

So what is Target Management all about?

Remote Computer Systems...

- Targets (Locally connected, shared, fielded)
- Hosts (Grids, farms, nodes)
- ... and developing software on them
 - Build, connect, get status
 - Download, run, debug, test
 - Upload

An Eclipse Project under DSDP since June 2005. Release 1.0 planned for October 22, 2006.







Remote System Explorer (RSE) today

RSE		
Supplied Subsystems		
File Subsyster	m Shell (Command) Subsystem	Process Subsystem
Common UI Components	Common Framework	Common Lifecycle
validators	System Type	connection management
views	Subsystem	filter management
wizards	Services	profile management
dialogs	Communications	subsystem management
field editors		
massagers		



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Target Management Architecture





CDT Remote Launch: Plug-in dependencies







Summary: Plans and Timings

First Release (October 22, 2006 - on Eclipse 3.2)

- RSE Release 1.0
 - Includes dstore, ssh, FTP connection types
 - UI tested on Windows, Linux, Solaris, Mac; targets also AIX, any FTP or SSH server
- CDT Remote Launch Integration Release 1.0
- Zeroconf Discovery, EFS Integration Preview Release

Milestones 2006-2007 (Proposed – plan not yet finished)

- More Standards based target connections (Telnet, ECF)
- Terminal Emulation Framework and View
- User-Defined Actions, Import/Export
- Component-Based Launching (CBL)
- Multi-core / Multi-target support through connection groups
- Connection Model for HW Debugging (complex connector setup)

Future

- Flexible Target Connector framework, Connector plumbing algorithm
- Adapters for Target access control (shared board labs)
- SSH tunneling connector



Getting Involved

- RSE is very flexible, with good basic abstractions
 - An option for your Project?
- RSE is a well established product
 - Still, a lot of community feedback will be needed
- Join the dsdp-tm-dev mailing list http://www.eclipse.org/dsdp /tm
- Q & A