

For each `security-role` defined in the deployment descriptor, an additional `WebRoleRefPermission` must<sup>6</sup> be added to the corresponding role by calling the `addToRole` method on the `PolicyConfiguration` object. The name of all such permissions must be the empty string, and the actions of each such permission must be the `role-name` of the corresponding role.

### 3.1.3.3 Servlet URL-Pattern Matching Rules

This URL pattern matches another pattern if they are related, by case sensitive comparison, as follows:

- their pattern values are String equivalent, or
- this pattern is the path-prefix pattern `"/*`", or
- this pattern is a path-prefix pattern (that is, it starts with `"/`" and ends with `"/*`") and the other pattern starts with the substring of this pattern, minus its last 2 characters, and the next character of the other pattern, if there is one, is `"/`", or
- this pattern is an extension pattern (that is, it starts with `"*."`) and the other pattern ends with this pattern, or
- this pattern is the special default pattern, `"/`", which matches all other patterns.

TABLE 3-2 url-pattern Types by Example

pattern type	example
exact	<code>/acme/widget/hammer</code>
path prefix	<code>/acme/widget/*</code>
extension	<code>*.html</code>
default	<code>/</code>

### 3.1.3.4 Example

This example demonstrates the `WebResourcePermission` and `WebUserDataPermission` objects that would result from the translation of a deployment descriptor that contained the following `security-constraint` elements.

<sup>6</sup> These additional `WebRoleRefPermission` objects support the use of `isUserInRole` from unmapped (to a Servlet) JSP components.