

OGC Innovation Program Testbed-14

Security Tasks

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Overall activities



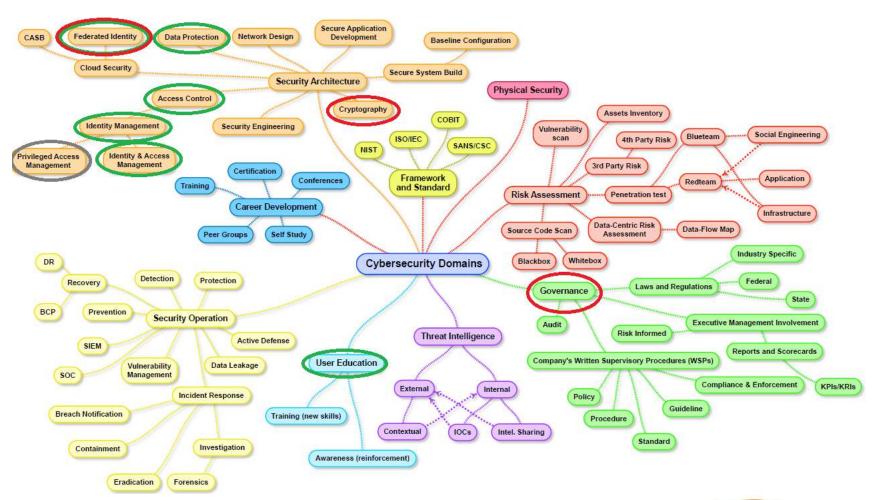
- Provide a clear view on the topic of Security for Spatial Data Infrastructures
- Coordinate and document all aspects related to the Security Task
- Collect security related results and include an extensive security discussion for the following items:
 - D147 Mediation Service
 - D151 Authorization Server
 - D021 Next Generation Web APIs WFS 3.0 ER
 - D023 Federated Clouds ER
 - D026 BPMN Workflow ER (originally Workflows ER)





A disclaimer regarding "Security"





Security Mindmap - Henry Jiang (Security expert for Bank of America)





Work Accomplished



- State-of-the-art analysis on the security topic, covering and comparing standards and how they fulfill security requirements.
- Design the Authentication and Authorization server based on OAuth2.0 and OpenID Connect and the interfaces with clients and services such as WFS 3.0.
- Design the Mediation Service for allowing access from other security environments.
- Interactions with the **Workflows and Federated Clouds** section of this program, aiming at more mature security architectures, within so called "Administrative Domains".
- Work is documented in the Security ER containing also an Integration guide for developers.





State-of-the-art analysis on the security topic (I)



- Testbed-14 Security ER provides an extensive state-of-the-art analysis, identifying key needs and technologies that could enable the desired functionality
- OpenID Connect and OAuth2.0 are used in order to reduce the development and integration impact on applications, services and users (while also allowing centralized authentication and authorization with Single Sign-On).



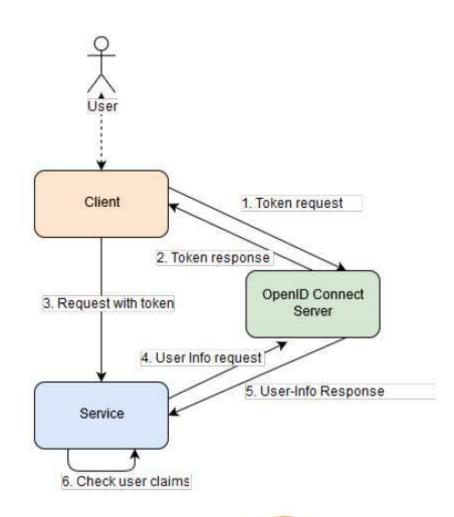




State-of-the-art analysis on the security topic (II)



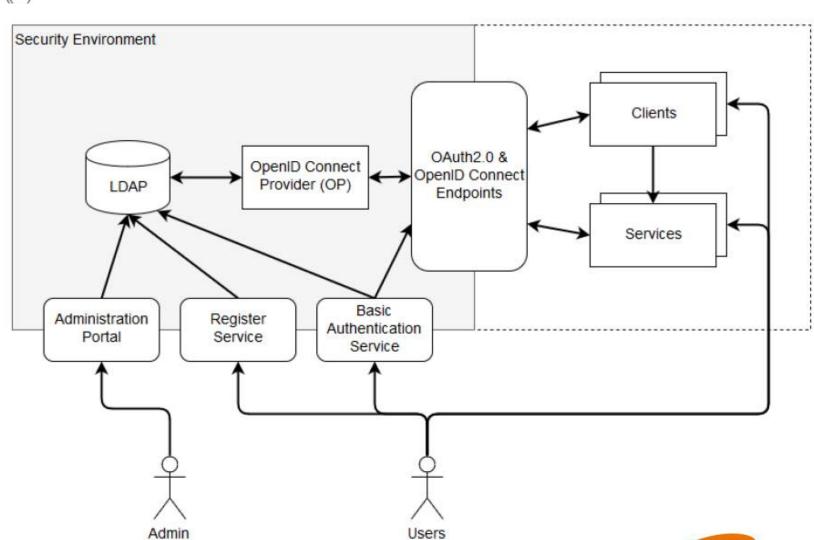
- Testbed14 focuses mainly on the usage of OAuth2.0 and OpenID Connect as security standards.
- OAuth2.0 / OpenID requires the usage of tokens as a mean of identifying users.
- Clients need to acquire a token (methods discussed on the ER)
- Services need to validate token and extract user information







Authentication and Authorization server: Design

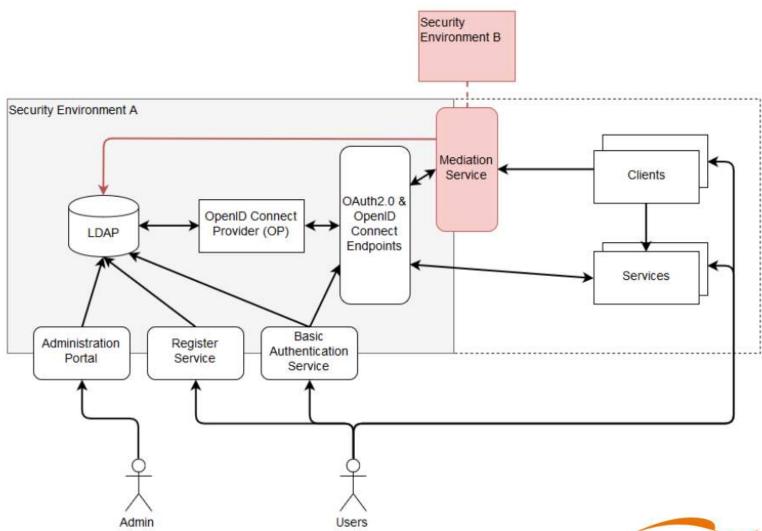






Mediation Service: Design









Workflows securitization



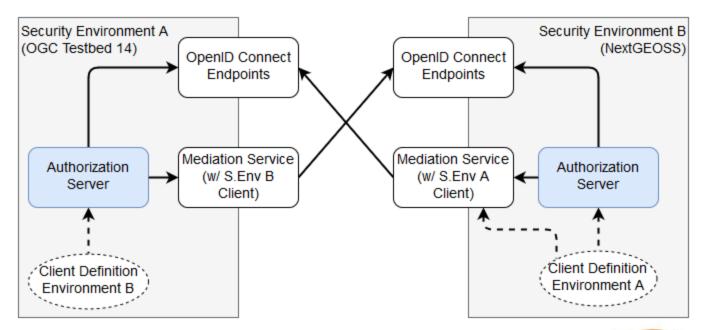
- During this Testbed a NextGen client made use of the security infrastructure in order to provide BPMN powered execution workflows.
- After a successful securitization on a basic level, two main issues were raised:
 - Difficulty in the application of granular authorization for access to resources.
 - Secured relaying of information within the workflow
- Workflows can greatly benefit from the usage of UMA in order to protect generation, storage and access of processed data.



Federated Clouds



- A simple case of two-way federation with NextGEOSS has been demostrated during this Testbed.
- This served as a baseline for a critical review by the Federated
 Clouds ER. Main objective: to identify and analyze governance and resource discovery needs.







Future Work on Security topic



- Demonstration of social network login
- Demonstration of SSO based on OAuth2 and SAML (i.e. eduGAIN)
- Demonstration of fine-grained authorization based on OIDC or UMA standards (PEP/PDP adaptations)
- Demonstration of fine-grained accounting based on UMA standard
- Analyse and prototype the usage of the Client Credentials and Resource Owner grants
- Utilize JSON Web Tokens for propagation of user claims
- Design a Federation Manager capable of allowing management of resources on the owner side in order to facilitate solving governance issues







Thank you!



