

HOW TO CONFIGURE AZURE FOR INTERACTION WITH SOLABS QM 10

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INSTANCE	INTERNAL: <input type="checkbox"/> QUALIF: <input type="checkbox"/> SANDBOX: <input type="checkbox"/> VALIDATION: <input type="checkbox"/> PRODUCTION: <input type="checkbox"/>				
BACKUP REQUIRED: YES: <input type="checkbox"/> NO: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SOLABS DB: <input type="checkbox"/> SOLABS QM APP FOLDER: <input type="checkbox"/>				
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1. INTRODUCTION

PURPOSE OF THIS DOCUMENT:

Define the steps required to configure an Azure directory to enable a SOLABS QM instance to connect to it.

OBJECTIVE	Configure the Azure directory so SOLABS QM 10 can be connected to it.
ASSUMPTIONS	THE CLIENT HAS MICROSOFT AZURE (WITH THE APPROPRIATE LICENSE TO MANAGE USERS AND APPS) AND SOLABS QM DEPLOYED. IF MFA IS ENABLED FOR USERS, OF THE AZURE ACTIVE DIRECTORY, A PREMIUM SUBSCRIPTION TO AZURE WILL BE REQUIRED, ALLOWING BYPASS FOR OPERATIONS DONE FROM THE QM10 BACKEND.
TYPE OF ACCESS REQUIRED	Administrative rights in the Azure administration console.
APPLICABLE TO THE FOLLOWING OPERATING SYSTEMS	N/A
SYSTEM DOWNTIME REQUIRED	N/A
ESTIMATED EXECUTION TIME	45 minutes
ROLL-BACK PROCEDURE	Revert configuration
Applicable SOLABS QM version	10.10.0+

2. EXECUTION

QM Graph Api application configuration for the SOLABS QM10 instances:

- Go to the Entra Id Portal: <https://entra.microsoft.com/>
- Under **Manage**, click on **App Registrations**.
- Click on **+ New registration**.
- Enter the desired Name (ex.: SOLABSQM Graph).
- Select the Supported account type.
- Click **Register**.
- Take note of the **Application (client) ID** and the **Directory (tenant) ID**, you will need to provide it to SOLABS.
- Click on **Authentication**.
- Under the Advanced setting section, under **Allow public client flows**, set **Enable the following mobile and desktop flows** to **Yes**.
- Click **Save**.
- Click on **API permissions**.
- Click **+ Add a permission > Microsoft Graph >**
- Click on **Delegated permissions**.
- Search **User.Read** and choose **User.Read – Sign in and read user profile**.

15. Click on **Application permissions**.
16. Search **User.Read.all** and choose **User.Read.all – Read all users full profiles**.
17. Click **Add permissions**.
18. Click on **Grant admin consent**.
19. Click on **Certificates & secrets**.
20. Click **+ New client secret**.
21. Give it a description and choose its expiration, then click **Add**.
22. Take note of the value in the list (it will not be shown again afterward), you will need to provide it to SOLABS.

QM SSO Application configuration for the instance:

23. From the main page App registrations, under **Applications**, click on **Enterprise applications**.
24. Click on **+ New application**.
25. Click on **+ Create you own application**.
26. Enter the desired Name (based on the type of instance to which this app will be used for) and Supported account type.
27. Make sure to select the option **Integrate any other application you don't find in the gallery (Non-gallery)**.
28. Click **Create**.
29. Click on **Single sign-on**.
30. Select **SAML**.
31. Click **Edit** in the **Basic SAML Configuration**.
32. In the **Identifier (Entity ID)**, enter the URL of the SOLABS QM Instance. (Ex.: <https://clientX.solabs.com/QMXXX/>) provided by SOLABS (**Note the trailing / at the end: it is mandatory**).
33. In the **Reply URL (Assertion Consumer Service URL)** enter the same URL, with **?useSamlRoute=true** appended at the end (ex.: <https://clientX.solabs.com/QMXXX?useSamlRoute=true>).
34. Click **Save**.
35. Under the **SAML Certificates** section, download the **Certificate (Base64)**, you will need to send it to SOLABS.
36. Click on **Users and Group**.
37. Click **Add User/Group** then add group(s) or specific users that will need to be authenticated through Azure using this SSO Application.

Optional

If users are to access the app from the Azure portal directly, perform the following steps:

38. Click on **Properties**.
39. Set **Enabled for users to sign-in?** to **Yes**.
40. Upload the SOLABS QM app logo (provided on demand by SOLABS), for the instance to which this app relates, through the "Logo" field.
41. Set **Assignment required?** To **Yes**. (Users will have to be assigned to be able to access the App.)
42. Set **Visible to users?** to **Yes**.
43. Click **Save**

Azure application configuration for Production instance:

44. Repeat step 1 to 42 but use a different name at steps 5 and 26 and to better indicate that this is for the Production environment.

MFA Bypass

Notes:

- *Because there are certain operations that are done through the SOLABS QM10 backend (without user interactions), it is important for MFA to be disabled for request coming from the SOLABS QM public IP.*
- *This is **required** if MFA is enabled for users of the Azure Active Directory that will be accessing SOLABS QM.*
- *The configuration depends on how MFA is enabled for each user.*
- *One of the Conditional Access configurations is required when MFA is enabled through a Conditional Access policy.*
- *The Trusted IPs configuration is required when MFA is enabled at the user level (Per-user MFA)*
- *Both configurations could have to be set in place if both methods are used for different users that would be required to access QM10.*

Important:

- *An Azure Premium subscription is required to have access to these options.*
- *These are minimal guidelines which could be implemented differently based on the customer's own Azure configuration/knowledge.*

Conditional Access – Exclude QM10 Location:

45. Go to the Entra Id Portal: <https://entra.microsoft.com/>
46. Under **Protection**, select **Security Center**.
47. Select **Named Location**.
48. Select **+ IP ranges location**.
49. Enter a **name** for this location. (ex.: SOLABS)
50. Click **+** and enter the **IP range** provided by SOLABS and click **Add**.
51. Click **Save**.
52. Select **Conditional Access**.
53. Select the Conditional Access policy related to the MFA.
54. Under **Assignments**, select **Conditions**.
55. Select **Locations**.
56. Under **Exclude**, select **Selected locations** and click on **Select**.
57. Select the **Named Location** created above.
58. Click **Select**.
59. Click **Save**.

AND / OR

MFA Trusted IP – Add SOLABS IP to trusted list:

60. Go to the Entra Id Portal: <https://entra.microsoft.com/>

61. Under **Protection**, select **Security Center**.
62. Select **Named locations**.
63. Click on **Configure multifactor authentication trusted IPs**.
64. Under **Trusted IPs** check the box next to **Skip multi-factor authentication for requests from federated users on my intranet**.
65. In the text area under **Skip multi-factor authentication for requests from following range of IP address subnet**, enter the **IP address** that will be provided by SOLABS.
66. Click **Save**.

Sending information to SOLABS

67. Fill the **FORM000019 – Azure Configuration Parameters Form**
68. Send the form to SOLABS.

3. COMMENTS

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