Install DB2 UDB 9.1.0.4

a) Install DB2 UDB via console mode using command: -

/tmp/ese/disk1/db2_install

Choose to install to default location (/opt/ibm/db2/V9.1) and to install ESE

b) Create required Linux groups: -

groupadd -g 999 db2iadm1 groupadd -g 998 db2fadm1 groupadd -g 997 dasadm1

c) Create required Linux users: -

useradd -u 1004 -g db2iadm1 -m -d /home/db2inst1 db2inst1 useradd -u 1003 -g db2fadm1 -m -d /home/db2fenc1 db2fenc1 useradd -u 1002 -g dasadm1 -m -d /home/dasusr1 dasusr1

d) Set the password for db2inst1 (passwords can be set for other users if needed)

passwd db2inst1

e) Create the DB2 Administration Server (DAS)

/opt/ibm/db2/V9.1/instance/dascrt -u dasusr1

f) Create the DB2 instance (db2inst1)

/opt/ibm/db2/V9.1/instance/db2icrt -a SERVER -u db2fenc1 db2inst1

g) Log in as db2inst1

su - db2inst1

h) Start DB2

db2start

i) Create the sample database

db2sampl

j) Connect to the sample database

db2 connect to sample user db2inst1 using <password>

k) Query the EMPLOYEE table

db2 "select * from employee"

Assuming that you get sample data back, then you are cleared to proceed.

I) Terminate the connection

db2 terminate

m) Exit the db2inst1 session

Install WebSphere Portal Server 6.1.0.1

a) Unpack images: -

IL-Setup	C1TL1ML.zip
IL-1	C1TQ8ML.tgz
IL-2	C1TR9ML.tgz
IL-3	C1U2UML.zip
IL-4	C1U2XML.zip
IL-5	C1U30ML.zip
IL-5A	C1U34ML.zip

to /tmp using the following unpack.sh script: -

```
unzip C1TL1ML.zip -d /tmp/IL-Setup
mkdir /tmp/IL-1
tar -xvzf C1TQ8ML.tgz -C /tmp/IL-1
mkdir /tmp/IL-2
tar -xvzf C1TR9ML.tgz -C /tmp/IL-2
unzip C1U2UML.zip -d /tmp/IL-3
unzip C1U2XML.zip -d /tmp/IL-4
unzip C1U30ML.zip -d /tmp/IL-5
unzip C1U34ML.zip -d /tmp/IL-5A
```

b) Ensure sufficient disk space (4 GB minimum) in /opt

c) Ensure fully qualified hostname e.g. stargate.uk.ibm.com

e) Start console-mode installation: -

/tmp/IL-Setup/install.sh -console

f) Step through installation, entering parameters where required. I chose to perform a full (non-admin) installation into **/opt/IBM/WebSphere** using the admin. ID of **wpsadmin**.

g) Update WAS JDK to latest (Fixpack 23 -> Java 1.5 SR9 -> j9vmxi3223ifx-20090225) level via 6.1.0-WS-WASSDK-LinuxX32-FP0000023.pak using WAS Update Installer 7.0.0.3 (7.0.0.3-WS-UPDI-LinuxIA32.zip)

h) Update WAS ND to latest (**Fixpack 23**) level via **6.1.0-WS-WAS-LinuxX32-FP0000023.pak** using **WAS Update Installer 7.0.0.3** (**7.0.0.3-WS-UPDI-LinuxIA32.zip**)

i) Update Portal to latest (6.1.0.2) via 6.1.0-WP-Multi-FP002.zip using latest version of Portal Update Installer (PortalUpdateInstallerLIN.tar)

Install Lotus Forms Server Webform Server 3.5

a) Check that DB2 is started and, if not, manually start it (run the command **db2start** as the DB2 user **db2inst1**)

b) As the DB2 user db2inst1 run the SQL command: -

db2 create db WS_ACDB

This database is used by the Webforms Server for access-control.

c) Unpack C1KT3ML.tar.gz to /tmp using tar -xvzf

d) Run the command: -

/tmp/LFServer_35_WebformServer_Linux.bin -console

e) Install using the following defaults/options: -

Language Destination Directory Installed Features Installation Type Deploy Translator to WAS Deploy Samples to WAS	= = = = =	6 (English) /opt/IBM/LotusForms/Server/3.5/WebformServer Shared File Cache / Log Server / Translator / Webform Server Samples Typical Yes Yes
Database Name	=	WS_ACDB
Host IP	=	localhost
Host Port	=	50000 (in my case; check using netstat or by inspecting /etc/services)
Username	=	db2inst1
Password	=	<password></password>
Database Driver Location	=	/home/db2inst1/sqllib/java

- Check that the Database connection test completes successfully before continuing - if it fails, check (a) that DB2 is listening on the relevant port (b) the database exists (c) the user/password combination is correct and (d) the classpath is right - the latter caught me out MANY MANY TIMES

WAS Location	=	/opt/IBM/WebSphere/AppServer
Profile	=	wp_profile (in my case)
Cell	=	starg (in my case)
Node	=	starg (in my case)
Server Name	=	TranslatorServer
Application Name	=	TranslatorApp
Sample Servlet	=	WebFormSampleApp
Application Context	=	/Samples

and wait for the installation to complete.

At this point, the Webform Server should be running (it's started by default) and you can test by hitting the URL: -

http://stargate.uk.ibm.com:8085/Samples/FormListServlet

You should see a list of forms (one, by default), with two yellow icons to the left of the form name; the left-most icon will attempt to render the form in the rich client Lotus Forms Viewer whereas the right-most icon will render it, in the same page, using the Webform Server.

Welcome to IBM Lotus Forms Server - Webform Server Samples

The forms in the following directory are provided to show application developers how to extend the Webforr create a Webform Server application, see the IBM Lotus Forms Server - Webform Server Administration Ma

Index of "Webform Server Samples" directory:

	File Name	Date Modified	File Size
	FormTemplates	6/16/09 12:02 PM	DIR
	Submissions	6/16/09 12:07 PM	DIR
<u>a</u>	Background Check.xfdl	6/16/09 12:11 PM	70.797K
自自	HouseholdCensusSurvey.xfdl	6/16/09 12:10 PM	374.761K
自省	Job App Form.xfdl	6/16/09 12:11 PM	302.166K
自省	preapprovalForm.xfdl	10/24/08 3:47 PM	179.784K

Open Local Form

If it's of interest, the sample form (preapprovalForm.xfdl) is actually stored within the sample web application here: -

/opt/IBM/WebSphere/wp_profile/installedApps/starg/WebformSampleApp.ear/ Samples.war/SampleForms

so you simply copy new forms into this directory to have them automatically listed.

You can also use this URL: -

http://stargate.uk.ibm.com:8085/translator/Translate?Action=toolbelt

to bring up the traditional Workplace Forms web UI, which allows you to browse the file system and render the form from XFDL to XHTML.



Install Lotus Forms Server API 3.5

a) Run the command: -

/tmp/LFServer_35_API_Linux.bin -console

b) Install using the following defaults/options: -

Language Destination Directory Type of Installation Deploy to WAS Location of WAS WAS Profile	= = = = =	6 (English) /opt/IBM/LotusForms/Server/3.5 2 (Runtime) Yes /opt/IBM/WebSphere/AppServer wp_profile (in my case)
Cell	=	starg (in my case)
Node	=	starg (in my case)
Server	=	WebSphere Portal

and wait for the installation to complete.

<u>Configure WebSphere Portal to use the Lotus Forms API (required in order that the sample portlets can interact with the Webform server which is running on a different WAS instance/JVM)</u>

a) Copy the Lotus Forms redistributable code into the server's /usr/lib directory.

cp -r -p /opt/IBM/LotusForms/Server/3.5/API/redist/Linux/* /usr/lib

This should copy three binary files: -

libpe_cc.so libpe_java.so libuwi_java.so

as well as a subdirectory, **PureEdge**, with its associated subdirectories, **76/demand**, **76/java** and **76/system**.

b) Verify that the file **/etc/PureEdgeAPI.ini** and the subdirectory **/etc/PureEdge** have been created by the installation processes.

c) Launch the administration console for WebSphere Portal (you may need to start the server1 or WebSphere_Portal instances if not already started). In my case, I have WebSphere_Portal running, and use the following URL to access the console: -

https://stargate.uk.ibm.com:10041/ibm/console

c) Navigate to Environment -> WebSphere Variables

d) Navigate to the scope of the node that contains the WebSphere_Portal instance (in my case, this is **Cell=starg, Node=starg**)

e) Check that the following two variables exist: -

LFS_API_DIR /usr/lib LFS_API_LIB_DIR\${LFS_API_DIR}/PureEdge/76/java/classes

f) Save the WebSphere configuration

g) Under Servers -> Application Servers, navigate into the WebSphere_Portal instance

h) Drill into Java and Process Management -> Process Definition -> Environment Entries and ensure that the LD_LIBRARY_PATH entry has: -

\${LFS_API_DIR}:\${LFS_API_DIR}/PureEdge/76/system

appended to it.

i) Drill into Environment -> Shared Libraries and, under the scope of the node (Cell=starg, Node=starg in my case), ensure that there is a library named LFS_API_LIB set to the following value: -

\${LFS_API_LIB_DIR}/pe_api.jar \${LFS_API_LIB_DIR}/pe_api_native.jar \${LFS_API_LIB_DIR}/commons-codec.jar \${LFS_API_LIB_DIR}/xmlsec-1.4.1.jar

j) Under Servers -> Application servers -> WebSphere_Portal -> Class loader -> <a href="mailto:<sharp-checkthatthere"><name> check that there is a Library Reference named LFS_API_LIB.

Deploy the sample portlets

a) (Re)start WebSphere Portal

b) Log in as wpsadmin (or equivalent)

c) Navigate to the Administration portlet

d) Under **Portlet Management -> Web modules**, choose to install the sample portlets, which are packaged in the following WAR file: -

/opt/IBM/LotusForms/Server/3.5/WebformServer/samples/portlet/ WebformPortletSample.war

These portlets: -

Title Description

FormListPortlet	Form List Sample Portlet
FormViewPortlet	Form View Sample Portlet

are packaged in a single portlet application, WebformReleaseSamples

e) Under **Portal User Interface** -> **Manage Pages**, choose to create a new page called **Lotus Forms** - I chose to create this page under **Content Root** -> **Home** e.g.

- · Getting Started
- Web 2.0 Introduction
- Feeds
- Gadgets
- Lotus Forms

f) Deploy the two LF portlets to this page; I chose to deploy the List portlet directly above the View portlet (note the portlet titles contain the word **Form** rather than **Forms** when searching for them ...)

g) Navigate to the Home -> Lotus Forms page

h) The List and View portlets should be displayed. In a similar manner to the sample web application, you should see a single form list (preapprovalForm.xfdl) - select the right-most link to have the form rendered by the Webform server into the View portlet.

