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Configuring Google Chrome to Use a PAC File

To redirect your web traffic to the Zscaler cloud, you can configure your browser to use a PAC file. A PAC file is a text file that directs a browser to forward traffic to a proxy server before going to the destination server. The Zscaler service hosts a default PAC file that uses geo-location technology to forward traffic to the nearest ZIA Public Service Edge (formerly Zscaler Enforcement Node or ZEN). To learn more, see [Using Default PAC Files to Forward Traffic to ZIA](#).

The following steps describe how to configure Google Chrome to use a PAC file on Windows systems. These steps may differ for other operating systems such as macOS.









The browser version used in this example is Google Chrome 53.0.2785.143 m. These steps may vary for different versions of Google Chrome.

To view the default PAC file:



If you were provided a PAC file URL, skip the first two steps.

1. Go to **Administration > Hosted PAC Files**.
2. Copy the URL of the default PAC file for the Web to your clipboard.
 [See image.](#)
3. Open Google Chrome, open the **Chrome** menu, then click **Settings**. The **Settings** window appears.
 [See image.](#)
4. Click **Show advanced settings....** The **Show advanced settings...** window appears.
 [See image.](#)
5. Go to **Network** and click **Change proxy settings....** The **Internet Properties** window appears.
 [See image.](#)
6. Click **LAN settings**. The **Local Area Network (LAN) Settings** window appears.
 [See image.](#)
7. Select **Use automatic configuration script** and paste the PAC file URL that you copied in step 2.
 [See image.](#)
8. Click **OK** to save the configuration.

For more information about getting started on the Zscaler service, see [Getting Started](#).

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