

Conditional Access - Authentication Context & Authentication Strength

Scenario Example 1 - Entra ID - Privileged Identity Management

Resources or Actions

Context applied



Required Strength*



PIM Role or Group Activation



Entra ID Role Activation
Group Membership Elevation



Phishing-Resistant MFA + reauthentication



Scenario Example 2 - Sharepoint - Sensitive Data Access

Resources & Actions

Context applied



Required Strength*



Sensitive Data Access



Configured Label on Site Specific Sharepoint Sites



Phishing-Resistant MFA + compliant device



Capabilities & Example Scenarios

Authentication Context: when and where such access will be enforced.

Authentication Strength: the required combinations of authentication methods.

Context and strength can be used together or separately depending on the scenario.

*Requirements for access 💡



Recommendations to utilize for increased security. Use independently or together.

- Authentication Strength
- Require device to be marked as compliant
- Session: Sign-in Frequency