



Ngelmak Thruline Core

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.

⚙️ 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

📦 Dependencies

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

🔑 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:

```
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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.

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  
  
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# 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
```

🛠 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.

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.