

JarProtocolExample

Hi tried this a few months ago and found that the "jar://" protocol don't check if the source have changed. I can't say if it's problem of cocoon cache or "jar://" specification, but what I know is I can't use it to display i, real time an oo doc that people may edit. Some more ideas here [XfolioOpenOfficeGeneration]

Here is a sitemap snippet that shows how the jar:/ protocol can be used to read data from jar files or zip files. – [Con](#)

```
<map:pipelines>
    <!-- read content from out of a zip file -->
    <map:pipeline>
        <map:match pattern="*/**.xml">
            <map:generate src="jar:http://localhost/jar-test/{1}!/{2}.xml"/>
            <map:serialize type="xml"/>
        </map:match>
    </map:pipeline>
    <map:pipeline>
        <map:match pattern="*/**.jpg">
            <map:read src="jar:http://localhost/jar-test/{1}!/{2}.jpg"/>
        </map:match>
    </map:pipeline>

    <!--
    if you don't want to "hard-code" localhost,
    don't forget the {servletPath} sitemap variable

<map:read src="jar:http://{servletPath}/{1}.sxw!/_meta.xml"/>

-->

    <!-- read the archive file -->
    <map:pipeline>
        <map:match pattern="*.zip">
            <map:read src="{1}.zip"/>
        </map:match>
        <map:match pattern="*.jar">
            <map:read src="{1}.jar"/>
        </map:match>
    </map:pipeline>
</map:pipelines>
```

Note:

This sitemap is intended to be mounted as /jar-test - it uses http to access the zip file. This is because the jar: protocol is not aware of the cocoon: protocol. An alternative would be to access the jar file with the file: protocol, which would involve specifying a complete file path name. You could do this using an input module to specify the file name.

To test it, access it as:

<http://localhost/jar-test/test.zip/test.jpg>

Using the context protocol

Here is an example using a file relative to the context. In this case we get a file named content.xml inside an open-office zip file with a .sxw extension. The realpath module allows us to convert relative path to absolute ones.

```
<map:match src='**.sxw'>
    <map:generate src="jar:file:///realpath:docu/{0}!/content.xml"/>
    <map:transform src='open-office-to-docbook.xml' />
    <map:serialize type='xml' />
</map:match>
```