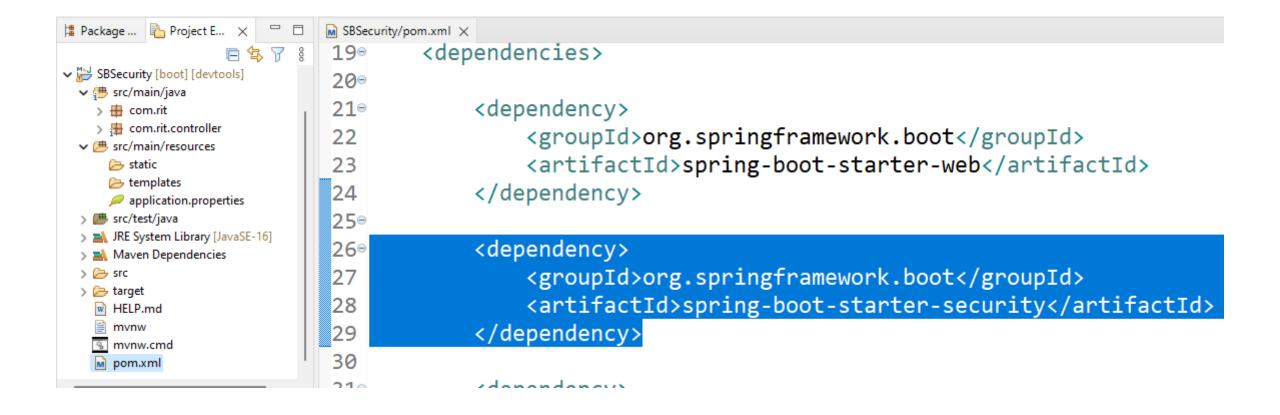
# Spring Boot Security

#### Authentication & Authorization

- Authentication
  - Who are you?
  - Username & password
- Authorization
  - What access should I grant to you?
  - Admin, Manager, Executive...



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SBSecurity - SbSecurityApplication [Spring Boot App]

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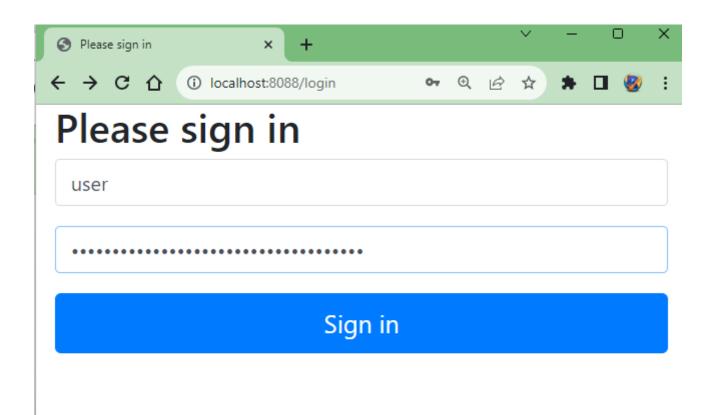
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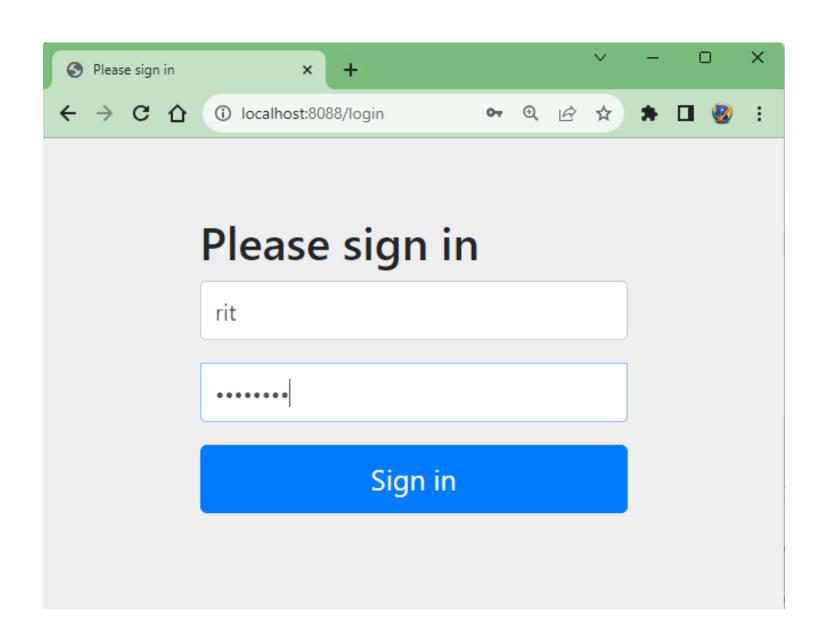
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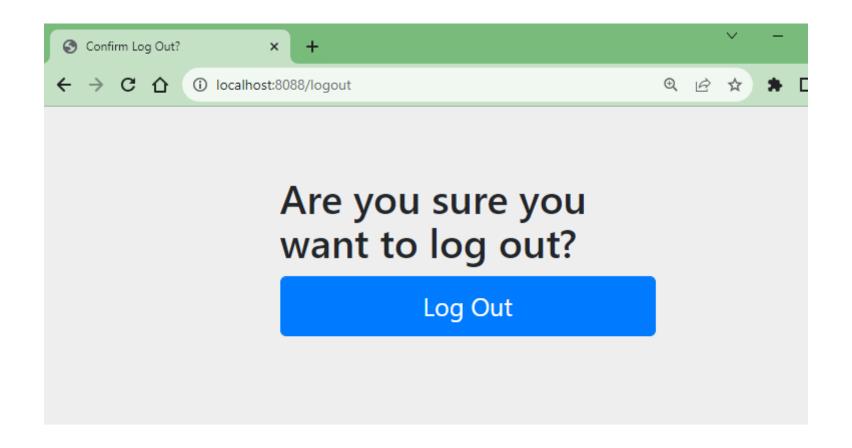
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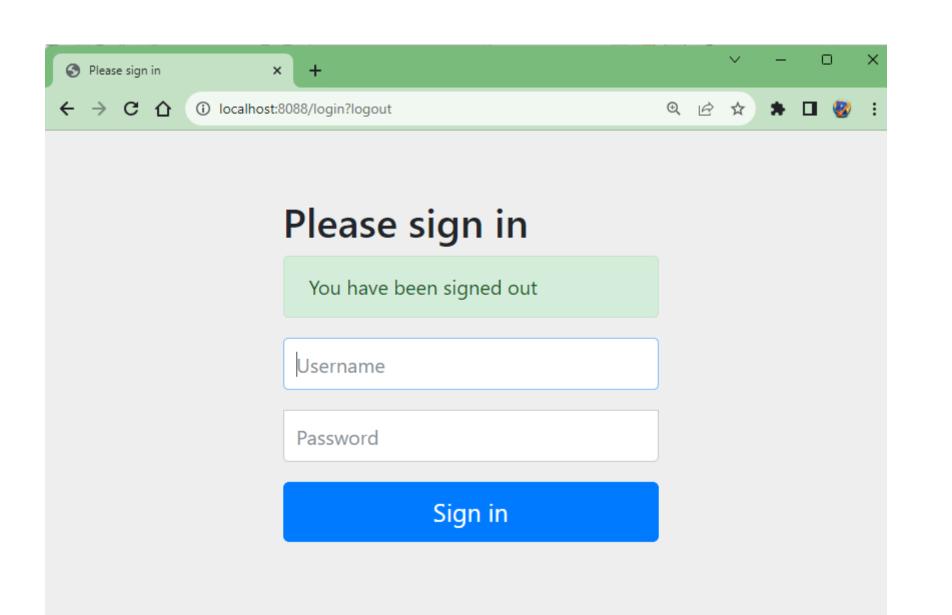
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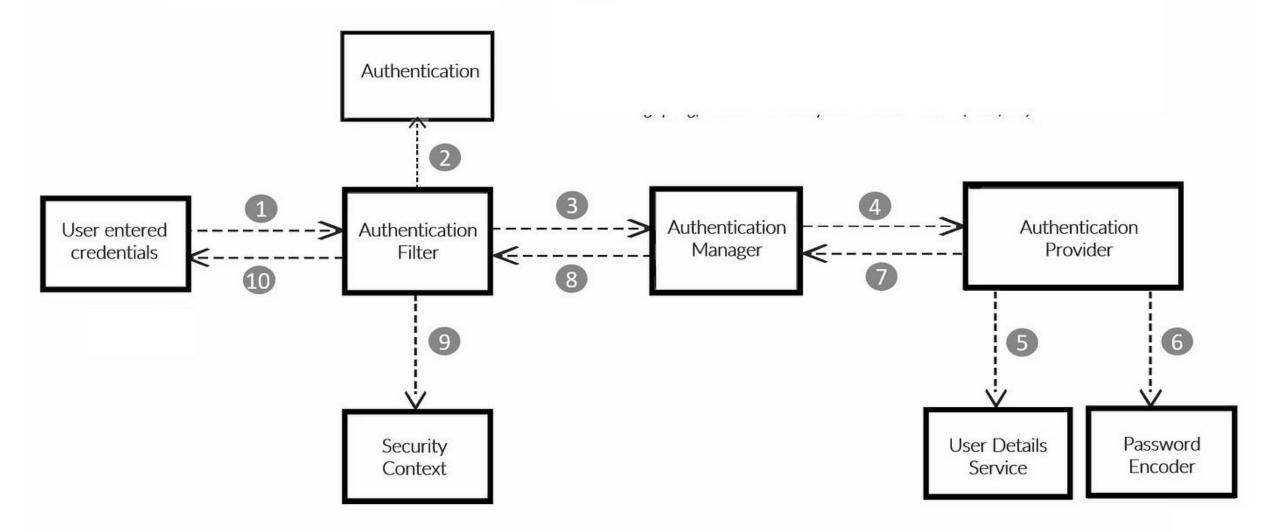






# Spring Security

Internal Work flow

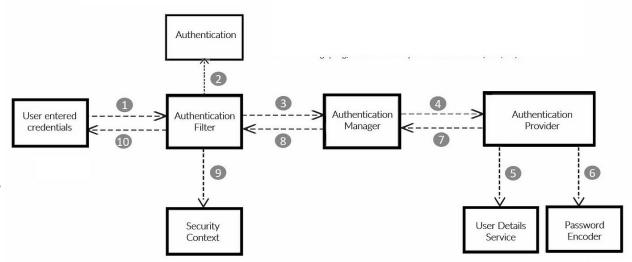


# Spring Security Flow

- 1. User Submits Login Form
  - This triggers an HTTP POST request.

#### 2. Authentication Filter Triggers

- There are multiple authentication filters available like BasicAuthenticationFilter, BearerTokenAuthenticationFilter, OAuth2LoginAuthenticationFilter, UsernamePasswordAuthenticationFilter and more.
- In this UsernamePasswordAuthenticationFilter is specifically used to intercept the form-based login request.
- It extracts the credentials and creates an Authentication object (UsernamePasswordAuthenticationToken).



# Spring Security Flow Authentication User entered credentials Authentication Filter 3 Authentication Manager Authentication Provider 5 6

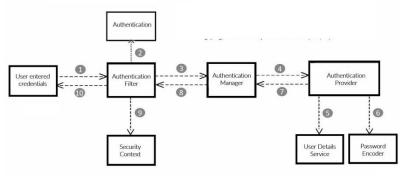
#### 3. Authentication Object Sent to Manager

- The AuthenticationManager receives the authentication token.
- Its job is to validate the token using configured authentication providers.

#### 4. Authentication Provider Takes Over

- There are different authentication providers includes LdapAuthenticationProvider, JwtAuthenticationProvider, OAuth2LoginAuthenticationProvider, RememberMeAuthenticationProvider, DaoAuthenticationProvider and more
- In this DaoAuthenticationProvider is most commonly used.
- Authenticates using a UserDetailsService and a PasswordEncoder.
- Used in traditional form-based login.

# Spring Security Flow



#### 5. UserDetailsService Loads User

- Retrieves user info like username, password, and roles from the data source.
- Returns a UserDetails object with these credentials.

#### 6. Password Verified by Encoder

• The entered password is encoded (e.g., using BCrypt). Compared against the stored encoded password in UserDetails.

#### 7. Authentication Success → Security Context

- If credentials are valid, a new Authentication object (authenticated = true) is created.
- Stored in SecurityContextHolder, allowing access throughout the app.
- The authenticated UserDetails (principal) is now available.
- Access to protected routes and resources is granted based on roles/authorities.

# Spring Security

Legacy using WebSecurityConfigurerAdapter

### Step to develop

- Create a Security Configuration class (in a package security)
- Annotate it with @Configuration
- Extends from WebSecurityConfigurerAdapter
- Press Ctrl+space within the class scope, it will list 3 configure methods
  - Authentication (via **AuthenticationManagerBuilder**):
    - Configure which users are allowed to authenticate, where they come from, and how (inmemory, JDBC, LDAP, custom authentication providers, etc.)
  - Authorization (via **HttpSecurity**):
    - Set up rules on which users can access certain URLs and resources.
    - Can control things like form login, logout, HTTP basic authentication, CSRF protection, session management, URL access restrictions, etc.
  - Global Security Settings (via WebSecurity):
    - To apply general web security configuration for the whole application.
    - Like exclude certain resources (like CSS, JS, Images..) from security filters.

## Imports & Class

```
import org.springframework.context.annotation.Configuration; import org.springframework.security.config.annotation.web.builders.HttpSecurity; import org.springframework.security.config.annotation.web.builders.WebSecurity; import org.springframework.security.config.annotation.authentication.builders.AuthenticationManagerBuilder; import org.springframework.security.config.annotation.web.configuration.EnableWebSecurity; import org.springframework.security.config.annotation.web.configuration.WebSecurityConfigurerAdapter;

@Configuration
@EnableWebSecurity
public class SecurityConfig extends WebSecurityConfigurerAdapter {
```

#### Authentication

```
@Override
protected void configure(AuthenticationManagerBuilder auth) throws Exception {
  // In-memory authentication with plain text passwords
  auth.inMemoryAuthentication()
    .withUser("admin")
      .password("admin123") // Plain text password
      .roles("ADMIN")
    .and()
    .withUser("user")
      .password("user123")
      .roles("USER")
    .and()
    .withUser("guest")
      .password("guest123")
      .roles("GUEST");
```

#### Authentication with Encoder

```
@Override
protected void configure(AuthenticationManagerBuilder auth) throws Exception {
  auth.inMemoryAuthentication()
    .passwordEncoder(passwordEncoder()) // Set password encoder
    .withUser("admin")
    .password(passwordEncoder().encode("admin123")) // Encoded password
    .roles("ADMIN")
    .and()
    .withUser("user")
    .password(passwordEncoder().encode("user123")) // Encoded password
    .roles("USER");
@Bean
public PasswordEncoder passwordEncoder() {
  return new BCryptPasswordEncoder();
```

#### Authorization

```
@Override
protected void configure(HttpSecurity http) throws Exception {
  http
    .authorizeRequests()
      .antMatchers("/admin/**").hasRole("ADMIN")
      .antMatchers("/user/**").hasRole("USER")
      .antMatchers("/guest/**").hasRole("GUEST")
      .antMatchers("/public/**").permitAll()
      .anyRequest().authenticated()
    .and()
    .formLogin() // Enable form login
      .loginPage("/login") // Custom login page
      .permitAll()
    .and()
    .logout() // Enable logout
      .permitAll();
```

## Web security

```
@Override
public void configure(WebSecurity web) throws Exception {
    // Ignoring static resources like CSS, JS, images
    web.ignoring().antMatchers("/resources/**", "/static/**", "/css/**", "/js/**", "/images/**");
}
```

# Authentication Types

Authentication Type	Use Case
In-Memory Authentication	Simple apps, development, testing
JDBC Authentication	Persistent user data in a relational DB
LDAP Authentication	Use of LDAP/Active Directory for user management
<b>Custom Authentication Provider</b>	Custom logic, integration with external systems
Form-Based Authentication	Traditional web apps with username/password login
HTTP Basic Authentication	Simple APIs, stateless HTTP communication
OAuth2 / OpenID Connect	SSO, third-party authentication (e.g., Google, GitHub login)
JWT Authentication	Stateless APIs, microservices

# Spring Security

Modern using **SecurityFilterChain** 

# In-Memory Authentication

## In Memory Authentication

#### Steps to develop

- Create a project with following dependencies
  - Web, Security.
- Create a controller with end points
  - /admin/{id} for admin
  - /user/{id} for both admin and user
  - /home for any role
- Create a configuration class to override username and password
- Run the application
  - /admin/123 for admin,
  - /user/123 for both admin and user,
  - /home for any role

## Dependencies

```
<dependency>
          <groupId>org.springframework.boot</groupId>
          <artifactId>spring-boot-starter-security</artifactId>
</dependency>
<dependency>
          <groupId>org.springframework.boot</groupId>
          <artifactId>spring-boot-starter-web</artifactId>
</dependency>
<dependency>
          <groupId>org.springframework.boot</groupId>
          <artifactId>spring-boot-starter-test</artifactId>
          <scope>test</scope>
</dependency>
<dependency>
          <groupId>org.springframework.security</groupId>
          <artifactId>spring-security-test</artifactId>
          <scope>test</scope>
</dependency>
```

#### Controller Class

```
@RestController
public class AccountController {
         @GetMapping("/admin/{id}")
         public String admin(@PathVariable int id) {
                  return "Welcome Admin, Id is "+id;
         @GetMapping("/user/{id}")
         public String user(@PathVariable int id) {
                  return "Welcome User, Id is "+id;
         @GetMapping("/home")
         public String home() {
                  return "Welcome Home ";
```

## Configuration Class

```
import org.springframework.context.annotation.Bean;
import org.springframework.context.annotation.Configuration;
import org.springframework.security.config.annotation.web.builders.HttpSecurity;
import org.springframework.security.config.annotation.web.configuration.EnableWebSecurity;
import org.springframework.security.core.userdetails.User;
import org.springframework.security.core.userdetails.UserDetailsService;
import org.springframework.security.crypto.bcrypt.BCryptPasswordEncoder;
import org.springframework.security.crypto.password.PasswordEncoder;
import org.springframework.security.provisioning.InMemoryUserDetailsManager;
import org.springframework.security.web.SecurityFilterChain;
@Configuration
@EnableWebSecurity
public class SecurityConfig {
```

#### Authentication

```
@Bean
public UserDetailsService userDetailsService() {
  InMemoryUserDetailsManager manager = new InMemoryUserDetailsManager();
  manager.createUser(User.withUsername("admin")
      .password(passwordEncoder().encode("admin")) // encoded password
      .roles("ADMIN").build());
  manager.createUser(User.withUsername("user")
      .password(passwordEncoder().encode("user"))
      .roles("USER").build());
  return manager;
@Bean
public PasswordEncoder passwordEncoder() {
  return new BCryptPasswordEncoder();
```

#### Authorization

```
@Bean
public SecurityFilterChain securityFilterChain(HttpSecurity http) throws Exception{
         // http.authorizeRequests() is deprecated from Spring Security 6.1
         http.authorizeHttpRequests(requests -> requests
                             .requestMatchers("/admin/**").hasRole("ADMIN")
                             .requestMatchers("/user/**").hasAnyRole("USER", "ADMIN")
                             .anyRequest().authenticated())
                   .formLogin(login -> login.permitAll())
                   .logout( logout -> logout.permitAll());
                   // Custom login page
                   //.formLogin(login -> login.loginPage("/login").permitAll())
         return http.build();
```

# JDBC Authentication

#### JDBC Authentication

#### **Steps to Develop**

- Create a project with following dependencies Web, Security, MySQL and JPA.
- Update application.properties with datasource details
- Create 2 tables users & authorities with couple of records
- Credentials: admin & admin, user & user
- Modify configuration class for JDBC authentication
- Run the application

```
use springsecurity idbcauth;
CREATE TABLE users (
  username VARCHAR(50) PRIMARY KEY,
  password VARCHAR(255) NOT NULL,
  enabled BOOLEAN NOT NULL
CREATE TABLE authorities (
  username VARCHAR(50),
  authority VARCHAR(50),
  FOREIGN KEY (username) REFERENCES users(username)
INSERT INTO authorities (username, authority) VALUES ('admin', 'ROLE ADMIN');
INSERT INTO authorities (username, authority) VALUES ('user', 'ROLE_USER');
INSERT INTO users (username, password, enabled) VALUES ('user',
'$2a$10$k7LQQ9hZ8g8g7O9KlZzZcOsNzjps9kwf7sgWmcnDZ2yygdWVhdU6y', true);
INSERT INTO users (username, password, enabled) VALUES ('admin',
'$2a$10$Xf9n8RiVFEFTejp.AgXOUyN3ccVwprXjV6a9dcNxk1XgwvEphYBei', true);
```

## Configuration Class

```
import javax.sql.DataSource;
import org.springframework.security.authentication.dao.DaoAuthenticationProvider;
import org.springframework.security.config.annotation.web.builders.HttpSecurity;
import org.springframework.security.config.annotation.web.configuration.EnableWebSecurity;
import org.springframework.security.core.userdetails.jdbc.JdbcDaoImpl;
@Configuration
@EnableWebSecurity
public class SecurityConfig {
          @Bean
          <u>public</u> SecurityFilterChain securityFilterChain(HttpSecurity http) throws Exception{
                           //Same as InMemory Code
           @Bean
           public PasswordEncoder passwordEncoder() {
             return new BCryptPasswordEncoder();
```

```
@Bean
public UserDetailsService userDetailsService(DataSource dataSource) {
  JdbcDaoImpl jdbcDao = new JdbcDaoImpl();
  jdbcDao.setDataSource(dataSource);
  jdbcDao.setUsersByUsernameQuery("SELECT username, password, enabled FROM users WHERE username = ?");
  jdbcDao.setAuthoritiesByUsernameQuery("SELECT username, authority FROM authorities WHERE username = ?");
  return jdbcDao;
  //AuthenticationConfiguration, picks up the UserDetailsService and PasswordEncoder automatically if they are
  defined as beans.
  @Bean
  public AuthenticationManager authenticationManager(AuthenticationConfiguration authenticationConfiguration)
  throws Exception {
       return authenticationConfiguration.getAuthenticationManager();
```

# OAuth2 Authentication

#### OAuth2 Authentication

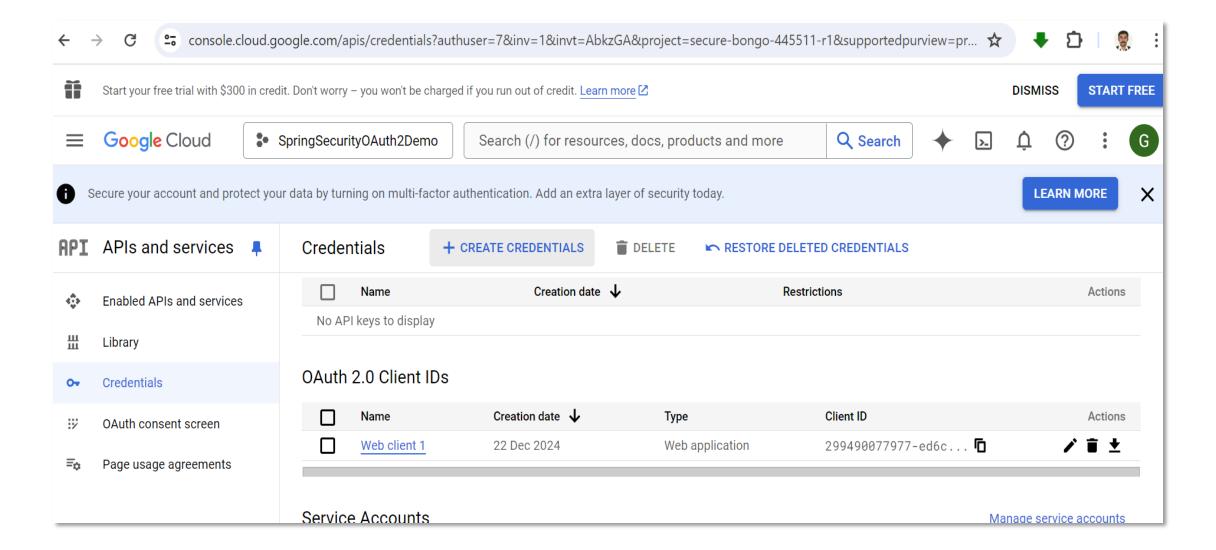
#### **Steps to Develop**

- Create Oauth Client Id with Google/Facebook...
- Create a project with following dependencies Web, Security, MySQL, JPA & OAuth2 Client.
- Create application.yml with OAuth2 details
- Modify configuration class for OAuth & JDBC authentication
- Update endpoint in controller to display returned user details
- Run the application

#### OAuth Client ID

- Go to Google Developer Console: https://console.developers.google.com/
- Create a new project.
- Navigate to APIs & Services > Credentials> + CREATE CREDENTIALS.
- Create OAuth2 credentials by selecting "OAuth client ID".
- Configure the consent screen
  - Javascript Origin: http://localhost:8080
  - Redirect URI: http://localhost:8080/login/oauth2/code/google.
- Copy the Client ID and Client Secret and paste them into your application.yml.

#### OAuth Client ID



### OAuth2 Dependencies

### Application.yml (with OAuth Details)

```
spring:
 security:
  oauth2:
   client:
    registration:
     google:
       client-id: YOUR_GOOGLE_CLIENT_ID
       client-secret: YOUR GOOGLE CLIENT SECRET
      scope: profile, email
      authorization-grant-type: authorization code
      redirect-uri: "http://localhost:8080/login/oauth2/code/google"
      client-name: Google
       login-page: /login
    provider:
     google:
      authorization-uri: https://accounts.google.com/o/oauth2/auth
      token-uri: https://oauth2.googleapis.com/token
      user-info-uri: https://www.googleapis.com/oauth2/v3/userinfo
      user-name-attribute: sub
```

```
import org.springframework.context.annotation.Bean;
import org.springframework.context.annotation.Configuration;
import org.springframework.security.authentication.AuthenticationManager;
import org.springframework.security.config.annotation.authentication.configuration.AuthenticationConfiguration;
import org.springframework.security.config.annotation.web.builders.HttpSecurity;
import org.springframework.security.config.annotation.web.configuration.EnableWebSecurity;
import org.springframework.security.core.userdetails.UserDetailsService;
import org.springframework.security.core.userdetails.jdbc.JdbcDaoImpl;
import org.springframework.security.crypto.bcrypt.BCryptPasswordEncoder;
import org.springframework.security.crypto.password.PasswordEncoder;
import org.springframework.security.web.SecurityFilterChain;
```

@Configuration
@EnableWebSecurity
public class SecurityConfig {

import javax.sql.DataSource;

```
//Authentication with AuthenticationManager using PasswordEncoder, UserService
  @Bean
  public PasswordEncoder passwordEncoder() {
          return new BCryptPasswordEncoder();
  @Bean
  public UserDetailsService userDetailsService(DataSource dataSource) {
    JdbcDaoImpl jdbcDao = new JdbcDaoImpl();
    idbcDao.setDataSource(dataSource);
    jdbcDao.setUsersByUsernameQuery("SELECT username, password, enabled FROM users WHERE username = ?");
    jdbcDao.setAuthoritiesByUsernameQuery("SELECT username, authority FROM authorities WHERE username = ?");
    return jdbcDao;
  @Bean
  public AuthenticationManager authenticationManager(AuthenticationConfiguration authenticationConfiguration) throws Exception {
    return authenticationConfiguration.getAuthenticationManager();
```

```
//Authorization
@Bean
public SecurityFilterChain securityFilterChain(HttpSecurity http) throws Exception {
     http.authorizeHttpRequests(requests ->
           requests.requestMatchers("/login", "/login/oauth2/**").permitAll()
           .requestMatchers("/admin/**").hasRole("ADMIN")
           .requestMatchers("/user/**").hasAnyRole("USER", "ADMIN")
           .anyRequest().authenticated())
           .oauth2Login(oauth2 -> {}) // using default OAuth2UserService internally
           .formLogin(login -> login.permitAll())
           .logout(logout -> logout.permitAll());
     return http.build();
```

### Update End point in controller

```
@GetMapping("/home")
public OAuth2User home(@AuthenticationPrincipal OAuth2User principal, Model model) {
    if (principal != null) {
        // Access user details from the OAuth2User object
        // String name = principal.getAttribute("name");
    }
    return principal;
}
```

## JWT Authentication

### Add Dependencies

```
include web, security, jpa, mysql dependencies
<dependency>
  <groupId>io.jsonwebtoken</groupId>
  <artifactId>jjwt</artifactId>
  <version>0.11.5</version>
</dependency>
<dependency>
  <groupId>org.springframework.boot</groupId>
  <artifactId>spring-boot-starter-validation</artifactId>
</dependency>
```

### Configuration class

```
import com.example.demo.filter.JwtAuthenticationFilter;
import com.example.demo.filter.JwtAuthorizationFilter;
import org.springframework.security.authentication.dao.DaoAuthenticationProvider;
import org.springframework.security.config.annotation.authentication.builders.AuthenticationManagerBuilder;
@Configuration
public class SecurityConfig {
  private final UserDetailsService userDetailsService;
  public SecurityConfig(UserDetailsService userDetailsService) {
    this.userDetailsService = userDetailsService;
          public PasswordEncoder passwordEncoder() {
 @Bean
    return new BCryptPasswordEncoder();
```

```
@Bean
  public SecurityFilterChain securityFilterChain(HttpSecurity http) throws Exception {
    http.csrf().disable()
      .authorizeRequests()
        .antMatchers("/login", "/register").permitAll()
        .antMatchers("/api/**").authenticated()
      .and()
      .addFilter(new JwtAuthenticationFilter(authenticationManager()))
      .addFilter(new JwtAuthorizationFilter(authenticationManager(), userDetailsService));
    return http.build();
  @Bean
  public AuthenticationManager authenticationManager(HttpSecurity http) throws Exception {
    return http.getSharedObject(AuthenticationManagerBuilder.class)
          .userDetailsService(userDetailsService)
          .passwordEncoder(passwordEncoder())
          .and().build();
```

### About the configuration code

- **SecurityFilterChain**: Defines the security rules for URL patterns, such as allowing public access to /login and /register, while requiring authentication for /api/\*\*.
- JwtAuthenticationFilter: Custom filter that handles authentication based on the login credentials.
- JwtAuthorizationFilter: Custom filter that checks and validates JWT tokens for protected endpoints.

### JWT Utility class (Generating & validating JWT tokens)

```
import io.jsonwebtoken.Jwts;
import io.jsonwebtoken.SignatureAlgorithm;
import java.util.Date;
public class JwtUtil {
  private static final String SECRET KEY = "secret"; // You can use a more secure key in production
  public static String generateToken(String username) {
    return Jwts.builder()
      .setSubject(username)
      .setIssuedAt(new Date())
      .setExpiration(new Date(System.currentTimeMillis() + 86400000)) // 1 day expiration
      .signWith(SignatureAlgorithm.HS512, SECRET KEY)
      .compact();
```

```
public static boolean validateToken(String token) {
   try {
      Jwts.parser()
                   .setSigningKey(SECRET_KEY)
                   .parseClaimsJws(token);
      return true;
   } catch (Exception e) {
      return false;
public static String getUsernameFromToken(String token) {
   return Jwts.parser()
                   .setSigningKey(SECRET_KEY)
                   .parseClaimsJws(token)
                   .getBody()
                   .getSubject();
```

#### Custom Authentication Filter

```
import com.example.demo.util.JwtUtil;
import org.springframework.security.authentication.AuthenticationManager;
import org.springframework.security.authentication.UsernamePasswordAuthenticationToken;
import org.springframework.security.core.Authentication;
import org.springframework.security.web.authentication.UsernamePasswordAuthenticationFilter;
import javax.servlet.Filter;
import javax.servlet.FilterChain;
import javax.servlet.FilterConfig;
import javax.servlet.ServletException;
import javax.servlet.ServletRequest;
import javax.servlet.ServletResponse;
import javax.servlet.http.HttpServletRequest;
import javax.servlet.http.HttpServletResponse;
import java.io.IOException;
public class JwtAuthenticationFilter extends UsernamePasswordAuthenticationFilter {
```

```
private final AuthenticationManager authenticationManager;
  public JwtAuthenticationFilter(AuthenticationManager authenticationManager) {
    this.authenticationManager = authenticationManager;
  @Override
              public Authentication attemptAuthentication(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response)
throws IOException {
    String username = request.getParameter("username");
    String password = request.getParameter("password");
    UsernamePasswordAuthenticationToken authenticationToken = new
              UsernamePasswordAuthenticationToken(username, password);
    return authenticationManager.authenticate(authenticationToken);
  @Override
  protected void successful Authentication (HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response,
                       FilterChain chain, Authentication authResult) throws IOException, ServletException {
    String token = JwtUtil.generateToken(authResult.getName());
    response.setHeader("Authorization", "Bearer " + token);
```

#### Custom Authorization Filter

```
import com.example.demo.util.JwtUtil;
import org.springframework.security.core.context.SecurityContextHolder;
import org.springframework.security.web.authentication.www.BasicAuthenticationFilter;
import org.springframework.security.authentication.UsernamePasswordAuthenticationToken;
import org.springframework.security.core.authority.SimpleGrantedAuthority;
import javax.servlet.Filter;
import java.io.IOException;
import java.util.Collections;
public class JwtAuthorizationFilter extends BasicAuthenticationFilter {
  private final UserDetailsService userDetailsService;
  public JwtAuthorizationFilter(AuthenticationManager authenticationManager, UserDetailsService)
userDetailsService) {
    super(authenticationManager);
    this.userDetailsService = userDetailsService;
```

```
@Override
  public void doFilter(ServletRequest request, ServletResponse response, FilterChain chain)
      throws IOException, ServletException {
    String token = ((HttpServletRequest) request).getHeader("Authorization");
    if (token != null && token.startsWith("Bearer ")) {
      token = token.substring(7);
      if (JwtUtil.validateToken(token)) {
        String username = JwtUtil.getUsernameFromToken(token);
        var user = userDetailsService.loadUserByUsername(username);
        var authentication = new UsernamePasswordAuthenticationToken(user, null, Collections.singleton(new
SimpleGrantedAuthority("USER")));
        SecurityContextHolder.getContext().setAuthentication(authentication);
    chain.doFilter(request, response);
```

#### About the filters

- JwtAuthenticationFilter: This filter processes user login requests, generates the JWT token on successful login, and adds it to the response header.
- JwtAuthorizationFilter: This filter checks if the incoming request contains a valid JWT token in the Authorization header, validates it, and sets the authentication in the security context.

#### **Authentication Controller**

```
import com.example.demo.util.JwtUtil;
import org.springframework.security.authentication.AuthenticationManager;
import org.springframework.security.authentication.UsernamePasswordAuthenticationToken;
import org.springframework.web.bind.annotation.*;
@RestController
@RequestMapping("/api")
public class AuthenticationController {
  private final AuthenticationManager authenticationManager;
 public AuthenticationController(AuthenticationManager authenticationManager) {
    this.authenticationManager = authenticationManager;
```

```
@PostMapping("/login")
public String login(@RequestParam String username, @RequestParam String password) {
    UsernamePasswordAuthenticationToken authenticationToken = new
UsernamePasswordAuthenticationToken(username, password);
    authenticationManager.authenticate(authenticationToken);

// Generate and return JWT token after successful authentication
    return JwtUtil.generateToken(username);
}
```

### Test the api

\*\*Login\*\*: Call `POST /api/login` with `username` and `password` parameters to obtain a JWT token.

Example request:

```
POST /api/login?username=john&password=password123
Response:
{
    "Authorization": "Bearer <JWT_TOKEN>"
}
```

- Access Protected Resource: Use the generated JWT token to access protected resources.
- Example request:

```
GET /api/protected
Authorization: Bearer <JWT_TOKEN>
Response:
{
   "message": "Success! You are authorized."
}
```

# Thank you