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Habari Client for OpenMQ

Version 6.4

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Broker-specific information

For broker-specific notes, please read the chapters Broker-specific notes on page 82 and Quick start guide for OpenMQ on page 83.

Installation

Requirements

Development Environment

- Embarcadero Delphi 2009 Update 4 or higher
- or -
 - Free Pascal 3.0.4 or higher

Lazarus 1.8 or newer is required to run the **FPCUnit** test suite. The DUnit test suite and the GUI demo applications require Delphi 2009 for compilation.

TCP/IP Communication Library

- Internet Direct (Indy) 10.6 (recommended)
- or -
 - Synapse Release 40¹

Installation steps

The installer application will guide you through the installation process.

By default Habari Client for OpenMQ will be installed in the folder

C:\Users\Public\Documents\Habarisoft\habari-<broker>-6.4

where broker is for example 'activemq' or 'rabbitmq' depending on your version.

Simplified API introduced in version 6.0

New interface types

The new API in Habari Client libraries 6.0 is based on three new interfaces which reduce the amount of client code:

- IMQContext
- IMQProducer
- IMQConsumer

IMQContext interface

A IMQContext object encapsulates both the IConnection and the ISession object of the classic API. The connection factory interface contains new methods to create IMQContext objects:

Code example

The IMQContext provides methods to create messages, producer and consumer objects, destinations (queues, topics, temporary queues, temporary topics, durable subscribers and so forth), and for transaction control (commit, rollback).

IMQProducer interface

A IMQProducer object provides methods to produce and send messages to the broker. As a shortcut, a method allows to send text or bytes messages without creating ITextMessage or IBytesMessage object by providing the text or bytes as a parameter.

IMQConsumer interface

An IMQConsumer object provides methods to consume messages from the broker.

The following example is taken from the unit tests. It uses the new API to create and send a text message to a broker queue destination, and then receives the message from this queue.

Source code example

```
procedure TNewApiTests.TestSendMessage;
var
    Context: IMQContext;
    Destination: IQueue;
    Producer: IMQProducer;
    Consumer: IMQConsumer;
    TextMessage: ITextMessage;
begin
    Context := Factory.CreateContext;
    Destination := Context.CreateQueue(GetQueueName);

Producer := Context.CreateProducer;
    Producer.Send(Destination, 'Hello World');

Consumer := Context.CreateConsumer(Destination);
    TextMessage := Consumer.Receive(2500) as ITextMessage;

CheckEquals('Hello World', TextMessage.Text);
    Context.Close;
end;
```

Breaking changes in version 6.0

Removed conditional synmbol HABARI_RAW_TRACE

For detailed logging of network traffic, you may use the conditional symbol HABARI_USE_INTERCEPT.

Removed support for asynchronous message receive

The following methods ans properties are no longer available:

```
function CreateConsumer(const Destination: IDestination;
   const MessageSelector: string; const NoLocal: Boolean;
   const MessageListener: IMessageListener): ImessageConsumer;
```

```
IMessageConsumer = interface
...
function GetMessageListener: IMessageListener;
procedure SetMessageListener(const Value: IMessageListener);

property MessageListener: IMessageListener read GetMessageListener write
    SetMessageListener;
...
```

Communication Adapters

Introduction

Habari Client for OpenMQ uses communication adapters as an abstraction layer for the TCP/IP library. All connections create their own internal instance of the adapter class.

Configuration of communication adapters

No configuration is required for the communication adapters. Applications specify communication and connection options in URL parameters or connection class properties or connection factory settings.

Registration of communication adapter class

A communication adapter implementation can be prepared for usage by simply adding its Delphi unit to the project.

Code example

```
program ClientUsingIndy;
uses
  BTCommAdapterIndy, // use Internet Direct (Indy)
  BTConnectionFactory, BTJMSInterfaces,
  SysUtils;
```

Behind the scenes, the communication adapter class will register itself with the communication adapter manager in the BTAdapterRegistry unit.

Default adapter class

Applications typically use only one of the available communication adapter classes for all connections.

The library allows to register two or more adapter classes and switch at run-time, using methods in the adapter registry in unit BTAdapterRegistry - this feature is mainly for tests and demonstration purposes.

If more than one communication adapter is in the project, the **first** adapter class in the list will be the default adapter class. Example:

```
code example

program ClientUsingIndyOrSynapse;

uses
   BTCommAdapterIndy, // use Internet Direct (Indy) as default adapter class
   BTCommAdapterSynapse, // and register the Synapse adapter class
   BTConnectionFactory, BTJMSInterfaces,
   SysUtils;
...
```

The default adapter class can be changed at run-time by setting the adapter class either by its name or by its class type.

Available communication adapters

The library includes two adapter classes for TCP/IP libraries, one for Indy (Internet Direct) and one for Synapse.

Adapter Class	Unit
TBTCommAdapterIndy	BTCommAdapterIndy
TBTCommAdapterSynapse	BTCommAdapterSynapse

Table 1: Communication Adapters

Limitations of the Synapse communication adapter class

- The Synapse library does not support the ConnectTimeout property in synchronous socket operation mode, as connect timeouts are handled by the operating system. Indy uses a background thread to abort the connect operation.²
- Release 40 of Ararat Synapse is used for Habari Client library development and tests. This is the last announced release, dated April 24, 2012. This release is compatible for Delphi versions before XE4³. If you use a newer release of Ararat Synapse, please let me know if you encounter any API incompatibilities or other problems.

² http://www.ararat.cz/synapse/doku.php/public:howto:connecttimeout

³ http://docwiki.embarcadero.com/RADStudio/XE4/en/Global Variables

The Programming Model

Habari Client libraries use a programming model which is based on message producers and message consumers, sessions, connections and connection factories.

The basic API is the same for all library versions to allow easy migration between supported message brokers (with the exception of broker-specific features).

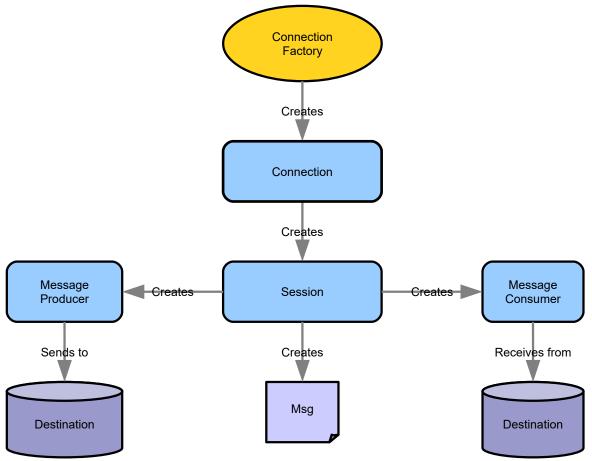


Illustration 1: Programming Model

Tutorials

Quick Start Tutorial

This tutorial provides a very simple and quick introduction to Habari Client for OpenMQ by walking you through the creation of a simple "Hello World" application. Once you are done with this tutorial, you will have a general knowledge of how to create and run Habari applications.

This tutorial takes less than 10 minutes to complete.

Setting up the project

To create a new project:

- 1. Start the Delphi IDE.
- 2. In the IDE, choose File > New > VCL Forms Application Delphi
- 3. Choose Project > Options ... to open the Project Options dialog
- 4. In the options tree on the left, select 'Delphi Compiler'
- 5. Add the source directory of Habari Client for OpenMQ and the Indy source directories to the 'Search path'
- 6. Choose Ok to close the Project Options dialog
- 7. Save the project as HelloMQ

Now the project is created and saved.

You should see the main form in the GUI designer now.

Adding code to the project

To use the Habari Client for OpenMQ library, you need to add the required units to the source code.

- 8. Switch to Code view (F12)
- 9. Add the required units to the interface uses list:

```
uses
BTConnectionFactory,
BTJMSInterfaces,
BTCommAdapterIndy,
// auto-generated unit references
```

```
Windows, Messages, SysUtils, ...
```

- 10. Compile and save the project.
- 11. Switch to Design view (F12), go to the Tool palette (Ctrl+Alt+P) and select TButton, add a Button to the form.
- 12. Double click on the new button to jump to the Button Click handler
- 13. Add the following code to send the message:

Code example

```
procedure TForm1.Button1Click(Sender: TObject);
var
 Factory: IConnectionFactory;
 Connection: IConnection;
 Session: ISession;
 Destination: IDestination;
 Producer: IMessageProducer;
 Factory := TBTConnectionFactory.Create('stomp://localhost');
 Connection := Factory.CreateConnection;
 Connection.Start;
 Session := Connection.CreateSession(False, amAutoAcknowledge);
 Destination := Session.CreateQueue('HelloMQ');
 Producer := Session.CreateProducer(Destination);
 Producer.Send(Session.CreateTextMessage('Hello world!'));
 Connection.Close;
end;
```

- 14. Add a second button and double click on the new button to jump to the Button Click handler
- 15. Add the following code to receive and display the message:

```
procedure TForm1.Button2Click(Sender: TObject);
var
   Factory: IConnectionFactory;
Connection: IConnection;
Session: ISession;
Destination: IDestination;
Consumer: IMessageConsumer;
Msg: ITextMessage;
begin
   Factory := TBTConnectionFactory.Create('stomp://localhost');
Connection := Factory.CreateConnection;
Connection.Start;

Session := Connection.CreateSession(False, amAutoAcknowledge);
Destination := Session.CreateQueue('HelloMQ');
```

```
Consumer := Session.CreateConsumer(Destination);
Msg := Consumer.Receive(1000) as ItextMessage;

if Assigned(Msg) then
   ShowMessage(Msg.Text)
else
   ShowMessage('Error: no message received');

Connection.Close;
end;
```

16. Compile and save the project

Run the demo

- · Launch the message broker
- Start the application
- Click on Button 1 to send the message to the queue
- Click on Button 2 to receive the message and display it

You can run two instances of the application at the same time, and also on different computers if the IP address of the message broker is used instead of localhost.

Check for memory leaks

To verify that the program does not cause memory leaks, insert a line in the project file HelloMQ.dpr:

Code example

```
program HelloMQ;
uses
   Forms,
   Unit1 in 'Unit1.pas' {Form1};

{$R *.res}

begin
   ReportMemoryLeaksOnShutdown := True; // check for memory leaks
   Application.Initialize;
   Application.MainFormOnTaskbar := True;
   Application.CreateForm(TForm1, Form1);
   Application.Run;
end.
```

Tutorial source code

The tutorial source code is included in the demo folder. It does not include a .proj file so you still need to add the Habari and Indy source paths to the project options.

Map Message Tutorial

This tutorial provides a quick introduction to Habari Client for OpenMQ by walking you through the creation of a simple map message exchange application.

This tutorial takes less than 10 minutes to complete.

Setting up the project

To create a new project:

- 1. Start the Delphi IDE.
- 2. In the IDE, choose File > New > VCL Forms Application Delphi
- 3. Choose Project > Options ... to open the Project Options dialog
- 4. In the options tree on the left, select 'Delphi Compiler'
- 5. Add the source directory of Habari source, the Habari source\optional, and the Indy source directories to the 'Search path'
- 6. Choose OK to close the Project Options dialog
- 7. Save the project as HelloMapMessage

Now the project is created and saved.

You should see the main form in the GUI designer now.

Adding code to the project

To use the Habari Client for OpenMQ library, you need to add the required units to the source code.

- 8. Switch to Code view (F12)
- 9. Add the required units to the interface uses list:

```
uses
BTConnectionFactory, BTJMSInterfaces, BTCommAdapterIndy, BTConnection,
BTMessageTransformerXMLMapDocument, BTSerialIntf, BTTypes,
// auto-generated unit references
Windows, Messages, SysUtils, ...
```

- 10. Compile and save the project.
- 11. Switch to Design view (F12), go to the Tool palette (Ctrl+Alt+P) and add a TMemo and a TButton to the form.

- 12. Double click on the new button to jump to the Button Click handler
- 13. Add the following code to send the message:

Code example

```
procedure TForm1.Button1Click(Sender: TObject);
var
  Factory: IConnectionFactory;
  Connection: IConnection;
  Session: ISession;
  Destination: IDestination;
 Producer: IMessageProducer;
 MapMessage: IMapMessage;
 Key: string;
begin
 Factory := TBTConnectionFactory.Create('stomp://localhost');
 Connection := Factory.CreateConnection;
 SetTransformer(Connection, TBTMessageTransformerXMLMapDocument.Create(nil));
 Connection.Start;
  Session := Connection.CreateSession(False, amAutoAcknowledge);
  Destination := Session.CreateQueue('HelloMapMessage');
 Producer := Session.CreateProducer(Destination);
 MapMessage := Session.CreateMapMessage;
  MapMessage.SetString('DateTimeToStr(Now)', DateTimeToStr(Now));
  MapMessage.SetString('ParamStr(0)', ParamStr(0));
 Producer.Send(MapMessage);
 Memo1.Lines.Append('Sent:');
  for Key in MapMessage. GetMapNames do
  begin
   Memo1.Lines.Append(Key + '=' + MapMessage.GetString(Key));
 Connection.Close;
end;
```

- 14.Add a second button and double click on the new button to jump to the Button Click handler
- 15. Add the following code to receive and display the message:

```
procedure TForm1.Button2Click(Sender: TObject);
var
  Factory: IConnectionFactory;
  Connection: IConnection;
  Session: ISession;
  Destination: IDestination;
  Consumer: IMessageConsumer;
  MapMessage: IMapMessage;
  Key: string;
begin
  Factory := TBTConnectionFactory.Create('stomp://localhost');
```

```
Connection := Factory.CreateConnection;
 SetTransformer(Connection, TBTMessageTransformerXMLMapDocument.Create(nil));
 Connection.Start;
 Session := Connection.CreateSession(False, amAutoAcknowledge);
 Destination := Session.CreateQueue('HelloMapMessage'
   + '?transformation=' + BTSerialIntf.TRANSFORMER ID MAP XML);
 Consumer := Session.CreateConsumer(Destination);
 MapMessage := Consumer.Receive(1000) as IMapMessage;
 if Assigned (MapMessage) then
 begin
   Memol.Lines.Append('Received:');
   for Key in MapMessage.GetMapNames do
   begin
     Memo1.Lines.Append(Key + '=' + MapMessage.GetString(Key));
   end:
 end;
 Connection.Close;
end;
```

16. Compile and save the project

Run the demo

- Launch the message broker
- Start the application
- Click on Button 1 to send the map message to the queue
- Click on Button 2 to receive the map message and display it

You can run two instances of the application at the same time, and also on different computers if the IP address of the message broker is used instead of localhost.

Map Message Conversion with Apache ActiveMQ

Note: if you send and receive map messages using the library, message brokers will receive them as simple STOMP text messages with a special header property "transformation" which is set to the value JMS_MAP_XML (or JMS_MAP_JSON if you use a JSON based map transformer class).

Most message brokers will not perform any special processing of these STOMP messages. A notable exception is Apache ActiveMQ: if the broker receives a STOMP message with the JMS_MAP_XML or JMS_MAP_JSON transformation header, it will convert the message internally to a 'native' JMS MapMessage. This allows Java clients to receive the message sent from the Delphi application as a MapMessage without the need to parse a XML body.

Habari Client map message transformers only support string properties.

Tutorial source code

The tutorial source code is included in the demo folder. It does not include a .proj file so you still need to add the Habari and Indy source paths to the project options.

Connection Factory

Overview

A connection factory is an object which holds all information required for the creation of a connection objects.

A factory instance is created and configured only once. It then may be used to create actual connection objects when needed. For example, a worker thread may create the connection factory once at program start-up and use it to create a new connection object whenever a connection failure occurred.

Creation and configuration

The code example below shows a helper function which creates a connection factory, and returns it using the interface type IConnectionFactory.

The factory will be freed automatically when there are no more references to it.

```
Code example
function TExample.CreateConfiguredFactory: IConnectionFactory;
 Factory: IConnectionFactory;
begin
 // create an instance
 Factory := TBTConnectionFactory.Create('user', 'password', 'stomp://localhost?
send.receipt=true');
 // return the instance
 Result := Factory;
```

This code example is useful for most simple client applications. However, because the local factory variable is declared as IConnectionFactory, advanced configuration properties in the class TBTConnectionFactory such as ClientID and SendTimeout are not accessible.

To access them, declare the local factory with the class type as shown in the next example:

Code example

```
function TExample.CreateConfiguredFactory: IConnectionFactory;
 Factory: TBTConnectionFactory;
begin
 // create and assign to local variable
 Factory := TBTConnectionFactory.Create;
 // -----
 // additional configuration
 Factory.BrokerURL := 'broker.example.com';
 Factory.UserName := 'guest';
 Factory.Password := 'guest';
 Factory.ClientID := 'myclientId';
 Factory.SendTimeOut := 10000;
 Factory.ConnectTimeOut := 10000; // Indy only
 // -----
 // return the configured factory
 Result := Factory;
end;
```

Warning: if the method signature is changed to return the class TBTConnectionFactory instead, a memory leak will occur.

Connection URL parameters

Heart-beating Support

STOMP 1.1 introduced heart-beating, its configuration is covered in the chapter Stomp 1.2

TCP Keep-Alive (only supported with Indy)

The library supports TCP keep-alive with an optional connection URL parameter, tcp.keepalive.

The parameter takes two arguments. On Linux, the first argument is the initial delay before the first keep-alive, the second argument specifies the interval (both values are in milliseconds). On the Windows platform, the values of these arguments are ignored and the operating system uses default values for initial delay⁴ and interval⁵, which can be modified in the registry.

Code example

Factory := TBTConnectionFactory.Create('user', 'password', 'stomp://localhost? tcp.keepalive=1000,1000');

Note TCP keep-alive is currently only supported by the Indy

communication adapter

Important To enable TCP keep-alive, the project must be compiled with

the conditional symbol HABARI_TCP_KEEPALIVE

Failover Support

The Failover transport layers reconnect logic on top of the Stomp transport.⁶

The Failover configuration syntax allows you to specify any number of composite URIs. The Failover transport randomly chooses one of the composite URI and attempts to establish a connection to it. If it does not succeed, a new connection is established to one of the other URIs in the list.

Example for a failover URI:

```
failover: (stomp://primary:61613, stomp://secondary:61613)
```

- 4 http://technet.microsoft.com/en-us/library/cc957549.aspx
- 5 http://technet.microsoft.com/en-us/library/cc957548.aspx
- 6 http://activemg.apache.org/failover-transport-reference.html

Failover Transport Options

Option Name	Default Value	Description
initialReconnectDelay	10	How long to wait before the first reconnect attempt (in ms)
maxReconnectDelay	30000	The maximum amount of time we ever wait between reconnect attempts (in ms)
backOffMultiplier	2.0	The exponent used in the exponential backoff attempts
maxReconnectAttempts	-1	-1 is default and means retry forever, 0 means don't retry (only try connection once but no retry)
		If set to > 0, then this is the maximum number of reconnect attempts before an error is sent back to the client
randomize	true	use a random algorithm to choose the the URI to use for reconnect from the list provided

Table 2: Failover Transport Options

Example URI:

```
failover:(stomp://localhost:61616,stomp://remotehost:61616)?
initialReconnectDelay=100&maxReconnectAttempts=10
```

```
Factory := TBTConnectionFactory.Create('failover:(stomp://primary:61616,stomp://
localhost:61613)?maxReconnectAttempts=3&randomize=false') do
try
   Conn := Factory.CreateConnection;
   Conn.Start;
   ...
   Conn.Stop;
finally
   Conn.Close;
end;
```

Receipt Support

The STOMP standard supports receipt messages since version 1.0:

"Any client frame other than CONNECT may specify a *receipt* header with an arbitrary value. This will cause the server to acknowledge receipt of the frame with a RECEIPT frame which contains the value of this header as the value of the *receipt-id* header in the RECEIPT packet."⁷⁸⁹

With Habari Client for OpenMQ, client applications may configure receipt headers for the frame types listed below.

After the STOMP frame has been sent to the broker, the client library waits for the RECEIPT frame for a defined time, which may be configured per frame type. If the broker does not send a receipt within the time-out interval, the client library will raise an exception. If the client receives a receipt with the wrong receipt-id header, it will raise an exception.

Receipt Support Parameters

STOMP frame	Parameter	Example URL
SUBSCRIBE	subscribe.receipt	stomp://localhost?subscribe.receipt=true
UNSUBSCRIBE	subscribe.receipt	stomp://localhost? unsubscribe.receipt=true
SEND	send.receipt	stomp://localhost?send.receipt=true
DISCONNECT	disconnect.receipt	stomp://localhost?disconnect.receipt=tru

SUBSCRIBE Receipt

To erquest server reseipts for SUBSCRIBE frames, use the optional connection URL parameter, subscribe.receipt.

```
Factory := TBTConnectionFactory.Create('user', 'password', 'stomp://localhost?
subscribe.receipt=true');
```

- 7 https://stomp.github.io/stomp-specification-1.0.html
- 8 https://stomp.github.io/stomp-specification-1.1.html#Header_receipt
- 9 https://stomp.github.io/stomp-specification-1.2.html#Header_receipt

If the broker does not send a receipt within the time-out interval, the client library will raise an exception.

UNSUBSCRIBE Receipt

To erquest server reseipts for UNSUBSCRIBE frames, use the optional connection URL parameter, unsubscribe.receipt.

Code example

```
Factory := TBTConnectionFactory.Create('user', 'password', 'stomp://localhost?
unsubscribe.receipt=true');
```

If the broker does not send a receipt within the time-out interval, the client library will raise an exception.

SEND Receipt

To erquest server reseipts for SEND frames, use the optional connection URL parameter, send.receipt.

Code example

```
Factory := TBTConnectionFactory.Create('user', 'password', 'stomp://localhost?
send.receipt=true');
```

If the broker does not send a receipt within the time-out interval, the client library will raise an exception.

Note:

for additional reliability, the client can use transactional send (see section "Transacted Sessions").

DISCONNECT Receipt

To request server receipts for DISCONNECT frames, use the optional connection URL parameter, disconnect.receipt.

```
Factory := TBTConnectionFactory.Create('user', 'password', 'stomp://localhost?
disconnect.receipt=true');
```

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Without this parameter, the client will disconnect the socket connection immediately after sending the DISCONNECT frame to the broker.

With disconnect.receipt=true, the client will send the DISCONNECT frame and then wait for the broker receipt frame. If the broker does not answer, the client library will raise an exception. The client application should treat its messages as undelivered.

Note:

for additional reliability, the client can use transactional send (see section "Transacted Sessions"), and message receipts (see section "SEND Receipt").

Connections and Sessions

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- Habari Client for Apache ActiveMQ 5.1
- Habari Client for Apache Artemis 5.1
- Habari Client for RabbitMQ 5.1

With OpenMQ, the library still uses Stomp 1.0.

Stomp version may be specified by connection URL parameters. The default protocol version is defined in the BTBrokerConsts unit.

Step-by-Step Example

Overview

This example will send a single message to a destination queue (ExampleQueue). 10

Add required units

Three units are required for this example

- a communication adapter unit (e. g. BTCommAdapterIndy)
- a connection factory unit (BTConnectionFactory)
- the unit containing the interface declarations (BTJMSInterfaces)

The SysUtils unit is necessary for the exception handling.

Code example

```
program SendOneMessage;

{$APPTYPE CONSOLE}

uses
   BTCommAdapterIndy,
   BTConnectionFactory,
```

10 Compatibility note: non-existing queues are created automatically by the broker – with the exception of Artemis and HornetQ which require them to be configured before usage

```
BTJMSInterfaces,
SysUtils;
...
```

Creating a new Connection

New connections are created by calling the CreateConnection method of a connection factory.

Code example

```
var
  Factory: IConnectionFactory;
Connection: IConnection;
...
begin
  Factory := TBTConnectionFactory.Create('user', 'password', 'stomp://localhost');
Connection := Factory.CreateConnection;
...
```

- For connection factory creation and configuration options please see chapter "Creation and configuration".
- Since IConnection is an interface type, the connection instance will be destroyed automatically if there are no more references to it in the program.

Connection URL Parameters

Connection URL parameters are documented in chapter " $\underline{\text{Connection URL parameters}}$ " and in chapter " $\underline{\text{Stomp 1.2}}$ ".

Creating a Session

To create the communication session,

- declare a variable of type ISession
- use the helper method CreateSession of the connection, and specify the acknowledgment mode

Please check the API documentation for the different session types and acknowledgement modes.

Since ISession is an interface type, the session instance will be destroyed automatically if there are no more references to it in the program.

```
Session := Connection.CreateSession(False, amAutoAcknowledge);
```

Using the Session

The Session variable is ready to use now. Destinations, producers and consumers will be covered in the next chapters.

Code example

```
Destination := Session.CreateQueue('ExampleQueue');
Producer := Session.CreateProducer(Destination);
Producer.Send(Session.CreateTextMessage('This is a test message'));
```

Closing a Connection

Finally, the application closes the connection. The client will disconnect from the message broker. Closing a connection also implicitly closes all open sessions.

Code example

```
finally
    Connection.Close;
end;
end.
```

Note:

Close will be called automatically if the connection is destroyed. But because unclosed connections use resources, Close should be called when the connection is no longer needed. When logging is enabled, the connection class will also log a message when a connection is destroyed without calling Close.

Session types overview

The table below shows the supported parameter combinations for the Connection. Create Session method and their effect on the session transaction and acknowledgment features.

Parameters	Client MUST acknowledge message receipt ¹¹	Transact support	STOMP	
		Send	Ack	Version
CreateSession(False, amAutoAcknowledge)	No	-	_	1.0

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CreateSession(False, amClientAcknowledge)	Yes (cumulative effect)	-	_	1.0
CreateSession(False, amClientIndividual)	Yes	_	-	1.2
CreateSession(True, amAutoAcknowledge)	No	✓	-	1.0
CreateSession(True, amClientAcknowledge)	Yes (cumulative effect)	✓	√ ①	1.0
CreateSession(True, amClientIndividual)	Yes	✓	√ ①	1.2
CreateSession(True, amTransactional)	No	√	-	1.0

Table 3: Session creation parameters

① - not supported by ActiveMQ Artemis

Transacted Sessions

A session may be specified as transacted. Each transacted session supports a single series of transactions.

Each transaction groups a set of message sends into an atomic unit of work.

A transaction is completed using either its session's Commit method or its session's Rollback method. The completion of a session's current transaction automatically begins the next. The result is that a transacted session always has a current transaction within which its work is done.

Create a transacted session

To create a transacted session, set the parameter of CreateSession to amTransactional as shown in the code example

Code example

Session := Connection.CreateSession(amTransactional);

or (using the older API version)

```
Session := Connection.CreateSession(True, amTransactional);
```

This code will automatically start a new transaction for this session.

Send messages

Now send messages using the transacted session.

```
Code example
```

```
Destination := Session.CreateQueue('testqueue');
Producer := Session.CreateProducer(Destination);
Producer.Send(Session.CreateTextMessage('This is a test message'));
```

Committing a transaction

If your client code has successfully sent its messages, the transaction must be committed to make the messages visible on the destination.

```
Code example
```

```
// send messages ...

finally
  // commit all messages
  Session.Commit;
end;
```

Note:

committing a transaction automatically starts a new transaction

Rolling back a transaction

If your client code runs wants to undo the sending of its messages, the transaction may be rolled back, and the messages will not become visible on the destination.

```
Code example
```

```
// send messages ...
except
...
// error!
Session.Rollback;
...
```

end;

Note:

rolling back a transaction automatically starts a new transaction. A transacted session will be rolled back automatically if the connection is closed.

Transacted message acknowledgement

Some library versions (see table "Communication Adapters" on page 13) support transactions also for the acknowledgement of received messages.

When a transaction is rolled back or the connection is closed without a commit, messages which have been acknowledged after the transaction start will return to unacknowledged state.

Code example

```
// receive in a transacted session
Session := Connection.CreateSession(True, amClientAcknowledge);
Queue := Session.CreateQueue(GetQueueName);
Consumer := Session.CreateConsumer(Queue);
Msg := Consumer.Receive(1000);

// process the message
...

// acknowledge the message
Msg.Acknowledge;
...

// in case of errors, roll back all acknowledgements
Session.Rollback;
```

This is an experimental feature. It requires the STOMP 1.2 communication protocol.

Destinations

Introduction

The API supports two models:12

- 1. point-to-point or queuing model
- 2. publish and subscribe model

In the point-to-point or queuing model, a producer posts messages to a particular queue and a consumer reads messages from the queue. Here, the producer knows the destination of the message and posts the message directly to the consumer's queue. It is characterized by following:

- Only one consumer will get the message
- The producer does not have to be running at the time the receiver consumes the message, nor does the receiver need to be running at the time the message is sent
- Every message successfully processed is acknowledged by the receiver

The publish/subscribe model supports publishing messages to a particular message topic. Zero or more subscribers may register interest in receiving messages on a particular message topic. In this model, neither the publisher nor the subscriber know about each other. A good metaphor for it is anonymous bulletin board. The following are characteristics of this model:

- Multiple consumers can get the message
- There is a timing dependency between publishers and subscribers. The publisher
 has to create a subscription in order for clients to be able to subscribe. The
 subscriber has to remain continuously active to receive messages, unless it has
 established a durable subscription. In that case, messages published while the
 subscriber is not connected will be redistributed whenever it reconnects.

Create a new Destination

Queues

A queue can be created using the CreateQueue method of the Session.

Code example

12 Java Message Service. (2007, November 21). In Wikipedia, The Free Encyclopedia. http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Java Message Service

```
Destination := Session.CreateQueue('foo');
Consumer := Session.CreateConsumer(Destination);
```

The queue can then be used to send or receive messages using implementations of the IMessageProducer and IMessageConsumer interfaces. (See next chapter for an example)

Topics

A topic can be created using the CreateTopic method of the Session.

Code example

```
Destination := Session.CreateTopic('bar');
Consumer := Session.CreateConsumer(Destination);
```

The topic can then be used to send or receive messages using implementations of the IMessageProducer and IMessageConsumer interfaces. (See next chapter for an example).

Producer and Consumer

Message Producer

A client uses a MessageProducer object to send messages to a destination. A MessageProducer object is created by passing a Destination object to a message-producer creation method supplied by a session.

Code example

```
Destination := Session.CreateQueue('foo');
Producer := Session.CreateProducer(Destination);
Producer.Send(Session.CreateTextMessage('Test message'));
```

A client can specify a default delivery mode, priority, and time to live for messages sent by a message producer. It can also specify the delivery mode, priority, and time to live for an individual message.

Persistent messages

The delivery mode for outgoing messages may be set to persistent in one of two ways. From the docs for TBTMessageProducer: "A client can specify a **default delivery mode**, priority, and time to live for messages sent by a message producer. It can also specify the delivery mode, priority, and time to live for an individual message."

Setting the default delivery mode

Code example

```
Destination := Session.CreateQueue('foo');
Producer := Session.CreateProducer(Destination);
Producer.DeliveryMode := dmPersistent;
Producer.Send(Session.CreateTextMessage('Test message'));
```

Setting the delivery mode for an individual message

Code example

```
Destination := Session.CreateQueue('foo');
Producer := Session.CreateProducer(Destination);
Producer.Send(Session.CreateTextMessage('Test message'), dmPersistent,
BTBrokerConsts.DEFAULT_PRIORITY, 0);
```

Message Consumer

A client uses a MessageConsumer object to receive messages from a destination. A MessageConsumer object is created by passing a Destination object to a messageconsumer creation method supplied by a session.

Code example

```
Destination := Session.CreateQueue('foo');
Consumer := Session.CreateConsumer(Destination);
```

Message Selector

A message consumer can be created with a **message selector**¹³.

A message selector allows the client to restrict the messages delivered to the message consumer to those that match the selector.

Synchronous Receive

A MessageConsumer offers a Receive method which can be used to consume exactly one message at a time.

Code example

```
while I < EXPECTED do
  TextMessage := Consumer.Receive(1000) as ITextMessage;
 if Assigned (TextMessage) then
 begin
    Inc(I);
    TextMessage.Acknowledge;
   L.Info(Format('%d %s', [I, TextMessage.Text]));
  end;
end;
```

Receive and ReceiveNoWait

There are three different methods for synchronous receive:

Receive

The Receive method with no arguments will block (wait until a message is available).

Receive(TimeOut) The Receive method with a timeout parameter will wait for the

given time in milliseconds. If no message arrived, it will return

nil.

ReceiveNoWait The ReceiveNoWait method will return immediately. If no

message arrived, it will return nil.

Durable Subscriptions

Description

If a client needs to receive all the messages published on a topic, including the ones published while the subscriber is inactive, it uses a durable TopicSubscriber.

The message broker retains a record of this durable subscription and insures that all messages from the topic's publishers are retained until they are acknowledged by this durable subscriber or they have expired.14

The combination of the clientId and durable subscriber name uniquely identifies the durable topic subscription.

After you restart your program and re-subscribe, the broker will know which messages you need that were published while you were away.

Creation

The Session interface contains the CreateDurableSubscriber method which creates a durable subscriber to the specified topic.

A durable subscriber MessageConsumer is created with a unique clientID and durable subscriber name.

Only **one** thread can be actively consuming from a given logical topic subscriber.

Temporary Queues

Introduction

"Temporary destinations (temporary queues or temporary topics) are proposed as a lightweight alternative in a scalable system architecture that could be used as unique destinations for replies. Such destinations have a scope limited to the connection that created it, and are removed on the server side as soon as the connection is closed." ("Designing Messaging Applications with Temporary Queues", by Thakur Thribhuvan 15)

Library Support

Temporary destinations are supported by

- ActiveMQ
- OpenMQ
- RabbitMQ

Resource Management

The session should be closed as soon as processing is completed so that TemporaryQueues will be deleted on the server side.

Message Options

Standard Properties

The Apache ActiveMQ message broker supports some JMS standard properties in the STOMP adapter. These properties are based on the JMS specification of the Message interface.16

Habari Client libraries for other message brokers may support a subset of these standard properties.

Note: If your application makes use of these properties, your

application depends on a broker-specific feature which is not guaranteed to be available in the STOMP adapter of other

message brokers

Properties for outgoing messages

JMSCorrelationID	The correlation ID for the message.
JMSExpiration	The message's expiration value.
JMSDeliveryMode	Whether or not the message is persistent. ¹⁷
JMSPriority ¹⁸	The message priority level.
JMSReplyTo	The Destination object to which a reply to this message should be sent.

Properties for incoming messages

JMSCorrelationID	The correlation ID for the message.	
JMSExpiration	The message's expiration value.	
JMSDeliveryMode	Whether or not the message is persistent.	

¹⁶ http://download.oracle.com/javaee/5/api/javax/jms/Message.html

¹⁷ For sending persistent messages please see documentation for IMessageProducer

¹⁸ Clients set the JMSPriority not directly, but either on the producer or as a parameter in the Send method

JMSPriority	The message priority level.
JMSTimestamp	The timestamp the broker added to the message.
JMSMessageId	The message ID which is set by the provider.
JMSReplyTo	The Destination object to which a reply to this message should be sent.

Reserved property names

Some headers names are defined by the Stomp specifications, and by broker-specific extensions of the Stomp protocol. These reserved Stomp header names can not be used as names for user defined properties.

Note

The client library will raise an Exception if the application tries to send a message with a reserved property name.

Examples

- login
- passcode
- transaction
- session
- message
- destination
- id
- ack
- selector
- type
- content-length
- content-type
- correlation-id
- expires
- persistent
- priority

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- reply-to
- message-id
- timestamp
- transformation
- client-id
- redelivered

Prefix for custom headers

A common practice to avoid name collisions is using a prefix for your own properties (example: **x-type** instead of **type**).

Selectors

Selectors are a way of attaching a filter to a subscription to perform content based routing. For more documentation on the detail of selectors see the reference on javax.jmx.Message¹⁹.

Supported message brokers

Message selectors are supported by

- Habari Client for ActiveMQ
 Habari Client for Artemis
- Habari Client for OpenMQ

Code example

```
Consumer := Session.CreateConsumer(Destination, 'type=''car'' and color=''blue''');
```

All supported brokers allow supports string type properties and operations in selectors. ActiveMQ also allows integer properties and operations in selectors (see special note²⁰).

Object Messages

Introduction

Object Serialization

Object serialization is the process of saving an object's state to a sequence of bytes, as well as the process of rebuilding those bytes into a live object at some future time.²¹ In messaging applications, object serialization is required to transfer objects between clients, but also to store objects on the broker if they are declared persistent.

Message Transformers

Style	Message Type	Library	Unit
XML	ObjectMessage	OmniXML	BTMessageTransformerXMLOmni
XML	ObjectMessage	NativeXml	BTMessageTransformerXMLNative
XML	MapMessage	OmniXML	BTMessageTransformerXMLMapOmni
XML	MapMessage	NativeXml	BTMessageTransformerXMLMapNative
XML	MapMessage	IDocument	BTMessageTransformerXMLMapDocument
JSON	MapMessage	JsonDataObjects	BTMessageTransformerJSONDataObjects
JSON	ObjectMessage	SuperObject	BTMessageTransformerJSONSuperObject
JSON	MapMessage	SuperObject	BTMessageTransformerJSONMapSuperObje ct

Table 4: Message Transformer Implementations

Memory Management

Outgoing Objects

The message transformer will not free objects which have been sent. To release the memory, the application has to explicitly free them when they are no longer used.

Incoming Objects

The message transformer will create an object instance when an object message has been received. To avoid memory leaks, the application must free this instance when it is no longer in use.

Assign a Message Transformer

To insert an object decoder / encoder in the message processing chain, create a message transformer instance and assign it to the connection's MessageTransformer property.

The constructor of message transformers for object exchange takes one argument, which is the **class** of the serialized object. In this example, SamplePojo is the class.

Code example

```
Connection: IConnection;
...
with (Connection as IMessageTransfomerSupport) do
begin
   MessageTransformer := TBTMessageTransformerXMLOmni.Create(SamplePojo);
end;
...
Connection.Start;
```

You can also use the helper procedure SetTransformer in unit BTConnection:

Code example

```
Connection: IConnection;
...

SetTransformer(Connection, TBTMessageTransformerXMLOmni.Create(SamplePojo));
...
Connection.Start;
```

Create and Send an ObjectMessage

create a IObjectMessage instance using ISession#CreateObjectMessage

2. send the object message to the broker using IMessageProducer#Send

Code example

```
ObjectMessage := Session.CreateObjectMessage(Instance);
Producer.Send(ObjectMessage);
```

Complete Example using NativeXml

From ObjectExchangeTests.pas.

Send:

Code example

```
procedure TObExTestCase.TestXMLNative;
  ObjectMessage: IObjectMessage;
  Obj: SamplePojo;
begin
  // send
  Connection := TBTConnection.MakeConnection;
    SetTransformer(Connection, TBTMessageTransformerXMLNative.Create(SamplePojo));
    Connection.Start;
    Session := Connection.CreateSession(False, amAutoAcknowledge);
    Destination := Session.CreateQueue('TOOL.OBJECT.XML');
    Producer := Session.CreateProducer(Destination);
    Obj := SamplePojo.Create;
      Obj.messageText := 'test';
      Obj.messageNo := 0;
      ObjectMessage := Session.CreateObjectMessage(Obj);
      ObjectMessage.SetStringProperty(SH TRANSFORMATION + '-custom',
        TRANSFORMER ID OBJECT XML); // required for "Delphi Only" object exchange
      Producer.Send(ObjectMessage);
    finally
      Obj.Free;
    end;
  finally
    Connection.Close;
  end;
```

Receive:

Code example

```
Connection := TBTConnection.MakeConnection;
try
   SetTransformer(Connection, TBTMessageTransformerXMLNative.Create(SamplePojo));
   Connection.Start;
   Session := Connection.CreateSession(False, amClientAcknowledge);
   Destination := Session.CreateQueue('TOOL.OBJECT.XML');
```

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```
Consumer := Session.CreateConsumer(Destination);
   ObjectMessage := Consumer.Receive(1000) as IObjectMessage;
   if Assigned(ObjectMessage) then
   begin
     ObjectMessage.Acknowledge;
     Obj := ObjectMessage.GetObject as SamplePojo;
       CheckEquals('test', Obj.messageText);
       CheckEquals(0, Obj.messageNo);
     finally
       Obj.Free;
     end;
   end;
 finally
   Connection.Close;
 end;
end;
```

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Connection configuration

A connection string can use additional URL parameters to configure Stomp version 1.1 and 1.2

All Parameters are case sensitive.

Parameters can be omitted to use the default value.

Switch	Description	Default
connect.accept- version ²²	Supported Stomp versions in ascending order	Broker specific, see below
connect.host ²³	The name of a virtual host that the client wishes to connect to. It is recommended clients set this to the host name that the socket was established against, or to any name of their choosing. If this header does not match a known virtual host, servers supporting virtual hosting MAY select a default virtual host or reject the connection.	Server URI
connect.heart-beat ²⁴	Heart beat (outgoing, incoming)	0,0

Default Stomp version (broker-specific)²⁵

If the connection URL does not contain the connect.accept-version parameter, the client library will add an accept-version header to the CONNECT frame with the value defined in the SH_DEFAULT_STOMP_VERSION constant in the BTBrokerConsts unit.

Default Stomp version			
ActiveMQ	Artemis	OpenMQ	RabbitMQ

²² http://stomp.github.com//stomp-specification-1.2.html#protocol_negotiation

²³ http://stomp.github.com//stomp-specification-1.2.html#CONNECT_or_STOMP_Frame

²⁴ http://stomp.github.com//stomp-specification-1.2.html#Heart-beating

²⁵ Since version 5.1 (2017.06)

1.2	1.2	1.0	1.2

Connection Factory Code Example:

Code example

```
Factory := TBTConnectionFactory.Create(
  'stomp://localhost:61613?connect.accept-version=1.2&connect.heart-beat=1000,0');
```

This example creates a connection factory with these connection settings

host: localhost port: 61613

accept-version: 1.2 heart-beat: 1000,0

- virtual host is localhost
- the client requests Stomp 1.2 protocol
- client heart beat interval is 1000 milliseconds, no server heart beat signals

Specification

For details see the Stomp specification pages:

http://stomp.github.com//stomp-specification-1.1.html

http://stomp.github.com//stomp-specification-1.2.html

Sending heart-beat signals

A client can use the **SendHeartbeat** method of the connection object to send a heartbeat byte (newline 0x0A).

SendHeartbeat is a method of the IHeartbeat interface, which is declared in the BTSessionIntf unit. A cast of the IConnection object is required to access this method.

Code example

(Connection as IHeartbeat).SendHeartbeat;

Notes:

- the client application code is responsible for sending a heartbeat message within the maximum interval which was specified in the connect parameter – the Habari Client library does not send heart-beats automatically
- client messages which are sent after the heart-beat interval expires may be lost

Checking for incoming heartbeats

The Habari client library stores a time-stamp of the last incoming data. If the time which elapsed since this time-stamp is greater than two times the heart-bet interval, calling **CheckHeartbeat** will raise an exception of type EBTStompServerHeartbeatMissing.

Code example

(Connection as IHeartbeat). CheckHeartbeat;

Notes:

- the method raises an exception if the connection does not use server-side heartbeating
- the method only checks the time elapsed since the last heart-beat, it does not try to read any data from the connection

Reading server-side heartbeats

If the client never needs to consume any messages, but still needs to check for serverside heartbeats, it can use the **ReceiveHeartbeat** method of the connection object.

This method takes one argument, TimeOut.

The function returns True if it found at least one heart-beat signal on the connection.

Calling ReceiveHeartbeat is only useful for applications which never call Receive, to check if the server is still healthy, and to consume the pending heart-beat signals from the connection.

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If the client reads messages (using Consumer.Receive), calling ReceiveHeartbeat is not required.

Example Applications

Directory	Description
common	Shared units (see below)
common-consumertool	Receive messages from broker
common-consumertool-fpc	Free Pascal version of ConsumerTool
common-producertool	Send messages to broker
common-producertool-fpc	Free Pascal version of producertool
common-producertool-ssl	Send messages to broker with SSL connection
common-tests	DUnit tests
common-tests-fpc	FPCUnit tests
delphichat	Simple chat client (Delphi 2009)
heartbeat-server	Uses server-side heart-beating to check the connection / server health ²⁶
performance	Multi-threaded performance test application (Delphi 2009)
reconnect	Send messages and reconnect on connection failure
rpc	Use temporary queues to implement request/response style communication (not supported on all message brokers ²⁷)
textmessage	Simple text message example
throughput	Produces and consumes messages continuously

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Directory	Description
throughput-fpc	Free Pascal version of throughput
transactions	Transaction example
tutorial1	Tutorial one
tutorial2	Tutorial two

Table 5: Example Applications (in alphabetic order)

Shared units for demo projects

The directory demo/common contains shared units:

- · connection configuration form
- · command line parameter support class
- LoggingHelper example unit (see "Logging with SLF4P" on page 65)

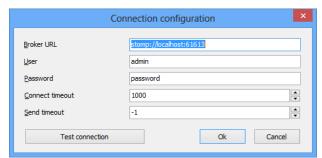


Illustration 2: Connection configuration dialog example

ConsumerTool

The ConsumerTool demo may be used to receive messages from a queue or topic. This example application is configurable by command line parameters, all are optional.

Parameter	Default Value	Description
AckMode	CLIENT_ACKNOWLEDGE	Acknowledgment mode, possible values are: CLIENT_ACKNOWLEDGE, AUTO_ACKNOWLEDGE or SESSION_TRANSACTED
ClientId		Client Id for durable subscriber
ConsumerName	Habari	name of the message consumer - for durable subscriber
Durable	false	true: use a durable subscriber
MaximumMessages	10	expected number of messages
Password		Password
PauseBeforeShutDown	false	true: wait for key press
ReceiveTimeOut	0	consume messages while they continue to be delivered within the given time out
SleepTime	0	time to sleep after receive
Subject	TOOL.DEFAULT	queue or topic name
Topic	false	true: topic false: queue
Transacted	false	true: transacted session
URL	localhost	server url
User		user name
Verbose	true	verbose output

Table 6: ConsumerTool Command Line Options

```
C:\Users\mj\Desktop\Sandbox\Habari Client libraries\Habari RabbitMQ\demo\c...
Habari Client for RabbitMQ 1.9 (c) 2011-2013 Michael Justin
Connecting to URL: stomp://localhost:61613
Consuming queue: ExampleQueue
Using a non-durable subscription
We are about to wait until we consume: 10 message(s) then we will shutdown
Received: Message: 7 sent at: 08.01.2014 10:35:39
Received: Message: 8 sent at: 08.01.2014 10:35:39
Received: Message: 9 sent at: 08.01.2014 10:35:39
Received: Message: 9 sent at: 08.01.2014 17:11:20
Received: Message: 1 sent at: 08.01.2014 17:11:21
Received: Message: 2 sent at: 08.01.2014 17:11:21
                                                                                      08.01.2014
08.01.2014
08.01.2014
 Received:
                             Message:
                                                            sent
                                                                          at:
 Received:
                             Message:
                                                            sent
                                                                          at:
 Received:
                            Message:
                                                                         at:
                                                            sent
 Received: Message:
Received: Message:
                                                            sent
                                                                          at:
                                                            sent
 Closing connection
```

Illustration 3: ConsumerTool demo application

Examples

Receive 1000 messages from local broker

ConsumerTool --MaximumMessages=1000

Receive 10 messages from local broker and wait for any key

ConsumerTool --PauseBeforeShutDown

Use a transacted session to receive 10,000 messages from local broker

ConsumerTool --MaximumMessages=10000 --Transacted --AckMode=SESSION_TRANSACTED

ProducerTool

The ProducerTool demo can be used to send messages to the broker. It is configurable by command line parameters, all are optional.

Parameter	Default	Description	
MessageCount	10	Number of messages	
MessageSize	255	Length of a message in bytes	
Persistent	false	Delivery mode 'persistent'	
SleepTime	0	Pause between messages in milliseconds	
Subject	TOOL.DEFAULT	Destination name	
TimeToLive	0	Message expiration time	
Topic	false	Destination is a topic	
Transacted	false	Use a transaction	
URL	localhost	Message broker URL	
Verbose	true	Verbose output	
User		User name	
Password		Password	

Table 7: ProducerTool Command Line Options

```
C:\Users\mj\Desktop\Sandbox\Habari Client libraries\Habari RabbitMQ\demo\c...
Habari Client for RabbitMQ 1.9 (c) 2011–2013 Michael Justin
Connecting to URL: stomp://localhost:61613
Publishing a Message with size 255 to queue: ExampleQueue
Using non-persistent messages
Sleeping between publish 0 ms
Sending message: Message: 0 s
Sending message: Message: 1 s
                                                    sent at:
                                                     sent
                                                              at:
                                Message:
                                                     sent
  ending message:
                                                              at:
Sending
                                Message:
              message:
                                                     sent
                                Message:
Message:
  ending message:
                                                     sent
                                                             at:
Sending message:
                                                     sent
Sending message: Message: 6
Sending message: Message: 7
Sending message: Message: 8
Sending message: Message: 9
Done.
                                                                     10.01.2014
10.01.2014
                                                     sent at:
                                                             at:
                                                     sent
                                                     sent
                                                             at:
                                                     sent
```

Illustration 4: ProducerTool demo application

Examples

Send 10,000 messages to the queue TOOL. DEFAULT on the local broker

```
ProducerTool --MessageCount 10000
```

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Send 10 messages to the topic ExampleTopic on the local broker

ProducerTool --Topic --Subject=ExampleTopic

Performance test

The performance test application provides a GUI for multi-threaded sending and receiving of messages.

- A broker configuration dialog can be invoked by clicking the URL field
- The communication library (Indy or Synapse) can be selected
- Number and length of messages and thread number can be adjusted using the sliders

For every thread a message queue with the name ExampleQueue. <n> will be used.

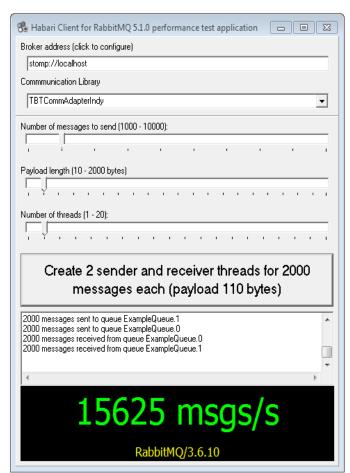


Illustration 5: Performance Test Application

Habari Client for OpenMQ 5.1 includes an enhanced performance test application, which optionally collects message rates of multiple test runs and displays the sample median. Shown above is an example for a client configuration:

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- 21 test runs (triggered by a shift-click on the test button)
 2000 messages per thread
 210 bytes payload
 two producer threads, two consumer threads

To start the long-running tests, shift-click on the run button. Taking all test samples takes around ten seconds.

Throughput test

This example application is configurable by command line parameters, all are optional.

Parameter	Default Value	Description
Password	(broker-specific)	Password
Subject	ExampleTopic	Topic name
URL	(broker-specific)	Connection URL
User	(broker-specific)	User name

Table 8: Throughput Test Tool Command Line Options

Examples

Use remote broker 'mybroker' and specify user and password

```
tptest --url=stomp://mybroker --user=test1 --password=secret
```

Illustration 6: Throughput test tool output

Unit Tests

Introduction

Habari Client libraries include DUnit and FPCUnit tests. They require the classic DUnit framework (included in Delphi 2009) or FPCUnit (included in Lazarus 2.6).

The test projects are installed in the common-tests and common-tests-fpc folders.

Test project configuration

Logging

To switch on SLF4P logging, add the conditional symbol HABARI_LOGGING (see chapter 'Logging with SLF4P') and rebuild the project. Set the DEFAULT_LOG_LEVEL constant in unit TestHelper to a valid SLF4P level.

Raw message logging

To switch on raw logging, add the conditional symbol HABARI_RAW_TRACE and rebuild the project. The project has the {\$APPTYPE CONSOLE} flag, which will cause a console window to open.

Optional units

To switch on tests for optional units (object message exchange), add the conditional symbol TEST OPTIONAL UNITS and rebuild the project.

Synapse communication adapter

To switch from Indy to Synapse for the tests, add the conditional symbol HABARI_TEST_SYNAPSE and rebuild the project.

Test units

The common-tests folder contains these units

Test setup and test case base classes

TestHelper	Main test set-up and utility unit, contains no tests
HabariTestCase	Test case base classes used for for most tests

Unit tests		
ApiTests	Tests Habari Client core API methods – part 1	
BasicTests	Tests Habari Client core API methods – part 2	
BrokerExtensionsTests	Tests broker-specific features and extensions of the STOMP protocol	
HabariExtensionsTests	Tests non-standard features provided by the Habari Client library	
HabariTypesTests	Tests internal data types	
ObjectExchangeTests ²⁸	Tests object message exchange (for Delphi DUnit only)	
Stomp12Tests	Tests features introduced with version 1.2 of the STOMP standard	
StubServerTests	Tests using a simple local Stomp server	

Free Pascal specific test units are in the folder common-tests-fpc

Test execution

Requirements

The test projects require a message broker running on the local system, which accepts STOMP connections on the default port, with the default user credentials. User name and password for the default user are defined in unit BTBrokerConsts.

Test destinations

Most tests create a test-specific destination (queue or a topic) to reduce the risk of side effects.

The name of the destination is the combination of the test class name and the unit test name.

Note: the unit tests will not clean up or remove these destination objects after usage.

STOMP 1.2

Since Habari Client for OpenMQ 5.0, the unit test use STOMP 1.2 for connections.

Logging with SLF4P

Introduction

Habari Client libraries include the free open source logging framework SL4FP as an optional dependency.

SLF4P is available at https://github.com/michaelJustin/slf4p

IDE and project configuration

In order to compile with SLF4P support,

- 1. include the path to the slf4p library in the project search or in the global library path
- 2. add the conditional symbol HABARI_LOGGING to the project options

Delphi

- choose Project | Options... | Delphi Compiler > Conditional defines
- add HABARI_LOGGING

Lazarus

- choose Project | Project Options ... | Compiler Options > Other
- add -dHABARI_LOGGING in the Custom options field

LoggingHelper unit

A simple LoggingHelper unit is located in the demo\common\ directory and can be copied to a project to add slf4p support with little extra coding.

Code example

```
uses
LoggingHelper,
...
begin
// set up logging
```

```
LoggingHelper.ConfigureLogging;
```

The LoggingHelper unit may be adjusted to your configuration needs. Here is an example which uses the SimpleLogger implementation (included in SLF4P).

Code example

```
unit LoggingHelper;
interface
uses
 {$IFDEF HABARI_LOGGING}
 djLogOverSimpleLogger, SimpleLogger
 {$ENDIF HABARI_LOGGING};
const
 DEFAULT_LOG_LEVEL = 'info';
procedure ConfigureLogging(const LogLevel: string = DEFAULT_LOG_LEVEL);
implementation
procedure ConfigureLogging(const LogLevel: string);
 { $IFDEF HABARI_LOGGING }
 SimpleLogger.Configure('defaultLogLevel', LogLevel);
 SimpleLogger.Configure('showDateTime', 'true');
 {$ENDIF HABARI_LOGGING}
end;
end.
```

Conditional Symbols

Caution

All conditional symbols enable experimental or optional features, which are not covered by the free basic support plan. Feedback (suggestions for improvements, feature requests, and bug reports) are always welcome.

Conditional symbols for release builds

HABARI_ALLOW_UNKNOWN_URL_PARAMS

Disables strict connection URL parameter checking.

If this symbol is defined, connection URLs may contain arbitrary parameters. By default, the library only accepts well-known connection parameters and raises an exception for unknown parameters.

Broker versions: all broker versions.

HABARI_LOGGING

Enables logging support. Requires the open source SLF4P logging facade.

Broker versions: all broker versions.

See also: Logging with SLF4P

HABARI_SSL_SUPPORT

Enables SSL support. Support for SSL connections is an advanced / optional feature, technical support is not included in the basic support plan.

The directory source/optional contains example implementations of Indy and Synapse adapter classes with OpenSSL support. Please note that these are basic implementations and not supported in the free basic support plan.

Broker versions: all broker versions.

See also: SSL/TLS Support

HABARI_TCP_KEEPALIVE

Enables configuration option for TCP keep-alive.

For details please see chapter Connection URL parameters.

Broker versions: all broker versions.

Indy communication adapter only

HABARI_USE_INTERCEPT

Enables detailed logging of Stomp message frames

This uses the Indy interceptor implementation in unit IdInterceptSimLog.

All communication data will be logged to a file. A new file will be created for every new STOMP connection. The file is located in a folder below the current working directory.

If this symbol is defined in a release build, a compiler warning will be emitted:

HABARI_USE_INTERCEPT should not be used for release builds

Broker versions: all broker versions.

Indy communication adapter only

Note: this feature requires permissions

- create a directory in the current directory if it does not exist
- create files

Conditional symbols for unit test projects

TEST_OPTIONAL_UNITS

Enables tests for experimental / optional units.

HABARI_TEST_SYNAPSE

Enables Synapse communication adapter in DUnit/FPCUnit tests, default is Indy.

Supported for: all versions.

HABARI_TEST_USE_MGMT_API

Enables additional test steps

If this symbol is defined, a broker-specific management client will be instantiated and used in the tests to perform one or more of these actions:

- create destinations on the message broker (test preparation)
- destroy destinations on the message broker (cleanup)
- check destinations for their pending message count

Actual actions depend on the message broker type, see HabariTestCase unit source code for details.

Only available with the DUnit test suite, not for FPCUnit.

Uses SuperObject library (included) and Indy HTTP client

Available since version 5.2.0 (2017.10)

Status: This is work in progress / experimental

Broker versions: Apache ActiveMQ, Apache ActiveMQ Artemis and RabbitMQ. For OpenMQ, a "no op" client will be used to keep the test source code compatible between all broker versions.

SSL/TLS Support

SSL communication adapter classes

Habari Client for OpenMQ includes two experimental adapter classes for usage with OpenSSL, one for Indy (Internet Direct) and one for Synapse. The units for these classes are in the source\optional folder.

Adapter Class	Unit
TBTCommAdapterIndySSL	BTCommAdapterIndySSL
TBTCommAdapterSynapseSSL	BTCommAdapterSynapseSSL

Table 9: Communication Adapters with SSL Support

Mixed Use

It is possible to use SSL and non-SSL connections in the same project:

- connections with the "stomp://" scheme will remain unencrypted
- connections with the "stomp+ssl://" scheme will use SSL

SSL configuration

The TBTCommAdapterIndySSL class includes very basic configuration of the Indy SSL handler. Your server or your specific security requirements may require additional configuration.

Indy SSL Demo

A demo application is included in **common-producertool-ssl.**

Code example

```
program ProducerToolIndySSL;
{$APPTYPE CONSOLE}
 // the Habari Client adapter class for Indy + SSL
```

```
BTCommAdapterIndySSL,
  // required to set the default adapter
  BTAdapterRegistry,
  // the common demo unit for the producer tool
  ProducerToolUnit in '..\common-producertool\ProducerToolUnit.pas',
  // configuration support unit
  CommandLineSupport in '..\common\CommandLineSupport.pas',
  SysUtils;
begin
  BTAdapterRegistry.SetDefaultAdapter(TBTCommAdapterIndySSL);
  with TProducerTool.Create do
  try
    trv
      Run:
    except
     on E:Exception do WriteLn(E.Message);
  finally
    Free;
  end;
  ReadLn;
end.
```

Notes

- the TBTCommAdapterIndySSL class must be registered using (BTAdapterRegistry.SetDefaultAdapter(TBTCommAdapterIndySSL)
- the project must be compiled with HABARI_SSL_SUPPORT
- the connection URL must be in the form "stomp+ssl://server.com:sslport"
- the OpenSSL libraries must be in the application search path

Example output

```
Habari Client for RabbitMQ 5.1.0 (c) 2008-2017 Michael Justin
Connecting to URL: stomp+ssl://localhost:61614
Publishing a Message with size 255 to queue: ExampleQueue
Using persistent messages
Sleeping between publish 0 ms
313 INFO habari.TBTCommAdapterIndySSL - Verifying SSL certificate
313 INFO habari.TBTCommAdapterIndySSL - Issuer: /C=GB/ST=Greater Manchester/L=Sa
lford/O=COMODO CA Limited/CN=COMODO RSA Domain Validation Secure Server CA
313 INFO habari.TBTCommAdapterIndySSL - Not After: 09.04.2018 01:59:59
313 INFO habari. TBTCommAdapterIndySSL - Verifying SSL certificate
313 INFO habari.TBTCommAdapterIndySSL - Issuer: /C=GB/ST=Greater Manchester/L=Sa
lford/O=COMODO CA Limited/CN=COMODO RSA Domain Validation Secure Server CA
313 INFO habari.TBTCommAdapterIndySSL - Not After: 09.04.2018 01:59:59
329 INFO habari. TBTStompClient - Connected with RabbitMQ/3.6.10 using STOMP 1.2
Sending message: Message: 0 sent at: 28.06.2017 10:26:43
Sending message: Message: 1 sent at: 28.06.2017 10:26:43
                                                                      . . .
Sending message: Message: 2 sent at: 28.06.2017 10:26:43
                                                                      . . .
Sending message: Message: 3 sent at: 28.06.2017 10:26:43
Sending message: Message: 4 sent at: 28.06.2017 10:26:43
Sending message: Message: 5 sent at: 28.06.2017 10:26:43
Sending message: Message: 6 sent at: 28.06.2017 10:26:43
Sending message: Message: 7 sent at: 28.06.2017 10:26:43 Sending message: Message: 8 sent at: 28.06.2017 10:26:43
                                                                       . . .
Sending message: Message: 9 sent at: 28.06.2017 10:26:43
```

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Done.

Support

Support for SSL/TLS connections and the example adapter classes is not included in the basic support package of Habari Client for OpenMQ.

Useful Units

BTStreamHelper unit

This unit contains the procedure LoadBytesFromStream which can be used to read a file into a BytesMessage.

Code example

```
// create the message
Msg := Session.CreateBytesMessage;

// open a file
FS := TFileStream.Create('filename.dat', fmOpenRead);

try
    // read the file bytes into the message
    LoadBytesFromStream(Msg, FS);

Size := Length(Msg.Content);

// display message content size
WriteLn(IntToStr(Size) + ' Bytes');

finally
    // release the file stream
    FS.Free;
end;
```

BTJavaPlatform unit

This unit contains some helper functions for Java dates. Java dates are Int64 values based on the Unix date.

```
function JavaDateToTimeStamp(const JavaDate: Int64): TDateTime;
```

```
function TimeStampToJavaDate(const TimeStamp: TDateTime): Int64;
```

Library Limitations

MessageConsumer

How do I implement synchronous receive from multiple destinations?

The library does not support synchronous receive from more than one destination over a single connection.

To receive messages synchronously (using Receive and ReceiveNoWait) from two or more destinations, create one connection per destination.

Background: all pending messages in a connection are serialized in one TCP stream, so reading only the messages which come from one of the destinations would require 'skipping' all messages for other destinations.

Message properties

Only string data type supported by Stomp

The STOMP protocol uses string type key/value lists for the representation of message properties. Regardless of the method used to set message properties, all message properties will be interpreted as Java Strings by the Message Broker.

As a side effect, the expressions in a Selector are limited to operations which are valid for strings.

Timestamp properties are converted to a Unix time stamp value, which is the internal representation in Java. But still, these values can not be used with date type expressions.

Broker-specific exceptions

Apache ActiveMQ 5.6 introduced support for numeric expressions in JMS selectors²⁹.

Multi threading

A session supports transactions and it is difficult to implement transactions that are multithreaded; a session should not be used concurrently by multiple threads.

Free Pascal specific restrictions

- the library has only been tested on the Windows platform
- the included unit test project uses FPCUnit for Free Pascal / Lazarus instead of DUnit
- the third-party libraries for XML and JSON based object exchange do not support Free Pascal
- the library source code use the Delphi mode switch {\$MODE DELPHI}
- other limitations or restrictions may apply

Broker-specific limitations

Transacted Sessions

Transactional acknowledging

The STOMP implementations of Artemis and OpenMQ message broker do not support transactional acknowledging of incoming messages.

Other broker specific limitations

For broker-specific notes, please read chapter Broker-specific notes.

Frequently Asked Questions

Technical questions

Why am I getting 'undeclared identifier **IndyTextEncoding UTF8'?**

Short answer

Your Indy version is too old.

Long answer

The library requires a current Indy 10.6.2 version.

Solution

Please download a newer Indy version.

Why am I getting 'Undeclared identifier: 'TimeSeparator''?

Short answer

Your Synapse version does not support your version of Delphi

Long answer

Delphi XE4 removed twenty deprecated global variables. For more details, see http://docwiki.embarcadero.com/RADStudio/XE4/en/Global Variables.

Solution

Please use Indy instead of Synapse or use a compatible version of Synapse.

Why am I getting 'Found no matching consumer' errors?

Short answer

The client closed a consumer while there still were pending messages on the wire for it, and then tried to receive the pending messages with a new consumer.

Long answer

If the client subscribes to a destination, it creates a unique subscription identifier and passes it to the broker. Messages which the broker sends to the client always include this subscription identifier in their header properties. The client verifies that the subscription id in the incoming message has the same id as the consumer.

If the client closes the consumer before all messages waiting on the wire have been consumed, and creates a new subscription (which has a new unique id), the remaining messages which are waiting on the wire, will have a subscription id which does not match the id of the new subscription. The client will raise an exception if no matching consumer can be found.

Solution

Do not create another consumer on the same connection while there are still pending messages for the first consumer. To discard all pending messages which are still waiting on the wire, the client can simply close the close the connection and create a new consumer on a new connection.

Example

Here is a small code example which causes this error³⁰:

Code example

```
procedure TErrorHandlingTests.TestReceiveMessageForOtherSubscription;
var
  Factory: IConnectionFactory;
  Conn: IConnection;
  Session: ISession;
 Destination: IDestination;
 Producer: IMessageProducer;
 Consumer: IMessageConsumer;
 Msq: IMessage;
 Factory := TBTConnectionFactory.Create;
 Conn := Factory.CreateConnection;
 Conn.Start;
 Session := Conn.CreateSession(amAutoAcknowledge);
 Destination := Session.CreateQueue(GetQueueName);
 Consumer := Session.CreateConsumer(Destination);
 Producer := Session.CreateProducer(Destination);
 Msg := Session.CreateMessage;
 Producer.Send(Msg);
 Consumer.Close;
  Consumer := Session.CreateConsumer(Destination);
  Consumer. Receive (1000);
```

In line 20 and 21, the consumer is closed and a new consumer created for the same destination.

The Receive in line 22 will detect that the incoming message does not have a matching consumer id and raise an EillegalStateException.

Online Resources

Third-party libraries

Internet Direct (Indy)

Project home http://www.indyproject.org/

Documentation http://www.indyproject.org/Sockets/Docs/index.EN.aspx

Installation http://www.indyproject.org/Sockets/Docs/Indy10Installation.EN.aspx

Snapshot https://indy.fulgan.com/ZIP/

Subversion https://svn.atozed.com:444/svn/Indy10/trunk

Subversion docs http://www.indyproject.org/Sockets/Download/svn.EN.aspx

SLF4P

Project home https://github.com/michaelJustin/slf4p

Git / Subversion https://github.com/michaelJustin/slf4p.git

JsonDataObjects

Project home https://github.com/ahausladen/JsonDataObjects

SuperObject³¹

Project home https://github.com/hgourvest/superobject

31 Since December 2018, the SuperObject project is no longer maintained by its developer

Git / Subversion https://github.com/hgourvest/superobject.git

Synapse

Project home http://synapse.ararat.cz

Subversion https://synalist.svn.sourceforge.net/svnroot/synalist/trunk/

Specifications

Stomp – Simple (or Streaming) Text Oriented Messaging Protocol³²

Stomp home https://stomp.github.io/index.html
Stomp 1.2 https://stomp.github.io/stomp-specification-1.2.html
Stomp 1.1 https://stomp.github.io/stomp-specification-1.1.html
Stomp 1.0 https://stomp.github.io/stomp-specification-1.0.html

Broker-specific Stomp documentation

ActiveMQ http://activemq.apache.org/stomp.html

Artemis http://activemg.apache.org/artemis/docs/1.0.0/interoperability.html

RabbitMQ <u>https://www.rabbitmq.com/stomp.html</u>

Online articles

Title	Broker
Firebird Database Events and Message-oriented Middleware ³³	All
Discover ActiveMQ brokers with Delphi XE4 and Indy 10.6 ³⁴	ActiveMQ
Official RabbitMQ Management REST API Documentation ³⁵	RabbitMQ
How to use the RabbitMQ Web-Stomp Plugin ³⁶	RabbitMQ
RPC with Delphi client and Java server using RabbitMQ ³⁷	RabbitMQ

Online Videos

Title

Introduction to Messaging With Apache ActiveMQ³⁸

ActiveMQ

GlassFish Message Queue – High Availability Clusters³⁹

OpenMQ

³³ https://mikejustin.wordpress.com/2012/11/06/firebird-database-events-and-message-oriented-middleware/

³⁴ https://mikejustin.wordpress.com/2013/07/07/discover-activemq-brokers-with-delphi-xe4-and-indy-10-6/

³⁵ https://mikejustin.wordpress.com/2012/10/26/official-rabbitmq-management-rest-apidocumentation/

³⁶ https://mikejustin.wordpress.com/2013/11/27/how-to-use-the-rabbitmq-web-stomp-plugin-with-delphi-and-free-pascal/

³⁷ https://mikejustin.wordpress.com/2013/05/21/rpc-with-delphi-client-and-java-server-using-rabbitmq/

³⁸ http://vimeo.com/12654513

³⁹ http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RHUJBsy3udU

Support

Bug reports and support inquiries

Please send bug reports and support inquiries to cases@habarisoft.com, and specify your message broker type and version.

To allow fast processing of your inquiry, please provide a detailed problem description, including configuration and environment, or code examples which help to reproduce the problem.

Advanced support

Advanced and experimental features such as (for example) SSL, third party libraries, Free Pascal, Linux, non-Unicode Delphi versions and message broker configuration are not covered by the basic support scheme.

Broker-specific notes

Broker-specific limitations

Transactional Ack

The OpenMQ STOMP adapter does not support transactional message acknowledgment.

STOMP 1.1 and STOMP 1.2 support

The OpenMQ STOMP adapter does not support STOMP 1.1.

STOMP 1.2 is supported in OpenMQ 5.1 with limitations. Limitations which have been found so far:

- heart-beating is not supported
- the broker does not accept standard STOMP 1.1/1.2 header names which contain hyphens, for example "content-type"
- temporary queue support is broken⁴⁰

Other limitations may exist. Some known limitations are also handled in the unit tests, by excluding them from the test suite (see source code).

Queue browser

The OpenMQ STOMP adapter does not support queue browsing.

Message types

It is not possible to detect the message body type for incoming messages (sent from the OpenMQ broker to the Stomp client) because there is no indicator in the message header for the type. As a workaround, Habari Client for OpenMQ uses a non-standard Stomp header to indicate the message body type:

- messagetype=text
- messagetype=byte

This header will be included in outgoing messages (from the Habari Stomp client to the message broker) and helps the receiver to identify the message type.

40 Temp queue destination names contain colons, which must be escaped as \c in the Stomp 1.2 header. The broker however does not transform the \c back to a colon, which causes a malfunction (destination is unknown).

Quick start guide for OpenMQ

Download and Installation

The OpenMQ home page is located at https://javaee.github.io/openmq/.

Configuration

Enable Stomp support in the broker and configure a user name and password for the broker bridge.

- 1. stop the broker
- 2. navigate to the configuration folder instances/<instance name>/props (this folder will be created when the broker started)
- 3. open the configuration file config.properties with a text editor
- 4. add the following lines to configure the Stomp adapter with a test admin account:

```
imq.bridge.admin.user=admin
imq.bridge.admin.password=admin
imq.bridge.activelist=stomp
imq.bridge.enabled=true
```

Save the file. You are ready to start the broker now with Stomp support.

```
Open Message Queue 4.5
```

As you can see, the Stomp bridge is running and using TCP port 7672. The Habari Client for OpenMQ library will use port 7672 by default.

Test the Stomp connection

To test the Stomp connection, you can use the ProducerTool demo application in the directory <Habari>\demo\producertool.

If you start the ProducerTool without command line parameters, it will send 10 messages to the broker. For a description of the parameters, please see chapter "ProducerTool" (p. 57).

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