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Summary

The Apache Harmony community remains healthy, and has recently released new milestone builds. The lack of a JCK continues to be an issue for Harmony.

Development and Releases

The Harmony community published Apache Harmony 5.0 Milestone 12 on December 5th. We later discovered that one source file had a questionable header comment [1], so we replaced it with Harmony 5.0 Milestone 12a on January 27th.

The next regular milestone, Apache Harmony 5.0 M13, was released on March 10th, comprising a number of bug fixes and test case enhancements. On the same date we also released the first milestone from our 6.0 code stream. Apache Harmony 6.0M1 is the first stable build available from the Java SE 6.0 API code stream, and while there are still known missing APIs, this first milestone is already very capable.

Harmony build and test is running smoothly on the Hudson systems.

Community

There were no changes to the Harmony PMC or committers during the last reporting period, and there are now 50 committers of which ~ 9 were active this period.

The Harmony community have raised a number of proposed projects for consideration by the Google Summer of Code participants.

Ref: [1] http://markmail.org/thread/25csio5grqekr6cf