

## IBM® WEBSphere® APPLICATION SERVER V6.1 – LAB EXERCISE

**Lab 06 - Fine-grained Administrative Security**

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**What this exercise is about**

The objective of this lab is to provide you with an understanding of the new fine-grained administrative security feature in WebSphere Application Server V6.1. You will gain hands on experience managing users, resources, and authorization groups using the wsadmin commands. Specifically, you will create new authorization groups and add resources and users to the authorization groups. You will also test user access and management capabilities based on the new security configuration.

**Lab Requirements**

List of system and software required for the student to complete the lab.

- WebSphere Application Server Network Deployment V6.1 installed.
- You will need to have a cell environment created that contains:
  - A deployment manager with administrative security enabled.
  - A node with the default application installed.
  - Note that this environment is created as a part of the installation lab.

**What you should be able to do**

At the end of this lab you should be able to:

- Create authorization groups.
- Add users and resources to authorization groups using the wsadmin commands.

- Restrict user access to specific application servers using the new fine-grained administrative security capabilities.

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## Introduction

In versions of WebSphere Application Server prior to WAS V6.1, only a single user registry is available for the WAS security realm associated with a WAS cell. In WAS V6.1 the Virtual Member Manager allows for the aggregation of multiple underlying registries into a single logical registry for the WAS security realm.

This lab will demonstrate the configuration of a federated repository by adding a LDAP based registry to the file based registry that is used by default in WAS V6.1 when security is enabled.

In previous releases of WebSphere Application Server, users with administrative privileges had authority to administer all of the resources in a cell. In other words, administrative security was maintained at the cell level. WebSphere Application Server V6.1 offers a more fine-grained approach to administrative security. Users can now be defined to administrative roles on a specific set of resources, such as a cell, node group, node, cluster, server, or even an application.

To achieve this instance-based fine-grained security, resources that require the same privileges are placed in a group called the administrative authorization group or authorization group. Users can be granted access to the authorization group by assigning to them the required administrative role.

In this lab, we will be using the wsadmin command to configure fine-grained administrative security. **Fine-grained administrative security functionality is not implemented in the Administrative Console; it is only available through the wsadmin scripting interface.**

In this lab, we will create authorization groups, allocate resources to those authorization groups, and assign the users to the proper groups. This will all be accomplished using wsadmin commands.

## Part 1: Change the Registry to LDAP

In this part of the lab, we change the security registry from the default file based registry to a LDAP server.

**NOTE:** If you have stopped the deployment manager or the node agent you will need to start both of these prior to running this lab. Please refer to the instructions in the Systems Management lab if you don't know how to do so.

1. From the SLES desktop, locate the panel at the bottom of the workspace and select the Firefox browser icon and click on the icon as shown below.

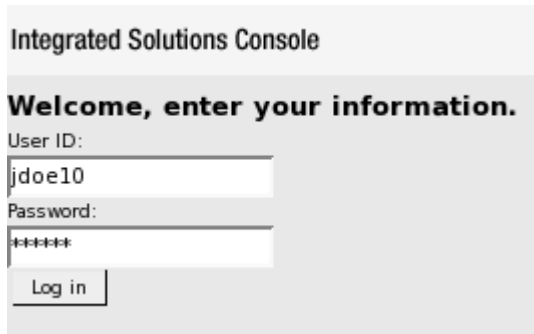


**Note:** The browser home page should already be set for <https://localhost:9043/ibm/console>. If the WAS adminconsole doesn't start automatically you will need to enter the URL.

2. When the browser starts if you're presented with the Unknown Authority for the Cert warning as shown below and click on **OK**.



- \_\_\_\_ 3. Login as the user “jdoe10” with the password “jdoe10” as shown below and click **Login in**

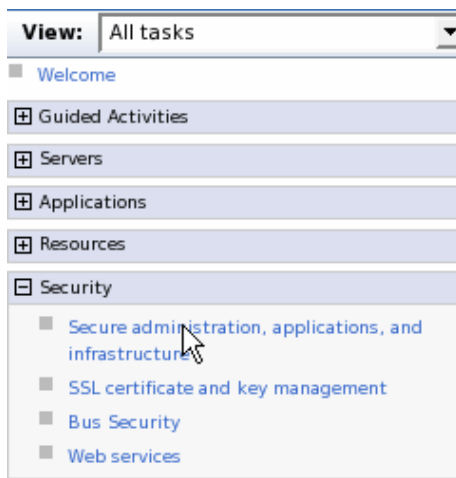


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**NOTE:** While you'll likely be tempted to do so since the passwords are the same as the User ID, when entering the User ID and password in the console or in command line dialog boxes do not attempt to copy and paste the User ID into the password. In developing this lab material and delivering it, there have been problems using copy and paste for this purpose. It's not clear if this is related to Linux or VMWare or a combination of the two, but it has occurred often enough and slowed completion of the exercises that it's best to avoid the problem.

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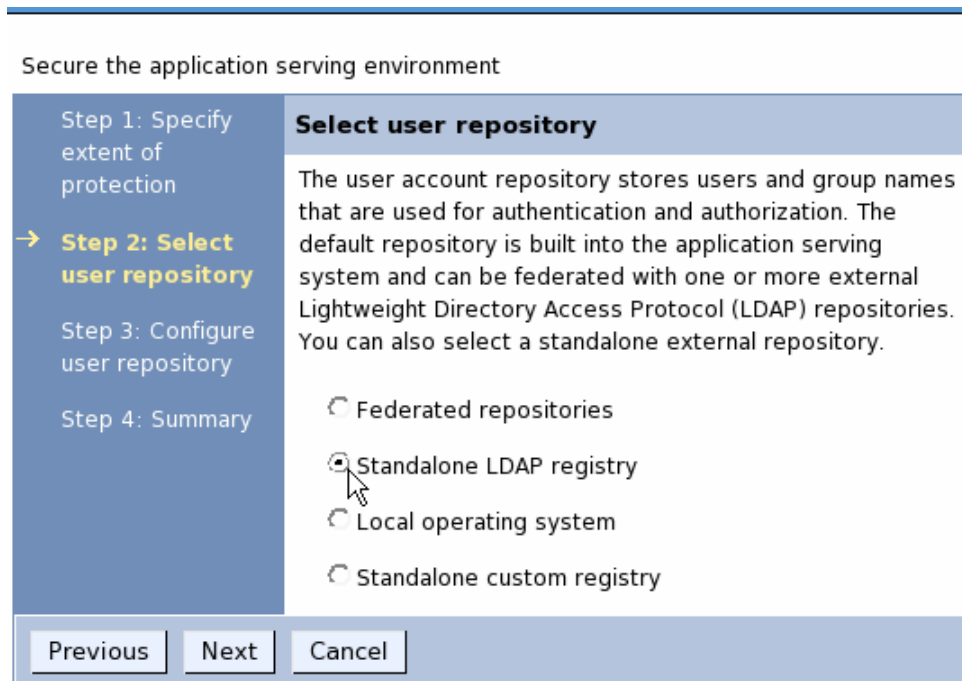
- \_\_\_\_ 4. Expand the **Security** tasks in the left panel, and click **Security administration, applications and infrastructure** as shown below



- \_\_\_\_ 5. In the right hand panel, Click **Security Configuration Wizard** as shown below



- \_\_\_\_ 6. Click **Next** for Step 1 of the Security Configuration Wizard (we will not be enabling application security or Java 2 security)
- \_\_\_\_ 7. In Step 2 of the Security Configuration Wizard select **Standalone LDAP Registry** and click **Next** as shown below



- \_\_\_\_ 8. Specify the following values as shown below
  - \_\_ a. **jdoe9** as the Primary Administrative User
  - \_\_ b. **Sun ONE** as the Type of LDAP Server

**NOTE:** We are **not** actually using Sun ONE as the LDAP server. Open LDAP, which is included with the SUSE Linux distribution, is being used. In order to simplify the configuration of LDAP in WAS, the LDAP structure created looks like Sun ONE to WAS. If we hadn't created the directory to look like Sun ONE we would have needed to perform additional configuration in order to use Open LDAP.

\_\_\_ c. **hostA** as the host

\_\_\_ d. **dc=ibm,dc=com** as the Base Distinguished Name

Secure the application serving environment

<p>Step 1: Specify extent of protection</p> <p>Step 2: Select user repository</p> <p>→ <b>Step 3: Configure user repository</b></p> <p>Step 4: Summary</p>	<p><b>Configure user repository</b></p>
	<p>The repository stores users and group names that are used for authentication and authorization. The application server infrastructure can register users and groups. If security was previously enabled using this repository, provide the name of a user with administrator privileges that is in the repository.</p> <p>* Primary administrative user name  <input type="text" value="jdoe9"/></p> <p>* Type of LDAP server  <input type="text" value="Sun ONE"/></p> <p>* Host  <input type="text" value="hostA"/></p> <p>Port  <input type="text" value="389"/></p> <p>Base distinguished name (DN)  <input type="text" value="dc=ibm,dc=com"/></p>

\_\_\_ e. Click **Next**

\_\_\_ 9. Click **Finish** on the Summary page for the Security Configuration Wizard

\_\_\_ 10. Click **Configure** for the Standalone LDAP Registry as shown below

[Security Configuration Wizard](#) [Security Configuration Report](#)

**Administrative security**  
☒ Enable administrative security

- [Administrative User Roles](#)
- [Administrative Group Roles](#)


**Application security**  
☐ Enable application security


**Java 2 security**  
☐ Use Java 2 security to restrict application access to local resources


- ☒ Warn if applications are granted custom permissions
- ☐ Restrict access to resource authentication data


**User account repository**  
Current realm definition  
Standalone LDAP registry  
Available realm definitions  
Standalone LDAP registry  [Configure](#) [Set as current](#)

11. Click **Test Connection**, you should see results as shown below indicating the test connection was successful. If this is not the case then you will need to validate your entries for LDAP from Step 8

 Messages


 The test connection operation for LDAP host hostA on port 389 was successful.

 After changing the active user registry settings, click Apply on the Secure administration, applications, and infrastructure panel.

 Changes have been made to your local configuration. You can:

- [Save](#) directly to the master configuration.
- [Review](#) changes before saving or discarding.

An option to synchronize the configuration across multiple nodes after saving can be enabled in [Preferences](#).

 The server may need to be restarted for these changes to take effect.

12. Click **OK** at the bottom of the page to return to the Security Configuration Dialog

13. Click **Set as current** as shown below. Doing so changes the current registry from the file based registry to the LDAP registry we just configured.

**Administrative security**

☒ Enable administrative security

- [Administrative User Roles](#)
- [Administrative Group Roles](#)

**Application security**

☐ Enable application security

**Java 2 security**

☐ Use Java 2 security to restrict application access to local resources

- ☒ Warn if applications are granted custom permissions
- ☐ Restrict access to resource authentication data

**User account repository**

Current realm definition

Standalone LDAP registry

Available realm definitions

Standalone LDAP registry

Configure Set as current

14. Click **Apply**, you should see messages as shown below.



## Secure administration, applications, and infrastructure

## Messages

⚠ The domain name for single signon is not defined. The Web browser defaults the domain to the application server host name. Single signon is restricted to the application server host names in the domain.

⚠ The security configuration is enabled or modified in a Network Deployment environment. To ensure that all the processes in this environment have the same security run-time settings, follow these steps: 1) Stop the processes. 2) Apply the security configuration changes. 3) Restart the processes. 4) Restart the entire cell, including the deployment manager, node agents, and Application Servers. 5) Restart the cell; restart the deployment manager and node agents first, then Application Servers.

⚠ If the Restrict access to local resources option is not enabled, the Java virtual machine is not protected. For example, applications can read and write to files on file systems, listen to the Server process, and so on. However, by enabling the Restrict access to local resources option, applications can run if the required permissions are not granted to the applications.

ℹ If any of the fields are changed, save the configuration and then stop and restart the server.

⚠ Changes have been made to your local configuration. You can:

- [Save](#) directly to the master configuration.
- [Review](#) changes before saving or discarding.

An option to synchronize the configuration across multiple nodes after saving can be enabled.

⚠ The server may need to be restarted for these changes to take effect.

\_\_\_\_ 15. **Save** your changes and **synchronize** your changes with the node.

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**NOTE:** If you don't synchronize the cell configuration at this point, when you attempt to restart the Node Agent it will not have the correct security configuration and will not start. You can correct this once the Deployment Manager is restarted by executing the command line `./synchNode.sh hostA` from the node agent profile bin directory. When you do so, you will be prompted for a userid and password. Use **jdoe9** and **jdoe9**, since that is the userid and password for the administrative user we're now using from the LDAP directory. Do not use **jdoe10**, since that user is in the file based registry which is not longer in use.

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\_\_\_\_ 16. Log out of the browser.

\_\_\_\_ 17. Stop and start the Deployment Manager

- \_\_\_\_ a. Issue the command `./stopManager.sh` from the `/opt/IBM/WAS61/AppServer/profiles/Dmgr01/bin` directory
- \_\_\_\_ b. When prompted for a user ID use **jdoe10** and **jdoe10** for the password.

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**NOTE:** jdoe10 is used since the current running process was booted using the file based registry. After we stop the deployment manager and node agent using jdoe10 the file based registry will no longer be used.

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- \_\_\_ c. Issue the the command **./startManager.sh** from the  
**/opt/IBM/WAS61/AppServer/profiles/Dmgr01/bin** directory

\_\_\_ 18. Stop and start the Node Agent

- \_\_\_ a. Issue the command **./stopNode.sh** from the  
**/opt/IBM/WAS61/AppServer/profiles/AppSvr01/bin** directory
- \_\_\_ b. When prompted for a user ID use **jdoe10** and **jdoe10** for the password.
- \_\_\_ c. Issue the command **./startNode.sh** from the  
**/opt/IBM/WAS61/AppServer/profiles/AppSvr01/bin** directory

\_\_\_ 19. Open Firefox and log in as the user ID **jdoe9** with the password **jdoe9**. Recall that you're no longer using the file based registry which had the user ID **jdoe10**.

\_\_\_ 20. Log out and close the browser.

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## Part 2: Start wsadmin

\_\_\_ 1. Start the wsadmin environment.

\_\_\_ a. Open a command shell and cd to the bin directory for the deployment manager.

```
cd /opt/IBM/WAS61/AppServer/profiles/Dmgr1/bin.
```

\_\_\_ b. Start a wsadmin shell with the command

```
wsadmin -user jdoe9 -password jdoe9
```

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**NOTE:** Optionally you can leave off the user and password information and use jdoe9 for the user ID and password when prompted. .

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\_\_\_ c. If this is the first time that you've invoked the wsadmin client with a secured deployment manager, you will see an SSL signer exchange prompt that allows you to add the signer to the trust store. If this prompt appears, reply with **y** to add the signer to the trust store.

\_\_\_ d. Check to see if the DefaultApplication is installed with the following command

```
$AdminApp list
```

\_\_\_ e. If the DefaultApplication is installed, uninstall it using the commands

```
$AdminApp uninstall DefaultApplication
```

```
$AdminConfig save
```

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**NOTE:** The reason for uninstalling the DefaultApplication and reinstalling it is to make sure it's installed on the server that corresponds to the ResourceGroups that will be created later in this lab.

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\_\_\_ f. Install the DefaultApplication using installInteractive command as shown below

```
$AdminApp installInteractive  
/opt/IBM/WAS61/AppServer/installableApps/DefaultApplication.ear
```

Accept the Defaults EXCEPT for the Application name and module to server mapping

\_\_\_ 1) Enter **DefaultApplication** for the Application name as shown below

```
Application name: [DefaultApplication.ear]: DefaultApplication  
Setting "Application name" to "DefaultApplication"
```

\_\_\_ 2) Enter **[WebSphere:cell=hostACell01,node=hostANode01,server=STEWServer1]** as the server name for the Increment Enterprise Java Bean Module as shown below

\_\_\_ 3) Enter **[WebSphere:cell=hostACell01,node=hostANode01,server=STEWServer1]** as the server name for the Default Web Module as shown below

## Task[2]: Selecting servers

Specify targets such as application servers or clusters of application servers where you want to install the modules that are contained in your application. Modules can be installed on the same application server or dispersed among several application servers.

Also, specify the Web servers as targets that serve as routers for requests to this application. The plug-in configuration file (plugin-cfg.xml) for each Web server is generated based on the applications that are routed through.

Module: Increment Enterprise Java Bean

URI: Increment.jar,META-INF/ejb-jar.xml

Server: [WebSphere:cell=hostACell01,node=hostACellManager01,server=dmgr]:

**[WebSphere:cell=hostACell01,node=hostANode01,server=STEWServer1]**

Setting "Server" to "WebSphere:cell=hostACell01,node=hostANode01,server=STEWServer1"

Module: Default Web Application

URI: DefaultWebApplication.war,WEB-INF/web.xml

Server: [WebSphere:cell=hostACell01,node=hostACellManager01,server=dmgr]:

**[WebSphere:cell=hostACell01,node=hostANode01,server=STEWServer1]**

Setting "Server" to "WebSphere:cell=hostACell01,node=hostANode01,server=STEWServer1"

\_\_\_4) Continue to accept the default values until the application is installed as shown below

ADMA5016I: Installation of DefaultApplication started.

ADMA5058I: Application and module versions are validated with versions of deployment targets.

ADMA5005I: The application DefaultApplication is configured in the WebSphere Application Server repository.

ADMA5053I: The library references for the installed optional package are created.

ADMA5005I: The application DefaultApplication is configured in the WebSphere Application Server repository.

ADMA5001I: The application binaries are saved in

/opt/IBM/WAS61/AppServer/profiles/Dmgr01/wstemp/Script10bcf7fa9ec/workspace/cells/hostACell01/applications/DefaultApplication.ear/DefaultApplication.ear

ADMA5005I: The application DefaultApplication is configured in the WebSphere Application Server repository.

SECJ0400I: Successfully updated the application DefaultApplication with the appContextIDForSecurity information.

ADMA5011I: The cleanup of the temp directory for application DefaultApplication is complete.

ADMA5013I: Application DefaultApplication installed successfully.

\_\_\_ g. Save the configuration with the command

**\$AdminConfig save**

\_\_\_ h. Keep this command prompt open because we will be using this wsadmin scripting environment to complete the rest of the lab. From this point on, all of the commands in the lab should be run in this scripting environment, unless otherwise noted.

## Part 3: Create authorization groups

\_\_\_ 2. Create the authorization groups **server1group** and **server2group**.

- \_\_\_ a. In these steps, we will be creating authorization groups; we will be adding resources to these authorization groups later. Only a user ID with cell wide administrative security has the ability to create, add, or change authorization groups.

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**NOTE:** To see help for the authorization group commands, enter the following command at the wsadmin prompt: `$AdminTask help AuthorizationGroupCommands`

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\_\_\_ b. Create the new authorization group **server1group**.

```
$AdminTask createAuthorizationGroup {-authorizationGroupName
server1group}
```

\_\_\_ c. Create the new authorization group **server2group**.

```
$AdminTask createAuthorizationGroup {-authorizationGroupName
server2group}
```

\_\_\_ 3. Verify that the correct authorization groups have been created.

```
$AdminTask listAuthorizationGroups
```

The output from the command should list **server1group** and **server2group**.

\_\_\_ 4. Save the configuration

```
$AdminConfig save
```

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**NOTE:** As an alternative to entering the commands as shown in a wsadmin shell, you might find it quicker to invoke wsadmin using the `-c` (command) option, which will allow you to recall the command in the Linux shell using the up arrow key to recall, using the left and right arrow keys to navigate to the portion of text to be changed and then only changing the portion of the command that needs to change. **Using the “-c” option as show is recommended; it is much easier to correct mistakes and will allow you to complete the lab much faster.** Below is the output from doing so.

```
hostA:/opt/IBM/WAS61/AppServer/profiles/Dmgr01/bin # ./wsadmin.sh -c '$AdminTask
createAuthorizationGroup { -authorizationGroupName server1group } ' -username jdoe9 -password
jdoe9
```

```
WASX7209I: Connected to process "dmgr" on node hostACellManager01 using SOAP connector; The
type of process is: DeploymentManager
cells/hostACell01/authorizationgroups/server1group|authorizationgroup.xml#AuthorizationGroup_1150230
572408
```

```
hostA:/opt/IBM/WAS61/AppServer/profiles/Dmgr01/bin # ./wsadmin.sh -c '$AdminTask
createAuthorizationGroup { -authorizationGroupName server2group } ' -username jdoe9 -password
jdoe9
```

```
WASX7209I: Connected to process "dmgr" on node hostACellManager01 using SOAP connector; The
type of process is: DeploymentManager
cells/hostACell01/authorizationgroups/server2group|authorizationgroup.xml#AuthorizationGroup_1150230
614390
```

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```
hostA:/opt/IBM/WAS61/AppServer/profiles/Dmgr01/bin # ./wsadmin.sh -c '$AdminTask  
listAuthorizationGroups ' -username jdoe9 -password jdoe9
```

WASX7209I: Connected to process "dmgr" on node hostACellManager01 using SOAP connector; The type of process is: DeploymentManager

server1group

server2group

```
hostA:/opt/IBM/WAS61/AppServer/profiles/Dmgr01/bin # ./wsadmin.sh -c '$AdminConfig save ' -  
username jdoe9 -password jdoe9
```

WASX7209I: Connected to process "dmgr" on node hostACellManager01 using SOAP connector; The type of process is: DeploymentManager

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## Part 4: Configure authorization groups

Now that we've created our authorization groups, we can add resources to those authorization groups and assign users to specific roles. .

### 1. Add server resources to the activation groups.

- \_\_\_ a. The resources that we are configuring security for are the servers in the cell. Add the **STEWServer1** server to **server1group** and the second server **STEWServer2** to **server2group**. Use the following command to add the resource **STEWServer1** to **server1group**.

```
$AdminTask addResourceToAuthorizationGroup {-authorizationGroupName
server1group -resourceName Server=STEWServer1 }
```

- \_\_\_ b. Use the following command to add the resource **STEWServer2** to **server2group**.

```
$AdminTask addResourceToAuthorizationGroup {-authorizationGroupName
server2group -resourceName Server=STEWServer2}
```

### 2. Assign users roles in the activation groups.

- \_\_\_ a. We will be assigning two roles to each of the server administrator users that exist in the LDAP directory. Assigning a user the **administrator** role allows that user to manage the resources in the activation group; assigning the user the **adminsecuritymanager** role allows the user to manage the roles of other users in the activation group. The following two commands will assign both the **administrator** and the **adminsecuritymanager** roles to **srv1admin** for **server1group**.

```
$AdminTask mapUsersToAdminRole {-authorizationGroupName server1group
-roleName administrator -userids jdoe1}
```

```
$AdminTask mapUsersToAdminRole {-authorizationGroupName server1group
-roleName adminsecuritymanager -userids jdoe1}
```

- \_\_\_ b. The following two commands will assign both the **administrator** and the **adminsecuritymanager** roles to **srv2admin** for **server2group**.

```
$AdminTask mapUsersToAdminRole {-authorizationGroupName server2group
-roleName administrator -userids jdoe2}
```

```
$AdminTask mapUsersToAdminRole {-authorizationGroupName server2group
-roleName adminsecuritymanager -userids jdoe2}
```

- \_\_\_ c. In this step, we will give the **celladmin** user the authority to manage all of the resources and activation groups in the cell. This is accomplished by giving the user special authorities in the **CellAuthorizationGroup**. Note that we did not have to create this activation group; it already existed as a part of the cell. As above, we will give the **jdoe3** user both **administrator** and **adminsecuritymanager** authority. The **adminsecuritymanager** role is required for the **celladmin** user to be able to manage authorization groups. Use these two commands to configure the roles for the **jdoe3** user:

```
$AdminTask mapUsersToAdminRole {-authorizationGroupName
CellAuthorizationGroup -roleName administrator -userids jdoe3}
```

```
$AdminTask mapUsersToAdminRole {-authorizationGroupName
CellAuthorizationGroup -roleName adminsecuritymanager -userids jdoe3
}
```

### 3. Add the default application to server1group.

- \_\_\_ a. In order for a user to be able to manage an application installed on a server, that application resource needs to be added to the authorization group. It is not enough just for the server

resource to be a part of the authorization group; the application must be explicitly added. Applications do not inherit security roles from the server on which they are deployed.

- \_\_\_ b. Add the default application to the **server1group** authorization group using the following command:

```
$AdminTask addResourceToAuthorizationGroup {-authorizationGroupName
server1group -resourceName Application=DefaultApplication}
```

- \_\_\_ 4. Save the configuration to the master repository.

```
$AdminConfig save
```

- \_\_\_ 5. Refresh the memory on all running servers.

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**NOTE:** The commands in this step cannot be run with a `-c` option in `wsadmin`, if you have been using the `wsadmin -c` method shown above, you will need to open a `wsadmin` shell for the following two commands, then you can exit `wsadmin` for the remainder of the exercise and use `wsadmin -c '<commands>'`.

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- \_\_\_ a. After making any changes to authorization groups, the `AuthorizationGroupManager` must be notified. This can be done while a server is running without requiring a restart. First, submit a query to gather the information on what needs to be refreshed.

```
set a [$AdminControl queryNames
type=AuthorizationGroupManager,process=dmgr,*]
```

- \_\_\_ b. Next, perform the actual refresh, based on the query results.

```
$AdminControl invoke $a refreshAll
```

- \_\_\_ 6. Verify the authorization group configuration.

- \_\_\_ a. Check to see that the user **jdoe1** has authorization to the appropriate resources. You should see that `srv1admin` has both **adminsecuritymanager** and **administrator** authority to: the `server1group` authorization group, the server `STEWServer1`, and the default application installed on that server.

```
$AdminTask listResourcesForUserID {-userid jdoe1 }
```

- \_\_\_ b. Verify that the **server1group** contains the appropriate resources. It should contain three resources: the authorization group itself, the server, and the default application.

```
$AdminTask listResourcesOfAuthorizationGroup {-authorizationGroupName
server1group}
```

- \_\_\_ c. Check to see that the user **jdoe2** has authorization to the appropriate resources. You should see that `jdoe2` has both **adminsecuritymanager** and **administrator** authority to the `server2group` authorization group and the server `server2`. Notice that `jdoe2` does not have any administrative privileges for the default application because we did not add the default application to the `server2group` authorization group.

```
$AdminTask listResourcesForUserID {-userid jdoe2}
```



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## Part 5: Test fine-grained administrative security settings

\_\_\_ 1. Use wsadmin commands to manage application servers.

- \_\_\_ a. Use the following command to list the servers to which jdoe3 is authorized. This ID should be able to list all of the servers in the cell, including the deployment manager, the node agent, and the two application servers.

```
wsadmin -user jdoe3 -password jdoe3 -c '$AdminConfig list Server'
```

- \_\_\_ b. Use the following command to list the servers to which **jdoe1** is authorized. The only server that should show up in the list is **STEWServer1**.

```
wsadmin -user jdoe1 -password jdoe1 -c 'AdminConfig list Server'
```

- \_\_\_ c. Similarly, use the following command to show that the only server to which **jdoe2** is authorized is **STEWServer2**.

```
wsadmin -user jdoe2 -password jdoe2 -c "$AdminConfig list Server"
```

- \_\_\_ d. Try to start STEWServer2 using the jdoe1 ID. This operation should fail because jdoe1 does not have the appropriate authority to start the server.

```
./wsadmin.sh -user jdoe1 -password jdoe1 -c '$AdminControl  
startServer STEWServer2 hostANode01'
```

WASX7209I: Connected to process "dmgr" on node hostACellManager01 using SOAP connector;  
The type of process is: DeploymentManager

WASX7015E: Exception running command: "\$AdminControl startServer STEWServer2  
hostANode01"; exception information:

com.ibm.ws.scripting.ScriptingException: WASX7255E: Cannot find server "STEWServer2" in  
configuration data.

- \_\_\_ e. Now start STEWServer1 using the jdoe1 admin ID. This operation should complete successfully.

```
wsadmin -user jdoe1 -password jdoe1 -c ` $AdminControl startServer  
STEWServer1 hostANode01 `
```

## What you did in this exercise

In this lab, you performed the following activities:

- Configured WAS to use LDAP
- Created user IDs to manage portions of a cell.
- Created authorization groups, added existing resources to the authorization groups, and assigned the newly created users to specific roles in the activation groups.
- Examined security settings in the administrative console.
- Tested security settings using wsadmin commands to:
  - List authorization groups.
  - List resources within authorization groups.
  - Manage an application server, as appropriate, based on user authority.