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1 PURPOSE

The PingID API for Epic Hyperspace EPCS plugin is an integration for Epic Hyperspace's EPCS module to allow multi-factor authentication via PingID.

2 PREREQUISITES

This document assumes that you already have the following installed and configured:

- A functional Epic EPCS Hyperspace environment.
- Users must be provisioned in PingOne before using the plugin.
- A configured tenant in PingOne.
- Internet connectivity. Workstations utilizing the PingID device must have access to the internet.

 Typically this URL is https://idpxnyl3m.pingidentity.com/pingid, but you may find this

 URL by looking for the admin url key in your pingid.properties file.

3 EXPORTING PINGID.PROPERTIES FILE

In order to connect to PingID, the PingID device needs certain connection information obtained from the pingid.properties file. You may download this file by executing the following instructions:

- 1. Sign into your PingOne tenant at: https://admin.pingone.com/web-portal/
- 2. Click on the Setup category in the top navigation.
- 3. Click on the PingID tab.
- 4. Click on the Client Integration tab.
- 5. Under the section entitled Integrate with PingFederate and Other Clients click the Download button.

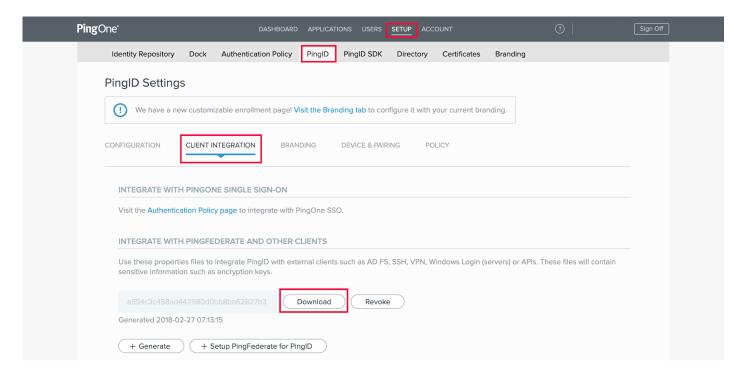


Figure 1- Exporting pingid. properties file

4 INSTALLATION

Installing the PingID for Epic Hyperspace EPCS plugin involves executing the installation file PingIDApiforEpicEPCS-1.1.4.exe. The following steps show a sample installation.

• Click the Browse button an select your organization's pingid.properties file and click the Next button.

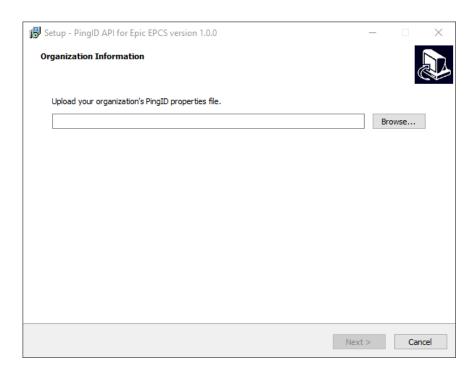


Figure 2-Enter organization information

• Select the installation location for the plugin files and click the Next button.

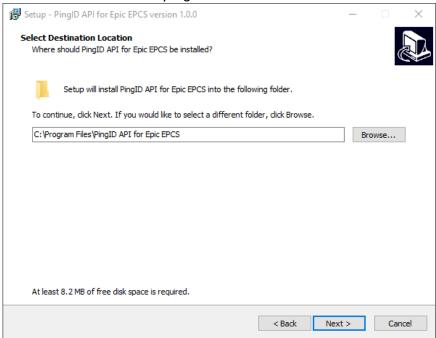


Figure 5-Select installation location

• Validate the installation summary and click the Install button.

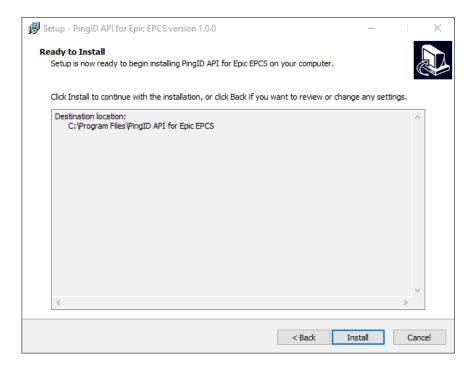


Figure 6-Validate installation summary

• Once complete you will be presented with the completion screen. Click the Finish button to exit the installation.

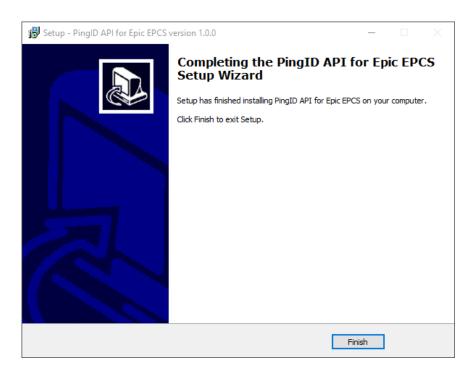


Figure 7-Installation completion

5 USAGE

The following is an example of using the plugin for multi-factor authentication.

• After initiating an EPCS within Hyperspace the plugin will open a window allowing the user to choose their method of MFA.

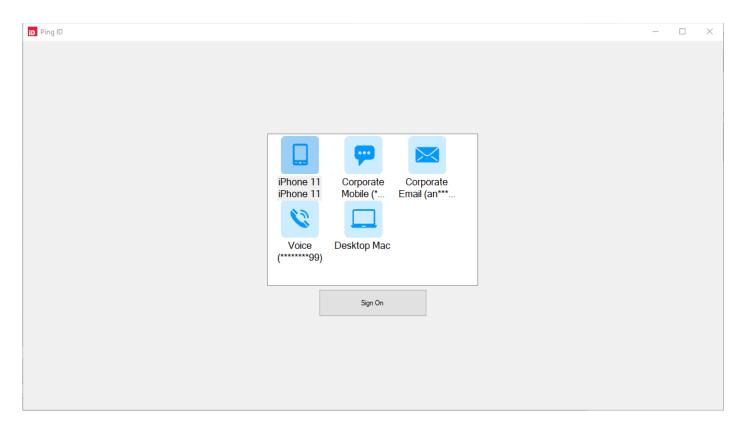


Figure 8-Change authenticating device

• The following is an example of using an SMS OTP device

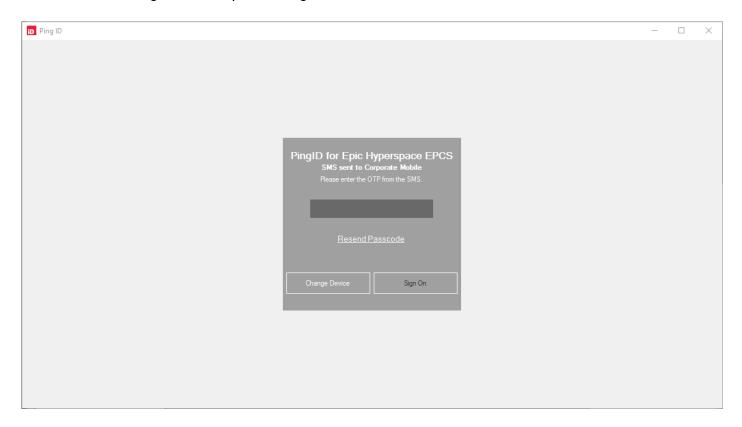


Figure 9-Authentication via SMS OTP

• The following is an example of using the PingID mobile application for authentication

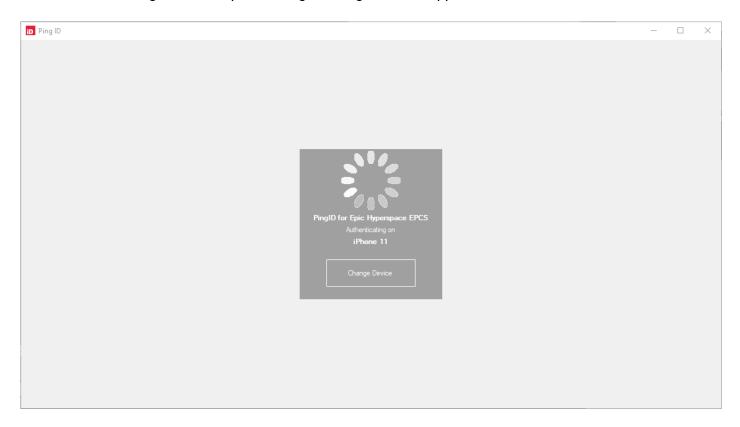


Figure 10-Authentication via PingID mobile application

6 PROGRAMID

When configuring Epic Hyperspace to utilize the PingID device, the ProgID is

PingIdApiDevice.PingIdApiOtpDevice

7 LOGGING

7.1 INSTALLATION

If there are error during the installation you may take advantage of the built-in logging of the installer. Run the installer with the following:

PingIDApiforEpicEPCS-1.1.4.exe /log=your-log.log

Review the log file to see if there are any obvious errors that can be addressed before running the installation again.

7.2 PINGID DEVICE LOGGING

Logging for the PingID device is accomplished through log4net. The log4net.config file in the installation folder controls the configuration.

```
<log4net>
 <root>
  <level value="NONE" />
  <appender-ref ref="file" />
 </root>
 <appender name="file" type="log4net.Appender.RollingFileAppender">
  <file type="log4net.Util.PatternString" value="%property{server}-%property{username}-pingid-api-for-epic.log" />
  <appendToFile value="true" />
  <rollingStyle value="Size" />
  <maxSizeRollBackups value="5" />
  <maximumFileSize value="100MB" />
  <staticLogFileName value="true" />
  <layout type="log4net.Layout.PatternLayout">
   <conversionPattern value="%date %property{transactionId} %level %logger - %message%newline" />
  </layout>
 </appender>
</log4net>
```

If you want to enable logging, set the level's value to DEBUG and restart Epic Hyperspace. By default, logging will be written to a file called <server>-<username>-pingid-api-for-epic.log somewhere on your filesystem (depending on where Epic Hyperspace is installed).

Note: users will not be able to write to the default installation folder of C:\Program Files\PingID for Epic EPCS. You will need to change the logging folder to one to which the users have permission to write.

The plugin adds the following fields to the log4net context, allowing them to be logged:

- server the name of the server that the plugin is running on.
- username the username of the user running the plugin.
- transactionId a GUID identifying the unique session with the plugin. The transaction ID is a unique GUID created when the plugin is invoked. Each invocation of the plugin will result in a different transaction ID.

You may find additional details and configuration examples at the project's website:

https://logging.apache.org/log4net/index.html