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## **DISTRIBUTED SYSTEMS**

### **Laboratory Assignment 3**

# **Chat System for Client Support**

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## 1. Requirements

Develop a chat system to offer support for the clients of the energy platform if they have questions related with their energy consumption. The chat system should allow communication between the clients and the administrator of the system.

### 1.1. Functional requirements:

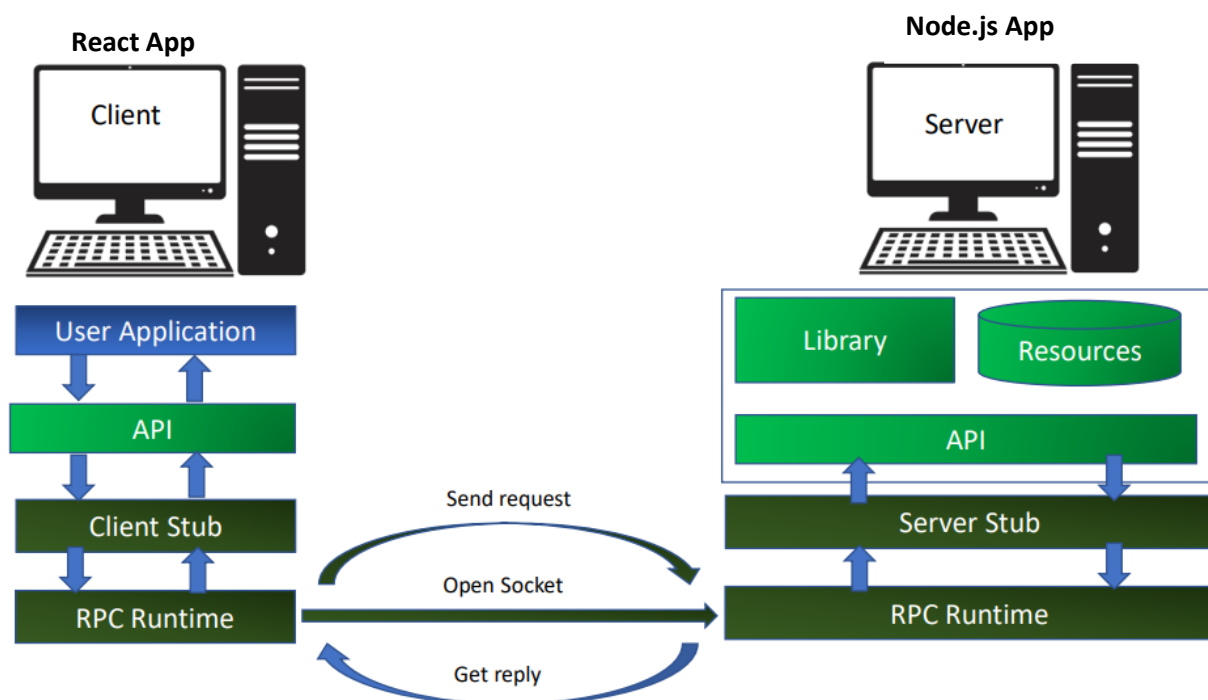
- The client application displays a chat box where clients can type messages.
- The message is sent asynchronously to the administrator, that receives the message together with the client identifier, being able to start a chat with the client.
- Messages can be sent back and forth between the client and the administrator during chat session.
- The administrator can chat with multiple clients at once.
- A notification is displayed for the user when the other user reads the message.
- A notification is displayed for the user (e.g., typing) while the user from the other end of communication types its message.

### 1.2. Implementation technologies:

- Choose one of the following technologies: any RPC framework supporting data streaming (for instance: gRPC)

## 2. Design

### 2.1 gRPC part



- gRPC is an inter-process communication technology that is used to execute remote sub-routines in a different address space. It uses the concept of message passing to signal a sub-routine residing in another system to execute. gRPC is awesome in that it creates a server service in a language and the service can be consumed from another platform in another language. This server service contains methods that can be called by the gRPC clients from anywhere in the world from any machine or platform.
- gRPC has three components: Protocol Buffer, server, and client. Protocol Buffer is an open-source serialization tool built by Google. gRPC uses this to serialize the request and response message format between the server and the client. This is also where the service interface between the server and the client is defined. The service interface definition contains information on how your service can be consumed by consumers, what methods you allow the consumers to call remotely, what method parameters and message formats to use when invoking those methods, and so on.
- *chat.proto* file

```
syntax = "proto3";

message ChatMessage {
    string from = 1;
    string msg = 2;
    string time = 3;
}

message User {
    string id = 1;
    string name = 2;
}

message Empty {}

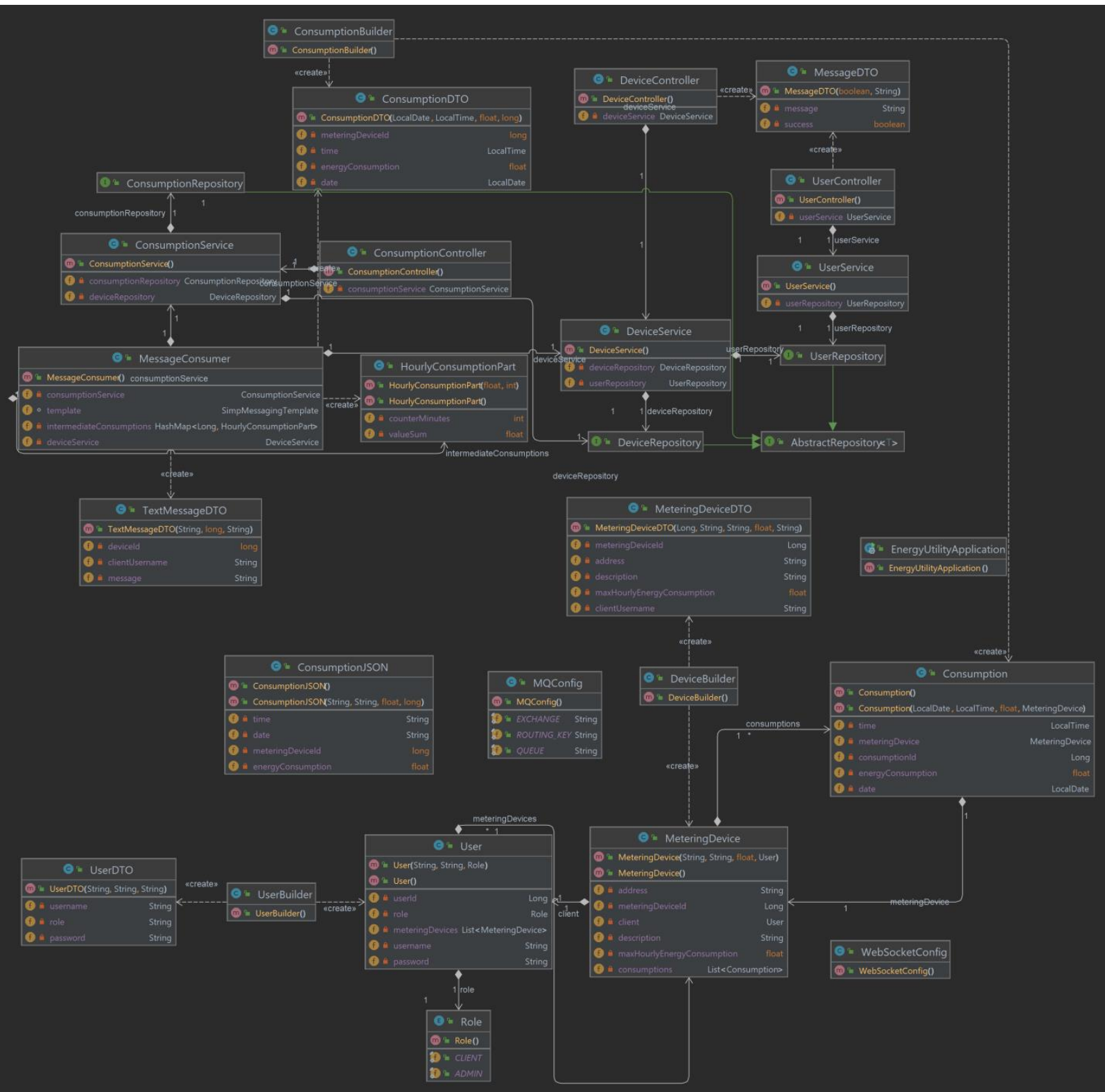
message UserList {
    repeated User users = 1;
}

message JoinResponse {
    int32 error = 1;
    string msg = 2;
}

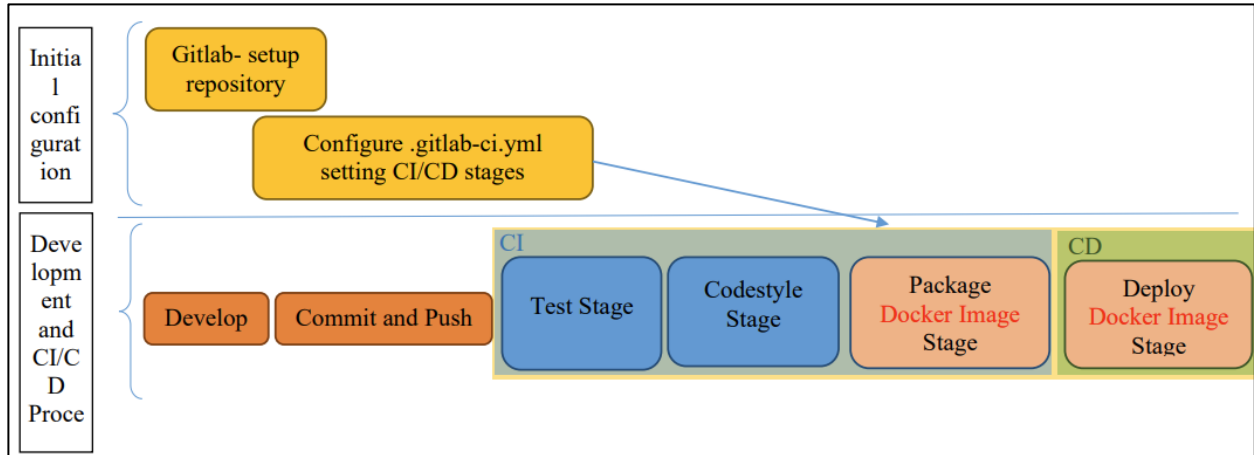
message ReceiveMsgRequest {
    string user = 1;
}
```

```
}  
  
service ChatService {  
  rpc join(User) returns (JoinResponse) {}  
  rpc sendMsg(ChatMessage) returns (Empty) {}  
  rpc receiveMsg(Empty) returns (stream ChatMessage) {}  
  rpc getAllUsers(Empty) returns (UserList) {}  
}
```

## 2.2 Class Diagram Backend



### 3. CI/CD Deployment



#### 3.1 Configuration Files

##### 3.1.2 Backend

- docker-compose.yml

```
version: "3.4"

services:
  api:
    image: "containerregistryarianahorvath30441.azurecr.io/arianahorvath30441backend:latest"
    domainname: "arianahorvath30441backend"
    ports:
      - 8080:8080
    environment:
      SPRING_RABBITMQ_HOST: rabbitmq
      DB_IP: demo-db
      RABBIT_IP: demo-rabbit
      DB_PORT: 3306
      DB_USER: root
      DB_PASSWORD: root123
      DB_DBNAME: energy_utility
    deploy:
      resources:
        reservations:
          cpus: '1'
          memory: 2G

  db:
    image: "containerregistryarianahorvath30441.azurecr.io/db:latest"
    environment:
```

```

MYSQL_DATABASE: energy_utility
MYSQL_ROOT_PASSWORD: root123
MYSQL_HOST_AUTH_METHOD: trust
domainname: "arianahorvath30441backend"
ports:
  - 3306:3306
deploy:
  resources:
    reservations:
      cpus: '1'
      memory: 2G
rabbitmq:
  image: "containerregistryarianahorvath30441.azurecr.io/rabbitmq:latest"
  domainname: "arianahorvath30441backend"
  ports:
    - 15672:15672
    - 5672:5672
  deploy:
    resources:
      reservations:
        cpus: '1'
        memory: 2G

```

- azure-pipelines.yml

```

# Docker
# Build and push an image to Azure Container Registry
# https://docs.microsoft.com/azure/devops/pipelines/languages/docker

trigger:
- master

resources:
- repo: self

variables:
  # Container registry service connection established during pipeline creation
  dockerRegistryServiceConnection: '5e9f645c-6548-46fc-bb7f-25853a03db67'
  imageRepository: 'arianahorvath30441backend'
  containerRegistry: 'containerregistryarianahorvath30441.azurecr.io'
  dockerfilePath: '$(Build.SourcesDirectory)/energyUtility/Dockerfile'
  tag: 'latest'

  # Agent VM image name
  vmImageName: 'ubuntu-latest'

stages:
- stage: Build
  displayName: Build and push stage

```



```

jobs:
- job: Build
  displayName: Build
  pool: 'local'
  steps:
  - task: Docker@2
    displayName: Build and push an image to container registry
    inputs:
      command: buildAndPush
      repository: $(imageRepository)
      dockerfile: $(dockerfilePath)
      containerRegistry: $(dockerRegistryServiceConnection)
      tags: |
        $(tag)

```

### 3.1.2 Frontend

- docker-compose.yml

```

version: "3.4"

services:

  react:
    image: "containerregistryarianahorvath30441.azurecr.io/arianahorvath30441frontend:latest"
    domainname: "arianahorvath30441frontend"
    ports:
      - 80:80
    deploy:
      resources:
        reservations:
          cpus: '1'
          memory: 2G

```

- azure-pipelines.yml

```

# Docker
# Build and push an image to Azure Container Registry
# https://docs.microsoft.com/azure/devops/pipelines/languages/docker

trigger:
- master

resources:

```

```

- repo: self

variables:
  # Container registry service connection established during pipeline creation
  dockerRegistryServiceConnection: 'c2d2c1a7-db5d-49c1-a26d-982391bf363e'
  imageRepository: 'arianahorvath30441frontend'
  containerRegistry: 'containerregistryarianahorvath30441.azurecr.io'
  dockerfilePath: '$(Build.SourcesDirectory)/Dockerfile'
  tag: 'latest'

  # Agent VM image name
  vmImageName: 'ubuntu-latest'

stages:
- stage: Build
  displayName: Build and push stage
  jobs:
  - job: Build
    displayName: Build
    pool: 'local'
    steps:
    - task: Docker@2
      displayName: Build and push an image to container registry
      inputs:
        command: buildAndPush
        repository: $(imageRepository)
        dockerfile: $(dockerfilePath)
        containerRegistry: $(dockerRegistryServiceConnection)
        tags: |
          $(tag)

```

### 3.1.3 gRPC Server (on Docker)

- Dockerfile

```

FROM node:16

# Create app directory
WORKDIR /usr/src/app2

COPY package*.json ./

```

```
RUN npm install

# Bundle app source
COPY . .

EXPOSE 9090
CMD [ "node", "server.js" ]
```

- docker-compose.yml

```
version: '3'

services:

  react:
    image: grpcnodeserver
    ports:
      - "9090:9090"
```

### 3.1.4 Envoy proxy

- Dockerfile

```
FROM envoyproxy/envoy-dev:latest
COPY envoy.yaml /etc/envoy/envoy.yaml
RUN chmod go+r /etc/envoy/envoy.yaml
```

- envoy.yaml

```
admin:
  access_log_path: /tmp/admin_access.log
  address:
    socket_address: { address: 0.0.0.0, port_value: 9901 }

static_resources:
  listeners:
    - name: listener_0
      address:
        socket_address: { address: 0.0.0.0, port_value: 8080 }
      filter_chains:
        - filters:
```

```

- name: envoy.filters.network.http_connection_manager
  typed_config:
    "@type":
type.googleapis.com/envoy.extensions.filters.network.http_connection_manager.v3.HttpConnectionManager

    codec_type: auto
    stat_prefix: ingress_http
    stream_idle_timeout: 0s
    route_config:
      name: local_route
      virtual_hosts:
        - name: local_service
          domains: ["*"]
          routes:
            - match: { prefix: "/" }
              route:
                cluster: chat_service
                max_grpc_timeout: 0s
                max_stream_duration:
                  grpc_timeout_header_max: 0s
            cors:
              allow_origin_string_match:
                - prefix: "*"
              allow_methods: GET, PUT, DELETE, POST, OPTIONS
              allow_headers: keep-alive,user-agent,cache-control,content-type,content-transfer-
encoding,custom-header-1,x-accept-content-transfer-encoding,x-accept-response-streaming,x-user-
agent,x-grpc-web,grpc-timeout
                max_age: "1728000"
                expose_headers: custom-header-1,grpc-status,grpc-message
          http_filters:
            - name: envoy.filters.http.grpc_web
              typed_config:
                "@type": type.googleapis.com/envoy.extensions.filters.http.grpc_web.v3.GrpcWeb
            - name: envoy.filters.http.cors
              typed_config:
                "@type": type.googleapis.com/envoy.extensions.filters.http.cors.v3.Cors
            - name: envoy.filters.http.router
              typed_config:
                "@type": type.googleapis.com/envoy.extensions.filters.http.router.v3.Router

clusters:
  - name: chat_service
    connect_timeout: 0.25s
    type: logical_dns
    http2_protocol_options: { }

```

```
lb_policy: round_robin
# win/mac hosts: Use address: host.docker.internal instead of address: localhost in the line below
load_assignment:
  cluster_name: cluster_0
  endpoints:
    - lb_endpoints:
      - endpoint:
          address:
            socket_address:
              address: host.docker.internal
              port_value: 9090
```