

Hadoop and Kerberos: The madness beyond the gate

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CHAPTER 2

Securing Distributed Systems

Chapter to Come

export HADOOP_USER="root"

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Modern Hadoop clusters are locked down through Kerberos

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You cannot hide from Kerberos

You may choose when Kerberos finds you

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Kerberos: the dog at the gate to hell

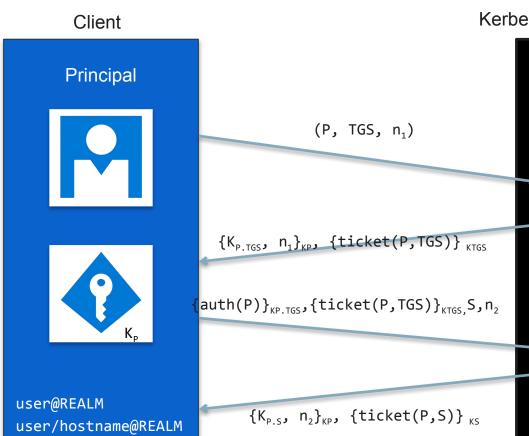
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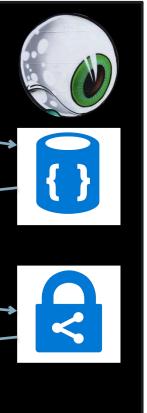
| HP Lovecraft | Kerberos |
|--|----------------------------|
| Evil lurking in New England | MIT Project Athena |
| Ancient, inhuman deities | Kerberos Domain Controller |
| Manuscripts to drive the reader insane | IETF RFC 4120 |
| Entities never spoken of aloud | UserGroupInformation |
| Doomed explorers of darkness | You |



Kerberos is the gateway



Kerberos Domain Controller



Authentication Service



Ticket(P, TGS) = $(TGS, P, t_{start}, t_{end}, K_{PT})$

Ticket Granting Service



 $auth(P)_{KP.TGS} = \{P, time\}_{KP.TGS}$

Every service is a principal

alice@REALM
bob@REALM

oozie/ooziehost@REALM
namenode/nn1@REALM

hdfs/_HOST@REALM hdfs/r04s12@REALM hdfs/r04s13@REALM yarn/_HOST@REALM yarn/r04s12@REALM HTTP/ HOST@REALM short names:

alice

bob

oozie

namenode

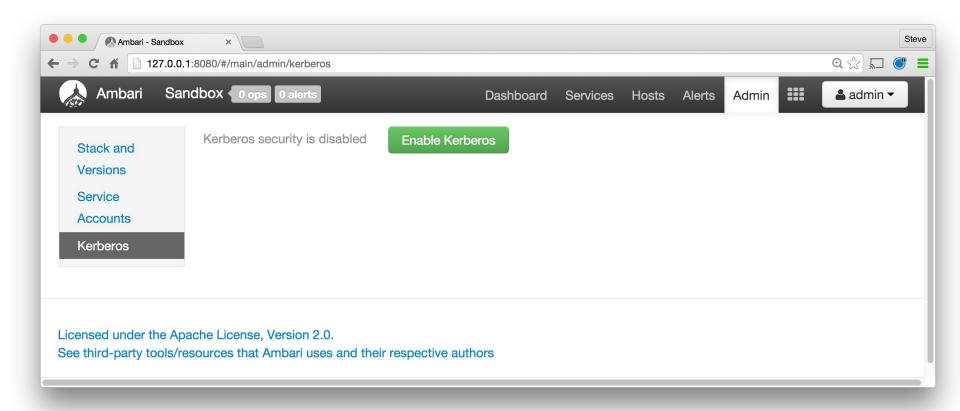
hdfs

yarn

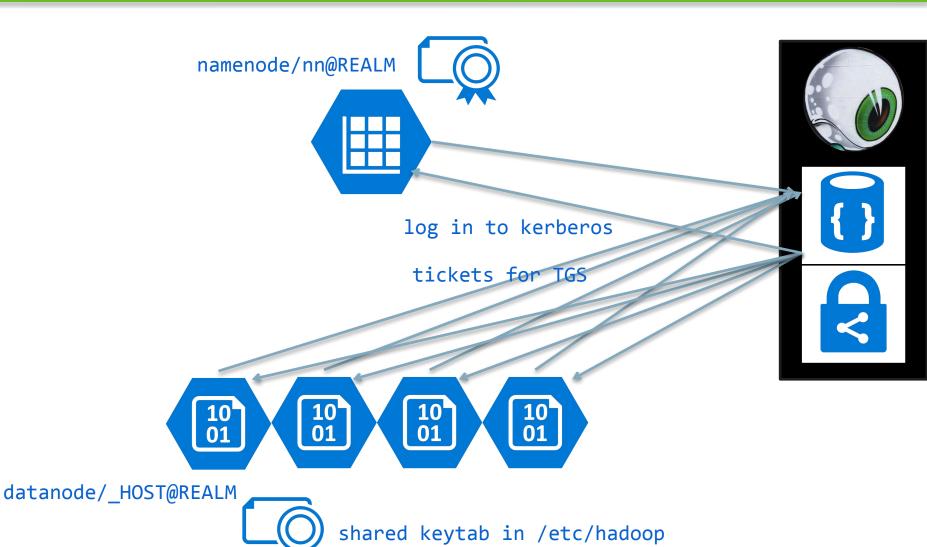
HTTP



Entering the darkness



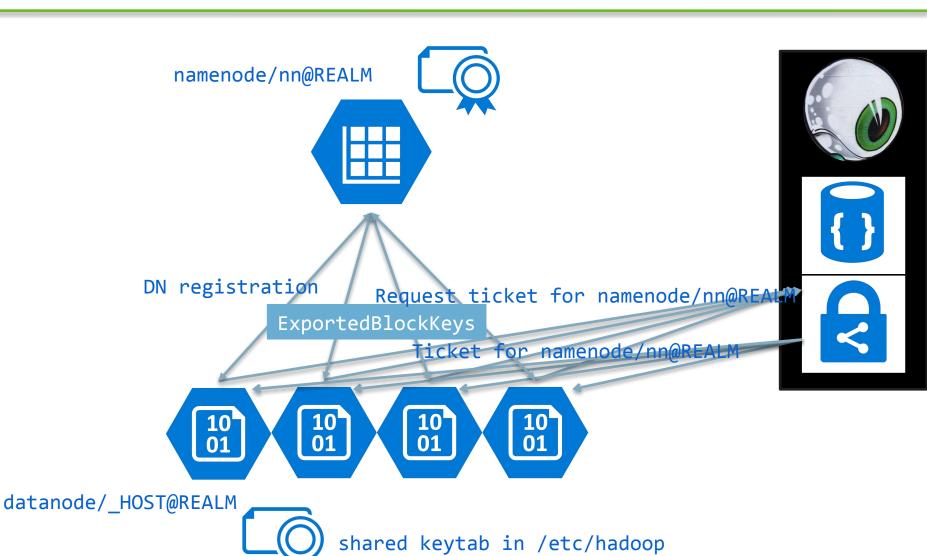
HDFS Bootstrap: Kerberos Login



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HDFS Bootstrap: DNs register with NN





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Hadoop Tokens

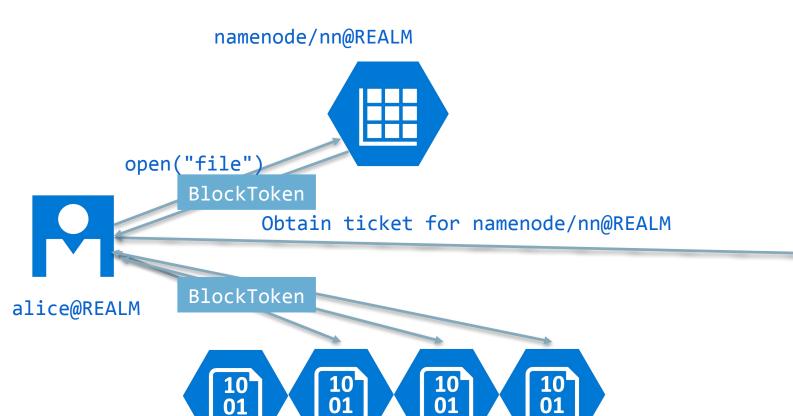


Hadoop Tokens

- Issued and tracked by individual services
 (HDFS, WebHDFS, Timeline Server, YARN RM, ...)
- Grant some form of access:
 Block tokens, Delegation Tokens
- Can be forwarded
- Renewable via service APIs (RPC, HTTP)
- Revocable in server via service APIs

read: O'Malley 2009, Hadoop Security Architecture

HDFS IO: Block Tokens

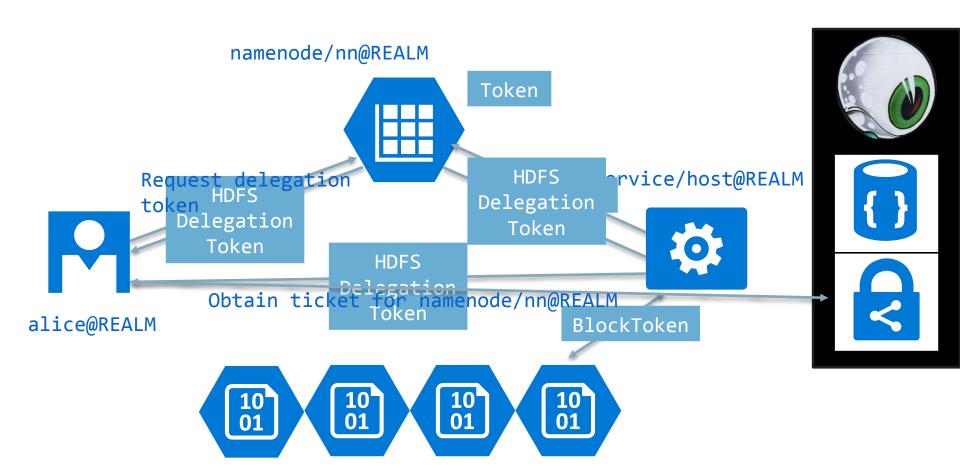




BlockToken: userId, (BlockPoolId, BlockId), keyId, expiryDate, access-modes

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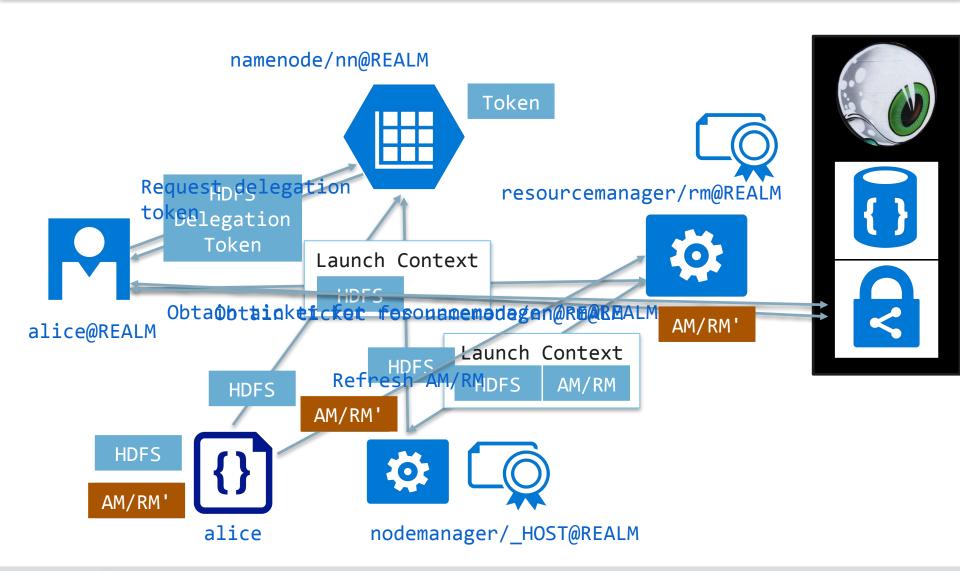
Delegation Tokens delegate access





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YARN Applications





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That which must not be named: *UGI*

```
if(!UserGroupInformation.isSecurityEnabled()) {
    stayInALifeOfNaiveInnocence();
} else {
    sufferTheEternalPainOfKerberos();
}

UserGroupInformation.checkTGTAndReloginFromKeytab();

UserGroupInformation.getLoginUser() // principal logged in as
UserGroupInformation.getCurrentUser() // principal acting as
```



UGI.doAs()

```
UserGroupInformation bob =
  UserGroupInformation.createProxyUser("bob",
   UserGroupInformation.getLoginUser());
FileSystem userFS = bob.doAs(
  new PrivilegedExceptionAction<FileSystem>() {
    public FileSystem run() throws Exception {
      return FileSystem.get(FileSystem.getDefaultUri(), conf);
  });
```

Services

- RPC authentication via annotations & metadata in JAR
- YARN Web Uls: rely on RM proxy for authentication
- Authentication != Authorization
- Add audit logs on service endpoints
- YARN services: come up with a token refresh strategy: keytab everywhere; keytab in AM; update from client



Hadoop RPC

```
@KerberosInfo(serverPrincipal = "my.kerberos.principal")
public interface MyRpc extends VersionedProtocol { ... }
public class MyRpcPolicyProvider extends PolicyProvider {
  public Service[] getServices() {
    return new Service[] {
     new Service("my.protocol.acl", MyRpc.class)
    };
public class MyRpcSecurityInfo extends SecurityInfo { ... }
META-INF/services/org.apache.hadoop.security.SecurityInfo
  org.example.rpc.MyRpcSecurityInfo
```

IPC Server: get the current user identity

```
Messages.KillResponse killContainer(Messages.KillRequest request) {
UserGroupInformation callerUGI;
try {
  callerUGI = UserGroupInformation.getCurrentUser();
} catch (IOException ie) {
  LOG.info("Error getting UGI ", ie);
  AuditLogger.authFail("E_UNKNOWN", "killContainer",
    "Error getting UGI", ie);
  throw RPCUtil.getRemoteException(ie);
```

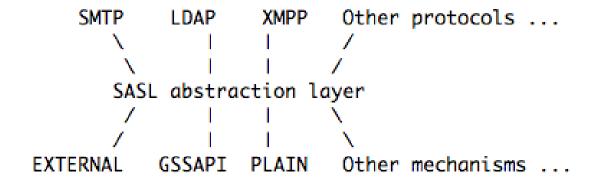
IPC Server: Authorize

```
String user = callerUGI.getShortUserName();
if (!checkAccess(callerUGI, MODIFY)) {
  AuditLog.unauth(user,
    KILL CONTAINER REQUEST, callerUGI,
    "User doesn't have permissions to " + MODIFY);
  throw RPCUtil.getRemoteException(
    new AccessControlException(
      + user + " lacks access "
      + MODIFY APP.name()));
AuditLog.authorized(user, KILL_CONTAINER_REQUEST)
```

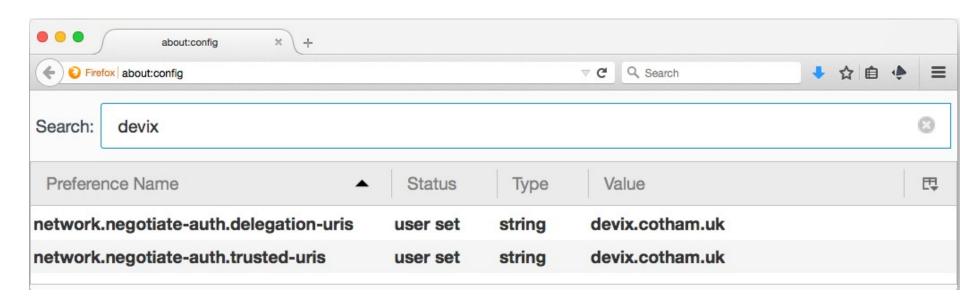


SASL: RFC4422

SASL is conceptually a framework that provides an abstraction layer between protocols and mechanisms as illustrated in the following diagram.



REST: SPNEGO (+ Delegation tokens)

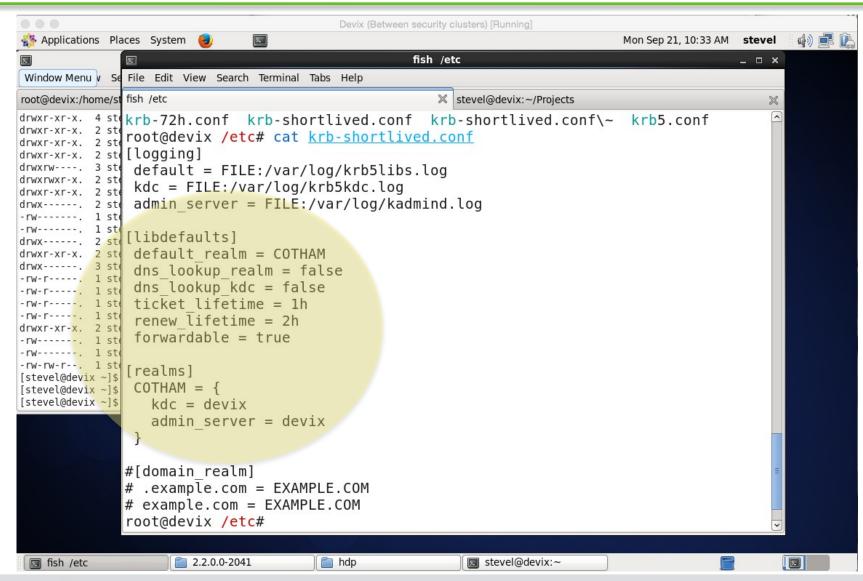


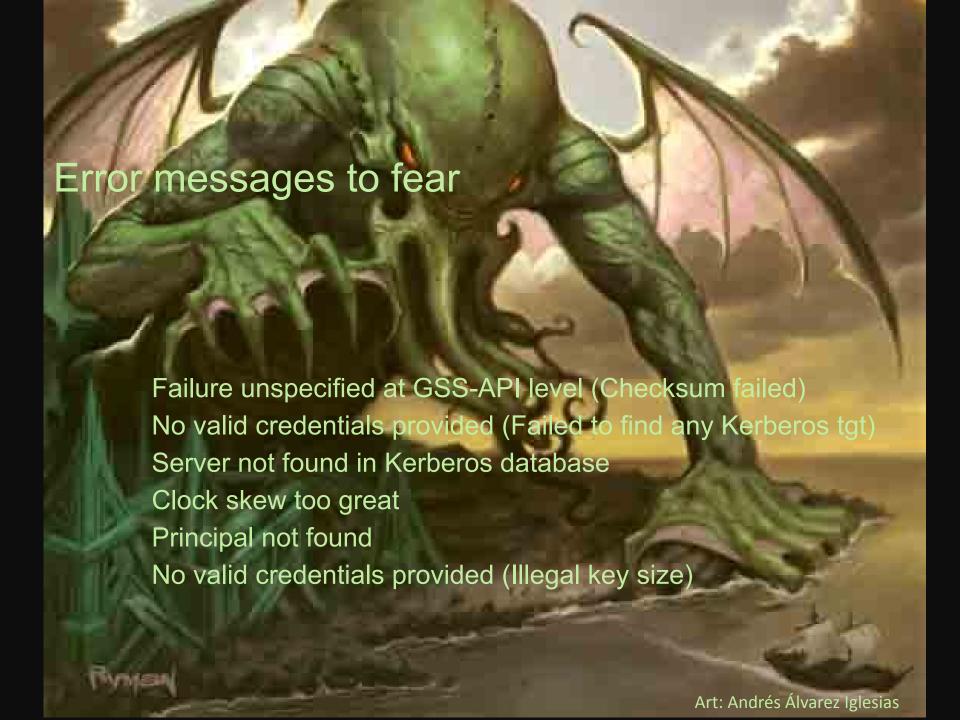
- Jersey + java.net
- httpclient? "if lucky it'll work"

HADOOP-11825: Move timeline client Jersey+Kerberos+UGI support into a public implementation



Testing





System Properties for debugging

-Dsun.security.krb5.debug=true
-Dsun.security.spnego.debug=true
export HADOOP_JAAS_DEBUG=true



```
slider-funtest — fish /Users/stevel/Projects/Hortonworks/Projects/slider/slider-funtest — fish — 193×59
  fish /Users/stevel/Projects/Hortonworks/Projec...
                                          fish /Users/stevel/Projects/Hortonworks/Projec...
                                                                                  fish /Users/stevel/Projects/Hortonworks/Projec...
                                                                                                                          fish /Users/stevel/Projects/Hortonworks/Projec...
                                                                                                                                                                 fish /Users/stevel/Java/Apache/slider-dist — fish ... +
== Examining kevtab /Users/stevel/Projects/Hortonworks/Projects/clusterconfigs/clusters/devix/kevtabs/dn.service.kevtab ==
keytab entry count: 1
    dn/devix.cotham.uk@COTHAM
Using keytab /Users/stevel/Projects/Hortonworks/Projects/clusterconfigs/clusters/devix/keytabs/dn.service.keytab principal dn/devix.cotham.uk@COTHAM
2016-01-17 19:21:41,280 [main] DEBUG security. Groups (getUserToGroupsMappingService(301)) - Creating new Groups object
2016-01-17 19:21:41,286 [main] DEBUG security.JniBasedUnixGroupsMappingWithFallback (<init>(45)) - Group mapping impl=org.apache.hadoop.security.ShellBasedUnixGroupsMapping
2016-01-17 19:21:41,450 [main] DEBUG security.Groups (<init>(112)) - Group mapping impl=org.apache.hadoop.security.JniBasedUnixGroupsMappingWithFallback; cacheTimeout=300000; warningDeltaMs=500
Debug is true storeKey true useTicketCache false useKeyTab true doNotPrompt true ticketCache is null isInitiator true KeyTab is /Users/stevel/Projects/Hortonworks/Projects/clusterconfigs/clust
ers/devix/keytabs/dn.service.keytab refreshKrb5Confiq is true principal is dn/devix.cotham.uk@COTHAM tryFirstPass is false useFirstPass is false storePass is false clearPass is false
Refreshing Kerberos configuration
principal is dn/devix.cotham.uk@COTHAM
Will use keytab
2016-01-17 19:21:41,652 [main] DEBUG security.UserGroupInformation (login(221)) - hadoop login
Commit Succeeded
2016-01-17 19:21:41,654 [main] DEBUG security. UserGroupInformation (commit(156)) - hadoop login c
2016-01-17 19:21:41,655 [main] DEBUG security. UserGroupInformation (commit(170)) - using kerberg
2016-01-17 19:21:41,655 [main] DEBUG security.UserGroupInformation (commit(192)) - H
                                                                                                                                    name dn/devix.cotham.uk@COTHAM
2016-01-17 19:21:41,656 [main] DEBUG security.UserGroupInformation (commit(202)
== dn/devix.cotham.uk@COTHAM ==
UGI instance = dn/devix.cotham.uk@COTHAM (auth:KERBEROS)
Has kerberos credentials: true
Authentication method: KERBEROS
Real Authentication method: KERBEROS
== Group names ==
2016-01-17 19:21:41,685 [main] WARN security.ShellBasedUni
                                                                             (getUnixGroups(87)) - got exception trying to get groups for user hdfs: id: hdfs: no such user
2016-01-17 19:21:41,689 [main] WARN security.UserGroupInformation (getGroupNames(1521)) - No groups available for user hdfs
== Credentials ==
== Secret keys ==
(none)
== Token Count: 0 ==
== Attempting to log in from keytab again ==
2016-01-17 19:21:41,702 [main] DEBUG security. UserGroupInformation (getTGT(857)) - Found tgt Ticket (hex) =
0000: 61 82 01 3C 30 82 01 38 A0 03 02 01 05 A1 08 1B a..<0..8......
0010: 06 43 4F 54 48 41 4D A2 1B 30 19 A0 03 02 01 02 .COTHAM..O.....
```





Topics Avoided Not Covered

- Trying to use HTTPS in a YARN application
- Trying to use Full REST in a YARN application
- Group management
- HADOOP_PROXY_USER
- Oozie





Zookeeper

SASL to negotiate security:

```
System.setProperty("zookeeper.sasl.client", "true");
```

- Zookeeper needs JAAS
- Default permissions: wide open
- Permissions are not transitive down the tree

```
List<ACL> perms = new ArrayList<>();
if (UserGroupInformation.isSecurityEnabled()) {
   perms(new ACL(ZooDefs.Perms.ALL, ZooDefs.Ids.AUTH_IDS));
   perms.add(new ACL(ZooDefs.Perms.READ,ZooDefs.Ids.ANYONE_ID_UNSAFE));
} else {
   perms.add(new ACL(ZooDefs.Perms.ALL, ZooDefs.Ids.ANYONE_ID_UNSAFE));
}
zk.createPath(path, null, perms, CreateMode.PERSISTENT);
```

JAAS

- Java Authentication and Authorization Service
- Core Kerberos classes and types (Principal)
- Text files to configure
 - Different for different JVMs
 - Need to double escape \ for windows paths
- UGI handles setting up a JAAS context & logging in
- Zookeeper needs JAAS



Glossary

- KDC: Kerberos Domain Controller
- TGT/"krbtgt" Ticket Granting Ticket
- Simple Authentication and Security Layer (SASL)
- GSSAPI Generic Security Service Application Program Interface (RFC-2743+ others)
- JAAS: Java Authentication and Authorization Service
- SPNEGO: Simple and Protected GSSAPI Negotiation Mechanism

