Simple MLE Deployer

A Tool for deploying JavaScript to Oracles Multilingual Engine

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What is MLE? And what is it about?

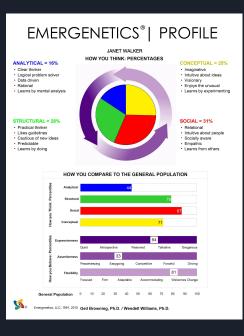
- MLE = Multilingual Engine
- Extension of the Oracle Database
- Bring other languages to the Database (besides Java & C)
 - Language selection based on needs
 - Libraries
- Based on GraalVM
- Speed and resource benefits!



Original Goal

Generate reports directly on the Database

• JS libraries for generating PDFs available (for Node.js and Browser use)





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Issues & Rescoping

- MLE behaves weird sometimes (unexpected behaviour)
- Deployment Process is Heinous



• Solution: Write tooling for deployment



Create Desired JavaScript functionality

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module.exports.helloWorld = function (name) { return "Hello " + name;





Store Code in Database

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INSERT INTO mylobs VALUES (:id, :data), {id: 1, data: data}



Create DB-Internal representation

CREATE OR REPLACE JAVASCRIPT SOURCE NAMED "mysource" USING CLOB
SELECT data
FROM mylobs
WHERE id = 1



Create Function

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CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION helloWorld(name IN VARCHAR2) RETURN STRING AS LANGUAGE JAVASCRIPT NAME 'mysource\.js.helloWorld(name string) return string';



Call Function

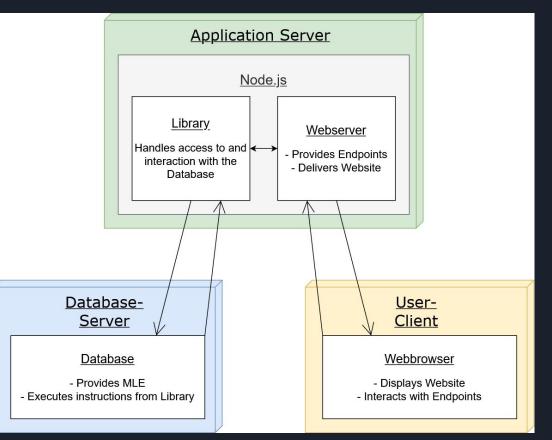
SELECT helloWorld('Rainer') from dual



Result

{"metaData":[{"name":"HELLOWORLD('RAINER')"}],"rows":[["Hello Rainer"]]}

Solution: Simple MLE Deployer



DEMO



Conclusion

- Everyone with JS knowledge now can try MLE
- Wide field of future work:
 - Type conversions
 - Multiple PL/SQL functions at once
 - IDE integration
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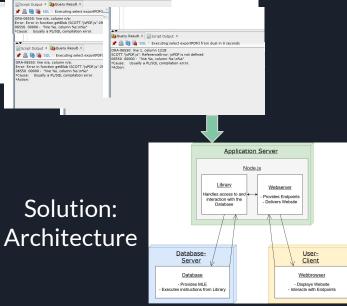


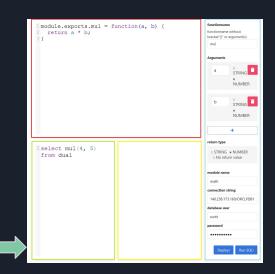
Thanks for your Attention!

Issues



Generate PDFs





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