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[NARC-3] Cre	eate Maven Proof-of-concept build Created: 11/Jun/10 Updated: 01/Sep/10	
Status:	In Progress	
Project:	Netarchive	
Component/s:	Build managment	
Affects Version/s:	None	
Fix Version/s:	Improvements	

Туре:	New Feature	Priority:	Minor
Reporter:	Mikis Seth Sørensen	Assignee:	Mikis Seth Sørensen
Resolution:	Unresolved		
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	NARC-20	Create Maven structure and CI builds	Sub-task	Resolved	Mikis Seth Sørensen			
	NARC-4	Decouple common classes	Sub-task	In Progress	Søren Vejrup Carlsen			
	NARC-19	Compile NetarchiveSuite with Maven	Sub-task	Resolved	Mikis Seth Sørensen			
	NARC-21	Test NetarchiveSuite with Maven	Sub-task	In Progress	Mikis Seth Sørensen			
	NARC-22	Create NetarchiveSuite distributables	Sub-task	Open	Mikis Seth Sørensen			

Description

A number of advantages can be gained by converting the NetarchiveSuite project a Maven2 based setup. These include (see Benefits of using Maven for an longer list):

- Seperation of current proto-modules into distinct subprojects
- Implicit depencency management
- Reference build replacing the Ant and Maven1 builds, and acting as core for Eclipse and IntelliJ projects.
- Better QA reports replacing the current Maven1 functionality
- Standard Maven 2 jar and war packaging
- Standard Maven2 source, test jar and javadoc distribution

Let's try to create a Maven build which can reproduce the current Ant based build output. Attempts should also be made to improve:

- Create a real modular design, with distinct Maven subproject for each module.
- Map the current files structure to a standard Maven structure
- Create and review a formal dependency model with distinction between explicitly defined direct dependencies, and automatically handled transitive dependencies.
- Merge all current reporting capabilities into the new Maven build

## Comments

Comment by Mikis Seth Sørensen [16/Jul/10 9:31 AM]

The initial maven build will be created in a m2-build subfolder, where the current file structure will be mapped to the new structure through symbolic links. The linking is done be the *create-maven-links.sh* script.

Comment by Mikis Seth Sørensen [02/Aug/10 12:50 PM]

Created a Hudson compile-only build.

This currently fails because of cyclic dependencies between archive and harvester modules. The currently configured dependency (see module poms) is archive depends on harvester.

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