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1 Introduction

To set up and configure the Blockchain-Integrated Identity and Access Management Framework for Secure IoT Device Management, the detailed instructions provided in this configuration manual. System prerequisites, software tool installation instructions, and the process of integrating smart contracts with the Ethereum blockchain and Keycloak for identity management are all described.

2 System Configuration

The below table provide details about the System Configuration used to implement the model.

Component	Specification
Model Name	MacBook Air
Model ID	MacBookAir 10,1
Processor/Chip	Apple M1 2020
RAM/Memory	8 GB
Total Number of Cores	8 (4 performance and 4 efficiency)
Storage	50 GB free space
Operating System	macOS Monterey
Operating System Version	12.2.1

Table 1: System Configuration

3 Software Configuration

This section discuss about the software and tools used to carry out the research. The below table the all the details.

Software	Version	Dependencies
Node.js	v14.17.0 or later	NPM
NPM	v6.14.13 (comes with Node.js)	None
Truffle	v5.4.29	Node.js, NPM
Ganache	v2.5.4	Node.js, NPM
OpenSSL	v1.1.1 or later	None
Keycloak	v16.1.1	JDK 8+
Solidity	v0.8.13	Node.js, NPM
Slither	v0.8.3	Python 3.x, Pip
Web3.js	v1.5.2	Node.js, NPM
LaTeX (For re-reporting)	TeX 2021 or later	None
Google Chrome	127.0.6533.26	None

Table 2: Software Configuration for IAM Framework Setup

4 Installation of Tools and Software

4.1 Installation of Node.js and NPM

Below command used to install node packages whihc are required for interacting with Blockchain.

brew install node¹

¹<https://formulae.brew.sh/formula/node>

4.2 Truffle and Ganache

```
HD Wallet
=====
Mnemonic:      gold rebel decorate invite pipe habit stick harvest
Base HD Path:  m/44'/60'/0'/0/{account_index}

Gas Price
=====
20000000000

Gas Limit
=====
6721975

Call Gas Limit
=====
9007199254740991

Listening on 127.0.0.1:8545
```

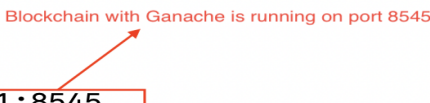


Figure 1: Model Blockchain IP

This is required to setup local test environment for Ethereum blockchain.

```
npm install -g truffle 2
npm install -g ganache-cli 3
```

To start Ganache, run below command.

```
ganache-cli 4
```

4.3 Keycloak Setup

Manually downloaded the Keycloak⁵ package in installed on the system.

After downloading the .zip file, unzipped it and ran below command to start the keycloak server over port 8080.

```
./bin/kc.sh -Djboss.socket.binding.port-offset=100 6
```

And we can see from below figure that keycloak is accessible on 'http://localhost:8080/'

²<https://archive.trufflesuite.com/docs/truffle/how-to/install/>

³<https://www.npmjs.com/package/ganache>

⁴<https://www.npmjs.com/package/ganache>

⁵<https://www.keycloak.org/downloads>

⁶<https://www.keycloak.org/server/configuration>

```
(base) vasusingh@VASUs-MacBook-Air bin % ./kc.sh start -Djboss.socket.binding.port-offset=100

ERROR: Failed to run 'start' command.
ERROR: You can not 'start' the server in development mode. Please re-build the server first, use default production mode.

For more details run the same command passing the '--verbose' option. Also you can use '--help' to see the usage of the particular command.
(base) vasusingh@VASUs-MacBook-Air bin % ./kc.sh start-dev -Djboss.socket.binding.port-offset=

2024-08-07 20:41:17,451 INFO [org.infinispan.CONTAINER] (ForkJoinPool.commonPool-worker-1) ISM
arshaller 'org.infinispan.jboss.marshalling.core.JBossUserMarshaller'
2024-08-07 20:41:17,920 INFO [org.keycloak.connections.infinispan.DefaultInfinispanConnectionP
ode name: node_766859, Site name: null
2024-08-07 20:41:17,922 INFO [org.keycloak.broker.provider.AbstractIdentityProviderMapper] (ma
g.keycloak.broker.provider.mappersync.ConfigSyncEventListener
2024-08-07 20:41:18,498 INFO [io.quarkus] (main) Keycloak 25.0.2 on JVM (powered by Quarkus 3.
Listening on: http://0.0.0.0:8080. Management interface listening on http://0.0.0.0:9000.
2024-08-07 20:41:18,498 INFO [io.quarkus] (main) Profile dev activated.
2024-08-07 20:41:18,499 INFO [io.quarkus] (main) Installed features: [agroal, cdi, hibernate-c
ogging-gelf, narayana-jta, reactive-routes, resteasy-reactive, resteasy-reactive-jackson, small
vertx]
```

Figure 2: Keycloak IP

Realm creation: Created 'IoTrealm' by adding new over admin console.

Client Creation: created new client named 'Blockchain-client' to obtain client ID and secret which further used to obtain JWT Tokens.

User creation: created new user and assign him roles, user credentials are also required to generate JWT token.

4.4 OpenSSL installation

OpenSSL is used for generation and management of PKI certificates.

```
brew install openssl
```

5 Solidity smart contract

Smart contract solidity code IoT device management.

```
// SPDX-License-Identifier: MIT pragma solidity = 0.8.13;
contract IoTDevice struct Device string id; string owner; string deviceType; string
publicKey; string certificate;
mapping(string => Device) public devices;
function createDevice(string memory id, string memory owner, string memory device-
Type, string memory publicKey, string memory certificate) public devices[id] = Device(id,
owner, deviceType, publicKey, certificate);
function getDevice(string memory id) public view returns (string memory, string
memory, string memory, string memory) Device memory device =
devices[id]; return (device.id, device.owner, device.deviceType, device.publicKey, device.certificate);
```

Migrations scripts written in JSON to compile and deploy smart contracts.

Below command used to deploy the smart contracts.

Migration.js

```
const Migrations = artifacts.require("Migrations");
```

```

module.exports = function (deployer) deployer.deploy(Migrations); ;
Deployment script
const Migrations = artifacts.require("Migrations");
module.exports = function (deployer) deployer.deploy(Migrations); ;
truffle compile
truffle migrate --network development 7

Compiling your contracts...
=====
> Everything is up to date, there is nothing to compile.

Starting migrations...
=====
> Network name:      'development'
> Network id:        1723141245179
> Block gas limit: 6721975 (0x6691b7)

1_initial_migration.js
=====

Deploying 'Migrations'
-----
> transaction hash:  0xe6d7822ddd4a48a9712a028c85e1445a9ab94d830cc07cd2bd393500ad295a91
> Blocks: 0         Seconds: 0
> contract address: 0x9e581021535E1Dfd3adBb9115aCe5Bb3c074A002
> block number:     2
> block timestamp:  1723144024
> account:          0xB5F5DF352E0Ad0e3a2fcFB2F9723508F2D420334
> balance:          99.98954424
> gas used:         272788 (0x42994)
> gas price:        20 gwei
> value sent:       0 ETH
> total cost:       0.00545576 ETH

> Saving migration to chain.
> Saving artifacts
-----
> Total cost:       0.00545576 ETH

```

Figure 3: Migration script Deployment

⁷<https://archive.trufflesuite.com/docs/truffle/concepts/networks-and-app-deployment/>

```

2_deploy_IoTDevice.js
=====
Starting deployment of IoTDevice...

  Deploying 'IoTDevice'
  -----
  > transaction hash:    0x87b0ce42ffdf7b1e58033dc252f82f9e70cf317c085e76d4c2e63b23d5413440
  > Blocks: 0           Seconds: 0
  > contract address:    0x6790e2188779e830F7Ca31272069D9a922B86209
  > block number:        4
  > block timestamp:     1723144024
  > account:             0xB5F5DF352E0Ad0e3a2fcFB2F9723508F2D420334
  > balance:             99.97321382
  > gas used:            773986 (0xbcf62)
  > gas price:           20 gwei
  > value sent:          0 ETH
  > total cost:          0.01547972 ETH

IoTDevice deployed at address: 0x6790e2188779e830F7Ca31272069D9a922B86209
  > Saving migration to chain.
  > Saving artifacts
  -----
  > Total cost:          0.01547972 ETH

Summary
=====
> Total deployments:    2
> Final cost:           0.02093548 ETH

```

Figure 4: Device script Deployment

6 Node.js Backend Code to interact with Blockchain

6.1 Importing libraries and modules

```

const {Web3} = require('web3');
const readline = require('readline');
const jwt = require('jsonwebtoken');
const fetch = require('node-fetch');
const contractData = require('/Users/vasusingh/Desktop/Thesis/project/build/contracts/IoTDevice.json');

```

Figure 5: importing required modules

6.2 Web3 setup and smart contracts

Web3 is setup and connected ethereum blockchain running on 'http://127.0.0.1:8545' and along with address of smart contract.


```
const web3 = new Web3(new Web3.providers.HttpProvider('http://127.0.0.1:8545'));
const contractABI = contractData.abi;
const contractAddress = contractData.networks['1723141245179'].address;
//const contractAddress = '0x3F05405Cca77d98C176a8AD8039be034596029Be';
const contract = new web3.eth.Contract(contractABI, contractAddress);
```

Figure 6: Web3 setup and smart contracts

6.3 Interface for user input

```
const rl = readline.createInterface({
  input: process.stdin,
  output: process.stdout
});
```

Figure 7: defined user interface

6.4 Fetching Public Key from Keycloak

Keycloak certificate endpoint- 'http://localhost:8080/realms/IoTrealm/protocol/openid-connect/certs'

```
async function getPublicKey() {
  const keycloakCertsUrl = 'http://localhost:8080/realms/IoTrealm/protocol/openid-connect/certs';
  const response = await fetch(keycloakCertsUrl);

  if (!response.ok) {
    throw new Error(`Failed to fetch certs: ${response.statusText}`);
  }

  const certs = await response.json();

  if (!certs.keys || certs.keys.length === 0) {
    throw new Error('No keys found in the certs response');
  }

  const publicKey = certs.keys[0].x5c[0];
  return `-----BEGIN CERTIFICATE-----\n${publicKey}\n-----END CERTIFICATE-----`;
}
```

Figure 8: Public key function

6.5 JWT Validation Function

```
function validateJWT(token, publicKey) {  
  try {  
    const decoded = jwt.verify(token, publicKey);  
    return decoded;  
  } catch (err) {  
    return null;  
  }  
}
```

Figure 9: Token validation function

6.6 Registering a Device on the Blockchain

Create Command: Prompts the user for device details and a JWT token, then calls createDevice.

```
async function createDevice(id, owner, deviceType, publicKey, certificate, token) {  
  try {  
    const pubKey = await getPublicKey();  
    const validToken = validateJWT(token, pubKey);  
  
    if (validToken) {  
      const accounts = await web3.eth.getAccounts();  
      const gasEstimate = await contract.methods.createDevice(id, owner, deviceType, publicKey, certificate).estimateGas();  
      await contract.methods.createDevice(id, owner, deviceType, publicKey, certificate).send({  
        from: accounts[0],  
        gas: 3000000,  
        gasPrice: web3.utils.toWei('10', 'gwei') });  
      console.log('Device created successfully');  
    } else {  
      console.log('Invalid token');  
    }  
  } catch (error) {  
    console.error('Error creating device:', error.message);  
  }  
}
```

Figure 10: Create device function

6.7 Fetching Device Information

Get Command: Prompts the user for a device ID and a JWT token, then calls getDevice.

```

async function getDevice(id, token) {
  try {
    const pubKey = await getPublicKey();
    const validToken = validateJWT(token, pubKey);

    if (validToken) {
      const gasEstimate = await contract.methods.getDevice(id).estimateGas();
      const device = await contract.methods.getDevice(id).call({
        gas: gasEstimate
      });
      console.log(device);
    } else {
      console.log('Invalid token');
    }
  } catch (error) {
    console.error('Error getting device:', error.message);
  }
}

```

Figure 11: Get device function

6.8 Command-Line Interaction

```

rl.question('Enter command (create/get): ', async (command) => {
  if (command === 'create') {
    rl.question('Enter device id: ', (id) => {
      rl.question('Enter owner: ', (owner) => {
        rl.question('Enter device type: ', (deviceType) => {
          rl.question('Enter public key: ', (publicKey) => {
            rl.question('Enter certificate: ', (certificate) => {
              rl.question('Enter JWT token: ', (token) => {
                createDevice(id, owner, deviceType, publicKey, certificate, token);
                rl.close();
              });
            });
          });
        });
      });
    });
  } else if (command === 'get') {
    rl.question('Enter device id: ', (id) => {
      rl.question('Enter JWT token: ', (token) => {
        getDevice(id, token);
        rl.close();
      });
    });
  } else {
    console.log('Invalid command');
    rl.close();
  }
});

```

Figure 12: CLI setup

7 JWT Token Generation

[illegible]

Figure 13: JWT Token generation

8 Evaluation

8.1 Latency

Measured the latency using the **time** command while running your CLI.js scripts.

```

-----
WMxjTkrVZ73wwV_B0uXbTUuSwLQSUVP1SUC8aU0hRorDb78zH8hoqsdEfJ_nKtXJ7FEzBM1
b02hQAAYTKZ6Ss2kFxfL9lmb42ysS0UY6SEXNht4nz2uEGi6yrKmsVHoP-n2WA7SW3ohC6Wc
letTaXb_JUDj1VPwJP4bRAyOSCV6QV7E1pBRpLjSw
Device created successfully
node cli.js 0.53s user 0.07s system 1% cpu 54.431 total

```

Figure 14: Create device with time output

```

4 . M1D1TCCApwGAW1DAg10ELCBETHm1gTb700p0H1BCJulY0MWBQ
wEQYDVQQKDApNeSBDb21wYW55MRYwFAYDVQQQLDA1NeSBZXBhcnRtZW50M
YTAK1SMQ8wDQYDVQQIDAEdWJsaW4xDzANBgNVBACMBkr1YmxpbjEOMAwG
oZIhvcNAQEBBQADggEPADCCAQoCggEBANN/TpPGHID9M9NaevIfSfa0IOJ
0M05P8SwgzfNLEqey6rQR61ZTcgd6MsifgDwa11qhhSDrUetB6sM7bLbCw
xFf9cPcopLC1nGjz0uNMd5Ao+g/OiuHC+0PE17tTCKkGG1XgbPnYpjrXCr
8GA1UdIwQYMBaAFHNLuEcZSeBEwFQx3PIaBBye0XFTMA0GCSqGSIb3DQEB
or59pYGJSrt91cRex1vidKGGBbgkAfsvE+fZ+YvAn8GfkiapkK6etEjVM
zTt0ldEDUdaDLaYUdowZvd24+uKYhXtPhH0vzZhcmPAN1917m7LMbckW0
__length__: 5
}
node cli.js 0.41s user 0.05s system 2% cpu 16.581 total

```

Figure 15: Get device with time output

8.2 Slither Security Audit

Installed slither using below command-

pip install slither-analyzer⁸

Tested both solidity scripts for the audited using Slither.

```

(base) vasusingh@VASUs-MacBook-Air project % slither contracts/Migrations.sol
'solc --version' running
'solc contracts/Migrations.sol --combined-json abi,ast,bin,bin-runtime,srcmap,srcmap-runtime,userdoc,devdoc,hashes --allow-paths
/Users/vasusingh/Desktop/Thesis/project/contracts' running
INFO:Detectors:
Modifier Migrations.restricted() (contracts/Migrations.sol#11-17) does not always execute _; or revert
Reference: https://github.com/crytic/slither/wiki/Detector-Documentation#incorrect-modifier
INFO:Detectors:
Version constraint =0.8.13 contains known severe issues (https://solidity.readthedocs.io/en/latest/bugs.html)
- VerbatimInvalidDeduplication
- FullInlinerNonExpressionSplitArgumentEvaluationOrder
- MissingSideEffectsOnSelectorAccess
- StorageWriteRemovalBeforeConditionalTermination
- AbiReencodingHeadOverflowWithStaticArrayCleanup
- DirtyByteArrayToStorage
- InlineAssemblyMemorySideEffects
- DataLocationChangeInInternalOverride
- NestedCalldataArrayAbiReencodingSizeValidation.
It is used by:
- =0.8.13 (contracts/Migrations.sol#5)
Reference: https://github.com/crytic/slither/wiki/Detector-Documentation#incorrect-versions-of-solidity
INFO:Detectors:
Migrations.owner (contracts/Migrations.sol#8) should be immutable
Reference: https://github.com/crytic/slither/wiki/Detector-Documentation#state-variables-that-could-be-declared-immutable
INFO:Slither:contracts/Migrations.sol analyzed (1 contracts with 94 detectors), 3 result(s) found

```

Figure 16: Slither output for Migration.sol

⁸<https://pypi.org/project/slither-analyzer/0.8.3/>

8.4 Privacy Testing

Only metadata such as transaction hash, gas usage is stored on the blockchain after device registration.

Get transaction:

```
Transaction: 0xe6d7822ddd4a48a9712a028c85e1445a9ab94d830cc07cd2bd393500ad295a91
Contract created: 0x9e581021535e1dfd3adbb9115ace5bb3c074a002
Gas usage: 272788
Block Number: 2
Block Time: Thu Aug 08 2024 20:07:04 GMT+0100 (Irish Standard Time)
```

Figure 21: Blockchain transaction