

# ENTERPRISE ACCELERATION WITH JBoss ENTERPRISE MIDDLEWARE

## ANSWERS TO FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### Q. WHAT IS ENTERPRISE ACCELERATION?

A. Enterprise Acceleration provides enterprise IT organizations with resources, tools, and best practices to confidently deploy the next generation middleware reference architecture. Enterprise Acceleration includes three core components to achieve this:

- 1) JBoss Enterprise Middleware, a comprehensive middleware portfolio
- 2) An enterprise product delivery model that leverages the best open source technologies from the JBoss.org community to provide integrated, certified and tested middleware for enterprise wide deployment
- 3) Starting in mid-2008, an Enterprise Acceleration Center to enable customers and partners to take advantage of best practices in performance tuning, migrations, interoperability and solution certification, all aimed at accelerating adoption of JBoss Enterprise Middleware for large scale deployment across corporations

### Q. HOW WILL CUSTOMERS BENEFIT FROM ENTERPRISE ACCELERATION?

A. Enterprise Acceleration will provide IT with tools and resources to leverage JBoss Enterprise Middleware as their next generation service oriented and Web 2.0 architecture. By utilizing flexible and modular enterprise open source solutions, IT can become isolated from long term vendor lock-in while delivering rich applications and loosely coupled enterprise wide services quickly and efficiently. Backed by a subscription model, and the experts in open source support, JBoss Enterprise Middleware enables customers to move through existing project backlogs, IT to become more productive and efficient, and helps improve overall middleware total cost of ownership.

### Q. WHAT IS JBOSS ENTERPRISE MIDDLEWARE?

A. JBoss Enterprise Middleware is a standards based, comprehensive end-to-end enterprise open source middleware portfolio for:

- Java application development
- Application and service hosting
- Content aggregation and presentation
- Data integration
- Service integration and orchestration

JBoss Enterprise Middleware includes solutions across the entire application lifecycle: from innovative Web 2.0 development tools and frameworks, to SOA-based application and service deployment platforms, to complete middleware management and monitoring. To learn more, visit:

– <http://jboss.com/products/index>

### Q. WHAT WILL THE ENTERPRISE ACCELERATION CENTER PROVIDE?

A. The Enterprise Acceleration Centers will allow Red Hat customers and partners to experience Enterprise Acceleration first hand. The Centers will bring together JBoss Enterprise Middleware best practice resources, services, and expertise needed to adopt, inter-operate or tune JBoss-based solutions.

### Q. HOW CAN PARTNERS BECOME INVOLVED IN THE ENTERPRISE ACCELERATION CENTER?

A. Partners can participate in the Enterprise Acceleration Center by certifying their own solutions with JBoss Enterprise Middleware or assisting JBoss Enterprise Middleware customers with migration, configuration or performance tuning services. Contact your current JBoss partner manager to get involved or become a certified JBoss partner at:

– <http://jboss.com/partners/join>

### Q. WHERE CAN I LEARN MORE ABOUT ENTERPRISE ACCELERATION AND JBOSS ENTERPRISE MIDDLEWARE?

A. More information is available at the Enterprise Acceleration Resource Center:

– <http://www.jboss.com/enterpriseacceleration>

### Q. HOW CAN I GET INVOLVED IN THE JBOSS.ORG COMMUNITY?

A. Anyone is welcome to join at anytime. If you're interested in participating as a user, tester, developer, writer or speaker for a JBoss.org project visit:

– <http://labs.jboss.com/community>

