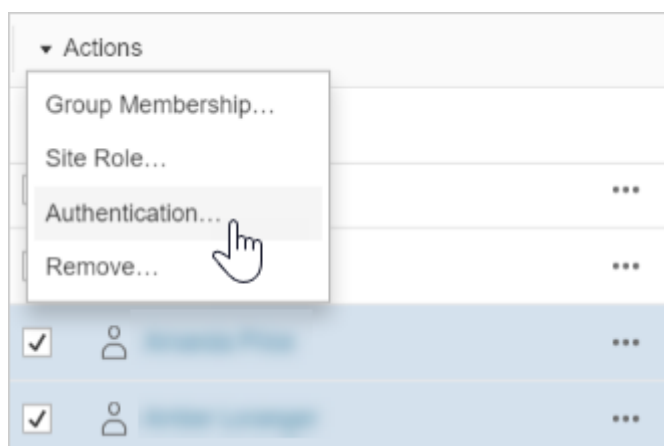


Set the User Authentication Type for SAML

On a site that has been configured for site-specific SAML, administrators can specify users' authentication type. For example, if Tableau Server was configured for site-specific SAML and server-wide SAML, administrators can specify which users authenticate with site-specific SAML and which users authenticate with server-wide SAML.

You can assign authentication type at the time you add users to [Tableau Server], as well as any time afterward.

1. When you're signed in to the [Tableau Server] site, select **Users**.
2. On the [Site Users] page, select the check boxes next to the users you want to assign an authentication type.
3. On the [Actions] menu, select [Authentication].



4. In the Authentication dialog box, select [Site SAML] or [Server Default].

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- Users that authenticate with site-specific SAML can only belong to one site. If a user needs to belong to multiple sites, set their authentication type to the server default. Depending on how site-specific SAML was configured by the server administrator, the server default is either local authentication or server-wide SAML.
- If you change users' authentication to site-specific SAML, the next time they sign in, they will be directed to your identity provider's site to provide their credentials.