



# Ngelmak Thruline Core

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The **Ngelmak Thruline Core** is the heart of the Ngelmak ecosystem, responsible for handling the **social media logic** of the platform.

It manages posts, comments, likes, and user interactions, and integrates with other microservices through the API Gateway.

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## ⚙ Features

- 🗄 **Postgres Database** — Persistent storage for social media data
  - 🔑 **Vault Integration** — Secure management of secrets (JWT keys, DB credentials)
  - 📡 **Future-ready Messaging** — RabbitMQ & Kafka planned for event-driven communication
  - 🐳 **Dockerized Deployment** — Easy containerization and portability
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## 📦 Dependencies

- **Spring Boot** — Core framework
  - **Postgres** — Relational database
  - **Vault** — Secret management
  - **RabbitMQ / Kafka** — (planned) message brokers for async communication
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## 🔑 Vault Configuration (Short Doc)

Thruline Core uses **HashiCorp Vault** to fetch secrets (e.g., JWT signing key, DB credentials). Here's a minimal configuration example:

```
cloud:
  vault:
    uri: http://localhost:8200
    authentication: approle
    app-role:
      role-id: ${VAULT_ROLE_ID}
      secret-id: ${VAULT_SECRET_ID}
    kv:
      enabled: true
      backend: secret
      default-context: thruline-core
```

Steps:

1. Start Vault locally:

```
vault server -dev -dev-root-token-id=root
```

2. Enable KV secrets engine:

```
vault secrets enable -path=secret kv
```

3. Store secrets:

```
vault kv put secret/thruline-core db-username=postgres db-  
password=supersecret jwt-secret=myjwtsecret
```

4. Configure `VAULT_ROLE_ID` and `VAULT_SECRET_ID` in your environment.

For details please check out [Ngelmak-Vault](#) repository.

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## Dockerfile

A sample `Dockerfile` for building the Thruline Core service:

```
# --- Build Stage ---  
FROM maven:3.9.9-eclipse-temurin-21 AS builder  
  
WORKDIR /app  
  
# Copy Maven descriptor and download dependencies  
COPY pom.xml .  
RUN mvn dependency:go-offline -B  
  
# Copy source code and build  
COPY src ./src  
RUN mvn clean package  
  
# --- Runtime Stage ---  
FROM openjdk:21-jdk AS runner  
  
WORKDIR /app  
  
# Copy built JAR from builder stage  
COPY --from=builder ./app/target/*-SNAPSHOT.jar ./app.jar  
  
# Expose service port  
EXPOSE 4005
```

```
# Run the application
ENTRYPOINT ["java", "-jar", "app.jar"]
```

## Build & Run

```
# Build the JAR with Maven
mvn clean package -DskipTests

# Build Docker image
docker build -t ngelmak-thruline-core .

# Run container
docker run -p 4005:4005 ngelmak-thruline-core
```

This way, your final image is **lightweight** (only contains JDK + compiled JAR) while the heavy Maven build tools stay in the builder stage.



## Getting Started

### Prerequisites

- Java 17+
- Maven 3.8+
- Postgres running locally ([localhost:5432](#))
- Vault running locally ([localhost:8200](#))

### Run Locally

```
mvn spring-boot:run
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## Project Structure

```
Ngelmak-Thruline-Core/
├── src/main/java/.../thruline
│   ├── controller/      # REST endpoints
│   ├── service/         # Business logic
│   ├── repository/      # JPA repositories
│   └── config/           # Vault, DB, messaging configs
├── src/main/resources/
│   └── application.yml   # Configurations
├── Dockerfile            # Container build file
└── pom.xml               # Dependencies
```

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## 🔧 Roadmap

- ✔️ Postgres integration
  - ✔️ Vault secret management
  - 🚧 RabbitMQ integration for async messaging
  - 🚧 Kafka integration for event streaming
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## 📜 License

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Feel free to use and adapt it for your own microservice architecture.

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Would you like me to also add a **Mermaid diagram** showing how Thruline Core interacts with Postgres, Vault, and (eventually) RabbitMQ/Kafka? That could make the README more visual and easier to understand.