Fusion Knowledge

Automated cloud provisioning system

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A quick introduction...

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Deloitte Consulting - 6 months Systems Engineer 3

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Why do we need this system?

Customer

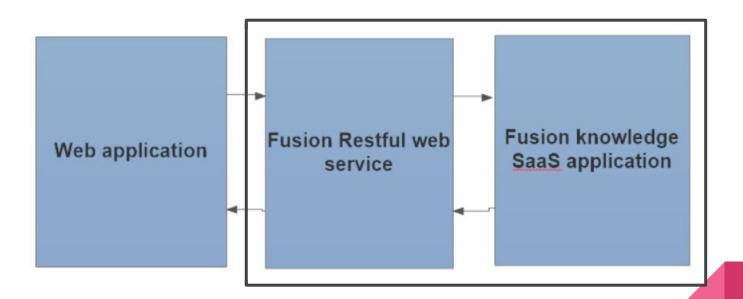
For easy self provisioning

For convenient subscription management

Service provider

No human intervention which avoids human error

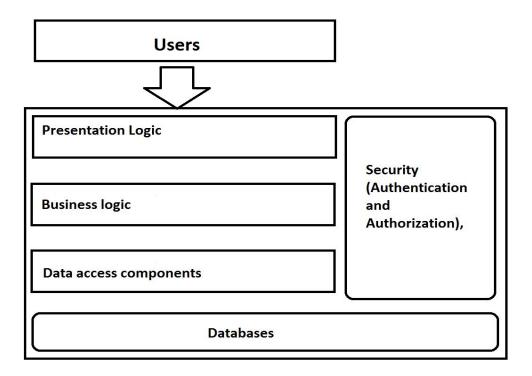
High level view of the system



Let us focus on every component in detail...

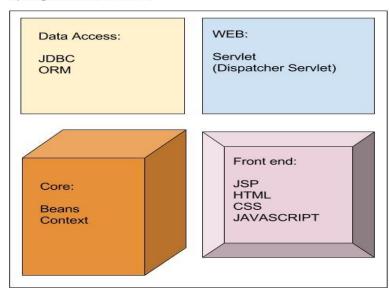
The web application

High level view of the web application



Specifications

Spring framework used









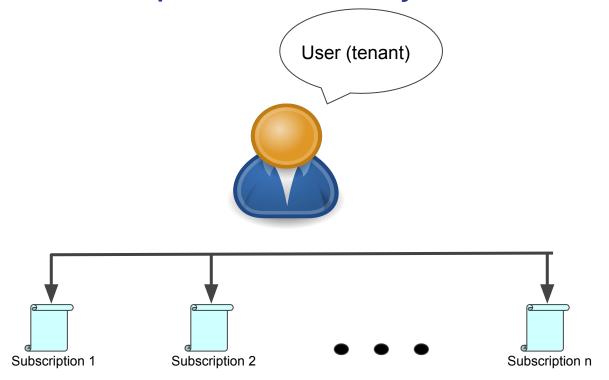
SMTP server

Why use spring framework?

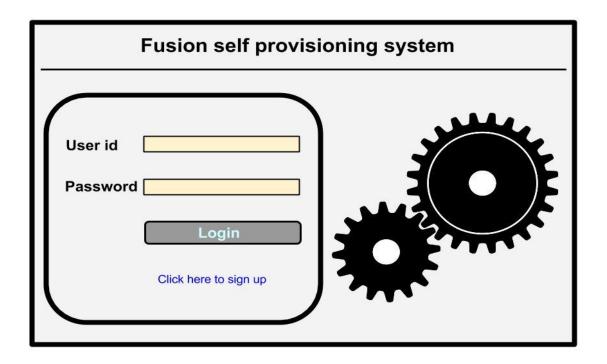
- Framework handles bean wiring and instantiation efficiently
- Better object oriented design
- Spring security
- Easy support for internationalization

Application flow for a user...

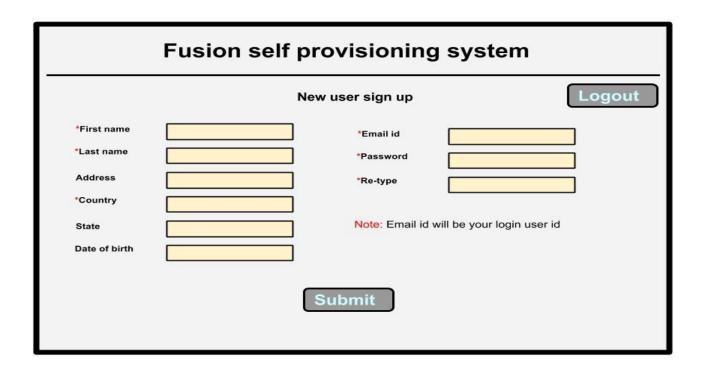
User and subscription hierarchy

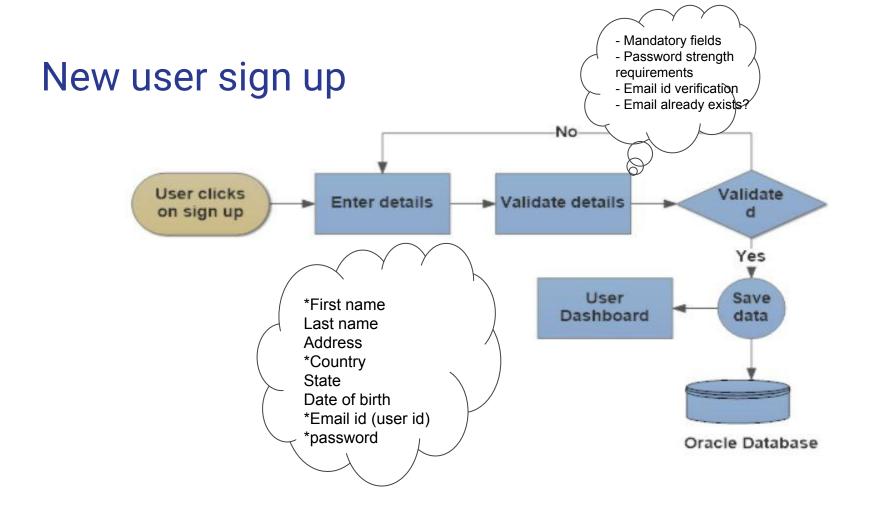


Sample login screen...

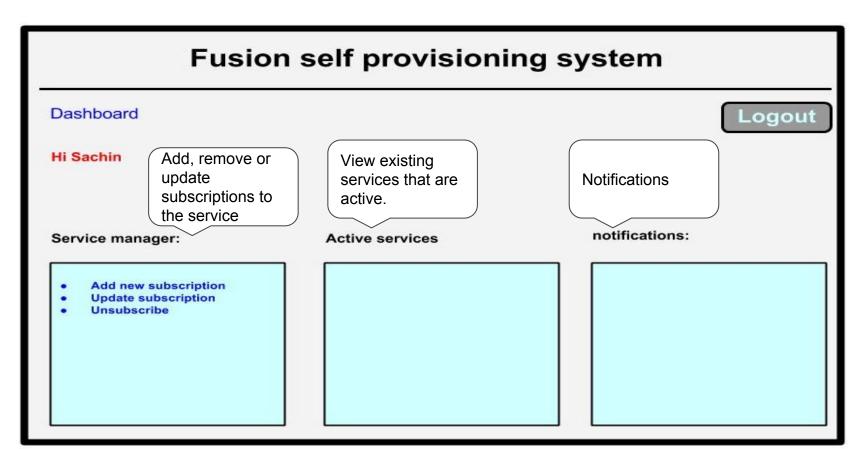


New user sign up screen

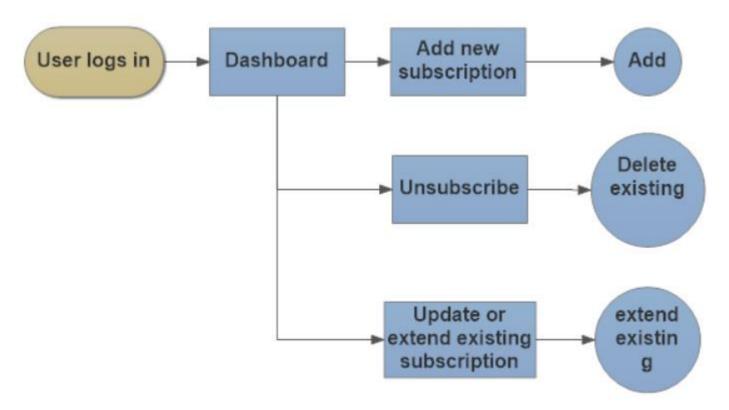




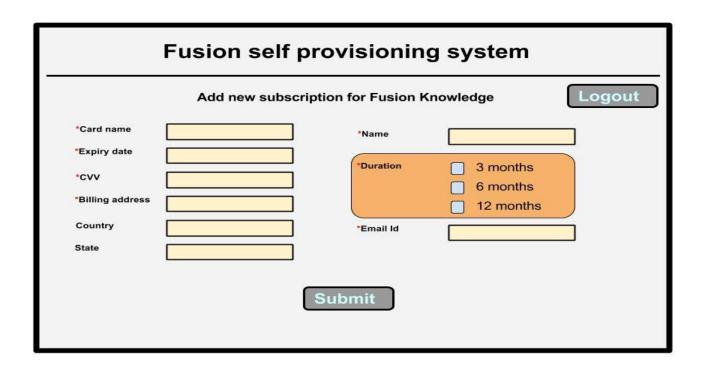
Dashboard



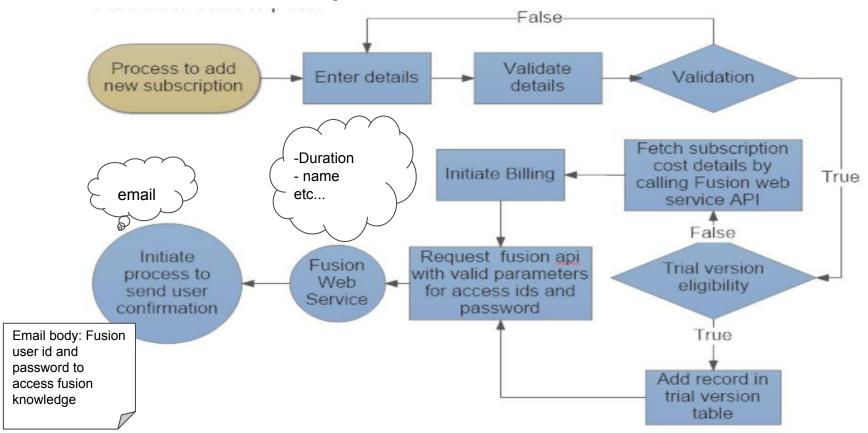
Service manager



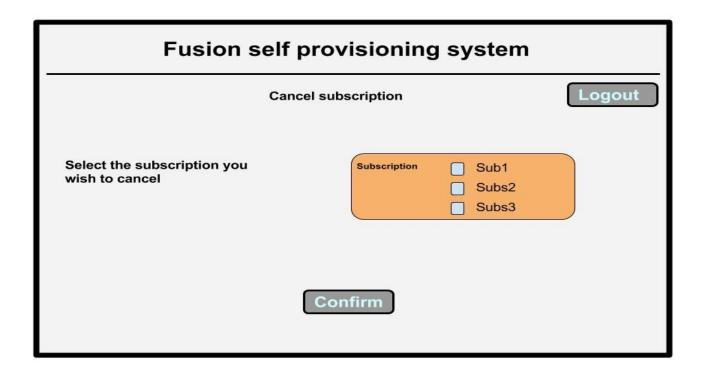
Add new subscription screen



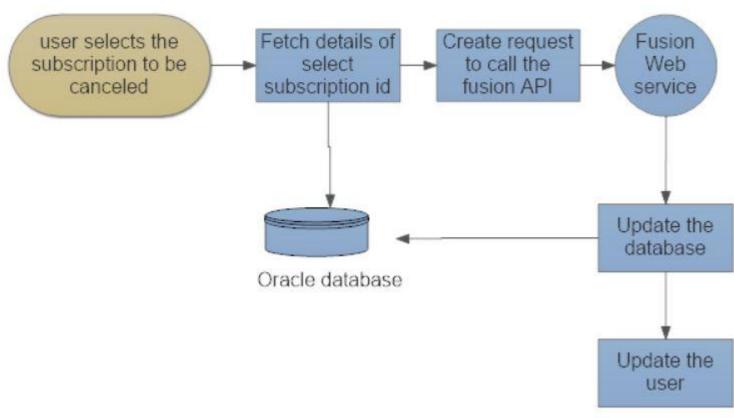
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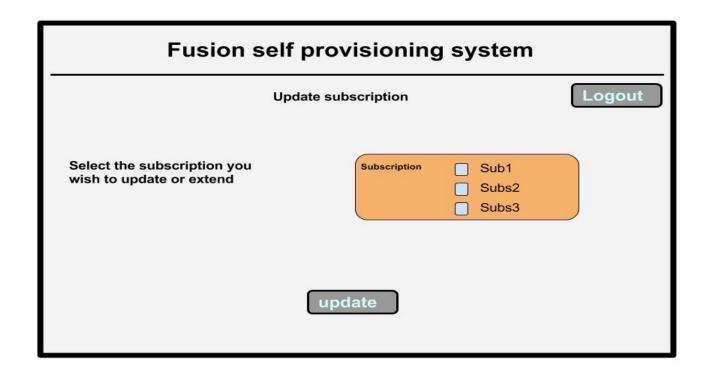
Cancel subscription screen



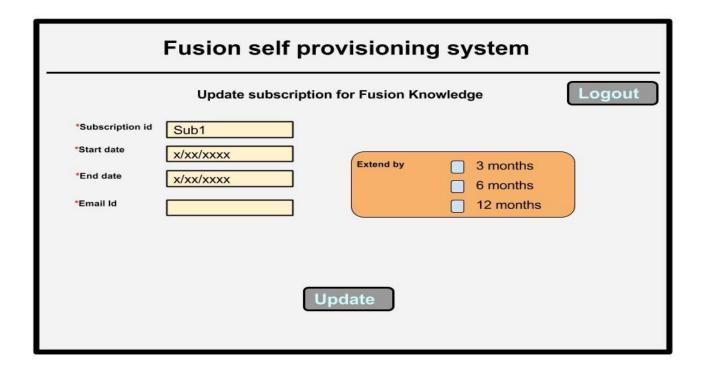
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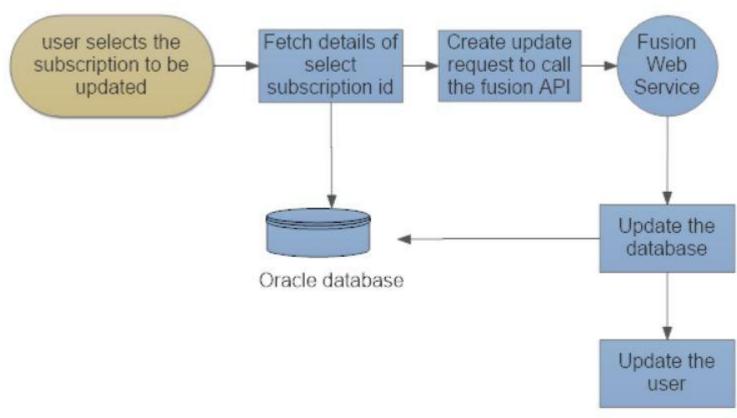
Select subscription to be updated screen



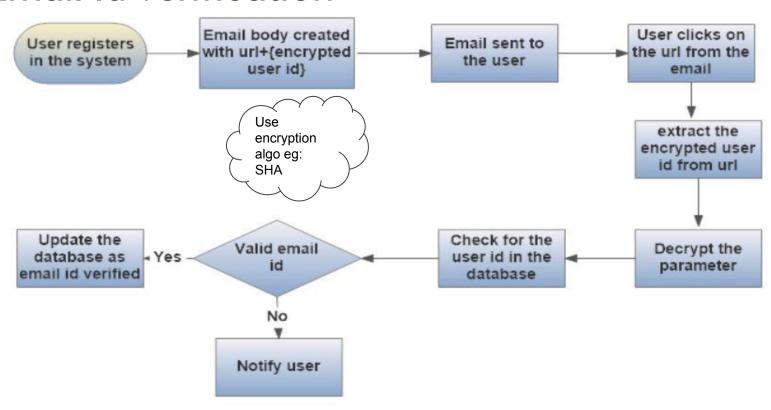
Update subscription screen



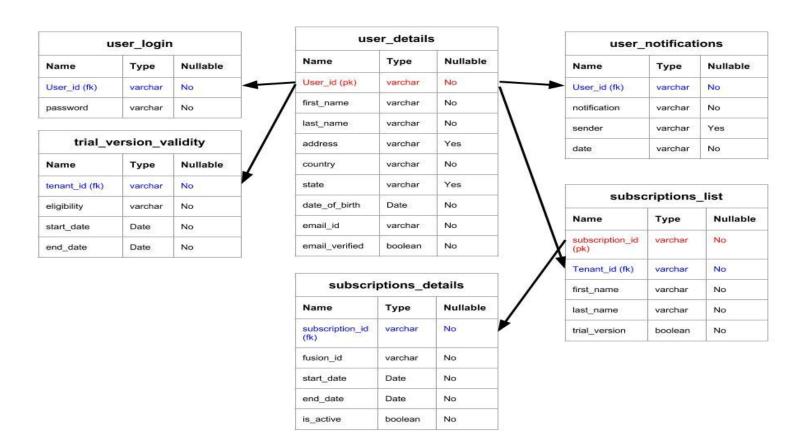
Update or extend existing subscription...



Email Id verification



Database schema



Support for Internationalization

Support for multiple languages

Sample code from jsp using <spring:message

Create properties for different languages

```
label.FirstName = "prénom"
label.LastName = "nom de famille"
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Configure in Web.xml

Security

Authentication and Authorization

User id and Password method

Encrypted password stored in database. Encryption algorithm used eg: SHA, MD5 etc.

Using third party SSL certificates

To validate provider identity.

Encryption of data during transport

Session Tracking

HTTPSession

Cookies

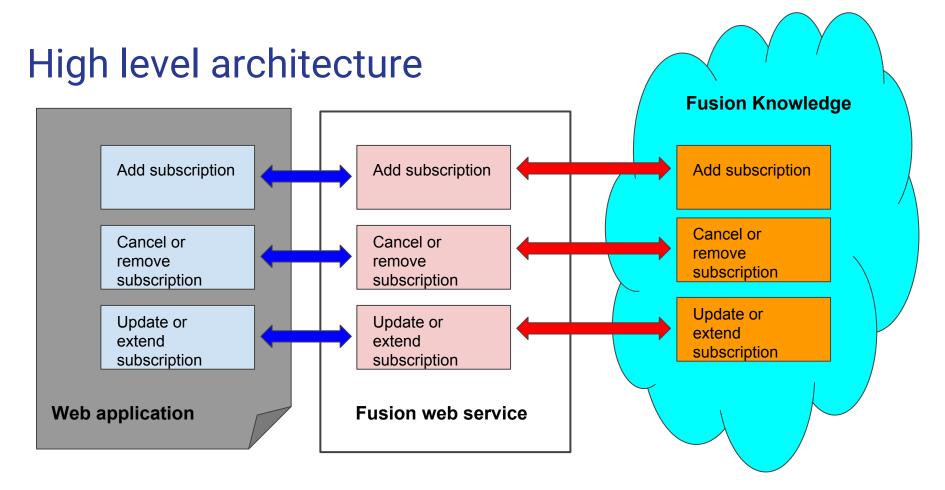
Session timeout

The web service

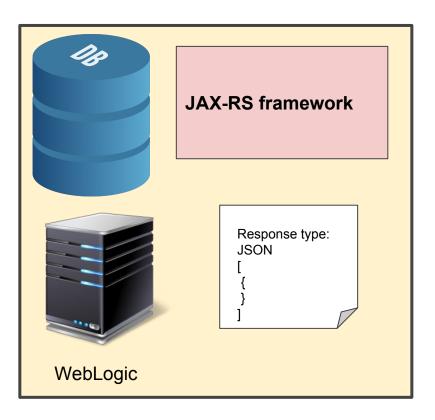
Purpose of the web service

Separation of concerns

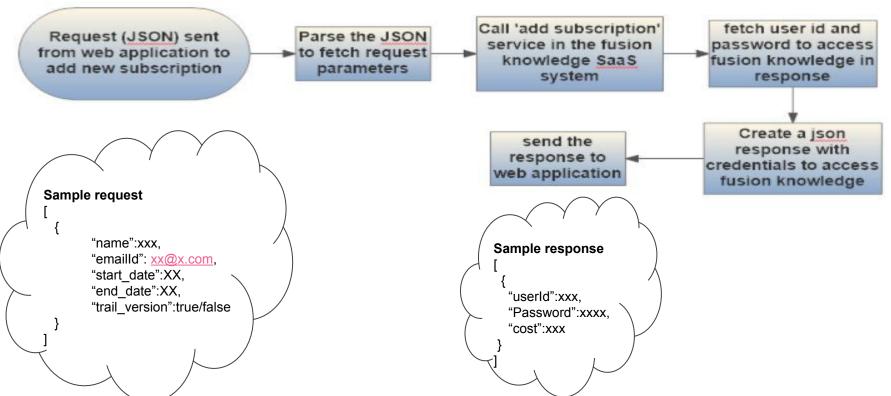
Future scope for web application admin



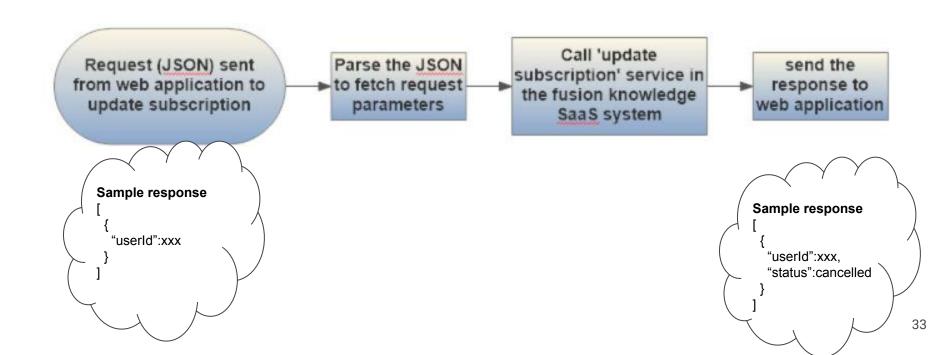
Components



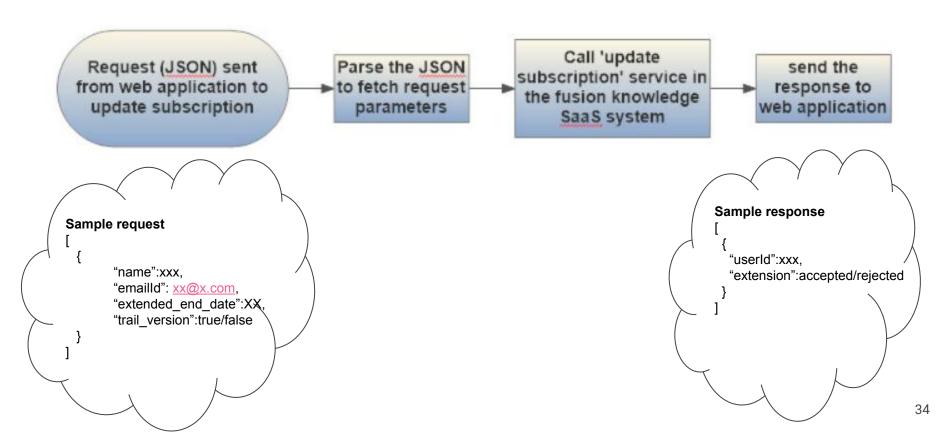
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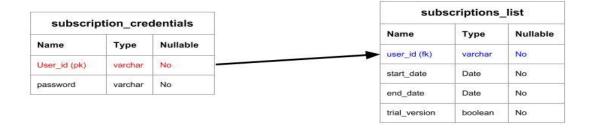
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Update or extend subscription



Database schema



Security

- Private web service hence only be accessible to fusion cloud provisioning web application.
- Ip based authentication (accept requests from oracle owned application servers)

Maintenance

- For Weblogic server
 - 1 admin server to manage deployments and configurations
 - 1 or more managed server where the application is deployed
- Development and test environment
 - A standalone domain with single single admin and managed server

Scalability and performance

- To ensure performance and high availability, more than 1 managed servers forming a cluster
- Admin server to manage the cluster
- Use of load balancer to evenly distribute jobs across servers

Challenges

Server failure

• What if admin server fails?

Managed servers continue to work.

Managed servers periodic attempt to reconnect admin server.

Admin server restored without affecting managed servers and thus the application.

What if a managed server fails?

Clustered environment prevents performance deterioration due to server failures.

Using **Node manager** process on every managed server.

Features of using node manager:

- 1. start and stop managed server from admin console.
- 2. Kill failed server instances.
- 3. Automatically restart failed managed servers.

System development plan

Date	Day	Hours	Task	Comment
5/27/2016	Friday	8	Finalising design. 2. Setup development environment with application servers and database. 3. Deploy Fusion knowledge SaaS application on development application server. 4. Develop web service code and deploy on server.	Weblogic application server setup with 1 admin and 1 managed server. Oracle database
5/30/2016	Monday	8	Setup oracle database and create required database tables. 2. Deploy in testing environment. 3. Test the web service by sending test requests. 4. fix bugs if any.	Web service development complete
5/31/2016	Tuesday	8	Create Login jsp. 2. Create New user registration jsp 3. Complete code for new user registration 4. Create jsp for dashboard, add, remove and update subscription.	
6/1/2016	Wednesday	8	Complete code for add, remove and update subscription 2. Perform integrated testing with the web service and fix bugs if any. 3. Deploy in test environment. 4. Deliver to QA or testing team	Web application development complete. Integerated testing begin.
6/2/2016	Thursday	8	Perform rigorous integrated testing, 2, Fix bugs if any.	
6/3/2016	Friday	8	Testing and bug fixing 2. Getting the code deployement ready 3. Generate necessary scripts Start deployment at eod.	Code ready for deployment
6/4/2016	Saturday	Holiday		
6/5/2016	Sunday	Holiday		
6/6/2016	Monday	8	Buffer day	

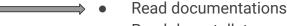
Current Date	5/27/2016	
Sprint start Date	5/23/2016	
Sprint end date	6/62016	
Team member name	Sachin Shinde	
Project name	Fusion Knowledge	
Version control	GIT	
Defect and task logging	JIRA	

Other challenges

Challenges:

- Understanding the system or currently implemented solution.
- Analyzing dependencies on system or others
- Unable to include all items in current release
- Integration with SaaS application
- QA rejection

Possible solutions:



- Read docs, talk to people having related information to understand better and faster.
- Plan enhancement items for next release.
- Develop the interfacing module first (here web service). Use SaaS deployment in test env.
- To avoid this follow industry standards and best practices

Future enhancements

- Role based access with addition of admin role.
- Granting admin controls to revoke subscription.
- Enhancement for adding more services for self provisioning by the admin into the web application.

Thank you!