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📌 Summary

Implemented Global 'Trusted' Jenkins Shared Library to improve structure, testability, and maintainability of pipeline logic.

❗ Problem Background

Before this implementation, there was **no centralized Jenkins shared library**, and each pipeline was built independently with similar logic hardcoded in multiple places. This led to several architectural and operational issues:

- ⚠️ **High Code Duplication:** Core stages (e.g., `Prepare Workspace`, `Lint`, `Test`, `Build`) were manually defined across multiple pipelines.
- ⚠️ **Tight Coupling & Low Abstraction:** Business logic was directly tied to shell commands and specific implementations, reducing testability.
- ⚠️ **Poor Maintainability:** Fixes, enhancements, or configuration changes had to be applied in every individual pipeline, increasing maintenance overhead and the risk of inconsistency.
- 🚫 **Lack of Reusability:** Pipelines could not easily share or extend common functionality, making it difficult to scale Jenkins usage across projects or teams.
- 🚫 **Violation of Architectural Principles:** Patterns like SRP (Single Responsibility Principle), DRY (Don't Repeat Yourself), and separation of concerns were routinely broken.

1. Problem Examples and Architectural Issues

🔍 Stage Level: Repeated Stage Logic Across Pipelines

- ♦ **Issue:** Identical stage structures were repeated across multiple pipelines.
- ♦ The stages **bolded and Strikethroughed in the table below** represent logic that was highly duplicated — the same implementation was copy-pasted across different pipelines.

PipelineForJenkins	DLX-Pull Request	DLX-Deployment	JS-Pull Request	JS-Deployment
Lead Shared Library				

Prepare Workspace	Prepare WORKSPACE	Delete Merged Branch	Prepare WORKSPACE	Delete Merged Branch
Lint Groovy Code	Linting	Prepare WORKSPACE	Install Dependencies	Prepare WORKSPACE
Generate Groovydoc	EditMode Tests	Linting	Linting	Install Dependencies
Run Unit Tests	PlayMode Tests in Editor	EditMode Tests	Unit Testing	Linting
Publish Test Results	Code Coverage Send Reports	PlayMode Tests In Editor	Static Analysis	Unit Testing
Static Analysis	Build Project	Build Project		Static Analysis
		Deploy Build		Check Build and Deploy Condition
				Server Build and Deploy
				Client Build and Deploy

🔍 Step Level - example (1): `mergeBranchIfNeeded()`

- Main Issue: **Tightly Coupled Controller-Service Logic with Hard-Coded Shell Dependencies**

✗ SRP Violation (Single Responsibility Principle)

`mergeBranchIfNeeded()` performs too many responsibilities in a single function:

- Determining the default branch
- Checking branch status
- Attempting a merge
- Handling errors

→ All combined into one function, violating separation of concerns

✗ Hard-Coded Git Commands

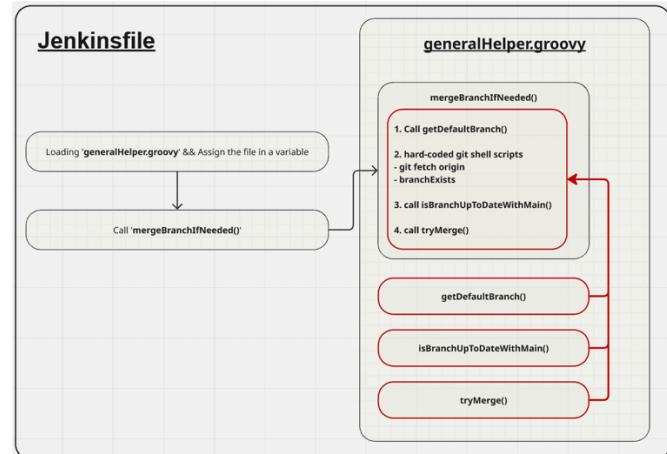
Commands like `sh 'git fetch origin'`, `git show-ref`, `git merge`, and `git merge --abort`

→ Shell commands are deeply embedded in the logic, making the function hard to test and difficult to maintain

✗ Tight Coupling

`mergeBranchIfNeeded()` directly calls `getDefaultBranch()`, `isBranchUpToDateWithMain()`, and `tryMerge()`

→ Internal flow is tightly controlled within one method, increasing coupling



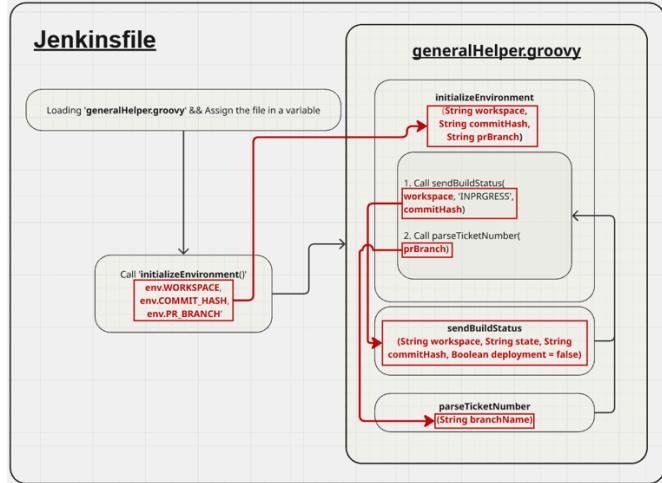
🔍 Step Level - example (2) `initializeEnvironment()`

- Main Issue: **Parameter Propagation**

✗ Parameter Propagation

The function accepts multiple parameters (`workspace`, `commitHash`, `prBranch`) only to forward them unchanged to other functions (`sendBuildStatus()`, `parseTicketNumber()`).

- This adds unnecessary coupling and bloats the function signature.
- The function behaves more like a relay than an abstraction.



✗ SRP Violation (Single Responsibility Principle)

`initializeEnvironment()` performs multiple distinct actions in a single function:

- ① Sending build status to Bitbucket
 - ② Extracting ticket number from branch
 - ③ Setting global environment variables
- All of these should ideally be separated into distinct responsibilities.

✗ Hidden Side Effects

This function sets environment variables

(`env.TICKET_NUMBER`, `env.FOLDER_NAME`) implicitly, without returning any values

- Introduces **invisible global state** that complicates debugging and testing

✗ External System Coupling

The function directly invokes `sendBuildStatus()`, which calls an external Python script

- Tightly coupled with Bitbucket and the Python runtime
- Difficult to replace, simulate, or unit test

🔍 Step Level - example (3) `cloneOrUpdateRepo()`

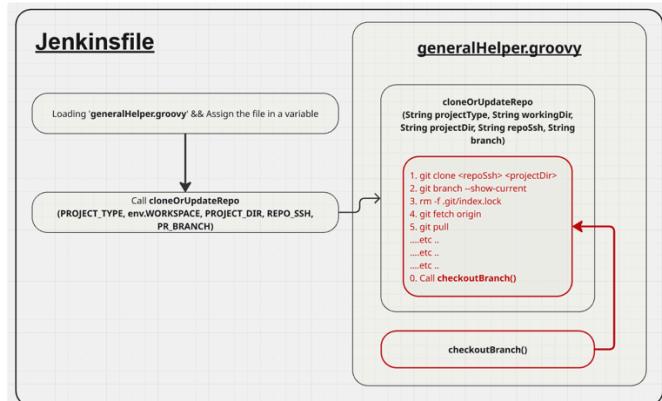
- Main Issue: **SRP Violation + Hard-Coded**

✗ SRP Violation (Single Responsibility Principle)

`cloneOrUpdateRepo()` and `checkoutBranch()`

handle too many unrelated concerns:

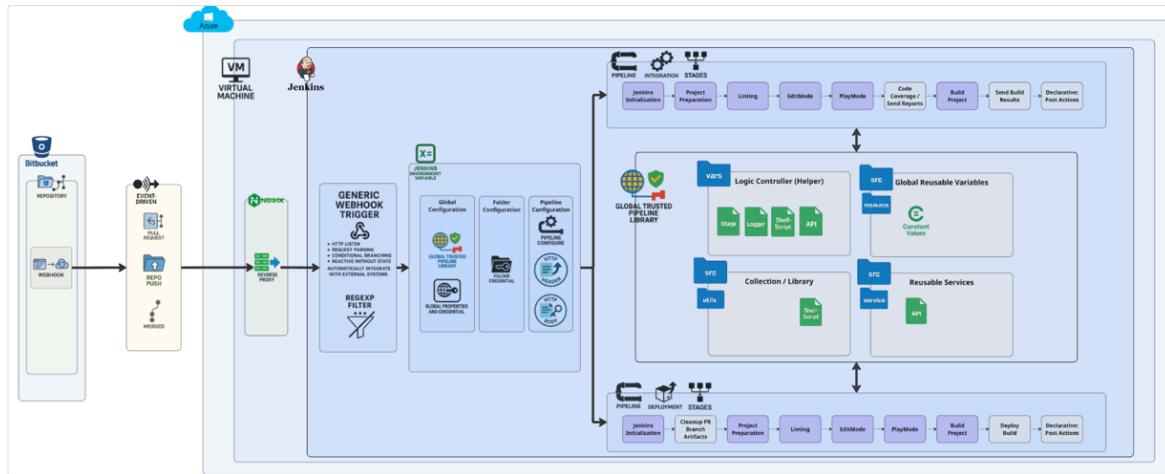
- ① Input parameter validation
- ② Directory existence check via shell `find`
- ③ Git repository validation by checking `.git`
- ④ Git clone operation
- ⑤ Git fetch operation
- ⑥ Git pull operation
- ⑦ Branch existence verification (local & remote)
- ⑧ Branch checkout
- ⑨ Local branch hard reset to origin
- ⑩ Untracked files cleanup via `git clean`



- ⑪ Git lock file cleanup (`.git/index.lock`)
- ⑫ Project directory cleanup (`rm -rf`) for recovery
- ⑬ Error handling and exception throwing
- ⑭ Logging of operation steps and statuses
 - These responsibilities span validation, filesystem access, Git interaction, recovery logic, and control flow, and should be delegated to separate components or helpers for maintainability and testability.

2. What's Been Updated in This PR

To address the above architectural problems and operational inefficiencies, this PR introduces a **Global Trusted Jenkins Shared Library**, which consolidates repeated logic, improves abstraction, and promotes reusability across multiple pipelines.



Overview of New Jenkins Architecture Diagram

- The diagram below illustrates the new event-driven Jenkins architecture, powered by a Global Trusted Pipeline Library:

a. Trigger Flow (Left to Right)

- Bitbucket Webhook events (e.g., PR created, pushed, or merged) trigger Jenkins jobs through a reverse proxy and the **Generic Webhook Trigger** plugin.
- The webhook payload is parsed and filtered via RegExp, enabling conditional logic without polling.

b. Centralized Configuration

- Jenkins now leverages **Global Configuration**, **Folder-level credentials**, and **Per-pipeline HTTP parameters**, reducing pipeline-local setup duplication.

c. Global Trusted Pipeline Library

- i. The core of the architecture is the Shared Library

d. Pipeline Stage Reusability

- Pipelines (both integration and deployment) reuse the same shared stage building blocks, including **Jenkins Initialization**, **Project Preparation**, **Linting**, **Testing**, and **Build/Deploy**.
- The separation between control (vars) and logic (src) layers promotes testability, modularity, and clean architecture.

Shared Library Structure

The shared library is organized under the `SharedLibraries` directory and follows a layered architecture:

- `src/service/`:
 - `Bitbucket ApiService` : Handles HTTP request construction, token headers, error handling, and communication with Bitbucket.
 - Exceptions handled:
 - DNS failure → `UnknownHostException`
 - TCP failure → `ConnectException`, `SocketTimeoutException`
 - TLS failure → `SSLHandshakeException`
 - I/O issues → `IOException`
 - `src/utils/` : Each library exposes **Closures that return standardized Groovy Maps**, describing shell commands (`script`, `label`, etc.). This enables consistent and reusable script execution via a centralized executor (e.g., `shellScriptHelper`).
 - `ShellLibrary` : Generic shell command utilities
 - `GitLibrary` : Git operations wrapped as shell commands
 - `SSHShellLibrary` : SSH-based operations
 - `vars/` : exposes Groovy-based pipeline steps callable directly from Jenkinsfiles:
 - Complex or repetitive stage logic has been modularized (e.g., `stageLintUnity`, `stageProjectPrepare`).
 - Introduces `logger` for consistent output across both stage logs and console logs.
 - Helper files (e.g., `shellScriptHelper`, `bitbucketHelper`) route script execution and API interaction through central logic and error handling layers.
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Webhook Event Configuration Update

Previous configuration:	What Changed:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <code>PullRequest:Created</code> • <code>PullRequest:Updated</code> • <code>PullRequest:Merged</code> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <code>PullRequest:Updated</code> was removed because it triggers on metadata changes such as title edits, description updates, or reviewer additions — not actual code changes. • Jenkins pipelines were unintentionally triggered by these events, leading to wasted executions and user confusion. • Generic Webhook Trigger does not offer sufficient filtering at the payload level to avoid this.

Improvement:

- Replaced with `Repo:Push` event to more accurately reflect actual source code changes.
 - Instead of extracting individual fields from the webhook payload using complex filter chains, the entire payload is now passed as a **single environment variable**.
 - In the **Initialization Stage**, the payload is parsed and mapped to Jenkins environment variables as needed, enabling centralized and context-aware variable assignment.
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Jenkinsfile(s) Refactoring Highlights

All major pipelines were refactored to use the shared library:

- **DLX** and **Jenkins** pipelines now invoke common logic via `stageXXX()` calls. **(No implemented in JS Pipeline yet)**
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3. Before vs After

Before: Fragmented, Script-Centric Pipelines	After: Modular, Architecture-Driven Shared Library
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Each pipeline independently defined core logic (e.g., checkout, linting, build, deploy). Business logic tightly coupled with shell commands (<code>sh 'git fetch'</code>, <code>sh 'rm -rf'</code>), scattered across Jenkinsfiles. Shared behavior (like branch checks or merge validation) was copy-pasted across 5+ pipelines. No centralized error handling, inconsistent logging formats, and no testable structure. Webhook triggers fired pipelines even for non-code changes, causing noise and confusion. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pipelines now invoke centralized stage modules like <code>stageProjectPrepare()</code> and <code>stageLintUnity()</code> from the <code>vars/</code> layer. Core business logic is abstracted into service classes (<code>SIC/service/</code>) with domain-specific responsibility. Shell commands are encapsulated into utility closures (<code>src/utils/</code>) for consistency and reusability. Logger system unified across all pipelines — both stage logs and console outputs now follow the same pattern. Webhook events are filtered and processed via a centralized payload handling strategy, reducing pipeline noise.

Before vs After: Log Output Structure Changes

Before (Legacy Log Style)

- Only raw `sh` command results were printed
- No clear separation between messages; lacked visual flow
- Commands like `git fetch`, `git show-ref`, `git clean`, `echo` were all output at the same level
- No logging conventions for error messages, status updates, or step transitions
- Hard to trace which Service or Stage was responsible for each log line

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Stage Log (Prepare WORKSPACE)
@ Use a tool from a predefined tool installation -- default: $ (self time 59ms)
@ Fetches the environment variables for a given tool in a list of 100+--layer storage suitable for the withEnv step. (self time 52ms)
@ Shell Script -- err (self time 31ms)
@ Shell Script -- get fetch origin R7-370-Forage-Retrieve Scenario 8th | [git rev-parse HEAD] = $git rev-parse origin/R7-370-Forage-Retrieve Scenario | (self time 10)
@ Shell Script -- get fetch origin R7-370-Forage-Retrieve Scenario (self time 540ms)
@ Shell Script -- up -r rev-parse origin/R7-370-Forage-Retrieve Scenario (self time 262ms)
@ Print Message - Retrieved full URL for Git (self time 260ms)
@ Print Message - Sending its progress status to Bitbucket, (self time 260ms)
@ Print Message - Executing build state update python /var/lib/jenkins/workspace/Respiratory-Therapy-Pull-Request/python/send_bitbucket_build_status.py -770523ed8f72919ab27c979a5d40bc1cf9 IMPROGRESS (self time 21ms)
@ Print Message - python /var/lib/jenkins/workspace/Respiratory-Therapy-Pull-Request/python/send_bitbucket_build_status.py -71053ca3e48f72919ab27c979a5d40bc1cf9 IMPROGRESS (self time 40ms)
@ Print Message - Project ready to be checked out (self time 10ms)
@ Shell Script - Just checked it's Jenkins workspace/Respiratory-Therapy-Pull-Request - Open d: issue today, Project (self time 25ms)
@ Print Message - Verify directory /var/lib/jenkins/workspace/Respiratory-Therapy-Pull-Request/Respiratory-Therapy-Pull-Request/Wiley, Project (self time 10ms)
@ Print Message - Project ready to be checked out (self time 20ms)
@ Verify if we are in workspace /var/lib/jenkins/workspace/Respiratory-Therapy-Pull-Request/Respiratory-Therapy-Pull-Request/Wiley/Project (self time 10ms)
@ Print Message - $cd $workspace true (self time 17ms)
@ Print Message - Project already exists, Fetching latest changes... (self time 23ms)
@ Print Message - Current branch ready to checkout (self time 21ms)
@ Shell Script -- git fetch --tags --prune current (self time 20ms)
@ Shell Script -- -m if .git/rebase (self time 21ms)
@ Shell Script -- up -r fetch origin R7-370-Forage-Retrieve Scenario (self time 530ms)
@ Print Message - Checking out branch R7-370-Forage-Retrieve Scenario... (self time 1ms)
@ Shell Script -- up -r fetch ref --quiet refs/heads/R7-370-Forage-Retrieve Scenario | git show ref --verify --quiet refs/remotes/origin/R7-370-Forage-Retrieve Scenario (self time 103ms)
@ Shell Script -- -g remote ref --verify --quiet refs/heads/R7-370-Forage-Retrieve Scenario | git show ref --verify --quiet refs/remotes/origin/R7-370-Forage-Retrieve Scenario (self time 52ms)
@ Print Message - Default branch is determined to be 'main'. (self time 10ms)
@ Print Message - Fetching latest changes from origin... (self time 20ms)
@ Shell Script -- -g main ref --verify --quiet refs/heads/main (self time 52ms)
@ Shell Script -- -g head ref --verify --quiet refs/heads/main/up-to-date (self time 287ms)
@ Print Message - Checking if branch is up-to-date with main... (self time 26ms)
@ Shell Script -- -g merge base --is-ancestor origin/main @ (self time 200ms)
@ Print Message - Branch is up-to-date with main. (self time 30ms)
@ Shell Script -- up -r ls -A (self time 52ms)
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After (Shared Logger + Stage Message System Introduced)

- Each log message now includes emojis and prefixes like `Step Starting`, `Step Info`, `Step Completed`
- Output now follows a **structured, multi-level format** with clear context at every step
- Logging conventions such as `> Step Starting`, `✓ Step Executed`, `- Step Processing`, `⌚ ShellScript`, and `i Print Message` are used consistently
- Log blocks are grouped by semantic purpose — e.g., Bitbucket status updates, Git operations, environment setup
- Stage boundaries are visually obvious
 - Easier debugging
 - Faster collaboration and troubleshooting during reviews

Stage Logs (Jenkins Initialization)

```

@ Use a tool from a predefined Tool Installation - docker 8 [self time:33ms]
@ Fetches the environment variables for a given tool in a list of 'YAML' or 'string' suitable for the withEnv step. [self time:39ms]
@ Print Message --> Step Starting | Ver: 'DslScript' Print all Jenkins environment variables' (Execute) ... [self time:27ms]
@ (DslScript) Print all Jenkins environment variables - env [self time:29ms]
@ Print Message [self time:2ms]
@ Print Message [self time:31ms]
@ Print Message ----- STAGE Starting | Jenkins Initialization ----- [self time:20ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Starting | X-Event: 'pullrequestsubmitted' [self time:2ms]
@ Print Message --> Step Info | git rev-parse origin/TEST-111-merge | DslScript| Get remote branch 'TEST-111-merge' hash from origin' (Execute) ... [self time:25ms]
@ (DslScript) Get remote branch 'TEST-111-merge' hash from origin - git rev-parse origin/TEST-111-merge [self time:29ms]
@ Print Message --> Step Shell | Executed Result | Script| git rev-parse origin/TEST-111-merge Label| DslScript| Get remote branch 'TEST-111-merge' hash from origin| ReturnStdout: 8996193500a12d4e3da5d35e40c5735d65 | self time:23ms
@ Print Message -----> Step Starting | Configure Report Directory Environment Variable ... [self time:3ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Completed | REPO_URL: /var/lib/jenkins/workspace/test-Pipeline@HQJob/TEST-111-merge [self time:23ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Info | Get default branch name for origin remote' (Execute) ... [self time:33ms]
@ (DslScript) Get default branch name for 'origin' remote - git remote show origin | grep HEAD branch | awk '{print $NF}' Label| DslScript| Get default branch name for 'origin' remote| ReturnStdout: main | self time:23ms
@ Print Message -----> Step Info | DESTINATION_BRANCH| main | [self time:2ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Info | Extract ticket number from PR: TEST-111-merge | [self time:3ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Info | Get folder number: TEST-111 | [self time:26ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Starting | Get folder name: test-Pipeline-for-DovOpnPR-Test-Pipeline | [self time:30ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Info | Get folder name: test-Pipeline-for-DovOpn | [self time:25ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Starting | git remote | DslScript| Fetch all remote branches from origin' (Execute) ... [self time:27ms]
@ (DslScript) Fetch all remote branches from origin - git fetch origin [self time:53ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Shell | Executed Result | Successful Executed| git fetch origin | [self time:31ms]
@ Print Message -----> STEPS Completed Group | Set Up Environment Variables | [self time:25ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Starting | Bitbucket API Library Starting createBuildStatusForComment execution ... [self time:32ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Processing | BitbucketAPILibrary Target API URL: https://api.bitbucket.org/2.0/repositories/VAIRlab/pipeline-test/commits/PZ26517c1b40f5026d8baecc746902321602/statuses/build | [self time:26ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Processing | BitbucketAPILibrary Request Body: {"key": "458-Pull-Request", "state": "INPROGRESS", "description": "jetE5c(jetE5c In Progress)", "url": "https://jenkins.mentega.com/job/test-Pipeline-for-DovOpn@HQJob/build/1602"} | [self time:30ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Starting | Bitbucket API Service BitbucketAPIHelper execution started | [self time:24ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Processing | Bitbucket API Service Executing POST request to https://api.bitbucket.org/2.0/repositories/VAIRlab/pipeline-test/commits/PZ26517c1b40f5026d8baecc746902321602/statuses/build | [self time:3]
@ Print Message -----> Step Processing | Bitbucket API Service Response Status Code: 201 | [self time:7ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Processing | Bitbucket API Service Request successful. Status: 201 | [self time:27ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Processing | Bitbucket API Service HttpsResponse closed | [self time:2ms]
@ Print Message -----> Step Completed | BitbucketAPIHelper| BitbucketAPIHelper execution completed | [self time:29ms]
@ Print Message -----> STEPS Completed Group | Send Build Status to Bitbucket | [self time:35ms]
@ Print Message -----> Print Message -----> STAGE Completed | Jenkins Initialization | ----- [self time:16ms]

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