Lesson 09 Demo 01 Setting up Snyk for SAST in Jenkins

Objective: To demonstrate the setup of the Snyk plugin in Jenkins for Static Application Security Testing (SAST), to automatically detect vulnerabilities in their codebase during development, thereby enhancing application security before deployment

Tools required: Snyk

Prerequisites: None

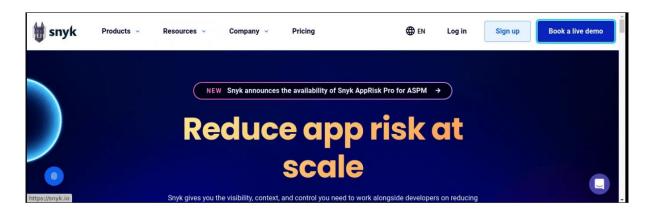
Steps to be followed:

1. Configure Snyk as a SAST scan tool

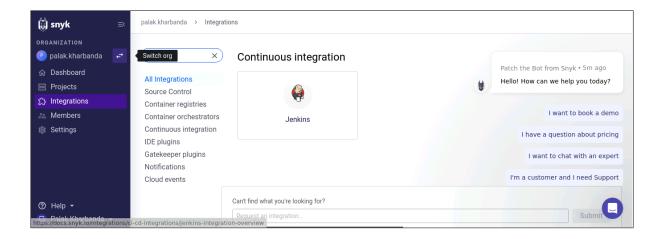
- 2. Create and configure a Jenkins job for Snyk integration
- 3. Manage Snyk API and Jenkins credentials
- 4. Configure the Jenkins job for scanning

Step 1: Configure Snyk as a SAST scan tool

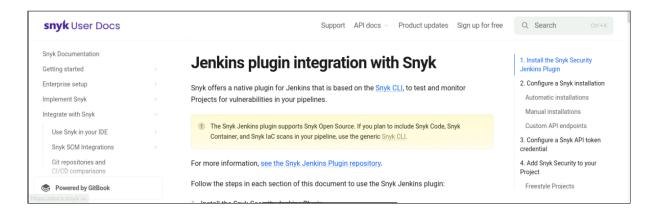
1.1 Visit https://snyk.io/, sign up for a new Snyk account, and log in



1.2 Navigate to Integrations and select Jenkins



This will direct you to the documentation for integrating Snyk with Jenkins.



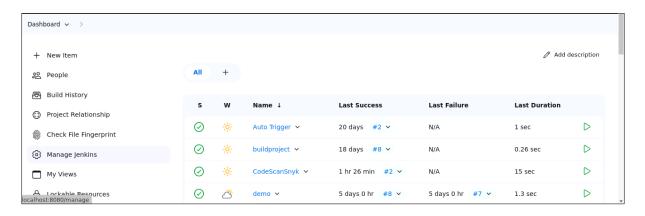
Step 2: Create and configure a Jenkins job for Snyk integration

2.1 Open Jenkins and log in to the Jenkins account:



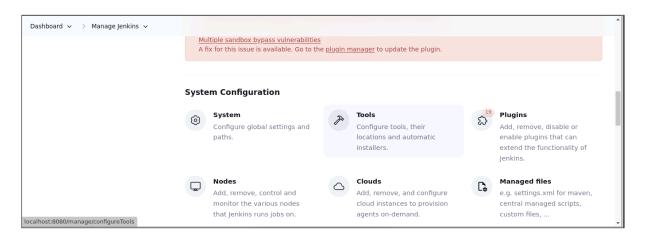
Note: The credentials for accessing Jenkins in the lab are Username: **admin** and Password: **Root123\$**.

2.2 To install the Snyk plugin, navigate to **Manage Jenkins** and click **Available Plugins**, search for **Snyk Security** plugin, and then click **Install**

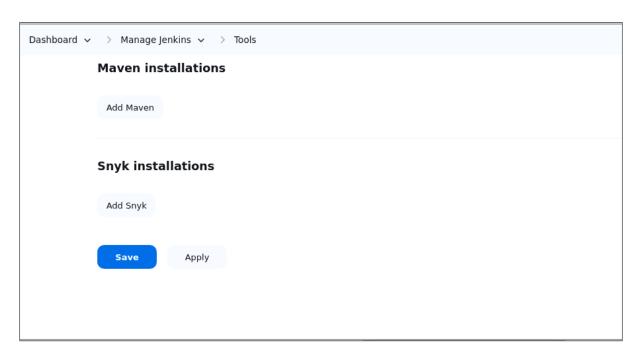


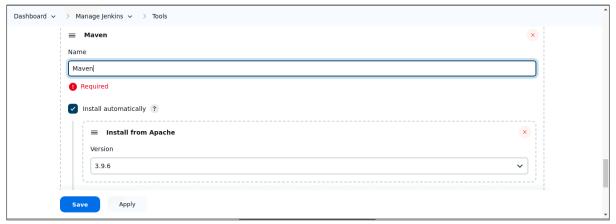


2.3 To configure Maven and Snyk in the **Global Tool Configuration**, click on **Tools** inside **Manage Jenkins**

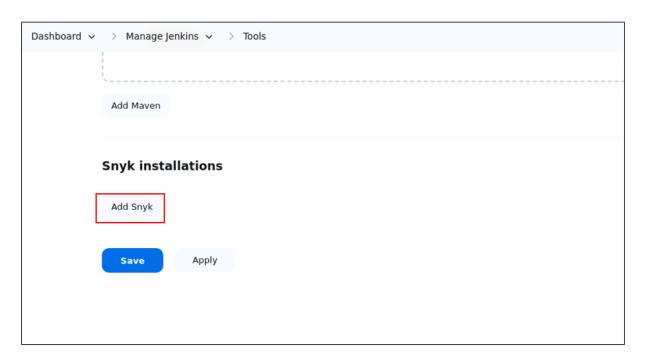


2.4 To add Maven, click on **Add Maven** under **Maven installations** and enter **Maven** as the **Name**





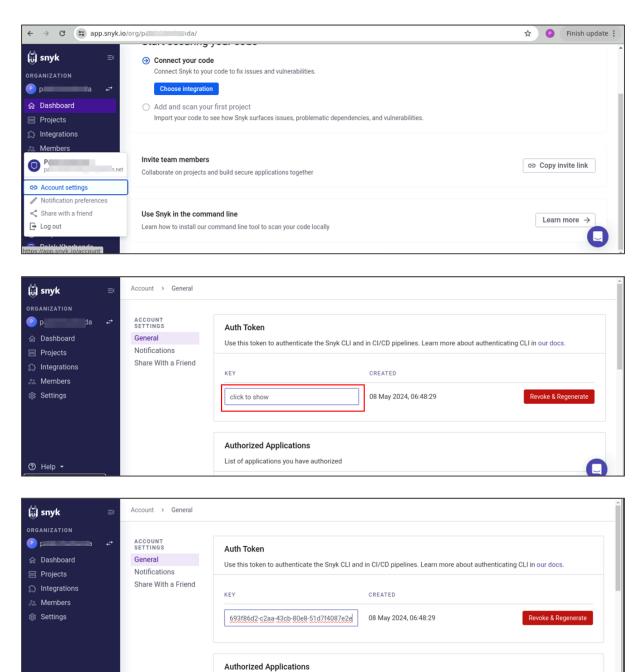
2.5 To add Snyk, click on **Add Snyk** under **Snyk Installations**, add **Name** as **Synk**, and click on the **Save** button





Step 3: Manage Snyk API and Jenkins credentials

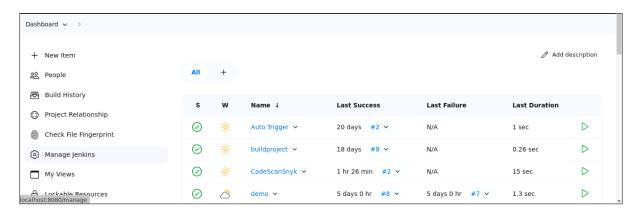
3.1 To retrieve your Snyk API token, go to Account Settings in your Snyk account, click on Click to show under the Auth Token key field, and copy the token for further reference

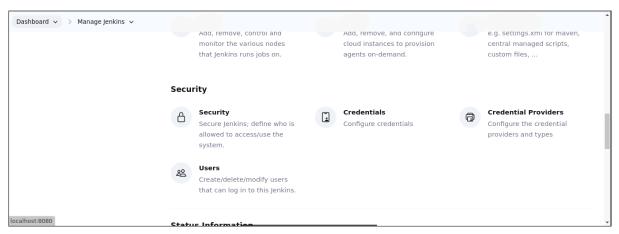


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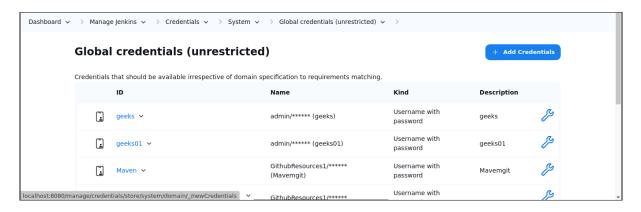
3.2 In the Jenkins interface, go to **Manage Jenkins**, select **Security**, then choose **Credentials** and select **global** to add global credentials



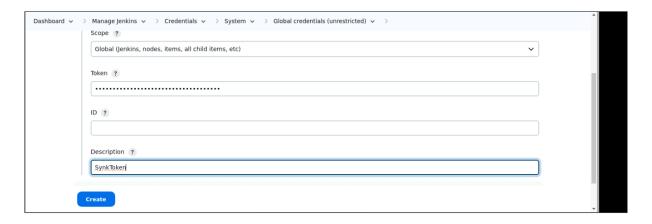




3.3 Click on **Add Credentials**, select the **Snyk API token** from the **Kind** field, paste the copied token from step 3.1 into the **Token** field, and then click the **Create** button

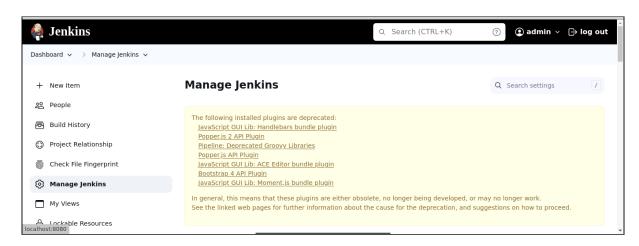


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| Username with password | |
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Step 4: Configure the Jenkins job for scanning

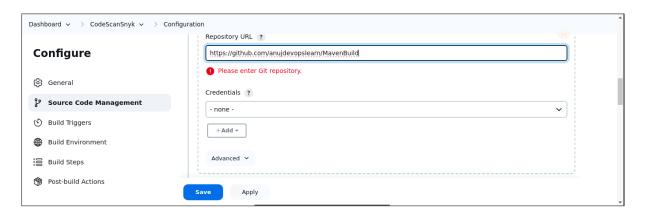
4.1 To create a new Jenkins job, click on **New Item**, enter the item name as **CodeScanSnyk**, select **Freestyle project**, and then click **OK**

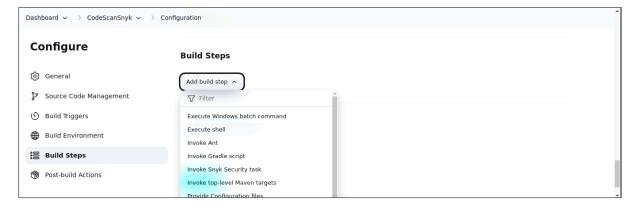


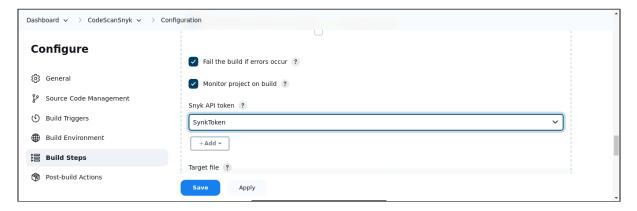




4.2 After creating a job, go to Source Code Management and enter the GitHub repository URL. Then, under Build Steps, add the build step Invoke Snyk Security task with the name SnykToken. Finally, click the Save button to create the build.





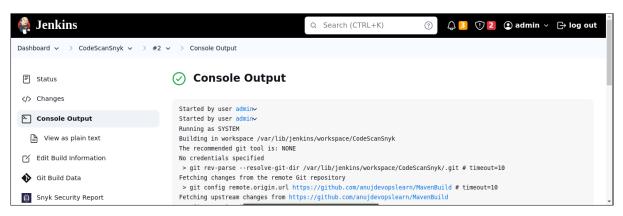


Note: For GitHub repository URL, use https://github.com/anujdevopslearn/MavenBuild

4.3 To check the build status, click on the build link under **Permalinks.** After that, click on **Console Output**

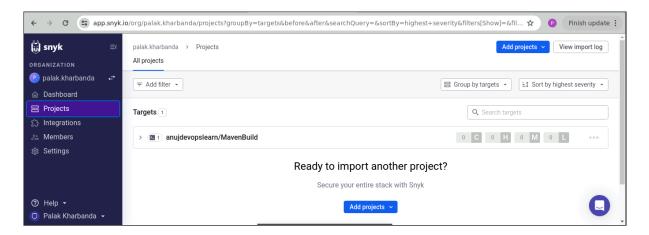








4.4 To navigate to the Snyk tool to review code, scan reports under the **Projects** section



By following the above steps, you have successfully demonstrated the setup of the Snyk plugin in Jenkins for static application security testing (SAST), to automatically detect vulnerabilities in their codebase during development, thereby enhancing application security before deployment.