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How to use IBM HeapAnalyzer to diagnose Java heap issues

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Introduction

- Java Heap dump contains a list of all the objects that are in a Java heap.
- Java Heap dumps could be very large (as much as giga bytes)
- It's not always easy to analyze large dumps.
- IBM HeapAnalyzer can analyze IBM Java heap dumps from Java SDK 1.3.1 and 1.4.x.
- IBM HeapAnalyzer is provided "as-is".
- The top download for 11 consecutive months from the alphaWorks Java technology website (http://www.alphaworks.ibm.com/java) as of September 2005
- Used by over 2,000 companies, government agencies, research facilities and universities worldwide
- Now integrated with WebSphere Application Server V6.0.2



Prerequisite

- Java 2 SDK/JRE 1.4.1 or higher for runtime of HeapAnalyzer
- The following exception will be thrown if older versions of SDK/JRE are used:

Exception in thread "main" java.lang.NoClassDefFoundError: java/util/regex/PatternSyntaxException

- IBM Java heap dump generated from IBM SDK 1.3.1 or 1.4.x
- For more information about getting IBM Java heap dump, refer to MustGather: Out of Memory errors on Windows http://www-1.ibm.com/support/docview.wss?uid=swg21140641



Features

- Creates a tree from Java heap dump
- Calculates size of each objects
- Calculates total size of each subtree
- Finds size drop in a subtree
- Shows gap by sizeShows objects by size
- Shows objects by total size
 Shows objects by number of
- child
- Shows types by size
- Shows types by count

- Shows types alphabetical order
- Shows gap distribution
- Shows detailed information of an object
- Finds type with regular expression
- Drag and drop support in input fields and text
- Bookmarks in tree navigation
- Saves/Loads processed heap dumps
- Locates possible leak suspects



How does it work?

- Reads IBM Java heap dump file and parse each object/class information
- Creates graphs based on parsed information
- Creates trees based on the graphs
- Runs Java heap leak detection engine to display suspected Java heap leak areas



What is IBM Java heap dump

 IBM Java Virtual Machine facility generates a dump of all the live objects that are on the Java heap; that is, those that are used by the Java application. This dump is called a IBM Java Heap dump. It shows the objects that are using memory space on the Java heap.



Text dump structure

- // Header : build identifier of the JVM that produced the dump.
- Address of object
- Size of object

- Name of object
- References of objects
- // EOF : summary of the heap dump

// Version: J2RE 1.3.1 IBM Windows 32 build cn131-20020923 0x3000080 [10000] G

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How to generate IBM Java heap dump

- IBM Java Heap dump can be generated in either of two ways
 - Explicit generation
 - Java Virtual Machine triggered generation
- When the Java heap is exhausted, Java Virtual Machine triggered generation is enabled by default.
- To enable signal-based Java Heap dumps, the IBM_HEAPDUMP=TRUE environmental variable or the appropriate JAVA_DUMP_OPTS must be set.



Explicit generation

- IBM Java Heap dump can be explicitly generated in either of the following ways
 - By sending a signal to the JVM from the operating system
 - By using the HeapDump() method inside Java code that is being executed
- For Linux and AIX, send the JVM the signal SIGQUIT (kill -3, or CTRL+\ in the console window).
- For Windows, generate a SIGINT (press the Ctrl+Break keys simultaneously).



Java Virtual Machine triggered generation

- The following events automatically trigger the JVM to produce a Java Heap dump
 - A fatal native exception occurs in the JVM (not a Java Exception)
 - An OutOfMemoryError or heap exhaustion condition occurs (optional)
- If Java Heap dumps are enabled, they are normally produced immediately before a thread dump. They are produced also if the JVM terminates unexpectedly (a crash).

Location of IBM Java Heap dump

- The JVM checks each of the following locations for existence and write-permission, then stores the Heap dump in the first one that is available.
 - The location that is specified by the IBM_HEAPDUMPDIR environment variable, if set
 - The current working directory of the JVM processes
 - The location that is specified by the TMPDIR environment variable, if set
 - The /tmp directory (X:\tmp for Windows, where X is the current working drive)
- Note that enough free disk space must be available for the Heap dump file to be written correctly.



Format of Heap dump filenames

Platform	Java Heap dump file name format	
Windows	heapdump.YYYYMMDD.HHMMSS.PID.txt	
Linux & AIX	heapdumpPID.TIME.txt	
z/OS	HEAPDUMP.YYYYMMDD.HHMMSS.PID.txt	
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Note: PID is the process ID. TIME is the number of seconds since 1/1/1970

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Definitions

- **Root object** An object for which no (different) object holds a reference.
- Parent object An object (for example, A) that holds at least one reference to some (different) object (for example, B). In this case, A is said to be the parent of B.
- Owner object If an object has more than one parent object, a parent object is chosen as owner object. Total size is calculated only with owner objects.
- **Child object** An object (for example, B) for which at least one (different) object (for example, A) holds a reference. In this case B is said to be the child of A.
- **Type** Collection of same objects
- **Size** The size of an object is the amount of memory that is required to hold that object in memory.
- Total size The subtree size of an object is the sum of its size and the sizes of all the objects that it reached from its children. Note that each object is assigned a unique parent and root during processing. If there's substantial difference in total size between a parent and its child, it's called a total size drop.



Creating a tree with DFS

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HeapAnalyzer View Heap dump Tree sorted by Total Size

- Create a tree from the previous graph using Depth First Search (DFS) algorithm
- Sorted by Total Size



How do I run HeapAnalyzer?

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- Usage <Java 2 SDK path>java Xmx[heapsize] –jar ha<HeapAnalyzer version>.jar For example, java –Xmx1000m – jar ha135.jar
- If you see java.lang.OutOfMemoryError while you are processing heapdumps, please try increasing the maximum heap size (-Xmx) value to give the JVM more memory.
- Maximum heap size should not be larger than the size of available physical memory size for this tool due to performance issue.

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- Open a heap dump (Automatically detects various formats of IBM Java heap dumps, for example text, compressed text, portable heap dump and HeapAnalyzer format)
- Save processed heap dump
- Exit



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 If you have a processed heap dump, select
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Processing heap dumps

 Progress is shown during processing heapdump.

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Processing completed



- This is the screen when processing is complete.
- Please do not close this window until you do not need this heap dump.

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HeapAnalyzer View Heap dump Tree sorted by Total Size	HeapAnalyzer View Heap dump Tree sorted by Total Size	

- The check icon indicates that it has already been included as a child object of owner object in tree view
- Each tree node as in the following format: TotalSize[Size] NumberOfChildObject Name Address



Detailed Node Information

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- In tree view, you can see detailed information of a node
- You can search for total size drop between parent and child or you can find an address by selecting a node and clicking on right mouse button.



Detailed Node Information



 This is the screen of detailed node information in heapdump tree

Find an address

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 You can find an address in the tree view by selecting the menu "Find an address"



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 This is the result of address search in a tree view

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 You can bookmark nodes and continue to navigate tree

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Got more children?



- If you have more children in a parent object, you can see how many more children are hidden
- By expanding the node, you can see more children

More children

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 10 more children are displayed

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 You can use "Show more children" menu from parent node



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 You can locate areas where Java heap leak is suspected



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 Found an area where there are relatively excessive number of children



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You can locate areas where Java heap leak is suspected by selecting a leak suspect

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- "Search for total size drop" will find a size drop between the total size of a parent and the biggest total size of child of the parent.
- If you cannot find any size drop from the menu "Search for total size drop", you need to decrease Minimum total size drop for search in options.

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Gaps by size

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741,552	49,168	4,898	0x3ff96428	array of com/i	
741,552	49,168	4,884	0x3ffc6468	array of com/i	
741,552	49,168	4,884	0x3ffa2438	array of com/i	
741,888	49,168	4,878	0x3ff5a3d8	array of com/i	
742,224	49,168	4,878	0x3ff4e3c8	array of com/i	
741,552	49,168	4,872	0x3ffd2478	array of com/i	
741,552	49,168	4,867	0x3ffae448	array of com/i	
741,888	49,168	4,843	0x3ff7e408	array of com/i	
741,888	49,168	4,841	0x3ff723f8	array of com/i	
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 Objects/Classes are sorted by number of child objects

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Objects by address

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256	256	0	0x7a32b418	class javax/	
256	256	0	0x7a32b318	class java/a	
256	256	0	0x7a32b218	class javax/a	
368	256	2	0x7a32b118	class com/ib	
256	256	0	0x7a32b018	class javax/	
256	256	0	0x7a32af18	class javax/	
256	256	0	0x7a32ae18	class javax/	
256	256	0	0x7a32ad18	class javax/	
256	256	0	0x7a32ac18	class javax/	
256	256	0	0x7a32ab18	class (Ljavax/	
256	256	0	0x7a32aa18	class javax/	
256	256	0	0x7a32a918	class javax/	
256	256	0	0x7a32a818	class javax/	
256	256	0	0x7a32a718	class javax/	
400	256	2	0x7a32a618	class javax/	
256	256	0	0x7a32a518	class javax/	
256	256	0	0x7a32a418	class javax/	
256	256	0	0x7a32a318	class javax/	
312	256	2	0x7a32a218	class javax/	
256	256	0	0x7a32a118	class javax/	
256	256	0	0x7a32a018	class iavax/	
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java/lang/ref/Finalizer	32	32	4	0x302	
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	3 264	32	4	0x38f	
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	121 528	32	4	0x338	
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	119,968	32	4	0x3ca	
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	124,288	32	4	0x366	
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	123,456	32	4	0x30f	
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	124.320	32	4	0x366	
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	125.696	32	4	0x335	
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	1.184	32	4	0x313	
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	2.592	32	4	0x321	
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	32	32	4	0x3b1	
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	125,888	32	4	0x332	
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	32	32	4	0x302	
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	32	32	4	0x317	
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	133,120	32	4	0x301	1
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	129,344	32	4	0x306	1
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	118,368	32	4	0x310	1
java/lang/ref/Finalizer	25,984	32	4	0x338	
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 Objects/Classes are sorted by name

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Types by Name

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List Types -> Sort by Name

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Types by Name

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1,296	81	sun/security/x509/C			
960	30	sun/security/x509/B			
440	11	sun/security/x509/A			
4,224	176	sun/security/x509/Al			
18,792	783	sun/security/x509/A			
6,600	275	sun/security/util/Obj			
25,504	797	sun/security/util/Der			
12,752	797	sun/security/util/Der			
25,504	797	sun/security/util/Der			
16	1	sun/security/util/Byt			
16	1	sun/security/util/Byt			
1,376	86	sun/security/util/Bigl			
72	1	sun/security/provide			
16	1	sun/security/provide			
64	2	sun/security/provide			
144	2	sun/security/provide			
144	6	sun/security/provide			
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1,296	54	sun/security/provide			
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 Types are sorted by their names

Types by Size

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23,021,840	575,546	com/ibm/rmi/javax/r	•			
22,350,368	218,584	primitive array				
18,527,008	578,969	com/ibm/rmi/util/Ide				
13,737,576	572,399	com/ibm/gnksoft/eg				
9,157,648	572,353	\$Proxy6				
5,474,880	171,090	java/lang/String				
3,901,696	1,567	array of com/ibm/rm				
2,172,000	67,875	java/util/HashMap\$				
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1,534,224	21,165	array of java/util/Ha				
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581,992	3,163	com/ibm/rmi/iiop/C				
546,016	6,126	array of java/util/Ha				
369,192	15,383	java/util/ArrayList				
336,000	14,000	com/ibm/ws/cache/				
281,928	11,747	com/ibm/rmi/Profile				
266,592	5,554	java/util/Hashtable				
211,288	2,401	java/util/SimpleTim				
197,248	6,164	com/ibm/ejs/util/cac				
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 Types are sorted by sum of sizes

HeapAnalyzer List of Types sorted in various order



Types by frequency/count

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266,592	5,554	java/util/Hashtable			
156,384	4,887	com/ibm/ejs/util/Ele			
131,352	4,610	array of java/securit			
141,696	4,428	java/util/Vector			
112,928	3,529	java/util/AbstractList			
108,192	3,381	java/security/Acces			
79,224	3,301	com/ibm/ws/pmi/se			
67,984	3,244	array of java/lang/Cl			
581,992	3,163	com/ibm/rmi/iiop/C			
47,648	2,978	java/util/HashSet			
98,336	2,967	array of java/lang/St			
44,864	2,804	java/util/jar/Attributes			
43,168	2,698	java/util/HashMap\$2			
172,224	2,691	org/apache/struts/ut			
41,648	2,603	java/util/HashMap\$1			
61,128	2,547	java/util/LinkedList\$			
70,232	2,508	array of javax/securi			
80,192	2,506	java/util/LinkedList\$			
60,144	2,506	javax/security/auth/			
38,720	2,420	java/util/HashMap\$3			
211,288	2,401	java/util/SimpleTim			
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 Types are sorted by frequency

HeapAnalyzer List of Types sorted in various order

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Gap Statistics

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Analysis -> Gap Statistics

Gap space view

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1M-9M	4
10M - 99M	3
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Gap space distribution view



Options menu

Options	
Maximum number of sub-trees	20
Maximum number of super-trees	100
How many more sub/super-trees to display ?	10
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 You can configure setting in View -> Options menu

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Search Objects

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 Search object -> Sort by TotalSize



Find types and objects



 Address by type to find types include string "byte"



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Search objects/types

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18,210,584	48	1	0x305ddf60	java/util/Ha	
18,210,536	64	3	0x305ddf20	array of jav	
18,209,760	32	2	0x3196d808	java/util/Ha	
18,209,600	32	1	0x3196d860	java/util/Ve	
17,027,760	72	4	0x35fd07c0	com/ibm/w	
17,027,280	24	2	0x35f8a738	array of co	
17,019,504	56	1	0x337d4a28	java/util/Ha	
17,019,448	64	4	0x314312c8	array of jav	
17,019,256	32	2	0x34f099d8	java/util/Ha	
17,019,144	72	4	0x34dfe600	com/ibm/w	
17,017,680	56	1	0x34dfe588	java/util/Ha	
17,017,624	112	8	0x30276890	array of jav	
17,008,536	32	3	0x302ac0c0	java/util/Ha	
17,007,616	96	9	0x371de4b8	com/ibm/w	
16,572,088	56	2	0x33c6fc00	java/util/Ha	
16,572,016	784	96	0x386a9990	array of jav	
15,644,952	32	3	0x34a420a0	java/util/Ha	
15,640,576	32	2	0x30348788	java/util/Ha	
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 The following is the list of types which have "byte" in their names.

HeapAnalyzer Search objects/types and sort

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Search Objects, Sort by Size

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7,888,160	393,232	47,285	0x3fd6e378	array of co		
7,876,064	393,232	47,077	0x3fe8e3a8	array of co		
7,882,112	393,232	47,017	0x3fdce388	array of co		
7,893,088	393,232	47,132	0x3fa5dae0	array of co		
7,868,672	393,232	47,115	0x3feee3b8	array of co		
7,875,840	393,232	47,266	0x3fe2e398	array of co		
69,572,680	68,064	17,011	0x367f3b08	array of co		
499,496	68,064	17,011	0x36783188	array of co		
741,552	49,168	4,828	0x301fcb80	array of co		
2,632,272	49,168	6,257	0x3dd64338	array of jav		
741,888	49,168	4,843	0x3ff7e408	array of co		
741,552	49,168	4,898	0x3ff96428	array of co		
741,552	49,168	4,813	0x3ffba458	array of co		
742,224	49,168	4,878	0x3ff4e3c8	array of co		
741,552	49,168	4,867	0x3ffae448	array of co		
741,552	49,168	4,872	0x3ffd2478	array of co	1	
741,888	49,168	4,841	0x3ff723f8	array of co		
741,552	49,168	4,884	0x3ffc6468	array of co		
741,552	49,168	4,899	0x3ff8a418	array of co		
741,888	49,168	4,878	0x3ff5a3d8	array of co		
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HeapAnalyzer Search objects/types and sort



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Find a type



 You can also enter exact name of a type: java/lang/String to get more information about a type



Find a type

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22,312	32	1	0x303650a8	java/lang/S	
22,120	32	1	0x3523c4b0	java/lang/S	
21,672	32	1	0x357058f8	java/lang/S	
21,392	32	1	0x34d4dc78	java/lang/S	
21,104	32	1	0x3400f840	java/lang/S	
21,080	32	1	0x34d52ed0	java/lang/S	
21,064	32	1	0x35ac4db0	java/lang/S	
20,936	32	1	0x34014a08	java/lang/S	
18,600	32	1	0x35746a88	java/lang/S	
9,640	32	1	0x3574cad8	java/lang/S	
9,320	32	1	0x35704f80	java/lang/S	
9,256	32	1	0x356ea838	java/lang/S	
9,016	32	1	0x37be5830	java/lang/S	
8,112	32	1	0x300c8250	java/lang/S	
7,656	32	1	0x356eb528	java/lang/S	
6,056	32	1	0x357106d8	java/lang/S	
5,800	32	1	0x3570c5d0	java/lang/S	
5,800	32	1	0x357126d8	java/lang/S	
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This is the list of types of java/lang/String

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- You can hide/show Status bar
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Console

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 You can hide/show Console



Common Exceptions/Errors

 Exception in thread "main" java.lang.NoClassDefFoundError: java/util/regex/PatternSyntaxException

HeapAnalyzer requires Java 2 SDK 1.4.1 or higher. The exception is thrown if older versions SDK is used:

 java.lang.StringIndexOutOfBoundsException: String index out of range: 0 at java.lang.String.charAt(Unknown Source) at com.ibm.jinwoo.heap.FileTask\$ActualTask.<init>(FileTask.java:386) at com.ibm.jinwoo.heap.FileTask\$1.construct(FileTask.java:794) at com.ibm.jinwoo.heap.SwingWorker\$2.run(SwingWorker.java:45) at java.lang.Thread.run(Unknown Source)

You can see this exception while processing corrupted heapdumps or truncated ones. Truncated or corrupted heapdumps are not reliable

Common Exceptions/Errors

 Exception while parsing line 9 : 0x0x50003070 [1000] java/lang/String java.lang.RuntimeException

at com.ibm.jinwoo.heap.FileTask\$ActualTask.<init>(FileTask.java:321) at com.ibm.jinwoo.heap.FileTask\$1.construct(FileTask.java:794) at com.ibm.jinwoo.heap.SwingWorker\$2.run(SwingWorker.java:45) at java.lang.Thread.run(Unknown Source)

Some old Linux IBM SDKs generate invalid address in heapdumps. After replacing 0x0x with 0x, HeapAnalyzer can process heapdumps.

 java.io.IOException: Not in GZIP format at java.util.zip.GZIPInputStream.readHeader(Unknown Source) at java.util.zip.GZIPInputStream.<init>(Unknown Source) at java.util.zip.GZIPInputStream.<init>(Unknown Source) at com.ibm.jinwoo.heap.OpenTask\$ActualTask.<init>(OpenTask.java:32) at com.ibm.jinwoo.heap.OpenTask\$1.construct(OpenTask.java:111) at com.ibm.jinwoo.heap.SwingWorker\$2.run(SwingWorker.java:45) at java.lang.Thread.run(Unknown Source)

You can see this exception when you try to load invalid .ha file.



Common Exceptions/Errors

- Format error while parsing line 10 : 0x50004050 0x50004050
 - Unexpected format in heapdump. Possibly it's corrupted heapdump. Further analysis is unreliable.



Java heap analysis: Example1

```
Vector v1 = new Vector();
 for(int i=0;i<100;i++)
   int[] s1 = new int[1000];
   long[] s2 = new long[1000];
   float[] s3 = new float[1000];
   v1.add(s1);
   v1.add(s2);
   v1.add(s3);
```



Java heap analysis: Example2

```
Vector v0 = new Vector();
 Vector v^2 = v^0;
 for(int i=0;i<100;i++)
   Vector v1 = new Vector();
   int[] s1 = new int[1000];
   long[] s2 = new long[1000];
   float[] s3 = new float[1000];
   v1.add(s1);
   v1.add(s2);
   v1.add(s3);
   v2.add(v1);
   v2=v1;
```





How to analyze Java heap

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char[]	585,421	76,322,648		
java/util/Hashtable\$Entry	104,784	3,353,088		
java/util/TreeMap\$Entry	78,419	3,136,760		
sk/regob/authorization/au	72,812	1,747,488		
array of java/lang/Object	51,931	23,563,640		
bool[]	46,171	1,133,536		
com/ibm/ejs/util/Bucket	39,137	939,288		
java/util/HashMap\$Entry	38,551	1,233,632		
java/lang/Integer	35,047	560,848		
int[]	25,803	46,995,792		
org/apache/xerces/impl/xs	21,102	1,350,528		
array of org/w3c/dom/Attr	21,081	431,816		
org/apache/xml/dtm/ref/Ex	20,075	642,400		
java/util/Vector	20,049	641,568		
com/ibm/ws/cache/Bucket	20,000	480,000		
array of org/apache/xerce	19,485	1,102,480		
byte[]	18,230	15,492,992		
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com/ibm/we/wobcontaino	16 1 20	616.006	-	
HeapAnalyzer List of Types sorted in various order				

- Review number of objects by selecting List Types -> Sort by Count
- If you see excessive number of objects, pay attention to them.

For example, DB2PreparedStatements MQQueueManager



How to analyze Java heap



- Review Tree view
- Look for areas where excessive number of child with large difference in total size between parent and child

How to analyze Java heap

- You cannot diagnose all problems by analyzing Java heap dumps. Java Heap dumps are just snapshots of Java heap at specific times. Garbage collector trace is another source of information to figure out what's going on with Java heap and garbage collector.
- To diagnose Java heap usages, enable garbage collector trace and analyze the trace with IBM Pattern Modeling and Analysis Tool for Java Garbage Collector available at http://www.alphaworks.ibm.com/tech/pmat





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- Analyzes Java Memory dumps
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Questions and Answers

