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The Stomp project is the Streaming Text Orientated Messaging Protocol site (or the Protocol Briefly Known as TTMP and Represented by the symbol :ttmp).

Stomp provides an interoperable wire format so that any of the available [Stomp Clients](#) can communicate with any [Stomp Message Broker](#) to provide easy and widespread messaging interop among languages, platforms and brokers.

Thanks to [StompConnect](#) you can now use any [Stomp Client](#) to interop with pretty much any Message Broker!

Easy Integration

Stomp is a very simple and easy to implement protocol, coming from the HTTP school of design; the server side may be hard to implement well, but it is very easy to write a client to get yourself connected. For example you can use Telnet to login to any Stomp broker and interact with it!

Many developers have told us that they have managed to write a Stomp client in a couple of *hours* to integrate their particular language, runtime or platform into the Stomp network. So if your favoured language/runtime of choice does not offer a good enough Stomp client please try write one as we love [contributions](#)!

Links

- [Protocol Specification](#)
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News



StompConnect 1.0 Released!

James Strachan posted on Mar 02, 2007

I'm pleased to announce the [1.0 release](#) of [StompConnect](#), the plugin for any JMS provider to turn it into a fully fledged [Stomp Broker](#).

Grab it while its hot from [here!](#)

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Stomp Clients

Pick the right Stomp client for your particular language or platform...

- [C](#)
- [Dynamic C](#) for Rabbit@ microprocessors
- [C++](#)
- [C# and .Net](#)
- [Delphi](#)
- [Delphi and FreePascal](#)
- [Erlang](#)
- [Flash](#)
- [haXe](#) has the [hxstomp](#) client
- [Java](#)
 - [StompJ](#)
 - [Gozirra](#)
- [Lisp](#)
- [Objective-C](#)
- [Perl](#)
- [PHP](#)
- [Pike](#)

- [Python](#)
- [RPG](#)
- [Ruby and Rails support.](#)
- [Smalltalk](#)

Stomp Brokers

The following is a list of the various Stomp compliant Message Brokers which can be used with any of the [Stomp Clients](#)

- [Apache ActiveMQ](#) which can also support other protocols like OpenWire, REST, Ajax, Cometd, XMPP
- [StompConnect](#) provides a bridge to any other JMS provider. This means that all major commercial and open source message brokers can be used with Stomp! (The only significant message broker which doesn't implement JMS is TibCo's RV which is now legacy and the long term replacement is TibCo EMS which does support JMS).
- [StompServer](#) a lightweight pure Ruby Stomp server
- [CoilMQ](#) is a lightweight pure Python Stomp broker inspired by [StompServer](#).
- [Gozirra](#) is a lightweight Java Stomp broker
- [HornetQ](#) puts the buzz in messaging
- [PocoMQ](#) is a highly configurable, extensible and stable Perl based Stomp server

Alternatives

- [WS-Ramp](#) - SOAP based asynch messaging profile
- [WS-ReliableMessaging](#) - SOAP based asynch messaging profile
- [WS-Reliability](#) SOAP based asynch messaging profile. I think this one has fallen out of favor with the WS-Glitterati
- [XMPP](#) - XML based messaging protocol originally created for IM, but not really bound to it.
- [TOC](#) - Text oriented messaging protocol created for interop with AOL Instant Messenger. I've seen people use it for arbitrary asynch messaging, so am listing it. Please don't seriously consider it.
- [MQTT](#) - MQ Telemetry Transport, simple binary publish/subscribe protocol. No security features.
- [BEEP](#) - [overview](#)