# **Protecting Secrets**



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## Steps



#### 1. Create secret

- Password, SSH key, certificates
- <= 500 KB
- Swarm only
- Storage: encrypted, replicated Raft log
- STDIN or file
- Define in compose stack file

#### 2. Grant access to service

- docker service create -secret X
- stack compose file secrets section

### 3. App reads secret from /run/secrets/X

- in-memory filesystem

