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From 0 to Hero with Spring WebSocket

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HOW MANY WEB APPLICATIONS WITH REALTIME NOTIFICATIONS DO YOU USE?



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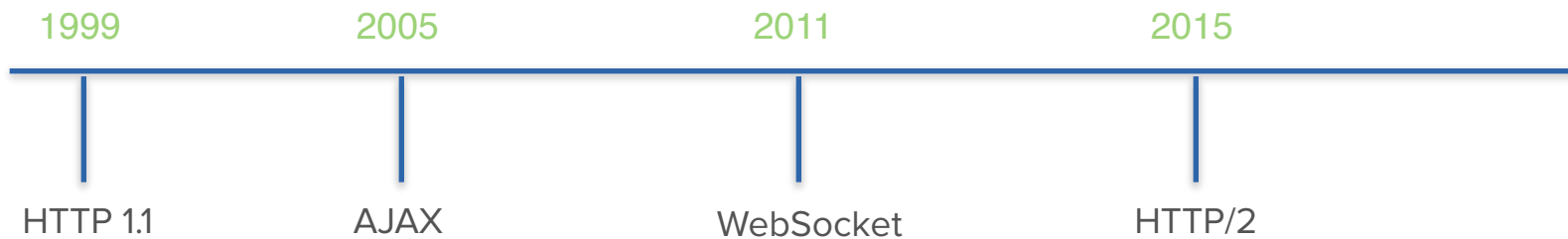


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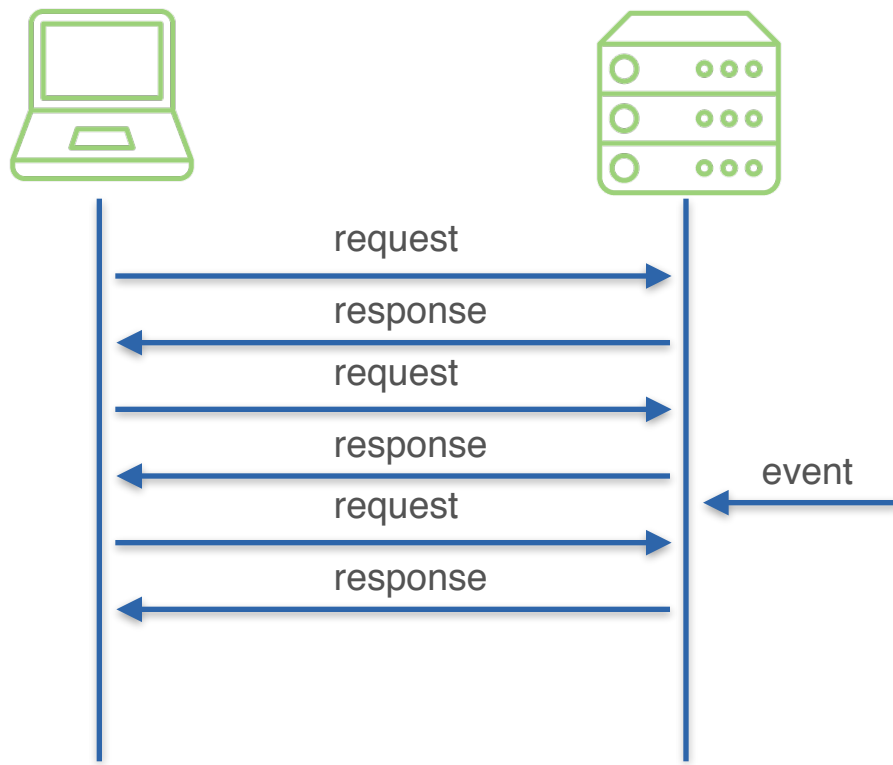


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Evolution



Polling

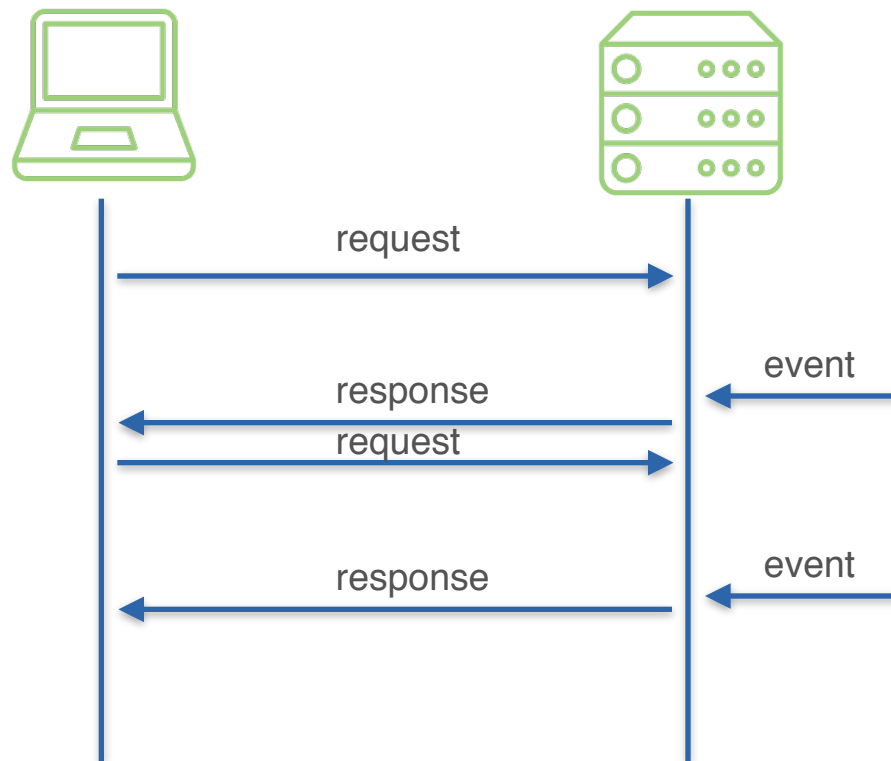


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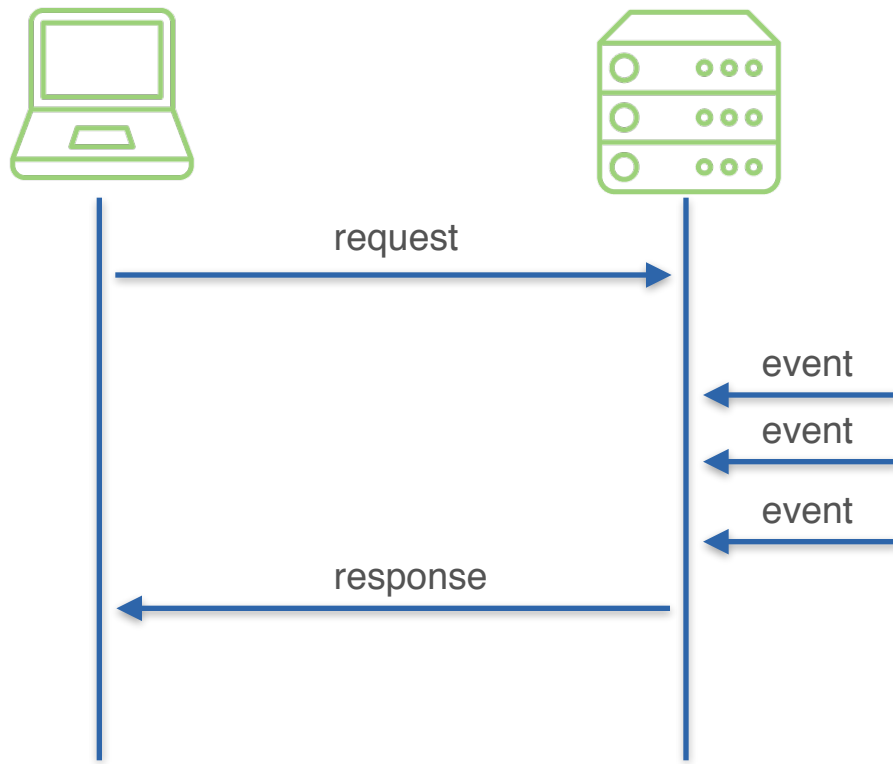
```
setInterval(function(){  
    $.ajax({ url: "server", success: function(data){  
        //Process  
    }, dataType: "json"});  
}, 30000);
```



Long Polling



HTTP Streaming

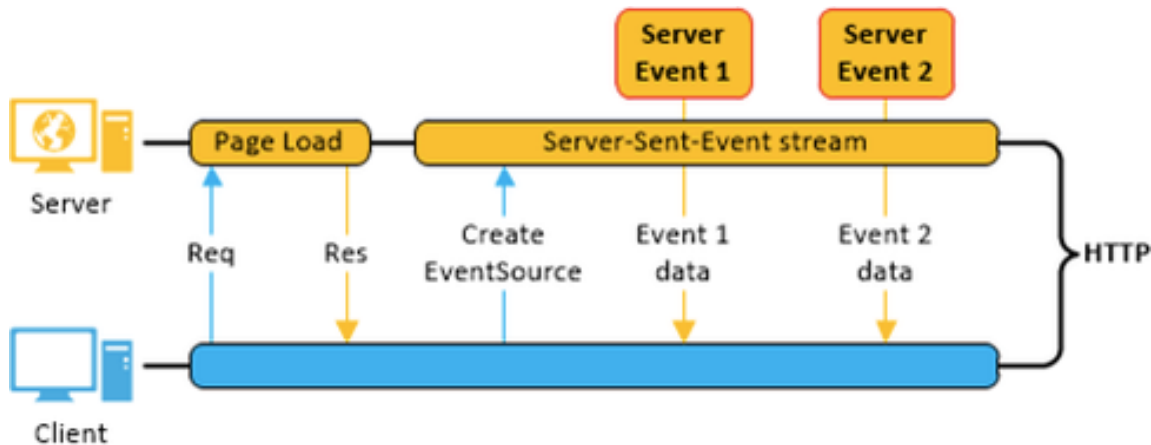


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Server Sent Events

- uni-directional
 - server push
- built on top of HTTP
 - a form of HTTP streaming
- long-lived HTTP connection
- EventSource API



EventSource API



```
var source = new EventSource("/metrics");

source.addEventListener('memory', function(event) {
    console.log(event.data);
});

source.addEventListener('uptime', function(event) {
    console.log(event.data);
});
```

Spring SSE

- return SseEmitter from method handler (since Spring 4.2)
- use **onCompletion()** to be notified when async request completes
 - also called when network errors occur

```
@RequestMapping("/metrics")
public SseEmitter subscribeMetrics() {
    SseEmitter emitter = new SseEmitter();

    // Save emitter for further usage
    return emitter;
}
```

DEMO

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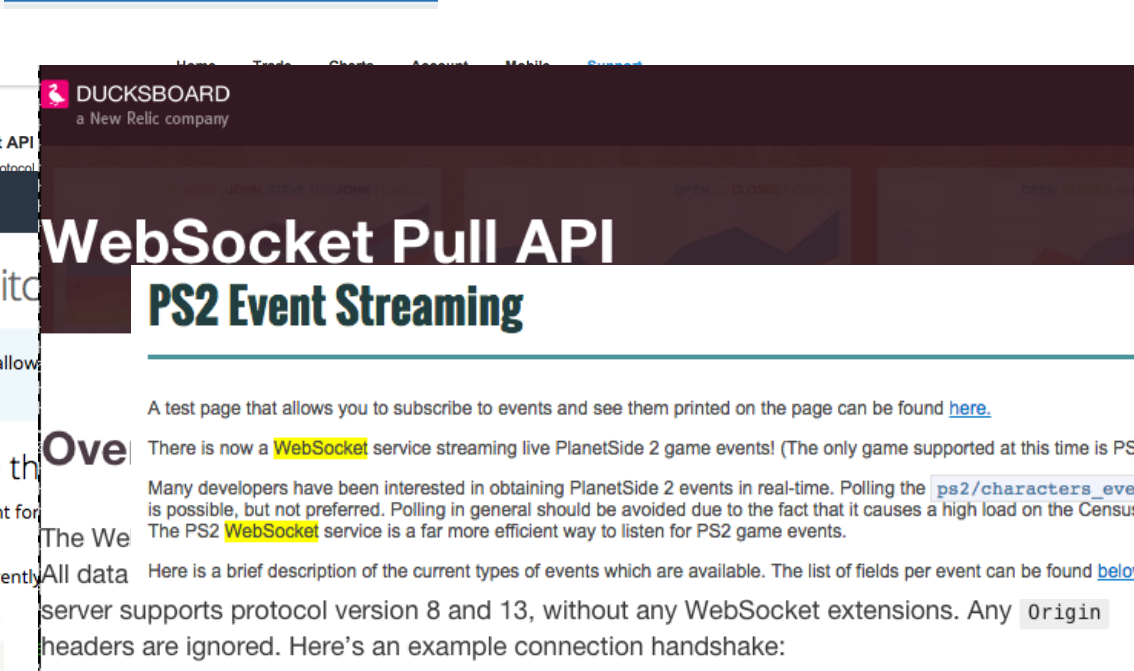
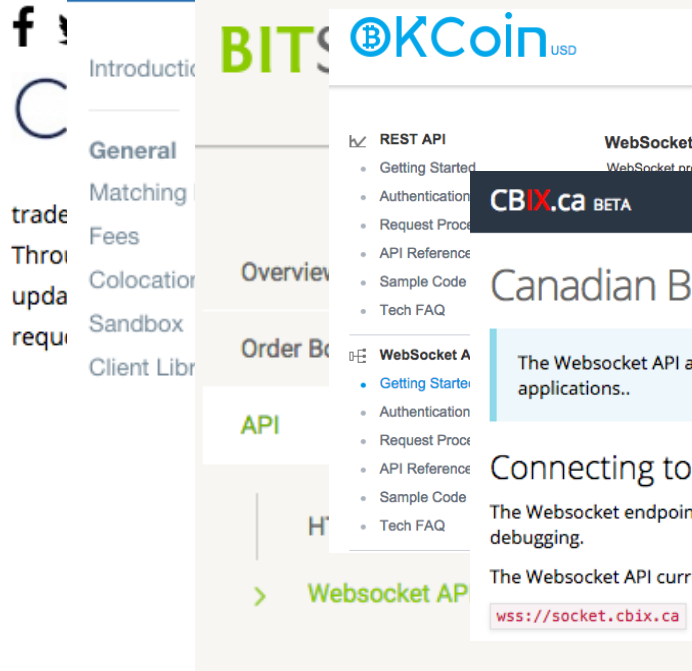
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WebSocket Protocol

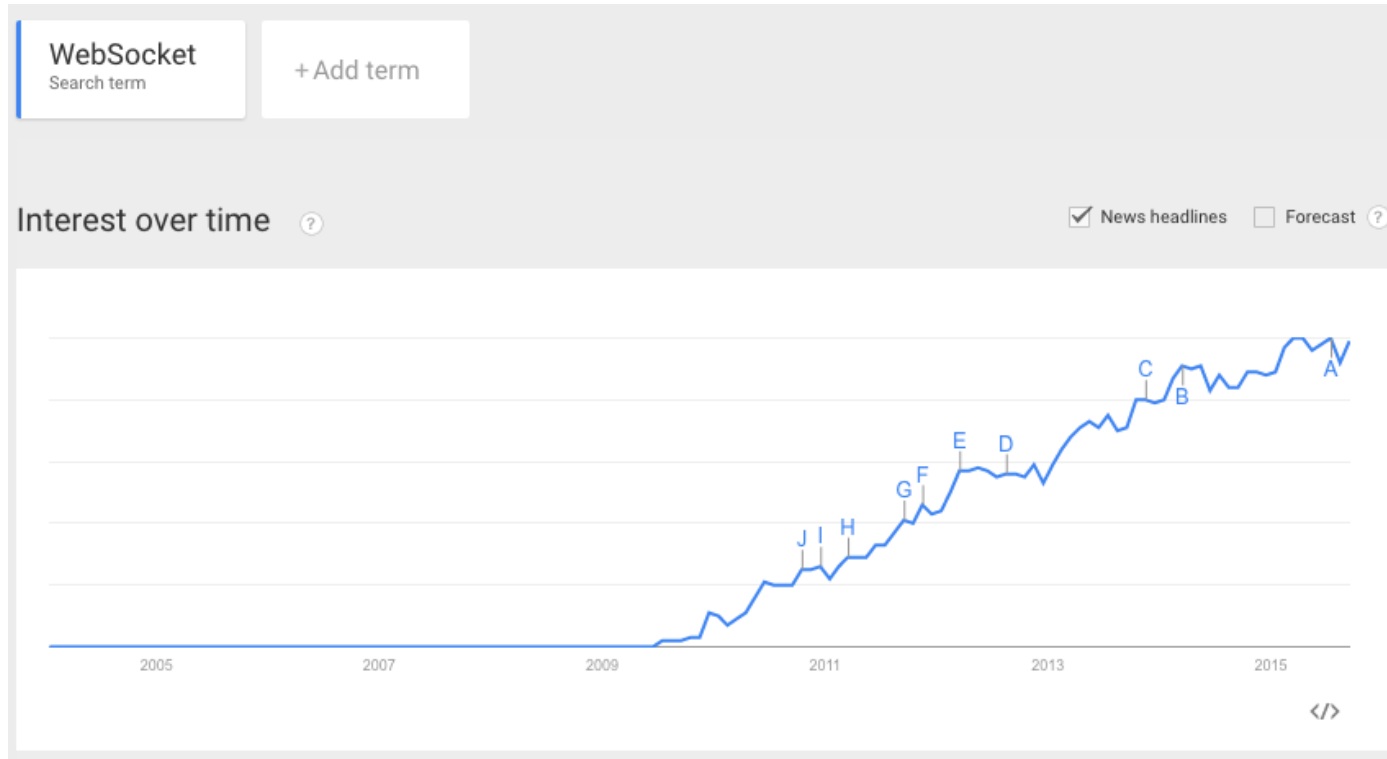
- Real-time full duplex communication over TCP
 - Standardized by the IETF (RFC 6455)
- Uses port 80 / 443 (URL scheme ws:// wss://)
- Small overhead for text messages (frames)
 - 0x00 for frame start, 0xFF for frame end (vs HTTP 1Kb)
- Use cases: games, collaborative apps, financial tickets, social feeds, chat...

Realtime WebSocket-based APIs

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WebSocket - Anyone interested?



WebSocket API



```
var ws = new WebSocket("ws://localhost/ws");
```

```
ws.onopen = function () {  
    ws.send('Here I am!');  
};
```

```
ws.onmessage = function (event) {  
    console.log('message: ' + event.data);  
};
```

```
ws.onclose = function (event) {  
    console.log('closed:' + event.code);  
};
```

Subprotocols

- WebSocket doesn't define any application protocol
 - As opposed to HTTP
- Too low level, applications need to interpret meaning of messages
- A subprotocol can be negotiated during handshake
 - STOMP, WAMP, MQTT, XMPP...
- Spring WebSocket supports STOMP

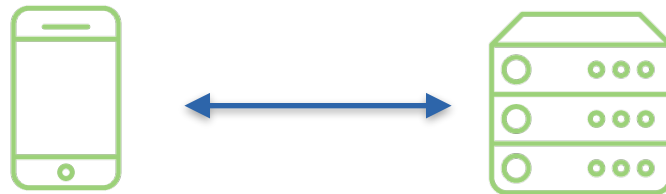
STOMP

WebSocket

TCP

WebSocket clients

- Not only browsers...
- Mobile clients
- Server to server communication
 - SockJS and STOMP clients available in Spring

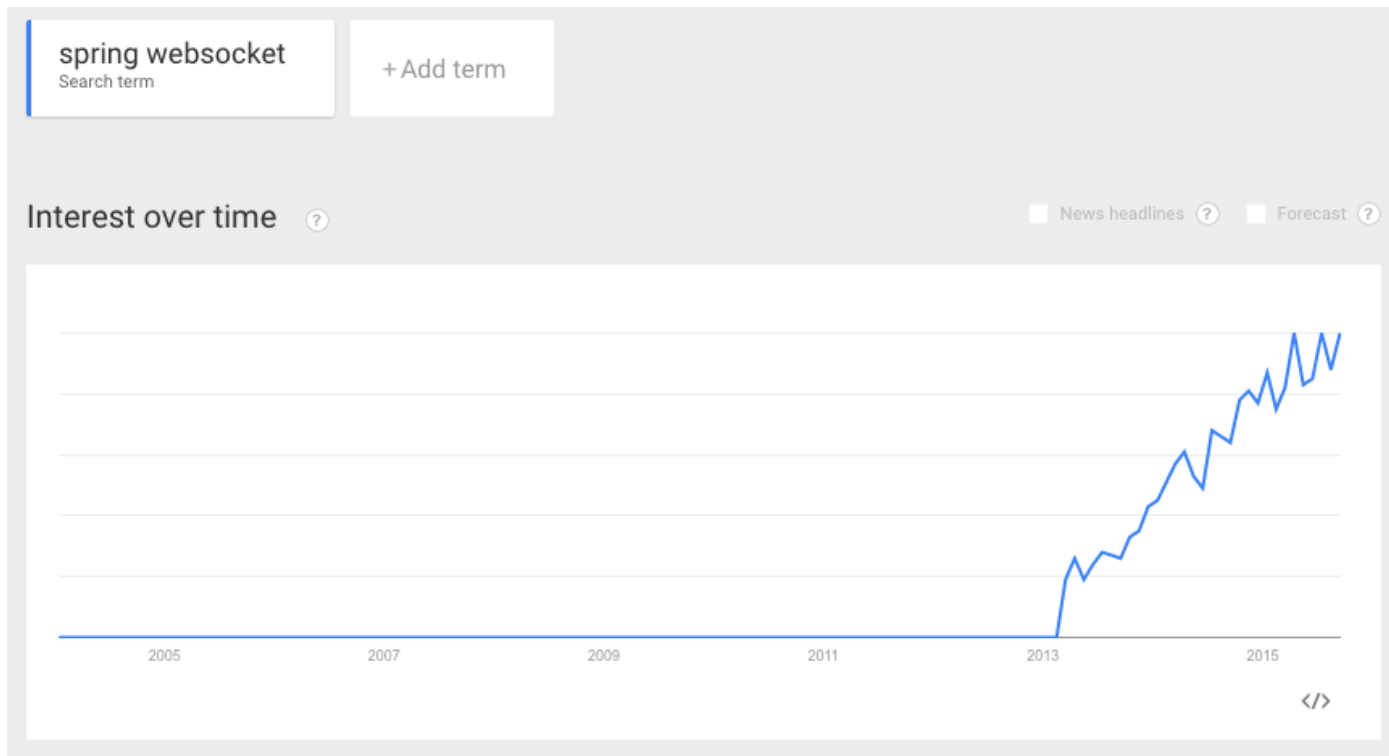


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Spring WebSocket - Anyone interested?



WebSocket Config

@Configuration

@EnableWebSocket

public class WebSocketConfig **implements** WebSocketConfigurer {

@Override

public void registerWebSocketHandlers(WebSocketHandlerRegistry registry) {
 registry.addHandler(echoHandler(), "/echo");
}

@Bean

public EchoHandler echoHandler() {
 return new EchoHandler();
}
}

CODING TIME

STOMP over WebSocket

- When using STOMP, we will have an event-driven, message architecture
 - Similar to JMS or AMQP
- Types of destinations
 - Application destinations
 - Messages routed to controller message handler methods
 - Broker destinations
 - Messages routed to the message broker
 - User destinations
 - Messages routed to a specific user

Broker

- Two options:
 - SimpleBroker
 - built-in broker
 - everything in memory
 - BrokerRelay
 - Forwards messages to a STOMP broker (RabbitMQ, ActiveMQ...)
 - Better for scaling

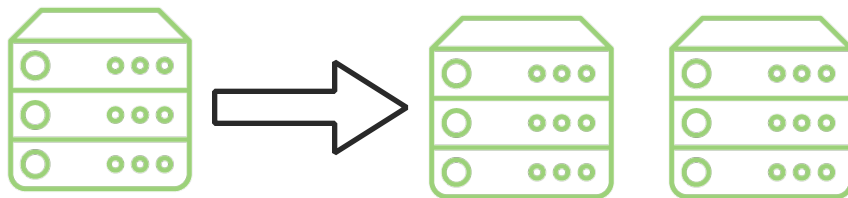
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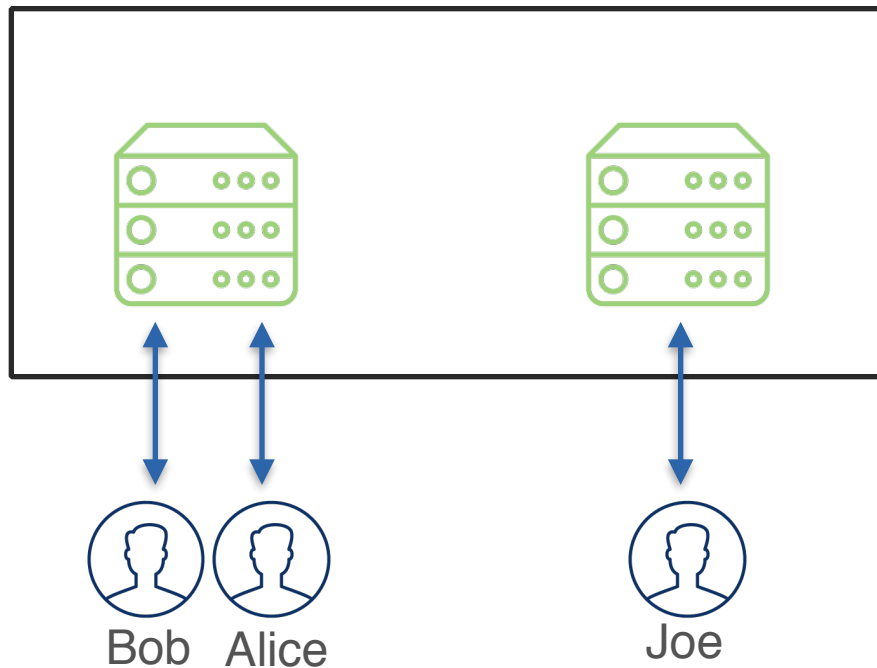
Time to Scale

```
cf scale spring-questions -i 2
```



Messaging users

Bob sends a message to Alice
Alice sends a message to Bob.
(/user/alice/queue/messages).
Instance1 can not resolve the
user destination and message
queue is connected to instance2
can be resolved



Resolving user destinations

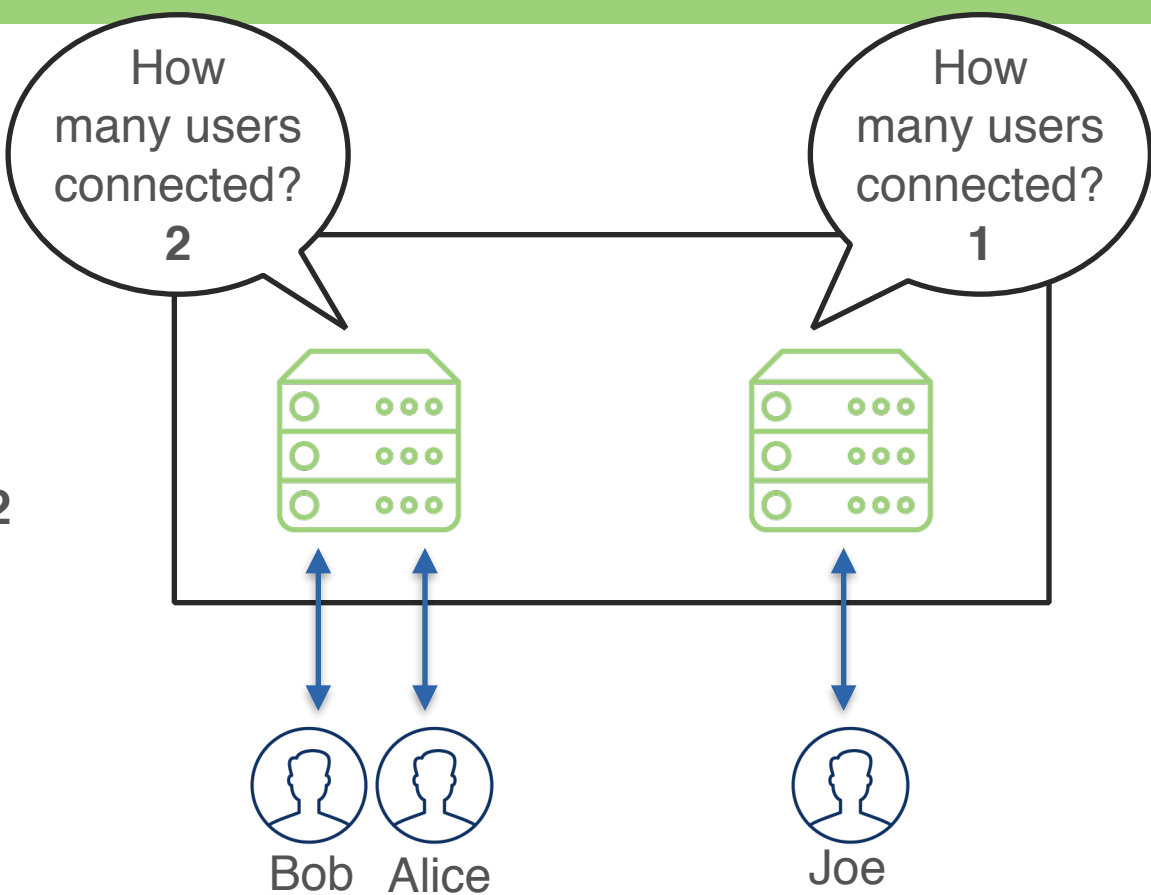
- When a user destination cannot be resolved, a message will be broadcast
 - This allows other instances to resolve the destination

```
@Override
public void configureMessageBroker(MessageBrokerRegistry registry) {
    registry.setApplicationDestinationPrefixes("/app")
        .enableStompBrokerRelay("/queue", "/topic")
        .setUserDestinationBroadcast("/topic/unresolved-user-dest");
}
```


Connected users

Bob and Alice are connected to **instance1**

Joe is connected to **instance2**



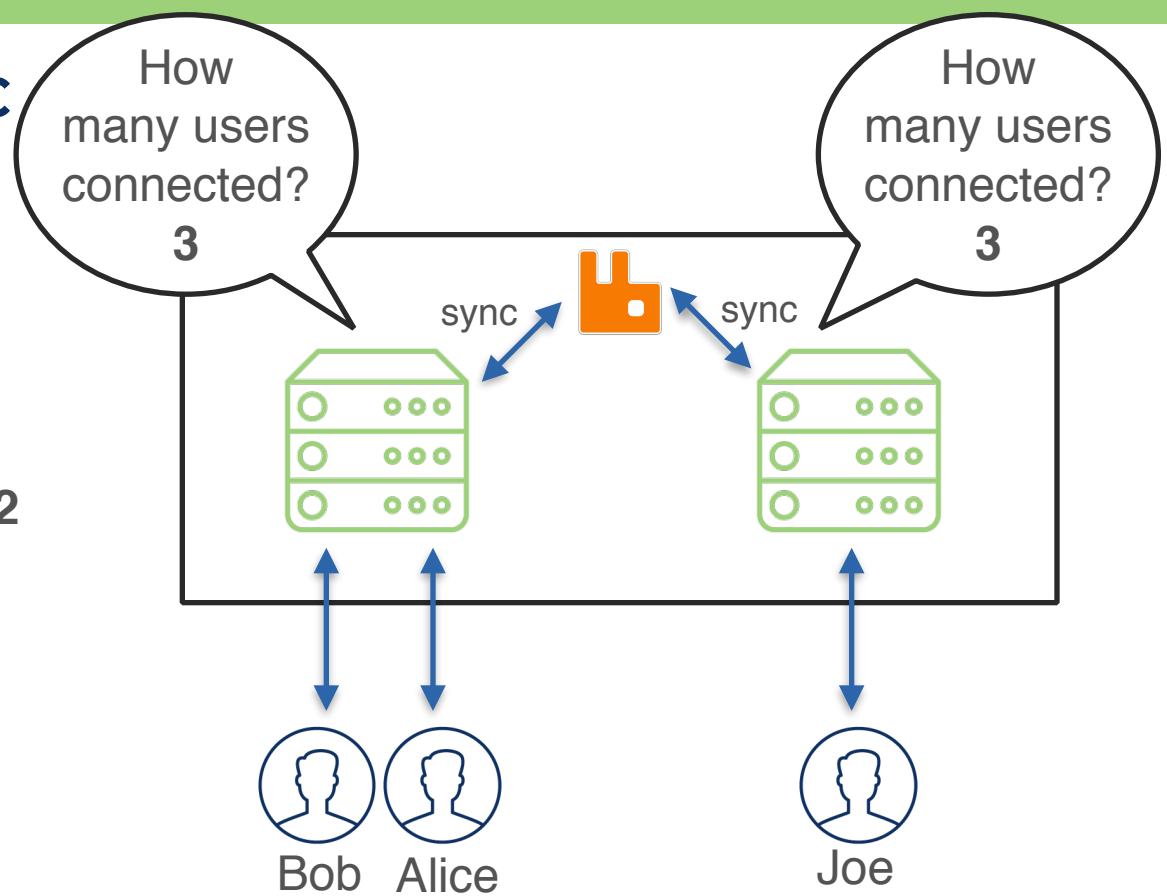
SimpUserRegistry

- A registry for the currently connected users and subscriptions
- Two implementations:
 - **DefaultSimpUserRegistry** (default strategy)
 - stores everything in memory
 - **MultiServerUserRegistry**:
 - shares user registries across multiple servers

UserRegistry Sync

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WebSocket Security

- Handshake request is a simple HTTP request
 - Protect it as a normal URL
- Use WebSocket Secure connection (wss://)
- Origin

Message Security

```
@Configuration
public class WebSocketSecurityConfig extends
AbstractSecurityWebSocketMessageBrokerConfigurer {

    @Override
    protected void configureInbound(MessageSecurityMetadataSourceRegistry messages) {
        messages
            // restrict subscription with role ADMIN
            .simpSubscribeDestMatchers("/topic/admin.notifications").hasRole("ADMIN")
            // users cannot send to these broker destinations, only the application can
            .simpMessageDestMatchers("/topic/orders", "/topic/order.conf").denyAll()
            .anyMessage().authenticated();
    }
}
```

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Learn more

<http://www.infoq.com/presentations/spring-4-websockets>



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Thanks!

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