

JavaOne 2009 Trip Report

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Who Am I?

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What I Paid Attention To

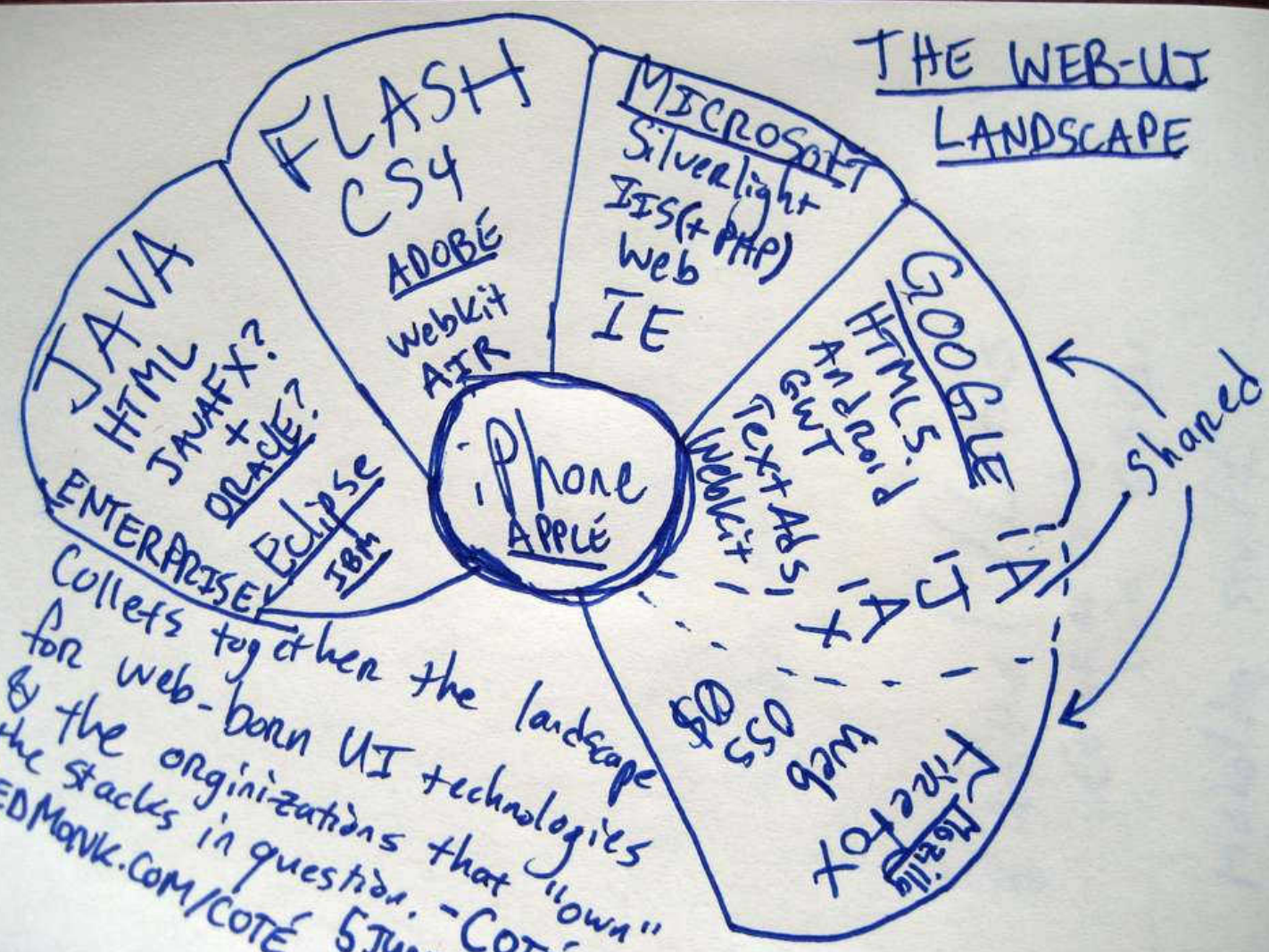
- JavaFX, RIAs
 - Java in general
 - Microsoft
 - The Future of Java & Sun
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- Overall: kinda low-key; people were fun

JavaFX

- Surprise endorsement by Larry Ellison
- OpenOffice comments are confusing
- Oracle going after metal to glass stack?
- Many JavaFX sessions, keynotes
- Consumer + Oracle = weird

"We encourage the OpenOffice group to quickly build their version of a spread sheet or a word app using JavaFX." -Larry Ellison

THE WEB-UI LANDSCAPE



Collects together the landscape for web-born UI technologies & the organizations that "own" the stacks in question. -COTÉ, 09
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Web UI Landscape?

Java in general

- As always: performance, language features, etc.
- Jetty,
- OSGi, "Stackless Stack," or, new App Servers

"The JCP basically lost this war, and now OSGi is supported by every major app server vendor. It is also the key technology used by all of the ESB players." -James Governor

Microsoft

- Standard interop presentation
- Demo of WS-* interop
- Nothing major, showing up big tho



Microsoft has it's own problems...

The Future of Java/Sun

- No one thinks Java is doomed
- More concern over Java becoming COBOL: prevalent, but not innovation platform
- JavaME and Java fragmentation?
- No one knows what to expect w/snorkle

Java Leadership

- SpringSource - the kinder JBoss
- IBM - conservative
- JBoss - sure
- Eclipse, Apache
- Google - does it sell ads?
- Oracle - does it sell apps?
- Who else?





Thanks!

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