

# Automation Engineer Level 1

## Exercise 3a

Connect to Mail Server



### Disclaimer

- This exercise may not work with your company email, if your company email uses Multi Factor Authentication (MFA).
- Consider using a personal outlook id for this exercise.
- For automation purposes, your IT team needs to add the test email account to the exception list of MFA.

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### Objective

By the end of this exercise, you will be able to create a connection to mail servers for sending or receiving mails using Tosca Mail Engine.

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### Why is this Important?

This is required to establish a connection to the mail server to send and/or receive mails using Tosca Mail Engine.

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### Project Perspective

In many end-to-end testing scenarios, email notification is verified, or an email confirmation is sent after a process has been completed.

### Instructions

1. Navigate to AE 1 **Exercises>>TestCases>>Email Engine** and Create a new TestCase and name it as **Connect to Mail Server and Send Mail**
2. Add the standard module **Connect to Mail Server** in this TestCase by using ctrl+T or dragging it from the Modules section
3. Input Values as shared in the table below:

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TestStepValue	Value	Action mode
Connection Name	MailServerConnection	Input
Mail Server	Smtp.office365.com	Input
Username	<your_email_id>	Input
Password	<your_password>	Input
Port	587	Input
Enable Security	True	Input
Protocol	SMTP	Input

4. Mark this TestCase **Completed** and Run it in ScratchBook.

### Expected Outcome

The TestCase will be executed successfully, and it will also establish a connection with the mail server.

### Note

- The Module **Connect to Mail Server** allows us to connect to the mail servers, but the actual connection is established when we send or receive mails using Mail Engine
- Add Send Mail test step to this TestCase to send mails
- Please center align the table contentBelow is a table of values to use for Outlook or Gmail mail servers

Mail Service Provider	Mail Server Value	Port
Outlook	Outlook.office365com	995
	Smtp.office365.com	587
Google	Smtp.gmail.com	587