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The Role of Security in Microservices



Authorization



Problems with the Status Quo



Credentials embedded in applications

Unnecessary permissions

Differentiating users and machines

Not optimized for diverse clients



Spring (Cloud) Security

Service authorization powered by OAuth 2.0.



What Is OAuth 2.0?

Protocol for conveying authorization

Provides authorization flow for various clients

Obtain limited access to user accounts

Separates idea of user and client

Access token carries more than identity

NOT an authentication scheme



Actors in an OAuth 2.0 Scenario



Entity that grants access to a resource.
Usually, you!



Resource Server

Server hosting the protected resource.



Client

App making protected resource requests on behalf of resource owner.



AuthZ Server

Server issuing access tokens to clients.



Glossary of OAuth 2.0 Terms



Access Token

Refresh Token

Scope

Client ID / Secret

OpenID Connect

JWT



How Spring Supports OAuth 2.0

Code annotations

Token storage options

OAuth 2.0 endpoints

Numerous extensibility points

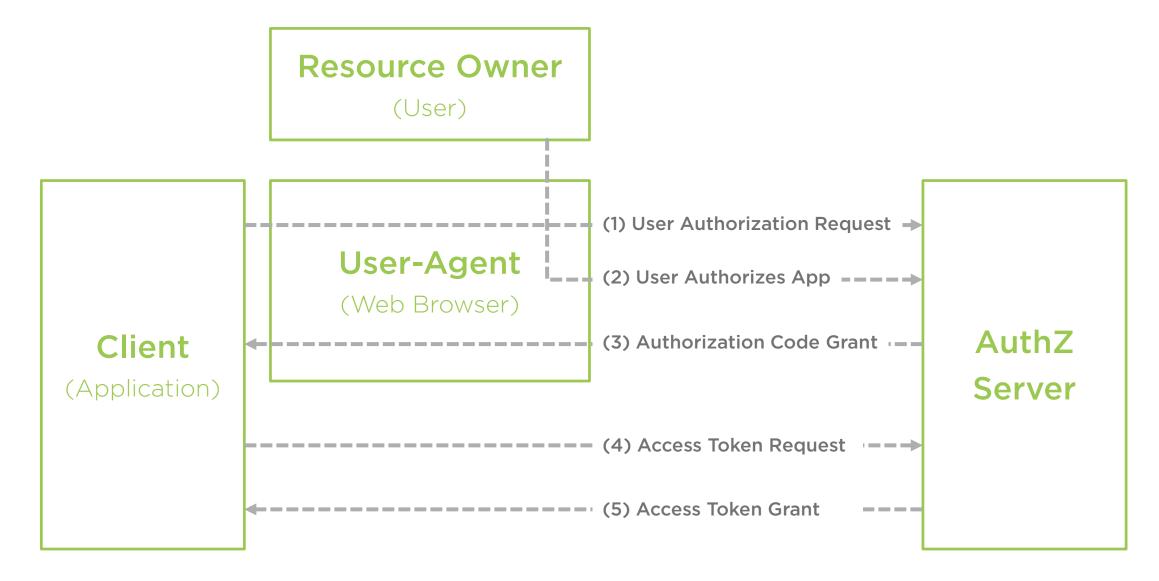


Abstract OAuth Flow



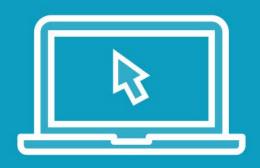


OAuth 2.0 Grant Type: Authorization Code





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Build back-office Toll reporting site

Add OAuth2 annotations to controller

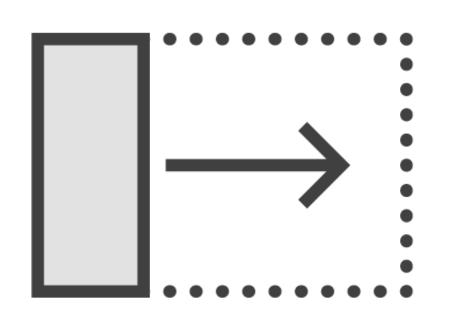
Authenticate and authorize via GitHub

Watch redirects during flow

Choose which pages to protect



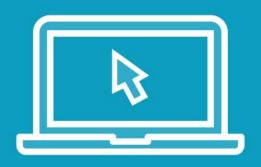
Creating a Resource Server and Routing Tokens to Downstream Services



Use @EnableResourceServer annotation
Can combine AuthZ and Resource servers
user-info-uri and token-info-uri properties
OAuth2RestTemplate bean



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Create resource server to return toll data

Add @EnableResourceServer annotation

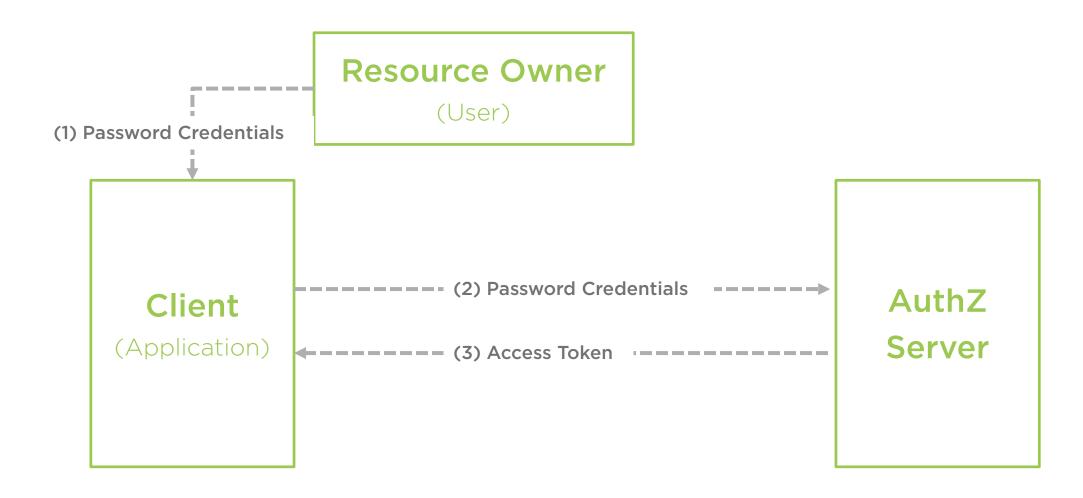
Update application.properties

Test via HTTP calls

Update web client to securely call service



OAuth 2.0 Grant Type: Resource Owner Password Credentials





Creating a Custom Authorization Server



Lit up with @EnableAuthorizationServer

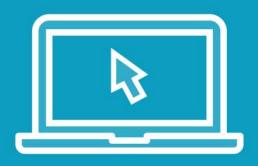
Set of endpoints provided

Property settings drive behavior

Secured with Basic Authentication



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Create new Spring app

Add Authorization Server annotation

Set properties for the server

Test token generation with API calls

Update resource server to use custom authorization server

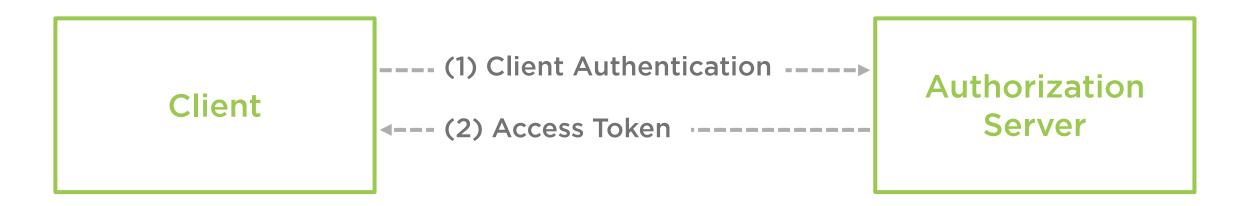
Test resource server with API calls

Create application that relies on system user

Call resource server from client app with password credentials



OAuth2 Grant Type: Client Credentials



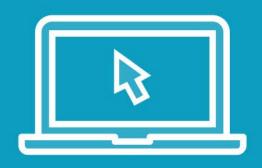


Adding Access Rules

- Can method be called?
- ◆ Check OAuth2 scope
- ◆ Check user role



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Create extension class to get OAuth2 filters

Add role filter to method and test

Add OAuth2 filter to method and test

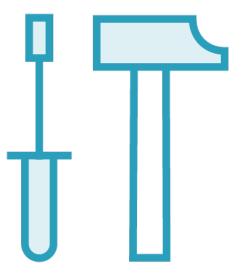
Apply *both* filter to method and test



Advanced Token Options



JdbcTokenStore for scaling AuthZ servers



Token extensibility via TokenEnhancers



OpenID Connect for authentication and JWTs for encrypted tokens



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