

# FLIGHT BOOKING SYSTEM

*(Spring Boot WebFlux + Reactive MongoDB)*

## 1. Introduction

This document provides a complete overview of the Flight Booking System implemented using:

- Spring Boot WebFlux (Reactive, non-blocking)
- Reactive MongoDB
- Reactive Streams (Mono, Flux)
- JaCoCo for code coverage
- SonarQube for code quality
- JMeter for load testing

The system supports:

### User-side features:

- Search flights
- Book tickets with passenger details & seat selection
- Retrieve bookings via PNR
- View booking history using email or user ID
- Cancel bookings (with 24-hour rule)

### Admin-side features:

- Create and manage airlines
- Create and manage flights
- Automatic seat availability updates
- Retrieve flights by airline

This version is fully reactive, non-blocking, and optimized for high concurrency.

## 2. Features Overview

### 2.1 User Features

- Search flights using:
  - source airport
  - destination airport
  - journey date
- Book flight tickets with:
  - passenger list
  - seat selection
  - meal type
- Retrieve ticket via PNR (unique booking reference)
- Cancel booking
- View booking history:
  - by email
  - by user ID

### 2.2 Admin Features

- Add airline

- Add flight
- Modify airline
- Delete airline
- Get all flights for a specific airline

### 2.3 System Features

- Non-blocking, fully reactive
- Business validations
- Seat conflict detection
- Consistent seat availability management
- Global exception handling
- Auto-generated PNR codes

## 3. Architecture

The system follows a modular, clean, reactive architecture:

*Client → Controller → Service → Repository → MongoDB*

Layers Explained

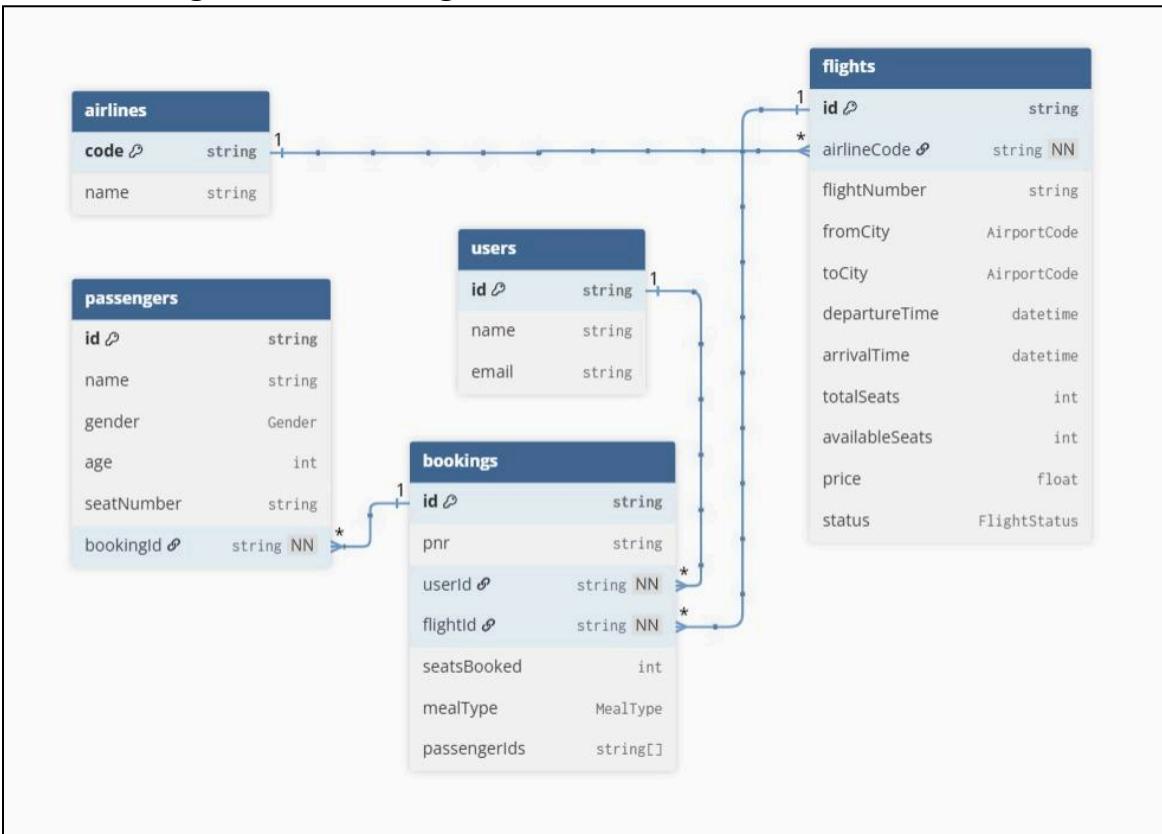
- Controller Layer  
Handles HTTP requests using Spring WebFlux.
- Service Layer  
Contains all business logic:
  - booking validation
  - seat conflict detection
  - cancellation rules
 Uses Mono and Flux.
- Repository Layer  
Uses ReactiveMongoRepository for:
  - asynchronous queries
  - reactive CRUD operations
- Entity Layer  
Defines MongoDB document models using:  
@Document, @Id, and validation annotations.
- Global Exception Handler  
Handles:
  - Validation errors
  - Not found
  - Seat conflicts
  - Business rule violations
- Testing Layer
  - WebFluxTest (controller)

- Reactor Test + StepVerifier (service)
- Mockito (mocking repositories)

#### 4. Technology Stack

Component	Technology
Backend	Spring Boot 3 + WebFlux
Database	MongoDB (Reactive)
ORM	Spring Data Reactive MongoDB
Testing	JUnit5, Mockito
Build Tool	Maven
Code Coverage	JaCoCo
Code Quality	SonarQube
Performance Testing	Apache JMeter
Java Version	Java 17

#### 5. Database Design - Reactive MongoDB



## Validation Rules Summary:

### Airline Validations:

- Code required
- Name required

### User Validations

- Name required
- Valid email format

### Flight Validations

- airlineCode: required, must exist
- fromCity != toCity
- departure < arrival
- departure > now
- totalSeats >= 1
- price >= 0

### Passenger Validations

- name required
- age = 1-120
- seatNumber = ^[A-Z][0-9]+\$
- No duplicate seat numbers in request
- No seat conflict with existing bookings

### Booking Validations

- user exists
- flight exists
- seatsBooked = passengers.length
- enough available seats
- booking prevented if conflict
- cancellation not allowed < 24 hours
- unique PNR per booking
- Reduce flight seats on success

## **5. API Documentation** (with sample input + positive outputs)

(this document only contains some of the api cases)

A dedicated document containing all APIs for every entity (Airline, User, Flight, Booking, Passenger) with complete positive and negative request/response examples is available here:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1FgRpyqi2NfTODbka28p0oVAvJWYLtPqGo84eZISM8KY/edit?usp=sharing>

## 5.1 Airline APIs

- Create Airline : POST /airlines

The screenshot shows a Postman interface for a POST request to `localhost:3000/airlines`. The request body is JSON:

```
1 {  
2   "code": "IN",  
3   "name": "Indigo"  
4 }
```

The response status is `201 Created`. The response body is:

```
1 IN
```

- Get All Airlines : GET /airlines

The screenshot shows a Postman interface for a GET request to `localhost:3000/airlines`. The response status is `200 OK`. The response body is JSON:

```
1 [  
2   {  
3     "code": "IN",  
4     "name": "Indigo"  
5   },  
6   {  
7     "code": "AIR123",  
8     "name": "Air India"  
9   }  
10 ]
```

➤ Update Airline : PUT /airlines/{code}

The screenshot shows a POSTMAN interface with the following details:

- Method:** PUT
- URL:** localhost:3000/airlines/AIR123
- Body:** JSON (shown in raw and JSON formats)
- Response:** 200 OK
- Preview:** Shows the updated airline object with code "AIR123" and name "Air India Updated".

```
1 {  
2   "name": "Air India Updated"  
3 }
```

```
1 {  
2   "code": "AIR123",  
3   "name": "Air India Updated"  
4 }
```

➤ Delete Airline : DELETE /airlines/{code} → 200 OK  
If not found → 404 Not Found (Airline Not Found)

The screenshot shows a POSTMAN interface with the following details:

- Method:** DELETE
- URL:** localhost:3000/airlines/IN
- Body:** none
- Response:** 200 OK
- Preview:** Shows a message indicating the request does not have a body.

This request does not have a body.

## 5.2 Flight APIs

- Add Flight : POST /flights/add

The screenshot shows a Postman interface for a POST request to `localhost:3000/flights/add`. The request body is JSON, containing flight details like airline code, flight number, departure and arrival times, seat counts, price, and status. The response status is `201 Created`, and the response body is a unique ID: `69246ab971a1f640fee9323f`.

```
1 {
2   "airlineCode": "AIR123",
3   "flightNumber": "AI-1000",
4   "fromCity": "HYD",
5   "toCity": "DEL",
6   "departureTime": "2026-02-10T10:00:00",
7   "arrivalTime": "2026-02-10T11:30:00",
8   "totalSeats": 190,
9   "availableSeats": 0,
10  "price": 10000,
11  "status": "SCHEDULED"
12 }
```

Body 201 Created

Raw Preview Visualize

1 69246ab971a1f640fee9323f

- Search Flights : POST /flights/search

The screenshot shows a Postman interface for a POST request to `localhost:3000/flights/search`. The request body is JSON, specifying a search from HYD to DEL on February 10, 2026. The response status is `200 OK`, and the response body is a unique ID: `69246ab971a1f640fee9323f`.

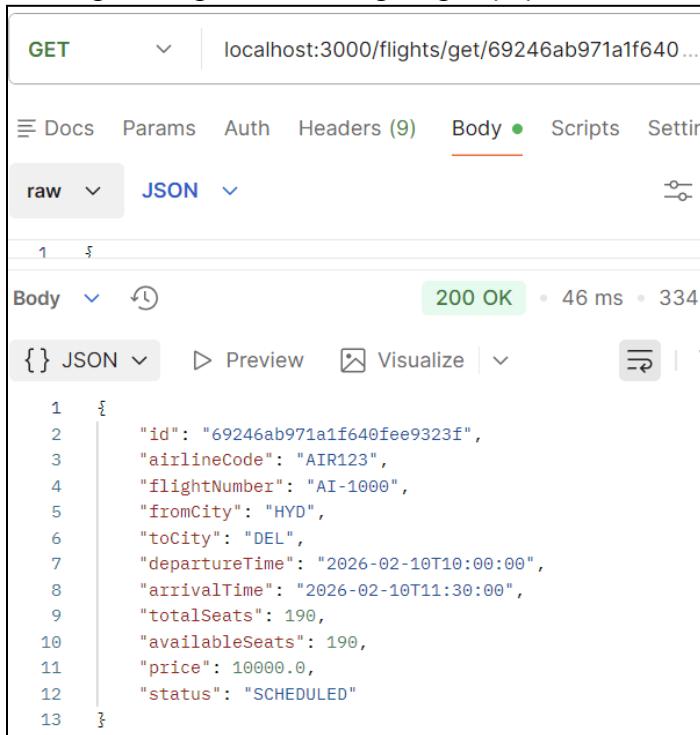
```
1 {
2   "from": "HYD",
3   "to": "DEL",
4   "date": "2026-02-10"
5 }
```

Body 200 OK

Raw Preview Visualize

1 69246ab971a1f640fee9323f

➤ Get Flight using id : GET /flights/get/{id}



GET localhost:3000/flights/get/69246ab971a1f640...

Docs Params Auth Headers (9) Body Scripts Settings

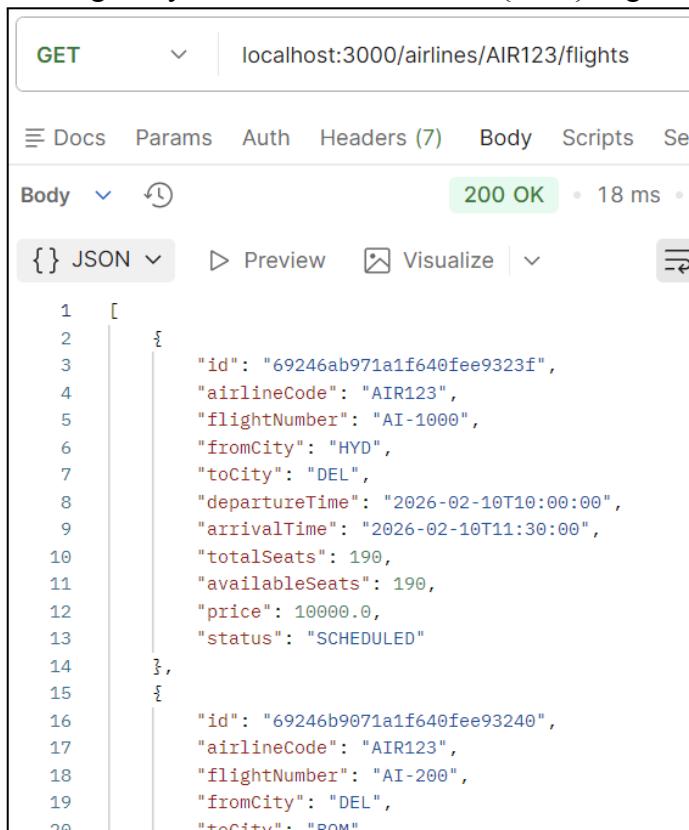
raw JSON

Body 200 OK 46 ms 334

{ } JSON ▾ Preview Visualize

```
1 {
2   "id": "69246ab971a1f640fee9323f",
3   "airlineCode": "AIR123",
4   "flightNumber": "AI-1000",
5   "fromCity": "HYD",
6   "toCity": "DEL",
7   "departureTime": "2026-02-10T10:00:00",
8   "arrivalTime": "2026-02-10T11:30:00",
9   "totalSeats": 190,
10  "availableSeats": 190,
11  "price": 10000.0,
12  "status": "SCHEDULED"
13 }
```

➤ Get Flights by Airline : GET /airlines/{code}/flights



GET localhost:3000/airlines/AIR123/flights

Docs Params Auth Headers (7) Body Scripts Settings

Body 200 OK 18 ms

{ } JSON ▾ Preview Visualize

```
1 [
2   {
3     "id": "69246ab971a1f640fee9323f",
4     "airlineCode": "AIR123",
5     "flightNumber": "AI-1000",
6     "fromCity": "HYD",
7     "toCity": "DEL",
8     "departureTime": "2026-02-10T10:00:00",
9     "arrivalTime": "2026-02-10T11:30:00",
10    "totalSeats": 190,
11    "availableSeats": 190,
12    "price": 10000.0,
13    "status": "SCHEDULED"
14  },
15  {
16    "id": "69246b9071a1f640fee93240",
17    "airlineCode": "AIR123",
18    "flightNumber": "AI-200",
19    "fromCity": "DEL",
20    "toCity": "BOM"
```

### 5.3 Booking APIs

- Create Booking : POST /bookings/create

The screenshot shows a Postman request for a POST method at `localhost:3000/bookings/create`. The request body is a JSON object representing a booking with two passengers. The response status is `201 Created` with a duration of `208 ms`. The response body contains the PNR number `PNRD0EC8626`.

```
POST localhost:3000/bookings/create

{
  "flightId": "69246ab971a1f640fee9323f",
  "userId": "69246aa771a1f640fee9323e",
  "seatsBooked": 2,
  "mealType": "VEG",
  "flightType": "ONE WAY",
  "passengers": [
    {
      "name": "yati",
      "gender": "F",
      "age": 21,
      "seatNumber": "A10"
    },
    {
      "name": "yagya",
      "gender": "M",
      "age": 21,
      "seatNumber": "A20"
    }
  ]
}

201 Created
208 ms

1 PNRD0EC8626
```

- Get Booking : GET /bookings/get/{pnr}

The screenshot shows a Postman request for a GET method at `localhost:3000/bookings/get/123456789`. The response status is `200 OK` with a duration of `31 ms`. The response body is a JSON object containing the booking details with passenger IDs.

```
GET localhost:3000/bookings/get/123456789

{
  "id": "69246c0271a1f640fee93241",
  "pnr": "123456789",
  "userId": "69246aa771a1f640fee9323e",
  "flightId": "69246ab971a1f640fee9323f",
  "seatsBooked": 2,
  "mealType": "VEG",
  "flightType": "ONE WAY",
  "passengerIds": [
    "69246c0271a1f640fee93242",
    "69246c0271a1f640fee93243"
  ]
}

200 OK
31 ms
326
```

➤ Cancel Booking : DELETE /bookings/cancel/{pnr}

The screenshot shows a Postman interface with a DELETE request to `localhost:3000/bookings/cancel/PNRD0EC8626`. The response status is 200 OK, with a duration of 45 ms and a size of 38 B. The raw response body is empty, indicated by the number 1.

➤ Booking History (email) : GET /bookings/history/email/{email}

The screenshot shows a GET request to `localhost:3000/bookings/history/email/yati@...`. The response status is 200 OK, with a duration of 15 ms and a size of 567 B. The raw response body contains a JSON array of two booking records.

```
[{"id": "69246cdd71a1f640fee93244", "pnr": "PNREC9AAB25", "userId": "69246aa771a1f640fee9323e", "flightId": "69246ab971a1f640fee9323f", "seatsBooked": 2, "mealType": "VEG", "flightType": "ONE_WAY", "passengerIds": ["69246cdd71a1f640fee93245", "69246cdd71a1f640fee93246"], {"id": "69246d2971a1f640fee93247", "pnr": "PNR2E40DE41", "userId": "69246aa771a1f640fee9323e", "flightId": "69246b9071a1f640fee93240", "seatsBooked": 1, "mealType": "NON_VEG", "flightType": "ONE_WAY", "passengerIds": ["69246d2971a1f640fee93248"]}]
```

➤ Booking History (userId) : GET /bookings/history/user/{userId}

The screenshot shows a GET request to `localhost:3000/bookings/history/user/69246a...`. The response status is 200 OK, with a duration of 16 ms and a size of 567 B. The raw response body contains a JSON array of two booking records, identical to the previous screenshot.

```
[{"id": "69246cdd71a1f640fee93244", "pnr": "PNREC9AAB25", "userId": "69246aa771a1f640fee9323e", "flightId": "69246ab971a1f640fee9323f", "seatsBooked": 2, "mealType": "VEG", "flightType": "ONE_WAY", "passengerIds": ["69246cdd71a1f640fee93245", "69246cdd71a1f640fee93246"], {"id": "69246d2971a1f640fee93247", "pnr": "PNR2E40DE41", "userId": "69246aa771a1f640fee9323e", "flightId": "69246b9071a1f640fee93240", "seatsBooked": 1, "mealType": "NON_VEG", "flightType": "ONE_WAY", "passengerIds": ["69246d2971a1f640fee93248"]}]
```

## 6. Code Coverage - JaCoCo - Overall Coverage: 91%

Element	Missed Instructions	Cov.	Missed Branches	Cov.	Missed	Cxty	Missed	Lines	Missed	Methods	Missed	Classes
com.flight.service	88%		60%		9	37	8	94	1	27	0	1
com.flight.controller	93%		n/a		2	27	3	49	2	27	0	3
com.flight.exception	94%		50%		2	12	1	24	1	11	0	4
com.flight	37%		n/a		1	2	2	3	1	2	0	1
com.flight.entity	100%		n/a		0	5	0	24	0	5	0	5
com.flight.request	100%		n/a		0	3	0	3	0	3	0	3
Total	83 of 979	91%	9 of 22	59%	14	86	14	197	5	75	0	17

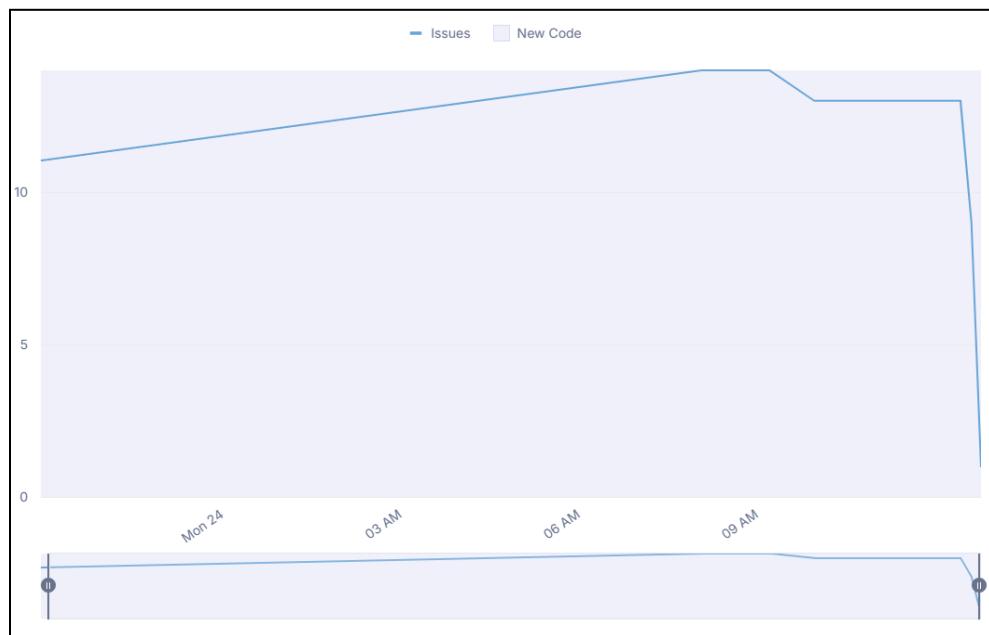
## 7. SonarQube Analysis

After Fixes :

The screenshot shows the SonarQube Cloud interface for the 'FlightBookingSystemWebFlux' project. The main summary page is displayed, indicating a 'Passed' status. Key metrics shown include:

- Security:** 1 Open issues (D)
- Reliability:** 0 Open issues (A)
- Maintainability:** 0 Open issues (A)
- Accepted Issues:** 0
- Coverage:** 0.0% (Note: A few extra steps are needed for SonarQube Cloud to analyze your code coverage. Set up coverage analysis.)
- Duplications:** 0.0% (No conditions set on 13k Lines)
- Security Hotspots:** 0

Issues over time :



## Before/During Fixes :

The image consists of three vertically stacked screenshots of the SonarQube 'Main Branch Summary' page for the project 'FlightBookingSystemWebFlux'.

**Top Screenshot (Before Fixes):**

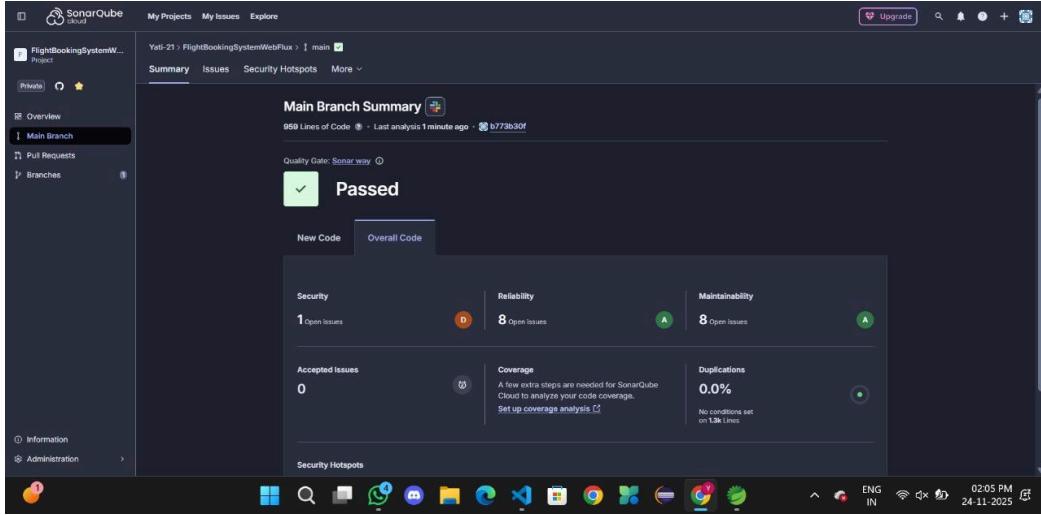
- Status:** Not computed
- Security:** 1 Open issues (D)
- Reliability:** 6 Open issues (D)
- Maintainability:** 8 Open issues (A)
- Accepted Issues:** 0
- Coverage:** A few extra steps are needed for SonarQube Cloud to analyze your code coverage. Set up coverage analysis.
- Duplications:** 0.0%
- Security Hotspots:** 1

**Middle Screenshot (During Fixes):**

- Status:** Failed
- New Code:** 2 failed
- Overall Code:**
- Security Rating:** Rating required A
- 6.42% Duplicated Lines (%)**
- New Issues:** 9
- Accepted Issues:** 0
- Coverage:** A few extra steps are needed for SonarQube Cloud to analyze your code coverage. Set up coverage analysis.
- Duplications:** 6.42%
- Security Hotspots:** 0

**Bottom Screenshot (After Fixes):**

- Status:** Passed
- Security:** 1 Open issues (D)
- Reliability:** 8 Open issues (A)
- Maintainability:** 13 Open issues (A)
- Accepted Issues:** 0
- Coverage:** A few extra steps are needed for SonarQube Cloud to analyze your code coverage. Set up coverage analysis.
- Duplications:** 0.0%
- Security Hotspots:** 0



## 8. JMeter Load Tests

### Thread Counts

- 1 Thread
- 20 Threads
- 50 Threads
- 100 Threads

### Endpoints Tested:

**GET Load Test : airlines/{airline code}/flights :: search all flights of a particular airline**

JMeter Test Plan for Reactive Flight Booking System

HTTP Request

Name: GET all flights of particular airline

Comments:

Basic | Advanced

Web Server

Protocol [http]: Server Name or IP: localhost Port Number: 3000

HTTP Request

Method: GET Path: /airlines/AIR123/flights

Parameters | Body Data | Files Upload

Send Parameters With the Request:

Name:	Value	URL Encode?	Content-Type	Include E
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View Results Tree

Name: View Results Tree

Comments:

Write results to file / Read from file

Filename:

Search: Case sensitive Regular exp. Search Reset

Text Sampler result Request Response data

Response Body Response headers

```
[{"id": "69246ab971a1f640fee9323f", "airlineCode": "AIR123", "flightNumber": "AI-1000", "fromCity": "HYD", "toCity": "DEL", "departureTime": "2026-02-10T10:00:00", "arrivalTime": "2026-02-10T11:30:00", "totalSeats": 190, "availableSeats": 188, "price": 1000.0, "status": "SCHEDULED"}, {"id": "69246b9071a1f640fee93240", "airlineCode": "AIR123", "flightNumber": "AI-200", "fromCity": "DEL", "toCity": "BOM", "departureTime": "2026-01-05T10:00:00", "arrivalTime": "2026-01-05T11:30:00", "totalSeats": 200, "availableSeats": 199, "price": 700.0, "status": "SCHEDULED"}]
```

1 thread:

Label	# Samples	Average	Min	Max	Std. Dev.	Error %	Throughput	Received KB/sec	Sent KB/sec	Avg. Bytes
GET all flights o...	1	21	21	21	0.00	0.00%	47.6/sec	29.16	6.28	627.0
TOTAL	1	21	21	21	0.00	0.00%	47.6/sec	29.16	6.28	627.0

20 threads:

Label	# Samples	Average	Min	Max	Std. Dev.	Error %	Throughput	Received KB/sec	Sent KB/sec	Avg. Bytes
GET all flights o...	20	11	8	15	1.92	0.00%	20.8/sec	12.76	2.75	627.0
TOTAL	20	11	8	15	1.92	0.00%	20.8/sec	12.76	2.75	627.0

50 threads:

Label	# Samples	Average	Min	Max	Std. Dev.	Error %	Throughput	Received KB/sec	Sent KB/sec	Avg. Bytes
GET all flights o...	50	11	7	21	2.29	0.00%	50.4/sec	30.83	6.64	627.0
TOTAL	50	11	7	21	2.29	0.00%	50.4/sec	30.83	6.64	627.0

100 threads:

Label	# Samples	Average	Min	Max	Std. Dev.	Error %	Throughput	Received KB/sec	Sent KB/sec	Avg. Bytes
GET all flights o...	100	11	7	31	4.39	0.00%	99.5/sec	60.93	13.12	627.0
TOTAL	100	11	7	31	4.39	0.00%	99.5/sec	60.93	13.12	627.0

## POST Load Test : /flights/search :: search all flights using to, from and date

1 thread :

Label	# Samples	Average	Min	Max	Std. Dev.	Error %	Throughput	Received KB/sec	Sent KB/sec	Avg. Bytes
POST request to s...	1	135	135	135	0.00	0.00%	7.4/sec	0.88	1.77	122.0
TOTAL	1	135	135	135	0.00	0.00%	7.4/sec	0.88	1.77	122.0

20 threads:

Label	# Samples	Average	Min	Max	Std. Dev.	Error %	Throughput	Received KB/sec	Sent KB/sec	Avg. Bytes
POST request to ...	20	16	11	23	3.13	0.00%	20.7/sec	2.47	4.95	122.0
TOTAL	20	16	11	23	3.13	0.00%	20.7/sec	2.47	4.95	122.0

50 threads:

Label	# Samples	Average	Min	Max	Std. Dev.	Error %	Throughput	Received KB/sec	Sent KB/sec	Avg. Bytes
POST request to ...	50	12	8	21	2.61	0.00%	50.5/sec	6.01	12.07	122.0
TOTAL	50	12	8	21	2.61	0.00%	50.5/sec	6.01	12.07	122.0

100 threads:

Label	# Samples	Average	Min	Max	Std. Dev.	Error %	Throughput	Received KB/sec	Sent KB/sec	Avg. Bytes
POST request to ...	100	14	7	64	9.66	0.00%	99.0/sec	11.80	23.69	122.0
TOTAL	100	14	7	64	9.66	0.00%	99.0/sec	11.80	23.69	122.0

## DELETE Load Test : /bookings/cancel/{PNR} :: cancel booking using pnr number

The screenshot shows the JMeter Test Plan interface. On the left, there's a tree view of the test plan with nodes for different types of requests (HTTP, CSV Data, etc.) and summary reports. A specific node under 'HTTP Request' is highlighted in red. The main panel shows configuration for this request, including the protocol (HTTP), path ('bookings/cancel/{PNR}'), and method (DELETE). Parameters and headers are also defined. Below the configuration, there are tabs for 'Sampler result', 'Request', and 'Response data'.

1 thread :

Label	# Samples	Average	Min	Max	Std. Dev.	Error %	Throughput	Received KB/sec	Sent KB/sec	Avg. Bytes
HTTP Request	1	61	61	61	0.00	0.00%	16.4/sec	0.61	3.60	38.0
TOTAL	1	61	61	61	0.00	0.00%	16.4/sec	0.61	3.60	38.0

20 threads :

Label	# Samples	Average	Min	Max	Std. Dev.	Error %	Throughput	Received KB/sec	Sent KB/sec	Avg. Bytes
HTTP Request	20	12	8	21	3.91	95.00%	20.7/sec	1.98	4.55	97.8
TOTAL	20	12	8	21	3.91	95.00%	20.7/sec	1.98	4.55	97.8

The screenshot displays two side-by-side 'Text' panes from the JMeter results viewer. Both panes show the details of individual HTTP requests. The left pane lists 20 successful requests, each with a green checkmark. The right pane shows a single failed request with a red error icon, indicating a status code of 404 and a message 'Not Found'. Both panes provide detailed information such as sample start times, connect times, latencies, and response sizes.

50 threads :

Label	# Samples	Average	Min	Max	Std. Dev.	Error %	Throughput	Received KB/sec	Sent KB/sec	Avg. Bytes
HTTP Request	50	8	6	15	2.20	100.00%	50.2/sec	4.95	11.02	101.0
TOTAL	50	8	6	15	2.20	100.00%	50.2/sec	4.95	11.02	101.0

100 threads :

Label	# Samples	Average	Min	Max	Std. Dev.	Error %	Throughput	Received KB/sec	Sent KB/sec	Avg. Bytes
HTTP Request	100	7	5	13	1.86	100.00%	99.8/sec	9.84	21.93	101.0
TOTAL	100	7	5	13	1.86	100.00%	99.8/sec	9.84	21.93	101.0

## 9. Conclusion

This project demonstrates a fully reactive, scalable backend system using Spring WebFlux and Reactive MongoDB, covering:

- Robust business logic
- Reactive patterns
- Clean architecture
- Strong validation
- High test coverage
- Performance testing
- Complete API design