

ejabberd

Extending & Using



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XMPP

```

1 C:
2 <?xml version='1.0' ?>
3 ▾ <stream:stream to='localhost' xmlns='jabber:client'
.   xmlns:stream='http://etherx.jabber.org/streams' version='1.0'>
4
5 S:
6 <?xml version='1.0'?>
7 ▾ <stream:stream xmlns='jabber:client'
.   xmlns:stream='http://etherx.jabber.org/streams' id='3323721616'
.   from='localhost' version='1.0' xml:lang='en'>
8 ▾   <stream:features>
9 ▾     <mechanisms xmlns='urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:xmpp-sasl'>
10      <mechanism>PLAIN</mechanism>
11      <mechanism>DIGEST-MD5</mechanism>
12      <mechanism>ANONYMOUS</mechanism>
13      <mechanism>SCRAM-SHA-1</mechanism>
14 ▲     </mechanisms>
15 ▲   </stream:features>
16
17 C: <auth xmlns='urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:xmpp-sasl'
.   mechanism='DIGEST-MD5' />
18 S: <challenge
.   xmlns='urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:xmpp-sasl'>bm9uY2U9IjY3NDE4NzYxOStScW9wPSJ
.   hdXRoIixjaGFyc2V0PjV0Zi04LGFsZ29yaXR0bT1tZDUtc2Vzcm==</challenge>
19 C: <response
.   xmlns='urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:xmpp-sasl'>dXNlcjVhbWU9InRlc3QyIixyZWZsbT0
.   ibG9jYXob3N0Iixub25jZT0iNjc0MTg3NjE5Iixjbm9uY2U9IjM4YTNiMjdjMTM3MjgyNjc
.   xNmYxNTU0ODk1IixuYz0wMDAwMDAwMSxxb3A9YXV0aCkkaWdlc3QtdXJpPSJ4bXBwL2xvY2F
.   saG9zdCIscmVzcG9uc2U9MmI5NTkwZDE3YTQ2NzhjNTEyNzFmYTZmNWNlZjg3MjksY2hhcnN
.   ldD11dGYt0A==</response>
20 S: <challenge
.   xmlns='urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:xmpp-sasl'>cnNwYXV0aD1hZDVhNTMyM2IwZjM5NGJ
.   hZTU5NmYzYmU2MThmNzFkNw==</challenge>
21 C: <response xmlns='urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:xmpp-sasl' />
22 S: <success xmlns='urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:xmpp-sasl' />

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24 C: <stream:stream to='localhost' xmlns='jabber:client'
.  xmlns:stream='http://etherx.jabber.org/streams' version='1.0'>
25 S:
26 <?xml version='1.0'?>
27 ▾ <stream:stream xmlns='jabber:client'
.  xmlns:stream='http://etherx.jabber.org/streams' id='3644170371'
.  from='localhost' version='1.0' xml:lang='en'>
28 ▾   <stream:features>
29     <bind xmlns='urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:xmpp-bind' />
30     <session xmlns='urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:xmpp-session' />
31 ▲   </stream:features>
32
33 C:
34 ▾ <iq type='set' id='purple8a82ae6'>
35 ▾   <bind xmlns='urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:xmpp-bind'>
36     <resource>Michaels-MacBook-Pro</resource>
37 ▲   </bind>
38 ▲ </iq>
39
40 S:
41 ▾ <iq id='purple8a82ae6' type='result'>
42 ▾   <bind xmlns='urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:xmpp-bind'>
43     <jid>test2@localhost/Michaels-MacBook-Pro</jid>
44 ▲   </bind>
45 ▲ </iq>
46 C:
47 ▾ <iq type='set' id='purple8a82ae7'>
48     <session xmlns='urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:xmpp-session' />
49 ▲ </iq>
50 S:
51 ▾ <iq type='result' id='purple8a82ae7'>
52     <session xmlns='urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:xmpp-session' />
53 ▲ </iq>
```

Basics

- RFC 6120, 6121 and 6122
- XEPs for extensions

Basics

- I-I Chat
- Multi-User-Chat (MUC)
- Publish-Subscribe (Pubsub)

Basics

- Jingle
- Federation

Stanza

- Message
- Presence
- IQ

Web

- BOSH
- Websockets

ejabberd

Basics

- Open Source
- Commercial Version by ProcessOne
- www.ejabberd.im
- www.process-one.net

Basics

- erlang R14
- ejabberd 2.1 & ejabberd 3.0

Basics

- lots of built-in modules
- extendable

Configuration

- ejabberd.cfg
- splittable into multiple files
- constants

Configuration

```
▼ conf
  ejabberd.cfg
  ejabberd_acl.cfg
  ejabberd_listen.cfg
  ejabberd_modules.cfg
  ejabberdctl.cfg
  mila_env.cfg

1 %%% =====
2 %%%  MODULES
3 %%% '
4
5 %%
6 %% Modules enabled in all ejabberd virtual hosts.
7 %%
8 {modules,
9  [
10 {mod_caps,    []},
11 {mod_ack,    []},
12 {mod_disco,  []},
13 {mod_bosh,   []},
14 {mod_offline, [{db_type, odbc}, {access_max_user_messages, max_user_offline_messages}]},
15 {mod_ping,   []},
16 {mod_carboncopy, []},
17 {mod_admin_p1, []},
18 {mod_privacy_odbc, []},
19 {mod_applepush_service, [
20   {hosts, [
21     {'APNS_SERVICE_HOST',
22      [{certfile, 'APNS_CERTFILE'},
23       {gateway, "gateway.push.apple.com"},
24       {port, 2195},
25       {connect_timeout, 10000},
26       {feedback, "feedback.push.apple.com"},
27       {feedback_port, 2196}]
28     }
29   ]}
30 ]},
31 {mod_applepush, [{default_service, 'APNS_SERVICE_HOST'}]},
32 ]}
```

Module Development

Auth Modules

Core Auth Modules

- internal
- anonymous
- external
- odbc
- pam
- ldap

Own Authentication

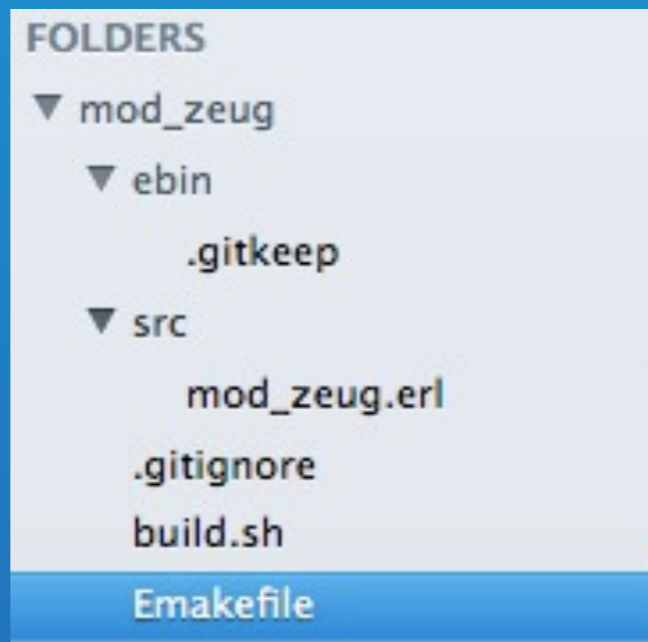
- implement ejabberd_auth
 - check_password/3
 - store_type/0
 - plain_password_required/0
 - is_user_exists/2
 - etc.

No custom
mechanism :(

Stanza interceptors

Let's write an own Module

Setup



gen_mod

- start/2
- stop/1

```
1 %%
2 %% mod_zeug
3 %%
4 %% An example module for the zurich erlang user group
5 %%
6
7 -module(mod_zeug).
8 -author('michael.weibel@gmail.com').
9 -vsn('0.1').
10
11 -behaviour(gen_mod).
12
13 % required API includes from ejabberd
14 -include('ejabberd.hrl').
15 -include('jlib.hrl').
16
17 % gen_mod API
18 -export([start/2, stop/1]).
19
20
21 start(_Host, _Opts) ->
22     ok.
23
24 stop(_Host) ->
25     ok.
```

gen_server

- Just for fun :)

```
30 start(_Host, _Opts) ->
31     ok.
32
33 stop(_Host) ->
34     ok.
35
36 start_link(_Host, _Opts) ->
37     ok.
38
39 init([_Host, _Opts]) ->
40     ok.
41
42 handle_call(stop, _From, State) ->
43     {stop, normal, State}.
44
45 handle_cast(_Msg, State) ->
46     {noreply, State}.
47
48 handle_info(_Info, State) ->
49     {noreply, State}.
50
51 terminate(_Reason, _State) ->
52     ok.
53
54 code_change(_OldVsn, State, _Extra) ->
55     {ok, State}.
```

Setup hook & gen_server

```
30 start(Host, Opts) ->
31     ejabberd_hooks:add(user_send_packet, Host, ?MODULE, log_packet_send, 55),
32     Proc = gen_mod:get_module_proc(Host, ?MODULE),
33
34     ChildSpec =
35         {Proc,
36          {?MODULE, start_link, [Host, Opts]},
37          transient,
38          50,
39          worker,
40          [?MODULE]},
41     supervisor:start_child(ejabberd_sup, ChildSpec).
42
43 stop(_Host) ->
44     ejabberd_hooks:delete(user_send_packet, Host,
45         ?MODULE, log_packet_send, 55),
46     Proc = gen_mod:get_module_proc(Host, ?MODULE),
47
48     supervisor:delete_child(ejabberd_sup, Proc).
```

Hook listener

```
61 log_packet_send(From, To, Packet) ->
62     Proc = gen_mod:get_module_proc(From#jid.server, ?MODULE),
63     gen_server:cast(Proc, {log_packet, From, To, Packet}).
64
65 handle_call(stop, _From, State) ->
66     {stop, normal, State}.
67
68 handle_cast({log_packet, From, To, Packet}, State) ->
69     ?DEBUG("Packet received:~nFrom: ~p~nTo: ~p~nPacket: ~p", [From, To, Packet]),
70     {noreply, State};
```

Upsides

Erlang

ProcessOne

Downsides

Documentation

Community

No rebar (yet)

No mobile reliability
(by default)

No websockets
(by default)

No stats builtin

Tools

ej.sh

- ej build
- ej tail
- ej conf
- ej restart
- all ejabberdctl commands



Alternatives

- MongooseIM (ejabberd fork)
- Tigase (java)
- Prosody (lua)
- Openfire (java)

Thanks.

Questions?