

Experiment - 8 :

Aim: Create a Jenkins CI/CD Pipeline with SonarQube / GitLab Integration to perform a static analysis of the code to detect bugs, code smells, and security vulnerabilities on a sample Web / Java / Python application.

Integrating Jenkins with SonarQube (Prerequisites)

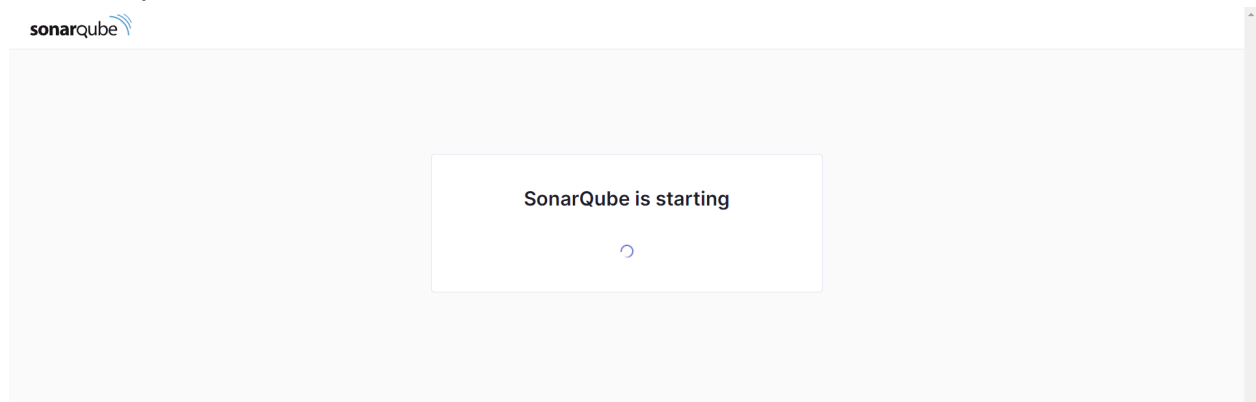
- Jenkins installed
- Docker Installed (for SonarQube)
- SonarQube Docker Image

Steps to create a Jenkins CI/CD Pipeline and use SonarQube to perform SAST

1. Open up Jenkins Dashboard on localhost, port 8080 or whichever port it is at for you.
2. Run SonarQube in a Docker container using this command -

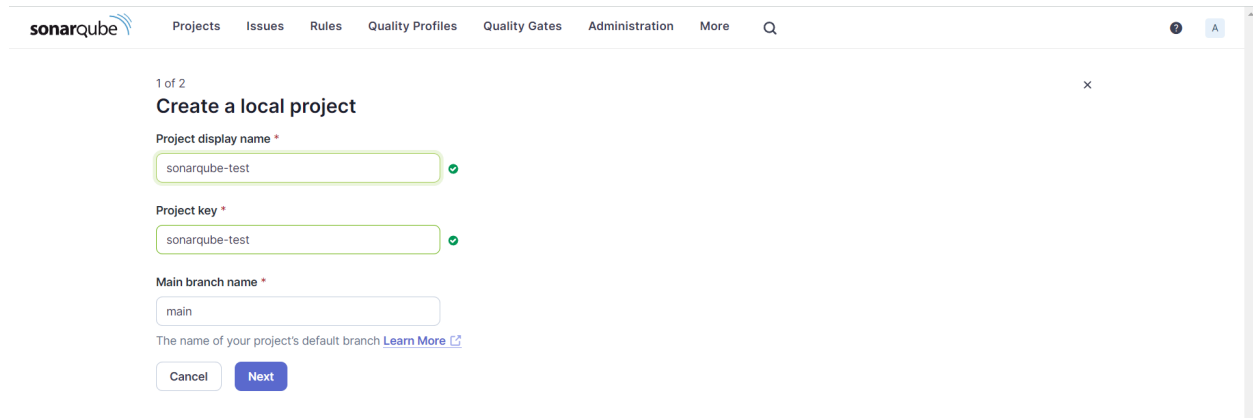
```
C:\Users\ADMIN>docker run -d --name sonarqube-2 -e SONAR_ES_BOOTSTRAP_CHECKS_DISABLE=true -p 9000:9000 sonarqube:latest
9f2e3f25d6fc6dac6175fc2feabc967ff04003b0f90b9e2a58bbc7870f093c50
C:\Users\ADMIN>
```

3. Once the container is up and running, you can check the status of SonarQube at localhost port 9000.



4. Login to SonarQube using username *admin* and password which we reset to advik125!

5. Create a manual project in SonarQube with the name **sonarqube-test** .



The screenshot shows the SonarQube web interface. At the top is a navigation bar with links: Projects, Issues, Rules, Quality Profiles, Quality Gates, Administration, and More. Below this is a modal window titled '1 of 2 Create a local project'. The form contains three input fields: 'Project display name' with the value 'sonarqube-test', 'Project key' with the value 'sonarqube-test', and 'Main branch name' with the value 'main'. Each field has a green checkmark to its right. Below the inputs is a link that says 'The name of your project's default branch [Learn More](#)'. At the bottom of the modal are two buttons: 'Cancel' and 'Next'.

Setup the project and come back to Jenkins Dashboard.

6. Create a New Item in Jenkins, choose **Pipeline**.

7. Under Pipeline Script, enter the following -

```
node {
    stage('Cloning the GitHub Repo') {
        git 'https://github.com/shazforiot/GOL.git'
    }
    stage('SonarQube analysis') {
        withSonarQubeEnv('sonarqube') {
            bat """
            sh C:/ProgramData/Jenkins/.jenkins/tools/hudson.plugins.sonar.
            SonarRunnerInstallation/sonarqube/bin/sonar-scanner.bat ^
            -D sonar.login=<admin> ^
            -D sonar.password=<advik125!> ^
            -D sonar.projectKey=<sonarqube-test> ^
            -D sonar.exclusions=vendor/**,resources/**,*/*.java ^
            -D sonar.host.url=http://127.0.0.1:9000/"
            -D sonar.branch.name=main
        }
    }
}
```

Dashboard > SonarQube-2 > Configuration

Configure

- General
- Advanced Project Options
- Pipeline**

Pipeline

Definition

Pipeline script

Script ?

```
1 - node {
2 -   stage('Cloning the GitHub Repo') {
3 -     git 'https://github.com/shazforiot/GOL.git'
4 -   }
5 -   stage('SonarQube analysis') {
6 -     withSonarQubeEnv('sonarqube') {
7 -       bat """
8 -       sh "C:/ProgramData/Jenkins/.jenkins/tools/hudson.plugins.sonar.SonarRunnerInstallation/sonarqube/bin/sonar-scanner.bat ^
9 -       -D sonar.login~cademl> ^
10 -       -D sonar.password~cadvjk1251> ^
11 -       -D sonar.projectKey~sonarqube-test> ^
12 -       -D sonar.exclusions~vendor/**,resources/**,**/*.java ^
13 -       -D sonar.host.url~http://127.0.0.1:9000/
14 -       """
15 -     }
16 -   }
17 - }
```


☒ Use Groovy Sandbox ?

[Pipeline Syntax](#)










Save Apply

It is a java sample project which has a lot of repetitions and issues that will be detected by SonarQube.

8. Run The Build.

 **Jenkins**

Dashboard > SonarQube-2 >

-  Status
-  Changes
-  Build Now
-  Configure
-  Delete Pipeline
-  Full Stage View
-  Stages
-  Rename
-  Pipeline Syntax

SonarQube-2

Stage View

No data available. This Pipeline has not yet run.

Permalinks

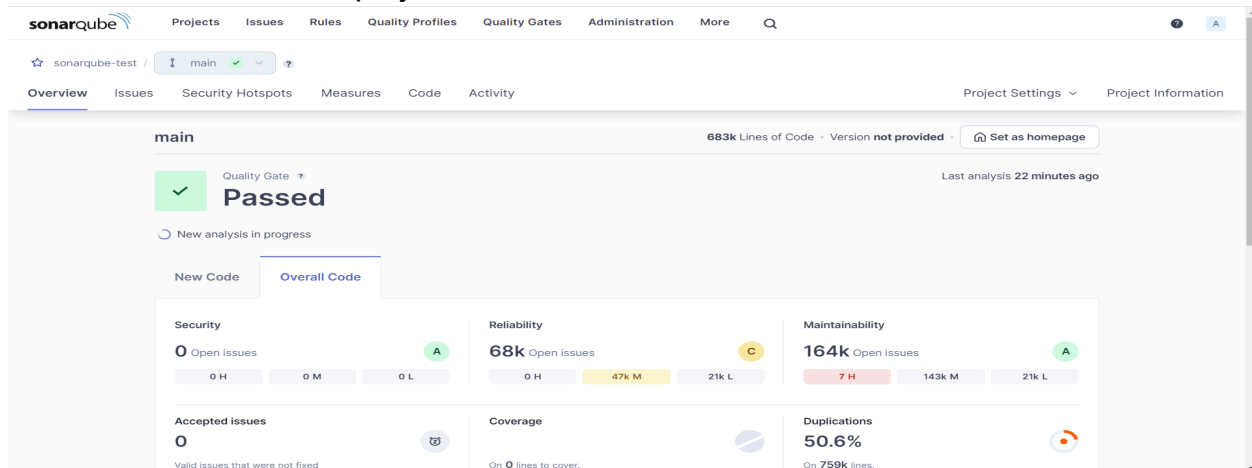
9. Check the console output once the build is complete.

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Dashboard > SonarQube-2 > #4

01:38:50.321 WARN too many duplication references on file gameoflife-web/tools/jmeter/docs/api/org/apache/jmeter/gui/utl1/textAreaCellRenderer.html
for block at line 75. Keep only the first 100 references.
01:38:50.321 INFO CPD Executor CPD calculation finished (done) | time=238591ms
01:38:50.413 INFO SCM revision ID 'ba799ba7e1b576f04a612322b0412c5e6e1e5e4'
01:38:58.184 INFO Analysis report generated in 5253ms, dir size=127.2 MB
01:39:17.257 INFO Analysis report compressed in 19081ms, zip size=29.6 MB
01:39:28.472 INFO Analysis report uploaded in 11215ms
01:39:28.488 INFO ANALYSIS SUCCESSFUL, you can find the results at: http://127.0.0.1:9000/dashboard?id=sonarqube-test
01:39:28.488 INFO Note that you will be able to access the updated dashboard once the server has processed the submitted analysis report
01:39:28.488 INFO More about the report processing at http://127.0.0.1:9000/api/ce/task?id=add9b398-1d74-4d8a-81ac-9b210f0e0b94
01:39:48.048 INFO Analysis total time: 11:58.619 s
01:39:48.086 INFO SonarScanner Engine completed successfully
01:39:49.184 INFO EXECUTION SUCCESS
01:39:49.314 INFO Total time: 12:15.607s

[Pipeline] }
[Pipeline] // withSonarQubeEnv
[Pipeline] }
[Pipeline] // stage
[Pipeline] }
[Pipeline] // node
[Pipeline] End of Pipeline
Finished: SUCCESS
```

10. After that, check the project in SonarQube.



Under different tabs, check all different issues with the code.

11. Code Problems - Bugs :

The screenshot shows the SonarQube web interface for a project named 'sonarqube-test' on the 'main' branch, specifically the 'Issues' tab. The left sidebar shows filters for 'Clean Code Attribute', 'Software Quality', and 'Severity'. The main area displays a list of issues, including:

- Add "lang" and/or "xml:lang" attributes to this "<html>" element** (Intentionality, Reliability, 2min effort, 4 years ago, Bug, Major)
- Insert a <!DOCTYPE> declaration to before this <html> tag.** (Consistency, Reliability, 5min effort, 4 years ago, Bug, Major)

At the bottom, there is a warning message: "Embedded database should be used for evaluation purposes only".

Code smells :

The screenshot shows the SonarQube interface for a project named 'sonarqube-test'. The 'Issues' tab is selected, and the 'Clean Code Attribute' filter is applied. The left sidebar shows the 'Type' filter set to 'Code Smell' with 76k issues. The main panel displays a list of issues, including 'Remove this deprecated "width" attribute' and 'Remove this deprecated "align" attribute'. The top right shows 76,190 issues and 7934 effort. A warning message at the bottom states: 'Embedded database should be used for evaluation purposes only'.

Clean Code Consistency issues:

The screenshot shows the SonarQube interface for a project named 'sonarqube-test'. The 'Issues' tab is selected, and the 'Clean Code Attribute' filter is applied. The left sidebar shows the 'Type' filter set to 'Consistency' with 91k issues. The main panel displays a list of issues, including 'Insert a <IDOCETYPE> declaration to before this <html> tag' and 'Remove this deprecated "width" attribute'. The top right shows 91,318 issues and 14274 effort. A warning message at the bottom states: 'Embedded database should be used for evaluation purposes only'.

Reliability Issues:

The screenshot displays the SonarQube web interface for a project named 'sonarqube-test'. The 'Issues' tab is active, showing a list of reliability issues. The left sidebar contains filters for 'Issues in new code', 'Clean Code Attribute', and 'Software Quality'. The 'Software Quality' section shows 'Reliability' with 31k issues and 'Maintainability' with 76k issues. The main panel shows a list of issues, including 'Add "lang" and/or "xml:lang" attributes to this "<html>" element' and 'Insert a <!DOCTYPE> declaration to before this <html> tag'. Each issue is categorized by 'Intentionality' (Reliability) and 'Consistency' (accessibility, user-experience). The bottom of the interface features a warning message: 'Embedded database should be used for evaluation purposes only'.

Maintainability Issues:

The screenshot displays the SonarQube web interface for the same project, 'sonarqube-test', but with the 'Maintainability' tab selected. The left sidebar shows the 'Software Quality' section with 'Reliability' at 31k and 'Maintainability' at 76k. The main panel shows a list of maintainability issues, including 'Remove this deprecated "width" attribute.', 'Remove this deprecated "align" attribute.', and 'Remove this deprecated "align" attribute.'. Each issue is categorized by 'Consistency' (html5, obsolete). The bottom of the interface features the same warning message: 'Embedded database should be used for evaluation purposes only'.

Conclusion:

In this experiment, we set up a Jenkins CI/CD pipeline integrated with SonarQube to automate static analysis on a sample application. Jenkins was configured to trigger builds and run SonarQube's analysis with every code change, detecting bugs, code smells, and security vulnerabilities. This pipeline provided continuous monitoring and ensured early detection of issues, improving code quality and security. The experiment showcased how integrating CI/CD pipelines with SonarQube enhances development efficiency and ensures better, more reliable software.