Default open ports

The following ports are open by default on the IBM StoredIQ.

SSH port 22

By default, port 22 is open on all IBM StoredIQ hosts. The port is used for Secure Shell (SSH) communication and allows remote administration access to the VM. In general, traffic is encrypted using password authentication. To add a layer of security, you can establish key-based authentication for passwordless SSH logins to any of the IBM StoredIQ nodes in your environment as described in "Configuring SSH key-based authentication" on page 45.

Default open ports on the AppStack

| Port number | Protocol |
|-------------|----------|
| 22 | |
| 80 | |
| 443 | |

Default open ports on the IBM StoredIQ data server

| Port number | Protocol | Service |
|----------------|----------|---|
| 22 | | PROD-ssh |
| 80 | | PROD-web |
| 443 | | PROD-https (UI and Web Services APIs) |
| 11103 11104 | | PROD-transport (IBM StoredIQ transport services; communication between the gateway and the data server) |

Enable or disable ports or services on the IBM StoredIQ data server

To manage ports, you can use the /usr/local/storediq/bin/util/port handler.pyc script with the appropriate parameter:

python /usr/local/storediq/bin/util/port handler.pyc -parameter

-s

To list the current rules in iptables

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To list the supported services

-d port_number/'port_range'

To delete a port or a range of port numbers from iptables, for example:

python /usr/local/storediq/bin/util/port_handler.pyc -d '21200:21299'

-e 'service_name'

To enable a specific service, for example, to enable HTTPS services:

python /usr/local/storediq/bin/util/port_handler.pyc -e 'PROD-https'

-d 'service_name'

To disable a specific service, for example, to disable HTTPS services:

python /usr/local/storediq/bin/util/port_handler.pyc -d 'PROD-https'

Default open ports on the nodes in the Elasticsearch cluster

| Port Number | Protocol | Service |
|-------------|----------|--|
| 21 | | ftp |
| 22 | | sshd |
| 80 | | |
| 443 | | |
| 8888 | | SimpleHTTPServer (used for copying the siq-elasticsearch. yml configuration file from the Elasticsearch node to the data server) |
| 9200 | tcp6 | docker-proxy (listening for REST requests) You can restrict access to this port by either enabling Search Guard or by setting up a firewall. For more information, see "Securing Elasticsearch cluster communication with Search Guard" on page 51 or "Restricting access to port 9200 on Elasticsearch nodes" on page 52. |
| 9300 | tcp6 | docker-proxy (internode communication) |

Default open ports on the IBM StoredIQ gateway

| Port number | Protocol | Service |
|-------------|----------|--|
| 22 | | PROD-ssh |
| 80 | | PROD-web |
| 443 | | PROD-https (UI and Web Services APIs) |
| 5432 | | PROD-postgres |
| 5434 | | PROD-transport (IBM StoredIQ |
| 8765 | | transport services; communication between the gateway and the data |
| 7766 | | server) |

| Port number | Protocol | Service |
|-------------|----------|---------|
| 11102 | | |
| 11103 | | |
| 11104 | | |

Supported chain and rules on the IBM StoredIQ gateway

In iptables, the following firewall and chain rules are defined: