

2021-01-06 - VIVO Committers Meeting

Date

06 Jan 2021

Call-in Information

- <https://lryasis.zoom.us/my/vivo1>

Attendees

★ Indicating note-taker

1. [Brian Lowe](#)
2. [Benjamin Gross](#) ★
3. [Don Elsborg](#)
4. [William Welling](#)

Agenda

1. Review pending VIVO and Vitro pull requests
2. In-review

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Other topics

Notes

- Discussion surrounding
 - Don: Will the o
 - Likely not
 - William: What about maven deploy?
 - Could we use that to provide an option that copies over the .war?
 - Or potentially execute the old Maven build process
 - Who will be affected by these changes?
 - In its current state, 3 tier build is only partially possible
 - Anybody who wants to edit files directly in their Tomcat directory, i.e. hotfixes without change control
 - People editing or adding files in their VIVO home directory
 - Edited files would have been overwritten via the old process anyway
 - Revisit moving themes to home directory? That way a .war could be distributed that would be common across all users.
 - Alternatives to copying the vivo-home tar upon every start
 - Could there be a configuration flag that determines whether the copy happens or not? Perhaps in runtime.properties, that makes the deployment of the home directory configurable? 'clobber setting'
 - Default config could be 'don't copy' with the exception that it will need to copy on 'firsttime' regardless of setting.
 - What about the upgrade process, when additional files may have been added to home, or edited?
 - From Brian, there is also the 'Do Not Build' option: We already create an existing .war file upon compilation (which is then exploded and inserted into Tomcat's webapps directory). What if the end users who want a war downloaded two things... war file and tar file for home?
 - Path forward seems to require two things at a minimum
 - A method for building the application with both webapp and home directory overlays (fully functioning third tier)
 - A change so the home folder files are not copied on every startup.

Actions

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Previous Actions

- [Brian Lowe](#) to draft init
- [Huda Khan](#) to review:
- [Brian Lowe](#) to review:
- [Ralph O'Flinn](#) to review:

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