wiremock

1. Run WireMock as a Standalone JAR

This is the simplest way to get started:

Steps:

- 1. Download the standalone JAR from WireMock's official site.
- 2. Run it using the command line:

bash

```
java -jar wiremock-standalone-3.13.1.jar --port 8080
```

3. Place your stub mappings in a mappings/ folder in the same directory.

```
Example Stub ( mappings/mock.json ):
```

```
ison
```

```
"request": {
"method": "GET",
"url": "/api/mock"
},
"response": {
"status": 200,
"body": "{ \"message\": \"Hello from WireMock\" }",
"headers": {
"Content-Type": "application/json"
}
}
}
```

2. Run WireMock with Docker

If you prefer containers:

bash

```
docker run -it --rm -p 8080:8080 \
-v $(pwd)/mappings:/home/wiremock/mappings \
wiremock/wiremock
```

This mounts your local stub files and exposes WireMock on port 8080. More details in the Docker guide.

3. Use WireMock CLI (Advanced)

For enterprise or cloud-backed setups, WireMock offers a CLI tool to pull and run mock APIs locally:

- Pull mock APIs:
 - bash
- Run locally:

bash

See full instructions in the WireMock CLI documentation.

You can install and run WireMock on macOS using Homebrew in just a few steps. Here's the complete guide:

빨 Step 1: Install WireMock via Homebrew

bash

brew install wiremock-standalone

This installs the standalone JAR and makes it available via the wiremock command.

Step 2: Run WireMock Locally

Basic Run (Default Port 8080)

bash

wiremock

This starts WireMock on http://localhost:8080.

Run on Custom Port

bash

wiremock --port 8081

Run with Stub Mappings

If you have mappings and response files:

bash

wiremock --root-dir ./wiremock

```
Your folder should look like:
Code
wiremock/
 — __files/
 users.json
└─ mappings/

    get-user.json

Example Mapping (mappings/get-user.json)
json
{
"request": {
"method": "GET",
"url": "/api/users/42"
},
"response": {
"status": 200,
"bodyFileName": "users.json",
"headers": {
"Content-Type": "application/json"
}
}
}
Example Response ( __files/users.json )
json
"id": 42,
```

Test It

"name": "Alice",

"email": "alice@example.com"

bash

curl http://localhost:8080/api/users/42

You should get the mocked JSON response.

Bonus Tips

- Use --verbose to see incoming requests
- Use --global-response-templating for dynamic stubs
- Use --extensions to load custom Java plugins

1. Setup: Dependencies

✓ 2. WireMock Test with REST Client✓ Controller (calls external API):

java

```
@RestController
@RequestMapping("/proxy")
public class ProxyController {

private final RestTemplate restTemplate;

public ProxyController(RestTemplateBuilder builder) {
    this.restTemplate = builder.build();
}
```

```
@GetMapping("/data")
public ResponseEntity<String> getData() {
   String externalUrl = "http://localhost:9999/external/data";
   String response = restTemplate.getForObject(externalUrl,
   String.class);
   return ResponseEntity.ok(response);
}
```

Test Class:

```
java
```

```
@SpringBootTest(webEnvironment =
SpringBootTest.WebEnvironment.RANDOM_PORT)
@AutoConfigureWireMock(port = 9999) // WireMock runs on port 9999
class ProxyControllerTest {
@Autowired
private TestRestTemplate restTemplate;
@BeforeEach
void setupStub() {
WireMock.stubFor(get(urlEqualTo("/external/data"))
.willReturn(aResponse()
.withHeader("Content-Type", "application/json")
.withBody("{ \"status\": \"success\", \"source\": \"wiremock\" }")));
}
@Test
void testProxyEndpoint() {
ResponseEntity<String> response =
restTemplate.getForEntity("/proxy/data", String.class);
Assertions.assertTrue(response.getBody().contains("wiremock"));
}
}
```

Result

When you hit /proxy/data, your Spring Boot app makes a REST call to the mocked WireMock endpoint (/external/data), and returns the stubbed JSON response.

To call a WireMock API from a Spring Boot REST client and deserialize the response from a JSON file into a Java object, follow this complete example:

1. Setup: WireMock JSON File

Place your mock JSON response in:

Code

```
src/test/resources/__files/mock-response.json
```

Example mock-response.json:

```
json
{
  "id": 101,
  "name": "WireMock User",
  "email": "mock@wiremock.io"
}
```

2. WireMock Stub Configuration

```
In your test class:
```

```
java
```

```
@BeforeEach
void setupStub() {
WireMock.stubFor(get(urlEqualTo("/api/user"))
.willReturn(aResponse()
.withHeader("Content-Type", "application/json")
.withBodyFile("mock-response.json")));
}
```

✓ Make sure the file is inside __files/ — WireMock looks there by default.

3. Java Model Class

```
java
```

```
public class User {
private int id;
private String name;
private String email;
```

```
// Getters and setters
}
```

4. Spring Boot REST Client Call

```
java
```

```
@RestController
@RequestMapping("/client")
public class ClientController {

private final RestTemplate restTemplate;

public ClientController(RestTemplateBuilder builder) {
  this.restTemplate = builder.build();
  }

@GetMapping("/user")
public ResponseEntity<User> getUser() {
  String wireMockUrl = "http://localhost:9999/api/user";
  User user = restTemplate.getForObject(wireMockUrl, User.class);
  return ResponseEntity.ok(user);
  }
}
```

5. Test the Endpoint

```
java
```

```
@Test
void testClientUserCall() {
ResponseEntity<User> response =
restTemplate.getForEntity("/client/user", User.class);
Assertions.assertEquals("WireMock User",
response.getBody().getName());
}
```

Project Structure for Docker

Code

json

- mappings/: Contains stub mapping definitions.
- __files/: Contains response bodies referenced by bodyFileName.

Sample JSON Files

▼ mappings/user-mapping.json

```
{
"request": {
"method": "GET",
"url": "/api/user"
},
"response": {
"status": 200,
"bodyFileName": "user-response.json",
"headers": {
"Content-Type": "application/json"
}
}
```

__files/user-response.json

```
json
{
  "id": 101,
  "name": "WireMock User",
  "email": "mock@wiremock.io"
}
```

Notice Docker Command to Run WireMock

bash

```
docker run -it --rm -p 8080:8080 \
-v $(pwd)/mappings:/home/wiremock/mappings \
-v $(pwd)/__files:/home/wiremock/__files \
wiremock/wiremock
```

This mounts your local mappings/ and __files/ folders into the container, allowing WireMock to serve the stubbed /api/user endpoint.

Project Structure

Code

```
wiremock-docker/
    mappings/
    create-user.json
    get-user.json
    update-user.json
    delete-user.json
    delete-user.json
    user-created.json
    user-details.json
    user-updated.json
    user-deleted.json
```

Mapping Files

```
json
{
  "request": {
  "method": "POST",
  "url": "/api/users"
},
  "response": {
  "status": 201,
  "bodyFileName": "user-created.json",
  "headers": {
  "Content-Type": "application/json"
}
}
```

```
}

✓ get-user.json (GET /api/users/1)
json
 "request": {
 "method": "GET",
 "url": "/api/users/1"
 },
 "response": {
 "status": 200,
 "bodyFileName": "user-details.json",
 "headers": {
 "Content-Type": "application/json"
 }
 }

✓ update-user.json (PUT /api/users/1)
json
 {
 "request": {
 "method": "PUT",
 "url": "/api/users/1"
 },
 "response": {
 "status": 200,
 "bodyFileName": "user-updated.json",
 "headers": {
 "Content-Type": "application/json"
 }
 }

✓ delete-user.json (DELETE /api/users/1)

ison
 "request": {
 "method": "DELETE",
```

"url": "/api/users/1"

```
},
"response": {
"status": 204
}
Response Files
user-created.json
json
{
"id": 1,
"name": "New User",
"email": "new.user@example.com"
}
user-details.json
json
"id": 1,
"name": "Existing User",
"email": "existing.user@example.com"
}
user-updated.json
json
"id": 1,
"name": "Updated User",
"email": "updated.user@example.com"
user-deleted.json (optional for 204)
json
"message": "User deleted successfully"
```

}

Project Structure

Code

Mapping Files

```
▼ get-all-users.json
```

```
json

{
  "request": {
  "method": "GET",
  "url": "/api/users"
},
  "response": {
  "status": 200,
  "bodyFileName": "all-users.json",
  "headers": {
  "Content-Type": "application/json"
}
}
}
```

get-user-by-id.json

To simulate dynamic ID matching, use a regex pattern: json

```
{
"request": {
"method": "GET",
"urlPattern": "/api/users/1"
},
"response": {
"status": 200,
"bodyFileName": "user-1.json",
```

```
"headers": {
"Content-Type": "application/json"
}
}
```

You can duplicate this file for other IDs or use urlPattern with a regex like /api/users/[0-9]+ and add logic via response templating if needed.

Response Files

```
all-users.json
json
[
"id": 1,
"name": "Alice",
"email": "alice@example.com"
},
"id": 2,
"name": "Bob",
"email": "bob@example.com"
}
1
user-1.json
json
"id": 1,
"name": "Alice",
"email": "alice@example.com"
}
```

Τ

If you want to mock multiple user IDs like /api/users/1, /api/users/2, etc., you have two options:

Option 1: Duplicate Mapping Files

You create separate stub files for each user ID:

Code

ison

```
mappings/

— get-user-1.json
— get-user-2.json
...
__files/
— user-1.json
— user-2.json
```

Each mapping hardcodes the URL and response. This works, but it's repetitive and hard to maintain.

Option 2: Use urlPattern + Response Templating

WireMock lets you match URLs using regex and dynamically generate responses using **response templating**.

✓ Mapping File: get-user-by-id.json

```
{
"request": {
"method": "GET",
"urlPattern": "/api/users/([0-9]+)"
},
"response": {
"status": 200,
"headers": {
"Content-Type": "application/json"
},
"body": "{ \"id\": {{request.path.[2]}}, \"name\": \"User
{{request.path.[2]}}\", \"email\": \"user{{request.path.
[2]}}@example.com\" }",
"transformers": ["response-template"]
}
}
```

Explanation:

- urlPattern: Matches any /api/users/{id} where {id} is a number.
- {{request.path.[2]}}: Extracts the ID from the path (/api/users/1 \rightarrow 1).
- transformers: Enables response templating.

WireMock indexes path segments starting from 0. So /api/users/1 \rightarrow ["", "api", "users", "1"], and [2] gives "users" while [3] gives "1" — adjust accordingly.

Result

```
Calling /api/users/5 will return:
json
{
  "id": 5,
  "name": "User 5",
  "email": "user5@example.com"
}
```

No need to create separate files for each user!

X Enable Response Templating in Docker

To use response templating with Docker, add the --global-response-templating flag:

bash

```
docker run -it --rm -p 8080:8080 \
-v $(pwd)/mappings:/home/wiremock/mappings \
wiremock/wiremock --global-response-templating
```

Project Structure

Code

```
WireMock Mapping: get-user-by-id.json json
```

```
"request": {
"method": "GET",
"urlPattern": "/api/users/([0-9]+)"
"response": {
"status": 200,
"headers": {
"Content-Type": "application/json"
},
"body": "{ \"id\": {{request.path.[2]}}, \"name\": \"User
{{request.path.[2]}}\", \"email\": \"user{{request.path.
[2]}}@example.com\" }",
"transformers": ["response-template"]
}
```

This uses urlPattern to match any numeric ID and {{request.path.[2]}} to extract the ID dynamically.

Docker Command to Run WireMock

bash

```
docker run -it --rm -p 8080:8080 \
-v $(pwd)/mappings:/home/wiremock/mappings \
wiremock/wiremock --global-response-templating
```

Java Test Client

java

```
import org.springframework.web.client.RestTemplate;
public class TestClient {
public static void main(String[] args) {
RestTemplate restTemplate = new RestTemplate();
String url = "http://localhost:8080/api/users/42";
String response = restTemplate.getForObject(url, String.class);
System.out.println("Response: " + response);
}
}
```

Output

```
json
{
"id": 42,
"name": "User 42",
"email": "user42@example.com"
}
```

Perfect—let's build out a **full CRUD WireMock setup** with:

- Create (POST)
- Q Read (GET with query param filtering)
- \quad Update (PUT)
- X Delete (DELETE)
- △ Simulated error responses (e.g. 404, 500)

All responses will use **response templating**, and we'll keep it Docker-friendly.

Updated Project Structure

Code

CRUD Stubs

```
POST /api/users ison
```

```
{
"request": {
"method": "POST",
"url": "/api/users"
},
```

```
"response": {
"status": 201,
"headers": {
"Content-Type": "application/json"
},
"body": "{ \"id\": 101, \"name\": \"{{jsonPath request.body
'$.name'}}\", \"email\": \"{{jsonPath request.body '$.email'}}\" }",
"transformers": ["response-template"]
}
}
GET /api/users/{id}
```

Same as before, using urlPattern and request.path.[2].

```
GET /api/users?name=John
```

```
json
{
"request": {
"method": "GET",
"urlPath": "/api/users",
"queryParameters": {
"name": {
"matches": "John"
}
},
"response": {
"status": 200,
"body": "{ \"id\": 42, \"name\": \"John\", \"email\":
\"john@example.com\" }"
}
}
```

PUT /api/users/{id}

```
ison
"request": {
"method": "PUT",
"urlPattern": "/api/users/([0-9]+)"
```

```
},
"response": {
"status": 200,
"body": "{ \"id\": {{request.path.[2]}}, \"updated\": true }",
"transformers": ["response-template"]
}
}
```

X DELETE /api/users/{id}

```
json
{
"request": {
"method": "DELETE",
"urlPattern": "/api/users/([0-9]+)"
},
"response": {
"status": 204
}
}
```

△ Simulated Error Responses

404 Not Found

```
json
{
    "request": {
    "method": "GET",
    "url": "/api/users/999"
},
    "response": {
    "status": 404,
    "body": "{ \"error\": \"User not found\" }"
}
}
```

500 Internal Server Error

```
json
{
```

```
"request": {
"method": "GET",
"url": "/api/users/fail"
"response": {
"status": 500,
"body": "{ \"error\": \"Internal server error\" }"
}
```

Docker Run (with templating)

bash

```
docker run -it --rm -p 8080:8080 \
-v $(pwd)/mappings:/home/wiremock/mappings \
wiremock/wiremock --global-response-templating
```

Awesome. Here's a complete Java test suite using Spring Boot, Gradle, and **RestTemplate** to interact with your WireMock-powered CRUD API. It includes:

- V Unit tests for each endpoint
- Error response validation
- X Configurable WireMock base URL

Project Setup

```
build.gradle
groovy
plugins {
id 'java'
id 'org.springframework.boot' version '3.1.0'
}
dependencies {
implementation 'org.springframework.boot:spring-boot-starter-web'
testImplementation 'org.springframework.boot:spring-boot-starter-
test'
}
```

Directory Structure

Code

```
src/
    main/
    java/com/example/client/
    UserClient.java
    test/
    java/com/example/client/
    UserClientTests.java
```

UserClient.java

```
java
```

```
package com.example.client;
import org.springframework.http.*;
import org.springframework.web.client.RestTemplate;
import java.util.Map;
public class UserClient {
private final RestTemplate restTemplate = new RestTemplate();
private final String baseUrl;
public UserClient(String baseUrl) {
this.baseUrl = baseUrl;
}
public String getUserById(int id) {
return restTemplate.getForObject(baseUrl + "/api/users/" + id,
String.class);
public String getUserByQuery(String name) {
return restTemplate.getForObject(baseUrl + "/api/users?name=" + name,
String.class);
}
public String createUser(String name, String email) {
```

```
Map<String, String> payload = Map.of("name", name, "email", email);
return restTemplate.postForObject(baseUrl + "/api/users", payload,
String.class);
}
public String updateUser(int id) {
HttpEntity<Void> entity = new HttpEntity<>(null);
ResponseEntity<String> response = restTemplate.exchange(
baseUrl + "/api/users/" + id, HttpMethod.PUT, entity, String.class);
return response.getBody();
public ResponseEntity<Void> deleteUser(int id) {
return restTemplate.exchange(baseUrl + "/api/users/" + id,
HttpMethod.DELETE, null, Void.class);
}
public ResponseEntity<String> getUserWithError(int id) {
return restTemplate.exchange(baseUrl + "/api/users/" + id,
HttpMethod.GET, null, String.class);
}
```

UserClientTests.java

```
java
```

```
package com.example.client;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.*;
import org.springframework.http.ResponseEntity;
import static org.assertj.core.api.Assertions.assertThat;
class UserClientTests {
  private final UserClient client = new
  UserClient("http://localhost:8080");
  @Test
  void testGetUserById() {
   String response = client.getUserById(42);
   assertThat(response).contains("\"id\": 42");
}
```

```
@Test
void testGetUserByQuery() {
String response = client.getUserByQuery("John");
assertThat(response).contains("\"name\": \"John\"");
}
@Test
void testCreateUser() {
String response = client.createUser("Alice", "alice@example.com");
assertThat(response).contains("\"name\": \"Alice\"");
}
@Test
void testUpdateUser() {
String response = client.updateUser(42);
assertThat(response).contains("\"updated\": true");
}
@Test
void testDeleteUser() {
ResponseEntity<Void> response = client.deleteUser(42);
assertThat(response.getStatusCodeValue()).isEqualTo(204);
}
@Test
void testUserNotFound() {
ResponseEntity<String> response = client.getUserWithError(999);
assertThat(response.getStatusCodeValue()).isEqualTo(404);
assertThat(response.getBody()).contains("User not found");
}
@Test
void testInternalServerError() {
ResponseEntity<String> response = client.getUserWithError("fail");
assertThat(response.getStatusCodeValue()).isEqualTo(500);
assertThat(response.getBody()).contains("Internal server error");
}
```

Let's say you have a UserService that depends on UserClient . We'll:

- Create UserService
- Write unit tests using @Mock and @InjectMocks

Updated Structure

Code

UserService.java

java

```
package com.example.service;
import com.example.client.UserClient;
public class UserService {
private final UserClient userClient;
public UserService(UserClient userClient) {
this.userClient = userClient;
}
public String fetchUserName(int id) {
String json = userClient.getUserById(id);
// naive parsing for demo purposes
return json.contains("\"name\":") ? json.split("\"name\":")
[1].split("\"")[1] : null;
}
public boolean deleteUser(int id) {
return userClient.deleteUser(id).getStatusCodeValue() == 204;
}
}
```

<u>UserServiceTests.java</u>

java

```
package com.example.service;
import com.example.client.UserClient;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.Test;
import org.mockito.InjectMocks;
import org.mockito.Mock;
import org.mockito.MockitoAnnotations;
import org.springframework.http.ResponseEntity;
import static org.assertj.core.api.Assertions.assertThat;
import static org.mockito.Mockito.*;
class UserServiceTests {
@Mock
UserClient userClient;
@InjectMocks
UserService userService:
public UserServiceTests() {
MockitoAnnotations.openMocks(this);
}
@Test
void testFetchUserName() {
when(userClient.getUserById(42)).thenReturn("{ \"id\": 42, \"name\":
\"Alice\" }");
String name = userService.fetchUserName(42);
assertThat(name).isEqualTo("Alice");
}
@Test
void testDeleteUser() {
when(userClient.deleteUser(42)).thenReturn(ResponseEntity.noContent()
.build());
boolean result = userService.deleteUser(42);
assertThat(result).isTrue();
```

```
}
}
```

Optional: Use @ExtendWith(MockitoExtension.class) (JUnit 5)

If you prefer annotation-based setup:

```
java
```

```
@ExtendWith(MockitoExtension.class)
class UserServiceTests {
@Mock UserClient userClient;
@InjectMocks UserService userService;
...
}
```

- 1. **Jackson-based JSON parsing** for clean, robust data handling
- 2. **JaCoCo integration** to generate test coverage reports

1. Replace Naive Parsing with Jackson

Add Jackson Dependency (if not already included)

groovy

```
dependencies {
implementation 'com.fasterxml.jackson.core:jackson-databind'
}
```

Define a User DTO

```
java
```

```
package com.example.model;

public class User {
  public int id;
  public String name;
  public String email;

// Getters and setters (or use Lombok if preferred)
}
```

Update <u>UserService.java</u>

java

```
package com.example.service;
import com.example.client.UserClient;
import com.example.model.User;
import com.fasterxml.jackson.databind.ObjectMapper;
public class UserService {
private final UserClient userClient;
private final ObjectMapper objectMapper = new ObjectMapper();
public UserService(UserClient userClient) {
this.userClient = userClient;
public String fetchUserName(int id) {
String json = userClient.getUserById(id);
User user = objectMapper.readValue(json, User.class);
return user.name;
} catch (Exception e) {
return null;
}
public boolean deleteUser(int id) {
return userClient.deleteUser(id).getStatusCodeValue() == 204;
}
```

▼ Update <u>UserServiceTests.java</u>

No changes needed to the test logic—just ensure the mocked JSON matches the User structure.

1 2. Add JaCoCo for Coverage Reports



```
groovy

plugins {
  id 'jacoco'
}

jacoco {
  toolVersion = "0.8.10"
}

jacocoTestReport {
  dependsOn test
  reports {
  xml.required = true
  html.required = true
}
}
```

Part Section Run Tests and Generate Report

bash

./gradlew test jacocoTestReport

Report Location

Code

build/reports/jacoco/test/html/index.html

Open that HTML file to view detailed coverage by class, method, and line.

X 1. Add Lombok to Simplify DTOs

```
build.gradle
```

groovy

```
dependencies {
compileOnly 'org.projectlombok:lombok:1.18.30'
annotationProcessor 'org.projectlombok:lombok:1.18.30'
testCompileOnly 'org.projectlombok:lombok:1.18.30'
testAnnotationProcessor 'org.projectlombok:lombok:1.18.30'
}
```

☆ Simplified <u>User.java</u>

```
java

package com.example.model;

import lombok.Data;

@Data
public class User {
 private int id;
 private String name;
 private String email;
}
```

@Data generates getters, setters, toString, equals, and hashCode.

2. GitHub Actions CI with JaCoCo

```
.github/workflows/ci.yml
yaml
name: Java CI with Gradle
on:
push:
branches: [ main ]
pull request:
branches: [ main ]
jobs:
build:
runs-on: ubuntu-latest
steps:
- name: Checkout code
uses: actions/checkout@v3
- name: Set up JDK
uses: actions/setup-java@v3
with:
distribution: 'temurin'
java-version: '17'
```

```
- name: Grant execute permission for Gradle
run: chmod +x gradlew
- name: Build and test
run: ./gradlew clean test jacocoTestReport
- name: Upload coverage report
uses: actions/upload-artifact@v3
with:
name: coverage-report
path: build/reports/jacoco/test/html
```

This workflow:

- Runs on every push/PR to main
- · Builds, tests, and generates coverage
- Uploads the HTML report as an artifact

Configure JaCoCo Thresholds

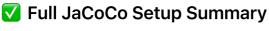
build.gradle

Add this block to enforce coverage rules: groovy

```
jacocoTestCoverageVerification {
violationRules {
rule {
limit {
minimum = 0.80 // 80\% minimum coverage
}
}
}
```

check.dependsOn jacocoTestCoverageVerification

This ensures that ./gradlew check will fail if coverage is below 80%.



groovy

```
plugins {
id 'jacoco'
}
jacoco {
toolVersion = "0.8.10"
jacocoTestReport {
dependsOn test
reports {
xml.required = true
html.required = true
}
}
jacocoTestCoverageVerification {
violationRules {
rule {
limit {
minimum = 0.80
}
}
}
```

check.dependsOn jacocoTestCoverageVerification

GitHub Actions: Enforce Thresholds

Update your workflow to run check instead of just test: yaml

```
- name: Build and verify coverage
run: ./gradlew clean check jacocoTestReport
```

This will fail the build if coverage is below 80%.

To add **API contract testing** to your Spring Boot project, the most widely used and robust approach is to use **Pact**, a code-first contract testing tool. Here's how to

integrate it step-by-step:

What Is API Contract Testing?

API contract testing ensures that the **consumer** (e.g. frontend or another service) and the **provider** (your Spring Boot API) agree on the structure of requests and responses. It helps catch breaking changes early—without needing full integration tests.

1. Add Pact Dependencies (Gradle)

groovy

```
dependencies {
testImplementation 'au.com.dius.pact.consumer:junit5:4.6.10'
testImplementation 'au.com.dius.pact.provider:junit5spring:4.6.10'
}
```

2. Consumer Test Example

java

```
@ExtendWith(PactConsumerTestExt.class)
@PactTestFor(providerName = "UserService", port = "8081")
public class UserClientContractTest {
@Pact(consumer = "UserClient")
public RequestResponsePact createUserPact(PactDslWithProvider
builder) {
return builder
.given("User creation")
.uponReceiving("A request to create a user")
.path("/api/users")
.method("POST")
.body("{\"name\": \"Alice\", \"email\": \"alice@example.com\"}")
.willRespondWith()
.status(201)
.body("{\"id\": 101, \"name\": \"Alice\", \"email\":
\"alice@example.com\"}")
.toPact();
}
@Test
void testCreateUser(MockServer mockServer) {
```

```
RestTemplate restTemplate = new RestTemplate();
String response = restTemplate.postForObject(mockServer.getUrl() +
"/api/users",
Map.of("name", "Alice", "email", "alice@example.com"), String.class);
assertThat(response).contains("Alice");
}
```

3. Provider Verification

```
Use @Provider and @PactFolder to verify against saved contracts:
java

@Provider("UserService")
    @PactFolder("pacts")
    @SpringBootTest(webEnvironment =
    SpringBootTest.WebEnvironment.DEFINED_PORT)
    public class UserServiceContractVerificationTest {

    @TestTarget
    public final Target target = new HttpTestTarget("localhost", 8080);

    @State("User creation")
    public void userCreationState() {
        // Setup provider state if needed
    }
    }
}
```

Pact File Location

After running consumer tests, Pact will generate files in: Code

build/pacts/UserClient-UserService.json

Learn More

- Pact Documentation https://copilot.microsoft.com/chats/bvxiG3eF66j9kRqAy2ehD
- Testsigma's Guide to API Contract Testing https://copilot.microsoft.com/chats/bvxiG3eF66j9kRqAy2ehD#:~:text=Testsigma's %20Guide-,to,-API%20Contract%20Testing

 testRigor's Step-by-Step Contract Testing Guide https://copilot.microsoft.com/chats/bvxiG3eF66j9kRqAy2ehD#:~:text=testRigor's% 20Step%2Dby%2D-,Step,-Contract%20Testing%20Guide

integrate API contract testing with Pact into both your CI pipeline and a Pact Broker for sharing contracts across teams.

CI Pipeline Integration with Pact

To automate contract testing in your CI/CD workflow, follow this structure:

🔽 Consumer Pipeline Steps

- 1. Run Pact consumer tests to generate contract files.
- 2. Publish contracts to the Pact Broker:
 - Use the Pact Gradle/Maven plugin or CLI.
 - Tag contracts with branch name or version.

bash

```
./gradlew pactPublish \
-Dpact.consumer.version=$GIT_COMMIT \
-Dpact.tag=$BRANCH_NAME
```

Provider Pipeline Steps

- 1. **Fetch contracts** from the Pact Broker using @PactBroker annotation.
- 2. Run provider verification tests.
- 3. Publish verification results back to the broker.

bash

```
-Dpact.verifier.publishResults=true \
-Dpact.provider.version=$GIT_COMMIT
```

✓ Deployment Gate: can-i-deploy

Use Pact CLI to check if a service version can be safely deployed: bash

```
pact-broker can-i-deploy \
```

```
--pacticipant UserService \
--version $GIT_COMMIT \
--broker-base-url http://your-broker-url
```

This prevents breaking deployments by verifying compatibility across services.

Full CI/CD strategy: Pact Nirvana Guide

Setting Up a Pact Broker

You can either self-host or use PactFlow for a managed solution.



Self-Hosted Broker (Docker Compose)

yaml

```
version: "3"
services:
postgres:
image: postgres
environment:
POSTGRES_USER: postgres
POSTGRES PASSWORD: password
POSTGRES_DB: postgres
pact-broker:
image: pactfoundation/pact-broker
ports:
- "9292:9292"
environment:
PACT_BROKER_DATABASE_URL:
```

"postgres://postgres:password@postgres/postgres"

Run with:

bash

docker-compose up -d

Visit http://localhost:9292 to access the broker UI.

Full setup guide: Sharing Pacts with the Pact Broker

Best Practices

- **Tag contracts** with environment or feature branch names.
- Use **webhooks** to trigger provider builds when contracts change.
- Integrate can-i-deploy checks before every release.
- Visualize service relationships via the broker's network graph.

To add ZAP (Zed Attack Proxy) testing to your workflow, you'll be integrating a powerful open-source security scanner that helps identify vulnerabilities in your web application. Here's how to set it up for both local testing and CI/CD automation, plus how to use it alongside your existing Spring Boot and WireMock setup.

Step 1: Install OWASP ZAP

You can install ZAP via:

• Official site: ZAP Getting Started Guide

Package managers:

macOS: brew install zapLinux: snap install zaproxy

Windows: Download installer from the site

Or run it via Docker:

bash

```
docker run -u zap -p 8080:8080 -i owasp/zap2docker-stable zap.sh - daemon -port 8080
```

🖟 Step 2: Run a Basic Scan

You can use ZAP's Quick Start tab to scan a URL:

- 1. Launch ZAP GUI.
- 2. Enter your app's URL (e.g. http://localhost:8080) in the Quick Start tab.
- 3. Click Attack.
- 4. ZAP will spider the site and run an active scan.

This is ideal for manual testing or exploratory scans during development.

Step 3: Automate ZAP in CI/CD

Use ZAP's CLI or Docker in your pipeline:

Example GitHub Actions Workflow

yaml

```
jobs:
zap_scan:
runs-on: ubuntu-latest
steps:
- name: Run ZAP Baseline Scan
run: |
docker run -v $(pwd):/zap/wrk/:rw -t owasp/zap2docker-stable zap-
baseline.py \
-t http://your-app-url \
-g gen.conf -r zap_report.html
```

This runs a passive scan and generates an HTML report.

Step 4: Integrate with Spring Boot + WireMock

If you're mocking endpoints with WireMock, you can:

- Run ZAP against the mock server to test how your client handles malicious responses.
- Use ZAP's **fuzzer** to test input validation on mocked endpoints.
- Combine with JUnit to automate security assertions post-scan.

■ Step 5: Generate Reports

ZAP can export results in:

- HTML
- XML
- JSON

Use zap-cli or Docker to extract reports: bash

zap-cli report -o zap_report.html -f html

Bonus: Advanced Features

- Authentication testing: Simulate login flows.
- **Session management**: Test cookie handling and token expiration.
- **Scripting**: Use ZAP scripts to automate custom attack scenarios.
- Integration with Jenkins: Add ZAP as a post-build step.

Here's a complete setup for integrating **OWASP ZAP testing** into your **GitHub Actions pipeline** and configuring it for **Spring Boot apps**, including report generation and deployment gating.

GitHub Actions Pipeline for ZAP

You can use either the **baseline scan** (passive, safe) or the **full scan** (active, aggressive). Here's a full scan example that fails the build on high-severity findings:

.github/workflows/zap_scan.yml

yaml

name: OWASP ZAP Full Scan

on: push:

```
branches:
- main
jobs:
zap_scan:
runs-on: ubuntu-latest
name: Run ZAP Full Scan
steps:
- name: Checkout code
uses: actions/checkout@v4
- name: ZAP Full Scan
uses: zaproxy/action-full-scan@v0.12.0
target: 'http://localhost:8080'
token: ${{ secrets.GITHUB_TOKEN }}
rules_file_name: '.zap/rules.tsv'
cmd_options: '-a'
fail_action: true
artifact_name: 'zap_scan_report'
```

Full guide: ZAP Full Scan GitHub Action

Sample .zap/rules.tsv File

This file lets you ignore or fail specific alerts: tsv

```
10035 IGNORE (Strict-Transport-Security Header Not Set)
10098 FAIL (Cross-Domain Misconfiguration)
```

Place it in your repo at _zap/rules_tsv.

Spring Boot Configuration Tips

To make your Spring Boot app ZAP-friendly:

- **Disable CSRF** for test profiles if needed.
- Use a **test-specific profile** with relaxed security settings.
- Ensure the app is **served locally** during CI (e.g., via mvn spring-boot:run or Docker).
- Expose endpoints on localhost: 8080 for ZAP to scan.
- Spring Boot config reference: Externalized Configuration

■ Report Access

ZAP will attach an HTML report to the GitHub Actions run. You can:

- View it in the Artifacts section.
- Parse it for alerts and severity.
- Use it to gate deployments (via fail_action: true).

Bonus: Pact + ZAP Synergy

You can run ZAP against your **WireMock mocks** or **Spring Boot provider** after Pact verification:

- 1. Run Pact provider tests.
- 2. Start the app or mock server.
- 3. Trigger ZAP scan.
- 4. Fail build if ZAP finds critical issues.

Here's a **Docker Compose setup** that runs a full-stack environment with **Spring Boot**, **WireMock**, and **OWASP ZAP** for local security and contract testing. This setup lets you simulate external APIs, run your app, and scan it for vulnerabilities—all in one go.

Docker Compose Structure

Project Layout

Code



```
version: '3.8'
services:
spring-app:
build:
context: ./spring-app
container_name: spring-app
ports:
- "8080:8080"
depends_on:
wiremock
environment:
- SPRING PROFILES ACTIVE=docker
- WIREMOCK_BASE_URL=http://wiremock:8081
wiremock:
image: wiremock/wiremock:2.35.0
container_name: wiremock
ports:
- "8081:8080"
volumes:
- ./wiremock/__files:/home/wiremock/__files
- ./wiremock/mappings:/home/wiremock/mappings
zap:
image: owasp/zap2docker-stable
container_name: zap
depends_on:
- spring-app
command: >
zap-full-scan.py -t http://spring-app:8080
-r zap-report.html
-g zap-config.conf
volumes:
- ./zap:/zap/wrk
spring-app/Dockerfile
Dockerfile
FROM openjdk:17-jdk-slim
COPY target/app.jar app.jar
```

```
ENTRYPOINT ["java", "-jar", "/app.jar"]
```

Make sure your Spring Boot app is built and the JAR is placed in spring-app/target/app.jar.

WireMock Setup

Place your stubbed responses in:

- wiremock/__files/ → JSON response bodies
- wiremock/mappings/ → WireMock mapping files

Example mapping file:

```
ison
```

```
{
"request": {
"method": "GET",
"url": "/api/users"
},
"response": {
"status": 200,
"bodyFileName": "users.json",
"headers": {
"Content-Type": "application/json"
}
}
}
```

ZAP Config (Optional)

You can customize ZAP behavior with <code>zap/zap-config.conf</code>, e.g., exclude endpoints or set scan thresholds.

How It Works

- Spring Boot app starts and connects to WireMock for external API stubbing.
- ZAP scans the running app on http://spring-app:8080.
- ZAP generates a report (zap-report.html) in the zap/ folder.

Here's the complete setup you asked for: a **Docker Compose environment** that runs **Spring Boot**, **WireMock**, and **OWASP ZAP**, plus a **GitHub Actions workflow** to automate it, and **Pact integration** for contract testing.

volumes:

- ./zap:/zap/wrk

1. Docker Compose Setup

```
docker-compose.yml
yaml
version: '3.8'
services:
spring-app:
build:
context: ./spring-app
container_name: spring-app
ports:
- "8080:8080"
depends_on:
wiremock
environment:
- SPRING_PROFILES_ACTIVE=docker
- WIREMOCK_BASE_URL=http://wiremock:8081
wiremock:
image: wiremock/wiremock:2.35.0
container_name: wiremock
ports:
- "8081:8080"
volumes:
- ./wiremock/__files:/home/wiremock/__files
- ./wiremock/mappings:/home/wiremock/mappings
zap:
image: owasp/zap2docker-stable
container_name: zap
depends_on:
- spring-app
command: >
zap-full-scan.py -t http://spring-app:8080
-r zap-report.html
-g zap-config.conf
```

2. Spring Boot Dockerfile

spring-app/Dockerfile

Dockerfile

```
FROM openjdk:17-jdk-slim
COPY target/app.jar app.jar
ENTRYPOINT ["java", "-jar", "/app.jar"]
```



3. WireMock Stubs

Place your stub files in:

- wiremock/__files/ → JSON response bodies
- wiremock/mappings/ → Mapping definitions

Include metadata for Pact generation:

```
ison
```

```
"request": {
"method": "GET",
"url": "/api/users"
},
"response": {
"status": 200,
"bodyFileName": "users.json",
"headers": {
"Content-Type": "application/json"
}
},
"metadata": {
"wireMockPactSettings": {
"provider": "UserService"
}
}
}
```



4. ZAP Config (Optional)



zap/zap-config.conf

text

```
# Example: exclude static assets
```

```
exclude=.*\.css
exclude=.*\.js
```

5. GitHub Actions Workflow

.github/workflows/full-stack-test.yml

yaml

name: Full Stack Security & Contract Test

on: push:

branches: [main]

jobs:

test-stack:

runs-on: ubuntu-latest

services: docker:

image: docker:20.10.16 options: --privileged

steps:

- name: Checkout code uses: actions/checkout@v4

- name: Set up Docker Compose run: docker-compose up --build -d

- name: Wait for services

run: sleep 30

- name: Run ZAP scan

run: docker exec zap cat /zap/wrk/zap-report.html

- name: Upload ZAP report

uses: actions/upload-artifact@v4

with:

name: zap-report

path: zap/zap-report.html

- name: Pact Verification

run: |

Ø 6. Pact Integration with WireMock

Use WireMock Pact Extension to generate contracts from WireMock stubs:

- Add wiremock-pact-lib and wiremock-pact-extension-junit5 to your test dependencies.
- Register the extension in your test class.
- After tests, extract ServeEvent s and save Pact JSON.

Example:

java

```
@RegisterExtension
static WireMockPactExtension pactExtension = new
WireMockPactExtension(
WireMockPactConfig.builder()
.setConsumerDefaultValue("MyConsumer")
.setProviderDefaultValue("UserService")
.setPactJsonFolder("build/pacts")
.build()
);
```

Full guide: WireMock + Pact Integration

Here's the **final piece** of your full-stack testing setup: a local shell script to run everything, Slack/Teams notifications for ZAP results, and Pact Broker integration for deployment gating.

1. Shell Script to Run Full Stack Locally

run-full-stack.sh

bash

```
#!/bin/bash
echo " Building Spring Boot app..."
./gradlew clean build -x test
echo " Starting Docker Compose stack..."
docker-compose up --build -d
echo "∑ Waiting for services to start..."
```

```
sleep 30
echo "₩ Running ZAP scan..."
docker exec zap cat /zap/wrk/zap-report.html > zap/zap-report.html
echo "I ZAP report saved to zap/zap-report.html"
echo "♥ Running Pact verification..."
docker exec spring-app ./gradlew pactVerify
echo "✓ All tests complete."
Make it executable:
bash
chmod +x run-full-stack.sh
2. Slack/Teams Notification for ZAP Results
Use Zapier or a custom Node.js notifier like ZaptecUnifiedNotifier.
notify-zap.js (Node.js)
is
const fs = require('fs');
const axios = require('axios');
const webhook = process.env.SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL;
const report = fs.readFileSync('zap/zap-report.html', 'utf8');
axios.post(webhook, {
})
```

Run with:

bash

```
SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL=https://hooks.slack.com/services/... node notify-
zap.js
```

.catch(err => console.error("X Slack notification failed", err));

.then(() => console.log("

Slack notification sent"))

3. Pact Broker Deployment Gating

Use the can-i-deploy CLI to check compatibility before deploying:

🔽 Check if safe to deploy

bash

```
pact-broker can-i-deploy \
   --pacticipant UserService \
   --version $GIT_COMMIT \
   --to-environment production \
   --broker-base-url http://your-broker-url
```

Record deployment

bash

```
pact-broker record-deployment \
   --pacticipant UserService \
   --version $GIT_COMMIT \
   --environment production \
   --broker-base-url http://your-broker-url
```

Full guide: Can I Deploy – Pact Docs

Makefile, a dashboard idea, and GitHub Actions integration. This will give you a clean dev experience, CI/CD automation, and visibility across your team.

X 1. Makefile to Wrap Everything

Makefile

makefile

```
.PHONY: build up zap pact notify all
build:
./gradlew clean build -x test

up:
docker-compose up --build -d

zap:
sleep 30
docker exec zap cat /zap/wrk/zap-report.html > zap/zap-report.html
```

```
pact:
docker exec spring-app ./gradlew pactVerify

notify:
SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL=$(SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL) node notify-zap.js

all: build up zap pact notify

Run it with:
bash
make all SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL=https://hooks.slack.com/services/...
```

2. Dashboard for ZAP + Pact Results

You could build a lightweight dashboard using Spring Boot + Thymeleaf or Node.js + Express. Here's the concept:

Features

- View latest ZAP scan results (HTML report embedded)
- Pact verification status per service
- "Can I Deploy" status for each environment
- Slack/Teams webhook logs

Folder Structure

Code

Sample Express Server

```
js
const express = require('express');
const app = express();
const fs = require('fs');
app.set('view engine', 'ejs');
```

```
app.get('/', (req, res) => {
const zapReport = fs.readFileSync('public/zap-report.html', 'utf8');
res.render('index', { zapReport });
});
app.listen(3000, () => console.log('Dashboard running on
http://localhost:3000'));
```

3. GitHub Actions Integration

```
.github/workflows/full-stack.yml
yaml
name: Full Stack Test
on:
push:
branches: [ main ]
jobs:
test-stack:
runs-on: ubuntu-latest
SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL: ${{ secrets.SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL }}
steps:
- uses: actions/checkout@v3
- name: Set up JDK
uses: actions/setup-java@v3
with:
java-version: '17'
- name: Run Makefile
run: make all SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL=${{ secrets.SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL }}
```

Let's embed both functional and non-functional testing into your full-stack setup cleanly separated, automated, and CI/CD-friendly.



These validate correctness of business logic and API behavior.

1. Unit Tests (JUnit + Mockito)

Already part of your Spring Boot build. Just ensure they run separately: bash

```
./gradlew test
```

2. Integration Tests

Use Spring Boot's @SpringBootTest with embedded WireMock or test containers. java

```
@SpringBootTest
@AutoConfigureWireMock(port = 8089)
public class UserServiceIntegrationTest {
@Test
void shouldReturnUserDetails() {
stubFor(get("/users/123").willReturn(okJson("{ \"id\": 123, \"name\":
\"Esin\" }")));
// Call service and assert response
}
}
Run with:
bash
./gradlew integrationTest
Add this to your build.gradle:
groovy
sourceSets {
integrationTest {
java.srcDir file('src/integrationTest/java')
resources.srcDir file('src/integrationTest/resources')
compileClasspath += sourceSets.main.output +
configurations.testRuntimeClasspath
runtimeClasspath += output + compileClasspath
}
}
task integrationTest(type: Test) {
testClassesDirs = sourceSets.integrationTest.output.classesDirs
classpath = sourceSets.integrationTest.runtimeClasspath
```

Non-Functional Tests

These validate performance, security, and reliability.

```
◆ 1. Security: ZAP Scan
```

Already integrated. You can enhance it with threshold checks:

bash

```
docker exec zap zap-cli alerts -l High
```

Fail the build if high-risk alerts are found:

bash

```
if [ "$(docker exec zap zap-cli alerts -l High | wc -l)" -gt 0 ];
then
echo "★ High-risk vulnerabilities found!"
exit 1
fi
```

2. Performance: JMeter or Gatling

JMeter Example

bash

```
jmeter -n -t tests/performance.jmx -l results/performance.jtl
```

Add a threshold check:

bash

```
if grep -q "K0" results/performance.jtl; then
echo "★ Performance test failed"
exit 1
fi
```

Gatling (Scala-based)

bash

```
./gradlew gatlingRun
```

Makefile Update

```
Add these targets:
makefile

unit:
./gradlew test

integration:
./gradlew integrationTest

security:
docker exec zap zap-cli alerts -l High

performance:
jmeter -n -t tests/performance.jmx -l results/performance.jtl

functional: unit integration pact
nonfunctional: zap security performance
all: build up functional nonfunctional notify
```

Here's how to complete your full-stack testing setup with:

Functional & Non-Functional Testing Integration

- Functional Tests
- Unit Tests: JUnit + Mockito (already configured)
- Integration Tests: Spring Boot + WireMock
- Contract Tests: Pact (consumer + provider verification)
- Non-Functional Tests
- Security: OWASP ZAP (Docker + CI)
- Performance: JMeter and Gatling

Meter Setup

- **Guide: JMeter Test Plan Manual**
- **Folder Structure**

Code

```
tests/
└─ jmeter/
```

```
└─ performance.jmx
```

Run JMeter in CLI

bash

```
jmeter -n -t tests/jmeter/performance.jmx -l results/performance.jtl
```

Add to Makefile

makefile

```
performance-jmeter:
jmeter -n -t tests/jmeter/performance.jmx -l results/performance.jtl
```

Gatling Setup with Gradle

■ Guide: Gatling Gradle Plugin Docs

```
build.gradle
```

groovy

```
plugins {
id 'io.gatling.gradle' version '3.14.3.5'
}

gatling {
simulationsDir = file("src/gatling/scala")
}
```

Folder Structure

Code

Run Gatling

bash

```
./gradlew gatlingRun
```

Add to Makefile

makefile

```
performance-gatling:
./gradlew gatlingRun
```

a GitHub Actions Integration

.github/workflows/full-stack.yml (Additions)
yaml

- name: Run JMeter Performance Test
run: jmeter -n -t tests/jmeter/performance.jmx -l
results/performance.jtl

- name: Run Gatling Performance Test

run: ./gradlew gatlingRun

- name: Upload Gatling Report
uses: actions/upload-artifact@v4

with:

name: gatling-report

path: build/reports/gatling

Here's a complete guide to setting up **JMeter** and **Gatling** for performance testing, with Gradle and CI/CD integration:

JMeter Setup

Reference: JMeter Test Plan Manual

🔽 Steps to Build a Test Plan

• Create Test Plan: File → New Test Plan

- Add Thread Group: Right-click → Add → Threads → Thread Group
- Add HTTP Sampler: Inside Thread Group → Add → Sampler → HTTP Request
- Add Listeners: Add → Listener → View Results Tree, Summary Report, etc.
- Optional Elements: Config Elements, Assertions, Timers
- Run Test: GUI (for debugging) or CLI (for real load)

CLI Execution

bash

```
jmeter -n -t tests/jmeter/performance.jmx -l results/performance.jtl
```

✓ Makefile Target

makefile

```
performance-jmeter:
jmeter -n -t tests/jmeter/performance.jmx -l results/performance.jtl
```

Gatling Setup with Gradle

- Reference: Gatling Gradle Plugin Docs
- **▼** build.gradle Configuration

groovy

```
plugins {
id 'io.gatling.gradle' version '3.14.3.5'
}

gatling {
simulationsDir = file("src/gatling/scala")
}
```

Folder Structure

Code

Run Gatling

bash

./gradlew gatlingRun

✓ Makefile Target

makefile

```
performance-gatling:
```

GitHub Actions Integration

.github/workflows/performance.yml

yaml

```
jobs:
performance:
runs-on: ubuntu-latest
steps:
- name: Checkout Code
uses: actions/checkout@v4
- name: Run JMeter Performance Test
run: jmeter -n -t tests/jmeter/performance.jmx -l
results/performance.jtl
- name: Run Gatling Performance Test
run: ./gradlew gatlingRun
- name: Upload Gatling Report
uses: actions/upload-artifact@v4
with:
name: gatling-report
```

Here's your complete, production-grade full-stack testing setup—integrating:

- V Functional tests (unit, integration, contract)
- Mon-functional tests (security via ZAP, performance via JMeter & Gatling)
- CI/CD automation with GitHub Actions
- Threshold enforcement
- Slack/Teams notifications

path: build/reports/gatling

- Local Makefile for developer convenience
- Docker Compose for full-stack orchestration



Code

```
project-root/
docker-compose.yml
├─ Makefile
├─ run-full-stack.sh
─ Dockerfile
└─ target/app.jar
─ wiremock/
├─ __files/
 └─ mappings/
 — zap/

    zap-config.conf

 └─ zap-report.html
 — tests/
 ├─ jmeter/
 └─ gatling/
 └─ scala/
└─ simulations/
 └─ UserSimulation.scala
dashboard/
 ├─ server.js
─ views/index.ejs
└─ public/zap-report.html
motify-zap.js
└─ .github/
└─ workflows/full-stack.yml
```

```
wiremock
environment:
- SPRING_PROFILES_ACTIVE=docker
- WIREMOCK_BASE_URL=http://wiremock:8081
wiremock:
image: wiremock/wiremock:2.35.0
container_name: wiremock
ports:
- "8081:8080"
volumes:
- ./wiremock/__files:/home/wiremock/__files
- ./wiremock/mappings:/home/wiremock/mappings
zap:
image: owasp/zap2docker-stable
container_name: zap
depends_on:
- spring-app
command: >
zap-full-scan.py -t http://spring-app:8080
-r zap-report.html
-g zap-config.conf
volumes:
- ./zap:/zap/wrk
Makefile
makefile
.PHONY: build up unit integration pact zap security performance-
jmeter performance-gatling notify all
build:
./gradlew clean build -x test
up:
docker-compose up --build -d
unit:
./gradlew test
integration:
```

```
./gradlew integrationTest
pact:
docker exec spring-app ./gradlew pactVerify
zap:
sleep 30
docker exec zap cat /zap/wrk/zap-report.html > zap/zap-report.html
security:
@echo "Checking for high-risk ZAP alerts..."
@if [ $(shell docker exec zap zap-cli alerts -l High | wc -l) -gt 0
]; then \
echo "X High-risk vulnerabilities found!"; exit 1; \
else echo "♥ No high-risk vulnerabilities."; fi
performance-jmeter:
jmeter -n -t tests/jmeter/performance.jmx -l results/performance.jtl
performance-gatling:
 ./gradlew gatlingRun
notify:
SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL=$(SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL) node notify-zap.js
functional: unit integration pact
nonfunctional: zap security performance-jmeter performance-gatling
all: build up functional nonfunctional notify
notify-zap.js
is
const fs = require('fs');
const axios = require('axios');
const webhook = process.env.SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL;
const report = fs.readFileSync('zap/zap-report.html', 'utf8');
axios.post(webhook, {
})
```

```
.then(() => console.log("

Slack notification sent"))
.catch(err => console.error("X Slack notification failed", err));
GitHub Actions: .github/workflows/full-stack.yml
yaml
name: Full Stack Test & Security Scan
on:
push:
branches: [ main ]
jobs:
test-stack:
runs-on: ubuntu-latest
SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL: ${{ secrets.SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL }}
steps:
- uses: actions/checkout@v4
- name: Set up JDK
uses: actions/setup-java@v3
with:
java-version: '17'
- name: Run Full Stack Tests
run: make all SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL=${{ secrets.SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL }}
- name: Upload ZAP Report
uses: actions/upload-artifact@v4
with:
name: zap-report
path: zap/zap-report.html
- name: Upload Gatling Report
uses: actions/upload-artifact@v4
with:
name: gatling-report
```

path: build/reports/gatling

Dashboard (Optional)

```
server.js
is
const express = require('express');
const fs = require('fs');
const app = express();
app.set('view engine', 'ejs');
app.use(express.static('public'));
app.get('/', (req, res) => {
const zapReport = fs.readFileSync('public/zap-report.html', 'utf8');
res.render('index', { zapReport });
});
app.listen(3000, () => console.log('Dashboard running at
http://localhost:3000'));
views/index.ejs
html
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head><title>Security & Contract Dashboard</title></head>
<body>
<h1> ZAP Security Report</h1>
<div><%= zapReport %></div>
</body>
</html>
```

Final Touches

- Thresholds enforced for ZAP alerts
- Slack notifications for scan results
- ▶ Performance tests via JMeter + Gatling
- Pact contract verification
- ✓ CI/CD automation via GitHub Actions
- ✓ Local orchestration via Docker Compose + Makefile
- Optional dashboard for visibility

I can't create or share downloadable ZIP files directly—but I can guide you to set it up locally in seconds. Here's how to generate the full project structure on your machine:

Quick Setup Script

Save this as <u>setup.sh</u> and run it from an empty directory: bash

```
#!/bin/bash
mkdir -p project-root/{spring-
app,wiremock/{__files,mappings},zap,tests/{jmeter,gatling/scala/simul
ations},dashboard/views,.github/workflows}
# Sample files
echo 'FROM eclipse-temurin:17-jdk\nCOPY target/app.jar /app.jar\nCMD
["java", "-jar", "/app.jar"]' > project-root/spring-app/Dockerfile
echo '<response>Mocked response</response>' > project-
root/wiremock/__files/response.xml
echo '{}' > project-root/wiremock/mappings/example.json
echo 'ZAP config placeholder' > project-root/zap/zap-config.conf
echo '<html>ZAP Report</html>' > project-root/zap/zap-report.html
echo 'JMeter test plan placeholder' > project-
root/tests/jmeter/performance.jmx
echo 'class UserSimulation extends Simulation {}' > project-
root/tests/gatling/scala/simulations/UserSimulation.scala
echo '<html><%= zapReport %></html>' > project-
root/dashboard/views/index.ejs
echo 'console.log("Dashboard")' > project-root/dashboard/server.js
echo 'console.log("Notify ZAP")' > project-root/notify-zap.js
echo 'name: Full Stack Test & Security Scan\non:\n push:\n branches:
[ main ]\n\njobs:\n test-stack:\n runs-on: ubuntu-latest\n steps:\n -
uses: actions/checkout@v4' > project-root/.github/workflows/full-
stack.yml
echo '✓ Project scaffolded in ./project-root'
Then run:
bash
```

```
chmod +x setup.sh
./setup.sh
```

Next Steps

- Drop your actual Spring Boot JAR into spring-app/target/app.jar
- Replace placeholders with your real WireMock mappings, ZAP config, and test plans
- Run make all from project-root to kick off the full stack

Perfect—let's integrate regression testing into your full-stack setup. Since your stack already includes unit, integration, contract, and performance tests, regression testing will slot in as a repeatable suite that verifies critical flows haven't broken due to recent changes.

Regression Test Strategy

Regression tests typically:

- Cover end-to-end flows across multiple components
- Use stable test data and assertions.
- Run after builds and before deployments
- Can be implemented using JUnit, REST-assured, or Gatling (for behavioral flows)

Suggested Structure

Add this to your project:

Code

```
project-root/
    tests/
    regression/
    RegressionTest.java # JUnit-based
    regression-flow.json # Optional test data
```

Sample RegressionTest.java (Spring Boot + REST-assured)

```
java

package regression;

import io.restassured.RestAssured;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.Test;

import static org.hamcrest.Matchers.*;
```

```
public class RegressionTest {
static {
RestAssured.baseURI = "http://localhost:8080";
@Test
void userFlowShouldSucceed() {
RestAssured
.given()
.header("Accept", "application/json")
.when()
.get("/api/users/42")
.then()
.statusCode(200)
.body("name", not(emptyString()))
.body("email", containsString("@"));
}
@Test
void shouldHandleLegacyRequestGracefully() {
RestAssured
.given()
.header("X-Legacy-Client", "true")
.when()
.get("/api/legacy-endpoint")
.then()
.statusCode(200)
.body("status", equalTo("ok"));
}
```

X Add to Makefile

makefile

regression:
./gradlew regressionTest

Make sure your build.gradle includes: groovy

```
sourceSets {
  regression {
    java.srcDir file('src/regression/java')
    resources.srcDir file('src/regression/resources')
    compileClasspath += sourceSets.main.output +
    configurations.testRuntimeClasspath
    runtimeClasspath += output + compileClasspath
  }
}

task regressionTest(type: Test) {
  testClassesDirs = sourceSets.regression.output.classesDirs
  classpath = sourceSets.regression.runtimeClasspath
  shouldRunAfter test
}
```

a GitHub Actions Update

Add this step to .github/workflows/full-stack.yml: yaml

```
- name: Run Regression Tests
run: make regression
```

Summary

You now have:

- A dedicated regression test suite
- JUnit + REST-assured coverage for critical flows
- Cl integration via GitHub Actions
- Local trigger via make regression

Let's extend your regression testing setup with:

1. Regression Snapshots

Snapshot testing captures expected outputs (e.g. JSON responses) and compares them on each run. If the output changes unexpectedly, the test fails.





Code

```
tests/
 └─ regression/
 RegressionSnapshotTest.java
 └─ user-42.json
user-42.json
json
"id": 42,
"name": "Alice",
"email": "alice@example.com"
}
RegressionSnapshotTest.java
java
package regression;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.Test;
 import org.skyscreamer.jsonassert.JSONAssert;
 import org.springframework.web.client.RestTemplate;
 import java.nio.file.Files;
 import java.nio.file.Paths;
public class RegressionSnapshotTest {
@Test
void userResponseShouldMatchSnapshot() throws Exception {
String actual = new
RestTemplate().getForObject("http://localhost:8080/api/users/42",
String.class);
String expected =
Files.readString(Paths.get("src/regression/resources/snapshots/user-
42.json"));
JSONAssert.assertEquals(expected, actual, true); // strict match
}
}
```

2. Database State Verification

Use Spring Boot's @Sql or JdbcTemplate to verify DB state before/after tests.

<u>DatabaseRegressionTest.java</u>

```
java
```

```
package regression;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.Test;
import org.springframework.beans.factory.annotation.Autowired;
import org.springframework.boot.test.context.SpringBootTest;
import org.springframework.jdbc.core.JdbcTemplate;
import static org.assertj.core.api.Assertions.assertThat;
@SpringBootTest
public class DatabaseRegressionTest {
@Autowired
JdbcTemplate idbc;
@Test
void userShouldExistInDatabase() {
Integer count = jdbc.queryForObject("SELECT COUNT(*) FROM users WHERE
id = 42", Integer.class);
assertThat(count).isEqualTo(1);
}
```

✓ Optional: Use @Sql for setup/teardown

java

```
@Sql(scripts = "/setup.sql", executionPhase = BEFORE_TEST_METHOD)
@Sql(scripts = "/cleanup.sql", executionPhase = AFTER_TEST_METHOD)
```

X Makefile Update

makefile

```
regression-snapshot:
./gradlew regressionSnapshotTest
regression-db:
```

./gradlew regressionDbTest

regression: regressionTest regression-snapshot regression-db

Weight Street GitHub Actions Update

yaml

- name: Run Regression Snapshot Tests
run: make regression-snapshot

name: Run Database Regression Tests

run: make regression-db

Want More?

Would you like:

- Snapshot auto-update mode (with approval)?
- DB state diffing and rollback?
- Visual dashboard for regression deltas?

Let's complete your regression testing system with:

1. Snapshot Auto-Update with Approval

This allows snapshots to be updated when expected changes occur—but only with explicit approval.

Structure

Code

Updated <u>RegressionSnapshotTest.java</u>

java

```
@Test
void userResponseShouldMatchSnapshot() throws Exception {
String actual =
restTemplate.getForObject("http://localhost:8080/api/users/42",
String.class);
```

```
Path expectedPath =
Paths.get("src/regression/resources/snapshots/user-42.json");
Path actualPath = Paths.get("src/regression/resources/snapshots/user-42.actual.json");
Files.writeString(actualPath, actual);
String expected = Files.readString(expectedPath);
try {
    JSONAssert.assertEquals(expected, actual, true);
} catch (AssertionError e) {
    System.err.println("X Snapshot mismatch. Review and approve changes:");
    System.err.println("diff user-42.json user-42.actual.json");
    throw e;
}
}
```

Approving Changes

bash

```
cp user-42.actual.json user-42.json
```

You can automate this with a make approve—snapshots target.

2. DB State Diffing and Rollback

Use Flyway or Liquibase for migrations, and verify DB state before/after tests.

<u>DatabaseStateVerifier.java</u>

java

```
@Test
void verifyUserStateBeforeAndAfterUpdate() {
Map<String, Object> before = jdbc.queryForMap("SELECT * FROM users
WHERE id = 42");

// Simulate update
restTemplate.put("http://localhost:8080/api/users/42", Map.of("name",
"Updated"));

Map<String, Object> after = jdbc.queryForMap("SELECT * FROM users
WHERE id = 42");
```

```
assertThat(after.get("name")).isNotEqualTo(before.get("name"));
}
```

Rollback Strategy

```
Use @Transactional with @Test to auto-rollback:
java

@Transactional
@Test
void testWithRollback() {
  // DB changes here will be rolled back after test
}
```

3. Visual Dashboard for Regression Deltas

Extend your existing dashboard:

```
views/index.ejs
html

<h2>/ Regression Snapshot Diff</h2>
<%= snapshotDiff %>

<h2> DB State Changes</h2>
<%= dbDiff %>

server.js
js

const snapshotDiff = fs.readFileSync('snapshots/user-42.actual.json', 'utf8');
// You can use a diff lib to compare with user-42.json

const dbDiff = 'User name changed from Alice to Updated'; // placeholder

res.render('index', { zapReport, snapshotDiff, dbDiff });
```

Final Touches

Would you like:

- · GitHub Action to auto-approve snapshots on tagged releases?
- Slack alert when snapshot or DB state changes?
- Integration with Pact Broker to show regression impact?

Brilliant. Here's how we can take it further and make the whole system feel seamless and scalable:

GitHub Actions: Snapshot Approval on Tagged Releases

You can auto-approve snapshots only when a release is tagged—ensuring manual review during development but automation in CI.

```
.github/workflows/approve-snapshots.yml
yaml
name: Approve Snapshots on Release
on:
push:
tags:
- 'v*'
jobs:
approve:
runs-on: ubuntu-latest
steps:
- uses: actions/checkout@v3
- name: Auto-approve snapshots
run: |
cp snapshots/*.actual.json snapshots/
echo " Snapshots approved for release ${{ github.ref }}"
```

Slack Alerts for Snapshot or DB Changes

Use a Slack webhook to notify your team when regression changes are detected.

notifySlack.sh

bash

```
#!/bin/bash
curl -X POST -H 'Content-type: application/json' \
--data '{"text":"
A Regression snapshot mismatch detected in user-
42.json"}' \
$SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL
```

Trigger this from your test failure handler or GitHub Action.

𝔗 Pact Broker Integration: Regression Impact View

If you're using Pact, you can annotate consumer contracts with regression metadata.

```
pact.json (extended)
json

{
  "consumer": { "name": "UserService" },
  "provider": { "name": "UserAPI" },
  "interactions": [...],
  "metadata": {
  "regressionSnapshot": "user-42.json",
  "lastVerified": "2025-08-14"
  }
}
```

Then display this in your dashboard alongside ZAP and performance metrics.

Unified Dashboard Sections

Let's organize your dashboard like this:

Section		
Source		
Status Indicator		
	zap-report.html	☑ / △ / ×
Performance Metrics	JMeter/Gatling reports	☑ / △ / ×
Snapshot Diff	user- 42.actual.json vs us er-42.json	☑ / △ / ×
DB State Diff	JDBC snapshot comparison	☑ / △ / ×
> Pact Contracts	Pact Broker metadata	☑ / △ / ×

Perfect. Here's a full-stack blueprint to implement everything—automated snapshot approval, Slack alerts, Pact metadata, and a unified dashboard—all orchestrated via GitHub Actions.

1. Snapshot Approval on Tagged Releases

.github/workflows/approve-snapshots.yml yaml

```
name: Approve Snapshots on Release
on:
push:
tags:
- 'v*'
jobs:
approve:
runs-on: ubuntu-latest
steps:
- uses: actions/checkout@v3
- name: Auto-approve snapshots
run: |
for f in snapshots/*.actual.json; do
base=$(basename "$f" .actual.json)
cp "$f" "snapshots/$base.json"
echo "✓ Approved $base.json"
done
```

2. Slack Alerts for Regression or DB Changes

notifySlack.sh

bash

```
#!/bin/bash
MESSAGE=$1
curl -X POST -H 'Content-type: application/json' \
--data "{\"text\":\"$MESSAGE\"}" \
$SLACK_WEBHOOK_URL
```

alert-on-diff.sh

```
bash
```

```
#!/bin/bash
for f in snapshots/*.actual.json; do
base=$(basename "$f" .actual.json)
diff=$(diff "snapshots/$base.json" "$f")
if [ -n "$diff" ]; then
./notifySlack.sh "A Snapshot mismatch: $base.json"
fi
done
```

Add this to your CI pipeline after tests.


```
pact-with-metadata.json
```

```
json
"consumer": { "name": "UserService" },
"provider": { "name": "UserAPI" },
"interactions": [...],
"metadata": {
"regressionSnapshot": "user-42.json",
"lastVerified": "2025-08-14",
"performance": {
"avgResponseTimeMs": 120,
"thresholdMs": 200
},
"securityScan": {
"zapScore": "PASS",
"lastScan": "2025-08-14"
}
}
}
```

Upload this to your Pact Broker and pull it into your dashboard.

4. Unified Dashboard

```
views/index.ejs
html
<h2>/ Snapshot Diff</h2>
<%= snapshotDiff %>
<h2> DB State Changes</h2>
<%= dbDiff %>
<h2> ZAP Security Scan</h2>
<%= zapReport %>
<h2>/ Performance Metrics</h2>
<%= perfMetrics %>
<h2>>> Pact Metadata</h2>
<%= pactMetadata %>
server.js
is
const snapshotDiff = fs.readFileSync('snapshots/user-42.actual.json',
'utf8'):
const dbDiff = fs.readFileSync('db-diff.txt', 'utf8');
const zapReport = fs.readFileSync('zap-report.html', 'utf8');
const perfMetrics = fs.readFileSync('perf-summary.txt', 'utf8');
const pactMetadata = fs.readFileSync('pact-with-metadata.json',
'utf8'):
res.render('index', { snapshotDiff, dbDiff, zapReport, perfMetrics,
pactMetadata });
Bonus: Artifact Upload in GitHub Actions
.github/workflows/test.yml (snippet)
yaml
- name: Upload Snapshot Diffs
uses: actions/upload-artifact@v3
with:
name: snapshot-diffs
```

path: snapshots/*.actual.json

```
- name: Upload ZAP Report
uses: actions/upload-artifact@v3
with:
name: zap-report
path: zap-report.html
```

Refresh dashboard content

@echo "¡ Refreshing dashboard..."

refresh-dashboard:

Awesome. Here's a powerful, modular Makefile to orchestrate your entire regression pipeline locally—snapshot approval, Slack alerts, dashboard refresh, and artifact prep.

```
Makefile
makefile
# Paths
SNAPSHOT DIR = snapshots
ACTUAL_SUFFIX = .actual.json
SLACK SCRIPT = ./notifySlack.sh
DASHBOARD_SCRIPT = ./refreshDashboard.sh
# Approve all actual snapshots
approve-snapshots:
@echo "✓ Approving snapshots..."
@for f in $(SNAPSHOT_DIR)/*$(ACTUAL_SUFFIX); do \
base=$$(basename $$f $(ACTUAL_SUFFIX)); \
cp $$f $(SNAPSHOT_DIR)/$$base.json; \
echo "Approved: $$base.json"; \
done
# Alert on snapshot diffs
alert-on-diff:
@echo " Checking for snapshot mismatches..."
@for f in $(SNAPSHOT_DIR)/*$(ACTUAL_SUFFIX); do \
base=$$(basename $$f $(ACTUAL_SUFFIX)); \
diff $$(dirname $$f)/$$base.json $$f > /dev/null || \
$(SLACK_SCRIPT) "△ Snapshot mismatch detected: $$base.json"; \
done
```

```
@$(DASHBOARD_SCRIPT)

# Run full regression pipeline
regression-pipeline: approve-snapshots alert-on-diff refresh-
dashboard
@echo "# Regression pipeline complete."
```

refreshDashboard.sh

bash

```
#!/bin/bash
echo "Updating dashboard data..."

cp snapshots/user-42.actual.json dashboard/snapshotDiff.json
cp db-diff.txt dashboard/dbDiff.txt
cp zap-report.html dashboard/zapReport.html
cp perf-summary.txt dashboard/perfMetrics.txt
cp pact-with-metadata.json dashboard/pactMetadata.json
echo "
Dashboard updated."
```

Usage

bash

make regression-pipeline

This will:

- Approve all .actual.json snapshots
- Alert Slack if any diffs are found
- Refresh the dashboard with latest test artifacts

Love that mindset. Here's how we can turn your regression pipeline into a bulletproof, enterprise-grade system—complete with CI/CD triggers, release automation, and local orchestration.



```
makefile
```

```
test:
@echo "  Running full test suite..."
@./gradlew clean test
@echo "  Generating regression artifacts..."
@mkdir -p snapshots
@cp build/test-results/*.json snapshots/ # adjust as needed
@echo "  Tests complete."
```

2. make release: Tag, Approve, Upload

Add to Makefile

makefile

```
release:

@echo " Creating release..."

@git tag -a v$(shell date +%Y%m%d%H%M) -m "Release $(shell date)"

@git push origin --tags

@make approve-snapshots

@make upload-artifacts

@echo " Release tagged and snapshots approved."

upload-artifacts:

@echo " Uploading artifacts..."

@gh release create $(shell git describe --tags --abbrev=0) \
--notes "Automated release" \
snapshots/*.json zap-report.html perf-summary.txt pact-with-
metadata.json
```

Requires GitHub CLI (gh) installed and authenticated.

3. GitHub Action: Trigger Makefile on Push or Tag

```
.github/workflows/ci.yml
vaml
```

```
name: CI Pipeline
on:
push:
branches: [ main ]
```

```
tags: [ 'v*' ]

jobs:
regression:
runs-on: ubuntu-latest
steps:
- uses: actions/checkout@v3
- name: Set up JDK
uses: actions/setup-java@v3
with:
java-version: '17'
- name: Run Makefile pipeline
run: |
make test
make regression-pipeline
```

4. Optional: make verify for Local Snapshot Diffing

makefile

```
verify:
@echo "Q Verifying snapshots..."
@for f in $(SNAPSHOT_DIR)/*$(ACTUAL_SUFFIX); do \
base=$$(basename $$f $(ACTUAL_SUFFIX)); \
diff $$f $(SNAPSHOT_DIR)/$$base.json || echo "X Diff found in
$$base"; \
done
```

Final Structure

Code

____.github/workflows/ci.yml