There are 5 different parties involved in oauth

Protected Resource

Resource Owner Authorization Server

Client

Resource Server

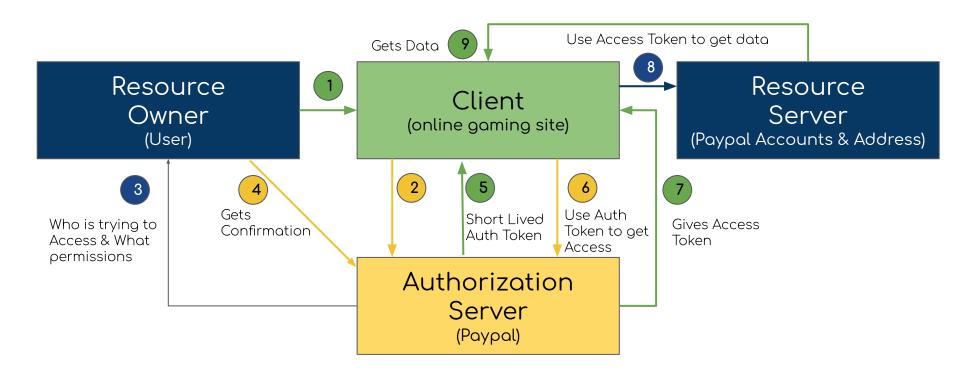
3 mostly used oauth techniques

Authorization Code Flow

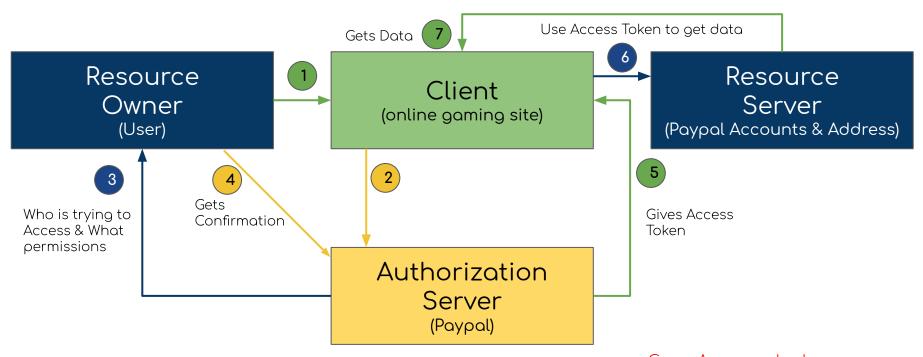
> Implicit Flow

Client Credentials Flow

Authorization Code Flow involves authentication and access token to get access to a resource



Implicit flow uses access token to get access to a resource



Cons: Anyone who has access token can get access to resource

Client credentials flow involves authorization among confidential clients (aka trustworthy)

