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About this guide

This guide book provides administrators and web developers with information about configuration and operation of One Identity Manager web applications.

Available documentation

The online version of the One Identity Manager documentation is available in the Support-Portal under Online-Documentation. You will find videos with additional information at www.YouTube.com/OneIdentity.
Configuring the Web Portal

This section describes the configuration steps and parameters that you will require to configure some of the features of the Web Portal.

For more detailed information about the Web Designer, see the One Identity Manager Web Designer Reference Guide.

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IT shop configuration

You can configure the Web Portal's IT Shop in the Web Designer.

Requesting by reference user

Table 1: Configuration parameter for requesting by reference user

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<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td>VI_ITShop_ProductSelectionByReferenceUser</td>
<td>Provides &quot;By reference user&quot; for requests in the Web Portal.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>VI_ITShop_Filter_PersonReference</td>
<td>Specifies the number of reference users displayed. This configuration</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>parameter is an SQL filter on the &quot;Person&quot; table.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
To make requests by reference user in the Web Portal or to determine the number of reference displayed, you must adjust the configuration parameter settings.

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Enabling or disabling 'by reference user'

In the Web Designer, you can specify whether it is possible to make a request using another user's requests. This function means requesting by reference user. To do this you must edit "VI_ITShop_ProductSelectionByReferenceUser" in the Web Designer.

To enable or disable requesting by reference user

1. Open the Web Designer.
2. Open "VI_ITShop ProduktSelection" and search for "VI_ITShop ProductSelectionByReferenceUser".
3. Select "VI_ITShop ProduktSelectionByReferenceUser".
4. In the definition tree view, choose to switch to the Configuration (custom) view. where you can edit the configuration parameter.
5. Perform one of the following tasks.
   a. To disable requesting by reference user: In the Node editor view, set the value True.
   b. To enable requesting by reference user: In the Node editor view, set the value false.

Setting the reference user display

To set the number of reference users displayed in the Web Portal when you select a reference user, you must configure the configuration parameter in Web Designer.

| NOTE: | If you can include the variable %useruid% if want to reference the current user. |

To set the number of reference users displayed

1. Open the Web Designer.
2. Open a module and search for "VI_ITShop Filter PersonReference".
3. Select "VI_ITShop Filter PersonReference".
4. Enter the desired value Value in the Node editor.
Sending the shopping cart

There are differences ways you can configure the shopping cart in the Web Portal.

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Setting the priority

Table 2: Configuration parameters for the request priority

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<tr>
<td>VI_ITShop_DisablePWOPriorityChange</td>
<td>Disables the priority's setting for a request made by a user in the Web Portal.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

By default, users can set the priority of their own request.

To disable a priority setting

1. Open the Web Designer.
2. Open a module and search for "VI_ITShop_DisablePWOPriorityChange".
3. Select "VI_ITShop_DisablePWOPriorityChange".
4. Set the value to true in the Node editor view.

Confirming requests

Table 3: Configuration parameter for confirming requests

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Configuration parameter</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>VI_ITShop_SubmitOrderImmediately</td>
<td>Forces confirmation of a request in the Web Portal.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The user can send a request in the Web Portal without confirmation, by default. However, confirmation is required if at least one warning is issued while checking the request.

If you want to have confirmation for requests without requiring a warning, you can configure "VI_ITShop_SubmitOrderImmediately".
**To demand confirmation for a request**

1. Open the Web Designer.
2. Open a module and search for "VI_ITShop_SubmitOrderImmediately".
3. Select the configuration parameter "VI_ITShop_SubmitOrderImmediately".
4. Set the value to false in the Node editor view.

**Forcing reauthentication**

**Table 4: Configuration parameter for Active Directory request authentication**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Configuration Parameter</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Setting</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>VI_ITShop_TermsOfUseRequireADAuthentication</td>
<td>Forces Active Directory reauthentication during execution of a request.</td>
<td>False: Denied and unsubscribed requests cannot be directly reinstated as new requests. True: Denied and unsubscribed requests can be reinstated by recipients or requesters of the request.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**To force reauthentication during a request**

1. Assign the terms of use to the service item.
   
   For more detailed information about assigning service items, see the One Identity Manager IT Shop Administration Guide.
2. Open the Web Designer.
3. Open a module and search for "VI_ITShop_TermsOfUseRequireADAuthentication".
4. Select the configuration parameter "VI_ITShop_TermsOfUseRequireADAuthentication".
5. Set the value to true in the Node editor view.

**Handling required products**

There are different ways of handling required products in the Web Portal. Configuration parameter settings are carried out in Web Designer.

**Table 5: Configuration parameter for required products**

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Configuration parameter</th>
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<tr>
<td>VI_ITShop_AllowRequestWithMissingDependencies</td>
<td>If the configuration parameter</td>
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<td>Configuration parameter</td>
<td>Description</td>
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<td>-----------------------------------------------------------------------------</td>
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<td>VI_ITShop_CanApproveRequestWithMissingDependencies</td>
<td>Allows the approver to set a new start time for a request's validity period.</td>
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<tr>
<td>VI_ITShop_CanApproveRequestWithMissingDependencies</td>
<td>Allows the approver to set an end time for a request's validity period.</td>
</tr>
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</table>

The settings for VI_ITShop_CanApproveRequestWithMissingDependencies allow the request's approver to set a new validity period.

"VI_ITShop_AllowRequestWithMissingDependencies" is not set by default. This means a request cannot be sent if the required product cannot be requested.

**To configure required product handling**

1. Open the Web Designer.
2. Open a module and search for "VI_ITShop_AllowRequestWithMissingDependencies".
3. Mark "VI_ITShop_AllowRequestWithMissingDependencies".
4. Edit the configuration parameter on **Configuration** by setting the value **true** in the **Node Edit**. This overwrites the default setting.

**Approver options**

There are various configuration options available for request approvers in the Web Portal.

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**Setting validity periods**

**Table 6: Configuration parameter for validity**

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<td>VI_ITShop_CanApproveRequestWithMissingDependencies</td>
<td>Allows the approver to set an end time for a request's validity period.</td>
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</table>

The settings for VI_ITShop_CanApproveRequestWithMissingDependencies and VI_ITShop_CanApproveRequestWithMissingDependencies allow the request's approver to set a new validity period.
To set the validity period

1. Open the Web Designer.
2. Open a module and search for "VI_ITShop_ApproverCanSetValidFrom".
3. Select "VI_ITShop_ApproverCanSetValidFrom".
4. Set the value to true in the Node editor view.
5. Search for "VI_ITShop_ApproverCanSetValidUntil".
6. Select the configuration parameter "VI_ITShop_ApproverCanSetValidUntil".
7. Set the value to true in the Node editor view.

 Asking a question

Table 7: Configuration parameters for the query

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<th>Configuration parameter</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td>VI_ITShop_WantSeeQueryToPerson</td>
<td>Allows the approver to ask another employee a question in the context of the approval workflow.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

To ask a question

1. Open the Web Designer.
2. Open a module and search for "VI_ITShop_WantSeeQueryToPerson".
3. Select "VI_ITShop_WantSeeQueryToPerson".
4. Set the value to true in the Node editor view.

 Require a reason

Table 8: Configuration parameter for reason

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<th>Configuration parameter</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td>VI_ITShop_ApproverReasonMandatoryOnDeny</td>
<td>Requires a reason from the approver for denying a request.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

To ask a question

1. Open the Web Designer.
2. Open a module and search for "VI_ITShop_ApproverReasonMandatoryOnDeny".
3. Select the configuration parameter "VI_ITShop_ApproverReasonMandatoryOnDeny".
4. Set the value to true in the Node editor view.
### Approval decisions about URL links

#### Table 9: Configuration parameter for approval decisions about URL links

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Configuration parameter</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Meaning</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>VI_ITShop_Approvals_InteractiveApproval</td>
<td>Requires consultation with the user before approval. This key is an SQL filter condition on the &quot;AccProduct&quot; table.</td>
<td>Approval is not done directly. Displays form for confirming the approval decision.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Product fulfills filter condition</td>
<td>Approval decision is made when the page is called. Approvers receive a message that the approval decision has been entered into the system.</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Product does not fulfill filter condition</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

An approval decision about a request can be made by opening a URL that is sent in an email, for example.

Cases that use this type of messaging for request approvals are special service items, which are required for informing the user about the approval decision. Approvals through these service items are not permitted without prior consultation.

**To prevent a approval by URL link**

1. Open the Web Designer.
2. Open a module and search for "VI_ITShop_Approvals_InteractiveApproval".
3. Select the configuration parameter "VI_ITShop_Approvals_InteractiveApproval".
4. Set the value to **true** in the Node editor.

### Displaying user-specific processes in the Web Portal

A user-specific process is a process that is specifically configured for tracing by the user. It enables status tracking and confirmation of a processing result to the Web Portal.
A user who is logged on to the Web Portal can see all processes that they have initiated. The value in the XUserInserted column corresponds to the user who is currently logged on. A process can only be generated from within a session of the current logged on user if it is to be identified as a user-specific process.

The user-specific processes are displayed in the Web Portal in the My Processes view. For more detailed information, see the One Identity Manager Web Portal User Guide.

This section only covers the configuration for displaying the process information in the Web Portal. For more detailed information about process monitoring, recording process information, and the configuration of processes and process steps, see the One Identity Manager Configuration Guide.

**Configuration recommendations for the recording of user-specific processes**

- In the Designer, check the **Common | ProcessState** configuration parameter. The configuration parameter must be enabled.

- In the Designer, check the **Common | ProcessState | JobHistory** configuration parameter. The configuration parameter must be enabled. As a value for the configuration parameter, select **ERRORorSELECTED** or **SELECTED**.

  **NOTE:** The value **ALL** also takes into account the notifications from the process history. However, this setting can lead to an extremely large data volume.

- In the Designer, check the **Common | ProcessState | ProgressView** configuration parameter. The configuration parameter must be enabled and should have the value **2**.

- In Designer, check the configuration parameters **Common | ProcessState | ProgressView | LifeTime** and **Common | ProcessState | JobHistory | LifeTime**. These configuration parameters define the retention time of the process information and notifications in the process history. The configuration parameters must be enabled. Adjust the retention times if necessary. By default, the information is stored for 30 days before it is removed from the One Identity Manager database.

- In the Designer, configure the processes and process steps for recording process information.
  
  - In the **Process information** property for a process, select the value **Web Portal tracking**.
  
  - In the **Process information** property for the process steps, select the value **Web Portal tracking**. Enable the **Process history** option.
  
  - Use user-friendly informative display values for the processes and process steps. To do this, enter the formatting rules for the process information of processes and process steps.
Configuring self-registration of new users

Users who are not yet registered have the option to register themselves to use the Web Portal. Users who self-register, receive a verification email with a link to a verification page. On this page, users can complete registration themselves and then set their initial login password.

**NOTE:** To use this functionality, new users must supply an email address, otherwise the verification email cannot be sent.

**NOTE:** For detailed information about self-registration of new users in the Web Portal and associated attestation process, see the One Identity Manager Attestation Administration Guide.

To configure self-registration

1. Start the Designer.
2. Configure the following configuration parameters:

   **NOTE:** See the One Identity Manager Configuration Guide, to find out how to edit configuration parameters in the Designer.

   - **QER | WebPortal | PasswordResetURL:** Specify the Password Reset Portal's web address. This URL is used, for example, in the email notification to new users.
   - **QER | Attestation | MailTemplateIds | NewExternalUserVerification:**
     
     By default, the verification message and link is sent with the **Attestation - new external user verification link** mail template.
     
     To use another template for this notification, change the value in the configuration parameter.
     
     **TIP:** In the Designer, you can configure the current mail template in the Mail templates | Person category. For more information about mail templates, see the One Identity Manager Operational Guide.

   - **QER | Attestation | ApproveNewExternalUsers:** Specify whether self-registered users must be attested before they are activated. A manager then decides whether to approve the new user's registration.
   - **QER | Attestation | NewExternalUserTimeoutInHours:** For new self-registered users, specify the duration of the verification link in hours.
   - **QER | Attestation | NewExternalUserFinalTimeoutInHours:** Specify the duration in hours, within which self-registration must be successfully completed.
3. Assign at least one employee to the **Identity & Access Governance | Attestation | Attestor for external users** application role.

Configuring the four eyes principle for issuing a passcode.

You can control whether passcodes generated by the help desk are divided into two parts. One half of the passcode is issued to the help desk staff and the other half is sent to the employee's manager. The employee must ask the manager for the second half of the passcode. This procedure increases the security for issuing passcodes.

**To configure the four eye principle for issuing passcodes**

1. Start the Designer.
2. Set the **QER | Person | PasswordResetAuthenticator | PasscodeSplit** configuration parameter.
   
   **NOTE:** See the *One Identity Manager Configuration Guide*, to find out how to edit configuration parameters in the Designer.
3. Set the **QER | WebPortal | MailTemplateIdents | InformManagerAboutSecondHalfOfPasscode** configuration parameter.
   
   By default, the second half of the passcode is sent with the **Employee - manager half of passcode for password reset** mail template.
   
   To use another template for this notification, change the value in the configuration parameter.

   **TIP:** In the Designer, you can configure the current mail template in the **Mail templates | Person** category. For more information about mail templates, see the *One Identity Manager Operational Guide*.

Configuring password questions

If Web Portal users forget their password, they can set a new one with the help of the password questions.

**To configure the use of password questions.**

1. Start the Designer.
2. Configure the following configuration parameters:

   **NOTE:** See the *One Identity Manager Configuration Guide*, to find out how to edit configuration parameters in the Designer.
QER | Person | PasswordResetAuthenticator | QueryAnswerDefinitions: Specify how many password questions and answers users must enter. Users who do not enter enough or any questions and answers, cannot reset their password.

NOTE: The value must not be less than the value in the QueryAnswerRequests configuration parameter.

QER | Person | PasswordResetAuthenticator | QueryAnswerRequests: Specify how many password questions users have to answer before they can reset their password.

NOTE: The value must not be higher than the value in the QueryAnswerDefinitions configuration parameter.

QER | Person | PasswordResetAuthenticator | InvalidateUsedQuery: Specify whether users must enter new password questions and answers after successfully resetting their password. In this case, correctly answered questions are deleted.
WebAuthn security keys

One Identity offers users the option to log in, simply and securely, to One Identity Manager web applications with help of (physical) security keys. These security keys support the W3C standard WebAuthn.

Use of security keys guarantees increased security when logging in.

Advice

- You can run Starling Two-Factor Authentication and WebAuthn in parallel for a web application. Users that have at least one valid security key, do not have to go through the Starling 2FA process as well. Users that do not have a security key must still use Starling 2FA.
- In the Manager, employee administrators have the option to view all of an employee's security keys and to delete them. For more information, see the One Identity Manager Identity Management Base Module Administration Guide.
- The WebAuthn standard is NOT support in Internet Explorer. Users must use another browser.

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WebAuthn configuration

To configure WebAuthn for a web application, carry out these four steps:

1. Configure the OAuth certificate to enable secure communication between RSTS and One Identity Manager.
2. Configure the RSTS.
3. Configure the application server.
4. Configure the web application.
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Step 1: Configuring an OAuth certificate

Communication between the RSTS (redistributable security token service) and One Identity Manager uses tokens that are signed with the private key of a certificate. This certificate must be valid and trusted because the RSTS also uses this certificate for client certificate registration on the application server. One Identity recommends that either you use a public key infrastructure (PKI) that already exists or a new certificate chain from the root certificate and the associated OAuth signing certificate.

To configure the OAuth signing certificate

1. Create a new, valid and trusted, OAuth signing certificate.
2. Ensure the following:
   - The RSTS must have access to the OAuth signing certificate with a private key.
   - The application server from which, the RSTS requests the WebAuthn security keys, must trust the certificate chain of the OAuth signing certificate.
   - The web application that allows login by RSTS, must have access to the OAuth signing certificate with a private key.
   - The web application used to manage the WebAuthn security keys, must have access to the OAuth signing certificate with a private key.

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Step 2: Configuring the RSTS

NOTE: Before you can configure the RSTS, you must configure the OAuth signing certificate. For more information, see Step 1: Configuring an OAuth certificate on page 18.
**To configure WebAuthn on the RSTS**

1. Perform one of the following tasks:
   - If you are installing the RSTS: When you install the RSTS, select the previously created OAuth signing certificate so that the corresponding entry in the identity provider in One Identity Manager is set.
   - If RSTS already exists: Quit the relevant service, replace the file RSTS.exe with the current version and restart the RSTS.
     
     You will find the current version of the RSTS.exe file on the installation medium in the `Modules\QBM\dvd\AddOn\Redistributable STS` directory.

2. In your Internet browser, call the URL of the RSTS administration interface:
   ```
   https://<Webanwendung>/RSTS/admin
   ```

3. On the main page, click **Authentication Providers**.

4. On the **Authentication Providers** page, edit the entry in the list.

5. On the **Edit** page, click the **Two Factor Authentication** tab.

6. In the **Two Factor Authentication Settings** pane, click **FIDO2/WebAuthn**.

7. Edit the following input fields:
   - **Relying Party Name**: Enter any name.
   - **Domain Suffix**: Enter the suffix of your Active Directory domain that hosts the RSTS.
   - **API URL Format**: Enter the application server's URL. The given URL must contain a place-holder in `{0}` format that supplies a unique identifier for the user.
     
     The **API URL Format** is used by RSTS to call the list of WebAuthn security keys of a specified user. Enter the URL in the following format:
     ```
     https://<server name>/<application server path>/appServer/WebAuthn/<identity provider>/Users/{0}
     ```
     
     - **Server name** – fully qualified host name of the web server hosting the application server
     - `<Application server path>` – path to the web application of the application server (default: AppServer)
     - `<Identity provider>` – name of the identity provider

   **TIP**: You can find the name of the identity provider in the Designer:
   ```
   Base data | Security settings | OAuth 2.0/OpenId Connect configuration
   ```

Example:
8. Click Finish.

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Step 3: Configuring the application server

The RSTS call the WebAuthn security key for Active Directory users over an interface. This information is sensitive and must not be called by unauthorized persons, therefore, access must secured through by client certificate login.

In order for this to work, certificates must be valid and client certificate login on IIS must be enabled.

The application server checks the certificate's thumbprint the client used to login. Only if the thumbprint matches the stored thumbprint, is the information returned.

If the application server is also used as the backend for web applications, grant access rights to the application pool users for the OAuth signing certificate's private key.

To enable client certificate login on IIS

1. Start the Internet Information Services Manager.
2. Open the SSL Setting for the relevant application server.
3. In the Client certificates option, change the value to Accept.

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Step 4: Configuring the web application

NOTE: The web application to be used by WebAuthn, must apply the HTTPS secure communications protocol (see Using HTTPS on page 32).
To configure WebAuthn in web applications

1. Start the Web Designer.
2. Click View | Start page on the menu bar.
3. In the toolbar, click Select web application and select the web application you want to use.
4. Click Edit web application settings.
5. In the Edit web application settings dialog box, in the Authentication module menu, click OAuth 2.0/OpenID Connect.
6. In the OAuth pane, in the OAuth 2.0/OpenID Connect configuration menu, click the appropriate identity provider.
7. Click OK.
8. Click Edit | Configure project | Web project on the menu bar.
9. Configure the following configuration keys:
   - **VI_Common_RequiresAccessControl**: Set this parameter to enable two-factor authentication.
   - **VI_Common_AccessControl/WebAuthn_2FA**: Specify whether you want to enable WebAuthn two-factor authentication for the web application. You can configure WebAuthn two-factor authentication and security key management separately. If, for example, you want to only enable management of security keys but not of two-factor authentication with the help of security keys in the web application, do not set this configuration key and set the **VI_Common_AccessControl/WebAuthn_2FA_VisibleControls** configuration key described below.
   - **VI_Common_AccessControl/WebAuthn_2FA_VisibleControls**: Specify whether users can manage security keys in the web application.
   - **VI_Employee_QERWebAuthnKey_Filter**: Specify, which employees can manage security keys in the web application. If you do not enter anything here, all web application users manage the security keys (assuming the **VI_Common_AccessControl/WebAuthn_2FA_VisibleControls** configuration key is set).
   - **VI_Common_AccessControl/WebAuthn_2FAID**: Enter a unique identifier for the secondary authentication provider for WebAuthn two-factor authentication. You will find this identifier in your RSTS configuration.
     a. Open your web browser and call up the https://<Webanwendung>/RSTS/ApiAdmin.htm URL.
NOTE: If the URL does not open, do one of the following:

i. On the installation medium, copy the apiAdmin.htm file from the Modules\QB\dvd\AddOn\Redistributable_STS directory.

ii. Add the file to the RSTS installation directory (for example, C:\Program Files\One Identity\Sts). Now you can open the URL.

b. On the **Redistributable Secure Token Server Administration** page, change to the **Directory Service Provider Settings** tab.

c. You will find the relevant identifier in the **Id** field.

Related topics

- [WebAuthn security keys](#) on page 17
- [Step 1: Configuring an OAuth certificate](#) on page 18
- [Step 2: Configuring the RSTS](#) on page 18
- [Step 3: Configuring the application server](#) on page 20
Starling Two-Factor Authentication

Multi-factor authentication guarantees better security for logging into web applications. One Identity Manager tools user Starling Two-Factor Authentication for multi-factor authentication.

The following prerequisites must be fulfilled to use Starling Two-Factor Authentication:

- Users must have a registered Starling 2FA token.
- Use of an employee-related authentication module, for example "Person (role-based)"

Starling Two-Factor Authentication takes place after initial database login and is independent of it. At web application level, every access attempt is prevented until Starling Two-Factor Authentication has been executed.

Setting up Starling Two-Factor Authentication

Table 10: Configuration parameter for multi-factor authentication

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Configuration parameter</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>VI_Common_RequiresAccessControl</td>
<td>Requires authentication for web applications.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>VI_Common_AccessControl_StarlingEnabled</td>
<td>Enables use of Starling Two-Factor Authentication.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Multi-factor authentication is done in the web project in the Web Designer.

To set up Starling Two-Factor Authentication

1. Open the Web Designer.
2. Open a module and search for "VI_Common_RequiresAccessControl".
3. Mark the configuration parameter "VI_Common_RequiresAccessControl" and set the value to true.

4. Mark the configuration parameter "VI_Common_AccessControl_StarlingEnabled" and set the value to true.

Starling Two-Factor Authentication for specific people

Table 11: Configuration parameter for multi-factor authentication for specific people

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Configuration parameter</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>VI_Common_AccessControl_Filter</td>
<td>Sets up multi-factor authentication for specific people.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

You need to specify, which people can use multi-factor authentication in your web project.

To set up Starling Two-Factor Authentication only for specific people

1. Open the Web Designer.
2. Open a module and search for "VI_Common_AccessControl_Filter".
3. Mark the configuration parameter "VI_Common_AccessControl_Filter".
4. Enter a filter condition in the node editor view that only matches people who require multi-factor authentication.

Logging in without Starling 2FA tokens

Table 12: Configuration parameter for logging in without multi-factor authentication

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Configuration parameter</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Setting</th>
<th>False</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>VI_Common_AccessControl_Starling_AllowUnregistered</td>
<td>Allows users to log in to the web application without multi-factor authentication.</td>
<td>Users without a registered Starling 2FA token can log in to the web application without Starling Two-Factor Authentication.</td>
<td>Users without a registered Starling 2FA token cannot log in to the web application.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
You can configure your web project to allow users without multi-factor authentication to log in to the web application.

**To log in without Starling 2FA tokens**

1. Open the Web Designer.
2. Open a module and search for "VI_Common_AccessControl-Starling_AllowUnregistered".
3. Mark the configuration parameter "VI_Common_AccessControl-Starling_AllowUnregistered".
4. Set the value in the node editor view to true.

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**Activating Starling Two-Factor Authentication for the Operations Support Web Portal**

On the API Server, you can enable Starling 2FA for the Operations Support Web Portal.

**To enable Starling Two-Factor Authentication for the Operations Support Web Portal**

1. Start the API Designer.
2. Click on View | Navigation on the menu bar.
3. Click API projects in the navigation.
4. In the tree view, double-click on the QBM_OperationsSupport project.
5. In the definition tree view, right-click Authentication node.
6. In the context menu, click Object in extension | Add to extension <extension name> | Authentication module.
7. Click on View | Node editor on the menu bar.
8. In the definition tree view, click the newly created Second authentication factor.
9. In the Node editor pane, tick the Second authentication factor box.
10. In the menu, click Starling 2FA.
Password Reset Portal

The Password Reset Portal allows users to reset passwords of the user accounts they manage securely.

Setting up a Password Reset Portal

To utilize the Password Reset Portal, it must be installed as a dedicated web application. The necessary security is guaranteed by multi-factor authentication.

Installing the Password Reset Portal

Table 13: Configuration parameters for application tokens

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Configuration parameter</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>QER\Person\PasswordResetAuthenticator\ApplicationToken</td>
<td>Sets a application token for the Password Reset Portal.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

During installation, you will be prompted to enter an application token. This application token functions like a password, which the web application uses to authenticate itself on the database. This ensures that the password can only be reset by the web application assigned for the purpose.

To install the Password Reset Portal

1. Follow the step-by-step "To install the Web Portal" from "Installing the Web Portal" in the One Identity Manager Installation Guide.
2. Select QER_PASSWORDWeb from Web Project.
   After selecting the web project, you are prompted to enter an application token.
3. Select a sufficiently secure token and enter it in the box provided.
The application token is saved as a hash value in the database in "QER\Person\PasswordResetAuthenticator\ApplicationToken" and stored encrypted in the file web.config.

Authentication

Authentication on the Password Reset Portal differs from authentication on the Web Portal. The user has three options to choose from.

Table 14: Authentication options

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Login Type</th>
<th>Authentication Module Used</th>
<th>Application (QBMPProduct)</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Login with passcode.</td>
<td>Password reset (role-based), read-only.</td>
<td>Password reset, read-only.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Login using a secret password question.</td>
<td>Password reset (role-based), read-only.</td>
<td>Password reset, read-only.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Login with user name and password.</td>
<td>Specified in the web application configuration.</td>
<td>Specified in the web application configuration.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Settable passwords

Users can set the following default passwords.

Table 15: Password overview

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>User</th>
<th>Password</th>
<th>Table / Column</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Everyone</td>
<td>Own password</td>
<td>Person.DialogUserPassword</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Everyone</td>
<td>User account password, which is</td>
<td>AADUser.Password</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>a. Directly assigned to the current employee.</td>
<td>ADSAccount.UserPassword</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>- OR -</td>
<td>CSMUser.Password</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>b. Assigned to the current employee's sub identity.</td>
<td>EBSUser.Password</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>- OR -</td>
<td>GAPUser.Password</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>c. Assigned to the current employee's sponsored</td>
<td>LDAPAccount.UserPassword</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>NDOUser.Password</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>SAPUser.Password</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>UNSAccountB.Password</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>User</td>
<td>Password</td>
<td>Table / Column</td>
</tr>
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<td>-------------------------</td>
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<td>-------------------------------</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>identity, service identity or group identity.</td>
<td>UNXAccount.UserPassword</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>- OR -</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>d.</td>
<td>Assigned to one of the current user’s shared user accounts.</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Members of the application role <strong>Base roles</strong></td>
<td>Password for individual system users</td>
<td>DialogUser.Password</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Administrators</strong></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**NOTE:** The system user is not suggested for resetting the password in the following cases:

- If external password management is enabled for the system user.
- If the system user is enabled as service account.
- If the system user is used for automatic software updating of One Identity Manager web applications.

These cases are implemented in the QER_PasswordWeb_IsAllowSet script, which can be overwritten.

- If the system user is used for role-based login.

In this case, the system user is not accepted by the Password Reset Portal.

### Excluding passwords from being reset

**Table 16: Script for resetting passwords**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Script</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>QER_PasswordReset_IsAllowSet</td>
<td>Specifies whether resetting a password in the Password Reset Portal is allowed.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

To prevent users from setting passwords by mistake, you can exclude certain password from being reset.

User cases for this may be passwords that are calculated from other values or passwords for target systems that are only connected as read-only.
**NOTE:** In "QER_PASSWORDWEB_IsAllowSet", the system user is prevented, by default, from resetting the password in the following cases.

- If external password management is enabled.
- If the system user is enabled as service account.
- If the system user is used for automatic software updating of One Identity Manager web applications.

**To exclude passwords from being reset**

1. Open the Designer.
2. Find "QER_PasswordReset_IsAllowSet".
3. Use "QER_PasswordReset_IsAllowSet" as the basis for an overrideable script with the following parameters.
   a. Current user’s UID_Person.
   b. Object's key (ObjectKey) offered for password reset.
   c. Password column name.
4. Save the setting in Designer.
5. Compile the Password Reset Portal.

**Central password**

Apart from setting individual passwords in the Password Reset Portal, you can also set the central password. Each user has a central password, with which other passwords can be managed depending on the configuration of the target system.

**Defining password dependencies**

By defining password dependencies, you specify which passwords are managed through the central password.

**Table 17: Script for declaring passwords**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Script</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>QER_PASSWORDWEB_IsByCentralPwd</td>
<td>By default, the script checks whether &quot;QER\Person\UseCentralPassword&quot; is set. If the configuration parameter is set, the employee’s central password is mapped to the password column of the employee’s user account. A user account must be linked to the...</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
current user, it cannot be a privileged account. The script can be overwritten.

To define password dependencies

1. Open the Designer.
2. Search QER_PasswordWeb_IsByCentralPwd.
3. Use "QER_PasswordWeb_IsByCentralPwd" as the basis for an overrideable script with the following parameters.
   a. Current user's UID_Person.
   b. Object's key (ObjectKey) offered for password reset.
   c. Password's column name.
   Using this input parameter, the script must return the information regarding whether or not a password is managed by the central password.
4. Save the setting in Designer.
5. Compile the Password Reset Portal.

Setting a central password

The central password is set separately from other password to prevent problems.
Once at least one of the logged in user's passwords is managed by the central password, two options are provided after authentication.
   a. Setting the central password
   b. Setting one or more passwords

If setting one or more passwords, it is possible to set a password managed by the central password. If you want to prevent this, you can exclude the password from being reset.
For more information, see Excluding passwords from being reset on page 28.

Setting up a new application token

You can set a new application token using WebDesigner.ConfigFileEditor.exe.

To set a new application token

2. Ensure that QER_PasswordWeb is set as the web project.
3. Click next to Application token exists.
Recommendations for secure operation of web applications

Here are some solutions that have been tried and tested in conjunction with One Identity Manager tools to guarantee secure operation of One Identity web applications. You decide which security measures are appropriate for your individually customized web applications.

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Using HTTPS

Always run the One Identity Manager’s web application over the secure communications protocol "Hypertext Transfer Protocol Secure" (HTTPS).

In order for the web application to use the secure communications protocol, you can force the use of the "Secure Sockets Layer" (SSL) when you install the application. For more information for using HTTPS/SSL, see the One Identity Manager Installation Guide.
Disable automatic password storage

Use this setting to prevent auto-filling of your user data on the login page. This setting is made in the Web Designer and can help running of web applications more securely.

Table 18: Configuration parameter for disabling automatic password storage

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Configuration parameter</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>VI_Common_Login_PrefillLoginData</td>
<td>Prevents auto-filling of user data on the login page.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

To disable automatic password storage

1. Open the Web Designer.
2. In the menu bar, select the Edit | Configure project | Web project menu item.
3. On the Configure Project tab, search for "VI_Common_Login_PrefillLoginData".
4. In the Allow prefill of login data key, in the Value (custom) column, click +. This sets the default value to "false". This disables automatic password storage.

Disabling the HTTP request method TRACE

The TRACE request allows the path to the web server to be traced and to check that data is transferred there correctly. This allows a trace route to be determined at application level, meaning the path to the web server over various proxies. This method is particularly useful for debugging connections.

IMPORTANT: TRACE should not be enable in a productive environment because it can reduce performance.

To disable the HTTP request method TRACE using Internet Information Services

- You will find instructions by following this link:
  https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/iis/configuration/system.webserver/tracing/
Using HTTP Strict Transport Security (HSTS)

HTTP Strict Transport Security (HSTS) is a security mechanism for HTTPS connections. It is a web security policy mechanism which helps to protect websites against protocol downgrade attacks and cookie hijacking. For example, a server could send a header "Strict-Transport-Security" to the user’s browser such that in future, at a defined time (max-age), this domain should exclusively use encrypted connections. This setting can be optionally extended by the parameter includeSubDomains to all subdomains. This means that not only https://example.org is taken into account but also https://subdomains.example.org.

To enable HSTS

1. Open the configuration file web.config for the chosen web application.
2. Set the HTTP Response Header to Strict-Transport-Security and the value maxage = expireTime.

For more detailed information about setting the HTTP Response Header, see https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/iis/configuration/system.applicationhost/sites/site/hsts.

Disabling insecure encryption mechanisms

It is recommended that you disable all unnecessary encryption methods and protocols on the grounds of security. If you disable redundant protocols and methods, older platforms and systems may not be able to establish connections with web applications anymore. Therefore, you must decide which protocols and methods are necessary, based on the platforms required.

NOTE: The software "IIS Crypto" from Nartac Software is recommended for disabling encryption methods and protocols.

For more information about disabling encryption, see https://www.nartac.com/Products/IISCrypto.

Detailed information about this topic

Setting the "HttpOnly" attribute for ASP.NET session cookies

To prevent cookies being manipulated by JavaScript and to reduce the risk of cross-site scripting attacks and cook theft, you can set the so called "HttpOnly" attribute for your ASP.NET session cookies. This means that cookies can no longer be used by client-side scripts.

To set the "HttpOnly" attribute for ASP.NET session cookies

1. Open the configuration file web.config for the chosen web application.
2. In the <configuration> section, enter the following code snippet:
   ```xml
   <system.web>
     <httpCookies httpOnlyCookies="true"/>
   </system.web>
   ```
3. Save the file.

Related topics

- Setting the "secure" attribute for ASP.NET session cookies on page 36
- Setting the "same-site" attribute for ASP.NET session cookies on page 35

Setting the "same-site" attribute for ASP.NET session cookies

To prevent cross-site request forgery (CSRF), you can set the same-site attribute for your ASP.NET session cookies.

To set the same site attribute for all .NET versions from 4.7.2.

1. Open the configuration file web.config for the chosen web application.
2. Enter the following code snippet in the <configuration> section:
   ```xml
   <system.web>
     <httpCookies sameSite="Strict" />
   </system.web>
   ```
3. Save the file.
Related topics

- Setting the "HttpOnly" attribute for ASP.NET session cookies on page 35
- Setting the "secure" attribute for ASP.NET session cookies on page 36

Setting the "secure" attribute for ASP.NET session cookies

To prevent cookies being read by unauthorized persons, you can set the so called "secure" attribute for your ASP.NET session cookies. This means that cookies are only transferred over secure SSL connections.

To set the "secure" attribute for ASP.NET session cookies

1. Open the configuration file web.config for the chosen web application.
2. In the <configuration> section, enter the following code snippet:
   ```
   <system.web>
   <httpCookies requireSSL="true"/>
   </system.web>
   ```
3. Save the file.

Related topics

- Setting the "same-site" attribute for ASP.NET session cookies on page 35
- Setting the "HttpOnly" attribute for ASP.NET session cookies on page 35

Disabling Windows IIS 8.3 short names

The URL parser in Microsoft Internet Information Services (IIS) makes it possible for remote attackers to reveal file and folder names of web applications (that should not be accessible) by using IIS 8.3 short names.

Use of this weak point can lead to files with sensitive data, such as login data, configuration files, maintenance scripts and other data, being passed on.

To prevent this, you can stop short names in Windows IIS 8.3 from being created.
To disable creation of Windows IIS 8.3 short names

1. On the system the web application is installed on, create the following registry entry:
   - Path: HKLM\SYSTEM\CurrentControlSet\Control\FileSystem
   - Name: NtfsDisable8dot3NameCreation
   - Value: 1
2. Reinstall the web application.

Detailed information about this topic

Removing the HTTP response header in Windows IIS

Attackers can obtain a lot of information about your servers and network by looking at the response header your server returns.
To give attackers a little information as possible, you can remove the HTTP response header in Windows IIS.

To remove the HTTP response header in Windows IIS
- Read the instructions in the following links:
  - https://github.com/dionach/stripheaders

Creating X-Frame-Options HTTP response header

Attackers can create their own website and use it to load the contents of your website within an iframe. This can result in a clickjacking attack, whereby the attacker targets user input or tricks the user into performing undesired actions within the fake application.
To prevent this, you can create an X-Frame-Option HTTP response header. This stops site content from being embedded into other websites.
**To create an X-Frame-Option HTTP response header**

1. Open the configuration file web.config for the chosen web application.
2. In the <configuration> section, enter the following code snippet:
   ```xml
   <httpProtocol>
   <customHeaders>
       <add name="X-Frame-Options" value="SAMEORIGIN" />
   </customHeaders>
   </httpProtocol>
   ```
   3. Save the file.

**Running web applications in release mode**

To prevent user session from being stolen, run your web applications in release mode. This stops the session ID being given in the HTML code.

**To run web applications in release mode**

1. Start the Web Designer.
2. Click on **View** | **Home** on the menu bar.
3. In the toolbar, click **Select web application** and select the web application you want to use.
4. Click **Edit web application settings**.
5. Uncheck the **Debugging** box.
   
   **TIP:** If the check box is not set anyway, you do not have to do anything. Your web application is now running in release mode.

6. Click **OK**.
7. Restart the Web Designer.
8. On the start page, select a web application and click **Release (Compile for release)**.
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- Download software and technical documentation
- View how-to-videos at www.YouTube.com/OneIdentity
- Engage in community discussions
- Chat with support engineers online
- View services to assist you with your product