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WEBSPHERE PORTAL AUTHENTICATION AND AUTHORIZATION IN CLOUD

SECURITY FOR PORTAL

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Agenda

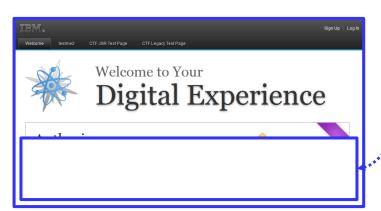
- Seemless integrate Cloud data
- SSO FrontSide
 - Transient users
 - VP scoping
- SSO BackEnd
 - HTTPOutbound
- Portal Hardening

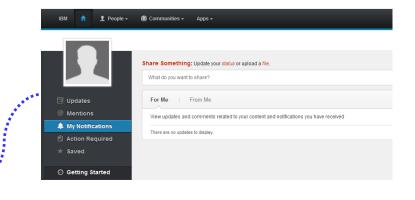




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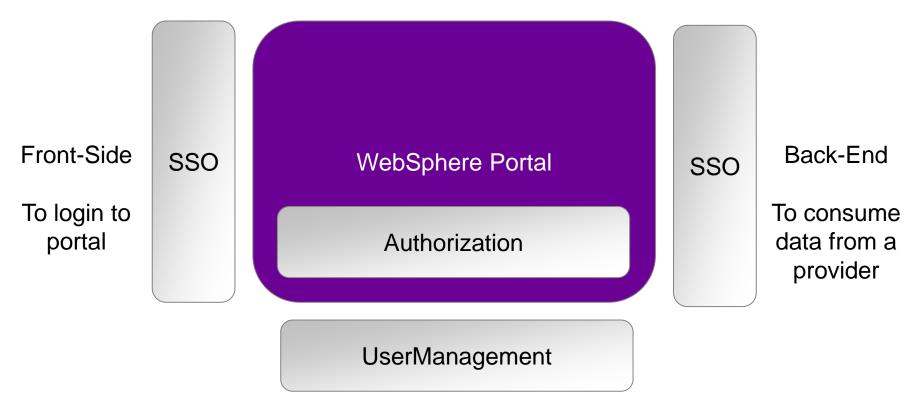
Integrate data seamless into the portal.

New questions appear...
How to login?
Is information user-scoped?
How to consume?





Login and SSO in different areas

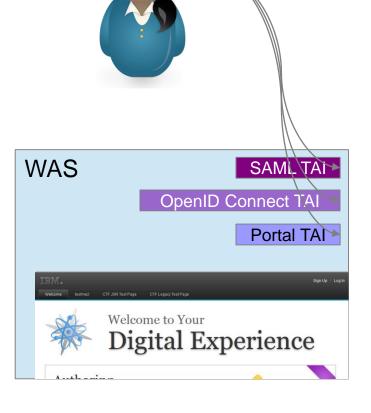


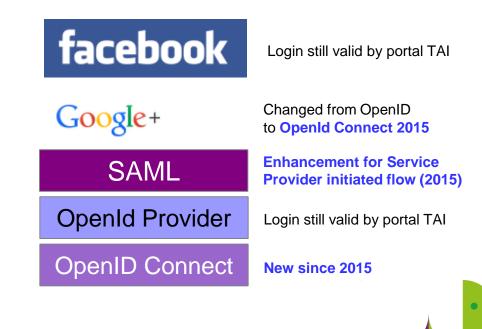


Front Side SSO

Login to your Digital Experience using the account of **your** choice.

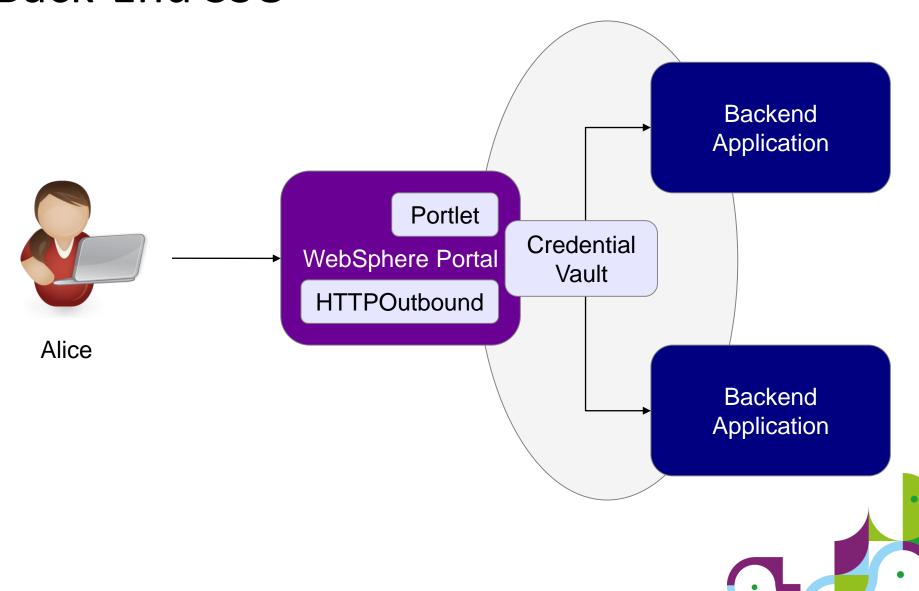
Using new flexible SSO integration options.







Back-End SSO





Protocol Overview

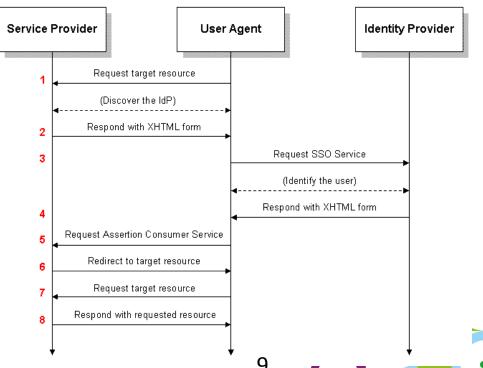
OpenId

Oauth

OpenId connect

SAML

SP POST Request; IdP POST Response





SP initiated vs. IdP initiated

HTTPOutbound works with IdP initated flows.

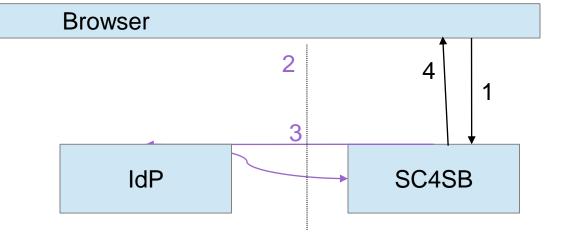
The technical flow may not be recognized by a user – even the technical footprint differs.

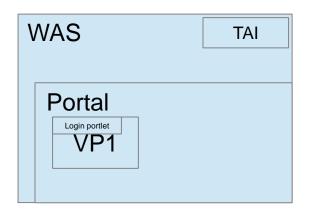
In example the WAS SAML TAI can get configured to work with IdP initiated flows. In case the authorization is not available a error page is displayed which is in fact the IdP login page.

Given that a User recognize it as SP initated flow – but it is a IdP started flow.

Since 2015 the WAS SAML TAI can also get configured to support a real SP initated flow, here some custom code need to create the SP scoped details (AuthnRequest, RelayState,..) and the login procedure works as defined in the spec.



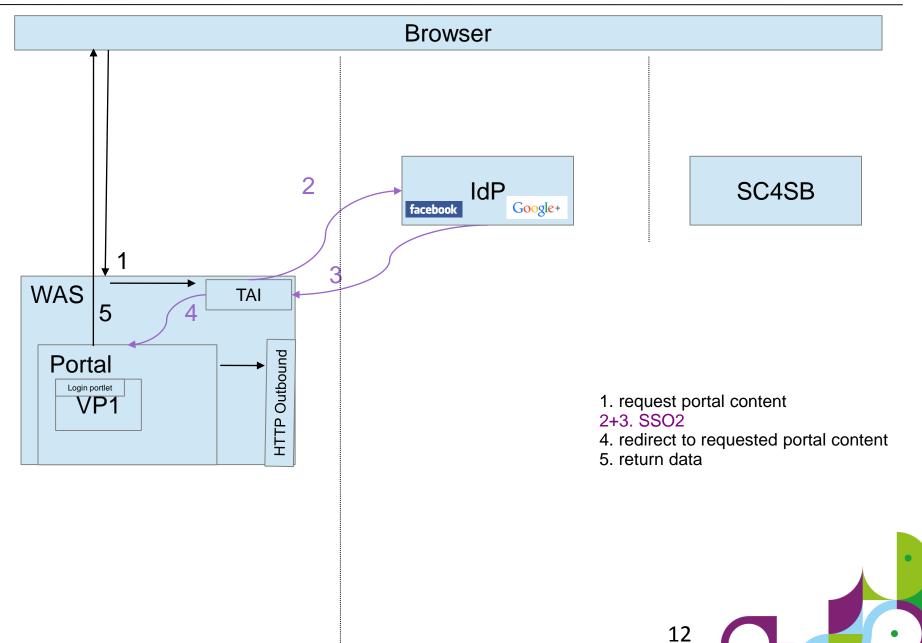




1. request SC4SB content 2+3. SAML SSO1

4. return data







Transient users

With this option you, can provide a personalized view to unregistered users while still providing benefits to fully registered users.

Portal config documented in KC

TAI config is on WAS level

Example code provided in developerWorks



Virtual Portal scoping

Even if a user is found in the connected repositories the user still may not be valid for the current VP realm.

A user might be valid for VP1 but still is a transient user for VP2.

A transient users of VP1 should not be automatically allowed to visit VP2 as transient user as well.

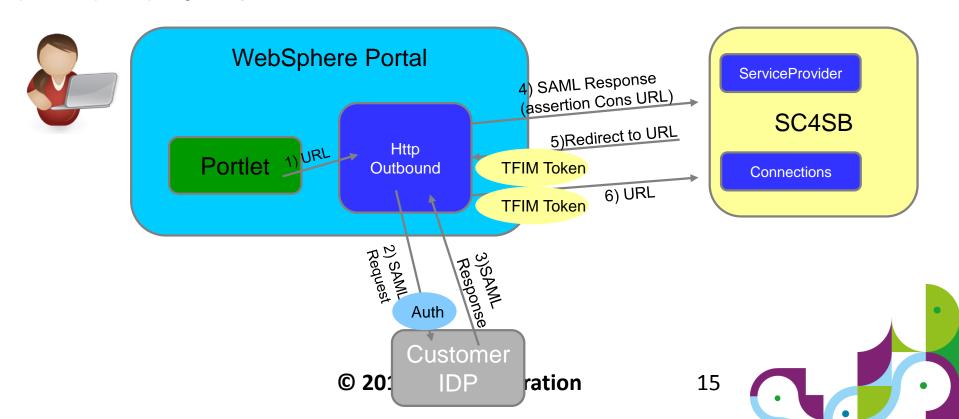
Restart after config neccessary

TAI config on WAS level

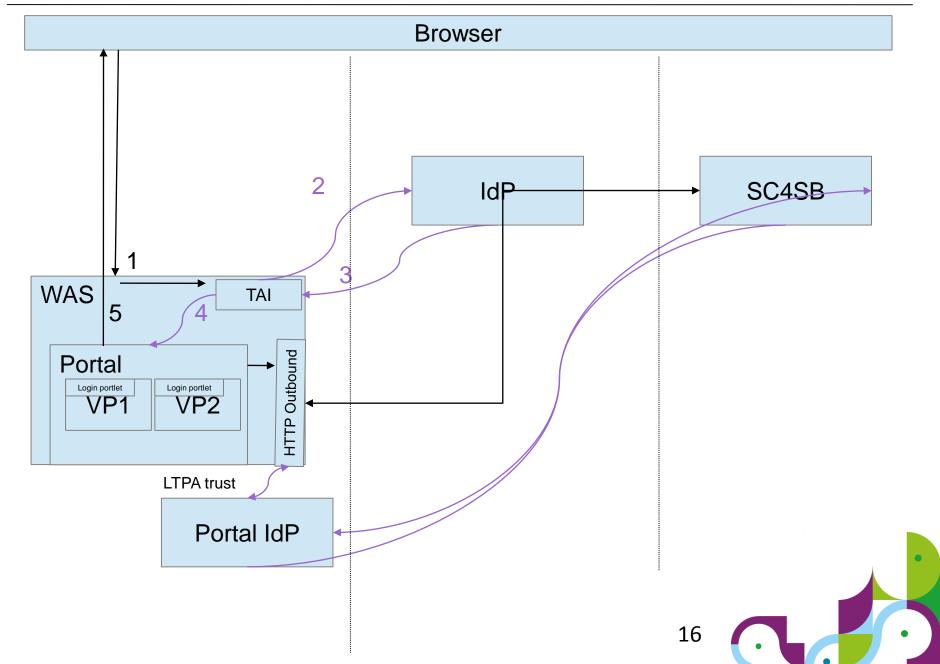


Back-End SSO

- 1) Portal calls a myproxy configured endpoint
- (LTPA is already available in the security context of the caller)
- 2) SSO1 (LTPA, Form, BasicAuth, SPNEGO) from portal to IdP to get SAML assertion
- 3) redirect including SAML assertion to SP
- 4) SSO2 (SAML) to get security token for Cloud
- 5) redirect including security token (LTPA') to data-provider
- 6) SSO3 (LTPA') to get required data









Setup / Error finding best practice

There are different layers involved, so several areas to check for missconfigurations.

Test IdP flow directly in Browser (also check for cookies)

Login to ADFS and check cookie + scoping (if ADFS environment)

Use form to start IdP initated login flow

Only if this works browser based it may work via HTTPOutbound

SAMLResponse format, user lookup, certificates (SSL, signer)

Test for connectivity from portal server to involved servers

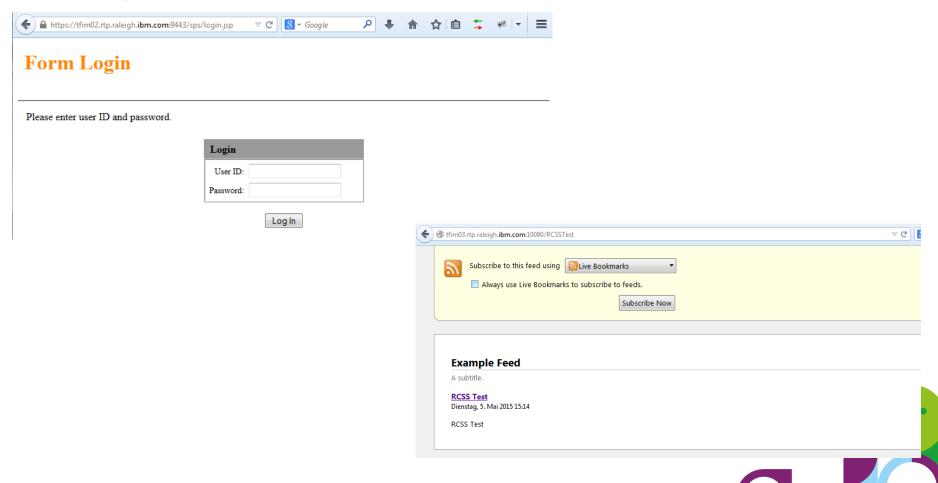
Check flow with tracing





IdP Flow

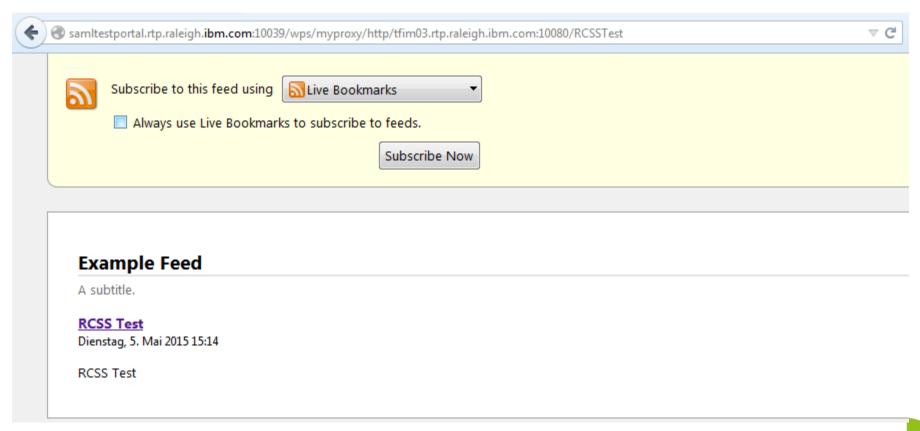
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HTTPOutbound Flow

http://samltestportal.rtp.raleigh.ibm.com:10039/wps/myproxy/http/tfim03.rtp.raleigh.ibm.com:10080/RCSSTest







Tracing of SAML HTTPOutbound

Added a new traceing support by using different trace levels to allow tracing on systems with high load (e.g. cloud instance)

com.ibm.wps.proxy.saml.SamlAuthenticationFilter=**FINE**

Shows the flow to IP and SP including status code

```
->Request IdP (ltpa) , ltpaToken=com.ibm.wps.sso.LTPATokenCredential@5286e61c
->request IdP POST https://tfim02.rtp.raleigh.ibm.com:9443/sps/LibertyFlow/saml20/logis
3A%2F%2Ftfim03.rtp.raleigh.ibm.com%3A10080%2FRCSSTest&NameIdFormat=Email

SamlAuthentic 1 <-request IdP, status=200

SamlAuthentic 2 ->Request SPS

SamlAuthentic 1 ->Request SPS, url=https://tfim03.rtp.raleigh.ibm.com:9443/sps/LibertySP/saml20/login

SamlAuthentic 1 <-Request SPS, status=200
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com.ibm.wps.proxy.saml.SamlAuthenticationFilter=**FINER**

Shows the regular flow and information

com.ibm.wps.proxy.saml.SamlAuthenticationFilter=all/FINEST

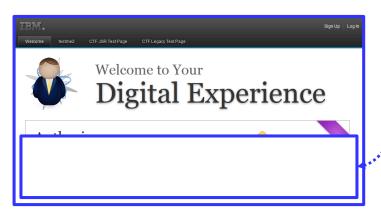
Adds additional information for 401 handling on Backend

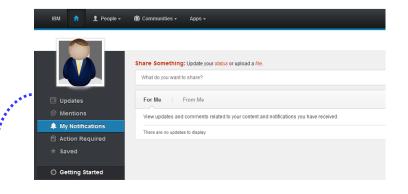




Seemless integrate Cloud data - solved







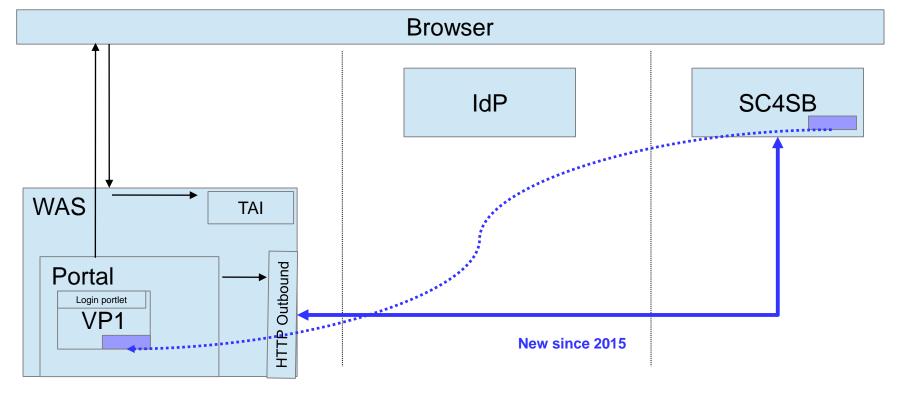
User based SSO from portal to BackEnd to integrate data seamless into the **data model** (e.g. DDC : TECH-D07).

Now you are able to work with e.g. the SC4SB offering in the same manner as a local Connections Server can get aggregated into your WebSphere Portal

http://www-01.ibm.com/support/knowledgecenter/SSHRKX 8.5.0/mp/dev-portlet/outbhttp auth est sso same http://www-01.ibm.com/support/knowledgecenter/SSHRKX 8.5.0/mp/dev-portlet/known limitations sp4sb.dita



Seemless integrate Cloud data



User based SSO from portal to SC4SB to integrate data seamless into the data model (DDC).





Own code vs. using HTTPOutbound

- HTTPOutbound is the streamlined architecture for backend data retrieval
- Use one code base for all flows
- Use one configuration for all flows





Authorization requires SSO context

In case of SSO it needs to be sure that a user in portal (that benefits from SSO) is in the connected system the **same** user.

Often eMail is used as identifier – then make sure eMail attribute is not allowed to get changed by the user itself without **validation**.





Reuse IdP information

Profile information

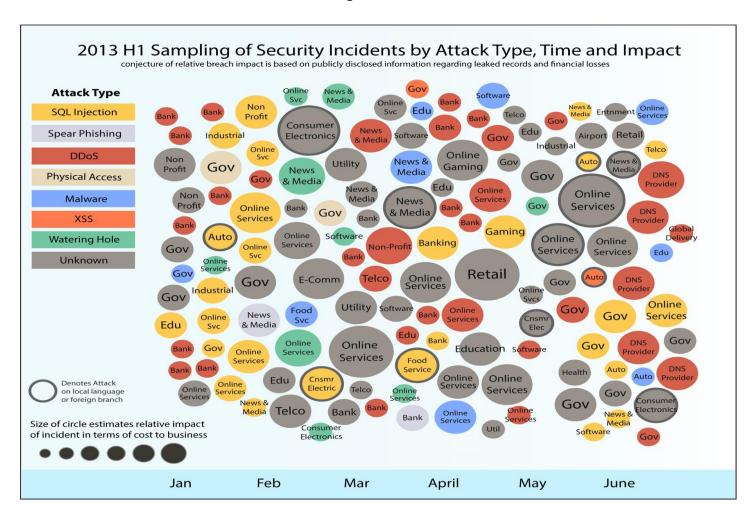
 It is possible to get profile information from the IdP or ID-provider. Those needs to get mapped to portal attributes.

Groups

- Groups may be handy for AC settings.



Security in focus



Source: IBM X-Force® Research and Development



Secure portal

- Every IBM WebSphere Portal installation is unique
- Security needs differ, e.g.
 - Intranet/Internet
 - Content
 - User population
 - Related Systems

More details in the Security Hardening Guide

http://www-10.lotus.com/ldd/portalwiki.nsf/dx/Security Hardening Guide for IBM WebSphere Portal



Security

Security Bulletin: Fixes available for vulnerability in Apache Commons FileUpload contained in IBM WebSphere Portal (CVE-2014-0050)

Install security fixes

- Identify security fixes
 - Overview of installed software
 - Channels to use (IBM: E.g. PSIRT Blog/My Notifications)
- Define processes to install security fixes
 - Responsibilities
 - Time frame

Proactive: Use current maintenance levels

Security Bulletin

Summary

Fixes available for a denial of service vulnerability in the open source library Apache Commons FileUpload which affects IBM WebSphere Portal

Vulnerability Details

CVEID: <u>CVE-2014-0050</u>

Denial of service vulnerablity in Apache Commons FileUpload

CVSS:

CVSS Base Score: 5.0

CVSS Temporal Score: See http://xforce.iss.net/xforce/xfdb/90987 for the current score

CVSS Environmental Score*: Undefined CVSS Vector: (AV:N/AC:L/Au:N/C:N/I:N/A:P)

Affected Products and Versions

WebSphere Portal 8 WebSphere Portal 7 WebSphere Portal 6.1 x

Remediation/Fixes



Secure Communication

- Usage of TLS/HTTPS
- Some scenarios:
 - Never
 - For passwords
 - Logged In
 - With any input data
 - Always





Custom Code

- Raise development's awareness
 - Training
 - Documentation
 - Reviews
- Prevent introduction of potential vulnerabilities
 - Coding guidelines
 - Frameworks/APIs
 - Automated test tooling (AppScan)





Custom Code

- Security Vulnerabilities in Web Applications
 - Cross Site Scripting
 - Unvalidated Redirects/Forwards
 - SQL Injection

– ..



OWASP Top 10

SQL Injection vulnerability (input put in SQL statement)





IBM Digital Experience Solutions

http://www-01.ibm.com/software/collaboration/digitalexperience

DeveloperWorks Community of Portal Security Team

https://www.ibm.com/developerworks/community/groups/community/PortalSecurityTeam

WebSphere Portal and IBM Web Content Manager Information Center Wiki

http://www-10.lotus.com/ldd/portalwiki.nsf/

IBM Digital Experience Demonstrations:

http://www.youtube.com/user/IBMXWebX

IBM Digital Experience Developer

http://developer.ibm.com/digexp

IBM Software Business Solutions Catalog

https://greenhouse.lotus.com/catalog/



