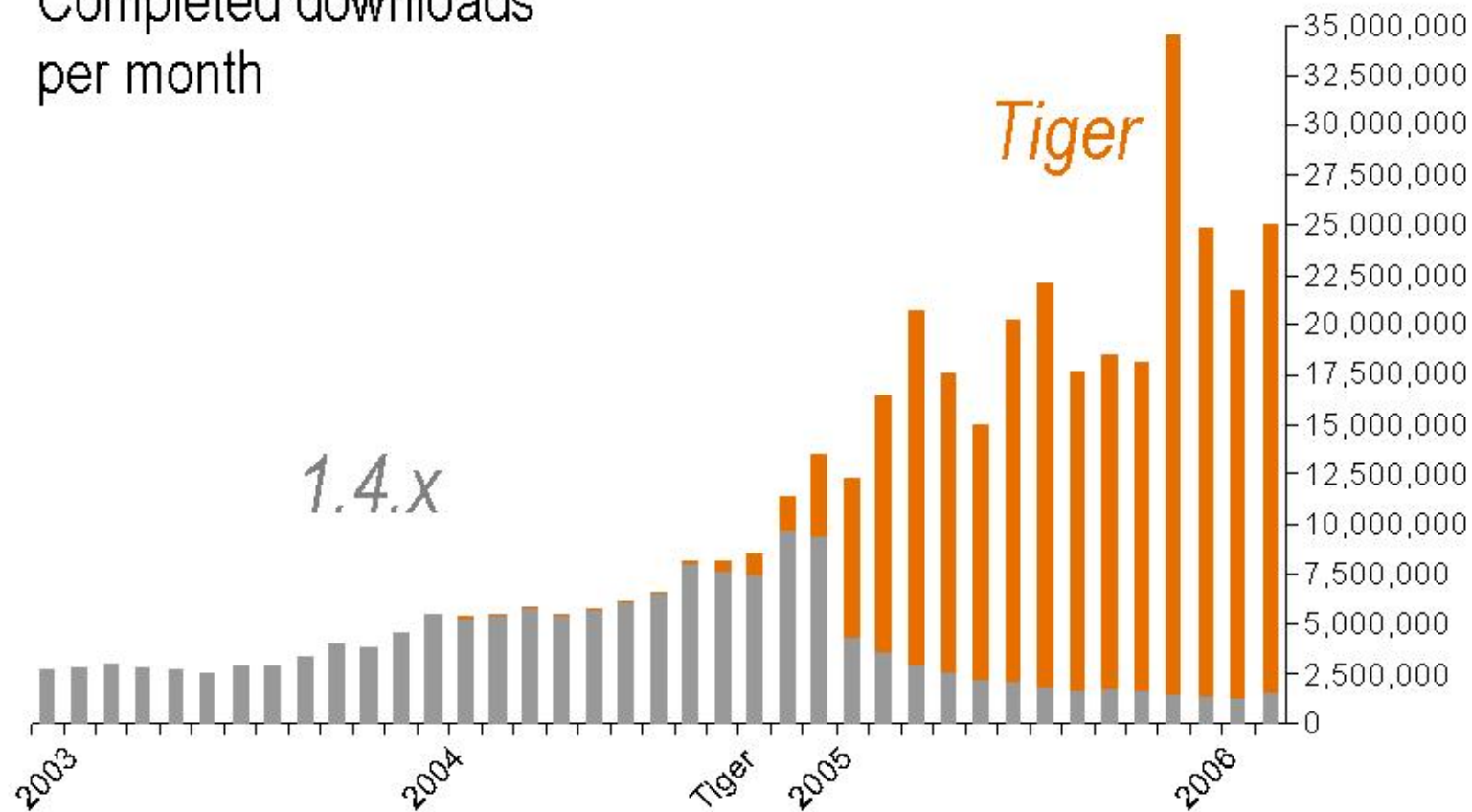
Tiger is *Stable*

Tiger is *Fast*

*“1.4 apps run great on 5.0!”*

# Tiger Is Everywhere

Completed downloads  
per month



Tiger Is Everywhere

Over

**262,295,496**

downloads served!



# Tiger Is Everywhere

Pre-installed on

> 60 %

of new PCs

Tiger is Stable

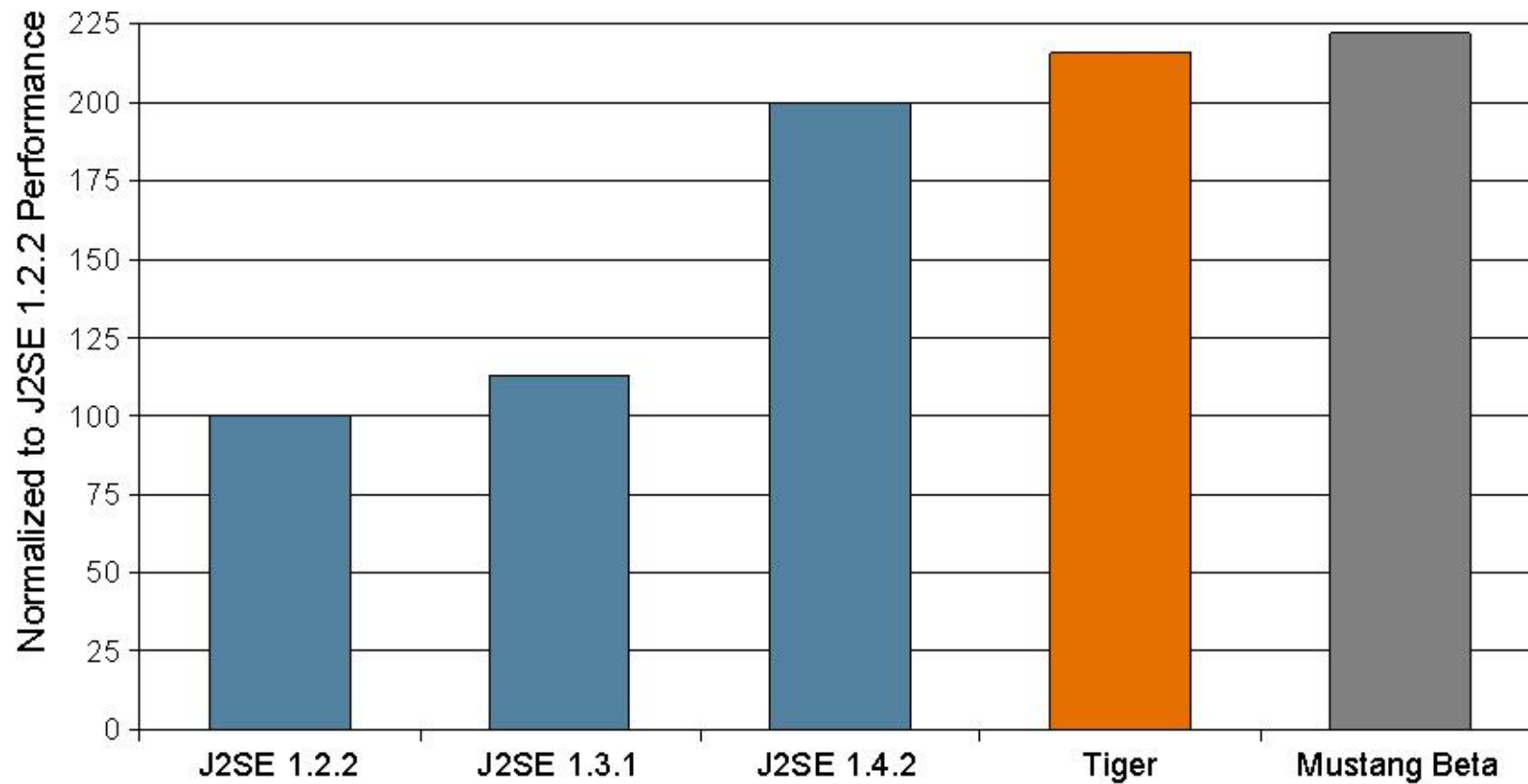
$\geq 99.999\%$

**availability**

Previous best: 99.98% for 1.4.2

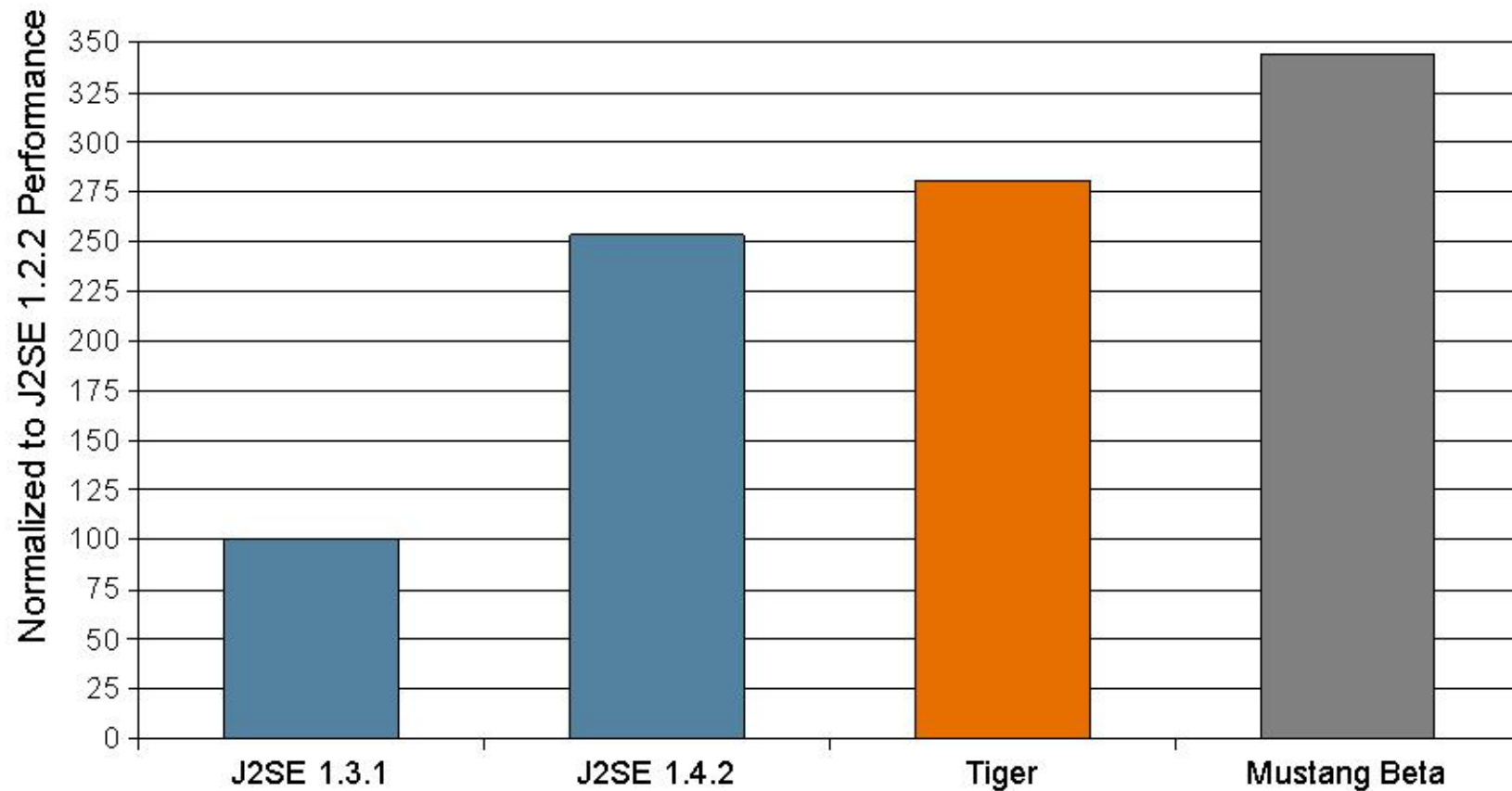
# Tiger is Fast

## Client Benchmark: SwingMark



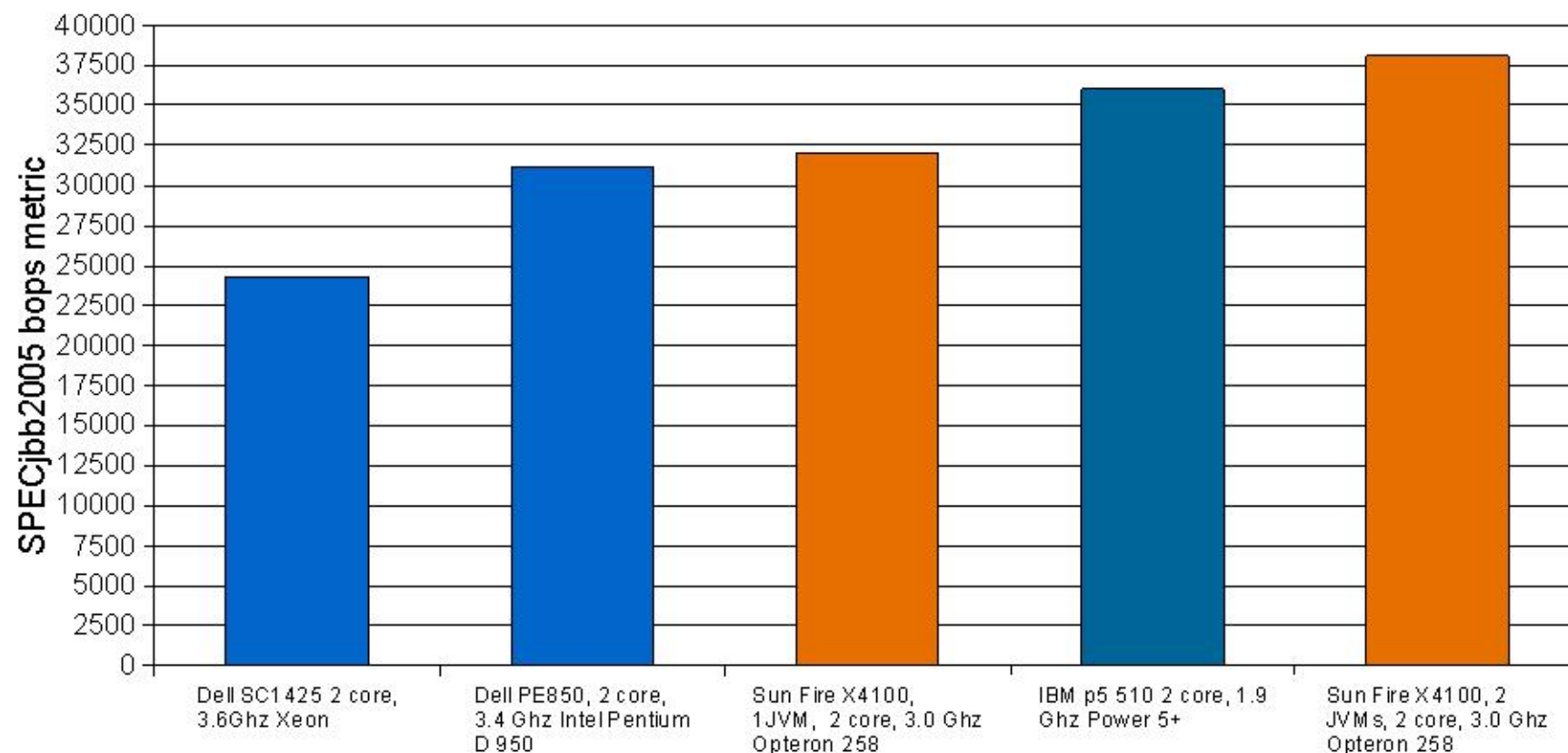
# Tiger Is Fast

## Server Benchmark: SPECjbb2000



# *x64 SPECjbb2005 Performance*

## Sun Fire™ X4100 Server Wins



SPECjbb2005 Sun Fire X4100 (2 chip, 2 core, 2 threads) 32,018 SPECjbb2005 bops, 32,018 SPECjbb2005 bops/JVM, Sun Fire X4100 (2 chip, 2 core, 2 threads) 38,090 SPECjbb2005 bops, 19,045 SPECjbb2005 bops/JVM, submitted for review, IBM eServer p5 510 (2 chips, 2 cores, 4 thread) 36,039 bops, 36,039 bops/JVM, Dell SC1425 (2 chips, 2 cores, 4 thread) 24,208 SPECjbb2005 bops, 24,208 SPECjbb2005 bops/JVM, Dell PE 850 (1 chip, 2 cores, 2 thread) 31,138 SPECjbb2005 bops, 31,138 SPECjbb2005 bops/JVM. SPEC® and the benchmark name SPECjbb™ are trademarks of the Standard Performance Evaluation Corporation. Competitive benchmark results stated above reflect results published on [www.spec.org](http://www.spec.org) as of May 11, 2005. For the latest SPECjbb2005 benchmark results, visit <http://www.spec.org/osg/jbb2005>.

Compiler API Longhorn Look & Feel  
MBeans metadata JTable upgrades  
Unicode Normalizer Services  
Windows system  
Attach on demand  
chmo  
SwingWorke  
Parallelize Concurrent GC JConsole upgrades  
Annotation processor  
Performance Parallel old-space GC  
Web Services Stack Password prompting  
JVM DTrace Docs in JDBC 4.0 GroupLayout LCD fonts  
Faster JNI JAXB 2.0 Free disk space  
Chinese More gfx acceleration  
Improved OOM diagnosability  
JVM & CLR Co-Existence  
More desktop integration  
Native L&F Pluggable locales  
Scripting Languages  
More Fidelity  
XAWT HTTP cookie manager  
Ergonomics XML digital signatures Improved text rendering JavaScript™ engine

# Java SE 6, JSR 270 Status

- Public Draft posted 2006/8/22
  - <http://jcp.org/en/jsr/detail?id=270>
- Changes from original JSR submission:
  - Dropped JSR 260: Javadoc™ tool Tag Update
  - Dropped JSR 268: Smart-Card I/O API
- Additional changes since Early Draft Release:
  - Dropped “Reflective access to parameter names” feature (#402)
  - Added `javax.swing.GroupLayout`

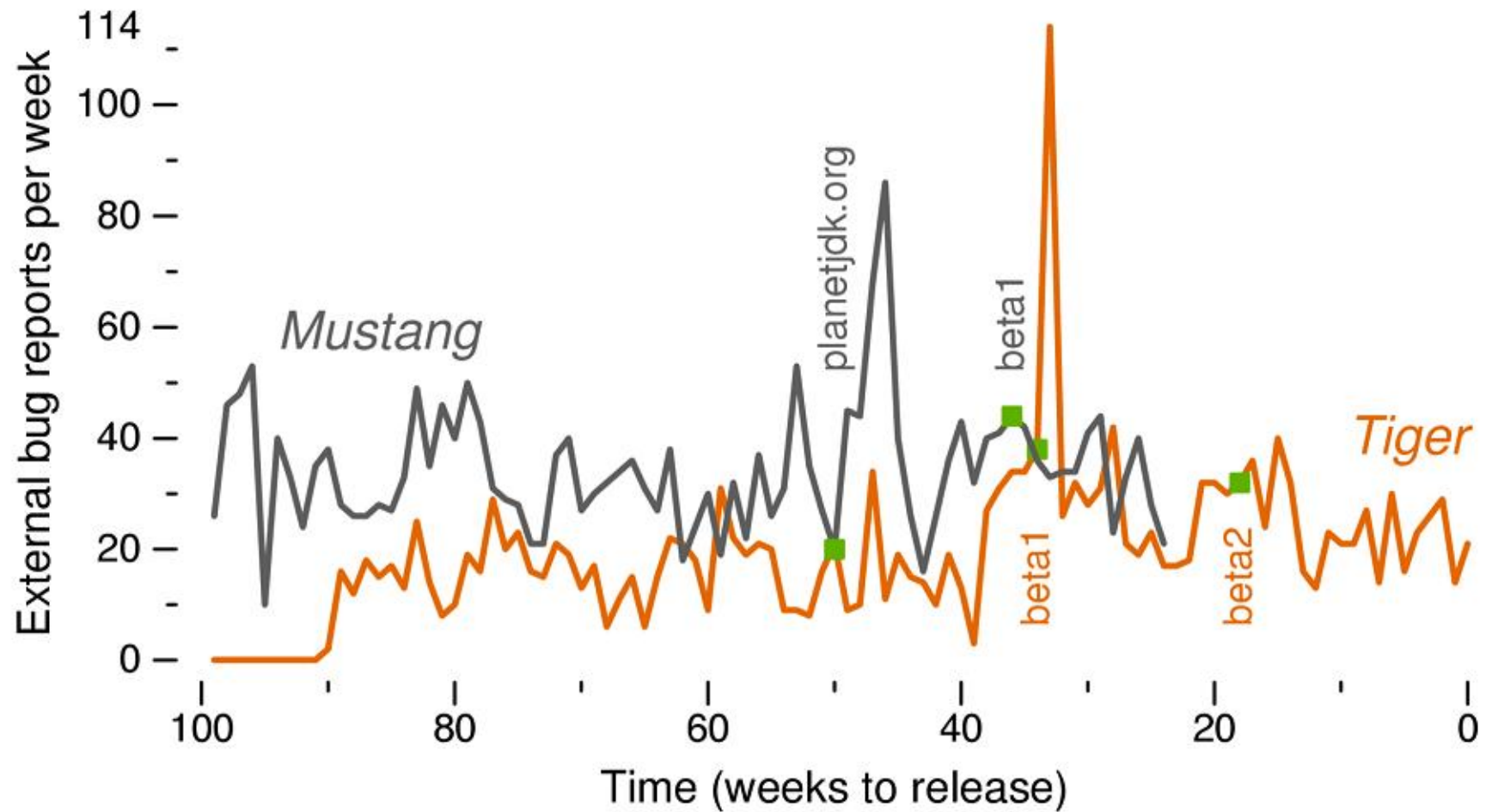
# JDK 6 Milestone Releases

|                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| Beta1               | 2006/02/16 |
| Beta2               | 2006/06    |
| Release Candidate   | 2006/09    |
| Final Release (FCS) | 2006/10    |



# JDK 6 Snapshots

## Weekly Binary Snapshots: Experimental Results



# JDK 6 Snapshot: Conclusion

- ***Effects of weekly snapshot builds***
  - ***More feedback throughout the release ( $\geq$  doubled)***
  - ***Formal beta releases don't yield more feedback***
- ***Formal beta releases are very expensive***
  - ***Forked line of development***
- ***Upshot: JDK 6 beta2 very lightweight***

# JDK Software Community

## Status

`community.java.net/jdk`

- 100,000+ visitors/month
- 1000+ members
- 300+ contributors
- 270+ contributions so far
- Projects: Tiger, Mustang, MVM, Dolphin
- Starter bugs
- Active technical forums and blogs: [planetjdk.org](http://planetjdk.org)
- Real culture change within Sun

**I NEED**

**YOU**

*for*

**JDK**

[community.java.net/jdk](http://community.java.net/jdk)

**DEVELOPMENT**



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# **Java SE 5 Features Overview**

# Seven Major New Language Features

- Generics
- Autoboxing/Unboxing
- Enhanced for loop (“foreach”)
- Type-safe enumerations
- Varargs
- Static import
- Metadata

# Annotation Processing Tool

- Annotated base file generates derived files
  - **apt** is tool to generate derived files
  - Derived files can be new source files, deployment descriptor, etc
- Uses annotation processors
  - Processors can be developed using the **com.sun.mirror** packages
  - **process()** method processes specific annotations
  - Access to **File** to create derived files
- **apt** can compile the derived files if required

# **JDK 6 Features Overview**



# JDK 6 Component JSRs

202: Class File Update (split verifier)

199: Compiler API

269: Annotation Processors *Ease of Development*

221: JDBC™ 4.0

223: Scripting

105: XML Digital Signature

173: Streaming API for XML *XML*

222: JAXB 2.0

250: Common Annotations

181: WS Metadata *Web Services*

224: JAX-WS 2.0

See JSR 270 at <http://jcp.org>

# Top Ten List

## Interesting Stuff That You Might've Missed...

10. Attach-on-demand monitoring
9. JConsole plugin API
8. jhat OQL (jmap for heap dump)
7. Solaris™ Dynamic Tracing (DTrace) support
6. Annotation processing done by javac
5. Class-path wildcards
4. Free disk-space API
3. Password prompting
2. `javax.swing.GroupLayout`
1. JAX-WS can do RESTful web services

# 202: Class File Update

*JDK 6 Component JSRs*

## Primary change: Split verification

- Adopted from Java 2ME™ platform
- Verifier checks compiler-generated assertions instead of generating and checking assertions itself

## Why?

- Simplicity
- Performance
- Sharing code between Java ME & Java SE

# 199: Compiler API

*JDK 6 Component JSRs: Ease of Development*

- **Invoke a Java language compiler programmatically**

```
import javax.compiler.*;
```

```
Compiler c = Compiler.newInstance();  
c.setOutputDirectory(new File("build/classes"));  
c.setSourcePath(new File("src"), new File("gensrc"));  
c.setOption("Xlint", "all");  
c.run(new File("src/Main.java"));
```

# Free Disk Space

- Discover the amount of free space in a filesystem and for methods to manipulate file attributes.

```
void safeCopy(File src, File dstDir)
    throws IOException
{
    //bytes available to this virtual machine
    //on the partition
    if (src.length() > dstDir.getUsableSpace())
        throw new IOException("Insufficient space");
    doCopy(src,
           new File(dstDir.getParent(),
                   src.getName()));
}
```

# Free Disk Space

```
void df(File dir) {
    out.format("Total MB    Used    Free    Use%%\n");
    //size of the partition
    long t = dir.getTotalSpace();

    //unallocated bytes in the partition
    long f = dir.getFreeSpace();
    out.format("    %6d    %6d    %6d    %2d%%\n",
               t >> 20, (t - f) >> 20,
               f >> 20,
               ((t - f) * 100) / t);
}
```

```
% java DF /a
Total MB    Used    Free    Use%
    32766    28632    4134    87%
%
```

# Password Prompting

- Define a new API for interactive console I/O that can disable character echoing while reading passwords

```
import javax.security.auth.callback.*;

class ConsoleCallbackHandler
    implements CallbackHandler
{
    public void handle(Callback[] callbacks) {
        Console cn = System.console();
        for (Callback cb : callbacks) {
            if (cb instanceof NameCallback) {
                String nm = cn.readLine("Username: ");
                ((NameCallback) cb).setName(nm);
            } else if (cb instanceof PasswordCallback) {
                char[] pw = cn.readPassword("Password: ");
                ((PasswordCallback) cb).setPassword(pw);
            }
        }
    }
}
```

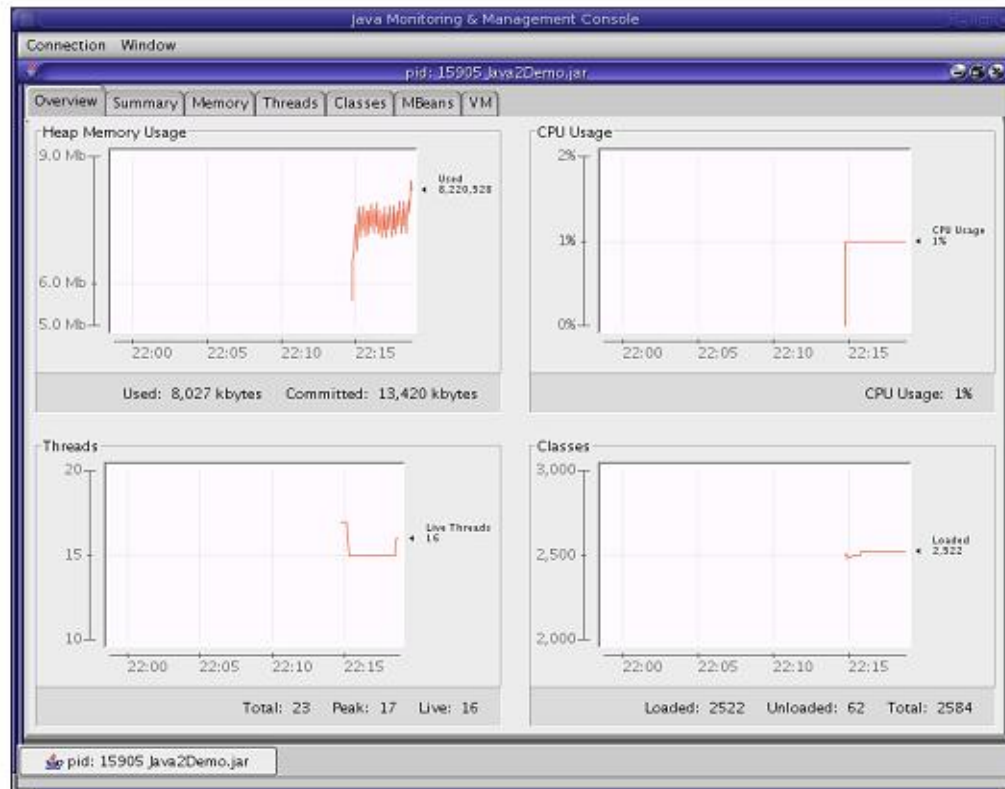
# Class-Path Wildcards

```
% javac -cp ../jaxb/lib/jaxb-api.jar\  
:./jaxb/lib/jaxb-impl.jar\  
:./jaxb/lib/jsr173_1.0_api.jar\  
:./jaxb/lib/activation.jar \  
Sum.java
```

```
% javac -cp ' ../jaxb/lib/* ' Sum.java
```



# JConsole improvements



- Reworked UI
- Attach-on-demand
- Deadlock detector

# Web Services Client Stack

- We listened to you! JSRs 105, 173, 181, 222, 224, 250
- Subset of Java EE 5 stack (JAX-WS 2.0 & JAXB 2.0).
- Client focused, but also lightweight server.
- Includes updated core XML stack.
- Smaller footprint for your applications.
  - JAX-WS 2.0 runtime is included in the JRE.
  - With annotations, no need to generate stubs or ties.
- Use cases: server notifications, callbacks, web service clients, management and testing.
- No more embedded servlet containers and other complexities.

# Example: Simple Publishing

One method call and you're done!

```
1. @WebService
2. public class MyEndpoint {
3.     public String sayHello(String s) { ... }
4. }

5. MyEndpoint impl = new MyEndpoint()
6. EndpointFactory f = EndpointFactory.newInstance();
7. f.publish("http://localhost:8080/hello", impl);
```

- **No deployment step**
- **WSDL/schema generated at runtime**
- **Default binding is SOAP 1.1/HTTP**

# Asynchronous Client API

When you don't want your application to freeze...

- Async methods generated on-demand
- Two models:
  - Polling: You ask for the response whenever you're ready
  - Callback: Notification as soon as the response arrives
- No need to spawn threads in the application
- No changes needed on the server
- For wscompile in the client use:
  - `<enableAsyncMapping>true</enableAsyncMapping>`
  - Generate async polling and callback operations & the synchronous method when it compiles a WSDL file.

# Key Types When Using Async

## Using Java language generics

- Future<T>
  - A promise to deliver a value of type T when it becomes available
  - Use get() :
    - If result ready, result returned
    - If not ready, calling thread blocked
- Response<T>
  - Extends Future<T>
  - Contains a value of type T plus the JAX-WS 2.0 context
- AsyncHandler<T>
  - User-written handler for callback notifications
- Future<?>
  - Useful only for cancelling the invocation

# Example: Polling

```
1. @WebService
2. public interface CreditRatingService {
3.
4.     // sync operation
5.     Score getCreditScore(Customer customer);
6.
7.     // async operation w/polling
8.     Response<Score>
9.         getCreditScoreAsync(Customer customer);
10.
11.    // async operation w/callback
12.    Future<?>
13.        getQuoteAsync(Customer customer,
14.            AsyncHandler<Score> handler);
15.}
```

# Example: Polling Client

```
1. CreditRatingService svc = ...;

2. Response<Score> response =
3.     svc.getCreditScoreAsync(customerFred);

4. // client app does other things...

5. // ready to deal with the response
6. // no cast needed, thanks to generics
7. Score score = response.get();

8. // or use
9. // Score score = response.get(10L, TimeUnit.SECONDS);
10. // to wait 10 seconds
```

# Example: Callback

```
1. @WebService
2. public interface CreditRatingService {
3.
4.     // sync operation
5.     Score getCreditScore(Customer customer);
6.
7.     // async operation w/ polling
8.     Response<Score>
9.         getCreditScoreAsync(Customer customer);
10.
11.     // async operation w/callback
12.     Future<?>
13.         getQuoteAsync(Customer customer,
14.             AsyncHandler<Score> handler);
15. }
```



# Example: Callback Client

```
1. CreditRatingService svc = ...;

2. Future<?> invocation =
3.     svc.getCreditScoreAsync(customerFred,
4.         new AsyncHandler<Score>() {
5.             public void handleResponse
6.                 (Response<Score> response) {
7.                 Score score = response.get();
8.                 // do work here...
9.             }
10.        });

11.// to cancel the request, use
12.// invocation.cancel(true);
```

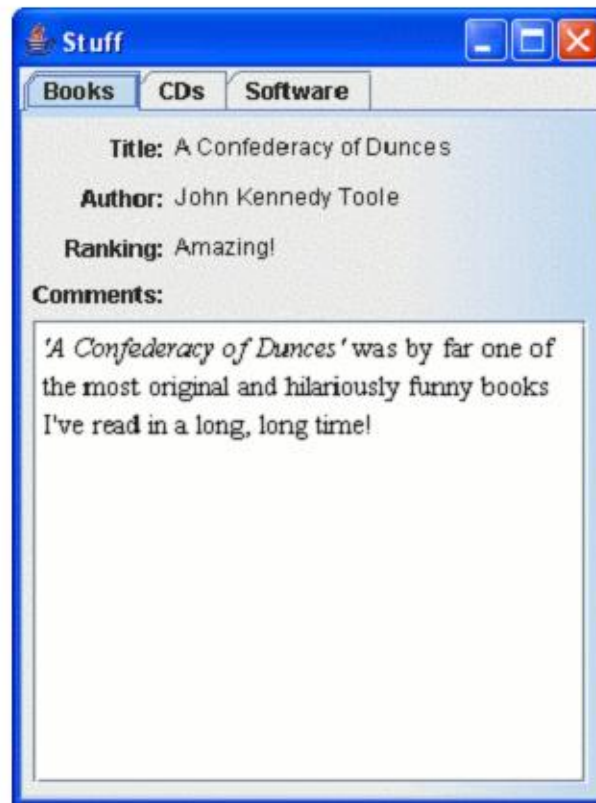
# GUI and Deployment Improvements

- **No more grey rects! Per window double-buffering.**
- **Improved native look and feel, including Vista support.**
- **Layout enhancements, JTable sorting/filtering.**
- **SwingWorker updates, integration.**
- **AWT desktop integration: splashscreens, toolbars, tray icons, app launching.**
- **LCD text antialiasing, curved primitives, single-threaded rendering.**
- **Easier JRE deployment, JNLP launching from browsers.**
- **Improved user experience and unified download engine for plugin and webstart.**



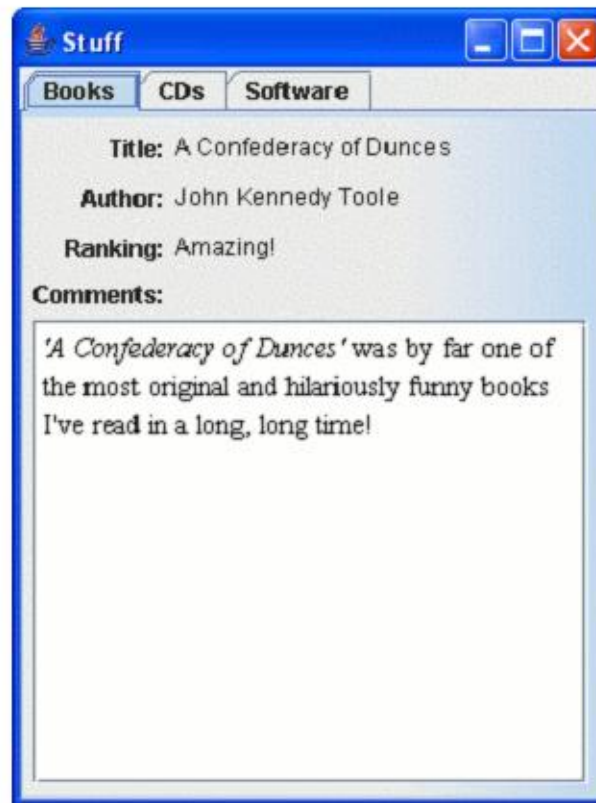
# True Double Buffering

## Old Behavior

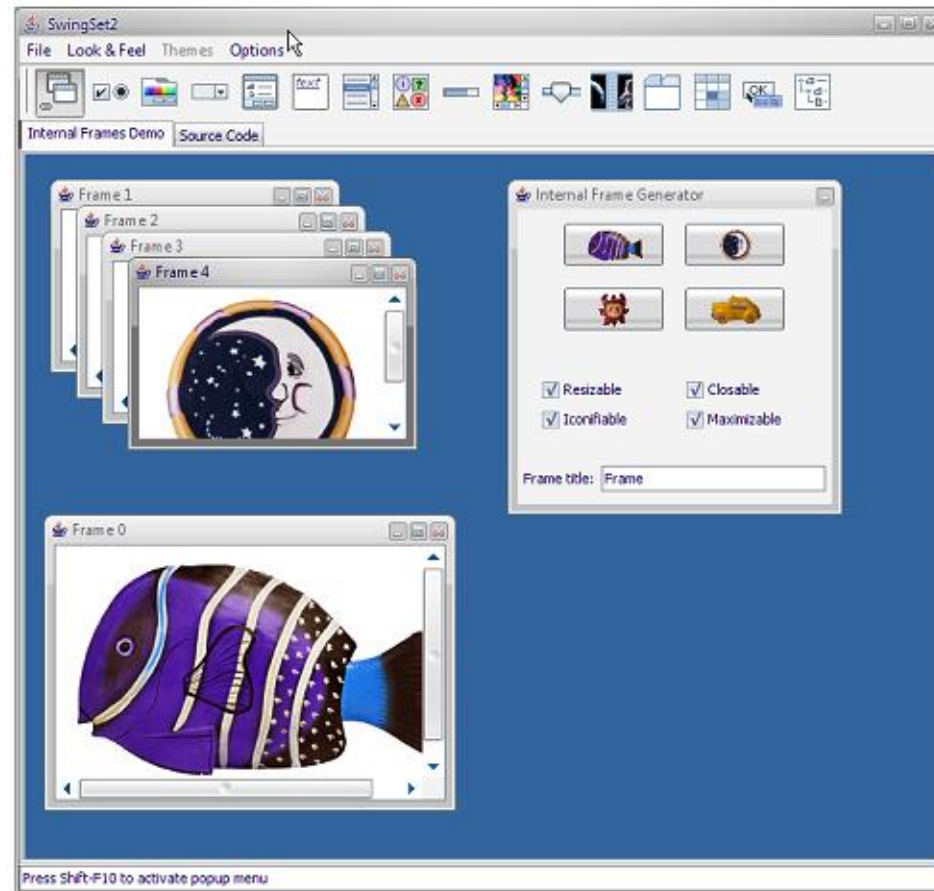


# True Double Buffering

## New Behavior



# SwingSet on Vista with Mustang

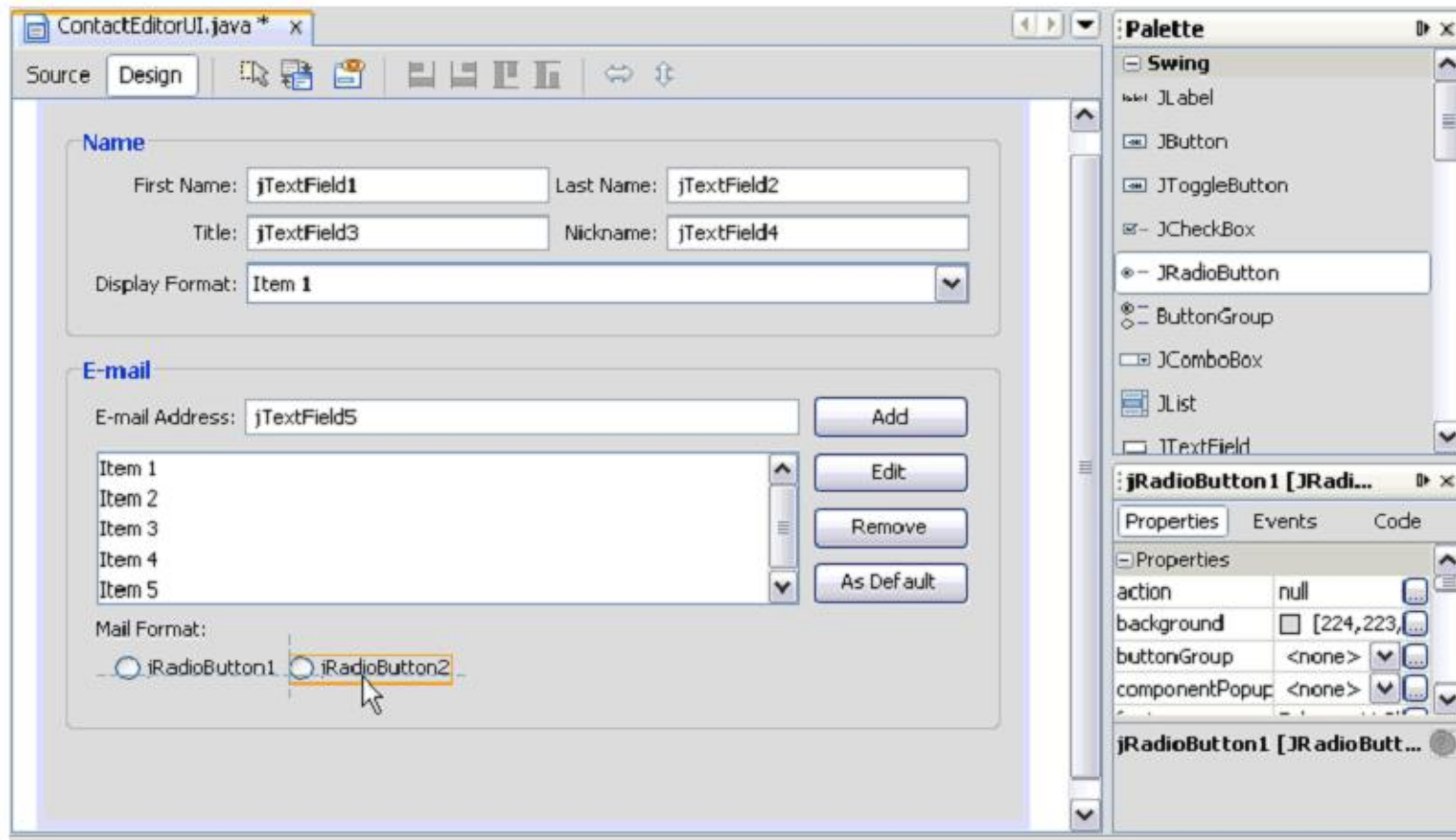


[http://weblogs.java.net/blog/chet/archive/2006/10/java\\_on\\_vista\\_y.html](http://weblogs.java.net/blog/chet/archive/2006/10/java_on_vista_y.html)

# Matisse

- **Makes layout easy as pie!**
  - No need to learn about LayoutManagers!
- Collaborative effort between Swing and NetBeans
- Debuts in NetBeans 5.0
- Works with 1.4.2 or later
- Requires open source run time
  - Portions of this in 1.6, trying to get remainder in now!

# Matisse in Action

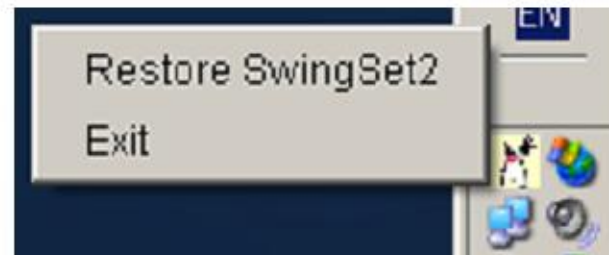


# Tray Icon

*ToolTip and Image*



*Popup Menu*



*Message*

*Listener for various events*





# Sub-Pixel Text

- *Plain*

Brazil

- *Antialiased*

Brazil

- *Sub-pixel*

Brazil

# Scripting for the Java Platform

- “Java” technology is both the language and the platform
  - The platform includes Java VM and JDK™ APIs
  - Language choice—dynamically typed, scripting languages as well
- JSR 223—Scripting for the Java Platform
- Pluggable framework for third-party script engines
- javax.script package
- Optional javax.script.http package (“web scripting”)

# Scripting in JDK 6

- `javax.script` included
- `javax.script.http` not included
- JavaScript technology reference engine
- Based on Mozilla Rhino Engine
- Few optional components of Rhino not included
- Command-line language-independent script shell  
**`jrunscript`** (JDK only)

# Scripting in JDK 6 - Rhino

- Using Rhino version 1.6R2
- `javax.script.Compilable` implemented by storing JavaScript interpreter bytecodes
- **JavaAdapter that supports implementation of a single interface**
- Renamed Rhino classes—`sun.org.mozilla*`
- Can drop later version of Rhino—  
but can't use that through `javax.script API`

# Java Desktop integration

- **java.awt.Desktop API**
  - > **Launching the default browser**
  - > **Launching the default email client**
  - > **Launching the default application to handle file open, file edit and file print**

```
if (!Desktop.isDesktopSupported()) { //exit}
```

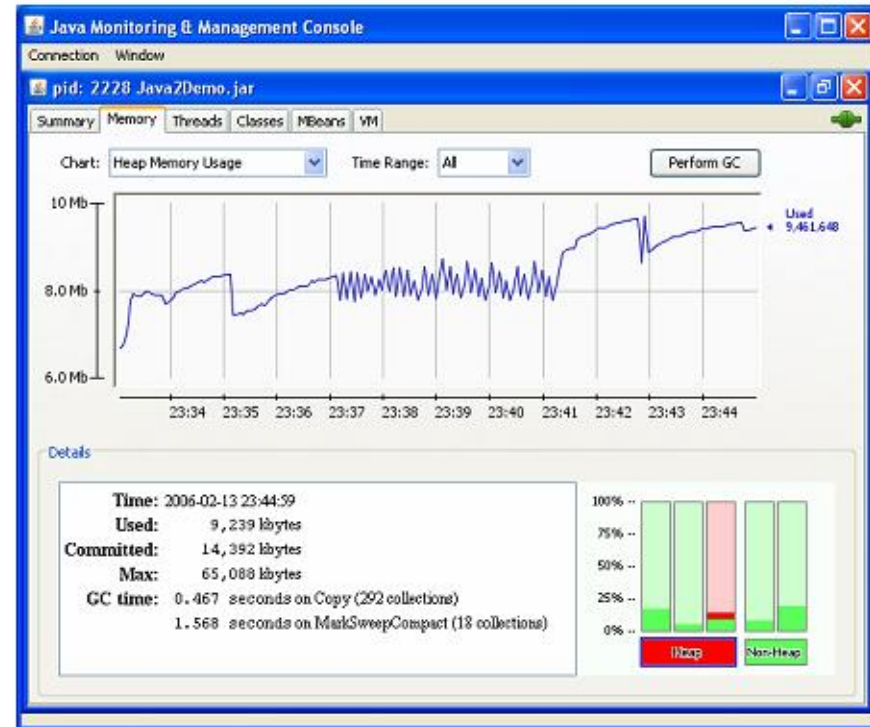
```
Desktop desktop = Desktop.getDesktop();
```

```
if (!desktop.isSupported(Desktop.PRINT)  
    { //print }
```

```
Desktop.getDesktop().browse(new  
URI(urlField.getText()));
```

# Monitoring, Management, Diagnostics

- GUI tools: JConsole, jhat, VisualGC (NetBeans), dynamic attach
- Command line tools: jps, jstat, jstack, jmap, jinfo
- Diagnostics: CTRL-Break handler, heap dump, better OutOfMemoryError and fatal error handling, JNI crashes
- Tracing/logging: VM tracing and HotSpot probes, DTrace integration



# Apache Derby in JDK 6

<http://db.apache.org/derby>

- Derby: A small-footprint (2MB) standards-based embedded relational database engine
- Will be co-bundled in Sun's Mustang JDK™ software
  - Will not be in the JRE (it's too big)
  - Is *not* a required part of the Java SE 6 specification
- Great out-of-the-box starter database for developers
  - Will implement all the new JDBC 4.0 software features
- Developers can redistribute Derby with their applications

# Java DB

- **Based on Apache Derby, full-featured 100% Java database cross-platform testing and deployment.**
  - > **No need to separately acquire, download, and install a database.**
  - > **Standards-based: JDBC, J2EE, and SQL.**
  - > **Stored procedures, triggers, user-defined data types.**
  - > **Secure: encryptable and password protected.**
- **Ideal for embedded or client-server use.**
  - > **Small -- 2MB.**
  - > **Zero administration.**
  - > **Embed in browser for better Web 2.0.**
    - > **Easy application + DB distribution.**
    - > **True persistence – no lost or inaccessible data.**



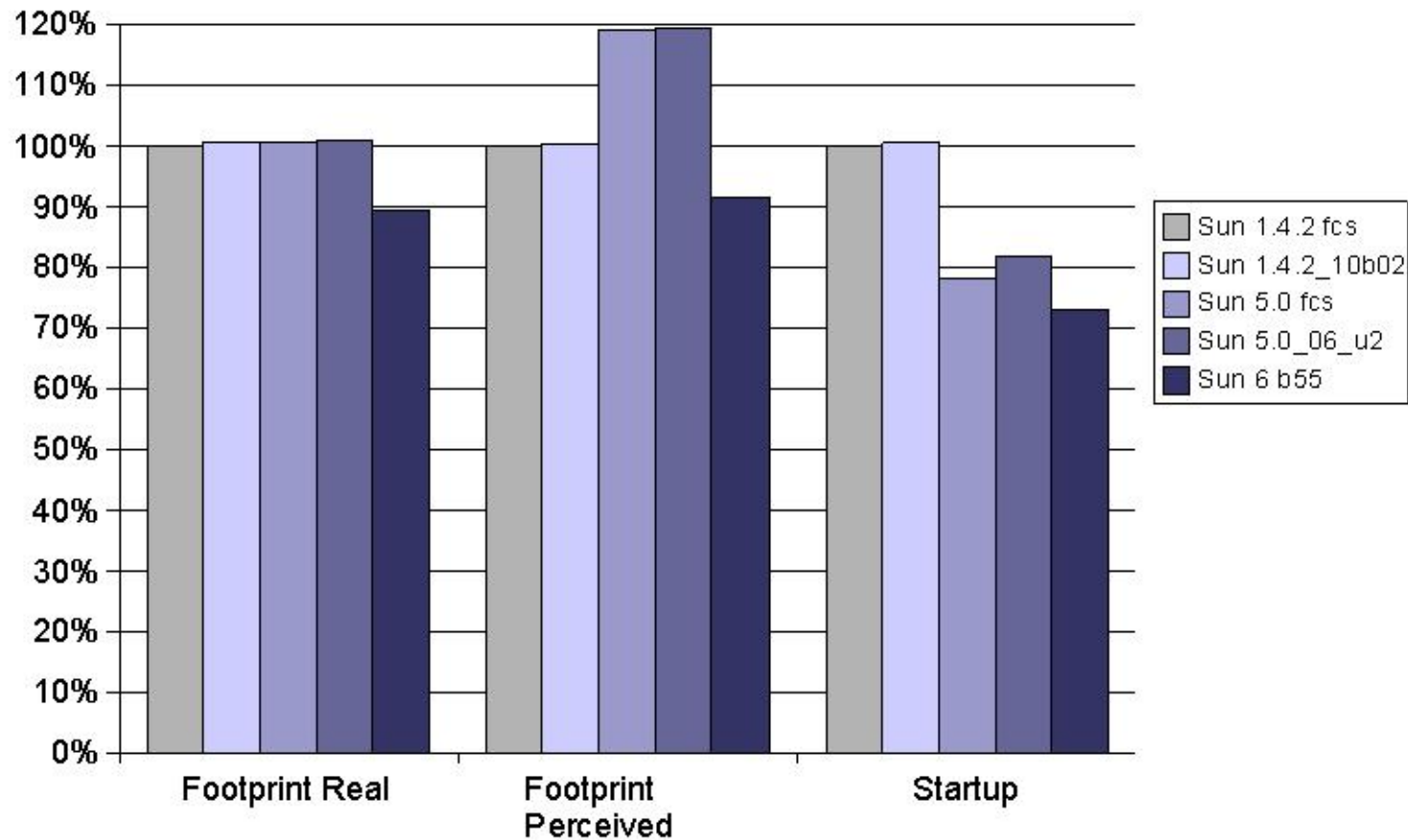
# Performance and Compatibility

## JSR 202

- Performance portal: <http://java.sun.com/performance>
- New Type-checking Verifier
  - Uses compiler generated assertions rather than generating and checking assertions at run time.
  - Adopted from J2ME™ technology.
  - Simpler, faster.
- Focus on version to version compatibility – as always.
  - Regressions Challenge engaged community in testing.
  - Extensive, multi-phase Beta in process.
  - Compatibility documentation:  
<http://java.sun.com/javase/6/webnotes/compatibility.html>

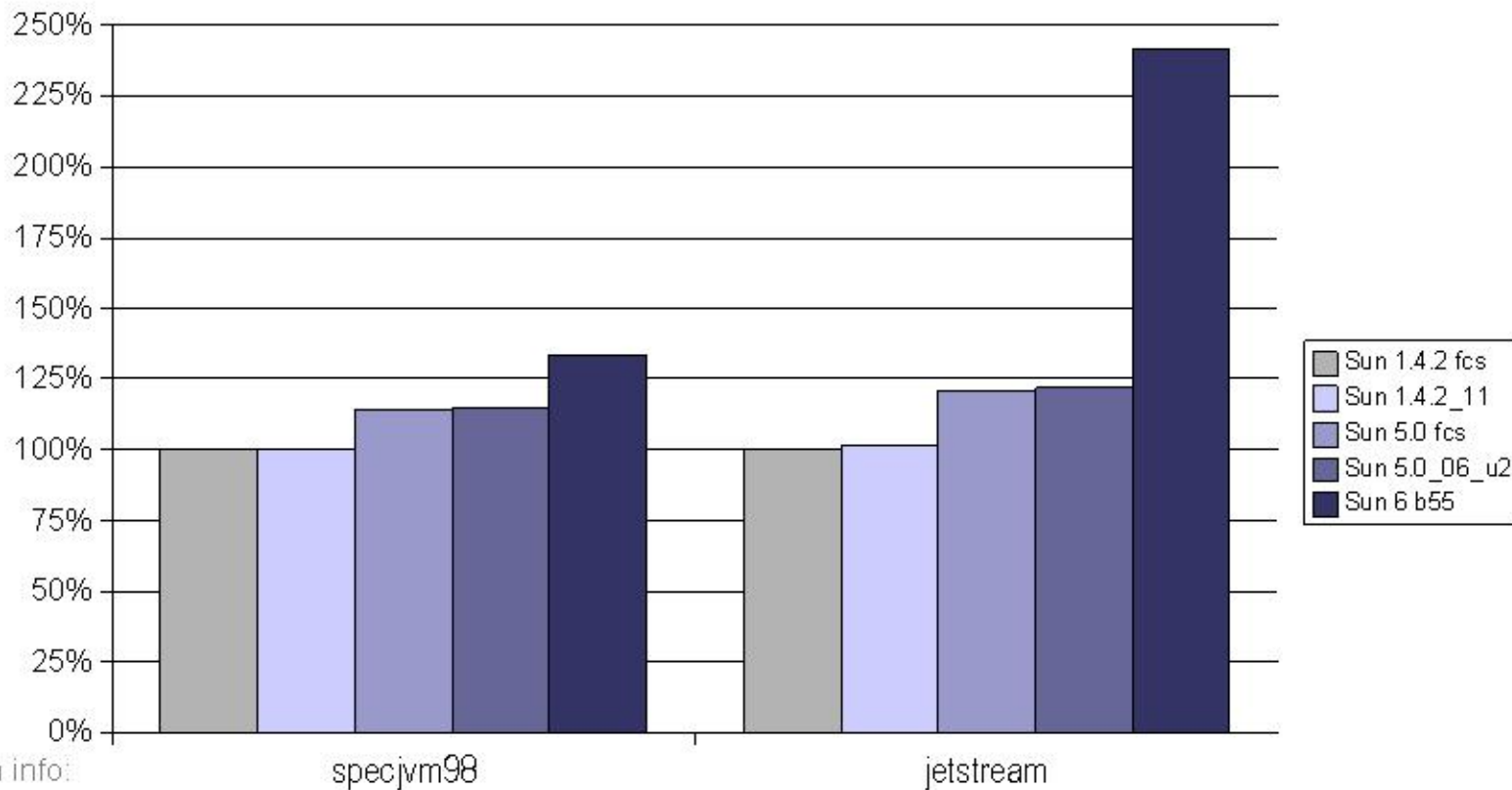
# Desktop Performance: Startup and Footprint

Smaller is better



# Desktop Performance: Runtime

Bigger is better



System info:

specjvm98

jetstream

All JVMs are 32-bit

Source: Java Performance Engineering

# Resources and Summary

# Call for Action!

Download and install JDK 5 or JDK 6  
Start using the new JDK features ASAP

**And Open source Java!!!!**

## Stay in Touch With the Java SE Platform

- JDK Software Community
  - [planetjdk.org](http://planetjdk.org)
  - [community.java.net/jdk](http://community.java.net/jdk)
- JDK 6
  - <https://jdk6.dev.java.net/>
  - <http://jcp.org/en/jsr/detail?id=270>
- JDK 7
  - <https://jdk7.dev.java.net/>
  - [blogs.sun.com/dannycoward](http://blogs.sun.com/dannycoward)