

QVT Operational 2.0 Galileo Simultaneous Release

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Communication Channel: eclipse.modeling.m2m newsgroup

Process Documentation: http://www.eclipse.org/projects/dev_process/development_process.php

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QVTO – Galileo Release Talking Points

- Features:
 - Improved alignment with OMG specification
 - Many small enhancements
- Quality of APIs
 - Overall: no "provisional" APIs, all non-API code in "internal" packages
- End of Life Issues:
 - Small set of legacy QVT constructs deprecated
- IP Issues:
 - None



Features

- QVT language
 - intermediate classes, properties
 - for, compute expressions
 - break, continue
 - constructors
 - extending transformation
 - transformation composition
 - operation overriding, overloading
 - Dictionary, List collection types
 - String escape characters
- Java black-box library support
- New QVT Ant Tasks



Non-Code Aspects

- Testing
 - 900 tests launched on every build
- Building and packaging
 - Using common modeling releng infrastructure
 - Regular integration builds published



APIs

- No "provisional" APIs
- All non-API code in "internal" packages
- No 'discouraged access' warnings
- Leveraging PDE API Tooling



Architectural Issues, Usability, End-of-Life

- Architectural Issues
 - None
- Usability
 - QVT transformation development and execution
 - Rich set of QVT language constructs supported
 - Reasonable tooling support (QVT SDK)
 - Improvements in transformation deployment needed
- End-of-Life Issues

Deprecated:

- obsolete variants of while, switch, main() with parameters
- metamodel declaration
- library import, rename statement



Bugzilla

As of 05/28/09 (since the end of the 1.0 release with Ganymede)

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Severity		NEW	ASSIGNED	RESOLVED	VERIFIED	Total
	critical			1		<u>1</u>
	major			<u>3</u>		<u>3</u>
	normal	<u>6</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>214</u>	2	226
	enhancement	1		<u>5</u>		<u>6</u>
	Total	<u> </u>	<u>4</u>	<u>223</u>	2	<u>236</u>

Status



Standards and UI Usability

Standards

- OMG[™] Object-Constraint Language (OCL) used (MDT OCL)
- OMG[™] Query/View/Transformation (QVT) implemented
- UI Usability
 - Internationalization
 - I18n using PDE tooling
 - ICU4J is used
 - Localization
 - Participation in Babel



Schedule

- 2.0 Release Plan
 - ✓ M1 08/20/2008
 - ✓ M2 10/01/2008
 - ✓ M3 11/12/2008
 - ✓ M4 12/29/2008
 - ✓ M5 02/06/2009
 - ✓ M6 03/18/2009 API freeze
 - ✓ M7 05/05/2009

- ✓ RC1 05/19/2009
- RC2 05/26/2009
- RC3 06/02/2009
- RC4 06/09/2009
- RC5 06/16/2009
- 2.0.0 06/28/2009

http://www.eclipse.org/projects/project-plan.php?planurl=http://www.eclipse.org/modeling/m2m/qvtoml/project-info/plan.xml&component=qvtoml



Communities

- Steady interaction in Bugzilla and on newsgroup
- Conference Participation
 - Presentation at EclipseCon 2009



IP Issues

- About and license files are in place as per the Guidelines to Legal Documentation.
- Foundation generated IP log at
 - http://www.eclipse.org/projects/ip_log.php?projectid=modeling.m2m