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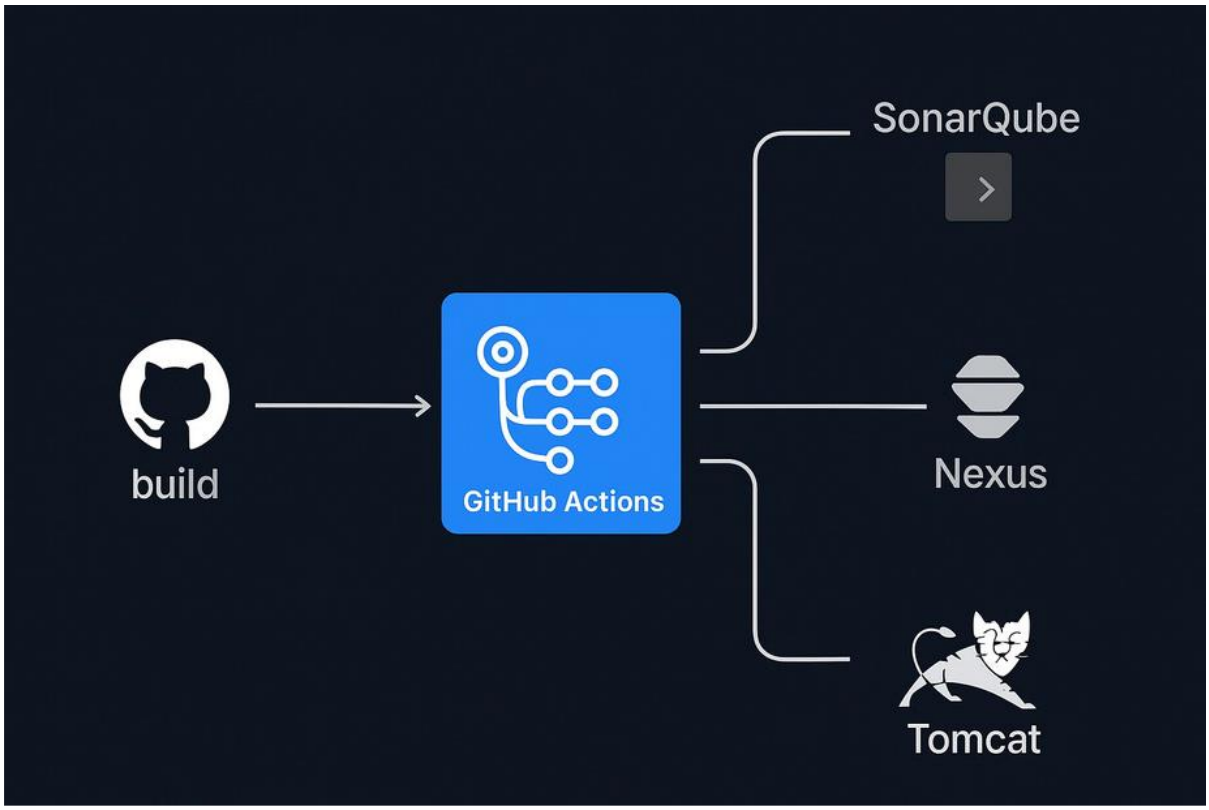
PROJECT – 5

Complete CI/CD workflow for Java web deployment leveraging GitHub Actions,SonarQube analysis, Nexus artifact management, and Tomcat server delivery

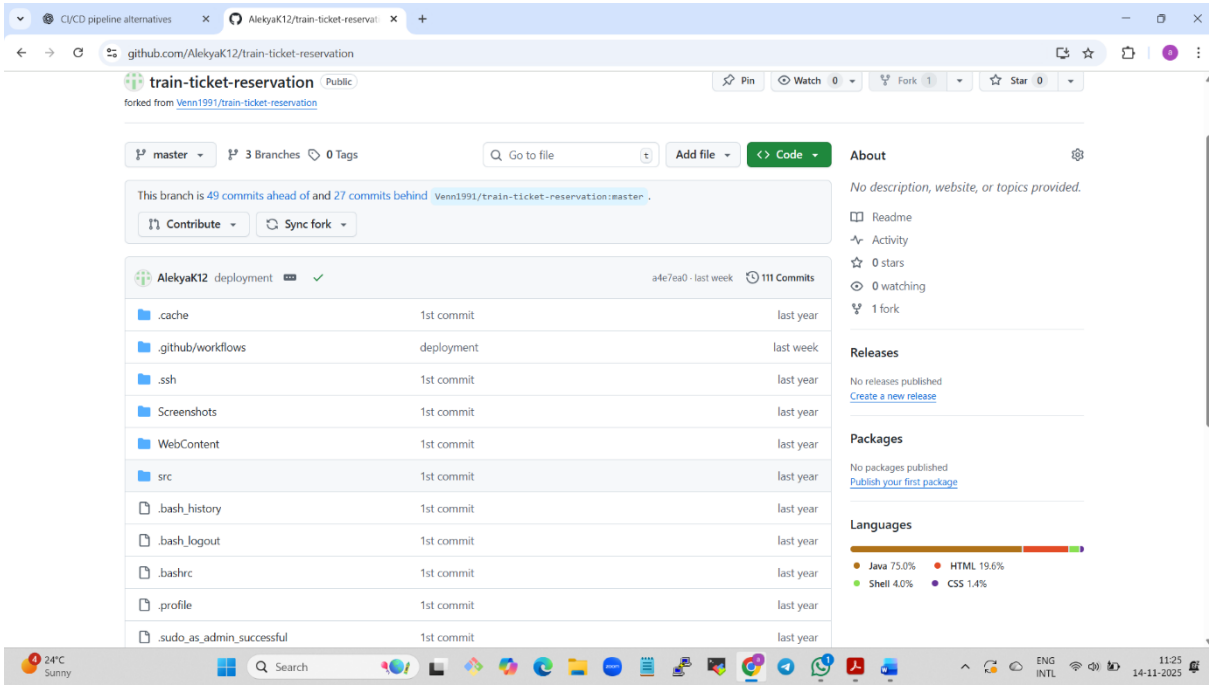


ProjectOverview:
This project showcases a fully automated deployment workflow for a Java web application using GitHub Actions. The pipeline is triggered whenever new code is pushed to the repository, ensuring the application is built, tested, scanned, and deployed without manual intervention.

Integrated Tools:
SonarQube: Performs static code analysis to ensure code quality and detect bugs or vulnerabilities prior to deployment.
Nexus Repository: Serves as a storage and versioning system for build artifacts such as WAR files created during the Maven build.
Tomcat Server: Hosts and deploys the final WAR file, making the application available to end users.

Step 1: Code in GitHub

The Java app is stored on GitHub, and any push to the master branch triggers the CI/CD workflow.



Java Web Application in Github Repo

Step 2: Pipeline Steps in GitHub Actions

Pull the latest code
Set up JDK 17
Build and test with Maven
Scan with SonarQube
Upload the WAR file to Nexus
Deploy the application to Tomcat

Step 3: Setup on AWS EC2

Three EC2 machines (t2 large,15-20GB)were created for SonarQube, Nexus, and Tomcat.Docker was installed on the servers to run the required tools.

Step 4: Running SonarQube & Nexus with Docker

SonarQube and Nexus were started as Docker containers using:
docker run -d -p 9000:9000 sonarqube
docker run -d -p 8081:8081 sonatype/nexus3

Step 5: Tomcat Setup

Tomcat was installed on another EC2 instance, a deployment user was configured, and the Tomcat dashboard was accessed through the EC2 public IP.

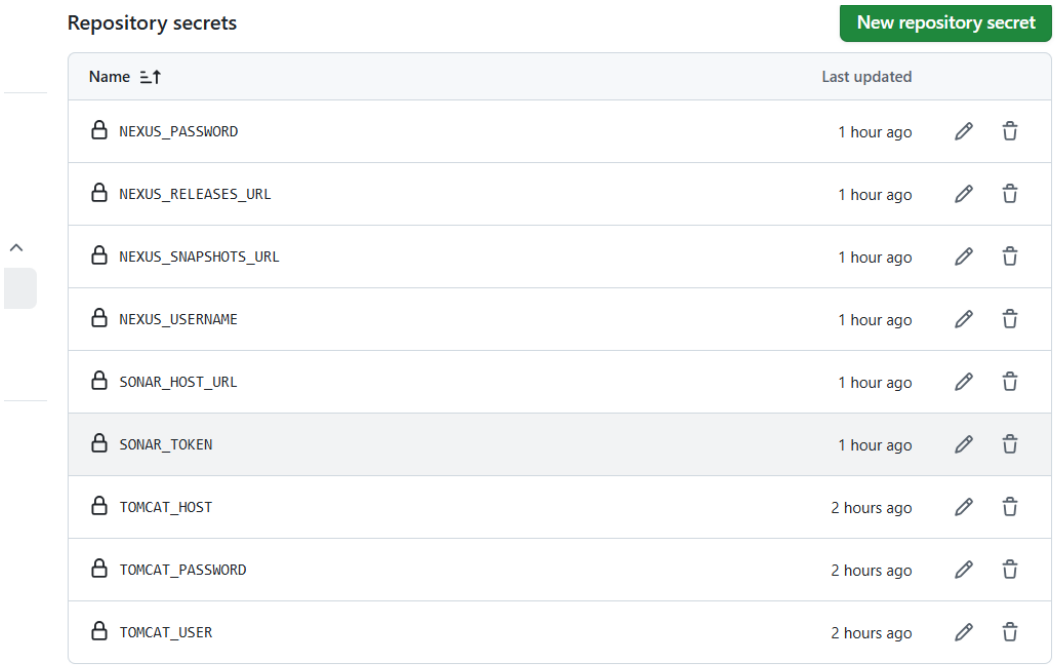
Step 6: SonarQube Integration

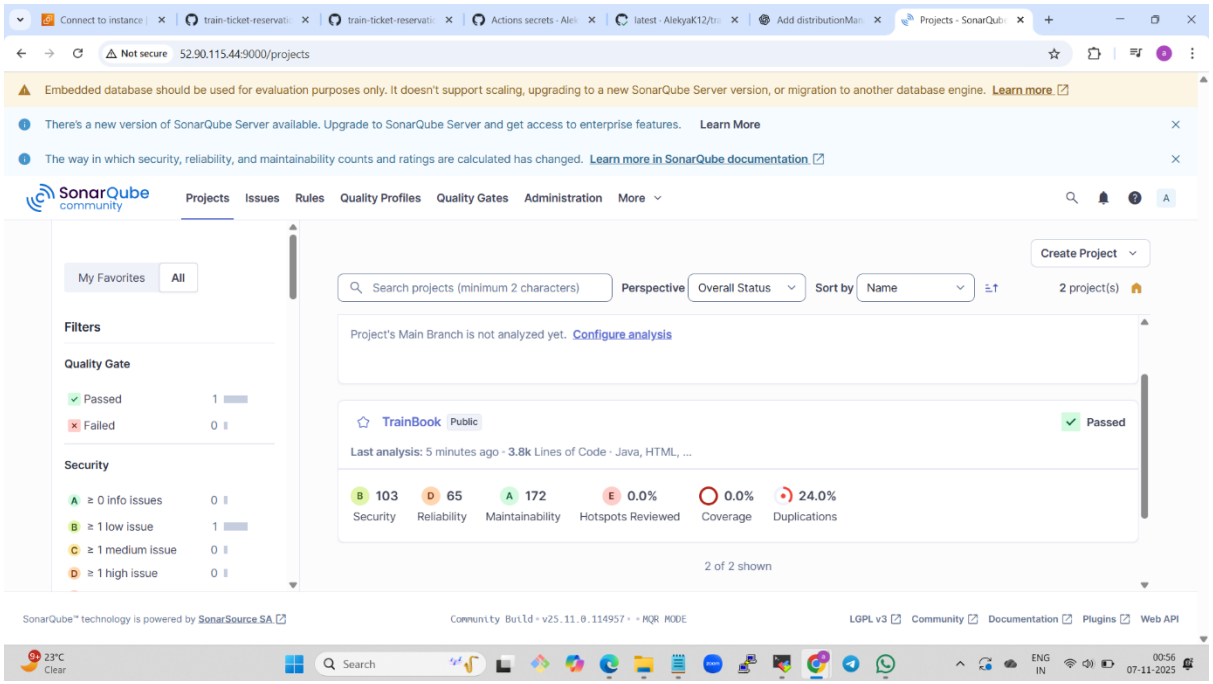
A SonarQube token was generated and saved in GitHub Secrets so GitHub Actions can run code analysis.The results can be viewed on the SonarQube dashboard.

Step 7: Nexus Repository Configuration

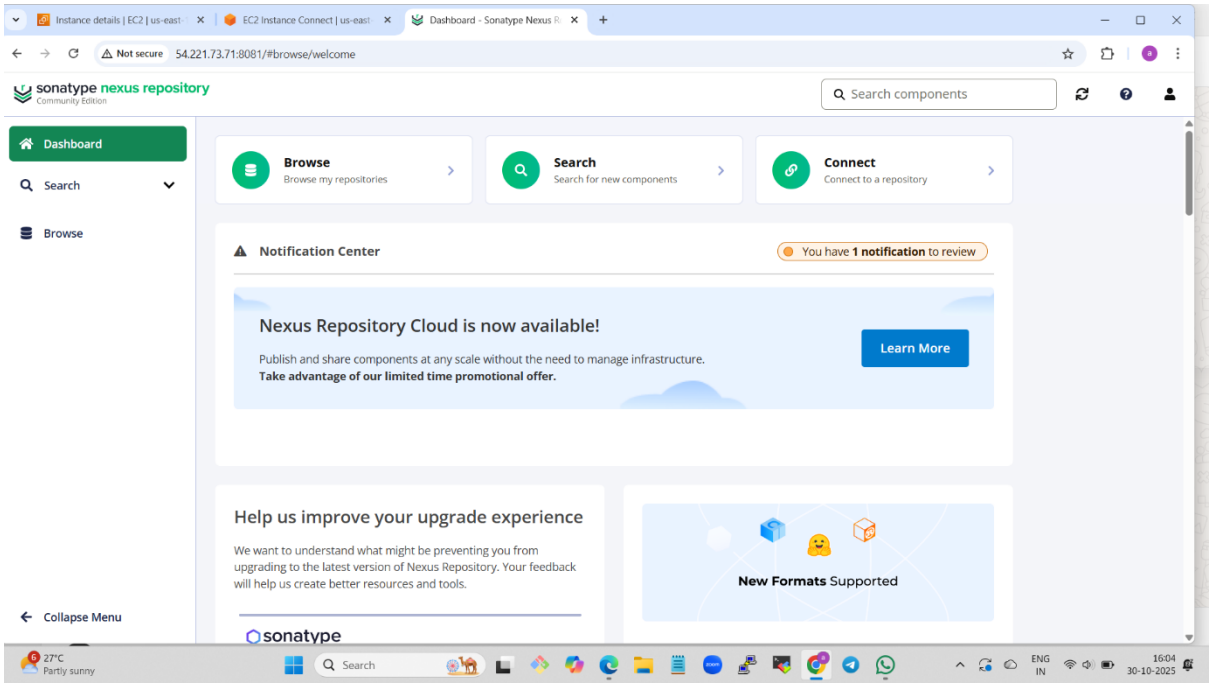
A Nexus server running in a Docker container on EC2 was configured with separate **snapshot** and **release** repositories.Maven is set up to deploy artifacts automatically based on version patterns—snapshot versions (*-SNAPSHOT) are pushed to the snapshot repository, while stable versions are pushed to the releaserepository.

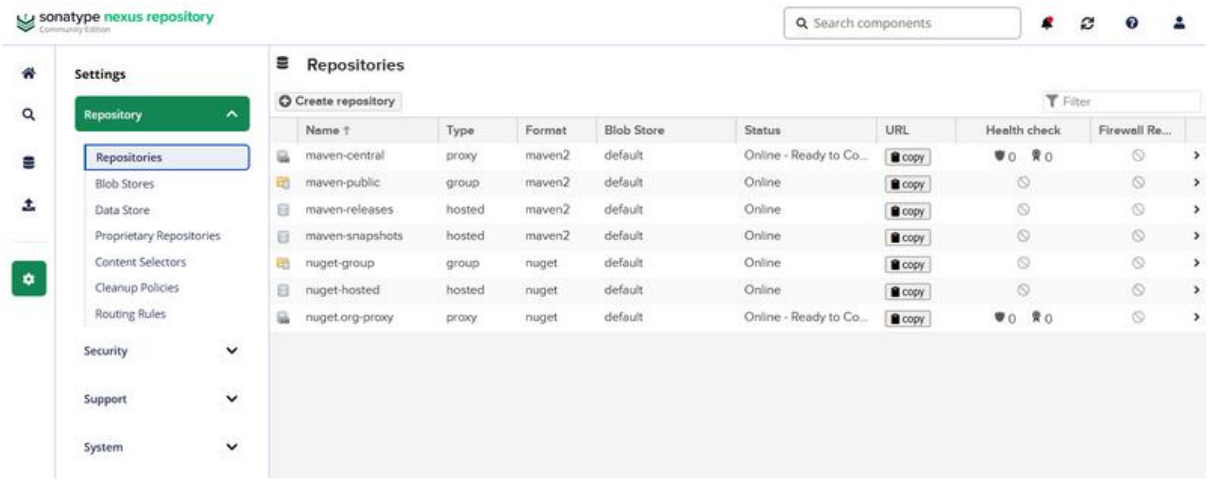
This structure enforces clean artifact lifecycle management.



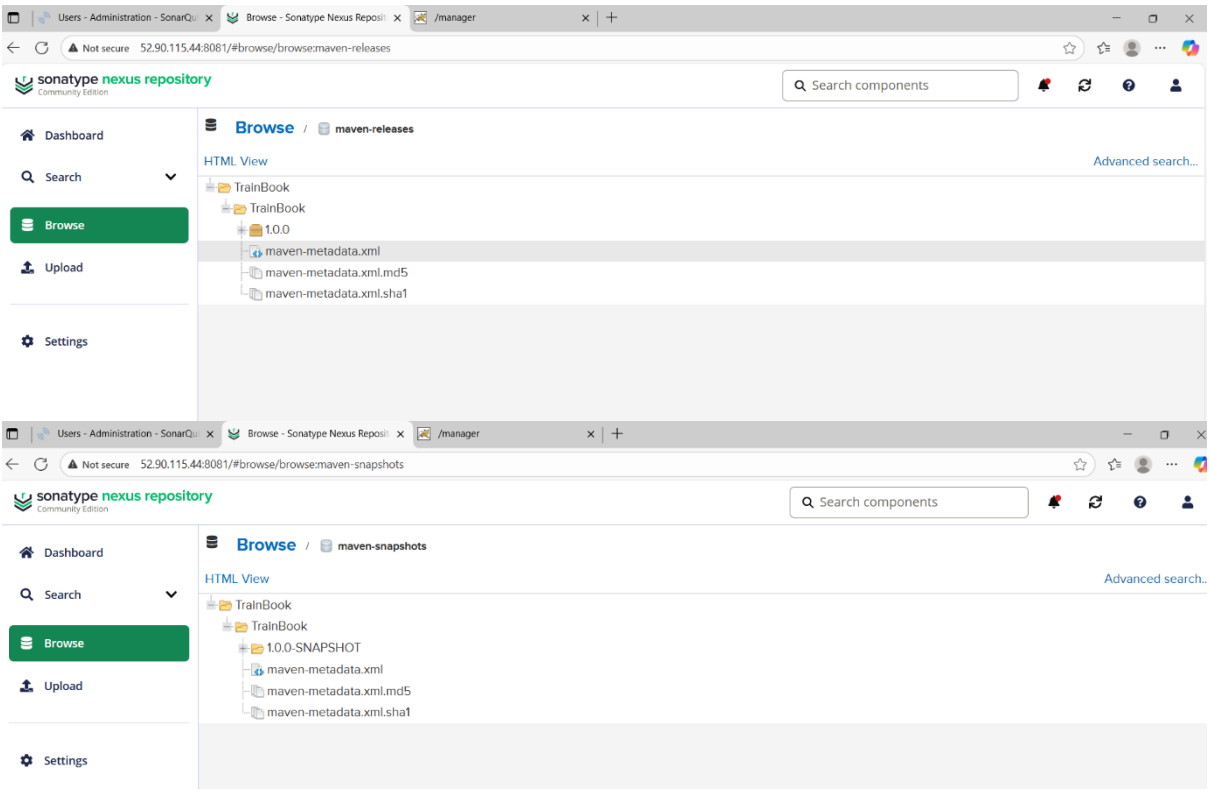


SonarQube dashboard displaying code quality and vulnerability results





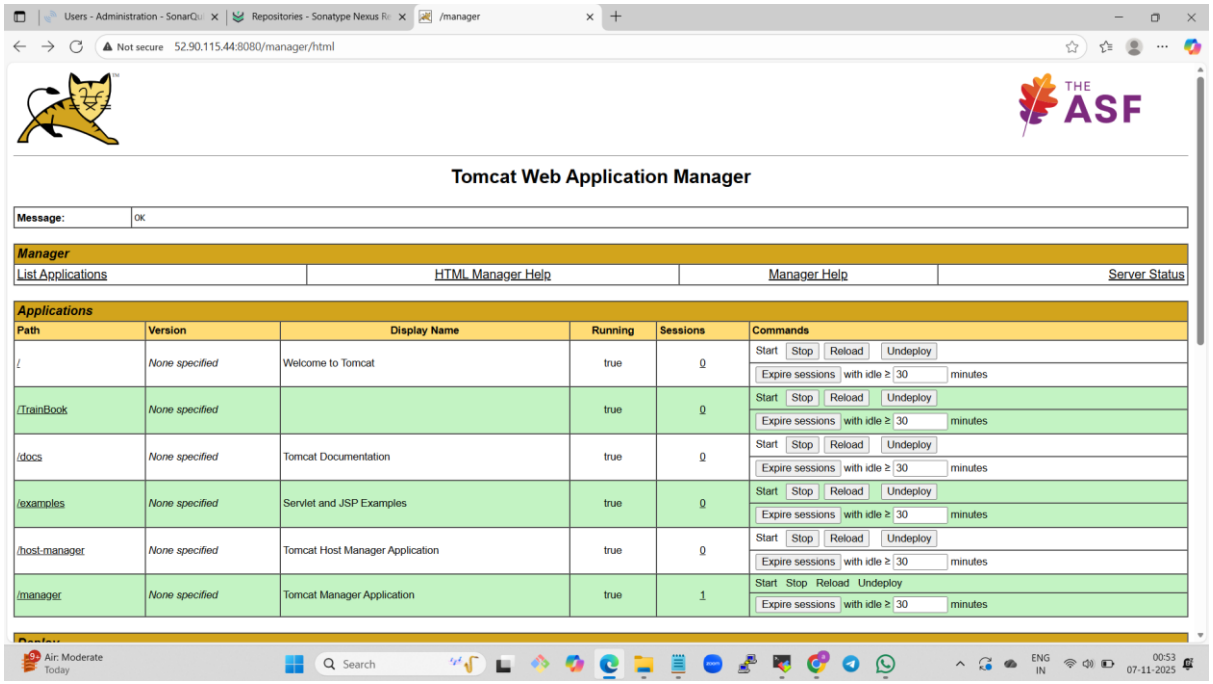
Snapshot and Release repositories configured in Nexus

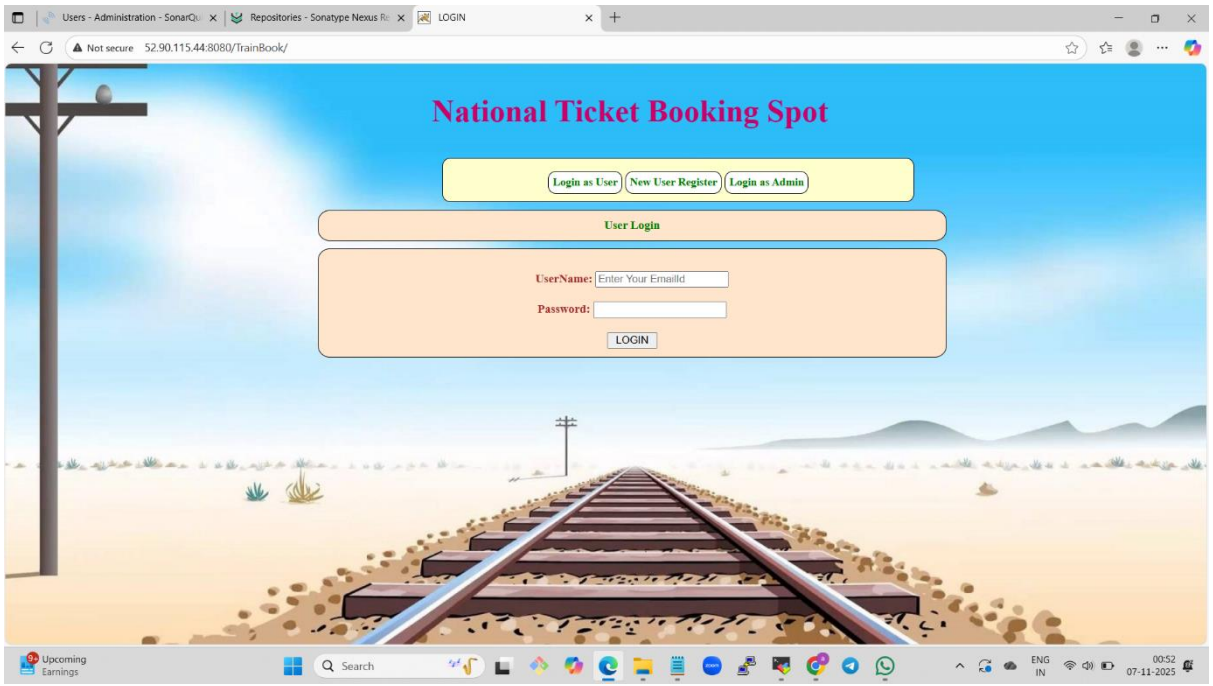


Deployed WAR files stored in Nexus repositories after pipeline execution

Step 8: Deployment to Tomcat Server

The final WAR file is automatically uploaded and deployed to the Tomcat server. The web application is then accessible through the EC2 public IP and port 8080.

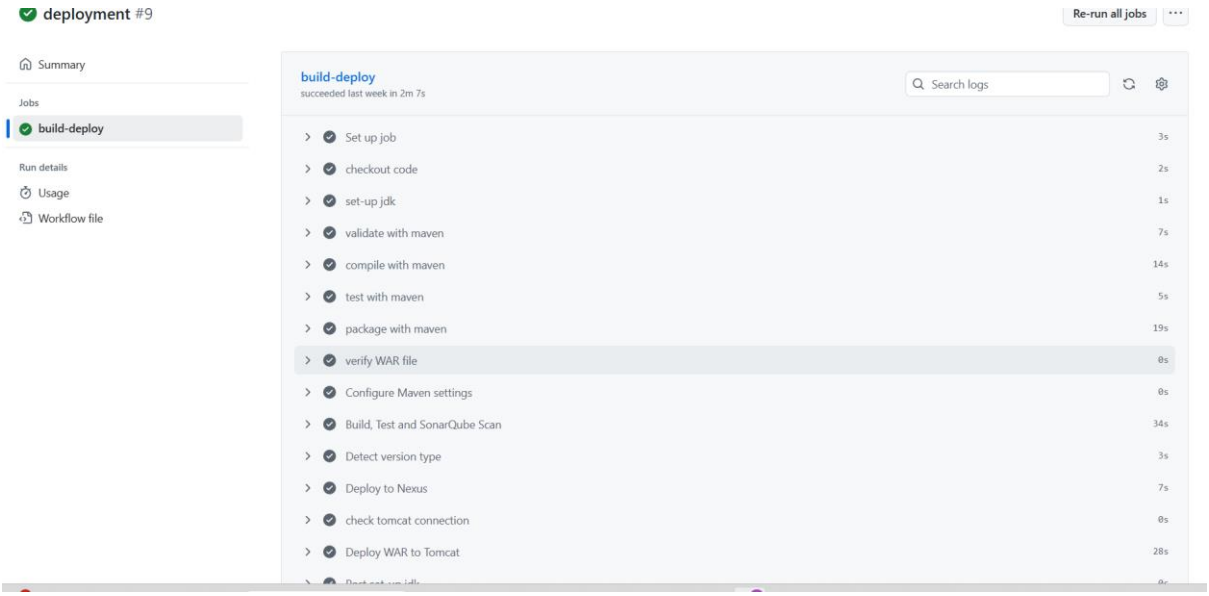




Step 9: Final Verification

Verified that the CI/CD pipeline successfully handled all stages — build, code analysis, artifact upload, and deployment.

Confirmed that the web application is accessible and SonarQube/Nexus integrations work properly.



GitHub Actions executing the CI/CD pipeline

.github/workflows/deployer.yml

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name: ci/cd pipeline to deploy to tomcat
on:
push:
branches: master
jobs:
build-deploy:
runs-on: ubuntu-latest
steps:
- name: checkout code
uses: actions/checkout@v3
- name: set-up jdk
uses: actions/setup-java@v3
with:
distribution: 'temurin'
java-version: '17' # Updated Java version
- name: validate with maven
run: mvn validate
- name: compile with maven
run: mvn compile
- name: test with maven
run: mvn test
- name: package with maven
run: mvn clean package
- name: verify WAR file
run: ls -lh target/
- name: Configure Maven settings
run: |
mkdir -p $HOME/.m2
cat > $HOME/.m2/settings.xml <<EOL
<settings>
<servers>
<server>
<id>nexus</id>
<username>${{ secrets.NEXUS_USERNAME }}</username>
<password>${{ secrets.NEXUS_PASSWORD }}</password>
</server>
</servers>
</settings>
EOL
- name: Build, Test and SonarQube Scan
run: |
mvn clean verify sonar:sonar \
-Dsonar.projectKey=train-ticket-reservation \
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-Dsonar.host.url="${{ secrets.SONAR_HOST_URL }}" \
-Dsonar.login="${{ secrets.SONAR_TOKEN }}"
- name: Detect version type
id: version_check
run: |
VERSION=$(mvn help:evaluate -Dexpression=project.version -q -DforceStdout)
echo "Project version: $VERSION"
if [[ "$VERSION" == *"-SNAPSHOT" ]]; then
echo "repo_url=${{ secrets.NEXUS_SNAPSHOTS_URL }}" >> $GITHUB_ENV
else
echo "repo_url=${{ secrets.NEXUS_RELEASES_URL }}" >> $GITHUB_ENV
fi
- name: Deploy to Nexus
env:
NEXUS_URL: ${{ env.repo_url }}
run: |
echo "Deploying to $NEXUS_URL"
mvn deploy -DaltDeploymentRepository=nexus::default::${NEXUS_URL}
- name: check tomcat connection
run: |
curl --fail --anyauth -u "${{ secrets.TOMCAT_USER }}:${{ secrets.TOMCAT_PASSWORD }}" \
"http://${{ secrets.TOMCAT_HOST }}:8080/manager/text/list"
# Deploy to Tomcat
- name: Deploy WAR to Tomcat
run: |
WAR_FILE=$(ls target/*.war)
echo "Deploying $WAR_FILE to Tomcat..."
curl -v -u ${{ secrets.TOMCAT_USER }}:${{ secrets.TOMCAT_PASSWORD }} \
-T "$WAR_FILE" \
"http://${{ secrets.TOMCAT_HOST }}:8080/manager/text/deploy?path=/TrainBook&update=true"
pom.xml
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