

# Talk About Android

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# ANDROID

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**open source project**

How will you shape it?

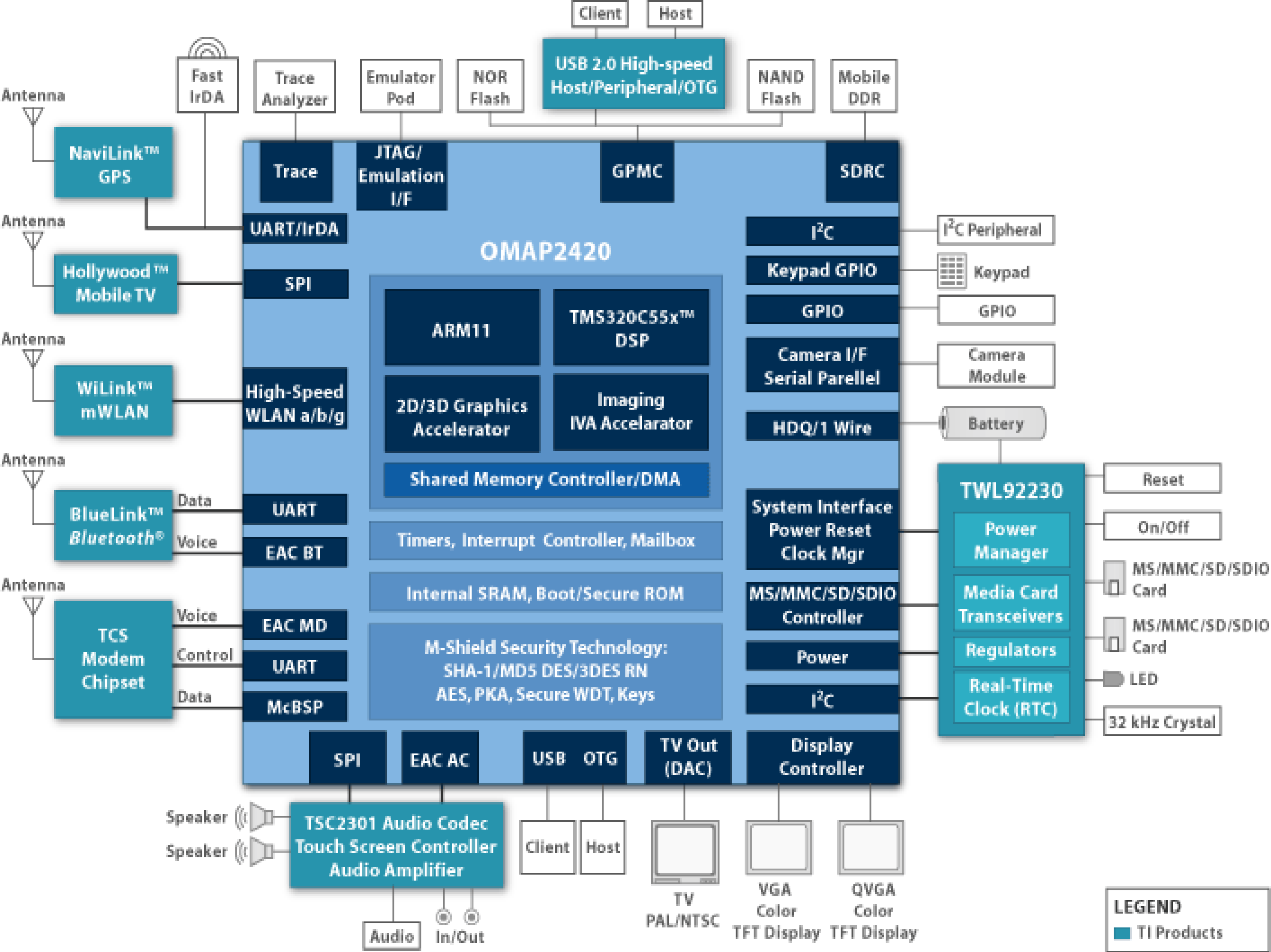
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# What is Android

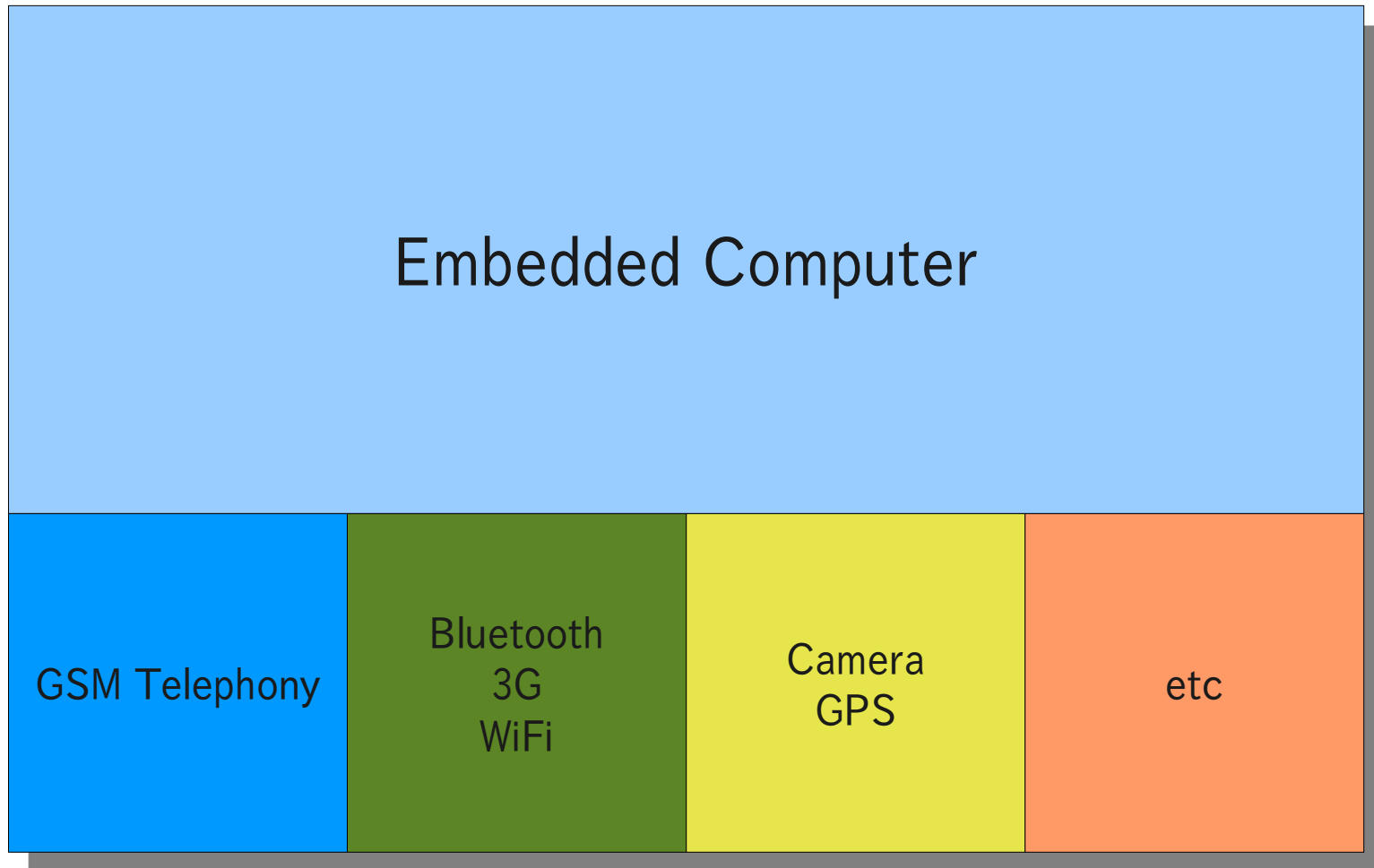
- The first complete, open, and free mobile platform
  - the Open Handset Alliance
  - Open Source
    - <http://source.android.com/>
    - <http://code.google.com/p/android/downloads/list>
- Platform
  - ... means it involves much things

# Hardware Dependent

- Features
  - GSM Telephony
  - Bluetooth, EDGE, 3G, and WiFi
  - Camera, GPS, compass, and accelerometer



# Simplified Hardware Layer Model



# OMAP2420 (TI)

- 330MHz ARM11 core
- 90nm CMOS
- MPEG4 VGA 30fps
- 4M-pixel camera
- 512Mb, 768Mb mobile DDR memory
- 14x14 (12x12) mm package size

# Hardware Independent

- Features
  - Application framework
  - Dalvik virtual machine
  - Integrated browser
  - Optimized graphics
  - SQLite
  - Media support
  - Rich development environment

Linux system based



## APPLICATIONS

Home

Contacts

Phone

Browser

...

## APPLICATION FRAMEWORK

Activity Manager

Window Manager

Content Providers

View System

Package Manager

Telephony Manager

Resource Manager

Location Manager

Notification Manager

## LIBRARIES

Surface Manager

Media Framework

SQLite

OpenGL | ES

FreeType

WebKit

SGL

SSL

libc

## ANDROID RUNTIME

Core Libraries

Dalvik Virtual Machine

## LINUX KERNEL

Display Driver

Camera Driver

Flash Memory Driver

Binder (IPC) Driver

Keypad Driver

WiFi Driver

Audio Drivers

Power Management

# Embedded Linux System

- Embedded Linux System
  - Task Schedule
    - Select schedule type for embedded
  - File System
    - Yaffs2
  - I/O Scheduler
    - Deadline & NOOP
  - IPC
    - Binder with new anonymous shared memory

# linux/drivers/android directory

- alarm.c
- logger.c
- ram\_console.c
- binder.c
- power.c
- timed\_gpio.c
- Alarm time and clock things
- Quick and during I/O operation
- New IPC
- Less power
- Timed GPIO driver

# Java VM

- Dalvik virtual machine
  - register-based architecture
    - Slim
    - No JIT compiler
    - 32-bit (simplified)
      - cf. parrot VM
  - Named by Dan Bornstein
    - Village in Iceland

# Libraries

- SQLite
  - SQL for store and retrieve
- SSL
  - Connection using secure channels
- Webkit
  - Http protocol connections
- OpenGL
  - Serious graphics

# Application Frame Work

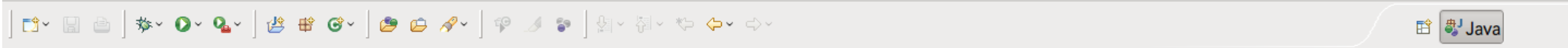
- Android Java SDK
  - Forest of classes
- A user application is running under Java VM
  - One application, one VM

# Developer's Environment

- Android Emulator
- Eclipse plug-in Android SDK
  - Eclipse : GANYMEDE







Package Hierarchy

- My First Lesson
  - src
    - com.example.android.notepad
      - NoteEditor.java
      - NotePad.java
      - NotePadProvider.java
      - NotesList.java
      - R.java
      - TitleEditor.java
- Android Library
  - assets
  - res
    - AndroidManifest.xml
    - sample\_note.png
    - sample\_notepad.png
- Snake

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package com.example.android.notepad;

import com.example.android.notepad.NotePad.Notes;

/**
 * A generic activity for editing a note in a database. This can be used
 * either to simply view a note {@link Intent#ACTION_VIEW}, view and edit a note
 * {@link Intent#ACTION_EDIT}, or create a new note {@link Intent#ACTION_INSERT}.
 */
public class NoteEditor extends Activity {
    private static final String TAG = "Notes";

    /**
     * Standard projection for the interesting columns of a normal note.
     */
    private static final String[] PROJECTION = new String[] {
        Notes._ID, // 0
        Notes.NOTE, // 1
    };
    /** The index of the note column */
    private static final int COLUMN_INDEX_NOTE = 1;

    // This is our state data that is stored when freezing.
    private static final String ORIGINAL_CONTENT = "origContent";

    // Identifiers for our menu items.
    private static final int REVERT_ID = Menu.FIRST;
```

Task List

Find:  A

Uncategorized

Out Pro

Property	Value
Info	
deriv	false
edit	true
last	2008年10月
link	false
loca	/home/hiro

Console

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# Why Java

- Original idea
  - By James Gosling
  - For Embedded system
  - Write one, run anywhere

# Why Linux + Java

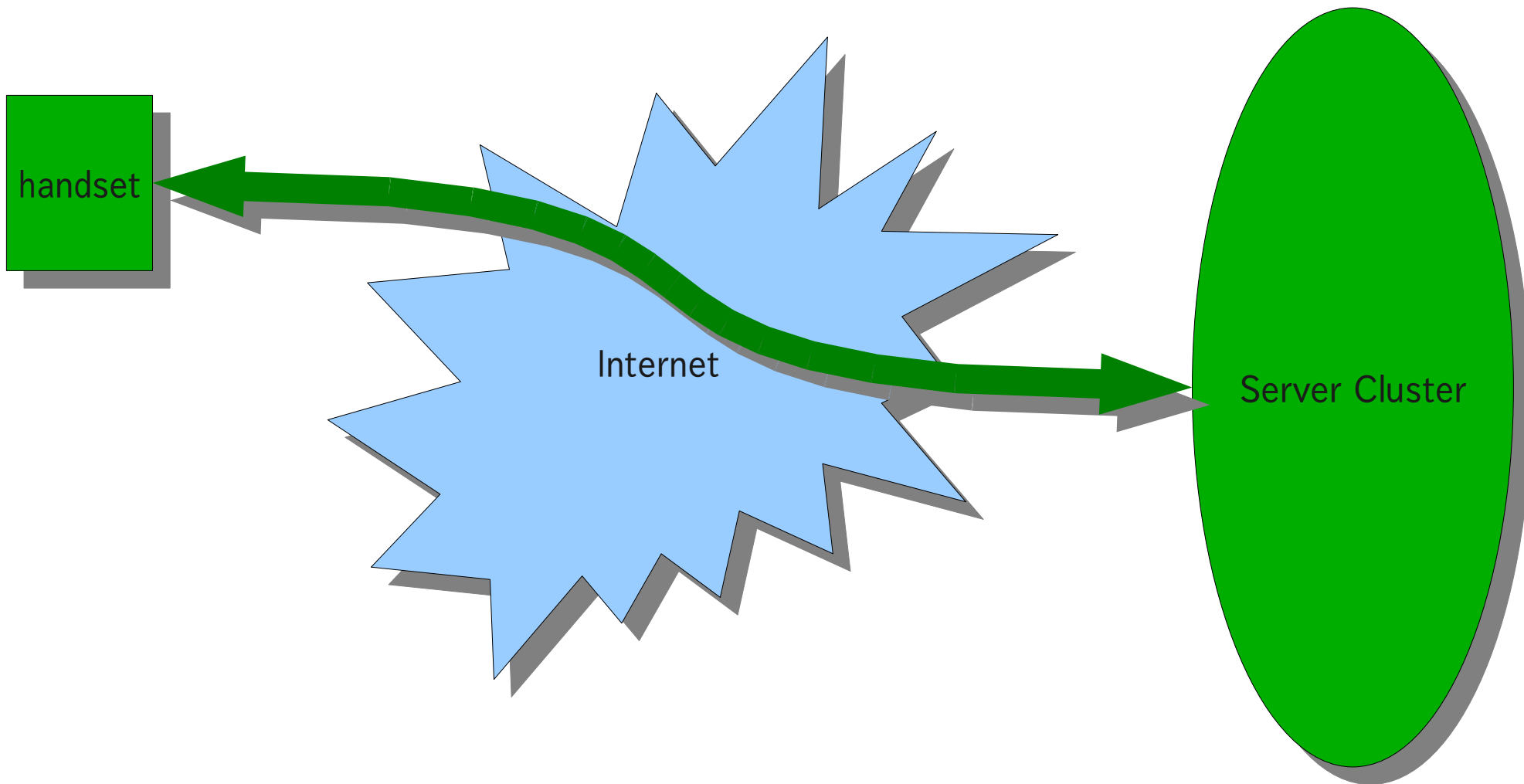
- Java for mobile had already done
  - Too much dependency for cellphone environment
  - Write once, run not so anywhere
- Rich platform
  - Blackberry is not enough
  - Beyond Windows Mobile, Symbian
  - Serious computer, serious use

# Why Google

- Google knows everything
  - the giant company of search market
- Google Desktop Gadget and Tools
  - Desktop connect to Google's servers
- Handset is new frontier for Google
  - Handset means small mobile computer on your hand, not cellphone
  - Connect to Google's servers
- Go west!!

# Why Handset

- Handset is the terminal of cloud computing



# Why Open Source

- Google is NOT
  - a mobile phone vendor
  - a vendor of consumer product
- Google is
  - a cloud computing service provider
  - the world biggest server farm company
  - making money by user's referring under Internet connections
- much connections, much money
  - much terminals, much connections

# Android is

- New interface of cloud computing system
  - A part of definitely huge computer system
- Open Source
  - You can make your applications
  - You can make your own cloud computing system
  - You can do what you want to do



Google





Questions?

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