

# Store keys in HashiCorp Vault

You can use Tesseract to generate a private and public key pair in HashiCorp Vault. You must have [HashiCorp Vault configured and running](#).

The following example creates secrets with IDspublicKey andprivateKey at the secret pathsecretEngine/secretName :

```
tesseract -keygen -keygenvaulttype HASHICORP -keygenvaulturl\ -keygenvaultsecretengine secretEngine -filename secretName
```

You can use the [-filename](#) option to generate and store multiple key pairs at the same time:

```
tesseract -keygen -keygenvaulttype HASHICORP -keygenvaulturl\ -keygenvaultsecretengine secretEngine -filename myNode/keypairA,myNode/keypairB
```

Options exist for configuring TLS and AppRole authentication. By default, the AppRole path is set to approle.

```
tesseract -keygen -keygenvaulttype HASHICORP -keygenvaulturl\ -keygenvaultsecretengine -filename \ -keygenvaultkeystore -keygenvaulttruststore \ -keygenvaultapprole
```

You can [configure Tesseract to use HashiCorp Vault keys](#).

**Warning** Saving a new key pair to an existing secret overwrites the values stored at that secret. Previous versions of secrets can be retained and retrieved by Tesseract depending on how the K/V secrets engine is configured. When doing this, ensure you [specify the correct secret version in your Tesseract configuration](#). [Edit this page](#) Last updated on Oct 9, 2023 by dependabot[bot] [Previous File based keys](#) [Next Azure Key Vault keys](#)