

A grayscale image of a hand holding a small, blank white card. The hand is positioned on the left side of the frame, with the fingers gently gripping the card. The background is solid black, creating a high-contrast scene. The lighting highlights the texture of the skin and the smooth surface of the card.

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Secrets
stored securely in
cloud environments

spring:

datasource:

name: myDatabase

username: myDatabaseUser

password: mySuperSecretDatabasePassword

management:

context-path: /admin

security:

enabled: true

logging:

level: warn

ID	USERNAME	PASSWORD	SECRET_NUMBER	SECRET_TEXT
1	Arthur	kvgkIu7ZuPIIdK9G7WUA duTvd9TinwRlvA6foux mgxMZwUsPUdW6	42	Dear diary
2	Zaphod	wC28772M7AYVwLe2BOu dF18VBo59KS5H1MbY9i riZpQhP6KCd33	42	I don't have any secrets
3	Slarti	eHkuCs817pYySnk0aKl zDeZDCSiUSedCOABqcE sRVYzS1Uc8RzK	42	Yeehaa
4	Ford	3kQkFnjyt008yrIjnjf tZewS6j8yKIbywJYzvs 3HOGqtfYcAVV0	42	Is someone reading this?



Technical Credentials



Embedded Configuration

```
<dependency>  
  <groupId>  
    com.github.ulisesbocchio  
  </groupId>  
  <artifactId>  
    jaspyt-spring-boot-starter  
  </artifactId>  
  <version>  
    1.18  
  </version>  
</dependency>
```




```
$ encrypt.sh input="mySuperSecretDatabasePassword" password="sample-password"
```

```
----ENVIRONMENT-----
```

```
Runtime: Oracle Corporation Java HotSpot(TM) 64-Bit Server VM 25.144-b01
```

```
----ARGUMENTS-----
```

```
input: mySuperSecretDatabasePassword  
password: sample-password
```

```
----OUTPUT-----
```

```
p12MjKuU5xk7Pn0OdxJf627ssaNyov2U30MRKlVjQb97Cbkfi5+/uQ==
```


spring:

datasource:

name: myDatabase

username: myDatabaseUser

**password: ENC (p12MjKuU5xk7Pn00dxJf627ssa
Nyov2U30MRK1VjQb97Cbkfi5+/uQ==)**

management:

context-path: /admin

security:

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jasypt.encryptor.password



System
property



Command line
argument



Environment
variable

Encrypted

Encryption password

Distribution

Jasypt security



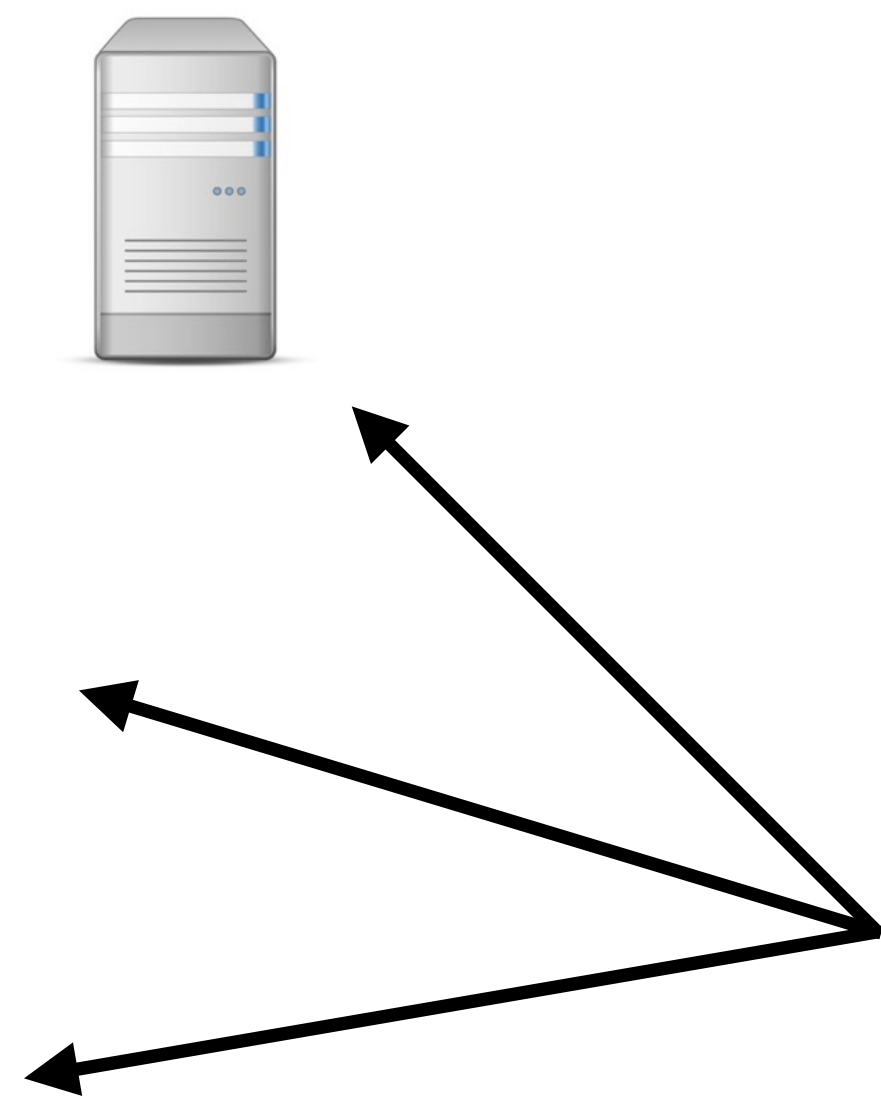


External Configuration

App



Config Server



**Plain / Jasypt
Encrypted
Vault**

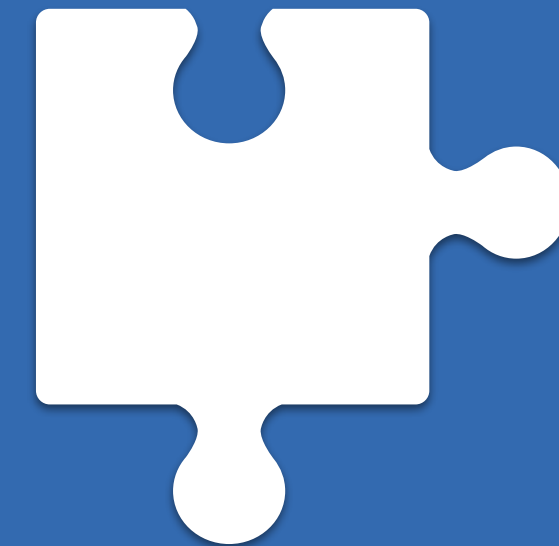


Config Server Cryptography

Properties starting with `{cipher}` will be decrypted before returned to client



Symmetric Encryption
`encrypt.key` property



Asymmetric Encryption
`key` (PEM or Java KeyStore)
and `encrypt.key-store.*`
properties

```
$ curl localhost:8888/encrypt -u user:secret -d client-password
AQA1zqFrxmYnfu4GHRygXSowMNZ2097kntv5nwt2VKlmuh0+rZQNYA8INI+yOJ9L2mIqTpuUwpZpRgTs
jAx+MtgW5d09yNPoQGWRWQ9Y+xT vzR99j8jF7ShryC4fzOkX+I2zsAqQ+36qucwGyJkKegAAmcOVC1N
rCeh9owrPXI0jShlYTyTFx9+mmZ7ICvhD7f57PZax2WzlKzcLzHkxBK6+vHrQjdykUm/DCo3vAOnwXgV
mZAz1gKdlS15B3DfDRwqXNcI8b9avX2b4VtzqpamdUhzJgSFJOvPO5JRbZZ5zMKQO+2G3u5QiYrRShks
/217FxPHXr12BHsiiOh9FbhbJNYNfFxiopPe7lb0jJreJfFfeBA12Ez+78vYz0nhkZs=
```


spring:

datasource:

name: client-db

username: client-user

**password: '{cipher}AQA1zqFrxmYnfu4GHRygX
SowMNZ2097kntv5nwt2VKlmuh0+rZQNYA8INI+y0J9
L2mIqTpuUwpZpRgTsjAx+MtgW5d09yNPoQGWRWQ9Y
+xTvzR99j8jF7ShryC4fz0kX+I2zsAqQ+36qucwGyJ
kKegAAmc0VC1NrCeh9owrPXI0jSh1YTyTFx9+mmZ7I
3vAOnwXgVmZAz1gKd1S15B3DfDRwqXNcI8b9avX2b4
VtzqpamdUhzJgSFJOvP05JRbZZ5z+78vYz0nhkZs='**

```
{
  "name": "config-client",
  "profiles": ["cipher"],
  "propertySources": [{
    "name": "https://github...config-client-cipher.yml",
    "source": {
      "application.name": "Config Client",
      "application.profile": "Cipher",
      "spring.datasource.name": "client-db",
      "spring.datasource.password": "client-password",
      "spring.datasource.username": "client-user",
      "spring.h2.console.enabled": true } }]
}
```



```
{
  "name": "config-client",
  "profiles": ["cipher"],
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    "name": "https://github...config-client-cipher.yml",
    "source": {
      "application.name": "Config Client",
      "application.profile": "Cipher",
      "spring.datasource.name": "client-db",
      "spring.datasource.password": "<n/a>",
      "spring.datasource.username": "client-user",
      "spring.h2.console.enabled": true } }]
}
```


Demo



**Encrypted
Distributed**

**Encryption credentials
Config server security
Availability**

**A tool for
managing
secrets**





"... centrally store, secure, and tightly control access to secrets across distributed infrastructure, applications, and humans."

All Data is Always Encrypted

- 👁 Internal key encrypts everything with AES
 - 👁 Key never leaves the system
- 👁 Selected storage backend never sees plain text
 - 👁 File, Amazon DynamoDB, Consul, ...

Secret Backends

- Store and create secrets
 - Lease time for new secrets
 - Access control policies for secrets
- Dynamic secrets (AWS, ...)
- Token revocation

Audit Log is Disabled by Default

- 🌀 Detailed audit log of all authenticated client interaction
- 🌀 Sensitive data hashed

```
$ vault audit-enable file file_path=./vault_audit.log  
Successfully enabled audit backend 'file' with path 'file'!
```


Accessible via **HTTP API** or **CLI**

```
vault server -config vault.conf
```

Shamir's Secret Sharing



```
vault operator init -key-shares=5 -key-threshold=2
```

```
Unseal Key 1: Pv/Xx49co4Zmed2McapSOr4jC4iiAvfd5EjvILMySJUB
```

```
Unseal Key 2: T00pjFgitbcy+JKOGI6DFgW/0jBdyrVriLdGu7PENbsC
```

```
Unseal Key 3: YCOKtRUIT1H3h155P5LM+2zLbFgIe4vwrOIh070WHqED
```

```
Unseal Key 4: rTLOGu3emdWa4QyKysY6Tmice1u4QTEcUFIP1rMzz+cE
```

```
Unseal Key 5: glxtI6D0YjNfnsB97dp1owHoxTPt8A+HdAdoFrNh5P0F
```

```
Initial Root Token: efe88b79-cf8b-825a-0f6f-ef1ca142782b
```

Visible once after initialization

Unsealing requires **n** configured **unseal keys**

vault operator unseal

Pv/Xx49co4Zmed2McapSOr4jC4iiAvfd5EjvILMySJUB

Sealed: true

Key Shares: 5

Key Threshold: 2

Unseal Progress: 1

Unseal Nonce: 87f350d5-2a25-a821-dc7f-2962fc49fe03

vault operator unseal

rTLOGu3emdWa4QyKysY6Tmice1u4QTEcUFIP1rMzz+cE

Sealed: false

Key Shares: 5

Key Threshold: 2

Unseal Progress: 0

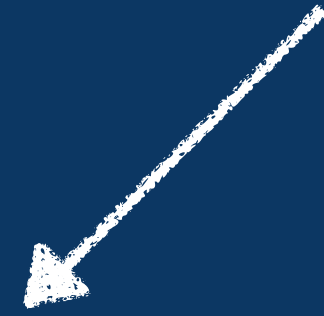
Unseal Nonce:

Authenticated Access Required

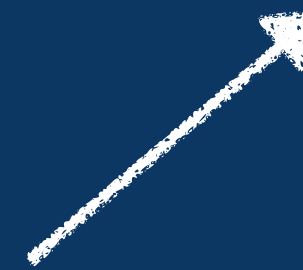
Token (default), LDAP, Username/Password,
GitHub Token, AWS EC2, Certificates, ...

```
export VAULT_TOKEN=  
efe88b79-cf8b-825a-0f6f-ef1ca142782b
```


mount point



```
vault write secret/config-client  
spring.datasource.password=client-db
```



key-value format
(generic backend)

Spring Cloud Vault

`/secret/{application}/{profile}`

`/secret/{application}`

`/secret/{defaultContext}/{profile}`

`/secret/{defaultContext}`

```

$ vault write secret/config-client-vault spring.datasource.password=config-client-db-password
Success! Data written to: secret/config-client-vault
```


Demo



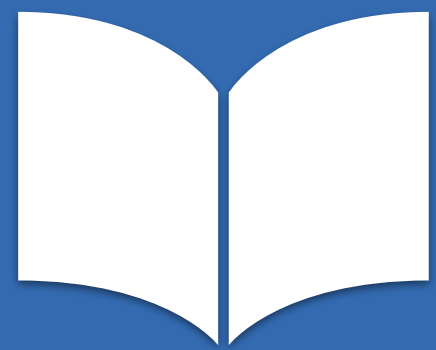
Encrypted
Distributed access
Multiple unseal keys
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Personal Credentials

API for Secret Management

VaultTemplate to read, list,
write and delete secrets



```
vaultTemplate.  
read(PATH)
```



```
vaultTemplate.  
list(PATH)
```



```
vaultTemplate.  
write(PATH, data)
```



```
vaultTemplate.  
delete(PATH)
```



```
@Autowired
VaultTemplate template;

@PostMapping("/secrets")
ResponseBody write(Secret secret) {
    Map<String, String> secrets = new HashMap<>();
    secrets.put("password", secret.getPassword());
    // ...

    VaultResponse response =
        template.write("secret/" + userId, secrets);
    // ...
}
```

```
path "secret/*"  
{  
  capabilities = ["create", "read",  
                 "update", "delete",  
                 "list"]  
}
```




Encrypted
Distributed access
Multiple unseal keys
Access policies
Vault server security
Availability

① **Jasypt** for non distributed applications with **minimal security** requirements

Spring Cloud Config for applications with **typical security** requirements ②

③ **Vault** for applications with **high security** requirements



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Demo Project

<https://github.com/dschadow/CloudSecurity>

Jasypt

<http://www.jasypt.org>

Jasypt integration for Spring Boot

<https://github.com/ulisesbocchio/jasypt-spring-boot>

Spring Cloud

<http://projects.spring.io/spring-cloud>

Vault

<https://www.vaultproject.io>

Pictures

<http://www.dreamstime.com>

