## **AUTHENTICATION AND AUTHORIZATION**

In the authentication process, the	While in authorization process, a the
identity of users are checked for	person's or user's authorities are checked
providing the access to the system.	for accessing the resources.
In the authentication process, users	While in this process, users or persons are
or persons are verified.	validated.
It is done before the authorization	While this process is done after the
process.	authentication process.
It needs usually the user's login	While it needs the user's privilege or
details.	security levels.
Authentication determines whether	While it determines What permission does
the person is user or not.	the user have?
Generally, transmit information	Generally, transmit information through an
through an ID Token.	Access Token.
The OpenID Connect (OIDC)	The OAuth 2.0 protocol governs the
protocol is an authentication	overall system of user authorization
protocol that is generally in charge	process.
of user authentication process.	
Popular Authentication	Popular Authorization Techniques-
Techniques-	Role-Based Access Controls (RBAC)
Password-Based Authentication	SON web token (JWT) Authorization
Passwordless Authentication	SAML Authorization
• 2FA/MFA (Two-Factor	OpenID Authorization
Authentication / Multi-Factor	OAuth 2.0 Authorization
Authentication)	
• Single sign-on (SSO)	

Social authentication	
The authentication credentials can	The authorization permissions cannot be
be changed in part as and when	changed by user as these are granted by the
required by the user.	owner of the system and only he/she has
	the access to change it.
The user authentication is visible at	The user authorization is not visible at the
user end.	user end.
The user authentication is identified	The user authorization is carried out
with username, password, face	through the access rights to resources by
recognition, retina scan,	using roles that have been pre-defined.
fingerprints, etc.	
Example: Employees in a company	Example: After an employee successfully
are required to authenticate through	authenticates, the system determines what
the network before accessing their	information the employees are allowed to
company email.	access.