

# Cloud Config Server

server-side and client-side support  
for externalized configuration in a  
distributed system

# Introduction

- central place to manage external properties for applications across all environments.
- client and server map identically to the Spring **Environment** and **PropertySource** abstractions.
- They fit very well with Spring applications but can be used with any application running in any language
- The default implementation of the server storage backend uses **git**

# Server Configuration

```
<dependency>
```

```
<groupId>org.springframework.cloud</groupId>
```

```
<artifactId>spring-cloud-config-server</artifactId>
```

```
</dependency>
```

```
=====
```

```
server.port=8888
```

```
spring.cloud.config.server.native.search-locations=file:///home/dr/Desktop/
```

```
spring.cloud.config.server.bootstrap=true
```

```
spring.profiles.active=active
```

```
spring.cloud.config.server.native:searchLocations=file://${user.dir}/cloud-configuration-repository
```

# Server Configuration

```
import org.springframework.boot.SpringApplication;
import org.springframework.boot.autoconfigure.SpringBootApplication;
import org.springframework.cloud.spring.boot.autoconfigure
@EnableConfigServer

public class ConfigserverdemoApplication {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        SpringApplication.run(ConfigserverdemoApplication.class, args);
    }
}
```

# Sample Client

```
curl localhost:8888/foo/development
```

```
{"name":"foo","label":"master","propertySources":[  
  {"name":"https://github.com/scratches/config-repo/foo-  
development.properties","source":{"bar":"spam"}},  
  
  {"name":"https://github.com/scratches/config-repo/foo.propertie  
s","source":{"foo":"bar"}}  
]}
```

# Sample Client

```
curl localhost:8080/env
```

```
{  
  "profiles":[  
    "configService:https://github.com/spring-cloud-samples/config-repo/  
bar.properties":{"foo":"bar"},  
    "servletContextInitParams":{},  
    "systemProperties":{"..."},  
    ...  
  ]  
}
```

# application.properties

- spring.cloud.config.server.git.uri = https://github.com/tbarua1/testing
- spring.cloud.config.server.git.timeout = 4

spring:

cloud:

config:

server:

git:

uri: https://github.com/tbarua1/testing

Timeout: 4

***in seconds, that the configuration server will wait to acquire an HTTP connection***

# HTTP service resources format

- `/{{application}}/{{profile}}[/{{label}}]`
- `/{{application}}-{{profile}}.yml`
- `/{{label}}/{{application}}-{{profile}}.yml`
- `/{{application}}-{{profile}}.properties`
- `/{{label}}/{{application}}-{{profile}}.properties`

**where application is injected as the *spring.config.name* in the SpringApplication**



# Client Side Usage

```
<dependencyManagement>
  <dependencies>
    <dependency>
      <groupId>org.springframework.cloud</groupId>
      <artifactId>spring-cloud-dependencies</artifactId>
      <version>{spring-cloud-version}</version>
      <type>pom</type>
      <scope>import</scope>
    </dependency>
  </dependencies>
</dependencyManagement>

<dependencies>
  <dependency>
    <groupId>org.springframework.cloud</groupId>
    <artifactId>spring-cloud-starter-config</artifactId>
  </dependency>
```

# application.yml

- if no application name is set, application will be used. To modify the name, the following property can be added to the bootstrap.properties file:
- `spring.application.name: myapp`

# application.yml

- When this HTTP server runs, it picks up the external configuration from the default local config server on port **8888**. To modify the startup behavior, you can change the location of the config server by using bootstrap.properties (The bootstrap phase of an application context)
- spring.cloud.config.uri: <http://myconfigserver.com>

@SpringBootApplication

@RestController

public class Application {

    @RequestMapping("/")

    public String home() {

        return "Hello World!";

    }

    public static void main(String[] args) {

        SpringApplication.run(Application.class, args);

    }

}

application.yml

# Spring Cloud Config Server

- HTTP resource-based API for external configuration (name-value pairs or equivalent YAML content).
- The server is embeddable in a Spring Boot application, by using the **@EnableConfigServer** annotation.

```
@SpringBootApplication
```

```
@EnableConfigServer
```

```
public class ConfigServer {
```

```
    public static void main(String[] args) {
```

```
        SpringApplication.run(ConfigServer.class, args);
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```

# application.properties

- `spring.config.name=configserver`
- `server.port: 8888`
- `spring.cloud.config.server.git.uri: file:///${user.home}/config-repo`
- `spring.cloud.config.server.accept-empty = false`

Server would return a HTTP 404 status, if the application is not found. By default, this flag is set to true.

# Creating application.properties in git Repository

- `cd $HOME`
- `mkdir config-repo`
- `cd config-repo`
- `git init .`
- `echo info.foo: bar > application.properties`
- `git add -A .`
- `git commit -m "Add application.properties"`

# Environment Variables

- **{application}**, which maps to `spring.application.name` on the client side.
- **{profile}**, which maps to `spring.profiles.active` on the client (comma-separated list).
- **{label}**, which is a server side feature labelling a "versioned" set of config files.



# Multiple Repo Config

```
spring:
  cloud:
    config:
      server:
        git:
          uri: https://github.com/spring-cloud-samples/config-repo
          repos:
            simple: https://github.com/simple/config-repo
            special:
              pattern: special*/dev*,*special*/dev*
              uri: https://github.com/special/config-repo
          local:
            pattern: local*
            uri: file:/home/configsvc/config-repo
  cloud:
    config:
      server:
        git:
          uri: https://github.com/spring-cloud-samples/config-repo
          repos:
            simple: https://github.com/simple/config-repo
            special:
              pattern: special*/dev*,*special*/dev*
              uri: https://github.com/special/config-repo
          local:
            pattern: local*
            uri: file:/home/configsvc/config-repo
```

spring:

cloud:

config:

server:

git:

uri: <https://github.com/spring-cloud-samples/config-repo>

repos:

development:

pattern:

- '\*/development'

- '\*/staging'

uri: <https://github.com/development/config-repo>

staging:

pattern:

- '\*/qa'

- '\*/production'

uri: <https://github.com/staging/config-repo>

# Multiple Repo Config pattern




