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Abstract

Use this guide to help you migrate from Red Hat JBoss BRMS or Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.3 and earlier to Red Hat JBoss BRMS or Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.4.

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CHAPTER 1. ABOUT PATCHES, UPDATES, UPGRADES, AND MIGRATIONS

When you move from one Red Hat JBoss BRMS or Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite version to another, your Red Hat JBoss environment must be updated or upgraded (or both), then, if necessary, you must migrate your data. This section describes the differences between patches, updates, upgrades, and migrations. Patches, upgrades, and updates usually require little or no work by the user, while migrations can involve a lot of work by the user.

Patches

Red Hat JBoss BRMS and Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite periodically provide individual patches that contain bug and security fixes. Patches are released outside of the scheduled product update cycle. The patch file name contains the jira or bug reference at the end, as follows:

jar_name-version.Final-redhat-_version-BZ-0000000

Updates

Planned updates are cumulative updates of an existing product, which include all previously developed updates for that version of the product. Updates include bug fixes, security fixes, and new features and can include several patches. They increment the release by the third digit, for example from 6.0.0 to 6.0.1.

Upgrades

An upgrade is when an application is moved from one major release to another, for example, from Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.0 to Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.1.

Migrations

Migrations involve moving data and other artifacts to a separate software environment. When a move requires an update or upgrade as well as a migration, the process is referred to as migrating. Migrations usually include upgrades or updates.

This guide provides instructions for moving between various versions of Red Hat JBoss BRMS and Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite. Patch updates are not covered in this guide. For information about patches, see the *Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite Installation Guide*.

CHAPTER 2. MIGRATING FROM RED HAT JBOSS ENTERPRISE BRMS 5.3.1 TO RED HAT JBOSS BRMS 6.X OR RED HAT JBOSS BPM SUITE 6.X

2.1. WHAT IS NEW

With version 6.0, Red Hat introduces Red Hat JBoss Business Process Management (BPM) Suite which includes Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6. You can choose to migrate from Red Hat JBoss BRMS 5.3.1 to either Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.x or Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.x. However, Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6 does not include business process management capabilities.

Migrating to Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.x or Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.x from BRMS 5.3.1 provides the following benefits:

- A higher performance rule engine based on the Drools 6 community project
- Improved rule authoring tools and an enhanced, integrated user interface
- A common defined methodology for building and deployment using Maven as the basis for repository management
- A heuristic planning engine based on the OptaPlanner community project
- Use of the PHREAK algorithm to handle a larger number of rules and facts
- New Data Modeler that replaces the declarative Fact Model Editor
- Many stability, usability and functional improvements

Because Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.x is backwards compatible with Red Hat JBoss BRMS 5.x, when you migrate to Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6 the rules created with Red Hat JBoss BRMS 5.x will still execute on Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.x without changes.

A migration tool is provided to facilitate migration of the content of a JBoss BRMS 5.x repository to Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.x or Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.x. Note, however, that BPMN2 process models created with Red Hat JBoss BRMS 5.x will not execute on Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.

The following sections describe other changes between these versions.

Naming Changes

First and foremost it is important to understand how older components in the 5 branch that you were familiar with relate to in the 6 branch. The biggest change, of course, is the name of the product and its structure.

JBoss Enterprise BRMS is now called Red Hat JBoss BRMS. Red Hat JBoss BRMS, or Red Hat JBoss RMS, is a standalone product with its own workbench and is used solely to create and manage your business rules.

A new product, called *JBoss BPM Suite*, or *Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite* encapsulates the Red Hat JBoss RMS product and on top of that provides Business Process Management which allows you to create, manage, validate, and deploy Business Processes *and* Rules.

Component Name Migration

Several components from the 5 branch to 6 branch have been renamed or merged with other components to provide a better working environment. The figure below captures these changes.

API Name Changes

5.x API (deprecated in 6.x)	Replaced in 6.x by
org.drools.KnowledgeBase	org.kie.api.KieBase
org.drools.runtime.StatefulKnowledgeSession	org.kie.api.runtime.KieSession
org.drools.runtime.StatelessKnowledgeSession	org.kie.api.runtime.KieSession
org.drools.builder.KnowledgeBuilderFactory	org.kie.internal.builder.KnowledgeBuilderFactory
org.drools.io.ResourceFactory	org.kie.internal.io.ResourceFactory
org.drools.io.ResourceType	org.kie.internal.io.ResourceType
org.drools.runtime.Environment	org.kie.api.runtime.Environment
org.drools.runtime.EnvironmentName	org.kie.api.runtime.EnvironmentName
org.drools.runtime.KnowledgeSessionConfiguration	org.kie.api.runtime.KieSessionConfiguration
org.drools.event.AgendaEventListener	org.kie.api.event.rule.AgendaEventListener
org.drools.event.rule.AgendaEventListener	org.kie.api.event.rule.AgendaEventListener
org.drools.event.DefaultAgendaEventListener	org.kie.drools.core.event.DefaultAgendaEventListen er
org.drools.event.rule.DefaultAgendaEventListener	org.kie.api.event.rule.DefaultAgendaEventListener
org.drools.event.process.ProcessEventListener	org.kie.api.event.process.ProcessEventListener
org.drools.event.process.DefaultProcessEventListen er	org.kie.api.event.process.DefaultProcessEventListen er
org.drools.logger.KnowledgeRuntimeLogger	org.kie.api.logger.KieRuntimeLogger
org.drools.logger.KnowledgeRuntimeLoggerFactory	org.kie.api.logger.KieLoggers

Repository Change

Red Hat JBoss BRMS and Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6 are backed by a Git repository for source management while Red Hat JBoss RMS 5 was backed by a JCR/JackRabbit implementation. A tool to migrate the repository to Git is provided and discussed later in this guide.

Changes to the REST API

The base url for working with the REST API has changed from http://SERVER_ADDRESS:PORT/jboss-brms/rest/ to http://SERVER_ADDRESS:PORT/business-central/rest/.

Migrating Task Service

Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6 provides support for a locally running task server only. This means that you do not need to setup any messaging service in your project. This differs from Red Hat JBoss RMS 5 because it provided a task server that was bridged from the core engine by using, most commonly, the messaging system provided by HornetQ.

To help you bridge the gap until you can migrate this in your current architecture, there is a helper or utility method, **LocalHTWorkItemHandler** located in **org.jbpm.services.task.wih**.

Since the TaskService API is part of the public API you will now need to refactor your imports because of package changes, and refactor your methods due to API changes themselves.

Logging factory

Besides the API name change, logging is now implemented through the **org.kie.api.logger** package, which contains the factory class **KieLoggers** that can be used to create instances of the **KieRuntimeLogger**.

2.2. HOW TO MIGRATE

Migrating your projects from Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 5 to Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6 requires careful planning and step by step evaluation of the various issues. You can plan for migration either manually, or by using automatic processes. Most real world migration will require a combination of these two processes.

Because Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6 uses Git for storing assets, artifacts and code repositories including processes and rules, you should start by creating an empty project in Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6 as the basis for your migration with dummy files as placeholders for the various assets and artifacts. Running a Git clone of this empty project into your favorite IDE will initiate the migration process.

Based on the placeholder files in your cloned project, you can start adding assets at the correct locations. The Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6 system is smart enough to pick these changes and apply them correctly. Ensure that when you are importing old rule files that they are imported with the right package name structure.

Since Maven is used for building projects, the projects assets like the rules, processes and models are accessible as a simple jar file.

This section lists the generally accepted step by step ways to migrate your project. These are just guidelines though, and actual migration may vary a lot from this.

In general, you should:

- 1. Migrate the data first: These are your business assets.
- 2. Next, migrate your runtime processes.
- 3. Finally, convert old API calls to new ones one by one.

Let us look at these steps in more detail in the next few sections:

2.2.1. Data Migration

To migrate data from Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 5, do the following:

- Download the migration tool by logging in at the Red Hat Customer Portal and then navigating
 to Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite Software Downloads section. Click on Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite
 Migration Tool to download the ZIP archive.
- 2. Unzip the downloaded ZIP archive in a directory of your choice and navigate to this directory in a command prompt. This directory contains four folders:
 - **bin** contains the launch scripts.
 - **icr-exporter-libs** contains the libs specific to the **export-from-JCR** part of the migration.
 - **vfs-importer-libs** contains the libs specific to the **import-into-Git** part of the migration.
 - **conf** contains global migration tool configuration.
- 3. For production databases, copy the JDBC driver for the database that is used by the JCR repository into the **jcr-exporter-libs** directory of the migration tool.
- 4. Execute the following command:
 - ./bin/runMigration.sh -i <source-path> -o <destination-path> -r <repository-name>

Where:

- **<source-path>** is a path to a source JCR repository.
- <desintation-path> is a path to a destination Git VFS. This folder must not exist already.
- **<repository-name>** an arbitrary name for the new repository.

The repository is migrated at the specified destination.

Besides the **-i** command, you can also use **-h** to print out a help message and **-f** which forces an overwrite of the output directory, thus eliminating the need for manual deletion of this directory.

Importing the repository in Business Central

The repository can be imported in business central by cloning it. In the Administration perspective, click on the **Repositories** menu and then click on **Clone Repository** menu to start the process.



NOTE

Assets can also be migrated manually as they are just text files. The BPMN2 specification and the DRL syntax did not change between the different versions.

Importing the repository in JBDS

To import the repository in JBoss Developer Studio, do the following

- 1. Start JBoss Developer Studio.
- 2. Start the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite server (if not already running) by selecting the server from the server tab and click the start icon.
- 3. Select **File** → **Import...** and navigate to the Git folder. Open the Git folder to select **Projects from Git** and click next.
- 4. Select the repository source as **Existing local repository** and click next.

- 5. Select the repository that is to be configured from the list of available repositories.
- 6. Import the project as a general project in the next window and click next. Name this project and click Finish.

2.2.2. Runtime Migration

To run Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 5 processes in Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6, do the following:

- 1. Set the system property **jbpm.v5.id.strategy** to true in the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite **standalone.xml** file:
- 2. Load the KieSession as shown here:
 - KieSession ksession = JPAKnowledgeService.loadStatefulKnowledgeSession(sessionID, kbase, sessionConf, env);
- 3. Continue the normal execution of the process using KieSession methods:
 - ksession.signalEvent("SomeEvent", null);

2.2.3. API and Backwards Compatibility

Migrating to Version 6.1 and later

In version 6.1, 5.x APIs are no longer officially supported.

Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite no longer provides backward compatibility with the rule, event, and process application programming interface (API) from Red Hat JBoss RMS 5. The content of the **knowledge-api** JAR file is no longer supported in version 6.1 and onward, and is replaced by APIs contained in the **kie-api** JAR file that were introduced in Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0.

If you used the legacy 5.x API (located in **knowledge-api.jar**), please migrate (rewrite) the API calls to the new KIE API. Please be aware that several other APIs have changed between Red Hat JBoss RMS 5.x and Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.x, namely the task service API and the REST API.

Migrating to Version 6.0

The Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6 system provides backward compatibility with the rule, event and process interactions from Red Hat JBoss RMS 5. You should eventually migrate (rewrite) these interactions to the all new revamped core API because this backward compatibility is likely to be deprecated.

If you cannot migrate your code to use the new API, then you can use the API provided by the purpose built **knowledge-api** jar for backwards compatible code. This API is the public interface for working with Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite and Red Hat JBoss RMS and is backwards compatible.

If you are instead using the REST API in Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 5, note that this has changed as well and there is no mechanism in it for backwards compatibility.

2.3. ADVANCED MIGRATION

2.3.1. REST API Migration

As you know, there are two ways you can use Red Hat JBoss BRMS/Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite: in an embedded mode, or in a remote mode. In the embedded mode, you package the runtime libraries with your application and execute the BPMN processes in the same JVM. In the remote mode, the business assets are created, deployed and executed in the same server, but they are accessed via a remote client application using the REST or the JMS API.

Both of these modes presents different challenges when it comes to the migration. In this section we will focus on the migration for the remote usage of Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite with the help of a REST example.

REST API Example

This example shows how to:

- Start a process which is already deployed on the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite server.
- Pass parameters to this process during its creation.

The client side for Red Hat JBoss BRMS 5 can be created using the following code:

```
import org.apache.commons.httpclient.HttpClient;
import org.apache.commons.httpclient.HttpMethod;
import org.apache.commons.httpclient.NameValuePair;
import org.apache.commons.httpclient.methods.GetMethod;
import org.apache.commons.httpclient.methods.PostMethod;
import org.apache.commons.httpclient.methods.multipart.MultipartReguestEntity;
import org.apache.commons.httpclient.methods.multipart.Part;
import org.apache.commons.httpclient.methods.multipart.StringPart;
import org.jboss.bpm.console.client.model.ProcessDefinitionRef;
import org.jboss.bpm.console.client.model.ProcessDefinitionRefWrapper;
import org.jboss.bpm.console.client.model.ProcessInstanceRef;
public class RestClientStartWithParam {
  private static final String BASE URL = "http://localhost:8080/business-central-server/rs/";
  private static final String AUTH_URL = BASE_URL + "identity/secure/j_security_check";
  private final String username;
  private final String password;
  private static final String PROCESS_ID = "defaultPackage.hello";
  public RestClientStartWithParam(final String u, final String p) {
     this.username = u;
     this.password = p;
  public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception {
     RestClientStartWithParam client = new RestClientStartWithParam("admin", "admin");
     // get process definitions
     ProcessDefinitionRefWrapper processDefinitionWrapper = client.getProcessDefinitions(client);
     // pick up "com.sample.bpmn.hello"
     ProcessDefinitionRef definitionRef = null;
     for (ProcessDefinitionRef processDefinitionRef: processDefinitionWrapper.getDefinitions()) {
       if (processDefinitionRef.getId().equals(PROCESS ID)) {
```

```
definitionRef = processDefinitionRef;
         break;
       }
     if (definitionRef == null) {
       System.out.println(PROCESS_ID + " doesn't exist");
       return:
     }
     // start a process instance with parameters
     Map<String, String> params = new HashMap<String, String>();
     params.put("employee", "thomas");
     params.put("reason", "theReason");
     client.startProcessWithParameters(client, definitionRef, params);
  }
     private void startProcessWithParameters(RestClientStartWithParam client, ProcessDefinitionRef
def.
       Map<String, String> params) throws Exception {
     String newInstanceUrl = BASE URL + "form/process/" + def.getId() + "/complete";
     String dataFromService = client.getDataFromService(newInstanceUrl, "POST", params, true);
     System.out.println(dataFromService);
  }
  // get DataFromService method can be implemented like this
  private String getDataFromService(String urlpath, String method, Map<String, String> params,
boolean multipart)
       throws Exception {
     HttpClient httpclient = new HttpClient();
     HttpMethod theMethod = null;
     StringBuffer sb = new StringBuffer();
     if ("GET".equalsIgnoreCase(method)) {
       theMethod = new GetMethod(urlpath);
     } else if ("POST".equalsIgnoreCase(method)) {
       theMethod = new PostMethod(urlpath);
       if (params != null) {
         if (multipart) {
            List<Part> parts = new ArrayList<Part>();
            for (String key : params.keySet()) {
              StringPart stringPart = new StringPart(key, params.get(key));
              stringPart.setCharSet("UTF-8");
              parts.add(stringPart);
            ((PostMethod) theMethod).setRequestEntity(new
MultipartRequestEntity(parts.toArray(new Part[0]),
                 theMethod.getParams()));
         } else {
            List<NameValuePair> nameValuePairList = new ArrayList<NameValuePair>();
            for (String key : params.keySet()) {
```

```
nameValuePairList.add(new NameValuePair(key, params.get(key)));
            ((PostMethod) theMethod).setRequestBody(nameValuePairList.toArray(new
NameValuePair[0]));
         }
       }
     if (username != null && password != null) {
       try {
         int result = httpclient.executeMethod(theMethod);
         System.out.println("result = " + result);
         // System.out.println(theMethod.getResponseBodyAsString());
       } catch (IOException e) {
         e.printStackTrace();
       } finally {
         theMethod.releaseConnection();
       PostMethod authMethod = new PostMethod(AUTH_URL);
       NameValuePair[] data = { new NameValuePair("j_username", username),
            new NameValuePair("j password", password) };
       authMethod.setRequestBody(data);
       try {
         int result = httpclient.executeMethod(authMethod);
         System.out.println("result = " + result);
         // System.out.println(theMethod.getResponseBodyAsString());
       } catch (IOException e) {
         e.printStackTrace();
       } finally {
         authMethod.releaseConnection();
       }
    }
    try {
       int result = httpclient.executeMethod(theMethod);
       System.out.println("result = " + result);
       sb.append(theMethod.getResponseBodyAsString());
       String rawResult = sb.toString();
       return rawResult:
     } catch (Exception e) {
       throw e;
     } finally {
       theMethod.releaseConnection();
  }
```

The Red Hat JBoss BRMS 5 endpoints are documented in BRMS 5.0 User Guide and BRMS 5.0 Business Process Management Guide.

As you can see, even this very simple example looks rather complex when implemented. The reason for this is partially that there is no native client for Red Hat JBoss BRMS 5 server. You can however choose the optional web client—Apache HttpClient, RestEasy or even use just plain **java.net** libraries. This

applies in Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite/BRMS 6 as well—you can still choose the web client—however, there is also a native java client provided for remote communication with version 6 which is much simpler to use.

Migrating to Red Hat JBoss BRMS/Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6

Let us migrate the same use case to Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6:

- process is already deployed in the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite server
- we want to start it with some parameters
- this time, there are some human tasks in this process, so we want to complete those.

All of the available REST endpoints for Red Hat JBoss BRMS and Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite are documented here.

You can use either the Business Central remote API, or the Intelligent Process Server remote API. Unless you configure the Intelligent Process Server and Business Central to use the same data source, choose migration API based on what you are using at the moment. See chapter Unified Execution Servers of the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite Administration and Configuration Guide for more details.

Intelligent Process Server API Example

To migrate using the Intelligent Process Server API, see the following example:

```
import java.util.HashMap;
import java.util.List;
import java.util.Map;
import org.kie.server.api.model.instance.TaskSummary;
import org.kie.server.client.KieServicesClient;
import org.kie.server.client.KieServicesConfiguration;
import org.kie.server.client.KieServicesFactory;
import org.kie.server.client.ProcessServicesClient;
import org.kie.server.client.UserTaskServicesClient;
public class Main {
  private static final String APP URL = "http://localhost:8080/kie-server/services/rest/server";
  private static final String USER = "john";
  private static final String PASSWORD = "john";
  // Container ID in the Intelligent Process Server/Realtime Decision Server
  private static final String CONTAINER ID = "sample-container";
  private static final String PROCESS_DEFINITION_ID = "sample-project.sample-process";
  public static void main(String[] args) {
     // Configuration can be used for additional settings, like timeout, marshalling format...
     KieServicesConfiguration configuration = KieServicesFactory.newRestConfiguration(APP URL,
USER, PASSWORD);
     KieServicesClient kieServicesClient = KieServicesFactory.newKieServicesClient(configuration);
     ProcessServicesClient processClient =
kieServicesClient.getServicesClient(ProcessServicesClient.class);
     UserTaskServicesClient taskClient =
kieServicesClient.getServicesClient(UserTaskServicesClient.class);
     Map<String, Object> params = new HashMap<String, Object>();
```

```
params.put("employee", "thomas");
  params.put("reason", "theReason");
  processClient.startProcess(CONTAINER_ID, PROCESS_DEFINITION_ID, params);

List<TaskSummary> tasks = taskClient.findTasksAssignedAsPotentialOwner(USER, 0, 10);
  taskClient.startTask(CONTAINER_ID, tasks.get(0).getId(), USER);
  // not passing any data = null
  taskClient.completeTask(CONTAINER_ID, tasks.get(0).getId(), USER, null);
}
```

For a list of Maven dependencies, see example Client Application Intelligent Process Server Dependencies of the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite Development Guide.

Business Central API Example

To migrate using the Business Central API, see the following example:

```
import java.net.MalformedURLException;
import java.net.URL;
import java.util.HashMap;
import java.util.List;
import java.util.Map;
import org.kie.api.runtime.KieSession;
import org.kie.api.task.TaskService;
import org.kie.api.task.model.TaskSummary;
import org.kie.api.runtime.manager.RuntimeEngine;
import org.kie.remote.client.api.RemoteRuntimeEngineFactory;
public class Main {
public static void main(String[] args) throws MalformedURLException {
  * Set the parameters according to your installation
 String APP URL = "http://localhost:8080/business-central/";
 URL url = new URL(APP URL);
 String USER = "anton":
 String PASSWORD = "password1!";
  RuntimeEngine engine = RemoteRuntimeEngineFactory
            .newRestBuilder()
            .addUrl(url)
            .addUserName(USER)
            .addPassword(PASSWORD)
            .addDeploymentId("org.redhat.gss:remote-test-project:3.0")
            .build();
  KieSession kSession = engine.getKieSession();
  TaskService taskService = engine.getTaskService();
 // start a process instance with parameters
   Map<String, Object> params = new HashMap<String, Object>();
```

```
params.put("employee", "thomas");
  params.put("reason", "theReason");
  kSession.startProcess("com.sample", params);

List<TaskService> taskSummaryList =
  taskService.getTasksAssignedAsPotentialOwner("anton","en-UK");
    taskService.claim(taskSummaryList.get(0).getId(), "anton");
    taskService.start(taskSummaryList.get(0).getId(), "anton");
    taskService.complete(taskSummaryList.get(0).getId(), "anton", null); // not passing any data = null
}
```

For a list of Maven dependencies, see example Client Dependencies of the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite Development Guide.

As you can see, this example is much more simple and readable than the one for Red Hat JBoss BRMS 5. The **RemoteRuntimeEngine** gives us direct access to the **TaskService/KieSession** and **AuditLogService** API.

However, it is still possible to use your arbitrary Java web client and achieve the same scenario by sending GET/POST requests to the appropriate endpoints.



NOTE

While the basic functionality is provided by both APIs—JBoss BRMS 5 and JBoss BRMS/Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6, (starting the process, completing the tasks and so on) not all endpoints from BRMS 5 have their replacement in JBoss BRMS/Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.

If in doubt, consult the corresponding documentation of the REST API.

2.3.2. KnowledgeAgent to KieScanner Migration

KnowledgeAgent is a component of Red Hat JBoss BRMS 5 which allows you to obtain Knowledge Bases dynamically as it gets updated. If you correctly configure an instance of **KnowledgeAgent** and then you try to obtain the **KnowledgeBase** from the agent, you will be able to receive the latest version of the **KnowledgeBase** including updated resources - whether it is a freshly built package (*.PKG) in Business Central or BPMN process definition updated via the Eclipse designer tool.

See a working example of how this works in version 5 here: KnowlegeAgent Example.

In Red Hat JBoss BRMS and Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6, it is also possible to obtain **KieBase** (instead of **KnowledgeBase**) dynamically as it gets updated. However, the migration is not so straightforward, because of a few things:

- In Red Hat JBoss BRMS 5, the native storage for packages was Guvnor—which used JackRabbit repository underneath. You could also point to a single resource (drl, bpmn..) with any valid URL (i.e. file://, http://, ...).
- The API is completely different as there is no direct mapping between KnowledgeAgent API in Red Hat JBoss BRMS/Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.

The component which replaces the **KnowledgeAgent** in BRMS 6 is called **KieScanner**, and therefore you need to include **kie-ci** library on classpath if you want to use it.

See an example of how this works in version 6 here: KieScanner Example.

In version 6, you no longer refer to *.PKG files or specific business resources such as drl, bpmn. Instead you configure your **KieScanner** with a specific KJAR, which is a Maven artifact including your resources, identified by GAV (Group, Artifact, Version). **KieScanner** uses the Maven Repository to figure out where to look for these built KJARs. If not specified otherwise, it will look into your local Maven repository (by default stored under ~/.m2/ directory on your filesystem).

A typical scenario will be where you set GAV so it identifies the project created in Business Central. **KieScanner** is now bound to this project, and once you make changes to this project in Business Central and build the project, its latest build will be stored into the local Maven repository (this is the default). **KieScanner** scans the local Maven repository and picks up the changes. If you want to configure KieScanner in a way that it scans other repositories besides your local one you can do so by setting a system property: **kie.maven.settings.custom** which can point to the custom settings.xml (a standard Maven configuration file where you include all repositories which should be taken into consideration).

KieScanner invokes Maven under the hood for artifact lookup by following known Maven conventions and rules. For example:

- If the remote repository requires authentication, you need to configure this authentication in a Maven way by updating **settings.xml**.
- If you point your **KieScanner** to a KJar with GAV **org.my:project:1.0**, your KieBase will never get updated even if you build the project with the same GAV again. This is because Maven will resolve the artifact to a fixed version.
- If you point your **KieScanner** to a KJar with GAV **org.my:project:1.0-SNAPSHOT**, your KieBase will get updated for any new build of the project with that GAV—it will be resolved to the LATEST build of that GAV, identified by the timestamp.

A KCS article which discuss various scenarios and configurations is available at https://access.redhat.com/solutions/710763.

2.3.3. Database Migration

The default underlying database in Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite is an instance of H2. This is fine for most test systems, but production systems are generally based around MySQL, PostgreSQL, Oracle, or others databases. This section lists some of the tips and tricks related to databases when migrating from BRMS 5 to Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.x.

Include hbm.xml for PostgreSQL

If the underlying database on which the migration is being performed is PostgreSQL, you will need to include an additional configuration file, called **hbm.xml** inside the **META-INF** directory, next to **persistence.xml**, with the following contents:

```
<?xml version="1.0"?>
<!DOCTYPE hibernate-mapping PUBLIC
   "-//Hibernate/Hibernate Mapping DTD 3.0//EN"
   "http://hibernate.sourceforge.net/hibernate-mapping-3.0.dtd">
<hibernate-mapping>
   <typedef name="materialized_clob" class="org.hibernate.type.TextType" />
</hibernate-mapping>
```

This file instructs Hibernate to use **TextType** for materialized CLOBS and solves an issue where Hibernate incorrectly tries to interpret the type of a parameter as Long when it should be String based.

Avoid ID constraint violations in PostgresSQL and Oracle

NodeInstanceLog in BRMS 5.2.x does not have a sequence generator associated with it and was added

to have more consistent behavior with multiple databases. Since not all databases initialize the id sequence correctly on migration it is necessary to update the **NODE_INST_LOG_ID_SEQ** id manually. The two databases that are affected are: PostgreSQL and Oracle.

- PostgreSQL: In PostgreSQL two actions are required:
 - Find the **id** with the biggest value in the **NodeInstanceLog** table:
 - SELECT MAX(id) FROM nodeinstancelog;
 - Restart sequence NODE_INST_LOG_ID_SEQ using the result from the previous step, increased by 1. For example, if the command in the previous step returned the number 10, you will use 11 in the following command.
 - ALTER SEQUENCE node_inst_log_id_seq RESTART WITH 11;

The reason to increase the result from the first step by **1** is that restarting the sequence sets the **is called** flag to **false**, which tells the system that the sequence was not yet used.

- Oracle: In Oracle, the following steps are required:
 - Find the **id** with the biggest value in the **NodeInstanceLog** table:
 - SELECT MAX(id) FROM nodeinstancelog;
 - Execute the following commands in SQL:
 - -- Re-create the sequence by first dropping it and then creating a new one. DROP SEQUENCE NODE_INST_LOG_ID_SEQ; CREATE SEQUENCE NODE_INST_LOG_ID_SEQ START WITH 11 INCREMENT BY 1 NOCYCLE;
 - -- Increase the sequence (the result must be greater then the result obtained in step 1) ALTER SEQUENCE NODE INST LOG ID SEQ INCREMENT BY 100;

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Before migrating to version 6.4, ensure that your application container has been upgraded to a supported version. A list of supported configurations and versions is available in the Red Hat JBoss Suite 6 Supported Configurations section of the Red Hat Customer Portal.

3.1. MIGRATING FROM 6.3 TO 6.4 USING THE UPGRADE TOOL

Follow the instructions in this section to migrate from Red Hat JBoss BRMS or Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite version 6.3 to version 6.4 using the JBoss upgrade tool.

Prerequisites

You have a backed up Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite or Red Hat JBoss BRMS installation, version 6.3.0 through 6.3.2.



NOTE

If your Red Hat JBoss BRMS or Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite installation is version 6.2 or lower, you must upgrade your installation to version 6.3 before upgrading to 6.4. See one of the following sections for more information:

- Section 3.2.2, "Migrating from 6.X to 6.3 Using the Upgrade Tool"
- Chapter 2, Migrating from Red Hat JBoss Enterprise BRMS 5.3.1 to Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.x or Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.x

Procedure

- 1. Apply 6.3 Update 3 and examine configuration files as described in Section 3.1.1, "Applying 6.3 Update 3".
- 2. Upgrade from 6.3.3 to 6.4.0 and examine configuration files as described in Section 3.1.2, "Upgrading from 6.3.3 to 6.4.0".
- 3. Migrate your database as described in Section 3.6, "Database Migration for 6.x Instances".
- 4. Apply 6.4 Update 6 and examine configuration files as described in Section 3.1.3, "Applying 6.4 Update 6".
- 5. Review the differences in APIs from 6.3 to 6.4 as described in Section 3.1.6, "Client Application API Differences Between 6.3 and 6.4".

3.1.1. Applying 6.3 Update 3

This tool updates an existing Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite or Red Hat JBoss BRMS installation version 6.3.0 through 6.3.2 to version 6.3.3. The update is distributed in a ZIP file that includes **.sh** and **.bat** scripts that automatically apply the updates.

Prerequisites

You have a backed up Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite or Red Hat JBoss BRMS installation, version 6.3.0 through 6.3.2.



NOTE

If your Red Hat JBoss BRMS or Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite installation is version 6.2 or lower, you must upgrade your installation to version 6.3.0 before upgrading to 6.3.3. See one of the following sections for more information:

- Section 3.2.2, "Migrating from 6.X to 6.3 Using the Upgrade Tool"
- Chapter 2, Migrating from Red Hat JBoss Enterprise BRMS 5.3.1 to Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.x or Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.x

Procedure

1. Do one of the following, depending on the installation type that you want to update.



NOTE

To update your Maven repository, if you use the publicly hosted repository update the BOM version in your **pom.xml** file. Otherwise, if a local Maven repository is used, download the incremental Maven repository as described in the following section, then extract it in your existing repository.

Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite

- a. Navigate to the Security Advisories section of the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.3 Software Downloads page on the Red Hat Customer Portal.
- b. Download the following files:
 - Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.3 Update 3, file name jboss-bpmsuite-6.3.3-patch.zip
 - Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.3 Update 3 Incremental Maven Repository, file name boss-bpmsuite-6.3.3.GA-incremental-maven-repository.zip

Red Hat JBoss BRMS

- a. Navigate to the Security Advisories section of the Red Hat JBoss BRMS Suite 6.3 Software Downloads page on the Red Hat Customer Portal.
- b. Download the following files:
 - Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.3 Update 3 , file name jboss-brms-6.3.3-patch.zip
 - Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.3 Update 3 Incremental Maven Repository , file name **jboss-brms-6.3.3-incremental-maven-repository.zip**
- 2. Shut down the server. Do not apply updates while you are running an instance of Red Hat JBoss BRMS or Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite.
- 3. Extract the downloaded ZIP files.



NOTE

If you are using the local Maven repository, extract the Maven repository ZIP file in the existing Maven repository directory.

4. Run the following command, where **<path-to-distribution-root>** is the root directory of your current installation and **<type-of-distribution>** is your distribution type:

\$ apply-updates.sh <path-to-distribution-root> <type-of-distribution>

See Section 3.1.5, "Supported 6.4 Distributions" for a list of supported distribution types.

For example, the following command applies the updates to the Red Hat JBoss EAP 6.3 bundle:

\$ /apply-updates.sh ~/EAP_HOME/jboss-eap-6.4 eap6.x

5. Examine **.new** and **.remove** configuration files as described in Section 3.1.4, ".new and .remove Configuration Files".

Related Information

- Section 3.1, "Migrating from 6.3 to 6.4 Using the Upgrade Tool"
- Section 3.1.4, ".new and .remove Configuration Files"

3.1.2. Upgrading from 6.3.3 to 6.4.0

The upgrade tool upgrades an existing Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite or Red Hat JBoss BRMS installation version 6.3.3 to version 6.4.0. The upgrade is distributed in a ZIP file that includes **.sh** and **.bat** scripts that automatically apply the upgrade.

Prerequisites

You have a backed up Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite or Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.3.3 installation.

Procedure

1. Do one of the following, depending on the installation type that you want to upgrade.



NOTE

To update your Maven repository, if you use the publicly hosted repository update the BOM version in your **pom.xml** file. Otherwise, if a local Maven repository is used, download the incremental Maven repository as described in the following section, then extract it in your existing repository.

Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite

- a. Navigate to the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.4 Software Downloads page on the Red Hat Customer Portal.
- b. Download following files:
 - Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.3.3 to 6.4.0 Upgrade Tool , file name **jboss-bpms-6.3.3-to-6.4.0-patch.zip**
 - Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.4.0 Maven Repository , file name jboss-bpmsuite-6.4.0.GA-maven-repository.zip

Red Hat JBOss BRMS

- a. Navigate to the Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.4 Software Downloads page on the Red Hat Customer Portal.
- b. Download following files:
 - Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.3.3 to 6.4.0 Upgrade Tool , file name **jboss-brms-6.3.3-to-6.4.0-patch.zip**
 - Red Hat JBoss BRMS Suite 6.4.0 Maven Repository , file name **jboss-brms-6.4.0.GA-maven-repository.zip**
- 2. Shut down the server. Do not apply updates while you are running an instance of Red Hat JBoss BRMS or Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite.
- 3. Extract the downloaded ZIP files.



NOTE

If you are using the local Maven repository, extract the Maven repository ZIP file in the existing Maven repository directory.

Run the following command, where <path-to-distribution-root> is the root directory of your current installation and <type-of-distribution> is your distribution type:
 \$ apply-updates.sh <path-to-distribution-root> <type-of-distribution>

See Section 3.1.5, "Supported 6.4 Distributions" for a list of supported distribution types.

For example, the following command applies the updates to the Red Hat JBoss EAP 6.3 bundle:

- \$./apply-updates.sh ~/EAP_HOME/jboss-eap-6.3 eap6.x
- 5. Examine **.new** and **.remove** configuration files as described in Section 3.1.4, ".new and .remove Configuration Files".
- 6. Migrate your database as described in the Section 3.6, "Database Migration for 6.x Instances".

Related Information

- Section 3.1, "Migrating from 6.3 to 6.4 Using the Upgrade Tool"
- Section 3.1.4, ".new and .remove Configuration Files"
- Section 3.6, "Database Migration for 6.x Instances"

3.1.3. Applying 6.4 Update 6



IMPORTANT

6.4 Update 6 introduces a small change into the database schema. You must apply the **bpms-6.4-to-7.0.sql** script to your database before you run Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite or Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.4.6. This script is located in the **upgrade-scripts/<database-type>** directory, available from the Red Hat JBOSS BPM Suite 6.4 Update 6 and the Red Hat JBOSS BRMS 6.4 Update 6 zip files which you can download from the Red Hat Customer Portal.

This tool updates an existing Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite or Red Hat JBoss BRMS installation version 6.4.0 through 6.4.3 to version 6.4.6. The update is distributed in a ZIP file that includes **.sh** and **.bat** scripts that automatically apply the updates.

Prerequisites

You have a backed up Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite or Red Hat JBoss BRMS installation, version 6.4.0 through 6.4.3.

Procedure

1. Do one of the following, depending on the installation type that you want to update.



NOTE

To update your Maven repository, if you use the publicly hosted repository, update the BOM version in your **pom.xml** file. Otherwise, if a local Maven repository is used, download the incremental Maven repository as described in the following section, then extract it in your existing repository.

Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite

- a. Navigate to the Security Advisories section of the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.4 Software Downloads page on the Red Hat Customer Portal.
- b. Download the following files:
 - Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.4 Update 6, file name **jboss-bpmsuite-6.4.6-patch.zip**
 - Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.4 Update 6 Incremental Maven Repository, file name jboss-bpmsuite-6.4.6.GA-incremental-maven-repository.zip

Red Hat JBoss BRMS

- a. Navigate to the Security Advisories section of the Red Hat JBoss BRMS Suite 6.4 Software Downloads page on the Red Hat Customer Portal.
- b. Download the following files:
 - Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.4 Update 6, file name **jboss-brms-6.4.6-patch.zip**
 - Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.4 Update 6 Incremental Maven Repository, file name **jboss-brms-6.4.6.GA-incremental-maven-repository.zip**
- 2. Shut down the server. Do not apply updates while you are running an instance of Red Hat JBoss BRMS or Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite.
- 3. Extract the downloaded ZIP files.



NOTE

If you are using the local Maven repository, extract the Maven repository ZIP file in the existing Maven repository directory.

4. Run the following command, where **<path-to-distribution-root>** is the root directory of your current installation and **<type-of-distribution>** is your distribution type:

\$ apply-updates.sh <path-to-distribution-root> <type-of-distribution>

See Section 3.1.5, "Supported 6.4 Distributions" for a list of supported distribution types.

For example, the following command applies the updates to the Red Hat JBoss EAP 6.4 bundle:

\$ /apply-updates.sh ~/EAP_HOME/jboss-eap-6.4 eap6.x

5. Examine .new and .remove configuration files as described in Section 3.1.4, ".new and .remove Configuration Files".

Related Information

- Section 3.1, "Migrating from 6.3 to 6.4 Using the Upgrade Tool"
- Section 3.1.4, ".new and .remove Configuration Files"

3.1.4. .new and .remove Configuration Files

The upgrade and update tools do not update customized configuration files. The tools look for changes in the local configuration files and if no changes are found, the tools replace the local configuration files with the latest versions. However, if the tools find that a configuration file has been changed, they do not replace that file, but add the updated file to the folder with the extension .new. For example, you have modified the **standalone.xml** configuration file in your local installation. The upgrade tool sees that it has been changed, so it does not overwrite the file, but adds the **standalone.xml.new** file to the folder where your **standalone.xml** file is located. You now have your **standalone.xml** file and a file named **standalone.xml.new**.

In addition, the tools append any configuration files in your existing installation that do not have corresponding files in the new installation with the **.remove** extension, for example **standalone.xml.remove**.

Related Information

Section 3.1.4.1, "Examining .new and .remove Configuration Files"

3.1.4.1. Examining .new and .remove Configuration Files

If after upgrading or updating your Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite or Red Hat JBoss BRMS installation you have configuration files with the extension **.new** or **.remove**, you should examine their content.

Prerequisites

You have a Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite or Red Hat JBoss BRMS installation that has been updated or upgraded.

Procedure

- 1. Compare the content of **.new** files with the corresponding original files.
- 2. Update **.new** files with any information in the original files that you want to retain. For example, update the **standalone.xml.new** file with information in the **standalone.xml** file.
- 3. Delete the original configuration files, for example **standalone.xml**.
- 4. Remove the **.new** extension from the new files. For example, rename **standalone.xml.new** to **standalone.xml**.

- 5. Review files with the **.remove** extension.
- 6. Remove the **.remove** files if you no longer need them.

Related Information

Section 3.1.4, ".new and .remove Configuration Files"

3.1.5. Supported 6.4 Distributions

The following distribution types are supported with Red Hat JBoss BRMS and Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.4:

- eap6.x
- eap6.x-bc
- eap6.x-dashbuilder
- eap6.x-kie-server
- generic
- generic-bc
- generic-dashbuilder
- generic-kie-server
- was8
- was8-bc
- was8-dashbuilder
- was8-kie-server
- wls12c
- wls12c-bc
- wls12c-dashbuilder
- wls12c-kie-server
- planner-engine
- supplementary-tools

3.1.6. Client Application API Differences Between 6.3 and 6.4

This section describes changes to client application APIs. Review the changes to the APIs listed in this section if your applications use these APIs.

The **org.drools.core.command.runtime.rule.ModifyCommand** API is no longer backward compatible in case you create the XML form manually and the Drools engine is using JAXB for unmarshalling. This problem does not occur when the Drools engine uses XStream for unmarshalling. Because the

FactHandle object is marshalled differently into the XML, you need to modify the content of the **<modify>** element in your XML accordingly.

For example:

Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.X ModifyCommand XML

```
<modify ...>
...
<fact-handle>0:1:1134443700:1:1:DEFAULT:NON_TRAIT:null</fact-handle>
...
</modify>
```

Needs to be transformed, for example:

Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.4 ModifyCommand XML

```
<modify ...>
...
<fact-handle external-form="0:1:1134443700:1:1:DEFAULT:NON_TRAIT:null">
        <id>1</id>
        <id>1</id>
        <identityHashCode>1134443700</identityHashCode>
        <objectHashCode>1</objectHashCode>
        <recency>1</recency>
        <entryPointId>DEFAULT</entryPointId>
        <traitType>NON_TRAIT</traitType>
        </fact-handle>
...
</modify>
```

It is recommended to use a marshaller. In such case, no changes are necessary.

org.jbpm.rule.task.waitstate

When set to **false**, a business rule task automatically fires all rules instead of waiting to be triggered from the process event listener or an outside call. This behavior prevents errors during heavy multithreaded usage, however if **org.jbpm.rule.task.waitstate** is set to **false**, the business task is no longer a safe point.

For information about safe points, see the *Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite Administration and Configuration Guide*.



NOTE

Starting with Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.4 the default for **org.jbpm.rule.task.waitstate** is **false**. For more information, see the *Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.4 Release Notes* .

Values	Default
true or false	false

Related Information

Section 3.1, "Migrating from 6.3 to 6.4 Using the Upgrade Tool"

3.2. MIGRATING FROM 6.X TO 6.3

3.2.1. Migrating Client Application APIs from 6.X to 6.3

There are certain measures you need to take when migrating to Red Hat JBoss BRMS 6.3 or Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.3, depending on what version you are migrating from:

6.2. <i>X</i>	There is no action you need to take except replace the API calls and endpoints with updated ones as specified in the tables below.
6.1. <i>X</i>	First follow Section 3.3.1, "Migrating Client Application APIs from 6.1X to 6.2", then replace the API calls and endpoints listed below.
6.0. <i>X</i>	Follow Section 3.4.1, "Migrating Client Application APIs from 6.0X to 6.1", then Section 3.3.1, "Migrating Client Application APIs from 6.1.X to 6.2", then replace the API calls and endpoints listed below.

API Calls

Table 3.1. 6.2.X API Calls Deprecated in 6.3 and Their Replacements

6.2.X API calls deprecated in 6.3	Replacements in 6.3	Note
org.kie.server.client.RuleSer vicesClient.executeComman ds()	org.kie.server.client.RuleSer vicesClient.executeComman dsWithResults()	The replacement method returns already unmarshalled execution result.

API Endpoints

Table 3.2. 6.2.X API Endpoints Deprecated in 6.3 and Their Replacements

6.2.X API endpoints deprecated in 6.3	Replacements in 6.3
RestKieServerControllerAdminImpl	RestSpecManagementServiceImpl

3.2.2. Migrating from 6.X to 6.3 Using the Upgrade Tool



WARNING

Upgrading from Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1.X to Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.3 directly may lead to Intelligent Process Server templates configuration issues.

If you are running Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1.X or 6.2.X, you can use the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite upgrade tool to upgrade to Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.3. To do so, see the section Upgrading to Latest Minor Release in the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite Install Guide for instructions.

In case you wish to upgrade Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0 *X*, you must first upgrade to version 6.2 as described in Section 3.5.2, "Migrating Business Central Project, Repository, and Artifacts from 6.0. *X* to 6.2", and use the upgrade tool on the upgraded version.

The Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite upgrade tool upgrades only the distribution files from version 6.2X or version 6.1X to version 6.3; you must perform the database upgrade manually. See Section 3.2.4, "Upgrading the Database from 6.X to 6.3".



NOTE

In case your runtime data and audit data are in separate databases in Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite, it is necessary to merge them to a single database before using Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.3.

3.2.3. Migrating Business Central Project, Repository, and Artifacts from 6. *X* to 6.3 Manually



NOTE

The manual upgrade process described in this section is the same for all versions of Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite starting with 6.1.X. For version 6.0.X, you need to upgrade to version 6.2 first (see Section 3.5.2, "Migrating Business Central Project, Repository, and Artifacts from 6.0.X to 6.2").

The recommended method of upgrading Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.X Git projects (.niogit folder) and Maven local dependencies (bin/repositories) manually is to copy over these directories to the new installation. This process will copy over all projects and artifacts.

Procedure: Migrate the Git Repository

- 1. Turn off Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.X and 6.3 instances.
- 2. Navigate to the **.niogit** directory, found in the home directory of the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.X installation.
- 3. Copy this directory and any subdirectories to the **.niogit** directory of the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.3 installation:

cp -R ./ \$BPM_6.3_INSTALLATION/.niogit/

Procedure: Migrate the Maven Repository

- 1. Turn off Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.X and 6.3 instances.
- 2. Navigate to the **repositories** directory, found in the home directory of the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6*X* installation.
- 3. Copy this directory and any subdirectories to the **repositories** directory of the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.3 installation:

cp -R ./ \$BPM_6.3_INSTALLATION/repositories/

3.2.4. Upgrading the Database from 6.X to 6.3

Regardless of whether you chose to upgrade the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite distribution files manually (according to Section 3.2.3, "Migrating Business Central Project, Repository, and Artifacts from 6. X to 6.3 Manually"), or using the upgrade tool (Section 3.2.2, "Migrating from 6. X to 6.3 Using the Upgrade Tool"), you must update the database separately by following instructions in Section 3.6, "Database Migration for 6.x Instances".

3.2.5. Intelligent Process Server and Container Migration

If you are migrating from Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.2 to a higher version, the Intelligent Process Server templates are automatically migrated. The controller configuration resides in the system GIT repository and is migrated automatically. However, if you are migrating from Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1 to 6.3 or above, the container data is not automatically migrated due to the difference in controller data structure in version 6.1. To retain the container data, first upgrade to Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.2 and then to Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.3. Optionally, you can recreate the container data in your upgraded version of Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite.

3.3. MIGRATING FROM 6.1.X TO 6.2

3.3.1. Migrating Client Application APIs from 6.1.X to 6.2

In this section, we will discuss the migration steps that are specific to migrating from Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1.X to 6.2. While the majority of settings and API have remained the same, the differences are highlighted below.

jBPM Executor (embedded mode)

The jBPM Executor has now been exposed as a public API available in the KIE API. In the event that the **jbpm-executor** service was in use previously, with embedded environments, it is recommended to now create the jBPM Executor using the API.

Deprecated methods

The TaskSummary.getPotentialOwners() is now deprecated and slated for removal.

Update IDs from primitive types

Many IDs were changed from the primitive **long** to the Object **Long**. While Java can perform autocasting of these primitive types, it is recommended to update any uses of the following methods to avoid potential issues:

org.kie.api.task.model.Content.getId(); org.kie.api.task.model.TaskData.getOutputContentId(); org.kie.api.task.TaskService.addComment();

3.3.2. Migrating Business Central Project, Repository, and Artifacts from 6.1. X to 6.2

The recommended method of upgrading the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1.X Git projects (.niogit folder) and Maven local dependencies (bin/repositories is to copy over these directories to the new installation. This process will copy over all projects and artifacts.

Procedure: Migrate the Git Repository

- 1. Turn off Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1.X and 6.2 instances.
- 2. Navigate to the **.niogit** directory, found in the home directory of the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1 installation.
- 3. Copy this directory and any subdirectories to the **.niogit** directory of the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.2 installation:

cp -R ./\$BPM_6.2_INSTALLATION/.niogit/

Procedure: Migrate the Maven Repository

- 1. Turn off Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1.X and 6.2 instances.
- 2. Navigate to the **repositories** directory, found in the home directory of the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1 installation.
- 3. Copy this directory and any subdirectories to the **repositories** directory of the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.2 installation:

cp -R ./\$BPM_6.2_INSTALLATION/repositories/

3.3.3. Upgrading the Database from 6.1.X to 6.2

Ensure the database has been upgraded as documented in Section 3.6, "Database Migration for 6.x Instances".

3.4. MIGRATING FROM 6.0.X TO 6.1

3.4.1. Migrating Client Application APIs from 6.0.X to 6.1

In this section, we will discuss the migration steps that are specific to migrating from Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0.X to 6.1.



IMPORTANT

When using Red Hat JBoss BRMS/Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite prior to 6.1 deployed on Red Hat JBoss EAP, it was possible to load JBoss BRMS/Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite libraries from the JBoss EAP modules by correctly configuring **jboss-deployment-structure.xml**. In Red Hat JBoss BRMS and Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1, there are no modules including Red Hat JBoss BRMS/Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite libraries, hence the application developer is responsible to ensure all dependencies will be resolvable during runtime. For more information, see the relevant section in the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite Development Guide.

Remove Old API

As noted in Section 2.2.3, "API and Backwards Compatibility", 6.1 is *not* backwards compatible with the 5.X API, while 6.0. X was. Therefore, when migrating from 6.0. X to 6.1 version, you will need to remove all references to the old API.

Modify Your (Custom) persistence.xml

There have been several changes in the classes present in the **persistence.xml** file. If you have been using a custom file for persistence, then you need to be aware of these changes and implement them:

• The Task Audit classes have changed from:

<class>org.jbpm.services.task.audit.impl.model.GroupAuditTaskImpl<class>org.jbpm.services.task.audit.impl.model.HistoryAuditTaskImpl/class><class>org.jbpm.services.task.audit.impl.model.UserAuditTaskImpl/class>

to:

<class>org.jbpm.services.task.audit.impl.model.AuditTaskImpl</class>

- The Event class has changed from:
 - <class>org.jbpm.services.task.audit.TaskEventImpl</class>

to:

- <class>org.jbpm.services.task.audit.impl.model.TaskEventImpl</class>
- There is a new entry for the deployment store:
 - <class>org.jbpm.kie.services.impl.store.DeploymentStoreEntry</class>
- There are some new mapping files that need adding:

```
<mapping-file>META-INF/Taskorm.xml</mapping-file>
<mapping-file>META-INF/Servicesorm.xml</mapping-file>
<mapping-file>META-INF/TaskAuditorm.xml</mapping-file>
```

Migrating Classes

6.1 has migrated some API classes to the Services API (and access to those classes has been removed). If you were using these APIs because no alternative was available earlier, migrate to these new classes:

```
old --> new
```

org.kie.internal.deployment.DeployedUnit; --> org.jbpm.services.api.model.DeployedUnit; org.kie.internal.deployment.DeploymentService; --> org.jbpm.services.api.DeploymentService; org.kie.internal.deployment.DeploymentUnit; --> org.jbpm.services.api.model.DeploymentUnit; org.jbpm.kie.services.api.IdentityProvider; --> org.kie.internal.identity.IdentityProvider;

Make Changes to Module Ids in Your POMs

The following ids have changed:

```
old --> new
kie-services-jaxb --> kie-remote-jaxb
kie-services-client --> kie-remote-client
kie-services-remote --> kie-remote-services
```

Review JMS Port Changes

In 6.1, **4447** is the JNDI port to discover JMS **ConnectionFactory** connection and to get queues. Port **5445** is used by default for unsecured JMS communication. Port **5446** is used by default for SSL secured JMS communication.

In 6.0 *X*, only port **4447** was necessary to get the JMS **ConnectionFactory**. This factory provided JMS queues and no other port setting was necessary.

Verify Location of Deployment Units

In 6.1, deployment units are located inside the database. In 6.0, these were stored in the Git repository. If you want to continue storing your deployment units within the Git repo, you must use the system property **org.kie.git.deployments.enabled** and set it to true.

This change is backward compatible. The first time a deployment is run on a new setup it will read up from **system.git** and deploy into runtime (in database storage). At the same time it will remove it from system Git to clean it up.

Modify Remote Class API Code

Between 6.0.X and 6.1, the Remote Class API has changed considerably. For example, in 6.0. X, you would use the following code for creating a JMS based runtime engine:

 $import\ org. kie. services. client. api. command. Remote Runtime Engine;$

. . .

RemoteJmsRuntimeEngineBuilder rjmsreBuilder =

RemoteJmsRuntimeEngineFactory.newBuilder().addJbossServerHostName(host).addHostName(host).addUserName(username).addPassword(password).addTimeout(timeout).addDeploymentId(deploymentId).addExtraJaxbClasses(classes);

```
if( useSsl ) {
```

rjmsreBuilder.addKeystoreLocation("client0.keystore.jks").addKeystorePassword(storePassword).addTruststorePassword(storePassword).useKeystoreAsTruststore().addJmsConnectorPort(sslPort);

```
} else {
  rjmsreBuilder.useSsl(false).addJmsConnectorPort(port);
}
```

RemoteRuntimeEngine remoteRuntimeEngine = rjmsreBuilder.build();

or the following code for creating a REST based runtime engine:

remoteRuntimeEngine =

Remote Rest Runtime Engine Factory. new Builder (). add Url (url). add User Name (username). add Password (password). add Deployment Id (deployment Id). add Extra Jax b Classes (classes). build ();

This code should be modified as the Remote Class API defines new generalized interface for remote runtime engine: **org.kie.api.runtime.manager.RuntimeEngine**. To create the runtime engines in 6.1, use the following code (JMS):

```
// for JMS import org.kie.api.runtime.manager.RuntimeEngine;
```

• • •

RemoteJmsRuntimeEngineBuilder rjmsreBuilder =

Remote Runtime Engine Factory.new Jms Builder(). add Jboss Server Host Name(host). add Host Name(host). add User Name(username). add Password(password). add Timeout(timeout). add Deployment Id(deployment Id). add Extra Jaxb Classes(classes);

```
// 5446 is the default secured jms port, 5445 the default unsecured jms port if ( port == 5446 ) {
```

rjmsreBuilder.addKeystoreLocation("client0.keystore.jks").addKeystorePassword(storePassword).addTr uststorePassword(storePassword).useKeystoreAsTruststore().addJmsConnectorPort(port);

```
sslStatus = "enabled";
} else if (port == 5445) {
rjmsreBuilder
    .useSsl(false)
    .disableTaskSecurity()
    .addJmsConnectorPort(port);
sslStatus = "disabled";
} else {
    throw new IllegalArgumentException("Unsupported jms port, valid ones are secured 5446 and unsecured 5445.");
}
RuntimeEngine remoteRuntimeEngine = rjmsreBuilder.build();
```

and the following code for REST:

remoteRuntimeEngine =
remoteRuntimeEngineFactory.newRestBuilder().addUrl(url).addUserName(username).addPassword(p
assword).addDeploymentId(deploymentId).addExtraJaxbClasses(classes).build();

Rename the AuditLogService Class

If you were using the **AuditLogService** in 6.0. X branch, migrate that to the renamed class:

AuditService. Method names have changed accordingly:

remoteRuntimeEngine.getAuditLogService() should be changed to remoteRuntimeEngine.getAuditService().

3.4.2. Migrating Business Central Project, Repository and Artifacts from 6.0. X to 6.1

Use the following procedure to move your existing Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0.X Git projects (.niogit folder) and Maven local dependencies (bin/repositories) to a new Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1 installation.

Note, the example commands used in the following procedures are based on migrating from Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0.3 to 6.1.

Procedure: Migrate a Single Project

- 1. Turn off Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0.X and Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1 instances.
- 2. Navigate to **.niogit** folder of Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0. *X* installation.
- 3. Clone the repository where desired project is located.
 - \$ git clone repository603.git
- 4. Navigate to the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1.0 **niogit** folder.
- 5. Clone the repository where you want to migrate the 6.0.X project.
 - \$ git clone repository610.git
- 6. Copy the project from 6.0 *X* cloned repository to 6.1. *X* cloned repository.
 - \$ cp -R /path/to/6.0.3/project /path/to/6.1.0/repository

7. Navigate to the 6.1.0 cloned repository.

\$ cd /path/to/6.1.0/repository

8. Commit the newly added 6.0.*X* project to your new 6.1.0 repository.

```
$ git add ./copied-6.0.3-project/*
$ git commit -m "migrating 6.0.3 project to 6.1.0 repository"
$ git push
```

9. Start Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1.0. The 6.0.3 project should be successfully migrated and visible under the specified repository.



NOTE

The outcome of the above procedure may also be achieved by using the eGit plugin for Red Hat JBoss Developer Studio. See the relevant section in the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite Development Guide.

Migrating a Repository

The following procedure demonstrates how to migrate a selected Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0.X repository to Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1.0 installation.

Procedure: Clone and Migrate a Repository

- 1. Turn on Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1.0.
- 2. Log in to Business Central and navigate to **Authoring** → **Administration** → **Repositories** → **Clone Repository**.
- 3. Fill in the form. For example:

Repository Name - MyOld603Repo Organizational Unit - example Git URL - file:///path/to/old/603/.niogit/repository.git

and press Confirm.

4. The repository should be now available for Authoring.

For more information about cloning repositories, see the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite Administration and Configuration Guide.

Migrate a Maven Artifact

The Artifact Repository is an internal Maven repository for Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite. The default internal Maven repository is created in a working directory of Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1.0 installation, with the folder name **repositories/kie**.

Maven artifacts can be migrated using the GUI.

Procedure: Migrate Maven Artifacts using the GUI

1. Turn on Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1.

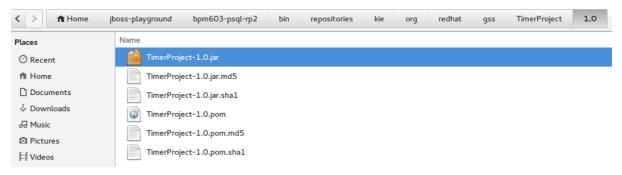
- 2. Navigate to Authoring → Artifact Repository.
- 3. Upload the Artifact from your old 6.0.3 installation.

Alternatively, the following procedure demonstrates how to migrate selected Maven artifact from Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0.X Artifact Repository to a Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1.0 Artifact Repository, and assumes that the two Artifact Repositories are located on the same physical system.

Procedure: Migrate a Particular Artifact

1. Consider following KJAR, which was installed into Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0.X Artifact Repository by Business Central:

Figure 3.1. Installed KJAR



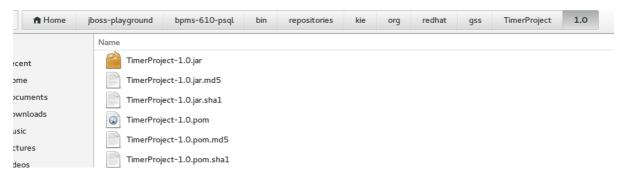
2. Copy this artifact to the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1.0 Artifact Repository. For example:

\$ cp -R --parents /path/to/603/kjar/kie/org/redhat/gss/TimerProject//path/to/bpms-610-psql/bin/repositories/

The **--parents** argument will ensure that all the necessary folders (if missing) will be created in 6.1.0 too. In this case, it will honor the /org/redhat/gss/TimerProject path.

After copying, the 6.1.0 Maven repository should look appear as follows:

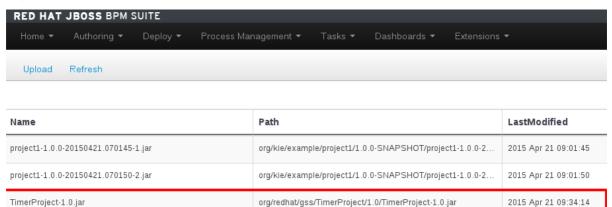
Figure 3.2. Copied Artifact



3. Start the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.1.0 installation and navigate to Artifact Repository. The copied artifact should be present as shown.

Figure 3.3. Artifact Repository

guvnor-asset-mgmt-project-6.2.0.Final-redhat-4.jar



org/guvnor/guvnor-asset-mgmt-project/6.2.0.Final-redhat-4/g.

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Migrate the .niogit Folder

In order to migrate the whole .niogit from 6.0.X to 6.1.0, set the org.uberfire.nio.git.dir property in 6.1.0 as follows.

\$./standalone.sh-Dorg.uber fire.nio.git.dir=/path/to/6.0.3/.niogit

3.4.3. Upgrading the Database from 6.0.X to 6.1

Ensure that the database has been upgraded as documented in Section 3.6, "Database Migration for 6.x Instances".

3.5. MIGRATING FROM 6.0.X TO 6.2

3.5.1. Migrating Client Application APIs from 6.0.X to 6.2

To migrate client applications from Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0 *X* to 6.2 the applications must incorporate all of the changes mentioned in both Section 3.4.1, "Migrating Client Application APIs from 6.0. *X* to 6.1" and Section 3.3.1, "Migrating Client Application APIs from 6.1. *X* to 6.2".

3.5.2. Migrating Business Central Project, Repository, and Artifacts from 6.0. *X* to 6.2

Use the following procedure to move your existing Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0.X Git projects (.niogit folder) and Maven local dependencies (bin/repositories) to a new Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.2 installation.

Note that the example commands used in the following procedures are based on migrating from Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0.3 to 6.2.

Procedure: Migrate a Single Project

- 1. Turn off Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0.X and Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.2 instances.
- 2. Navigate to **.niogit** folder of Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0. X installation.
- 3. Clone the repository where desired project is located.

\$ git clone repository603.git

- 4. Navigate to the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.2.0 niogit folder.
- 5. Clone the repository where you want to migrate the 6.0.X project.
 - \$ git clone repository620.git
- 6. Copy the project from 6.0 *X* cloned repository to 6.2. *X* cloned repository.
 - \$ cp -R /path/to/6.0.3/project /path/to/6.2.0/repository
- 7. Navigate to the 6.2.0 cloned repository.
 - \$ cd /path/to/6.2.0/repository
- 8. Commit the newly added 6.0.X project to your new 6.2.0 repository.

```
$ git add ./copied-6.0.3-project/*
$ git commit -m "migrating 6.0.3 project to 6.2.0 repository"
$ git push
```

9. Start Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.2.0. The 6.0.3 project should be successfully migrated and visible under the specified repository.



NOTE

The outcome of the above procedure may also be achieved by using the eGit plugin for Red Hat JBoss Developer Studio. See the relevant section in the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite Development Guide.

Migrate a Repository

The following procedure demonstrates how to migrate a selected Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0.X repository to Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.2.0 installation.

Procedure: Clone and Migrate a Repository

- 1. Turn on Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.2.0.
- 2. Log in to Business Central and navigate to **Authoring** → **Administration** → **Repositories** → **Clone Repository**.
- 3. Fill in the form. For example:

Repository Name - MyOld603Repo Organizational Unit - example Git URL - file:///path/to/old/603/.niogit/repository.git

and press Confirm.

4. The repository should be now available for Authoring.

For more information about cloning repositories, see the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite Administration and Configuration Guide.

Migrate a Maven Artifact

The Artifact Repository is an internal Maven repository for Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite. The default internal Maven repository is created in a working directory of Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.2.0 installation, with the folder name **repositories/kie**.

Maven artifacts can be migrated using the GUI.

Procedure: Migrate Maven Artifacts using the GUI

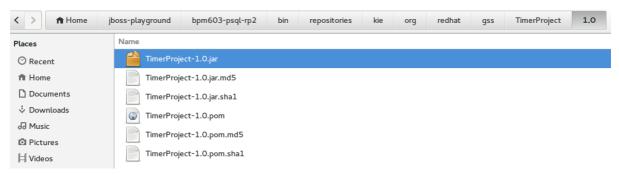
- 1. Turn on Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.2.
- Navigate to Authoring → Artifact Repository.
- 3. Upload the Artifact from your old 6.0.3 installation.

Alternatively, following procedure demonstrates how to migrate selected Maven artifact from Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0.X Artifact Repository to a Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.2.0 Artifact Repository, and assumes that the two Artifact Repositories are located on the same physical system.

Procedure: Migrate a Particular Artifact

1. Consider following KJAR, which was installed into Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.0.X Artifact Repository by Business Central.

Figure 3.4. Installed KJAR

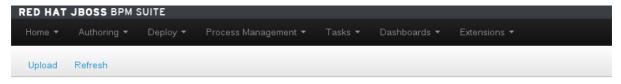


2. Copy this artifact to the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.2.0 Artifact Repository. For example:

The **--parents** argument will ensure that all the necessary folders (if missing) will be created in 6.2.0 too. In this case, it will honor the **/org/redhat/gss/TimerProject** path.

3. Start the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.2.0 installation and navigate to Artifact Repository. The copied artifact should be present as shown:

Figure 3.5. Artifact Repository



Name	Path	LastModified
project1-1.0.0-20150421.070145-1.jar	org/kie/example/project1/1.0.0-SNAPSHOT/project1-1.0.0-2	2015 Apr 21 09:01:45
project1-1.0.0-20150421.070150-2.jar	org/kie/example/project1/1.0.0-SNAPSHOT/project1-1.0.0-2	2015 Apr 21 09:01:50
TimerProject-1.0 jar	org/redhat/gss/TimerProject/1.0/TimerProject-1.0.jar	2015 Apr 21 09:34:14
guvnor-asset-mgmt-project-6.2.0.Final-redhat-4.jar	org/guvnor/guvnor-asset-mgmt-project/6.2.0.Final-redhat-4/g	2015 Apr 21 09:37:03

Migrate the .niogit Folder

In order to migrate the whole **.niogit** from 6.0.*X* to 6.2.0, set the **org.uberfire.nio.git.dir** property in 6.2.0 as follows.

\$./standalone.sh -Dorg.uberfire.nio.git.dir=/path/to/6.0.3/.niogit

3.5.3. Upgrading the Database from 6.0.X to 6.2

Ensure that the database has been upgraded as documented in Section 3.6, "Database Migration for 6.x Instances".

3.6. DATABASE MIGRATION FOR 6.X INSTANCES

Due to data model changes the database schema has also changed between minor versions of Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite. A set of scripts has been included to ease this migration process; these scripts will generate the new tables and columns necessary, in addition to populating these columns where appropriate.



IMPORTANT

It is strongly recommended to backup the database before attempting any update, as this will provide a recoverable state should any issues arise during the update process.

- 1. Download and unzip the *Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite Supplementary Tools* from the Customer Portal.
- 2. Shutdown any Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite servers communicating with the database.
- 3. Navigate to the subdirectory of supplementary tools corresponding to the type of database used. For instance, if a **h2** database is in use (the default), then the scripts in the **upgrade-scripts/h2** directory will be used in the subsequent steps.
- 4. Examine the contents of each script to be executed. While many of the scripts contain only database changes, there are others that require commands to be executed from a client with an open connection to the database.
- 5. Execute the scripts corresponding to the following table. If there are more scripts listed for your upgrade path, you must execute all of them, and in the specified order:

Table 3.3. Database Scripts by Version

Original Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite Version	New Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite Version	Script(s) to execute
6.3	6.4	bpms-6.3-to-6.4.sql
6.2	6.3	bpms-6.2-to-6.3.sql
6.1	6.3	bpms-6.1-to-6.2.sql, bpms-6.2- to-6.3.sql
6.1	6.2	bpms-6.1-to-6.2.sql
6.0	6.3	bpms-6.0-to-6.1.sql, bpms-6.1- to-6.2.sql, bpms-6.2-to-6.3.sql
6.0	6.2	bpms-6.0-to-6.1.sql, bpms-6.1- to-6.2.sql
6.0	6.1	bpms-6.0-to-6.1.sql

6. Start the new Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite server.

3.7. MIGRATING RUNNING PROCESSES

To migrate these processes, follow the below steps:

1. Shutdown any active Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite servers using the older version.



IMPORTANT

When the server is shutdown, all processes will be terminated, and only the processes that have been persisted to the database will migrate smoothly. Before shutting down the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite server, ensure that all rules are either waiting on a human task (so that they will be persisted), or not actively executing.

- 2. Ensure the instructions in Section 3.6, "Database Migration for 6.x Instances" have been followed to upgrade the database to the new version.
- 3. Start the new Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite server, pointing to the same database that was previously in use.
- 4. Now you need to migrate your Maven and Git repositories. The process for doing that depends on which version you are migrating to:

Use either the upgrade tool in Section 3.2.2, "Migrating from 6X to 6.3 Using the Upgrade Tool", or do it manually as described in Section 3.2.3, "Migrating Business Central Project, Repository, and Artifacts from 6.X to 6.3 Manually".

6.2	See Section 3.3.2, "Migrating Business Central Project, Repository, and Artifacts from 6.1.X to 6.2" or Section 3.5.2, "Migrating Business Central Project, Repository, and Artifacts from 6.0.X to 6.2", based on the version of your current Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite installation.
6.1	See Section 3.4.2, "Migrating Business Central Project, Repository and Artifacts from 6.0.X to 6.1".

5. At this point, the processes will be retrieved from the backing database and may be used as normal.



NOTE

Due to the database changes, the server must be offline temporarily while the database is updated, and as such a true migration with no downtime does not exist. To minimize downtime, it is recommended to use a load balancer in front of the Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite servers and delegate requests to older instances until the full migration has completed. Once the database upgrade has completed and the new Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite servers started successfully, requests may be sent to these servers, which will retrieve the persisted process.

CHAPTER 4. RED HAT JBOSS EAP MIGRATION

4.1. MIGRATING RED HAT JBOSS BPM SUITE FROM RED HAT JBOSS EAP 6.4.X TO 7.0

Deploying Red Hat JBoss BRMS or Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite on Red Hat JBoss EAP 7 requires changes to the project BOM files. To upgrade your container from Red Hat JBoss EAP 6.4 to Red Hat JBoss EAP 7, configure the Intelligent Process Server or the Realtime Decision Server in the following way:

If using JMS, change the provider URL(java.naming.provider.url) for InitialContext, which is
used to look up JMS queues. Change the remoting port from 4447 to 8080 (EAP 7 uses httpremoting). For example:

```
final Properties env = new Properties();
...
env.put(Context.PROVIDER_URL, "http-remoting://<server ip>:8080");
...
InitialContext context = new InitialContext(env);
```

Additionally, change the JMS dependency BOM to:

If using remote JMS client for Business Central, change the protocol from remote to http-remoting and port from 4447 to 8080. Also, use ActiveMQ Artemis client library (org.apache.activemq:artemis-jms-client artifact).

For more information on migration from Red Hat JBoss EAP 6.4 to Red Hat JBoss EAP 7.0, see the Application Migration Changes chapter of the *Red Hat JBoss EAP Migration Guide*.

CHAPTER 5. MIGRATION EXAMPLES

5.1. HELLO WORLD PROJECT MIGRATION

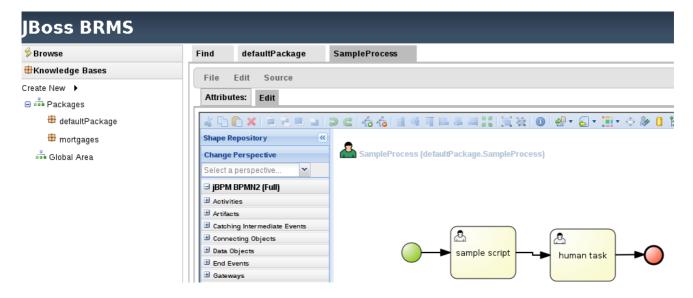
Let us start with the simplest migration example, a simple Hello World kind of process. This is just to get you started and make you comfortable with the migration process.

Data Migration

Start Red Hat JBoss RMS 5 with a *clean* repository and install the built-in samples. To make it more interesting, add one BPMN process with following structure:

START->SCRIPT_Task->Human_Task->End

Save the process and build the package. This is what it looks like in Red Hat JBoss RMS 5:



As discussed earlier, in order to automatically migrate assets from Red Hat JBoss RMS 5 to Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6, you need to convert the JCR repository, storage for business assets in 5, to a GIT repository—storage for business assets in 6. Run the migration tool:

\$./runMigration.sh -i /home/osiris/jboss-playground/jboss-eap-6.0-brms/bin/repository -o /home/osiris/Downloads/myGitRepo -r MyMigratedRepo

This example assumes that the Red Hat JBoss RMS 5 instance was started from the **bin** directory, using ./standalone.sh, so by default, the **repository** directory and **repository.xml** will be created in this directory.

The destination (specified by the **-o** option) can be whatever directory you want it to be. The GIT repository is created under **myGitRepo** folder once the migration tool finishes its work.

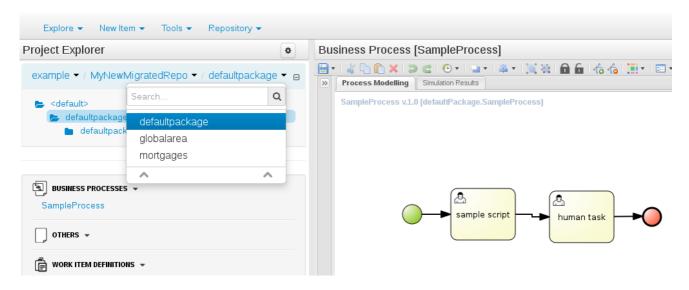


NOTE

The destination folder must not exist when you run this command otherwise you will get an error.

Once done, clone this repository into Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6.x via **Administration** → **Repositories** → **Clone Repository**. Point it to **file:**///home/osiris/Downloads/myGitRepo/MyMigratedRepo.git to start the import.

It is now possible to build and deploy project in Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6 and easily instantiate the process. This is what it should look like once successfully imported.



5.2. COOL STORE PROJECT MIGRATION

The 'Hello World' scenario is a useful migration demo to get your hands dirty. Let us make it more interesting by trying on a real-life project, such as the Cool Store Demo by Eric Schabell which is a reasonably complex project mimicking an online web shopping cart example.

This project provides both Red Hat JBoss BRMS 5 and Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6 repositories.

The Red Hat JBoss RMS 5 repository with included business-assets can be downloaded from the following location: https://github.com/jbossdemocentral/brms-coolstore-demo/tree/v1.0.

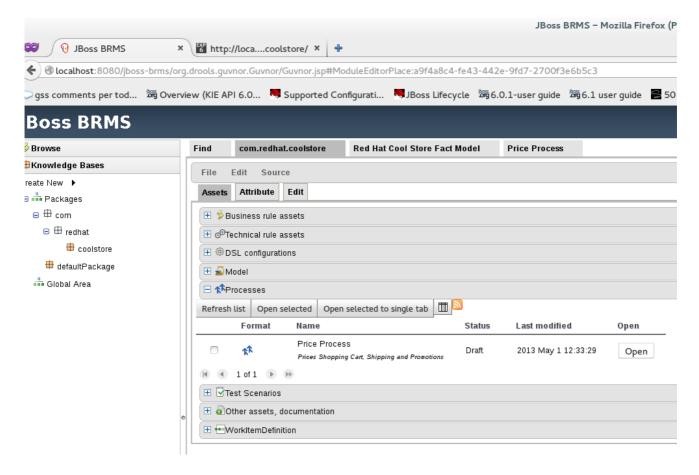
Let us migrate this repository to Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6 step by step:

- 1. Navigate to **bin** folder of your BRMS 5 installation—make sure there is no repository folder and no repository.xml file in this folder as we want to start with a clean repository for this example.
- 2. Start the server using ./standalone.sh command. On JBoss EAP 5, start the server by executing the run.sh script.
- 3. In your browser, navigate to and login to http://localhost:8080/jboss-brms. If this is the first time you are running this, you will be prompted to install the default examples. Select *No Thanks* to installing these.
- 4. To start the migration of the business assets, let us first import the CoolStore repo into BRMS 5. Open a terminal window and execute the following commands:
- // get the repo
- \$ git clone https://github.com/jbossdemocentral/brms-coolstore-demo.git
- \$ cd brms-coolstore-demo
- // switch to the version 5 quickstart
- \$ git checkout jdf-quickstart
- \$ cd support
- // this unzips the 5.x repo in an XML format which we will now import
- \$ unzip repository_export.zip

You now have the 5.x repository of the CoolStore demo in the file **repository_export.xml** which you can import in Red Hat JBoss RMS 5 via the Administration section of the Guvnor (Business Central in 5.x

branch of BRMS). Do this now, and once finished, there will be numerous assets present in the repository. You can view them at $\frac{http://localhost:8080/jboss-}{localhost:8080/jboss-}$

brms/rest/packages/com.redhat.coolstore/. Your Guvnor should look similar to the following figure:



Build the package and the repository using the Guvnor interface and then migrate it using the migration tool.

Run the migration tool like this, from the **bin** folder of the Red Hat JBoss RMS 5 EAP install:

\$./runMigration.sh -i /home/osiris/jboss-playground/jboss-eap-6.0-brms/bin/repository -o /home/osiris/Downloads/MigrateRepository -r "MyMigratedRepo"



REMINDER ON HOW TO USE THE MIGRATION TOOL

- 1. Red Hat JBoss RMS 5 uses the JackRabbit repository for storage of its business assets. Its location is specified via the **-i** parameter.
- 2. Red Hat JBoss RMS 6/Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6 uses the Git repository for the storage of business assets. Its location is specified via the **-0** parameter.
- 3. Name of the Git repository is specified via the **-r** parameter.
- 4. Make sure that the destination folder MigrateRepository does not already exist.

After running the previous command successfully, your file structure should resemble:

\$ pwd
/home/osiris/jboss-playground/jboss-eap-6.0-brms/bin
\$ tree | grep repository

|-- repository | |-- repository | |-- repository.xml |-- repository.xml

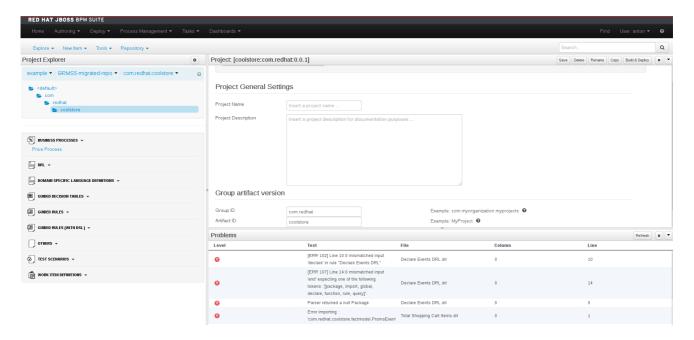
The /bin/repository/repository.xml file has been placed there manually—it is a copy of /bin/repository.xml file.

The output of this migration command will be the Git repository located here: /home/osiris/Downloads/MigrateRepository/MyMigratedRepo.git This Git repository is fully compatible with Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6 and you will import it to Business Central later.

Migrating POJOs

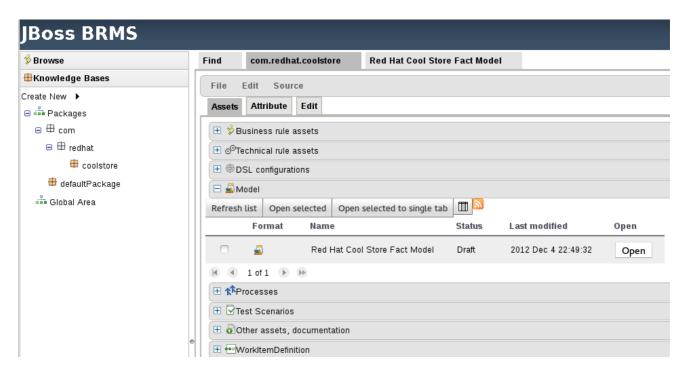
Although the migration tool migrates most assets, it does not migrate POJO model JARs. These have to be migrated manually and your project will not build till this is done due to unresolved dependencies.

Open up your Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6 instance, and import the Git repository into it. Once imported, your Business Central window should look like the following:



As you can see, there are unresolved dependencies errors which will prevent this project from being built. We have not imported the JAR with POJO model classes yet. We need to do this manually.

Log back into Red Hat JBoss RMS 5 Guvnor and locate the Fact Model JAR and download it to your local filesystem. You will import this JAR in Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6 Business Central.



In Business Central, log into **Authoring** → **Artifact Repository**. Press **Upload** and locate the JAR that you downloaded from Red Hat JBoss RMS 5.



NOTE

This JAR is not a Maven project, and it is a requirement that all JARs used by Business Central are Maven based. If they are not, you need to provide at least some Maven info in the form of Group, Artifact and Version (GAV). Fill in these values for the uploaded Fact Model JAR (these can be anything you want).

Include JAR as a dependency

You now need to place this JAR on the project's classpath so it will be available for every business asset located within the project. From Tools → Project Editor → Dependencies, select Add from repository, and then select the freshly downloaded JAR. Press Save and then Build & Deploy.

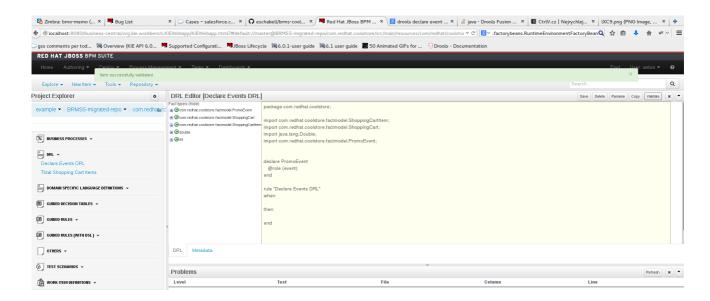
The unresolved dependencies errors will now go away, but you will have another issue:

Fixing syntax issues

If you look in the *Problems* section of Business Central, you will notice that the build has not been successful due to an issue with **Declare Events DRL**. Looks like this rule has a syntax issue that needs fixing.

Although the BPMN2 and the DRL syntax did not change between Red Hat JBoss RMS 5 and Red Hat JBoss BPM Suite 6, what did change was stricter enforcing of syntax rules in version 6 than in version 5. This should normally not be an issue, and the system will always tell you where there is a mistake.

In version 6, you always need to include the basic keywords when defining a rule. Therefore, in the error you saw earlier, the missing keywords are: **WHEN**, **THEN** and **END**. It is easy to fix this!



Make these changes in the rule file and then press the **Validate** button. Your project should validate successfully, without any errors.



NOTE

The **Validate** button is a great tool when migrating content. With it, you are able to see if an asset can be built, before you actually try to build or deploy a whole project. The interface should tell you the root cause of any issue. More detailed information is also usually displayed in the server.log.

Now let us get back to **Tools** → **Project Editor**. Press **Build & Deploy**, the project will build successfully. The migration is successful and all assets are validated and transferred in this process.

Migrating Selected Assets Manually

In some projects, you might not need to migrate the complete repository. The manual approach to transferring assets is fairly simple:

- 1. Create a new Git repository in Business Central.
- 2. For DRL, create an empty rule and copy paste the content of the rule from Red Hat JBoss RMS 5.

For BPMN processes, create a new process and use **Import from BPMN2** to import process definition from Red Hat JBoss BRMS 5.

APPENDIX A. VERSIONING INFORMATION

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