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ABSTRACT

On-demand access to public safety data is critical to ensuring that public safety and first responder (PSFR) personnel can deliver the proper care and support during an emergency. This requirement necessitates heavy reliance on mobile platforms while in the field, which may be used to access sensitive information, such as personally identifiable information (PII), law enforcement sensitive (LES) information, or protected health information (PHI). However, complex authentication requirements can hinder the process of providing emergency services, and any delay—even seconds—can become a matter of life or death.
In collaboration with NIST’S Public Safety Communications Research lab (PSCR) and industry stakeholders, the NCCoE aims to help PSFR personnel to efficiently and securely gain access to mission data via mobile devices and applications (apps). This practice guide describes a reference design for multifactor authentication (MFA) and mobile single sign-on (MSSO) for native and web apps, while improving interoperability between mobile platforms, apps, and identity providers, irrespective of the app development platform used in their construction. This NCCoE practice guide details a collaborative effort between the NCCoE and technology providers to demonstrate a standards-based approach using commercially available and open-source products.

This guide discusses potential security risks facing organizations, benefits that may result from the implementation of an MFA/MSSO system, and the approach that the NCCoE took in developing a reference architecture and build. This guide includes a discussion of major architecture design considerations, an explanation of the security characteristics achieved by the reference design, and a mapping of the security characteristics to applicable standards and security control families.

For parties interested in adopting all or part of the NCCoE reference architecture, this guide includes a detailed description of the installation, configuration, and integration of all components.

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access control; authentication; authorization; identity; identity management; identity provider; single sign-on; relying party

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1 Introduction

The following guide demonstrates a standards-based example solution for efficiently and securely gaining access to mission-critical data via mobile devices and applications (apps). This guide demonstrates multifactor authentication (MFA) and mobile single sign-on (MSSO) solutions for native and web apps using standards-based commercially available and open-source products. We cover all of the products that we employed in our solution set. We do not recreate the product manufacturer’s documentation. Instead, we provide pointers to where this documentation is available from the manufacturers. This guide shows how we incorporated the products together in our environment as a reference implementation of the proposed build architecture for doing MSSO.

Note: This is not a comprehensive tutorial. There are many possible service and security configurations for these products that are out of scope for this reference solution set.

1.1 Practice Guide Structure

This National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) Cybersecurity Practice Guide demonstrates a standards-based example solution and provides users with the information they need to replicate this approach to implementing our MSSO build. The example solution is modular and can be deployed in whole or in parts.

This guide contains three volumes:

- NIST SP 1800-13A: Executive Summary
- NIST SP 1800-13C: How-To Guides – instructions for building the example solution (you are here)

See Section 2 in Volume B of this guide for a more detailed overview of the different volumes and sections, and the audiences that may be interested in each.

1.2 Build Overview

The National Cybersecurity Center of Excellence (NCCoE) worked with its build team partners to create a lab demonstration environment that includes all of the architectural components and functionality described in Section 4 of Volume B of this build guide. This includes mobile devices with sample apps, hardware and software-based authenticators to demonstrate the Fast Identity Online (FIDO) standards for MFA, the authentication server and authorization server (AS) components required to demonstrate the AppAuth authorization flows (detailed in Internet Engineering Task Force [IETF] Request for Comments [RFC] 8252) with federated authentication to a Security Assertion Markup Language (SAML) Identity Provider (IdP) and an OpenID Connect (OIDC) Provider. The complete build includes several
systems deployed in the NCCoE lab by StrongAuth, Yubico and Ping Identity as well as cloud-hosted
resources made available by Motorola Solutions and by Nok Nok Labs.

This section of the build guide documents the build process and specific configurations that were used in
the lab.

1.2.1 Usage Scenarios

The build architecture supports three usage scenarios. The scenarios all demonstrate single sign-on
(SSO) among Motorola Solutions Public Safety Experience (PSX) apps using the AppAuth pattern, but
differ in the details of the authentication process. The three authentication mechanisms are as follows:

- The OAuth AS directly authenticates the user with FIDO Universal Authentication Framework
  (UAF); user accounts are managed directly by the service provider.
- The OAuth AS redirects the user to a SAML IdP, which authenticates the user with a password
  and FIDO U2F.
- The OAuth AS redirects the user to an OIDC IdP, which authenticates the user with FIDO UAF.

In all three scenarios, once the authentication flow is completed, the user can launch multiple Motorola
Solutions PSX apps without additional authentication, demonstrating SSO. These three scenarios were
chosen to reflect different real-world implementation options that public safety and first responder
(PSFR) organizations might choose. Larger PSFR organizations may host (or obtain from a service
provider) their own IdPs, enabling them to locally manage user accounts, group memberships, and other
user attributes, and to provide them to multiple Relying Parties (RPs) through federation. SAML is
currently the most commonly used federation protocol, but OIDC might be preferred for new
implementations. As demonstrated in this build, RPs can support both protocols more or less
interchangeably. For smaller organizations, a service provider might also act in the role of “identity
provider of last resort,” maintaining user accounts and attributes on behalf of organizations.
1.2.2 Architectural Overview

Figure 1-1 shows the lab build architecture.

Figure 1-1 Lab Build Architecture

Figure 1-1 depicts the four environments that interact in the usage scenarios:

- Motorola Solutions cloud – a cloud-hosted environment providing the back-end app servers for the Motorola Solutions PSX Mapping and Messaging apps, as well as an OAuth AS that the app servers use to authorize requests from mobile devices

- Nok Nok Labs cloud – a cloud-hosted server running both the Nok Nok Authentication Server (NNAS) and the Nok Nok Labs Gateway

- NCCoE – the NCCoE lab, including several servers hosted in a vSphere environment running the IdPs and directory services that would correspond to PSFR organizations’ infrastructure to support federated authentication to a service provider, like Motorola Solutions. An additional AS and some demonstration app back-ends are also hosted in the NCCoE lab for internal testing.

- mobile devices connected to public cellular networks with the required client software to authenticate to, and access, Motorola Solutions back-end apps and the NCCoE Lab systems
The names of the Virtual Local Area Networks (VLANs) in the NCCoE lab are meant to depict different organizations participating in an MSSO scheme:

- SPSD – State Public Safety Department, a PSFR organization with a SAML IdP
- LPD – Local Public Safety Department, a PSFR organization with an OIDC IdP
- CPSSP – Central Public Safety Service Provider, a Software as a Service (SaaS) provider serving the PSFR organizations, analogous to Motorola Solutions

The fictitious .msso top-level domain is simply a reference to the MSSO project. The demonstration apps hosted in the CPSSP VLAN were used to initially test and validate the federation setups in the user organization; this guide mainly focuses on the integration with the Motorola Solutions AS and app back-end.

The arrows in Figure 1-1 depict traffic flows between the three different environments, to illustrate the networking requirements for cross-organizational MSSO flows. This diagram does not depict traffic flows within environments (e.g., between the IdPs and the Domain Controllers providing directory services). The depicted traffic flows are described below:

- Mobile device traffic – The PSX client apps on the device connect to the publicly-routable PSX app servers in the Motorola Solutions cloud. The mobile browser also connects to the Motorola Solutions AS, and, in the federated authentication scenarios, the browser is redirected to the IdPs in the NCCoE Lab. The mobile devices use the Pulse Secure Virtual Private Network (VPN) client to access internal lab services through Network Address Translation (NAT) addresses established on the pfSense firewall. This enables the use of the internal lab Domain Name System (DNS) server to resolve the hostnames under the .msso top-level domain, which is not actually registered in public DNS. To support UAF authentication at the lab-hosted OIDC IdP, the Nok Nok Passport app on the devices also connects to the publicly routable NNAS instance hosted in the Nok Nok Labs cloud environment.

- Connection to Token Endpoint – The usage scenario where the Motorola Solutions AS redirects the user to the OIDC IdP in the lab requires the AS to initiate an inbound connection to the IdP’s Token Endpoint. To enable this, the PingFederate run-time port, 9031, is exposed via NAT through the NIST firewall. Note that no inbound connection is required in the SAML IdP integration, as the SAML web browser SSO does not require direct back-channel communication between the AS and the IdP. SAML authentication requests and responses are transmitted through browser redirects.

- PingFederate plugin connection to Nok Nok Application Programming Interfaces (APIs) – To support UAF authentication, the OIDC IdP includes a PingFederate adapter developed by Nok Nok Labs that needs to connect to the APIs on the NNAS.
In a typical production deployment, the NNAS would not be directly exposed to the internet; instead, mobile client interactions with the Authentication Server APIs would traverse a reverse proxy server. Nok Nok Labs provided a cloud instance of their software as a matter of expedience in completing the lab build.

Additionally, the use of a VPN client on mobile devices is optional. Many organizations directly expose their IdPs to the public internet, though some organizations prefer to keep those services internal and use a VPN to access them. Organizations can decide this based on their risk tolerance, but this build architecture can function with or without a VPN client on the mobile devices.

1.2.3 General Infrastructure Requirements

Some general infrastructure elements must be in place to support the components of this build guide. These are assumed to exist in the environment prior to the installation of the architecture components in this guide. The details of how these services are implemented are not directly relevant to the build.

- DNS – All server names are expected to be resolvable in DNS. This is especially important for FIDO functionality, as the application identification (App ID) associated with cryptographic keys is derived from the hostname used in app Uniform Resource Locators (URLs).
- Network Time Protocol (NTP) – Time synchronization among servers is important. A clock difference of five minutes or more is sufficient to cause JavaScript Object Notation (JSON) Web Token (JWT) validation, for example, to fail. All servers should be configured to synchronize time with a reliable NTP source.
- Certificate Authority (CA) – Hypertext Transfer Protocol Secure (HTTPS) connections should be used throughout the architecture. Transport Layer Security (TLS) certificates are required for all servers in the build. If an in-house CA is used to issue certificates, the root and any intermediate certificates must be provisioned to the trust stores in client mobile devices and servers.

1.3 Typographic Conventions

The following table presents typographic conventions used in this volume.

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2 How to Install and Configure the Mobile Device

This section covers all of the different aspects of installing and configuring the mobile device. There are several prerequisites and different components that need to work in tandem for the entire SSO architecture to work.

2.1 Platform and System Requirements

This section covers requirements for mobile devices—both hardware and software—for the SSO and FIDO authentication components of the architecture to work properly. The two dominant mobile platforms are Google’s Android and Apple’s iPhone operating system (iOS). The NCCoE reference architecture only tested Android devices and apps, but the same core architecture could support iOS.

First, for SSO support, the NCCoE reference architecture follows the guidance of the OAuth 2.0 for Native Apps Best Current Practice (BCP) [1]. That guidance, also known as AppAuth, requires that developers use an external user-agent (e.g., Google’s Chrome for Android web browser) instead of an embedded user-agent (e.g., an Android WebView) for their OAuth authorization requests. Because of this, the mobile platform must support the use of external user-agents.

Second, for FIDO support, this architecture optionally includes two different types of authenticators: UAF and U2F. The FIDO Specifications Overview presentation [2] explains the difference, as shown in Figure 2-1.
Figure 2-1 Comparison of UAF and U2F Standards

**Passwordless Experience** (UAF Standards)

1. Authentication Challenge
2. Biometric User Verification*
3. Authenticated Online

*There are other types of authenticators

**Second Factor Experience** (U2F Standards)

1. Second Factor Challenge
2. Insert Dongle* / Press Button
3. Authenticated Online

The following subsections address Android-specific requirements to support SSO and FIDO authentication.

### 2.1.1 Supporting SSO

While it is not strictly required, the BCP recommends that the device provide an external user-agent that supports "in-app browser tabs," which Google describes as the Android Custom Tab feature. The following excerpt is from the AppAuth Android-specific guidance in Appendix B.2 of RFC 8252:

Apps can initiate an authorization request in the browser without the user leaving the app, through the Android Custom Tab feature which implements the in-app browser tab pattern. The user's default browser can be used to handle requests when no browser supports Custom Tabs.

Android browser vendors should support the Custom Tabs protocol (by providing an implementation of the “CustomTabsService” class), to provide the in-app browser tab user experience optimization to their users. Chrome is one such browser that implements Custom Tabs.

Any device manufacturer can support Custom Tabs in their Android browser. However, Google implemented this in its Chrome for Android web browser in September 2015 [3]. Because Chrome is not part of the operating system (OS) itself, but is downloaded from the Google Play Store, recent versions
of Chrome can be used on older versions of Android. In fact, the Chrome Developer website’s page on Chrome Custom Tabs [4] states that it can be used on Android Jelly Bean (4.1), which was released in 2012, and up.

To demonstrate SSO, the NCCoE reference architecture utilizes the Motorola Solutions PSX App Suite, which requires Android Lollipop (5.0) or newer.

2.1.2 Supporting FIDO U2F

The device will need the following components for FIDO U2F:

- a web browser capable of understanding a U2F challenge request from an IdP
- a FIDO U2F client app capable of handling the challenge
- Near Field Communication (NFC) hardware support

Chrome for Android [5] is a browser that understands U2F challenge requests, and Google Authenticator [6] (works on Android Gingerbread [2.3.3] and up) is an app capable of handling the challenge. If NFC is unavailable, Bluetooth and Universal Serial Bus Type-C (USB-C) are also options for connecting U2F tokens. Google has added support for both options into their Play Services framework, as of November 2017. However, these other methods are less widely used and are not a focus of this guide.

2.1.3 Supporting FIDO UAF

The device will need the following components for FIDO UAF:

- a web browser
- a FIDO UAF client app capable of handling the challenge
- a FIDO UAF authenticator

These components are pictured in Figure 2-2, which is from the FIDO UAF Architectural Overview [7].
While the overview refers to the last two components (client and authenticator) as separate components, these components can—and often do—come packaged in a single app. The NCCoE reference architecture utilizes the Nok Nok Passport [8] app to provide these two components. In addition to the apps, the device will need to provide some hardware component to support the FIDO UAF authenticator. For example, for biometric-based FIDO UAF authenticators, a camera would be needed to support face or iris scanning, a microphone would be needed to support voiceprints, and a fingerprint sensor would be needed to support fingerprint biometrics. Of course, if a Personal Identification Number (PIN) authenticator is used, a specific hardware sensor is not required. Beyond the actual input method of the FIDO UAF factor, additional (optional) hardware considerations for a UAF authenticator include secure key storage for registered FIDO key pairs, storage of biometric templates, and execution of matching functions (e.g., within dedicated hardware or on processor trusted execution environments [TEE]).

2.2 How to Install and Configure the Mobile Apps

This section covers the installation and configuration of the mobile apps needed for various components of the reference architecture: SSO, FIDO U2F, and FIDO UAF.

2.2.1 How to Install and Configure SSO-Enabled Apps

For SSO-enabled apps, there is no universal set of installation and configuration procedures; these will vary depending on the design choices of the app manufacturer. The NCCoE reference architecture uses the Motorola Solutions PSX App Suite [9] Version 5.4. This set of mobile apps provides several
capabilities for the public safety community. Our setup consisted of three apps: 
PSX Messenger for text, photo, and video communication; PSX Mapping for shared location awareness; and PSX Cockpit to centralize authentication and identity information across the other apps. These apps cannot be obtained from a public venue (e.g., the Google Play Store); rather, the binaries must be obtained from Motorola Solutions and installed via other means, such as a Mobile Device Management (MDM) solution or private app store.

2.2.1.1 Configuring the PSX Cockpit App

1. Open the Cockpit app. Your screen should look like Figure 2-3.

2. For DEVICE SERVICE ID, select a Device Service ID in the range given to you by your administrator. Note that these details would be provided by Motorola Solutions if you are using
their service offering, or by your administrator if you are hosting the PSX app servers in your own environment. Each device should be configured with a unique Device Service ID corresponding to the username from the username range. For example, the NCCoE lab used a Device Service ID of “22400” to correspond to a username of “2400.”

3. For **SERVER ADDRESS**, use the Server Address given to you by your administrator. For example, the NCCoE lab used a Server Address of “uns5455.imw.motorolasolutions.com.”

4. If a **Use SUPL APN** checkbox appears, leave it unchecked.

5. Tap **NEXT**. Your screen should look like Figure 2-4.

6. Tap **SIGN IN**.
7. Log in with the authentication procedure determined by the AS and IdP policies. Note that if UAF is used, a FIDO UAF authenticator must be enrolled before this step can be completed. See Section 2.2.3 for details on FIDO UAF enrollment. After you log in, your screen should look like Figure 2-5.

8. Tap **Create new list of groups**. This is used to select which organizationally-defined groups of users you can receive data updates for in the other PSX apps.

9. Tap **OKAY**. Your screen should look like Figure 2-6.
10. Check the checkboxes for the groups that you wish to use. Note that it may take a short time for the groups to appear.

11. Tap on the upper-right checkmark. Your screen should look like Figure 2-7.
12. Enter a group list name (e.g., “mylist”), and tap **SAVE**.

13. Tap the upper-right checkmark to select the list. Your screen should look like Figure 2-8.
On the Cockpit screen, you can trigger an emergency (triangle icon in the upper right); set your status (drop-down menu under your name); or reselect roles and groups, see configuration, and sign off (hamburger menu to the left of your name, and then tap **username**).

If you pull down your notifications, you should see icons and text indicating “Reporting interval: 120 seconds,” “Signed In: <date> <time>,” “Connected,” and “Registered.”
2.2.1.2 Configuring the PSX Mapping App

1. Open the Mapping app. You should see the screen shown in Figure 2-9.

Figure 2-9 PSX Mapping User Interface

2. Select the “Layers” icon in the lower-right corner. Group names should appear under Layers.

3. Select a group. Your screen should look like Figure 2-10.
The locations of the devices that are members of that group should appear as dots on the map. Select a device. A pop-up will show the user of the device, and icons for phoning and messaging that user. Selecting the “Messenger” icon for the selected user will take you to the Messenger app, where you can send a message to the user.
2.2.1.3 Configuring the PSX Messenger App

1. Open the Messenger app. Your screen should look like Figure 2-11.

Figure 2-11 PSX Messenger User Interface

Your screen should show People and Groups. Select one of them.

2. A list of people or groups that you can send a message to should appear. Select one of them.

Your screen should look like Figure 2-12.
You are now viewing the messaging window. You can type text for a message, and attach a picture, video, voice recording, or map.

Tap the “Send” icon. The message should appear on your screen.

Tap the “Pivot” icon in the upper-right corner of the message window. Select “Locate,” and you will be taken to the Mapping app with the location of the people or group you selected.
2.2.2 How to Install and Configure a FIDO U2F Authenticator

This section covers the installation and usage of a FIDO U2F authenticator on the mobile device. The NCoE reference architecture utilizes the Google Authenticator app on the mobile device, and a Yubico YubiKey NEO as a hardware token. The app functions as the client-side U2F authenticator and is available on Google’s Play Store [6].

2.2.2.1 Installing Google Authenticator

1. On your Android device, open the Play Store app.

2. Search for “Google Authenticator,” and install the app. There is no configuration needed until you are ready to register a FIDO U2F token with a StrongAuth server.

2.2.2.2 Registering the Token

In the architecture that is laid out in this practice guide, there is no out-of-band process to register the user’s U2F token. This takes place the first time the user tries to log in with whatever SSO-enabled app they are using. For instance, when using the PSX Cockpit app, once the user tries to sign into an IdP that has U2F enabled and has successfully authenticated with a username and password, they will be presented with the screen shown in Figure 2-13.
Because the user has never registered a U2F token, that is the only option the user sees.

1. Click **Register**, and the web page will activate the Google Authenticator app, which asks you to use a U2F token to continue (Figure 2-13 above).

2. Hold the U2F token to your device, and then the token will be registered to your account and you will be redirected to the U2F login screen again.

### 2.2.2.3 Authenticating with the Token

Now, because the system has a U2F token on file for the user, the user has the option to authenticate.

1. Click **Authenticate** (Figure 2-14), and the Google Authenticator app will be activated once more.
2. Hold the U2F token to your device, and then the authentication will be successful and the SSO flow will continue.

Figure 2-14 FIDO U2F Authentication

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2.2.3 How to Install and Configure a FIDO UAF Client

This section covers the installation and usage of a FIDO UAF client on the mobile device. Any FIDO UAF client can be used, but the NCCoE reference architecture utilizes the Nok Nok Passport app (hereafter referred to as “Passport”). The Passport app functions as the client-side UAF app and is available on Google’s Play Store [8]. The following excerpt is from the Play Store page:

Passport from Nok Nok Labs is an authentication app that supports the Universal Authentication Framework (UAF) protocol from the FIDO Alliance (www.fidoalliance.org).
Passport allows you to use out-of-band authentication to authenticate to selected websites on a laptop or desktop computer. You can use the fingerprint sensor on FIDO UAF-enabled devices (such as the Samsung Galaxy S® 6, Fujitsu Arrows NX, or Sharp Aquos Zeta) or enter a simple PIN on non-FIDO enabled devices. You can enroll your Android device by using Passport to scan a QR code displayed by the website, then touch the fingerprint sensor or enter a PIN. Once enrolled, you can authenticate using a similar method. Alternatively, the website can send a push notification to your Android device and trigger the authentication.

This solution lets you use your Android device to better protect your online account, without requiring passwords or additional hardware tokens.

In our reference architecture, we use a Quick Response (QR) code to enroll the device onto Nok Nok Labs’ test server.

### 2.2.3.1 Installing Passport

1. On your Android device, open the Play Store app.
2. Search for “Nok Nok Passport”, and install the app. There is no configuration needed until you are ready to enroll the device with a Nok Nok Labs server.

Normally, the user will never need to open the Passport app during authentication; it will automatically be invoked by the SSO-enabled app (e.g., PSX Cockpit). Instead of entering a username and password into a Chrome Custom Tab, the user will be presented with the Passport screen to use the user’s UAF credential.

### 2.2.3.2 Enrolling the Device

This section details the steps to enroll a device to an NNAS. First, you need a device that has Passport installed. Second, you need to use another computer (preferably a desktop or laptop) to interact with your NNAS web interface.

Note: Users are not authenticated during registration. We are using the “tutorial” app provided with the NNAS. This sample implementation does not meet the FIDO requirement of authentication prior to registration. The production version of the NNAS may require additional steps and may have a different interface.

Screenshots that demonstrate the enrollment process are shown in Figure 2-15 through Figure 2-21.

1. First, use your computer to navigate to the NNAS web interface. You will be prompted for a username and password; enter your administrator credentials, and click Log In (Figure 2-15).
Once you have logged into the NNAS as an administrator, you need to identify which user you want to manage. Enter the username, and click **Login with FIDO** (Figure 2-16).

*Note: As stated above, this is the tutorial app, so it only prompts for a username, not a password. A production environment would require user authentication.*
Once you have selected the user, you will need to start the FIDO UAF registration process. To begin, click **Register** (Figure 2-17).
You will see a window with a QR code and a countdown (Figure 2-18). You have three minutes to finish the registration process with your device.

a. Once the QR image appears, launch the Passport app on the phone. The Passport app activates the device camera to enable capturing the QR code by centering the code in the square frame in the middle of the screen (Figure 2-19).

b. Once the QR code is scanned, the app prompts the user to select the type of verification (fingerprint, PIN, etc.) to use (Figure 2-19). The selections may vary based on the authenticator modules installed on the device.
Figure 2-18 FIDO UAF Registration QR Code

Registration in progress...

The OOB Mode selected will expire in [mm:ss] - [02:57]
In this example, a fingerprint authenticator is registered. The user is prompted for a fingerprint scan to complete registration (Figure 2-20). The fingerprint authenticator uses a fingerprint previously registered in the Android screen-lock settings. If a PIN authenticator were registered, the user would be prompted to set a PIN instead.
If the fingerprint scan matches the user’s registered fingerprint, then a new UAF key pair is generated, the public key is sent to the server, and registration is completed (Figure 2-21).
2.3 How App Developers Must Integrate AppAuth for SSO

App developers can easily integrate AppAuth to add SSO capabilities to their app. The first step to doing this is reading through the AppAuth for Android documentation on GitHub [10]. After doing so, an app developer can begin the integration of AppAuth. The degree of this integration can vary—for instance,
you may choose to utilize user attributes to personalize the user’s app experience. Each separate step will be displayed here.

*Note: In this example, we use Android Studio 3.0, Android Software Development Kit (SDK) 25, and Gradle 2.14.1. In addition, before beginning this, you must register your app with your AS and obtain a client ID, which will be needed in Section 2.3.4.*

### 2.3.1 Adding the Library Dependency

1. Edit your app’s *build.gradle* file, and add this line to its dependencies (note that the AppAuth library will most likely be updated in the future, so you should use the most recent version for your dependency, not necessarily the one in this document):

   ```
   dependencies {
   ...
   compile 'net.openid:appauth:0.7.0'
   }
   ```

### 2.3.2 Adding Activities to the Manifest

1. First, you need to identify your AS’s hostname, OAuth redirect path, and what scheme was set when you registered your app. The scheme here is contrived, but it is common practice to use reverse DNS style names; you should choose whatever aligns with your organization’s common practices. Another alternative to custom schemes is to use App Links.

2. Edit your *AndroidManifest.xml* file, and add these lines:

   ```
   <manifest xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"
   xmlns:tools="http://schemas.android.com/tools"
   package="com.example.app">
   ...
   <activity
   android:name="net.openid.appauth.RedirectUriReceiverActivity"
   tools:node="replace">
   <intent-filter>
   <action android:name="android.intent.action.VIEW" />
   ```

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2.3.3 Create Activities to Handle Authorization Responses

1. Create a utility class for reusable code (Utility), and create activities to handle successful authorizations (AuthResultHandlerActivity) and canceled authorizations (AuthCanceledHandlerActivity):

```java
public class Utility {
    public static AuthorizationService getAuthorizationService(Context context) {
        AppAuthConfiguration appAuthConfig = new AppAuthConfiguration.Builder()
            .setBrowserMatcher(new BrowserWhitelist(
                VersionedBrowserMatcher.CHROME_CUSTOM_TAB,
                VersionedBrowserMatcher.SAMSUNG_CUSTOM_TAB))
            // the browser matcher above allows you to choose which in-app browser
            // tab providers will be supported by your app in its OAuth2 flow
            .setConnectionBuilder(new ConnectionBuilder() {
                @NonNull
                public HttpURLConnection openConnection(@NonNull Uri uri) {
                    public HttpURLConnection openConnection(@NonNull Uri uri) {
```
```java
throws IOException {
    URL url = new URL(uri.toString());
    HttpURLConnection connection =
        (HttpURLConnection) url.openConnection();
    if (connection instanceof HttpsURLConnection) {
        // optional: use your own trust manager to set a custom
        // SSLSocketFactory on the HttpsURLConnection
    }
    return connection;
}
}).build();

return new AuthorizationService(context, appAuthConfig);
}

public static AuthState restoreAuthState(Context context) {
    // we use SharedPreferences to store a String version of the JSON
    // Auth State, and here we retrieve it to convert it back to a POJO
    SharedPreferences sharedPreferences =
        PreferenceManager.getDefaultSharedPreferences(context);
    String jsonString = sharedPreferences.getString("AUTHSTATE", null);
    if (!TextUtils.isEmpty(jsonString)) {
        try {
            return AuthState.jsonDeserialize(jsonString);
        } catch (JSONException jsonException) {
            // handle this appropriately
        }
    }
    return null;
}
public class AuthResultHandlerActivity extends Activity {

    private static final String TAG = AuthResultHandlerActivity.class.getName();

    private AuthState mAuthState;
    private AuthorizationService mAuthService;

    @Override
    protected void onCreate(Bundle savedInstanceState) {
        super.onCreate(savedInstanceState);

        AuthorizationResponse res = AuthorizationResponse.fromIntent(getIntent());
        AuthorizationException ex = AuthorizationException.fromIntent(getIntent());
        mAuthState = new AuthState(res, ex);
        mAuthService = Utility.getAuthorizationService(this);

        if (res != null) {
            Log.d(TAG, "Received AuthorizationResponse");
            performTokenRequest(res.createTokenExchangeRequest());
        } else {
            Log.d(TAG, "Authorization failed: " + ex);
        }
    }

    @Override
    protected void onDestroy() {
        super.onDestroy();
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            mAuthState = new AuthState(res, ex);
            mAuthService = Utility.getAuthorizationService(this);

            if (res != null) {
                Log.d(TAG, "Received AuthorizationResponse");
                performTokenRequest(res.createTokenExchangeRequest());
            } else {
                Log.d(TAG, "Authorization failed: " + ex);
            }
        }

        @Override
        protected void onDestroy() {
            super.onDestroy();
        }
    }
}
mAuthService.dispose();

private void performTokenRequest(TokenRequest request) {
    TokenResponseCallback callback = new TokenResponseCallback() {
        @Override
        public void onTokenRequestCompleted(
            TokenResponse tokenResponse,
            AuthorizationException authException) {
            receivedTokenResponse(tokenResponse, authException);
        }
    };
    mAuthService.performTokenRequest(request, callback);
}

private void receivedTokenResponse(TokenResponse tokenResponse,
    AuthorizationException authException) {
    Log.d(TAG, "Token request complete");
    if (tokenResponse != null) {
        mAuthState.update(tokenResponse, authException);
    }
    // persist auth state to SharedPreferences
    PreferenceManager.getDefaultSharedPreferences(this)
        .edit()
        .putString("AUTHSTATE", mAuthState.jsonSerializeString())
        .commit();
    String accessToken = mAuthState.getAccessToken();
    if (accessToken != null) {
        // optional: pull claims out of JWT (name, etc.)
2.3.4 Executing the OAuth 2 Authorization Flow

1. In whatever activity you are using to initiate authentication, add in the necessary code to use the AppAuth SDK to execute the OAuth 2 authorization flow:

```java
public class AuthCanceledHandlerActivity extends Activity {
    private static final String TAG = AuthCanceledHandlerActivity.class.getName();

    @Override
    protected void onCreate(Bundle savedInstanceState) {
        super.onCreate(savedInstanceState);

        Log.d(TAG, "OpenID Connect authorization flow canceled");

        // go back to MainActivity
        finish();
    }
}
```

// some method, usually a "login" button, activates the OAuth2 flow
String OAUTH_AUTH_ENDPOINT = "https://as.example.com:9031/as/authorization.oauth2";
String OAUTH_TOKEN_ENDPOINT = "https://as.example.com:9031/as/token.oauth2";
String OAUTH_REDIRECT_URI = "myappscheme://app.example.com/oauth2redirect";
String OAUTH_CLIENT_ID = "myapp";
String OAUTH_PKCE_CHALLENGE_METHOD = "S256"; // options are "S256" and "plain"

// CREATE THE SERVICE CONFIGURATION
AuthorizationServiceConfiguration config = new
AuthorizationServiceConfiguration(
    Uri.parse(OAUTH_AUTH_ENDPOINT), // auth endpoint
    Uri.parse(OAUTH_TOKEN_ENDPOINT), // token endpoint
    null // registration endpoint
);  

// OPTIONAL: Add any additional parameters to the authorization request
HashMap<String, String> additionalParams = new HashMap<>();
aditionalParams.put("acr_values", "urn:acr:form");

// BUILD THE AUTHORIZATION REQUEST
    config,
    OAUTH_CLIENT_ID,
    ResponseTypeValues.CODE,
    Uri.parse(OAUTH_REDIRECT_URI))
    .setScopes("profile") // scope is optional, set whatever is needed by your app
    .setAdditionalParameters(additionalParams);

// SET UP PKCE CODE VERIFIER
String codeVerifier = CodeVerifierUtil.generateRandomCodeVerifier();
String codeVerifierChallenge = CodeVerifierUtil.deriveCodeVerifierChallenge(codeVerifier);
builder.setCodeVerifier(codeVerifier, codeVerifierChallenge, OAUTH_PKCE_CHALLENGE_METHOD);

AuthorizationRequest request = builder.build();

// PERFORM THE AUTHORIZATION REQUEST
// this pauses and leaves the current activity
Intent postAuthIntent = new Intent(this, AuthResultHandlerActivity.class);
Intent authCanceledIntent = new Intent(this,
    AuthCanceledHandlerActivity.class);
mAuthService.performAuthorizationRequest(
    request,
    PendingIntent.getActivity(this, request.hashCode(), postAuthIntent, 0),
    PendingIntent.getActivity(this, request.hashCode(), authCanceledIntent, 0));

...  

// when the activity resumes, check if the OAuth2 flow was successful
@Override
protected void onResume() {
    super.onResume();
    AuthState authState = Utility.restoreAuthState(this);
    if (authState != null) {
        // we are authorized!
        // proceed to the next activity that requires an access token
    }
}
...

2.3.5 Fetching and Using the Access Token

1. After you have proceeded from the prior activity, you can fetch your access token. If some time
has passed since you obtained the access token, you may need to use your refresh token to get
a new access token. AppAuth handles both cases the same way. Implement the following code
wherever you need to use the access token:

// assuming we have an instance of a Context as mContext...

// ensure we have a fresh access token to perform any future actions
final AuthorizationService authService = Utility.getAuthorizationService(mContext);
AuthState authState = Utility.restoreAuthState(mContext);
authState.performActionWithFreshTokens(authService, new
AuthState.AuthStateAction() {
    @Override
    public void execute(String accessToken, String idToken,
AuthorizationException ex) {
        JWT jwt = null;
        if (ex != null) {
            // negotiation for fresh tokens failed, check ex for more details
        } else {
            // we can now use accessToken to access remote services
            // this is typically done by including the token in an HTTP header,
            // or in a handshake transaction if another transport protocol is
            used
        }
    }
    authService.dispose();
};
3 How to Install and Configure the OAuth 2 AS

3.1 Platform and System Requirements

Ping Identity is used as the AS for this build. The AS issues access tokens to the client after successfully authenticating the resource owner and obtaining authorization [11].

The requirements for Ping Identity can be categorized into three groups: software, hardware, and network.

3.1.1 Software Requirements

The software requirements are as follows:

- OS: Microsoft Windows Server, Oracle Enterprise Linux, Oracle Solaris, Red Hat Enterprise, SUSE Linux Enterprise
- Virtual systems: VMware, Xen, Windows Hyper-V
- Java environment: Oracle Java Standard Edition (SE)
- Data integration: Ping Directory, Microsoft Active Directory (AD), Oracle Directory Server, Microsoft Structured Query Language (SQL) Server, Oracle Database, Oracle MySQL 5.7, PostgreSQL

3.1.2 Hardware Requirements

The minimum hardware requirements are as follows:

- Intel Pentium 4, 1.8-gigahertz (GHz) processor
- 1 gigabyte (GB) of Random Access Memory (RAM)
- 1 GB of available hard drive space

A detailed discussion on this topic and additional information can be found at

3.1.3 Network Requirements

Ping Identity identifies several ports to be open for different purposes. These purposes can include communication with the administrative console, runtime engine, cluster engine, and Kerberos engine. A detailed discussion on each port can be found at https://documentation.pingidentity.com/pingfederate/pf84/index.shtml#gettingStartedGuide/pf_t_installPingFederateRedHatEnterpriseLinux.html.

In this implementation, we needed ports to be opened to communicate with the administrative console and the runtime engine. For this experimentation, we have used the configuration identified in the following subsections.

3.1.3.1 Software Configuration

The software configuration is as follows:

- OS: CentOS Linux Release 7.3.1611 (Core)
- Virtual systems: Vmware ESXI 6.5
- Java environment: OpenJDK Version 1.8.0_131
- Data integration: Active Directory (AD)

3.1.3.2 Hardware Configuration

The hardware configuration is as follows:

- Processor: Intel(R) Xeon(R) central processing unit (CPU) E5-2420 0 at 1.90 GHz
- Memory: 2 GB
- Hard drive: 25 GB

3.1.3.3 Network Configuration

The network configuration is as follows:

- 9031: This port allows access to the runtime engine; this port must be accessible to client devices and federation partners.
- 9999: This port allows the traffic to the administrative console; only PingFederate administrators need access.
3.2 How to Install the OAuth 2 AS

Before the installation of Ping Identity AS, the prerequisites identified in the following subsections need to be fulfilled.

3.2.1 Java Installation

Java 8 can be installed in several ways on CentOS 7 using `yum`. Yum is a package manager on the CentOS 7 platform that automates software processes, such as installation, upgrade, and removal, in a consistent way.

1. Download the Java Development Kit (JDK) in the appropriate format for your environment, from Oracle’s website; for CentOS, the Red Hat Package Manager (RPM) download can be used: http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/downloads/jdk8-downloads-2133151.html.

2. As root, install the RPM by using the following command, substituting the actual version of the downloaded file:
   ```bash
   rpm -ivh jdk-8u151-linux-x64.rpm
   ```

3. Alternatively, the JDK can be downloaded in .tar.gz format and unzipped in the appropriate location (i.e., `/usr/share` on CentOS 7).

3.2.2 Java Post Installation

The `alternatives` command maintains symbolic links determining default commands. This command can be used to select the default Java command. This is helpful even in cases where there are multiple installations of Java on the system.

1. Use the following command to select the default Java command:
   ```bash
   alternatives --config java
   ```

   There are 3 programs which provide `java`.

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<td>3</td>
<td>/usr/java/jdk1.8.0_131/jre/bin/java</td>
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   Enter to keep the current selection[+], or type selection number:

   This presents the user with a configuration menu for choosing a Java instance. Once a selection is made, the link becomes the default command system wide.
2. To make Java available to all users, the JAVA_HOME environment variable was set by using the following command:

   ```bash
   echo export JAVA_HOME="/usr/java/latest" > /etc/profile.d/javaenv.sh
   ```

3. For cryptographic functions, download the Java Cryptography Extension (JCE) Unlimited Strength Jurisdiction Policy Files 8 from


4. Uncompress and extract the downloaded file. The installation procedure is described in the Readme document. In the lab, `local_policy.jar` was extracted to the default location, `<java-home>/lib/security`. Network Configuration.

5. Check if the firewall is running or not by using the command below. If it is up, it will return a status that shows it is running:

   ```bash
   firewall-cmd --state
   ```

   a. If it is not running, activate the firewall by using the following command:

   ```bash
   sudo systemctl start firewalld.service
   ```

6. Check if the required ports, 9031 and 9999, are open by using the following command:

   ```bash
   firewall-cmd --list-ports
   ```

   a. This command will return the following values:

   ```
   6031/tcp 9999/udp 9031/tcp 9998/udp 9031/udp 9999/tcp 9998/tcp
   8080/tcp
   ```

   From the returned ports, we can determine which ports and protocols are open.

   b. In case the required ports are not open, issue the command below. It should return success.

   ```bash
   firewall-cmd --zone=public --permanent --add-port=9031/tcp
   ```

   ```bash
   success
   ```

7. Reload the firewall by using the following command to make the rule change take effect:

   ```bash
   firewall-cmd --reload
   ```

   ```bash
   Success
   ```

   a. Now, when the open ports are listed, the required ports should show up:

   ```bash
   firewall-cmd --zone=public --list-ports
   ```

   ```
   6031/tcp 9999/udp 9031/tcp 6031/udp 9998/udp 9031/udp 9999/tcp 9998/tcp
   8080/tcp 5000/tcp
   ```
3.2.3 PingFederate Installation

Ping installation documentation is available at https://docs.pingidentity.com/bundle/pf_sm_installPingFederate_pf82/page/pf_t_installPingFederateRedHatEnterpriseLinux.html#.

Some important points are listed below:

- Obtain a Ping Identity license. It can be acquired from https://www.pingidentity.com/en/account/sign-on.html.
- For this experiment, installation was done using the zip file. Installation was done at /usr/share.
- The license was updated.
- The PingFederate service can be configured as a service that automatically starts at system boot. PingFederate provides instructions for doing this on different OSs. In the lab, the Linux instructions at the link provided below were used. Note that, while the instructions were written for an init.d-based system, these instructions will also work on a systemd-based system.
  - https://docs.pingidentity.com/bundle/pf_sm_installPingFederate_pf82/page/pf_t_installPingFederateServiceLinuxManually.html#

The following configuration procedures are completed in the PingFederate administrative console, which is available at https://<ping-server-hostname>:9999/pingfederate/app.

3.2.4 Certificate Installation

During installation, PingFederate generates a self-signed TLS certificate, which is not trusted by desktop or mobile device browsers. A certificate should be obtained from a trusted internal or external CA, and should be installed on the PingFederate server. The private key and signed certificate can be uploaded and activated for use on the run-time server port and the admin port by navigating to Server Settings in the console and clicking on SSL Server Certificates.

In addition, most server roles described in this guide will require the creation of a signing certificate. This is required for a SAML or OIDC IdP, and for an OAuth AS if access tokens will be issued as JWTs. To create or import a signing certificate, under Server Configuration – Certificate Management, click Signing & Decryption Keys & Certificates. A self-signed certificate can be created, or a trusted certificate can be obtained and uploaded there.

3.3 How to Configure the OAuth 2 AS

Configuration of a Ping OAuth 2 AS is described at https://documentation.pingidentity.com/pingfederate/pf82/index.shtml#concept_usingOauthMenuSelections.
This guide documents the configuration for an AS serving the role of the *idm.sandbox* server hosted in the Motorola Solutions cloud instance, as depicted in Figure 1-1. This AS is configured to support the three usage scenarios—local user authentication at the AS, redirection to a SAML IdP, and redirection to an OIDC IdP—and to initiate the correct login flow based on an IdP discovery mechanism.

An understanding of the PingFederate OAuth implementation helps provide context for the configurations documented in this guide. PingFederate supports several different authentication flows and mechanisms, but there is a common framework for how user attributes are mapped into OAuth tokens. This framework is depicted in Figure 3-1, which is taken from PingFederate’s documentation at https://documentation.pingidentity.com/pingfederate/pf83/index.shtml#concept_mappingOauthAttributes.

Figure 3-1 Access Token Attribute Mapping Framework

The overall OAuth processing flow at the AS is as follows:

1. The AS receives an OAuth authorization request from an unauthenticated user.
2. The AS authenticates the user through the configured authentication adapters, IdP connections, and/or authentication policies.

3. Information from adapters or policy contracts, optionally combined with user information retrieved from data stores such as Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP), are used to build a persistent grant context. The two mandatory attributes in the persistent grant context are listed below:

   - **USER_KEY** – This is a globally unique user identifier. For ASs that interact with multiple IdPs, this name should be resistant to naming collisions across user organizations (e.g., email address or distinguished name).

   - **USER_NAME** – If the user is prompted to authorize the request, this name will be displayed on the page, so a user-friendly name, such as [givenName lastName], could be used here; the name does not need to be unique.

4. If authorization prompts are enabled, the user is prompted to approve the authorization request; for this lab build, these prompts were disabled on the assumption that fast access to apps is a high priority for the PSFR community.

5. If the request is authorized, a second mapping process takes place to populate the access token with information from the persistent grant and, optionally, from adapters, policy contracts, or data stores.

   Note that persistent grant attributes are stored and can be retrieved and reused when the client uses a refresh token to obtain a new access token, whereas attributes that are looked up in the second stage would be looked up again during the token refresh request. Storing attributes in the persistent grant can therefore reduce the need for repeated directory queries; however, it may be preferable to always query some attributes that are subject to change (like account status) again when a new access token is requested. In addition, it is important to note that storing persistent grant attributes requires a supported relational database or LDAP data store. Refer to the following documentation for a list of supported data stores:


The following steps go through the configuration of the AS.

1. Enable the PingFederate installation to work as an AS. This can be done in the following steps:
   a. Under **Main**, click the **Server Configuration** section tab, and then click **Server Settings**.
   b. In **Server Settings**, click the **Roles & Protocols** tab. The Roles & Protocols screen will appear as shown in Figure 3-2.
   i. Click **ENABLE OAUTH 2.0 AUTHORIZATION SERVER (AS) ROLE**.
ii. Click **ENABLE IDENTITY PROVIDER (IDP) ROLE AND SUPPORT THE FOLLOWING**, and then under it, click **SAML 2.0**. Although this server does not act as a SAML IdP, it is necessary to enable the IdP role and at least one protocol to configure the local user authentication use case.

iii. Click **ENABLE SERVICE PROVIDER (SP) ROLE AND SUPPORT THE FOLLOWING**, and then under it, click **SAML 2.0** and **OPENID CONNECT**; this enables integration with both types of IdPs.
Figure 3-2 Server Roles for AS

Select the role(s) and protocol(s) that you intend to use with your federation partners.

- **Enable OAuth 2.0 Authorization Server (AS) Role**
  - OpenID Connect

- **Enable Identity Provider (IDP) Role and Support the Following:**
  - SAML 2.0

- **Enable Service Provider (SP) Role and Support the Following:**
  - SAML 2.0

Other options include:
- Attribute Requester Mapping for X.509 Attribute Sharing Profile (KASP)
- SAML 1.1
- SAML 1.0
- WS-Federation
- WS-Trust
- Inbound Provisioning
- OpenID Connect
- Enable IDP Discovery Role (SAML 2.0 Only)
c. Also under Server Settings, on the Federation Info tab, enter the BASE URL and SAML 2.0 ENTITY ID (Figure 3-3). The BASE URL should use a public DNS name that is resolvable by any federation partners. The SAML 2.0 ENTITY ID is simply an identifier string that must be unique among federation partners; it is recommended to be a Uniform Resource Identifier (URI), per the SAML 2.0 Core specification [12].

Figure 3-3 Federation Info

2. The next step is to configure the OAuth AS. Click the OAuth Settings section tab under Main.

   a. Click Authorization Server Settings under the Authorization Server header. This displays the Authorization Server Settings (Figure 3-4).
Figure 3-4 AS Settings

Authorization Server Settings

Provide general configuration and policy for the PingFederate Authorization Server.

- **Authorization Code Timeout (Seconds)**: 60
- **Authorization Code Entropy (Bytes)**: 30

Refresh Token and Persistent Grant Settings

- **Persistent Grant Lifetime (Blank for Indefinite)**: [Days]

- **Refresh Token Length (Characters)**: 42
- **Roll Refresh Token Values (Default Policy)**: [✓]
- **Minimum Interval to Roll Refresh Tokens (Hours)**: 0
- **Reuse Existing Persistent Access Grants for Grant Types**
  - [✓] Implicit
  - [✓] Authorization Code
  - [ ] Resource Owner Password Credentials

- **Bypass Authorization for Previously Approved Persistent Grants**: [ ]
- **Allow Unidentified Clients to Make Resource Owner Password Credentials Grants**: [ ]
- **Allow Unidentified Clients to Request Extension Grants**: [ ]

**Persistent Grant Extended Attributes**

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**OAuth Administrative Web Services Settings**

- **Password Credential Validator**: [SELECT]
The default settings are suitable for the lab build architecture; organizations may wish to customize these default settings in accordance with organizational security policy or usage requirements. Some notes on individual settings are provided below:

- **AUTHORIZATION CODE TIMEOUT (SECONDS)**: Once an authorization code has been returned to a client, it must be exchanged for an access token within this interval. This reduces the risk of an unauthorized client obtaining an access token through brute-force guessing or intercepting a valid client’s code. *Proof Key for Code Exchange (PKCE)* [13], as implemented by the AppAuth library, is another useful mechanism to protect the authorization code.

- **AUTHORIZATION CODE ENTROPY (BYTES)**: Length of the authorization code returned by the AS to the client, in bytes

- **REFRESH TOKEN LENGTH (CHARACTERS)**: Length of the refresh token, in characters

- **ROLL REFRESH TOKEN VALUES (DEFAULT POLICY)**: When selected, the OAuth AS generates a new refresh token value when a new access token is obtained.

- **MINIMUM INTERVAL TO ROLL REFRESH TOKENS (HOURS)**: The minimum number of hours that must pass before a new refresh token value can be issued.

- **REUSE EXISTING PERSISTENT ACCESS GRANTS FOR GRANT TYPES**:
  - **IMPLICIT**: Consent from the user is requested only for the first OAuth resource request associated with the grant.
  - **AUTHORIZATION CODE**: Same as above if the **BYPASS AUTHORIZATION FOR PREVIOUSLY APPROVED PERSISTENT GRANTS** is selected; this can be used to prompt the user for authorization only once to avoid repeated prompts for the same client.

- **PASSWORD CREDENTIAL VALIDATOR**: Required for Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP) Basic authentication if the OAuth Representational State Transfer (REST) Web Service is used for managing client apps; this functionality was not used for this build.

3. Next, configure scopes, as required, for the app. Click the **OAuth Settings** section tab, and then click **Scope Management**. The specific scope values will be determined by the client app developer. Generally speaking, scopes refer to different authorizations that can be requested by the client and granted by the user. Access tokens are associated with the scopes for which they are authorized, which can limit the authorities granted to clients. Figure 3-5 shows several scopes that were added to the AS for this lab build that have specific meanings in the PSX apps suite.
Define an Access Token Management profile. This profile determines whether access tokens are issued as simple reference token strings or as JWTs. For this lab build, JWTs were used. JWTs are signed and optionally encrypted, so resource servers can validate them locally and they can contain user attributes and other information. Reference tokens are also a viable option, but resource servers must contact the AS’s introspection endpoint to determine whether they are valid, and must obtain the granted scopes and any other information associated with them. The Access Token Management Profile also defines any additional attributes that will be associated with the token.

4. Create an Access Token Manager by following these steps:
   
   a. Create an Access Token Manager by following these steps:
      
   i. Click the OAuth Settings section tab, click Access Token Management, and then click Create New Instance.
   
   ii. On the Type tab, give the instance a meaningful name and ID, and select the token type (Figure 3-6).
5. On the next tab, **Instance Configuration**, select a symmetric key or certificate to use for JWT signing (Figure 3-7). In this instance, a signing certificate was created as described in Section 3.2.4. Tokens can also optionally be encrypted using JSON Web Encryption (JWE) [14]; in this case, the client developer would provide a certificate in order to receive encrypted messages. JWE was not used in the lab build.
Figure 3-7 Access Token Manager Instance Configuration

Access Token Management | Create Access Token Management Instance

Complete the configuration necessary to issue and validate access tokens. This configuration was designed to be specific to the selected Access Token Management plug-in.

A JSON Web Token (JWT) Bearer Access Token Management Plug-in that enables PingFederate to issue (and optionally validate) cryptographically secure self-contained OAuth access tokens.

SYMMETRIC KEYS
(A group of keys for use with symmetric encryption and MAC algorithms.)

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Add a new row to Symmetric Keys

CERTIFICATES
(A group of certificates and their corresponding public/private key pairs for use with signed tokens)

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Add a new row to Certificate

Field Name       Field Value       Description
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TOKEN LIFETIME    120              Defines how long, in minutes, an access token is valid.
JWST ALGORITHM    RSA using SHA-256
ACTIVE SYMMETRIC KEY ID
ACTIVE SIGNING CERTIFICATE KEY ID
JWST ALGORITHM    RSA using SHA-256
JWST CONTENT ENCRYPTION ALGORITHM
ACTIVE SYMMETRIC ENCRYPTION KEY ID
ASYMMETRIC ENCRYPTION KEY
ASYMMETRIC ENCRYPTION JWST URL

Manage Signing Certificates    Show Advanced Fields

Cancel   Previous   Next
6. On the **Access Token Attribute Contract** tab, add the two values **realm** and **sub** to the attribute contract (Figure 3-8).

**Figure 3-8 Access Token Manager Attribute Contract**

![Access Token Manager Attribute Contract](image)

7. The **Resource URIs** and **Access Control** tabs were not used for this build. Click **Save** to complete the Access Token Manager.

8. Next, one or more OAuth clients need to be registered with the AS. In the Motorola Solutions use case, the PSX Cockpit app is registered as a client. OAuth Client registration is described for PingFederate at: [https://documentation.pingidentity.com/pingfederate/pf82/index.shtml#concept_configuringClient](https://documentation.pingidentity.com/pingfederate/pf82/index.shtml#concept_configuringClient).

To create a new client, click the **OAuth Settings** section tab, click **Clients**, and then click **Create New**. Clients are displayed on the rightmost side of the screen in the **OAuth Settings** window. Once **Create New** is clicked, the screen shown in Figure 3-9 and Figure 3-10 will appear. Due to the vertical size of the pages of this document, the screenshot is divided into two parts for legibility.
Figure 3-9 OAuth Client Registration, Part 1
Figure 3-10 OAuth Client Registration, Part 2
The following are notes on the parameters on this screen:

- **CLIENT ID**: This is a required parameter. This is the unique identifier accompanied with each request that is presented to the AS’s token and authorization endpoints. For this lab build, Motorola Solutions assigned a client ID of “ssoclient_nist” for the instances of their apps on the test devices.

- **CLIENT AUTHENTICATION**: May be set to **NONE**, **CLIENT SECRET** (for HTTP basic authentication), or **CLIENT TLS CERTIFICATE**. For native mobile app clients, there is no way to protect a client secret or private key and provide it to all instances of the app with any guarantee of confidentiality, as a user might be able to reverse-engineer the app to obtain any secrets delivered with it, or to debug the app to capture any secrets delivered at run-time. Therefore, a value of **NONE** is acceptable for native mobile apps, when mitigated with the use of PKCE. For web clients, servers are capable of protecting secrets; therefore, some form of client authentication should be required.

- **REDIRECT URIS**: Redirection URIs are the URIs to which the OAuth AS may redirect the resource owner’s user agent after authorization is obtained. A redirect URI is used with the **Authorization Code** and **Implicit** grant types. This value is typically provided by the app developer to the AS administrator.

- **ALLOWED GRANT TYPES**: These are the allowed grant types for the client. For this lab build, the **Authorization Code** grant type was used exclusively.

- **DEFAULT ACCESS TOKEN MANAGER**: This is the Access Token Manager profile to be used for this client.

- **PERSISTENT GRANTS EXPIRATION**: This setting offers the option to override the global AS persistent grants settings for this client.

- **REFRESH TOKEN ROLLING POLICY**: This setting offers the option to override the global AS token rolling policy settings for this client.

Once these values are set, click **Save** to store the client.

This completes the required configuration for the AS’s interactions with OAuth clients. The following section outlines the steps to set up the AS to authenticate users.

### 3.4 How to Configure the OAuth 2 AS for Authentication

In this section, the AS is configured to authenticate users locally or through federation with a SAML or OIDC IdP. These settings depend on the selection of roles and protocols, as shown in Figure 3-2, therefore, ensure that has been completed before proceeding.
3.4.1 How to Configure Direct Authentication

The AS was configured to authenticate users with FIDO UAF authentication. This depends on the NNAS, Nok Nok Labs Gateway, and Nok Nok Labs UAF Plugin for PingFederate. See Section 5 for the installation and configuration instructions for those components. This section assumes that those components have already been installed and configured.

3.4.1.1 Configure Adapter Instance

1. First, an instance of the FIDO UAF adapter must be configured. Click the IdP Configuration section tab, and then click Adapters under Application Integration.

2. Click Create New Instance to create an IdP adapter instance. This will bring up the new tabbed screen shown in Figure 3-11.

   a. On the Type tab, the INSTANCE NAME and INSTANCE ID are internal identifiers and can be set to any meaningful values. The TYPE selection, “FIDO Adapter,” will not appear until the Nok Nok Labs UAF plugin has been successfully installed on the PingFederate server as described in Section 5.
On the **IdP Adapter** tab, specify the URLs for the Nok Nok Labs API and Gateway endpoints (Figure 3-12).

i. The **NNL SERVER POLICY NAME** field can be used to select a custom policy, if one has been defined on the Nok Nok Labs server; for this build, the default policy was used.
The **Extended Contract** tab was also left as the default for the adapter, which provides the `riskscore`, `transactionid`, `transactiontext`, and `username` values (Figure 3-13). If desired, additional attributes could be added to the contract and looked up in a user directory, based on the username returned from the adapter.
d. On the **Adapter Attributes** tab, select the **Pseudonym** checkbox for **username**. Pseudonyms were not used in the lab build, but a selection is required on this tab.

e. There is no need to configure an adapter contract, unless attributes have been added on the **Extended Contract** tab. Clicking **Done** and then **Save** completes the configuration of the adapter. Clicking the adapter name in the list of adapters brings up the **Adapter Instance Summary** tab, which lists all of the configured settings (Figure 3-14).
Some additional configurations are needed to tie this authentication adapter to the issuance of an OAuth token. It is possible to directly map the adapter to the access token context, but because the adapter will be incorporated into an authentication policy in this case, an Authentication Policy Contract Mapping is used instead.

### 3.4.1.2 Create Policy Contract

1. To create a Policy Contract, navigate to the **IdP Configuration** section tab, and select **Policy Contracts** under **Authentication Policies**. A policy contract defines the set of attributes that will be provided by an authentication policy.
2. Click **Create New Contract**.
   a. On the **Contract Info** tab, give the contract a meaningful name (Figure 3-15).
figure 3-15 policy contract information

b. on the **contract attributes** tab, add a value called **username** (figure 3-16).

figure 3-16 policy contract attributes

c. click **done**, and then click **save** to save the new contract.
3.4.1.3 Create Policy Contract Mapping

1. Create a mapping from the policy contract to the OAuth persistent grant. Click the OAuth Settings section tab, and then click Authentication Policy Contract Mapping under Token & Attribute Mapping.
   
   a. Select the newly-created policy contract, and then click Add Mapping (Figure 3-17).

2. An attribute source could be added at this point to look up additional user attributes, but this is not necessary. Click Save.

3. Skip the Attribute Sources & User Lookup tab.

4. On the Contract Fulfillment tab, map both USER_KEY and USER_NAME to the subject value returned from the policy contract (Figure 3-18).
No issuance criteria were specified. Click Next, and then click Save to complete the mapping.

3.4.1.4 Create Access Token Mapping

Finally, an access token mapping needs to be created. In this simple case, the adapter only provides a single attribute (username) and it is stored in the persistent grant, so a default attribute mapping can be used.


   a. Select Default for the CONTEXT (Figure 3-19).

   b. Select the ACCESS TOKEN MANAGER created previously (Figure 3-19).
c. Click **Add Mapping**.

d. Click **Next** to Skip the **Attribute Sources & User Lookup** tab.

e. On the **Contract Fulfillment** tab, configure sources and values for the **realm** and **sub** contracts (Figure 3-20). In this case, **realm** is set to the text string **motorolasolutions.com**. Click **Next**.

Figure 3-19 Create Access Token Attribute Mapping

![Create Access Token Attribute Mapping](image1)

Figure 3-20 Access Token Mapping Contract Fulfillment

![Access Token Mapping Contract Fulfillment](image2)
2. To complete the setup for direct authentication, the FIDO UAF adapter needs to be included in an authentication policy as described in Section 3.4.4.2.

3.4.2 How to Configure SAML Authentication

This section explains how to configure the AS to accept SAML authentication assertions from a SAML 2.0 IdP. This configuration is for RP-initiated SAML web browser SSO, where the authentication flow begins at the AS and the user is redirected to the IdP. Here, it is assumed that all of the steps outlined in Section 3.4 have been completed, particularly enabling the SP role and protocols.

3.4.2.1 Create IdP Connection

Establishing the relationship between the AS and IdP requires coordination between the administrators of the two servers, which will typically belong to two separate organizations. The administrators of the SAML IdP and RP will need to exchange their BASE URL and SAML 2.0 ENTITY ID values (available on the Federation Info tab under Server Settings) to complete the configuration. The IdP administrator must also provide the signing certificate of the IdP. If assertions will be encrypted, the AS administrator will need to provide the IdP administrator with the certificate to be used for the public key. Alternatively, administrators can export their SAML metadata and provide it to the other party to automate parts of the setup.

1. On the SP Configuration section tab, click Create New under IdP Connections.

a. On the Connection Type tab, select BROWSER SSO PROFILES, and choose SAML 2.0 for the PROTOCOL (Figure 3-21). If these options are not present, ensure that the roles are selected correctly in Server Settings.
On the **Connection Options** tab, select **BROWSER SSO**, and then under it, **OAUTH ATTRIBUTE MAPPING** (Figure 3-22).

**Figure 3-22 IdP Connection Options**

- Metadata import was not configured for the lab build; therefore, skip the **Import Metadata** tab.
d. On the **General Info** tab, enter the **PARTNER’S ENTITY ID (CONNECTION ID)** and **BASE URL** of the IdP, and provide a **CONNECTION NAME** (Figure 3-23).

Figure 3-23 IdP Connection General Info

![IdP Connection General Info Image]

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e. On the **Browser SSO** tab, click **Configure Browser SSO**. The Browser SSO setup has multiple sub-pages.

i. On the **SAML Profiles** tab, select **SP-Initiated SSO**. The **User-Session Creation** settings are summarized on the **Summary** tab; they extract the user ID and email address from the SAML assertion (Figure 3-24).
Figure 3-24 IdP Connection – User-Session Creation

IdP Connection | Browser SSO | User-Session Creation

Summary Information for Session Creation configuration. Click a heading link to edit a configuration setting.

User-Session Creation

Identity Mapping
Enable Account Mapping: true

Attribute Contract
Attribute: SAML_SUBJECT

Target Session Mapping
Adapter instance name: instanceAdapterName
Authentication policy contract name: myContractName

Adapter Instance
Selected adapter: instanceAdapterName

Adapter Data Store
Attribute location: Use only the attributes available in the SSO Assertion

Adapter Contract Fulfillment
uid: uid (Assertion)
mail: mail (Assertion)
subject: SAML_SUBJECT (Assertion)

Issuer Criteria
Criterion: (None)

Authentication Policy Contract
Selected contract: myContractName

Attribute Retrieval
Attribute location: Use only the attributes available in the SSO Assertion

Contract Fulfillment
uid: uid (Assertion)
mail: mail (Assertion)
subject: SAML_SUBJECT (Assertion)

Issuer Criteria
Criterion: (None)
ii. On the **OAuth Attribute Mapping Configuration** tab, select **MAP DIRECTLY INTO PERSISTENT GRANT**. Configure the OAuth attribute mapping as shown in Figure 3-25. This maps both required values in the persistent grant context to the SAML subject. Click **Next**, then **Next** again to skip the **Issuance Criteria** tab. Click **Save**.

Figure 3-25 IdP Connection OAuth Attribute Mapping

![OAuth Attribute Mapping Configuration](image)

iii. Click **Next** to proceed to the **Protocol Settings** tab. The **Protocol Settings** configure specifics of the SAML protocol, such as the allowed bindings. Configure these as shown in Figure 3-26. When finished, click **Save**, which will return you to the **Browser SSO** tab of the **IdP Connection** settings.
f. Click **Next**. On the **Credentials** tab, the IdP’s signing certificate can be uploaded. This is not necessary if the certificate is signed by a trusted CA.
3.4.2.2 Create Policy Contract

1. Create a policy contract as described in Section 3.4.1.2, with the attributes subject, mail, and uid (Figure 3-27).

3.4.2.3 Create Policy Contract Mapping

1. Create an OAuth policy contract mapping for the newly created policy as described in Section 3.4.1.3, mapping USER_NAME and USER_KEY to subject (Figure 3-28).
To complete the setup for SAML authentication, the FIDO UAF adapter needs to be included in an authentication policy as described in Section 3.4.4.2.

3.4.3 How to Configure OIDC Authentication

As with the configuration of a SAML IdP connection, integrating the AS with an OIDC IdP requires coordination between the administrators of the two systems. The administrator of the IdP must create an OIDC client registration before the connection can be configured on the AS side. The AS administrator must provide the redirect URI and, if encryption of the ID Token is desired, a public key. Unlike with SAML, there is no metadata file to exchange; however, if the IdP supports the OIDC discovery endpoint, the client can automatically obtain many of the required configuration settings from the discovery URL.

This section assumes that the AS role and OIDC SP support have been enabled via Server Settings, as described in Section 3.4. This section also uses the same authentication policy contract as the SAML authentication implementation. Create the policy contract as described in Section 3.4.2.2, if it does not already exist.

3.4.3.1 Create IdP Connection

1. On the SP Configuration section tab, click Create New under IdP Connections.

   a. On the Connection Type tab, select BROWSER SSO PROFILES, and then under it, select OpenID Connect for the PROTOCOL (Figure 3-29).
Figure 3-29 IdP Connection Type

![Image of IdP Connection Type]

- On the **Connection Options** tab, select **BROWSER SSO** and then under it, select **OAUTH ATTRIBUTE MAPPING** (Figure 3-30).

Figure 3-30 IdP Connection Options

![Image of IdP Connection Options]

- On the **General Info** tab, enter the **ISSUER** value for the IdP (Figure 3-31). This is the **BASE URL** setting available on the **Federation Info** tab, under the **Server Configuration** section tab on the IdP. Then click **Load Metadata**, which causes the AS to query the IdP’s
discovery endpoint. The message “Metadata successfully loaded” should appear. Provide a **CONNECTION NAME**, and enter the **CLIENT ID** and **CLIENT SECRET** provided by the IdP administrator.

**Figure 3-31 IdP Connection General Info**

On the **Browser SSO** tab, click **Configure Browser SSO**, then click **Configure User-Session Creation**. The **User-Session Creation** page will appear.

i. On the **Target Session Mapping** tab, click **Map New Authentication Policy**.
ii. On the **Authentication Policy Contract** tab, select the **AUTHENTICATION POLICY CONTRACT** created in Section 3.4.2.2 (in the example shown in Figure 3-32, it is called *myContractName*). If the policy contract has not been created, click **Manage Authentication Policy Contracts**, and create it now.

![Figure 3-32 IdP Connection Authentication Policy Contract](image)

iii. On the **Attribute Retrieval** tab, leave the default setting (use only the attributes available in the provider claims).

iv. On the **Contract Fulfillment** tab, map the **mail**, **subject**, and **uid** attributes to the **email**, **sub**, and **sub provider claims** (Figure 3-33).
v. No Issuance Criteria were configured; therefore, skip the Issuance Criteria tab.

vi. Click Next, then Done, and then click Done again to exit the User-Session Creation tab.

vii. On the OAuth Attribute Mapping Configuration tab, select Map Directly into Persistent Grant, and then click Configure OAuth Attribute Mapping.

viii. Click Next to skip the Data Store tab. On the Contract Fulfillment tab, map both USER_NAME and USER_KEY to the sub provider claim (Figure 3-34).
ix. Click **Done** to exit the **OAuth Attribute Mapping Configuration** setup. The **Protocol Settings** should be automatically populated through the information gathered from the discovery endpoint (Figure 3-35). If necessary, the scopes to be requested can be customized on the **Protocol Settings** tab; in the lab, these settings were left at the default.
x. Click **Done** to exit the **Browser SSO** configuration setup.

e. On the **Activation & Summary** tab, a **Redirect URI** will be generated (Figure 3-36). Provide this information to the IdP administrator, as it needs to be configured in the OpenID Client settings on the IdP side.

i. The **Connection Status** can also be configured to **ACTIVE** or **INACTIVE** on this tab.
f. Click **Save** to complete the **IdP Connection** setup.

### 3.4.3.2 Create the Policy Contract Mapping

The same policy contract mapping created earlier for the SAML integration can also be used for OIDC integration, as the attribute names are identical. If this policy contract mapping has not already been created, refer to **Section 3.4.2.3** to create it.

### 3.4.4 How to Configure the Authentication Policy

#### 3.4.4.1 Install the Domain Selector Plugin

When a single AS is integrated with multiple IdPs, it needs a means of determining which IdP can authenticate each user. In the lab build, a domain selector is used to determine whether the AS should authenticate the user locally, redirect to the SAML IdP, or redirect to the OIDC IdP. The domain selector prompts the user to enter the user’s email address or domain. The specified domain is used to select which branch of the authentication policy should be applied. Upon successful authentication, the domain selector sets a cookie in the browser to persist the domain selection to avoid prompting the user each time that the user authenticates.
PingFederate includes sample code for a Domain Selector plugin. Before the Domain Selector can be used in an authentication policy, it must be built. The source code for the selector is located under the PingFederate directory, in the directory `sdk/plugin-src/authentication-selector-example`.

1. Complete the following steps to build the selector:
   a. Edit the `build.local.properties` file in the PingFederate SDK directory to set the target plugin as follows:
      ```
      target-plugin.name=authentication-selector-example
      ```
   b. Run the following commands to build and install the plugin:
      ```
      $ ant clean-plugin
      $ ant jar-plugin
      $ ant deploy-plugin
      $ sudo service pingfederate restart
      ```

2. Once installed, the Domain Selector can be configured with the required values. On the IdP Configuration section tab, click Selectors under Authentication Policies.

3. Click Create New Instance.
   a. On the Type tab, provide a meaningful name and ID for the selector instance (Figure 3-37). For the TYPE, select Domain Authentication Selector.

Figure 3-37 Authentication Selector Instance
b. The next tab, **Authentication Selector**, prompts for the HyperText Markup Language (HTML) template for the page that will prompt the user to enter the domain or email address (Figure 3-38). The default value will use the template delivered with the adapter; if desired, a custom template can be used instead to modify the appearance of the page. Provide a cookie name, which will be used to persist the domain selection. Finally, the age of the cookie can be modified. By default, users will be prompted again to enter their domain after 30 days.

Figure 3-38 Authentication Selector Details

![Authentication Selector Details](image)

On the **Selector Result Values** tab, specify the expected domain values (Figure 3-39). When the domain selector is used in an access policy, different policy branches will be created for each of these values. In this case, if the domain is `motorolasolutions.com`, the user will be authenticated locally; if it is `lpsd.msso` or `spsd.msso`, the user will be redirected to the corresponding IdP to authenticate.
Click Done, and then click Save to complete the selector configuration.

### 3.4.4.2 Define the Authentication Policy


   a. Select the three checkboxes at the top of the Manage Authentication Policies page, which are shown in Figure 3-40.

   b. Select the Domain Selector as the first element in the policy (Figure 3-41). This will create policy branches for the three values defined for the policy selector.

   i. Select the corresponding authentication mechanism for each domain. The example shown in Figure 3-41 uses the IdP connections for the lpsd.msso and spsd.msso, as well as the “fidoonly” adapter for local authentication of users in the motorolasolutions.com domain.
There is no need to specify **Options** or **Success Rules**. For the two IdP connections, apply the **myContractName** policy contract upon success, with the contract mapping configured as shown in Figure 3-42.
For the “fidoonly” adapter, apply the `fidoAuthContract` with the contract mapping shown in Figure 3-43.
This completes the configuration of the AS.

4 How to Install and Configure the Identity Providers

PingFederate 8.3.2.0 was used for the SAML and OIDC IdP installs. The system requirements and installation process for PingFederate are identical to the OAuth AS installation documentation in Section 3.1 and Section 3.2. The IdP configuration sections pick up the installation process after the software has been installed, at the selection of roles and protocols.

4.1 How to Configure the User Store

Each IdP uses its own AD forest as a user store. AD was chosen due to its widespread use across many organizations. For the purposes of this project, any LDAP directory could have served the same purpose, but in a typical organization, AD would be used for other functions, such as workstation login and authorization to apps, shared drives, printers, and other services. The Active Directory Users and Computers console (Figure 4-1) was used to create user accounts and set attributes.
In addition to the user accounts that log into the lab apps, a service account must be created to enable the IdP to access and query the AD. This user’s LDAP Distinguished Name (DN) and password (in the example shown in Figure 4-1) are used in the PingFederate directory integration described below.

The procedure for connecting a PingFederate IdP to an LDAP directory is the same for a SAML or OIDC IdP. Documentation is provided at


1. To start the process, click the Server Configuration section tab on the left side of the PingFederate administrative console. The screen shown in Figure 4-2 will appear.
2. Click Data Stores under SYSTEM SETTINGS.

3. On the next screen, click Add New Data Store.

   a. The screen shown in Figure 4-3 will appear. On the Data Store Type tab, select LDAP for the data store type.

      i. Click Next.
b. On the **LDAP Configuration** tab, enter the connection parameters for your AD or LDAP environment (Figure 4-4). Some notes on the fields on this tab are provided below. Click **Save** to exit the LDAP configuration screen once the required settings have been entered.

- **HOSTNAME(S)**: Enter the Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN) or the complete Internet Protocol (IP) address of an AD domain controller. A port number can be specified if AD is running on non-standard ports.

- **LDAP TYPE**: This is the LDAP server in use—AD in this case.

- **BIND ANONYMOUSLY**: For AD environments, allowing anonymous BIND (Berkeley Internet Name Domain) is not recommended.

- **USER DN**: This is the Distinguished Name of the PingFederate user account created in AD; in this build architecture, this account is used only for querying AD, so it does not require any special privileges.

- **PASSWORD**: This is the password for the PingFederate AD user.

- **USE LDAPS**: This can be enabled if AD is configured to serve LDAP over TLS.

- **MASK VALUES IN LOG**: This prevents attributes returned from this data source from being exposed in server logs.
4.2 How to Install and Configure the SAML Identity Provider


   a. On the Roles & Protocols tab, enable roles and protocols to configure the server as a SAML IdP (Figure 4-5).
On the Federation Info tab, specify the BASE URL and SAML 2.0 ENTITY ID of the IdP (Figure 4-6). The BASE URL should be a URL resolvable by your mobile clients. The ENTITY ID should be a meaningful name that is unique among federation partners; in this case, the FQDN of the server is used.
4.2.1 Configuring Authentication to the IdP

This example configures an authentication policy that requires the user to authenticate with username and password and then with a FIDO U2F token.

4.2.1.1 Configure the Password Validator

1. On the Server Configuration section tab, click Password Credential Validators under Authentication.
2. Click Create New Instance.
   a. On the Type tab, for the TYPE, choose LDAP Username Password Credential Validator (Figure 4-7). This example will authenticate AD usernames and passwords by using the AD data store defined in Section 4.1.
b. On the **Instance Configuration** tab, specify the parameters for searching the LDAP directory for user accounts (Figure 4-8). Select the data store created in Section 4.1, and enter the appropriate search base and filter. This example will search for a *sAMAccount-Name* matching the username entered on the login form.
The Extended Contract tab enables the retrieval of additional attributes from the LDAP server, which can be used in assertions to RPs (Figure 4-9). The example shown in Figure 4-9 adds several AD attributes to the contract.
d. Finally, the **Summary** tab shows all of the values for the configured validator (Figure 4-10).
4.2.1.2 Configure the HTML Form Adapter

1. On the **IdP Configuration** section tab, click **Adapters**.

2. Click **Create New Instance**.

   a. On the **Type** tab, create the name and ID of the adapter, and select the **HTML Form IdP Adapter** for the **TYPE** (Figure 4-11).

   e. Click **Done**, and then click **Save** to complete the setup of the password validator.
On the **IdP Adapter** tab, add the **Password Validator** instance created in the previous section (Figure 4-12). This tab provides several options for customizing the login page and supporting password resets and password recovery that would be relevant to a Production deployment. In the lab, password resets were not supported, and these fields were left at their default values.
Figure 4-12 Form Adapter Settings

![Form Adapter Settings](image-url)

- **Challenge Retries**: Max value of User Challenge Retries.
- **Session State**: Determines how state is maintained within one adapter or between different adapter instances.
- **Session Timeout**: Session Max Timeout (in minutes). If left blank, the timeout will be the Session Max Timeout. If ‘None’ is selected for Session State.
- **Session Max Timeout**: Session Max Timeout (in minutes). Leave blank for individual sessions. If ‘None’ is selected for Session State.
- **Allow Password Changes**: Allows users to change their password using this adapter.
- **Password Management System**: A fully-qualified URL to your password management system where users can change their password. If left blank, password changes are handled by this adapter.
- **Enable Remember My Username**: Allows users to store their username as a cookie when authenticating with this adapter. Once stored, the username is pre-populated in the login form; no further action is required.
- **Change Password Email Notification**: Sends users an email notification upon a password change. This feature relies on the underlying PDM returning ‘mail’ and ‘generate’ attributes containing the user’s email address and a link to the new password.
- **Show Password Expiring Warning**: Shows a warning message to the user on login about an approaching password expiration.
- **Password Reset Type**: Select the method to use for self-service password reset. Depending on the selected method, additional settings are required to complete the configuration.

Manage IDP Adapter Instances | Create Adapter Instance

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On the Extended Contract tab, the same attributes returned from AD by the Password Validator are added to the adapter contract, to make them available for further use by the IdP (Figure 4-13).

Figure 4-13 Form Adapter Extended Contract

On the Adapter Attributes tab, select the Pseudonym checkbox for the username attribute.

There is no need to configure anything on the Adapter Contract Mapping tab, as all attributes are provided by the adapter. Click Done, and then click Save to complete the Form Adapter configuration.

4.2.1.3 Configure the FIDO U2F Adapter

Before this step can be completed, the FIDO U2F server, StrongAuth StrongKey CryptoEngine (SKCE), must be installed and configured, and the StrongAuth U2F adapter for PingFederate must be installed on the IdP. See Section 6 for details on completing these tasks.

1. On the IdP Configuration section tab, click Adapters.

2. Click Create New Instance.
a. Enter meaningful values for **INSTANCE NAME** and **INSTANCE ID**. For the **TYPE**, select “StrongAuth FIDO Adapter.” Click **Next**.

Figure 4-14 Create U2F Adapter Instance

![Image of create adapter instance interface]

b. On the **IdP Adapter** tab, keep the default value of the **HTML FORM TEMPLATE NAME** to use the template that is provided with the StrongAuth U2F plugin, or specify a custom template if desired to change the design of the user interface (Figure 4-15). The **FIDO SERVER URL**, **DOMAIN ID**, **SKCE SERVICE USER**, and **SKCE SERVICE USER PASSWORD** are determined in the setup of the SKCE; refer to **Section 6** for details.
There is no need to extend the contract for the U2F adapter; therefore, skip the Extended Contract tab.

On the Adapter Attributes tab, select the Pseudonym checkbox for the username attribute.

There is also no need for an Adapter Contract Mapping; therefore, skip the Adapter Contract Mapping tab.

Click Done, and then click Save.

4.2.1.4 Configure the Authentication Policies

On the IdP Configuration page, click Policies.

Under Manage Authentication Policies, click the ENABLE IDP AUTHENTICATION POLICIES checkbox, and create a policy that starts with the HTML Form Adapter action (Figure 4-16).
i. On the **Success** branch, add the FIDO U2F adapter (**FIDOADPT**) for the **Action**.

ii. Click **Save**.

**Figure 4-16 IdP Authentication Policy**

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### 4.2.2 Configure the SP Connection

Each RP that will receive authentication assertions from the IdP must be configured as an SP connection. As explained in **Section 3.4.2.1**, this activity requires coordination between the administrators of the IdP and the RP to provide the necessary details to configure the connection. Exchanging metadata files can help automate some of the configuration process.

This section documents the configuration for the SP connection between the SAML IdP in the NCCoE Lab and the OAuth AS in the Motorola Solutions cloud instance.
1. To create a new SP connection, click the IdP Configuration section tab, and then click Create New under SP Connections.

   a. On the Connection Type tab, select BROWSER SSO PROFILES, and select the SAML 2.0 protocol (Figure 4-17). In this case, SAML 2.0 is pre-selected because no other protocols are enabled on this IdP.

   Figure 4-17 SP Connection Type

   b. On the Connection Options tab, only BROWSER SSO needs to be selected.

   c. If metadata for the SP is available, it can be imported on the Import Metadata tab. This metadata can be specified in the form of a file upload or URL.

   d. On the General Info tab, enter the PARTNER’S ENTITY ID (CONNECTION ID) (Figure 4-18); this must match the ENTITY ID configured on the Federation Info tab in the Server Configuration of the SP. The SP’s BASE URL should also be added on this General Info tab.
e. On the **Browser SSO** tab, click **Configure Browser SSO**. This opens another multi-tabbed configuration screen.

i. On the **SAML Profiles** tab, different SSO and Single Log-Out (SLO) profiles can be enabled (Figure 4-19). Only **SP-INITIATED SSO** is demonstrated in this lab build.
ii. On the **Assertion Lifetime** tab, time intervals during which SPs should consider assertions valid can be configured in minutes before and after assertion creation. In the lab, these were both set to the default of five minutes.

iii. On the **Assertion Creation** tab, click **Configure Assertion Creation**. This opens a new multi-tabbed configuration screen.

1) On the **Identity Mapping** tab, select the **STANDARD** mapping (Figure 4-20). The other options are more suitable for situations where identifiers are sensitive or where there are privacy concerns over the tracking of users.
2) On the Attribute Contract tab, extend the contract to include the mail and uid attributes with the basic name format (Figure 4-21). Other attributes can be added here as needed.
3) On the **Authentication Source Mapping** tab, attributes provided by authentication adapters and policy contracts can be mapped to the assertion attribute contract, identifying which data will be used to populate the assertions. The FIDO U2F adapter and the HTML Form Adapter should appear under **Adapter Instance Name**. Select the HTML Form Adapter, as it can provide the needed attributes from LDAP via the Password Validator and the AD data store connection. This brings up another multi-tabbed configuration screen.

a) The **Adapter Instance** tab shows the attributes that are returned by the selected adapter. Click **Next**.

b) The **Mapping Method** tab provides options to query additional data stores to build the assertions, but in this case, all of the required attributes are provided by the HTML Form Adapter. Select **USE ONLY THE ADAPTER CONTRACT VALUES IN THE SAML ASSERTION**.

c) On the **Attribute Contract Fulfillment** tab, map the **SAML_SUBJECT**, **mail**, and **uid** attributes to the **username**, **mail**, and **userPrincipalName** adapter values (Figure 4-22).

![Figure 4-22 Assertion Attribute Contract Fulfillment](image)
d) No **Issuance Criteria** are required; therefore, skip the **Issuance Criteria** tab.

e) **Click Done** to exit the IdP Adapter Mapping.

4) **Click Done** to exit the Assertion Creation.

iv. On the **Protocol Settings** tab, options such as additional SAML bindings, signature policy details, and assertion encryption policies can be specified (Figure 4-23). For the lab build, these values were left at their default settings.

Figure 4-23 Browser SSO Protocol Settings

v. **Click Done** to exit Browser SSO.

f. On the **Credentials** tab, the certificate to use for signing assertions can be specified. A self-signed certificate can be generated by PingFederate, or a trusted certificate can be obtained and uploaded. **Click Configure Credentials** to create or manage signing credentials.

g. On the **Activation & Summary** tab, the connection status can be set to **ACTIVE**. All configured settings for the SP connection are also displayed for verification.

h. **Click Save** to complete the SP connection configuration.

This completes the configuration of the SAML IdP.
4.3 How to Install and Configure the OIDC Identity Provider

1. On the Server Configuration section tab, click Server Settings.
   a. On the Roles & Protocols tab, enable the roles and protocols as shown in Figure 4-24. Although the OIDC IdP does not actually use the SAML protocol, some required configuration settings are unavailable if the IdP role is not enabled.

Figure 4-24 OIDC IdP Roles

2. On the Federation Info tab, specify the BASE URL and SAML 2.0 ENTITY ID. The BASE URL must be a URL that is exposed to clients.

   b. On the OAuth Settings section tab, click Authorization Server Settings to configure general OAuth and OIDC parameters. The OIDC IdP’s settings on this page are identical to those for the OAuth AS; refer to Section 3.3 for notes on these settings.
3. On the **OAuth Settings** section tab, click **Scope Management**.

   a. Add the scopes defined in the OpenID Connect Core specification [15]:

   - openid
   - profile
   - email
   - address
   - phone

4.3.1 Configuring Authentication to the OIDC IdP

In the lab architecture, the OIDC IdP supports FIDO UAF authentication through integration with the NNAS and the Nok Nok Labs Gateway, using the Nok Nok FIDO UAF adapter for PingFederate. Configuring UAF authentication to the OIDC IdP cannot be completed until the Nok Nok Labs servers are available and the UAF plugin has been installed on the IdP server as specified in Section 5.

4.3.1.1 Configure the FIDO UAF Plugin

The steps to configure the FIDO UAF plugin for the OIDC IdP are identical to those documented in Section 3.4.1.1 for direct authentication using UAF at the AS. The only difference in the lab build was the URLs for the NNAS and the Nok Nok Labs Gateway, as the AS and the OIDC IdP used two different instances of the Nok Nok Labs server.

4.3.1.2 Configure an Access Token Management Instance

   1. On the **OAuth Settings** section tab, click **Access Token Management**.

   2. Click **Create New Instance**.

      a. On the **Type** tab, provide an **INSTANCE NAME** and **INSTANCE ID** (Figure 4-25).

      i. Select **Internally Managed Reference Tokens** for the **TYPE**.
Although we have selected reference tokens, the ID Token is always issued in the form of a JWT. The token that is being configured here is not the ID Token, but rather the access token that will be issued to authorize the RP to call the userinfo endpoint at the IdP to request additional claims about the user. Because this access token only needs to be validated by the OIDC IdP itself, reference tokens are sufficient. In the Authorization Code flow, the RP obtains both the ID Token and the access token in exchange for the authorization code at the IdP’s token endpoint.

b. Click the **Instance Configuration** tab to configure some security properties of the access token, such as its length and lifetime (Figure 4-26). For the lab build, the default values were accepted.
c. On the **Access Token Attribute Contract** tab, extend the contract with any attributes that will be included in the ID Token (Figure 4-27). In the example shown in Figure 4-27, several attributes that will be queried from AD have been added.
There is no need to configure the Resource URIs or Access Control tabs; these tabs can be skipped.

e. Click Done, and then click Save.

4.3.1.3 Configure an IdP Adapter Mapping

The IdP Adapter Mapping determines how the persistent grant attributes are populated using information from authentication adapters.

1. Click the OAuth Settings section tab, and then click IdP Adapter Mapping.

2. Select the UAF adapter instance created in Section 4.3.1, and then click Add Mapping.
a. On the Contract Fulfillment tab, map both USER_KEY and USER_NAME to the
username value returned from the adapter (Figure 4-28).

Figure 4-28 Access Token Contract Fulfillment

4.3.1.4 Configure an Access Token Mapping

The Access Token Mapping determines how the access token attribute contract is populated. In this example, the values returned from the adapter are supplemented with attributes retrieved from AD, and issuance criteria are used to require the user to be actually found in AD for a token to be issued. Depending on the credential and access life-cycle processes used in a given organization, there may be a lag in deactivating the authenticator or the AD account when a user’s access is terminated. Organizations’ authentication policies should account for these conditions and should allow or deny access appropriately.

1. On the OAuth Settings section tab, click Access Token Mapping.

2. Under CONTEXT and ACCESS TOKEN MANAGER, select the IdP Adapter and Access Token Manager created in the preceding steps, and click Add Mapping.

   a. On the Attribute Sources & User Lookup tab, click Add Attribute Source. This brings up another multi-tabbed configuration.

   i. On the Data Store tab, give the attribute source an ID and description (Figure 4-29). For ACTIVE DATA STORE, select the user store created in Section 4.1.
ii. On the **LDAP Directory Search** tab, specify the **BASE DN** and **SEARCH SCOPE**, and add the AD attributes to be retrieved (Figure 4-30). When specifying attributes, it is necessary to first select the root object class that contains the attribute. Common attributes associated with user accounts may be derived from the **User** or **OrganizationalPerson** class, for example. Refer to Microsoft’s AD Schema documentation [16] to identify the class from which a given attribute is derived.
iii. On the **LDAP Filter** tab, create the filter to select the relevant user account. In this example, the username from the adapter is matched against the AD SAM account name:

    sAMAccountName=${adapter.username}

iv. Click **Done** to exit the attribute source configuration.
b. On the **Contract Fulfillment** tab, specify the source and value to use for each attribute in the access token attribute contract (Figure 4-31).

**Figure 4-31 Access Token Contract Fulfillment**

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On the **Issuance Criteria** tab, define a rule that will prevent token issuance if the user account doesn’t exist in AD (Figure 4-32). In this case, the **objectClass** attribute, which all AD objects have, is checked for the **Value** called **user**. If no user account is found in AD, this attribute will have no **Value**, the **Condition** will be false, and the specified **Error Result** will appear in the PingFederate server log.

Figure 4-32 Access Token Issuance Criteria

Click **Done**, and then click **Save** to finish the Access Token Attribute Mapping configuration.

**4.3.1.5 Configure an OIDC Policy**

1. On the **OAuth Settings** tab, click **OpenID Connect Policy Management**.
2. Click **Add Policy**.

   a. On the **Manage Policy** tab, create a **POLICY ID** and **NAME**, and select the **INCLUDE USER INFO IN ID TOKEN** checkbox (Figure 4-33). This selection means that the user’s attributes will be included as claims in the ID Token JWT. The advantage of this approach is that the RP can directly obtain user attributes from the ID Token without making additional requests to the IdP. The alternative is to include only a subject claim in the ID Token, and to have the RP call the IdP’s userinfo endpoint to obtain additional user attributes.
b. On the **Attribute Contract** tab, the set of attributes in the contract can be edited (Figure 4-34). The contract is automatically populated with the standard claims defined in the OIDC Core specification. In the example shown in Figure 4-34, some claims have been removed and others have been added to accommodate the attribute available from AD.
Skip the Attribute Sources & User Lookup tab; there is no need to retrieve additional attributes.  On the Contract Fulfillment tab, populate the OIDC attributes with the corresponding values from the Access Token context (Figure 4-35).
There is no need for additional issuance criteria; therefore, skip the **Issuance Criteria** tab.

Click **Save** to complete the OIDC Policy configuration.
4.3.2 Configuring the OIDC Client Connection

Registering a client at an OIDC IdP is analogous to creating an SP connection at a SAML IdP. Some coordination is required between the administrators of the two systems. The client ID and client secret must be provided to the RP, and the RP must provide the redirect URI to the IdP.

1. To add a client, click the OAuth Settings section tab, and then click Create New under Clients.

   a. Create a CLIENT ID and CLIENT SECRET (Figure 4-36). If mutual TLS authentication is being used instead, the RP must provide its certificate, which can be uploaded to the client creation page. Only the Authorization Code grant type is needed for this integration. In the example shown in Figure 4-36, user prompts to authorize the sharing of the user’s attributes with the RP have been disabled in favor of streamlining access to apps.
This completes configuration of the OIDC IdP.
5 How to Install and Configure the FIDO UAF Authentication Server

For the lab build environment, the Nok Nok Labs S3 Authentication Suite provides FIDO UAF integration. The S3 Authentication Suite can support a variety of different deployments and architectures, as described in the Solution Guide [17]. This section briefly describes the overall deployment architecture used for this build.

The Nok Nok Labs SDKs can be directly integrated into mobile apps, providing UAF client functionality directly within the app. This deployment would be more suitable to use cases that do not involve federation, where the requirement is to authenticate users directly at the app back-end. Nok Nok Labs also provides “Out-of-Band” (OOB) integration. OOB can support workflows where a mobile device is used for true OOB authentication of logins or transactions initiated on another device, such as a laptop or workstation. OOB also can be used for authentication flows in a mobile web browser, including OAuth authorization flows or IdP authentication, as implemented in this build by using the AppAuth pattern.

When OOB is used in a cross-device scenario, the user must first register the mobile device by scanning a QR code displayed in the browser. Subsequent authentication requests can be sent by push notification to the registered device. When the OOB flow is initiated in a mobile browser, however, the authentication request can be sent directly to the app running the Nok Nok Labs SDK by using mobile platform technologies to open links directly in mobile apps (App Links for Android, or Universal Links for iOS). The FIDO client that processes the OOB authentication request can be either a custom app incorporating the Nok Nok Labs SDK, or the Nok Nok Labs Passport app, which provides a ready-made implementation.

The components of the Nok Nok Labs deployment for this build architecture are as follows:

- Nok Nok Labs Passport – provides UAF client functionality as well as Authenticator-Specific Modules (ASMs) and authenticators on the mobile device
- Nok Nok Labs PingFederate UAF Adapter – a PingFederate plugin providing integration between a PingFederate AS or IdP and the NNAS, enabling UAF authentication or transaction verification to be integrated into PingFederate authentication policies
- NNAS – provides core UAF server functionality, including the generation and verification of challenges, as well as APIs for interactions with UAF clients and the PingFederate Adapter
- Nok Nok Labs Gateway – provides a simplified interface to request FIDO operations from the Authentication Server, as well as integration with the existing app session management infrastructure
- Nok Nok Labs Gateway Tutorial App – a demonstration web app implementation that provides simple U2F and UAF authentication and registration workflows
In a typical production implementation, the gateway functions for authenticator management (registration and de-registration) would typically require strong authentication, implemented through the Gateway’s session management integration. Nok Nok Labs’ documentation for the PingFederate plugin provides examples for defining a “reg” OAuth scope to request authenticator registration. An OAuth Scope Authentication Selector could be used in a PingFederate authentication policy to trigger the required strong authentication process.

5.1 Platform and System Requirements

The following subsections list the hardware, software, and network requirements for the various Nok Nok Labs components.

5.1.1 Hardware Requirements

Nok Nok Labs specifies the following minimum hardware requirements for the NNAS and Nok Nok Labs Gateway components. The requirements for acceptable performance will depend on the anticipated user population and server load. See the Enabling Scalability & Availability section of the Solution Guide for architecture guidance on deploying the NNAS in a clustered configuration.

- Processor: 1 CPU
- Memory: 4 GB RAM
- Hard disk drive size: 10 GB

5.1.2 Software Requirements

Complete software requirements for the NNAS are provided in the Nok Nok Labs Authentication Server Administration Guide [18]. The major requirements are summarized below:

- OS: Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 or CentOS 7
- Relational database system: MySQL 5.7.10 or later versions, Oracle Database 12c, or PostgreSQL 9.2 or 9.4
- Application server: Apache Tomcat 8.0.x or 8.5.x
- Java: Oracle JDK Version 8
- Build tool: Apache Ant 1.7 or later versions
- For clustered deployments: Redis 2.8 or later versions
- Google Cloud Messenger (GCM) or Apple Push Notification System (APNS), if using push messages

The Nok Nok Labs PingFederate Adapter is compatible with PingFederate 8.1.3 or later versions.

The Nok Nok Labs Gateway is also deployed in Tomcat.
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The installation process for the Authentication Server is documented in the Administration Guide. A high-level summary is provided below, with notes relevant to the lab build:

- Install the OS and dependent software, including Java and Tomcat. The database can be installed on the same host as Tomcat, or remotely. Provision a TLS certificate for the server, and configure Tomcat to use TLS.
- The configuration for push notifications to support OOB authentication is not required for this build; push notifications would be used when the mobile device is used to authenticate logins or transactions initiated on a separate device.
- Follow the instructions to generate an encryption key, and encrypt database credentials in the installation script. Encrypting the push notification credentials is not required, unless that functionality will be used.
- For this lab build, the standalone installation was used. The standalone option uses the PostgreSQL database on the same host as the Authentication Server, and also installs the Tutorial app.
- After running the installation script, delete the encryption key (`NNL_ENCRYPTION_KEY_BASE64`) from `nnl-install-conf.sh`.
- For this lab build, the default policies and authenticators were used. In a production deployment, policies could be defined to control the authenticator types that could be registered and used to authenticate.
- Provisioning a Facet ID is not necessary for the OOB integration with Nok Nok Labs Passport, as used in the lab. If the Nok Nok Labs SDK were integrated with a custom mobile app, then the Facet ID would need to be configured, and the `facets.uaf` file would need to be published at a URL where it is accessible to clients.
- App link/universal link integration (optional) – In the lab, the default setting using an app link under `https://app.noknok.com` was used. This is acceptable for testing, but in a production deployment, an app link pointing to the IdP’s actual domain name would typically be used. It should be noted that the FQDN for the app link must be different from the authentication endpoint (i.e., the IdP’s URL) at least by sub-domain.
- Configure tenant-specific and global parameters. For the lab build, a single tenant was used. Many parameters can be left at the default settings. Some notes on specific parameters are provided below:
  - `uaf.application.id` – This should be a URL that is accessible to clients. In a production deployment, the AS may not be accessible, so this may need to be hosted on a different server.
• uaf.facet.id – There is no need to modify the Facet ID setting to enable the use of the Passport app for OOB authentication; however, if other custom apps were directly integrating the Nok Nok Labs SDK, they would need to be added here.

- For a production deployment, client certificate authentication to the Authentication Server should be enabled. This is done by configuring the Tomcat HTTP connector to require client certificates. This requires provisioning a client certificate for the gateway (and any other servers that need to call the Nok Nok Labs APIs). See the notes in Section 5.3 of the Administration Guide about configuring the Gateway to use client certificate authentication. A general reference on configuring TLS in Tomcat 8 can be found at https://tomcat.apache.org/tomcat-8.0-doc/ssl-howto.html.

5.3 How to Install and Configure the FIDO UAF Gateway Server

The Nok Nok Labs Gateway app is delivered as a Web Archive (WAR) file that can be deployed to a Tomcat server. For the lab build, it was deployed on the same server as the NNAS.

Configure the required settings in the nnlgateway.properties file, including the settings listed below:

- mfas_location – NNAS URL
- server.auth.enabled – should be set to true; also requires configuring the trust-store settings
- client.auth.enabled – see notes in Section 5.2 above; should be enabled for strong client authentication in production deployments; also requires configuring the keystore settings

In addition, the Gateway Tutorial app was installed by deploying the gwtutorial.war file and configuring the required URLs in gwtutorial.properties.

5.4 How to Install and Configure the FIDO UAF Adapter for the OAuth 2 AS

Nok Nok Labs provided a tar file containing a set of software tools for integration and testing with PingFederate. Version 5.1.0.501 of the Ping Integration library was used for the lab build. The installation process is summarized below; refer to the Nok Nok PingFederate Adapter Integration Guide [19] for full details:

1. Extract the adapter folder from the nnl-ping-integration-5.1.0.501.tar file onto the PingFederate server where the adapter will be installed.
2. Stop PingFederate if it is running, and run the installation script. The path to the PingFederate installation is passed as an argument; run the script by using an account with write access to the PingFederate installation:
   $ ./adapter-deploy.sh /usr/share/pingfederate-8.2.2/pingfederate
3. Configure the adapter.properties file (located in the PingFederate directory under server/default/conf) as required for the server and client TLS authentication settings specified
earlier in the Authentication Server configuration. If push notifications are enabled, configure the relevant settings.

4. The **Configure Session Manager** and **Deploy Nok Nok Gateway OOB** sections of the **Integration Guide** provide settings to use PingFederate to protect the Registration endpoint on the Nok Nok Labs Gateway. This could be used in conjunction with the custom “reg” scope and a PingFederate authentication policy to require strong authentication prior to UAF authenticator registration. This configuration was not tested in the lab.

The **Configure PingFederate Console** section of the **Integration Guide** walks through the complete configuration of a PingFederate OIDC provider. See **Section 4.3** of this guide for the procedure to configure the OpenID Provider.

### 6 How to Install and Configure the FIDO U2F Authentication Server

The SKCE from StrongAuth performs the FIDO U2F server functionality in the build architecture. StrongAuth’s main product is the StrongAuth Key Appliance, but the company also distributes much of its software under the **Lesser General Public License (LGPL)**, published by the Free Software Foundation. SKCE 2.0 Build 163 was downloaded from its repository on **Sourceforge** and was used for this build. For more information, documentation, and download links, visit the vendor’s site at **https://www.strongauth.com/products/foss**.

#### 6.1 Platform and System Requirements

The following subsections document the software, hardware, and network requirements for SKCE 2.0.

**6.1.1 Software Requirements**

StrongAuth’s website lists the OSs on which SKCE has been tested:

- CentOS 6.X or 7.X, 64-bit
- Windows 7 Professional, 64-bit

Since SKCE is a Java app, in theory it should be able to run on any OS that supports a compatible version of Java and the other required software. The app was built with the Oracle JDK Version 8, Update 72. For this build, SKCE was installed on a CentOS 7.4 server; therefore, these steps assume a Linux installation.

SKCE can be installed manually or with an installation script included in the download. SKCE depends on other software components, including an SQL database, an LDAP directory server, and the Glassfish Java app server. By default, the script will install MariaDB, OpenDJ, and Glassfish all on a single server. SKCE can also utilize AD for LDAP.
For this build, the scripted installation was used with the default software components. The required software components, which are listed below, must be downloaded prior to running the installation script:

- Glassfish 4.1
- Java Cryptography Extension (JCE) Unlimited Strength Jurisdiction Policy Files 8
- JDK 8, Update 121
- OpenDJ 3.0.0
- MariaDB 10.1.22
- MariaDB Java Client

See StrongAuth’s scripted installation instructions for details and download links: https://sourceforge.net/p/skce/wiki/Install%20StrongAuth%20CryptoEngine%202.0%20%28Build%2016%29%20scripted/.

To download OpenDJ, you must register for a free account for ForgeRock BackStage.

SKCE can also utilize an AD LDAP service. The LDAP directory contains system user accounts for managing the SKCE (generating cryptographic keys, etc.) Data pertaining to registered users and authenticators is stored in the SQL database, not in LDAP.

### 6.1.2 Hardware Requirements

StrongAuth recommends installing SKCE on a server with at least 10 GB of available disk space and 4 GB of RAM.

### 6.1.3 Network Requirements

The SKCE API is hosted on Transmission Control Protocol (TCP) Port 8181. Any apps that request U2F registration, authentication, or deregistration actions from the SKCE need to be able to connect on this port. Glassfish runs an HTTPS service on this port. Use firewall-cmd, iptables, or any other system utility for manipulating the firewall to open this port.

Other network services listen on the ports listed below. For the scripted installation, where all these services are installed on a single server, there is no need to adjust firewall rules for these services because they are only accessed from localhost.

- 3306 – MariaDB listener
- 4848 – Glassfish administrative console
- 1389 – OpenDJ LDAP service
6.2 How to Install and Configure the FIDO U2F Authentication Server

StrongAuth’s scripted installation process is documented at

The installation procedure consists of the following steps:

- Downloading the software dependencies to the server where SKCE will be installed
- Making any required changes to the installation script
- Running the script as root/administrator
- Performing post-installation configuration

The installation script creates a “strongauth” Linux user and installs all software under /usr/local/strongauth. Rather than reproduce the installation steps here, this section provides some notes on the installation procedure:

1. Download the software: Download and unzip the SKCE build to a directory on the server where SKCE is being installed. Download all installers as directed in the SKCE instructions to the same directory.

2. Change software versions as required in the install script: If different versions of any of the software dependencies were downloaded, update the file names in the install script (install-skce.sh). Using different versions of the dependencies, apart from minor point-release versions, is not recommended. For the lab build, JDK Version 8u151 was used instead of the version referenced in the instructions. This required updating the JDK and JDKVER settings in the file.

3. Change passwords in the install script: Changing the default passwords in the delivered script is strongly recommended. The defaults are readily discoverable, as they are distributed with the software. Passwords should be stored in a password vault or other agency-approved secure storage. Once the installation script has been run successfully, the script should be deleted or sanitized to remove passwords. The following lines in the install script contain passwords:

```
LINUX_PASSWORD=ShaZam123      # For 'strongauth' account
GLASSFISH_PASSWORD=adminadmin  # Glassfish Admin password
MYSQL_ROOT_PASSWORD=BigKahuna  # MySQL 'root' password
MYSQL_PASSWORD=AbracaDabra    # MySQL 'skles' password
SKCE_SERVICE_PASS=Abcd1234!   # Webservice user 'service-cc-ce' password
SAKA_PASS=Abcd1234!
SERVICE_LDAP_BIND_PASS=Abcd1234!
```
4. Set the App ID URL: The App ID setting in install-skce.sh should point to a URL that will be accessible to clients where the app.json file can be downloaded. The default location is a URL on the SKCE server, but the SKCE would not be exposed to mobile clients in a typical production deployment. In the lab, app.json was hosted on the PingFederate server hosting the IdP in the following location:

/usr/share/pingfederate-8.3.2/pingfederate/server/default/conf/template/assets/scripts

which enables the file to be accessed by clients at the following URL:


5. Run the script: install-skce.sh must be run as the root user. If the install script terminates with an error, troubleshoot and correct any problems before continuing.

6. (For CentOS 7) create firewall rule: The install script attempts to open the required port using iptables, which does not work on CentOS 7. In that case, the following commands will open the port:

   # firewall-cmd --permanent --add-port 8181/tcp
   success
   # firewall-cmd --reload
   success

7. Install additional libraries: Depending on how CentOS was installed, some additional libraries may be required to run the graphical key custodian setup tool. In the lab, the SKCE server did not include X11 or a graphical desktop, so the key custodian setup was run over Secure Shell (SSH) with X11 forwarding. To install additional libraries needed for this setup, run the following commands:

   # yum install libXrender
   # yum install libXtst

   Note that running the graphical configuration tool over SSH also requires configuring X11 forwarding in the SSH daemon (sshd) on the server, and using the -x command line option when connecting from an SSH client.

8. Run the key custodian setup tool: In production deployments, the use of a Hardware Security Module (HSM) and Universal Serial Bus (USB) drive for the security officer and key custodian credentials is strongly recommended. In the lab, the software security module was used. Also, the lab setup utilized a single SKCE server; in this case, all instructions pertaining to copying keys to a secondary appliance can be ignored.
9. Restart Glassfish: On CentOS 7, run the following command:

   $ sudo systemctl restart glassfishd

10. Complete Step 3b in the SKCE installation instructions to activate the cryptographic module.

11. Complete Step 3c in the SKCE installation instructions to create the domain signing key. When prompted for the App ID, use the URL referenced above in the App ID setting of the `install-skce.sh` script.

12. Complete Step 4 if you are installing secondary SKCE instances; this was not done for this build, but is recommended for a production installation.

13. Install a TLS certificate (optional): The SKCE installation script creates a self-signed certificate for the SKCE. It is possible to use the self-signed certificate, though PingFederate and any other servers that integrate with the SKCE would need to be configured to trust it. However, many organizations will have their own CAs, and will want to generate a trusted certificate for the SKCE for production use. To generate and install the certificate, follow the steps listed below:

   a. The keystore used by the SKCE Glassfish server is listed below:

      /usr/local/strongauth/glassfish4/glassfish/domains/domain1/config/keystore.jks

   b. The default password for the keystore is “changeit”.

   c. Use keytool to generate a keypair and certificate signing request. For example, the following commands generate a 2048-bit key pair with the alias “msso,” and export a Certificate Signing Request (CSR):

      $ keytool -genkeypair -keyalg RSA -keysize 2048 -alias msso -keystore keystore.jks
      $ keytool -certreq -alias msso -file strongauth.req -keystore keystore.jks

   d. Submit the CSR to your organization’s CA, and import the signed certificate along with the root and any intermediates:

      $ keytool -import -trustcacerts -alias msso-root -file lab-certs/root.pem -keystore keystore.jks
      $ keytool -import -alias msso -file lab-certs/strongauth.lpsd.msso.cer -keystore keystore.jks

   e. To configure the SKCE to use the new certificate, log into the Glassfish administrative console on the SKCE server. The console runs on Port 4848; the username is “admin,” and the password will be whatever was configured for `GLASSFISH_PASSWORD` in the `install-skce.sh` script.
i. Navigate to Configurations, server-config, HTTP Service, Http Listeners, http-listener-2, as shown in Figure 6-1. On the SSL tab, set the Certificate NickName to the alias that was created with the “keytool -genkeypair” command above.

Figure 6-1 Glassfish SSL Settings

![Glassfish SSL Settings](image)

f. Click Save, and then restart glassfish. If logged on as the glassfish user, run the following command:

   ```bash
   $ sudo service glassfishd restart
   ```

g. In a browser, access the SKCE web service on Port 8181, and ensure that it is using the newly created certificate.

h. For the FIDO Engine tests below to complete successfully, the main CA trust store for the JDK will need to be updated with your organization’s CA certificate. This can also be done with keytool:

   ```bash
   $ keytool -import -trustcacerts -file lab-certs/root.pem -keystore
   $JAVA_HOME/jre/lib/security/cacerts
   ```

14. Test the FIDO Engine: Follow the testing instructions under Step D at the following URL:

   [https://sourceforge.net/p/skce/wiki/Test%20SKCE%202.0%20using%20client%20program%20-%20Build%20163/](https://sourceforge.net/p/skce/wiki/Test%20SKCE%202.0%20using%20client%20program%20-%20Build%20163/)
There are additional tests on that web page to test the other cryptographic functions of the SKCE; however, only the FIDO Engine tests are critical for this build.

If the FIDO Engine tests are completed without errors, proceed to Section 6.3 to integrate the SKCE with the IdP. If any errors are encountered, the Glassfish log file (located at `/usr/local/strongauth/glassfish4/glassfish/domains/domain1/logs/server.log`) should contain messages to aid in troubleshooting.

### 6.3 How to Install and Configure the FIDO U2F Adapter for the IdP

To incorporate FIDO U2F authentication into a login flow at the IdP, some integration is needed to enable the IdP to call the SKCE APIs. In the lab build architecture, FIDO U2F authentication was integrated into a SAML IdP. PingFederate has a plugin architecture that enables the use of custom and third-party adapters in the authentication flow. StrongAuth provides a PingFederate plugin to enable PingFederate IdPs (or AS) to support U2F authentication. This section describes the installation of the plugin on a PingFederate server. For details on how to integrate U2F authentication to a login flow, see Section 4.2.1.3.

The StrongAuth plugin for PingFederate is delivered in a zip file containing documentation and all of the required program files.

1. To begin the installation process, upload the zip file to the PingFederate server where the StrongAuth plugin will be installed, and unzip the files.

2. If Apache Ant is not already installed on the server, install it now by using the server’s package manager. For CentOS, this can be done by running the following command:

   ```
   # yum install ant
   ```

3. Once Apache Ant is installed, follow the “Installation” instructions in the StrongAuth – Ping Federate FIDO IdP Adapter Installation Guide [20], which consist of copying the plugin files to the required directories in the PingFederate installation, and running `build.sh`. If the script runs successfully, it will build the plugin using Ant and restart PingFederate.

4. Follow the steps in “Table 2: Configure the SKCE” in the Installation Guide. For this build, the `app.json` file needs to be copied to a browser-accessible location on the PingFederate server where the plugin is being installed. In the lab, we placed it under the following location:

   ```
   /usr/share/pingfederate-8.3.2/pingfederate/server/default/conf/template/assets/scripts
   ```

5. This enables the `app.json` to be accessed at the URL `https://idp1.spsd.msso:9031/assets/scripts/app.json`. Note that Steps 4 and 5 in Table 2 of the Installation Guide are only required if the SKCE is using the default self-signed certificate; if a trusted certificate was installed as described in Section 6.2, then those steps can be skipped.
6. Download the JQuery 2.2.0 library at the URL below, and save it to the scripts folder referenced above: https://code.jquery.com/jquery-2.2.0.min.js.

7. Follow the steps in “Table 3: Configure the Ping Federate Instance” in the Installation Guide.

   Importing the SKCE self-signed certificate is not required if a trusted certificate was created.

   Installation of the JCE unlimited policy was described in the PingFederate installation instructions in Section 3, so that too can be skipped at this point, if it has already been done.

   Steps 7–9 should be completed in any case.

8. Follow the steps in “Table 4: Configuring the FIDO Adapter” in the Installation Guide. In Step 5, the Domain ID typically should be set to “1,” unless you have defined multiple domains in the SKCE. For the username and password, use the values configured earlier in install-skce.sh.

9. “Table 5: Ping Federate OAuth Configuration Steps” in the Installation Guide provides an example of how to incorporate U2F into a login flow, along with username/password form login, by creating a composite adapter that includes the login form and U2F adapters, and using a selector to activate the composite adapter whenever an OAuth authorization request includes the scope value “ldap.” Alternatively, the individual adapters can be called directly in an authentication policy. See Chapter 4 of the Installation Guide for additional examples of using U2F in authentication policies.

6.3.1 FIDO U2F Registration in Production

   By default, the StrongAuth Ping plugin enables the registration of U2F authenticators. In production, an authorized registration process should be established to provide adequate assurance in the binding of the authenticator to a claimed identity. If the FIDO adapter is accessible after single-factor password authentication, organizations may want to disable the registration functionality. See Section B.5 in Volume B of this guide for a discussion of FIDO enrollment.

7 Functional Tests

7.1 Testing FIDO Authenticators

   The FIDO Alliance implements a Functional Certification Program, in which products are evaluated for conformance to the UAF and U2F specifications. Purchasing FIDO-certified authenticators can help avoid potential authenticator implementation issues. Information on the certification program is available at https://fidoalliance.org/certification/, and the FIDO Alliance website also lists certified products.
Some resources are available to help troubleshoot individual authenticators:

- The Yubico demonstration site provides an interface for testing registration and authentication with U2F authenticators: [https://demo.yubico.com/u2f](https://demo.yubico.com/u2f).
- The Nok Nok Labs Gateway Tutorial App supports testing of the registration, authentication, and transaction verification functions of FIDO UAF authenticators.

### 7.2 Testing FIDO Servers

The StrongAuth SKCE documentation includes instructions on testing U2F authenticator registration, authentication, de-registration, and other functions. See Step 14 in [Section 6.2](#).

To test the NNAS, Nok Nok Labs provides the OnRamp mobile app in the Google Play Store and the Apple App Store to test the server APIs with UAF authenticators.

### 7.3 Testing IdPs

If federated authentication is failing, the issue may lie at the IdP or the AS. The PingFederate server log (located by default under `<pingfederate-directory>/log/server.log`), on both ends, should provide relevant messages.

In some cases, it may be beneficial to look at the assertions being issued by the IdP and to check for the expected attributes. This could be done by integrating a demonstration app as a federation client and debugging the data returned in the assertion. For SAML, projects like SimpleSAMLphp ([https://simplesamlphp.org/](https://simplesamlphp.org/)) provide an implementation that is easy to deploy. It is also possible to perform this testing without installing additional tools.

One method for SAML is to use Chrome Remote Debugging for Android devices: [https://developers.google.com/web/tools/chrome-devtools/remote-debugging/](https://developers.google.com/web/tools/chrome-devtools/remote-debugging/).

By logging the authentication flow in the Network pane of Chrome’s developer tools, the SAML response can be extracted and viewed. The authentication flow with the SAML IdP configured in this practice guide consists of a series of calls to the `SSO.ping` URL at the IdP. Because the SAML POST binding is used, the final `SSO.ping` response includes an HTML form that submits the SAML response back to the AS. The SAML response can be found in an input element in the page content:

```
<input type="hidden" name="SAMLResponse" value="PHNhbwXw01Jlc3BvbnNlIFZlcml0b3I9IjIuMCiGQU9Ik01T2xNN1Z2XZ5lVnpBU2doSHlsakFwLy1IuOIGsXNzdWYWJbnN0YW50PSiyMDE3LTEwLTEzVDEzOjQ5OjE3ljEwMFOiIEluUmVzcG9uc2VuZ0iS2RwMlxyfQ=="></input>
```

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```
<input type="hidden" name="SAMLResponse" value="PHNhbwXw01Jlc3BvbnNlIFZlcml0b3I9IjIuMCiGQU9Ik01T2xNN1Z2XZ5lVnpBU2doSHlsakFwLy1IuOIGsXNzdWYWJbnN0YW50PSiyMDE3LTEwLTEzVDEzOjQ5OjE3ljEwMFOiIEluUmVzcG9uc2VuZ0iS2RwMlxyfQ=="></input>
```
The "value" string is the base64-encoded SAML response. A few lines of Python can get the SAML response into a readable format. In this example, the value above has been saved to a file called samlresp.txt:

```python
$ python
Python 2.7.10 (default, Feb 7 2017, 00:08:15) [GCC 4.2.1 Compatible Apple LLVM 8.0.0 (clang-800.0.34)] on darwin
```

The value above has been saved to a file called samlresp.txt.
Type "help", "copyright", "credits" or "license" for more information.

```python
>>> import base64
>>> import xml.dom.minidom
>>> respFile = open("samlresp.txt", "r")
>>> respStr = base64.b64decode(respFile.read())
>>> respXml = xml.dom.minidom.parseString(respStr)
>>> print(respXml.toprettyxml())
<?xml version="1.0" ?>
<samlp:Response Destination="https://idm.sandbox.motorolasolutions.com/sp/ACS.saml2"
    ID="J5OlM6VqeneVzASghHyljAKbR.8" InResponseTo="Kdp1u_dq00yM_ftaeuebgF9o0PX"
    xmlns:samlp="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:protocol">
  <saml:Issuer
  <ds:Signature xmlns:ds="http://www.w3.org/2000/09/xmldsig#">
    <ds:SignedInfo>
      <ds:CanonicalizationMethod
          Algorithm="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/xml-exc-c14n#"/>
      <ds:SignatureMethod Algorithm="http://www.w3.org/2001/04/xmldsig-more#rsa-sha256"/>
      <ds:Reference URI="#J5OlM6VqeneVzASghHyljAKbR.8">
        <ds:Transforms>
          <ds:Transform
              Algorithm="http://www.w3.org/2000/09/xmldsig#enveloped-signature"/>
          <ds:Transform
              Algorithm="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/xml-exc-c14n#"/>
        </ds:Transforms>
        <ds:DigestMethod
            Algorithm="http://www.w3.org/2001/04/xmlenc#sha256"/>
        <ds:DigestValue>1vQiqCU6iYa33vQm+71lElVmiQHzOe9s+AM7Pa98VZA==</ds:DigestValue>
      </ds:Reference>
    </ds:SignedInfo>
    <ds:SignatureValue>
      LzRmBarY6nwFKvrv7S/oVacId1Ef8y1hWBWOCGgzz1kN4esVBSyKCSWb8JSXwC8VDsMrTw8C5L
      UDUt5u9tBkNVjxv5dt+5Nat9ykvfxWm0dpeIU0a1sn1B6w+d94heIBaWIXMY9YQh9gWt6Yt9Qa
      dFt6kEF5KSCKQAASem1201KWo+fbr1mg4e1m5LM8u7A7ZJ/aFvup3C6eydJp+Rli+z+Az3y9Wvc/6a
      byK10QgNi/0bnzkk7w/Jlty4fUDgWzmrZD2pH8xFALUnTWd0T5IzJ7njLAkAaSt460252nZA8aAb
      Uo080KDbvrier/Vq1LSqFcp2Ra+BhOCmDw9boLonw==
    </ds:SignatureValue>
  </ds:Signature>
</samlp:Response>
```
In the above example, two attributes, `uid` and `mail`, are asserted, but the `mail` attribute does not contain a valid email address.
For OIDC, because the ID Token is retrieved over a back-channel connection between the RP and the IdP, it cannot be observed in browser traffic. As with SAML, creating a test app is one method of testing, but manual testing is also possible by using a few software tools:

1. Register an OIDC client with a client secret and a redirect URI that points to a nonexistent server. A redirect URI value like `https://127.0.0.1/test-url` will work, assuming that you do not have a web server running on your machine. In a desktop browser, submit an authentication request with a URL like the one listed below:

   `https://op1.lpsd.msso:9031/as/authorization.oauth2?client_id=marktest&response_type=code&scope=openid%20address%20test%20phone%20openid%20profile%20name%20email`

2. Replace the server name and client ID with the correct values for your environment; also make sure that the scope parameter includes `openid` and any other expected scopes. Authenticate to the IdP. In this case, because the FIDO UAF adapter is in use but is being accessed through a desktop browser, it initiates an OOB authentication, which can be completed on the mobile device. Once authentication is completed, the browser will attempt to access the redirect URL, which will result in a connection error because no web server is running on localhost. However, the authorization code can be extracted from the URL:

   `https://127.0.0.1/test-url?code=Iv-pND_3o7_aJ5nFMcD-WbrVENrW7w5V75Cupx9G`

The authorization code can be submitted to the IdP’s token endpoint in a POST to obtain the ID Token. There are numerous ways to do this. Postman is a simple graphical-user-interface tool for testing APIs, and can be used to submit the request: [https://www.getpostman.com](https://www.getpostman.com).

Figure 7-1 shows Postman being used to retrieve an ID Token. A POST request is submitted to the OIDC IdP’s token endpoint; by default, the token endpoint URL is the base URL, followed by `/as/token.oauth2`. The authorization code is included as a query parameter. The client ID and client secret are used as the HTTP basic authorization username and password.
The response body is a JSON object, including the ID Token as well as an access token that can be used to access the userinfo endpoint. As with the SAML assertion, a few lines of Python can render the ID Token (which is a JWT) into a readable format:

```
$ python
Python 2.7.10 (default, Feb 7 2017, 00:08:15)
[GCC 4.2.1 Compatible Apple LLVM 8.0.0 (clang-800.0.34)] on darwin
Type "help", "copyright", "credits" or "license" for more information.
>>> import jwt
>>> import json
>>> idTokenStr = "eyJhbGciOiJSUzI1NiIsImtpZCI6Ikl3ZUVzcExQTUR5STVIME1xUnVRY18ifQ.eyJzdWIiOiJ1bmN2jb2V0ZXN0c3N5IiwiZXhwIjoxNjYwMjM0NjEzLCJpYXQiOjE2OTk5ODM5NzgsImF1ZCI6MTUxMDU4NjEzNnx0.G0EzK7jxXzssHHMpPbCk_e_rUF3MEW9JxMxvzlWW-wu0i2gQHRPEUytR2xfghfJaCilb9LMv-HT7Jfa8LARhkII7AmHa4QDqLo1ne2UMbJ1chraBKuoZt3z1KhTfMxi10qJFVmp9LdlwYmG1Dz2m192a7vdvkB7su-6A2xaxyCyn7mIFwpCaj3Naw0f1XKCRG0y6j_eJ9dfD9hyFyCRw0LTvzGig073h058pIe-xE47r_XhjDD5GiFGuoQhmPfCkxMmib6L1M3f4h9x1LMe_0GDF4divsf06H5TC-9UbccKF0AUDqO2K```

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>>> idToken = jwt.decode(idTokenStr, verify=False)
>>> print json.dumps(idToken, indent=4)
{
    "family_name": "UNCCoE",
    "aud": "marktest",
    "sub": "unccoetest4",
    "iss": "https://op1.lpsd.msso:9031",
    "preferred_username": "unccoetest4",
    "updated_at": 1499983978,
    "jti": "212kQiNU15oUhnLyA0ULSf",
    "given_name": "Test 4",
    "exp": 1510586135,
    "iat": 1510585835,
    "email": "unccoetest4@lpsd.msso",
    "name": "Test 4 UNCCoE"
}

This merely decodes the claims in the JWT without verifying the signature. If there is an issue with signature validation or trust in the signing key, these errors will be reported in the PingFederate server log.

### 7.4 Testing the AS

One simple step that can help identify problems at the AS is turning on the authorization prompts. This can be done on a per-client basis by deselecting the **BYPASS AUTHORIZATION APPROVAL** setting on the client configuration page, in the **OAuth Settings** section in the AS console. If the authorization prompt is displayed (Figure 7-2), this demonstrates that authentication has succeeded, and the list of scopes being requested by the client is displayed and can be verified.
It is also possible to manually obtain an access token by using the same procedure that was used in the previous section to obtain an ID Token; the only difference is that an OAuth request typically would not include the `openid` scope. If the issued access token is JWT, it can be analyzed using Python as described above.

If the token is not a JWT (i.e., a Reference Token management scheme is in use), the access token can be submitted to the AS’s introspection endpoint as specified in RFC 7662 [21]. The default location of the introspection endpoint for PingFederate is the base URL, followed by `/as/introspect.oauth2`. The request is submitted as a POST, with the access token in a query parameter called `token`. Basic authentication can be used with the client ID and secret as a username and password. The client must be authorized to call the introspection endpoint by selecting **Access Token Validation (Client is a Resource Server)** under **Allowed Grant Types** in the client configuration on the AS.
Figure 7-3 shows a token introspection request and response in Postman.

Figure 7-3 Token Introspection Request and Response

7.5 Testing the Application

One last potential problem area in this SSO architecture is the back-end app, which must accept and validate access tokens. Troubleshooting methods there will depend on the design of the app. Building robust instrumentation and error reporting into RP apps will help identify problems. If the app validates JWT access tokens, then establishing and maintaining trust in the AS’s signing certificate, including maintenance when the certificate is replaced, is essential to avoid validation problems. Clock synchronization between the AS and the RP is also important; a time difference of five minutes or more can cause validation errors as well.
## Appendix A  Abbreviations and Acronyms

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<td>API</td>
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<td>ASM</td>
<td>Authenticator-Specific Module</td>
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<td>Certificate Authority</td>
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<td>Certificate Signing Request</td>
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<td>DNS</td>
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<td>Hardware Security Module</td>
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<td>HTML</td>
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<td>ID</td>
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LGPL  Lesser General Public License
LPSD  Local Public Safety Department
MDM  Mobile Device Management
MFA  Multifactor Authentication
MSSO Mobile Single Sign-On
NAT  Network Address Translation
NCCoE  National Cybersecurity Center of Excellence
NFC  Near Field Communication
NIST  National Institute of Standards and Technology
NNAS  Nok Nok Labs Authentication Server
NTP  Network Time Protocol
OIDC  OpenID Connect
OOB  Out-of-Band
OS  Operating System
PHI  Protected Health Information
PII  Personally Identifiable Information
PIN  Personal Identification Number
PKCE  Proof Key for Code Exchange
PSCE  Public Safety Communications Research lab
PSFR  Public Safety and First Responder
PSX  Public Safety Experience
QR  Quick Response
RAM  Random Access Memory
REST  Representational State Transfer
RFC  Request for Comments
RP  Relying Party
RPM  Red Hat Package Manager
SaaS  Software as a Service
SAML  Security Assertion Markup Language
SDK  Software Development Kit
SE  Standard Edition
SKCE  StrongKey CryptoEngine
SLO  Single Log-Out
SP  Service Provider
SPSD  State Public Safety Department
SQL  Structured Query Language
SSH  Secure Shell
SSO  Single Sign-On
TCP  Transmission Control Protocol
TEE  Trusted Execution Environment
TLS  Transport Layer Security
U2F  Universal Second Factor
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