

# Authorize Project plugin

## Plugin Information

View Authorize Project [on the plugin site](#) for more information.

Configure projects to run with specified authorization.

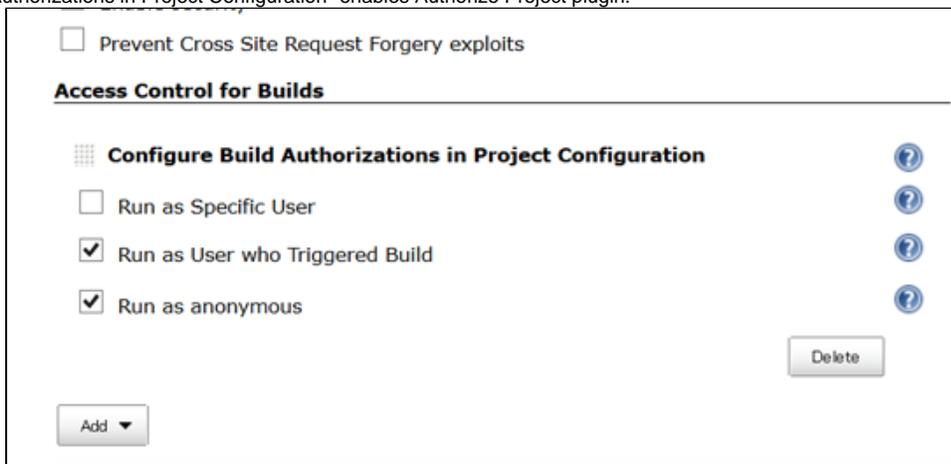
## What's this?

This plugin provides following features:

- You can configure projects to have their builds run with specified authorization.
  - This is an implementation for [QueueItemAuthenticator](#).
- Provides following ways to specify authorization.
  - Run as the user who triggered the build.
    - Does not work for scheduled, or polled builds.
    - Configuring projects are allowed only to users with the BUILD permission.
  - Run as anonymous.
  - Run as the specified user.
    - You are requested to enter the password of the specified user except following cases:
      - You are an administrator.
      - You are the specified user.
      - The specified user is not changed from the last configuration, and "No need for re-authentication" is checked.
        - This can threaten your Jenkins security. Be careful to use.
    - Configuring projects are allowed only to administrators and the user configured as the authorization.
      - "Don't restrict job configuration" allows other users (with the CONFIGURE permission) to configure the project. Ensure that only appropriate users have CONFIGURE permission for that project.
  - Run as SYSTEM
    - This is provided only to cancel the global configuration. SYSTEM authorization is often considered as "unconfigured", features provided by plugins may treat it as anonymous.
- Provides an extension point to add new ways to specify authorization.

## Screenshots

- After installed Authorize Project plugin, you will find "Access Control for Builds" in "Manage Jenkins" > "Configure Global Security". Adding "Configure Build Authorizations in Project Configuration" enables Authorize Project plugin.



- You can also disable specific strategies in this page. Disabled strategies are never used for authorization.
- A new side bar menu "Authorization" will appear in project pages.

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- You can select how to authorize builds of the project in the "Authorization" page.

**Authorization**

Configure Build Authorization

Authorize Strategy: Run as User who Triggered Build

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- When selecting "Run as Specific User", you can enter User ID with whose authorization builds will run. If you enter a user ID except yourself and have no administrative privilege, you are required to enter the password of that user.

- You can also use API token, especially for non password-based security realms.
- Configuring project settings by unauthorized users are forbidden when you configure the authorization for the project. See [#What's this?](#) for details.

## Access Denied

This job's current authorization strategy does not permit user1 to modify the job configuration

## Extension point

A new way to authorize projects can be added with extending `org.jenkinsci.plugins.authorizeproject.AuthorizeProjectStrategy`, overriding the following method:

```
public abstract Authentication authenticate(hudson.model.AbstractProject<?, ?> project, hudson.model.Queue.Item item);
```

Use `AuthorizeProjectStrategyDescriptor` for `Descriptor`.  
If you want to provide global configuration properties, do as following:

- `global-security.jelly` is displayed in "Configure Global Security" page.
- Override `AuthorizeProjectStrategyDescriptor#configureFromGlobalSecurity` to save configuration.

## Issues

To report a bug or request an enhancement to this plugin please create a ticket in JIRA (you need to login or to sign up for an account). Also have a look on [How to report an issue](#)

- [Bug report](#)
- [Request or propose an improvement of existing feature](#)
- [Request or propose a new feature](#)

Key	T	P	Summary
JENKINS-60302			Support configuring build authorization at folder level
JENKINS-59107			User logged out after successful configuration of "Run as Specific User" (as of Jenkins 2.150.2)
JENKINS-58967			Credentials not available after upgrade to LTS 2.176.2
JENKINS-58840			Clarify documentation on selecting project authorization for project/job types

JENKINS-56774			Support Configuration as Code
JENKINS-50559			Authorization Folder property for Multibranch jobs
JENKINS-50101			Support for declarative pipeline
JENKINS-47518			~30-35 second queue when using Run as User who Triggered Build
JENKINS-44478			Support QueueItemAuthenticator.authenticate(Task)
JENKINS-38219			Restrict Job.CONFIGURE permissions by plugins
JENKINS-38217			Roadmap of authorize-project-plugin
JENKINS-33494			LastConfiguredUserAuthorizeStrategy

[12 issues](#)

## Change Log

### Version 1.3.0 (Feb 12, 2017)

- Split the configuration of authentication into a separate screen ([JENKINS-35081](#))
  - See [#Screenshots](#) for details.

### Version 1.2.2 (May 28, 2016)

- Fixed: Builds aren't start when security realm fail to find the user for authorization (e.g. Bind DN is not set for Active Directory plugin) ([JENKINS-34279](#))

### Version 1.2.1 (Apr 03, 2016)

- Fixed: password / api token fields for "Run as Specific User" are broken [JENKINS-33897](#)

### Version 1.2.0 (Mar 27, 2016)

- **Targets Jenkins 1.625**
- SECURITY FIX: Reject unauthenticated configurations via REST / CLI ([JENKINS-28298](#))
  - See [JENKINS-28298](#) for details.
- Support global default authorization strategy ([JENKINS-30574](#))
- Displays an error when a built-in user is used for "Run as Specific User" ([JENKINS-32769](#))
- Added "Run as SYSTEM" ([JENKINS-32770](#))
  - Disabled by default for projects. You have to enable it in the global security configuration page.

### Version 1.1.0 (Aug 9, 2015)

- Added a feature to enable / disable strategies. ([JENKINS-28298](#))
  - **"Run as Specific User" is disabled by default. You need to enable it after upgrading from a prior version if you use it.**
- Supports workflow ([JENKINS-26670](#))
- Supports apitoken for authentication. ([JENKINS-22470](#))
- Add support for upcoming \$class annotation change ([JENKINS-25403](#))

### Version 1.0.3 (Apr 14, 2014)

- **SECURITY FIX:** Authentication of "Run as Specific User" is easily bypassed by REST/CLI added (Fixed [JENKINS-22469](#))
- Replaced radio buttons to dropdown selecting authorization strategies (Fixed [JENKINS-20786](#))

### Version 1.0.2 (Feb 22, 2014)

- added `AuthorizeProjectStrategyDescriptor` [JENKINS-20812](#)
- Not to send the password value to test whether password is required.

### Version 1.0.1 (Nov 30, 2013)

- Fix a problem that a new user created if you authenticate with non-existent user (Fix [JENKINS-20784](#))
- Works with MatrixProject (Fix [JENKINS-20785](#))

**Version 1.0.0 (Nov 24, 2013)**

- Initial release.