

Single Sign On (Session 2)

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(Please go thru the Single Sign On (Session 1) Doc and Recording for complete understanding)

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SALESFORCE AS AN IDENTITY PROVIDER

Salesforce can act as a single sign-on (SSO) **identity provider** to service **providers**, allowing end users to easily and securely access many web and mobile applications with one login. When using **SAML** for federated authentication, enable **Salesforce** as an **identity provider** and then set up connected apps.

HOW TO ENABLE IDP IN SALESFORCE

Configure a domain using My Domain and deploy it to all users. For instructions, see [Set Up a My Domain Name](#).

From Setup, enter Identity Provider in the Quick Find box, select **Identity Provider**, and click **Enable Identity Provider**.

By default, a Salesforce identity provider uses a self-signed certificate generated with the SHA-256 signature algorithm. If you've already created self-signed certificates, select the certificate to use when securely communicating with other services.

If you want to use a CA-signed certificate instead of self-signed certificate, follow these steps.

After you enable Salesforce as an identity provider, you can create connected apps to provide access to service providers.

https://help.salesforce.com/articleView?id=identity_provider_enable.htm&type=5

IMAGE of Salesforce IDP setting after following the above steps

Identity Provider Setup
Edit
Disable
Download Certificate
Download Metadata

Details

Issuerhttps://ashishsh031191-dev-ed.my.salesforce.com

Currently chosen certificate details

Label	Training_SSO	Unique Name	Training_SSO
Created Date	4/15/2020 6:24 AM	Expiration Date	4/15/2022 5:00 AM
Key Size	4096		

SAML Metadata Discovery Endpoints

Salesforce Identity	https://ashishsh031191-dev-ed.my.salesforce.com/.well-known/samlidp.xml
ALOHA Community Identity	https://ashishsh031191comm-developer-edition.ap5.force.com/aloha/.well-known/samlidp.xml
Napili-managedpackage Community Identity	https://ashishsh031191comm-developer-edition.ap5.force.com/Napilimanagedpackage/.well-known/samlidp.xml
Napili3 Community Identity	https://ashishsh031191comm-developer-edition.ap5.force.com/Napili3/.well-known/samlidp.xml
alohatest Community Identity	https://ashishsh031191comm-developer-edition.ap5.force.com/alohatest/.well-known/samlidp.xml
napili Community Identity	https://ashishsh031191comm-developer-edition.ap5.force.com/napili/.well-known/samlidp.xml
napilicomm Community Identity	https://ashishsh031191comm-developer-edition.ap5.force.com/napilicomm/.well-known/samlidp.xml
newnapili Community Identity	https://ashishsh031191comm-developer-edition.ap5.force.com/newnapili/.well-known/samlidp.xml
partnercommunity Community Identity	https://ashishsh031191comm-developer-edition.ap5.force.com/partnercommunity/.well-known/samlidp.xml
salesforcetabcommunity Community Identity	https://ashishsh031191comm-developer-edition.ap5.force.com/salesforcetabcommunity/.well-known/samlidp.xml

After Enabling, you need to provide metadata file to the Service provider that you can download and give to your service provider. To obtain this metadata, from Setup, enter Identity Provider in the Quick Find box, select **Identity Provider**, then click **Download Metadata**. Then get the following information from your service provider:

- Assertion consumer service (ACS) URL
- Entity ID
- Subject type—Specifies if the subject for the SAML response from Salesforce (as an identity provider) is a Salesforce user name or a federation ID

https://help.salesforce.com/articleView?id=service_provider_prerequisites.htm&type=5

CREATE CONNECTED APP

From Setup, enter Apps in the Quick Find box, then select **Apps**.

Under Connected Apps, click **New**.

Specify the required fields under Basic Information.

Follow below article:


https://help.salesforce.com/articleView?id=service_provider_define.htm&type=5

Connected APP ScreenShot after following the above steps. Image 1

Connected App Name
Training_SSO_APP
Help for this Page

Back to List
Custom Apps

Edit
Delete
Manage



Version	1.0
API Name	Training_SSO_APP
Created Date	4/15/2020 6:29 AM
By	IDP_ORG_USER
Contact Email	ashishsharma@salesforce.com
Contact Phone	
Last Modified Date	4/15/2020 7:13 AM
By	IDP_ORG_USER
Description	
Info URL	

Web App Settings

Start URL	Entity Id	https://saml.salesforce.com/
ACS URL	Enable Single Logout	Disabled
Subject Type	Name ID Format	urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:1.1:nameid-format:unspecified
Issuer	IdP Certificate	Default IdP Certificate

Image 2 (after clicking on Manage button)

Connected App
Training_SSO_APP
Back to List: Custom Apps

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Connected App Detail

Edit Policies

Version Description 1

System Info

Installed By JPE-ORG-USSES

Last Modified By JPE-ORG-USSES

Installed Date 4/15/2020 6:29 AM

Last Modified Date 4/15/2020 7:13 AM

Basic Information

Info URL

Start URL

Mobile Start URL

SAML Service Provider Settings

Entity ID https://saml.salesforce.com/

Subject Type Federation ID

IdP Certificate Default_SP_Certificate

Name ID Format urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:1.1:nameid-format:unspecified

Verify Request Signatures

Enable Single Logout Disabled

ACS URL https://abhisarma031191-dev-ed.my.salesforce.com/?so=00D7F0000000uY/s

Issuer https://ashishsh031191-dev-ed.my.salesforce.com

SAML Login Information

View and download SAML endpoint metadata for your organization, communities, or custom domains.

Your Organization Download Metadata

IdP-Initiated Login URL https://ashishsh031191-dev-ed.my.salesforce.com/idp/login?app=0sp7F0000008QDdb

SP-Initiated POST Endpoint https://ashishsh031191-dev-ed.my.salesforce.com/idp/endpoint/httpPost

SP-Initiated Redirect Endpoint https://ashishsh031191-dev-ed.my.salesforce.com/idp/endpoint/httpRedirect

Metadata Discovery Endpoint https://ashishsh031191-dev-ed.my.salesforce.com/well-known/saml?Training_SSO_APP_url

Single Logout Endpoint https://ashishsh031191-dev-ed.my.salesforce.com/services/auth/idp/saml2/logout

For Communities

Custom Connected App Handler

Apex Plug-In Class

Run As

User Provisioning Settings

Enable User Provisioning

Trusted IP Range for OAuth Web Server Flow

No application-defined IP ranges

Profiles

Manage Profiles

Profile

Profile Description

System Administrator

CREATE SINGLE SIGN ON SETTING IN OTHER DEV ORG

After Enabling The Identity provider in IDP org, you need to create Single Sign ON Setting in Other org:

SAML Single Sign-On Settings

[Back to Single Sign-On Settings](#)

Edit Delete Clone Download Metadata SAML Assertion Validator

Name SalesforceTraining

API Name SalesforceTraining

SAML Version 2.0

Issuer https://ashishsh031191-dev-ed.my.salesforce.com

Entity ID https://saml.salesforce.com/

Identity Provider Certificate C=USA, ST=CA, L=San Francisco, O=Salesforce.com, OU=00D7F0000000sDqj, CN=Training_SSO

Request Signing Certificate SelfSignedCert_01Jan2020_191838

Request Signature Method RSA-SHA256

Assertion Decryption Certificate Assertion not encrypted

SAML Identity Type Federation ID

SAML Identity Location Subject

Service Provider Initiated Request Binding HTTP POST

Identity Provider Login URL https://ashishsh031191-dev-ed.my.salesforce.com/idp/login?app=0sp7F0000008QDdb

Custom Logout URL

Custom Error URL

Single Logout Enabled

Just-in-time User Provisioning

User Provisioning Enabled

Endpoints

View SAML endpoints for your organization, communities, or custom domains.

Your Organization

Login URL https://abhisarma031191-dev-ed.my.salesforce.com/?so=00D7F0000000uY/s

Logout URL https://abhisarma031191-dev-ed.my.salesforce.com/services/auth/idp/saml2/logout

OAuth 2.0 Token Endpoint https://abhisarma031191-dev-ed.my.salesforce.com/services/oauth2/token?so=00D7F0000000uY/s

For Communities

LOGIN USING SINGLE SIGN ON USING SP INITIATED AND IDP INITIATED FLOWS.

>> USING IDP initiated flow:

Click on the IDP initiated Provider Login URL:

<https://ashishsh031191-dev-ed.my.salesforce.com/idp/login?app=0sp7F0000008QDdb>

SAML response will be sent to Service Provider if it is a valid one, we will be to login in SP org.

>> USING SP initiated flow:

Go to mydomain:

<https://abhisharma031191-dev-ed.my.salesforce.com/>

Click on SSO button, SAML request will be sent to IDP (information like issuer), we will login in IDP.

Then IDP org will send the SAML assertion, if it is valid, we will be able to login.

USE OF FEDERATION ID:

https://help.salesforce.com/articleView?id=service_provider_map_users.htm&type=5

If the Subject Type for the service provider definition is Federation ID, you must map the Salesforce user to the username used to sign into the service provider.

To map a Salesforce user to the app user:

1. From Setup, enter Users in the Quick Find box, then select **Users**, then click **Edit** for every user who needs to be mapped.
2. In Federation ID, under Single Sign On Information, enter the username to be used to log into the service provider.
3. Click **Save**.

HOW TO CHECK CERTIFICATE FROM SAML RESPONSE.

Capture the SAML response and search for the Certificate tag. Copy its encoded value and save to different file with .crt extension. Once saved, you will be able to see the certificate. This certificate can be matched with the existing certificate in SSO settings and if it is incorrect, you need to make the change in salesforce or IDP end.

DELEGATED SSO - OVERVIEW

You can integrate Salesforce with the authentication method of your choice using delegated authentication single sign-on (SSO). You can integrate with your LDAP (Lightweight Directory Access Protocol) server or authenticate with a token instead of a password. You manage delegated authentication at the permission level, not at the org level, giving you more flexibility. With permissions, you can require some users to use delegated authentication and others to use their Salesforce-managed password.

When a user tries to log in—either online or using the API—Salesforce validates the username and checks the user's permissions and access settings.

If the user has the Is Single Sign-On Enabled user permission, Salesforce doesn't validate the username and password. Instead, a web service call is made to the user's org to validate the username and password. When this user permission is enabled, Salesforce no longer manages the policies for user passwords, such as when passwords expire or the required minimum length. Instead, the delegated authentication endpoint's service enforces password policies.

HOW TO SETUP DELEGATED SSO

[HTTPS://HELP.SALESFORCE.COM/ARTICLEVIEW?ID=SSO_DELAUTHENTICATION_CONFIGURING.HTM&TYPE=5](https://help.salesforce.com/articleView?id=SSO_DELAUTHENTICATION_CONFIGURING.HTM&TYPE=5)

BT permissions required.

Single Sign-On: **Delegated** Authentication ? ✓

Profile level Permission

Is **Single** Sign-On Enabled ✓

*We can provide a permission set having this system setting to a particular user as well.

LOGIN USING AXIOM (DELEGATED) AFTER SETTING UP IN SALESFORCE.

<http://axiomsso.herokuapp.com/GenerateToken.action>

Configure

Ensure Salesforce is configured for Delegated Authentication Single Sign-On with this service:

- Delegated Authentication Single Sign-On must be activated for the organization.
- Enable the *Is Single Sign-On Enabled* profile permission for the users who should be re-directed to this service.
- Go to *Setup | Security Controls | Single Sign-On Settings | Delegated authentication* and set the *Delegated Gateway URL* to the following

- `http://axiomsso.herokuapp.com:80/services/AuthenticationService`

Single Sign-On Settings

Configure single sign-on in order to authenticate users in salesforce.com from external environments. Your organization has the following options available for single sign-on:

- Delegated authentication is a single sign-on method that uses a Web service call sent from salesforce.com to an endpoint.
- Federated authentication, a single sign-on method that uses SAML assertions sent to a Salesforce endpoint.

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SAML Assertion Validator

Delegated Authentication

Delegated Gateway URL

http://axiomsso.herokuapp.com:80/services/AuthenticationService

Force Delegated Authentication Callout

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Use this tool to authenticate using token-based Delegated Authentication. To view the state of the Token Store through out this process, see the [Token Store Viewer](#). Note, in a production environment, the Token Store would *never* be exposed, but it is displayed here for demonstration purposes.

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`http://axiomsso.herokuapp.com:80/services/AuthenticationService`

• Generate

Username:

Instance:

☐ Is Portal Login

• Login

Using the token credentials generated by the form above, log into Salesforce.

• Authenticate

The token will be passed back to Axiom from Salesforce for delegated authentication and removed from the Token Store to prevent future use.

DELEGATED AUTHENTICATION ERROR HISTORY

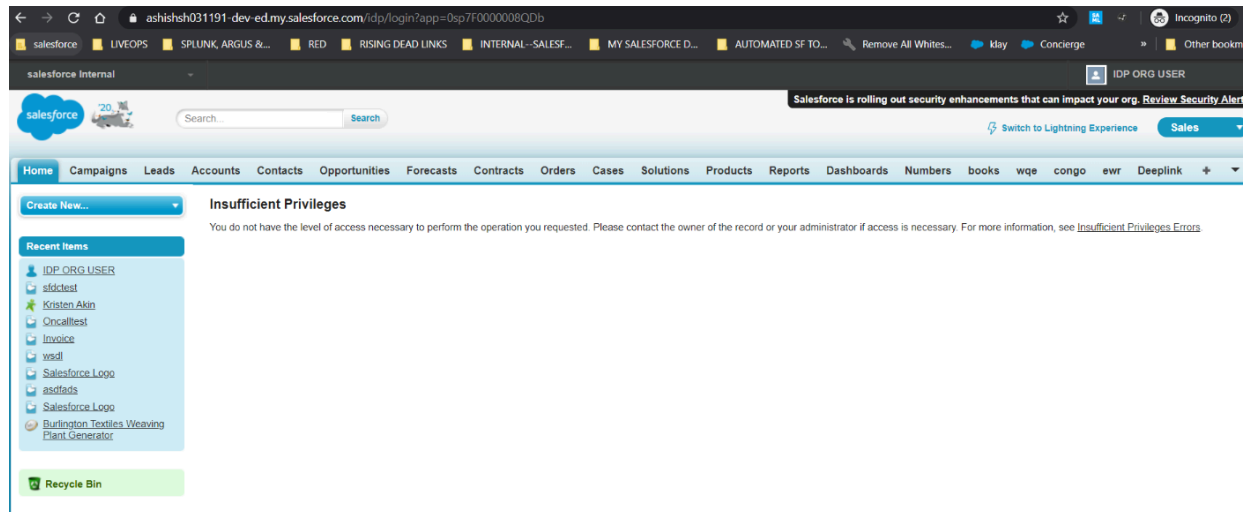
From Setup, enter Delegated Authentication Error History in the Quick Find box, then select **Delegated Authentication Error**

History.

For the twenty-one most recent login errors, you can view the user's username, login time, and the error.

COMMON SCENARIOS:

>> INSUFFICIENT PRIVILEGES ERROR AFTER LOGGING INTO IDP ORG.



Resolution:

Add Profile in the connected app created in IDP org(manage option).

>> USE SAML AND DELEGATED AUTHENTICATION SIMULTANEOUSLY

Yes, Delegated Authentication (DA) and Federated authentication can be enabled in an Org at the same time. You would have to make sure that the Salesforce 'Login Page' is also selected as a Login method under My Domain, in addition to SAML. If it is not selected, the request would be redirected to the IdP automatically. Since 'Is Single Sign-On Enabled' is a Profile Permission, Salesforce would validate their identity with the DA provider, where this is set on the Users Profile. Also, setting up DA with an invalid URL is the recommended way to prevent Password Resets even for SAML Based Auth, so they can certainly work together.

https://help.salesforce.com/articleView?id=000329322&language=en_US&type=1&mode=1

User Specific Settings

For Users needing to use DA: 'Is Single Sign-On Enabled' = true assigned via permission set or set on profile

For Users needing to use Federated: 'Is Single Sign-On Enabled' = false (i.e. DA not applied)

For Users needing to manually log-in via standard SF login page (i.e. Admins) : 'Is Single Sign-On Enabled' = false (i.e. DA not applied)

General Settings

Leave DA setup as-is in Org

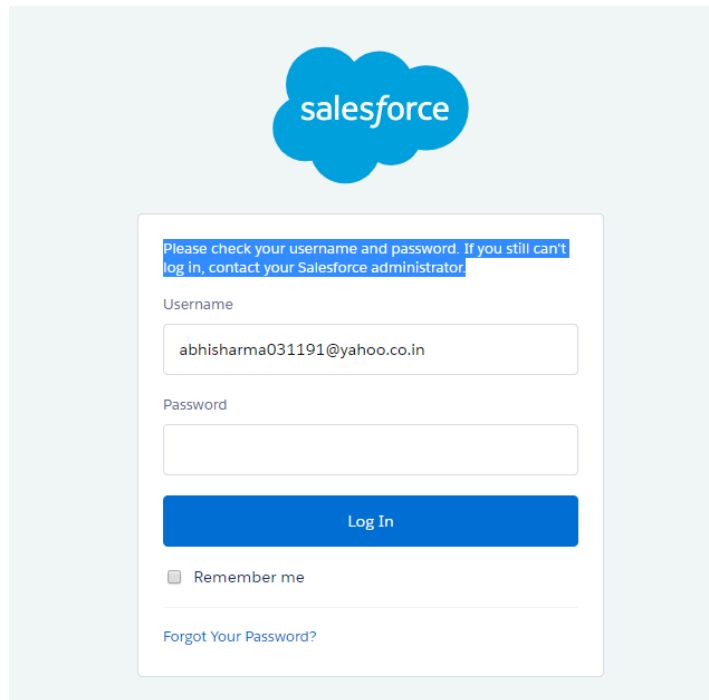
Enable Federated SSO (perform the necessary sub-steps to enable SSO)

Enable MyDomain in SF

Ensure available authentication methods selected includes both the Federated SSO service AND Login Page (these are what are

available to select on the SF login page) Domain Management | MyDomain
Ensure 'Prevent login from https://login.salesforce.com' setting is not checked

>> ERROR 1:



>> IS single Sign on permission is checked on user and they are trying to login using salesforce username password

>> Customer needs to use network password since delegated permission is checked and Delegated Gateway URL is not empty in SSO setting.

>> Else they need to use Federated SSO if the option is provided on login page.

>> ERROR 2:

In this scenario, Delegated permission is checked for the user but delegated gateway url is not provided.


Customer can't login using Salesforce Username and password.

If they claim, that they are using the network password, still not able to login.

Go to BT and check the Delegated Authentication Error History, you should see below type of logs:

Username----- Login Time-----
-----Error

abhisharma031191@yahoo.co.in



We can't log you in because you're only allowed to use single sign-on. For help, contact your Salesforce administrator.

Username

abhisharma031191@yahoo.co.in

Password

Log In

☐ Remember me

[Forgot Your Password?](#)

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java.net.MalformedURLException
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This means, their delegated URL is not correctly setup, in SSO settings and they need to update it.

Based on the other options (federated SSO) is not present in org, we need to act i.e. disable Delegated authentication so that they can login.

Check the scenario in dev org with axiom before requesting org wide disablement.