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About this publication

IBM® Security Directory Server, previously known as IBM Tivoli® Directory Server, is an IBM implementation of Lightweight Directory Access Protocol for the following operating systems:

- Microsoft Windows
- AIX®
- Linux (System x®, System z®, System p®, and System i®)
- Solaris
- Hewlett-Packard UNIX (HP-UX) (Itanium)

*IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Administration Guide* describes how to perform administrator tasks by using Web Administration Tool and the command line.

Access to publications and terminology

This section provides:

- A list of publications in the "IBM Security Directory Server library."
- Links to "Online publications" on page xii.
- A link to the "IBM Terminology website" on page xii.

IBM Security Directory Server library

The following documents are available in the IBM Security Directory Server library:

- **IBM Security Directory Server, Version 6.3.1 Product Overview, GC27-6212-00**
  Provides information about the IBM Security Directory Server product, new features in the current release, and system requirements information.

  Provides help for getting started with IBM Security Directory Server. Includes a short product description and architecture diagram, and a pointer to the product documentation website and installation instructions.


  Contains instructions for administrative tasks through the Web Administration tool and the command line.

  Describes the syntax and usage of the command-line utilities included with IBM Security Directory Server.

  Contains information about writing server plug-ins.

Contains information about writing Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP) client applications in C and Java™.

  Contains information about tuning the directory server for better performance. Describes disk requirements and other hardware requirements for directories of different sizes and with various read and write rates. Describes known working scenarios for each of these levels of directory and the disk and memory used; also suggests rules of thumb.

  Contains information about possible problems and corrective actions that can be taken before you contact IBM Software Support.

  Contains a list of all warning and error messages associated with IBM Security Directory Server.

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Technical training

For technical training information, see the following IBM Education website at http://www.ibm.com/software/tivoli/education.

Support information

IBM Support assists with code-related problems and routine, short duration installation or usage questions. You can directly access the IBM Software Support site at [http://www.ibm.com/software/support/probsub.html](http://www.ibm.com/software/support/probsub.html).

*IBM Security Directory Server Troubleshooting Guide* provides details about:

- What information to collect before you contact IBM Support.
- The various methods for contacting IBM Support.
- How to use IBM Support Assistant.
- Instructions and problem-determination resources to isolate and fix the problem yourself.

*Note:* The Community and Support tab on the product documentation can provide additional support resources.

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Part 1. Directory overview
Chapter 1. Defining a directory

A directory is a collection of information about objects arranged in a hierarchical structure. It is a data repository that enables users or applications to find resources that have the characteristics needed for a particular task.

If the name of an object is known, its characteristics can be retrieved. If the name of a particular individual object is not known, the directory can be searched for a list of objects that meet a certain requirement. Directories can usually be searched by a specific criteria and not just by a predefined set of characteristics.

A directory is a data repository that has characteristics that set it apart from general purpose relational databases. A characteristic of a directory is that it is accessed (read or searched) much more often than it is updated (written). Because directories must be able to support high volumes of read requests, they are typically optimized for read access. Because directories are not intended to provide as many functions as general-purpose databases, they can be optimized to economically provide more applications with rapid access to directory data in large distributed environments.

A directory can be centralized or distributed. If a directory is centralized, there is one directory server at one location that provides access to the directory. If the directory is distributed, more than one server, sometimes geographically dispersed, provides access to the directory.

When a directory is distributed, the information stored in the directory can be partitioned or replicated. When information is partitioned, each directory server stores a unique and non-overlapping subset of the information. That is, each directory entry is stored by one and only one server. One technique to partition the directory is to use LDAP referrals returned from a server directing clients to refer Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP) requests to either the same or different name spaces stored in a different (or same) server. Partitioning can also be accomplished with a proxy server without using referrals. When information is replicated, the same directory entry is stored by more than one server. In a distributed directory, some information may be partitioned, and some information may be replicated.

Directory clients and servers

Directories are usually accessed using the client-server model of communication. The directory clients and servers might not be on the same machine. A server is capable of serving many clients. An application that wants to read or write information in a directory does not access the directory directly. Instead, it calls a function or an application programming interface (API) that causes a message to be sent to another process. This second process accesses the information in the directory on behalf of the requesting application. The results of the read or write actions are then returned to the requesting application.

An API defines the programming interface that a particular programming language uses to access a service. The format and contents of the messages exchanged between client and server must adhere to an agreed upon protocol. LDAP defines a message protocol used by directory clients and directory servers. There is also an
associated LDAP API for the C language and ways to access the directory from a Java application using the Java Naming and Directory Interface (JNDI).

**Directory security**

A directory should support the basic capabilities needed to implement a security policy. The directory might not directly provide the underlying security capabilities, but it might be integrated with a trusted network security service that provides the basic security services. First, a method is needed to authenticate users. Authentication verifies that users are who they say they are. A user name and password is a basic authentication scheme. After users are authenticated, it must be determined if they have the authorization or permission to perform the requested operation on the specific object.

Authorization is often based on access control lists (ACLs). An ACL is a list of authorizations that may be attached to objects and attributes in the directory. An ACL identifies what type of access each user or a group of users is allowed or denied on a directory entry or object. In order to make ACLs shorter and more manageable, users with the same access rights are often put into groups or the ACLs can be filtered. See Chapter 19, “Access control lists,” on page 491 for more information.
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IBM Security Directory Server implements the Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF) LDAP V3 specifications. It also includes enhancements added by IBM in functional and performance areas. This version uses IBM DB2® as the backing store to provide per LDAP operation transaction integrity, high performance operations, and on-line backup and restore capability. IBM Security Directory Server interoperates with the IETF LDAP V3 based clients. Major features include:

- A dynamically extensible directory schema - This means that administrators can define new attributes and object classes to enhance the directory schema. Changes can be made to the directory schema, too, which are subject to consistency checks. Users may dynamically modify the schema content without restarting the directory server. Because the schema itself is part of the directory, schema update operations are done through standard LDAP APIs. The major functions provided by the LDAP v3 dynamic extensible schema are:
  - Searchable schema information through LDAP APIs
  - Dynamic schema changes through LDAP APIs
  - Server Root DSE

- NLS support – An IBM Security Directory Server supports the UTF-8 (Universal Character Set Transformation Format) character set. This Unicode (or UCS) Transformation Format is an 8-bit encoding form that is designed for ease of use with existing ASCII-based systems. IBM Security Directory Server also supports data in multiple languages, and allows users to store, retrieve and manage information in a native language code page.

- Replication – Replication is supported, which makes additional copies of the directory available, improving performance and reliability of the directory service. Replication topologies also support forwarding and gateway servers.


**Identification and authentication**

Identification and authentication are used to determine the identity of the LDAP clients; that is, verifying that users are who they say they are. A user name and password is a basic authentication scheme. This user identity is used for determining access rights and for user accountability.

**Simple Authentication and Security Layer (SASL)**

This support provides for additional authentication mechanisms. For more information, see "Using Web Administration" on page 139 and "Configuring the DIGEST-MD5 mechanism" on page 234.

**The Secure Sockets Layer (SSL) and Transaction Layer Security (TLS)**

This support provides encryption of data and authentication using X.509v3 public-key certificates. A server may be configured to run with or without SSL or TLS support or both. For more information, see "Secure Sockets Layer" on page 141 and "Transaction Layer Security" on page 141.

**Access control**

After users are authenticated, it must be determined whether they have authorization or permission to perform the requested operation on the specific object. Authorization is often based on access control lists (ACLs). An ACL is a list of authorizations that can be attached to objects.
Mandates and attributes in the directory. An ACL lists what type of access each user or a group of users is allowed or denied. To make ACLs shorter and more manageable, users with the same access rights are often put into groups or the ACLs are filtered. The directory administrator can manage access control by specifying the access rights to objects for individual users or groups. Users can perform operations under alternate access rights by using proxied authorization. For proxied authorization, the user assumes the proxied identity and the ACL restrictions for the proxied identity. For more information, see Chapter 19, “Access control lists,” on page 491.

**Auditing**

IBM Security Directory Server can perform auditing of security-relevant events, such as user authentication and modification to the directory tree. The audit function provides a means for accountability by generating audit records containing the time, user identity, and additional information about the operation. The directory administrator manages the behavior of the audit function, such as selection of auditable events, as well as audit review and clearing of audit files. For more information, see “Enabling the server audit log and modifying server audit log settings” on page 440.

**Security roles**

IBM Security Directory Server supports five different security roles.

**Primary directory administrator**

The Primary directory administrator is associated with a specific user account. There is only one Primary directory administrator account for the LDAP server. The Primary directory administrator has full rights to manage the LDAP server. The Primary directory administrator is created during product installation and configuration. The Primary directory administrator consists of a user ID and a password and predefined authorization to manipulate the entire directory. The Primary directory administrator creates the end user security role. This is an LDAP entry with a specific distinguished name (DN), user password, and other attributes that represent the particular end user. The Primary directory administrator also defines the level of authorization the end user will have over entries.

**Administrative group members**

Administrative group members are users that have been assigned a subset of administrative privileges. The administrative group is a way for the directory administrator to delegate a limited set of administrative tasks to one or more individual user accounts. Server administrative group members are explicitly assigned various roles that define the tasks that a group member is authorized to perform. These administrative roles include such specialized roles as Password Administrator and Server Start/Stop Administrator. For more information, see “Administrative group creation” on page 264.

**Global administrative group members**

The global administrative group is a way for the directory administrator to delegate administrative rights in a distributed environment to the database backend. Global administrative group members are users that have been assigned the same set
of privileges as the administrative group with regard to accessing entries in the database backend. Global administrative group members have complete access to the directory server backend. Global administrative group members do not have access to the audit log and thus the audit log can be used by local administrators to monitor global administrative group member activity.

The global administrative group members have no privileges or access rights to any data or operations that are related to the configuration settings of the directory server. This is commonly called the configuration backend. All global administrative group members have the same set of privileges.

Note: Global administrative group members have the authority to send the administrative control.

LDAP user
LDAP users are users whose privileges are determined by ACLs. Each LDAP user is identified with an LDAP entry containing the authentication and authorization information for that end user. The authentication and authorization information might also allow the end user to query and update other entries. Depending on the type of authentication mechanism used, after the end user ID and password are validated, the end user can access any of the attributes of any entry to which that end user has permissions.

Master server DN
The master server DN is a role used by replication that can update the entries under a replica’s or a forwarding replica’s replication context to which the DN is defined as a master server DN. The master server DN can create a replication context entry on a replica or forwarding replica if the DN is defined as the master server DN to that specific replication context or as a general master server DN.

By sending a AES bind control, a master server DN can send AES encrypted data to a replica.

The following are some important points about the master server DN:
- There can be several master server DNs defined in a server’s configuration file. There is an ibm-slapdReplication object that can contain a default or general ibm-slapdMasterDN, and there can be multiple ibm-slapdSupplier objects, each defining an ibm-slapdMasterDN for a specific replication context (that is, limited to a specific subtree). The administration password policy applies to them all.
- Any of those master server DNs can bind to the directory.
- Any of those master server DNs have access to update the ibm-slapdSuffix attribute of the entry 
  
  cn=Directory, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, 
  cn=schemas, cn=Configuration

in a server’s configuration file. A master server DN does not have read or write access to any other entries in the configuration file.
No master server DN has access to any other part of the configuration file.

The general master server DN or the master server DN for the cn=IBMPO\mIES context can make updates to the schema.

The master server DN for a specific context has full read and write access to all entries within that context.

The general master server DN has full read and write access to all entries within all contexts.

Password policy

The password policy feature provided by IBM Security Directory Server allows the administrator to define the policy used for administrator and user passwords. The administrator places restrictions on passwords by specifying rules for syntax, validation, and lockout in the password policy. The administrator password policy configuration is stored in the configuration backend and can be modified only by the primary administrator. The user password policy configuration is stored within the LDAP tree and can be modified by the primary administrator or a member of the administrative group. The attribute values can be changed only when binding as administrator to IBM Security Directory Server. Security Directory Server provides three types of password policies: individual, group, and global password policies. For more information, see “Setting password policy” on page 212.

Password encryption

IBM Security Directory Server enables you to prevent unauthorized access to user passwords.

The administrator can configure the server to encrypt userPassword attribute values in either a one-way encrypting format or a two-way encrypting format.

One-way encrypting formats:
- crypt
- MD5
- SHA-1
- Salted SHA-1
- SHA-2 (SHA 224, SHA 256, SHA 384, and SHA 512)
- Salted SHA-2 (SSHA 224, SSHA 256, SSHA 384, and SSHA 512)

After the server is configured, any new passwords (for new users) or modified passwords (for existing users) are encrypted before they are stored in the directory database.

When you specify a password, you must avoid using the > character and leading character and the < character as the end character in a password. If these characters are specified in a password, it might be incorrectly encrypted or stored and might result in authentication failures.

For applications that require retrieval of clear passwords, such as middle-tier authentication agents, the directory administrator needs to configure the server to perform either a two-way encrypting or no encryption on user passwords.

Two-way encrypting format:
- AES
When you configure the server using Web Administration, you can select one of the following encryption options:

**None**
No encryption. Passwords are stored in the clear text format.

**crypt**
Passwords are encrypted by the UNIX crypt encrypting algorithm before they are stored in the directory.

**MD5**
Passwords are encrypted by the MD5 Message Digest algorithm before they are stored in the directory.

**SHA-1**
Passwords are encrypted by the SHA-1 encrypting algorithm before they are stored in the directory.

**Salted SHA-1**
Passwords are encrypted by the Salted SHA-1 encrypting algorithm before they are stored in the directory.

**SHA-2**
Passwords are encrypted by the SHA-2 family of encrypting algorithm before they are stored in the directory. The supported encryption schemes under the SHA-2 family of encryption algorithm are:
- SHA-224
- SHA-256
- SHA-384
- SHA-512

**Salted SHA-2**
Passwords are encrypted by the Salted SHA-2 family of encrypting algorithm before they are stored in the directory. The supported encryption schemes under the Salted SHA-2 family of encryption algorithm are:
- SSHA-224
- SSHA-256
- SSHA-384
- SSHA-512

**AES128**
Passwords are encrypted by the AES128 algorithm before they are stored in the directory and are retrieved as part of an entry in the original clear format.

**AES192**
Passwords are encrypted by the AES192 algorithm before they are stored in the directory and are retrieved as part of an entry in the original clear format.

**AES256**
Passwords are encrypted by the AES256 algorithm before they are stored in the directory and are retrieved as part of an entry in the original clear format.

The default option is AES256. A change is registered in a password encryption directive of the server configuration file:

```
ibm-SlapdPwEncryption: AES256
```

The server configuration file is located in:

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instance_directory\etc\ibmslapd.conf

Notes:
1. If the UNIX crypt method is used, only the first 8 characters are effective.
2. A one-way encrypted password can be used for password matching but it cannot be decrypted. During user login, the login password is encrypted and compared with the stored version for matching verification.

- Change log – Records changes made to the LDAP data and are logged in a separate database in the LDAP server to support meta-directories or client queries to monitor directory updates.
- Dynamic configuration – Changes using LDAP APIs provides the capability to bind to a directory and issue a single extended operation along with any data that makes up the extended operation value. It supports the standard host, port, SSL, and authentication options used by all of the LDAP client utilities. In addition, a set of options is defined to specify the operation to be performed and the arguments for each extended operation.
- Web Administration Tool – A Graphical User Interface (GUI) that can be used to administer and configure IBM Security Directory Server. The administration and configuration functions enable the administrator to:
  - Perform the initial setup of the directory
  - Change configuration parameters and options
  - Manage the daily operations of the directory, such as adding or editing objects, for example, object classes, attributes, and entries.
- Proxy server – A Proxy server sits at the front-end of a distributed directory and provides efficient routing of user requests thereby improving performance in certain situations, and providing a unified directory view to the client. It can also be used at the front-end of a server cluster for providing fail over and load balancing.
- Administration server (idsdiradm) – Enables remote management of an instance of IBM Security Directory Server. It must be installed on the machine where IBM Security Directory Server is installed and must be running continuously.
- Configuration only mode – Gives an administrator remote access to the server even when errors are encountered during startup. The server does not depend on the successful initialization of the database back end. An administrator can use an LDAP protocol to query and update the configuration for the server.
- Attribute uniqueness controls – Can be configured to ensure that specified attributes always have unique values within a directory on a single directory server.
- Language tags – Enables the directory to associate natural language codes with values held in a directory and enables clients to query the directory for values that meet certain natural language requirements.
- Sorting on searches – Sorts the entries found by the search using the first 240 bytes of the specified attribute values.
- Paged results – Provides paging capabilities for LDAP clients that want to receive just a subset of search results (a page) instead of the entire list.
- Transactions – Enable an application to group a set of entry updates together in one transaction.
- Multiple instances – Enables a user to have more than one directory instance on a server.
- Referrals – Support for LDAP referrals, allowing directories to be distributed across multiple LDAP servers where each single server may contain only a subset of the whole directory data.

- Attribute encryption - Enables local administrative group members who are assigned DirDataAdmin and SchemaAdmin roles to specify attributes that are to be encrypted in the directory database using a subset of the encryption schemes supported for password information. For more information, see “Encrypted Attributes” on page 57.

- Pass-through authentication- A mechanism using which if a client attempts to bind to a directory server and if the user credential is not available locally, then the server attempts to verify the credential from another external directory server or a pass-through server on behalf of the client. For more information, see “Pass-through authentication” on page 241.

- SNMP for server management- The SNMP agent can be used with the IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator assembly line to monitor and report the performance and wellness information of the directory server.

- Active directory synchronization- A tool for synchronizing users and groups between an existing Microsoft Active Directory and an IBM Security Directory Server instance. From IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1, the Active Directory synchronization solution is deprecated.
Chapter 3. Distinguished names (DNs)

Every entry in the directory has a distinguished name (DN). The DN is the name that uniquely identifies an entry in the directory. A DN is made up of attribute=value pairs, separated by commas, for example:

cn=Ben Gray,ou=editing,o=New York Times,c=US

cn=Lucille White,ou=editing,o=New York Times,c=US

cn=Tom Brown,ou=reporting,o=New York Times,c=US

Any of the attributes defined in the directory schema, other than system or restricted attributes, may be used to make up a DN. The order of the component attribute value pairs is important. The DN contains one component for each level of the directory hierarchy from the root down to the level where the entry resides. LDAP DNs begin with the most specific attribute (usually some sort of name), and continue with progressively broader attributes, often ending with a country attribute. The first component of the DN is referred to as the Relative Distinguished Name (RDN). It identifies an entry distinctly from any other entries that have the same parent. In the examples above, the RDN "cn=Ben Gray" separates the first entry from the second entry, (with RDN "cn=Lucille White"). These two example DNs are otherwise equivalent. The attribute:values pair making up the RDN for an entry must also be present in the entry. (This is not true of the other components of the DN.)

Distinguished name syntax

The Distinguished Name (DN) syntax supported by this server is based on RFC 2253. The Backus-Naur Form (BNF) syntax is defined as follows:

```
name ::= name-component ( spaced-separator )
     | name-component spaced-separator name

spaced-separator ::= optional-space
                 | separator
                 | optional-space

separator ::= "," | ";"

optional-space ::= ( CR ) *( " " )

name-component ::= attribute
                 | attribute optional-space "+"
                 | optional-space name-component

attribute ::= string
         | key optional-space "=" optional-space string

key ::= 1*( keychar ) | "OID." oid | "oid." oid
keychar ::= letters, numbers, and space

oid ::= digitstring | digitstring "." oid

digitstring ::= 1* digit

digit ::= digits 0-9

string ::= *( stringchar | pair )
         | '"' *( stringchar | special | pair ) "'
         | "#" hex

special ::= "," | "=" | CR | "+" | "*" | ""
```

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A semicolon (;) character can be used to separate RDNs in a distinguished name, although the comma (,) character is the typical notation.

White-space characters (spaces) might be present on either side of the comma or semicolon. The white-space characters are ignored, and the semicolon is replaced with a comma.

In addition, space (' ' ASCII 32) characters may be present either before or after a '+' or '='. These space characters are ignored when parsing.

A value may be surrounded by double quotation ("" ASCII 34) characters, which are not part of the value. Inside the quoted value, the following characters can occur without being interpreted as escape characters:
- A space or "#" character occurring at the beginning of the string
- A space character occurring at the end of the string
- One of the characters '"', '"', '+', '\', '<', '>', or ';'

Alternatively, a single character to be escaped may be prefixed by a backslash ('\' ASCII 92). This method can be used to escape any of the characters listed previously and the double quotation marks ("" ASCII 34) character.

This notation is designed to be convenient for common forms of names. The following example is a distinguished name written using this notation. First is a name containing three components. The first of the components is a multivalued RDN. A multivalued RDN contains more than one attribute:value pair and can be used to distinctly identify a specific entry in cases where a simple CN value might be ambiguous:

```
OU=Sales+CN=J. Smith,O=Widget Inc.,C=US
```

**DN escaping rules**

A DN can contain special characters. These characters are , (comma), = (equals), + (plus), < (less than), > (greater than), # (number sign), \ (backslash), and " " (quotation marks).

To escape these special characters or other characters in an attribute value in a DN string, use any of the following methods:
- If a character to be escaped is one of special characters, precede it by a backslash ('\' ASCII 92). This example shows a method of escaping a comma in an organization name:
  
  CN=L. Eagle,O=Sue\, Grabbit and Runn,C=GB

  This is the preferred method.
- Otherwise replace the character to be escaped by a backslash and two hex digits, which form a single byte in the code of the character. The code of the character must be in UTF-8 code set.
Surround the entire attribute value by "(quotation marks) (ASCII 34) that are not part of the value. Between the quotation character pair, all characters are taken as is, except for the \ (backslash). The \ (backslash) can be used to escape a backslash (ASCII 92) or quotation marks (ASCII 34), any of the special characters previously mentioned, or hex pairs as in method 2. For example, to escape the quotation marks in cn=xyz"qrs"abc, it becomes cn=xyz\"qrs\"abc or to escape a \:
"you need to escape a single backslash this way "\"

Another example, "\Zoo" is illegal, because 'Z' cannot be escaped in this context.

On the server end, when a DN is received in this form, the server reformats the DN using escape mechanisms number 1 and 2 for internal processing.

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**Enhanced DN processing**

A composite RDN of a DN may consist of multiple components connected by the "+" operators. The server enhances the support for searches on entries that have such a DN. A composite RDN can be specified in any order as the base for a search operation.

idsldapsearch cn=mike+ou=austin,o=sample

The server accepts DN normalization extended operations. DN normalization extended operations normalize DNs using the server schema. This extended operation might be useful for applications that use DNs. See the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Programming Reference* for more information.
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The directory administration server (idsdiradm) enables remote management of an IBM Security Directory Server instance. It must be installed on the machine where IBM Security Directory Server is installed and must be running continuously. The directory administration server accepts requests by way of LDAP extended operations and supports starting, stopping, restarting, and status monitoring of IBM Security Directory Server instance.

The directory administration server does not support any access to the configuration file or the configuration backend. However, it supports dynamic update requests. By supporting dynamic update requests, the server ensures that its in memory configuration remains in sync with the server’s configuration. For instance, if an update is made to the configuration file that impacts both the admin server and the directory server, the dynamic update request is sent to both the admin server and the directory server.

The admin server will not check the bind DN and password against the configuration file every time there is a bind request. Instead, it will issue a config update request for any changes to admin DN and password to take effect.

Note: All Admin Group members can bind to the admin server.

By default, the first instance of the IBM Directory administration server listens on two ports, port 3538 for non-SSL connections and port 3539 for SSL connections, if SSL communication is enabled.

The directory administration server can also be used to perform root DSE searches.

To start the directory administration server, run the program idsdiradm from any command prompt. See “Starting an instance of the directory administration server” on page 20.

Notes:
1. The administration server supports auditing version 3 only.
2. The administration server auditing is enabled for all operations by default.
3. If you enable SSL communication, the directory administration server must be stopped and restarted for SSL to take effect. See “Using Web Administration” on page 139.
4. If you change the time zone on your Windows machine, you need to restart the server and the administration server in order for the server and administration server to recognize the time change. This ensures that the time stamps in the administration server’s logs match the time stamps in the server’s logs.
5. The administration server supports all read log access extended operations. This means that log files can be read remotely even when the directory server is not running.
Starting an instance of the directory administration server

**Note:** By default, the administration server is started when you create a directory server instance.

To start an instance of the administration server do either of the following:

- For UNIX or Linux-based and Windows-based systems issue the command:
  ```
  idsdiradm -I instance_name
  ```

**Note:** On Linux SLES systems, the admin server must not be started from inittab. Instead, start the admin server manually from the command line. See the `idsdiradm` command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for more information.

Stopping an instance of the directory administration server

To stop an instance of the administration server use one of the following methods:

- If you have already configured a directory administration DN and password, you can use the `ibmdirctl` command to stop the administration server. This command is not platform specific. See the `ibmdirctl` command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for more information.

  ```
  ibmdirctl -D adminDN -w adminPW -h hostname
  -p port admstop
  ```

  The `ibmdirctl` command can be issued locally or remotely.

  ```
  idsdiradm -I instancename -k
  ```

- For Windows-based systems, in the services panel, you can select IBM Security Directory Server Instance V6.3.1 - instancename Admin Server, and click Stop.

Starting the directory server instance at operating system startup

If you want the directory server instance to start automatically at operating system startup, use one of the following sections:

- "Autostart on Windows systems"
- "Autostart on AIX, Linux, and Solaris systems” on page 21

**Autostart on Windows systems**

On Windows systems, the server (the `idsslapd` process) is started manually through the Services window or by using the `idsslapd` command. If you try to start the server automatically by updating the Startup Type in the Services window to Automatic, errors occur when you restart the computer. This is because DB2 must be running before the `idsslapd` process can start.

If you want the server to start automatically, use the following procedure:

1. Open the Services window in one of the following ways:
Click Start -> Run, and then type services.msc in the Open field. Click OK.

Click Start -> Settings -> Control Panel. In the Control Panel, double-click Administrative Tools, and then double-click Services.

2. Find the DB2 Service name for the directory server instance you want to autostart. The service starts with DB2 - SDSV631DB2 - (for example, DB2 - SDSV631DB2 - DSRDBM01). Double-click the service and look in the Display name field. Make a note of the name that comes after DB2 - SDSV631DB2 - . (In this example, make a note of DSRDBM01.) You will use this DB2 name later.

3. Find the service for the directory server instance you want to autostart. The service starts with IBM Security Directory Server Instance 6.3.1 - (for example, IBM Security Directory Server Instance 6.3.1 - dsrdm01). Double-click the service and look in the Display name field. Make a note of the name that comes after IBM Security Directory Server Instance 6.3.1 - , with idsslapd- prepended. (In this example, make a note of idsslapd-dsrdm01.) You will use this instance name later.

4. While still in the IBM Security Directory Server Instance V6.3.1 - instance_name window, set the Startup type field to Automatic, and then click OK. The service will be set to start automatically at system startup.

5. Close the Services window.

6. To open the Windows Registry, click Start -> Run. Type regedit in the Open field. Click OK. The Registry Editor window is displayed.

7. On the left side of the window, go to the following: My Computer -> HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE -> SYSTEM -> CurrentControlSet -> Services.

8. Find the service corresponding to directory server instance. (In the example, this is idsslapd-dsrdm01.) Click the service.

9. On the right side of the window, double-click the DependOnService attribute.

10. In the Edit Multi-String window, add the DB2 service name (DSRDBM01 in our example) under LanmanServer, and then click OK. (This adds a dependency on the DB2 service.)

11. Exit the Registry Editor.

After you restart the system, the directory server instance will start automatically.

Note: The proxy server does not require DB2. Therefore, to make the proxy server start automatically at system startup, use only steps 1, 3, and 4.

### Autostart on AIX, Linux, and Solaris systems

To start the directory server instance at operating system startup on AIX, Linux, and Solaris systems, you must edit the /etc/inittab file and add a line. The inittab file specifies which processes are started at system startup and during normal operation. An entry in the inittab file has the following format:

```
id:runlevels:action:process
```

where:

- **id** is a 1-4 digit unique ID in the file.
- **runlevels** indicates the runlevel mode of the operating system in which the process should start automatically. Runlevel refers to the mode of operation of an AIX, Linux, or Solaris operating system. Runlevel configuration differs among

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operating systems. Refer to the operating system manual for your operating
system for specific runlevel configuration details.

- *action* describes the action to be taken. In this case it will have the value *boot* to
  indicate that the process should be started at system startup.
- *process* is the process to be started.

Add one of the following lines to your inittab file:

**For AIX systems**

```
srv1:2:once:/opt/IBM/ldap/V6.3.1/sbin/idsslapd -I server_name > /dev/null 2>&1
#Autostart IBM LDAP Directory Server Instance
```

**For Linux systems**

```
srv1:2345:once:/opt/ibm/ldap/V6.3.1/sbin/ibmslapd -I server_name > /dev/null 2>&1
#Autostart IBM LDAP Directory Server Instance
```

**For Solaris systems**

```
srv1:234:once:/opt/IBM/ldap/V6.3.1/sbin/ibmslapd -I server_name > /dev/null 2>&1
#Autostart IBM LDAP Directory Server Instance
```

where *server_name* is the name of the directory server instance you want to start
automatically.

After the entry is added to the `/etc/inittab` file, the directory server instance (full
or proxy) is ready for autostart after system restart.

Be sure that all of the full directory servers are up and running before the proxy
server starts. If you have full servers and a proxy server on the same computer,
add a delay between the full server and the proxy server startup. In the following
example, this done in the lines starting with `srv3:2345:wait:` and

```
srv1:2345:wait:/opt/IBM/ldap/V6.3.1/sbin/idsslapd -I server1 > /dev/null 2>&1
#Autostart IBM LDAP Directory Server Instance
srv2:2345:wait:/opt/IBM/ldap/V6.3.1/sbin/idsslapd -I server2 > /dev/null 2>&1
#Autostart IBM LDAP Directory Server proxy instance
srv3:2345:wait:/opt/IBM/ldap/V6.3.1/sbin/idsslapd -I proxy -k > /dev/null 2>&1
#Autostart IBM LDAP Directory Server proxy instance
srv4:2345:wait:/opt/IBM/ldap/V6.3.1/sbin/idsslapd -I proxy > /dev/null 2>&1
```

where *server1* and *server2* are full directory server instances, and *proxy* is a proxy
server instance.
Chapter 5. Configuration only mode

IBM Security Directory Server supports LDAP access to the server’s configuration settings. An administrator can use LDAP protocol to query and update the configuration for the server. This feature enables remote administration. In order for this access to be more robust and reliable, the server does not depend on successful initialization of the database back ends. It is possible to start the server in configuration only mode with only the cn=configuration suffix active. In other words, as long as the configuration backend is available, the server starts and accepts LDAP requests. Configuration only mode gives an administrator remote access to the server even when errors are encountered during startup.

The following features are supported in configuration only mode:

- Access to the configuration file and log files.
- Auditing
- Event notification
- Kerberos
- SASL
- SSL

The following features are not supported in configuration only mode:

- Access to the database
- Changelog
- Password policy
- Replication
- Schema changes
- Transactions

Minimum requirements for configuration only mode

- The configuration file must be in the correct LDIF format and the server must be able to locate and read the file.
- The server must be able to read and load the schema according to the configuration file.
- The server must be able to load the configuration plug-in.

How to start in configuration only mode

Any failure during server startup causes the server to start in configuration only mode.

Using Web Administration

If you have not done so already, click Server administration in the Web Administration navigation area and then click Start/Stop/Restart Server in the expanded list. To start the server in configuration only mode, select the Start/Restart in configuration only mode check box.
Using the command line

Specify -a or -A on server startup.

idsslapd -a -I instancename

or

ibmdirctl -h hostname -D adminDN -w adminpw -p portnumber start -- -a

Note: The -n and -N options prevent the server from starting if the server is unable to start with the database backends (not in configuration only mode). See the ibmdirctl command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for more information.

How to verify that the server is running in configuration only mode

To determine if the server is running in configuration only mode, use one of the following methods.

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If the server has started in configuration only mode the icon, located between the stop and start icons, is highlighted.

Using the command line

Issue a search of the root DSE for the attribute ibm-slapdisconfigurationmode. If set to true, the server is running in configuration only mode.

idsldapsearch -s base -b " " objectclass=* ibm-slapdisconfigurationmode
IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Tool is installed on an application server, such as the embedded version of IBM WebSphere® Application Server - Express® (WAS) included with IBM Security Directory Server, and administered through a console. Servers that have been added to the console can be managed through the Web Administration Tool without having to have the tool installed on each server.

The preferred method of administering the server is by using the Web Administration Tool.

**Note:** If you use the latest version of Web Administration Tool to administer an older version of the directory server instance, some of the panels may not be visible.

Before you can start using the Web Administration Tool for the server, you must ensure that you have completed the following tasks during the configuration of that server:

- Set the administration DN and password to be able to start a given server.
- If the server is not configured as a proxy server, configure a database to be able to start a given server in a state other than the configuration only mode.
- Ensure that either the server or the administration server is running.

See the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Installation and Configuration Guide* and Chapter 4, “Directory administration server,” on page 19 for information on these tasks.

**Note:** If you have other application servers running, ensure that the application server where the Web Administration Tool is installed is not running on the same port as the other application servers.

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**Starting the Web application server to use the Web administration tool**

To start the Web Administration Tool, you must start the application server in which it was installed.

To start the Web application server if you are using Embedded WebSphere Application Server as your Web application server, use one of the following files, which contain the command to start the Web application server:

- On Windows systems, `installpath\idstools\bin\startWebadminApp.bat`
- On AIX, Linux, and Solaris systems, `installpath/idstools/bin/startWebadminApp`

where `installpath` is the path where you installed Security Directory Server. This path is:

- By default on Windows: `c:\Program Files\IBM\ldap\V6.3.1`
- On AIX and Solaris: `/opt/IBM/ldap/V6.3.1`
- On Linux: `/opt/ibm/ldap/V6.3.1`
Starting the Web Administration Tool

To start the Web administration tool:

1. After the Web application server is started, you can start the Web administration tool in several ways:
   - From a Web browser, type the following address:
     http://localhost:12100/IDSWebApp/
   - On Windows systems, click one of the following:
     - For non-SSL: Start -> All Programs -> IBM Security Directory Server 6.3.1 -> Web Administration Tool
     - For SSL: Start -> All Programs -> IBM Security Directory Server 6.3.1 -> Web Administration Tool (secure)
   - Load the following file into a Web browser:
     - On Windows systems:
       - `installpath\idstools\bin\idswebadmin.html` for non-SSL
       - `installpath\idstools\bin\idswebadminssl.html` for SSL
       `installpath` is the path where you installed IBM Security Directory Server. By default this is C:\Program Files\IBM\ldap\V6.3.1
     - On AIX, Linux, or Solaris systems:
       - `installpath/idstools/bin/idswebadmin.html` for non-SSL
       - `installpath/idstools/bin/idswebadminssl.html` for SSL
       `installpath` is /opt/IBM/ldap/V6.3.1 for AIX, and Solaris systems, or /opt/ibm/ldap/V6.3.1 for Linux systems.
     This file points to localhost. You can modify it as needed.

   The Web Administration Tool Login page is displayed.

   **Note:** This address works only if you are running the browser on the computer on which the Web administration tool is installed. If the Web administration tool is installed on a different computer, replace `localhost` with the hostname or IP address of the computer where the Web administration tool is installed. You can use the `ipconfig` command to find the IP address of the computer.

2. Log in to the console as the console administrator, using the following instructions:
   a. In the **User ID** field, type `superadmin`.
   b. In the **Password** field, type `secret`.
   c. Click **Login**.

   The IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Tool console is displayed.

3. Add a server to the console, using the following instructions:
   a. Do one of the following:
      - Click **Manage console servers** in the right side of the window.
      - Expand **Console administration** in the navigation area, and then click **Manage console servers**.

     A table of server host names and port numbers is displayed.
   b. Click **Add**.
c. Enter a unique name in the **Server name** field to identify a registered IBM Security Directory Server instance running on a specific host name or IP address and server port.

d. Type the hostname or the IP address of the server in the **Hostname** field.

e. Specify the server port number in the **Port** field.

f. Specify whether the console will be communicating with the server using Secure Sockets Layer (SSL). The **Enable SSL encryption** check box will display only if you installed an SSL-enabled version of Security Directory Server Web Administration Tool.

g. Select the **Administration server supported** check box to enable the Administration port control.

h. Specify the Administration server port number in the **Administration port** field.

i. Click **OK** to apply the changes or click **Cancel** to exit the panel without making any changes.

4. Click **Logout** in the navigation area.

### Logging on to the console as the server administrator, a member of an administrative group or an LDAP user

To log on as the server administrator, a member of the administrative group (see "Administrative group creation" on page 264) or an LDAP user:

- At the IBM Security Directory Server login page select the LDAP Server Name or IP address and port for your machine from the drop-down menu.

- Enter the administrator DN and the corresponding password for that administrator DN (you set these up during the server configuration process). For example, if the administrator DN which was created during the server configuration process was **cn=root**, then enter the full administrator DN. Do not just use root. Similarly, to login as an admin group member or as a normal DIT user, enter the DN of the user and the corresponding password. For example, if the DIT user is **cn=Tom Brown, o=sample** then you need to enter the login name as **cn=Tom Brown, o=sample**.

- Click **Login**.

The IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Tool console is displayed with various server management tasks. The server management tasks vary depending upon the capabilities of the server and the type of user that you have logged on as.

**Note:**

- The Web Administration Tool does not support logging on to a given server using replication supplier credentials.

- To log in to the console admin, click the Log in to Console Admin link.

### Console layout

You can find the required controls and status of operations if you know the layout of Web Administration Tool.

The IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Tool console consists of five areas.
Banner area
The banner is at the top of the page and contains the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Tool application name and the IBM logo.

Navigation area
The navigation area is at the left of the page. It contains expandable categories for various console or server tasks. The tasks available might vary depending on the user privileges, the capabilities of the server, or both.

Work area
The work area shows the tasks that are associated with the selected task in the navigation area. For example, if you expand Server administration > Managing server security in the navigation area, the work area shows the Settings panel. You can use the tabs on this panel to run tasks that are related to the server security setting.

Server status area
The server status area is at the top of the work area. It shows the server name, server status, and user ID of the logged in user. It also shows two icon links, one to Start/Stop/Restart the server and the other is general help information. When you select a task, the name of the selected task, a link to the error log files, and a task help link are shown.

Note: If you are login as the console administrator, this area shows Console administrator and provides a link to the table of contents for task helps.

Task status area
The task status area is at the bottom of the work area. It shows the status of the current task.

Logging off the console
To log off from the console, click Logout in the navigation area.

The Logout successful panel displays the message:
You have successfully been logged off the server. This action has occurred because you hit the logout button. Please note that this browser window and any other browser windows opened while you were working on the server have now expired. No further interaction can occur with the server by clicking in these windows.

You can re-login by clicking here.

Click the word here in this message to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Login Page.

Using tables in the Web Administration Tool
IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Tool displays certain information, such as lists of attributes and entries, in tables. Tables contain several utilities that enable you to search for, organize, and perform actions on these table items.
Table icons

IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Tool tables provide icons to help you organize and find information in the table. Some icons are displayed on some tables and not on others, depending on the current task. The following is a comprehensive list of the icons you might encounter:

- Click the **Select All** icon to select all items in the table.
- Click the **Deselect All** icon to deselect all selected items in the table.
- Click the **Show Filter Row** icon to display filter rows for every column in the table. See "Filtering" on page 31 for more information about filtering.
- Click the **Hide Filter Row** icon to display filter rows for every column in the table. See "Filtering" on page 31 for more information about filtering.
- Click the **Clear All Filters** icon to clear all filters set for the table. See "Filtering" on page 31 for more information.
- Click the **Edit Sort** icon to sort the information in the table. See "Sorting" on page 30 for more information.
- Click the **Clear All Sorts** icon to clear all sorts set for the table. See "Sorting" on page 30 for more information.
- Click the **Collapse Table** icon to hide the table data.
- Click the **Expand Table** icon to display the table data.
- Click the **Configure Columns** icon to rearrange the columns in the table. See "Reordering" on page 31 for more information.

Select Action drop-down menu

The **Select Action** drop-down menu contains a comprehensive list of all available actions for the selected table.

For example, instead of using the icons to display and hide sorts and filters, you can use the **Select Action** drop-down menu. You can also use the **Select Action** drop-down menu to perform operations on the table contents; for example, on the Manage attributes panel, actions such as **View**, **Add**, **Edit**, **Copy**, and **Delete** are displayed not only as buttons on the toolbar, but also in the **Select Action** drop-down menu. If the table supports it, you can also display or hide the **Show find toolbar** using the **Select Action** drop-down menu. See "Finding" on page 30 for more information on finding table items.
To perform an action using the Select Action menu:
1. Click the Select Action drop-down menu.
2. Select the action you want to perform; for example Edit Sort.
3. Click Go.

Paging
To view different table pages, use the navigation controls at the bottom of the table. You can enter a specific page number into the navigation field and click Go to display a certain page. You can also use the Next and Previous arrows to move from page to page.

Restore Defaults
Default settings of table filter and sorting features will be restored when this feature is invoked. The default behavior is that the filter row will be hidden and any currently set sort or filter criteria will be reset. No icon is provided for this feature in the table toolbar, it can be accessed using the table user action list. To restore defaults, do the following on the table:

- Click the Select Action drop-down menu, then select Restore Defaults and click Go.

Sorting
To change the way items in a table are sorted:

1. Do one of the following:
   - Click the Edit Sort icon on the table.
   - Click the Select Action drop-down menu, select Edit Sort and click Go. A sorting drop-down menu is displayed for every column in the table.
2. From the first sort drop-down menu, select the column that you want to sort. Do the same for any of the other sortable columns that you want to sort.
3. Select whether to sort in ascending or descending order by selecting Ascending Descending from the drop-down menu. Ascending is the default sort order.
   You can also sort using column headers. On every column is a small arrow. An arrow pointing up means that column is sorted in ascending order. An arrow pointing down means that column is sorted in descending order. To change the sort order, simply click on the column header.
4. When you are ready to sort, click Sort.
   To clear all the sorts, click the Clear All Sorts icon.

Finding
To find a specific item or items in a table:

Note: The Show find toolbar option is available on some tables and not on others, depending on the current task.

1. Select Show find toolbar from the Select Action drop-down menu and click Go.
2. Enter your search criteria in the Search for field.
3. If desired, select a condition upon which to search from the Conditions drop-down menu. The options for this menu are:
   - Contains
   - Starts with
4. Select the column upon which you want to base the search from the Column drop-down menu.

5. Select whether to display results in descending or ascending order from the Direction drop-down menu. Select Down to display results in descending order. Select Up to display results in ascending order.

6. Select the Match case check box, if you want search results to match the upper and lower case criteria in the Search for field.

7. When you have entered the desired criteria, click Find to search for the attributes.

Filtering

To filter items in a table, do the following:

1. Do one of the following:
   - Click the Show Filter icon.
   - Click the Select Action drop-down menu, select Show Filter Row and click Go.

   Filter buttons are displayed above each column.

2. Click Filter above the column you want to filter.

3. Select one of the following conditions from the Conditions drop-down menu:
   - Contains
   - Starts with
   - Ends with

4. Enter the text you want to filter on in the field; for example, if you selected Starts with, you might enter C.

5. If you want to match case (upper case text or lower case text) select the Match case check box.

6. When you are ready to filter the attributes, click OK.

7. Repeat step 2 through step 6 for every column you want to filter.

To clear all the filters, click the Clear All Filters icon.

To hide the filter rows, click the Show Filter icon again.

Reordering

To change the order in which the columns appear in the table or to remove any columns from the table use the Configure Columns option. To reorder columns in the table, do the following:

1. Do one of the following:
   - Click the Configure Columns icon on the table.
   - Click the Select Action drop-down menu, then select Configure Columns and click Go.

2. A section with a list containing all the column names in the table along with the check boxes are displayed. In this section, do the following:
   - To display or remove the columns getting displayed, select or clear the check boxes adjacent to column names.
   - To change the order in which a particular column appear in the table, select the column name and click the up or down arrow button as required.
3. After you have finished, do one of the following:
   • Click **OK** to save the changes made.
   • Click **Cancel** to return to the panel without making any changes.
Chapter 7. Setting up the Web Administration Tool

After you have started the application server, you need to set up the console that is going to manage your directory servers. From the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration login page, log in as the console administrator and perform the following tasks:

Managing the console

At the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Tool console:

Changing the console administrator login

To change the console administrator ID:

1. Expand **Console administration** in the navigation area.
2. Click **Change console administrator login**.
3. Enter the new administrator ID.

**Note:** Only one console administrator ID is allowed. The administrator ID is replaced by the new ID that you specified. When the Web Administration Tool is initially deployed the default console administrator value is *superadmin*.

4. Enter the current administrator password. The password, *secret*, is the same for the new administrator ID, until you change it.

Changing the console administration password

For security reasons, change the default console administrator password, *secret*, to another password.

**Note:** Because the password policy cannot be enforced for the password of the console administrator, the administrator must implement organizational means to ensure that the configuration shown for the password policy is also enforced for the password of the console administrator.

To change the console administrator password:

1. Expand **Console administration** in the navigation area.
2. Click **Change console administrator password**.
3. Enter the current password.
4. Enter the new password.
5. Enter the new password again to confirm that there are no typographical errors.
6. Click **OK**.

Adding, modifying, and removing servers in the console

Use the following procedures to add, edit, or delete servers in the console:

Adding a server to the console

To add a server to the console:

1. Expand **Console administration** in the navigation area.
2. Click Manage console servers. A table for listing of server host names and port numbers is displayed.

3. Click Add.

4. Specify a unique name that identifies a registered IBM Security Directory Server instance running on a specified host name or IP address and server port. The server name is displayed in the LDAP Server Name list on the Directory server login panel. If a name is not provided in the Server name field, the hostname:port combination would be displayed for the server instance in the LDAP Server Name list on the Directory server login panel.

5. Enter the host name address or the IP address of the server. For example servername.austin.ibm.com

6. Select the Administration server supported check box to enable the Administration port control.

7. Specify the port numbers or accept the defaults.

   **Note:** For multiple server instances on the same machine, although the host name remains the same, you must specify the correct port that was assigned to the directory server instance.

8. Specify if the server is SSL enabled. Ensure that you complete step 5 on page 35 under Managing console properties.

9. Click OK to apply the changes or click Cancel to exit the panel without making any changes.

**Modifying a server in the console**

To change the port number or SSL enablement of a server:

1. Expand Console administration in the navigation area.

2. Click Manage console servers. A listing of server host names and port numbers is displayed.

3. Select the radio button next to the server you want to modify.

4. Click Edit.

5. You can change the port numbers.

6. You can change whether the server is SSL enabled. Ensure that you complete step 5 on page 35 under Managing console properties, if you are enabling SSL.

7. Click OK to apply the changes or click Cancel to exit the panel without making any changes.

**Removing a server from the console**

To remove a server from the console:

1. Expand Console administration in the navigation area.

2. Click Manage console servers. A listing of server host names and port numbers is displayed.

3. Select the radio button next to the server you want to remove.

4. Click Delete.

5. A message to confirm that you want to remove the server is displayed. Click OK to remove the server or click Cancel to exit the panel without removing the server.

**Managing console properties**

To change the settings for the console properties:

1. Expand Console administration in the navigation area.
2. Click **Manage console properties**.

3. Click **Component management** - to specify the components that are enabled for all servers in the console. By default all the components are enabled.

   **Note:** You might not see a management component or some of its tasks, even if it is enabled, if you do not have the correct authority on the server or the server does not have the needed capabilities, or both.

4. Click **Session properties** - to set the time out limit for the console session. The default setting is 60 minutes.

   **Note:** A session might be valid for three to five minutes more than what you have set. This is because the invalidations are performed by a background thread in the application server that acts on a timer interval. This timer interval extends the session time out duration.

5. Click **SSL key database** - to set up the console so that it can communicate with other LDAP servers using the Secure Sockets Layer (SSL), if necessary. Set the key database path and file name, the key password, the trusted database path and file name, the trusted password in the appropriate fields. The supported file type is .jks. See “Using ikeyman” on page 151 and “Secure Sockets Layer” on page 141 for information about key databases and SSL.

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### Manage properties for webadmin searches

Users can use the Manage properties for webadmin searches panel to configure the search settings for web admin searches. However, if the limit number of attribute values control is not supported then the Manage properties for webadmin searches panel will not be displayed.

To configure the search settings for web admin searches:

1. Expand **Console administration** in the navigation area.

2. Click **Manage properties for webadmin searches**.

3. Specify the maximum number of attributes to return for each entry. If you click **Number of attributes**, you must enter a number. Otherwise, click **Unlimited**.

4. Specify the maximum number of values to return for each attribute. If you click **Number of values**, you must enter a number. Otherwise, click **Unlimited**.

5. Click **OK** to save the changes and to return to the Introduction panel.

When you have finished setting up the console, click **Logout** to exit. See “Logging off the console” on page 28 for more information.

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### Viewing scenario-based help files in the Web Administration Tool

To view the scenario-based help files in the Web Administration Tool, do the following:


2. Deploy the Web Administration Tool into Embedded WebSphere Application Server.

3. Log on to the Console administration login panel of the Web Administration Tool and add your directory server instance.

4. Log on to your directory server using the Directory server login panel of the Web Administration Tool.
5. Click the ? icon at the top right corner of the Work area of the Web Administration Tool. This will launch the Table of Contents help file.

6. Scroll down the Table of Contents help file, the example scenarios are listed at the end of the Table of Contents help file.
Chapter 8. Managing the IBM Directory schema

A schema is a set of rules that governs the way that data can be stored in the directory. The schema defines the type of entries allowed, their attribute structure, and the syntax of the attributes.

**Note:** The schema information shipped with the server, such as object class descriptions and syntax, is in English. It is not translated.

Data is stored in the directory using directory entries. An entry consists of an object class, which is required, and its attributes. Attributes can be either required or optional. The object class specifies the kind of information that the entry describes and defines the set of attributes it contains. Each attribute has one or more associated values. See Chapter 18, “Working with directory entries,” on page 473 for additional information about entries.

The schema for the IBM Directory is predefined. However, you can modify the schema, if you have additional requirements.

IBM Security Directory Server includes dynamic schema support. The schema is published as part of the directory information, and is available in the Subschema entry (DN=“cn=schema”). You can query the schema using the `ldap_search()` API and modify it using `ldap_modify()`. See the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Programming Reference for more information about these APIs.

The schema has more configuration information than that included in the LDAP Version 3 Request For Comments (RFCs) or standard specifications. For example, for a given attribute, you can state which indexes must be maintained. This additional configuration information is maintained in the subschema entry as appropriate. An additional object class is defined for the subschema entry IBMsubschema, which has "MAY" attributes that hold the extended schema information.

IBM Security Directory Server requires that the schema defined for a naming context be stored in a special directory entry, "cn=schema". The entry contains all of the schema defined for the server. To retrieve schema information, you can perform an `ldap_search` by using the following:

```plaintext
DN: "cn=schema", search scope: base, filter: objectclass=subschema
or objectclass=* 
```

The schema provides values for the following attribute types:

- objectClasses (See “Working with object classes” on page 39.)
- attributeTypes (See “Working with attributes” on page 46.)
- IBMAttributeTypes (See “The IBMAttributeTypes attribute type” on page 47.)
- matching rules (See “Equality matching rules” on page 48.)
- ldap syntaxes (See “Attribute syntax” on page 60.)

The syntax of these schema definitions is based on the LDAP Version 3 RFCs.

A sample schema entry might contain:
As shown in the preceding example, it is not required that all of the attribute values of a given attribute type be provided in a single production.

The schema information can be modified through the ldap_modify API. Refer the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Programming Reference for additional information. With the DN “cn=schema” you can add, delete, or replace an attribute type or an object class. To delete a schema entity, provide the oid in parenthesis.
IBM Security Directory Server supports standard directory schema as defined in the following:

- The Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF) LDAP Version 3 RFCs, such as RFC 2252 and 2256.
- The Directory Enabled Network (DEN)
- The Common Information Model (CIM) from the Desktop Management Task Force (DMTF)
- The Lightweight Internet Person Schema (LIPS) from the Network Application Consortium

This version of LDAP includes the LDAP Version 3 defined schema in the default schema configuration. It also includes the DEN schema definitions.

IBM also provides a set of extended common schema definitions that other IBM products share when they exploit the LDAP directory. They include:

- Objects for white page applications such as eperson, group, country, organization, organization unit and role, locality, state, and so forth
- Objects for other subsystems such as accounts, services and access points, authorization, authentication, security policy, and so forth.

**Object identifier (OID)**

An object identifier (OID) is a string, of decimal numbers, that uniquely identifies an object. These objects are typically an object class or an attribute. These numbers can be obtained from the IANA (Internet Assigned Number Authority). The IANA Website is located at: http://www.iana.org/iana/.

If you do not have an OID, you can specify the object class or attribute name appended with `-oid`. For example, if you create the attribute tempID, you can specify the OID as `tempID-oid`.

**Working with object classes**

An object class specifies a set of attributes used to describe an object. For example, if you created the object class `tempEmployee`, it could contain attributes associated with a temporary employee such as, `idNumber`, `dateOfHire`, or `assignmentLength`. You can add custom object classes to suit the needs of your organization. The IBM Security Directory Server schema provides some basic types of object classes, including:

- Groups
- Locations
- Organizations
- People

**Note:** Object classes that are specific to IBM Security Directory Server have the prefix `ibm-`.
Defining object classes

Object classes are defined by the characteristics of type, inheritance, and attributes.

Object class type

An object class can be one of three types:

Structural:
Every entry must belong to at least one structural object class, which defines the base contents of the entry. This object class represents a real world object. Because all entries must belong to a structural object class, this is the most common type of object class.

Abstract:
This type is used as a superclass or template for other (structural) object classes. It defines a set of attributes that are common to a set of structural object classes. These object classes, if defined as subclasses of the abstract class, inherit the defined attributes. The attributes do not need to be defined for each of the subordinate object classes.

Auxiliary:
This type indicates additional attributes that can be associated with an entry belonging to a particular structural object class. Although an entry can belong to only a single structural object class, it may belong to multiple auxiliary object classes.

Object Class Inheritance

This version of IBM Security Directory Server supports object inheritance for object class and attribute definitions. A new object class can be defined with parent classes (multiple inheritance) and the additional or changed attributes.

Each entry is assigned to a single structural object class. All object classes inherit from the abstract object class \texttt{top}. They can also inherit from other object classes. The object class structure determines the list of required and allowed attributes for a particular entry. Object class inheritance depends on the sequence of object class definitions. An object class can only inherit from object classes that precede it. For example, the object class structure for a person entry might be defined in the LDIF file as:

\begin{verbatim}
objectClass: top
objectClass: person
objectClass: organizationalPerson
\end{verbatim}

In this structure, the organizationalPerson inherits from the person and the top object classes, while person object class only inherits from the top object class. Therefore, when you assign the organizationalPerson object class to an entry, it automatically inherits the required and allowed attributes from the superior object class. In this case, the person object class.

If the attribute ibm-slapdSchemaCheck is set to V3 in the configuration file, then every entry can have only one structural object class, and if multiple structural object classes are added they must have parent-child relationship. For example, an entry type person, X, can be defined using the following structural object classes:

\begin{verbatim}
objectClass: top
objectClass: person
objectClass: organizationalPerson
\end{verbatim}

In this case, for the entry, X, the MUST attributes of the child structural object class, organizationalPerson, must be defined.
If the attribute ibm-slapdSchemaCheck is set to V3_lenient in the configuration file, then an entry can have one or more structural object classes, and if multiple structural object classes are added it is not a must that they should have parent-child relationship. For example, an entry, Y, can also be defined using the following structural object classes:

objectClass: person
objectClass: account

In this case, for the entry, Y, the MUST attributes of the structural object classes, person and account, must be defined.

Note: In Security Directory Server, by default, the attribute ibm-slapdSchemaCheck is set to V3_lenient.

Schema update operations are checked against the schema class hierarchy for consistency before being processed and committed.

Attributes
Every object class includes a number of required attributes and optional attributes. Required attributes are the attributes that must be present in entries using the object class. Optional attributes are the attributes that may be present in entries using the object class.

Viewing object classes
You can view the object classes in the schema using either the Web Administration Tool, the preferred method or using the command line.

Using Web Administration
Expand **Schema management** in the navigation area and click Manage object classes.

A read-only panel is displayed that enables you to view the object classes in the schema and their characteristics. The object classes are displayed in alphabetical order. Use the table options to locate the object class that you want to view. See "Using tables in the Web Administration Tool" on page 28 for information on how to use these options.

After you have located the object class that you want, you can view its type, required attributes, and optional attributes. Expand the drop-down menus for required attributes and optional attributes to see the full listings for each characteristic.

Note: When the Web admin tool is used to access the admin server:

- The status bar on the Manage object classes panel displays a message indicating that the tool is connected to the admin server. If you access panels that are not supported by admin server, a message is displayed indicating that the functions on the panels are not supported.
- The Manage object classes panel is enabled based on the capabilities present in rootDSE for ibm-supportedcapabilities attribute.

To view additional information about the object class:

1. Select the object class.
2. Click View.

The **View object class** panel is displayed.
This panel has two tabs. The **Formatted view** tab supplies the object class name, description, OID, object class type, superior object classes, required attributes, required inherited attributes, optional attributes and optional inherited attributes. The information is displayed in a printable format. The **Server view** tab provides the information in the format used in the attribute file on the server.

When you are finished click **Close** to return to the **Managing object classes** panel.

**Using the command line**
To view the object classes contained in the schema issue the command:

```bash
idsldapsearch -b cn=schema -s base objectclass=* objectclasses
```

**Adding an object class**

**Using Web Administration**
If you have not done so already, expand **Schema management** in the navigation area, then click **Manage object classes**. To create a new object class:

1. **Click Add.**

   **Note:** You can also access this panel by expanding **Schema management** in the navigation area, and then clicking **Add an object class**.

2. **At the General properties tab:**
   - Enter the **Object class name**. This is a required field, and is descriptive of the function of the object class. For example, **tempEmployee** for an object class used to track temporary employees.
   - Enter a **Description** of the object class, for example, **The object class used for temporary employees**.
   - Enter the **OID** for the object class. This is a required field. See "Object identifier (OID)" on page 39. If you do not have an OID, you can use the **Object class name** appended with **oid**. For example, if the object class name is **tempEmployee**, then the OID is **tempEmployeeoid**.
   - Select one or more **Superior object classes** from the menu. This selection determines the object class or classes from which other attributes are inherited. Typically the **Superior object classes** is **top**, however, it can be another object class, or used in conjunction with other object classes. For example, a superior object classes for **tempEmployee** might be **top** and **ePerson**.
   - Select an **Object class type**. See "Object class type" on page 40 for additional information about object class types.
   - Click the **Attributes** tab to specify the required and the optional attributes for the object class and view the inherited attributes, or click **OK** to add the new object class or click **Cancel** to return to **Manage object classes** without making any changes.

3. **At the Attributes tab:**
   - Select an attribute from the alphabetical list of **Available attributes** and click **Add to required** to make the attribute required or click **Add to optional** to make the attribute optional for the object class. The attribute is displayed in the appropriate list of selected attributes.
   - Repeat this process for all the attributes you want to select.
   - You can move an attribute from one list to another or delete the attribute from the selected lists by selecting it and clicking the appropriate **Move to** or **Remove** button.
You can view the lists of required and optional inherited attributes. Inherited attributes are based on the Superior object classes selected on the General tab. You cannot change the inherited attributes. However, if you change the Superior object classes on the General tab, a different set of inherited attributes is displayed.

4. Click OK to add the new object class or click Cancel to return to Manage object classes without making any changes.

**Note:** If you clicked OK on the General tab without adding any attributes, you can add attributes by editing the new object class.

### Using the command line

To add an object class using the command line, issue the following command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```bash
dn: cn=Schema
changeType: modify
add: objectclasses
objectclasses: (myobjectClass-oid NAME 'myObjectClass' DESC 'An object class I defined for my LDAP application' SUP 'objectclassinheritance' objectclassType MUST (attribute1 $ attribute2) MAY (attribute3 $ attribute4))
```

### Editing an object class

Not all schema changes are allowed. See “Disallowed schema changes” on page 65 for change restrictions.

### Using Web Administration

If you have not done so already, expand Schema management in the navigation area, then click Manage object classes. To edit an object class:

1. Click the radio button next to the object class that you want to edit.
2. Click Edit.

**Note:** You can also open the Edit object class panel to edit attributes of an object class by clicking on the object class name in the Objectclass column.

3. Select a tab:
   - Use the General tab to:
     - Modify the Description.
     - Change the Superior object classes. Select one or more superior object classes from the menu. This determines the object class or classes from which other attributes are inherited. Typically the superior object class is top, however, it can be another object class, or used in conjunction with other object classes. For example, a superior object classes for tempEmployee might be top and ePerson.
     - Change the Object class type. Select an object class type. See “Object class type” on page 40 for additional information about object class types.
     - Click the Attributes tab to change the required and the optional attributes for the object class and view the inherited attributes, or click OK to apply your changes or click Cancel to return to Manage object classes without making any changes.
   - Use the Attributes tab to:
Select an attribute from the alphabetical list of Available attributes and click **Add to required** to make the attribute required or click **Add to optional** to make the attribute optional for the object class. The attribute is displayed in the appropriate list of selected attributes.

Repeat this process for all the attributes you want to select.

You can move an attribute from one list to another or delete the attribute from the selected lists by selecting it and clicking the appropriate **Move to** or **Remove** button.

You can view the lists of required and optional inherited attributes. Inherited attributes are based on the superior object classes selected on the General tab. You cannot change the inherited attributes. However, if you change the Superior object classes on the General tab, a different set of inherited attributes is displayed.

4. Click **OK** to apply the changes or click **Cancel** to return to Manage object classes without making any changes.

**Using the command line**

View the object classes contained in the schema issue the command:

```
idsldapsearch -b cn=schema -s base objectclass=** objectclasses
```

To change an object class using the command line, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=schema
changetype: modify
replace: objectclasses
objectclasses: ( myobjectClass-oid NAME 'myObjectClass' DESC 'An object class I defined for my LDAP application' SUP 'newsuperiorclassobject' newobjectclasstype MUST (attribute1 $ attribute2) MAY (attribute3 $ attribute4) )
```

**Note:** Modify-replace requests directed at the "cn=schema" entry have a special behavior that is not true for other entries. Normally a modify-replace replaces all values of the specified attribute, with the set of new values specified in the modify operation. However, when applied to the schema, only the referenced value is replaced. If this was not the case, this example would replace the definition of "myObjectClass", but also delete the definitions of all other objectclasses. The same behavior is true for modify-replace operations to replace attributetypes values.

**Copying an object class**

**Using Web Administration**

If you have not done so already, expand Schema management in the navigation area, then click Manage object classes. To copy an object class:

1. Click the radio button next to the object class that you want to copy.
2. Click **Copy**.
3. Select a tab:
   - Use the General tab to:
     - Type the new **object class name**. For example, you might copy tempEmployee as tempEmployee2.
     - Modify the **Description**.
– Type the new **OID**. See “Object identifier (OID)” on page 39. If you do not have a registered OID for the object class you have copied, you can create one for your local use. For example, if your new object class is called `tempEmployee2` you might use `tempEmployee2oid` as the OID.

– Change the **Superior object classes**. Select one or more superior object classes from the menu. This determines the object class or classes from which other attributes are inherited. Typically the superior object class is `top`, however, it can be another object class, or used in conjunction with other object classes. For example, a superior object classes for `tempPerson2` might be `top` and `ePerson`.

– Change the **Object class type**. Select an object class type. See “Object class type” on page 40 for additional information about object class types.

– Click the **Attributes** tab to change the required and the optional attributes for the object class and view the inherited attributes, or click **OK** to apply your changes or click **Cancel** to return to **Manage object classes** without making any changes.

**Use the Attributes tab to:**

Select an attribute from the alphabetical list of **Available attributes** and click **Add to required** to make the attribute required or click **Add to optional** to make the attribute optional for the object class. The attribute is displayed in the appropriate list of selected attributes.

Repeat this process for all the attributes you want to select.

You can move an attribute from one list to another or delete the attribute from the selected lists by selecting it and clicking the appropriate **Move to** or **Remove** button.

You can view the lists of required and optional inherited attributes. Inherited attributes are based on the superior object classes selected on the **General** tab. You cannot change the inherited attributes. However, if you change the **Superior object classes** on the **General** tab, a different set of inherited attributes is displayed.

4. Click **OK** to apply the changes or click **Cancel** to return to **Manage object classes** without making any changes.

**Using the command line**

View the object classes contained in the schema issue the command:

```
idsldapsearch -b cn=schema -s base objectclass=* objectclasses
```

Select the object class that you want to copy. Use an editor to change the appropriate information and save the changes to `filename`. The issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=schema
changetype: modify
replace: objectclasses
objectclasses: ( mynewobjectClass-oid NAME 'mynewObjectClass' 
    DESC 'A new object class I copied for my LDAP application' 
    SUP 'superiorClassObject' objectclassType 
    MUST (attribute1 $ attribute2) 
    MAY (attribute3 $ attribute4 $ attribute3) )
```

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Deleting an object class

Not all schema changes are allowed. See "Disallowed schema changes" on page 65 for change restrictions.

Using Web Administration

If you have not done so already, expand Schema management in the navigation area, then click Manage object classes. To delete an object class:

1. Click the radio button next to the object class that you want to delete.
2. Click Delete.
3. You are prompted to confirm deletion of the object class. Click OK to delete the object class or click Cancel to return to Manage object classes without making any changes.

Using the command line

View the object classes contained in the schema issue the command:

idsldapsearch -b cn=schema -s base objectclass=* objectclasses

Select the object class you want to delete and issue the following command:

idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename

where filename contains:

```
dn: cn=schema
changeType: modify
delete: objectclasses
objectclasses: (myobjectClass-oid NAME 'myObjectClass'
  DESC 'An object class I defined for my LDAP application'
  SUP 'objectclassInheritance' objectclasstype
  MUST (attribute1 $ attribute2)
  MAY (attribute3 $ attribute4)
```

Working with attributes

Each directory entry has a set of attributes associated with it through its object class. While the object class describes the type of information that an entry contains, the actual data is contained in attributes. An attribute is represented by one or more name-value-pairs that hold specific data element such as a name, an address, or a telephone number. IBM Security Directory Server represents data as name-value-pairs, a descriptive attribute, such as commonName (cn), and a specific piece of information, such as John Doe.

For example, the entry for John Doe might contain several attribute name-value-pairs.

```
dn: uid=jdoe, ou=people, ou=mycompany, o=sample
objectClass: top
objectClass: person
objectClass: organizationalPerson
cn: John Doe
sn: Doe
givenName: Jack
givenName: John
```

While the standard attributes are already defined in the schema file, you can create, edit, copy, or delete attributes to suit the needs of your organization.

If you create a custom attribute for an object class, you must limit the attribute to the following size:

```
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```
• Binary data: 2,000,000,000 bytes
• String data: 32,700 bytes

If you try to create an attribute in Web Administration Tool that is larger than the size, the server generated the following error: Length field value is out of range.

The IBMAttributeTypes attribute type

The IBMAttributeTypes attribute can be used to define schema information not covered by the LDAP Version 3 standard for attributes. Values of IBMAttributeTypes must comply with the following grammar:

```
IBMAttributeTypesDescription = "(" whsp
    numericoid whsp
    [ "DBNAME" qdescrs ] ; at most 2 names (table, column)
    [ "ACCESS-CLASS" whsp IBMAccessClass whsp ]
    [ "LENGTH" wlen whsp ] ; maximum length of attribute
    [ "EQUALITY" whsp ] ; create index for matching rule
    [ "ORDERING" whsp ] ; create index for matching rule
    [ "APPROX" whsp ] ; create index for matching rule
    [ "SUBSTR" whsp ] ; create index for matching rule
    [ "REVERSE" whsp ] ; reverse index for substring
    [ "ENCRYPT" whsp scheme whsp ] ; encryption scheme
    [ "SECURE-CONNECTION-ONLY" whsp ] ; secure connection required
    [ "RETURN-VALUE whsp returnValue whsp ] ; value to be returned
    [ "NONMATCHABLE whsp ] ; attribute can only be used in existence filters
whsp ")"
```

```
scheme =
```

```
returnValue =
    "encrypted" / "type-only"
```

```
IBMAccessClass =
    "NORMAL" / "SENSITIVE" / "CRITICAL" / "RESTRICTED" / "SYSTEM"
```

**Numericoid**

Used to correlate the value in attributetypes with the value in IBMAttributeTypes.

**DBNAME**

You can provide two names at the most. The first is the table name used for this attribute. The second is the column name used for the fully normalized value of the attribute in the table. If you provide only one name, it is used as the table name as well as the column name. If you do not provide any DBNAMEs, then the short attribute name is used (from the attributetypes).
ACCESS-CLASS
Attributes requiring similar permissions for access are grouped together in classes. Attributes are mapped to their attribute classes in the directory schema file. These classes are discreet; access to one class does not imply access to another class. Permissions are set with regard to the attribute access class as a whole. The permissions set on a particular attribute class apply to all attributes within that access class unless individual attribute access permissions are specified.

IBM defines five attribute classes that are used in evaluation of access to user attributes: normal, sensitive, critical, system, and restricted. As examples, the attribute commonName belongs to the normal class, and the attribute userPassword belongs to the critical class. User defined attributes belong to the normal access class unless otherwise specified. See “Rights” on page 497 for more information.

If ACCESS-CLASS is omitted, it defaults to normal.

LENGTH
The maximum length of this attribute. The length is expressed as the number of bytes. (IBM Security Directory Server has a provision for increasing the length of an attribute.) In the attributetypes value, the string:

( attr-oid ... SYNTAX syntax-oid{len} ... )

can be used to indicate that the attributetype with oid attr-oid has a maximum length.

If the length of an attribute needs to be reduced, see “Manual procedure for changing existing attributes” on page 55.

EQUALITY, ORDERING, APPROX, SUBSTR, REVERSE
If any of these attributes are used, an index is created for the corresponding matching rule. For good search performance, an EQUALITY index should be specified for any attribute that will be used in search filters.

Equality matching rules
A matching rule provides guidelines for string comparison during a search operation. These rules are divided into three categories:

- Equality
- Ordering
- Substring

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Table 2. Ordering matching rules with their respective OIDs and syntaxes

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Note: UTC-Time is time string format defined by ASN.1 standards. See ISO 8601 and X680. Use this syntax for storing time values in UTC-Time format. uTCTimeMatch is a deprecated matching rule. Use generalizedTimeMatch instead. See “Generalized and UTC time” on page 79.

Indexing rules

Indexing rules attached to attributes make it possible to retrieve information faster. If only the attribute is given, no indexes are maintained. IBM Directory provides the following indexing rules:

- Equality
- Ordering
- Approximate
- Substring
- Reverse

Indexing rules specifications for attributes:
Specifying an indexing rule for an attribute controls the creation and maintenance of special indexes on the attribute values. This greatly improves the response time to searches with filters which include those attributes. The five possible types of indexing rules are related to the operations applied in the search filter.

Equality
Applies to the following search operations:
- equalityMatch ‘=’

For example:
"cn = John Doe"

Ordering
Applies to the following search operation:
- greaterOrEqual ‘>='
- lessOrEqual ‘<='

For example:
"sn >= Doe"

Approximate
Applies to the following search operation:
- approxMatch ‘~='

For example:
"sn ~= doe"
Substring
Applies to the search operation using the substring syntax:

- substring ‘*’

For example:

- sn = McC*
- cn = J+Doe

Reverse
Applies to the following search operation:

- ‘*’ substring

For example:

- sn = *baugh

At a minimum, it is recommended that you specify equality indexing on any attributes that are to be used in search filters.

Viewing attributes
You can view the attributes in the schema using either the Web Administration Tool, the preferred method or using the command line.

Using Web Administration
Expand Schema management in the navigation area and click Manage attributes. A read-only panel is displayed that enables you to view the attributes in the schema and their characteristics. The attributes are displayed in alphabetical order. Use the table options to locate the attribute that you want to view. See "Using tables in the Web Administration Tool" on page 28 for information on how to use these options.

Note: When the Web admin tool is used to access the admin server:

- The status bar on the Manage attributes panel displays a message indicating that the tool is connected to the admin server. If you access panels that are not supported by admin server, a message is displayed indicating that the functions on the panels are not supported.

- The Manage attributes panel is enabled based on the capabilities present in rootDSE for ibm-supportedcapabilities attribute.

After you have located the attribute that you want, you can view its syntax, whether it is multi-valued, and the object classes that contain it. Expand the drop-down menu for object classes to see the list of object classes for the attribute.

To view additional information about the attribute:
1. Select the attribute.
2. Click View.

The View attributes panel is displayed.

This panel has two tabs. The Formatted view tab supplies the attribute name, description, OID, superior attribute, syntax, attribute length, multiple values enabled status, matching rules, IBM extensions, and indexing rules. The information is displayed in a printable format. The Server view tab provides the information in the format used in the attribute file on the server.

When you are finished click Close to return to the Manage attributes panel.
Using the command line

To view the attributes contained in the schema issue the command:

```
idsldapsearch -b cn=schema -s base objectclass=* attributeTypes IBMAttributeTypes
```

Adding an attribute

Use either of the following methods to create a new attribute. The Web Administration Tool is the preferred method.

Using Web Administration

If you have not done so already, expand Schema management in the navigation area, then click Manage attributes. To create a new attribute:

1. Click Add.

   Note: You can also access this panel by expanding Schema management in the navigation area, then click Add an attribute.

2. Enter the Attribute name, for example, tempId. This is a required field and must begin with an alphabetical character.

3. Enter a Description of the attribute, for example, The ID number assigned to a temporary employee.

4. Enter the OID for the attribute. This is a required field. See Object identifier (OID) on page 39. If you do not have a registered OID, you can use the attribute name appended with oid. For example, if the attribute name is tempID, then the OID is tempIDoid. You can change the value of this field.

5. Select a Superior attribute from the drop-down list. The superior attribute determines the attribute from which properties are inherited.

6. Select a Syntax from the drop-down list. See Attribute syntax on page 60 for additional information about syntax.

7. Enter an Attribute length that specifies the maximum length of this attribute. The length is expressed as the number of bytes. The default value is 240.

8. Select the Allow multiple values check box to enable the attribute to have multiple values. See the glossary entry 709 for additional information about multiple values.

9. Select a matching rule from each of the drop-down menus for equality, ordering, and substring matching rules. See the Equality matching rules on page 48 for a complete listing of matching rules.

10. Click the IBM extensions tab to specify additional extensions for the attribute, or click OK to add the new attribute or click Cancel to return to Manage attributes without making any changes.

11. At the IBM extensions tab:

   • Enter the DB2 table name. This table name can be up to 128 bytes in length without truncating. The server generates the DB2 table name if this field is left blank. If you enter a DB2 table name, you must also enter a DB2 column name. For directory servers with version earlier than 6.0, the length is restricted to 16 bytes without truncating.

   • Modify the DB2 column name. The server generates the DB2 column name if this field is left blank. If you enter a DB2 column name, you must also enter a DB2 table name. This column name can be up to 16 bytes in length without truncating.

   • Set the Security class by selecting normal, sensitive, or critical from the drop-down list. See the Security class section under 503 for information about security classes.
Set the **Indexing rules** by selecting one or more indexing rules. See "Indexing rules" on page 50 for additional information about indexing rules.

**Note:** At a minimum, it is recommended that you specify **Equality** indexing on any attributes that are to be used in search filters.

- Select an encryption scheme from the **Select encryption scheme** box.
- Select a search return type for the attribute value from the **Value to return on search** box.
- Select the **Require secure connection to view or change values** check box to specify secure connection when accessing encrypted attributes.
- Select the **Allow attribute in search filters** check box to specify whether the attributes are allowed in search filter.

12. Click **OK** to add the new attribute or click **Cancel** to return to **Manage attributes** without making any changes.

**Note:** If you clicked OK on the General tab without adding any extensions, you can add extensions by editing the new attribute.

### Using the command line

The following example adds an attribute type definition for an attribute called "myAttribute", with Directory String syntax (see "Attribute syntax" on page 60) and Case Ignore Equality matching (see "Equality matching rules" on page 45).

The IBM-specific part of the definition says that the attribute data is stored in a column named "myAttrColumn" in a table called "myAttrTable". If these names were not specified, both the column and table name would have defaulted to "myAttribute". The attribute is assigned to the "normal" access class, and values have a maximum length of 200 bytes.

```bash
idsldapmodify -D admindn -w adminpw -i myschema.ldif
```

where the **myschema.ldif** file contains:

```ldif
dn: cn=schema
changetype: modify
add: attributetypes
attributetypes: ( myAttribute-oid NAME ( 'myAttribute' )
    DESC 'An attribute I defined for my LDAP application'
    EQUALITY 2.5.13.2 SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
    {200} USAGE userApplications )
-
add: ibmattributetypes
ibmattributetypes: ( myAttribute-oid DBNAME ( 'myAttrTable' 'myAttrColumn' )
    ACCESS-CLASS normal LENGTH 200 )
```

**Note:** In this example, there are two locations where "length" can be specified. In this example, 200 is the specified length. For example:

- `{200} USAGE userApplications`
- `ACCESS-CLASS normal LENGTH 200`

Both of these pieces of code demonstrate how to specify length. If length is specified in either of these locations, then they both must match.

See the **idsldapmodify** and **idsldapadd** command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3. Command Reference for more information.

### Editing an attribute

Not all schema changes are allowed. See "Disallowed schema changes" on page 65 for change restrictions.

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Any part of a definition can be changed before you have added entries that use the attribute. After you have added entries that use the attribute, you can use the edit procedure to change the indexing rules and to increase the size of the attribute length. You can also change to enable multiple values.

**Note:** You can disable multiple values only if the existing entries are single-valued. You cannot disable the multi-value option if any of the existing entries are multi-valued.

Use either of the following methods to edit an attribute. The Web Administration Tool is the preferred method.

**Using Web Administration**

If you have not done so already, expand **Schema management** in the navigation area, then click **Manage attributes**. To edit an attribute:

1. Click the radio button next to the attribute that you want to edit.
2. Click **Edit**.

**Note:** You can also open the Edit attribute panel to edit an attribute by clicking on the attribute name in the Name column.

3. Select a tab:
   - Use the **General** tab to:
     - Select a tab, either:
       - **General** to:
         - Modify the **Description**.
         - Change the **Superior attribute**.
         - Change the **Syntax**.
         - Set the **Attribute length**.

        **Note:** You can only increase the size of the attribute length. If you need to reduce the size of the attribute length, you must perform additional steps before editing the attribute. See “Manual procedure for changing existing attributes” on page 55.

     - Change the **Multiple value** settings.
     - Select a **Matching rule**.
     - Click the **IBM extensions** tab to edit the extensions for the attribute, or click **OK** to apply your changes or click **Cancel** to return to **Manage attributes** without making any changes.

   - **IBM extensions** (if you are connected to an IBM Security Directory Server) to:
     - Change the **Security class**.

        **Note:** You cannot change the security class of attributes that have a security classification of system or restricted.

     - Change the **Indexing rules**.

     - Click **OK** to apply your changes or click **Cancel** to return to **Manage attributes** without making any changes.

4. When you are finished editing the attributes, click **Close** to return to the **Introduction** panel.
Using the command line

This example adds indexing to the attribute, so that searching on it is faster. Use the idsldapmodify command and the LDIF file to change the definition.

Note: You can only increase the size of the attribute length. If you need to reduce the size of the attribute length, you must perform additional steps before editing the attribute. See “Manual procedure for changing existing attributes.”

```
idsldapmodify -D admindn -w adminpw -i myschemachange.ldif
```

Where the myschemachange.ldif file contains:

```
dn: cn=schema
changetype: modify
replace: attributetypes
attributetypes: ( myAttribute-oid NAME ( 'myAttribute' ) DESC 'An attribute I defined for my LDAP application' EQUALITY 2.5.13.2 SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15 {200} USAGE userApplications )
```

```
replace: ibmattributetypes
ibmattributetypes: ( myAttribute-oid DBNAME ( 'myAttrTable' 'myAttrColumn' ) ACCESS-CLASS normal LENGTH 200 EQUALITY SUBSTR )
```

Note: Both portions of the definition (attributetypes and ibmattributetypes) must be included in the replace operation, even though only the ibmattributetypes section is changing. The only change is adding "EQUALITY SUBSTR" to the end of the definition to request indexes for equality and substring matching.

See the idsldapadd command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for more information about this utility.

Manual procedure for changing existing attributes

If an attribute definition needs to be changed and the table has already been populated for this attribute, perform the following operations:

1. Use the idsdb2ldif utility to export the directory data into an LDIF file.
2. Unconfigure the database.

   ```
   idsucfgdb -I instance_name -r
   ```
3. Change the attribute definition in the schema file. See “Editing an attribute” on page 53.
4. Configure the database.
5. Use either the idsldif2db or the idsbulkload utility to import the data into the database.

Copying an attribute

Use either of the following methods to copy an attribute. The Web Administration Tool is the preferred method.

Using Web Administration

If you have not done so already, expand Schema management in the navigation area, then click Manage attributes. To copy an attribute:

1. Click the radio button next to the attribute that you want to copy.
2. Click Copy.
3. Type the name of the new attribute in the Attribute name field. For example, you might copy tempID as tempID2.
4. Modify a **Description** of the attribute, for example, **The ID number assigned to a temporary employee**.

5. Type the new **OID**. See [Object identifier (OID)](page 39) if you do not have a registered OID for the attribute you have copied, you can create one for your local use. For example, if your new attribute is called `tempID2` you might use `tempID2oid` as the OID.

6. Select a **Superior attribute** from the drop-down list. The superior attribute determines the attribute from which properties are inherited.

7. Select a **Syntax** from the drop-down list. See [“Attribute syntax” on page 60](page 60) for additional information about syntax.

8. Enter a **Attribute length** that specifies the maximum length of this attribute. The length is expressed as the number of bytes.

9. Select the **Allow multiple values** check box to enable the attribute to have multiple values. See the glossary entry [709](page 60) for additional information about multiple values.

10. Select a matching rule from each of the drop-down menus for equality, ordering, and substring matching rules. See the [“Equality matching rules” on page 48](page 48) for a complete listing of matching rules.

11. Click the **IBM extensions** tab to modify additional extensions for the attribute, or click **OK** to apply your changes or click **Cancel** to return to Manage attributes without making any changes.

12. At the **IBM extensions** tab:
   - Enter the **DB2 table name**. This table name can be up to 128 bytes in length without truncating. The server generates the DB2 table name if this field is left blank. If you enter a DB2 table name, you must also enter a DB2 column name. For directory servers with version earlier than 6.0, the length is restricted to 16 bytes without truncating.
   - Enter the **DB2 column name**. This column name can be up to 16 bytes in length without truncating. The server generates the DB2 column name if this field is left blank. If you enter a DB2 column name, you must also enter a DB2 table name.
   - Modify the **Security class** by selecting **normal**, **sensitive**, or **critical** from the drop-down list.

   **Note:** You cannot change the security class of attributes that have a security classification of system or restricted.

   - Modify the **Indexing rules** by selecting one or more indexing rules. See [“Indexing rules” on page 50](page 50) for additional information about indexing rules.

   **Note:** At a minimum, it is recommended that you specify Equal indexing on any attributes that are to be used in search filters.

13. Click **OK** to apply your changes or click **Cancel** to return to Manage attributes without making any changes.

**Note:** If you clicked **OK** on the **General** tab without adding any extensions, you can add or modify extensions by editing the new attribute.

**Using the command line**

View the attributes contained in the schema issue the command:

```bash
idsldapsearch -b cn=schema -s base objectClass=** attributeTypes IBMAttributeTypes
```
Select the attribute that you want to copy. Use an editor to change the appropriate information and save the changes to filename. Then issue the following command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where filename contains:

```plaintext
dn: cn=schema
changetype: modify
add: attributetypes
attributetypes: ( mynewAttribute-oid NAME 'mynewAttribute' DESC 'A new attribute I copied for my LDAP application EQUALITY 2.5.13.2 SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15 {200} USAGE userApplications )
```

```plaintext
- add: ibmattributetypes
  ibmattributetypes: ( myAttribute-oid DBNAME ('myAttrTable' 'myAttrColumn') ACCESS-CLASS normal LENGTH 200 )
```

**Deleting an attribute**

Not all schema changes are allowed. See "Disallowed schema changes" on page 65 for change restrictions.

Use either of the following methods to delete an attribute. The Web Administration Tool is the preferred method.

**Using Web Administration**

If you have not done so already, expand **Schema management** in the navigation area, then click **Manage attributes**. To delete an attribute:

1. Click the radio button next to the attribute that you want to delete.
2. Click **Delete**.
3. You are prompted to confirm deletion of the attribute. Click **OK** to delete the attribute or click **Cancel** to return to **Manage attributes** without making any changes.

**Using the command line**

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i myschemadelete.ldif
```

Where the **myschemadelete.ldif** file includes:

```plaintext
dn: cn=schema
changetype: modify
delete: attributetypes
attributetypes: ( myAttribute-oid )
```

```plaintext
delete: ibmattributetypes
ibmattributetypes: ( myAttribute-oid )
```

See the **idsldapadd** command information in the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference* for more information.

**Encrypted Attributes**

Local Administrative group members who are assigned DirDataAdmin and SchemaAdmin roles can specify attributes that are to be encrypted in the directory database using a subset of the encryption schemes supported for password information. The attributes can be encrypted using either 2-way or 1-way encryption schemes. The supported encryption schemes include AES-256, AES-192, AES-128, SSHA, SHA-224, SHA-256, SHA-384, SHA-512, SSHA-224, SSHA-256, SSHA-384 and SSHA-512 and the supported attribute syntaxes include directory string, IA5 string, distinguished name, and telephone number.
The encrypted attribute policy will allow local admin group members who are assigned DirDataAdmin and SchemaAdmin roles to specify access to encrypted attributes that will be limited to clients that use secure connections. Furthermore, the policy will allow group members to define specific attributes as being non-matchable. This means that such attributes can only be used in presence filters. Additionally, the policy also allows group members to specify if values to be returned on a search should be encrypted or if only attribute names should be returned.

**Note:** Search filter assertions for encrypted attributes can be exact match or presence. Substring matches, ordering, and approximate matching cannot be used.

After specifying the attributes that are to be encrypted, the existing server data will be encrypted only after the next server startup. The time taken for this operation will depend on the number of entries that are to be encrypted. The encrypted attribute policy can be managed using the web administration tool.

**Using Web Administration**

If you have not done so already, expand **Schema management** in the navigation area and click **Manage encrypted attributes**.

The Manage encrypted attributes tab provides a way to manage encrypted attributes. Users can use this tab to manage and add existing encryptable attributes to encrypted attributes.

The Manage encrypted attributes tab will be available only if the server supports ibm-supportedcapability OID for encrypted attribute and returns the OID on rootDSE search.

To manage encryptable attributes:

1. To encrypt attributes, select the required encryptable attributes from the **Select attribute** list in the Attributes available for encryption section.
2. Select an encryption scheme from the **Select encryption scheme** box.
3. Select a search return type for the attribute value from the **Value to return on search** box.
4. Select the **Require secure connection to view or change values** check box to enable secure connection when accessing encrypted attributes.
5. Select the **Allow attributes in search filters** check box to specify whether the selected encryptable attributes are allowed in search filter.
6. Click the **Add to encrypted** button to populate the Encrypted attributes table with the selected encryptable attributes from the Select attribute box.
7. When you are finished, do one of the following:
   - Click **OK** to apply your changes and exit this panel.
   - Click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

To manage encrypted attributes:

1. To remove an attribute from the Encrypted attributes table, click the **Select** column of the required encrypted attribute, and then click the **Remove** button or select **Remove** from the Select Action box and click **Go**.
2. To edit the encryption settings for an attribute, click the **Select** column of the required encrypted attribute, and then click the **Edit encryption settings** button or select **Edit encryption settings** from the Select Action box and click **Go**.
3. To remove all the attributes from the Encrypted attributes table, click the **Remove all** button or select **Remove all** from the Select Action box and click **Go**.

4. When you are finished, do one of the following:
   - Click **OK** to apply your changes and exit this panel.
   - Click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

### Edit encryption settings
This Edit encryption settings panel contains settings that are used for specifying and modifying the existing values of the encrypted attributes such as encryption type, search return type, type of connection for accessing attributes, and search filter.

To edit encrypted attributes:
1. Select an encryption scheme from the **Select encryption scheme** box.
2. Select a search return type for the attribute value from the **Value to return on search** box.
3. Select the **Required secure connection to view or change values** check box to enable secure connection when accessing the encrypted attribute.
4. Select the **Allow attributes in search filters** check box to specify whether the selected encrypted attribute is allowed in search filter.
5. When you are finished, do one of the following:
   - Click **OK** to save the changes made to the encrypted attribute values in the directory schema.
   - Click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

### Encrypted attributes in a replication environment
During replication it is ensured that attributes are replicated over secure connections. The replication process also determines if any incompatible features are used between the supplier and the consumer. For instance, if the supplier has encrypted attributes while the consumer does not support encryption, then the replication process will not start. Also, if the network includes directory servers running with earlier releases, such version 6.0, replicated schema changes will fail.

It is recommended that servers share a crypto key, and that the administrator ensure that attributes are encrypted on all servers. If the crypto keys differ between supplier and consumer, changes will be decoded and replicated as clear text.

### Using command line
To encrypt an attribute, say for instance the uid attribute using the AES encryption scheme, issue the following command:

```
ldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW
dn: cn=schema
changetype: modify
replace: attributetypes
attributetypes:( 0.9.2342.19200300.100.1.1 NAME 'uid' DESC 'Typically a user shortname or userid.' EQUALITY 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.109.114.2 ORDERING 2.5.13.3 SUBSTR 2.5.13.4 SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15 USAGE userApplications )

replace: IBMAttributetypes
IBMAttributetypes:( 0.9.2342.19200300.100.1.1 DBNAME( 'uid' 'uid' ) ACCESS-CLASS normal LENGTH 256 EQUALITY ORDERING SUBSTR APPROX ENCRYPT AES256 SECURE-CONNECTION-REQUIRED RETURN-VALUE encrypted)
```
## Attribute syntax

Attribute syntax identifies the required format of the data.

### Table 4. Attribute syntax

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Managing unique attributes

The Unique Attributes feature ensures that specified attributes always have unique values within a directory. These attributes can be specified in two entries only, *cn=uniqueattributes,cn=localhost* and *cn=uniqueattributes,cn=IBMpolicies*. The values for a unique attribute are stored on the server where the attribute has been designated as unique. Search results for unique attributes are unique for that server’s database only. Search results that include results from referrals might not be unique.

**Note:** Binary attributes, operational attributes, configuration attributes, and the objectclass attribute cannot be designated as unique.

Creating unique attributes

**Note:** On a per attribute basis, language tags are mutually exclusive with unique attributes. If you designate a particular attribute as being a unique attribute, it cannot have language tags associated with it.

**Using Web Administration:** Expand the **Server administration** category in the navigation area. Click **Manage unique attributes**.

1. Select the attribute that you want to add as a unique attribute from the **Available attributes** menu. The available attributes listed are those that can be designated as unique. For example, *sn*.

   **Note:** An attribute remains in the list of available attributes until it has been placed in both the *cn=localhost* and the *cn=IBMpolicies* containers.

2. Click either **Add to cn=localhost** or **Add to cn=IBMpolicies**. The difference between these two containers is that *cn=IBMpolicies* entries are replicated and *cn=localhost* entries are not. The attribute is displayed in the appropriate list box. You can list the same attribute in both containers.

   **Note:** If an entry is created under both *cn=localhost* and *cn=IBMpolicies*, the resultant union of these two entries is the consolidation of their unique attributes list. For example, if the attributes *cn* and *employeeNumber* are designated as unique in *cn=localhost* and the attributes *cn* and
telephoneNumber are designated as unique on cn=IBMploicies, the server treats the attributes cn, employeeNumber, and telephoneNumber as unique attributes.

3. Repeat this process for each attribute you want to add to the attribute cache.

   **Note:** From IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3, attribute cache is deprecated. You must avoid using attribute cache.

4. Click **OK** to save your changes or click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

**Using the command line:** To designate that an attribute must have unique values, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=uniqueattributes,cn=localhost
changetype: add
ibm-UniqueAttributeTypes: sn
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-UniqueAttributes
```

To add additional attributes, issue the command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=uniqueattributes,cn=localhost
cn: uniqueattributes
changetype: modify
add: ibm-UniqueAttributeTypes
ibm-UniqueAttributeTypes: AIXAdminUserId
add: ibm-UniqueAttributeTypes
ibm-UniqueAttributeTypes: adminGroupNames
```

When adding or modifying a unique attribute entry, if establishing a unique constraint for any of the listed unique attribute types results in errors, the entry is not added or created in the directory. The problem must be resolved and the command to add or modify must be reissued before the entry can be created or modified. For example, while adding a unique attribute entry to the directory, if establishing a unique constraint on a table for one of the listed unique attribute types failed (that is, because of having duplicate values in the database), a unique attribute entry is not added to the directory. An error DSA is unwilling to perform is issued.

**Note:** If an entry is created under both cn=localhost and cn=IBMpolicies, the resultant union of these two entries is the consolidation of their unique attributes list. For example, if the attributes cn and employeeNumber are designated as unique in cn=localhost and the attributes cn and telephoneNumber are designated as unique on cn=IBMploicies, the server treats the attributes cn, employeeNumber, and telephoneNumber as unique attributes.

When an application tries to add an entry to the directory with a value for the attribute that duplicates an existing directory entry, an error with result code 20 (LDAP: error code 20 - Attribute or Value Exists) from the LDAP server is issued.
When the server starts, it checks the list of unique attributes and determines if the DB2 constraints exist for each of them. If the constraint does not exist for an attribute because it was removed by the idsbulkload utility or because it was removed manually by the user, it is removed from the unique attributes list and an error message is logged in the error log, ibmslapd.log. For example, if the attribute cn is designated as unique in cn=uniqueattributes,cn=localhost and there is no DB2 constraint for it the following message is logged:

Values for the attribute CN are not unique.
The attribute CN was removed from the unique attribute entry: CN=UNIQUEATTRIBUTES,CN=LOCALHOST

**Removing an attribute from the list of unique attributes**

To remove an attribute from the list of unique attributes, use either of the following methods.

**Note:** If a unique attribute exists in both cn=uniqueattributes,cn=localhost and cn=uniqueattributes,cn=IBMpolicies and it is removed from only one entry, the server continues to treat that attribute as a unique attribute. The attribute become nonunique when it has been removed from both entries.

**Using Web Administration:** Expand the Server administration category in the navigation area. Click Manage unique attributes.

1. Select the attribute that you want to remove from the unique attributes list by clicking the attribute in the appropriate list box. For example AIXAdminUserId from the previous task.
2. Click Remove.
3. Repeat this process for each attribute you want to remove from the list.
4. Click OK to save your changes or click Cancel to exit this panel without making any changes.

**Using the command line:** To remove an attribute from the list of unique attributes using the command line, issue the following command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where *filename* contains:

dn: cn=uniqueattributes,cn=localhost
changetype: modify
cn: uniqueattributes
ibm-UniqueAttributeTypes: AIXAdminUserId

To remove all of the unique attributes stored in, for example, cn=localhost issue the command:

```bash
idsldapdelete -D adminDN -w Adminpw "cn=uniqueattributes,cn=localhost"
```

By deleting this unique attributes entry from the directory, the unique constraints enforced on the unique attributes are dropped to allow nonunique values for the attributes again.
The subschema entries

There is one subschema entry per server. All entries in the directory have an implied subschemaSubentry attribute type. The value of the subschemaSubentry attribute type is the DN of the subschema entry that corresponds to the entry. All entries under the same server share the same subschema entry, and their subschemaSubentry attribute type has the same value. The subschema entry has the hardcoded DN 'cn=schema'.

The subschema entry belongs to the object classes 'top', 'subschema', and 'IBMsubschema'. The 'IBMsubschema' object class has no MUST attributes and one MAY attribute type ('IBMattributeTypes').

The IBMsubschema object class

The IBMsubschema object class is used only in the subschema entry as follows:

\[
\{ \text{objectClass-oid-TBD NAME 'IBMsubschema' AUXILIARY } \\
\text{MAY IBMattributeTypes } \}
\]

Schema queries

The ldap_search() API can be used to query the subschema entry, as shown in the following example:

- **DN**: "cn=schema"
- **search scope**: base
- **filter**: objectclass=subschema or objectclass=*  

This example retrieves the full schema. To retrieve all of the values of selected attribute types, use the attrs parameter in ldap_search. You cannot retrieve only a specific value of a specific attribute type.

See the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Programming Reference for more information about the ldap_search API.

Dynamic schema

To perform a dynamic schema change, use the ldap_modify API with a DN of "cn=schema". It is permissible to add, delete, or replace only one schema entity (for example, an attribute type or an object class) at a time.

To delete a schema entity, provide the oid in parentheses:

\[
( \text{oid} )
\]

You can also provide a full description. In either case, the matching rule used to find the schema entity to delete is objectIdentifierFirstComponentMatch.

To add or replace a schema entity, you MUST provide a LDAP Version 3 definition and you MAY provide the IBM definition. In all cases, you must provide only the definition or definitions of the schema entity that you want to affect.

For example, to delete the attribute type 'cn' (its OID is 2.5.4.3), use ldap_modify() with:

```c
LDAPMod attr;  
LDAPMod *attrs[] = { &attr, NULL };  
char *vals[] = { "( 2.5.4.3 )", NULL };  
attr.mod_op = LDAP_MOD_DELETE;
```
attr.mod_type = "attributeTypes";
attr.mod_values = vals;
ldap_modify_s(ldap_session_handle, "cn=schema", attrs);

To add a new attribute type bar with OID 20.20.20 that has a NAME of length 20 chars:

    char *vals1[] = { " ( 20.20.20 NAME 'bar' SUP NAME )", NULL };
    char *vals2[] = { " ( 20.20.20 LENGTH 20 )", NULL };
    LDAPMod attr1;
    LDAPMod attr2;
    LDAPMod *attrs[] = { &attr1, &attr2, NULL };
    attr1.mod_op = LDAP_MOD_ADD;
    attr1.mod_type = "attributeTypes";
    attr1.mod_values = vals1;
    attr2.mod_op = LDAP_MOD_ADD;
    attr2.mod_type = "IBMattributeTypes";
    attr2.mod_values = vals2;
    ldap_modify_s(ldap_session_handle, "cn=schema", attrs);

Note: You cannot change the ACCESS-CLASS type to or from "system" or "restricted".

See "Working with attributes" on page 46 for examples using the Web Administration Tool and the idsldapmodify command.

See the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Programming Reference for more information about the ldap_modify API.

Access controls

Dynamic schema changes can be performed only by a replication supplier, the server administrator or a member of an administrator group.

Replication

Schema replication needs to be explicitly setup on cn=ibmpolicies to have the changes under cn=schema replicated to the specified replicationAgreements. In previous releases, schema changes were propagated to all the agreements mentioned in the directory server. However, for IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.0 and later, schema changes are propagated only to those agreements, that occur below cn=ibmpolicies and to no other agreements occurring in the Directory Information Tree (DIT).

When a dynamic schema change is performed, it is replicated just like any other ldap_modify operation. See “Replicating schema and password policy updates” on page 298.

See Chapter 14, “Replication,” on page 283 for more additional information.

Disallowed schema changes

Not all schema changes are allowed. Change restrictions include the following:

- Any change to the schema must leave the schema in a consistent state.
- An attribute type that is a supertype of another attribute type may not be deleted. An attribute type that is a "MAY" or a "MUST" attribute type of an object class may not be deleted.
- An object class that is a superclass of another may not be deleted.
- Attribute types or object classes that refer to nonexistent entities (for example, syntaxes or object classes) cannot be added.
• Attribute types or object classes cannot be modified in such a way that they end up referring to nonexisting entities (for example, syntaxes or object classes).

Changes to the schema that affect the operation of the server are not allowed. The following schema definitions are required by the directory server. They must not be changed.

**Object classes**
The following object class definitions must not be modified:
- accessGroup
- accessRole
- alias
- referral
- replicaObject
- top
- ibm-slapdPwdPolicyAdmin
- ibm-pwdPolicyExt
- pwdPolicy

**Attributes**
The following attribute definitions must not be modified:

**Operational attributes**
There are attributes that have special meaning to the directory server, known as operational attributes. These are attributes that are maintained by the server, and either reflect information the server manages about an entry, or affect server operation. These attributes have special characteristics:
• The attributes are not returned by a search operation unless they are specifically requested (by name) in the search request.
• These attributes cannot be deleted.
• The attributes are not part of any object class. The server controls what entries have the attributes.

The following lists of operational attributes are supported by IBM Security Directory Server:
- aclEntry
- aclPropagate
- aclSource
- aliasedObjectName, aliasedentryName
- createTimestamp
- creatorsName
- entryOwner
- hasSubordinates
- ibm-allGroups
- ibm-allMembers
- ibm-capabilitiesubentry
- ibm-effectiveAcl
- ibm-entryChecksum
- ibm-entryChecksumOp
See Appendix I, “Required attribute definitions for IBM Security Directory Server,” on page 613 for more information about these attributes.

A special attribute description, “+”, can be used in the attribute list of a search request to return all operational attributes. If a “+” is present in the search request, the server returns all operational attributes to which the client is authorized. For further information, see the idsldapsearch command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference.
Given below is a table that lists the supported special attributes, and the associated list of operational attributes:

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<td>creatorsname</td>
<td>+ibmentry includes the attributes from +ibmentry and adds:</td>
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Table 5. Supported special attributes and associated list of operational attributes (continued)

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<td>++ibmrepl includes the attributes from +ibmrepl and adds:</td>
</tr>
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<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>ibm-replicationPendingChanges&lt;br&gt;ibm-replicationFailedChanges</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>+ibmrepl</td>
<td>ibm-replicationChangeLDIF&lt;br&gt;ibm-replicationLastActivationTime&lt;br&gt;ibm-replicationLastChangeId&lt;br&gt;ibm-replicationLastFinishTime&lt;br&gt;ibm-replicationLastResult&lt;br&gt;ibm-replicationLastResultAdditional&lt;br&gt;ibm-replicationNextTime&lt;br&gt;ibm-replicationPendingChangeCount&lt;br&gt;ibm-replicationState&lt;br&gt;ibm-replicationFailedChangeCount&lt;br&gt;ibm-replicationPerformance</td>
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Restricted attributes
The following lists of restricted attributes are supported by IBM Security Directory Server:
- aclEntry
- aclPropagate
- entryOwner
- ibm-filterAclEntry
- ibm-filterAclInherit
- ownerPropagate

Root DSE attributes
The following attributes relate to the root DSE and must not be modified:
- altServer
- changelog
See Appendix I, “Required attribute definitions for IBM Security Directory Server,” on page 613 for more information about these attributes.

**Schema definition attributes**
The following attributes are related to Schema definitions and must not be modified:
- attributeTypes
- ditContentRules
- ditStructureRules
- IBMAttributeTypes
- ldapSyntaxes
- matchingRules
- matchingRuleUse
- nameForms
- objectClasses
- supportedExtension
- supportedLDAPVersion
- supportedSASLMechanisms

See Appendix I, “Required attribute definitions for IBM Security Directory Server,” on page 613 for more information about these attributes.

**Configuration attributes**
The following are attributes that affect the configuration of the server. While the values can be modified, the definitions of these attributes must not be changed for the server to operate correctly:
- ibm-audit
- ibm-auditAdd
- ibm-auditAttributesOnGroupEvalOp
- ibm-auditBind
- ibm-auditCompare
- ibm-auditDelete
- ibm-auditExtOp
- ibm-auditExtOpEvent
• ibm-auditFailedOpOnly
• ibm-auditGroupsOnGroupControl
• ibm-auditLog
• ibm-auditModify
• ibm-auditModifyDN
• ibm-auditSearch
• ibm-auditUnbind
• ibm-auditVersion
• ibm-pwdPolicy
• ibm-replicaConsumerConnections
• ibm-replicaConsumerId
• ibm-replicaCredentialsDN
• ibm-replicaGroup
• ibm-replicaKeyfile
• ibm-replicaKeylabel
• ibm-replicaKeypwd
• ibm-replicaMethod
• ibm-replicaReferralURL
• ibm-replicaScheduleDN
• ibm-replicaServerId
• ibm-replicaURL
• ibm-replicationBatchStart
• ibm-replicationExcludedCapability
• ibm-replicationImmediateStart
• ibm-replicationOnHold
• ibm-replicationServerIsMaster
• ibm-replicationTimesUTC
• ibm-scheduleFriday
• ibm-scheduleMonday
• ibm-scheduleSaturday
• ibm-scheduleSunday
• ibm-scheduleThursday
• ibm-scheduleTuesday
• ibm-scheduleWednesday
• ibm-slapdAclCache
• ibm-slapdAclCacheSize
• ibm-slapdAdminDN
• ibm-slapdAdminGroupEnabled
• ibm-slapdAdminPW
• ibm-slapdAllowAnon
• ibm-slapdAllReapingThreshold
• ibm-slapdAnonReapingThreshold
• ibm-slapdAuthIntegration
• ibm-slapdBindWithUniqueAttrsEnabled
• ibm-slapdBoundReapingThreshold
• ibm-slapdBulkloadErrors
• ibm-slapdCachedAttribute
• ibm-slapdCachedAttributeSize
• ibm-slapdChangeLogMaxAge
• ibm-slapdChangeLogMaxEntries
• ibm-slapdCLIErrors
• ibm-slapdConfigPwdPolicyOn
• ibm-slapdCryptoSync
• ibm-slapdDB2CP
• ibm-slapdDBAlias
• ibm-slapdDbConnections
• ibm-slapdDbInstance
• ibm-slapdDbLocation
• ibm-slapdDbName
• ibm-slapdDbUserID
• ibm-slapdDbUserPW
• ibm-slapdDerefAliases
• ibm-slapdDigestAdminUser
• ibm-slapdDigestAttr
• ibm-slapdDigestRealm
• ibm-slapdDistributedDynamicGroups
• ibm-slapdDN
• ibm-slapdEnableEventNotification
• ibm-slapdErrorLog
• ibm-slapdESizeThreshold
• ibm-slapdEThreadActivate
• ibm-slapdEThreadEnable
• ibm-slapdETimeThreshold
• ibm-slapdFilterCacheBypassLimit
• ibm-slapdFilterCacheSize
• ibm-slapdIdleTimeOut
• ibm-slapdIncludeSchema
• ibm-slapdInvalidLine
• ibm-slapdIpAddress
• ibm-slapdKrbAdminDN
• ibm-slapdKrbEnable
• ibm-slapdKrbIdentityMap
• ibm-slapdKrbKeyTab
• ibm-slapdKrbRealm
• ibm-slapdLanguageTagsEnabled
• ibm-slapdLdapCrlHost
• ibm-slapdLdapCrlPassword
• ibm-slapdLdapCrlPort
• ibm-slapdLdapCrlUser
• ibm-slapdLog
• ibm-slapdLogArchivePath
• ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives
• ibm-slapdLogOptions
• ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold
• ibm-slapdMasterDN
• ibm-slapdMasterPW
• ibm-slapdMasterReferral
• ibm-slapdMaxEventsPerConnection
• ibm-slapdMaxEventsTotal
• ibm-slapdMaxNumOfTransactions
• ibm-slapdMaxOpPerTransaction
• ibm-slapdMaxPendingChangesDisplayed
• ibm-slapdMaxTimeLimitOfTransactions
• ibm-slapdMigrationInfo
• ibm-slapdPagedResAllowNonAdmin
• ibm-slapdPagedResLmt
• ibm-slapdPlugin
• ibm-slapdPort
• ibm-slapdProxyBackendServerDn
• ibm-slapdProxyBindMethod
• ibm-slapdProxyConnectionPoolSize
• ibm-slapdProxyDigestRealm
• ibm-slapdProxyDigestUserName
• ibm-slapdProxyDn
• ibm-slapdProxyNumPartitions
• ibm-slapdProxyPartitionBase
• ibm-slapdProxyPartitionIndex
• ibm-slapdProxyPw
• ibm-slapdProxyTargetURL
• ibm-slapdPwEncryption
• ibm-slapdReadOnly
• ibm-slapdReferral
• ibm-slapdReplConflictMaxEntrySize
• ibm-slapdReplContextCacheSize
• ibm-slapdReplDbConns
• ibm-slapdReplMaxErrors
• ibm-slapdReplicateSecurityAttributes
• ibm-slapdReplicaSubtree
• ibm-slapdSchemaAdditions
• ibm-slapdSchemaCheck
• ibm-slapdSecurePort
• ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol
• ibm-slapdSecurity
• ibm-slapdServerBackend
• ibm-slapdServerId
- ibm-slapdSetenv
- ibm-slapdSizeLimit
- ibm-slapdSortKeyLimit
- ibm-slapdSortSrchAllowNonAdmin
- ibm-slapdSslAuth
- ibm-slapdSslCertificate
- ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec
- ibm-slapdSslCipherSpecs
- ibm-slapdSslExtSigalg
- ibm-slapdSslFIPsModeEnabled
- ibm-slapdSslFIPsProcessingMode
- ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabase
- ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabasePW
- ibm-slapdSslKeyRingFile
- ibm-slapdSslKeyRingFilePW
- ibm-slapdSslPKCS11Lib
- ibm-slapdSslPKCS11Keystore
- ibm-slapdSslPKCS11Enabled
- ibm-slapdSslPKCS11AcceleratorMode
- ibm-slapdSslPKCS11TokenLabel
- ibm-slapdSuiteBMode
- ibm-replicaPKCS11Enabled
- ibm-slapdStartupTraceEnabled
- ibm-slapdSuffix
- ibm-slapdSupportedCapabilities
- ibm-slapdSupportedWebAdmVersion
- ibm-slapdSysLogLevel
- ibm-slapdTimeLimit
- ibm-slapdTraceEnabled
- ibm-slapdTraceMessageLevel
- ibm-slapdTraceMessageLog
- ibm-slapdTransactionEnable
- ibm-slapdUniqueAttrForBindWithValue
- ibm-slapdUseProcessIdPW
- ibm-slapdVersion
- ibm-slapdWriteTimeout
- ibm-UniqueAttributeTypes
- ids-instanceDesc
- ids-instanceLocation
- ids-instanceVersion
- passwordMaxRepeatedChars
- passwordMinAlphaChars
- passwordMinDiffChars
- passwordMinOtherChars
- pwdAllowUserChange
• pwdAttribute
• pwdCheckSyntax
• pwdExpireWarning
• pwdFailureCountInterval
• pwdGraceLoginLimit
• pwdInHistory
• pwdLockout
• pwdLockoutDuration
• pwdMaxAge
• pwdMaxFailure
• pwdMinAge
• pwdMinLength
• pwdMustChange
• pwdSafeModify
• replicaBindDN
• replicaBindMethod
• replicaCredentials, replicaBindCredentials
• replicaHost
• replicaPort
• replicaUpdateTimeInterval
• replicaUseSSL

See Appendix I, “Required attribute definitions for IBM Security Directory Server,” on page 613 for more information about these attributes.

User application attributes
Additionally, there are several user application attributes that must not have their definitions modified:
• businessCategory
• cn, commonName
• changeNumber
• changes
• changeType
• deleteOldRdn
• description
• dn, distinguishedName
• globalGroupName
• ibm-changepInitiatorsName
• ibm-kn, ibm-kerberosName
• ibm-replCredName
• ibm-replDailySchedName
• ibm-replWeeklySchedName
• krbAliasedObjectName
• krbHintAliases
• krbPrincSubtree
• krbPrincipalName
• krbRealmName
• krbRealmName-V2
• member
• name
• newRdn
• newSuperior
• o, organizationName, organization
• objectClass
• ou, organizationalUnit, organizationalUnitName
• owner
• ref
• secretKey
• seeAlso
• targetDN


**Syntaxes**

No syntaxes are allowed to be modified.

**Matching rules**

No matching rules are allowed to be modified.

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**Schema checking**

When the server is initialized, the schema files are read and checked for consistency and correctness. If the checks fail, the server fails to initialize and issues an error message. During any dynamic schema change, the resulting schema is also checked for consistency and correctness. If the checks fail, an error is returned and the change fails. Some checks are part of the grammar (for example, an attribute type can have at most one supertype, or an object class can have any number of superclasses).

The following items are checked for attribute types:

- Two different attribute types cannot have the same name or OID.
- The inheritance hierarchy of attribute types does not have cycles.
- The supertype of an attribute type must also be defined, although its definition might be displayed later, or in a separate file.
- If an attribute type is a subtype of another, they both have the same USAGE.
- All attribute types have a syntax either directly defined or inherited.
- Only operational attributes can be marked as NO-USER-MODIFICATION.

The following items are checked for object classes:

- Two different object classes cannot have the same name or OID.
- The inheritance hierarchy of object classes does not have cycles.
- The superclasses of an object class must also be defined, although its definition might appear later or in a separate file.
• The "MUST" and "MAY" attribute types of an object class must also be defined, although its definition might appear later or in a separate file.
• Every structural object class is a direct or indirect subclass of top.
• If an abstract object class has superclasses, the superclasses must also be abstract.

Checking an entry against the schema

When an entry is added or modified through an LDAP operation, the entry is checked against the schema. By default, all checks listed in this section are performed. However, you can selectively disable some of them by providing an ibm-slapdSchemaCheck value to the ibmslapd.conf configuration directive. See the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Installation and Configuration Guide for information about schema configuration attributes.

To comply with the schema an entry is checked for the following conditions:

**With respect to object classes:**

- Must have at least one value of attribute type "objectClass".
- Can have any number of auxiliary object classes including zero. This is not a check, but a clarification. There are no options to disable this.
- Can have any number of abstract object classes, but only as a result of class inheritance. This means that for every abstract object class that the entry has, it also has a structural or auxiliary object class that inherits directly or indirectly from that abstract object class.
- Must have at least one structural object class.
- Must have exactly one immediate or base structural object class. This means that of all the structural object classes provided with the entry, they all must be superclasses of exactly one of them. The most derived object class is called the "immediate" or "base structural" object class of the entry, or simply the "structural" object class of the entry.
- Cannot change its immediate structural object class (on ldap_modify).
- For each object class provided with the entry, the set of all of its direct and indirect superclasses is calculated; if any of those superclasses is not provided with the entry, then it is automatically added.

**The validity of the attribute types for an entry is determined as follows:**

- The set of MUST attribute types for the entry is calculated as the union of the sets of MUST attribute types of all of its object classes, including the implied inherited object classes. If the set of MUST attribute types for the entry is not a subset of the set of attribute types contained by the entry, the entry is rejected.
- The set of MAY attribute types for the entry is calculated as the union of the sets of MAY attribute types of all of its object classes, including the implied inherited object classes. If the set of attribute types contained by the entry is not a subset of the union of the sets of MUST and MAY attribute types for the entry, the entry is rejected.
- If any of the attribute types defined for the entry are marked as NO-USER-MODIFICATION, the entry is rejected.

**The validity of the attribute type values for an entry is determined as follows:**

- For every attribute type contained by the entry, if the attribute type is single-valued and the entry has more than one value, the entry is rejected.
For every attribute value of every attribute type contained by the entry, if its syntax does not comply with the syntax checking routine for the syntax of that attribute, the entry is rejected.

For every attribute value of every attribute type contained by the entry, if its length is greater than the maximum length assigned to that attribute type, the entry is rejected.

The validity of the DN is checked as follows:

- The syntax is checked for compliance with the BNF for DistinguishedNames. If it does not comply, the entry is rejected.
- It is verified that the RDN is made up with only attribute types that are valid for that entry.
- It is verified that the values of attribute types used in the RDN appear in the entry.

### iPlanet compatibility

The parser used by IBM Security Directory Server allows the attribute values of schema attribute types (objectClasses and attributeTypes) to be specified using the grammar of iPlanet. For example, descrs and numeric-oids can be specified with surrounding single quotation marks (as if they were qdescrs). However, the schema information is always made available through ldap_search. As soon as a single dynamic change (using ldap_modify) is performed on an attribute value in a file, the whole file is replaced by one where all attribute values follow the specifications of Security Directory Server. Because the parser used on the files and on ldap_modify requests is the same, an ldap_modify that uses the iPlanet grammar for attribute values is also handled correctly.

When a query is made on the subschema entry of an iPlanet server, the resulting entry can have more than one value for a given OID. For example, if a certain attribute type has two names (such as 'cn' and 'commonName'), then the description of that attribute type is provided twice, once for each name. Security Directory Server can parse a schema where the description of a single attribute type or object class appears multiple times with the same description (except for NAME and DESCR). However, when Security Directory Server publishes the schema it provides a single description of such an attribute type with all of the names listed (the short name comes first). For example, here is how iPlanet describes the common name attribute:

```
( 2.5.4.3 NAME 'cn'
   DEScript 'Standard Attribute'
   SYNTAX '1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15' )

( 2.5.4.3 NAME 'commonName'
   DEScript 'Standard Attribute, alias for cn'
   SYNTAX '1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15' )
```

This is how Security Directory Server describes the attribute:

```
( 2.5.4.3 NAME ( 'cn' 'commonName' )
   SUP name )
```

Also, Security Directory Server supports subtypes. If you do not want 'cn' to be a subtype of name (which deviates from the standard), you can declare the following:

```
( 2.5.4.3 NAME ( 'cn' 'commonName' )
   SUP name )
```

```
( 2.5.4.3 NAME ( 'cn' )
   SUP name )
```
The first name ('cn') is taken as the preferred or short name and all other names after 'cn' as alternate names. From this point on, the strings '2.5.4.3', 'cn' and 'commonName' (as well as their case-insensitive equivalents) can be used interchangeably within the schema or for entries added to the directory.

Generalized and UTC time

There are different notations used to designate date and time-related information. For example, the fourth day of February in the year 1999 can be written as:

- 2/4/99
- 4/2/99
- 99/2/4
- 4.2.1999
- 04-FEB-1999

as well as many other notations.

IBM Security Directory Server standardizes the timestamp representation by requiring the LDAP servers to support two syntaxes:

- The Generalized Time syntax, which takes the form:

  \[YYYYMMDDHHMMSS[.fraction][(+|-HHMM)]Z]\]

  There are 4 digits for the year, 2 digits each for the month, day, hour, minute, and second, and an optional fraction of a second. Without any further additions, a date and time is assumed to be in a local time zone. To indicate that a time is measured in Coordinated Universal Time, append a capital letter Z to a time or a local time differential. For example:

  "19991106210627.3"

  which in local time is 6 minutes, 27.3 seconds after 9 p.m. on 6 November 1999.

  "19991106210627.3Z"

  which is the coordinated universal time.

  "19991106210627.3-0500"

  which is local time as in the first example, with a 5 hour difference in relation to the coordinated universal time.

  If you designate an optional fraction of a second, a period or a comma is required. For local time differential, a '+' or a '-' must precede the hour-minute value.

- The Universal time syntax, which takes the form:

  \[YYMMDDHHMM[SS][(+|\-)|HHMM)]Z]\]

  There are 2 digits each for the year, month, day, hour, minute, and optional second fields. As in GeneralizedTime, an optional time differential can be specified. For example, if local time is a.m. on 2 January 1999 and the coordinated universal time is 12 noon on 2 January 1999, the value of UTCTime is either:

  "9901021200Z"

  or

  "9901020700-0500"

  If the local time is a.m. on 2 January 2001 and the coordinated universal time is 12 noon on 2 January 2001, the value of UTCTime is either:
"0101021200Z"
or
"0101020700-0500"

UTCTime allows only 2 digits for the year value, therefore the usage is not recommended.

The supported matching rules are generalizedTimeMatch for equality and
generalizedTimeOrderingMatch for inequality. Substring search is not allowed. For example, the following filters are valid:

generalized-timestamp-attribute=199910061030
utc-timestamp-attribute>=991006
generalized-timestamp-attribute=*

The following filters are not valid:
generalized-timestamp-attribute=1999*
utc-timestamp-attribute>=*1010
Chapter 9. Basic server administration tasks

Note: Unless stated otherwise, the following tasks can be performed by the directory administrator, a member of a global administrative group, or a member of the local administrative group based on their roles.

- “Changing the primary administrator distinguished name and password”
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Changing the primary administrator distinguished name and password

This task can be performed by the directory administrator only.

The administrator name and password is usually set during the server installation and configuration process. However, you can change an administrator name and an administrator password by using either the Web Administration Tool or the command line. See “Setting the administration password and lockout policy” on page 224 for information about administration password security restrictions.

Using Web Administration

Click User properties in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool. Two selections are displayed:

**Change administrator login**

Specify a new Administrator DN in the field and enter the current password. Click OK or click Cancel to return to the Introduction panel without making any changes.

Note: This selection is available only if you are logged in as the directory administrator. It is not available if you are logged in as a user or an administrative group member.

**Change password**

To change the password for the currently logged-in DN, type your current password in the Current password field. Then type your new password in the New password field and type it again in the Confirm new password field and click OK. Click Cancel to return to the Introduction panel without making any changes.

Using the command line

You can use either the idsnpw command or the idsxcfg utility from the command line.

Using the idsnpw command:
idsnpw -u admindn -p adminPW

To use the idsxcfg utility type idsxcfg on a command line. From the IBM Security Directory Server Configuration Tool, select Manage administrator DN to change
the administrator’s DN or **Manage administrator password** to change the administrator’s password and follow the directions. See the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Installation and Configuration Guide* for additional information on using the idsxcfg utility.

See [Chapter 3, “Distinguished names (DNs),” on page 13](#) for more information about distinguished names.

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**Starting and stopping the server**

You can use either of the following methods to start or stop the server.

### Using Web Administration

**Note:** The administration server (idsdiradm) for the given directory instance must be running.

The current status of the server, either started, stopped, or started in configuration mode, is indicated by the icons in the upper left-hand corner of the server status area. The current status is also described in the first sentence of the work area, for example:

*The Directory Server is currently running*.

1. If you have not done so already, click **Server Administration** in the Web Administration navigation area and then click **Start/Stop/Restart Server** in the expanded list.

   **Note:** When the Web admin tool is used to access the admin server:
   
   * The status bar on the Start/Stop/Restart Server panel displays a message indicating that the tool is connected to the admin server. If you access panels that are not supported by admin server, a message is displayed indicating that the functions on the panels are not supported.
   * The Start/Stop/Restart Server panel is enabled based on the capabilities present in rootDSE for ibm-supportedcapabilities attribute.

2. The message area displays the current state of the server (stopped, running, or running in configuration only mode). Depending on the state of the server, running or stopped, buttons are enabled for you to change the state of the server.

   **Table 6. Actions available based on the status of the server**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Server status</th>
<th>Buttons available</th>
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<tr>
<td>Stopped</td>
<td>Start, Close</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Running</td>
<td>Stop, Restart, Close</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Running in configuration only mode</td>
<td>Stop, Restart, Close</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

   * If the server is running, click **Stop** to stop the server or **Restart** to stop and then start the server.
   * If the server is stopped, click **Start** to start the server.
   * Click **Close** to return to the Introduction panel.

3. A message is displayed when the server successfully starts or stops.

   If you need to perform server configuration maintenance, select the **Start / Restart in configuration only mode** check box. In this mode only the system administrator
can bind to the server. All other connections are refused until the server is restarted with DB2 backends enabled (the Start / Restart in configuration only mode check box deselected). See Chapter 5, “Configuration only mode,” on page 23 for additional information.

**Note:** Configuration maintenance can be done while the server is running.

### Using the command line or Windows Services icon:

Use the following commands to start server:

**Note:** The administration server (idsdiradm) must be running for the ibmdirctl

```
ibmdirctl -h mymachine -D myDN -w mypassword -p admin_portnumber start
```

or

```
idsldap -I instancename
```

Use the following commands to stop the server:

```
ibmdirctl -h mymachine -D myDN -w mypassword -p admin_portnumber stop
```

or

```
idsldap -I instancename -k
```

to start and stop the server respectively. See the **ibmdirctl** and **idsdiradm** command information in the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference* for more information.

For Windows systems use the previous commands or:

1. From the desktop, double-click the **My Computer** icon.
2. Double-click the **Control Panel** icon.
3. Double-click the **Administrative Tools** icon.
4. Double-click the **Services** icon.
5. To start the server select **Control Panel ->Administrative Tools->Services**, select **IBM Security Directory Server Instance V6.3.1 - instancename** and click **Start**.
6. To stop the server select **Control Panel ->Administrative Tools->Services**, select **IBM Security Directory Server Instance V6.3.1 - instancename** and click **Stop**.

**Note:** If you change the time zone on your Windows machine, you need to restart the server and the administration server in order for the server and administration server to recognize the time change. This ensures that the time stamps in the administration server’s logs match the time stamps in the server’s logs.

To start or stop a directory server instance using the Instance Administration Tool:

- In the Instance Administration Tool, select the directory server instance you want to start or stop, and then click **Start/Stop**.

### Checking server status

You can check the status of the server by searching for the object classes under **cn=monitor**. To do this, use one of the following methods:
Using Web Administration

Expand the Server administration category in the navigation area. Click View server status. This panel has nine tabs. At the bottom of this panel you can click Refresh to update the status displayed on the tab you are currently viewing or you can click Close to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Introduction panel.

Note: When the Web admin tool is used to access the admin server:
- The title of the View server status panel will change to View Admin Server status.
- The status bar on the View Admin Server Status panel displays a message indicating that the tool is connected to the admin server. If you access panels that are not supported by admin server, a message is displayed indicating that the functions on the panels are not supported.
- The View Admin Server Status panel is enabled based on the capabilities present in rootDSE for ibm-supportedcapabilities attribute.

If the directory server is running, the following information is displayed:

**General**

Click the General tab to display the following information:

**Hostname**

The host name of the LDAP server.

**Server status**

The server is either **Running**, **Running configuration only mode**, or **Stopped**. You can determine the server status at any time by the three icons displayed in the left side corner of the server status area.

**Start time**

The time the server was started. The start time is in the format:

```
year-month-day hour:minutes:seconds GMT
```

**Current time**

The current time on the server. The current time is in the format:

```
year-month-day hour:minutes:seconds GMT
```

**Total threads**

The number of worker threads being used by the server.

**Total threads blocked on write**

The number of threads sending data back to the client.

**Total threads blocked on read**

The number of threads reading data from the client.

**Number of connections**

The number of currently active connections.

**Total connections**

The total number of connections since the server was started.

**Number of entries sent**

The number of entries sent by the server since the server was started.

**Bypass alias dereferencing**

The server runtime value that indicates if alias processing can be bypassed. It displays true, if no alias object exists in the directory, and false, if at least one alias object exists in the directory.
Total number of SSL connections
The total number of SSL connections since the server was started. This information displays only if the server you are connected to supports the monitor connection type counts feature.

Total number of TLS connections
The total number of TLS connections since the server was started. This information displays only if the server you are connected to supports the monitor connection type counts feature.

System Information
Click System information to display the following information:

Operating System name
Specifies the name of the operating system running on the LDAP server.

Disk space used by directory where the DB2 database is stored (Kbytes)
Specifies the amount of disk space in kilobytes used by the directory that contains DB2 database.

Disk space available to DB2 database (Kbytes)
Specifies the amount of disk space in kilobytes available for DB2 database.

Operation counts
Click Operation counts 1 to display the following information:

Number of operations requested
The number of initiated requests since the server was started.

Number of operations completed
The number of completed requests since the server was started.

Number of search operations requested
The number of initiated searches since the server was started.

Number of search operations completed
The number of completed searches since the server was started.

Number of bind operations requested
The number of bind requests since the server was started.

Number of bind operations completed
The number of completed bind requests since the server was started.

Number of unbind operations requested
The number of unbind requests since the server was started.

Number of unbind operations completed
The number of completed unbind requests since the server was started.

Number of add operations requested
The number of add requests since the server was started.

Number of add operations completed
The number of completed add requests since the server was started.

Number of delete operations requested
The number of delete requests since the server was started.

Number of delete operations completed
The number of completed delete requests since the server was started.

Number of modify RDN operations requested
The number of modify RDN requests since the server was started.
Number of modify RDN operations completed
The number of completed modify RDN requests since the server was started.

Note: When accessing admin server using the Web admin tool, some fields will not be displayed.

Click Operation counts 2 to display the following information:

Number of modify operations requested
The number of modify requests since the server was started.

Number of modify operations completed
The number of completed modify requests since the server was started.

Number of compare operations requested
The number of compare requests since the server was started.

Number of compare operations completed
The number of completed compare requests since the server was started.

Number of abandon operations requested
The number of abandon requests since the server was started.

Number of abandon operations completed
The number of completed abandon requests since the server was started.

Number of extended operations requested
The number of extended requests since the server was started.

Number of extended operations completed
The number of completed extended requests since the server was started.

Number of unknown operations requested
The number of unknown requests since the server was started.

Number of unknown operations completed
The number of completed unknown requests since the server was started.

Number of operations not in a transaction failed due to a deadlock condition
The number of operations that are not in a transaction failed because of a deadlock condition.

Number of operations waiting in the deadlock detector
The number of operations waiting in the deadlock detector.

Maximum number of operations waiting in the deadlock detector
The maximum number of operations waiting in the deadlock detector at any point of time.

Number of operations not in a transaction that have been retried
The number of operations that are not in a transaction and have been retried to avoid deadlocks.

Note: When accessing admin server using the Web admin tool, some fields will not be displayed.

Transaction counts
Click Transaction counts to display the following:

Number of transactions requested
The number of transaction requests initiated since the server was started.
Number of transactions completed
The number of transactions completed that can be either commit or rollback requests.

Number of transaction commits requested
The number of transaction commits requested since the server was started.

Number of transactions committed
The number of transactions committed successfully since the server was started.

Number of end transaction rollbacks requested
The number of end transaction rollback requests received since the server was started.

Number of transactions rolled back
The number of transactions rolled back either by requests or because of operation failure.

Number of transaction prepare operations requested
The number of transaction prepare operations requested since the server was started.

Number of transaction prepare operations completed
The number of transaction prepare operations completed since the server was started.

Number of transactions that have requested a prepare, but have not yet been committed or rolled back
The number of transactions that have requested a prepare but have not yet been committed or rolled back.

Note: You can click Refresh to refresh the information on this panel. Click Close to return to the “Introduction” panel.

Work queue
Click Work queue to display the following:

Number of worker threads available
The number of worker threads available for work.

Depth of the work queue
The current size of the work queue.

Largest size of the work queue
The largest size that the work queue has ever reached.

Number of connections closed by automatic connection cleaner
The number of idle connections closed by the automatic connection cleaner.

Number of times the automatic connection cleaner has run
The number of times the automatic connection cleaner has run.

Note: When accessing admin server using the Web admin tool, some fields will not be displayed.

View worker status
Click View worker status to display information about the worker threads that are currently active. This information is useful when the server is not performing as expected or performing poorly. Performing this search suspends all server activity until it is completed. A warning to that effect is displayed and explains that the
time to complete this operation depends on the number of connections and active worker threads. Click Yes to display the information.

The following worker thread information is displayed in a table.

**Thread ID**
The ID of the worker thread, for example, 2640.

**Operation**
The type of work request receive, for example, search.

**Bind DN**
The DN used to bind to the server.

**Client IP**
The IP address of the client.

To view a worker thread’s details, select the worker thread you want more information about from the View worker status table and click View. The following information fields about the selected worker thread are displayed:

**Thread ID**
The ID of the worker thread, for example, 2640.

**Operation**
The type of work request receive, for example, search.

**LDAP version**
The LDAP version level, either V1, V2 or V3.

**Bind DN**
The DN used to bind to the server.

**Client IP**
The IP address of the client.

**Client port**
The port used by the client.

**Connection ID**
The number that identifies the connection.

**Received at**
The date and time that the work request was received.

**Request parameters**
Additional information about the operation. For example, if the request was a search, the following information is also provided:

```
base=cn=workers,cn=monitor
scope=baseObject
derefaliases=neverDerefAliases
typesonly=false
filter=(objectclass=*)
attributes=all
```

Click Close to return to the View worker status panel.

**Trace and logs**
Click Trace and logs to view the following information:

**Trace enabled**
The current trace value for the server. TRUE, if collecting trace data, FALSE, if not collecting trace data. See the ldaptrace command information
in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for
information about enabling and starting the trace function.

Trace message level
The current ldap_debug value for the server. The value is in hexadecimal
form, for example,
0x0=0
0xffff=65535

For more information, see the section on Debugging levels in the IBM

Trace message log
The name of the file that contains the trace output.

Note: If the value is stderr, the output is displayed in the command
window where the LDAP server was started. If the server was not
started from the command line, no data is displayed.

Number of messages added to server log
The number of error messages recorded since the server started.

Number of messages added to DB2 log
The number of DB2 error messages recorded since the server started.

Number of messages added to audit log
The number of messages recorded by the audit log since the server started.

Number of error messages added to audit log
The number of failed operation messages recorded by the audit log.

Persistent search
Click Persistent search to display the following information:

Number of changes sent
Indicates the number of changes sent after the server startup.

Number of active connections
Indicates the number of active persistent search connections.

Number of dropped connections
Indicates the number of connections that have been dropped as a result of
network or client failure.

Number of pending changes
Indicates the number of new updates in the queue that are yet to be
processed by the persistent search thread.

Using the command line
To determine server status using the command line use the idsldapsearch
command for the following bases
• cn=monitor
• cn=workers,cn=monitor
• cn=connections,cn=monitor
• cn=changelog,cn=monitor
• cn=system,cn=monitor
cn=monitor
idsldapsearch -h servername -p portnumber -b cn=monitor -s base objectclass=*

This command returns the following information:

cn=monitor

version=IBM Security Directory (SSL), Version 6.3.1

directoryversion
    The specific version number indicating fixpack level.

totalconnections
    The total number of connections since the server was started.

total_ssl_connections
    The total number of SSL connections since the server was started.

total_tls_connections
    The total number of TLS connections since the server was started.

currentconnections
    The number of active connections.

maxconnections
    The maximum number of active connections allowed.

writewaiters
    The number of threads sending data back to the client.

readwaiters
    The number of threads reading data from the client.

opsinitiated
    The number of requests since the server was started.

livethreads
    The number of worker threads being used by the server.

opscompleted
    The number of completed requests since the server was started.

entriessent
    The number of entries sent by the server since the server was started.

searchesrequested
    The number of requested searches since the server was started.

searchescompleted
    The number of completed searches since the server was started.

bindsrequested
    The number of bind operations requested since the server was started.

bindscompleted
    The number of bind operations completed since the server was started.

unbindsrequested
    The number of unbind operations requested since the server was started.

unbindscompleted
    The number of unbind operations completed since the server was started.

addsrequested
    The number of add operations requested since the server was started.
addscompleted
The number of add operations completed since the server was started.

addsfromsuppliers
The number of update operations received from replication supplier.

deletesrequested
The number of delete operations requested since the server was started.

deletescompleted
The number of delete operations completed since the server was started.

deletesfromsuppliers
The number of delete operations received from replication supplier.

modrdnsrequested
The number of modify RDN operations requested since the server was started.

modrdnscompleted
The number of modify RDN operations completed since the server was started.

modrdnsfromsuppliers
The number of modify RDN operations received from replication supplier.

modifiesrequested
The number of modify operations requested since the server was started.

modifiescompleted
The number of modify operations completed since the server was started.

modifiesfromsuppliers
The number of modify operations received from replication supplier.

comparesrequested
The number of compare operations requested since the server was started.

comparescompleted
The number of compare operations completed since the server was started.

abandonsrequested
The number of abandon operations requested since the server was started.

abandonscompleted
The number of abandon operations completed since the server was started.

extopsrequested
The number of extended operations requested since the server was started.

extopscompleted
The number of extended operations completed since the server was started.

unknownopsrequested
The number of unknown operations requested since the server was started.

unknownopscompleted
The number of unknown operations completed since the server was started.

transactionsrequested
The number of transaction requests initiated.

transactionscompleted
The number of transaction operations completed.
**transactionpreparesrequested**
The number of prepare transaction operations requested.

**transactionpreparescompleted**
The number of prepare transaction operations completed.

**transactioncommitsrequested**
The number of commit transaction operations requested.

**transactionscommitted**
The number of transaction operations committed.

**transactionrollbacksrequested**
The number of transaction operations requested for rollback.

**transactionsrolledback**
The number of transaction operations rolled back.

**transactionspreparedwaitingoncommit**
The number of transaction operations which are prepared and waiting for commit/rollback.

**slapderrorlog_messages**
The number of server error messages recorded since the server was started or since a reset was performed.

**slapdclierrors_messages**
The number of DB2 error messages recorded since the server was started or since a reset was performed.

**auditlog_messages**
The number of audit messages recorded since the server was started or since a reset was performed.

**auditlog_failedop_messages**
The number of failed operation messages recorded since the server was started or since a reset was performed.

**filter_cache_size**
The maximum number of filters allowed in the cache.

**filter_cache_current**
The number of filters currently in the cache.

**filter_cache_hit**
The number of filters found in the cache.

**filter_cache_miss**
The number of search operations that attempted to use the filter cache, but didn't find a matching operation in the cache.

**filter_cache_bypass_limit**
Search filters that return more entries than this limit are not cached.

**entry_cache_size**
The maximum number of entries allowed in the cache.

**entry_cache_current**
The number of entries currently in the cache.

**entry_cache_hit**
The number of entries found in the cache.

**entry_cache_miss**
The number of entries not found in the cache.
**group_members_cache_size**
The maximum number of groups whose members needs to be cached.

**group_members_cache_current**
The number of groups whose members are currently cached.

**group_members_cache_hit**
The number of groups whose members were requested and retrieved from
the group members’ cache.

**group_members_cache_miss**
The number of groups whose members were requested and found in the
group members’ cache that needed to have the members retrieved from
DB2.

**group_members_cache_bypass**
The maximum number of members allowed in a group that will be cached
in the group members’ cache.

**acl_cache**
A Boolean value indicating that the ACL cache is active (TRUE) or inactive
(FALSE).

**acl_cache_size**
The maximum number of entries in the ACL cache.

**operations_waiting**
The number of operations waiting in the deadlock detector.

**maximum_operations_waiting**
The maximum number of operations that have waited at one time in the
deadlock detector.

**operations_retried**
The number of operations retired due to deadlocks.

**operations_deadlocked**
The number of operations in deadlock.

**cached_attribute_total_size**
The amount of memory in kilobytes used by attribute caching.

**cached_attribute_configured_size**
The amount of memory in kilobytes that can be used by attribute caching.

**cached_attribute_auto_adjust**
Indicates if attribute cache auto adjusting is configured to be on or off.

**cached_attribute_auto_adjust_time**
Indicates the configured time on which to start attribute cache auto
adjusting.

**cached_attribute_auto_adjust_time_interval**
Indicates the time interval after which to repeat attribute cache auto
adjusting for the day.

**cached_attribute_hit**
The number of times the attribute has been used in a filter that could be
processed by the changelog attribute cache. The value is reported as
follows:

```
cached_attribute_hit=attrname:#####
```
cached_attribute_size
The amount of memory used for this attribute in the changelog attribute cache. This value is reported in kilobytes as follows:
cached_attribute_size=attrname:#####

cached_attribute_candidate_hit
A list of up to ten most frequently used noncached attributes that have been used in a filter that could have been processed by the changelog attribute cache if all of the attributes used in the filter had been cached.
The value is reported as follows:
cached_attribute_candidate_hit=attrname:#####

You can use this list to help you decide which attributes you want to cache. Typically, you want to put a limited number of attributes into the attribute cache because of memory constraints.

currenttime
The current time on the server. The current time is in the format:
year-month-day hour:minutes:seconds GMT

starttime
The time the server was started. The start time is in the format:
year-month-day hour:minutes:seconds GMT

trace_enabled
The current trace value for the server. TRUE, if collecting trace data, FALSE, if not collecting trace data. See the ldaptrace command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for information about enabling and starting the trace function.

trace_message_level
The current ldap_debug value for the server. The value is in hexadecimal form, for example:
0x0=0
0xffff=65535

For more information, see the section on Debugging levels in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference.

trace_message_log
The current LDAP_DEBUG_FILE environment variable setting for the server.

auditinfo
Contains the current audit configuration. This attribute is displayed only if the monitor search is initiated by an administrator.

en_currentregs
The current number of client registrations for event notification.

en_notificationssent
The total number of event notifications sent to clients since the server was started.

currentpersistentsearches
Indicates number of active persistent search connections.

persistentsearchpendingchanges
Indicates the number of new updates in the queue that are yet to be processed by the persistent search thread.
PersistentSearchProcessedChanges
Indicates number of changes processed by persistent search process.

LostPersistentSearchConns
Indicates the number of lost persistent search connections.

Bypass_Deref_Aliases
The server runtime value that indicates if alias processing can be bypassed.
It displays true, if no alias object exists in the directory, and false, if at least
one alias object exists in the directory.

Available_Workers
The number of worker threads available for work.

Current_Workqueue_Size
The current depth of the work queue.

Largest_Workqueue_Size
The largest size that the work queue has ever reached.

Idle_Connections_Closed
The number of idle connections closed by the Automatic Connection
Cleaner.

Auto_Connection_Cleaner_Run
The number of times that the Automatic Connection Cleaner has run.

Note: From IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3, attribute cache is
deprecated. You must avoid using attribute cache.

cn=workers,cn=monitor
For worker thread information ensure that auditing is enabled and issue the
following command:
idsldapsearch -D adminDN -w adminpw -b cn=workers,cn=monitor
-s base objectclass=*  
This command gives the following type of information for each active worker:

**cn=workers,cn=monitor**

**cn=workers**

**objectclass=container**

**cn=thread2640,cn=workers,cn=monitor**

**thread** The number of the worker thread. For example 2640.

**ldapversion**
The LDAP version level, either V3 or V2.

**binddn**
The DN used to bind to the server.

**clientip**
The IP address of the client.

**clientport**
The port used by the client.

**connectionid**
The number identifying the connection.

**received**
The date and time that the work request was received.
workrequest

The type of work request received and additional information about the request. For example, if the request was a search, the following information is also provided:

- `base=cn=workers, cn=monitor`
- `scope=baseObject`
- `derefaliases=neverDerefAliases`
- `typesonly=false`
- `filter=(objectclass=*)`
- `attributes=all`

```bash
cn=connections, cn=monitor
```

idsldapsearch -D adminDN -w adminpw -h servername -p portname -b cn=connections, cn=monitor -s base objectclass=*

This search returns something similar to the following:

```
cn=connections, cn=monitor
```

- `connection=xxxx` The connection number.
- `9.48.181.83` The server IP address.
- `2005-02-28 21:53:54 GMT` The current time on the server. The current time is in the format: `year-month-day hour:minutes:seconds GMT`
- `1 : 5` The opsinprogress and opscompleted, respectively.
  - opsinprogress – The number of requests in progress.
  - opscompleted – The number of completed requests since the server was started.

**CN=ROOT**

This is the DN that the connection is bound as.

```bash
cn=changelog, cn=monitor
```

idsldapsearch -D adminDN -w adminpw -h servername -p portname -b cn=changelog, cn=monitor -s base objectclass=*

This search returns something similar to the following:

```
CN=CHANGELOG,CN=MONITOR
cached_attribute_total_size=0
cached_attribute_configured_size=0
```

- `cached_attribute_total_size` The amount of memory used by the changelog attribute cache, in kilobytes. This number includes additional memory used to manage the cache that is not charged to the individual attribute caches. Consequently, this total is larger than the sum of the memory used by all the individual attribute caches.
**cached_attribute_configured_size**
The maximum amount of memory, in kilobytes, that is enabled to be used by the changelog attribute cache.

**cached_attribute_hit**
The number of times the attribute has been used in a filter that could be processed by the changelog attribute cache. The value is reported as follows:

```text
cached_attribute_hit=attrname:####
```

**cached_attribute_size**
The amount of memory used for this attribute in the changelog attribute cache. This value is reported in kilobytes as follows:

```text
cached_attribute_size=attrname:######
```

**cached_attribute_candidate_hit**
A list of up to ten most frequently used noncached attributes that have been used in a filter that could have been processed by the changelog attribute cache if all of the attributes used in the filter had been cached. The value is reported as follows:

```text
cached_attribute_candidate_hit=attrname:####
```

You can use this list to help you decide which attributes you want to cache. Typically, you want to put a limited number of attributes into the attribute cache because of memory constraints.

**Note:** From IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3, attribute cache is deprecated. You must avoid using attribute cache.

**cn=system,cn=monitor**
To collect system information from machines on which the directory server is running, issue the following command:

```
idsldapsearch -D adminDN -w adminpw -b cn=system,cn=monitor -s base objectclass=*
```

The information that is returned will depend on the operating system on which directory server is running. Following information is returned for machines running on windows operating system:

- **memoryUsed**
  - The amount of virtual memory used (KB)

- **memoryFree**
  - The amount of idle memory (KB)

- **operatingSystem**
  - Operating system name. For instance, Windows or Windows-X640.

- **diskSpaceUsedByDB**
  - Disk space used by the directory where DB2 database is stored (KB).

- **diskSpaceAvailableToDB**
  - Disk space available to DB2 database (KB).

The following information is returned for machines running on non-windows operating systems:

- **operatingSystem**
  - Operating system name. For instance, Linux-x32, Linux-x64, Linux-PPC, Linux-Z, Solaris, Solaris-x86, or AIX.
Disk space used by the directory where DB2 database is stored (KB).

Disk space available to DB2 database (KB).

View cache status

Expand the **Server administration** category in the navigation area. Click **View cache status**. This panel has six tabs. At the bottom of this panel you can click **Refresh** to update the status displayed on the tab you are currently viewing or you can click **Close** to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Introduction panel.

**Entry cache**

Click **Entry cache** to display the following information:

**Number of elements in entry cache**

The value in the **Number of elements in entry cache** field indicates the number of elements present in the entry cache currently. The attribute "entry_cache_current" of the "cn=monitor" entry is associated with this field.

**Maximum number of elements in entry cache**

The value in the **Maximum number of elements in entry cache** field indicates the maximum number of elements specified for entry cache. The attribute "entry_cache_size" of the "cn=monitor" entry is associated with this field.

**Entry cache hits**

The value in the **Entry cache hits** field indicates the number of times elements were found in the entry cache during search or other LDAP operations. The attribute "entry_cache_hit" of the "cn=monitor" entry is associated with this field.

**Entry cache misses**

The value in the **Entry cache misses** field indicates the number of times elements were unavailable in the entry cache during search or other LDAP operations. The attribute "entry_cache_miss" of the "cn=monitor" entry is associated with this field.

**Filter cache**

Click **Filter cache** to display the following information:

**Number of elements in filter cache**

The value in the **Number of elements in filter cache** field indicates the number of elements present in the filter cache currently. The attribute "filter_cache_current" of the "cn=monitor" entry is associated with this field.

**Maximum number of elements in filter cache**

The value in the **Maximum number of elements in filter cache** field indicates the maximum number of elements specified for filter cache. The attribute "filter_cache_size" of the "cn=monitor" entry is associated with this field.

**Filter cache hits**

The value in the **Filter cache hits** field indicates the number of times...
elements were found in the filter cache during search or other LDAP operations. The attribute "filter_cache_hit" of the "cn=monitor" entry is associated with this field.

Filter cache misses
The value in the Filter cache misses field indicates the number of times elements were unavailable in the filter cache during search or other LDAP operations. The attribute "filter_cache_miss" of the "cn=monitor" entry is associated with this field.

Maximum number of elements from a single search added to filter cache
The value in the Maximum number of elements from a single search added to filter cache field indicates the maximum number of elements from a search operation added to the filter cache. The attribute "filter_cache_bypass_limit" of the "cn=monitor" entry is associated with this field.

ACL cache
Click ACL cache to display the following information:

Cache ACL information
The value in the Cache ACL information field indicates whether the ACL caching is enabled or not. The attribute "acl_cache" of the "cn=monitor" entry is associated with this field.

Maximum number of elements in ACL cache
The value in the Maximum number of elements in ACL cache field indicates the maximum number of elements specified for ACL cache. The attribute "acl_cache_size" of the "cn=monitor" entry is associated with this field.

Group members' cache
Click Group members' cache to display the following information:

Maximum number of groups allowed in cache
The value in the Maximum number of groups allowed in cache field indicates the maximum number of groups that is to be cached. The attribute "group_members_cache_size" is associated with this field.

Maximum number of members in a group that can be cached
The value in the Maximum number of members in a group that can be cached field indicates the maximum number of members that can be cached for a group in the group members' cache. The attribute "group_members_cache_bypass_limit" is associated with this field.

Number of groups in cache
The value in the Number of groups in cache field indicates the number of groups whose members are currently cached in the group members' cache. The attribute "group_members_cache_current" is associated with this field.

Group cache hits
The value in the Group cache hits field indicates the number of requests for the members of groups that were successfully retrieved from the group members' cache. The attribute "group_members_cache_hit" is associated with this field.

Group cache misses
The value in the Group cache misses field indicates the number of requests for the members of groups that were unavailable in the group
members’ cache and were successfully retrieved from DB2. The attribute "group_members_cache_miss" is associated with this field.

**Directory cached attributes**

Click Directory cached attributes to display the following information. The status items are displayed in a table format.

**Note:** The Directory cached attributes table will not be displayed if directory cached attributes do not exist. Instead a message is displayed indicating that there are no directory cached attributes.

*Table 7. Directory cached attributes table*

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<th>Attribute</th>
<th>Number of cache hits</th>
<th>Cache size</th>
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- **Attribute**
  Indicates the name of the attribute.

- **Number of cache hits**
  Indicates the number of times the attribute filter has been used after it was cached.

- **Cache size**
  Indicates the amount of memory used by this attribute cache.

This tab also contains two non-editable fields:

- **Cached attribute total size (in kilobytes)**
  Indicates the amount of memory being used by the cache.

  **Note:** This number includes additional memory used to manage the caches. Consequently, this total is larger than the sum of the memory used for the individual attribute caches.

- **Cached attribute configured size (in kilobytes)**
  Indicates the maximum amount of memory that can be used by attribute caching.

  **Note:** From IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3, attribute cache is deprecated. You must avoid using attribute cache.

**Directory cache candidates**

Click Directory cache candidates to display the following information. The information about directory cached candidates are displayed in a table.

**Note:** The Directory cached candidates table will not be displayed if directory cached candidates do not exist. Instead a message is displayed indicating that there are no directory cached candidates.

*Table 8. Directory cache candidates table*

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Attribute
Indicates the name of the attribute.

Number of hits
Indicates the number of times the attribute filter has been used.

Viewing server capabilities (Root DSE) information
A root DSE entry contains information about an LDAP server instance, which can be queried by a root DSE search. On performing a root DSE search on a server instance, root DSE attributes and their values, OIDs of supported and enabled capabilities, OIDs of supported extensions and controls are displayed. To view root DSE information, use any one of the following methods.

Using Web Administration
If you have not done so already, click Server administration in the Web Administration navigation area and then click View server capabilities (Root DSE) in the expanded list. Next, click General.

The General tab displays the following information.

Server instance name
This field displays the name of the directory server instance running on the server. This field is populated with the value of the ibm-slapdServerInstanceName attribute in the root DSE entry.

Server Id
This field displays the unique ID assigned to the server at the first startup of the server. This ID is used in replication topology to determine a server’s role. This field is populated with the value of the ibm-serverId attribute in the root DSE entry.

Port number
This field displays the non secure port on which the server is listening. This is present only if the server does not have a secure port enabled. This field is populated with the value of the port attribute in the root DSE entry.

Directory version
This field displays the version of IBM Security Directory Server installed on the server. This field is populated with the value of the ibmdirectoryversion attribute in the root DSE entry.

Server backend
This field specifies whether this server loads a database or proxy backend. This field is populated with the value of the ibm-slapdServerBackend attribute in the root DSE entry.

Supported audit version
This field displays the supported version of auditing. This field is populated with the value of the ibm-supportedAuditVersion attribute in the root DSE entry.

LDAP service name
This field displays the host name of the server. If a Kerberos realm is defined, the value is displayed in the form hostname@realmname. This field is populated with the value of the ibm-ldapservicename attribute in the root DSE entry.
Security
This field displays the secure SSL port the server is listening on. This field is populated with the value of the security attribute in the root DSE entry.

Size limit
This field displays the limit on the number of entries returned by a search initiated by non administrative users. This field is populated with the value of the ibm-slapdSizeLimit attribute in the root DSE entry.

Time limit (seconds)
This field displays the maximum amount of time in seconds the server spends processing a search request initiated by non administrative users. This field is populated with the value of the ibm-slapdTimeLimit attribute in the root DSE entry.

Dereferences alias
This field displays how the server is configured to handle dereferencing. This field is populated with the value of the ibm-slapdDerefAliases attribute in the root DSE entry.

Vendor name
This field displays the supplier of this version of LDAP running on the server. This field is populated with the value of the vendorname attribute in the root DSE entry. For example, for IBM Security Directory Server, this is set to International Business Machines (IBM).

Vendor version
This field displays the version of the directory server. This field is populated with the value of the vendorversion attribute in the root DSE entry. For example, for IBM Security Directory Server 6.3.1, the vendor version is set to 6.3.1.

Sub schema sub entry
This field displays the name of a subschema entry in which the server makes available attributes specifying the schema. This field is populated with the value of the subschemasubentry attribute in the root DSE entry. It value is set to cn=schema.

SASL digest realm name
This field displays the SASL digest realm name associated with the server. This field is populated with the value of the ibm-sasldigestrealmname attribute in the root DSE entry.

Supported LDAP version
This list displays the LDAP versions implemented by the current server. This list is populated with the values of the supportedldapversion attribute in the root DSE entry. The values of this attribute are the versions of the LDAP protocol that the server implements.

Naming context
This list displays the naming contexts available in the server. This list is populated with the values of the namingcontexts attribute in the root DSE entry. The values of this attribute correspond to the naming contexts that this server masters or shadows. If the server does not master or shadow any information (for example, it is an LDAP gateway to a public X.500 directory), this attribute is absent.

If the server contains the entire directory, the attribute has a single value and that value is an empty string indicating the null DN of the root. This allows a client to choose suitable base objects for searching when it has contacted a server.
Configuration naming context

This field displays the suffix where the server’s configuration entries are stored. This field is populated with the value of the ibm-configurationnamingcontext attribute in the root DSE entry.

You can click Refresh to refresh the information on this panel. Click Close to return to the "Introduction" panel. To view information about the supported capabilities, click Supported Capabilities. The Supported Capabilities tab displays the following information:

Supported Capabilities
This list displays the server capabilities currently supported by the server. This list is populated with the values of the ibm-supportedcapabilities attribute in the root DSE entry.

You can click Refresh to refresh the information on this panel. Click Close to return to the "Introduction" panel. To view information about the enabled capabilities, click Enabled Capabilities. The Enabled Capabilities tab displays the following information:

Enabled Capabilities
This list displays the server capabilities currently enabled for use on the server. This list is populated with the values of the ibm-enabledcapabilities attribute in the root DSE entry.

You can click Refresh to refresh the information on this panel. Click Close to return to the "Introduction" panel. To view information about the supported extensions, click Supported Extensions. The Supported Extensions tab displays the following information:

Supported Extensions
This list displays the OBJECT IDENTIFIERS (OIDs) of the supported extended operations which the server supports. This list is populated with the values of the supportedExtension attribute in the root DSE entry.

You can click Refresh to refresh the information on this panel. Click Close to return to the "Introduction" panel. To view information about the supported controls, click Supported Controls. The Supported Controls tab displays the following information:

Supported Controls
This list displays the OBJECT IDENTIFIERS (OIDs) of the supported controls which the server supports. This list is populated with the values of the supportedControl attribute in the root DSE entry.

You can click Refresh to refresh the information on this panel. Click Close to return to the "Introduction" panel. To view information about the supported SASL mechanism, click Supported SASL Mechanism. The Supported SASL Mechanism tab displays the following information:

Supported SASL Mechanism
This list displays all the names of the supported SASL mechanisms supported by the server. This list is populated with the values of the supportedsaslmechanisms attribute in root DSE entry. This attribute contains any SASL mechanism that is registered to the server.

You can click Refresh to refresh the information on this panel. Click Close to return to the "Introduction" panel.
Using command line

On performing a root DSE search on a server instance, root DSE attributes and their values, OIDs of supported and enabled capabilities, OIDs of supported extensions and controls are displayed. To initiate a root DSE search issue the following command:

```
idsldapsearch -s base -b "" objectclass=* 
```

For more information about root DSE attributes, see “Attributes in the root DSE” on page 563.

To list the server capabilities currently enabled for use on the server, issue the following command:

```
idsldapsearch -s base -b "" objectclass=* ibm-supportedcapabilities 
```

To list the server capabilities currently enabled for use on the server, issue the following command:

```
idsldapsearch -s base -b "" objectclass=* ibm-enabledcapabilities 
```

Managing server connections

You can use one of the following methods to check the connection status of the server.

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Expand the **Server administration** category in the navigation area. Click **Manage server connections**. A table containing the following information for each connection is displayed. You can use the arrows next to each header to specify a sort in either ascending or descending order. You can also either use the **Select Action** drop-down list to select **Edit sort** and click **Go** or click the **Edit sort** icon to specify up to three sort criteria.

- **DN** Specifies the DN of a client connection to the server.
- **IP address** Specifies the IP address of the client that has a connection to the server.
- **Start time** Specifies the date and time when the connection was made.
- **Status** Specifies whether the connection is active or idle. A connection is considered active if it has any operations in progress.
- **Ops pending** Specifies the number of operations pending since the connection was established.
- **Ops completed** Specifies the number of operations that have been completed for each connection.
- **Type** Specifies whether the connection is secured by SSL or TLS. Otherwise the field is blank.

**Note:**

- This table displays up to 20 connections at a time.

You can specify to have this table displayed by either DN or IP address by expanding the drop-down menu at the top of the panel and making a selection.
The default selection is by DN. Similarly you can also specify whether to display the table in ascending or descending order.

Click Refresh or select Refresh from the Select Action drop-down list and click Go to update the current connection information.

If you are logged on as the administrator or as a member of the Local administration group having DirDataAdmin or ServerConfigGroupMember role, you have additional selections to disconnect server connections available on the panel. This ability to disconnect server connections enables you to stop denial of service attacks and to control server access. You can disconnect a connection by expanding the drop-down menus and selecting a DN, an IP address or both and clicking Disconnect. Depending on your selections the following actions occur:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>DN chosen</th>
<th>IP address chosen</th>
<th>Action</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>DNvalue</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>All connections bound with the specified DN are disconnected.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>None</td>
<td>IPvalue</td>
<td>All connections over the specified IP address are disconnected.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DNvalue</td>
<td>IPvalue</td>
<td>All connections bound as the specified DN and over the specified IP address are disconnected.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>None</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>This is not a valid condition. You must specify a DN or an IP address or both to use the disconnect function.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The default value for each of the drop-down menus is None.

To disconnect all server connections except for the one making this request click Disconnect all. A confirmation warning is displayed. Click OK to proceed with the disconnect action or click Cancel to end the action and return to the Manage server connections panel.

### Using the command line

To view server connections, issue the command:

```plaintext
idsldapsearch -D adminDN -w adminPW -h servername -p portnumber -b cn=connections,cn=monitor -s base objectclass=* 
```

This command returns information in the following format:

```
cn=connections,cn=monitor
cn=connections,cn=monitor
connection=1487 : 127.0.0.1 : 2002-10-05 19:17:01 GMT : 1 : 1 : CN=ADMIN : :
```

**Note:** If appropriate, an SSL or a TLS indicator is added on each connection.

To end server connections issue, one of the following commands:

```plaintext
# To disconnect a specific DN:
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op unbind -dn cn=john
```

```plaintext
# To disconnect a specific IP address:
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op unbind -ip 9.182.173.43
```
#To disconnect a specific DN over a specific IP address:
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op unbind -dn cn=John -ip 9.182.173.43

#To disconnect all connections:
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op unbind -all

See the ldapexop command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version
6.3.1 Command Reference for more information on ending connections.

Managing connection properties

The ability to manage connection properties enables you to prevent clients from
locking up the server by closing connections of clients that:

- Send data slowly, send partial data or send no data.
- Do not read data results or read results slowly.
- Do not unbind.
- Bind anonymously.

It also ensures that an administrator always has access to the server in the cases
that the backend is kept busy with long running tasks.

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These selections are displayed only if you are logged in as the administrator or a
member of the administration group on a server that supports this feature.

Expand the Server administration category in the navigation area. Click Manage
connection properties.

Note: The actual maximum threshold numbers are limited by the number of files
permitted per process. On UNIX or Linux systems you can use the ulimit -a
command to determine the limits. On Windows systems this is a fixed
number.

1. Select the General tab.
2. The Allow anonymous connections check box is already selected for you so
that anonymous binds are allowed. This is the default setting. You can click the
check box to deselect the Allow anonymous connections feature. This action
causes the server to unbind all anonymous connections.

Note: Disallowing anonymous binds might cause some applications to fail.
3. Set the threshold number to initiate the cleanup of anonymous connections.
You can specify a number between 0 and 65535 in the Cleanup threshold for
anonymous connections field. The default setting is 0. When this number of
anonymous connections is exceeded, connections are cleaned up based on the
idle timeout limit that you set in the Idle time out field.

4. Set the threshold number to initiate the cleanup of authenticated connections.
You can specify a number between 0 and 65535 in the Cleanup threshold for
authenticated connections field. The default setting is 1100. When this number
of authenticated connections is exceeded, connections are cleaned up based on
the idle timeout limit that you set in the Idle time out field.

5. Set the threshold number to initiate the cleanup of all connections. You can
specify a number between 0 and 65535 in the Cleanup threshold for all
connections field. The default setting is 1200. When this total number of
connections is exceeded, connections are cleaned up based on the idle timeout
limit that you set in the Idle time out field.
6. Set the number of seconds that a connection can be idle before it is closed by a cleanup process. You can specify a number between 0 and 65535 in the **Idle timeout limit** field. The default setting is 300. When a cleanup process is initiated, any connections, subject to the process, that exceed the limit are closed.

7. Set the number of seconds between write attempts that will be allowed. You can specify a number between 0 and 65535 in the **Result timeout limit** field. The default setting is 10. Connections that exceed this limit are closed when the cleanup process is initiated.

   **Note:** For a Windows system, a connection that exceeds 30 seconds is automatically dropped. Therefore the **Result timeout limit** setting is overridden by the operating system after 30 seconds.

8. When you are finished, click **Apply** to save your changes without exiting, or click **OK** to apply your changes and exit, or click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

**Using the command line**

To perform the same operations using the command line, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=Connection Management,cn=Front End, cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdAllowAnon
    ibm-slapdAllowAnon: TRUE
-
replace: ibm-slapdAnonReapingThreshold
    ibm-slapdAnonReapingThreshold: 0
-
replace: ibm-slapdBoundReapingThreshold
    ibm-slapdBoundReapingThreshold: 1100
-
replace: ibm-slapdAllReapingThreshold
    ibm-slapdAllReapingThreshold: 1200
-
replace: ibm-slapdIdleTimeOut
    ibm-slapdIdleTimeOut: 300
-
replace: ibm-slapdWriteTimeout
    ibm-slapdWriteTimeout: 10
```

To update the settings dynamically, issue the following `idsldapexop` command:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope entire
```

The `idsldapexop` command updates only those attributes that are dynamic. For other changes to take effect you must stop and restart the server. See Appendix L, "Dynamically-changed attributes," on page 663 for a list of the attributes that can be updated dynamically.
Chapter 10. Setting server properties

You can set the following properties for your server:

- “Changing server ports and enabling language tags” on page 110
- “Search Settings” on page 115
- “Enabling and disabling transaction support” on page 125
- “Enabling and disabling event notification” on page 123
- “Adding and removing suffixes” on page 127
- “Enforcing minimum ulimits” on page 112
- Chapter 13, “Referrals,” on page 275
- “Adding attributes to and removing attributes from the attribute cache” on page 133

While the Web Administration Tool is the preferred method, updates to the server configuration file can be made using LDAP utilities. The LDAP modify requests can be generated by:

- A C-application using the C-client provided with IBM Security Directory Server.
- A Java application using JNDI.
- Any other interface that generates a standard V3 LDAP.

Examples that are provided use the idsldapmodify command line utility.

The idsldapmodify command can be run either in interactive mode or with input specified in a file. For most examples in this guide, the file contents to be used with the idsldapmodify command are supplied. The general form of the command to use with these files is:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w password -i filename
```

To update the server configuration settings dynamically, you need to issue the following idsldapexop commands. This command updates all configuration settings that are dynamic:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope entire
```

This command updates a single setting:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope single entry DN attribute
```

The idsldapexop command updates only those attributes that are dynamic. For other changes to take effect you must stop and restart the server. Refer to Appendix L, “Dynamically-changed attributes,” on page 663 for a list of the attributes that can be updated dynamically. See the idsldapmodify and idsldapexop command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for more information.

Note: Only the administrator and members of the administrative group are allowed to update the server configuration settings.
Changing server ports and enabling language tags

Note: Remember, if you change the port setting for the server, you must also change the port settings for the server in the console. See “Modifying a server in the console” on page 34.

Using Web Administration

Click the Server administration category in the Web administration navigation area and then click Manage server properties tab to display the Manage server properties panel. This panel is displayed with the General tab preselected. The General panel has two read-only information fields, which display the host name of the server and the version level of IBM Security Directory Server that is installed on the machine.

This panel also has three modifiable required fields, Unsecure port (default value is 389), Secure port (default value 636) that display the respective current port numbers and a check box to enable and disable language tag support.

Note: The well-known ports are those from 0 through 1023. The registered ports are those from 1024 through 49151. The dynamic or private ports are those from 49152 through 65535.

If you want to change the port settings or enable language tags or both:

1. Click Unsecure port and enter a number ranging from 1 through 65535. For this example 399. Remember, if you change the port setting for the server, you must also change the port settings for the server in the console. See “Modifying a server in the console” on page 34.

2. Click Secure port and enter a number ranging from 1 through 65535. For this example 699. Remember, if you change the port setting for the server, you must also change the port settings for the server in the console. See “Modifying a server in the console” on page 34.

3. Click the Enable language tag support check box to enable support for language tags. The default setting is disabled. See “Language tags” on page 477 for more information.

Note: After enabling the language tag feature, if you associate language tags with the attributes of an entry, the server returns the entry with the language tags. This occurs even if you later disable the language tag feature. Because the behavior of the server might not be what the application is expecting, to avoid potential problems, do not disable the language tag feature after it has been enabled.

4. When you are finished, click Apply to save your changes without exiting, or click OK to apply your changes and exit, or click Cancel to exit this panel without making any changes.

If you have changed a port number, you must stop the server for changes to take effect. See “Starting and stopping the server” on page 82.

Note: You can enable or disable language tags dynamically, without restarting the server.

After stopping the server you must also stop and start the administration server locally to resynchronize the ports. See Chapter 4, “Directory administration server,” on page 19. Restart the server.
Using the command line

To determine whether the language tag feature is enabled, issue a root DSE search specifying the attribute **ibm-enabledCapabilities**.

```
idsldapsearch -b "" -s base objectclass=* ibm-enabledCapabilities
```

If the OID **1.3.6.1.4.1.4203.1.5.4** is returned, the feature is enabled.

If the language tag support is not enabled, any LDAP operation that associates a language tag with an attribute is rejected with the error message:

```
LDAP_NO_SUCH_ATTRIBUTE
```

To assign the ports that are not the default ports and to enable language tags using the command line, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w password -i filename
```

where **filename** contains:

```
dn: cn=configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdPort
ibm-slapdPort: 399
-
replace: ibm-slapdSecurePort
ibm-slapdSecurePort: 699

dn: cn=Directory, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
replace: ibm-slapdLanguageTagsEnabled
ibm-slapdLanguageTagsEnabled: TRUE
```

You must stop the server for changes to take effect. See **Starting and stopping the server** on page 82.

**Note:** You can enable or disable language tags dynamically, without restarting the server.

After stopping the server you must also stop and start the administration server locally to resynchronize the ports. See **Chapter 4, "Directory administration server," on page 19.**

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**Setting Performance**

**Note:** For the latest tuning information, see the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Performance Tuning and Capacity Planning Guide.

You can change the search limits and connections settings to enhance performance.

**Using Web Administration**

If you have not done so already, click **Server administration** in the Web Administration navigation area and then click **Manage server properties** in the expanded list. Next, click the **Performance** tab.

The Performance tab allows you to enhance directory performance when you configure database connection settings. The LDAP server maintains a certain number of connections to the DB2(R) servers. This number can be set in the **Maximum number of database connections** field. By increasing the number of DB2 connections, LDAP can increase its level of concurrency and can improve throughput performance. To change the database connections settings to enhance performance do the following:
1. Specify the maximum number of database connections in the **Maximum number of database connections** field. This sets the number of DB2 connections used by the server. This field is not available if the server you are connected to is configured as a proxy server.

2. Specify the maximum number of database connections for replication in the **Maximum number of database connections for replication** field. This sets the number of DB2 connections used by the server for replication. This field is not available if the server you are connected to is configured as a proxy server.

3. Specify the maximum number of retries the back-end should attempt for operations not in a transaction to avoid deadlocks. If you select **Retries**, you must enter the number of retries allowed for operations not in a transaction. Otherwise, select **Unlimited**. You must specify numeric values only.

4. When you are finished, do one of the following:
   - Click **OK** to apply your changes and exit this panel.
   - Click **Apply** to apply your changes and stay on this panel.
   - Click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

You must restart the server for the changes to take effect.

### Using the command line

To perform the same operations using the command line, issue the following command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```plaintext
dn: cn=Directory,cn=RDBM Backends,cn=IBM Directory,cn=Schemas,cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdDbConnections
ibm-slapdDbConnections: 15
-
replace: ibm-slapdReplDbConns
ibm-slapdReplDbConns: 4
```

### Enforcing minimum ulimits

The directory server tries to enforce minimum ulimit option values that are considered important for the smooth running of the server. During startup, the directory server verifies whether the ulimit option values for the current process are greater than or equal to the prescribed ulimit option values specified in the configuration file. If the verification fails, then the server attempts to set the ulimit option values of the current process to the prescribed values. If the server fails to do so, it will start in configuration only mode.

Given below is a list of all the typical ulimit options whose values are critical for the smooth running of the directory server.

**Note:** Ulimit options are applicable only to the proxy and back-end servers. No minimum ulimit options values are prescribed for the admin server process.

#### Critical memory parameters

**Virtual memory size**

This option includes all types of memory including stack, heap, and memory-mapped files. Attempts to allocate memory in excess of this limit will fail with an out-of-memory error. The value for this option is specified in kilobytes.
Maximum resident set size (RSS)
This option limits the amount of memory that can be swapped in to physical memory on behalf of any one process. The value for this option is specified in kilobytes.

Note: AIX defines this ulimit option, while Solaris does not specify this option.

Data segment
This option limits the amount of memory that a process can allocate to a heap. The value for this option is specified in kilobytes.

Stack size
This option limits the amount of memory a process can allocate to a stack. The value for this option is specified in kilobytes.

Critical File parameters

File size
This option limits the maximum size of a file that a process can create. This is specified in 512-byte blocks.

Note: On Solaris, the number of open files limit is set to the hard limit of the number of open files while starting the server. The number of open files limit cannot be changed using the ulimit feature.

The table below lists the operating system default values and the prescribed minimum ulimit values of the critical options.

Table 10. System specific ulimit values

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Ulimit Option</th>
<th>AIX</th>
<th>Solaris</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Data segment size</td>
<td>256 MB</td>
<td>256 MB</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Virtual memory</td>
<td>Unlimited</td>
<td>Unlimited</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Nofile</td>
<td>2000</td>
<td>500</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Maximum resident set size (rss)</td>
<td>64 MB</td>
<td>256 MB</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>File size</td>
<td>1024 MB</td>
<td>1024 MB</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Stack size</td>
<td>64 MB</td>
<td>64 MB</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Table 11. System specific ulimit values

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Ulimit Option</th>
<th>Linux</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Data segment size</td>
<td>256 MB</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Virtual memory</td>
<td>Unlimited</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Nofile</td>
<td>1024</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Maximum resident set size (rss)</td>
<td>N/A</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Table 11. System specific ulimit values (continued)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Ulimit Option</th>
<th>Linux</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Operating system default</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>File size</td>
<td>Unlimited</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Stack size</td>
<td>10 MB</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Note: Operating system default ulimit option values may vary for different kernel versions and for different shells in the same kernel version.

An administrator can modify the minimum ulimit option values using the web administration tool or through command line.

**Using Web Administration**

If you have not done so already, click **Server administration** in the Web Administration navigation area and then click **Manage server properties** in the expanded list. Next, click the **Ulimit settings** tab.

1. To specify the virtual memory size, select **Size** and specify a value in kilobytes in the text box. Alternatively, to specify the virtual memory size as unlimited, select **Unlimited**.
2. To specify the resident set size, select **Size** and specify a value in kilobytes in the text box. Alternatively, to specify the resident set size as unlimited, select **Unlimited**.
3. To specify the data segment size, select **Size** and specify a value in kilobytes in the text box. Alternatively, to specify the data segment size as unlimited, select **Unlimited**.
4. To specify the stack size, select **Size** and specify a value in kilobytes in the text box. Alternatively, to specify the stack size as unlimited, select **Unlimited**.
5. To specify the file size in blocks of 512 bytes, select **File size** and specify a value in the text box. Alternatively, to specify the file size as unlimited, select **Unlimited**.
6. Enter the number of file descriptors belonging to a single process in the **Number of open file descriptors** text box.
7. Click **OK** or **Apply** for the settings to take effect.

**Using the command line**

Ulimit option values can be modified using the ldapmodify command line utility. For example, to modify the ulimit value for virtual memory, issue the following command:

```
ldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=ulimits, cn= configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdUlimitVirtualMemory
ibm-slapdUlimitVirtualMemory: New prescribed ulimit for virtual memory
```

Similarly, the ldapmodify command can be used to modify other ulimit option values such as data segment size, nofile, maximum resident set size (rss), file size, and stack size.
Search Settings

You can set search parameters to control users’ search capabilities, such as paged and sorted searching.

Paged results allow you to manage the amount of data returned from a search request. You can request a subset of entries (a page) instead of receiving all the results at once. Subsequent search requests display the next page of results until the operation is canceled or the last result is returned. Sorted search allows a client to receive search results sorted by a list of criterion, where each criteria represents a sort key. This selection moves the responsibility of sorting from the client application to the server, where it might be done more efficiently.

A directory entry with objectclass of ‘alias’ or ‘aliasObject’ contains an attribute ‘aliasedObjectName’ that is used to reference another entry in the directory. Only search requests can specify if aliases are dereferenced. Dereferencing means to trace the alias back to the original entry. Security Directory Server response time for searches with the alias dereferencing option set to always or search might be significantly longer than that of searches with dereferencing option set to never, if alias entries exist in the directory.

The server side dereference option can be set to never, find, search, or always. This option value is combined with the deference option value specified in a search request by a logical AND operation. The resulting value is used as the dereference option in the search operation.

To configure search settings, do the following:

**Using Web Administration**

If you have not done so already, click Server administration in the Web Administration navigation area and then click Manage server properties in the expanded list. Next, click the Search settings tab.

1. Under Search size limit, click either the Entries or the Unlimited radio button. If you select Entries, you need to specify in the field the maximum number of entries a search returns. The default setting is 500. If more entries fit the search criteria, they are not returned. This limit does not apply to the administrator or administrative group members.

2. Under Search time limit, click either the Seconds or the Unlimited radio button. If you select Entries, you need to specify in the field the maximum amount of time the server spends processing the request. The default setting is 900. This limit does not apply to the administrator administrative group members.

3. Under Alias dereferencing, expand the drop-down menu for Alias dereferencing and select one of the following. The default setting is always.

   - never  Aliases are never dereferenced
   - find   Aliases are dereferenced when finding the starting point for the search, but not when searching under that starting entry.
   - search Aliases are dereferenced when searching the entries beneath the starting point of the search, but not when finding the starting entry.
   - always Aliases are always dereferenced, both when finding the starting point for the search, and also when searching the entries beneath the starting entry. Always is the default setting.
4. Under **Page search settings**, do the following:
   a. To restrict search paging capabilities to administrators, select the **Allow only administrators to perform page searches** check box.
   b. In the **Idle time out for paged searches (seconds)** field, specify the idle time out for paged searches in seconds.
   c. In the **Maximum number of concurrent paged searches** field, specify the maximum number of outstanding paged results operations allowed by the server at any given time. The default setting is 3.
      
      **Note:** Setting the value to 0 disables paged searches.

5. Under **Sorted search settings**, do the following:
   a. To restrict search sorting capabilities to administrators, select the **Allow only administrators to perform sort searches** check box.
   b. In the **Maximum number of attributes allowed in sorted searches** field, specify the maximum number of attributes that is allowed in sorted searches. The default setting is 3.
      
      **Note:** Setting the value to 0 disables sorted searches.

6. Under **Virtual list view search**, do the following:
   a. To enable or disable virtual list view search, select or clear the **Enable virtual list view search** check box. This control is associated with the ibm-slapdVLVEnabled attribute of the cn=VirtualListView, cn=Configuration entry.
      
      **Note:** Virtual list view support can be enabled or disabled dynamically.
   b. In the **Maximum number of entries before offset in a virtual list view search** field, specify the maximum number of entries before offset that each virtual list view search can send. This field is associated with the ibm-slapdMaxVLVBeforeCount attribute of the cn=VirtualListView, cn=Configuration entry.
      
      **Note:** For additional information about virtual list view, see "Virtual list view" on page 121

7. Under **Persistent search**, do the following:
   a. Select the **Enable persistent search** check box to enable persistent search.
   b. Enter a numeric value in the **Maximum number of concurrent persistent searches (Max 2000)** field to specify the maximum number of concurrent persistent searches to be allowed.
      
      **Note:** For additional information about persistent search, see "Persistent search" on page 122

8. When you are finished, click **Apply** to save your changes without exiting, or click **OK** to apply your changes and exit, or click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

See "Searching the directory with paging and sorting" on page 118 for additional information about searches.
Using the command line

To perform the same operations using the command line, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=Configuration
 changetype: modify
 replace: ibm-slapdTimeLimit
 ibm-slapdTimeLimit: 900
 -
 replace : ibm-slapdDerefAliases
 ibm-slapdDerefAliases: {never|find|search|always}
 -
 replace: ibm-slapdSizeLimit
 ibm-slapdSizeLimit: 500

 dn: cn=Directory,cn=RDBM Backends,cn=IBM Directory,cn=Schemas,cn=Configuration
 changetype: modify
 replace: ibm-slapdPagedResAllowNonAdmin
 ibm-slapdPagedResAllowNonAdmin: false
 -
 replace: ibm-slapdPagedResLmt
 ibm-slapdPagedResLmt: 3
 -
 replace: ibm-slapdSortKeyLimit
 ibm-slapdSortKeyLimit: 3
 -
 replace: ibm-slapdSortSrchAllowNonAdmin
 ibm-slapdSortSrchAllowNonAdmin: false

 dn: cn=Front End, cn=Configuration
 changetype: modify
 replace: ibm-slapdIdleTimeOut
 ibm-slapdIdleTimeOut: 300

 dn: cn=VirtualListView, cn=Configuration
 changetype: modify
 replace: ibm-slapdVLVEnabled
 ibm-slapdVLVEnabled: true|false
 -
 replace: ibm-slapdMaxVLVBeforeCount
 ibm-slapdMaxVLVBeforeCount: positive_number

 dn: cn=Persistent Search, cn=Configuration
 changetype: modify
 replace: ibm-slapdEnablePersistentSearch
 ibm-slapdEnablePersistentSearch: TRUE
 -
 replace: ibm-slapdMaxPersistentSearches
 ibm-slapdMaxPersistentSearches: positive_number
```

To update the settings dynamically, issue the following `idsldapexop` command:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope entire
```

See the `ldapsearch` command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for more information on how to perform searches using the command line.
Searching the directory with paging and sorting

The search function searches for a filter match on only the first 240 bytes of an attribute if indexing is enabled for that attribute. Additionally, if sort is specified on a search request, the server sorts the entries found by the search using only the first 240 bytes. Any end user or client application needs to take into consideration that a match for a search filter that exists in a value after the first 240 bytes might not be returned to the client depending on whether indexing is enabled for that table.

Note: This restriction is specific to IBM Security Directory Server. IBM LDAP servers on other platforms, including z/OS® and i5/OS™ might have different restrictions. Consult the documentation for each platform to determine restrictions.

The administrator can tell if indexing has been enabled for an attribute by looking at the attribute definition in the Web Administration Tool, (Schema management -> Manage attributes -> attributename -> Edit ->IBM extensions) or by looking at the attribute definition returned by a search of cn=schema. When viewing an attribute definition in the Web Administration Tool, the IBM extensions tab displays the following:

Indexing rules
- Equality
- Ordering
- Approximate
- Substring
- Reverse

The appropriate indexing rules are checked for the attribute. If the idsldapsearch utility is used, the ibmattributetypes value contains the keywords: APPROX, EQUALITY, ORDERING, SUBSTR or REVERSE. For example, the 'cn' attribute has the following indexes defined:

attributetypes=( 2.5.4.3 NAME ( 'cn' 'commonName' ) DESC 'This is the X.500 commonName attribute, which contains a name of an object. If the object corresponds to a person, it is typically the persons full name.' SUP 2.5.4.41 EQUALITY 2.5.13.2 ORDERING 2.5.13.3 SUBSTR 2.5.13.4 )
ibmattributetypes=( 2.5.4.3 DBNAME ( 'cn' 'cn' ) ACCESS-CLASS NORMAL LENGTH 256 EQUALITY ORDERING SUBSTR APPROX )

See “Indexing rules” on page 50.

Sorted search control

Sorted Search Results provides sort capabilities for LDAP clients that have limited or no sort functionality. Sorted Search Results allows an LDAP client to receive search results sorted based on a list of criteria, where each criteria represents a sort key. The sort criteria includes attribute types, matching rules, and descending order. The server uses this criteria to sort search results before returning them. This moves the responsibility of sorting from the client application to the server, where it might be done much more efficiently. For example, a client application might want to sort the list of employees at the company’s Grand Cayman site by surname, common name, and telephone number. Instead of building the search list twice so it can be sorted (once at the server and then again at the client after all the results are returned), the search list is built only once, and then sorted, before returning the results to the client application.
The server sorts search entries based on attributes and by default allows a maximum of three sort keys (attribute names) per search operation. To change the value of this administrative limit, change the following line, `ibm-slapdSortKeyLimit: 3`, in the `ibmslapd.conf` file. See “Search Settings” on page 115 for information on how to do this. If the line does not exist, add it to set the new maximum (if the line does not exist, the server is using the default value).

By default the server honors requests from nonadministrator binds, including those binding anonymously. Because sorting search results before returning them uses more server resources than simply returning them, you might want to configure the server to honor only requests from users binding with administrator authority. To honor sorted search requests submitted using only administrator bind, change the following line, `ibm-slapdSortSrchAllowNonAdmin: true`, to `ibm-slapdSortSrchAllowNonAdmin: false`, in the `ibmslapd.conf` file. See “Search Settings” on page 115. If the line does not exist, add it with a value of false to enable only administrator binds to perform sorted search operations.

The LDAP server returns all referrals to the client at the end of a search request. It is up to the application using the client services to decide whether to set the criticality of the sorted search request, and to handle a lack of support of those controls on referral servers as appropriate based on the application. Additionally, the LDAP server does not ensure that the referral server supports the sorted search control. Multiple lists could be returned to the client application, some not sorted. It is the client application’s decision as to how to best present this information to the end user. Possible solutions include: combine all referral results before presenting to the end user; show multiple lists and the corresponding referral server host name; take no extra steps and show all results to the end user as they are returned from the server. The client application must turn off referrals to get one truly sorted list, otherwise when chasing referrals with sorted search controls specified, unpredictable results might occur.

It is important to note when taking advantage of the server sorted search results that:

- The server takes advantage of the underlying DB2 database to perform sorting of search results. This means that there might be different sorted search results based on the data code page for the database (especially if your database code page is UTF-8).
- Ordering rules specified for a sort key attribute are ignored by the server. At this time, ordering rules are not supported by the server.
- There is no support for multiserver sorting (referrals). The server cannot guarantee that referred servers support sorted search results.

More information about the server side sorted search control can be found in RFC 2891. The control OID for sorted search results is 1.2.840.113556.1.4.473, and is included in the Root DSE information as a supported control.

**Simple paged results**

Simple Paged Results provides paging capabilities for LDAP clients that want to receive just a subset of search results (a page) instead of the entire list. The next page of entries is returned to the client application for each subsequent paged results search request submitted by the client until the operation is canceled or the last result is returned. The server ignores a simple paged results request if the page size is greater than or equal to the sizeLimit value for the server because the request can be satisfied in a single operation.
Because paging of search results holds server resources throughout the life of the simple paged results request, there are several new administrative limits employed to ensure that server resources cannot be abused, or misused, through the use of simple paged results search requests.

**ibm-slapdPagedResAllowNonAdmin**

By default, the server honors requests from non-administrator binds, including those binding anonymously. If you want the server to honor simple paged results search requests only from users binding with administrator authority, you need to change the following line, `ibm-slapdPagedResAllowNonAdmin: true` to `ibm-slapdPagedResAllowNonAdmin: false`, in the ibmslapd.conf file. See “Search Settings” on page 115. If the line does not exist, add it with a value of false to allow only Administrator bind.

**ibm-slapdPagedResLmt**

By default, the server allows a maximum of three outstanding simple paged results operations at any given time. To ensure the fastest response for subsequent simple paged results request, the server holds a database connection open throughout the life of the search request until the user cancels the simple paged results request, or the last result is returned to the client application. This administrative limit is designed to ensure that other operations being handled by the server are not denied service because all database connections are in use by outstanding simple paged results search requests. For consistent results, set the `ibm-slapdPagedResLmt` value lower than the maximum number of database connections for your server. To change the value of this administrative limit, change the following line, `ibm-slapdPagedResLmt: 3`, in the ibmslapd.conf file. See “Search Settings” on page 115. If the line does not exist add it to set the new maximum (if the line does not exist, the server is using the default value).

**ibm-slapdIdleTimeOut**

The idle time out administrative limit is designed to age out DB2 database connections held open for simple paged results search requests. The default idle time for a simple paged results request is 500 seconds. For example, if a client application were to pause for 510 seconds between pages, the server would age out the request in order to free the database connection for use by other server operations. The server returns the appropriate error to the client application for the next simple paged results request submitted, at which point the client application needs to restart the simple paged results request. The idle timer for each simple paged results request is restarted after every page returned to the client application. The server checks for aged out simple paged results request every 5 seconds, so if you set the value of `ibm-slapdIdleTimeOut` value lower than 5 seconds, you still have to wait 5 seconds for the simple paged results requests to be aged out. To change the value of this administrative limit, change the following line, `ibm-slapdIdleTimeOut: 300`, in the ibmslapd.conf file. See “Search Settings” on page 115. If the line does not exist add it to set the new maximum (if the line does not exist, the server is using the default value).

The LDAP server returns all referrals to the client at the end of a search request, the same as a search without any controls. That means that if the server has 10 pages of results returned, all the referrals are returned on the 10th page, not at the end of each page. When chasing referrals, the client application needs to send in an initial paged results request, with the cookie set to null, to each of the referral
servers. It is up to the application using the client services to decide whether or not to set the criticality as to the support of paged results, and to handle a lack of support of this control on referral servers as appropriate based on the application. Additionally, the LDAP server does not ensure that the referral server supports paged results controls. Multiple lists could be returned to the client application, some not paged. It is at the client application’s decision as to how to best present this information to the end user. Possible solutions include: combine all referral results before presenting to the end user; show multiple lists and the corresponding referral server host name; take no extra steps and show all results to the end user as they are returned from the server. The client application must turn off referrals to get one truly paged list, otherwise when chasing referrals with the paged results search control specified, unpredictable results might occur.

More information about the server side simple paged results control can be found in [RFC 2686]. The control OID for simple paged results is 1.2.840.113556.1.4.319, and is included in the Root DSE information as a supported control.

If paging is supported on backend servers, then the proxy server will also support page control and register the control in its root DSE. However, the proxy server will not verify the ibm-slapdPagedResAllowNonAdmin and ibm-slapdPagedResLmt values of the backend servers. It is the administrator’s responsibility to keep the values in sync. Any error returned by backend server because of difference in value of these two attributes will be considered an error and will be returned to the client.

Virtual list view

Virtual list view (VLV) is a GUI technique that may be employed where ordered lists containing a large number of entries need to be displayed. VLV provides a scrollable view of large sorted data set through a window containing a small number of visible entries.

Note: Security Directory Server support for VLV follows the following Internet Drafts:

- Virtual List View extension for LDAP search operations (draft-ietf-ldapext-ldapv3-vlv-09.txt).
- Virtual List View extension for LDAP C API (draft-smith-ldap-c-api-ext-vlv-00.txt)

VLV search requests include criteria for identifying a desired target entry and the number of entries before (before count) and number of entries after (after count) the target entry. The target entry is specified in the VLV request control by one of two methods-

- Offset based- This method provides target entry in VLV request control by indicating the target entry’s offset within the list. The list here refers to ordered search result set. The server examines the content count (the client’s estimate of the list count) and offset given by the client and computes the corresponding offset within the list, based on its own idea of content count.
  - An offset with value 1 and content count with value that is not equivalent to 1 indicate that the target is the first entry in the list.
  - If the values of offset and content count are equivalent then it indicates that the target is the last entry in the list.
  - A content count with value zero indicates that the server must use its own content count estimate.
• Assertion based- In this method the client supplies an attribute assertion value. The assertion value is then compared against the values of the attribute specified as the primary sort key in the sort control attached to the search operation. The target entry is identified as the first entry in the list with value greater than or equal to the presented value.

Note: It is possible that no entry satisfies the conditions specified in assertion based method, in which case there is no target entry.

Consider an example where you need to display names in a telephone directory. Let us consider a telephone directory with the following 10 names in alphabetical order: Ari, Bob, Chris, David, John, Mike, Nancy, Peter, Rosy, and Ted.

Now, consider an offset based vlv search request specifying a sort on attribute "cn" with the following parameters:

- offset=4
- before count=1
- after count=1
- content count=0 (This means that the server must use its own content count estimate)

The search result in this case will yield the following:

Chris, David, John

Now, consider an assertion based vlv search request with the following parameters:

- before count = 1
- after count = 1
- assertion = Jake

The search result in this case will yield the following:

David, John, Mike

Note: Since Jake is not present, the next entry in sorted order becomes the index entry, which in this case is John.

For information on how to enable vlv, see step 6 on page 118 under Search settings.

Persistent search

Persistent search enables LDAP clients to receive notification of changes that occur in an LDAP server. The persistent search mechanism is available to all users. However, ACL checks are enforced on each entry that is returned. This means that users can retrieve only those entries or parts of entries that they have access to. Updates to the directory data that are a part of a transaction are also reported by persistent search. Since the persistent search mechanism is available to all users, it is mandatory to limit the number of concurrent persistent searches that the server will handle. This is done by setting the ibm-slapdMaxPersistentSearches option in the configuration file.

Note: Persistent search is not supported for the subtree cn=Deleted Objects.

Although the persistent search mechanism can keep returning entries, the search size and time limits applicable for non-administrative users will be applicable for persistent search as well. The size and time limits will be applicable irrespective of whether the entries being returned are a part of the initial matching set or the
updated ones. For instance, if the size limit is 500 and 450 entries have been sent as a part of the initial result set, then after 50 update notifications, the persistent search will return LDAP_SIZELIMIT_EXCEEDED error. Similarly, if the time limit is 10 seconds, then, irrespective of whether entries are returned from the initial matching set or update notifications, after 10 seconds an LDAP_TIMELIMIT_EXCEEDED error is returned.

When the persistent search mechanism is used along with paging or sorting, paging or sorting will be applicable only on the initial result set. Also, the change log plug-in will need to run before the persistent search plug-in, if change-log is enabled.

**Note:** Security Directory Server will return the OID 2.16.840.1.113730.3.4.3 for the attribute `ibm-supportedcontrol` in case of a root DSE search.

The following addition is made to the configuration file to support the persistent search mechanism:

```
dn: cn=Persistent Search, cn=Configuration
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry
objectclass: ibm-slapdPersistentSearch
cn: Persistent Search
ibm-slapdEnablePersistentSearch: TRUE
ibm-slapdMaxPersistentSearches: 100
```

`ibm-slapdEnablePersistentSearch` is a Boolean type attribute that determines if persistent search is enabled. This attribute can be assigned a value of either TRUE or FALSE. The default value of this attribute is TRUE. The `ibm-slapdMaxPersistentSearches` attribute determines the maximum number of concurrent persistent searches allowed. The default value of this attribute is 100 and the maximum allowed value is 2000. For information on how to enable persistent search, see step 7 on page 116 under **Search settings**.

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**Enabling and disabling event notification**

The event notification function allows a server to notify a registered client that an entry in the directory tree has been changed, added, or deleted. This notification is in the form of an unsolicited message.

When an event occurs, the server sends a message to the client as an LDAP v3 unsolicited notification. The messageID is 0 and the message is in the form of an extended operation response. The `responseName` field is set to the registration OID. The `response` field contains the unique registration ID and a timestamp for when the event occurred. The `time` field is in UTC time format.

When a transaction occurs, the event notifications for the transaction steps cannot be sent until the entire transaction is completed.

**Note:** ACLs are only checked on the entry that the event is registered on, when the event is registered. A user who does not have access to some of the entries below his access entry might receive notification of changes for those entries. The user is not told the exact change, just that a change has occurred. Also, if the ACLs are changed on the original entry to not allow the user access, the registered events remain, even though the user no longer has access. See Chapter 19, “Access control lists,” on page 491 for information about ACLs.
Enabling event notification

To enable event notification, use one of the following procedures.

Using Web Administration

If you have not done so already, click Server administration in the Web Administration navigation area and then click Manage server properties in the expanded list. Next, click the Event notification tab.

1. Select the Enable event notification check box to enable event notification. If Enable event notification is disabled, the server ignores all other options on this panel.

2. Set the Maximum registrations per connection. Click either the Registrations or the Unlimited radio button. If you select Registrations, you need to specify in the field the maximum number of registrations allowed for each connection. The maximum number of registrations is 2,147,483,647. The default setting is 100 registrations.

3. Set the Maximum registrations total. This selection sets how many registrations the server can have at any one time. Click either the Registrations or the Unlimited radio button. If you select Registrations, you need to specify in the field the maximum number of registrations allowed for each connection. The maximum number of registrations is 2,147,483,647. The default number of registrations is Unlimited.

4. When you are finished, click Apply to save your changes without exiting, or click OK to apply your changes and exit, or click Cancel to exit this panel without making any changes.

5. If you have enabled event notification, you must restart the server for the changes to take effect. If you were modifying only the settings, the server does not need to be restarted.

Using the command line

To perform the same operations using the command line, issue the following command:

`idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename`

where filename contains:

```
dn: cn=Event Notification,cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdEnableEventNotification
ibm-slapdEnableEventNotification: TRUE
-
replace: ibm-slapdMaxEventsPerConnection
ibm-slapdMaxEventsPerConnection: 100
-
replace: ibm-slapdMaxEventsTotal
ibm-slapdMaxEventsTotal: 0
```

If you have enabled event notification, you must restart the server for the changes to take effect. If you were modifying only the settings, the server does not need to be restarted.

To update the settings dynamically, issue the following idsldapexop command:

`idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope entire`
The idsldapexop command updates only those attributes that are dynamic. For other changes to take effect you must stop and restart the server. See Appendix L, “Dynamically-changed attributes,” on page 663 for a list of the attributes that can be updated dynamically.

Disabling event notification
To disable event notification, use one of the following procedures.

**Using Web Administration**
If you have not done so already, click **Server administration** in the Web Administration navigation area and then click **Manage server properties** in the expanded list. Next, click the **Event notification** tab.

1. Deselect the **Enable event notification** check box to enable transaction processing.
2. When you are finished, click **Apply** to save your changes without exiting, or click **OK** to apply your changes and exit, or click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.
3. You must restart the server for the changes to take effect.

**Using the command line**
To perform the same operations using the command line, issue the following command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

- `dn: cn=Event Notification,cn=Configuration`
- `changetype: modify`
- `replace: ibm-slapdEnableEventNotification`
- `ibm-slapdEnableEventNotification: FALSE`

You must restart the server for the changes to take effect.

See the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Programming Reference* for more information about event notification.

### Enabling and disabling transaction support

Transaction processing enables an application to group a set of entry updates together in one operation. Normally each individual LDAP operation is treated as a separate transaction with the database. Grouping operations together is useful when one operation is dependent on another operation because if one of the operations fails, the entire transaction fails. Transaction settings determine the limits on the transaction activity allowed on the server.

**Enabling transaction support**
To enable transaction support use one of the following procedures.

**Using Web Administration**
If you have not done so already, click **Server administration** in the Web Administration navigation area and then click **Manage server properties** in the expanded list. Next, click the **Transactions** tab.

1. Select the **Enable transaction processing** check box to enable transaction processing. If **Enable transaction processing** is disabled, all other options on
this panel, such as **Maximum number of operations per transaction** and **Pending time limit**, are ignored by the server.

2. Set the **Maximum number of transactions**. Click either the Transactions or the Unlimited radio button. If you select Transactions, you need to specify in the field the maximum number of transactions. The maximum number of transactions is 2,147,483,647. The default setting is 20 transactions.

3. Set the **Maximum number of operations per transaction**. Click either the Operations or the Unlimited radio button. If you select Operations, you need to specify in the field the maximum number of operations allowed for each transaction. The maximum number of operations per transaction is 500. The smaller the number, the better the performance. The default is 5 operations.

4. Under **Timeout between prepare and commit**, select either Seconds or Unlimited. If you select Seconds, you must specify in the field the maximum number of seconds allowed between a prepare and commit transaction operation.

5. Set the **Pending time limit**. This selection sets the maximum timeout value of a pending transaction in seconds. Click either the Seconds or the Unlimited radio button. If you select Seconds, you need to specify in the field the maximum number of seconds allowed for each transaction. The maximum number of seconds is 2,147,483,647. Transactions left uncompleted for longer than this time are cancelled (rolled back). The default is 300 seconds.

6. When you are finished, click **Apply** to save your changes without exiting, or click **OK** to apply your changes and exit, or click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

7. If you have enabled transaction support, you must restart the server for the changes to take effect. If you were modifying only the settings, the server does not need to be restarted.

### Using the command line

To perform the same operations using the command line, issue the following command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

- `dn: cn=Transaction,cn=Configuration`
- `changetype: modify`
- `replace: ibm-slapdTransactionEnable`
  - `ibm-slapdTransactionEnable: TRUE`
- `replace: ibm-slapdMaxNumOfTransactions`
  - `ibm-slapdMaxNumOfTransactions: 20`
- `replace: ibm-slapdMaxOpPerTransaction`
  - `ibm-slapdMaxOpPerTransaction: 5`
- `replace: ibm-slapdMaxTimeLimitOfTransactions`
  - `ibm-slapdMaxTimeLimitOfTransactions: 300`

To update the settings dynamically, issue the following `idsldapexop` command:

```bash
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope entire
```

The `idsldapexop` command updates only those attributes that are dynamic. For other changes to take effect you must stop and restart the server. See [Appendix L, “Dynamically-changed attributes,” on page 663](#) for a list of the attributes that can be updated dynamically.
Disabling transaction support

To disable transaction processing, use one of the following procedures.

**Using Web Administration**

If you have not done so already, click **Server administration** in the Web Administration navigation area and then click **Manage server properties** in the expanded list. Next, click the **Transactions** tab.

1. Deselect the **Enable transaction processing** check box to enable transaction processing.
2. When you are finished, click **Apply** to save your changes without exiting, or click **OK** to apply your changes and exit, or click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.
3. You must restart the server for the changes to take effect.

**Using the command line**

To perform the same operations using the command line, issue the following command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where **filename** contains:

```bash
dn: cn=Transaction,cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdTransactionEnable
ibm-slapdTransactionEnable: False
```

You must restart the server for the changes to take effect.

See the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Programming Reference* for more information about transaction support.

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**Adding and removing suffixes**

A suffix is a DN that identifies the top entry in a locally held directory hierarchy. Because of the relative naming scheme used in LDAP, this DN is also the suffix of every other entry within that directory hierarchy. A directory server can have multiple suffixes, each identifying a locally held directory hierarchy, for example, `o=sample`.

**Note:** The specific entry that matches the suffix must be added to the directory.

Entries to be added to the directory must have a suffix that matches the DN value, such as `ou=Marketing,o=sample`. If a query contains a suffix that does not match any suffix configured for the local database, the query is referred to the LDAP server that is identified by the default referral. If no LDAP default referral is specified, the result returned indicates that the object does not exist.

**Creating or adding suffixes**

To create or add a suffix, use one of the following methods.

**Using Web Administration**

**Note:** Defined suffixes such as `cn=localhost`, `cn=Deleted Objects`, `cn=schema` and `cn=ibmpolicies` cannot be added or removed. Consequently, they are not displayed in the panel.
If you have not done so already, click Server administration in the Web Administration navigation area and then click Manage server properties in the expanded list. Next, click the Suffixes tab.

1. Enter the Suffix DN, for example, c=Italy. The maximum is 1000 characters for a suffix.
2. Click Add.
3. Repeat this process for as many suffixes as you want to add.
4. When you are finished, click Apply to save your changes without exiting, or click OK to apply your changes and exit, or click Cancel to exit this panel without making any changes.

**Using the command line**

To add suffixes using the command line, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where filename contains:

- DN: cn=Directory, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
- changetype: modify
- add: ibm-slapdSuffix
  - suffixname
  - suffix2
  - suffix3

To update the settings dynamically, issue the following idsldapexop command:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope single "cn=Directory,
    cn=RDBM Backends,cn=IBM Directory,cn=Schemas,cn=Configuration" ibm-slapdSuffix
```

You can also use the idscfgsuf command to add suffixes one at a time:

```
idscfgsuf -I instancename -s suffixname
```

**Note:**

- See the idscfgsuf command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for more information.
- You can also use the configuration utility idsxcfg to add and remove suffixes. See the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Installation and Configuration Guide for more information.
- To add suffixes using idscfgsuf or idsxcfg the server instance must be stopped.

**Removing a suffix**

To remove a suffix use, one of the following methods.

**Using Web Administration**

**Note:** Defined suffixes such as cn=localhost, cn=Deleted Objects, cn=schema and cn=ibmpolicies cannot be added or removed. Consequently, they are not displayed in the panel.

If you have not done so already, click Server administration in the Web Administration navigation area and then click Manage server properties in the expanded list. Next, click the Suffixes tab.

1. From the Current suffix DNs list box, select the suffixes you want to remove.
2. Click Remove.
3. When you are finished, click **Apply** to save your changes without exiting, or click **OK** to apply your changes and exit, or click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

**Using the command line**

**Note:** The removal of system defined suffixes such as cn=localhost, cn=pwdpolicy, cn=schema and cn=ibmpolicies is not supported.

To perform the same operations using the command line, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

- DN: cn=Directory, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
- changetype: modify
- delete: ibm-slapdSuffix
- ibm-slapdSuffix: suffixname
- ibm-slapdSuffix: suffix2
- ibm-slapdSuffix: suffix3

You must restart the server for the change to take effect.

You can also use the `idsucfgsuf` command to delete suffixes one at a time:

```
idsucfgsuf -l instanceName -s suffixname
```

**Note:**

- See the `idsucfgsuf` command information in the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference* for more information.
- You can also use the configuration utility `idsxcfg` to add and remove suffixes. See the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Installation and Configuration Guide* for more information.
- To delete suffixes using `idsucfgsuf` or `idsxcfg` the server instance must be stopped.

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**Tombstone to record deleted entries**

IBM Security Directory Server provides the tombstone feature to record information, such as all the attributes, of a to-be deleted entry into a tombstone subtree before the entry gets deleted from the backend database.

When you enable tombstone feature by setting `ibm-slapdTombstoneEnabled=TRUE`, ensure that the naming attribute for the deleted entry must be of appropriate length to contain the following values:

- The original entry name
- Additional characters for the tombstone uuid

If the attribute that contains the entry name is not big enough to accommodate the tombstone tag, the deletion operation might fail with the `LDAP_OBJECT_CLASS_VIOLATION` return value.

Using the tombstone feature, you can move the to-be-deleted entries to the tombstone subtree, cn=Deleted Objects. Subsequently, the attribute table is updated for the entry to mark the entry as deleted by adding an attribute such as `isDeleted`. 
Note:
- This feature is supported only in the primary RDBM backend of the directory server.
- Tombstones are not supported in configuration, schema, or change log backend.
- Tombstone feature is disabled by default.

The tombstone feature is defined by the *ibm-slapdTombstoneEnabled* attribute in the cn=Directory, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration entry of the ibmslapd.conf file. Additionally, the *ibm-slapdTombstoneLifetime* attribute in the cn=Directory, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration entry of the configuration file defines the tombstone lifetime. The tombstone lifetime determines the time that deleted entries are retained, the default value being 7 days.

Use any of the following methods to enable or disable tombstone:

**Using Web Administration**

If you have not done so already, click Server administration in the Web Administration navigation area and then click Manage server properties in the expanded list. Click the Delete settings tab.

This panel allows you to control tombstone configuration parameters. This panel is displayed only to Primary admin or Server config group members.

1. To enable tombstones, click the Record deleted entries check box. This control is associated with the ibm-slapdTombstoneEnabled attribute.

2. Under the Deleted entries lifetime section, enter a value for tombstone lifetime. You can specify the value in either Days or Hours by selecting the desired value from the combo box. The default value is 7 days. This control is associated with the ibm-slapdTombstoneLifetime attribute.

**Using the command line**

To enable the tombstone feature, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D bindDN -w password -f file
```

where *file* contains:

```
dn: cn=Directory, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
ibm-slapdTombstoneEnabled: TRUE
```

To reread the configuration file, issue the following command:

```
idsldapexop -D bindDN -w password -op readconfig -scope entire
```

To set the tombstone lifetime value, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D bindDN -w password
dn: cn=Directory, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
ibm-slapdTombstoneLifetime: value_in_hours
```

To reread the configuration file, issue the following command:

```
idsldapexop -D bindDN -w password -op readconfig -scope entire
```
You can use the –L parameter of the ldapdelete utility to delete entries under cn=Deleted Objects. To do this, you first display all tombstones under cn=Deleted Objects by issuing the following command:

```
idsldapsearch -b "cn=Deleted Objects" -r -D bindDN -w password objectclass=* dn
```

Next, you save the output in an ldif file and then use the ldif file as input to the ldapdelete command by issuing the following command:

```
idsldapdelete -c -L -f file -D bindDN -w password
```

Managing cache properties

If you have not done so already, click Server administration in the Web Administration navigation area and then click Manage cache properties in the expanded list. This panel has five tabs. You can use these tabs to configure entry cache, filter cache, ACL cache, group members’ cache, and attribute cache.

Note: From IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3, attribute cache is deprecated. You must avoid using attribute cache.

### Entry cache

To configure entry cache, click the Entry cache tab and follow the steps given below:

**Using Web administration**

1. In the Maximum number of elements in entry cache field, enter a value for the maximum number of elements to be stored in entry cache.

2. When you are finished, do one of the following:
   - Click OK to save your changes and exit this panel.
   - Click Apply to apply your changes and stay on this panel.
   - Click Cancel to exit this panel without making any changes.

**Using command line**

To perform the same operations using command line, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where filename contains:

```
dn: cn=Front End, cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdEntryCacheSize
ibm-slapdEntryCacheSize: positive_number
```

### Filter cache

To configure filter cache, click the Filter cache tab and follow the steps given below:

**Using Web administration**

1. In the Maximum number of elements in search filters cache field, enter a value for the maximum number of elements to be stored in search filter cache.

2. Specify the maximum number of elements from a single search operation to be added to the search filter cache. If you select Elements, you must enter a numeric value in the field. Otherwise, select Unlimited.

3. When you are finished, do one of the following:
• Click **OK** to save your changes and exit this panel.
• Click **Apply** to apply your changes and stay on this panel.
• Click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

**Using command line**

To perform the same operations using command line, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=Front End, cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdFilterCacheSize
ibm-slapdFilterCacheSize: positive_number
```

```
replace: ibm-slapdFilterCacheBypassLimit
ibm-slapdFilterCacheBypassLimit: positive_number
```

**ACL cache**

To configure ACL cache, click the **ACL cache** tab and follow the steps given below:

**Using Web administration**

1. Select the **Cache ACL information** check box to enable caching of ACL information.
2. In the **Maximum number of elements in ACL cache** field, enter a value for the maximum number of elements to be cached in ACL cache.
3. When you are finished, do one of the following:
   • Click **OK** to save your changes and exit this panel.
   • Click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

**Using command line**

To perform the same operations using command line, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=Front End, cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdACLCache
ibm-slapdACLCache: TRUE
```

```
replace: ibm-slapdACLCacheSize
ibm-slapdACLCacheSize: positive_number
```

**Group members’ cache**

The group members’ cache is an extension of the Entry cache. This cache stores member and uniquemember attribute values with their entries. To configure the group members’ cache, perform either of the following tasks.

**Using Web Administration**

To configure group members’ cache, click the **Group members’ cache** tab and follow the steps given below:
1. In the **Maximum number of groups in cache** field, enter a value for the maximum number of groups with members to be cached in the group members’ cache.

2. In the **Maximum number of members in a group that can be cached** field, enter a value for the maximum number of members in a group to be cached in the group members’ cache.

3. When you are finished, do one of the following:
   - Click **OK** to save your changes and exit this panel.
   - Click **Apply** to apply your changes and stay on this panel.
   - Click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

**Using command line**

To configure group members’ cache using the command line, issue the following command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where **filename** contains:

- `dn: cn=Directory, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration`  
- `changetype: modify`  
- `replace: ibm-slapdGroupMembersCacheSize`  
  - `ibm-slapdGroupMembersCacheSize:25`  
- `replace: ibm-slapdGroupMembersCacheBypassLimit`  
  - `ibm-slapdGroupMembersCacheBypassLimit: 50`

**Adding attributes to and removing attributes from the attribute cache**

**Note:** From IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3, attribute cache is deprecated. You must avoid using attribute cache.

The attribute cache has the advantage of being able to resolve filters in memory rather than in the database. It also has the advantage of not being flushed like the filter cache each time an LDAP add, delete, modify, or modrdn operation is performed.

In deciding which attributes you want to store in memory, you need to consider:

- The amount of memory available to the server
- The size of the directory
- The types of search filters the application typically uses

**Note:** The attribute cache manager can resolve both exact match filters and presence filters. It can also resolve complex filters that are conjunctive or disjunctive. Additionally, the subfilters within complex filters must be exact match, presence, conjunctive, or disjunctive.

Not all attributes can be added to the attribute cache. To determine if an attribute can be added to the cache, use the ldapexop command:

- For attributes that can be added:
  ```bash
  ldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op getattributes -attrType attribute_cache -matches true
  ```

- For attributes that cannot be added:
  ```bash
  ldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op getattributes -attrType attribute_cache -matches false
  ```

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Attribute caching can be configured either manually or automatically. To manually configure attribute caching, an administrator first needs to know which attributes to cache. To make attribute caching most effective, the administrator should perform cn=monitor searches. These searches provide information about the attributes that are cached, the amount of memory used by each attribute in the cache, the total amount of memory used by attribute caching, the amount of memory configured for attribute caching, and a list of the attributes most often used in search filters. Using this information, an administrator can determine the amount of memory that is allowed to be used for attribute caching, as well as which attributes to cache whenever necessary.

Alternatively, when an administrator enables automatic attribute caching, the directory server tracks the combination of attributes that would be most useful to cache within the memory limits defined by the administrator. The server then updates the attribute caching at a particular time and according to a time interval configured by the administrator.

Typically you want to put a limited number of attributes into the attribute cache because of memory constraints. To help determine which attributes you want to cache, view the Directory cache candidate list and Changelog cache candidate list for the 10 most frequently used attribute search filters by your applications. See “Checking server status” on page 83. Also, see “Determining which attributes to cache” in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Performance Tuning and Capacity Planning Guide for more information.

Setting up and adding attributes to the attribute cache
To set up and add attributes to the attribute cache, use one of the following methods.

Using Web Administration: Click the Attribute cache tab and follow the steps given below:

1. You can change the amount of memory in kilobytes available to the directory cache. The default is 16384 kilobytes (16 MB).
2. You can change the amount of memory in kilobytes available to the changelog cache. The default is 16384 kilobytes (16 MB).

   **Note:** This selection is disabled if a changelog has not been configured.

To enable directory automatic attribute caching, perform the following steps:

1. Select the **Enable directory automatic attribute cache** check box. This enables other elements within this group.
2. Enter the start time for directory automatic attribute caching in the **Start Time** text box.
3. From the **Interval** combo box, select the interval at which the directory automatic attribute caching is to be performed again.

To enable change log automatic attribute caching, perform the following steps:

1. Select the **Enable change log automatic attribute cache** check box. This enables other elements within this group.
2. Enter the start time for change log automatic attribute caching in the **Start Time** text box.
3. From the **Interval** combo box, select the interval at which the change log automatic attribute caching is to be performed again.
Note: Automatic attribute caching for change log should not be enabled unless frequent searches within the change log are required and the performance of these searches are critical.

To add an attribute:

1. Select the attribute that you want to cache from the Available attributes drop-down menu. Only those attributes that can be designated as cached attributes are displayed in this menu. For example, sn.

   Note: An attribute remains in the list of available attributes until it has been placed in both the Directory and the Changelog containers.

2. Click either Add to Database or Add to Change log button. The attribute is displayed in the appropriate list box. You can list the same attribute in both containers.

3. Repeat this process for each attribute you want to cache.

   Note: An attribute is removed from the drop-down list when it is added to both the Cached attributes under Database and Cached attributes under Change log listboxes. If changelog is not enabled, then the Add to Change log button is disabled and the entry cannot be added to Cached attributes under Change log list box. The attribute is removed from the available attributes list when it is added to Cached attributes under Database list box.

4. When you are finished, click Apply to save your changes without exiting, or click OK to apply your changes and exit, or click Cancel to exit this panel without making any changes.

Using the command line: To create the directory attribute caches with the same attributes, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where filename contains:

- `dn: cn=Directory, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration`
- `changetype: modify`
- `add: ibm-slapdCachedAttribute`
- `ibm-slapdCachedAttribute: sn`
- `add: ibm-slapdCachedAttribute`
- `ibm-slapdCachedAttribute: cn`
- `replace: ibm-slapdcachedattributesize`
- `ibm-slapdcachedattributesize: 16384`

Removing attributes from the attribute cache

To remove an attribute from the attribute cache, perform either of the following tasks.

Using Web Administration: If you have not done so already, click Server administration in the Web Administration navigation area and then click Manage cache properties in the expanded list. Next, click the Attribute cache tab.

1. Select the attribute that you want to remove from the attributes cache by clicking the attribute in the appropriate list box. For example AIXAdminGroupId from the previous task.

2. Click Remove.

3. Repeat this process for each attribute you want to remove from the list.
4. When you are finished, click **Apply** to save your changes without exiting, or click **OK** to apply your changes and exit, or click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

**Using the command line:** To perform the same operations using the command line, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

- `DN: cn=Directory, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration`
- `changetype: modify`
- `delete: ibm-slapdCachedAttribute`
- `ibm-slapdCachedAttribute: sn`

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**DB2 password monitoring**

DB2 password monitoring feature enables you to configure the server to periodically monitor the DB2 password value in the server configuration file. This ensures that the password value can be used to establish a connection with the database. The DB2 password monitoring feature retrieves the password from the configuration file and uses it to attempt a connection with the database.

A directory server instance relies on the database owner password information in the configuration file to establish a connection with the DB2 database. If the password for the user on the system is not in sync with the value in the configuration file then the connection to the database will fail.

The DB2 password monitoring feature enables monitoring of the DB2 user’s password on the system and issues alerts when the password is found to be no longer consistent with what is being used by the directory server instance. When an inconsistency is detected, a message is written to the directory server instance’s log file. If auditing is enabled, a message is written to the audit log file as well.

Security Directory Server also enables you to use the Web Admin tool to update the DB2 password while the directory server instance is running.

To update the DB2 password and enable DB2 password monitoring, use one of the following methods:

**Using Web Administration**

**To update DB2 password:**

If you have not done so already, click **Server administration** in the Web Administration navigation area and then click **DB2 Instance Owner** in the expanded list. This panel displays the DB2 instance name and the DB2 instance owner name. On this panel, do the following to change the DB2 administrator’s password:

1. Type the new password in the **New password** field.
2. Retype the password in the **Confirm password** field.
3. Click **Change password** to save your changes, or click **Cancel** to return to the "Introduction" panel without making any changes.

**Note:** This panel is displayed only to Primary Administrator or Server configuration group members. It is better to use SSL when using the Web admin tool to update the DB2 password.
To enable password monitoring:
If you have not done so already, click Server administration in the Web Administration navigation area and then click Manage server properties in the expanded list. Click the Database tab.

Using this panel you can enable DB2 password monitoring and set the password monitoring level. This panel is displayed only to Primary Admin or Server configuration group members. To set the password monitoring level, do the following:

1. To enable db2 password monitoring, click the Enable db2 instance password monitoring check box.
2. Specify the password monitoring interval in the Password monitoring interval (Max 65535 minutes/45 Days): field. The default value of this field is 1 day.
3. Click the OK button.

Using command line

To update the DB2 password, issue the following command:

```
ldapmodify -h ldaphost -p port -D bindDN -w password -f filename
```

where filename contains:

```
dn:cn=Directory, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdDbUserPw
ibm-slapdDbUserPw: password_value
```

Issue the readConfig extended operation to update the password being used by the monitoring function. To do this, issue the following command:

```
ldapexop -op readconfig -scope entire
```

To enable db2 password monitoring, issue the following command:

```
ldapmodify -h ldaphost -p ldap_port -D bindDN -w password -f filename
```

where filename contains:

```
dn:cn=Directory, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdDbPwMonIntervalMins
ibm-slapdDbPwMonIntervalMins: value_in_minutes
```

Note: The directory server instance will be modified to periodically monitor by default every 24 hours/1440 minutes, or as specified by the ibm-slapdDbPwMonIntervalMins attribute in the configuration file. If the ibm-slapdDbPwMonIntervalMins attribute is set to zero, then no monitoring will be done by the server.
Chapter 11. Securing directory communications

This section describes the steps necessary for keeping the data in your directory secure.

Configuring security settings

IBM Security Directory Server has the ability to protect LDAP access by encrypting data with either Secure Sockets Layer (SSL) security or Transaction Layer Security (TLS) or both. When using SSL or TLS to secure LDAP communications with Security Directory Server, both server authentication and client authentication are supported. See “Secure Sockets Layer” on page 141 and “Transaction Layer Security” on page 141 for more information.

Note: To use SSL or TLS you must have GSKit installed on your system. Before you can use SSL or TLS you must first use GSKit to create the key database file and certificates. To know about creating Certificate Management Services (CMS) key databases using the GSkit command line utility, see “Using gskcapicmd” on page 148. To manage key databases other than CMS or PKCS11, see “Using ikeyman” on page 151.

Using Web Administration

Do the following:
1. Go to the Web Administration console.
2. Click Server administration.
3. Click Manage security properties.
4. Click Settings.
5. Enable the type of security connections, select one of the following radio buttons:

   **None**
   Enables the server to receive only unsecure communications from the client. The default port is 389.

   **SSL**
   Enables the server to receive either secure (default port 636) or unsecure (default port 389) communications from the client. The default port is 636.

   **SSL only**
   Enables the server to receive only secure communications from the client. This is the most secure way to configure your server. The default port is 636.

   **TLS**
   Enables the server to receive secure and unsecure communications from the client over the default port, 389. For secure communications the client must start the TLS extended operation. See “Transaction Layer Security” on page 141 for more information.

   **SSL and TLS**
   Enables the server to receive secure and unsecure communications from the client over the default port, 389. For secure communications on the default port, the client must start the TLS extended operation. The server also receives secure communications over the SSL port, 636. See “Transaction Layer Security” on page 141 for more information.
Notes:

a. The TLS and the SSL and TLS options are only available if your server supports TLS.

b. TLS and SSL do not interoperate. Sending a start TLS request over the secure port results in an operations error.

6. Select the authentication method.

Note: You must distribute the server certificate to each client. For server and client authentication you also must add the certificate for each client to the server’s key database.

Select the radio button for either:

Server authentication
For server authentication, IBM Security Directory Server supplies the client with the directory server’s X.509 certificate during the initial SSL handshake. If the client validates the server’s certificate, then a secure, encrypted communication channel is established between Security Directory Server and the client application.

For server authentication to work, directory server must have a private key and the associated server certificate in the server’s key database file.

Server and client authentication
This type of authentication provides for two-way authentication between the LDAP client and the LDAP server. With client authentication, the LDAP client must have a digital certificate (based on the X.509 standard). This digital certificate is used to authenticate the LDAP client to Security Directory Server. See “Client authentication” on page 146.

7. When you are finished, click **Apply** to save your changes without exiting, or click **OK** to apply your changes and exit, or click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

8. You must stop and restart both directory server instance and the administration server for the changes to take effect.

   a. Stop the server. See “Starting and stopping the server” on page 82 if you need information about performing this task.

   b. Stop the administration server using one of the following methods.

      • Remotely, issue the command:
        ```bash
        ibmdirctl -D adminDN -w adminPW admstop
        ```

      • Locally issue the command:
        ```bash
        idsdiradm instancename -k
        ```

      See “Stopping an instance of the directory administration server” on page 20 if you need information about performing this task.

   c. Start the administration server. This must be done locally.

      • Issue the command:
        ```bash
        idsdiradm instancename
        ```

      See “Starting an instance of the directory administration server” on page 20 if you need information about performing this task.

   d. Start the server. See “Starting and stopping the server” on page 82 if you need information about performing this task.
Using the command line

To use the command line to configure SSL communications, issue the command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

- `dn: cn=SSL,cn=Configuration` 
- `changetype: modify`
- `replace: ibm-slapdSslAuth`
- `ibm-slapdSslAuth: {serverAuth | serverClientAuth}`
- `replace: ibm-slapdSecurity`
- `ibm-slapdSecurity: {none | SSL | SSLOnly | TLS | SSLTLS}`

User must provide the required permissions on the file for the instance owner for which the key database files will be used, and also must restart the server and the administration server for the changes to take effect.

Transaction Layer Security

Transport Layer Security (TLS) is a protocol that ensures privacy and data integrity in communications between the client and server.

TLS is composed of two layers:

**The TLS Record Protocol**

Provides connection security with data encryption methods such as the Data Encryption Standard (DES) or RC4 without encryption. The keys for this symmetric encryption are generated uniquely for each connection and are based on a secret negotiated by the TLS Handshake Protocol. The Record Protocol can also be used without encryption.

**The TLS Handshake Protocol**

Enables the server and client to authenticate each other and to negotiate an encryption algorithm and cryptographic keys before data is exchanged.

TLS is invoked by using the `-Y` option from the client utilities.

**Note**: TLS and SSL are not interoperable. Issuing a start TLS request (the `-Y` option) over an SSL port causes an operations error.

Secure Sockets Layer

IBM Security Directory Server has the ability to protect LDAP access by encrypting data with Secure Sockets Layer (SSL) security. When using SSL to secure LDAP communications with Security Directory Server, both server authentication and client authentication are supported.

With server authentication, Security Directory Server must have a digital certificate (based on the X.509 standard). This digital certificate is used to authenticate Security Directory Server to the client application (such as the Directory Management Tool or `idsldapsearch`) or an application built from the application development package, for LDAP access over SSL.

For server authentication, Security Directory Server supplies the client with directory server's X.509 certificate during the initial SSL handshake. If the client validates the server's certificate, then a secure, encrypted communication channel is established between Security Directory Server and the client application.
For server authentication to work, Security Directory Server must have a private key and associated server certificate in the server’s key database file.

Client authentication provides for two-way authentication between the LDAP client and the LDAP server.

With client authentication, the LDAP client must have a digital certificate (based on the X.509 standard). This digital certificate is used to authenticate the LDAP client to Security Directory Server. See “Client authentication” on page 146.

To conduct commercial business on the Internet, you might use a widely known Certification Authority (CA), such as VeriSign, to get a high assurance server certificate.

**Securing your server with SSL**

The following high-level steps are required to enable SSL support for Security Directory Server for server authentication. These steps assume you have already installed and configured Security Directory Server:

1. Install the IBM GSKit package if it is not installed. See the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Installation and Configuration Guide* for information on installing the GSKit package.

   **Notes:**
   a. If the GSKIT_LOCAL_INSTALL_MODE environment variable is set to true, it allows user to use the GSKit version of their choice based on the path they set in LD_LIBRARY_PATH. If the environment variable is set, then the library using the path set in LD_LIBRARY_PATH, LIB, or LIBPATH is loaded. If this environment variable is not set, then the GSKit library installed on system (for example on UNIX based system: /usr/lib or /usr/lib64, etc) is loaded. This environment variable is supported only on the client server. All server side wrapper scripts explicitly unassign this variable.

   b. The GSKIT_CLIENT_VERSION environment variable is set to the major version of GSKit library. Using this environment variable, user can set the major version number of GSKit library that to use with directory server. The name of the GSKit libraries change with the change in the major version number. For example, if the name of ssl library shipped with the GSKit 7 is gsk7ssl and with GSKit 8 is gsk8ssl. This environment variable is supported only on the client side. All server side wrapper scripts explicitly unassign this variable.

2. Generate the IBM Security Directory Server private key and server certificate using the *ikeyman* utility. The server's certificate can be signed by a commercial CA, such as VeriSign, or it can be self-signed with the *ikeyman* tool. The CA's public certificate (or the self-signed certificate) must also be distributed to the client application's key database file.

   **Note:** With IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1, GSKit, version 8 is provided. The gskikm utility is not available with GSKit version 8.

3. Store the server's key database file and associated password stash file on the server. The default path for the key database, *instance_directory/etc* directory, is a typical location.

4. Access the Web-based LDAP administrative interface to configure the LDAP server. See “Using Web Administration” on page 139 for the procedures.
If you also want to have secure communications between a master Security Directory Server and one or more replica servers, you must complete the following additional steps:

1. Configure the replica directory server.
   
   **Note:** Follow the steps shown above for the master, except perform them for each replica. When configuring a replica for SSL, the replica is like the master with respect to its role when using SSL. The master is an LDAP client (using SSL) when communicating with a replica.

2. Configure the master directory server.

   a. Add the replica's signed server certificate to the master directory server's key database file, as a trusted root. In this situation, the master directory is actually an LDAP client. If using self-signed certificates, you must extract all the self-signed certificates from each replica Security Directory Server, add them to the master's key database, and ensure they are marked as trusted-roots. Essentially, you are configuring the master as an SSL client of the replica server.

   b. Configure the master Security Directory Server to be aware of the replica server. Be sure to set the replicaPort attribute to use the port that the replica Security Directory Server uses for SSL communication.

3. Restart both the master server and each replica server.

**Notes:**

1. Only one key database is permitted per ldap server.

2. User must provide the required permissions on the key database files for the instance owner for which the files will be used.

3. For SSL setup in a replication environment, you can have a separate kdb file between supplier and consumer than the one used in the front end of supplier (under cn=SSL, cn=Configuration) to communicate with LDAP client in SSL mode.

4. In case of Proxy Server, if the proxy server is configured for SSL communication with backend server, it uses the same kdb files specified in the server configuration file (under cn=SSL, cn=Configuration).

**Setting Server authentication:** For server authentication, you can modify the ibmslapd.conf file under the cn=SSL, cn=Configuration entry. To use the Web Administration Tool, see "Using Web Administration" on page 139.

To use the command line:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=SSL,cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdSSLAuth
ibm-slapdSSLAuth: serverAuth
```

You must restart the server and the administration server for the changes to take effect.

**Server certificate from an external Certificate Authority (CA)**

In order to provide a secure connection between Security Directory Server and its clients, the server must have an X.509 certificate and a private key.
The steps required to generate a private key, obtain the required server certificate from an external CA, and prepare them for use by Security Directory Server are outlined in the following:

1. Logon as administrator or root.
   
   **Note:** If the administrator DN which was created during the server configuration process was `cn=root`, then enter the full administrator DN. Do not just use `root`.

2. Change to the directory where you want to create the key database file and where your private key and certificate will be stored.

3. Run **ikeyman** to create a new key database file. You can use any valid value for the key database file name that you want. Whatever file name you use, you need to provide it when configuring the LDAP server to use SSL. Consider providing a full path name. The **ikeyman** utility is used to generate a private-public key pair and a certificate request. See “Using ikeyman” on page 151 for additional information.

   **Note:** By default, the new KDB created by GSKit is not readable by the server. You must change the owner to **idsldap**.
   
   `chown idsldap:idsldap mykeyring .`

   See the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Troubleshooting Guide for a more detailed explanation about the Kerberos service name change.

4. If VeriSign is your external CA, obtain a certificate from VeriSign, as follows:
   
   
   b. Click on **IBM internet connection servers**.
   
   c. After reviewing the information at this site, click on **Begin**.
   
   d. Provide the required information and follow the steps required to request your server certificate. VeriSign is the primary Certification Authority supported for obtaining externally generated, high-assurance server certificates.

5. If you have another CA that you want to use, follow the directions for that CA to submit the contents of the certificate request file to them.

   When you receive the resulting certificate from the CA:
   
   1. Logon using your server identity.
   2. Change to the directory where you created the key database file.
   3. Place the signed certificate from the CA into a file in this directory. The file is used in the next step.
   4. From the same directory, run **ikeyman** to receive the certificate into your key database file.
   5. Access the LDAP server’s Web administrative interface, and configure the various SSL parameters, including the file specification for the key database file. See “Using Web Administration” on page 139.
   6. If you have more than one certificate in the key database file, the certificate you want to use for Security Directory Server must be the default.

   **Note:** If you instruct **ikeyman** to save the password in a password stash file, it is not necessary to change or set the password in the ibmslapd.conf file.
Using a self-signed server certificate
If you are using IBM Security Directory Server in an intranet environment, use ikeyman to create your own server certificates. You can also use ikeyman to test Security Directory Server with SSL without purchasing a VeriSign high-assurance server certificate. These types of certificates are known as self-signed certificates.

Follow these steps to create a key database file using self-signed certificates.

1. On each server:
   a. Change to the directory where you want to create the key database file and where your private key and certificate is to be stored.
   b. Create a new key database file and the self-sign certificate request that is to be used as your CA certificate.
      - Use the largest key size available.
      - Use a secure server certificate, not a low-assurance certificate.
   c. Obtain the certificate request file. The certificate is put into the key database file automatically by the ikeyman tool.

2. If you are using an application created for the client, do the following on each client machine:
   a. Place the CA certificate request file in an accessible location on the client machine.
   b. Receive the CA certificate request file into the client's key database.
   c. Mark the received certificate as a trusted root.

See "Using ikeyman" on page 151 for additional information.

Notes:
1. You must always receive the CA certificate into the server's key database file and mark it as a trusted root before receiving the server certificate into the server's key database file.
2. Whenever you use ikeyman to manage the Security Directory Server's key database file, remember to change to the directory in which the key database file exists.
3. Each IBM Security Directory Server must have its own private key and certificate. Sharing the private key and certificate across multiple Security Directory Servers increases security risks. By using different certificates and private keys for each server, security exposure is minimized if a key database file for one of the servers is compromised.

Setting up your LDAP client to access Security Directory Server
The following steps are required to create a key database file for an LDAP client that contains one or more self-signed server certificates that are marked as trusted by the client. The process can also be used to import CA certificates from other sources, such as VeriSign, into the client's key database file for use as trusted roots. A trusted root is simply an X.509 certificate signed by a trusted entity (for example VeriSign, or the creator of a self-signed server certificate), imported into the client's key database file, and marked as trusted.

1. Copy the server's certificate file (cert.arm) to your client workstation.
2. Run ikeyman to create a new client key database file or to access an existing one. For a new client key database, choose a file name associated with the client for ease of management. For example, if the LDAP client runs on Fred's machine, you might choose to name the file FRED.KDB.
3. If adding a server's certificate to the existing client key database:
   a. Click Key database file and select Open.
b. Enter the path and name of the existing key database file then click OK.

c. Enter the password.

d. **Ensure signer certificates** is chosen. Click Add.

e. Enter the name and location of the server’s certificate file.

f. Enter a label for the server certificate entry in the client’s key database file, for example, Corporate Directory Server, and then click OK.

4. If creating the new Client key database:

a. Click **Key database file** and select New.

b. Enter the name and location for the new Client Key DataBase file, and then click OK.

c. Enter the password.

d. After the new client key database is created, repeat the previous steps for adding the server’s certificate to the existing key database file.

5. Exit **ikeyman**.

See “Using ikeyman” on page 151 for additional information.

When the LDAP client creates a secure SSL connection with the server, it uses the server’s self-signed certificate to verify that it is connecting to the proper server.

Repeat the preceding steps for each Security Directory Server that the LDAP client needs to connect to in a secure fashion.

**Migrate the key ring file to key database file**

To migrate the old key ring file that was created from MKKF utility:

1. Start **ikeyman**.

2. Click **Key database file** and select Open.

3. Enter the path and filename of your key ring file and then click OK.

4. Enter the password of your key ring file. If the key ring file is created without a password, you must use the old MKKF to assign a password for it.

5. After the old key ring file is opened, click **Key database file** and select **Save as**.

6. Ensure the key database type is set to CMS key database file. Fill out the name and location of the key database file, and then click OK.

**Client authentication**

Client authentication provides for two-way authentication between the LDAP client and the LDAP server.

With client authentication, the LDAP client must have a digital certificate (based on the X.509 standard). This digital certificate is used to authenticate the LDAP client to Security Directory Server.

The Simple Authentication and Security Layer (SASL) can be used to add authentication support to connection protocols. A protocol includes a command for identifying and authenticating a user to a server. It can optionally negotiate a security layer for subsequent protocol interactions.

After a server receives the authentication command or any client response, it may issue a challenge or indicate failure or completion. If a client receives a challenge it may issue a response or end the exchange, depending on the profile of the protocol.
During the authentication protocol exchange, the SASL mechanism performs authentication, transmits an authorization identity (known as userid) from the client to the server, and negotiates the use of a mechanism-specific security layer.

When the LDAP server receives an LDAP bind request from a client, it processes the request in the following order:

1. The server parses the LDAP bind request and retrieves the following information:
   - The DN that the client is attempting to authenticate as.
   - The method of authentication used.
   - Any credentials, such as a password included in the request.
   - If the method of authentication is SASL, the server also retrieves the name of the SASL mechanism used from the LDAP bind request.

2. The server normalizes the DN retrieved from the request.

3. The server retrieves any LDAP control included with the LDAP bind request.

4. If the method of authentication is SASL, the server determines whether or not the SASL mechanism (specified in the request) is supported. If the SASL mechanism is not supported by the server, the server sends an error return code to the client and ends the bind process.

5. If the SASL mechanism is supported (=EXTERNAL) and the SSL authentication type is server and client authentication, the server verifies that the client's certificate is valid, issued by a known CA, and that none of the certificates on the client's certificate chain are invalid or revoked. If the client DN and password, as specified in the `ldap_sasl_bind`, are NULL, then the DN contained within the client's x.509v3 certificate is used as the authenticated identity on subsequent LDAP operations. Otherwise, the client is authenticated anonymously (if DN and password are NULL), or the client is authenticated based on the bind information provided by the client.

6. If the method of authentication is Simple, the server checks to see if the DN is an empty string or if there are no credentials.

7. If the DN is an empty string, or if the DN or no credentials are specified, the server assumes that the client is binding anonymously and returns a good result to the client. The DN and authentication method for the connection are left as NULL and LDAP_AUTH_NONE respectively.

8. If the client has not bound beforehand, and does not present a certificate during the bind operation, the connection is refused.

**Setting client authentication:** For client authentication, you can modify the ibmslapd.conf file under the cn=SSL, cn=Configuration entry. To use the Web Administration Tool, see ["Using Web Administration" on page 139](#).

To use the command line:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

- `dn: cn=SSL,cn=Configuration`
- `cn: SSL`
- `changetype: modify`
- `replace: ibm-slapdSSLAuth`
- `ibm-slapdSSLAuth: serverClientAuth`

You must restart the server and the administration server for the changes to take effect.
Using gskcapicmd

GSKCapiCmd is a tool that can be used to manage keys, certificates, and certificate requests within a CMS key database. GSKCapiCmd supports CMS and PKCS11 key databases. If you are intending to manage key databases other than CMS or PKCS11, you will need to use the Java tool, ikeyman. GSKCapiCmd can be used to manage all aspects of a CMS key database. GSKCapiCmd does not require Java to be installed on the system. For information about the GSKit tool GSKCapiCmd, see the GSKCapiCmd Users Guide. You can download the GSKCapiCmd Users Guide from the IBM Security Access Manager for Web Version 7.0 documentation website at http://pic.dhe.ibm.com/infocenter/tivihelp/v2r1/topic/com.ibm.isam.doc_80/welcome.html.

Using the GSKCapiCmd tool, you can create CMS key database to support server authentication or server client authentication between an LDAP server and a C-based LDAP client. In this example, server authentication and server client authentication between an LDAP server and a C-based LDAP client is performed using the self-signed certificate.

**Note:** On 32-bit platforms use the gsk8capicmd utility, and on 64-bit platforms use the gsk8capicmd_64 utility.

**Configuring server authentication using the CMS key database**

To setup server authentication between an LDAP server and C-based LDAP client, do the following:

**On the LDAP server system**

1. Create a directory on your Security Directory Server system where you want to create and store the key database file and change to the working directory.

2. Create the CMS key database to be used by the Security Directory Server.
   
gsk8capicmd -keydb -create -db serverkey.kdb -pw serverpwd -stash
   
   where, `serverkey.kdb` is the key database to be created and `serverpwd` is the password.

3. Create a default self-signed certificate and add it to the serverkey.kdb key database.

   gsk8capicmd -cert -create -db serverkey.kdb -pw serverpwd \
   -label serverlabel -dn "cn=LDAP_Server,o=sample" -default_cert yes
   
   where, the `-dn` value is to uniquely identify the certificate.

4. Extract the certificate from the key database to a file in the binary der format. In this example, the certificate is extracted to a file in binary der format.

   **Note:** You can also extract the certificate in the base64-encoded ASCII data (.arm).

   gsk8capicmd -cert -extract -db serverkey.kdb -pw serverpwd \
   -label serverlabel -target server.der -format binary

5. Configure the Security Directory Server instance to use the certificate in the configuration file.

   idsldapmodify -h server.in.ibm.com -p 389 -D cn=root -w root \
   -i /home/dsrdbm01/serverauth.ldif

   where, the `serverauth.ldif` file contains the following:
dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdSslAuth
ibm-slapdSslAuth: serverAuth

6. Stop the directory server instance and administration server.
ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -k
ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01 -k

7. Start the directory server instance and administration server.
ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -n -t
ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01 -t

On the C-based LDAP client system
1. On the LDAP client system, create a directory where you want to store the key database file and change the working directory.

2. Create the CMS key database file to be used by the C-based LDAP client.
gsk8capicmd -keydb -create -db clientkey.kdb -pw clientpwd

3. Import the extracted server certificate, server.der, from the server system to the client system.

4. Add the extracted server certificate to the client's key database file.
gsk8capicmd -cert -add -db clientkey.kdb -pw clientpwd \
   -label serverlabel -file server.der -format binary

5. To verify the added certificate, issue the following command.
gsk8capicmd -cert -list -db clientkey.kdb -pw clientpwd

Configuring server client authentication using the CMS key database
To setup server client authentication between an LDAP server and C-based LDAP client, do the following:

On the C-based LDAP client system
1. Create a directory where you want to store the key database file and change the working directory.

2. Create the CMS key database file to be used by the C-based LDAP client.
   
   gsk8capicmd -keydb -create -db clientkey.kdb -pw clientpwd

   where, *clientkey.kdb* is the key database to be created and *clientpwd* is the password.

3. Create a default self-signed certificate and add it to the clientkey.kdb key database.
   
   gsk8capicmd -cert -create -db clientkey.kdb -pw clientpwd -label \
   -dn "cn=LDAP_Client,o=sample" -default_cert yes

   where, the `-dn` value is used to uniquely identify the certificate.

4. Extract the certificate from the client's key database to a file in the binary der format. In this example, the certificate is extracted to a file in binary der format.
   
   Note: You can also extract the certificate in the base64-encoded ASCII data (.arm).
   
   gsk8capicmd -cert -extract -db clientkey.kdb -pw clientpwd -label \
   -dn "cn=LDAP_Client,o=sample" -default_cert yes

5. Import the extracted server certificate, server.der, from the server system to the client system.

6. Add the extracted server certificate to the client's key database file.
   
   gsk8capicmd -cert -add -db clientkey.kdb -pw clientpwd \
   -label serverlabel -file server.der -format binary

On the LDAP server system

1. Create a directory on your Security Directory Server system where you want to create and store the key database file and change the working directory.

2. Create the CMS key database to be used by the Security Directory Server.
   
   gsk8capicmd -keydb -create -db serverkey.kdb -pw serverpwd -stash

   where, *serverkey.kdb* is the key database to be created and *serverpwd* is the password.

3. Create a default self-signed certificate and add it to the serverkey.kdb key database.
   
   gsk8capicmd -cert -create -db serverkey.kdb -pw serverpwd -label \
   -dn "cn=LDAP_Server,o=sample" -default_cert yes

   where, the `-dn` value is used to uniquely identify the certificate.

4. Extract the certificate from the server's key database to a file in the binary der format. In this example, the certificate is extracted to a file in binary der format.
   
   Note: You can also extract the certificate in the base64-encoded ASCII data (.arm).
   
   gsk8capicmd -cert -extract -db serverkey.kdb -pw serverpwd \
   -label serverlabel -file server.der -format binary
5. Import the extracted client certificate, client.der, from the client system to the server system.

6. Add the extracted client certificate to the server's key database file.

   gsk8capicmd -cert -add -db serverkey.kdb -pw serverpwd \
   -label clientlabel -file client.der -format binary


   idsldapmodify -h server.in.ibm.com -p 389 -D cn=root -w root \
   -i /home/dsrdbm01/clientserverauth.ldif

   where, the clientserverauth.ldif file contains the following:

   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslAuth
   ibm-slapdSslAuth: serverClientAuth

   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSecurity
   ibm-slapdSecurity: SSL

   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabase
   ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabase: /home/dsrdbm01/cskeys/serverkey.kdb

   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslCertificate
   ibm-slapdSslCertificate: serverlabel

   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabasepw
   ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabasepw: serverpwd

8. Stop the directory server instance and administration server.

   ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -k
   ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01 -k

9. Start the directory server instance and administration server.

   ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -n -t
   ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01 -t

To verify the SSL communication between the client and server, issue an idsldapsearch command of the following format on the client system.

   idsldapsearch -Z -h server.in.ibm.com -p 636 -K /usr/client/clientkey.kdb \
   -P clientpwd -s base -b "o=sample" objectclass=* 

Using ikeyman

The following key-management program, ikeyman, is provided with IBM JAVA. It is a user-friendly GUI for managing key files, which is implemented as a Java applet. IBM JAVA version 1.6 SR14 is provided when you install IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1. The ikeyman utility is available on Windows in the DS_Installation_Path/java/jre/bin directory, on Linux in the /opt/ibm/ldap/
V6.3.1/java/jre/bin directory, and on AIX and Solaris systems in the 
/opt/IBM/ldap/V6.3.1/java/jre/bin directory.

**Note:** If you are prompted to set JAVA_HOME, you can set it to the java 
Server, you also need to set the LIBPATH environment variable as follows:

**On Linux platform**

```bash
$export LIBPATH=$JAVA_HOME/bin:$JAVA_HOME/jre/bin:$LIBPATH
```

**On Windows platform**

```
c:\> set LIB=%JAVA_HOME%\bin; %JAVA_HOME%\jre\bin; %LIB%
```

On AIX systems use the LIBPATH environment variable to specify the 
library path, and on Solaris systems use the LD_LIBRARY_PATH 
environment variable.

Use **ikeyman** to create public-private key pairs and certificate requests, receive 
certificate requests into a key database file, and manage keys in a key database file.

**Note:** When setting up Secure Sockets Layer communications, ensure that you use 
the correct key database file type for your application. For example, 
Java-based applications such as the Web Administration Console require **JKS** 
file types, while C-applications like IBM Security Directory Server require 
**CMS** key database file types.

The tasks you can perform with **ikeyman** include:

- Creating a key pair and requesting a certificate from a certificate authority
- Receiving a certificate into a key database file
- Managing keys and certificates
  - Changing a key database password
  - Showing information about a key
  - Deleting a key
  - Making a key the default key in the key database
  - Creating a key pair and certificate request for self-signing
  - Exporting a key
  - Importing a key into a key database
  - Designating a key as a trusted root
  - Removing trusted root key designation
  - Requesting a certificate for an existing key
- Migrating a keyring file to the key database format

**Creating a key pair and requesting a certificate from a Certificate Authority**

If your client application is connecting to an LDAP server that requires client and 
server authentication, then you need to create a public-private key pair and a 
certificate.

If your client application is connecting to an LDAP server that requires only server 
authentication, it is not necessary to create a public-private key pair and a 
certificate. It is sufficient to have a certificate in your client key database file that is 
marked as a trusted root. If the Certification Authority (CA) that issued the server’s 
certificate is not already defined in your client key database, you need to request
the CA's certificate from the CA, receive it into your key database, and mark it as trusted. See “Designating a key as a trusted root” on page 158.

Your client uses its private key to sign messages sent to servers. The server sends its public key to clients so that they can encrypt messages to the server, which the server decrypts with its private key.

To send its public key to a server, the client needs a certificate. The certificate contains the client's public key, the Distinguished Name associated with the client's certificate, the serial number of the certificate, and the expiration date of the certificate. A certificate is issued by a CA, which verifies the identity of the client.

The basic steps to create a certificate that is signed by a CA are:
1. Create a certificate request using $ikeyman$.
2. Submit the certificate request to the CA. This can be done using e-mail or an online submission from the CA's Web page.
3. Receive the response from the CA to an accessible location on the file system of your server.
4. Receive the certificate into your key database file.

Note: If you are obtaining a signed client certificate from a CA that is not in the default list of trusted CAs, you need to obtain the CA's certificate, receive it into your key database and mark it as trusted. This must be done before receiving your signed client certificate into the key database file.

To create a public-private key pair and request a certificate:

1. Start the $ikeyman$ Java utility by typing:
   
   ```
ikeyman
   ```

2. Select Key Database File.
3. Select New (or Open if the key database already exists).
4. Specify a key database type, key database file name, and location. Click OK.

   Note: A key database is a file that the client or server uses to store one or more key pairs and certificates.

5. When prompted, supply a password for the key database file. Click OK.
6. Select Create.
8. Supply user-assigned label for key pair. The label identifies the key pair and certificate in the key database file.
9. If you are requesting a low-assurance client certificate, enter the common name. This must be unique and the full name of the user.
10. If you are requesting a high-assurance secure server certificate, then:
   - Enter the X.500 common name of the server. Usually this is the TCP/IP fully qualified host name, for example, www.ibm.com. For a VeriSign server certificate, it must be the fully qualified host name.
   - Enter the organization name. This is the name of your organization. For a VeriSign secure server certificate, if you already have an account with VeriSign, the name in this field must match the name on that account.
   - Enter the organizational unit name. This is an optional field.
   - Enter the locality/city where the server is located. This is an optional field.
• Enter a three-character abbreviation of the state/province where the server is located.
• Enter the postal code appropriate for the server's location.
• Enter the two-character country code where the server is located.

11. Click OK.

12. A message identifying the name and location of the certificate request file is displayed. Click OK.

13. Send the certificate request to the CA.

If this is a request for a VeriSign low assurance certificate or secure server certificate, you must e-mail the certificate request to VeriSign.

You can mail the low assurance certificate request to VeriSign immediately. A secure server certificate request requires more documentation. To find out what VeriSign requires for a secure server certificate request, go to the following URL: [http://www.verisign.com/server/index.html](http://www.verisign.com/server/index.html).

14. When you receive the certificate from the CA, use `ikeyman` to receive it into the key database where you stored the key pair. See "Receiving a certificate into a key database." for details.

**Note:** Change the key database password frequently. If you specify an expiration date, you need to keep track of when you need to change the password. If the password expires before you change it, the key database is not usable until the password is changed.

### Receving a certificate into a key database

After receiving a response from your CA, you need to receive the certificate into a key database.

To receive a certificate into a key database:

1. Type `ikeyman` to start the Java utility.
2. Select **Key Database File**.
3. Select **Open**.
4. Specify the key database type, key database file name, and location. Click **OK**.
5. When prompted, supply a password for the key database file. Click **OK**.
6. Select **Create**.
7. Select **Personal Certificates** in the middle window.
8. Click **Receive**.
9. Enter the name and location of the certificate file that contains the signed certificate, as received from the CA. Click **OK**.

### Changing a key database password

To change a key database password:

1. Type `ikeyman` to start the Java utility.
2. Select **Key Database File**.
3. Select **Open**.
4. Specify the key database type, key database file name, and location. Click **OK**.
5. When prompted, supply the password for the key database file. Click **OK**.
6. Select **Key Database File**.
7. Select **Change password**.
8. Enter the new password.
9. Confirm the new password.
10. Select and set an optional password expiration time.
11. Select Stash the password to a file? if you want the password to be encrypted and stored on disk.
12. Click OK.
13. A message is displayed with the file name and location of the stash password file. Click OK.

**Note:** The password is important because it protects the private key. The private key is the only key that can sign documents or decrypt messages encrypted with the public key.

### Showing information about a key
To show information about a key, such as its name, size or whether it is a trusted root:

1. Type `ikeyman` to start the Java utility.
2. Select **Key Database File**.
3. Select **Open**.
4. Specify the key database type, key database file name, and location. Click **OK**.
5. When prompted, supply the password for the key database file. Click **OK**.
6. To see information about keys designated as Personal certificates:
   - Select **Personal Certificates** from the list under the **Key database content** section.
   - Select a certificate.
   - Click **View/Edit** to display information about the selected key.
   - Click **OK** to return to the list of Personal Certificates.
7. To see information about keys that are designated as Signer Certificates:
   - Select **Signer Certificates** from the list under the **Key database content** section.
   - Select a certificate.
   - Click **View/Edit** to display information about the selected key.
   - Click **OK** to return to the list of Signer Certificates.

### Deleting a Key
To delete a key:

1. Type `ikeyman` to start the Java utility.
2. Select **Key Database File**.
3. Select **Open**.
4. Specify the key database type, key database file name, and location. Click **OK**.
5. When prompted, supply the password for the key database file. Click **OK**.
6. Select the type of key you want to delete from the list under the **Key database content** section (Personal Certificates, Signer Certificates, or Personal Certificate Requests).
7. Select a certificate.
8. Click **Delete**.
9. Click **Yes** to confirm.

### Making a key the default key in the key ring
The default key must be the private key that the server uses for its secure communications.
To make a key the default key in the key ring:
1. Type `ikeyman` to start the Java utility.
2. Select **Key Database File**.
3. Select **Open**.
4. Specify the key database type, key database file name, and location. Click **OK**.
5. When prompted, supply the password for the key database file. Click **OK**.
6. Select **Personal Certificates** from the list under the **Key database content** section.
7. Select the desired certificate.
8. Click **View/Edit**.
9. Select the **Set the certificate as the default** box. Click **OK**.

**Creating a key pair and certificate request for self-signing**

By definition, a secure server must have a public-private key pair and a certificate.

The server uses its private key to sign messages to clients. The server sends its public key to clients so they can encrypt messages to the server, which the server decrypts with its private key.

The server needs a certificate to send its public key to clients. The certificate contains the server’s public key, the distinguished name associated with the server’s certificate, the serial number of the certificate, and the expiration date of the certificate. A certificate is issued by a CA, who verifies the identity of the server.

You can request one of the following certificates:

- A low assurance certificate from VeriSign, best for non-commercial purposes, such as a beta test of your secure environment
- A server certificate to do commercial business on the Internet from VeriSign or some other CA
- A self-signed server certificate if you plan to act as your own CA for a private Web network

For information about using a CA such as VeriSign to sign the server certificate, see “Creating a key pair and requesting a certificate from a Certificate Authority” on page 152.

The basic steps to creating a self-signed certificate are:
1. Type `ikeyman` to start the Java utility.
2. Select **Key Database File**.
3. Select **New**, or **Open** if the key database already exists.
4. Specify a key database type, key database file name, and location. Click **OK**.

**Note:** A key database is a file that the client or server uses to store one or more key pairs and certificates.
5. When prompted, supply the password for the key database file. Click **OK**.
6. Click **New self-signed**.
7. Supply the following:
   - User-assigned label for the key pair. The label identifies the key pair and certificate in the key database file.
   - The desired certificate Version.
- The desired Key Size.
- The desired Signature Algorithm.
- The X.500 common name of the server. Usually this is the TCP/IP fully qualified host name, for example, www.ibm.com.
- The organization name. This is the name of your organization.
- The organizational unit name. This is an optional field.
- The locality/city where the server is located. This is an optional field.
- A three-character abbreviation of the state/province where the server is located.
- The zip code appropriate for the server's location.
- The two-character country code where the server is located.
- The Validity Period for the certificate.

8. Click OK.

**Exporting a key**

If you need to transfer a key pair or certificate to another computer, you can export the key pair from its key database to a file. On the other computer, you can import the key pair into a key ring.

To export a key from a key database:
1. Type `ikeyman` to start the Java utility.
2. Select Key Database File.
3. Select Open.
4. Specify the key database type, key database file name, and location. Click OK.
5. When prompted, supply the password for the key database file. Click OK.
6. Select Personal Certificates from the list under the Key database content section.
7. Select the desired certificate.
8. Click Export/Import.
9. For Action type, select Export Key.
10. Select the Key file type.

Note: IBM Security Directory Server requires CMS key database file types.

11. Specify a file name.
12. Specify the location.
13. Click OK.
14. Enter the required password for the file. Click OK.

**Importing a key**

To import a key into a key ring:
1. Type `ikeyman` to start the Java utility.
2. Select Key Database File.
3. Select Open.
4. Specify the key database type, key database file name, and location. Click OK.
5. When prompted, supply the password for the key database file. Click OK.
6. Select Personal Certificates from the list under the Key database content section.
7. Select the desired certificate.
8. Click Export/Import.
9. For Action type, select Import Key.
10. Select the desired Key file type.

   **Note:** When setting up Secure Sockets Layer communications, ensure that you use the correct key database file type for your application. For example, Java-based applications such as the Web Administration Console require JKS file types, while C-applications like IBM Security Directory Server require CMS key database file types.

11. Enter the file name and location.
12. Click OK.
13. Enter the required password for the source file. Click OK.

**Designating a key as a trusted root**

A trusted root key is the public key and associated distinguished name of a CA. The following trusted roots are defined in each new key database:

- Entrust.net Certification Authority (2048)
- Entrust.net Client Certification Authority
- Entrust.net Global Client Certification Authority
- Entrust.net Global Secure Server Certification Authority
- Entrust.net Secure Server Certification Authority
- RSA Secure Server Certification Authority
- Thawte Personal Basic CA
- Thawte Personal Freemail CA
- Thawte Personal Premium CA
- Thawte Premium Server CA
- Thawte Server CA
- VeriSign Class 1 Public Primary Certification Authority
- VeriSign Class 1 Public Primary Certification Authority - G2
- VeriSign Class 1 Public Primary Certification Authority - G3
- VeriSign Class 2 Public Primary Certification Authority
- VeriSign Class 2 Public Primary Certification Authority - G2
- VeriSign Class 2 Public Primary Certification Authority - G3
- VeriSign Class 4 Public Primary Certification Authority
- VeriSign Class 4 Public Primary Certification Authority - G2
- VeriSign Class 4 Public Primary Certification Authority - G3
- VeriSign Class 4 Public Primary Certification Authority - G2
- VeriSign Class 4 Public Primary Certification Authority - G3

**Note:** Each of these trusted roots are initially set to be trusted roots by default.

To designate a key as a trusted root:

1. Type `ikeyman` to start the Java utility.
2. Select **Key Database File**.
3. Select **Open**.
4. Specify the key database type, key database file name, and location. Click **OK**.
5. When prompted, supply the password for the key database file. Click **OK**.
6. Select **Signer Certificates** from the list under the **Key database content** section.
7. Click **Populate**.
8. From the Add CA Certificates dialog box, select the desired certificates.
9. Click **View/Edit**.
10. Check the **Set the certificate as a trusted root** check box, and click **OK**.
11. Select **Key Database File**, and then select **Close**.

**Removing a key as a trusted root**

A trusted root key is the public key and associated distinguished name of a CA. The following trusted roots are defined in each new key database:

- Entrust.net Certification Authority (2048)
- Entrust.net Client Certification Authority
- Entrust.net Global Client Certification Authority
- Entrust.net Global Secure Server Certification Authority
- Entrust.net Secure Server Certification Authority
- RSA Secure Server Certification Authority
- Thawte Personal Basic CA
- Thawte Personal Freemail CA
- Thawte Personal Premium CA
- Thawte Premium Server CA
- Thawte Server CA
- VeriSign Class 1 Public Primary Certification Authority
- VeriSign Class 1 Public Primary Certification Authority - G2
- VeriSign Class 1 Public Primary Certification Authority - G3
- VeriSign Class 2 Public Primary Certification Authority
- VeriSign Class 2 Public Primary Certification Authority - G2
- VeriSign Class 2 Public Primary Certification Authority - G3
- VeriSign Class 3 Public Primary Certification Authority
- VeriSign Class 3 Public Primary Certification Authority - G2
- VeriSign Class 3 Public Primary Certification Authority - G3
- VeriSign Class 4 Public Primary Certification Authority - G2
- VeriSign Class 4 Public Primary Certification Authority - G3

**Note:** Each of these trusted roots are initially set to be trusted roots by default.

To remove the trusted root status of a key:
1. Type `ikeyman` to start the Java utility.
2. Select **Key Database File**.
3. Select **Open**.
4. Specify the key database type, key database file name, and location. Click **OK**.
5. When prompted, supply the password for the key database file. Click **OK**.
6. Select **Signer Certificates** from the list under the **Key database content** section.
7. Select the desired certificate.
8. Click **View/Edit**.
9. Clear the **Set the certificate as a trusted root** check box. Click **OK**.
10. Select **Key Database File**, and then select **Close**.

### Requesting a certificate for an existing key

To create a certificate request for an existing key:

1. Type `ikeyman` to start the Java utility.
2. Select **Key database file**.
3. Select **Open**.
4. Specify the key database type, key database file name, and location. Click **OK**.
5. When prompted, supply the password for the key database file. Click **OK**.
6. Select **Personal Certificates** from the list under the **Key database content** section.
7. Select the desired certificate.
8. Click **Export/Import**.
9. For **Action type**, select **Export Key**.
10. Select the desired key file type.
11. Enter the certificate file name and location.
12. Click **OK**.
13. Select **Key Database File**, and then select **Close**.

Send the certificate request to the CA.

If this is a request for a VeriSign low assurance certificate or secure server certificate, you must e-mail the certificate request to VeriSign.

You can mail the low assurance certificate request to VeriSign immediately. A secure server certificate request requires more documentation. To find out what VeriSign requires for a secure server certificate request, go to the following URL: [http://www.verisign.com/server/index.html](http://www.verisign.com/server/index.html).

### Migrating a key ring file to the key database format

The `ikeyman` program can be used to migrate an existing key ring file, as created with `mkkf`, to the format used by `ikeyman`.

To migrate a key ring file:

1. Type `ikeyman` to start the Java utility.
2. Select **Key Database File**.
3. Select **Open**.
4. Specify the key database type, key database file name, and location. Click **OK**.
5. When prompted, supply the password for the key ring file. Click **OK**.
6. Select **Key Database File**.
7. Select **Save as**.
8. Select **CMS** as the key database type.
9. Specify a file name.
10. Specify location.
11. Click **OK**.

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**Setting the key database**

To set the key database, use one of the following procedures.
Using Web Administration

If you have not done so already, click Server administration in the Web Administration navigation area and then click Manage security properties in the expanded list. Next, click the Key database tab.

1. Specify the **Key database path and file name**. This is the fully qualified file specification of the key database file. If a password stash file is defined, it is assumed to have the same file specification, with an extension of .sth.

2. Specify the **Key password**. If a password stash file is not being used, the password for the key database file must be specified here. Then specify the password again in the Confirm password field.

3. Specify the **Key label**. This administrator-defined key label indicates what part of the key database to use.

4. When you are finished, click OK to apply your changes.

**Note:** In order for the server to use this file, it must be readable by the user ID idsldap. See the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Troubleshooting Guide for information about file permissions.

Using the command line

To use the command line to set the key database for SSL and TLS, issue the command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

- `dn: cn=SSL,cn=Configuration`  
- `changetype: modify`  
- `replace: ibm-slapdSSLKeyDatabase`  
- `ibm-slapdSSLKeyDatabase: databasename`  
- `replace: ibm-slapdSSLKeyDatabasePW`  
- `ibm-slapdSSLKeyDatabasePW: password`  
- `replace: ibm-slapdSslKeyRingFilePW`  
- `ibm-slapdSslKeyRingFilePW: password`

You must restart the server and the administration server for the changes to take effect.

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**PKCS#11**

PKCS#11 is an interface that enables an LDAP user to use crypto hardware. Using PKCS#11, an LDAP user can use the crypto hardware to securely store the key database file and accelerate cryptographic operations as well. The PKCS#11 interface can be used to configure the following types of crypto devices:

- **Accelerators**: These devices are usually connected to the host by a permanent connection such as a card slot or a LAN connection. The primary purpose of an accelerator is to increase the number of cryptographic operations per second for a server. Private key storage is maintained in an SSL KDB (Key Database) file, which is loaded into the accelerator as needed. This type of device should be considered for use when the objective is to increase the number of cryptographic operations only and stronger hardware protection of the server's private key is not a concern.

- **Key storage with accelerators**: These devices are primarily for server applications where cryptographic performance is an issue and stringent security of the server's private key is also essential. The private key and certificate are stored on
the device. If a cryptographic operation requires use of the private key, the
hardware device uses the key locally on the adapter. The application can never
access the key in an un-encrypted format. These devices usually employ
tamper-resistant procedures to protect external access to the key.

How to configure the server to use PKCS#11 interface
The directory server can be configured to use the PKCS#11 interface under the
directory “dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration”.

Using Web Administration
Expand the Server administration category in the navigation area of the Web
Administration Tool and click Manage security properties tab. Next, click the
PKCS#11 settings tab. The PKCS#11 settings panel is displayed. This panel is
displayed only if the root DSE search on ibm-supportedCapabilities returns the
PKCS#11 interface support OID 1.3.18.0.2.32.67.

Note: For the settings specified in this panel to take effect, you must select the
Enable PKCS#11 interface support check box in the Settings panel under
Manage security properties category.

To set PKCS#11 interface supported hardware:
1. Select the Enable crypto hardware key storage check box to specify the key
   storage location as the crypto hardware.
2. Select the required acceleration facility of the crypto hardware by selecting the
   Symmetric cipher, Digest, or Random data generator check box.

   Note: You can select one or more check boxes under the Accelerator mode
   options section.
3. In the Crypto hardware library path and file name text box, specify the library
   path of the crypto hardware driver to be accessed using the PKCS#11 interface.
4. In the Token password text box, specify the password to be used for accessing
   the crypto hardware slot.
5. In the Confirm password text box, reenter the password.
6. In the Token label text box, specify the token label of the crypto hardware’s
   slot to be accessed.
7. When you are finished, do one of the following:
   a. Click OK to apply your changes and exit this panel.
   b. Click Apply to apply your changes and stay on this panel.
   c. Click Cancel to exit this panel without making any changes.

Note: You must restart the server for the changes to take effect.

Using the command line
To configure the server to use PKCS#11 interface using the command line, issue the
following command:
```
ldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```
where filename contains:
```
dn: cn=ssl,cn=configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdSecurity
ibm-slapdSecurity: SSLOnly
```
By default the SSL and TLS versions of IBM Security Directory Server uses the following list of ciphers when performing cipher negotiation with the client (during the SSL or TLS handshake).

Note: Although the password policy feature is not available in configuration only mode, you can change your level of password encryption in configuration only mode.

### Using Web Administration

Expand the **Server administration** category in the navigation area in the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click **Manage security properties**.
2. Click **Encryption**.
3. Select the method of encryption that you want to use based on the clients accessing the server. AES-128 is the default level of encryption. If you select multiple encryption methods, the highest level of encryption is used by default, however clients using the selected lower encryption levels still have access to the server.


### Table 12. Supported levels of encryption

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<td>ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: TripleDES-168</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DES encryption with a 56-bit key and a SHA-1 MAC</td>
<td>ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: DES-56</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>RC4 encryption with a 128-bit key and a SHA-1 MAC</td>
<td>ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: RC4-128-SHA</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>RC4 encryption with a 128-bit key and a MD5 MAC</td>
<td>ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: RC4-128-MD5</td>
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Table 12. Supported levels of encryption (continued)

<table>
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<th>Attribute</th>
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<td>RC2 encryption with a 40-bit key and a MD5 MAC</td>
<td>ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: RC2-40-MD5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>RC4 encryption with a 40-bit key and a MD5 MAC</td>
<td>ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: RC4-40-MD5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>AES 128-bit encryption</td>
<td>ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: AES-128</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>AES 256-bit encryption</td>
<td>ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: AES</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Note: SSL and TLS do not support AES 192 encryption.

The selected ciphers are stored in the configuration file using the ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec keyword and the attribute defined from the preceding table. For example, to use only Triple DES, select **Triple DES encryption with a 168-bit key and an SHA-1 MAC**. The attribute ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: TripleDES-168 is added to the ibmslapd.conf file. In this case, only clients that also support Triple DES are able to establish an SSL connection with the server. You can select multiple ciphers.

4. If your server supports the Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) mode enablement feature, under the heading “Implementation” a preselected **Use FIPS certified implementation** check box is displayed. This enables the server to use the encryption algorithms from the ICC FIPS-certified library. If you deselect this check box the encryption algorithms from a non-FIPS certified library are used.

Note: The server can be configured to turn FIPS Processing Mode on. It requires the FIPS-enabled libraries to also be on.

5. When you are finished, click **Apply** to save your changes without exiting, or click **OK** to apply your changes and exit, or click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

### Using the command line

To use the command line to set the SSL level of encryption (in this example to Triple DES encryption with a 168-bit key and an SHA-1 MAC) issue the command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where **filename** contains:

- `dn: cn=SSL,cn=Configuration`
- `changetype: modify`
- `replace: ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec`
- `ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: TripleDES-168`

See [Table 12 on page 163](#) for other encryption values.

To add more than one level of encryption, your **filename** might contain:

- `dn: cn=SSL,cn=Configuration`
- `changetype: modify`
- `replace: ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec`
- `ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: RC2-40-MD5`
- `ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: AES`
- `ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: AES-128`
- `ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: RC4-128-MD5`

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ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: RC4-128-SHA  
ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: TripleDES-168  
ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: DES-56  
ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: RC4-40-MD5

To use the command line to turn off FIPS mode, issue the command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration  
changetype: modify  
replace: ibm-slapdSslFIPSModeEnabled  
ibm-slapdSslFIPSModeEnabled: false
```

You must restart the server and the administration server for the changes to take effect.

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### Support for NIST SP 800-131A

For the transition to NIST SP 800-131A guidelines, you must identify the security requirements that the LDAP environment must conform.

National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) Special Publication (SP) 800-131A guidelines provide cryptographic key management guidance. These guidelines include the following points:

- Key management procedures.
- How to use cryptographic algorithms.
- Algorithms to use and their minimum strengths.
- Key lengths for secure communications.

For more information about NIST SP 800-131A, see [Transitions: Recommendation for Transitioning the Use of Cryptographic Algorithms and Key Lengths](http://csrc.nist.gov/publications/PubsSPs.html) at the website.

Suite B mode is a restrictive subset of the SP 800-131A specification. Suite B defines the cryptographic algorithm policies to use with the Transport Layer Security (TLS) protocol for national security applications. For more information about Suite B, see [Suite B Profile for Transport Layer Security (TLS) RFC 6460](http://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc6460) at the website.

Government agencies and financial institutions use the NIST SP 800-131A guidelines to ensure that the products conform to specified security requirements.

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### Support for the transition to NIST SP 800-131A

You must identify the protocol, cryptographic algorithms, and key lengths that are required for the transition to NIST SP 800-131A.

For the transition to NIST SP 800-131A guidelines, IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1 supports:

- The Transport Layer Security (TLS) 1.2 protocol.
- Disabling protocols other than TLS 1.2.
- Public keys with the following key strengths:
  - The RSA keys with a minimum size of 2048 bits.
  - The elliptic curve (EC) keys with a minimum size of 160-bits or curve p160.
• Certificates with the RSA keys 2048 bits or higher or with the EC keys 160-bits or curve p160 or higher.
• Digital signatures with a minimum of SHA2 signature algorithm.
• Setting the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions.
• Suite B mode.

When you install IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1, the support for the transition to NIST SP 800-131A are disabled by default.

To set features, such as TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms or Suite B mode, configure a directory server for secure connections over a secure port. These features are not supported when you configure a directory server for secure connections over an unsecured port. When you configure a server to accept connections over a secure port, the server uses the Transport Layer Security (TLS) protocol and not the Start TLS extended operation. For more information about the TLS protocol and the Start TLS extended operation, see “Difference between the TLS protocol and the Start TLS extended operation in IBM Security Directory Server” on page 167.

Configuration settings for secure communications in a directory server environment
You must identify the configuration settings that are required to configure a directory server for secure communications.

To configure a directory server for secure communications, you must set the required attributes in the cn=SSL,cn=Configuration entry of the configuration file.

If a directory server supports the Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) mode enablement, you can configure the server to start in FIPS processing mode. If you set the FIPS processing mode, the server uses:
• The certified encryption algorithms from the ICC FIPS-certified library for encryption.
• The most secure ciphers that are supported by FIPS.
• Only the TLS protocol to secure the communication between a server and a client.
• Ciphers that are most secure for the specific version of the TLS protocol.

<table>
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<td>ibm-slapdSecurity</td>
<td>SSL</td>
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<tr>
<td>ibm-slapdSslFIPSModeEnabled</td>
<td>true (true by default)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-slapdSslProcessingMode</td>
<td>true</td>
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<tr>
<td>ibm-slapdSslAuth</td>
<td>serverClientAuth</td>
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<td>ibm-slapdSslCertificate</td>
<td>certificate_label</td>
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<td>ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabase</td>
<td>keydatabasefile_with_path</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabasepw</td>
<td>keydatabasefile_password</td>
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</table>

**ibm-slapdSecurity**

Specifies the type of connections a server accepts.

Choose one of the following values:
SSL specifies the server to accept connections on a secure port for secure communications. The server also accepts nonsecure communication on an unsecured port.

SSLOnly specifies the server to accept connections only on a secure port for secure communications.

SSLTLS specifies the server to accept connections on a secure port and an unsecured port for secure communications. The server also accepts nonsecure communication on an unsecured port.

TLS specifies the server to accept connections on an unsecured port for secure communication and nonsecure communication.

**ibm-slapdSslFIPSModeEnabled**

Specifies whether the server is using the ICC version of GSKit libraries.

Choose one of the following values:

- **true** specifies the server uses the ICC version of GSKit libraries.
- **false** specifies the server uses the BSAFE version.

**ibm-slapdSslFIPSProcessingMode**

Specifies whether the server is operating in FIPS mode.

Choose one of the following values:

- **true** specifies the server runs in FIPS processing mode.
- **false** specifies the server deactivates FIPS processing mode.

**ibm-slapdSslAuth**

Specifies the authentication type for secure connections.

Choose one of the following values:

- **serverClientAuth** supports server and client authentication.
- **serverAuth** supports server authentication at the client.

**ibm-slapdSslCertificate**

Specifies the label to identify the personal certificate of a server in a key database file.

**ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabase**

Specifies the file path to the key database file of an LDAP server.

**ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabasepw**

Specifies the password for the key database file of an LDAP server.

To configure a secure server, do not set the **ibm-slapdSslFIPSProcessingMode** attribute to **true** unless you want to start the server in FIPS processing mode.

**Difference between the TLS protocol and the Start TLS extended operation in IBM Security Directory Server**

In a directory server environment, you can secure connections by setting the **ibm-slapdSecurity** attribute in the **cn=SSL,cn=Configuration** entry to one of the following values: **SSL**, **SSLOnly**, **SSLTLS**, or **TLS**.

To secure connections with the TLS protocol over a secure port, you must set the **ibm-slapdSecurity** attribute to **SSL** or **SSLOnly**. To send a secure connection request with the TLS protocol to a server, run a client utility with the **-Z** parameter and connect over a secure port.
**Note:** If you run a client utility with the `-Z` parameter and send a request with the TLS protocol over an unsecured port, the request fails.

To secure connections with the Start TLS extended operation over an unsecured port, you must set the `ibm-slapdSecurity` attribute to TLS. To send the Start TLS extended operation request to a server, run a client utility with the `-Y` parameter. When you specify the `-Y` parameter, the client utility uses the Start TLS extended operation. It uses the TLS protocol internally to secure the connection with the server.

**Note:** If you run a client utility with the `-Y` parameter and send a request with the Start TLS extended operation over a secure port, the request fails.

When you set the `ibm-slapdSecurity` attribute to SSLTLS, the server can accept the TLS protocol or the Start TLS extended operation. When you run a client utility with the `-Z` parameter and connect on a secure port, the server and client use the TLS protocol. When you run a client utility with the `-Y` parameter and connect on an unsecured port, the server and client use the Start TLS extended operation.

**Directory server instance with the SSL and TLS protocols**

You can configure a directory server with the SSL and TLS protocols. You must identify and set the required secure communication protocols in your LDAP environment to meet the security requirements.

When you configure a directory server for secure communications, the server uses the SSLv3/TLS 1.0 protocol suite or the Start TLS extended operation to secure connections.

In IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1 or later, you can configure a server for secure communications with the following protocols:

- SSLv3
- TLS 1.0
- TLS 1.1
- TLS 1.2

**Note:** The TLS 1.1 and TLS 1.2 protocols are disabled by default.

**SSLv3, TLS 1.0, TLS 1.1, or TLS 1.2 protocols**

To use the SSLv3, TLS 1.0, TLS 1.1, or TLS 1.2 protocol or a combination of these protocols, set the `ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol` attribute with an appropriate value. You must verify whether the server contains the OIDs for the required protocols before you set the protocols. To verify whether the required OID is present, run a root DSE search with the `ibm-supportedCapabilities` attribute as the search filter.

*Table 14. The protocols and the OID values*

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<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.102</td>
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<td>TLS 1.2</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.103</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TLS 1.2</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.104</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
To set multiple secure communication protocols, run the `idsldapmodify` command to add multiple entries of the `ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol` attribute with the protocol values. You must add the `ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol` attribute in the configuration file under the `cn=SSL, cn=Configuration` DN entry. If you assign an invalid value to `ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol`, the server generates an error when the server starts.

To use the protocols, add the appropriate ciphers in the configuration file. In a directory server configuration file, the ciphers for the SSLv3, TLS 1.0, and TLS 1.1 protocols exist by default. For the TLS 1.2 protocol, the configuration file does not contain any TLS 1.2 supported ciphers. You can add multiple ciphers for the protocol by adding the `ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec` attribute multiple times. Add the appropriate ciphers in the configuration file under the `cn=SSL, cn=Configuration` entry. If ciphers are not set in the configuration file for the protocols, the server generates an error when the server starts. For more information about the supported protocols and ciphers, see “Protocols and ciphers in version 6.3, Fix Pack 17 or later” on page 177.

If you assign an invalid cipher to `ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec`, the server generates an error when the server starts. For example, if you add the `ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec` attribute with a value, HELLO, the server generates the following error and exits:

```
GLPSSL009E An incorrect value of HELLO was given for the SSL cipher specification.
```

For the TLS 1.1 protocol, the directory server supports six ciphers from the eight ciphers that are in the configuration file. The RC4-40-MD5 and RC2-40-MD5 ciphers are not supported by the server with the TLS 1.1 protocol. If you set only the RC4-40-MD5 and RC2-40-MD5 ciphers and configure the server with the TLS 1.1 protocol, the server generates an error and exits.

When you configure a directory server to use only the TLS 1.2 protocol, then all other protocols, such as SSLv3, TLS 1.0, and TLS 1.1, are disabled. The directory server ignores the SSLv3, TLS 1.0, or TLS 1.1 supported ciphers that are in the configuration file when you configure the server only with the TLS 1.2 protocol.

When you successfully set the server with the protocols, the root DSE search shows the OIDs that are associated with the protocols in the `ibm-enabledCapabilities` attribute.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Value of <code>ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol</code></th>
<th>Value of <code>ibm-slapdSecurity</code></th>
<th>Mode of secure communication</th>
<th>Secure port with the <code>-z</code> option</th>
<th>Unsecured port with the <code>-Y</code> option</th>
</tr>
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<tr>
<td>SSLv3</td>
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<td>SSLv3 protocol</td>
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<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SSLTLS</td>
<td>SSL</td>
<td>SSLv3 protocol</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TLS</td>
<td>SSLv3 protocol</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
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<td>SSLv3 protocol</td>
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<td></td>
</tr>
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Table 15. Relationship between the `ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol` attribute, the `ibm-slapdSecurity` attribute, the secure communication mode, the parameter, and the port
Table 15. Relationship between the `ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol` attribute, the `ibm-slapdSecurity` attribute, the secure communication mode, the parameter, and the port (continued)

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<th>Value of <code>ibm-slapdSecurity</code></th>
<th>Mode of secure communication</th>
<th>Secure port with the <code>-Z</code> option</th>
<th>Unsecured port with the <code>-Y</code> option</th>
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<td><strong>TLS11</strong></td>
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<td>SSL</td>
<td>SSLOnly</td>
<td>TLS 1.1 protocol</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SSLTLS</td>
<td>TLS 1.1 protocol</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TLS</td>
<td>Start TLS extended operation</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Start TLS extended operation</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>TLS12</strong></td>
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<td>SSLOnly</td>
<td>TLS 1.2 protocol</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
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<tr>
<td>SSLTLS</td>
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<td></td>
</tr>
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</table>

A directory server with a key database file that is created with a previous version of GSKit might work with the TLS 1.2 protocol. From the supported TLS 1.2 ciphers, the ciphers that meet the following conditions might work with the existing certificates:

- The public key of certificates and ciphers are compatible.
- The signature and hash algorithms of certificates and ciphers are compatible.

The scenarios that require a change in the certificates:

- To use ciphers with a different public key when compared to the public key in the existing certificate.
- To use signature and hash algorithms that meet the NIST SP 800-131A guidelines.

If the existing certificates do not meet the SP 800-131A requirement, obtain certificates that meet the requirements.


**Note:** When you configure a server with a key database file with certificates that meet NIST SP 800-131A guidelines, the server does more processing to secure connections with the TLS 1.2 protocol. Therefore, the server might require more processing time to secure connections with the TLS 1.2 protocol.

**Directory server startup messages, log messages, and rootDSE result**

If you do not set any protocols on a directory server, then the server uses the default protocols for secure communications. The following message shows the default protocols that are set when the server is configured for secure communications.

GLPSSL039I Secure communication using the SSLV3 protocol is enabled.
GLPSSL039I Secure communication using the TLS10 protocol is enabled.
The message is shown during the server startup. The messages are also recorded in the `ibmslapd.log` file of the directory server instance.

**On AIX, Linux, and Solaris systems**

The default location of the `ibmslapd.log` file is `instance_home/idsslapd-instance_name/logs` directory.

**On Windows systems**

The default location of the `ibmslapd.log` file is `drive\idsslapd-instance_name\logs` directory.

When you set `ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol` with the `SSLV3,TLS10,TLS11,TLS12` value in a directory server, the following messages are shown:

GLPSSL039I Secure communication using the SSLV3 protocol is enabled.
GLPSSL039I Secure communication using the TLS10 protocol is enabled.
GLPSSL039I Secure communication using the TLS11 protocol is enabled.
GLPSSL039I Secure communication using the TLS12 protocol is enabled.

For detailed messages on protocols and ciphers, you must check the server trace messages.

You can verify the secure communication protocols that are set on the server by querying for the `ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol` attribute in the rootDSE result.

**Examples**

**Example 1:**
To verify whether a directory server is configured for a secure communication, run the following command:

```bash
didsldapsearch -h server.com -p port -s base -b "" objectclass=* security security=none
```

If the `security` attribute is `none`, the server is not configured for secure communications.

**Example 2:**
To configure a directory server in FIPS processing mode, run the `ldapmodify` command. For example:

```bash
didsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD
      dn: cn=SSL,cn=Configuration
      changetype: modify
      replace: ibm-slapdSslFIPsProcessingMode
      ibm-slapdSslFIPsProcessingMode: true
```

When you configure a secure server, do not set the `ibm-slapdSslFIPsProcessingMode` attribute to `true` unless you want to start the server in FIPS processing mode.

**Note:** You must restart the directory server and the administration server to apply the changes.

**Example 3:**
To verify whether a server is in FIPS processing mode, run the `didsldapsearch` command against the server for the root DSE results. For example:

```bash
didsldapsearch -h server.com -p port -s base -b "" objectclass=*\
    ibm-sslfipsprocessingmode\
    ibm-sslfipsprocessingmode=ON
```

The `ibm-sslfipsprocessingmode` attribute is listed when the `ibm-slapdSecurity` attribute is set to SSL, SSLOnly, or SSLTLS. If the
ibm-slapdSecurity attribute is set to TLS, the ibm-sslfipsprocessingmode attribute is not listed in search results.

**Example 4:**
To verify the protocols that a server supports for secure communications, run the `ldapsearch` command for the root DSE results. In the search results, check the `ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol` attribute value.

```
idsldapsearch -p port -s base -b "" objectclass=ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol
```

```
ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol=SSLV3,TLS10
```

To verify the secure communication protocols that an administration server supports, run the `ldapsearch` command for the root DSE result. In the search result, check the `admindaemon-securityprotocol` attribute value.

```
idsldapsearch -p admin_port -s base -b "" objectclass=admindaemon-securityprotocol
```

```
admindaemon-securityprotocol=SSLV3,TLS10
```

If the `ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol` attribute is not set on a directory server with the secure communications protocols, the default protocol values, SSLV3,TLS10, are set.

**Example 5:**
You can also verify the ciphers that a server supports from the server trace. In the server trace file, check for the keyword `cipher`. To obtain the server trace, run the following commands:

```
#ldtrc on
#ibmslapd -h 65536 -l dsrcbm01 2>&1 | tee server_trace.txt
```

**Example 6:**
To verify the cipher that is used in a handshake, take the following actions for your operating system:

**AIX, Linux, Solaris, and HP-UX**
1. Open a ksh or bash shell.
2. Run the following commands:

   ```
   export LDAP_DEBUG=65535
   export LDAP_DEBUG_FILE=/tmp/ldapclient_trace.out
   idsldapsearch -h server -p port -Z -K key.kdb \ 
   -P kPWD -s base -b "" objectclass=security
   ```

**Microsoft Windows**
1. Access the command prompt.
2. Run the following commands:

   ```
   set LDAP_DEBUG=65535
   set LDAP_DEBUG_FILE=c:\ldapclient_trace.out
   idsldapsearch -h server -p port -Z -K key.kdb \ 
   -P kPWD -s base -b "" objectclass=security
   ```

**Configuring a directory server with security protocols and ciphers:**

Configure a directory server with the required protocols to meet the security requirements of your LDAP environment.

**Before you begin**

Create the key database file and certificate for secure communications.

Set the required permissions (rwx) on the key database file, certificate, and file path for the directory server instance owner.

**About this task**

You can configure a directory server to accept secure connections with the SSL and TLS protocols or the Start TLS extended operation.

You can configure a directory server with more than one protocol by adding the `ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol` attribute multiple times with the required value.

**Procedure**

1. Log in as the instance owner.
2. To configure a directory server for secure communications, run the `idsldapmodify` command.
   
   ```
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN \
   -w adminPWD -i config_file.ldif
   ```
   
   The `config_file.ldif` file contains the following entries:
   
   ```
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslAuth
   ibm-slapdSslAuth: serverClientAuth
   
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSecurity
   ibm-slapdSecurity: SSLTLS
   
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabase
   ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabase: /home/dsrdbm01/keys/serverkey.kdb
   
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslCertificate
   ibm-slapdSslCertificate: serverlabel
   
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabasepw
   ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabasepw: keyfilePWD
   ```
   
   3. Configure the directory server with the required protocols.
      
      - To set the TLS 1.2 protocol, run the `idsldapmodify` command in the following format:
        
        ```
        idsldapmodify -h host_name -p port -D adminDN \
        -w adminPWD
        dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
        changetype: modify
        add: ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol
        ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol: TLS12
        ```
• To set the SSLv3, TLS 1.0, TLS 1.1, and TLS 1.2 protocols, run the  
  \texttt{idsldapmodify} command in the following format:
  
  \begin{verbatim}
  idsldapmodify -h host_name -p port -D adminDN \ 
  -w adminPWD \\
  dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration \\
  changetype: modify \\
  add: ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol \\
  ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol: SSLV3 \\
  -
  add: ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol \\
  ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol: TLS10 \\
  -
  add: ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol \\
  ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol: TLS11 \\
  -
  add: ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol \\
  ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol: TLS12
  \end{verbatim}

4. To add the supported ciphers for the TLS 1.2 protocol, run the  \texttt{idsldapmodify} command in the following format:

\begin{verbatim}
idsldapmodify -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD \ 
-i TLS12cipher_file.ldif
\end{verbatim}

The TLS12cipher_file.ldif file contains the following entries:

\begin{verbatim}
  dn: cn=SSL,cn=Configuration \\
  changetype: modify \\
  add: ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec \\
  ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256 \\
  -
  add: ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec \\
  ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384 \\
  -
  add: ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec \\
  ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256 \\
  -
  add: ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec \\
  ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384
\end{verbatim}

5. Restart the directory server and administration server.

\begin{verbatim}
ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -k 
ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01 -k 
ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -n 
ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01
\end{verbatim}

Examples

Example 1:

To verify the secure communication protocols that a directory server supports, run the  \texttt{ldapsearch} command for the root DSE result. In the search result, check the \texttt{ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol} attribute value.

\begin{verbatim}
idsldapsearch -p port -s base -b "" objectclass="" ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol \\
ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol=SSLV3,TLS10,TLS11,TLS12
\end{verbatim}

To verify the secure communication protocols that an administration server supports, run the  \texttt{ldapsearch} command for the root DSE result. In the search result, check the \texttt{admindaemon-securityprotocol} attribute value.

\begin{verbatim}
idsldapsearch -p admin_port -s base -b "" objectclass="" admindaemon-securityprotocol \\
admandaemon-securityprotocol=SSLV3,TLS10,TLS11,TLS12
\end{verbatim}

If more than one secure communication protocols are set on a server, the \texttt{ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol} and \texttt{admindaemon-securityprotocol} attributes show the comma-separated protocols.
Example 2:
To verify the ciphers that a server supports for secure communications when `ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol` is set with SSLV3, TLS10, TLS11, run the `ldapsearch` command for the root DSE result. In the search result, check the `ibm-sslciphers` attribute value.

```
idsldapsearch -p port -s base -b "" objectclass=* ibm-sslciphers
```

```
ibm-sslciphers=352F04050A090306
```

To verify the ciphers that an administration server supports for secure communications when `ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol` is set with SSLV3, TLS10, TLS11, run the `ldapsearch` command for the root DSE result. In the search result, check the `admindaemon-sslciphers` attribute value.

```
idsldapsearch -p adm_port -D adminDN -w adminPWD \ 
-s base -b "" objectclass=* admindaemon-sslciphers
```

```
admingdaemon-sslciphers=352F04050A090306
```

In the output, the `ibm-sslciphers` and `admindaemon-sslciphers` attributes contain the hexadecimal values of all the ciphers in the configuration file for the SSLV3, TLS 1.0, and TLS 1.1 protocols. The SSLV3, TLS 1.0, and TLS 1.1 ciphers are shown by concatenating the hexadecimal values of the ciphers.

The `ibm-sslciphers` and `admindaemon-sslciphers` attributes are shown when the `ibm-slapdSecurity` attribute is set to SSL, SSLOnly, or SSLTLS. If the `ibm-slapdSecurity` attribute is set to TLS, the `ibm-sslciphers` and `admindaemon-sslciphers` attributes are not shown in the search result.

Example 3:
To verify the ciphers that a server supports for secure communications when `ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol` is set with TLS12, run the `ldapsearch` command for the root DSE result. In the search result, check the values of the `ibm-tlsciphers` attribute.

```
idsldapsearch -p port -s base -b "" objectclass=* ibm-tlsciphers
```

```
ibm-tlsciphers=TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256,TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384, TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256,TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384
```

To verify the ciphers that an administration server supports for secure communications when `ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol` is set with TLS12, run the `ldapsearch` command for the root DSE result. In the search result, check the values of the `admindaemon-tlsciphers` attribute.

```
idsldapsearch -p adm_port -D adminDN -w adminPWD \ 
-s base -b "" objectclass=* admindaemon-tlsciphers
```

```
admingdaemon-tlsciphers=TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256,TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384, TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256,TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384
```

The `ibm-tlsciphers` and `admindaemon-tlsciphers` attributes in the output shows the ciphers for the TLS 1.2 protocol. The TLS 1.2 ciphers are shown as the comma-separated string.

**Note:** The `ibm-tlsciphers` and `admindaemon-tlsciphers` attributes are shown when the `ibm-slapdSecurity` attribute value is set to SSL, SSLOnly, or SSLTLS in the configuration file. When the `ibm-slapdSecurity` attribute is set to TLS, the attributes with cipher values are not shown in the search result.
Configuring a directory server with protocols and ciphers by using Web Administration Tool:

You can use Web Administration Tool to configure a directory server with the required security protocols to meet the security requirement of your LDAP environment.

Before you begin

Create the key database file and certificate for secure communications.


Set the required permissions (rwx) on the key database file, certificate, and file path for the directory server instance owner.

Procedure

1. Log in to Web Administration Tool as the directory server administrator.
2. In the navigation area, expand Server administration > Manage security properties and click Settings.
3. On the Settings panel, specify the connections type, authentication method, and secure communication protocols.
   a. To accept connections on a secure port and an unsecure port, click SSL and TLS.
   b. To set the secure communication protocols, select the required protocols.
   c. To enable the server and client authentication method, click Server and client authentication.
   d. Click Apply.
4. On Manage security properties, click Encryption.
   a. Select the required ciphers for the secure communication protocols.
   b. Click Apply.
5. On Manage security properties, click Key database.
6. On the Key database panel, specify the key database file and password.
   a. In the Key database path and file name field, type the key database file name with the absolute path name.
   b. In the Key password field, type the key database password.
   c. In the Confirm password field, type the key database password.
   d. In the Key label field, type the label that uniquely identifies the certificate.
   e. Click Apply.
7. Click OK.
8. In the navigation area, expand Server administration > Start/stop/restart server, and click Restart.
9. Access the computer on which your directory server instance is present.
10. Log in as the instance owner.
11. Restart the administration server.
Protocols and ciphers in version 6.3, Fix Pack 17 or later:

Use the supported protocols and ciphers in IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3, Fix Pack 17 or later for secure communications.

The following protocols are supported for secure communications in a server and client environment:

• SSLv3
• TLS 1.0
• TLS 1.1
• TLS 1.2

The following ciphers are supported for secure communications in a server and client environment:

Table 16. Supported ciphers for the SSLv3, TLS 1.0, and TLS 1.1 protocols and FIPS-approved ciphers for the TLS 1.0 and TLS 1.1 protocols

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Ciphers in the ibmslapd.conf file</th>
<th>Hex value</th>
<th>Supported by SSLv3 and TLS 1.0 protocols</th>
<th>Supported by TLS 1.1 protocol</th>
<th>FIPS-approved ciphers for TLS 1.0 and TLS 1.1 protocols</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>RC4-40-MD5</td>
<td>03</td>
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<td>No</td>
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</tr>
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<td>RC4-128-MD5</td>
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<td>09</td>
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Table 17. Supported TLS 1.2 ciphers by server, FIPS-approved TLS 1.2 ciphers, and default TLS 1.2 ciphers supported by client utilities

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Supported TLS 1.2 ciphers by server</th>
<th>FIPS-approved TLS 1.2 ciphers</th>
<th>Default TLS 1.2 ciphers that are supported by client utilities</th>
</tr>
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<tr>
<td>TLS_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_SHA</td>
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<td>TLS_RSA_WITH_3DES_EDE_CBC_SHA</td>
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<td>TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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</table>
Protocols and ciphers in version 6.3.0.15 or previous versions:

Use the supported protocols and ciphers for secure communication in a directory server and client environment of IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.0.15 or previous versions.

The following protocols are supported for secure communications between a server and client in IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.0.15 or previous versions:

- SSLv3/TLS 1.0 protocol suite

The following ciphers are supported for secure communications between a server and client in IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.0.15 or previous versions:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Ciphers in the ibmslapd.conf file</th>
<th>Hex value</th>
<th>Supported by SSLv3/TLS 1.0 protocol suite</th>
<th>FIPS-approved ciphers for TLS 1.0 protocol</th>
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<tr>
<td>RC4-40-MD5</td>
<td>03</td>
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<td>RC4-128-MD5</td>
<td>04</td>
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<td>RC4-128-SHA</td>
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TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms

You can use the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms to restrict communication to the TLS 1.2 protocol and certificates that meet the signature and hash algorithm criteria.

When you set the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions, the server verifies the client certificates in a chain for compliance with the specified settings. If the client certificate does not meet the set restrictions, the communication fails.

To use IBM Security Directory Server with TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions, you must:

- Install IBM Global Security Kit, version 8.0.14.24 or later.
- Configure the server to accept connections on a secure port. Set the ibm-slapdSecurity attribute to SSL, SSLOnly, or SSLTLS.
- Configure the server for communications over secure port with the TLS 1.2 protocol.
- Configure the required TLS 1.2 ciphers.
- Add the ibm-slapdSSLExtSigalg attribute with the appropriate values under the cn=SSL, cn=Configuration entry in the configuration file. To set more than one TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm value, you must add multiple entries of
the `ibm-slapdSSLExtSigalg` attribute in the configuration file. If the attribute value is not a valid TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm, then the server generates an error and starts in configuration only mode.

The following TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms are supported:

- `GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA224`
- `GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA256`
- `GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA384`
- `GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA512`
- `GSK_TLS_SIGALG_ECDSA_WITH_SHA224`
- `GSK_TLS_SIGALG_ECDSA_WITH_SHA256`
- `GSK_TLS_SIGALG_ECDSA_WITH_SHA384`
- `GSK_TLS_SIGALG_ECDSA_WITH_SHA512`

After you configure a directory server with TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms, run a root DSE search against the directory server and administration server to verify the settings.

### Table 19. Root DSE search result with the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms that are set on a directory server and an administration server

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Server</th>
<th>Value in the root DSE result</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Directory server</td>
<td>`ibm-slapdSSLExtSigalg=GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA224, GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA256,</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA384, GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA512, GSK_TLS_SIGALG_ECDSA_WITH</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>SHA224, GSK_TLS_SIGALG_ECDSA_WITH_SHA256, GSK_TLS_SIGALG_ECDSA_WITH_SHA384,</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>GSK_TLS_SIGALG_ECDSA_WITH_SHA512`</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Administration</td>
<td>`admindaemon-sslextsigalg=GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA224, GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA256,</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>server</td>
<td>GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA384, GSK_TLS_SIGALG_ECDSA_WITH_SHA224, GSK_TLS_SIGALG_ECDSA_WITH</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>SHA256, GSK_TLS_SIGALG_ECDSA_WITH_SHA384, GSK_TLS_SIGALG_ECDSA_WITH_SHA512`</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Note:**

- When you configure a server with the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions, the server listens only on the secure port.
- If a server is not configured to communicate with the TLS 1.2 protocol, the `ibm-slapdSSLExtSigalg` attribute in the configuration file is ignored. The server uses the existing settings.

### Configuring the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restriction:

Configure the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions on a server to restrict communication to the TLS 1.2 protocol and certificates that meet the specified criteria.

#### Before you begin

Create a key database file and certificate for secure communications.


Set the required permissions (`rwx`) on the key database file, certificate, and file path for the directory server instance owner.
Procedure

1. Log in as the instance owner.

2. To configure a server for secure communication and to set the TLS 1.2 ciphers, run the `idsldapmodify` command.
   
   ```
   idsldapmodify -h host_name -p port -D adminDN \\
   -w adminPWD -i sign_config.ldif
   ```

   The `sign_config.ldif` file contains the following entries:
   ```
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslAuth
   ibm-slapdSslAuth: serverClientAuth
   
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSecurity
   ibm-slapdSecurity: SSL
   
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabase
   ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabase: /home/dsrdbm01/keys/serverkey.kdb
   
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslCertificate
   ibm-slapdSslCertificate: serverlabel
   
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabasepw
   ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabasepw: keyfilePWD
   
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   add: ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec
   ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256
   
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   add: ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec
   ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec: TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384
   ```

3. To set the TLS 1.2 protocol on the server, run the `idsldapmodify` command.

   ```
   idsldapmodify -h host_name -p port -D adminDN \\
   -w adminPWD
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   add: ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol
   ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol: TLS12
   ```

4. To set the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions, run the `idsldapmodify` command.

   ```
   idsldapmodify -h host_name -p port -D adminDN \\
   -w adminPWD
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   add: ibm-slapdSSLExtSigalg
   ibm-slapdSSLExtSigalg: GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA256
   add: ibm-slapdSSLExtSigalg
   ibm-slapdSSLExtSigalg: GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA384
   ```

5. Restart the directory server and administration server.
Examples

Example 1
To verify whether the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms are set, run the idsldapsearch command for the root DSE result.

**Run a root DSE search against the directory server:**
```
idsldapsearch -p port -s base -b "" objectclass=* ibm-slapdSSLExtSigalg
```
```
ibmslapdSSLExtSigalg=GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA256,
GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA384
```

**Run a root DSE search against the administration server**
```
idsldapsearch -p admin_port -s base -b "" objectclass=*
admindaemon-sslextsigalg
```
```
admindaemon-sslextsigalg=GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA256,
GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA384
```

Configuring the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restriction by using Web Administration Tool:

You can use Web Administration Tool to configure a directory server with the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restriction.

**Before you begin**
Create a key database file and certificate that is required for the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restriction.


Set the required permissions (rwx) on the key database file, certificate, and file path for the directory server instance owner.

**Procedure**
1. Log in to Web Administration Tool as the directory server administrator.
2. In the navigation area, expand **Server administration > Manage security properties**, and click **Settings**.
3. On the **Settings** panel, specify the connections type, authentication method, and secure protocol.
   a. To accept connections on a secure port and an unsecure port, click **SSL**.
   b. To enable the server and client authentication method, click **Server and client authentication**.
   c. To set the secure communication protocol, select **TLS 1.2**.
   d. Click **Apply**.
4. On Manage security properties, click **Encryption**.
   a. Select the required ciphers for the TLS 1.2 protocol.
b. Click **Apply**.

5. On **Manage security properties**, click **Key database**.

6. On the **Key database** panel, specify the key database file, password, and key label.
   a. In the **Key database path and file name** field, type the key database file name with the absolute path name.
   b. In the **Key password** field, type the key database password.
   c. In the **Confirm password** field, type the key database password.
   d. In the **Key label** field, type the label that uniquely identifies the certificate.
   e. Click **Apply**.

7. On **Manage security properties**, click **Signature algorithm**.
   a. Select the required TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms that you want to set on the directory server.
   b. Click **Apply**.

8. Click **OK**.

9. In the navigation area, expand **Server administration > Start/stop/restart server**, and click **Restart**.

10. Access the computer on which your directory server instance is running.

11. Log in as the instance owner.

12. Restart the administration server.
    ```
    ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01 -k
    ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01
    ```

**Suite B mode**

You can configure Suite B mode in a directory server to enhance the security requirements of your LDAP environment.

Suite B mode is a restrictive subset of the NIST SP 800-131A specification. Suite B defines the cryptographic algorithm policy to use with the Transport Layer Security (TLS) 1.2 protocol version.

To configure Suite B on a server, the server must contain the OID for Suite B mode. If the server supports Suite B mode, the root DSE search returns the `ibm-supportedCapabilities` attribute with the `1.3.18.0.2.32.101` OID value.

To configure a directory server in Suite B mode, you must meet the following conditions:

- Install IBM Global Security Kit, version 8.0.14.24 or later.
- Configure the directory server to accept connections on a secure port. Set the `ibm-slapdSecurity` attribute to `SSL`, `SSLOnly`, or `SSLTLS`.
- Set the `ibm-slapdSslFIPSModeEnabled` attribute to `true`.

When you configure a server in Suite B mode, the secure communication is restricted to the following protocol, cipher, certificates, and signature and hash algorithms:

**Protocol**

The TLS 1.2 protocol is the only supported protocol in Suite B mode.

**Public keys**

The public key for certificates must be a minimum size of EC 256 bits.
Signature algorithm
The signature algorithm for certificates must be a minimum size of ECDSA 256 bits (curve P256) and SHA256.

Hash algorithm
The hash algorithm must have the minimum size of SHA256.

Cipher specification
The following ciphers are supported for Suite B mode:
- TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256
- TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384

Important: To use ciphers with stronger signature and hash algorithms, the certificates of server key file must contain similar or stronger signature and hash algorithms.

Suite B supports two levels of cryptographic security: 128 bit and 192 bit. The level defines a minimum strength that all cryptographic algorithms must provide.

In Suite B 128-bit processing mode, the following ciphers are supported:
- TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256
- TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384

In Suite B 192-bit processing mode, the supported cipher suite is TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384.

CAUTION:
Communication might fail between a server in Suite B mode and client utilities that use unsupported protocols, ciphers, and signature and hash algorithms.

Note:
- You must configure servers in a replication, distributed directory, or pass-through topology, with the same Suite B cryptographic security level.
- When you configure a server with a key database file with certificates that meet Suite B criteria, the server does more processing to secure connections with the TLS 1.2 protocol. Therefore, the server might require more processing time to secure connections in Suite B mode.

Configuration settings for Suite B mode
To configure a directory server with Suite B mode, set the ibm-slapdSuiteBMode attribute with an appropriate cryptographic security level. You must restart the directory server and the administration server to apply the changes.

The directory server generates an error and starts in the configuration mode for the following conditions:
- If the ibm-slapdSuiteBMode attribute value is other than 128 or 192.
- If multiple entries of the ibm-slapdSuiteBMode attributes are in the configuration file.

If the ibm-slapdSecurity attribute is set to TLS, then the server is not configured in Suite B mode even if the ibm-slapdSuiteBMode attribute is set to a valid value.

After you configure a server in Suite B mode, a root DSE search against the directory server and administration server shows the Suite B value.
You can also verify whether the Suite B mode is set on the server by checking the root DSE search result for the Suite B OID. If the Suite B mode is enabled on the server, the root DSE search returns the `ibm-enabledCapabilities` attribute with the 1.3.18.0.2.32.101 OID value.

Note:

- When you configure a server in Suite B mode, the server uses the TLS 1.2 protocol for communication. You are not required to set `ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol` to TLS12 on the directory server to configure Suite B mode.
- When you set a server in Suite B mode, do not add the `ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec` attribute entries with the `TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256` and `TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384` ciphers in the configuration file. The server uses the supported Suite B ciphers that are available in the set GSKit environment.
- A client on TLS 1.2 protocol can successfully communicate with a Suite B-compliant server if the following condition is met:
  - If the client uses a certificate that supports a range of curves and ciphers and a match is identified that meets all the Suite B restrictions.

Even if certain combination is valid, you must configure the client environment in Suite B mode. Setting the server and client environment in Suite B mode ensures both the environments are compliant with Suite B standards, even if the underlying standards change.

Log messages

To verify whether a directory server is configured in Suite B mode, check the server startup messages or the `ibmslapd.log` file.

The messages describe whether Suite B mode is enabled or disabled. When Suite B mode is enabled, the directory server also shows the cryptographic security level that is set on the server.

On AIX, Linux, and Solaris systems

The default location of the `ibmslapd.log` file is `instance_home/idsslapd-instance_name/logs` directory.

On Windows systems

The default location of the `ibmslapd.log` file is `drive\idsslapd-instance_name\logs` directory.

For detailed messages about Suite B, you must check the server trace messages.
Configuring Suite B mode:

Configure a directory server in Suite B mode to secure communications with the TLS 1.2 protocol and the supported Suite B ciphers.

Before you begin

Create a key database file and certificate for the required Suite B cryptographic security level.


Set the required permissions (rwx) on the key database file, certificate, and file path for the directory server instance owner.

About this task

You can configure your directory server in Suite B mode to 128 or 192-bit cryptographic security level.

Procedure

1. Log in as the instance owner.
2. To configure a directory server for secure communications, run the `idsldapmodify` command.

   ```
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i suiteB_file.ldif
   ```

   The `suiteB_file.ldif` file contains the following entries:

   ```
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslAuth
   ibm-slapdSslAuth: serverClientAuth
   
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSecurity
   ibm-slapdSecurity: SSL
   
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabase
   ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabase: /home/dsrdbm01/keys/serverkey.kdb
   
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslCertificate
   ibm-slapdSslCertificate: serverlabel
   
   dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabasepw
   ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabasepw: keyfilePWD
   ```

3. Run the `idsldapmodify` command to set the `ibm-slapdSuiteBMode` attribute with an appropriate cryptographic security level.
To set Suite B mode to 128-bit profile:
  idsldapmodify -h host_name -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD
  dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
  changetype: modify
  add: ibm-slapdSuiteBMode
  ibm-slapdSuiteBMode: 128

To set Suite B mode to 192-bit profile:
  idsldapmodify -h host_name -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD
  dn: cn=SSL, cn=Configuration
  changetype: modify
  add: ibm-slapdSuiteBMode
  ibm-slapdSuiteBMode: 192

4. Restart the directory server and administration server to apply the changes.

    ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -k
    ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01 -k
    ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -n
    ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01

Examples

Example 1
If a directory server is configured in Suite B mode with the 128-bit cryptographic security, the root DSE search returns the following results:

Run a root DSE search against the directory server:
  idsldapsearch -p port -s base -b "*" objectClass =* ibm-slapdSuiteBMode
ibm-slapdSuiteBMode=128

Run a root DSE search against the administration server:
  idsldapsearch -p admin_port -s base -b "*" objectclass =* admindaemon-suitebmode
    admindaemon-suitebmode=128

Example 2
If a directory server is configured in Suite B mode with the 192-bit cryptographic security, the root DSE search returns the following results:

Run a root DSE search against the directory server:
  idsldapsearch -p port -s base -b "*" objectClass =* ibm-slapdSuiteBMode
ibm-slapdSuiteBMode=192

Run a root DSE search against the administration server:
  idsldapsearch -p admin_port -s base -b "*" objectclass =* admindaemon-suitebmode
    admindaemon-suitebmode=192

Example 3
To obtain server trace messages, run the following commands:

    ldtrc on
    ibmslapd -h 65535 -I dsrdbm01 2>&1 | tee server_trace.txt

Configuring Suite B mode by using Web Administration Tool:

You can use Web Administration Tool to configure a directory server in Suite B mode.
Create a key database file and certificate for the required Suite B cryptographic security level.


Set the required permissions (rwx) on the key database file, certificate, and file path for the directory server instance owner.

About this task

You can configure your directory server in Suite B mode to 128 or 192-bit cryptographic security level.

Procedure

1. Log in to Web Administration Tool as the directory server administrator.
2. In the navigation area, expand Server administration > Manage security properties, and click Settings.
3. On the Settings panel, specify the connections type, authentication method, and Suite B mode.
   a. To accept connections on a secure port and an unsecure port, click SSL.
   b. To enable the server and client authentication method, click Server and client authentication.
   c. To set the Suite B mode, select the required cryptographic security level.
   d. Click Apply.
4. On Manage security properties, click Key database.
5. On the Key database panel, specify the key database file, password, and key label.
   a. In the Key database path and file name field, type the key database file name with the absolute path name.
   b. In the Key password field, type the key database password.
   c. In the Confirm password field, type the key database password.
   d. In the Key label field, type the label that uniquely identifies the certificate.
   e. Click Apply.
6. Click OK.
7. In the navigation area, expand Server administration > Start/stop/restart server, and click Restart.
8. Access the computer on which your directory server instance is running.
9. Log in as the instance owner.
10. Restart the administration server.

```
ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01 -k
```

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Support for NIST SP 800-131A features and directory server topologies
You must identify the behavior of directory servers in a topology that are configured to support the transition to NIST SP 800-131A.

When you use IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1 servers in a topology for secure communications, the following behavior is observed:

**Replication topology:**
In a replication topology, the supplier server and the consumer server use the most secure protocol that is set on the consumer server. For secure communications, a cipher with the highest priority in the configuration file of the consumer server that is supported by the protocol is used.

If you configure the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions, the certificates on the supplier server must be signed by the signature and hash algorithm that is configured on the consumer server.

In a replication topology, you must configure the supplier server and the consumer server with the same Suite B cryptographic security level.

**Distributed directory:**
In a distributed directory topology, the proxy server and back-end server use the most secure protocol that is set on the back-end server. For secure communications, a cipher with the highest priority in the configuration file of the back-end server that is supported by the protocol is used.

If you configure the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions, the certificates on the proxy server must be signed by the signature and hash algorithm that is configured on the back-end server.

In a distributed directory setup, you must configure the proxy server and the back-end server with the same Suite B cryptographic security level.

**Pass-through authentication:**
In a pass-through authentication setup, the authenticating server and pass-through server use the most secure protocol that is set on the pass-through server. For secure communications, a cipher with the highest priority in the configuration file of the pass-through server that is supported by the protocol is used.

If you configure the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions, the certificates on the authenticating server must be signed by the signature and hash algorithm that is configured on the pass-through server.

In a pass-through authentication, you must configure the authenticating server and the pass-through server with the same Suite B cryptographic security level.

Interoperability with different versions of directory servers
You must identify the appropriate IBM Security Directory Server versions and settings that are interoperable in an LDAP environment.

IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1 can interoperate with different versions of servers but depend on whether the support for NIST SP 800-131A is enabled or not.
Interoperability when support for NIST SP 800-131A transition is disabled

The following behaviors are observed, when you use IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1 servers or clients without enabling the support for NIST SP 800-131A.

In a directory server environment
A IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1 server that is configured for secure communications can interoperate with the IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.0.15 or previous versions servers.

A IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1 server that is configured for secure communications can be used with previous versions of secure servers in the following topologies:

- Replication
- Distributed directory
- Pass-through authentication

A IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1 server can interoperate with the different versions of client utilities and do not require any configuration changes.

In a client environment
You can use IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1 client utilities with the different versions of servers without any configuration changes.

Support for NIST SP 800-131A transition is enabled

If IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1 servers or client environment are configured to support transition to NIST SP 800-131A, the following responses are observed:

In a directory server environment
When you configure directory servers in a topology for secure communication, the following responses are observed:

Replication topology:
The replication fails if the supplier server is IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.0.15 or earlier and the consumer server is IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3, Fix Pack 17 or later and is configured with one of the following settings:

- The TLS 1.2 protocol.
- The TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions.
- Suite B mode.

If supplier and consumer servers are of IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3, Fix Pack 17 or later, the supplier server attempts to establish secure connection with the protocol and ciphers set on the consumer server. If the consumer server is configured with a key database file that contains EC public keys, the supplier server must contain a key database file with the EC public keys to establish secure connection. Otherwise, the supplier server might fail to establish a secure connection with the consumer server.

If TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions is configured in a replication topology, both the supplier server and consumer server must contain compatible keys, certificates, and signature and...
hash algorithm restriction. Otherwise, the supplier server might fail to establish a secure connection with the consumer server.

If Suite B mode is configured in a replication topology, all the servers in a replication topology must be configured with the same Suite B cryptographic security levels. Otherwise, the replication might fail.

**Distributed directory:**

The distributed directory setup fails if the proxy server is IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.0.15 or earlier and the back-end server is IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3, Fix Pack 17 or later and is configured with one of the following settings:

- The TLS 1.2 protocol.
- The TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions.
- Suite B mode.

If the proxy server and the back-end servers are of IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3, Fix Pack 17 or later, the proxy server attempts to establish secure connection with the protocol and ciphers set on the back-end server. If the back-end server is configured with a key database file that contains EC public keys, the proxy server must contain a key database file with the EC public keys to establish secure connection. Otherwise, the proxy server might fail to establish a secure connection with the back-end server.

If TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions is configured in a distributed directory setup, all servers must contain compatible keys, certificates, and signature and hash algorithm restriction. Otherwise, the proxy server might fail to establish a secure connection with the back-end server.

If Suite B mode is configured in a distributed directory setup, all the servers must be configured with the same Suite B cryptographic security levels. Otherwise, the servers might fail to establish a secure connection.

**Pass-through authentication:**

The pass-through authentication fails if the authenticating server is IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.0.15 or earlier and the pass-through server is IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3, Fix Pack 17 or later and is configured with one of the following settings:

- The TLS 1.2 protocol.
- The TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions.
- Suite B mode.

If the authenticating server and the pass-through server are of IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3, Fix Pack 17 or later, the authenticating server attempts to establish secure connection with the protocol and ciphers set on the pass-through server. If the pass-through server is configured with a key database file that contains EC public keys, the authenticating server must contain a key database file with the EC public keys to establish secure connection. Otherwise, the authenticating server might fail to establish a secure connection with the pass-through server.

If TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions is configured
for pass-through authentication, all servers must contain compatible keys, certificates, and signature and hash algorithm restriction. Otherwise, the authenticating server might fail to establish a secure connection with the pass-through server. If Suite B mode is configured for pass-through authentication, all the servers must be configured with the same Suite B cryptographic security levels. Otherwise, the servers might fail to establish a secure connection.

Server at IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3, Fix Pack 17 or later and previous versions of clients:
Secure communications between a directory server of 6.3.0.17 or later and client utilities of version 6.3.0.15 or earlier might fail, if you configure the server with:
- The TLS 1.1 or TLS 1.2 protocol.
- The TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions.
- Suite B mode.

In a client environment
Secure communications between the client utilities and IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.0.15 or earlier servers fail, if you configure the client environment with:
- The TLS 1.1 or TLS 1.2 protocol.
- The TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions.
- Suite B mode.

Client utilities that support transition to NIST SP 800-131A
You must identify the client utilities that support the protocol, cryptographic algorithms, and key lengths that are required for the transition to NIST SP 800-131A.

To transition to NIST SP 800-131A guidelines, you can configure a IBM Security Directory Server client environment with:
- TLS 1.2 protocol.
- TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms.
- Suite B mode

The following client utilities support the configuration:

**idsdirctl**
A command to start, stop, restart, or query the status of IBM Security Directory Server.

**idsldapadd, idsldapmodify**
A command to add or modify LDAP entries.

**idsldapchangepw**
A command to modify password for an LDAP entry.

**idsldapdelete**
A command to delete one or more entries from a directory server.

**idsldapexop**
A command to run extended operations.
A command to modify the relative distinguished name (RDN) or change the parent of an entry.

A command to search a directory server for entries that match a filter.

**Client utilities with SSL and TLS protocols**

You can use the supported SSL and TLS protocol versions in IBM Security Directory Server client environment for secure communications with a directory server.

You can set a secure protocol or multiple protocols in an LDAP client environment to meet your security requirements. You can use the following protocols with the client utilities to secure connections with a directory server.

- SSLv3
- TLS 1.0
- TLS 1.1
- TLS 1.2

A secure connection is established when the client requests a connection from a server with a protocol that is also configured on the server. When the server and client attempt to establish a secure connection, they negotiate for the most secure cipher available for the specified protocol. If the protocol used in the request is not set on the server, then the server and client fails to establish a secure connection.

If you do not specify a protocol in an LDAP client environment, the SSLv3/TLS 1.0 protocol suite is used by default for secure connections.

Previous versions of IBM Security Directory Server might fail to connect with the version 6.3, Fix Pack 17 or later client utilities in the TLS 1.2 protocol.

A client environment with a key database file that was created with a previous version of GSKit might work with the TLS 1.2 protocol. The TLS 1.2 ciphers that meet the following conditions might work with the existing certificates:

- The public key of certificates and ciphers are compatible.
- The signature and hash algorithms of certificates and ciphers are compatible.

For the following scenarios, you might require a change in the certificates:

- To use ciphers with a different public key when compared to the public key in the existing certificate.
- To use signature and hash algorithms that meet the NIST SP 800-131A guidelines.

If the existing certificates do not meet the NIST SP 800-131A requirement, obtain certificates that meet the requirements.

Secure communication protocols in a client environment

To configure protocols for secure communications in an LDAP client environment, set the `LDAP_OPT_SECURITY_PROTOCOL` variable with the appropriate protocol values. Separate the protocol values with commas (,). Do not use spaces. If you use spaces, the client environment might not be configured with the required protocols.

The following table lists the supported protocols and values for `LDAP_OPT_SECURITY_PROTOCOL`. When multiple protocols are set, the server and client negotiates for the most secure protocol and cipher common to both the server and client.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Protocols</th>
<th>Values</th>
</tr>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>SSLv3</td>
<td>SSLV3</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TLS 1.0</td>
<td>TLS10</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TLS 1.1</td>
<td>TLS11</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TLS 1.2</td>
<td>TLS12</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Table 21. Values for LDAP_OPT_SECURITY_PROTOCOL for protocols**

Important:

- When you provide ciphers for a protocol, the list of ciphers you provide overrides the cipher list of an LDAP client for that protocol. The ciphers for an LDAP client must be a subset of ciphers for the directory server for that protocol.
- When you set protocols and ciphers in a client environment, you must take the following actions:
  - Specify the ciphers that are available for all protocol levels.
  - Ensure that the higher protocol has more cipher coverage than the lower protocol.

For example, the `LDAP_OPT_SECURITY_PROTOCOL` variable is set with the TLS10, TLS12 value. The cipher with hexadecimal value 35 (single-byte notation) has an RFC 5246 Standard notation of `TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA`. If you set `LDAP_OPT_SSL_CIPHER` with 35, then you must also set `LDAP_OPT_SSL_CIPHER_EX` with the `TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA` cipher for TLS12.

- If multiple protocols are set, then the highest protocol must contain the ciphers with higher priority. The priority is based on the order of the ciphers in the directory server configuration file.

Configuring protocols in a client environment:

You can configure the SSL or TLS protocol versions in the client environment to securely communicate with a directory server.

**Before you begin**

- Install the IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1 client package.
- Install IBM Global Security Kit, version 8.0.14.24 or later.

**Procedure**

1. Access the command line for your operating system.
2. Set the value of the `LDAP_OPT_SECURITY_PROTOCOL` variable with the appropriate protocol values.

   **Note:** If you run the bash shell on a Windows system, you can follow the UNIX conventions.

   - To set the SSLv3, TLS 1.0, TLS 1.1, and TLS 1.2 protocols in an LDAP client environment:

     | Platform                     | Run this command:                               |
     |------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
     | AIX, Linux, Solaris, and HP-UX| `$export LDAP_OPT_SECURITY_PROTOCOL=SSLV3,TLS10,TLS11,TLS12` |
     | Windows                      | `c:\> set LDAP_OPT_SECURITY_PROTOCOL=SSLV3,TLS10,TLS11,TLS12` |

   - To set the TLS 1.2 protocol in an LDAP client environment:

     | Platform                     | Run this command:                               |
     |------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
     | AIX, Linux, Solaris, and HP-UX| `$export LDAP_OPT_SECURITY_PROTOCOL=TLS12` |
     | Windows                      | `c:\> set LDAP_OPT_SECURITY_PROTOCOL=TLS12` |

3. Run the client utilities from the same console after you configure the protocols. For example:

   ```
   export LDAP_OPT_SECURITY_PROTOCOL=TLS12
   idsldapsearch -h server.com -p secure_port -Z -K clientkey.kdb \
   -P clientPWD -s base -b "" objectclass =* security
   security=ssl_tls
   ```

**What to do next**

After you configure protocols in a client environment, configure the appropriate ciphers for the protocols. See "Client utilities and ciphers."

**Client utilities and ciphers**

If you do not set ciphers for protocols in a client environment, the server and the client use the default ciphers for protocols.

For more information about the supported ciphers and protocols, see "Protocols and ciphers in version 6.3, Fix Pack 17 or later" on page 177.

**Setting ciphers for the SSLv3, TLS 1.0, or TLS 1.1 protocol in a client environment**

Specify hexadecimal values of ciphers in the `LDAP_OPT_SSL_CIPHER` variable so that the client utility can negotiate with one or more on the server. Do not separate the ciphers with a delimiter.

If you do not specify any protocols and ciphers, the client utilities use the SSLv3/TLS 1.0 protocol suite and a cipher from the default list of ciphers 352F04050A090306.

When you set a cipher, you must also set the `LDAP_OPT_SECURITY_PROTOCOL` variable with the SSLv3, TLS10, or TLS11 protocol value.
Setting ciphers for the TLS 1.2 protocol in a client environment

Specify cipher values for `LDAP_OPT_SSL_CIPHER_EX` variable to set ciphers for the TLS 1.2 protocol in an LDAP client environment. You must separate the ciphers with commas (,) and do not use spaces.

When you set a TLS 1.2 cipher, you must also set the `LDAP_OPT_SECURITY_PROTOCOL` variable with the TLS12 protocol value.

Configuring ciphers in a client environment:

You can configure the supported ciphers for the protocols in a client environment for secure communication with a directory server.

Before you begin
• Install the IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1 client package.
• Install IBM Global Security Kit, version 8.0.14.24 or later.

About this task
Set the `LDAP_OPT_SSL_CIPHER` variable to configure ciphers for the SSLv3, TLS 1.0, or TLS 1.1 protocol. Set the variable with the hexadecimal values of the ciphers.

Set the `LDAP_OPT_SSL_CIPHER_EX` variable to configure ciphers for the TLS 1.2 protocol. Separate the TLS 1.2 ciphers with commas (,), and do not use spaces.

Procedure
1. Access the command line for your operating system.
2. Set the ciphers for the required protocols in the client environment.

    Note: If you run the bash shell on a Windows system, you can follow the UNIX conventions.
• To set ciphers for the SSLv3, TLS 1.0, or TLS 1.1 protocol in an LDAP client environment:

    On AIX, Linux, Solaris, and HP-UX platforms
    $export LDAP_OPT_SSL_CIPHER=352F04050A09

    On Windows platforms
    c:\> set LDAP_OPT_SSL_CIPHER=352F04050A09

• To set ciphers for the TLS 1.2 protocol in an LDAP client environment:

    On AIX, Linux, Solaris, and HP-UX platforms
    $export LDAP_OPT_SSL_CIPHER_EX=TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256,TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384

    On Windows platforms
    c:\> set LDAP_OPT_SSL_CIPHER_EX=TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256,TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384

3. Run the client utilities from the same console after you configure the ciphers.
   For example:
   export LDAP_OPT_SECURITY_PROTOCOL=SSLV3,TLS10,TLS11,TLS12
   export LDAP_OPT_SSL_CIPHER=352F04050A09
   export LDAP_OPT_SSL_CIPHER_EX=TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256,TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384
Client utilities and TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms

You can restrict the communication between a client utility and a server to use the supported TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms with the TLS 1.2 protocol. You must set the client environment for secure communications with the TLS 1.2 protocol.

When you set TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms, the client verifies the server certificates in a chain for compliance. If the server certificate does not meet the restrictions, the communication fails. After you configure the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms, you must bind to the secure port of a directory server from a client utility for secure communications.

The following TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms are supported:

GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA224
GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA256
GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA384
GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA512
GSK_TLS_SIGALG_ECDSA_WITH_SHA224
GSK_TLS_SIGALG_ECDSA_WITH_SHA256
GSK_TLS_SIGALG_ECDSA_WITH_SHA384
GSK_TLS_SIGALG_ECDSA_WITH_SHA512

Setting the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms in an LDAP client environment

To use multiple TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms, you must:

- Separate the values with commas (,).
- Do not use spaces. Space might cause the client environment to be configured incorrectly.

If the variable is set with an invalid value, the communication with the server might fail.

Note:

- You must set the LDAP_OPT_SECURITY_PROTOCOL variable with the TLS12 value in the client environment.

Configuring the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restriction in a client environment:

You can configure the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions in a client environment to secure communications with the TLS 1.2 protocol.

Before you begin

- Install the IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1 client package.
- Install IBM Global Security Kit, version 8.0.14.24 or later.
Procedure

1. Access the command line for your operating system.
2. Set the `LDAP_OPT_SSL_EXTN_SIGALG` variable with the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm values.

   **Note:** If you run the bash shell on a Windows system, you can follow the UNIX conventions.

   **On AIX, Linux, Solaris, and HP-UX platforms**
   
   ```
   $export LDAP_OPT_SSL_EXTN_SIGALG=GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA256,GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA384
   ```

   **On Windows platforms**
   
   ```
   c:\> set LDAP_OPT_SSL_EXTN_SIGALG=GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA256,GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA384
   ```

3. Run the client utilities from the same console after you configure the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions. For example:

   ```
   export LDAP_OPT_SECURITY_PROTOCOL=TLS12
   export LDAP_OPT_SSL_CIPHER_EX=TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256
   export LDAP_OPT_SSL_EXTN_SIGALG=GSK_TLS_SIGALG_RSA_WITH_SHA256
   idsldapsearch -h server.com -p secure_port -Z -K clientkey.kdb -P clientPWD -s base -b "" objectclass =* security
   ```

   ```
   security=ssl
   ```

**Client utilities and Suite B mode**

You can set Suite B mode in a client environment to use the TLS 1.2 protocol and the Suite B ciphers for secure communication with a directory server.

When you set an LDAP client environment in Suite B mode, you must bind to the secure port of a directory server with a client utility for secure communications.

**Setting Suite B mode in an LDAP client environment**

To configure Suite B mode in an LDAP client environment, set the `LDAP_OPT_SUITEB_MODE` variable with a valid Suite B cryptographic security level. For Suite B 128-bit processing mode, you must assign 128 to the variable. For Suite B 192-bit processing mode, you must assign 192 to the variable.

**Note:**

- When you configure a client environment in Suite B mode, the client utility uses the TLS 1.2 protocol for communication. You must not set `LDAP_OPT_SECURITY_PROTOCOL` to TLS12 in the client environment to configure Suite B mode.
- When you set a client environment in Suite B mode, you must not set the `LDAP_OPT_SSL_CIPHER_EX` variable with the `TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256` and `TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384` ciphers. A client utility uses the supported Suite B ciphers available in the set GSKit environment.

**CAUTION:**

Communication might fail between client utilities in Suite B mode and servers that are using unsupported protocols, ciphers, and signature and hash algorithms.
Configuring Suite B mode in a client environment:

Configure Suite B mode in a client environment to secure communications with a directory server in Suite B mode.

Before you begin
- Install the IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1 client package.
- Install IBM Global Security Kit, version 8.0.14.24 or later.

About this task

You can configure Suite B mode to 128 bit or 192-bit cryptographic security level in a client environment.

Procedure

1. Access the command line for your operating system.
2. Set the `LDAP_OPT_SUITEB_MODE` variable with a valid Suite B cryptographic security level.

   Note: If you run the bash shell on a Windows system, you can follow the UNIX conventions.

   - To set Suite B mode to 128-bit cryptographic security level:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Platform</th>
<th>Run this command:</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>AIX, Linux, Solaris, and HP-UX</td>
<td>$export LDAP_OPT_SUITEB_MODE=128</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Windows</td>
<td>c:&gt; set LDAP_OPT_SUITEB_MODE=128</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

   - To set Suite B mode to 192-bit cryptographic security level:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Platform</th>
<th>Run this command:</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>AIX, Linux, Solaris, and HP-UX</td>
<td>$export LDAP_OPT_SUITEB_MODE=192</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Windows</td>
<td>c:&gt; set LDAP_OPT_SUITEB_MODE=192</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

3. Run the client utilities from the same console after you configure Suite B mode.

   For example:

   ```
   export LDAP_OPT_SUITEB_MODE=128
   idsldapsearch -h server.com -p secure_port -Z -K clientkey.kdb \
   -P clientPWD -s base -b "" objectclass =* ibm-slapdSuiteBMode
   ibm-slapdSuiteBMode=128
   ```

Support for the transition to NIST SP 800-131A with Web Administration Tool

You must use a supported browser, Web Administration Tool, application server, and IBM Java development Kit version that are required for the transition to NIST SP 800-131A.

To use Web Administration Tool to connect to a directory server that support transition to NIST SP 800-131A, you must meet the following dependencies:

- Deploy Web Administration Tool in embedded WebSphere Application Server, version 7.0.0.25 or later.
- Use IBM Java Development Kit, version 1.6 SR14 or later.
• Use a browser that supports TLS 1.0, TLS 1.1, and TLS 1.2 secure communication protocols. For example, Microsoft Windows Internet Explorer, version 8.0 or later supports TLS 1.0, TLS 1.1, and TLS 1.2 protocols.

To support transition to NIST SP 800-131A, Web Administration Tool is dependent on web application server on which it is deployed. Embedded WebSphere Application Server uses IBM Java development Kit security features to support the required security level.

Note: It is advisable to set the security level on the directory server and embedded WebSphere Application Server as required by your organization.

The following configuration is required to support transition to NIST SP 800-131A with Web Administration Tool:

1. Install IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1. For more information, see Installation and Configuration Guide.
2. Install Web Administration Tool and embedded WebSphere Application Server. For more information, see Installation and Configuration Guide.
3. Deploy Web Administration Tool in embedded WebSphere Application Server. For more information, see Installation and Configuration Guide.
4. Create a CMS key database file for directory server and a JKS key database file for Web Administration Tool. For more information, see “Creating a key database file with a self-signed certificate” on page 201.
5. Configure a directory server instance with the required protocol and ciphers for secure communication. For more information, see “Directory server instance with the SSL and TLS protocols” on page 168.
7. Configure Web Administration Tool with a JKS key database.
8. Configure embedded WebSphere Application Server to the security level as required by your organization.

To set and use the Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) mode and level of the security standard in Web Administration Tool, use the \texttt{wsadmin} tool of embedded WebSphere Application Server, version 7.0.0.25 or later. The following FIPS mode, level of the security standard, and protocols are supported:

\textbf{Table 22. The relationship between FIPS mode, level of security standard, and protocols}

<table>
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<tr>
<th>FIPS mode</th>
<th>Level of security standard</th>
<th>Supported protocols by Web Administration Tool</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>false</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>• SSL_TLS&lt;br&gt;• SSL v3&lt;br&gt;• TLS 1.0&lt;br&gt;• TLS 1.1&lt;br&gt;• TLS 1.2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>true</td>
<td>FIPS140-2 mode</td>
<td>TLS 1.0&lt;br&gt;• TLS 1.0&lt;br&gt;• TLS 1.1&lt;br&gt;• TLS 1.2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>true</td>
<td>SP800-131 transition mode</td>
<td>TLS 1.2&lt;br&gt;• TLS 1.0&lt;br&gt;• TLS 1.1&lt;br&gt;• TLS 1.2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>true</td>
<td>SP800-131 strict mode</td>
<td>TLS 1.2&lt;br&gt;• TLS 1.0&lt;br&gt;• TLS 1.1&lt;br&gt;• TLS 1.2</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Table 22. The relationship between FIPS mode, level of security standard, and supported protocols (continued)

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<tr>
<th>FIPS mode</th>
<th>Level of security standard</th>
<th>Supported protocols by Web Administration Tool</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>true</td>
<td>Suite B 128</td>
<td>TLS 1.2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>true</td>
<td>Suite B 192</td>
<td>TLS 1.2</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### Configuring Web Administration Tool with a JKS key database in version 6.3.1

Configure Web Administration Tool with a JKS key database file to use Web Administration Tool for secure communication with a directory server instance.

### Before you begin

To configure Web Administration Tool with a JKS key database, you must complete the following steps:

- Create a JKS key database. For more information, see "Creating a key database file with a self-signed certificate" on page 201.
- Install Web Administration Tool and embedded WebSphere Application Server. See Installation and Configuration Guide.
- Deploy Web Administration Tool in embedded WebSphere Application Server. See Installation and Configuration Guide.

### Procedure

1. Access a browser on your computer.
2. Enter the URL of Web Administration Tool. The Web Administration Tool URL is in the following format: `http://ip_address:12100/IDSWebApp`.
3. On the Console administration login page, specify the following values:
   a. In the **User ID** field, enter the console administrator user ID. The default value is `superadmin`. You must change the user ID value after login.
   b. In the **Password** field, enter the password for console administrator user ID. The default value is `secret`. You must change the password after login.
   c. Click **Login**.
4. Click **Console administration > Manage console properties**.
5. On the Manage console properties wizard, click **SSL key database**.
6. On the SSL key database panel, complete the following steps:
   a. In the **Key database path and file name** field, enter the JKS key database file name with path.
   b. In the **Key password** field, enter the password for the JKS key database file.
   c. In the **Confirm password** field, enter the password for the JKS key database file.
   d. From the **Key database file type** list, select **jks**.
   e. If the trust database details are same as the key database details, click **Same as key database**.
   f. Optional: In the **Trust database path and file name** field, enter the JKS trust database file name with path.
   g. Optional: In the **Trust password** field, enter the password for the JKS key database file.
h. Optional: In the Confirm password field, enter the password for the JKS key database file.

i. Optional: From the Trust database file type list, select jks.

j. To apply the changes, click OK.

7. On the Manage console properties wizard, click Manage security protocol.

8. To use a security protocol for secure communication with a directory server, click a protocol as per the security requirements of your organization. The protocol value is set in the SSLContextAlgorithm entry in the idswebapp.properties file of the deployed Web Administration Tool profile.

9. To apply changes, click OK.

10. Click Logout.

What to do next

You must complete the following configuration:

1. Configure the application server that is associated Web Administration Tool to a security level as per the security requirements of your organization.

2. Add a directory server with its secure port and administration secure port in the Web Administration Tool console. See Administration Guide.

Creating a key database file with a self-signed certificate:

Create a self-signed certificate for the key database to test public/private key for a public key and signature algorithm before you replace them with CA certificates.

Before you begin

To create key database file, the following requirements must be met:

- Log in to the computer as a root user on AIX, Linux, and Solaris, and as an administrative member on Microsoft Windows.

- To create a CMS key database for a directory server, your computer with the server must contain IBM Global Security Kit, version 8.0.14.24 or later.

- To create a JKS key database, your computer with the Web Administration Tool must contain IBM Java Development Kit, version 1.6 SR14 or later.


For more information about using the ikeyman or ikeycmd utility, see the IBM SDK and Runtime Environment Java Technology documentation website at http://pic.dhe.ibm.com/infocenter/java7sdk/v7r0/topic/com.ibm.java.doc/homepage/ic-homepage-java.html.

About this task

If your computer contains GSKit 32-bit, use the gsk8capicmd command. If your computer contains GSKit 64-bit, use the gsk8capicmd_64 command. When you complete the task, the key database file contains the following data:

- A CMS key database file with signer certificate extracted from a JKS key database file.
• A JKS key database file with signer certificate extracted from a CMS key database file.

Procedure
1. To create a CMS key database with self-signed certificate, complete the following steps:
   a. Log in to the computer with the required privileges.
   b. To create a CMS key database, run the `gsk8capicmd_64` command in the following format:
      ```bash
      gsk8capicmd_64 -keydb -create -db serverkey.kdb -pw serverpwd
      -type cms -expire 1000 -stash -fips
      ```
   c. To create a self-signed certificate with key size 2048 and signature algorithm SHA512WithRSA, run the `gsk8capicmd_64` command in the following format:
      ```bash
      gsk8capicmd_64 -cert -create -db serverkey.kdb -pw serverpwd -label serverlabel
      -dn "cn=LDAP_Server,o=sample" -size 2048 -default_cert yes -sigalg SHA512WithRSA
      ```
   d. To extract the certificate data from the key database, run the `gsk8capicmd_64` command in the following format:
      ```bash
      gsk8capicmd_64 -cert -extract -db serverkey.kdb -pw serverpwd -label serverlabel
      -target server.der -format binary
      ```
   e. Transfer the file with the extracted certificate from a CMS key database to the computer with Web Administration Tool.
2. To create a JKS key database with self-signed certificate, complete the following steps:
   a. Log in to the computer with the required privileges.
   b. Set the `JAVA_HOME` and `PATH` variables with the IBM Java location that is provided with IBM Security Directory Server.
      ```sh
      AIX and Solaris
      export JAVA_HOME=/opt/IBM/ldap/V6.3.1/java
      export PATH=/opt/IBM/ldap/V6.3.1/java/jre/bin:$PATH
      
      Linux
      export JAVA_HOME=/opt/ibm/ldap/V6.3.1/java
      export PATH=/opt/ibm/ldap/V6.3.1/java/jre/bin:$PATH
      
      Windows
      set JAVA_HOME=C:\Program Files\IBM\ldap\V6.3.1\java
      set PATH=C:\Program Files\IBM\ldap\V6.3.1\java\jre\bin;%PATH%
      ```
   c. To create a JKS key database, run the `ikeycmd` command in the following format:
      ```bash
      ikeycmd -keydb -create -db webadminkey.jks -pw webadminpwd
      -type jks -expire 1000 -stash
      ```
   d. To create a self-signed certificate with key size 2048 and signature algorithm SHA512WithRSA, run the `ikeycmd` command in the following format:
      ```bash
      ikeycmd -cert -create -db webadminkey.jks -pw webadminpwd -label webadminlabel
      -dn "cn=LDAP_WebAdmin,o=sample" -size 2048 -sig_alg SHA512WithRSA
      ```
   e. To extract the certificate data from the key database, run the `ikeycmd` command in the following format:
      ```bash
      ikeycmd -cert -extract -db webadminkey.jks -pw webadminpwd -label webadminlabel
      -target webadmin.der -format binary
      ```
   f. Transfer the file with the extracted certificate from a JKS key database to the computer with directory server instance.
3. On the computer with directory server instance, add the extracted certificate from a JKS key database to the CMS key database.
4. On the computer with Web Administration Tool, add the extracted certificate from a CMS key database to the JKS key database.

   gsk8capicmd -cert -add -db serverkey.kdb -pw serverpwd -label webadminlabel
   -file webadmin.der -format binary

   ikeycmd -cert -add -db webadminkey.jks -pw webadminpwd -file server.der
   -label serverlabel -format binary

**What to do next**

To continue with the configuration, complete the following steps:

- Add the CMS key database and details in directory server instance. For information, see "Configuring a directory server with security protocols and ciphers" on page 172.

- Add the JKS key database and details in the Web Administration Tool console.

**Configuring a FIPS mode and a security level in an application server**

Use the AdminTask object of the **wsadmin** tool in an application server to configure a FIPS mode and a security level for secure communication.

**Before you begin**

To securely connect to a directory server with Web Administration Tool, the following conditions must be met:

- Configure Web Administration Tool with a JKS key database. See "Configuring Web Administration Tool with a JKS key database in version 6.3.1" on page 200.

- Configure a directory server instance with the required protocol and ciphers for secure communication. For more information, see "Directory server instance with the SSL and TLS protocols" on page 168.

- Log in to the computer as a root user on AIX, Linux, and Solaris, and as an administrative member on Microsoft Windows

**Procedure**

1. Change the current directory to the bin directory of the deployed Web Administration Tool profile. The default Web Administration Tool profile location of on various operating system.

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<tr>
<th>Operating system</th>
<th>Default profile location</th>
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<tr>
<td>AIX and Solaris</td>
<td>/opt/IBM/ldap/V6.3.1/appsrv/profiles/TDSWebAdminProfile/</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Linux</td>
<td>/opt/ibm/ldap/V6.3.1/appsrv/profiles/TDSWebAdminProfile/</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Windows</td>
<td>C:\Program Files\IBM\ldap\V6.3.1\appsrv\profiles\TDSWebAdminProfile/</td>
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2. To start the WebSphere administrative (wsadmin) scripting program, run the following command:

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<th>Operating system</th>
<th>Run the command:</th>
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<td>AIX, Linux, and Solaris</td>
<td>./wsadmin.sh</td>
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<td>Windows</td>
<td>wsadmin.bat</td>
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3. To retrieve the FIPS settings in the current WebSphere configuration, run the following command:
   AdminTask getFipsInfo

4. To configure the FIPS mode and a security level as per your organization requirement, run one of the following commands:

<table>
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<th>Security level</th>
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<tr>
<td>FIPS140-2 mode</td>
<td>AdminTask enableFips { -enableFips true</td>
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<td></td>
<td>-fipsLevel FIPS140-2 }</td>
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<tr>
<td>SP800-131 transition mode</td>
<td>AdminTask enableFips { -enableFips true</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>-fipsLevel transition }</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SP800-131 strict mode</td>
<td>AdminTask enableFips { -enableFips true</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>-fipsLevel SP800-131 }</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Suite B 128</td>
<td>AdminTask enableFips { -enableFips true</td>
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<td></td>
<td>-suiteBLevel 128 }</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Suite B 192</td>
<td>AdminTask enableFips { -enableFips true</td>
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<td>-suiteBLevel 192 }</td>
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</table>


5. Optional: If the command to set the security level generates an error message with the WASX7015E ID, run the following commands:
   
   **SP800-131 strict mode**
   - AdminTask listCertStatusForSecurityStandard { -fipsLevel SP800-131 }
   - AdminTask convertCertForSecurityStandard { -fipsLevel SP800-131 }
   - AdminTask enableFips { -enableFips true -fipsLevel SP800-131 }
   
   **Suite B 128**
   - AdminTask listCertStatusForSecurityStandard { -suiteBLevel 128 }
   - AdminTask convertCertForSecurityStandard { -suiteBLevel 128 }
   - AdminTask enableFips { -enableFips true -suiteBLevel 128 }
   
   **Suite B 192**
   - AdminTask listCertStatusForSecurityStandard { -suiteBLevel 192 }
   - AdminTask convertCertForSecurityStandard { -suiteBLevel 192 }
   - AdminTask enableFips { -enableFips true -suiteBLevel 192 }


6. To save the configuration changes, run the following command:
   AdminTask save

7. To retrieve the FIPS settings in the current WebSphere configuration, run the following command:
   AdminTask getFipsInfo

8. To quit wsadmin, run the following command:
   quit

9. To apply the configuration changes to the application server associated with Web Administration Tool, run the following commands:
   stopServer.sh server1
   startServer.sh server1
10. Access a browser on your computer that supports the TLS 1.0, TLS 1.1, and TLS 1.2 protocols.
11. Enter the secure URL of Web Administration Tool. The Web Administration Tool secure URL is in the following format: https://ip_address:12101/IDSWebApp.
12. On the Directory server login page, specify the following values:
   a. In the LDAP Server Name field, select your directory server instance.
   b. In the User ID field, enter an LDAP user ID.
   c. In the Password field, enter the password for the LDAP user ID.
   d. Click Login.

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**Importing a certificate from a key database**

Import a certificate of a key database that is created with an earlier version of GSKCapiCmd commands to another key database with a later version of GSKCapiCmd commands.

**Before you begin**

To export a certificate from a source computer and to import the certificate on a target computer, the following conditions must be met:

* The source computer must contain an earlier version of IBM Global Security Kit (GSKit).
* The target computer must contain a later version of IBM Global Security Kit. IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1 requires IBM Global Security Kit, version 8.0.14.26 or later.

**About this task**

If you have a valid key database file with a certificate created with an earlier version of GSKCapiCmd commands, export the certificate to a target computer.

* Reuse the certificate with a key database file created with later version of GSKCapiCmd commands.
* To resolve compatibility issues with later version of IBM Global Security Kit.

**Procedure**

1. Log in as a directory server instance owner to the computer that contains an earlier version GSKit. For example, GSKit, version 7.
2. To create a CMS key database, run the following command:

   Note: If your computer contains 32-bit GSKit, use the `gsk7capicmd` command. If your computer contains 64-bit GSKit, use the `gsk7capicmd_64` command.

   ```
   gsk7capicmd -keydb -create -db source.kdb -pw myPwd123 -type cms -expire 1000 -stash -fips
   ```

3. To create a self-signed certificate with a key size of 2048 and a hashing algorithm of sha384, run the following command:

   ```
   gsk7capicmd -cert -create -db source.kdb -pw myPwd123 -label testlabel
   -dn "cn=LDAP_Server.com,ou=myDept,o=sample" -size 2048 -fips
   -sigalg sha384 -expire 1000
   ```

4. To export a certificate with a specific label from a CMS key database to another CMS key database in /transfer/ directory, run the following command:

   ```
   gsk7capicmd -cert -export -db source.kdb -pw myPwd123 -label testlabel -type cms
   -target /transfer/test.kdb -target_pw myPwd123 -target_type cms
   ```
5. To verify the certificate in the /transfer/test.kdb file, run the following command:
   gsk7capicmd -cert -list -db /transfer/test.kdb -pw myPwd123

6. Transfer the key database and its related files in the /transfer/ directory to the target computer.

7. To import the certificate from a CMS key database to another CMS key database, run the following command from a later version of GSKit:

   ```
   Note: If your computer contains 32-bit GSKit, use the gsk8capicmd command. If your computer contains 64-bit GSKit, use the gsk8capicmd_64 command.
   gsk8capicmd_64 -cert -import -db /transfer/test.kdb -pw myPwd123 -label testlabel -type cms -target /target/target.kdb -target_pw myPwd123 -target_type cms -new_label testlabel
   ```
   
   If the command completes the operation successfully, the certificate is available in both the source and target key databases.

8. To verify the certificate in the /target/target.kdb file, run the following command:
   gsk8capicmd_64 -cert -list -db /target/target.kdb -pw myPwd123

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**What to do next**

To use the key database with the imported certificates in a directory server instance, add the key database files and related details in the instance.

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**Exporting a certificate from a JKS key database**

Export a certificate from a JKS (Java keystore format) key database of an earlier version to another JKS key database of a later version.

**Before you begin**

To export a certificate from a source computer to a target computer, the following conditions must be met:

- The source computer must contain an earlier version of Web Administration Tool that is deployed in an embedded WebSphere Application Server and is set with JKS key database.
- The target computer must contain a later version of Web Administration Tool that is deployed in an embedded WebSphere Application Server.
- The target computer must contain a later version of IBM Java Development Kit. IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1 requires IBM Java Development Kit, version 1.6 SR 14 or later.

**About this task**

If you have a valid JKS key database file with a certificate created with an earlier version of **ikeyman** or **ikeycmd** commands, export the certificate to a target computer. You might want to export for the following reasons:

- Reuse the certificate with a JKS key database file created with later version of JKS commands.
- To resolve compatibility issues with later version of IBM Java Development Kit.
Procedure

1. Log in to a computer that contains an earlier version of Web Administration Tool that is deployed in an embedded WebSphere Application Server.
2. Transfer the JKS key database and its related files to the target computer.
3. Set the JAVA_HOME and PATH variables with the IBM Java location that is provided with IBM Security Directory Server.

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<th>Operating system</th>
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<td>AIX and Solaris</td>
<td>export JAVA_HOME=/opt/IBM/ldap/V6.3.1/java&lt;br&gt;export PATH=/opt/IBM/ldap/V6.3.1/java/jre/bin:$PATH</td>
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<tr>
<td>Linux</td>
<td>export JAVA_HOME=/opt/ibm/ldap/V6.3.1/java&lt;br&gt;export PATH=/opt/ibm/ldap/V6.3.1/java/jre/bin:$PATH</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Windows</td>
<td>set JAVA_HOME=C:\Program Files\IBM\ldap\V6.3.1\java&lt;br&gt;set PATH=C:\Program Files\IBM\ldap\V6.3.1\java\jre\bin;%PATH%</td>
</tr>
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4. To verify the certificate in the /source/source.jks file, run the following command:
   ```bash
   ikeycmd -cert -list -db /transfer/test.jks -pw myPwd123
   ```
5. To export a certificate with a label from a source JKS key database to a target JKS key database, run the following command from a later version of `ikeycmd`:
   ```bash
   ikeycmd -cert -export -db /source/source.jks -pw myPwd123 -label testlabel -type jks -target /transfer/test.jks -target_pw myPwd123 -target_type jks
   ```
6. To verify the certificate in the /target/test.jks file, run the following command:
   ```bash
   ikeycmd -cert -list -db /target/test.jks -pw myPwd123
   ```

What to do next

To use the target JKS key database with the certificates in Web Administration Tool, add the JKS key database file in Web Administration Tool console.

Certificate revocation verification

If you have selected to use server and client authentication in your SSL settings, you might want to configure your server to check for revoked or expired certificates.

When a client sends an authenticated request to a server, the server reads the certificate and sends a query to an LDAP server with a list that contains revoked certificates. If the client certificate is not found in the list, communications between the client and server are allowed over SSL. If the certificate is found, communications are not allowed.

To configure SSL certificate revocation verification use one of the following methods:

Using Web Administration

Under Server administration, expand the Manage security properties category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool, select the Certificate revocation tab.

1. Select an LDAP server and port that contains the certificate revocation list from the Server hostname:port drop-down list or enter a host name and port number of a server in the field in the hostname:port format.
2. In the **Bind DN** field, specify the bind DN used for connection to the server. If a bind DN is not specified, an anonymous bind is used.

3. In the **Bind password field**, specify the bind password. Then specify the password again in the **Confirm password** field.

4. When you are finished, click **Apply** to save your changes without exiting, or click **OK** to apply your changes and exit, or click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

**Note:** Expired certificates are not included in the list because the expiration date is contained in the certificate itself.

**Using the command line**

To use the command line to configure for SSL certificate revocation verification, issue the command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where *filename* contains:

```
dn: cn=CRL,cn=SSL,cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdCrlHost
ibm-slapdCrlHost: newhostname
replace: ibm-slapdCrlPassword
ibm-slapdCrlPassword: password
replace: ibm-slapdCrlPort
ibm-slapdCrlPort: portnumber
replace: ibm-slapdCrlUser
ibm-slapdCrlUser: username
```

You must restart the server and the administration server for the changes to take effect.
Chapter 12. Securing directory access

Access to directory data can be fully controlled by the directory administrator. LDAP directories require clients to perform a bind operation that identifies who is trying to use the directory. Security Directory Server supports several bind mechanisms:

- Simple
- DIGEST-MD5
- Kerberos (also known as GSSAPI)
- EXTERNAL

The directory server supports pass-through authentication, which allows the administrator to configure the directory server to use other directory servers such as OpenLDAP or Active Directory to provide authentication for the binds. See "Pass-through authentication" on page 241.

Simple binds require a DN and a password. If no DN is supplied, the binds are said to be anonymous. The administrator can configure the directory so that anonymous binds are not allowed. (See "Managing connection properties" on page 106.) Generally, the DN corresponds to an entry in the directory. The password used for binding to the directory server is the value of the userpassword attribute associated with the entry with the given DN. The directory server can be configured to enforce password policies that determine what kinds of values passwords can have and how often they must be changed. (See "Setting password policy" on page 212.) The password data stored in the directory is encrypted. (See "Password encryption,")

The directory administrator can delegate some administrative responsibilities by configuring an administrative group. The members of this group can be assigned specific authorities in the directory. The DN and passwords for these are stored as part of the server configuration. The passwords are encrypted and an administrative password policy can be configured. See "Setting the administration password and lockout policy" on page 224.

DIGEST-MD5 and Kerberos (GSSAPI) are described in this chapter. The EXTERNAL mechanism, also referred to as PKI or certificate based authentication, relies on the authentication performed by a directory server using SSL or TLS when the server is configured for server and client authentication. The client connection is established only after the client provides a certificate issued by a Certifying Authority (CA) trusted by the server. The client's certificate has a DN and it is this DN that is used to identify the user of this client connection. See "Configuring security settings" on page 139 for information about how to configure a directory server to support EXTERNAL binds.

Password encryption

IBM Security Directory Server enables you to prevent unauthorized access to user passwords. Using one-way encryption formats, user passwords may be encrypted and stored in the directory, which prevents clear passwords from being accessed by any users including the system administrators.

The administrator may configure the server to encrypt userPassword attribute values in either a one-way encrypting format or a two-way encrypting format.
One-way encrypting formats:
- crypt
- MD5
- SHA-1
- Salted SHA-1
- SHA-2
- Salted SHA-2

After the server is configured, any new passwords (for new users) or modified passwords (for existing users) are encrypted before they are stored in the directory database. The encrypted passwords are tagged with the encrypting algorithm name so that passwords encrypted in different formats can coexist in the directory. When the encrypting configuration is changed, existing encrypted passwords remain unchanged and continue to work.

For applications that require retrieval of clear passwords, such as middle-tier authentication agents, the directory administrator needs to configure the server to perform either a two-way encrypting or no encryption on user passwords. In this instance, the clear passwords stored in the directory are protected by the directory ACL mechanism.

Two-way encrypting format:
- AES

A two-way encryption option, AES, is provided to allow values of the userPassword attribute to be encrypted in the directory and retrieved as part of an entry in the original clear format. It can be configured to use 128-, 192-, and 256-bit key lengths. Some applications such as middle-tier authentication servers require passwords to be retrieved in clear text format, however, corporate security policies might prohibit storing clear passwords in a secondary permanent storage. This option satisfies both requirements.

A simple bind will succeed if the password provided in the bind request matches any of the multiple values of the userPassword attribute.

When you configure the server using Web Administration, you can select one of the following encryption options:

**None**  No encryption. Passwords are stored in the clear text format.

**crypt**  Passwords are encrypted by the UNIX crypt encrypting algorithm before they are stored in the directory.

**MD5**  Passwords are encrypted by the MD5 Message Digest algorithm before they are stored in the directory.

**SHA-1**  Passwords are encrypted by the SHA-1 encrypting algorithm before they are stored in the directory.

**Salted SHA-1**  Passwords are encrypted by the Salted SHA-1 encrypting algorithm before they are stored in the directory.

**SHA-2**  Passwords are encrypted by the SHA-2 family of encrypting algorithm
before they are stored in the directory. The supported encryption schemes under the SHA-2 family of encryption algorithm are:

- SHA-224
- SHA-256
- SHA-384
- SHA-512

**Salted SHA-2**

Passwords are encrypted by the Salted SHA-2 family of encrypting algorithm before they are stored in the directory. The supported encryption schemes under the Salted SHA-2 family of encryption algorithm are:

- SSHA-224
- SSHA-256
- SSHA-384
- SSHA-512

**AES128**

Passwords are encrypted by the AES128 algorithm before they are stored in the directory and are retrieved as part of an entry in the original clear format.

**AES192**

Passwords are encrypted by the AES192 algorithm before they are stored in the directory and are retrieved as part of an entry in the original clear format.

**AES256**

Passwords are encrypted by the AES256 algorithm before they are stored in the directory and are retrieved as part of an entry in the original clear format.

**Note:** The imask format that was available in previous releases is no longer an encryption option. However, any existing imask encrypted values still work.

The default option is AES256. A change is registered in a password encryption directive of the server configuration file:

```
ibm-SlapdPwEncryption: AES256
```

The server configuration file is located in:

```
instance_directory\etc\ibmslapd.conf
```

In addition to `userPassword`, values of the `secretKey` attribute are always "AES256" encrypted in the directory. Unlike `userPassword`, this encrypting is enforced for values of `secretKey`. No other option is provided. The `secretKey` attribute is an IBM defined schema. Applications may use this attribute to store sensitive data that need to be always encrypted in the directory and to retrieve the data in clear text format using the directory access control.


To specify the type of password encryption, use one of the following methods:
Using Web Administration

If you have not done so already, click Server administration in the Web Administration navigation area and then click Manage security properties in the expanded list. Click the Password encryption tab.

To set password encryption:
1. Select a password encryption type from the Set the password encryption mechanism combo box.
2. When you are finished, do one of the following:
   - Click OK to apply your changes and exit this panel.
   - Click Apply to apply your changes and stay on this panel.
   - Click Cancel to exit this panel without making any changes.

Using the command line

To change the type of encryption using the command line, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:
```
dn: cn=configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdPWEncryption
ibm-slapdPWEncryption: password_encryption_mechanism
```

Here, the ibm-slapdPWEncryption attribute can be assigned any of the following values: none, aes128, aes192, aes256, crypt, sha, ssha, md5, sha224, sha256, sha384, sha512, ssha224, ssha256, ssha384, or ssha512.

To cause the updated settings to take effect dynamically, issue the following idsldapexop command:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope single
"cn=configuration" ibm-slapdPWEncryption
```

**Notes:**
1. If the UNIX crypt method is used, only the first 8 characters are effective.
2. A one-way encrypted password can be used for password matching but it cannot be decrypted. During user login, the login password is encrypted and compared with the stored version for matching verification.

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Setting password policy

Password policy is a set of rules that controls how passwords are used and administered in IBM Security Directory Server. These rules are made to ensure that users change their passwords periodically, and that the passwords meet the organization’s syntactic password requirements. These rules can also restrict the reuse of old passwords and ensure that users are locked out after a defined number of failed bind attempts.

When an administrator sends a request to turn on password policy, the ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime attribute is generated by the server. This attribute is an optional attribute which cannot be deleted or modified by a client request. Only administrators with administrative control can modify the ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime attribute. The value of this attribute is changed when the Password Policy is turned on and off by an administrator. When the ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime attribute
is turned on and off, the value of the attribute gets reset and the user entry’s last changed time which is evaluated based on the entry’s modifyTimestamp and the ibn-pwdPolicyStartTime may get changed. As a result, some old passwords which would have expired may not expire when the password policy is turned off and on.

**Note:** It is essential to note that a password policy entry has to be created before it can be associated with a user or a group entry as an individual or a group password policy. If the referenced password policy entry does not exist, a message "unwilling to perform" is returned. Once a password policy entry has been referenced by a user or group entry, it cannot be renamed or deleted unless the association between the entry and the user or group entry has been removed.

For additional information about passwords see "Password Guidelines" on page 222.

Security Directory Server provides three types of password policies: individual, group, and global password policies.

**Global Password Policy**

When a global password policy entry (cn=pwdpolicy,cn=ibmpolicies) is created by the server, the attribute ibm-pwdPolicy is set to FALSE, which is the default value. This means that all password policy entries will be ignored by the server. Only when the ibm-pwdPolicy attribute is set to TRUE the password rules are enforced by the server. When a global password policy is enforced and the ibm-pwdGroupAndIndividualEnabled attribute in cn=pwdpolicy,cn=ibmpolicies is set to TRUE, the group and individual password policies are also considered when evaluating the password policy.

**Note:** A global administrative group member, primary administrator, and local admin group members with administrative control can enable/disable group and individual password policies.

**Group Password Policy**

The group password policy enables members of a group to be controlled by a set of special password rules. For group password policy, ibm-pwdGroupPolicyDN attribute pointing to a password policy entry can be used in any user group objects such as accessGroup, accessRole, and groupOfNames.

Since a user entry may belong to more than one group, multiple group password policy entries will be evaluated before the user’s group policy can be determined. In order to evaluate a composite group policy, group password policy entries are combined to form a union of attributes with the most restrictive attribute values taking precedence.

**Individual Password Policy**

Individual password policy enables every user entry to have its own password policy. For individual password policy, attribute ibm-pwdIndividualPolicyDN pointing to a password policy entry can be used to extend a user to have its own password policy entry. By changing the attributes of the password policy entry, an administrator can effectively manage password policy for a set of users without modifying any of the user entries.
Note: By assigning a value of cn=noPwdPolicy to attribute ibm-pwdIndividualPolicyDN for a password policy extended user entry, an administrator may exempt a user from any password policy controls.

Password Policy Evaluation

To evaluate a user’s effective password policy, all password policies associated with a user are taken into consideration starting with the individual password policy. Next, the group password policy is considered and finally the global password policy is taken into consideration. If an attribute is not defined in the individual password policy entry, it will be searched in the composite group password policy entry. If it is not found in the composite group policy entry, the attribute in the global password policy entry will be used. In case the attribute is not defined in the global password policy entry, then the default value will be assumed.

Note: The effective password policy extended operation (effectpwdpolicy) is used to display the effective password policy of a given user. Information about the password policy entries which are used to calculate the effective password policy is also displayed using this extended operation. For more information about this extended operation, see the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference.

Evaluation of a user’s Group Password Policy

Since a user entry may belong to more than one group, multiple group password policy entries may be evaluated to determine a user’s composite group policy. Following are the rules for determining a user’s composite group password policy:

1. If ibm-pwdPolicy is set to False in a Password policy entry, no attributes defined in the entry will be used to determine the composite group password policy. If the attribute is not set, then the default value of False is assumed for the attribute.

2. If ibm-pwdGroupPolicyDN has a value of cn=noPwdPolicy in all the groups that a user belongs to, no composite group password will be evaluated for the user. In this case, unless the user has an individual password policy defined, no policy (not even the global) will be applied.

3. An attribute defined with a non-default value is more restrictive than if defined with a default value which, in turn, is more restrictive than if it is not defined at all.

4. The password policy attributes passwordMinAlphaChars, pwdMinLength, and passwordMinOtherChars are interdependent. For instance, the value of passwordMinAlphaChars must be set to less than or equal to the value in pwdMinLength minus the value in passwordMinOtherChars. Due to this inter-dependency among attribute values, if one attribute is selected from a policy, then the other two attributes are also selected from the same policy. The order of selection will be pwdMinLength, passwordMinOtherChars, and passwordAlphaChars. This means that the selection will be based on picking the largest value for pwdMinLength. In case of a situation where two group policies have the same value for the pwdMinLength attribute, then the one with the largest value for passwordMinOtherChars will be selected. Once an attribute is selected, the other two attributes will be selected automatically.

5. The passwordMaxConsecutiveRepeatedChars attribute is used to restrict the maximum successive repetitions of a given character in the password. Both passwordMaxRepeatedChars and passwordMaxConsecutiveRepeatedChars can be enabled or disabled independent of each other. However, if both these attributes are enabled, then the following rules are applicable:-
• The value of passwordMaxRepeatedChars attribute must be greater than or equal to the value of passwordMaxConsecutiveRepeatedChars attribute.

• In case multiple password policies are enabled, passwordMaxConsecutiveRepeatedChars will be picked up from the same policy as was used to pick up passwordMaxRepeatedChars. If passwordMaxRepeatedChars is disabled in all policies, then the most restrictive value of passwordMaxConsecutiveRepeatedChars would be picked up.

• If the passwordMaxConsecutiveRepeatedChars attribute is set to 0, then the number of consecutive repeated characters is not checked. If passwordMaxConsecutiveRepeatedChars is set to 1, then a given character cannot be immediately followed by another character of the same type. For instance, if the passwordMaxConsecutiveRepeatedChars attribute is set to 1 then ‘aba’ is a valid value for a password but ‘aab’ will be an invalid value.

Similarly, if the passwordMaxConsecutiveRepeatedChars attribute is set to 2, then the maximum number of times a character can occur consecutively in a password is 2.

6. Attributes in all the group password policy entries are combined to form a union of attributes with the most restrictive attribute values taking precedence. Given below is a table that describes how the most restrictive attribute values are determined:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Password Policy Attribute</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>More restrictive value</th>
<th>Valid values</th>
<th>Default values</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>pwdAttribute</td>
<td>The pwdAttribute attribute specifies the name of the attribute to which the password policy is being applied. This attribute can only be set to the userPassword attribute.</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>userPassword</td>
<td>userPassword</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>(pwdMinAge)</td>
<td>The pwdMinAge attribute specifies the number of seconds that must pass since the modification of last password, before modifying a password.</td>
<td>Greater</td>
<td>Greater than or equal (GE) to 0</td>
<td>0 - no age limit</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>(pwdMaxAge)</td>
<td>The pwdMaxAge attribute specifies the number of seconds after which a password will expire (0 means password does not expire).</td>
<td>Less</td>
<td>GE 0</td>
<td>0 - password does not expire</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>(pwdInHistory)</td>
<td>The pwdInHistory attribute specifies the number of passwords that are stored in the pwdHistory attribute.</td>
<td>Greater</td>
<td>0 to 10</td>
<td>0 - no password history</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Password Policy Attribute</td>
<td>Description</td>
<td>More restrictive value</td>
<td>Valid values</td>
<td>Default values</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>---------------------------</td>
<td>-----------------------------------------------------------------------------</td>
<td>------------------------</td>
<td>------------------------------------------------------------------------------</td>
<td>----------------</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
| pwdCheckSyntax           | The pwdCheckSyntax attribute indicates whether the password will be checked for syntax. The values of the pwdCheckSyntax attribute indicates the following:  
  • '0' means syntax checking will not be enforced 
  • '1' means the server will check the syntax, and if the server is unable to check the syntax (due to a hashed password or other reasons) it will be accepted 
  • '2' means the server will check the syntax, and if the server is unable to check the syntax it returns an error refusing the password. | Greater                | 0, 1, 2  
  1 – if server not able to check the syntax, then accept password  
  2 – if server is not able to check the syntax, then reject the password | 0               |
| pwdMinLength             | The pwdMinLength attribute specifies the minimum length that must be set for the password string. The server will check the minimum length depending upon the value of the pwdCheckSyntax attribute. | Greater                | GE 0  
  0 – no minimum length                                      | 0 – no minimum length |
| pwdExpireWarning         | The pwdExpireWarning attribute specifies the maximum number of seconds before a password is about to expire during which the expiration warning messages will be returned to an authenticating user. | Greater                | GE 0  
  0 – no warnings will be sent                                | 0 – no warnings will be sent |
| pwdGraceLoginLimit       | The pwdGraceLoginLimit attribute specifies the number of times an expired password can be used to authenticate user. | Less                   | True/False False  
  0 – no grace login                                          | 0 – no grace login |
| pwdLockoutDuration       | The pwdLockoutDuration attribute specifies the number of seconds that the password cannot be used to authenticate due to the specified 'pwdMaxFailure' failed bind attempts. | Greater                | GE 0  
  0 – locked out until reset                                  | 0 – locked out until reset |
| pwdMaxFailure            | The pwdMaxFailure attribute specifies the maximum number of consecutive failed bind attempts allowed, after which the password will not be considered for authentication. If a value of 0 is set to the pwdMaxFailure attribute then the value of pwdLockout will be ignored. | Less                   | True/False False  
  0 – failure count, no lockout                               | 0 – failure count, no lockout |
| pwdFailureCountInterval  | The pwdFailureCountInterval attribute specifies the number of seconds after which the password failure entries are removed from the failure counter following a valid or invalid bind attempt. For a valid bind, the password failures are removed from the user entry. For an invalid bind, the password failure entries before the expiry of pwdFailureCountInterval are removed and the most recent password failure entry is recorded in the user entry. | Greater                | GE 0  
  0 – no count, reset by successfully authentication          | 0 – no count, reset by successfully authentication |
| pwdMustChange            | The pwdMustChange attribute specifies whether the users must change their passwords when they first bind to the directory after the administrator has reset their passwords. | True                   | True/False False  
  True/False if cn=noPwdPolicy                                | True/False if cn=noPwdPolicy |
Table 23. Determining the most restrictive attribute values (continued)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Password Policy Attribute</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>More restrictive value</th>
<th>Valid values</th>
<th>Default values</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>pwdAllowUserChange</td>
<td>The pwdAllowUserChange attribute specifies whether the users are allowed to change their own passwords.</td>
<td>True</td>
<td>True/False</td>
<td>True</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pwdSafeModify</td>
<td>The pwdSafeModify attribute specifies whether the existing password must be sent when changing a password.</td>
<td>True</td>
<td>True/False</td>
<td>False</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicy</td>
<td>The ibm-pwdPolicy attribute specifies whether the password policy is to be turned ON or OFF.</td>
<td>True</td>
<td>True/False</td>
<td>False</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>passwordMinAlphaChars</td>
<td>The passwordMinAlphaChars attribute specifies the minimum number of alphabet characters that the password string must have. If the server is unable to check the number of alphabetic characters, then the server will continue processing depending on the value of the pwdCheckSyntax attribute.</td>
<td>Greater GE 0</td>
<td>0 – no min alpha will be enforced</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>passwordMinOtherChars</td>
<td>The passwordMinOtherChars attribute specifies the minimum number of numeric and special characters that the password string must have. If the server is unable to check the number of other characters, then the server will continue processing depending on the value of the pwdCheckSyntax attribute.</td>
<td>Less GE 0</td>
<td>0 – no max repeated char</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>passwordMaxRepeatedChars</td>
<td>The passwordMaxRepeatedChars attribute specifies the maximum number of times a given character can be used in a password. If the server is unable to check the actual password characters, then the server will continue processing depending on the value of the pwdCheckSyntax attribute.</td>
<td>Less GE 0</td>
<td>0 – no maximum consecutive repeated character</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>passwordMinDiffChars</td>
<td>The passwordMinDiffChars attribute specifies the minimum number of characters in the new password that must be different from the characters in the old password, and any passwords stored in the pwdHistory. If the password has been one-way encrypted the server is unable to check actual password characters, then the server will continue processing depending on the value of the pwdCheckSyntax attribute.</td>
<td>Greater GE 0</td>
<td>0 - no minimum number of different characters between passwords</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Based on the rules defined above, a user’s composite group policy is determined. To gain a better understanding of how a composite group policy is determined, consider some examples given in the table below:
### Table 24. Determining the composite group policy

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Group X password policy</th>
<th>Group Y password policy</th>
<th>Group Z password policy</th>
<th>Composite group password policy</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>pwdMaxAge = 86400</td>
<td>pwdMaxAge = 43200</td>
<td>pwdMaxAge = 1</td>
<td>pwdMaxAge = 86400</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicy = True</td>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicy = True</td>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStarttime = 20060406200000</td>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStarttime = 20060306200000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pwdMaxAge = 43200</td>
<td>pwdMaxAge = True</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicy = True</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pwdSafeMode = True</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pwdMaxFailure = 5</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStarttime = 20060306200000</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStarttime = 20060406200000</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Note:** Group Y’s passwd policy is not used in calculating composite group policy, since its ibm-pwdPolicy is not defined and therefore it defaults to FALSE.

### Evaluation of a user’s Effective Password Policy

A user’s effective password policy is evaluated only if the ibm-pwdPolicy attribute is set to TRUE in the global password policy entry. Other password policies, such as individual and group policy, can still be enabled when the global policy is disabled, but these policy rules will have no effect on the user.

The attribute ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime is set to the current system time when ibm-pwdPolicy is set to TRUE. This can be done even if the global password policy entry is set to FALSE. However, the ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime value will not be used for effective policy evaluation unless the global policy is enabled. Once the global policy is enabled, the value of this attribute will be selected from a user’s individual, then group and then the global policy. Since ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime exists in every active password policy, the start time of an individual policy, if it exists, will always override any other policy start time as the start time of the user’s effective password policy.
Given below is a set of examples that explain how a user’s effective password policy is determined.

Table 25. Determining the effective password policy

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Individual password policy</th>
<th>Group password policy</th>
<th>Global password policy</th>
<th>Effective password policy</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>pwdMaxAge = 86400</td>
<td>pdfMinAge = 43200</td>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicy = True</td>
<td>pwdMaxAge = 86400</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicy = True</td>
<td></td>
<td>pwdMinAge = 43200</td>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicy = True</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pwdMinAge = 21600</td>
<td>pdfMinHistory = 5</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pwdLockout = True</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060406200000</td>
<td>pwdCheckSyntax = 0</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060406200000</td>
<td>pwdMinLength = 0</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060506200000</td>
<td>pwdExpireWarning = 0</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060406200000</td>
<td>pwdGraceLoginLimit = 0</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060506200000</td>
<td>pwdLockoutDuration = 0</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060506200000</td>
<td>pwdMaxFailure = 0</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060406200000</td>
<td>passwordMinAlphaChars = 0</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060506200000</td>
<td>passwordMinOtherChars = 0</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060406200000</td>
<td>passwordMaxRepeatedChars = 0</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060506200000</td>
<td>passwordMinDiffChars = 0</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060506200000</td>
<td>pwdLockout = False</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060506200000</td>
<td>pwdAllowUserChange = True</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060506200000</td>
<td>pwdMustChange = True</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060506200000</td>
<td>pwdSafeModify = False</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060406200000</td>
<td>pwdExpireWarning = 0</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060406200000</td>
<td>pwdGraceLoginLimit = 0</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime = 20060406200000</td>
<td>pwdLockoutDuration = 0</td>
<td></td>
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</table>
### Table 25. Determining the effective password policy (continued)

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<tr>
<th>Individual password policy</th>
<th>Group password policy</th>
<th>Global password policy</th>
<th>Effective password policy</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>pwdMaxAge = 86400</td>
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<td>ibm-pwdPolicy = True</td>
<td>pwdMaxAge = 86400</td>
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<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicy = True</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pwdMinAge = 21600</td>
<td></td>
<td>pwdMinAge = 0</td>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicy = True</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
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<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pwdMinLength = 8</td>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStarttime = 20060306200000</td>
<td>pwdMinLength = 10</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pwdLockout = True</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicyStarttime = 20060406200000</td>
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<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>passwordMaxConsecutiveRepeatedChars=1</td>
<td></td>
<td>passwordMaxConsecutiveRepeatedChars=4</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>passwordMaxRepeatedChars=0</td>
<td></td>
<td>passwordMaxRepeatedChars=0</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicy = True</td>
<td></td>
<td>ibm-pwdPolicy = True</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

## Password policy attributes

The password policy feature provides several operational attributes containing the password policy state information for a given directory entry. These attributes can be used to query for entries in a particular state (password has expired) and by an administrator to override certain policy conditions (unlock a locked account). See “Password policy operational attributes” on page 607.

## Summary of default settings

The following table shows default password policy settings for user passwords.

### Table 26. User password policy settings

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Web Administration Tool parameter</th>
<th>Default setting</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Password policy enabled: ibm-pwdPolicy</td>
<td>false</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Password encryption: ibm-slapdPwEncryption:</td>
<td>AES256</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Users must specify old password when changing the password: pwdSafeModify</td>
<td>false</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>User must change password after reset: pwdMustChange</td>
<td>true</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Password expiration: pwdMaxAge</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Number of grace logins after expiration: pwdGraceLoginLimit</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Table 26. User password policy settings (continued)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Web Administration Tool parameter</th>
<th>Default setting</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Account is locked out after a specified number of consecutive failed bind attempts: pwdLockout</td>
<td>false</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Number of consecutive failed bind attempts before locking out the account: pwdMaxFailure</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Minimum time between password changes: pwdMinAge</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Amount of time before an account lockout expires or lockouts never expire: pwdLockoutDuration</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Amount of time before an incorrect login expires or incorrect login is cleared only with correct password: pwdFailureCountInterval</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Minimum number of passwords before reuse: pwdInHistory</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Check password syntax: pwdCheckSyntax</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Minimum length: pwdMinLength</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Minimum number of alphabetic characters: passwordMinAlphaChars</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Minimum number of numeric and special characters: passwordMinOtherChars</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Maximum number of repeated characters: passwordMaxRepeatedChars</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Maximum number of consecutive repeated characters: passwordMaxConsecutiveRepeatedChars</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Minimum number of characters that must be different from the old password: passwordMinDiffChars</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

All users except the directory administrator, members of the administrative group and the master server DN are forced to comply with the configured user password policy. The passwords for the administrator, members of the administrative group and the master server DN never expire. The directory administrator, members of the administrative group and the master server DN have sufficient access control privileges to modify users’ passwords and the user password policy. Global administration group members are subject to user password policy and have the authority to modify the user password policy settings.

The password policy for administrators, members of the administrative group and the master server DN is set in the configuration file.

Table 27. Administration Password Policy Settings

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Administration password requirements</th>
<th>Default setting</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Password policy enabled: ibm-slapdConfigPwdPolicyOn</td>
<td>false</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Account is locked out after a specified number of consecutive failed bind attempts: pwdLockout</td>
<td>true</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Maximum number of incorrect logins until password lockout: pwdMaxFailure</td>
<td>10</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Amount of time before an account lockout expires or lockouts never expire: pwdLockoutDuration</td>
<td>300</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Amount of time before an incorrect login expires or incorrect login is cleared only with correct password: pwdFailureCountInterval</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Table 27. Administration Password Policy Settings (continued)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Administration password requirements</th>
<th>Default setting</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Minimum length: pwdMinLength</td>
<td>8</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Minimum number of alphabetic characters: passwordMinAlphaChars</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Minimum number of numeric and special characters: passwordMinOtherChars</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Maximum number of repeated characters: passwordMaxRepeatedChars</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Minimum number of characters that must be different from the old password: passwordMinDiffChars</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Administration password policy is set to false by default. Turning on the administration password policy, enables the other attributes with the default settings.

Password Guidelines

The following section provides details of the supported values of the password attribute for user entries in IBM Security Directory Server, as well as the accounts used to administer the LDAP environment. It also provides guidelines of what characters to avoid to reduce confusion when attempting to run the directory server command line tools and C-API interfaces.

IBM Security Directory Server has two types of user accounts:

- Administration accounts (LDAP Administrator (cn=root), members of the Administrator Group, or the master server DN) that are stored in the instance_directory/etc/ibmslapd.conf file.
- User entries (iNetOrgPerson) that have a password attribute used with Directory Server C and Java (JNDI) APIs. These are the interfaces that applications, such as IBM Tivoli Access Manager and WebSphere use. While the directory server supports a wide variety of values for password entries, you need to review the application documentation to confirm what guidelines or restrictions apply.

**Note:** Global administration group member entries are stored in the directory and are considered as User entries.

Details of the supported password values using IBM Security Directory Server are explained in the following sections.

**Note:** The LDAP DB2 user is stored in the configuration file, but is not subject to password policy.

Passwords for user entries (InetOrgPerson)

In 6.0 and later releases, the following characters are supported for the userPassword attribute field to be stored in the Directory Server using the C and java APIs. Applications, such as Policy Director, WebSphere, and so on, that are using the Directory Server might have additional restrictions on password values. For details, review the product documentation for these specific products.

- All upper and lower case English alpha and numeric characters.
- All other ASCII single-byte characters are supported.
- Double-byte characters are supported for languages specified in the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Installation and Configuration Guide.*
• Passwords are case sensitive. (For example, if the password = TeSt, using a password of TEST or test fails. Only the exact case, TeSt, works.)

**LDAP ibmslapd.conf users:**
In 6.0 and later releases, the following characters are supported for passwords of users that are in the `instance_directory/etc/ibmslapd.conf` file.

• All uppercase and lowercase English alpha and numeric characters are supported.
• All other ASCII single-byte characters are supported.
• Passwords are case sensitive. (For example, if the password = TeSt, using a password of TEST or test fails. Only the exact case, TeSt, works.)

**Notes:**
1. The defined users in the `ibmslapd.conf` file can include the following:
   • LDAP Administrator (cn=root) - Primary administrator
   • Members of the Local Administrator Group
   • Master ID for Replication (cn=MASTER)
   • LDAP DB2 users for LDAP DB entry and change log databases (LDAPDB2)

   **Note:** The administrative password policy applies to all these users except the DB2 user.

2. Double-byte characters in the administrator passwords are not supported.

**Using the Web Administration Tool to modify password attributes:**
Using the Web Administration Tool, the following characters are supported for adding or modifying the password attribute field:

• All uppercase and lowercase English alpha and numeric characters are supported.
• All other ASCII single-byte characters are supported.
• Passwords are case sensitive. (For example, if the password = TeSt, using a password of TEST or test fails. Only the exact case, TeSt, works.)

**Notes:**
1. Double-byte characters are not supported for the administrator password.
2. Double-byte characters are supported for user passwords.

**Special characters**
Avoid using the following characters because the operating shell might interpret these "special" characters:

``, `\`, `"`, `|`

For example, using the 6.0 and later versions of Web Administration Tool to assign a user password attribute to the value:

```
"test"
```

requires the following password from the command line to be used:

```
-w"\\"test\\""
```

Here is an example search:
idsldapsearch -b" " -sbase -Dcn=newEntry,o=sample -w"\"test\" objectclass=*  

Note: This password works in the Web Administration Tool's Java application using the original password without the escape character. In the previous example, the Web Administration Tool bind password is the same as the one that was entered when assigning the password in the Web Administration Tool:
"\"test\"

Setting the administration password and lockout policy

Note: The administration password policy is set using the command line only. The Web administration tool does not support administration password policy.

To turn on the administration password policy, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -p port -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:
```
dn: cn=pwdPolicy Admin,cn=Configuration  
changetype: modify  
replace: ibm-slapdConfigPwdPolicyOn  
ibm-slapdConfigPwdPolicyOn: true  
```

To enable the administration password policy and modify the default settings, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -p port -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:
```
dn: cn=pwdPolicy Admin,cn=Configuration  
changetype: modify  
replace: ibm-slapdConfigPwdPolicyOn  
ibm-slapdConfigPwdPolicyOn: TRUE  
replace: pwdlockout  
pwdlockout: TRUE  
#select TRUE to enable, FALSE to disable  
replace:pwdmaxfailure  
pwdmaxfailure: 10  
replace:pwdlockoutduration  
pwdlockoutduration: 300  
# Value of pwdlockoutduration is in seconds.  
replace:pwdfailurecountinterval  
pwdfailurecountinterval: 0  
replace:pwdminlength  
pwdminlength: 8  
replace:passwordminalphachars  
passwordminalphachars: 2  
replace:passwordminotherchars  
passwordminotherchars: 2  
replace:passwordmaxrepeatedchars  
passwordmaxrepeatedchars: 2  
replace:passwordmindiffchars  
passwordmindiffchars: 2
```

Unlocking administrative accounts

When an administrator unlocks an account by modifying a local admin group member or master server DN password, the account remains locked until the execution of read configuration exop when new password becomes effective. The password modification for a local admin group member does not take effect until a dynamic configuration update request is made. When an administrator changes a configuration file, the administrator must issue a dynamic update request immediately.

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

dn: cn=admin1,cn=admingroup,cn=configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdadminpw
ibm-slapdadminpw: newpassword123

To update the settings dynamically, issue the following idsldapexop command:

```bash
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope entire
```

**Note:** When the administrator's account is locked, the only way to unlock the account is by logging on to the local console.

Setting the global password policy

The global password policy applies to entries stored in the RDBM backend. To set the global password policy, use one of the following procedures.

**Using Web Administration**

If you have not done so already, click Server administration in the Web Administration navigation area and then click Manage password policies in the expanded list. On this panel, you can do the following:

- Add a new password policy in the DIT.
- Edit an existing password policy.
- Create a copy of an existing password policy by providing a new name and location of the policy.
- Delete an exiting password policy.

**Note:** The global password policy cannot be deleted.

- View the details of a selected password policy.

To add a password policy:

To add a new password policy in the DIT, click the Add button or select Add from the Select Action list and then click Go on the Password policies table. This launches the Policy definition wizard in which the user can define a new password policy by providing a unique password policy name and the required attributes and their values.

**Attribute selection:** Attribute selection, Password policy settings 1, Password policy settings 2, and Password policy settings 3 panels make up the Policy definition wizard. Users can use these panels of the Policy definition wizard to add a new password policy, edit an existing password policy, and create a copy of an existing password policy.

While adding a new password policy or copying an existing password policy, user must provide a unique name for the password policy on the Attribute selection panel. Users can also provide values for the required attributes by selecting the...
attributes from the Attribute selection table. While editing an existing password policy, users are not allowed to modify the password policy name but can modify the values of the attributes of the selected password policy.

Note: Based on the selection of the attributes from the Attribute selection table on the Attribute selection panel, user may not be required to traverse though all the panels of the Policy definition wizard while adding a new password policy or editing or copying an existing password policy.

On this panel, you can do the following:

- Enter a unique password policy name in the Policy name field. For Add and Copy operations, users must provide a unique password policy name. In case of the Edit operation, the Policy name field is read-only.
- Select the attributes from the table that you want to include in the password policy overriding the values of these attributes that is in the global password policy.

Password policy settings 1: The controls on the Password policy settings 1 panel are displayed based on the selection of the attributes on the Attribute selection panel. On this panel, you can do the following:

1. To enable the password policy, select the **Enabled (ibm-pwdPolicy)** check box. To disable the password policy, clear the **Enabled (ibm-pwdPolicy)** check box. The attribute ibm-pwdPolicy is associated with this control.
2. To allow user to change their password, select the **User can change password (pwdAllowUserChange)** check box.
3. To ensure that the user change the password after it is reset by the administrator, select the **User must change password after reset (pwdMustChange)** check box.
4. To ensure that the user specify the current password while setting a new password, select the **User must specify current password while changing (pwdSafeModify)** check box.
5. To set the start date and time of password policy, enter date and time in the fields under Password policy start time (ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime). To set date, users can use the calendar by clicking the calendar icon.
   
   Note: Only administrators and the members of local administrative group can set the start date and time of the password policy.
6. In this group, you can set the number of days after which the password expires. If you select **Days**, you must enter the number of days in the field. Otherwise, to ensure that password never expires, select **Password never expires**.
7. In this group, you can set the minimum age of the password. If you select **Days**, you must enter the number of days in the field after which the password can be changed after the last password change. Otherwise, select **Password can be changed anytime**.
8. In this group, you can set the number of days before the password expires at which to display password expiry warning status. If you select **Days before expiration**, you must enter a value in the field for the number of days before the password expires, in order to warn the user about password expiration. Otherwise, select **Never warn**.
9. In the **Logins** field, enter the number of grace login attempts allowed after the password has expired.
After you have finished, do one of the following:

- Click **Back** to navigate to the Attribute selection panel.
- Click **Next** to navigate to continue with configuring of password policy.
- Click **Cancel** to discard all changes and navigate to the Manage password policies panel.
- Click **Finish** to save all the changes and navigate to the Manage password policies panel.

**Password policy settings 2:** The Password policy settings 2 panel and the controls on the Password policy settings 2 panel are displayed based on the selection of the attributes on the Attribute selection panel. On this panel, you can do the following:

1. Set the maximum number of failed bind attempts allowed by a user before password locks out. If you select **Attempts**, you must enter a value for maximum number of failed bind attempts allowed before password lockout. To specify the maximum number of failed bind attempts allowed before password lockout as unlimited, select **Unlimited**.
2. Set the duration for which the password authentication will remain locked. To specify the duration, you must select and then enter a value for the duration in the field and select the unit from the combo box. Otherwise, select **Infinite**.
3. Set the duration after which failed bind attempts should be flushed. To specify the duration, you must select and then enter a value for the duration in the field and select the unit from the combo box. Otherwise, select **Infinite**.

**Password policy settings 3:** The Password policy settings 3 panel and the controls on the Password policy settings 3 panel are displayed based on the selection of the attributes on the Attribute selection panel. On this panel, you can do the following:

1. In the **Minimum number of passwords before reuse (pwdInHistory)** field, enter a value for the minimum number of password to be stored before reusing the old password.
2. Select a check password syntax item from the **Check password syntax (pwdCheckSyntax)** list to specify whether the syntax of password should be checked or not. The items available in the **Check password syntax (pwdCheckSyntax)** list are Do not check syntax, Check syntax (two-way encrypted only), and Check syntax.
3. In the **Minimum length (pwdMinLength)** field, enter a value for the minimum length of the password to be used.
4. In the **Minimum number of alphabetic characters (passwordMinAlphaChars)** field, enter a value for the minimum numbers of alphabetic characters that a password should contain.
5. In the **Minimum number of numeric and special characters (passwordMinOtherChars)** field, enter a value for the minimum numbers of numeric and special characters that a password should contain.
6. In the **Maximum number of times a character can be used in password (passwordMaxRepeatedChars)** field, enter a value for the maximum numbers of repeated characters that is allowed in a password.
7. In the **Maximum number of consecutive repeated characters (passwordMaxConsecutiveRepeatedChars)** field, enter a value for the maximum number of consecutive repeated characters that are allowed in a password.
8. In the Minimum number of characters different from previous password (passwordMinDiffChars) field, enter a value for the minimum numbers of characters in a new password that should be different from the previous password.

**To edit a password policy:** To edit an existing password policy, select the required row and click the Edit button or select Edit from the Select Action list and then click Go on the Password policies table. This launches the Policy definition wizard with the selected password policy. User can edit the selected password policy by modifying the required attributes and their values.

**To create a copy of an existing password policy:** To create a copy of an existing password policy, select the required row and click the Copy button or select Copy from the Select Action list and then click Go on the Password policies table. This launches the Policy definition wizard with the selected password policy. To copy, user must provide a new password policy name and the location of the policy and is allowed to make changes to the attribute values.

**To delete a password policy:** To delete an existing password policy, select the required row and click the Delete button or select Delete from the Select Action list and then click Go on the Password policies table.

**Note:** The global password policy cannot be deleted.

**Using the command line**

To enable the password policy, issue the following command:

```bash
tools/idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -p port -k
dn: cn=pwdpolicy,cn=ibmpolicies
ibm-pwdpolicy:true
ibm-pwdGroupAndIndividualEnabled:true
```

To define group and individual password policies issue the following commands:

```bash
tools/idsldapadd -D adminDN -w adminPW
dn:cn=grp1_pwd_policy,cn=ibmpolicies
objectclass: container
objectclass: pwdPolicy
objectclass: ibm-pwdPolicyExt
objectclass: top
cn:grp_pwd_policy
pwdAttribute: userPassword
pwdGraceLoginLimit: 1
pwdLockoutDuration: 30
pwdMaxFailure: 2
pwdMaxAge: 999
pwdExpireWarning: 0
pwdMinLength: 8
pwdLockout: true
pwdAllowUserChange: true
pwdMustChange: false
ibm-pwdpolicy:true
```

```bash
tools/idsldapadd -D adminDN -w adminPW
dn:cn=individual1_pwd_policy,cn=ibmpolicies
objectclass: container
objectclass: pwdPolicy
objectclass: ibm-pwdPolicyExt
objectclass: top
cn:grp_pwd_policy
pwdAttribute: userPassword
pwdGraceLoginLimit: 3
pwdLockoutDuration: 50
```

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pwdMaxFailure: 3
pwdFailureCountInterval: 7
pwdMaxAge: 500
pwdExpireWarning: 0
pwdMinLength: 5
pwdLockout: true
pwdAllowUserChange: true
pwdMustChange: false
ibm-pwdpolicy:true

To associate the group and individual password policies with a group or a user, issue the following commands. For instance, to associate a group password policy with a group:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -k
dn: cn=group1,o=sample
changetype: modify
add: ibm-pwdGroupPolicyDN
ibm-pwdGroupPolicyDN: cn=grp1_pwd_policy,cn=ibmpolicies
```

To associate an individual password policy with a user:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -k
dn: cn=user1,o=sample
changetype: modify
add: ibm-pwdIndividualPolicyDN
ibm-pwdIndividualPolicyDN: cn=Individual1_pwd_policy,cn=ibmpolicies
```

### Changing password when pwdsafemodify is set

When using the Security Directory Server LDAP client, you can use the 'ldapchangepwd' utility to modify a user's password. However, if you are using LDAP client other than the IBM Security Directory Server client then you can change the userpassword as shown below.

Consider an example where you have a user 'cn=user,o=sample' with the password as 'passw001rd' and you need to update that password to 'passw007rd'. To do this, issue the following command:

```
ldapmodify -p port -D bindDN -w bindPassword -i input_file
dn: cn=user,o=sample
changetype: modify
delete: userpassword
userpassword: old_password_value
add: userpassword
userpassword: new_password_value
```

### Setting Kerberos

IBM Security Directory server supports Kerberos Version 1.4 servers, such as the IBM Network Authentication Service, for AIX servers and AIX 64-bit clients.

**Note:** You must have the IBM Network Authentication Service client installed to use Kerberos authentication.

Under Network Authentication Service, a client (generally either a user or a service) sends a request for a ticket to the Key Distribution Center (KDC). The KDC creates a ticket-granting ticket (TGT) for the client, encrypts it using the client's password as the key, and sends the encrypted TGT back to the client. The
client then attempts to decrypt the TGT, using its password. If the decryption is successful, the client retains the decrypted TGT, indicating proof of the client's identity.

The TGT, which expires at a specified time, permits the client to obtain additional tickets that give permission for specific services. The requesting and granting of these additional tickets does not require user intervention.

Network Authentication Service negotiates authenticated, optionally encrypted communications between two points on the network. It can enable applications to provide a layer of security that is not dependent on which side of a firewall either client is on. Because of this, Network Authentication Service can play a vital role in the security of your network.

You need to create an LDAP server servicename in the key distribution center (KDC) using the principal name ldap/hostname.mylocation.mycompany.com.

Note: An environment variable "LDAP_KRB_SERVICE_NAME" is used to determine the case of the LDAP Kerberos service name. If the variable is set to 'LDAP' then the uppercase LDAP Kerberos service name is used. If the variable is not set, then the lowercase ldap is used. This environment variable is used by both the LDAP client and the server. By default this variable is not set. See the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Troubleshooting Guide for more detailed information about the Kerberos service name change.

Network Authentication Service provides the following components:

Key distribution center
The KDC is a trusted server that has access to the private keys of all the principals in a realm. The KDC is composed of two parts: the Authentication Server (AS) and the Ticket Granting Server (TGS). The AS handles initial client authentication by issuing a TGT. The TGS issues service tickets that can be used by the client to authenticate to a service.

Administration server
The administration server provides administrative access to the Network Authentication Service database. This database contains the principals, keys, policies, and other administrative information for the realm. The administration server allows adding, modifying, deleting, and viewing principals and policies.

Password change service
The password change service allows users to change their passwords. The password change service is provided by the administration server.

Client programs
Client programs are provided to manipulate credentials (tickets), manipulate keytab files, change passwords, and perform other basic Network Authentication Service operations.

Application programming interfaces (APIs)
Libraries and header files are provided to allow the development of secure distributed applications. The APIs provided are described in the Application Development Reference.
Using Web Administration

Under **Server administration**, expand the **Manage security properties** category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool. If your server supports Kerberos, that is, it has the kerberos supported capabilities OID 1.3.18.0.2.32.30, select the **Kerberos** tab. If your server does not support Kerberos, this tab is not displayed.

1. Select the **Enable Kerberos authentication** check box to enable Kerberos authentication.

   **Note:** You must have a Kerberos client installed to use Kerberos authentication.

2. Select the **Map Kerberos IDs to LDAP DNs** check box to enable the directory administrator to use the existing set of ACL data with the Kerberos authentication method. See “Identity mapping for Kerberos” on page 232 for more information.

3. Enter the Kerberos realm using the format `hostname.domainName`, for example, `TEST.AUSTIN.IBM.COM`. This format is case insensitive.

4. Enter the path and file name of the Kerberos keytab file. This file contains the private key of the LDAP server, as associated with its kerberos account. This file, and the SSL key database file, should be protected.

5. If you are logged in as the directory administrator, enter the Alternate administrator ID using the format `ibm-kn=value@realm` or `ibm-KerberosName=value@realm` for example, `ibm-kn=root@TEST.AUSTIN.IBM.COM`. This field cannot be edited by members of the administrative group.

   **Note:** This ID must be a valid ID in your Kerberos realm. This ID value is case insensitive.

6. When you are finished, click **Apply** to save your changes without exiting, or click **OK** to apply your changes and exit, or click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

Using the command line

To create a Kerberos entry, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

- `dn: cn=Kerberos, cn=Configuration`
- `cn: Kerberos`
- `ibm-slapdKrbAdminDN: ibm-kn=admin@MYREALM.AUSTIN.IBM.COM`
- `ibm-slapdKrbEnable: true`
- `ibm-slapdKrbIdentityMap: true`
- `ibm-slapdKrbKeyTab: /keytabs/mykeytab.keytab`
- `ibm-slapdKrbRealm: MYREALM.AUSTIN.IBM.COM`
- `objectclass: ibm-slapdKerberos`
- `objectclass: ibm-slapdconfigEntry`
- `objectclass: top`

To modify a Kerberos entry, for example to change the keytab file, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:
dn: cn=Kerberos, cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdKrbKeyTab
ibm-slapdKrbKeyTab: /keytabs/mynewkeytab.keytab

Using Kerberos

Before you can use the command line for Kerberos authentication, you need to do a Kerberos initialization. Issue the following command:

```
    kinit  kerberos_principlename@realm_name
```

To use Kerberos authentication you must specify the `-m` option with the GSSAPI parameter on the `idsldapadd` and `idsldapsearch` commands. For example:

```
    idsldapsearch -V 3  -m GSSAPI -b "cn=us" objectclass=* 
```

Identity mapping for Kerberos

Identity mapping enables the directory administrator to use the existing set of ACL data with the Kerberos authentication method. The ACL for IBM Security Directory Server is based on the distinguished name (DN) assigned to the client connected to the directory server. The access rights are based on the permissions granted for that DN and the permissions for any groups containing that DN as a member. If the bind method for GSSAPI is used (that is, Kerberos is used for authenticating to the server), the DN is something like IBM-KN=your_principal@YOUR_REALM_NAME. This type of DN can be used as members of access groups or access IDs. You can also use the Kerberos Identity Mapping feature to grant access rights for this DN to an entry already in the directory.

For example, if there is an entry in the directory for Reginald Bender:

```
    dn: cn=Reginald Bender, ou=internal users, o=ibm.com, c=US
    objectclass: top
    objectclass: person
    objectclass: organizationalperson
    cn: Reginald Bender
    sn: Bender
    aclentry: access-id:CN=THIS:critical:rwsc
    aclentry: group:CN=ANYBODY:normal:rsc
    userpassword: cL1eNt
```

The access rights for this entry allow anyone binding with the DN "cn=Reginald Bender, ou=internal users, o=ibm.com, c=US" to view critical data such as the password, but no one else.

If Reginald Bender used Kerberos to bind to the server, his DN could be something like IBM-KN=rbender@SW.REALM_1. If identity mapping is not enabled on the server, he is not allowed to view his own entry's password.

If identity mapping is enabled, he can view the password if this entry were changed to include:

```
    dn: cn=Reginald Bender, ou=internal users, o=ibm.com, c=US...
    objectclass: ibm-securityidentities
    altsecurityidentities: Kerberos:rbender@SW.REALM_1
```

When Reginald Bender binds to the directory server, the server first searches the whole directory to determine if the directory is a KDC (Key Distribution Center) account registry. If it is not, the server searches the directory for any entry containing an altsecurityidentities attribute with a value matching the Kerberos user principal and realm. In this example, rbender is the user principal and
SW.REALM_1 is the realm. This is the default for the Kerberos identity mapping. The bind fails if more than one entry has an attribute with this value. The mapping must be one-to-one. If the mapping is successful, Reginald Bender has all of the access rights for "cn=Reginald Bender, ou=internal users, o=ibm.com, c=US", including any access groups that has this as a member.

IBM Security Directory Server can be used to contain Kerberos account information (krbRealmName-V2 = realm_name and krbPrincipalName = princ_name@realm_name) to serve as the backing store for a KDC.

The server with Kerberos identity mapping enabled first searches the directory for entries with objectclass krbRealm-V2 and krbRealmName-V2 = realm_name, such as:

```
    dn: krbRealmName-V2=SW.REALM_1, o=ibm.com, c=US
    objectclass: krbRealm-V2
    krbRealmName-V2: SW.REALM_1
```

If no entries are found, the server uses the default Kerberos identity mapping described previously. If more than one entry is found, the bind fails.

However, if the directory contains the single entry:

```
    dn: krbRealmName-V2=SW.REALM_1, ou=Group, o=ibm.com, c=US
    objectclass: krbRealm-V2
    krbRealmName-V2: SW.REALM_1
    krbPrincSubtree: ou=internal users,o=ibm.com, c=US
    krbPrincSubtree: ou=external users,o=ibm.com, c=US
```

The server searches each subtree listed as a value of krbPrincSubtree for an entry with an attribute krbPrincipalName.

In this release, for identity mapping to work for Reginald Bender, you need to add two attributes to the "cn=Reginald Bender, ou=internal users, o=ibm.com, c=US" entry:

```
    objectclass: extensibleObject
    krbPrincipalName: rbender@SW.REALM_1
```

Depending on whether the directory is a KDC account registry, the final entry is:

```
    dn: cn=Reginald Bender, ou=internal users, o=ibm.com, c=US...
    objectclass: ibm-securityidentities
    altsecurityidentities: Kerberos:rbender@SW.REALM_1...
```

or for a KDC account registry:

```
    dn: cn=Reginald Bender, ou=internal users, o=ibm.com, c=US...
    objectclass: extensibleObject
    krbPrincipalName: rbender@SW.REALM_1
```

In either case, the client is mapped to "cn=Reginald Bender, ou=internal users, o=ibm.com, c=US".

If a DN is not mapped because no entry is found, the mapping fails but the bind is still successful. However, if more than one DN is mapped, the bind fails.

Identity mapping enables the existing ACLs to work with Kerberos authentication. A client using Kerberos with a mapped identity has two distinct identities, both of which are evaluated in granting access.
Identity mapping has some costs. The internal searches at bind time impact performance and identity mapping requires additional setup to add the appropriate attributes to the entries to be mapped.

In this release, if default identity mapping is used, the administrator (either Kerberos or LDAP) must make sure that the data in the KDC and the data in the LDAP server are synchronized. If the data is not synchronized, incorrect results might be returned because of incorrect ACL evaluation.

**Note:** The object class, such as `KrbPrincipal` and the attributes such as `KrbPrincSubtree`, `KrbAliasedObjectName`, and `KrbHintAliases` are used to define an IBM Directory as a Kerberos KDC. See the Kerberos documentation for more information.

### Configuring the DIGEST-MD5 mechanism

DIGEST-MD5 is a SASL authentication mechanism. When a client uses Digest-MD5, the password is not transmitted in clear text and the protocol prevents replay attacks.

To configure the DIGEST-MD5 mechanism use one of the following methods.

#### Using Web Administration

Under **Server administration**, expand the **Manage security properties** category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool, and then select the **DIGEST-MD5** tab. The Digest-MD5 tab is displayed only if any one of the two conditions is satisfied:

- The root DSE search returns the `ibm-supportedCapabilities` OID `1.3.18.0.2.32.69` for Digest-MD5.
- The root DSE search returns DIGEST-MD5 as value of the `supportedsaslmechanisms` attribute.

The values of the controls in the Digest-MD5 tab are updated with the Digest-MD5 parameters from the entry “cn=Digest, cn=Configuration” in the configuration file when the tab is loaded.

1. Select the **Enable Digest-MD5** check box to enable the Digest-MD5 mechanism.

   **Note:** When the **Enable Digest-MD5** check box is selected, other controls related to Digest-MD5 parameters on this tab are enabled and modifications to these controls are allowed.

2. Under **Server realm**, you can use the preselected **Default** setting, which is the fully qualified host name of the server, or you can click **Realm** and type the name of the realm that you want to configure the server as.

   **Note:** If the `ibm-slapdDigestRealm` attribute in the configuration entry is set, the server uses that value instead of the default for the realm. In this case, the Realm button is preselected and the realm value is displayed in the field.

   This realm name is used by the client to determine which user name and password to use.

   When using replication, you want to have all the servers configured with the same realm.
3. Under **Username attribute**, you can use the preselected **Default** setting, which is uid, or you can click **Attribute** and type the name of the attribute that you want the server to use to uniquely identify the user entry during DIGEST-MD5 SASL binds.

   **Note:** If the ibm-slapdDigestAttr attribute in the configuration entry is set, the server uses that value instead of the default for the Username attribute. In this case, the Attribute button is preselected and the attribute value is displayed in the field.

4. If you are logged in as the directory administrator, under **Administrator username**, type the administrator user name. This field cannot be edited by members of the administrative group. If the user name specified on a DIGEST-MD5 SASL bind matches this string, the user is the administrator.

   **Note:** The administrator user name is case sensitive.

5. When you are finished, click **Apply** to save your changes without exiting, or click **OK** to apply your changes and exit, or click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

### Using the command line

To create the cn=Digest,cn=configuration entry, enter the command:

```
idsldapadd -D adminDN -w adminpw -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

- `dn: cn=Digest,cn=configuration`
- `cn: Digest`
- `ibm-slapdDigestRealm: realm name`
- `ibm-slapdDigestAttr: uuid`
- `ibm-slapdDigestAdminUser: Adminuser`
- `ibm-slapdDigestEnabled: true`
- `objectclass: top`
- `objectclass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry`
- `objectclass: ibm-slapdDigest`

To change the settings for DIGEST-MD5, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminpw -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

- `dn: cn=Digest,cn=configuration`
- `changetype: modify`
- `replace: ibm-slapdDigestRealm ibm-slapdDigestRealm: newrealmname`
- `replace: ibm-slapdDigestAttr ibm-slapdDigestAttr: newattribute`
- `replace: ibm-slapdDigestAdminUser ibm-slapdDigestAdminUser: newAdminuser`

Given below is an example of how a user can bind to the server using the Digest MD5 mechanism:

```
idsldapsearch -h ldaphost -p ldapport -U username -w password -m DIGEST-MD5 -G realm -b o=sample cn=gw*
```

**Note:** To perform a Digest MD5 bind it is necessary to specify the `-h hostname` option. The hostname parameter must be the IP address or FQDN (fully qualified domain name) of that Security Directory Server machine, even if
the bind is performed from local machine. Specifying localhost or loopback
IP address as the value of -h may lead to error.

## Bind with a unique attribute value

You can use an attribute with a unique value and password, instead of the
distinguished name (DN) and password, to bind to a directory server. A DN value
can be long, and a unique attribute value might be easier to remember.

**Restriction:** A bind operation with a unique attribute value is not supported by
proxy servers.

To use an attribute with a unique value and password in bind operations, you
must:
- Identify an attribute with a unique value in the directory server instance.
- Configure the `ibm-slapdUniqueAttrForBindWithValue` attribute under the
cn=Configuration entry and set its value with an attribute that contains a unique
value. For example, use attributes that contain a unique value, such as mail or
uid. You can assign multivalued attributes in the `ibm-slapdUniqueAttrForBindWithValue` attribute, but the values in the multivalued
attributes must be unique.

**Attention:** Do not assign the `ibm-slapdUniqueAttrForBindWithValue` attribute
with the following attribute types:
- An attribute that uses the `=` character in the attribute value.
- An encrypted attribute.

To change the attribute for bind operations, modify the `ibm-slapdUniqueAttrForBindWithValue` attribute value and restart the directory server
and the administration server.

The following example shows the `cn=Configuration` entry with the
`ibm-slapdUniqueAttrForBindWithValue` attribute:

```
dn: cn=Configuration
  ibm-slapdAdminDN: cn=root
  ibm-slapdAdminGroupEnabled: true
  ibm-slapdAdminPW: {AES256}0iBLFmJJXxLM5eocBxeJZw==
  ibm-slapdTimeLimit: 900
  ibm-slapdTraceMessageLevel: 0xFFFF
  ibm-slapdTraceMessageLog: /home/dsrdbm01/idsslapd-dsrdbm01/logs/traceibmslapd.log
  ibm-slapdUniqueAttrForBindWithValue: mail
  ibm-slapdVersion: 6.3.1
  objectclass: top
  objectclass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry
  objectclass: ibm-slapdTop
```

## Error codes

When you use an attribute for bind operations, the directory server generates an
LDAP_INVALID_CREDENTIALS error for the following reasons:
- The attribute that is used for the bind operation is not associated with any entry.
- The password is incorrect.
• The attribute does not contain a unique value or multiple entries are associated with the attribute value.

The error messages are also recorded in the ibmslapd.log file.

If a directory server generates an error for any other conditions, the server returns the LDAP_INVALID_CREDENTIALS error code. If you activate the server trace, the error messages are also logged in the traceibmslapd.log file.

**Audit log entries for bind with a unique attribute value**

For security purposes, you can enable the audit log to record all failed and successful operations against a directory server. The server records the following attributes in the audit log file for operations that result in a bind against the server with a unique attribute value:

• bindDN: unique_attr_value

• name: DN_entry_value

The bindDN entry records the unique_attr_value, which was used to bind against the server. The name entry records the DN entry that is associated with the unique attribute value. The following example shows the audit record with the values:

AuditV3--2013-05-20-21:43:38.903+5:30--V3 Bind--bindDN: al.garcia@sample.com
--Success
controlType: 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.5.1
criticality: false
name: cn=Al Garcia, ou=Home Entertainment, ou=Austin, o=sample
authenticationChoice: simple
AuditV3--2013-05-20-21:43:38.961+5:30--V3 Search--bindDN: al.garcia@sample.com
--Success
controlType: 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.5.1
criticality: false
base: o=sample
scope: wholeSubtree
derefAliases: neverDerefAliases
typesOnly: false
filter: (objectclass=*)
numberOfEntriesReturned: 2
AuditV3--2013-05-20-21:43:38.962+5:30--V3 Unbind--bindDN: al.garcia@sample.com
--Success

**Bind with a unique attribute value for pass-through authentication**

You can use the attribute that is configured for bind operations to authenticate against an authentication server. Instead of the DN value and password, use the unique attribute value and password for bind operations.

If the user entry is not available on the authentication server, the server generates an error. For pass-through authentication with a unique attribute value and password, the entry must be available on the authenticating server.
Configuring an attribute with a unique value for bind operations

Configure an attribute with a unique value to use as a substitute for the DN value in bind operations. A unique attribute value might be easier to remember for authentication purposes.

Procedure

1. Log in as the instance owner.
2. To configure an attribute with a unique value as attribute for bind, run the `idsldapmodify` command:
   ```
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setBindAttr.ldif
   ```

   The `setBindAttr.ldif` file contains the following entries:
   ```
   dn: cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   add: ibm-slapdUniqueAttrForBindWith Vale
   ibm-slapdUniqueAttrForBindWith Vale: mail
   ```

3. Restart the directory server and the administration server.
   ```
   ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -k
   ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01 -k
   ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -n
   ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01
   ```

Examples

To bind to a directory server with a unique attribute value, run the `idsldapsearch` command in the following format:

```
idsldapsearch -h server.com -p port -D al.garcia@sample.com -w userPWD \ -s sub -b "cn=Al Garcia, ou=Home Entertainment, ou=Austin, o=sample" objectclass=* cn=Al Garcia,ou=Home Entertainment,ou=Austin,o=sample objectclass=top objectclass=person objectclass=organizationalPerson objectclass=inetOrgPerson cn=Al Garcia sn=Garcia telephonenumber=1-812-855-7579 mail=al.garcia@sample.com internationaliSDNNumber=755-7095 title=LEAD TA / MAINTENANCE seealso=cn=Cynthia Flowers, ou=Home Entertainment, ou=Austin, o=sample postalcode=1377
```

Bind with a unique combination of attribute-value

You can use any unique attribute-value pair and password, instead of the distinguished name (DN) and password, to bind to a directory server. This feature is similar to the feature explained in the earlier section named "Bind with a unique attribute value" on page 236.

Restriction: A bind operation with a unique attribute-value pair is not supported by proxy servers.

To use an attribute-value pair and password in bind operations, you must:

- Identify an attribute-value pair that is unique in the directory server instance.

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Configure the `ibm-slapdBindWithUniqueAttrsEnabled` attribute under the `cn=Configuration` entry and set its value to "true".

Restart the server and the administration server.

**Attention:** Do not use the attribute-value pairs for the bind operation in the following situations:

- An attribute that has the `=` character in the attribute value.
- An encrypted attribute.
- An attribute-value pair that is same as the administrative DN configured for a Local administrative group member. For example, if there is a Local administrative group member with administrative DN `cn=lagm1`, and if there is a user in the directory server that has the value of `cn` as "lagm1", then the bind operation with a combination of `cn=lagm1` and the password of the user in the directory server fails because the server tries to verify the user credentials with the credentials of the Local administrative group member.

The following example shows the `cn=Configuration` entry with the `ibm-slapdBindWithUniqueAttrsEnabled` attribute:

```plaintext
dn: cn=Configuration
    cn: Configuration
    ibm-slapdAdminDN: cn=root
    ibm-slapdAdminGroupName: true
    ibm-slapdAdminPW: {AES256}0iBLFmJJXwLM5eocBxeJZw==
    ...
    ...
    ibm-slapdTimeLimit: 900
    ibm-slapdTraceMessageLevel: 0xFFFF
    ibm-slapdTraceMessageLog: /home/dsrdbm01/idsslapd-dsrdbm01/logs/traceibmslapd.log
    ibm-slapdBindWithUniqueAttrsEnabled: true
    ibm-slapdVersion: 6.3.1
    objectclass: top
    objectclass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry
    objectclass: ibm-slapdTop
```

**Error codes**

When you use an attribute-value pair for bind operations, the directory server generates an `LDAP_INVALID_CREDENTIALS` error for the following reasons:

- The attribute-value pair that is used for the bind operation is not associated with any entry.
- The password is incorrect.
- The attribute-value pair is not unique or multiple entries are associated with the attribute-value pair.

The error messages are also recorded in the `ibmslapd.log` file.

If a directory server generates an error for any other conditions, the server returns the `LDAP_INVALID_CREDENTIALS` error code. If you activate the server trace, then the error messages are also logged in the `traceibmslapd.log` file.

**Audit log entries for bind with a unique attribute value**

For security purposes, you can enable the audit log to record all failed and successful operations against a directory server. The server records the following attributes in the audit log file for operations that result in a bind against the server with a unique attribute-value pair:
The bindDN entry records the unique_attr=attr_value, which was used to bind against the server. The name entry records the DN entry that is associated with the unique attribute-value pair. The following example shows the audit record with the values:

AuditV3--2013-05-20-21:43:38.903+5:30--V3 Bind--bindDN: mail=al.garcia@sample.com
--Success
controlType: 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.5.1
criticality: false
name: cn=Al Garcia, ou=Home Entertainment, ou=Austin, o=sample
authenticationChoice: simple
criticality: true
base: o=sample
derefAliases: neverDerefAliases
typesOnly: false
filter: (objectclass=*)
numberOfEntriesReturned: 2
AuditV3--2013-05-20-21:43:38.961+5:30--V3 Search--bindDN: al.garcia@sample.com
--Success
controlType: 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.5.1
criticality: false
base: o=sample
derefAliases: neverDerefAliases
typesOnly: false
filter: (objectclass=*)
numberOfEntriesReturned: 2
AuditV3--2013-05-20-21:43:38.962+5:30--V3 Unbind--bindDN: mail=al.garcia@sample.com
--Success

**Bind with a unique combination of attribute-value for pass-through authentication**

You can use any unique attribute-value pair to authenticate against an authentication server. Instead of the DN value and password, use a unique attribute-value pair and password for bind operations.

If the user entry is not available on the authentication server, the server generates an error. For pass-through authentication with a unique attribute value and password, the entry must be available on the authenticating server.

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**Differences between "Bind with a unique attribute value" and "Bind with a unique combination of attribute-value"**

Learn about the differences between the two features and recommendations of when to use which feature. For illustration purposes, consider the following user entry:

```plaintext
dn: uid=agarcia,o=sample
uid: agarcia
cn: Al
sn: Garcia
userpassword: secret
mail: al.garcia@sample.com
employeeNumber: 123456
objectclass: inetOrgPerson
objectclass: organizationalPerson
objectclass: person
objectclass: top
```

Assume that the values of the attributes uid, mail, and employeeNumber of the users are unique in the directory where the user entry is located. If the LDAP
administrator configured the value of ibm-slapdUniqueAttrForBindWithValue to "mail", then the user can bind to the server using the email ID as the bind DN. For example, the email ID can be similar to al.garcia@sample.com.

If the LDAP administrator also enabled ibm-slapdBindWithUniqueAttrsEnabled to "true", then the user can use any of the following methods to bind to the server:

- mail=al.garcia@sample.com
- employeeNumber=123456
- uid=agarcia

The LDAP administrator must take a call on which features are enabled. It depends on the way that users authenticate to the applications that communicate with Security Directory Server. If the applications allow users to use any of the unique attributes like mail or employeeNumber interchangeably, then the administrator should enable the feature “Bind with a unique combination of attribute-value” on page 238. If applications allow users to specify the value of any given unique attribute like uid, then the administrator should use the feature “Bind with a unique attribute value” on page 236.

Pass-through authentication

The pass-through mechanism authenticates a user on the authenticating server, even if the user entry or password is on a different server.

You can run a bind or compare operation against the authenticating server, even if the user entry or the credential is not on the server. If the authentication server supports pass-through authentication for bind operations, the root DSE search returns the ibm-supportedCapabilities attribute with the 1.3.18.0.2.32.78 OID value. If the server supports pass-through for compare operations, the root DSE search returns the ibm-supportedCapabilities attribute with the 1.3.18.0.2.32.100 OID value.

When pass-through authentication is set, the authenticating server attempts to verify the credentials from an external directory server, a pass-through server, on behalf of the client. For a directory server, the user entry or user credential might not be in the directory information tree (DIT). For a proxy server, the user entry or user credentials might not be on the proxy back-end servers.

A directory server supports pass-through only if all the following criteria are met:

- The ibm-slapdPtaEnabled attribute is set to TRUE on a directory server with the pass-through interface configuration. When the ibm-slapdPtaEnabled attribute value is TRUE, the server supports pass-through for bind and compare operations. The ibm-slapdPtaEnabled attribute is a dynamic attribute. To apply the changes to the attribute, you must run a readconfig extended operation.
- Pass-through authentication is configured and set on the directory server for the appropriate subtree.
- The authenticating DN entry is from the subtree that is configured for pass-through authentication. The authenticating DN entry either does not exist or does not have the userpassword attribute on the authenticating server.
- The credential for authentication is the password that is stored in the userpassword attribute.
Pass-through authentication example

To configure and use pass-through authentication, you must identify the required pass-through interface for your directory server environment.

You must use IBM Security Directory Server as the authentication server. A pass-through server that holds user entries or credentials can be any LDAP V3-compliant directory server.

If you make configuration changes to the pass-through interface, you must restart the directory server. The pass-through interface entries in the configuration file are not dynamic.

You can use the pass-through authentication against an authentication server if the server supports the following operations:

- Bind or compare requests against a proxy server that contains back-end servers with the pass-through interface.
- Bind or compare requests against a directory server that is configured with the pass-through interface.

You can run only simple bind or compare operations through a directory server or compare operations through an LDAP client with or without SSL. Digest, Kerberos, or customized bind operations are not supported.
For example, consider an environment with two servers, server X and server Y, where the user entry `cn=Tom Brown,o=sample` is stored on server Y.

When the user Tom Brown attempts to authenticate against directory server X, the following checks are run to authenticate the user:

1. Server X checks whether the bind credentials of the user are on the server.
2. If the entry or the credential is unavailable, then server X checks whether a pass-through authentication interface is set for the subtree.
3. If the user entry is a candidate for pass-through authentication, then the bind credentials are sent to the pass-through server Y for authentication.
4. If the pass-through server Y validates the user credentials, the authentication is successful, if not the authentication fails.

In a distributed directory scenario, the proxy server routes the credential information to the back-end servers for pass-through authentication checks.

In the previous scenario, a simple pass-through authentication interface is considered when the DN of the user entries is identical on server X and server Y. If no attribute mapping is specified, then the DN of entries in the authenticating server must mirror the DN of entries in pass-through server. However, the user entries are not required to be always identical on the authentication server and pass-through server. A directory hierarchy layout might differ on both the servers. A user entry, `cn=Tom Brown,o=sample`, on server X can map to some other DN on server Y. In such situations, you must identify an attribute with a unique value in the entries on server X and server Y, for example, `uid`. You can use an attribute with a unique value from IBM Security Directory Server to map with an attribute in the pass-through server. You can use the map information to query the pass-through server to retrieve the required DN.

If you use an invalid entry for pass-through authentication, you might get an authentication denial with the `LDAP_INVALID_CREDENTIALS` error.

You must not configure the following entries for pass-through support:

- The following subtrees or any entries under these subtrees for pass-through authentication: `cn=configuration, cn=extension, cn=ibmpolicies, cn=changelog`, and `cn=localhost`.
- Nested pass-through entries are not supported. If there is a pass-through interface for the `ou=myco, o=sample` entry and another pass-through interface for the `ou=mydept, ou=myco, o=sample` entry, then the server might fail to start in normal mode.
- Multiple pass-through entries, each with a different pass-through server that is serving the same pass-through subtree, are not supported.

**Object classes and attributes for pass-through authentication**

To configure pass-through authentication interface in your directory server environment, you must use the appropriate object class and the associated attributes.

**Configuration attribute to set pass-through authentication**

The entries for pass-through authentication are in the directory server instance configuration file, `ibmslapd.conf`. To set or unset pass-through authentication, you must modify the `ibm-slapdPtaEnabled` attribute under the `cn=configuration` DN entry. To enable the pass-through support, set the `ibm-slapdPtaEnabled` attribute to
To disable the pass-through support, set the `ibm-slapdPtaEnabled` attribute to `FALSE`. To create a pass-through authentication interface, all the subtrees specific to pass-through authentication configuration must be one level below the `cn=PassThrough Authentication, cn=configuration` container entry. The following entry is an example of the pass-through authentication container:

```plaintext
dn: cn=PassThrough Authentication, cn=Configuration
  cn: PassThrough Authentication
  objectclass: top
  objectclass: container
```

**Structural object class**

You must add a pass-through authentication entry one level under the `cn=PassThrough Authentication, cn=configuration` container entry. The pass-through authentication entry must contain the `ibm-slapdPta` object class. This object class contains the subtree specific to pass-through authentication settings.

**Auxiliary object class**

To configure an entry for pass-through authentication, you might require to add an auxiliary object class. The following auxiliary object classes are associated with the pass-through authentication, `ibm-slapdPtaExt`, and `ibm-PtaReferral`.

- **ibm-slapdPtaExt**
  Contains attribute mapping settings for the pass-through authentication entry. To specify attribute mapping, you must add this object class to a pass-through authentication entry with the `ibm-slapdPta` object class.

- **ibm-PtaReferral**
  Contains the linking attribute for pass-through authentication for an entry in the directory information tree (DIT).

**Attributes of the `ibm-slapdPta` object class**

To configure a pass-through authentication entry with the `ibm-slapdPta` object class, you must set its attributes.

<table>
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<th>Attribute type (MUST/MAY)</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Example</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><code>ibm-slapdPtaURL</code></td>
<td>MUST</td>
<td>The URL information of the pass-through server. The URL must contain the fully qualified host name or IP address and the port information. Use <code>ldaps://</code> for SSL connection.</td>
<td><code>ldap://server:port</code> or <code>ldaps://server:port</code> (for SSL)</td>
</tr>
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</table>
### Table 28. The MUST and MAY attributes of the `ibm-slapdPta` object class (continued)

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<tr>
<td><code>ibm-slapdPtaSubtree</code></td>
<td>MUST</td>
<td>The subtrees in the directory server instance that is configured for pass-through authentication and validation of the authentication request.</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><code>ibm-slapdPtaResultTimeout</code></td>
<td>MAY</td>
<td>The number of milliseconds that the pass-through authentication interface waits during the <code>ldap_result()</code> call. The value is specified in milliseconds. The default value is 1000 milliseconds.</td>
<td>1000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><code>ibm-slapdPtaMigratePwd</code></td>
<td>MAY</td>
<td>Stores the user password in the local directory entry, if the authentication is successful. If the attribute is not in an entry, then the default value, false, is assigned.</td>
<td>false</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><code>ibm-slapdPtaConnectionPoolSize</code></td>
<td>MAY</td>
<td>Sets the number of connections for each pass-through server. The minimum pool size is 2, and the default is 4.</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### Attributes of the `ibm-slapdPtaExt` object class

To specify attribute mapping in the pass-through authentication entry with the `ibm-slapdPtaExt` object class, you must set its attributes.

### Table 29. The MUST and MAY attributes of the `ibm-slapdPtaExt` object class

<table>
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<tr>
<td><code>ibm-slapdPtaSearchBase</code></td>
<td>MUST</td>
<td>The search base in the pass-through server where you want to search for the entry.</td>
<td><code>o=sample1</code></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Table 29. The **MUST** and **MAY** attributes of the *ibm-slapdPtaExt* object class (continued)

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<th>Description</th>
<th>Example</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>ibm-slapdPtaAttrMapping</td>
<td>MUST</td>
<td>The mapping of an attribute in IBM Security Directory Server to an attribute in the pass-through server. An example of attribute mapping is <em>cn</em> $ <em>uid</em>, which indicates that the <em>cn</em> attribute from IBM Security Directory Server is mapped to the <em>uid</em> attribute in the pass-through server.</td>
<td>attr1 $ attr2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-slapdPtaBindDN</td>
<td>MUST</td>
<td>The bind DN value of the pass-through server.</td>
<td>cn=admin1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-slapdPtaBindPW</td>
<td>MUST</td>
<td>The bind password of the pass-through server.</td>
<td>password123</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Attributes of the *ibm-PtaReferral* object class**

To specify the linking attribute for pass-through authentication for an entry with the *ibm-PtaReferral* object class, you must set its attributes.

Table 30. The **MUST** and **MAY** attributes of the *ibm-PtaReferral* object class

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<th>Attribute type (MUST/MAY)</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Example</th>
</tr>
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</table>
| ibm-PtaLinkAttribute       | MUST                      | This attribute contains the name of the mapping attribute in the pass-through server as its value. For example: empNo. There are two special cases:  
  • The _DN_ value indicates that the *ibm-PtaLinkValue* attribute contains the DN of an entry. It must be mapped to the pass-through server.  
  • The _DISABLE_ value indicates that pass-through authentication must not be run for the entry. In this case, an LDAP_INVALID_CREDENTIALS return code is sent to client.  
  _DN_ and _DISABLE_ are not case-sensitive. | empNo   |
| ibm-PtaLinkValue           | MUST                      | The value that must be used with the linking attribute to search the pass-through server. | E0345   |
Pass-through authentication scenarios

Use the pass-through authentication scenarios to identify the appropriate configuration for your directory server environment.

You can configure pass-through authentication for the following basic scenarios:

- Attribute mapping is set, and the entry is in the authentication server.
- Attribute mapping and password migration is set, and the entry is in the authentication server.
- Attribute mapping is not set, and the entry is not in the authentication server.
- Attribute mapping is set by using the ibm-ptaReferral auxiliary object class.
- Pass-through authentication is set to Active Directory Global Catalog.

If you use a single pass-through server for a subtree in a distributed directory, you must configure the pass-through interface on all the back-end servers. If you use multiple pass-through servers for the same subtree, then you must configure the required pass-through interface on the appropriate back-end servers.

Scenario 1: Attribute mapping for the entries in an authentication server

You can configure attribute mapping for the user entries that do not contain credentials in the authentication server.

In this scenario, you must identify an attribute in the authentication server that contains unique values for all entries. You must also find an attribute in the pass-through server that you can map uniquely with the attribute in authentication server for all entries. It is not necessary that the name of an attribute is identical in both the servers.

The attribute that you identify to map from the authentication server to the pass-through server must contain unique values. Using this attribute, you must be able to map all entries in the authentication server that require pass-through authentication to entries in the pass-through server. For example, you can map uid=Tom456 in the authentication server with userPrincipalName=Tom456 in the pass-through server. After you set the attribute mapping, a search against the pass-through server with the userPrincipalName=Tom456 filter must retrieve only one matching entry. If more that one entry is returned, then the pass-through authentication might fail and generate an error message.

In this scenario, the following conditions might occur on the authentication server:

- An attribute with a unique value exists in the authentication server and a matching attribute with a unique value exists in the pass-through server.
- An attribute with a unique value does not exist in the authentication server.

Case 1: An attribute with a unique value exists in the authentication server

The entries in the authentication server contain the uid attribute, and the value of this attribute is unique for all entries. You can directly map all the entries in the authentication server to the entries in the pass-through server. For example, you can map the uid attribute in the authentication server with the userPrincipalName attribute in the pass-through server. The following example shows an entry on the authentication server:
The following example shows the map that you can configure in the pass-through interface of the authentication server for the attribute mapping:

```
ibm-slapdPtaAttrMapping : uid $ userPrincipalName
```

**Case 2: An attribute with a unique value does not exist in the authentication server**

If you cannot identify an attribute in the authentication server that contains a unique value, add an attribute with a unique value to all entries. To add an attribute with a unique value, you can create an auxiliary object class and add an attribute to it. You can also use an attribute of the existing object class that is associated with the entry. You can then map this attribute with the unique value in the authentication server to the attribute in the pass-through server. The following example shows an entry on the authentication server after you add an attribute with a unique value:

```
dn: cn=Tom Brown,o=sample
cn: Tom
sn: Brown
objectClass: organizationalPerson
objectClass: person
objectClass: top
objectClass: inetOrgPerson
objectClass: my-aux-class
uniqueAttrValue: my_value
```

The following example shows the map that you can configure in the pass-through interface of the authentication server for the attribute mapping:

```
ibm-slapdPtaAttrMapping : uniqueAttrValue $ userPrincipalName
```

**Configuring attribute mapping with a unique attribute for pass-through authentication:**

You can configure entries of a subtree without credentials in the authentication server to authenticate against the server by setting the attribute mapping.

**Procedure**

1. Log in as the instance owner.
2. To set pass-through authentication on a directory server instance, run the `idsldapmodify` command:
   
   ```
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setPtaFile.ldif
   ```
   
   The `setPtaFile.ldif` file contains the following entries:
   
   ```
   dn: cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdPtaEnabled
   ibm-slapdPtaEnabled: true
   ```
   
3. To apply the changes that are made to the `ibm-slapdPtaEnabled` attribute, run the `idsldapexop` command:
idsldapexop -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -op readconfig \ 
  -scope single cn=Configuration ibm-slapdPtaEnabled

4. To configure a pass-through interface for attribute mapping, run the
   idsldapmodify command:
   
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setAttrMap.ldif

   The setAttrMap.ldif file contains the following entries:
   
   dn: cn=Passthrough Server1, cn=Passthrough Authentication, cn=Configuration
   changetype: add
   cn: Passthrough Server1
   ibm-slapdPtaURL: ldap://hostnameOfPassThroughServer:port
   ibm-slapdPtaSubtree: o=sample
   ibm-slapdPtaAttrMapping: uid $ userPrincipalName
   ibm-slapdPtaSearchBase: cn=users,dc=pta,dc=com
   ibm-slapdPtaBindDN: bind_DN
   ibm-slapdPtabindPW: bind_PW
   objectclass: top
   objectclass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry
   objectclass: ibm-slapdPta
   objectclass: ibm-slapdPtaExt

5. Restart the directory server and the administration server.
   ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -k
   ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01 -k
   ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -n
   ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01

Examples

Example 1:
   To search for an entry in the authentication server, run the idsldapsearch command in the following format:
   
   idsldapsearch -h server.com -p port -D cn=Tom Brown,o=sample -w userPWD \ 
   -s sub -b "cn=Tom Brown,o=sample" objectclass=* 
   cn=Tom Brown,o=sample
   cn=Tom
   sn=Brown
   uid=Tom456
   objectclass=inetOrgPerson
   objectclass=organizationalPerson
   objectclass=person
   objectclass=top

Example 2:
   To compare the user password value, run the idsldapcompare command in
   the following format:
   
   idsldapcompare -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD \ 
   cn=Tom Brown,o=sample userpassword=userPWD
   Compare true

Creating a unique attribute and configuring attribute mapping for pass-through authentication:

Create an attribute with a unique value and configure the attribute mapping for entries without credentials in the authentication server.

Procedure

1. Log in as the instance owner.
2. Create an attribute for attribute mapping.
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i uniqAttr.ldif
The uniqAttr.ldif file contains the following entries:

```
dn: cn=schema
changetype: modify
add: attributeTypes
attributeTypes: ( uniqueAttrValue-OID NAME 'uniqueAttrValue' DESC 'To use for attribute mapping in the authentication server' EQUALITY 2.5.13.5 SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15 SINGLE-VALUE USAGE directoryOperation )
```

```
- add: ibmattributetypes
  ibmattributetypes: ( uniqueAttrValue-OID DBNAME ( 'uniqueAttrValue' )
  ACCESS-CLASS NORMAL LENGTH 240 )
```

3. Create an auxiliary object class that is associated with the attribute.
   ```
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i uniqObj.ldif
   ```

   The uniqObj.ldif file contains the following entries:
   
   ```
   dn: cn=Schema
   changetype: modify
   add: objectclasses
   objectclasses: ( my-aux-class-OID NAME 'my-aux-class' DESC 'An object class to hold attribute with unique value for attribute mapping' SUP top AUXILIARY MUST (uniqueAttrValue) )
   ```

4. Add the object class and the attributes to the entries in the authentication server that require pass-through authentication.
   ```
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i addObjAttr.ldif
   ```

   The addObjAttr.ldif file contains the following entries:
   
   ```
   dn: cn=Tom Brown,o=sample
   changetype: modify
   add: objectclass
   objectclass: my-aux-class
   -
   add: uniqueAttrValue
   uniqueAttrValue: Tom456
   
   dn: cn=Bob John,o=sample
   changetype: modify
   add: objectclass
   objectclass: my-aux-class
   -
   add: uniqueAttrValue
   uniqueAttrValue: Bob890
   ```

5. To set pass-through authentication on a directory server instance, run the `idsldapmodify` command:
   ```
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setPtaFile.ldif
   ```

   The setPtaFile.ldif file contains the following entries:
   
   ```
   dn: cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdPtaEnabled
   ibm-slapdPtaEnabled: true
   ```

6. To apply the changes that are made to the `ibm-slapdPtaEnabled` attribute value, run the `idsldapexop` command:
   ```
   idsldapexop -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -op readconfig -scope single cn=Configuration ibm-slapdPtaEnabled
   ```

7. To configure a pass-through interface for attribute mapping, run the `idsldapmodify` command:
   ```
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setAttrMap.ldif
   ```

   The setAttrMap.ldif file contains the following entries:
dn: cn=Passthrough Server1, cn=Passthrough Authentication, cn=Configuration
changetype: add

cn: Passthrough Server1
ibm-slapdPtaURL: ldap://hostnameOfPassThroughServer:port
ibm-slapdPtaSubtree: o=sample
ibm-slapdPtaAttrMapping: uniqueAttrValue $ userPrincipalName
ibm-slapdPtaSearchBase: cn=users,dc=pta,dc=com
ibm-slapdPtaBindDN: bind_DN
ibm-slapdPtabindPW: bind_PWD
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry
objectclass: ibm-slapdPta
objectclass: ibm-slapdPtaExt

Example 1:
To search for an entry in the authentication server, run the `idsldapsearch` command in the following format:

```
idsldapsearch -h server.com -p port -D cn=Bob John,o=sample -w userPWD \ -s sub -b "cn=Bob John,o=sample" objectclass=* cn=Bob John,o=sample cn=Bob sn=John uniqueAttrValue=Bob890 objectclass=my-aux-class objectclass=person objectclass=top
```

Example 2:
To compare the user password value, run the `idsldapcompare` command in the following format:

```
idsldapcompare -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD \ cn=Bob John,o=sample userpassword=userPWD
```

Compare true

Scenario 2: Attribute mapping and password migration for the entries in an authentication server

You can store passwords for the entries in the authenticating server, if the entries successfully authenticate on the pass-through server. For the subsequent authentication, you do not require to authenticate against the pass-through server.

In this scenario, the entries are present in the authentication server. You can map the unique attribute of an entry in the authentication server to an attribute of an entry in the pass-through server.

After the first successful authentication, the password that the user provides is

stored in the `userpassword` attribute of the user entry in the authentication server.

The authentication server encrypts the password with the encryption scheme that is set on the server and then stores it. If password policy is set on the

authentication server, the password must adhere to the set password policy.

Subsequent authentication requests from the user are authenticated by the

authentication server and are not routed to the pass-through server.

You must maintain password consistency between the pass-through server and the

authentication server. Inconsistencies between passwords can be a potential
security threat. You also must maintain the integrity of passwords in the
authentication server and the pass-through server.

If you enable the audit feature on the authentication server, the server records the
password modification for the user entries in the audit log. The following example
shows the audit record for a user entry when the password migration is set:

```
Success
controlType: 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.5.1
criticality: false
passsthroughBindDN: cn=Al Garcia, ou=Home Entertainment, ou=Austin, o=sample
passsthroughServer: ldap://127.0.0.1:1389
passsthroughBindRC: 0
controlType: 1.3.18.0.2.10.15
criticality: true
controlType: 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.5.1
criticality: false
name: CN=ROOT
authenticationChoice: simple
Admin Acct Status: Not Locked
controlType: 1.3.18.0.2.10.15
criticality: true
controlType: 1.3.6.1.1.12
criticality: true
object: cn=Al Garcia, ou=Home Entertainment, ou=Austin, o=sample
add: userpassword
AuditV3--2013-06-05-19:17:40.039+5:30--V3 Unbind--bindDN: CN=ROOT--client: 127.0.0.1:9623
--connectionID: 2--received: 2013-06-05-19:17:40.029+5:30--Success
--connectionID: 1--received: 2013-06-05-19:17:52.100+5:30--Success
```

In the example audit record, the following operations are recorded when the
password is updated in the user entry:

1. After the first successful pass-through authentication by the user, the server
binds to the authentication server with the administrator credentials.
2. The server adds the userpassword attribute in the user entry with the password
that the user provides for the successful authentication.
3. The server unbinds after it adds the userpassword attribute.

**Configuring attribute mapping and password migration for pass-through
authentication:**

Configure attribute mapping and password migration for entries of a subtree in the
authentication server. For the entries that successfully authenticate, you can store
passwords of the entries in the authentication server for subsequent authentication.

**Procedure**

1. Log in as the instance owner.
2. To set pass-through authentication on a directory server instance, run the
   `idsldapmodify` command:

   ```
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setPtaFile.ldif
   ```

   ```
   ```
The setPtaFile.ldif file contains the following entries:

```
  dn: cn=Configuration  
  changetype: modify  
  replace: ibm-slapdPtaEnabled  
  ibm-slapdPtaEnabled: true
```

3. To apply the changes that are made to the ibm-slapdPtaEnabled attribute value, run the `idsldapexop` command:

```
  idsldapexop -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -op readconfig \  
  -scope single cn=Configuration ibm-slapdPtaEnabled
```

4. To configure a pass-through interface for attribute mapping and password migration, run the `idsldapmodify` command:

```
  idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setPtaPwdMigFile.ldif
```

The setPtaPwdMigFile.ldif file contains the following entries:

```
  dn: cn=Passthrough Server1, cn=Passthrough Authentication, cn=Configuration  
  changetype: add  
  cn: Passthrough Server1  
  ibm-slapdPtaURL: ldap://hostnameOfPassThroughServer:port  
  ibm-slapdPtaSubtree: o=sample  
  ibm-slapdPtaAttrMapping: uid $ userPrincipalName  
  ibm-slapdPtaSearchBase: cn=users,dc=pta,dc=com  
  ibm-slapdPtaBindDN: bind_DN  
  ibm-slapdPtabindPW: bind_PWD  
  ibm-slapdPtaMigratePwd: TRUE  
  objectclass: top  
  objectclass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry  
  objectclass: ibm-slapdPta  
  objectclass: ibm-slapdPtaExt
```

5. Restart the directory server and the administration server.

```
  ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -k  
  ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01 -k  
  ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -n  
  ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01
```

Examples

**Example 1:**

To search for an entry in the authentication server, run the `idsldapsearch` command in the following format:

```
  idsldapsearch -h server.com -p port -D cn=Tom Brown,o=sample -w userPWD \  
  -s sub -b "cn=Tom Brown,o=sample" objectclass=*  
  cn=Tom  
  sn=Brown  
  uid=Tom456  
  userpassword=userPWD  
  objectclass=inetOrgPerson  
  objectclass=organizationalPerson  
  objectclass=person  
  objectclass=top
```

**Example 2:**

To compare the user password value, run the `idsldapcompare` command in the following format:

```
  idsldapcompare -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD \  
  cn=Tom Brown,o=sample userpassword=userPWD  
  Compare true
```
Scenario 3: Configuration for the entries not in an authentication server

You can configure pass-through authentication for the entries of a subtree even if the entries are not in the authentication server.

When you run a bind or compare operation against an authentication server, the server checks if the user entry is present. If the entry is not present, the server checks whether the entry is a pass-through candidate. If a pass-through interface is set, the authentication server routes the DN and the credentials to the pass-through server. If the authentication succeeds, the server returns LDAP_SUCCESS. If the authentication fails, the server returns LDAP_INVALID_CREDENTIALS. If the entry is not present on the authentication server, the password migration is ignored even if it is set.

Configuring pass-through authentication for entries not in the authentication server:

Configure entries of a subtree for pass-through authentication even if the entries are not in the authentication server.

Procedure

1. Log in as the instance owner.
2. To set pass-through authentication on a directory server instance, run the `idsldapmodify` command:
   
   ```
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setPtaFile ldif
   ```

   The `setPtaFile ldif file` contains the following entries:

   ```
   dn: cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdPtaEnabled
   ibm-slapdPtaEnabled: true
   ```

3. To apply the changes that are made to the `ibm-slapdPtaEnabled` attribute value, run the `idsldapexop` command:
   
   ```
   idsldapexop -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -op readconfig -scope single cn=Configuration ibm-slapdPtaEnabled
   ```

4. To configure a pass-through interface for the entries of a subtree, run the `idsldapmodify` command:
   
   ```
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setPtaNonExistEntriesFile ldif
   ```

   The `setPtaNonExistEntriesFile ldif file` contains the following entries:

   ```
   dn: cn=Passthrough Server1, cn=Passthrough Authentication, cn=Configuration
   changetype: add
   cn: Passthrough Server1
   ibm-slapdPtaURL: ldap://hostnameOfPassThroughServer:port
   ibm-slapdPtaSubtree: o=sample
   ibm-slapdPtaConnectionPoolSize: 6
   ibm-slapdPtaResultTimeout: 100
   objectclass: top
   objectclass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry
   objectclass: ibm-slapdPta
   ```

5. Restart the directory server and the administration server.

   ```
   ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -k
   ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01 -k
   ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -n
   ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01
   ```
Examples

Example 1:
To search for an entry in the authentication server, run the `idsldapsearch` command in the following format:

```
idsldapsearch -h server.com -p port -D cn=Tom Brown,o=sample -w userPWD \
-s base -b "" objectclass=*,namingcontexts
```

namingcontexts=CN=SCHEMA
namingcontexts=CN=LOCALHOST
namingcontexts=CN=IBMPOLICIES
namingcontexts=O=SAMPLE

Example 2:
To compare the user password value, run the `idsldapcompare` command in the following format:

```
idsldapcompare -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD \
cn=Tom Brown,o=sample userpassword=userPWD
```

Compare true

Scenario 4: Attribute mapping by using the ibm-ptaReferral object class

You can set attribute mapping with the `ibm-ptaReferral` object class to authenticate users that do not map directly to an entry in the pass-through server.

This scenario might require you to map multiple entries in the authentication server to an entry in the pass-through server. For example, it requires many-to-one mapping when a user contains multiple LDAP entries in the authentication server.

![Figure 2. Attribute mapping](image)

In this example, you can map the `uid=Tom456` entry in the authentication server with the `userPrincipalName=Tom456` entry in the pass-through server. You cannot map the `uid=Tom396` entry with the `userPrincipalName=Tom456` entry because the values differ, even though the entries belong to the same user. Therefore, an authentication request for `uid=Tom396` might fail, as there is no corresponding map entry on the pass-through server. To resolve the issue, you must add the `ibm-ptaReferral` auxiliary object class to the entry in the authentication server that you want map. You must assign appropriate values to the MUST attributes `ibm-PtaLinkAttribute` and `ibm-PtaLinkValue` of the `ibm-ptaReferral` object class.

When a user attempts to authenticate on the authentication server, the pass-through interface checks whether the `ibm-ptaReferral` object class is present. If the `ibm-ptaReferral` object class is in the entry, the interface uses the `ibm-PtaLinkAttribute` and `ibm-PtaLinkValue` attribute values to validate against the pass-through server.
If you add the `ibm-ptaReferral` auxiliary object class to configure the entries for pass-through authentication, then attribute mapping that is configured for the entry is ignored.

In this scenario, the following conditions on the authentication server might occur:

- You can map an entry in the authentication server with an entry in the pass-through server by using an attribute value.
- You cannot map an entry in the authentication server with an entry in the pass-through server by using an attribute value.

**Case 1: An entry in the authentication server can be mapped to an entry in the pass-through server**

For an entry that does not contain a mapping entry in the pass-through server, you must add the `ibm-ptaReferral` auxiliary object class to the entry. For example, to map the `uid=Tom396` entry with the `userPrincipalName=Tom456` entry in the pass-through server the entry must contain the following values:

dn: cn=Tom Brown1,o=sample
uid: Tom396
objectclass: organizationalPerson
objectclass: person
objectclass: top
objectclass: inetOrgPerson
objectclass: ibm-ptaReferral
ibm-ptaLinkAttribute: userPrincipalName
ibm-ptaLinkValue: Tom456

**Case 2: An entry in the authentication server cannot be mapped to an entry in the pass-through server**

If there is no unique attribute in the authentication server to map, you can set the DN value as the map. You must be aware of the DN in the authentication server, which can be mapped to an entry in the pass-through server. To use the DN as the map value, you must set the `ibm-PtaLinkAttribute` attribute to `_DN_`. You must set the `ibm-PtaLinkValue` attribute value to the DN of the entry in the pass-through server that you want to map. When a user attempts to authenticate, the pass-through interface takes the specified DN value and the provided credentials to validate the user.

The following example shows an entry with `ibm-PtaLinkAttribute` set to `_DN_`:

dn: cn=Tom Brown1,o=sample
uid: Tom396
cn: Tom
sn: Brown1
objectclass: inetOrgPerson
objectclass: organizationalPerson
objectclass: person
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-ptaReferral
ibm-ptaLinkAttribute: _DN_
ibm-ptaLinkValue: cn=Tom456,cn=users,dc=pta,dc=com

If you do not want to provide pass-through support for an entry that is set with DN value, you must set `ibm-PtaLinkAttribute` to `_DISABLE_`.

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Configuring pass-through authentication for entries by using the `ibm-ptaReferral` object class:

Configure pass-through authentication for an entry in the authentication server that does not map directly to an entry in the pass-through server. For such entries, add the `ibm-ptaReferral` object class and set the attributes of the object class for pass-through authentication.

**Procedure**

1. Log in as the instance owner.
2. Add the `ibm-ptaReferral` object class and its attributes to the entry that you want to map to an entry in the pass-through server.
   
   ```
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setAuxObjAttr.ldif
   
   The `setAuxObjAttr.ldif` file contains the following entries:
   ```
   ```
   dn: cn=Tom Brown1,o=sample
   changetype: modify
   add: objectclass
   objectclass: ibm-ptaReferral
   -
   add: ibm-ptaLinkAttribute
   ibm-ptaLinkAttribute: userPrincipalName
   -
   add: ibm-ptaLinkValue
   ibm-ptaLinkValue: Tom456
   ```
   ```
   3. To set pass-through authentication on a directory server instance, run the `idsldapmodify` command:
      
      ```
      idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setPtaFile.ldif
      
      The `setPtaFile.ldif` file contains the following entries:
      ```
      ```
      dn: cn=Configuration
      changetype: modify
      replace: ibm-slapdPtaEnabled
      ibm-slapdPtaEnabled: true
      ```
      ```
      4. To apply the changes that are made to the `ibm-slapdPtaEnabled` attribute, run the `idsldapexop` command:
         
         ```
         idsldapexop -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -op readconfig -scope single cn=Configuration ibm-slapdPtaEnabled
         ```
         ```
      5. To configure a pass-through interface for attribute mapping, run the `idsldapmodify` command:
         
         ```
         idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setAttrMap.ldif
         
         The `setAttrMap.ldif` file contains the following entries:
         ```
         ```
         dn: cn=Passthrough Server1, cn=Passthrough Authentication, cn=Configuration
         changetype: add
         cn: Passthrough Server1
         ibm-slapdPtaURL: ldap://hostnameOfPassThroughServer:port
         ibm-slapdPtaSubtree: o=sample
         ibm-slapdPtaAttrMapping: uid $ userPrincipalName
         ibm-slapdPtaSearchBase: cn=users,dc=pta,dc=com
         ibm-slapdPtaBindDN: bind_DN
         ibm-slapdPtabindPW: bind_PWD
         objectclass: top
         objectclass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry
         objectclass: ibm-slapdPta
         objectclass: ibm-slapdPtaExt
         ```
         ```
      6. Restart the directory server and the administration server.
Example 1:
To search for an entry in the authentication server, run the `idsldapsearch` command in the following format:
```bash
idsldapsearch -h server.com -p port -D cn=Tom Brown1,o=sample -w userPWD1 \
-s sub -b "cn=Tom Brown1,o=sample" objectclass=* \
  cn=Tom Brown1,o=sample
```

Example 2:
To compare the user password value, run the `idsldapcompare` command in the following format:
```bash
idsldapcompare -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD \
  cn=Tom Brown1,o=sample userpassword=userPWD1
```

Configuring pass-through authentication by setting DN value by using the `ibm-ptaReferral` object class:
Configure pass-through authentication for an entry in the authentication server by setting the pass-through DN value as its map value. You can use the DN value as the map value, if the entries in the authentication server do not contain attribute with a unique value.

Procedure
1. Log in as the instance owner.
2. Add the `ibm-ptaReferral` object class and its attributes to the entry that you want to map to an entry in the pass-through server.
   ```bash
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setAuxObjAttr.ldif
   ```
   The `setAuxObjAttr.ldif` file contains the following entries:
   ```ldif
   dn: cn=Tom Brown1,o=sample
   changetype: modify
   add: objectclass
   objectclass: ibm-ptaReferral
   add: ibm-ptaLinkAttribute
   ibm-ptaLinkAttribute: _DN_
   add: ibm-ptaLinkValue
   ibm-ptaLinkValue: userPrincipalName=Tom456,cn=users,dc=pta,dc=com
   ```
3. To set pass-through authentication on a directory server instance, run the `idsldapmodify` command:
   ```bash
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setPtaFile.ldif
   ```
   The `setPtaFile.ldif` file contains the following entries:
4. To apply the changes that are made to the ibm-slapdPtaEnabled attribute, run the `idsldapexop` command:

   
   ```
   idsldapexop -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -op readconfig -scope single cn=Configuration ibm-slapdPtaEnabled
   ```

5. To configure a pass-through interface for attribute mapping, run the `idsldapmodify` command:

   ```
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setAttrMap.ldif
   ```

   The `setAttrMap.ldif` file contains the following entries:

   ```
   dn: cn=Passthrough Server1, cn=Passthrough Authentication, cn=Configuration
   changetype: add
   cn: Passthrough Server1
   ibm-slapdPtaURL: ldap://hostnameOfPassThroughServer:port
   ibm-slapdPtaSubtree: o=sample
   ibm-slapdPtaAttrMapping: uid $ userPrincipalName
   ibm-slapdPtaSearchBase: cn=users,dc=pta,dc=com
   ibm-slapdPtaBindDN: bind_DN
   ibm-slapdPtabindPW: bind_PWD
   objectclass: top
   objectclass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry
   objectclass: ibm-slapdPta
   objectclass: ibm-slapdPtaExt
   ```

6. Restart the directory server and the administration server.

   ```
   ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -k
   ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01 -k
   ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -n
   ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01
   ```

Examples

Example 1:

To search for an entry in the authentication server, run the `idsldapsearch` command in the following format:

   ```
   idsldapsearch -h server.com -p port -D cn=Tom Brown1,o=sample -w userPWD1 -s sub -b "cn=Tom Brown1,o=sample" objectclass=* cn=Tom Brown1,o=sample
   ```

   ```
   cn=Tom
   sn=Brown1
   ibm-ptaLinkAttribute=_DN_
   ibm-ptaLinkValue=userPrincipalName=Tom456,cn=users,dc=pta,dc=com
   objectclass=ibm-ptaReferral
   objectclass=inetOrgPerson
   objectclass=organizationalPerson
   objectclass=person
   objectclass=top
   ```

Example 2:

To compare the user password value, run the `idsldapcompare` command in the following format:

   ```
   idsldapcompare -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD cn=Tom Brown1,o=sample userpassword=userPWD1
   ```

   ```
   Compare true
   ```

Scenario 5: Pass-through authentication to Active Directory Global Catalog

You can route your DN and credentials for pass-through authentication to a Microsoft Active Directory forest instead of a specific pass-through server.
To authenticate to an external server, might require that you configure attribute mapping for pass-through authentication. For attribute mapping, you must provide the following information in the pass-through interface against which the user intends to authenticate:

- Attribute mapping (ibm-slapdPtaAttrMapping) if the DNs are not identical on authentication server and pass-through server
- Pass-through authentication subtree (ibm-slapdPtaSubtree)
- Search base (ibm-slapdPtaSearchBase)
- Pass-through server URL (ibm-slapdPtaURL)
- Bind DN (ibm-slapdPtaBindDN)
- Bind password (ibm-slapdPtaBindPW)

To authenticate to an Active Directory forest instead of a particular external server, you must specify a NULL search base ("""). To authenticate to an Active Directory forest, you must not set any value to the ibm-slapdPtaSearchBase attribute, which means that it must be empty. The authentication server runs a search against Active Directory with the search base as """" to make it a Global Catalog search. The search is routed through the Global Catalog port, 3268.

For more information about Active Directory Global Catalog, search the Global Catalog and LDAP searches keyword on the Microsoft TechNet website [http://technet.microsoft.com].

**Configuring pass-through authentication to Active Directory Global Catalog:**

Configure entries of a subtree to authenticate against the authentication server by setting the pass-through authentication interface to contact Microsoft Active Directory Global Catalog.

**Procedure**

1. Log in as the instance owner.
2. To set pass-through authentication on a directory server instance, run the `idsldapmodify` command:

   ```
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setPtaFile.ldif
   
   The setPtaFile.ldif file contains the following entries:
   
   * dn: cn=Configuration
   * changetype: modify
   * replace: ibm-slapdPtaEnabled
   * ibm-slapdPtaEnabled: true
   
   3. To apply changes that are made to the ibm-slapdPtaEnabled attribute value, run the `idsldapexop` command:

   ```
   idsldapexop -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -op readconfig -scope single cn=Configuration ibm-slapdPtaEnabled
   
   4. To configure a pass-through interface for the entries of a subtree, run the `idsldapmodify` command:

   ```
   idsldapmodify -h server.com -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -i setPtaGlobalCatalogFile.ldif
   
   The setPtaGlobalCatalogFile.ldif file contains the following entries:
   
   * dn: cn=Passthrough Server1, cn=Passthrough Authentication, cn=Configuration
   * changetype: add
   * cn: Passthrough Server1
   * ibm-slapdPtaAttrMapping: uid $ userPrincipalName
ibm-slapdPtaBindDN: bind_DN
ibm-slapdPtabindPW: bind_PWD
ibm-slapdPtaSubtree: o=sample
ibm-slapdPtaSearchBase:
ibm-slapdPtaURL: ldap://hostname:3268
ibm-slapdPtaConnectionPoolSize: 6
ibm-slapdPtaResultTimeout: 100
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry
objectclass: ibm-slapdPta
objectclass: ibm-slapdPtaExt

5. Restart the directory server and the administration server.

ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -k
ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01 -k
ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -n
ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01

**Configuring pass-through authentication by using Web Administration Tool**

If you have not done so already, expand the **Manage security properties** category under **Server administration** in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool and click the **Pass-through authentication** tab.

On this panel, you can:

- Enable or disable pass-through authentication by selecting or clearing the **Enable pass-through authentication** check box.
- Configure a pass-through entry for a subtree for pass-through authentication. Clicking **Add** displays the Configure subtree for pass-through authentication wizard that can be used for configuring a pass-through entry for a subtree for pass-through authentication.
- Edit an existing pass-through entry of a subtree for pass-through authentication. Clicking **Edit** displays the Configure subtree for pass-through authentication wizard that can be used for modifying an existing pass-through entry of a subtree for pass-through authentication.
- Delete an existing pass-through entry of a subtree configured for pass-through authentication. For this, select a subtree from the Subtrees configured for pass-through authentication table and click the **Delete** button.
- View pass-through entry details of a configured subtree for pass-through authentication. For this, select a subtree from the Subtrees configured for pass-through authentication table, select View from the Select Action list, and click **Go**.

- After you are finished, do one of the following:
  - Click **OK** to save changes and navigate to the “Introduction” panel.
  - Click **Apply** to save changes and to remain on this panel.
  - Click **Cancel** to discard changes made and navigate to the “Introduction” panel.

To configure a pass-through entry for a subtree for pass-through authentication follow the steps given below:

1. In the Pass-through authentication panel, click **Add**.

2. Next, on the Subtree settings panel you can do the following:
   - Enter a subtree DN in the field and click the **Add** button to add it to the list for storing subtree DN.
   - Enter multiple subtree DNs by clicking the **Browse** button and then selecting the required rows from the Browse entries panel.
• Remove a subtree DN from the list for storing subtree DN by selecting the subtree DN and clicking the **Remove** button.

• Specify the host name of the pass-through server in the **Host name** field. This is a required field.

• Specify the port number of the pass-through server in the **Port** field. This is a required field.

• Enable SSL encryption on the pass-through server by selecting the **Enable SSL encryption** check box.

• Specify whether to save the user password on the local directory for all successful bind request processed through the pass-through server by selecting a value from the **Migrate userpassword to this directory server** combo box. The default value of this control is “False”.

• Specify the number of connections that is required for each pass-through server entry in the **Number of connections to the pass-through server to maintain for Pass-through authentication** field.

• Specify a timeout value in the **Pass-through authentication timeout** field. The pass-through authentication interface will wait for result from socket till the timeout period before it returns the client request.

**Note:**
- The attribute "ibm-slapdPtaResultTimeout" in the "cn=pass-through_server, cn=Passthrough Authentication, cn=Configuration" entry is associated with this control.
- The timeout value is specified in milliseconds. The upper limit for this field is 60000 millisec (60 sec or 1 minute).

• Click **Next**.

To configure attribute mapping, do the following:

1. Select the **Enable attribute mapping** check box to enable attribute mapping. Selecting the **Enable attribute mapping** check box also enables other controls on the Attribute mapping panel.

2. In the **Bind DN for pass-through server** field, enter a bind DN for binding to the pass-through server.

3. In the **Bind password for pass-through server** field, enter a bind password for binding to the pass-through server.

4. In the **Search base DN** field, enter the search base DN of pass-through server where the entry will be searched, or click the **Browse** button to display Browse entries panel from which the user can select the existing DN from the pass-through server.

5. From the **Attribute for this directory server** combo box, select an attribute that should be mapped to an attribute in pass-through server.

6. From the **Attribute for pass-through directory server** combo box, select an attribute that should be mapped to the Security Directory Server attribute.

7. When you are finished, do one of the following:
   • Click **Back** to navigate to the Subtree settings panel.
   • Click **Finish** to save the changes and to navigate to the Pass-through authentication.
   • Click **Cancel** to discard the changes and to navigate to the Pass-through authentication.
Troubleshooting pass-through authentication

Use the pass-through authentication troubleshooting information to identify and fix any issues with the directory server environment.

- If you modify the entries in a pass-through server that affect the mapping, you must update the mapping in the authentication server for consistency. Ensure that the DNs are updated so that any modifications or renames in the pass-through server are applied to the authentication server.

- You can run pass-through authentication against a proxy server only if the pass-through subtree is part of the partition base on the proxy server.

- If you observe an unexpected result for an operation against a proxy server, check the ibmslapd.log file on the proxy back-end server for error messages. Search for the following error messages in the ibmslapd.log file:

  12/20/11 15:08:56 GLPSRV165E Pass-through authentication failed due to a timeout.
  12/20/11 15:08:56 Pass-through authentication search failed on host 'ldapServer', port '389', url ldap://ldapServer:389'
  12/20/11 15:08:56 GLPSRV163E Pass-through bind failed on 'ldap://ldapServer:389' for entry 'cn=user_21,o=sample'

  The unexpected result might be because of the operation timeout. In such situations, increase the value of the ibm-slapdPtaResultTimeout attribute in the pass-through authentication entry under the cn=Passthrough Authentication, cn=Configuration DN entry in the configuration file. The timeout value is specified in milliseconds. The maximum supported value for this attribute is 60000 milliseconds, which is 60 seconds.

- If you configure pass-through authentication in a distributed directory, check the ibmslapd.log file on the proxy back-end servers to resolve any issues.

- To audit pass-through authentication, set the ibm-auditPTABindInfo attribute to true on the authentication server. The ibm-auditPTABindInfo attribute is under the cn=Audit, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration DN entry in the configuration file. By default, ibm-auditPTABindInfo is set to true. A prerequisite to include pass-through details for bind or compare operations is that the ibm-audit attribute must be set to true. The bind and compare operations must be audited. The following example shows an audit log entry for a pass-through authentication:

```
AuditV3--2011-06-21-11:17:39.813+00:00--V3 Bind--bindDN: cn=XXX,ou=users,o=sample
-client: 127.0.0.1:51900--connectionID: 10--received: 2011-06-21-11:17:39.811+00:00
--Success controlType: 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.5.1 criticality: false
passthroughBindDN: uid=XXX,c=in,dc=com
passthroughServer: ldap://server:port
passthroughBindRC: 0
```

where,

- `passthroughBindDN` is the DN that was used to validate bind against the pass-through server
- `passthroughServer` is the LDAP URL of the pass-through server
- `passthroughBindRC` is the return code for bind operation from pass-through server
Administrative group creation

To manage directory server administrative tasks, you must create administrative group members with unique IDs and passwords.

When you create administrative group members, you must consider the following points:

- The primary administrator ID must be unique.
- The administrative group member DNs must be unique within the directory server.
- The Kerberos or Digest-MD5 IDs of the directory server administrator and the administrative group members must be unique.
- The replication supplier DN value of the directory server must be unique. The replication supplier DN of a directory server must not match any of the administrative group member DN or the primary administrator DN.

A primary administrator must ensure that the archive log attributes are set in the following entries:

- cn=Audit, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
- cn=Admin Audit, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration

When you set the archive attributes in the entries, it eliminates the risk of a local administrator member from changing the default archive log settings. If you change the default settings, the archiving of audit logs is affected. To update the default log settings, update the following attributes:

- ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives
- ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold
- ibm-slapdLogArchivePath

Administrative Roles

While configuring an administrative group member, the primary administrator has to explicitly assign an administrative role to the member. The roles that can be assigned to an administrative member are given below:

- Audit administrator (AuditAdmin) – Members of the administrative group who are assigned the Audit Administrator role have unrestricted access to
  - Audit log
  - Admin Audit log
  - All other server logs
  - Audit log settings (cn=Audit, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration)
  - Admin Audit log settings (cn=Admin Audit, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration)
  - Default log management settings (cn=Default, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration)
- Directory Data Administrator (DirDataAdmin) – Members of the administrative group who are assigned this role will gain unrestricted access to all the entries in the RDBM back-end. However, for setting the password attribute of RDBM entries, members will still have to follow the usual password policy rules that are in effect.
- No administrator (NoAdmin) – If the primary administrator assigns No Administrator role to the configuration file users, then the users will cease to
have any administrative privileges. By defining this role the primary administrator can revoke all the administrative privileges of an administrative group member.

- **Password administrator (PasswordAdmin)** – Members of the administrative group who are assigned the Password Administrator role are authorized to unlock other user’s accounts or change passwords of users in RDBM back-end. However, they are not authorized to change passwords of Global Administrative Group Member accounts. Also, they are not restrained by password policy constraints that are set on the server. They can also add and delete the userpassword field of entries in RDBM back-end but are not allowed to make changes to users defined in the configuration file. The password changes made by users who are assigned this role are not affected by ACLs. However, when users change their own password, the usual user password policy rules will apply.

- **Replication administrator (ReplicationAdmin)** – Members of the administrative group who are assigned the Replication Administrator role are authorized to update replication topology objects. The changes made by members with this role are not affected by ACLs or any other configuration file settings.

- **Schema administrator (SchemaAdmin)** – Members of the administrative group who are assigned the Schema Administrator role have unrestricted access to schema back-end only.

- **Server configuration group member (ServerConfigGroupMember)** – Members of the administrator group who are assigned the Server Configuration Group Member role have restricted update access to the configuration back-end. This means that Server configuration group members will have restricted update access to entries under cn=Configuration. Users with this role will be unable to perform certain tasks, particularly those related to other local and primary administrators or tasks related to security. For instance, they will be unable to change primary administrator and Admin Group credentials and add or remove members from the administrative group. Also, they will be unable to modify the DN, password, Kerberos ID, or Digest-MD5 ID of any administrative group member entry under cn=AdminGroup, cn=Configuration. They are also not authorized to modify their own DN, Kerberos ID, or Digest-MD5 ID. They are not authorized to add, delete or modify the administrative roles assigned to any of the administrative group members. However, users will be able to modify their own password. In addition, users with this role will be unable to view the password of any other administrative group member or the primary administrator and they are not authorized to add, delete, or modify the audit log setting and admin audit log settings (the entire cn=Audit, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration and cn=Admin Audit, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration entries) or clear the audit log and admin audit log. However, they are allowed to modify default log settings (the cn=Default, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration entry) and clear all other server logs. Also, users with this role will be unable to add or delete the cn=Kerberos, cn=Configuration or cn=Digest, cn=Configuration entries. However, they are allowed to search all attributes under these entries. The users will be able to modify all attributes under these entries except the Kerberos and Digest-MD5 root administrator bind attributes. They will be unable to search or modify the ibm-slapdAdminDN, ibm-slapdAdminGroupEnabled, or ibm-slapdAdminPW attributes under the cn=Configuration entry. The user can issue dynamic configuration updates.

- **Server start/stop administrator (ServerStartStopAdmin)** – Members of the administrative group who are assigned the Server Start/Stop Administrator role are authorized to start or stop the server and the administrator daemon.

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Note: See “Global administration group” on page 394 for information on how administrative rights are delegated for the database backend in a distributed directory environment.

The following table gives cross references of various extended operations that administrative group members are allowed to issue.

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Table 31. Administrative roles authorized to issue various extended operations (continued)

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<th>Extended Operations</th>
<th>Audit Admin</th>
<th>Directory Data Admin</th>
<th>Replication Admin</th>
<th>Schema Admin</th>
<th>Server Configuration Group Member</th>
<th>Server Start/Stop Admin</th>
<th>Password Admin</th>
<th>No Admin</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Topology Replication – This operation is used to replicate the objects that define the topology of a particular replication context, such as the replication agreements for that context. Any user with update rights to the Replication Group Entry of the context is allowed to issue this extended operation. OID = 1.3.18.0.2.12.54</td>
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<tr>
<td>Event Update – Request to reinitialize the event notification configuration (this operation can only be initiated by the server, not any user). OID = 1.3.18.0.2.12.31</td>
<td>No</td>
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<td>Log Access Update – Request to reinitialize the log access plugin configuration (this operation can only be initiated by the server, not any user). OID = 1.3.18.0.2.12.32</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
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<tr>
<td>Unique Attributes – Request to get the duplicate values for an attribute. OID = 1.3.18.0.2.12.44</td>
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<td>Yes</td>
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<td>No</td>
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<tr>
<td>Account Status – This operation is used to determine if an account is locked by password policy. OID = 1.3.18.0.2.12.58</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Locate Entry – This operation is used locate details of a given set of DN(s). OID = 1.3.18.0.2.12.71</td>
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<td>Proxy Resume Role – Request that a backend server's role is resumed. OID = 1.3.18.0.2.12.65</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Get Attributes Type – Request attributes types. OID = 1.3.18.0.2.12.46</td>
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<td>ServerBackupRestore- Requests that the admin server either perform a backup of a directory server's data and configuration or restore a directory server’s data and configuration from an existing backup. OID = 1.3.18.0.2.12.81</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
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The following table gives cross references of various objects that different administrative group members are allowed to access.

Table 32. Permissions assigned to Administrative roles for accessing various objects

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<tr>
<th>Audit Administrator</th>
<th>Audit Settings / Audit logs</th>
<th>RDBM Backend</th>
<th>Replication Objects</th>
<th>Schema Backend</th>
<th>Configuration Backend</th>
<th>Proxy Backend</th>
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<td>Read</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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Note1: Permission level required for read or write access.
Table 32. Permissions assigned to Administrative roles for accessing various objects (continued)

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<td>Directory Data Administrator</td>
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<td>Schema Administrator</td>
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<tr>
<td>Server Configuration Group Member</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Password Administrator</td>
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</table>

- * - Server Configuration Group Member will have restricted update access to configuration backend.
- ** - For access to these objects the administrative roles give no special authority, but the user may still have access through normal ACL evaluation.
- Note1 - Proxy will treat the admin group members having any administrative role as anonymous and will accordingly apply access rules.

**Enabling and disabling the administrative group**

You must be the Security Directory Server administrator to perform this operation.

**Note:** In this task and the Manage administrative group tasks that follow, the operation buttons are disabled for members of the administrative group. Members of the administrative group can only view the **Administrative group members** table on the **Manage administrative group** panel.

**Using Web Administration:** Expand the **Server administration** category in the navigation area. Click **Manage administrative group**.

1. To enable or disable the administrative group, click the check box next to **Enable administrative group**. If the box is checked, the administrative group is enabled.

2. Click **OK**.

**Note:** If you disable the administrative group, any member who is logged in can continue administrative operations until that member is required to rebind. To stop any additional operations by already bound administrative group members, perform an unbind operation. See "Managing server connections" on page 104 for more information.

**Using the command line:** To perform the same operations using the command line, issue the following command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where *filename* contains:

```bash
dn: cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdAdminGroupEnabled
#specify TRUE to enable or FALSE to disable the administrative group
```
To update the settings dynamically, issue the following `idsldapexop` command:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope single
```

cn=Configuration ibm-slapdAdminGroupEnabled

### Adding members to the administrative group

You must be the Security Directory Server administrator to perform this operation.

**Using Web Administration:** To add a member to the administrative group, expand the **Server administration** category in the navigation area and click **Manage administrative group**. Next, on the **Manage administrative group panel**, click **Add**.

On the **Add administrative group member** panel:

1. Enter the member’s administrator DN (this must be a valid DN syntax).
2. Enter the member’s password. See “Setting the administration password and lockout policy” on page 224 for information about administration password security restrictions.
3. Enter the member’s password again to confirm it.
4. Optionally, enter the member’s **Digest-MD5 user name**.
5. Optionally, enter the member’s **Kerberos ID**. The Kerberos ID must be in either `ibm-kn` or `ibm-KerberosName` format. The values are case insensitive, for example, `ibm-kn=root@TEST.AUSTIN.IBM.COM` is equivalent to `ibm-kn=ROOT@TEST.AUSTIN.IBM.COM`.

   **Note:** This field is only available for the AIX and Windows platforms. It is displayed only, if the kerberos supported capabilities OID (1.3.18.0.2.32.30) is found on the server.

6. Under the Administrative role section, select the **Define roles for admin group member** check box.
7. Select the available administrative roles from the **Available administrative role box** and click **Add**.
8. Click **OK**.

   **Note:** The Digest-MD5 user name is case sensitive.

Repeat this procedure for each member you want to add to the administrative group.

The member administrator DN, Digest-MD5 username, if specified, and Kerberos ID, if specified, are displayed in the **Administrative group members** list box.

**Note:** Kerberos support is only available for the AIX and Windows platforms. The Kerberos ID column in the is displayed in the **Administrative group members** list box only, if the kerberos supported capabilities OID (1.3.18.0.2.32.30) is found on the server.

**Using the command line:** To perform the same operations using the command line, issue the following command:

```
idsldapadd -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```
where filename contains:

dn: cn=AdminGroup, cn=Configuration

cn: AdminGroup

objectclass: top

objectclass: container

dn: cn=admin1, cn=AdminGroup, cn=Configuration

cn: admin1

ibm-slapdAdminDN: memberDN

ibm-slapdAdminPW: password

ibm-slapdAdminRole: role value

ibm-slapdAdminRole: role value2

# ibm-slapdKrbAdminDN and ibm-slapdDigestAdminUser are optional attributes.

ibm-slapdKrbAdminDN: KerberosID

ibm-slapdDigestAdminUser: DigestID

objectclass: top

objectclass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry

objectclass: ibm-slapdAdminGroupMember

Note:

- If you already have a member created in the administrative group, omit the first entry.
- If multiple instances of ibm-slapdAdminRole attribute are specified with different role values, and one of these role values is NoAdmin, then all other role values will be ignored and an administrative group member having NoAdmin role will be added.

To update the settings dynamically, issue the following idsldapexop command:

```bash
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope subtree
cn=AdminGroup, cn=Configuration
```

**Modifying an administrative group member**

You must be the Security Directory Server administrator to perform this operation.

**Using Web Administration:** To modify an administrative group member's information, expand the **Server administration** category in the navigation area and click **Manage administrative group**. On the Manage administrative group panel:

1. Select the member whose information you want to modify.
2. Click **Edit**.
3. Change the member's administrator DN (this must be a valid DN syntax).
4. Change the member's password.
5. Enter the member's password again to confirm it.
6. Enter or change the member's **Kerberos ID**. The Kerberos ID must be in either ibm-kn or ibm-KerberosName format. The values are case insensitive, for example, ibm-kn=root@TEST.AUSTIN.IBM.COM is equivalent to ibm-kn=ROOT@TEST.AUSTIN.IBM.COM.

   **Note:** This field is only available for the AIX and Windows platforms. It is displayed only, if the kerberos supported capabilities OID(1.3.18.0.2.32.30) is found on the server.
7. Enter or change the member's **Digest-MD5 user name**. The Digest-MD5 user name is case sensitive.
8. Click **OK**.

Repeat this procedure for each member you want to modify in the administrative group.
Note: If you are member of the administrative group, you can change your password using the User properties->Change password panel.

Using the command line: To perform the same operations using the command line, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where filename contains:

dn: cn=admin1, cn=AdminGroup, cn=Configuration

- changeDN: modify
- replace: ibm-slapdAdminDN
- ibm-slapdAdminDN: cn=memberDN
- replace: ibm-slapdAdminPW
- ibm-slapdAdminPW: password
- replace: ibm-slapdKrbAdminDN
- ibm-slapdKrbAdminDN: KerberosID
- replace: ibm-slapDigestAdminUser
- ibm-slapDigestAdminUser: DigestID
- replace: ibm-slapdAdminRole
- ibm-slapdAdminRole: role value

To update the settings dynamically, issue the following idsldapexop command:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope subtree
cn=AdminGroup, cn=Configuration
```

Removing a member from the administrative group
You must be the Security Directory Server administrator to perform this operation.

Using Server Administration: To remove a member of the administrative group,
on the Manage administrative group panel:

1. Select the member you want to remove.
2. Click Delete.
3. You are prompted to confirm the removal.
4. Click OK to delete the member or Cancel to return to the Manage administrative group panel without making any changes.

Repeat this procedure for each member you want to remove from the administrative group.

Using the command line: To perform the same operations using the command line, issue the following command:

```
idsldapdelete -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where filename contains:

#list additional DNs here, one per line: cn=admin1, cn=AdminGroup, cn=Configuration

To remove multiple members, list the DNs. Each DN must be on a separate line.

Note: Provide the DN of the entry holding the admin group member and not the bind DN of the admin group member.

To update the settings dynamically, issue the following idsldapexop command:
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope subtree
   cn=AdminGroup,cn=Configuration
Chapter 13. Referrals

Referrals provide a way for servers to refer clients to additional directory servers. A referral specifies the URL of an alternate LDAP server. This alternate server handles any requests for objects that are not found within any of the subtrees of the current LDAP server.

Note:
- In a proxy environment, the proxy server will not return referrals. Referral objects will be returned as normal directory entries, such that a client will not chase referrals.
- Referrals are not recommended in a proxy environment.

A default referral can be used to point to:
- The immediate parent of this server (in a hierarchy)
- A "more knowledgeable" server, such as the uppermost server in the hierarchy
- A "more knowledgeable" server that possibly serves a disjoint portion of the namespace

With referrals you can:
- Distribute namespace information among multiple servers
- Provide knowledge of where data is located within a set of interrelated servers
- Route client requests to the appropriate server

Note: All supported servers and clients of IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.0 and later are enabled to support IPv6 and IPv4 formats. See Appendix E, "IPv6 support," on page 589 for information about these two formats.

Some of the advantages of using referrals are the ability to:
- Distribute processing overhead, providing primitive load balancing
- Distribute administration of data along organizational boundaries
- Provide potential for widespread interconnection, beyond an organization's own boundaries

Note: On the Linux, Solaris, and HP-UX platforms, if a client hangs while chasing referrals, ensure that the environment variable LDAP_LOCK_REC has been set in your system environment. No specific value is required.

```
set LDAP_LOCK_REC=anyvalue
```

Setting up referrals to other LDAP directories

This section describes how to use the referral object class and the ref attribute to construct entries in an LDAP directory containing references to other LDAP directories. This section also describes how to associate multiple servers using referrals and provides an example.
Using the referral object class and the ref attribute

The referral object class and the ref attribute are used to facilitate distributed name resolution or to search across multiple servers. The ref attribute appears in an entry named in the referencing server. The value of the ref attribute points to an entry maintained in the referenced server.

Creating entries

Following is an example configuration that illustrates the use of the ref attribute.

![Figure 3. Example of using the referral attribute](image)

In the example, Server A holds references to two entries: o=ABC, c=US and o=XYZ, c=US. For the o=ABC, c=US entry, Server A holds a reference to Server B and for the o=XYZ, c=US entry, Server A holds a reference to Server C.

One setup of referrals is to structure the servers into a hierarchy based on the subtrees they manage. Then, provide “forward” referrals from servers that hold higher (closer to the root of the hierarchy) information and set the default referral to point back to its parent server.

Associating servers with referrals

To associate servers through referrals:

- Use referral objects to point to other servers for subordinate references.
- Define the default referral to point somewhere else, typically to the parent server.

Note: Referral objects can be seen from command line by specifying the -M option. For more information about the command line utilities see the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference

Pointing to other servers: Use referral objects to point to the other servers for subordinate references, that is, portions of the namespace below this server that it does not service directly.

Referral objects, like other objects, go in the backend (DB2). Referral objects consist of:

- **dn:** Specifies the distinguished name. It is the portion of the namespace served by the referenced server.
- **objectclass:** Specifies the value of the objectclass “referral”.
- **ref:** Specifies the LDAP Web address of the server. This Web address consists of the ldap:// identifier, the hostname:port, and a DN. The identifier can be either a host name string or a TCP/IP address. The DN requires a slash (/) before it to delimit it from the hostname:port, and should match the DN of the referral object. The DN specified in the value of the referral attribute
should match the DN of the referral object. Typically, it is an entry in a naming context at or below the naming context held by the referencing server.

```
dn: o=sample
objectclass: referral
ref: ldap://9.130.25.51:389/o=sample
```

**Binding with a distributed namespace**

When performing searches, the same DN that was used to bind or log in to the original server is used to bind to the referred-to server, unless the Security Directory Server application is designed to modify the bind DN and credentials. The correct access must be set up for the same DN to be able to bind to both servers for chasing the referrals. See "Logging on to the console as the server administrator, a member of an administrative group or an LDAP user" on page 27 for additional information.

**An example of distributing the namespace through referrals**

Following are the steps involved in distributing the namespace using referrals.

1. Plan your namespace hierarchy.

   country - US
   company - IBM, Lotus
   organizationalUnit - IBM Austin, IBM Endicott, IBM HQ

2. Set up multiple servers, each containing portions of the namespace.

   ![Diagram of server setup]

   *Figure 4. Setting up the servers*

   **Server descriptions:**

   **Server A**
   A server used to locate other servers in the U.S. With no other knowledge, clients can come here first to locate information for anyone in the U.S.

   **Server B**
   A hub for all data pertaining to IBM in the U.S. Holds all HQ information directly. Holds all knowledge (referrals) of where other IBM data is located.

   **Server C**
   Holds all IBM Austin information.

   **Server D**
   Holds all IBM Endicott information.
Server E
Holds all Lotus® information.

3. Set up referral objects to point to the descendants in other servers.

Servers can also define a default referral, which is used to point to a "more knowledgeable" server for anything that is not underneath them in the namespace.

Note: The default referral LDAP Web address does not include the DN portion.

Following is an arrangement of the same five servers, showing the referral objects in the database as well as the default referrals that are used for superior references.
Creating default referrals

Using the Web Administration Tool is the recommended method to create and remove default referrals.

Using Web Administration

1. If you have not already done so, use the Web Administration Tool to log on to the master server.
2. Add a referral entry by selecting the referral object class from the Structural object classes list on the Select object class panel. See "Adding an entry" on page 474 for additional information.

3. On the Required attributes tab, click Manage Referral.

4. On the Manage referral panel, click Add to display the Add referral panel.

**Note:** For Admin referrals, the fields related to attributes and filter are not displayed. Admin referrals can be created by adding a referral from the Manage Server Properties panel in the Server Administration category.

5. From the **Server hostname:port** drop down list, select an LDAP server and port or enter a host name and port number of a server in the field in the hostname:port format.

6. Select **Use SSL**, if the referral is to a secure (SSL) server.

7. Enter the base DN in the directory information tree in the target server. For example ou=austin,o=sample.

8. Select the attributes you want to include in the referral URL and click **Add**. To remove an attribute from the referral URL, highlight the attribute in the **Selected attributes** field and click **Remove**.

9. Select the scope for the referral search.
   - Select **Object** to search only within the selected object.
   - Select **Single level** to search only within the immediate children of the selected object.
   - Select **Subtree** to search all descendants of the selected entry.
   - Select **None** to specify no scope.

10. Specify a search filter. See "Search filters" on page 486 for more information.

11. Click **OK**.

12. Repeat these steps for additional referrals.

13. When you are finished, click **Next** on the Required attributes tab.

14. At the **Optional attributes** tab enter the values as appropriate for the other attributes.

15. Click **Finish** to create the entry.

You must restart the server for the changes to take effect.

**Using the command line**

Define a default referral to reference a directory on another server.

**Note:** The default referral LDAP URL does not include the DN portion. It includes only the ldap:// identifier and the hostname:port.

For example:

```
idsldapadd -D adminDN -w adminpw -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```text
# referral
dn: cn=Referral, cn=Configuration
cn: Referral
ibm-slapdReferral: ldap://additional hostname:port/baseDN?attributes?
scope?filter
ibm-slapdReferral: ldap://additional hostname:port/baseDN?attributes?
scope?filter
ibm-slapdReferral: ldap://additional hostname:port/baseDN?attributes?
```

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For example, to set up referrals to two servers, server1 and server2 (a secure server), listening on port 389, with a base of ou=austin,o=sample, with the attributes cn, sn, and description, a scope of base, and a filter of objectclass=*, the LDIF file is:

```
# referral
dn: cn=Referral, cn=Configuration
objectclass: ibm-slapdReferral
cn: Referral
    ou=austin,o=sample?cn,sn,description?base?objectclass=*  
    ou=austin,o=sample?cn,sn,description?base?objectclass=*  
objectclass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry
objectclass: top
```

See Appendix E, “IPv6 support,” on page 589 for more information about supported URL formats.

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### Modifying referrals

To edit a referral, use one of the following methods.

#### Using Web Administration

1. If you have not already done so, use the Web Administration Tool to log on to the master server.
2. On the **Required attributes** tab of the Add an entry panel, click **Manage Referral**.
3. From the **Current referrals** section, select the referral you want to edit.
4. Click **Edit**.
5. You can modify the host name and port for the server to which this referral value is pointing.
6. You can modify **Use SSL**, if the referral is to a secure (SSL) server or not.
7. You can modify the base DN in the directory information tree in the target server. For example ou=austin,o=sample.
8. You can modify the attributes you want to include in the referral URL by adding or removing attributes from the referral URL.
9. You can modify the scope for the referral search.
10. You can modify the search filter. See “Search filters” on page 486 for more information.
11. Click **OK**.
12. Repeat these steps for each referral you want to modify.

You must restart the server for the changes to take effect.

#### Using the command line

To modify the referral to server1 in order to change the baseDN to ou=raleigh,o=sample, issue the command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -M -i filename
```
where `filename` contains:

```plaintext
dn: cn=referral, cn= configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdReferral
    ou=raleigh,o=sample?cn,sn,description?base?objectclass=*  
```

**Note:** When accessing referral entries, you must specify the -M option to treat the entry like a normal entry, otherwise the server will return the referral.

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**Removing referrals**

To remove a referral, use one of the following methods.

**Using Web Administration**

1. If you have not already done so, use the Web Administration Tool to log on to the master server.
2. Expand the **Server Administration** category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool, select **Manage server properties**.
3. Click **Referrals**.

   **Note:** If you are working in another panel and are adding or modifying an entry that has an attribute that contains referrals you can click **Manage referrals** to access this panel.
4. From the **Current referrals** section, select the referral you want to remove.
5. Click **Remove**.
6. A confirmation panel is displayed. Click **OK** to remove the referral or click **Cancel** to return to the previous panel without making any changes.
7. Repeat this process for as many referrals as you want to remove or click **Remove all** to remove all of the current referrals.
8. When you are finished, click **Apply** to save your changes without exiting, or click **OK** to apply your changes and exit, or click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

You must restart the server for the changes to take effect.

**Using the command line**

To delete a single default referral, for example, austin.ibm.com:389, issue the command:

```plaintext
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```plaintext
dn: cn=referral, cn= configuration
changetype: modify
delete: ibm-slapdReferral
```

To delete all default referrals:

```plaintext
idsldapdelete -D adminDN -w adminPW "cn=referral,cn=configuration"
```
Chapter 14. Replication

Replication is a technique used by directory servers to improve performance, availability, and reliability. The replication process keeps the data in multiple directory servers synchronized.

Replication provides three main benefits:

- **Redundancy of information** - Replicas back up the content of their supplier servers.
- **Faster searches** - Search requests can be spread among several different servers, instead of a single server. This improves the response time for the request completion.
- **Security and content filtering** - Replicas can contain subsets of the data in a supplier server.

**Replication terminology**

**Cascading replication**
A replication topology in which there are multiple tiers of servers. A peer/master server replicates to a set of read-only (forwarding) servers, which in turn replicate to other servers. Such a topology off-loads replication work from the master servers.

**Consumer server**
A server that receives changes through replication from another (supplier) server.

**Credentials**
Identify the method and required information that the supplier uses in binding to the consumer. For simple binds, this includes the DN and password. The credentials are stored in an entry the DN of which is specified in the replica agreement.

**Forwarding server**
A read-only server that replicates all changes sent to it. This contrasts with a peer/master server in that it is read only and it can have no peers.

**Gateway server**
A server that forwards all replication traffic from the local replication site where it resides to other Gateway servers in the replicating network. Also receives replication traffic from other Gateway servers within the replication network, which it forwards to all servers on its local replication site.

Gateway servers must be masters (writable).

**Master server**
A server that is writable (can be updated) for a given subtree.

**Nested subtree**
A subtree within a replicated subtree of the directory.

**Peer server**
The term used for a master server when there are multiple masters for a
given subtree. A peer server does not replicate changes sent to it from another peer server; it only replicates changes that are originally made on it.

**Replica group**
The first entry created under a replication context has objectclass ibm-replicaGroup and represents a collection of servers participating in replication. It provides a convenient location to set ACL’s to protect the replication topology information. The administration tools currently support one replica group under each replication context, named ibm-replicagroup=default.

**Replica subentry**
Below a replica group entry, one or more entries with objectclass ibm-replicaSubentry can be created; one for each server participating in replication as a supplier. The replica subentry identifies the role the server plays in replication: master or read-only. A read-only server might, in turn, have replication agreements to support cascading replication.

**Replicated subtree**
A portion of the directory information tree (DIT) that is replicated from one server to another. Under this design, a given subtree can be replicated to some servers and not to others. A subtree can be writable on a given server, while other subtrees may be read-only.

**Replicating network**
A network that contains connected replication sites.

**Replication agreement**
Information contained in the directory that defines the ‘connection’ or ‘replication path’ between two servers. One server is called the supplier (the one that sends the changes) and the other is the consumer (the one that receives the changes). The agreement contains all the information needed for making a connection from the supplier to the consumer and scheduling replication.

**Replication context**
Identifies the root of a replicated subtree. The ibm-replicationContext auxiliary object class may be added to an entry to mark it as the root of a replicated area. The configuration information related to replication is maintained in a set of entries created below the base of a replication context.

**Replication site**
A Gateway server and any master, peer, or replica servers configured to replicate together.

**Schedule**
Replication can be scheduled to occur at particular times, with changes on the supplier accumulated and sent in a batch. The replica agreement contains the DN for the entry that supplies the schedule.

**Supplier server**
A server that sends changes to another (consumer) server.

**Replication topology**
The set of objects in a directory that control what kind of information is replicated between LDAP servers and how it is replicated. These objects include:
- Replication contexts
Replication groups
Replication subentries
Replication agreements
Replication credentials
Replication schedule entries

All LDAP servers in the replicating network should have the same replication topology.

**Replication topology**

Specific entries in the directory are identified as the roots of replicated subtrees, by adding the ibm-replicationContext objectclass to them. Each subtree is replicated independently. The subtree continues down through the Directory Information Tree (DIT) until reaching the leaf entries or other replicated subtrees (context). Entries are added below the root of the replicated subtree to contain the replication configuration information. These entries are one or more replica group entries, under which are created replica subentries. Associated with each replica subentry are replication agreements that identify the servers that are supplied (replicated to) by each server, as well as defining the credentials and schedule information.

Through replication, a change made to one directory is propagated to one or more additional directories. In effect, a change to one directory shows up on multiple different directories. IBM Security Directory Server supports an expanded master-replica replication model. Replication topologies are expanded to include:

- Replication of subtrees of the Directory Information Tree to specific servers
- A multi-tier topology referred to as cascading replication
- Assignment of server role (supplier or consumer) by subtree.
- Multiple master servers, referred to as peer to peer replication.
- Gateway servers that replicate across networks.

The advantage of replicating by subtrees is that a replica does not need to replicate the entire directory. It can be a replica of a part, or subtree, of the directory.

The expanded model changes the concept of master and replica. These terms no longer apply to servers, but rather to the roles that a server has regarding a particular replicated subtree. A server can act as a master for some subtrees and as a replica for others. The term, master, is used for a server that accepts client updates for a replicated subtree. The term, replica, is used for a server that only accepts updates from other servers designated as a supplier for the replicated subtree.

There are four types of directory roles as defined by function: master/peer, gateway, forwarding (cascading), and replica (read-only).
Table 33. Server roles

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<th>Role</th>
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<td>Master/peer</td>
<td>The master/peer server contains the master directory information from where updates are propagated to the replicas. All changes are made and occur on the master server, and the master is responsible for propagating these changes to the replicas.</td>
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<td>There can be several servers acting as masters for directory information, with each master responsible for updating other master servers and replica servers. This is referred to as peer replication. Peer replication can improve performance and reliability. Performance is improved by providing a local server to handle updates in a widely distributed network. Reliability is improved by providing a backup master server ready to take over immediately if the primary master fails.</td>
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<td><strong>Notes:</strong></td>
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<td>1. Master servers replicate all client updates, but do not replicate updates received from other masters.</td>
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<td>2. Updates among peer servers can be immediate or scheduled. See “Creating replication schedules” on page 376 for more information.</td>
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<td>Forwarding (Cascading)</td>
<td>A forwarding or cascading server is a replica server that replicates all changes sent to it. This contrasts to a master/peer server in that a master/peer server only replicates changes that are made by clients connected to that server. A cascading server can relieve the replication workload from the master servers in a network which contains many widely dispersed replicas.</td>
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<td>Gateway</td>
<td>Gateway replication uses Gateway servers to collect and distribute replication information effectively across a replicating network. The primary benefit of Gateway replication is the reduction of network traffic.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Replica (read-only)</td>
<td>An additional server that contains a copy of directory information. The replicas are copies of the master (or the subtree that it is a replica of). The replica provides a backup of the replicated subtree.</td>
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You can request updates on a replica server, but the update is actually forwarded to the master server by returning a referral to the client. If the update is successful, the master server then sends the update to the replicas. Until the master has completed replication of the update, the change is not reflected on the replica server where it was originally requested. If the replication fails, it is repeated even if the master is restarted. Changes are replicated in the order in which they are made on the master. See “Replication error handling” on page 292.

If you are no longer using a replica, you must remove the replica agreement from the supplier. Leaving the definition causes the server to queue up all updates and use unnecessary directory space. Also, the supplier continues trying to contact the missing consumer to retry sending the data.

### Overview of replication

This section presents a high-level description of the various types of replication topologies.

#### Simple replication

The basic relationship in replication is that of a master server and its replica server. The master server can contain a directory or a subtree of a directory. The master is writable, which means it can receive updates from clients for a given subtree.
A master server can have several replicas. Each replica can contain a copy of the master’s entire directory, or a subtree of the directory. In the following example Replica 2 contains a copy of the complete directory of the Master Server, Replica 1 and Replica 3 each contain a copy of a subtree of the Master Server’s directory.

The relationship between two servers can also be described in terms of roles, either supplier or consumer. In the previous example the Master Server is a supplier to each of the replicas. Each replica in turn is a consumer of the Master Server.

**Cascading replication**

Cascading replication is a topology that has multiple tiers of servers. A master server replicates to a set of read-only (forwarding) servers that in turn replicate to other servers. Such a topology off-loads replication work from the master server. In the example of this type of topology, the master server is a supplier to the two forwarding servers. The forwarding servers serve two roles. They are consumers of the master server and suppliers to the replica servers associated with them. The replica servers are consumers of their respective forwarding servers. For example:

**Peer-to-peer replication**

There can be several servers acting as masters for directory information, with each master responsible for updating other master servers and replica servers. This is referred to as peer replication. Peer replication can improve performance, availability, and reliability. Performance is improved by providing a local server to handle updates in a widely distributed network. Availability and reliability are improved by providing a backup master server ready to take over immediately if
the primary master fails. Peer master servers replicate all client updates to the replicas and to the other peer masters, but do not replicate updates received from other master servers.

**Note:** Conflict resolution for add and modify operations in peer-to-peer replication is based on Timestamp. See “Replication conflict resolution” on page 289.

**Note:** In a Peer-to-peer replication setup with one replica server for each peer-master, if the primary master fails, the proxy server directs the requests to the backup master server. However, the proxy server will not fall back to the primary master until the backup master server fails.

The following is an example of peer-to-peer replication:

![Figure 9. Peer-to-peer replication](image)

**Gateway replication**

Gateway replication is a more complex adaptation of peer-to-peer replication that extends replication capabilities across networks. The most notable difference is that a gateway server does replicate changes received from other peer servers through the gateway.

A gateway server must be a master server, that is, writable. It acts as a peer server within its own replication site. That is, it can receive and replicate client updates and receive updates from the other peer-master servers within the replication site. It does not replicate the updates received from the other peer-masters to any servers within its own site.

Within the gateway network, the gateway server acts as a two-way forwarding server. In one instance, the peers in its replication site act as the suppliers to the gateway server and the other gateway servers are its consumers. In the other instance the situation is reversed. The other gateway servers act as suppliers to the gateway server and the other servers within its own replication site are the consumers.

Gateway replication uses gateway servers to collect and distribute replication information effectively across a replicating network. The primary benefit of gateway replication is the reduction of network traffic. For example:
Partial replication

Partial replication is a replication feature that replicates only the specified entries and a subset of attributes for the specified entries within a subtree. Using partial replication, an administrator can enhance the replication bandwidth depending on the deployment requirements. The attributes that are to be replicated are specified using a replication filter. For more information on partial replication, see “Partial Replication” on page 348.

Replication conflict resolution

If replication conflicts occur involving delete or modifyDN operations, errors that require human intervention might result. For example, if an entry is renamed on one server while it is being modified on a second server, the rename (modifyDN) might arrive at a replica before the modify. Then when the modify arrives, it fails. In this case, the administrator needs to respond to the error by applying the modify to the entry with the new DN. All information necessary to redo the modify with the correct name is preserved in the replication and error logs. Replication errors are rare occurrences in a correctly configured replication topology, but it is not safe to assume that they never occur.

Note: When a replication conflict is detected, an entry is re-added to resolve the replication conflict and the original entry prior to the re-add is written to the lostandfound.log file. This enables restoring any aspect of the original entry. The entire group entry can also be logged in the log file if the conflict is detected in a group entry.

Conflict resolution for add and modify operations in peer-to-peer replication is based on Timestamp. The entry update with the most recent modify TimeStamp on any server in a multi-master replication environment is the one that takes precedence. Replicated delete and rename request are accepted in the order received without conflict resolution. When a replication conflict is detected the
replaced entry is archived for recovery purposes in the Lost and Found log. See Chapter 17, “Logging Utilities,” on page 431 for more information.

Updates to the same entry made by multiple servers might cause inconsistencies in directory data because conflict resolution is based on the TimeStamp of the entries. The most recent modify TimeStamp takes precedence. If the data on your servers become inconsistent, see the `ldapdiff` command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for information on resynchronizing servers.

To enhance the replication conflict resolution mechanism, the granularity of the timestamps is set to microseconds. Security Directory Server also takes into consideration the fact that changes to the same entry at different times across peers may not converge because of clock skew. Therefore, to ensure convergence, each entry’s timestamp is increased monotonically with every update to ensure that after an update, an entry’s timestamp should never be lesser than the timestamp prior to the update operation. This ensures the convergence of entries in spite of clock skew. Therefore, replication conflict resolution will function correctly even if the system clocks of the machines in the replication topology are not in sync.

Note:

- The granularity of timestamp is inconsequential in case of password policy operational attributes even though these attributes hold the timestamp value.
- In IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.2 and later, timestamp granularity of entries added or modified on Windows platform will be in milliseconds. However, in case of non-Windows platform the timestamp granularity will be in microsecond. This means that if an entry is replicated from a non-Windows machine to a Windows machine the timestamp of the entry will have microsecond level granularity. On the other hand, if an entry is replicated from a Windows machine to a non-Windows machine the timestamp of the entry will have millisecond level granularity.

For IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.0 and later, to resolve replication conflict it needs the supplier to provide the entry’s timestamp before the entry was updated on the supplier. Downlevel versions of the directory server acting as a supplier do not have the capability to supply this kind of information. Therefore, replication conflict resolution is not applicable to cases where the supplier is a downlevel server. The consumer server which is a IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.0, server in this case, takes the replicated timestamp and updates and applies it without conflict checking.

Notes:

1. Earlier versions of IBM Security Directory Server do not support time stamp conflict resolution. If your topology contains earlier versions of IBM Security Directory Server, data consistency is not ensured for the network. See Appendix B, “Object Identifiers (OIDs) and attributes in the root DSE,” on page 563 and “OIDs for supported and enabled capabilities” on page 565 to find out how to determine, if your servers support conflict resolution.

2. To resolve replication conflict, a regular database entry which has a later timestamp is not replaced by a replicated entry which has an earlier timestamp. However, conflict resolution does not apply to entry cn=schema which is always replaced by a replicated cn=schema.
3. Replication conflict resolution can be disabled on a consumer if it does not have more than one supplier in the replication topology. In such a replication topology, messages related to the conflicting operation that are logged in the ibmslapd.log file can be considered as simple warning messages. As a workaround to stop logging of these messages, you can set the configuration file parameter ibm-slapdNoReplConflictResolution to true using the ldapmodify command.

Setting up a load balancer is one method of resolving data conflict resolution.

A load balancer, such as IBM WebSphere Edge Server, has a virtual host name that applications use when sending updates to the directory. The load balancer is configured to send those updates to only one server. If that server is down, or unavailable because of a network failure, the load balancer sends the updates to the next available peer server until the first server is back on line and available. Refer to your load balancer product documentation for information on how to install and configure the load balancing server.

When conflict resolution is enabled and changes are made to the membership of a given group on two servers concurrently, conflict resolution will be triggered repeatedly and this may affect the server’s performance if the groups are large.

Security Directory Server enables you to selectively enable or disable replication conflict resolution for modifications to group entries by defining the value of the “ibm-slapdEnableConflictResolutionForGroups” attribute present under the “cn=Replication, cn=configuration” entry of the configuration file.

If the attribute “ibm-slapdEnableConflictResolutionForGroups” is set to FALSE then no conflict resolution will be performed even if a conflict is detected for operations on group entries like adding, deleting, or renaming an attribute of type member or uniquemember.

However, a single modify request can target multiple attributes. In such a case, if in a single modify request any other attribute other than member or uniquemember is used, then replication conflict resolution will still be performed even though the attribute “ibm-slapdEnableConflictResolutionForGroups” is set to FALSE.

Use one of the following methods to enable or disable replication conflict resolution for modifications to group entries:

**Using Web Administration Tool:**

If you have not done so already, click **Server administration** in the Web Administration navigation area and then click **Manage server properties** in the expanded list. Click the **Conflict resolution** tab.

To configure replication conflict resolution for group members, do the following:

1. Select the **Enable replication conflict resolution for group members** check box. By default, this check box is not selected. The “ibm-slapdEnableConflictResolutionForGroups” attribute under the dn “cn=Replication, cn=configuration” in the configuration file is associated with this control. This attribute can be used in all replication topologies to speed up replication by avoiding undesirable conflict resolution to group entries. The default value of the “ibm-slapdEnableConflictResolutionForGroups” attribute is FALSE.

2. When you are finished, do one of the following:
Click **OK** to apply your changes and exit this panel.
Click **Apply** to apply your changes and stay on this panel.
Click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

**Using command line**
To enable or disable replication conflict resolution for group members, issue the following command:

```
ldapmodify -h ldaphost -p port -D bindDN -w password -f file
```

where file contains:

```
dn: cn=Replication, cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdEnableConflictResolutionForGroups
ibm-slapdEnableConflictResolutionForGroups: TRUE|FALSE
```

**Disabling replication conflict resolution feature**
For IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.1 and later, the replication conflict resolution feature can be disabled in the following different ways:

1. **Manually editing the configuration file:**
   You can manually edit the configuration file and set the attribute "ibm-slapdNoReplConflictResolution" present under the entry "cn=master server, cn=configuration" to TRUE.
   After setting this attribute value to TRUE, the server must be restarted or a readconfig operation must be issued for the changes to take effect.

2. **Using ldapmodify utility:**
   You can set the value of the attribute “ibm-slapdNoReplConflictResolution” to TRUE using the ldapmodify utility as shown below:-
   ```
   ldapmodify -D admin_dn -w admin_pwd
dn: cn=master server, cn=configuration
changetype: replace
replace: ibm-slapdNoReplConflictResolution
ibm-slapdNoReplConflictResolution: TRUE
   ```
   The server must be restarted or a readconfig operation must be issued for the changes to take effect.

3. **Using Web Administration Tool:**
   Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area and click Manage replication properties.
   a. Select Default credentials and referral from the Supplier information list and click Edit.
   b. From the Replication conflict resolution combo box, select the value FALSE.
   c. Click **OK** to save your settings.

**Replication error handling**
Replication errors are any replicated updates for which the consumer returns a result other than LDAP_SUCCESS. Replication conflict errors return LDAP_OTHER and a special control, and are not treated as errors unless the data is greater than allowed by the server configuration.

Replication errors can be logged in the database. The size of the replication error log is in the server configuration (ibm-slapdReplMaxErrors) and can be updated dynamically. Replication errors are stored and managed per replication agreement.
that is, if there are two agreements, then one agreement might have some errors logged, and the other agreement might have no errors logged.

How errors are addressed depends on the replication method. For single-threaded replication, the following occurs:

- `ibm-slapdReplMaxErrors: 0` means that no errors are logged and the first error is retried every minute until it succeeds or is skipped.
- If the number of errors for an agreement reaches the limit, the next error is retried until the error succeeds, is skipped, the number of errors for an agreement limit is increased, or an error is cleared from the log. The data for an entry that is being retried is displayed by the replication status attribute `ibm-replicationChangeLDIF`.
- The status for the replication agreement is:
  `ibm-replicationStatus: retrying`

For multi-threaded replication, the following occurs:

- `ibm-slapdReplMaxErrors: 0` means that no errors should be logged, but any errors are logged and replication is suspended until all of the errors are cleared.
- If the number of errors for an agreement exceeds the limit, replication is suspended until at least one error is cleared, or the number of errors for an agreement limit is increased.
- The status for the replication agreement is:
  `ibm-replicationStatus: error log full`

For more information about viewing replication errors, see the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Troubleshooting Guide*.

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**Replication agreements**

A replication agreement is an entry in the directory with the object class `ibm-replicationAgreement` created beneath a replica subentry to define replication from the server represented by the subentry to another server. These objects are similar to the replicaObject entries used by earlier versions of IBM Security Directory Server. The replication agreement consists of the following items:

- A user friendly name, used as the naming attribute for the agreement.
- An LDAP URL specifying the server, port number, and whether SSL should be used.
- The consumer server ID, if known -- 'unknown' for a server whose server ID is not known.
- The DN of an object containing the credentials used by the supplier to bind to the consumer.
- An optional DN pointer to an object containing the schedule information for replication. If the attribute is not present, changes are replicated immediately.
- Replication method (single threaded or multi-threaded).
- Number of consumer: For a replication agreement using the single-threaded replication method, the number of consumer connections is always one, the attribute value is ignored. For an agreement using multi-threaded replication, the number of connections can be configured from 1 to 32. If no value is specified on the agreement, the number of consumer connections is set to one.

**Note:** For the cn=ibmpolicies subtree, all replication agreements will use the single-threaded replication method and one consumer connection, ignoring the attribute values.
The user friendly name might be the consumer server name or some other
descriptive string.

To aid in enforcing the accuracy of the data, when the supplier binds to the
consumer, it retrieves the server ID from the root DSE and compares it to the value
in the agreement. A warning is logged if the server IDs do not match.

The consumer server ID is used by the Web Administration Tool to traverse the
topology. Given the consumer’s server ID, the Web Administration Tool can find
the corresponding subentry and its agreements.

Because the replication agreement can be replicated, a DN to a credentials object is
used. This allows the credentials to be stored in a nonreplicated area of the
directory. Replicating the credentials objects (from which ‘clear text’ credentials
must be obtainable) represents a potential security exposure. The cn=localhost
suffix is an appropriate default location for creating credentials objects. Use of a
separate object also makes it easier to support various authentication methods; new
object classes can be created rather than trying to make sense of numerous optional
attributes.

Object classes are defined for each of the supported authentication methods:
- Simple bind
- SASL EXTERNAL mechanism with SSL
- Kerberos authentication

You can designate that part of a replicated subtree not be replicated by adding the
ibm-replicationContext auxiliary class to the root of the subtree, without defining
any replica subentries.

The following sections are examples of setting up replication using either the Web
Administration Tool or the command line utilities, and an LDIF file. The scenarios
are of increasing complexity:
- One master and one replica
- One master, one forwarder, and one replica
- Two peer/masters, two forwarders, and four replicas.
- Gateway replication.

Let us consider an example where you want to switch from a single threaded
replication agreement to a multiple threaded replication agreement. Consider an
example of a replication agreement on a server with server ID as wingspread-2389
to a consumer with the LDAP URL ldap://wingspread:1389:

```
dn: cn=wingspread-1389,ibm-replicaServerId=wingspread-2389,
    ibm-replicaGroup=default,0=SAMPLE
cn: wingspread-1389
ibm-replicaconsumerid: wingspread-1389
ibm-replicacredentialsdn: cn=simple, cn=replication, cn=localhost
ibm-replicaurl: ldap://wingspread:1389
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
objectclass: top
```

By default, the ibm-replicamethod is 1 (single threaded replication). To change the
replication method and specify the number of connections to be used, issue the
following ldapmodify command:
ldapmodify -D binddn -w password -p ldapport -v -i file

where file contains:

dn: cn=wingspread-1389,ibm-replicaServerId=wingspread-2389,
 ibm-replicaGroup=default, O=SAMPLE
 ibm-replicamethod: 2
 ibm-replicaconsumerconnections: 5

To verify the data in the replication agreement, issue the following command:

ldapsearch -L -p ldapport
- b cn=wingspread-1389,ibm-replicaServerId=wingspread-2389,ibm-replicaGroup=default,
 O=SAMPLE objectclass=*

The following output is generated:

dn: cn=wingspread-1389,ibm-replicaServerId=wingspread-2389,
 ibm-replicaGroup=default, O=SAMPLE
 cn: wingspread-1389
 ibm-replicaconsumerid: wingspread-1389
 ibm-replicacredentialsdn: cn=simple, cn=replication, cn=localhost
 ibm-replicaurl: ldap://wingspread:1389
 objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
 objectclass: top
 ibm-replicaconsumerconnections: 5
 ibm-replicamethod: 2
 ibm-replicationonhold: FALSE

Here, the replication method (ibm-replicamethod) value of 2 specifies that multiple
threaded replication is to be used. The attribute "ibm-replicaconsumerconnections"
indicates the number of connections that replication will use for sending the
updates to the consumer. This value can range from 1 to 32. In this example, the
supplier will establish 5 connections to the consumer to use for replication.

Note: After the replication agreement has been updated, you must restart the
server for the changes to take effect.

Now, consider an example where you want to monitor replication status. Issue the
following command:

ldapsearch -D binddn -w password -p ldapport
- b cn=wingspread-1389,ibm-replicaServerId=wingspread-2389,ibm-replicaGroup=default,
 O=SAMPLE objectclass=* +ibmrep

The following output is generated:

cn=wingspread-1389,ibm-replicaServerId=wingspread-2389,ibm-replicaGroup=default, O=SAMPLE
 ibm-replicationChangeLDIF=N/A
 ibm-replicationLastActivationTime=20080707152436Z
 ibm-replicationLastChangeId=4855
 ibm-replicationLastFinishTime=20080707152436Z
 ibm-replicationLastError=N/A
 ibm-replicationLastResultAdditional=N/A
 ibm-replicationNextTime=N/A
 ibm-replicationPendingChangeCount=0
 ibm-replicationState=ready
 ibm-replicationFailedChangeCount=0
 ibm-replicationperformance=[c=0,l=10,op=0,q=0,d=0,ws=0,s=0,ds=0,wd=0,wr=0,r=0,e=0,ss=1,rs=1]
 ibm-replicationperformance=[c=1,l=10,op=0,q=0,d=0,ws=0,s=0,ds=0,wd=0,wr=0,r=0,e=0,ss=1,rs=1]
 ibm-replicationperformance=[c=2,l=10,op=0,q=0,d=0,ws=0,s=0,ds=0,wd=0,wr=0,r=0,e=0,ss=1,rs=1]
 ibm-replicationperformance=[c=3,l=10,op=0,q=0,d=0,ws=0,s=0,ds=0,wd=0,wr=0,r=0,e=0,ss=1,rs=1]
 ibm-replicationperformance=[c=4,l=10,op=0,q=0,d=0,ws=0,s=0,ds=0,wd=0,wr=0,r=0,e=0,ss=1,rs=1]
In this example there are 5 connections to the consumer. The attribute names appear to the left of the equal signs. Some replication status information attributes are only used with single threaded replication, (shown here with the value 'N/A') while others are only for multiple threaded replication. Using "+ibmrepl" you can easily request all replication status information attributes. Use "++ibmrepl" to show all the attributes including the pending changes and logged replication errors.

The "ibm-replicationperformance" attribute is applicable to replication agreements only using multiple threaded replication. For single threaded replication, this attribute will have the value 'N/A'. You can interpret the ibm-replicationperformance data in the following manner:

**c=0**  This is the connection number. In this example there are 5 connections. The first connection will show the most traffic. The workload will determine how often the other connections are used.

**l=10**  This is the size limit for each queue. There are two queues for each connection and both have the same length. There is a queue for updates to be sent on the connection (called the send queue) and a queue for updates that have been sent but no response has been received from the consumer (called the receive queue). As updates are sent, they are moved from the send queue to the receive queue. When the receive queue hits its size limit, no more updates will be sent until some responses from the consumer are received. When the send queue hits its size limit, no more updates can be assigned to the connection. When the size limit for all of the connections send queues is reached, the supplier has to wait for the consumer to process the backlog.

**op=0**  The replication ID of the last operation assigned to the send queue of the connection. Replication IDs are assigned to any update that is to be replicated to a consumer.

**q=0**  The current size of the send queue.

**d=0**  The count of dependent updates (an add of an entry followed by a modify of the same entry counts as a dependency and dependent updates must be assigned to the same connection so they can be applied in the correct order).

**ws=0**  The number of times the send queue hit the size limit.

**ds=0**  The number of dependent updates sent.

**wd=0**  The number of times the send queue waited for a dependent update before sending additional updates.

**wr=0**  The number of times the receive queue hit the size limit.

**r=0**  The number of replicated updates waiting for a response from the consumer.

**e=0**  The number of replication errors reported by the consumer.

**ss=1**  The session count for the sender thread (incremented when the connection to the consumer is established).

**rs=1**  The session count for the receiver thread.
**Things to consider before configuring replication**

Before setting up an LDAP replication configuration, there are some administrative responsibilities that you need to consider. In order to ensure that replication is operating smoothly and that your replicas are staying up-to-date, the administrator needs to take some periodic actions to monitor the replication status. After replication is correctly configured, it continues to automatically propagate updates to all defined replica servers. However, if errors occur, human intervention might be required to fully correct the problem.

Interfaces are provided to allow you to view information about updates queued for replication, and to take actions like suspending or resuming replication to a specific replica. See "Managing queues" on page 378 for details. These replication queues should be checked periodically for errors. Read "Viewing server errors" on page 373 to understand how to check for errors that may have occurred during replication to a specified consumer server.

Detailed status and error information is also available to the administrator by reading operational attributes on the replication agreements. See "Monitoring replication status" on page 381 for a description of the information available.

Configuring multiple master servers adds to the potential error cases that an administrator must be aware of. If the same entry is updated at two different master servers at approximately the same time, those updates are likely to conflict when they are replicated to other servers in the topology. The replication algorithm is designed to detect and resolve any replication conflicts between adds or modifies. See "Replication conflict resolution" on page 289.

You can use a time synchronization product to keep your LDAP servers synchronized. Such a utility is not provided by IBM Security Directory Server.

**Attention:** When you create a new directory server instance, be aware of the information that follows. If you want to use replication, you must synchronize the encryption keys of the server instances to obtain the best performance.

If you are creating a directory server instance that must be cryptographically synchronized with an existing directory server instance, you must synchronize the encryption keys on the server instances before you do any of the following because the server will generate server encryption keys:

- Start the second server instance
- Run the `idsbulkload` command from the second server instance
- Run the `idsldif2db` command from the second server instance


The server does not allow subtree deletion if the subtree contains replication agreements. Because the order of entries to be deleted is not fixed, deleted entries can be replicated randomly. For example, if a replication agreement is deleted first in a subtree, then the delete operation cannot be replicated. This restriction works only when a context is deleted with the `-s` option. If you want to delete the subtree, you must first delete the replication agreements.

**Note:** You must synchronize the replication topology entries before starting replication. Set up the servers in the network.
When you are configuring a replica server, ensure that you set the master DN to an ID that is not the same as the admin DN on the replica server. If the DN IDs are the same, it is possible to bind to the replica with the combined adminDN-masterDN ID and make updates directly to the replica. The replica servers can become unsynchronized with the master server. This causes errors on the master and leads to data inconsistencies on the servers. All changes to the replica must be made by the master server binding with the masterDN. Attempted changes to a replica server are referred to the master server for the update process to take place.

Replicating schema and password policy updates

Schema and password policy updates are only updated using the cn=ibmpolicies subtree. To ensure that the schemas and password policy is synchronized across all of your servers, you must create an additional replication context for cn=ibmpolicies. This replication context needs to include all the servers that are in your directory topology. To know more about replication of password policy attributes, see "Replicating password policy operational attributes" on page 610.

Note: If you are using a proxy server, password policy updates are replicated.

Security Directory Server also supports replication of schema updates to the consumer servers in a replication topology if the replication is setup for the CN=IBMPOLICIES context among all the backend servers that the proxy server is serving to. Global administrative group members can send request for schema updates through a proxy server to its backend servers. For more information on updates to schema, see “Schema updates in a distributed directory” on page 404.

Note: If you are using a proxy server, password policy updates are replicated.

Consider the following with respect to replication:

• For best results, replicate changes to the schema before replicating data changes.
• You can use the idsldapdiff utility to identify differences in schema, but the idsldapdiff utility cannot automatically correct differences in schema.
• You can keep schema synchronized, if the cn=ibmpolicies entry is replicated among all the servers in the directory topology. If you have distributed directory setup, then user must ensure that the schema updates are made through the Proxy server.

Creating a master-replica topology

Note: Before setting up your replication topology, make a backup copy of your original ibmslapd.conf, ibmslapdcfg.ksf, and ibmslapddir.ksf files. You can use this backup copy to restore your original configuration if you encounter difficulties with replication.

The following diagram shows a basic master-replica topology:
To define a basic master-replica topology, you must:

1. **Create a master server** and define what it contains. Select the subtree that you want to be replicated and specify the server as the master.
2. **Create credentials to be used by the supplier**.
3. **Create a replica server**.
4. **Export data to the replica**.

**Note:** While setting up a new replica, when the data is exported to the replica, you must also copy the password policy entry.

The following sections explain how to accomplish the tasks mentioned above.

**Note:** If the entry that you are trying to make the root of a new replication context is not a suffix in the server, before you can use the **Add subtree** function to add the replication configuration information, you must ensure that its ACLs are defined as follows:

**For Non-filtered ACLs**:

- **ownersource**: the entry DN
- **ownerpropagate**: TRUE
- **aclsource**: the entry DN
- **aclpropagate**: TRUE

**Filtered ACLs**:

- **ownersource**: the entry DN
- **ownerpropagate**: TRUE
- **ibm-filteraclinherit**: FALSE
- **ibm-filteraclentry**: any value

To satisfy the ACL requirements, if the entry is not a suffix in the server, edit the ACL for that entry in the **Manage entries** panel:

1. Click **Directory management->Manage entries** in the left nav panel.
2. Select an entry and open the **Select Action** menu.
3. Select **Edit ACL** and click **Go**. If you want to add Non-filtered ACLs, select that tab and add an entry **cn=this** with the role **access-id** for both ACLs and owners.

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**Figure 11. Basic master-replica topology**

![Diagram of a basic master-replica topology]
4. Ensure that Propagate ACLs and Propagate owner are checked. If you want to add Filtered ACLs select that tab and add an entry cn=this with the role access-id for both ACLs and owners.

5. Ensure that Accumulate filtered ACLs is unchecked and that Propagate owner is checked. See “Working with ACLs” on page 502 for more detailed information.

Using Web Administration

Note: These procedures assume that all servers involved are of IBM Security Directory Server version 6.1 and later. They also assume that you have installed and can use the Web Administration Tool with administrative rights. See the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Installation and Configuration Guide for information about installing the Web Administration Tool.

Creating a master server (replicated subtree)

Note: The server must be running to perform this task.

This task designates an entry as the root of an independently replicated subtree and creates an ibm-replicasubentry entry under it representing this server as the single master for the subtree. To create a replicated subtree, you must designate the subtree that you want the server to replicate.

Note: On the Linux, Solaris, and HP-UX platforms, if a client hangs while chasing referrals, ensure that the environment variable LDAP_LOCK_REC has been set in your system environment. No specific value is required.

   set LDAP_LOCK_REC=anyvalue

1. Use the Web Administration Tool to log on to the master server.

2. Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool and click Manage topology.

3. Click Add subtree.

4. Enter the DN of the subtree that you want to replicate or click Browse to expand the entries to select the entry that is to be the root of the subtree. For this example, use o=sample.

   Note: If you are replicating a subtree, and the subtree is not a suffix, you must replicate the parent of the subtree on the replica first.

5. The master server referral URL is displayed in the form of an LDAP URL, for example:

   For non-SSL:
   ldap://myservername.mylocation.mycompany.com:port

   For SSL:
   ldaps://myservername.mylocation.mycompany.com:port

   The default URL is ldap://localhost:389

   Note: The master server referral URL is optional. It is used only:
   • If the server contains (or will contain) any read-only subtrees.
   • To define a referral URL that is returned for updates to any read-only subtree on the server.

6. Click OK.
7. The new subtree is displayed on the Manage topology panel under the heading **Replicated subtrees**.

8. Select the subtree from the **Replicated subtrees** table and click **Show topology**. 
   The topology is displayed under the **Topology for selected subtree** heading. 
   By default, if subtrees are available in the Replicated subtrees table, the topology 
   of the first subtree in the table is displayed under the **Topology for selected 
   subtree** heading. 
   Depending on the selection of the node in the topology tree, the operations 
   allowed on the node vary. Some of the operations are applicable only when a 
   node other than the root is selected. Also, some operations are specific to the 
   type of node, such as master server, forwarding server, replica server, and 
   gateway server.

**Creating the credentials**

Credentials identify the method and required information, such as a DN and 
password, that the supplier uses in binding to the consumer.

1. If you have not already done so, use the Web Administration Tool to log on to 
   the master server.

2. Expand the **Replication management** category in the navigation area of the 
   Web Administration Tool and click **Manage credentials**.

3. Select **cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies** from the list of locations to store the 
   credentials.

   **Note:** The Web Administration Tool allows you to define credentials in three 
   locations. See [“Adding credentials” on page 361](#) for additional 
   information about the different types of credentials that you can create.

4. Click **Add**.

5. Enter the name for the credentials you are creating; for example, **mycreds**, 
   **cn=** is prefilled in the field for you.

6. Select **Simple bind** as the type of authentication and click **Next**.

   **Note:** You can also select **Kerberos** or **SSL with certificates**.
   
   - Enter the DN that the server uses to bind to the replica; for example, **cn=any** 
   
   **Note:** This DN cannot be the same as your server administration DN.
   
   - Enter the password the server uses when it binds to the replica; for example, 
     **secret**.
   
   - Enter the password again to confirm that there are no typographical errors.
   
   - If you want, enter a brief description of the credentials.

   - Click **Finish**.

   **Note:** You might want to record the credential’s bind DN and password for 
   future reference.

**Creating a replica server**

**Note:** The servers must be running to perform this task.

On the master server:

1. If you have not already done so, use the Web Administration Tool to log on to 
   the master server.

2. Expand the **Replication management** category in the navigation area of the 
   Web Administration Tool and click **Manage topology**.
3. Select the subtree that you want to replicate and click **Show topology**.

4. Select the supplier server and click **Add replica**.

5. On the **Server** tab of the **Add replica** window:
   - From the **Server hostname:port** drop-down list, select an LDAP server for the replica server.
     
     If you want to provide another server as replica server, which is not registered on the console server, select Use entry from below item from the **Server hostname:port** drop-down list and then enter the host name and port number for the replica server in the field in the hostname:port format. The default port is 389 for non-SSL and 636 for SSL.
   - Leave the **Enable SSL** check box unchecked.
   - Enter the replica name or leave this field blank to use the host name.
   - Enter the replica ID. If the server on which you are creating the replica is running, click **Get replica ID** to automatically prefill this field. This is a required field. If you don't know the replica ID, enter **unknown**.
   - Enter a description of the replica server.
   - Specify the credentials that the replica uses to communicate with the master.
     
     a. Click **Select**.
     b. Click the radio button next to **cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies**.
     c. Click **Show credentials**.
     d. Select **cn=replication,cn=ibmpolicies**.
     e. Click **Show credentials**.
     f. Click **OK**.

     See **“Adding credentials” on page 361** for additional information on agreement credentials.

6. Click the **Additional** tab.
   
   a. Keep the **Select a replication schedule or enter DN (optional)** set to **None**. This sets the default as immediate replication.
   b. Do not deselect any capabilities. See **“Adding a replica server” on page 367**.
   c. Keep the **Replication method** set to **Single threaded**.

   **Note:** Only IBM Security Directory Server version 6.0 and later can have the replication method set to either Single threaded or Multi threaded.
   d. Click to select the **Add credential information on consumer** check box.

   **Note:** If the credential is external, you need to set up the IBM WebSphere Application Server environment variable. See **367**.
   e. Enter the administrator DN for the consumer (replica) server. For example **cn=root**.
   
   **Note:** If the administrator DN which was created during the server configuration process was **cn=root**, then enter the full administrator DN. Do not just use root.
   f. Enter the administrator password for the consumer (replica) server. For example **secret**.

   **Note:** The consumer server should be running.
   g. Click **OK** to create the replica.
Note: If the credentials exist, a message is displayed saying the credentials exist. If the credentials don't exist, they are added, and a message prompt is displayed. You are also prompted to restart the server. The panel also shows two port numbers: server port number (this port number cannot be edited) and the admin server port number. Make sure you have the correct admin server port number for the specific instance used. If the wrong admin server port number is specified, the admin server fails to restart the server.

h. Click OK.

Note: A message is displayed, indicating that the server attempted to add the topology to the consumer. The message indicates whether this attempt is successful.

i. Click OK.

See “Adding a replica server” on page 367 for more detailed information.

Copying data to the replica: To ensure that the servers are synchronized, you must first quiesce the master. This means that the master does not accept any updates from its clients.

1. If you have not already done so, use the Web Administration Tool to log on to the master server.

2. Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool and click Manage topology.

3. Select the subtree you have replicated.

4. Click Quiesce/Unquiesce to quiesce the subtree.

5. Click OK.

You must now export the data from the master to the replica. This is a manual procedure.

On the master server create an LDIF file for the data. To copy all the data contained on the master server, issue the command:

```
idsdb2ldif -o masterfile.ldif -I instance_name -k key seed -t key salt
```

Note: You must use the -I option if there is more than one instance. You must use the -k and -t options if keys on the server are not in sync.

If you want to copy just the data from a single subtree the command is:

```
idsdb2ldif -o masterfile.ldif -s subtreeDN -I instance_name -k key seed -t key salt
```

Note: You must use the -I option if there is more than one instance. You must use the -k and -t options if keys on the server are not in sync.

Note: The four operational attributes, createTimestamp, creatorsName, modifiersName, and modifyTimestamp are exported to the LDIF file unless the -j option is specified.

On the computer where you are creating the replica:

1. Ensure that the suffixes used by the master are defined in the ibmslapd.conf file.

2. Stop the replica server.

3. Copy the masterfile.ldif file to the replica and issue the command:

```
idsldif2db -r no -i masterfile.ldif -I instance name
```
The replication agreements, schedules, credentials (if stored in the replicated subtree) and entry data are loaded on the replica.

4. Start the server.

**Attention:** If you are exporting data that will be imported into an Advanced Encryption Standard (AES)-enabled server and if the two servers are not cryptographically synchronized, select the **Export data for AES-enabled destination server** check box. Then complete the **Encryption seed** and **Encryption salt** fields. *(See Appendix J, “Synchronizing two-way cryptography between server instances,” on page 653 for information about cryptographic synchronization of servers.)*

When the source server (the server you are exporting data from) and the destination server (the server into which you will be importing the data) are using non-matching directory key stash files, and you specify the encryption seed and salt values of the destination server, any AES-encrypted data will be decrypted using the source server's AES keys, then re-encrypted using the destination server's encryption seed and salt values. This encrypted data is stored in the LDIF file.

The encryption seed is used to generate a set of AES secret key values. These values are stored in a directory stash file and used to encrypt and decrypt directory stored password and secret key attributes. The encryption seed must contain only printable ISO-8859-1 ASCII characters with values in the range of 33 to 126, and must be a minimum of 12 and a maximum of 1016 characters in length. See Appendix D, “ASCII characters from 33 to 126,” on page 587 for information about these characters.

The encryption salt is a randomly generated value that is used to generate AES encryption keys. You can obtain the destination server’s salt value by searching (using the `idsldapsearch` utility) the destination server’s “cn=crypto,cn=localhost” entry. The attribute type is ibm-slapdCryptoSalt.

### Adding the supplier information to the replica:

If you did not select to add the credential information to the consumer or if a problem occurred in adding the credential information to the replica, you need to change the replica’s configuration to identify who is authorized to replicate changes to it, and add a referral to a master.

1. Use the Web Administration Tool to log on as the directory administrator to the computer where you are creating the replica.
2. Expand **Replication management** in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool and click **Manage replication properties**.
3. Under Supplier information, click **Add**.
4. Select a supplier from the **Replicated subtree** drop-down menu, select **Use entry from below**, and enter the name of the replicated subtree for which you want to configure supplier credentials.
5. Enter the replication bindDN. In this example, cn=any is used.
6. Enter and confirm the credential password. In this example, secret is used. See “Adding credentials” on page 361.
7. Click **OK**.
8. You must restart the replica for the changes to take effect.

See “Adding the supplier information to a replica” on page 374 for more detailed information about supplier information.
Starting replication

The replica is in a suspended state and no replication is occurring. After you have finished setting up your replication topology, on the master you must:

1. If you have not already done so, use the Web Administration Tool to log on to the master server.
2. Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool and click Manage queues.
3. Select the new replica.
4. Click Queue details.
5. Click Pending changes.
6. If there are any pending changes, click Skip all. If there are no changes pending click Cancel. This prevents duplication of the topology information that was loaded with the masterfile.ldif file. If you have created multiple new replicas, repeat steps 1 through 6 for each of the new servers.
7. Click Manage topology under the Replication management category in the navigation area.
8. Select the subtree you have replicated. The status should be Quiesced.
9. Click Quiesce/Unquiesce to unquiesce the subtree.
10. Click OK. The master now receives updates from its clients and places them in the replication queues.
11. Click Manage queues under the Replication management category in the navigation area.
12. Select the replica.
13. Click Suspend/resume to start receiving replication updates for that server. Repeat steps 10 through 13 for each server that was suspended.

Note: If you promote to a master, you need to resume the queues on the master.

See “Managing queues” on page 378 for more detailed information about managing queues.

Using the command line

This scenario assumes that you are creating a new replicated subtree and that only server1 contains any entry data. All other servers are newly installed and have a configured database.

Note:

dn: o=sample
objectclass: organization
objectclass: ibm-replicationContext
o: sample

is the subtree you want to create. If this entry already exists, then modify it to add objectclass=ibm-replicationContext instead of adding the entire entry.

To create a replica for a subtree, you need to create a replication agreement between the master and the replica, see “Replication agreements” on page 293. This agreement needs to be loaded on both the master and the replica.

The relationship between the two servers is that the master is a supplier to the replica and the replica is a consumer of the master.
To create the master (server1) and replica (server2) for the subtree o=sample:

1. At the machine where the master is located, create a file to contain the agreement information, for example, myreplicainfofile, where myreplicainfofile contains:

   Note: Replace all occurrences of server1-uuid in the following files with the value of the ibm-slapdServerId attribute from the master server's cn=Configuration entry. This value is generated by the server the first time it is started. You can find it either by performing an idsldapsearch of the cn=Configuration entry or using the grep command on the ibmslapd.conf file, if you have a UNIX-based system. Similarly, all occurrences of the server2-uuid must be replaced with the value of the ibm-slapdServerId attribute from the replica server's cn=Configuration entry.

   ```
   ###Replication Context - needs to be on all suppliers and consumers
   dn: cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
   objectclass: container
   ```

   ```
   dn: o=sample
   objectclass: organization
   objectclass: ibm-replicationContext
   ```

   ###Copy the following to servers at v5.x and above.

   ```
   ###Replica Group
   dn: ibm-replicaGroup=default, o=sample
   objectclass: top
   objectclass: ibm-replicaGroup
   ibm-replicaGroup: default
   ```

   ```
   ###Bind Credentials/method to replica server - replication agreement points to this.
   dn: cn=server2 BindCredentials,cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
   objectclass: ibm-replicationCredentialsSimple
   cn: server2 BindCredentials
   replicaBindDN: cn=any
   replicaCredentials: secret
   description: Bind method of the master (server1) to the replica (server2)
   ```

   ```
   ###Replica SubEntry
   dn: ibm-replicaServerId= server1-uuid ,ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
   objectclass: top
   objectclass: ibm-replicaSubentry
   ibm-replicaServerId: server1-uuid
   ibm-replicationServerIsMaster: true
   cn: server1
   description: master server
   ```

   ```
   ###Replication Agreement to the replica server
   dn: cn=server2,ibm-replicaServerId= server1-uuid ,
   ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
   objectclass: top
   objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
   cn: server2
   ibm-replicaConsumerId: server2-uuid
   ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server2:389
   ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=server2 BindCredentials,cn=replication,
   cn=IBMpolicies
   description: replica server (server2)
   ```

2. Stop the master, if it is not already stopped.

   ```
   ibmdirctl -h server1 -D adminDN -w adminPW -p 389 stop
   ```
3. To load the new replication topology to the master, issue the command:
   idsldif2db -r no -i myreplicainfofile -I instance name

4. To generate a file with all of the data necessary to synchronize the new
   replica, issue the command:
   idsdb2ldif -o masterfile.ldif -I instance_name -s o=sample
   -k key seed -t key salt

   **Note:** You must use the -I option if there is more than one instance. You must
   use the -k and -t options if keys on the server are not in sync.

   **Attention:** If you are exporting data that will be imported into an Advanced
   Encryption Standard (AES)-enabled server and if the two servers are not
   cryptographically synchronized, see Appendix J, “Synchronizing two-way
   cryptography between server instances,” on page 653, for information about
   cryptographic synchronization of servers. See the idsdb2ldif command information in the IBM Security Directory Server
   Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for more information.

   **Note:** Perform steps 5 through 9 on the machine where server2 is located.

5. Copy masterfile.ldif to the replica.

6. Start the replica, server2, in configuration only mode.
   idsslapd -I instance name -a

7. Make sure you have a backup of the original ibmslapd.conf, ibmslapdconfig.ksf,
   and ibmslapdconfigdir.ksf files.

8. You must configure server2 to be a replica server. Use the idsldapadd
   command to add the following entry to the ibmslapd.conf file on server2. On
   server2 issue the following command:
   idsldapadd -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename

   where filename contains:
   dn: cn=Master Server, cn=configuration
   objectclass: ibm-slapdReplication
   cn: Master Server
   ibm-slapdMasterDN: cn=any
   ibm-slapdMasterPW: secret
   ibm-slapdMasterReferral: ldap://server1:389/

   **Note:** The ibm-slapdMasterDN and ibm-slapdMasterPW values must match
   the values stored on the master server, server1, in the entry "cn=server2
   BindCredentials" in step 1.

9. Stop the replica, server2. To stop the server issue the command:
   ibmdirctl -h server2 -D AdminDN -w Adminpwd -p 389 stop

10. Save the ibmslapd.conf file as a new backup.

11. Issue the following command:
    idsldif2db -r no -i masterfile.ldif -I instance name

12. Start the master (server1) and the replica (server2). On each of the servers
    issue the command:
    idssslapd -I LDAPInstance

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Replication of password policy operational attributes

To implement password policy consistently within a replication topology, you must replicate certain password policy operational attributes to all the servers in the topology.

To implement password policy in a replication environment, you must replicate the global password policy entry, `cn=pwdpolicy, cn=ibmpolicies`, to all the consumers of `cn=ibmpolicies` subtree. Password policy-related details of a user are stored in the password policy operational attributes of the user entry. These operational attributes govern the account access and lockout operations of user entries. For all the servers to have same password policy entries, define the password policy entries under the `cn=ibmpolicies` entry. The password policy operational attributes are replicated to all servers. The server that receives these replication updates decides whether to record these updates.

When the master replicates password policy operational attributes, such as `pwdAccountLockedTime`, `pwdExpirationWarned`, `pwdFailureTime`, and `pwdGraceUseTime`, of a user entry to a read-only replica, it does not record these values. Similarly, changes to these attributes of a user entry on a read-only replica server are not updated on their respective master servers. To make password policy consistent across write replicas (peer servers), the write replicas replicate and record these operational attributes. Therefore, replication of these attributes must be considered based on your directory server requirements.

In servers earlier than 6.3.0.10, the number of password failures, grace login, and account locks are updated on each read-only replica independently for a user. In a replication topology, a user can run bind operations against servers more that is defined in the enforced password policy for the user. A user can use these additional bind operations, even if bind fails on some servers.

If the effective password failure count set for a user is $M$ (value of the `pwdMaxFailure` attribute), a user on a master-replica topology can use $N \times M$ attempts. $N$ is the number of servers and $M$ is the value of the `pwdMaxFailure` attribute. Out of the $N$ number of servers, for write replicas the count is considered as 1. If the password policy operational attributes of a user entry is updated on a peer server, these updates are replicated to all the write replicas. The remaining $N-1$ servers are the count of read-only replicas. Each read-only replica stores updates to password policy operational attributes of a user entry in its own database.

With the replication of password policy operational attributes, an administrator can enforce strong password policy in a replication topology. You can ensure that the password policy operational attributes for a user is updated on all the servers, including the read-only replica servers. With this feature, a bind with invalid credentials that result in an LDAP_INVALID_CREDENTIAL error is considered as an invalid bind. A successful bind with valid credentials is considered as a valid bind.

You must cryptographically synchronize the server instances in a replication topology to obtain better performance.

To replicate password policy operational attributes consistently across all server, you must ensure that the replication meets the following conditions:

- Set real-time replication on all the required subtrees across all the servers in the replication topology.
Set password policy on all the servers.

Synchronize the count of failed bind attempts for the users on all the servers with in the replication topology.

Enable the feature on all the servers that are participating in replication. You must also set the following attributes:

- Add the ibm-replicareferralURL attribute for the required replication contexts on the read-only replicas, if not present.
- Set the ibm-slapdReplicateSecurityAttributes attribute to true on all the servers that are participating in the replication.

**Note:** In this feature, there is no change in the usage of the ibm-slapdMasterReferral attribute.

### The root DSE search result

If the servers in a replication topology support the following operations, the root DSE search returns the ibm-supportedCapabilities attribute with the 1.3.18.0.2.32.105 OID value:

- The read-only replica accepts the replication updates for password policy operational attributes. The read-only replica can notify its master servers about a bind operation that affects password policy operational attributes of a user.
- The master server can accept notifications from a read-only replica about a bind operation that affects password policy operational attributes of a user.

If you configure the feature successfully on servers, the root DSE search returns the ibm-enabledCapabilities attribute with the 1.3.18.0.2.32.105 OID value.

You can also run a root DSE search to verify the value that is assigned to the ibm-slapdReplicateSecurityAttributes attribute. If the attribute value is true, the server supports replication of password policy operational attributes.

### Server performance in a replication topology

When a user attempts bind operation against a read-only replica, it processes the following operations:

1. Verifies whether the bind operation affects the password policy operational attributes of the user.
2. Identifies the master server to notify about the bind operation.
3. Propagates the bind operation from the read-only replica to the master server.

To complete these operations, the read-only replica server does more processing. Therefore, it might degrade the performance of the read-only replica server as a trade-off against the security enhancement.

### Audit and log information

The server logs the information that is related to replication of password policy operational attributes in the following log files:

- If audit feature is set, the read-only replica records the following information in the audit.log file:
  - Bind operation details that include failed bind and successful bind operations.
- The read-only replica records the following operations that require it to bind and notify a master server in the audit.log file:
- All bind requests that affect password policy operational attributes for a user on the read-only replica server.

   An administrator can use these logs to check the operations that are initiated and completed by the servers.

- The server records the `ibm-slapdReplicateSecurityAttributes` attribute value in the `ibmslapd.log` and `traceibmslapd.log` files.

- If a read-only replica does not contain the list of masters to notify about a bind, then the server records an appropriate message in the `ibmslapd.log` file.

- The read-only replica also records the password failure timestamp that it updates for a user entry in the `traceibmslapd.log` file. The password failure timestamp that the read-only replica records can be from the following source:
  - The timestamp that the read-only replica generates at its end.
  - The timestamp in the response control from the master server.
  - The replicated timestamp from the master server.

- The servers in a replication topology records all failure path error messages in the `traceibmslapd.log` file.

**Attributes to configure for replication of password policy operational attributes**

To replicate password policy operational attributes across all servers in a replication topology, configure the `ibm-replicareferralURL` and `ibm-slapdReplicateSecurityAttributes` attributes. You must set these attributes when you configure replication between servers.

To replicate password policy operational attributes, set the `ibm-slapdReplicateSecurityAttributes` attribute to `TRUE`. You must set the `ibm-slapdReplicateSecurityAttributes` attribute on all the servers in a replication topology. When you set this attribute, it overrides the default behavior and propagates the password policy operation attributes between master and read-only replica servers. You must add the `ibm-slapdReplicateSecurityAttributes` attribute under the `cn=Replication, cn=configuration` entry in the configuration file.

For a replication context, you can configure multiple master servers to a read-only replica server. To notify a master when a bind against a read-only replica affects password policy operation attributes of a user, add the `ibm-replicareferralURL` attribute on the read-only replica. Read-only replica uses the `ibm-replicareferralURL` attribute to identify the master servers to which it must notify. You must add the `ibm-replicareferralURL` attribute on the read-only replicas for all the required replication contexts. Set valid IP addresses or fully qualified domain names with ports of the master servers in the `ibm-replicareferralURL` attribute on the read-only replica server. If a master server accepts both secured and unsecured connections, you can configure secure URL (`ldaps://server`) and unsecured URL (`ldap://server`) in the attribute. The read-only replica uses its key database files, label, and certificates to establish a secure connection with the master server. The read-only replica and master server use a protocol that is common to both servers and is most secure to establish a secure connection. The read-only replica and master server negotiates for a most secure cipher that is supported by both server for the secure protocol.

If the first master in the list is unavailable because of a network failure or other reasons, the request is sent to the next master. Even if one of the master servers
from the list is reachable, the read-only replica notifies about the bind request to that master server. The following example shows the ibm-replicareferralURL attribute with two master server entries:


**Important:** For the feature to function properly, you must set both the ibm-slapdReplicateSecurityAttributes and ibm-replicareferralURL attributes.

### Configuring password policy operational attributes replication

To synchronize password policy operational attributes between a master and a read-only replica, configure the feature in a replication topology.

**Before you begin**

To replicate the password policy operational attributes, you must complete the following tasks:

- Configure password policy. See, “Setting the global password policy”.
- Configure replication that includes master and read-only replica in the topology. See, “Creating a master-replica topology”.

**Procedure**

1. Log in as the instance owner.
2. Configure the ibm-slapdReplicateSecurityAttributes attribute on all the servers in the replication topology.

   ```bash
   idsldapmodify -h host_name -p port -D adminDN -w adminDN -i file.ldif
   ```

   The file.ldif contains the following entries:
   ```
   dn: cn=Replication, cn=configuration
   changetype: modify
   add: ibm-slapdReplicateSecurityAttributes
   ibm-slapdReplicateSecurityAttributes: true
   ```

3. Verify whether the ibm-replicareferralURL attribute is configured for a replication context.

   ```bash
   idsldapsearch -h host_name -p port -D adminDN -w adminDN -s one -b replication_context objectclass=*
   ```

4. On the read-only replica servers, for each replication contexts configure the ibm-replicareferralURL attribute with the IP address and port of all its master servers.

   - If the ibm-replicareferralURL attribute is not configured, run the following command:
     ```bash
     idsldapmodify -l -h host_name -p port -D adminDN -w adminDN -i ref_file.ldif
     ```

     The ref_file.ldif contains the following entries:
     ```
     dn: cn=ibmpolicies
     changetype: modify
     add: ibm-replicareferralURL
     ibm-replicareferralURL: ldap://server1:port1 ldaps://server2:port2
     ```

   - If the ibm-replicareferralURL attribute is configured, run the following command:
     ```bash
     idsldapmodify -l -h host_name -p port -D adminDN -w adminDN -i ref_file1.ldif
     ```

     The ref_file1.ldif contains the following entries:
dn: cn=ibmpolicies
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-replicareferralURL
ibm-replicareferralURL: ldap://server1:port1 ldaps://server2:port2

5. Restart the directory server and the administration server.
   ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -k
   ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01 -k
   ibmslapd -I dsrdbm01 -n
   ibmdiradm -I dsrdbm01

**Bind scenarios with replication of password policy operational attributes**

To configure replication of password policy operational attributes consistently, you must understand how the server responds to a bind attempt.

If a bind operation by a user affects the password policy attributes of the user, the master server records the user entry updates in its database. The master server then replicates the updates to other servers in the replication topology. If the feature is enabled on the read-only replica, the server updates the password policy operational attributes that it receives in the replication updates. If the feature is disabled on the read-only replica, the server does not update the password policy operational attributes that it receives in replication updates.

You can consider the following bind scenarios that are based on whether the feature is enabled on master and read-only replica servers:

**Scenario 1: An invalid bind on a read-only replica that results in password policy operational attributes update**

If a user attempts an invalid bind on a read-only replica, the replica notifies its identified master server with the following values:

- The user credentials.
- The replication bind failure timestamp control.

The master server records the updates to password policy operational attributes for the user in its database and then replicates the updates to other servers. Simultaneously, the master server sends password failure timestamp in the control in its response to the read-only replica. The read-only replica updates password policy operation attributes of the user in its database with the timestamp received from the master server.

**Scenario 2: A valid bind on a read-only replica that results in resulting in password policy operational attributes update**

If a user successfully binds on a master or a read-only replica, the bind might result in password policy operational attributes update for a user. If a user entry contains password failure timestamps, on a successful bind the values are reset for the user if all the following conditions are met:

- The user account is not locked.
- At least a password failure timestamp is present in the user entry.

If a user binds on a read-only replica after a few invalid binds and the account is not locked, the server updates password policy operational attributes. A successful bind clears the password failure timestamp records for the user on the read-only replica server. Simultaneously, the read-only replica notifies the master by using the user credentials. The master server updates the password policy operational attributes for the user in its database. A successful bind clears the password failure timestamp records for the user on the master server.
When a user attempts bind operation, the timestamp is not modified for the user entry. Therefore, it does not result in replication conflict between master and read-only replica servers. If the password policy is set, for a bind operation the password policy operational attributes are modified. These changes do not update the modifyTimestamp attribute. Since the modifyTimestamp attribute of a user entry is not modified, it does not result in replication conflict.

**Compatibility with servers that do have the feature or is disabled**

A master server of the following versions or configurations does not recognize the replication bind failure timestamp control:

- Master servers of versions earlier than 6.3.0.10
- Master servers later than 6.3.0.10 with the feature disabled

Therefore, a master server does not return password failure timestamp with the control to a read-only replica server. If a timestamp is not received from the master server, the read-only replica updates the password failure timestamp in the user entry with its own timestamp. Recording its own timestamp by read-only replica ensures that the user attempts are restricted to set maximum failure count. If the read-only replica server does not receive the timestamp from the master server, a user can attempt more binds on the read-only replica server.

A user account might get locked on the read-only replica before the user reaches the maximum failure count. For example, the effective maximum failure count is set to 2 on the server. If a user attempts an invalid bind on the read-only replica, it records password failure timestamp and sets the failure count to 1. If a replication schedule is set, the updates from master server are replicated to other servers in the replication topology in the scheduled time. The replication updates might set the password failure count to 2, if the password failure timestamp is different than the timestamp recorded in the user entry. In this example, since the maximum allowed failure count is 2 the user account gets locked.

With the earlier versions, this feature is not available. The updates to password policy operational attributes are treated as per existing design on both master and read-only replica server.

**Servers in a replication topology with the ibm-replicateSecurityAttribute attribute**

A read-only replica records the replication updates with password policy operational attributes from a master that is based on the value that is set in the ibm-replicateSecurityAttribute attribute.

To summarize the password policy operational attributes updates between master and read-only replica, the following conditions are set:

- Replication is configured.
- Password policy is configured.
- On read-only replica servers, the ibm-replicareferralURL attribute is set with the IP address or fully qualified domain name with ports of all its master servers.

The source from which a read-only replica records the timestamp in its database might differ based on following conditions:

- The availability of master server.
The `ibm-replicateSecurityAttribute` value on master server and read-only replica server.

- The bind result.

Table 34. The relationship between the `ibm-replicateSecurityAttribute` value and password policy operational attributes update for an invalid bind on a master server

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<td>Master server</td>
<td>Read-only replica server</td>
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<td>TRUE</td>
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Note: YES* indicates that the read-only replica records the replication updates from the master server to record the password policy operational attributes.

Table 35. The relationship between the `ibm-replicateSecurityAttribute` value and password policy operational attributes update for an invalid bind on a read-only replica server

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Note:

- YES* indicates that the read-only replica updates the password policy operational attributes that are based on the bind result on the read-only replica. The read-only replica server does not notify the master server with the password policy operational attributes update. Therefore, the master server does not replicate these updates to other servers in the replication topology.

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Table 37. The relationship between the `ibm-replicateSecurityAttribute` value and password policy operational attributes update for a valid bind on a read-only replica server

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- YES** indicates that the read-only replica updates the password policy operational attributes that are based on the bind result on the read-only replica. The read-only replica server notifies the master server with the password policy operational attributes update. Therefore, the master server replicates these updates to other servers in the replication topology.
Troubleshooting replication of password policy operational attributes

To troubleshoot the replication environment, you must identify and fix any issues with the replication of password policy operational attributes feature.

- If you do not set the feature on all servers in a replication topology, you might see inconsistency in the password policy operational attribute values.

- When you configure replication of password policy operational attributes, you must synchronize the password failure count for all users. If the password failure count is not synchronized, a successful bind by the user on a server might not reset the failure count on other servers. For example, a master contains two invalid bind attempts and the read-only replica does not contain any invalid binds for a user. After you enable the feature, if a user successfully binds on the read-only replica the bind does not reset the password failure count on the master. The password failure count is not reset on the master because on the read-only replica the password failure count was 0.

- A server resets the password failure count for a user in one of the following conditions:
  - A successful bind by the user if the user account is not locked.
  - An administrator unlocks the user account on a master server, which unlocks the user account on all other servers.

In exceptional cases, a password administrator might require to unlock a user account on a specific server. For example, a replication topology consists of a master and read-only replica, where the feature is enabled on both the servers. The maximum failure attempt set is 3. After two invalid bind attempts, the master and read-only replica contains the password failure count as 2 for the user on each server. If the master server fails, an invalid bind on the read-only replica locks the user account since it now contains the password failure count as 3. Now, the password failure count for the user on the master remains at 2. When the master server becomes available, a successful bind by the user on the master server resets the password failure count to 0. Whereas, the successful bind on the master server does not reset the password failure count to 0 on the read-only replica for the user. It is because the user account is already locked. In this scenario, the password administrator must unlock the user account on the read-only replica for the user to access the server.

- If a user attempts successive invalid binds on a master server, the server might record multiple pwdFailureTime entries with the same timestamp for the user. When the master server replicates these updates, the read-only replica records only the pwdFailureTime entries with distinct timestamp values for the user. Therefore, if a master server contains multiple pwdFailureTime entries with the same timestamp value, the read-only replica records only one pwdFailureTime entry for a user. The read-only replica does not record the remaining entries with the same timestamp values. The following example shows a user entry from the master server on port 389 and the read-only replica on port 2389 with multiple pwdFailureTime entries.

```
#idsldapsearch -p 389 -D adminDN -w adminPWD -s sub -b cn=user02,o=sample
  objectclass=* +ibmpwpolicy

cn=user02,o=sample
pwdChangedTime=20110914053218.807758Z
pwdAccountLockedTime=20111014080533.000000Z
pwdFailureTime=20111014080532.000000Z
pwdFailureTime=20111014080532.000000Z
pwdFailureTime=20111014080533.000000Z
#
#idsldapsearch -p 2389 -D adminDN -w adminPWD -s sub -b cn=user02,o=sample
  objectclass=* +ibmpwpolicy
```
If the `pwdGraceLoginLimit` attribute is set on a master and a user binds on the server after the password expiry, the server records the `pwdGraceUseTime` entries. When the master server replicates these updates, the read-only replica records only the `pwdGraceUseTime` entries with distinct timestamp values in the user entry. Therefore, if a master server contains multiple `pwdGraceUseTime` entries with the same timestamp value, the read-only replica records only one `pwdGraceUseTime` entry for the user. The read-only replica does not record the remaining entries with the same timestamp values. The following example shows a user entry from the master server on port 3389 and the read-only replica on port 13389 with multiple `pwdGraceUseTime` records.

```
# idsldapsearch -p 3389 -D adminDN -w adminPWD -s sub -b cn=user01,o=sample\ objectclass=* +ibmpwdpolicy
  cn=user01,o=sample
  pwdChangedTime=20111014103004.000000Z
  pwdExpirationWarned=20111014103143.000000Z
  pwdHistory=20111014103004Z#2.5.4.35#32#{AES256}gXurNKCz5CyROt8miTtVrW=
pwdHistory=20111014103004Z#2.5.4.35#32#{AES256}1yfDaLmvJ7RpW42kDKSN+A=
pwdGraceUseTime=20111014103305.000000Z
  pwdGraceUseTime=20111014103308.000000Z
#
# idsldapsearch -p 13389 -D adminDN -w adminPWD -s sub -b cn=user01,o=sample\ objectclass=* +ibmpwdpolicy
  cn=user01,o=sample
  pwdChangedTime=20111014103004.000000Z
  pwdExpirationWarned=20111014103143.000000Z
  pwdGraceUseTime=20111014103305.000000Z
  pwdGraceUseTime=20111014103308.000000Z
```

Setting up a simple topology with peer replication

Peer replication is a replication topology in which multiple servers are masters. Use peer replication only in environments where the update vectors are well known. Updates to particular objects within the directory must be done only by one peer server. This is intended to prevent a scenario in which one server deletes an object, followed by another server modifying the object. This scenario creates the possibility of a peer server receiving a delete command followed by a modify command for the same object, which creates a conflict. Replicated delete and rename requests are accepted in the order received without conflict resolution. See "Creating replication schedules" on page 376 for more information about conflict resolution.

![Figure 12. Basic peer-to-peer topology](image-url)

This section shows how to set up a replication topology between two servers only.
Using Web Administration

Before you start, be sure that:

1. Both servers are running.
3. In the Web Administration Tool, be sure that you are logged in to one of the servers. (This procedure assumes that you are logged in to the first of the two servers, server1.)

To set up two peer masters:

1. In the Web Administration Tool, expand the Replication management category in the navigation area and click Manage topology.
2. Select the subtree that you want to replicate and click Show topology.
   If you want to view the existing topology, click the box next to the existing servers to expand the list of supplier servers.
3. Click Replication topology to highlight it, and then click Add master.
4. On the Server tab of the Add master window:
   a. Select Server is a gateway to make this server a Gateway server or select Supplier gateway and then select a server from the drop-down list to add the server as a master server.
   b. From the Server hostname:port drop-down list, select an LDAP server for the master server.
      If you want to provide another server as master server, which is not registered on the console server, select Use entry from below item from the Server hostname:port drop-down list and then enter the host name and port number for the master server in the field in the hostname:port format.
      
         **Note:** The default port is 389 for non-SSL and 636 for SSL.
   c. Select the Enable SSL encryption check box to enable SSL communications.
   d. In the Peer master name field, enter the server name or leave this field blank to use the host name.
   e. Enter the server ID. If the server on which you are creating the peer-master is running, click Get server ID to automatically prefill this field. If you do not know the server ID, enter unknown.
   f. Optionally, enter a description of the server.
   g. You must specify the credentials that the server uses to communicate with the master server. Click Select beside the Credential object field. The Select credential window is displayed. On the Select credential window:
      1) Select the location for the credentials you want to use. Preferably this is cn=replication,cn=localhost.

         **Note:** The Web Administration Tool allows you to define credentials in the following places:
         • cn=replication,cn=localhost, which keeps the credentials only on the server that uses them. Placing credentials in cn=replication,cn=localhost is considered more secure.
         • cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies, which is available even when the server under which you are trying to add a replica is not
the same server that you are connected to with the Web Administration Tool. Credentials placed under this location are replicated to the servers.

The location cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies is available only if the IBMpolicies support OID, 1.3.18.0.2.32.18, is present under the ibm-supportedcapabilities of the root DSE.

- Within the replicated subtree, in which case the credentials are replicated with the rest of the subtree. Credentials placed in the replicated subtree are created beneath the ibm-replicagroup=default entry for that subtree.

2) If you have already created a set of credentials:
   a) Click Show credentials. A list of existing credentials is shown in the Select credentials field.
   b) Expand the list of credentials and select the one you want to use.

3) If you do not have preexisting credentials, click Add credentials to create the credentials. See ["Adding credentials" on page 361] for additional information about agreement credentials.

4) Click OK.

5. On the Additional tab:

   a. If you want to use an existing replication schedule, select the replication schedule from the drop-down list.

   If you want to create a new replication schedule:

      1) Click Add.

      2) See ["Creating replication schedules" on page 376] for information about replication schedules.

      When you return to the Add master panel, select the schedule you created from the list of schedules.

   b. From the Capabilities replicated to consumer list, you can deselect any capabilities that you do not want replicated to the consumer.

      If your network has a mix of servers at different releases, capabilities are available on later releases that are not available on earlier releases. Some capabilities, like filter ACLs and password policy, make use of operational attributes that are replicated with other changes. In most cases, if these features are used, you want all servers to support them. If all of the servers do not support the capability, you do not want to use it. For example, you would not want different ACLs in effect on each server. However, there might be cases where you want to use a capability on the servers that support it, and not have changes related to the capability replicated to servers that do not support the capability. In such cases, you can use the capabilities list to mark certain capabilities to not be replicated.

   c. Check the Add credential information on consumer check box. This selection automatically updates the supplier credentials in the configuration file of the consumer server. This enables the topology information to be replicated to server2.

      Type the Administrator DN for the consumer server (server2); for example, cn=root.

      Note: If the administrator DN that was created during the server configuration process was cn=root, then enter the full administrator DN. Do not use only root.
• Type the Administrator password for the consumer server; for example, secret.

d. Click OK.

e. On the Create additional supplier agreements panel, supplier and consumer agreements are listed between the new master server and any existing servers. Clear the check boxes for any agreements that you do not want to be created.

f. Click Continue.

g. If a message is displayed asking if you want to restart server2, click Yes. Other messages might be displayed noting that additional actions must be taken. Perform or take note of the appropriate actions. When you are finished, click OK.

h. Add the appropriate credentials to configure agreements from server2 to server1:
   1) Select the location for the credentials you want to use. Preferably this is cn=replication,cn=localhost.
   2) If you have already created a set of credentials:
      a) Click Show credentials. A list of existing credentials is shown in the Select credentials field.
      b) Expand the list of credentials and select the one you want to use.
   3) Click OK.

   **Note:** In some cases the Select credentials panel will pop up asking for a credential that is located in a place other than cn=replication,cn=localhost. In such situations you must provide a credential object that is located in a place other than cn=replication,cn=localhost. Select the credentials the subtree is going to use from the existing sets of credentials or create new credentials. See “Adding credentials” on page 361 for more information about adding credentials.

i. Click OK to create the peer-master.

j. Messages might be displayed noting that additional actions must be taken. Perform or take note of the appropriate actions. When you are finished, click OK.

### Using the command line

This scenario assumes that you are creating a new replicated subtree and that only server1 contains any entry data. All other servers are newly installed, have a configured database, and have been started at least once for initialization purposes. (Be sure to read the [Appendix J, “Synchronizing two-way cryptography between server instances,” on page 653 section before you start the server instances.]

**Note:** The subtree you want to create is the following:

```
dn: o=sample
objectclass: organization
objectclass: ibm-replicationContext
o: sample
```

If this entry already exists, then modify it to add `objectclass=ibm-replicationContext` instead of adding the entire entry.

server1 and server2 are peer-master servers. That means that while they receive updates from each other, they only replicate entries received from clients. While
both masters have the same entry content, only the server that has received the client request replicates the entry. Both masters are suppliers and consumers to each other and suppliers to the other servers.

To create the peer-masters (server1 and server2) for the subtree o=sample:

1. Start servers server1 and server2 in configuration only mode. On each of the servers issue the command:
   `idsslapd -I LDAPinstance -a`

2. If the administration server (idsdiradm) is not running for any instance, start `idsdiradm`:
   `idsdiradm -I LDAP_instance`

3. You must configure server1 and server2 to be peer servers. Use the `idsldapadd` command to add the following entry to the ibmslapd.conf file on server1 and server2. On server1 and server2 issue the following command:
   `idsldapadd -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename`

   where `filename` contains:
   ```
   dn: cn=Master Server, cn=configuration
   objectclass: ibm-slapdReplication
   cn: Master Server
   ibm-slapdMasterDN: cn=any
   ibm-slapdMasterPW: secret
   ```

   **Note:** It is critical that these entries be exactly the same on both servers because this example uses a credentials object that is shared on all the servers. The password is entered in cleartext, but is encrypted in the file.

4. Stop server1 and server2. To stop the servers issue the following command on each of the servers:
   `idsslapd -I instancename -k`

   where `instancename` is the name of the directory server instance you want to stop.
   `ibmdirctl -h serverx -D adminDN -w adminPW -p 389 stop`

   where `serverx` is the name of the server.

5. Save the ibmslapd.conf files.

6. At the computer where the master server, server1, is located, create a file to use for updates to the agreement information; for example mycredentialsfile, where mycredentialsfile contains:

   ```
   dn: cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
   objectclass: container
   
   ###Bind Credentials/method to peer server - replication agreement
   ###points to this.
   dn: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
   objectclass:ibm-replicationCredentialsSimple
   cn:simple
   replicaBindDN:cn=any
   replicaCredentials:secret
   description:Bind method of the peer master (server1)to the peer (server2)
   ```

7. Issue the command:
   `idsldif2db -r no -i mycredentialsfile -I instance_name`

8. Copy `mycredentialsfile` to the computer where server2 is located and issue the command:
idsldif2db -r no -i mycredentialsfile -I instance_name

9. At the computer where server1 is located create a file, mytopologyfile, where mytopologyfile includes the following:

**Note:** Replace all occurrences of server1-uuid in the following files with the value of the ibm-slapdServerId attribute from the master server's cn=Configuration entry. This value is generated by the server the first time it is started. You can find it either by performing an idsldapsearch of the cn=Configuration entry or using the grep command on the ibmslapd.conf file, if you have an AIX, Linux, or Solaris system. Similarly, all occurrences of the serverx-uuid (where x represents 1 or 2) must be replaced with the value of the ibm-slapdServerId attribute from the respective server’s cn=Configuration entry.

```
dn: o=sample
o: sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: container
objectclass: ibm-replicationContext

dn: ibm-replicaGroup=default, o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicaGroup
ibm-replicaGroup: default

ibm-replicaServerId= server1-uuid ,ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
ibm-replicaServerId: server1-uuid
ibm-replicationServerIsMaster: true
cn: server1
description: server 1 (peer master) ibm-replicaSubentry

ibm-replicaServerId= server2-uuid ,ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
ibm-replicaServerId: server2-uuid
ibm-replicationServerIsMaster: true
cn: server2
description: server2 (peer master) ibm-replicaSubentry

#server1 to server2 agreement
dn: cn=server2,ibm-replicaServerId= server1-uuid ,
   ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
 cn: server2
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server2-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server2:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
description: server1(master) to server2(master) agreement

#server2 to server1 agreement
dn: cn=server1,ibm-replicaServerId= server2-uuid ,
   ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
 cn: server1
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server1-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server1:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
description: server2(master) to server1(master) agreement
```

10. To load this topology, issue the command:

    idsldif2db -r no -i mytopologyfile -I instance_name
where -r no prevents replication of the set of entries.

11. At this point you might want to load additional data for your subtree.

   **Note:** Use the -r no flag to prevent replication of the set of entries.

12. When you have finished loading the data, to be able to export the topology and any additional data for the replication context to populate the other servers, issue the command:

    ```
    idddb2ldif -s"o=sample" -o mymasterfile.ldif -I instance_name
                   -k key seed -t key salt
    ```

   **Note:** You must use the -I option if there is more than one instance. You must use the -k and -t options if keys on the server are not synchronized. See the `iddb2ldif` command information in the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference* for more information.

**Attention:** If you are exporting data that will be imported into an Advanced Encryption Standard (AES)-enabled server and **if the two servers are not cryptographically synchronized**, see Appendix J, “Synchronizing two-way cryptography between server instances,” on page 653 for more information about cryptographic synchronization of servers.

When the source server (the server you are exporting data from) and the destination server (the server into which you will be importing the data) are using non-matching directory key stash files, and you specify the encryption seed and salt values of the destination server, any AES-encrypted data will be decrypted using the source server's AES keys, then re-encrypted using the destination server's encryption seed and salt values. This encrypted data is stored in the LDIF file.

The encryption seed is used to generate a set of AES secret key values. These values are stored in a directory stash file and used to encrypt and decrypt directory stored password and secret key attributes. The encryption seed must contain only printable ISO-8859-1 ASCII characters with values in the range of 33 to 126, and must be a minimum of 12 and a maximum of 1016 characters in length. See the Appendix D, “ASCII characters from 33 to 126,” on page 587 section for information about these characters.

The encryption salt is a randomly generated value that is used to generate AES encryption keys. You can obtain the destination server's salt value by searching (using the idsldapsearch utility) the destination server's "cn=crypto,cn=localhost" entry. The attribute type is `ibm-slapdCryptoSalt`.


14. Copy the `mymasterfile.ldif` file to the computer where server2 is located.

15. On the computer where server2 is located, issue the following command:

    ```
    idsldif2db -r no -i mymasterfile.ldif -I instance_name
    ```

16. Start server2:

    ```
    idsslapd -I instance_name
    ```

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**Creating a master-forwarder-replica topology**

The following diagram shows a master-forwarder-replica topology:
To define a master-forwarder-replica topology, you must:

1. Create a master server and a replica server. You have already done this; see “Creating a master-replica topology” on page 298.

2. Create a new replica server for the original replica. See “Adding a replica server” on page 367.

3. Copy data to the replicas. See “Copying data to the replica” on page 303.

Changing the replica to a forwarding server

Note: Before starting to set up your replication topology, make a backup copy of your original ibmslapd.conf file for each server. You can use this backup copy to restore your original configuration if you encounter difficulties with replication.

If you have set up a replication topology with a master (server1) and a replica (server2), you can change the role of server2 to that of a forwarding server. To do this you must create a new replica (server3) under server2.

Using Web Administration

1. Start all the servers.

2. If you have not already done so, use the Web Administration Tool to log on to the master server (server1).

3. Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area and click Manage topology.

4. Select the subtree that you want to replicate and click Show topology.

5. Click the box next to the server1 selection to expand the list of servers.

6. Select server2 and click Add replica.

7. On the Server tab of the Add replica window:
   - From the Server hostname:port drop-down list, select an LDAP server for the replica server.
     If you want to provide another server as replica server, which is not registered on the console server, select Use entry from below item from the

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Figure 13. Master-forwarding server-replica topology
Server hostname:port drop-down list and then enter the host name and port number for the replica server in the field in the hostname:port format. The default port is 389 for non-SSL and 636 for SSL.

- Leave the Enable SSL check box unchecked.
- Enter the replica name or leave this field blank to use the host name.
- Enter the replica ID. If the server on which you are creating the replica is running, click Get replica ID to automatically prefill this field. This is a required field.
- Enter a description of the replica server.
- Specify the credentials that the replica uses to communicate with the master.
  a. Click Select.
  b. Click the radio button next to \texttt{cn=replication,\texttt{cn=ibmpolicies}}.
  c. Click Show credentials.
  d. Expand the list of credentials and select mycreds.
  e. Click OK.

  \textbf{Note:} The mycreds credentials need to be created under\texttt{cn=replication,\texttt{cn=ibmpolicies}} on the forwarder, unless \texttt{cn=ibmpolicies} is replicated.

- Click the Additional tab.
  a. Keep the \textbf{Specify a replication schedule or enter DN (optional)} set to None. This sets the default as immediate replication.
  b. Do not deselect any capabilities.
  c. Keep the Replication method set to Single threaded.
  d. Click to select the Add credential information on consumer check box.
  e. Enter the administrator's DN for the consumer (replica) server. For example \texttt{cn=root}.

  \textbf{Note:} If the administrator DN which was created during the server configuration process was \texttt{cn=root}, then enter the full administrator DN. Do not just use root.
  f. Enter the administrator's password for the consumer (replica) server. For example secret.
  g. Click OK to create the replica. A message is displayed noting that additional actions must be taken, including restarting the replica server. Take the appropriate actions.
  h. Click OK.

9. Copy data from server1 to the new replica server3. See "Copying data to the replica" on page 303 for information about how to do that.

\textbf{Note:} The topology changes are replicated to server2 by the master server1.

10. Add the supplier agreement to server3 that makes server2 a supplier to server3 and server3 a consumer to server2. See "Adding the supplier information to a replica" on page 374 for information about how to do this.

\textbf{Note:} This step needs to be performed only if you did not select the Add credential information on consumer check box, or supplier information failed to be added to the consumer configuration file.
The server roles are represented by icons in the Web Administration Tool. Your
topology in now:
- server1 (master)
- server2 (forwarder)
- server3 (replica)

**Using the command line**

This scenario assumes that you are creating a new replicated subtree and that only
server1 contains any entry data. All other servers are newly installed, have a
configured database, and have been started at least once for initialization purposes.
(Be sure to read the [Appendix J, “Synchronizing two-way cryptography between
server instances,” on page 653](#) section before you start the server instances.)

**Note:** The subtree you want to create is the following:

```
dn: o=sample
objectclass: organization
objectclass: ibm-replicationContext
o: sample
```

If this entry already exists, then modify it to add `objectclass=ibm-
replicationContext` instead of adding the entire entry.

This procedure is similar to the one for a single master and replica, except that the
entire topology must be added to each of the servers and the content of the
agreement information file is more complex. The file now includes information for
the forwarding server and supplier-consumer information.

The supplier-consumer relationship for this scenario is:
- The master is a supplier to the forwarder.
- The forwarder has two roles:
  1. A consumer of the master
  2. A supplier to the replica
- The replica is a consumer of the forwarder.

To create the master (server1), a forwarder (server2), and replica (server3) for the
subtree `o=sample`:
1. At the computer where the master server is located, create a file to contain the
   agreement information; for example `myreplicainfofile` where `myreplicainfofile`
   contains the following:

   **Note:** Replace all occurrences of `server1-uuid` in the following files with the
   value of the `ibm-slapdServerId` attribute from the master server's
   `cn=Configuration` entry. This value is generated by the server the first
time it is started. You can find it either by performing an `idsldapsearch`
of the `cn=Configuration` entry or by using the `grep` command on the
`ibmslapd.conf` file, if you have an AIX, Linux, or Solaris system.
Similarly, all occurrences of the `server2-uuid` and the `server3-uuid` must
be replaced with the value of the `ibm-slapdServerId` attribute from the
respective server's `cn=Configuration` entry.

```
dn: cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
objectclass: container
```
```
dn: o=sample
objectclass: organization
objectclass: ibm-replicationContext
```

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Stop the master, if it is not already stopped, by using the following command:

```bash
ibmdirctl -h server1 -D adminDN -w adminPW -p 389 stop
```

To load the new replication topology to the master, issue the command:

```bash
idsldif2db -r no -i myreplicainfofile -I instance_name
```

To generate a file with all of the data to synchronize the new replica, issue the command:
idsdb2ldif -o masterfile.ldif -I instance_name -s o=sample -k key seed -t key salt

**Note:** You must use the -I option if there is more than one directory server instance. You must use the -k and -t options if keys on the server are not synchronized. See the `idsdb2ldif` command information in the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference* for more information.

**Attention:** If you are exporting data that will be imported into an Advanced Encryption Standard (AES)-enabled server and if the two servers are not cryptographically synchronized, see the [Appendix J, “Synchronizing two-way cryptography between server instances,” on page 653](#) section for more information about cryptographic synchronization of servers.

When the source server (the server you are exporting data from) and the destination server (the server into which you will be importing the data) are using non-matching directory key stash files, and you specify the encryption seed and salt values of the destination server, any AES-encrypted data will be decrypted using the source server's AES keys, then re-encrypted using the destination server's encryption seed and salt values. This encrypted data is stored in the LDIF file.

The encryption seed is used to generate a set of AES secret key values. These values are stored in a directory stash file and used to encrypt and decrypt directory stored password and secret key attributes. The encryption seed must contain only printable ISO-8859-1 ASCII characters with values in the range of 33 to 126, and must be a minimum of 12 and a maximum of 1016 characters in length. See the [Appendix D, “ASCII characters from 33 to 126,” on page 587](#) section for information about these characters.

The encryption salt is a randomly generated value that is used to generate AES encryption keys. You can obtain the destination server's salt value by searching (using the idsldapsearch utility) the destination server's "cn=ctodn, cn=localhost" entry. The attribute type is ibm-slapdCryptoSalt.

5. Copy the `masterfile.ldif` file to the computer where server2 is located.
6. Start the forwarder, server2, in configuration only mode.
   
   ```
   idsslapd -I LDAPinstance -a
   ```
7. You must configure server2 to be a replica server. Use the `idsldapadd` command to add the following entry to the ibmslapd.conf file on server2. On server2 issue the following command:
   
   ```
   idsldapadd -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
   ```

   where `filename` contains:

   ```
   dn: cn=Master Server, cn=configuration
   objectclass: ibm-slapdReplication
   cn: Master Server
   ibm-slapdMasterDN: cn=any
   ibm-slapdMasterPW: secret
   ibm-slapdMasterReferral: ldap://server1:389/
   #referral to master when trying to add to consumer.
   #Referral can also be added to replicaContext, which would be
   #checked first for a valid server.
   ```
Note: The ibm-slapdMasterDN and ibm-slapdMasterPW values must match the values stored on the master server, server1, in the entry "cn=server2 BindCredentials".

8. Stop server2.
   `ibmdirctl -h server2 -D adminDN -w adminPW -p 389 stop`

9. Save the `ibmslapd.conf` file.

10. Copy the `masterfile.ldif` file to the computer where server3 is located.

11. Start the replica, server3, in configuration only mode.
    `idsslapd -I LDAPInstance -a`

12. You must configure server3 to be a replica server. Use the `idsldapadd` command to add the following entry to the `ibmslapd.conf` file on server3. On server3 issue the following command:
    `idsldapadd -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename`

    where `filename` contains:
    - `dn: cn=Master Server, cn=configuration`
    - `objectclass: ibm-slapdReplication`
    - `cn: Master Server`
    - `ibm-slapdMasterDN: cn=any`
    - `ibm-slapdMasterPW: secret`

    **Note:** The ibm-slapdMasterDN and ibm-slapdMasterPW values must match the values stored on the master server, server1, in the entry "cn=server3 BindCredentials".

13. Stop server3.
    `ibmdirctl -h server3 -D adminDN -w adminPW -p port stop`

14. Save the `ibmslapd.conf` file.

15. At the computers where server2 and server3 are located, issue the following command:
    `idsldif2db -r no -i masterfile.ldif -I instance_name`

16. Start the master (server1), the forwarder (server2) and the replica (server3). On each of the servers issue the command:
    `idsslapd -I LDAPInstance`

    **Note:** Remember to ensure that all the servers have been added to the topology under `cn=ibmpolicies` in order to replicate global updates such as `cn=schema`.

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**Setting up a complex topology with peer replication**

Initially, the `ibm-replicagroup` object created by this process inherits the ACL of the root entry for the replicated subtree. These ACLs might be inappropriate for controlling access to the replication information in the directory.

For the Add subtree operation to be successful, the entry DN that you are adding must have correct ACLs, if it is not a suffix in the server.

**For Non-filtered ACLs:**
- `ownersource : the entry DN`
- `ownerpropagate : TRUE`
- `aclsource : the entry DN`
- `aclpropagate : TRUE`
Filtered ACLs:

ownersource: the entry DN
ownerpropagate: TRUE
ibm-filteraclinherit: FALSE
ibm-filteraclentry: any value

Use the **Edit ACLs** function of the Web Administration Tool to set ACLs for the replication information associated with the newly created replicated subtree (see “Editing access control lists for the subtree” on page 360).

Using the forwarding topology created in “Changing the replica to a forwarding server” on page 324, you are going to create a peer-forwarder-replica topology consisting of two peer-master servers, two forwarding servers, and four replicas. To create this topology, you must:

1. Create two additional replica servers for the master server. See “Adding a replica server” on page 367.
2. Create two replicas under each of the two newly created replica servers.
3. Add a new peer master server. See “Adding a peer-master or gateway server” on page 365.

   **Note:** The server that you want to promote to a master must be a leaf replica with no subordinate replicas.

4. Copy the data from the master to the new master and replicas. See “Copying data to the replica” on page 303.
5. Start replication. See “Managing queues” on page 378.

**Using the command line**

This scenario assumes that you are creating a new replicated subtree and that only server1 contains any entry data. All other servers are newly installed, have a configured database, and have been started at least once for initialization purposes. (Be sure to read the Appendix J, “Synchronizing two-way cryptography between server instances,” on page 653 section before you start the server instances.)

**Note:**

```
  dn: o=sample
  objectclass: organization
  objectclass: ibm-replicationContext
  o: sample
```

is the subtree you want to create. If this entry already exists, then modify it to add `objectclass=ibm-replicationContext` instead of adding the entire entry.

In this example the topology is more complex. It includes two peer-masters (server1 and server5), two forwarders (server2 and server4) and four replicas (server3, server6, server7, and server8). The relationship among the servers is as follows:
server1 and server5 are peer-master servers. That means that while they receive updates from each other, they only replicate entries received from clients. While both masters have the same entry content, only the server that has received the client request replicates the entry. Both masters are suppliers and consumers to each other and suppliers to the forwarding servers.

server2 and server4 have two roles. They are both consumers of server1 and server5 and suppliers to their respective replicas. They do not perform any client updates. They pass replicated updates to their consumers. In this scenario
- server2 is a supplier to server3 and server6
- server4 is a supplier to server7 and server8

There is no interaction between server2 and server4.

replica 1 and replica 2 are consumers of server2 and server7 and server8 are consumers of server4.

To create the peer-masters (server1 and server5), the forwarders (server2 and server4), and the replicas (server3, server6, server7, and server8) for the subtree o=sample:

1. Start servers server1 and server5 in configuration mode. On each of the servers issue the command:
   ```
   idsslapd -I LDAPinstance -a
   ```

2. You must configure server1 and server5 to be peer servers. Use the `idsldapadd` command to add the following entry to the ibmslapd.conf file on server1 and server5. On server1 and server5 issue the following command:
   ```
   idsldapadd -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
   ```

   where `filename` contains:
   ```
   dn: cn=Master Server, cn=configuration
   objectclass: ibm-slapdReplication
   cn: Master Server
   ibm-slapdMasterDN: cn=any
   ibm-slapdMasterPW: secret
   ```

   **Note:** It is critical that these entries be exactly the same on both servers because this example uses a credentials object that is shared on all the servers.
3. Stop server1 and server5. To stop the servers issue the following command on each of the servers:

   ibmdirctl -h serverx -D adminDN -w adminPW -p 389 stop

   where serverx is the name of the server.

4. Make sure that you have a backup of the ibmsslapd.conf file.

5. At the computer where the master server, server1, is located, create a file to contain the agreement information; for example, mycredentialsfile, where mycredentialsfile contains the following:

   dn: cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
   objectclass: container

   ###Bind Credentials/method to peer/forwarder server - replication agreement
   ###points to this.
   dn: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
   objectclass:ibm-replicationCredentialsSimple
   cn:simple
   replicaBindDN:cn=any
   replicaCredentials:secret
   description:Bind method of the master to the peer/forwarder

6. Issue the following command:

   idsldif2db -r no -i mycredentialsfile -I instance_name

7. Stop server2 and server4. To stop the servers, issue the following command on each of the servers:

   ibmdirctl -h serverx -D adminDN -w adminPW -p 389 stop

   where serverx is the name of the server.

8. Copy the mycredentialsfile file to the computers where server5, server2, and server4 are located and issue the following command on each computer:

   idsldif2db -r no -i mycredentialsfile -I instance_name

9. At the computer where server1 is located create a file, mytopologyfile, where mytopologyfile includes:

   Note: Replace all occurrences of master-uuid in the following files with the value of the ibm-slapdServerId attribute from the master server's cn=Configuration entry. This value is generated by the server the first time it is started. You can find it either by performing an idsldapsearch of the cn=Configuration entry or using the grep command on the ibmsslapd.conf file, if you have an AIX, Linux, or Solaris system. Similarly, all occurrences of the serverx-uuid (where x represents a number) must be replaced with the value of the ibm-slapdServerId attribute from the respective server's cn=Configuration entry.

   dn: o=sample
   o: sample
   objectclass: top
   objectclass: organization
   objectclass: ibm-replicationContext

   dn: ibm-replicaGroup=default, o=sample
   objectclass: top
   objectclass: ibm-replicaGroup
   ibm-replicaGroup: default

   dn: ibm-replicaServerId= server1-uuid ,ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
   objectclass: top
   objectclass: ibm-replicaSubentry
   ibm-replicaServerId: server1-uuid
   ibm-replicationServerIsMaster: true
cn: server1
description: server 1 (peer master) ibm-replicaSubentry

objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicaSubentry
ibm-replicaServerId: server5-uuid
ibm-replicationServerIsMaster: true
cn: server5
description: server5 (peer master) ibm-replicaSubentry

dn: ibm-replicaServerId= server2-uuid ,
ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicaSubentry
ibm-replicaServerId: server2-uuid
ibm-replicationServerIsMaster: false
cn: server2
description: server2 (forwarder) ibm-replicaSubentry

dn: ibm-replicaServerId= server4-uuid ,
ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicaSubentry
ibm-replicaServerId: server4-uuid
ibm-replicationServerIsMaster: false
cn: server4
description: server4 (forwarder) ibm-replicaSubentry

#server1 to server5 agreement
dn: cn=server5,ibm-replicaServerId= server1-uuid ,
ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server5
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server5-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server5:389
ibm-replica CredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
description: server1(master) to server5(master) agreement

#server1 to server2 agreement
dn: cn=server2,ibm-replicaServerId= server1-uuid ,
ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server2
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server2-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server2:389
ibm-replica CredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
description: server1(master) to server2(forwarder) agreement

#server1 to server4 agreement
dn: cn=server4,ibm-replicaServerId= server1-uuid
ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server4
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server4-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server4:389
ibm-replica CredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
description: server1(master) to server4(forwarder) agreement

#server5 to server1 agreement
dn: cn=server1,ibm-replicaServerId= server5-uuid
ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
objectclass: top

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objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server1
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server1-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server1:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
description: server5(master) to server1(master) agreement

#server5 to server2 agreement
dn: cn=server2, ibm-replicaServerId= server5-uuid
  ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server2
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server2-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server2:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
description: server5(master) to server2(forwarder) agreement

#server5 to server4 agreement
dn: cn=server4, ibm-replicaServerId= server5-uuid ,
  ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server4
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server4-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server4:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
description: server5(master) to server4(forwarder) agreement

#server2 to server3 agreement
dn: cn=server3, ibm-replicaServerId= server2-uuid ,
  ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server3
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server3-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server3:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
description: server2(forwarder) to server3(replica) agreement

#server2 to server6 agreement
dn: cn=server6, ibm-replicaServerId= server2-uuid ,
  ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server6
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server6-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server6:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
description: server2(forwarder) to server6(replica) agreement

#server4 to server7 agreement
dn: cn=server7, ibm-replicaServerId= server4-uuid ,
  ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server7
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server7-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server7:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies
description: server4(forwarder) to server7(replica) agreement

#server4 to server8 agreement
dn: cn=server8, ibm-replicaServerId= server4-uuid ,
  ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
10. To load this topology, issue the command:

    idsldif2db -r no -i mytopologyfile -I instance_name

where -r no prevents replication of the set of entries.

11. At this point you might want to load additional data for your subtree.

12. When you have finished loading the data, to be able to export the topology to populate the other servers, issue the command:

    idsdb2ldif -s"o=sample" -o mymasterfile.ldif -I instance_name
    -k key seed -t key salt

Note: You must use the -I option if there is more than one instance. You must use the -k and -t options if keys on the server are not synchronized. See the idsdb2ldif command in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for more information.

Attention: If you are exporting data that will be imported into an Advanced Encryption Standard (AES)-enabled server and if the two servers are not cryptographically synchronized, see the Appendix J, “Synchronizing two-way cryptography between server instances,” on page 653 section for more information about cryptographic synchronization of servers.

When the source server (the server you are exporting data from) and the destination server (the server into which you will be importing the data) are using non-matching directory key stash files, and you specify the encryption seed and salt values of the destination server, any AES-encrypted data will be decrypted using the source server's AES keys, then re-encrypted using the destination server's encryption seed and salt values. This encrypted data is stored in the LDIF file.

The encryption seed is used to generate a set of AES secret key values. These values are stored in a directory stash file and used to encrypt and decrypt directory stored password and secret key attributes. The encryption seed must contain only printable ISO-8859-1 ASCII characters with values in the range of 33 to 126, and must be a minimum of 12 and a maximum of 1016 characters in length. See the Appendix D, “ASCII characters from 33 to 126,” on page 587 section for information about these characters.

The encryption salt is a randomly generated value that is used to generate AES encryption keys. You can obtain the destination server’s salt value by searching (using the idsldapsearch utility) the destination server’s "cn=crypto,cn=localhost" entry. The attribute type is ibm-slapdCryptoSalt.

13. Start server2, server3, server4, server6, server7, and server8 in configuration only mode. On each of the servers issue the command:

    idsldapd -I LDAPinstance -a

14. You must configure server2 and server4 to be forwarding servers and configure server3, server6, server7, and server8 to be replica servers. Use the idsldapadd command to add the following entry to the ibmslapd.conf file on each of the servers:

    idsldapadd -D adminDN -w adminPW -p port -i filename
where filename contains:

dn: cn=Master Server, cn=configuration
objectclass: ibm-slapdReplication
cn: Master Server
ibm-slapdMasterDN: cn=any
ibm-slapdMasterPW: secret
ibm-slapdMasterReferral: ldap://server1:389/

Note: This ensures that all updates from the clients are referred to server1.

15. Stop server2, server3, server4, server6, server7, and server8. To stop the
    servers, issue the following command on each of the servers:

```
ibmdirctl -h serverx -D adminDN -w adminPW -p port stop
```

where serverx is the name of the server.

16. Save the ibmslapd.conf file as a new backup.

17. Copy the mymasterfile.ldif file to the computers where server2, server3, server4,
    server5, server6, server7, and server8 are located.

18. At each of these computers, issue the following command:

```
idsldif2db -r no -i mymasterfile.ldif -I instance_name
```

19. Start server1, server2, server3, server4, server5, server6, server7, and server8.
    On each of the servers issue the command:

```
idsslapd -I instance_name
```

Unconfiguring a master/repli ca configuration

There are several ways to remove a replica server from a master (supplier)/replica
(consumer) topology.

Use the following command to remove all master/repli ca information by
unconfiguring the ldap server's database on both machines and reconfiguring:

```
idsucfgdb -I instance_name
```

A message box will display, asking you if you want to remove the database and
the database instance. Click Yes.

Note: This process unconfigures the entire database on the replica server and all
data will be lost.

Alternately, use the following steps to remove your replica from the topology. With
this option, you are required to unconfigure and reconfigure one server only
(replica):

1. Stop the replica server.
2. Suspend the master server.
3. Remove supplier information from your master server. Go to Replication
   management---> Manage topology.
4. Delete a replica server.
   a. Click Show topology.
   b. Select a replica.
   c. Click Delete.
5. Delete a master server.
   a. Click Show topology.
   b. Select a master.
6. Remove a subtree from master server.
   a. Click **Show topology**.
   b. Select a subtree.
   c. Select **Delete subtree** from the drop-down list.
   d. Click **Go**.

7. Remove credentials from a master server.
   a. Click **Manage credentials**.
   b. Select a subtree.
   c. Click **Show credentials**.
   d. Select credentials.
   e. Click **Delete**.
   f. Click **OK**.

8. Run the following command on the replica server to unconfigure the database and remove all data:
   ```
   idsucfgdb -I instance_name
   ```
   A message box will display, asking you if you want to remove the database and the database instance. Click **Yes**. All information or entries will be lost in each of your databases.

You can also do the following to unconfigure your replica server without unconfiguring your entire database:

1. Remove supplier information from your master server. Go to **Replication management** -> **Manage topology**.
2. Delete replica server.
   a. Click **Show topology**.
   b. Select a replica.
   c. Click **Delete**.
3. Delete master server.
   a. Click **Show topology**.
   b. Select a master.
   c. Click **Delete**.
4. Remove subtree from master server.
   a. Click **Show topology**.
   b. Select a subtree.
   c. Select **Delete subtree** from the drop-down list.
   d. Click **Go**.
5. Remove credentials from the master server.
   a. Click **Manage credentials**.
   b. Select a subtree.
   c. Click **Show credentials**.
   d. Select credentials.
   e. Click **Delete**.
   f. Click **OK**.
6. Remove the credentials from the replica server.
   a. Click **Manage credentials**.
b. Select a subtree.
c. Click Show credentials.
d. Select credentials.
e. Click Delete.
f. Click OK.

7. Remove supplier information from your replica server. Click Manage replication properties. Click Delete.
8. Go to Directory management.
9. Select the subtree and expand.
10. Select ibm-replica Group=default and expand.
11. Select the replicaSubentry entry and expand.
12. Delete all agreements.
13. Collapse and delete replicaSubentry entry.
15. Select the subtree. From the drop-down list, select Delete auxiliary objectclass and click Go.
16. A new panel is displayed. In this panel, select the ibm-replicationContext and click Delete.
17. Click OK.
18. Confirm your server no longer has replication information by performing the following searches on the replica server. Nothing should be returned for the second search. If an empty container is returned for the first search, that is acceptable.

   idsldapsearch -D cn=root -w secret -b "" -s sub
   objectclass=ibm-repl*

This operation will return any replication topology that remains in the directory.

Note: You can perform this step on the master if there are no replicas left in the topology.

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**Setting up a gateway topology**

Gateway replication uses gateway servers to collect and distribute replication information effectively across a replicating network. The primary benefit of gateway replication is the reduction of network traffic.

Gateway servers must be masters (writable). The following figure illustrates how gateway replication works:
The replicating network in the preceding figure contains four replication sites, each containing a gateway server. A gateway server:

- Collects replication updates from the peer/master servers in the replication site where it resides and sends the updates to all the other gateway servers within the replicating network.
- Collects replication updates from other gateway servers in the replication network and sends those updates to the peers/masters and replicas in the replication site where it resides.

Gateway servers use server IDs and consumer IDs to determine which updates are sent to other gateway servers in the replicating network and which updates are sent to local servers within the replication site.

To set up gateway replication, you must create at least two gateway servers. The creation of a gateway server establishes a replication site. You must then create replication agreements between the gateway and any masters/peers and replicas you want to include in that gateway’s replication site.

Gateway servers must be masters (writable). If you attempt to add the gateway object class, ibm-replicaGateway, to a subentry that is not a master, an error message is returned.

There are two methods for creating a gateway server. You can:

- Create a new gateway server
- Convert an existing master server to a gateway server

**Note:** It is very important that you assign only one gateway server per replication site. The master and replica servers within the replication site can only have agreements with the gateway server for that site.
Using Web Administration

Note: Before starting to set up your replication topology, make a backup copy of your original configuration file (ibmslapd.conf) and the key stash files (ibmslapddir.ksf and ibmslapdconf.ksf) ibmslapd.conf file. You can use this backup copy to restore your original configuration if you encounter difficulties with replication. In addition you need to save the replication topology information stored in the directory. Use the idsdb2ldif utility to export the ibm-replicagroup=default subtree of the replicated subtree. For example, if you are changing the topology for the subtree o=sample, you need to export the subtree ibm-replicagroup=default,o=sample.

Attention: If restoring, you must restore to the same operating system as the operating system on which the failure occurred. If you don’t restore to the same operating system, there might be errors.

To set up a gateway using the complex topology with peer replication from the previous scenario:

- Convert an existing peer server (peer1) to a Gateway server to create replication site1.
- Create a new gateway server for replication site 2 and agreements with peer1.
- Create the topology for replication site 2 (not illustrated in this example).
- Copy the data from the master to all the machines in the topology.

1. Use the Web Administration Tool to log on to the master (server1).
2. Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area and click Manage topology.
3. Select the subtree that you want and click Show topology.
4. To convert an existing server to a gateway server, click Manage gateway servers. Select server1 or its peer server5. For this example use server1 and click Make gateway.
5. Click OK.
6. To create a new gateway server, Click **Add server**.

7. Create the new server, server9 as a gateway server. See "Adding a peer-master or gateway server" on page 365 for information about how to do that.

8. The **Create additional supplier agreements panel** is displayed. Ensure that the supplier agreement boxes are checked for server1 only. Deselect the other agreements.

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Click **Continue**.

9. Click **OK**.

10. Add the appropriate credentials and consumer information.

    **Note:** In some cases the Select credentials panel will pop up asking for a credential that is located in a place other than cn=replication,cn=localhost. In such situations you must provide a credential object that is located in a place other than cn=replication,cn=localhost. Select the credentials the subtree is going to use from the existing sets of credentials or create new credentials. See "Adding credentials" on page 361.

11. Click **OK**. The server roles are represented by icons in the Web Administration Tool. Your topology is now:

    - server1 (master-gateway for replication site1)
    - server2 (forwarder)
    - server3 (replica)
    - server6 (replica)
    - server4 (forwarder)
    - server7 (replica)
    - server8 (replica)
    - server5 (master)
    - server9 (master-gateway for replication site 2)

    - server5 (master)
    - server1 (master)
    - server2 (forwarder)
    - server3 (replica)
    - server6 (replica)
    - server4 (forwarder)
12. Add servers to server9 to create the topology for replication site 2. Remember to deselect any agreement for the new servers to any servers outside of replication site 2.

13. Repeat this process to create additional replication sites. Remember to create only one gateway server per replication site. However, each gateway server must be present in the topologies with agreements to the other gateway servers.

14. When you have finished creating the topology, copy the data from server1 to the all the new servers in all the replication sites and if required, add the supplier credential information to all the new servers. See "Copying data to the replica" on page 303 and "Adding the supplier information to a replica" on page 374 for information about how to do that.

Using the command line

In this example you are going to change the previous two peer, two forwarder, and four replica scenario to:

- Change the role of server1 to a gateway server for its topology (replication site1).
- Create a new gateway server, server9, for replication site2.

Note: Replication site2 has its own topology with server9 as its gateway server. That replication topology is not being illustrated in this example. You can use the topology for replication site1 as a model. However, all the topology does need to be included for all replication sites in your actual topology setup.

**Note:** Remember the server ID for this instance. You will use it in this task.

2. Configure server9 as a consumer of server1. Use the `idsldapmodify` command to add the following entry to the `ibmslapd.conf` file on server9:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -p port -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=Master Server, cn=configuration
objectclass: ibm-slapdReplication
cn: Master Server
ibm-slapdMasterDN: cn=any
ibm-slapdMasterPW: secret
```

3. Make server1 a gateway. Modify the following entry on server1 by adding the `objectclass: ibm-replicaGateway` attribute:

```
dn: ibm-replicaServerId= server1-uuid,ibm-replicaGroup=default,
    ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicaSubentry
objectclass: ibm-replicaGateway
ibm-replicaServerId: server1-uuid
ibm-replicationServerIsMaster: true

cn: server1
description: server1 (gateway server from replication site 1 to replication site 2)
```

4. Add the server9 subentry to server1:

```
dn: ibm-replicaServerId= server9-uuid,ibm-replicaGroup=default,
    ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicaSubentry
objectclass: ibm-replicaGateway
ibm-replicaServerId: server9-uuid
ibm-replicationServerIsMaster: true
cn: server9
description: server9 (gateway server from replication site 2 to replication site 1)
```

5. Suspend the server5 to server1 queue:
6. Add the replication agreement from server9 to server1 on server1:

```bash
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w admin_password -h server5 -p port -op controlrepl
-action suspend -rc "ou=test,o=sample"
```

```plaintext
#server9 to server1 agreement
dn: cn=server1,ibm-replicaServerId= server9-uuid ,
  ibm-replicaGroup=default,ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server1
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server1-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server1:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMPolicies
description: supplier agreement from replication site2 to replication site 1
```

7. Add the replication agreement from server1 to server9 on server1:

```bash
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w admin_password -h server1 -p port -op quiesce
-action suspend -rc "ou=test,o=sample"
```

```plaintext
#server1 to server9 agreement
dn: cn=server9,ibm-replicaServerId= server1-uuid ,
  ibm-replicaGroup=default,ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server9
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server9-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server9:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMPolicies
description: supplier agreement from replication site1 to replication site2
```

8. Quiesce server1:

```bash
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w admin_password -h server1 -p port -op quiesce
-action suspend -rc "ou=test,o=sample"
```

9. Flush the server1 to server9 queue:

```bash
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w admin_password -h server1 -p port -op controlqueue
-action flush all -ra "cn=server9,ibm-replicaServerId= server1-uuid",
  ibm-replicaGroup=default,ou=test,o=sample"
```

10. Perform an idsdb2ldif command to create an LDIF file on server1:

```bash
idsdb2ldif -s "ou=test,o=sample" -o filename1.ldif
-I instance_name -k key seed
-t key salt
```

where `filename1.ldif` is the first LDIF file. For more information about file contents, see §345

11. Perform an idsdb2ldif command to create a second LDIF file on server1:

```bash
idsdb2ldif -s "cn=replication,cn=ibmpolicies" -o filename2.ldif
-I instance_name -k key seed
-t key salt
```

where `filename2.ldif` is the second LDIF file. For more information about file contents, see §348

12. Unquiesce server1:

```bash
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w admin_password -h server1 -p port -op quiesce
-action quiesce -end -rc "ou=test,o=sample"
```

13. Resume the server5 to server1 queue on server5:

```bash
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w admin_password -h server5 -p port -op controlrepl
-action resume -rc "ou=test,o=sample"
```

At this point, server5 and server1 are fully functional.


15. Load the `filename1.ldif` onto server9:

```bash
idsldif2db -r no -i filename1.ldif -I instance_name
```
16. Copy the `filename2.ldif` file to server9.

17. Load the `filename2.ldif` onto server9:
   
   ```
   idsldif2db -r no -i filename2.ldif -I instance_name
   ```

18. Start server9:
   
   ```
   idsslapd -I instance_name -a
   ```

   **Note:** If you want the global policy information replicated, remember to ensure that all the servers have been added to the topology under `cn=ibmpolicies`.

The following are partial file contents of both the first and second LDIF files loaded onto server9:

```
filename1.ldif

Note: The items in bold are the entries that were modified or added to create this Gateway topology.

dn: cn=ou=test,o=sample
o: sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: organization
objectclass: ibm-replicationContext

dn: ibm-replicaGroup=default,ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicaGroup
ibm-replicaGroup: default

# Make server1 a gateway server for site 1
dn: ibm-replicaServerId= server1-uuid ,ibm-replicaGroup=default, ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicaSubentry
objectclass: ibm-replicaGateway
ibm-replicaServerId: server1-uuid
ibm-replicationServerIsMaster: true
cn: server1
description: server1 (gateway server from replication site 1 to replication site 2)

# Add server9 as a gateway server for site 2
dn: ibm-replicaServerId= server9-uuid ,ibm-replicaGroup=default, ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicaSubentry
objectclass: ibm-replicaGateway
ibm-replicaServerId: server9-uuid
ibm-replicationServerIsMaster: true
cn: server9
description: server9 (gateway server from replication site 2 to replication site 1)
```

```
filename2.ldif
```

```
server2 (forwarder server number one)

dn: ibm-replicaServerId= server4-uuid ,
    ibm-replicaGroup=default,ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicaSubentry
ibm-replicaServerId: server4-uuid
ibm-replicationServerIsMaster: false
cn: server4
description: server4 (forwarder server number two)

#server1 to server9 agreement
dn: cn=server9,ibm-replicaServerId= server1-uuid ,
    ibm-replicaGroup=default,ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server9
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server9-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server9:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMPolicies
description: supplier agreement from replication site1 to replication site2

#server9 to server1 agreement
dn: cn=server1,ibm-replicaServerId= server9-uuid ,
    ibm-replicaGroup=default,ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server1
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server1-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server1:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMPolicies
description: supplier agreement from replication site2 to replication site 1

#server1 to server5 agreement
dn: cn=server5,ibm-replicaServerId= server1-uuid ,
    ibm-replicaGroup=default,ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server5
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server5-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server5:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMPolicies
description: server1 (gateway-master) to server5 (peer-master) agreement

#server1 to server2 agreement
dn: cn=server2,ibm-replicaServerId= server1-uuid ,
    ibm-replicaGroup=default,ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server2
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server2-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server2:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMPolicies
description: server1 (gateway-master) to server2 (forwarder) agreement

#server1 to server4 agreement
dn: cn=server4,ibm-replicaServerId= server1-uuid ,
    ibm-replicaGroup=default,ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server4
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server4-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server4:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMPolicies
description: server1 (gateway-master) to server4 (forwarder) agreement

#server5 to server1 agreement
dn: cn=server1,ibm-replicaServerId= server5-uuid ,
   ibm-replicaGroup=default,ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server1
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server1-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server1:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMPolicies
description: server5 (peer-master) to server1 (gateway-master) agreement

#server5 to server2 agreement
dn: cn=server2,ibm-replicaServerId= server5-uuid
   ibm-replicaGroup=default,ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server2
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server2-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server2:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMPolicies
description: server5 (peer-master) to server2 (forwarder) agreement

#server5 to server4 agreement
dn: cn=server4,ibm-replicaServerId= server5-uuid
   ibm-replicaGroup=default,ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server4
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server4-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server4:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMPolicies
description: server5 (peer-master) to server4 (forwarder) agreement

#server2 to server3 agreement
dn: cn=server3,ibm-replicaServerId= server2-uuid
   ibm-replicaGroup=default,ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server3
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server3-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server3:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMPolicies
description: server2 (forwarder) to server3 (replica) agreement

#server2 to server6 agreement
dn: cn=server6,ibm-replicaServerId= server2-uuid
   ibm-replicaGroup=default,ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server6
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server6-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server6:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMPolicies
description: server2 (forwarder) to server6 (replica) agreement

#server4 to server7 agreement
dn: cn=server7,ibm-replicaServerId= server4-uuid
   ibm-replicaGroup=default,ou=test,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicationAgreement
cn: server7
ibm-replicaConsumerId: server7-uuid
ibm-replicaUrl: ldap://server7:389
ibm-replicaCredentialsDN: cn=simple,cn=replication,cn=IBMPolicies
Partial Replication

Partial replication is a replication feature that replicates only the specified entries and a subset of attributes for the specified entries within a subtree. The entries and attributes that are to be replicated are specified by the LDAP administrator. Using partial replication, an administrator can enhance the replication bandwidth depending on the deployment requirements. For instance, an administrator may choose the entries of the object class person with cn, sn, and userPassword attributes to be replicated and description attribute not to be replicated.

The attributes that are to be replicated are specified using a replication filter. A replication filter may be associated with a particular replication agreement and will be based on object classes. A set of attributes pertaining to an object class constitutes a replication filter. The list of attributes selected for an object class can either be a part of an inclusion list or an exclusion list. An inclusion list is list of attributes that will be selected for replication while an exclusion list is list of attributes that will not be selected for replication. However, the administrator must ensure that the MUST attributes of an object class should not be excluded. If MUST attributes are excluded for an object class, then the replication of entries containing that object class might fail, which will set the replication state as retrying. This might block the replication for that particular replication agreement. For example, consider the following:

```
dn: cn=replicationfilter1,cn=localhost
objectclass: ibm-replicationfilter
ibm-replicationFilterattr: (objectclass=person) : !(sn)
ibm-replicationFilterattr: (objectclass=*) : (*)
```

In this case, if the filter `ibm-replicationFilterattr: (objectclass=person) : !(sn)` is given, then entries with object class as person will fail to replicate and block the replication because sn is a MUST attribute for the person object class.

The following attributes are always replicated, irrespective of their presence in the exclusion list:
- Object class attributes of an entry
Naming attribute
All operational attributes

For information about known limitations of partial replication, see Chapter 10, “General Information, Known Limitations and General Troubleshooting” in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Troubleshooting Guide.

The partial replication feature can be managed using the web administration tool or from the command line.

**Using Web Administration Tool**

If you have not done so already, expand the **Replication management** category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool and click **Manage filters**. This panel is available only if the server supports the filter-based replication capability.

On this panel you can:
- View subtrees where replication filters are stored
- Add filters
- Edit filters
- Delete filters
- Copy filters
- View filters

**Add filters**

To add a replication filter, you first select a subtree from the Select a subtree box on the Manage filters panel and then click **Add** to display the Add Replication Filter panel.

**Add Replication Filter- General**: This panel contains controls for adding details for a replication filter.

To add a replication filter:
1. In the Filter name box, enter a name for the filter. For example, myfilter1.
2. From the Available object classes box, select the object classes on which you want to create filter.
3. Click **Add** to populate the Selected object classes box with the object classes from the Available object classes box.
4. Select the **Define filter for remaining object classes** check box.
5. To continue with adding a replication filter for filtered attributes, click **Next**.

**Add Replication Filter- Filtered Attributes**: This panel provides the facility to choose the attributes to be replicated for the selected object classes. This panel is invoked on clicking the **Next** button on the Add Replication Filter- General panel.

To specify the attributes to be replicated for an object class:
1. Click the **Select** column of the object class row for which you want to specify attributes to be replicated.
2. Click the **Manage filter attribute** button or select Manage filter attribute from the Select Action list and then click **Go**.

**Manage filter attributes**: The Manage filter attributes panel is used for specifying object class attributes for replication filter.
To specify attributes for replication filter:

1. Clear the Select all attributes as filtered attributes check box.

   **Note:** If you want to specify all the attributes of the selected object class in a replication filter, select the Select all attributes as filtered attributes check box.

2. Select the required attributes in the Available attributes box.

3. Click Add to move the selected attributes from Available attributes to Filtered attributes.

4. To include the attributes in the Filtered attributes box in the replication filter, click Include selected filtered attributes.

5. To exclude the attributes in the Filtered attributes box from the replication filter, click Exclude selected filtered attributes.

6. Click OK.

7. To save the replication filter, click Finish on the Add Replication Filter- Filtered Attributes panel.

**Delete filters**

To delete a replication filter, select a replication filter in the Filters for selected subtree box on the Manage filters panel and then click Delete.

**Edit filters**

To edit a replication filter, select a filter from the Filters for selected subtree box on the Manage filters panel and then click Edit.

**Edit Replication Filter- General:** This panel contains controls for modifying the content of a selected filter.

To edit a replication filter:

1. From the Available object classes box, select the object classes that you want to add to the filter.

2. To edit the existing filter:
   a. Click Add to populate the Selected object classes box with the object classes from the Available object classes box.
   b. Click Remove to remove a selected object class from the Selected object classes box.

3. Select the Define filter for remaining object classes check box.

4. To continue editing the replication filter for filtered attributes, click Next.

**Edit Replication Filter- Filtered Attributes:** This panel provides the facility to choose the attributes to be replicated, when the filter is selected. This panel is invoked on clicking the Next button on the Edit Replication Filter- General panel.

To specify the attributes to be replicated for an object class:

1. Click the Select column of the object class row for which you want to edit the existing attributes list for the selected object class in the replication filter.

2. Click the Manage filter attribute button or select Manage filter attribute from the Select Action list and then click Go to display the Manage filter attributes panel.

3. In the Manage filter attributes panel, specify the attributes that are to be included or excluded in the replication filter definition.
**Copy Filters**

To copy the details of a replication filter to another replication filter, you first select a subtree from the Select a subtree box and then select a filter stored under that subtree from Filters for selected subtree on the Manage filters panel and then click Copy.

**Copy Replication Filter- General:** To copy a replication filter:

1. From the Filter location box, select the subtree under which you want to copy the selected replication filter.
2. In the Filter name box, enter a name for the filter. For example, myfilter2.
3. From the Available object classes box, select the object classes that you want to add to the existing filter.
4. Click Add to populate the Selected object classes box with the object classes from the Available object classes box.
5. Select the Define filter for remaining object classes check box.
6. To continue with copying of the filter for filtered attributes, click Next.

**Copy Replication Filter- Filtered Attributes:** This panel provides the facility to choose the attributes to be replicated for the selected object classes. This panel is invoked on clicking the Next button on the Copy Replication Filter- General panel.

To specify the attributes to be replicated for an object class:

1. Click the Select column of the object class row for which you want to specify attributes to be replicated.
2. Click the Manage filter attribute button or select Manage filter attribute from the Select Action list and then click Go to display the Manage filter attributes panel.
3. In the Manage filter attributes panel, specify the attributes that are to be included or excluded in the replication filter definition.

**Using command line**

Issue the following command to add a replication filter:

```
ldapadd -D cn=root -w root

dn: cn=replicationfilter,cn=localhost
objectclass: ibm-replicationfilter
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=person):(cn,sn,description)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=printer):!(cn,color)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=*): (*)
```

The above example states that for entries of type “person”, the attributes cn, sn, and description will be sent to the replica. The rest of the attributes present in the entry will not be sent. For entries of type “printer”, all attributes except cn and color will be sent. For the remaining entries, all attributes will be sent.

Now, modify the replication agreement to add the DN of the filter entry. To do this, issue the following command:

```
ldapmodify -D cn=root -w root

dn: cn=replica,ibm-replicaServerId=master-uuid,ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
changetype: modify
add: ibm-replicationFilterDN
ibm-replicationFilterDN: cn=replicationfilter,cn=localhost
```
Examples of replication filter

Given below are some examples that explain the usage of replication filter:

Note: IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.2 and later do not support alternate names in replication filter.

Example 1

```plaintext
dn: cn=replicationfilter, cn=localhost
objectclass: ibm-replicationFilter
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=person):(*)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=*): !(*)
```

The first filter attribute in this example specifies that all attributes of entry type “person” will be replicated. The second filter attribute specifies that no other entries except those of type “person” will be replicated. This means that only entries of type “person” will be replicated and no other entries will be replicated.

Example 2

```plaintext
dn: cn=replicationfilter, cn=localhost
objectclass: ibm-replicationFilter
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=person):(cn,sn,userPassword)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=managerOf):(managerOfDept)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=*)(managerOfDept): !(managerOfDept)
```

For this example, consider an entry “cn=Ricardo Garcia,o=sample” of type “person”. A new auxiliary objectclass “managerOf” is attached to the above entry. Therefore the entry “cn=Ricardo Garcia,o=sample” will contain both “person” and “managerOf” object classes.

The first filter attribute specifies that attributes cn, sn, and userpassword of entry type “person” will be replicated. The second filter attribute specifies that attribute managerOfDept of entry type “managerOf” will be replicated. The third filter attribute specifies that attribute managerOfDept will not be replicated for any other entry except those of type “person” or “managerOf”.

Therefore, for an entry type person, the attribute cn, sn, and userPassword will be replicated. For the entry “cn=Ricardo Garcia,o=sample”, containing objectclass person and managerOf, the attributes cn, sn, userPassword, and managerOfDept will be replicated. For any other entry that is not of type “person” or “managerOf”, all attributes except managerOfDept will be replicated.

Example 3

```plaintext
dn: cn=replicationfilter, cn=localhost
objectclass: ibm-replicationFilter
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=person):(cn,sn,userPassword)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass/inetOrgPerson):!(userPassword,employeeNumber)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=*)(employeeNumber): !(*)
```

For this example, consider an entry “cn=Ricardo Garcia,o=sample” of type “person” and another entry “cn=Jane Smith,o=sample” of type “inetOrgperson”. The entry “cn=Jane Smith,o=sample” will contain both “person” and “inetOrgPerson” object classes.

The first filter attribute specifies that attributes cn, sn, and userpassword of entry type “person” will be replicated. The second filter attribute specifies that attributes userPassword and employeeNumber of entry type “inetOrgPerson” will not be
replicated. The third filter attribute specifies that any attribute for any other entry except that of type “person” or “inetOrgPerson” will not be replicated.

Therefore, for the entry “cn=Ricardo Garcia,o=sample”, the attributes cn, sn, and userPassword will be replicated. For the entry “cn=Jane Smith,o=sample”, which matches the first and second replication filters, only attributes cn and sn will be replicated. The attribute userPassword being present in both the inclusion and exclusion list, will be eliminated as exclusion takes precedence over inclusion. For any other entry, that is not of type “person” or “inetOrgPerson” no attributes will be replicated.

### Excluding replication topology information

In the IBM Security Directory Server configuration, replication topology information is present in the DB2 database of every directory server instance participating in replication. In this replication environment, there may be a situation where you may want to export the contents of the DB2 database of a directory server instance to an LDIF file but exclude the replication topology related data. Security Directory Server provides a file named replfilterdn.ldif at the location $IDSLDAP_HOME/examples$. The entries in this file can be used to suppress replication topology information in the resulting ldif file. Given below is an example of the replfilterdn.ldif file

```
dn: cn=replicationfilter,cn=localhost
objectclass: ibm-replicationfilter
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=ibm-replicaGateway):!(*)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=ibm-replicaGroup):!(*)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=ibm-replicaSubentry):!(*)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=ibm-replicationAgreement):!(*)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=ibm-replicationCredentials):!(*)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=ibm-replicationCredentialsExternal):!(*)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=ibm-replicationCredentialsKerberos):!(*)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=ibm-replicationCredentialsSimple):!(*)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=ibm-replicationDailySchedule):!(*)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=ibm-replicationWeeklySchedule):!(*)
ibm-replicationFilterAttr: (objectclass=*): (*)
```

To suppress the replication topology information, you must first create an entry in the directory server instance from which you want to export the data. This entry specifies the filter properties to use during the export. The ibm-replicationFilterAttr values state which entries to exclude and include.

Let us consider an example where you want to exclude all "ibm-replicagroup" entries. These entries are identified by the value "ibm-replicaGroup” present for the objectclass attribute. This exclusion is achieved by the second value of the ibm-replicationFilterAttr as shown above. The last value for the ibm-replicationFilterAttr indicates that all attributes for any other entry, which does not meet the criteria of being a replication topology related entry, must be included.

Create a file, filterdn.ldif, with the entries given above and issue an ldapadd command to add the entry to the directory server instance:

```
idsldapadd -D binddn -w password -f filterdn.ldif
```

To export the DB2 database information from the directory server instance and exclude the replication related data, specify the DN of the newly created filter entry, cn=replicationfilter,cn=localhost using the -n option.

```
idsdb2ldif -I instance_name -o output_file -n "cn=replicationfilter,cn=localhost"
```
The resulting output file will not contain any of the replication topology related entries.

**Recovery procedures**

The following procedures are based on a system topology with two peer master servers (server 1 and server 2) and two replica servers (server 3 and server 4). Server 2 is acting as a fail-over master, meaning that it does not accept updates directly from client machines unless server 1 is taken offline.

**Required recovery information**

After you have created your replication topology, you need to do the following:

1. Make a copy of the configuration file (ibmslapd.conf) and the key stash files (ibmslapddir.ksf and ibmslapdcfg.ksf) of each server and store these files in a secure location. This location needs to be on a backup machine that is not part of the replication topology or on a separate media such as a diskette, CD, or tape. This information needs updating only if you change the topology or change your configuration parameters (any entries under cn=Configuration). If you have made changes to the existing schema or added a new schema you need to make copies of the schema files (V3.* files) as well.

2. Use the *idsdbback* utility to create a nightly backup directory. Tar or zip this directory and store it in a secure location. This location needs to be on a backup machine that is not part of the replication topology or on a separate media such as a CD, or tape. This file contains all the entries in the directory, the server configuration information and the schema files. This backup directory ensures that you can never lose more than 24 hours worth of data. Run this utility against either server 3 or server 4 during off peak hours to get the most current data.

**Attention:** If restoring, you must restore to the same operating system as the operating system on which the failure occurred. If you don't restore to the same operating system, there might be errors.

**Creating the database backup file**

Use either the Configuration Tool or the command line utility to create your backup file.
Before you create the backup file, be sure that you have enough space to copy all the data. The space required is approximately the sum of the size of the following directories:
- dblocation/dbname
- dblocation/ldap32kcont_dbname

By default dblocation is the installation path of the database instance.

The server must be stopped before you can back up the database. To back up the database:

**Using the Configuration Tool:**
1. At a command prompt, type `idsxcfg -I instance_name` to start the Configuration Tool.
2. Click **Backup database** in the task list on the left.
3. In the Backup database window on the right, in the **Backup directory** field, type the directory path in which to back up all directory data and configuration settings. Alternatively, click **Browse** to locate the directory path. Make note of the exact directory path of the back up directory. This location is required for a successful restoration of data.
4. Click **Create backup directory as needed** if you want the directory to be created if it does not exist.
5. Click **Backup**.

**Using the command line:** On the server that you are using as the source server, if it does not already exist, create the backup directory, `backupdir`. Then issue the command:

```
idsdbback -k backupdir -I instance_name
```

Where `backupdir` is the name of the backup directory you are creating. Make note of the exact directory path of the back up directory. This location is required for a successful restoration of data.

After you have created the backup directory, tar or zip the directory and its contents and store it in a secure location. This location needs to be on a backup machine that is not part of the replication topology or on a separate media such as a CD or tape.

**Restoring the database**
Use either the Configuration Tool or the command line utility to restore your database and configuration information.

Copy the most current backup directory file to the server and untar or unzip it.

**Note:** This file must be copied to the exact location where the backup directory was originally created. Otherwise `idsdbrestore` fails.

The server must be stopped before you can restore the database. To restore the database:

**Using the Configuration Tool:**
1. At a command prompt, type `idsxcfg -I instance_name` to start the Configuration Tool.
2. Click **Restore database** in the task list on the left.
3. In the Restore database window on the right, in the **Backup directory** field, type the path in which the directory was previously backed up. Alternatively, click **Browse** to locate the path.

4. Select the **Restore data only (not configuration settings)** check box.

5. Click **Restore**.

**Using the command line:** On the server that you are restoring the data:

1. Issue the command:

   ```bash
   idsdbrestore -k backupdir -I instance_name -n
   ```

   Where `backupdir` is the name of the backup directory you are restoring from.

Your database and configuration information have been restored.

**Recovering from a single-server failure**

Use this procedure to restore a server that has been repaired, for example had the hard drive replaced. For this example, server 3 is the server that is going to be restored. Server 2 is the server that is going to be used to restore server 3.

**Note:** If the server is being replaced by a new machine, ensure that you use the same host name as the previous machine.

**Attention:** The following instructions assume you are recovering to the same operating system as the operating system on which the failure occurred. If you don't recover to the same operating system, there will be errors.


2. Configure a new database on server 3. Use the same instance owner name and database name that was previously used for server 3.

3. Copy the backup configuration file (ibmslapd.conf) and the key stash files (ibmslapddir.ksf and ibmslapdcfg.ksf) for server 3 from the recovery source media on to server 3.

   **Note:** If recovering, you must recover to the same operating system as the operating system on which the failure occurred. If you don't recover to the same operating system, there might be errors.

4. Quiesce server 1.

   ```bash
   idsldapxop -D admin_dn -w admin_pw -op quiesce -rc o=sample
   ```

5. Wait for server 1 to replicate all pending updates to server 2, when `ibm-replicationpendingchangecount` is zero.

   ```bash
   idsldapsearch -D admin_dn -w admin_pw -h server1 -b dn_of_agreement_with_server2 -s base
   objectclass=* ibm-replicationpendingchangecount
   ```

6. On server 1, purge the replication queue for server 3.

   ```bash
   idsldapxop -D admin_dn -w admin_pw -op controlqueue -skip all -ra dn_of_agreement_with_server3
   ```

7. On server 1, clear all errors logged for replication with server 3.

   ```bash
   idsldapxop -D admin_dn -w admin_pw -op controlreplerr -delete all -ra dn_of_agreement_with_server3
   ```

8. On server 1, suspend replication to server 2 and server 3.

   ```bash
   idsldapxop -D admin_dn -w admin_pw -op controlrepl -action suspend -ra dn_of_agreement_with_server2
   idsldapxop -D admin_dn -w admin_pw -op controlrepl -action suspend -ra dn_of_agreement_with_server3
   ```
9. Unquiesce server 1 so that it can accept updates again.
   `idsldapexop -D admin_dn -w admin_pw -op quiesce -end -rc o=sample`
10. Stop server 3.
11. Stop server 2.
12. Use DB2 backup to back up the data on server 2.
13. Start server 2, and resume its replication queue on server 1.
   `idsldapexop -op controlrepl -action resume -ra dn of agreement with server2`
14. Restore the DB2 data on server 3.
15. Start server 3, and resume its replication queue on server 1.
   `idsldapexop -op controlrepl -action resume -ra dn of agreement with server3`

Recovering from a catastrophic failure

Use this procedure, if all the servers in the topology are lost and are being replaced.

1. Ensure that the same host names are used on the new machines that were used on the previous ones.
2. Reinstall IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3 or later on all the new servers.
3. Configure a new database on each of the servers. Use the same instance owner names and database names as before.
4. Ensure that all the servers are stopped.
5. Copy the most current backup directory files to each of the servers.
   
   **Note:** This file must be copied to the exact location where the backup directory was originally created. Otherwise `idsdbrestore` fails.
6. Restore the database on each of the servers using the Configuration Tool or the `idsdbrestore` command. See [“Restoring the database” on page 355](#).
7. Restart all the servers.

Your topology and data are restored to what they were less than 24 hours before the failure.

Multi-threaded replication

The multi-threaded replication function replaces the current single replication thread with a minimum of three threads to service the replication agreement:

- Main thread
- Sender thread
- Receiver thread

You can have anywhere from 1 to 32 consumer connections. Set the number of consumer connections to match the number of processors on your machine.

Using multiple threads enables the supplier to send the updates to the consumer without waiting on the response from the consumer.

Anyone with a replication backlog might consider switching to multi-threaded replication. Candidate environments can include the following:

- A high update rate
- No downlevel servers
• Common AES salt and synchronization if encryption is AES and passwords are updated often
• Small fanout (for example, don't try 8 connections per agreement with 24 replicas)
• Available servers and reliable network
• Data consistency is not critical
• All replication schedules are immediate
• Multiprocessor machines

Multi-threaded replication is difficult to administer if servers or networks are not reliable.

When errors occur, the errors are logged and can be replayed by the administrator, but the error logs must be monitored closely. The following is a search to show the replication backlog for all agreements supplied by one server:

```
idsldapsearch -h supplier-host -D cn=admin -w ? -s sub
objectclass=ibm-replicationagreement
ibm-replicationpendingchangecount ibm-replicationstate
```

If the replication state is active, and the pending count is growing, there is a backlog that won’t decrease unless the update rate decreases.

**Replication error table**

The replication error table logs failing updates for later recovery. When replication starts, the number of failures logged for each replication agreement is counted. This count is incremented if an update results in a failure, and a new entry is added into the table.

Each entry in the replication error table contains the following:

• The replication agreement ID.
• The replication change ID.
• The timestamp for when the update was attempted.
• The number of attempts made (this values is 1 by default, and increments for each attempt made).
• The result code from the consumer.
• All of the information from the replication operation pertaining to the update, for example, the DN, the actual data, controls, flags, and so forth.

If the value specified by the attribute `ibm-slapdReplMaxErrors` in the server configuration is 0, replication continues processing updates. The attribute `ibm-slapdReplMaxErrors` is an attribute in the replication configuration entry and it can be changed dynamically.

If the value specified by the attribute `ibm-slapdReplMaxErrors` is greater than 0, then when the error count for a replication agreement exceeds this value, replication does one of the following:

**Single threaded**

Replication goes into a loop trying to replicate the failing update.

**Multi-threaded**

Replication is suspended.
If the server is configured to use a single connection, replication attempts to send the same update after waiting for 60 seconds and keeps trying until replication succeeds or the administrator skips the update.

For a server configured to use multiple connections, replication is suspended for this agreement. The receiver threads continue polling for status from any updates that have been sent, but no more updates are replicated. To resume replication, the directory administrator must clear at least one error for this agreement or increase the limit with a dynamic modification of the server configuration.

For more information, see "Replication error log extended operation" in IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Programming Reference.

Web Administration tasks for managing replication

Use the Web Administration Tool to perform the following tasks.

Replicating subtrees

Adding a subtree

Note: The server must be running to perform this task.

Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area and click Manage topology.

- Click Add subtree.
- Enter the DN of the subtree that you want to replicate or click Browse to expand the entries to select the entry that is to be the root of the subtree.
- Enter the master server referral URL in the form of an LDAP URL, for example:
  - For non-SSL: `ldap://myservername.mylocation.mycompany.com:port`
  - For SSL: `ldaps://myservername.mylocation.mycompany.com:port`

The default URL is ldap://localhost:389

Note: The master server referral URL is optional. It is used only:
- If the server contains (or will contain) any read-only subtrees.
- To define a referral URL that is returned for updates to any read-only subtree on the server.

- Click OK.
- The new server is displayed on the Manage topology panel under the heading Replicated subtrees.

Editing a subtree

Use this option to change the URL of the master server that this subtree and its replicas send updates to. You need do this if you change the port number or host name of the master server, change the master to a different server.
1. Select the subtree you want to edit.
2. Expand the Select Action menu, select Edit subtree and click Go.
3. Enter the master server referral URL. This must be in the form of an LDAP URL, for example:
   ldap://mynewservername.mylocation.mycompany.com:port

Depending on the role being played by the server on this subtree (whether it is a master, replica or forwarding), different labels and buttons appear on the panel.

- When the subtree's role is replica, a label indicating that the server acts as a replica or forwarder is displayed along with the button Make server a master. If this button is clicked then the server which the Web Administration Tool is connected to becomes a master.
- When the subtree is configured for replication only by adding the auxiliary class (no default group and subentry present), then the label This subtree is not replicated is displayed along with the button Replicate subtree. If this button is clicked, the default group and the subentry is added so that the server with which the Web Administration Tool is connected to becomes a master.
- If no subentries for the master servers are found, the label No master server is defined for this subtree is displayed along with the button titled Make server a master. If this button is clicked, the missing subentry is added so that the server with which the Web Administration Tool is connected to becomes a master.

Removing a subtree
1. Select the subtree you want to remove
2. Expand the Select Action menu, select Delete subtree and click Go.
3. When asked to confirm the deletion, click OK.

The subtree is removed from the Replicated subtree list.

Note: This operation succeeds only if the ibm-replicaGroup=default is entry is empty.

Quiescing the subtree
This function is useful when you want to perform maintenance on or make changes to the topology. It minimizes or stops completely the number of updates that can be made to the server. A quiesced server does not accept client requests. It accepts requests only from an administrator using the Server Administration control.

This function is Boolean.
1. Click Quiesce/Unquiesce to quiesce the subtree.
2. When asked to confirm the action, click OK.
3. Click Quiesce/Unquiesce to unquiesce the subtree.
4. When asked to confirm the action, click OK.

Editing access control lists for the subtree
Replication information (replica subentries, replication agreements, schedules, possibly credentials) are stored under a special object, ibm-replicagroup=default. The ibm-replicagroup object is located immediately beneath the root entry of the replicated subtree. By default, this subtree inherits ACL from the root entry of the replicated subtree. This ACL might not be appropriate for controlling access to replication information.
Required authorities:

- Control replication - You must have write access to the ibm-replicagroup=default object (or be the owner/administrator).
- Cascading control replication - You must have write access to the ibm-replicagroup=default object (or be the owner/administrator).
- Control queue - You must have write access to the replication agreement.

To view ACL properties using the Web Administration Tool utility and to work with ACLs:

1. Select the subtree you want to edit the ACLs on.
2. Expand the Select Action menu, select Edit ACLs and click Go.

See “Working with ACLs” on page 502 for information on how to edit ACLs and see Chapter 19, “Access control lists,” on page 491 for additional information about ACLs.

Working with credentials

You can use the Web Administration Tool to perform the following tasks:

Adding credentials

Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool and click Manage credentials.

1. Select the location that you want to use to store the credentials from the list of subtrees. The Web Administration Tool allows you to define credentials in three locations:

   - **cn=replication,cn=localhost**, which keeps the credentials only on the current server.
   
   **Note:** In most replication cases, locating credentials in cn=replication,cn=localhost is preferred because it provides greater security than replicated credentials located on the subtree. However, there are certain situations in which credentials located on cn=replication,cn=localhost are not available.

   If you are trying to add a replica under a server, for example serverA and you are connected to a different server with the Web Administration Tool, serverB, the Select credentials field does not display the option **cn=replication,cn=localhost**. This is because you cannot read the information or update any information under **cn=localhost** of the serverA when you are connected to serverB.

   The cn=replication,cn=localhost is only available when the server under which you are trying to add a replica is the same server that you are connected to with the Web Administration Tool.

   - **cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies**, which is available even when the server under which you are trying to add a replica is not the same server that you are connected to with the Web Administration Tool. Credentials placed under this location are replicate to the servers.

   **Note:** The location cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies is only available, if the IBMpolicies support OID, 1.3.18.0.2.32.18, is present under the ibm-supportedcapabilites of the root DSE.
Within the replicated subtree, in which case the credentials are replicated with the rest of the subtree. Credentials placed in the replicated subtree are created beneath the `ibm-replicagroup=default` entry for that subtree.

**Note:** If no subtrees are displayed, go to "Adding a subtree" on page 359 for instructions about creating the subtree that you want to replicate.

2. Click **Add**.
3. Enter the name for the credentials you are creating, for example, **mycreds**, `cn=` is prefilled in the field for you.
4. Select the type of authentication method you want to use and click **Next**.
   - If you selected simple bind authentication:
     a. Enter the DN that the server uses to bind to the replica, for example, `cn=any`
     b. Enter the password uses when it binds to the replica, for example, `secret`.
     c. Enter the password again to confirm that there are no typographical errors.
     d. If you want, enter a brief description of the credentials.
     e. Click **Finish**.

**Note:** You might want to record the credential's bind DN and password for future reference. You will need this password when you create the replica agreement.

- If you selected Kerberos authentication:
  a. Enter your Kerberos bind DN.
  b. Enter a keyfile (the fully-qualified file specification of the key database file). Leave this field blank to use the server's LDAP service name.

**Note:** The server's LDAP service principal name is `service/host-name@realm`. This comes from standard Kerberos conventions. The `service` is always `ldap`. For example, for host `myserver.mytown.mycompany.com` in Kerberos realm "MYTOWN.MYCOMPANY.COM", the server's principal name is:

```plaintext
ldap/myserver.mytown.mycompany.com@MYTOWN.MYCOMPANY.COM
```

The server gets the host name from the system TCP/IP configuration; the realm name comes from the realm name configured on the **Kerberos** tab on the **Security properties** panel.

c. If you want, enter a brief description of the credentials. No other information is necessary. See "Setting Kerberos" on page 229 for additional information.

d. Click **Finish**.

The Kerberos panel takes an optional bind DN of the form `ibm-kn=xxx@realm` and an optional key tab file name (referred to as keyfile on the Web Administration Tool). If a bind DN is specified, the server uses the specified principal name to authenticate to the consumer server. Otherwise, the server's Kerberos service name (`ldap/host-name@realm`) is used. If a key tab file is used, the server uses the key tab file to obtain the credentials for the specified principal name. If no key tab file is specified, the server uses the key tab file specified in the server's Kerberos configuration. By default, the supplier uses its own service principal to bind with the consumer. For example, if the supplier is named `master.our.org.com` and the
realm is SOME.REALM, the DN is ibm-Kn=ldap/
master.our.org.com@SOME.REALM. The realm value is case insensitive.

Note: If more than one supplier uses Kerberos authentication to replicate to
the same consumer, you must configure all suppliers to use the same
Kerberos principal rather than letting them default to using their
Kerberos service name.

• If you selected SSL with certificate authentication you do not need to provide
any additional information, if you are using the server's certificate. If you
choose to use a certificate other than the server's:
  a. Enter the key file name.
  b. Enter the key file password.
  c. Reenter the key file password to confirm it.
  d. Enter the key label.
  e. If you want, enter a brief description.
  f. Select the Enable PKCS#11 interface support check box to enable
     PKCS#11 support of crypto hardware.
  g. Click Finish.

See “Secure Sockets Layer” on page 141 for additional information.

Note: If an external credential object is selected while you are adding credentials
on consumers during an Add master operation using the Web
Administration Tool, then the following settings need to be configured on
the machine where the Web server is running:

• In the JAVA_HOME\jre\lib\security\java.security file, check if the
  following two entries to register JCE provider and CMS provider are
  present. If the entries do not exist, add this entry in the java.security file
  by entering the following:

    security.provider.X=com.ibm.crypto.provider.IBMJCE
    security.provider.X+1=com.ibm.security.cmskeystore.CMSProvider

  where, X is the next number in the order.

• GSKit must be installed and install_location\gsk8\lib or
  install_location\gsk8\lib64 depending on the platform must be in the
  system path.

• For the Web Administration Tool to read the keyfile containing credentials
  information that the master server uses to connect to the replica, and
  create credentials on replica, the keyfile must be present in C:\temp for
  Windows platforms, and in /tmp for UNIX.

Modifying credentials
Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area of the Web
Administration Tool and click Manage credentials.

1. Select a subtree and click Show credentials.

2. In the credentials box for the selected subtree, select the credentials you want to
modify and click Edit.

   • If the credential is simple authentication. In the Edit credential panel you can
     modify:
     – The Bind DN
     – The Password
     – The Description of the credential
If the credential is kerberos authentication. In the Edit credential panel you can modify:
- The **Bind DN**
- The **Key file**
- The **Description** of the credential

If the credential is SSL with certificate authentication.

a. In the Edit credential panel you can modify:
   - The **Key file**
   - The **Password**
   - The **Key label**
   - The **Description** of the credential
b. Select the **Enable PKCS#11 interface support** check box to enable PKCS#11 support of crypto hardware.

3. When you are finished, click **OK**.

### Removing credentials
Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool and click **Manage credentials**.
1. Select a subtree and click **Show credentials**.
2. In the credentials box for the selected subtree, select the credentials you want to remove and click **Delete**.
3. A message confirming that you want to delete the credential object is displayed. Click **OK** to remove the credential or click **Cancel** to return to the **Manage credentials** panel without saving any changes.

### Managing credential ACLs
Use this information if you want to enable others to work with credentials. You need to assign ACLs to enable this function.

Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool and click **Manage credentials**.
1. Select a subtree and click **Show credentials**.
2. In the credentials box for the selected subtree, select the credentials you want to modify the ACLs for and click **Edit ACL**.
3. See "Working with ACLs" on page 502 for information on editing ACLs.

### Managing topologies
Topologies are specific to the replicated subtrees.

#### Viewing the topology

**Note:** The server must be running to perform this task.

Expand the **Replication management** category in the navigation area and click **Manage topology**.
1. Select the subtree that you want to view and click **Show topology**.

The topology is displayed in the Replication topology list. Expand the topologies. From this list you can:
- Add a master
- Add a replica
• Manage gateway servers
• Edit an agreement
• View the replication schedule
• View replication errors
• Move a server to a different role in the topology
• Delete a server.

Adding a peer-master or gateway server

Note: The server must be running to perform this task.

Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area and click Manage topology.
1. Select the subtree that you want to replicate and click Show topology.
2. Click the box next to the Replication Topology to expand the list of supplier servers, if you want to view the existing topology.
3. Click Add master.

On the Server tab of the Add master window:
• Select Server is a gateway to make this server a Gateway server or select Supplier gateway and then select a server from the drop-down list to add the server as a master server.
• From the Server hostname:port drop-down list, select an LDAP server for the master server.
  If you want to provide another server as master server, which is not registered on the console server, select Use entry from below item from the Server hostname:port drop-down list and then enter the host name and port number for the master server in the field in the hostname:port format.
  
  Note: The default port is 389 for non-SSL and 636 for SSL.
  • Select the Enable SSL encryption check box to enable SSL communications.
  • Enter the server name or leave this field blank to use the host name.
  • Enter the server ID. If the server on which you are creating the peer-master is running, click Get server ID to automatically prefill this field.
  • Enter a description of the server.
  • You must specify the credentials that the server uses to communicate with the other master server. Click Select.

Note: The Web Administration Tool allows you to define credentials in the following places:
  – cn=replication,cn=localhost, which keeps the credentials only on the server that uses them. Placing credentials in cn=replication,cn=localhost is considered more secure.
  – cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies, which is available even when the server under which you are trying to add a replica is not the same server that you are connected to with the Web Administration Tool. Credentials placed under this location are replicate to the servers.

Note: The location cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies is only available, if the IBMpolicies support OID, 1.3.18.0.2.32.18, is present under the ibm-supportedcapabilities of the root DSE.
– Within the replicated subtree, in which case the credentials are replicated with the rest of the subtree. Credentials placed in the replicated subtree are created beneath the `ibm-replicagroup=default` entry for that subtree.

1. Select the location for the credentials you want to use. Preferably this is `cn=replication,cn=localhost`.
2. If you have already created a set of credentials, click **Show credentials**.
3. Expand the list of credentials and select the one you want to use.
4. Click **OK**.
5. If you do not have preexisting credentials, click **Add** to create the credentials. See "Adding credentials" on page 361 for additional information on agreement credentials.

On the **Additional** tab:

1. Specify a replication schedule from the drop-down list or click **Add** to create one. See "Creating replication schedules" on page 376.
2. From the list of supplier capabilities, you can deselect any capabilities that you do not want replicated to the consumer.
   
   If your network has a mix of servers at different releases, capabilities are available on later releases that are not available on earlier releases. Some capabilities, like filter ACLs ("Filtered ACLs" on page 492) and password policy ("Setting password policy" on page 212), make use of operational attributes that are replicated with other changes. In most cases, if these features are used, you want all servers to support them. If all of the servers do not support the capability, you do not want to use it. For example, you would not want different ACLs in effect on each server. However, there might be cases where you might want to use a capability on the servers that support it, and not have changes related to the capability replicated to servers that do not support the capability. In such cases, you can use the capabilities list to mark certain capabilities to not be replicated.
3. Check the **Add credential information on consumer** check box, if you want to enable dynamic updates of the supplier credentials. This selection automatically updates the supplier information in the configuration file of the server you are creating. This enables the topology information to be replicated to the server.
   
   • Type the Administration DN for this, the consumer, server. For example `cn=root`.

   **Note:** If the administrator DN which was created during the server configuration process was `cn=root`, then enter the full administrator DN. Do not just use `root`.

   • Type the Administration password for this, the consumer, server. For example `secret`.
4. Click **OK**.
5. Supplier and consumer agreements are listed between new master server and any existing servers. Uncheck any agreements that you do not want to be created. This is especially important if you are creating a gateway server.
6. Click **Continue**.
7. Messages might be displayed noting that additional actions must be taken. Perform or take note of the appropriate actions. When you are finished, click **OK**.
8. Add the appropriate credentials.
Note: In some cases the Select credentials panel will pop up asking for a credential that is located in a place other than
\texttt{cn=replication,cn=localhost}. In such situations you must provide a credential object that is located in a place other than
\texttt{cn=replication,cn=localhost}. Select the credentials the subtree is going to use from the existing sets of credentials or create new credentials. See “Adding credentials” on page 361.

9. Check the \textbf{Add credential information on consumer} check box, if you want to enable dynamic updates of the supplier credentials. This selection automatically updates the supplier information in the configuration file of the server you are creating. This enables the topology information to be replicated to the server.
   \begin{itemize}
   \item Type the Administration DN for this, the consumer, server. For example \texttt{cn=root}.
   \item Type the Administration password for this, the consumer, server. For example \texttt{secret}.
   \end{itemize}

10. Click \textbf{OK} to create the peer-master.

11. Messages might be displayed noting that additional actions must be taken. Perform or take note of the appropriate actions. When you are finished, click \textbf{OK}. See “Starting replication” on page 305.

Note: If an external credential object is selected while you are adding credentials on consumers during an Add master operation using the Web Administration Tool, then the following settings need to be configured on the machine where the IBM WebSphere Application Server is running:
   \begin{itemize}
   \item In the \texttt{JAVA\_HOME/jre/lib/security/java.security} file, check if the following two entries to register JCE provider and CMS provider are present. If the entries do not exist, add this entry in the java.security file by entering the following:
     \begin{verbatim}
     security.provider.X=com.ibm.crypto.provider.IBMJCE
     security.provider.X+1=com.ibm.security.cmskeystore.CMSProvider
     \end{verbatim}
     where, \texttt{X} is the next number in the order.
   \item Restart IBM WebSphere Application Server.
   \item GSKit must be installed and \texttt{gsk8/lib} or \texttt{gsk8/lib64} depending on the platform must be in the system path.
   \item For the Web Administration Tool to read the keyfile containing credentials information that the master server uses to connect to the replica, and create credentials on replica, the keyfile must be present in \texttt{C:temp} for Windows platforms, and in \texttt{/tmp} for UNIX.
   \end{itemize}

Adding a replica server

Note: The server must be running to perform this task.

Expand the \textbf{Replication management} category in the navigation area and click \textbf{Manage topology}.

1. Select the subtree that you want to replicate and click \textbf{Show topology}.
2. Click the box next to the existing servers to expand the list of supplier servers.
3. Select the supplier server and click **Add replica**.

On the **Server** tab of the **Add replica** window:

- From the **Server hostname:port** drop-down list, select an LDAP server for the replica server.
  
  If you want to provide another server as replica server, which is not registered on the console server, select *Use entry from below item* from the **Server hostname:port** drop-down list and then enter the host name and port number for the replica server in the field in the hostname:port format. The default port is 389 for non-SSL and 636 for SSL.

- Select whether to enable SSL communications.
- Enter the replica name or leave this field blank to use the host name.
- Enter the replica ID. If the server on which you are creating the replica is running, click **Get replica ID** to automatically prefill this field.
- Enter a description of the replica server.
- You must specify the credentials that the replica uses to communicate with the master. Click **Select**.

**Note:** The Web Administration Tool allows you to define credentials in the following places:

- **cn=replication,cn=localhost**, which keeps the credentials only on the server that uses them. Placing credentials in **cn=replication,cn=localhost** is considered more secure.

- **cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies**, which is available even when the server under which you are trying to add a replica is not the same server that you are connected to with the Web Administration Tool. Credentials placed under this location are replicate to the servers.

  **Note:** The location **cn=replication,cn=IBMpolicies** is only available, if the IBMpolicies support OID, 1.3.18.0.2.32.18, is present under the ibm-supportedcapabilities of the root DSE.

- Within the replicated subtree, in which case the credentials are replicated with the rest of the subtree. Credentials placed in the replicated subtree are created beneath the **ibm-replicagroup=default** entry for that subtree.

1. Select the location for the credentials you want to use. Preferably this is **cn=replication,cn=localhost**.
2. If you have already created a set of credentials, click **Show credentials**.
3. Expand the list of credentials and select the one you want to use.
4. Click **OK**.
5. If you do not have preexisting credentials, click **Add** to create the credentials. See **“Adding credentials” on page 361** for additional information on agreement credentials.

On the **Additional** tab:

1. Specify a **replication schedule from the drop-down list** or click **Add** to create one. See **“Creating replication schedules” on page 376**
2. From the list of supplier capabilities, you can deselect any capabilities that you do not want replicated to the consumer.
   
   If your network has a mix of servers at different releases, capabilities are available on later releases that are not available on earlier releases. Some
capabilities, like filter ACLs ("Filtered ACLs" on page 492) and password policy ("Setting password policy" on page 212), make use of operational attributes that are replicated with other changes. In most cases, if these features are used, you want all servers to support them. If all of the servers do not support the capability, you do not want to use it. For example, you would not want different ACLs in effect on each server. However, there might be cases where you might want to use a capability on the servers that support it, and not have changes related to the capability replicated to servers that do not support the capability. In such cases, you can use the capabilities list to mark certain capabilities to not be replicated.

3. Select the either Single threaded or Multi-threaded for the method of replication. If you specify Multi-threaded, you must also specify the number (between 2 and 32) of connections to use for replication. The default number of connections is 2.

4. Check the Add credential information on consumer check box, if you want to enable dynamic updates of the supplier credentials. This selection automatically updates the supplier information in the configuration file of the server you are creating. This enables the topology information to be replicated to the server.
   - Type the Administration DN for this, the consumer, server. For example cn=root.

   Note: If the administrator DN which was created during the server configuration process was cn=root, then enter the full administrator DN. Do not just use root.
   - Type the Administration password for this, the consumer, server. For example secret.

5. Click OK to create the replica.
6. A message is displayed noting that additional actions must be taken. Click OK.

Notes:
1. If you are adding more servers as additional replicas or are creating a complex topology, do not proceed with "Copying data to the replica" on page 303 or "Adding the supplier information to a replica" on page 374 until you have finished defining the topology on the master server. If you create the masterfile.ldif after you have completed the topology, it contains the directory entries of the master server and a complete copy of the topology agreements. When you load this file on each of the servers, each server then has the same information.

2. If an external credential object is selected while you are adding credentials on consumers during an Add replica operation using the Web Administration Tool, see [367]

Removing a server
Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area and click Manage topology.
1. Select the subtree that you want and click Show topology.
2. Select the server that you want to remove from the topology.
3. Click Delete.
4. When asked to confirm the deletion, click OK.

Note: When removing a replica from your topology, remember to delete the supplier credential entry from the consumer if no master server will be using this credential entry again. A master server should not have any agreements under it. See "Removing credentials" on page 364.
Moving or promoting a server

Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area and click Manage topology.

1. Select the subtree that you want and click **Show topology**.
2. Select the server that you want and click **Move**.
3. Select the server that you want to move the replica to, or select Replication topology to promote the replica to a master. Click **Move**.
4. The Create additional supplier agreements is displayed. Deselect the supplier agreements that are not appropriate for the role of the server. You are prompted to select the credentials and consumer information for each new supplier credential being created. Existing supplier agreements from the other servers to the newly promoted server are still in effect and do not need to be recreated.

   **Note:** In some cases the Select credentials panel will pop up asking for a credential which is located in a place other than cn=replication,cn=localhost. In such situations you must provide a credential object which is located in a place other than cn=replication,cn=localhost. Select the credentials the subtree is going to use from the existing sets of credentials or create new credentials. The credential entry should exist or be created on the other masters. See “Adding credentials” on page 361.

5. Click **OK**.

The change in the topology tree reflects the moving of the server.

See “Setting up a complex topology with peer replication” on page 329 for more information.

Demoting a master

To change the role of a server from a master to a replica, expand the Replication management category in the navigation area and click Manage topology.

1. Connect the Web Administration Tool to the server that you want to demote.
2. Click **Manage topology**.
3. Select the subtree and click **Show topology**.
4. Select the server you are demoting and click **Move**.
5. Select the server under which you are going to place the demoted server and click **Move**.
6. Delete all the agreements for the server you want to demote. Click **Yes**.

Promoting replica server to master when master server is down

To promote a replica server to a master server when the master server is down, follow the steps given below:

**Using Web Administration:** First, using the web administration tool, login to the replica server that you want to change to a master.

1. Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool and click **Manage topology**.
2. To edit the role of an existing replica, select the required row and select **Edit subtree** from the Select Action list and then click **Go**.
3. Click the **Make server a master** button to change the role of the server to a master.
4. Click **OK** to save your settings.
Using the command line: To promote a replica server to a master you must first create an ldif record as shown below. In the ldif record, you must ensure that the value of the attribute `ibm-replicaServerId` is the same as the server-id of the replica or consumer server. This value can be obtained from the `ibmslapd.conf` file of the replica or by issuing a rootDSE search against the replica. Then, issue an `ldapadd` command as shown below to add this to the replica/consumer.

```
ldapadd -h ldaphost -p port -D cn=root -w root -f promote.ldif -k
```

where `promote.ldif` file contains:

dn: cn= any_name ,ibm-replicaGroup=default,o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicaSubentry
ibm-replicaServerId: server_id_replica_or_consumer_server
ibm-replicationServerIsMaster: true
cn: master
description: master server

After promoting a replica to master if you want to demote it again, you must remove the previously added entry.

Managing gateway servers

You can designate whether a master server is to have the role of a gateway server in the replication site.

To designate a master to be a gateway server, expand the **Replication management** category in the navigation area and click **Manage topology**.

1. Select the subtree that you want to view and click **Show topology**.
2. Click **Manage gateway servers**.
3. Select the server from the **Master servers** box that you want to make a gateway server.
4. Click **Make gateway**. The server is moved from the **Master servers** box to the **Gateway servers** box.
5. Click **OK**.

To remove the role of a gateway server from a master server.

1. Click **Manage gateway servers**.
2. Select the server from the **Gateway servers** box that you want to make a master server.
3. Click **Make master**. The server is moved from the **Gateway servers** box to the **Master servers** box.
4. Click **OK**.

**Note:** Remember that there can be only one gateway server per replication site. When you create additional gateway servers in your topology, the Web Administration Tool treats the gateway as a peer server and creates agreements to all the servers in the topology. Ensure that you deselect any agreements that are not with the other gateway servers or not within the gateways own replication site.

See “**Setting up a gateway topology**” on page 338 for more information.

Editing an agreement

You can change the following information for the replica:

On the **Server** tab you can only change
• Hostname and port

  **Note:** The port is editable only for switching from non-SSL-enabled to
  SSL-enabled, and back.

• Enable SSL
• Description
• Credentials - see “Adding credentials” on page 361.

On the Additional tab you can change:
• Replication schedules - see “Creating replication schedules” on page 376.
• Change the capabilities replicated to the consumer replica. From the list of
  supplier capabilities, you can deselect any capabilities that you do not want
  replicated to the consumer.
• Replication method.
• Consumer information.
• When you are finished, click OK.

**Viewing the replication schedule**
Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area of the Web
Administration Tool and click Manage topology
1. Select the subtree that you want to view and click Show topology.
2. Select the master or gateway server that you want to view.
3. Click View schedule.

If a replication schedule exists between the selected server and its consumers, they
are displayed. You can modify or delete these schedules. If no schedules exist and
you want to create one, you must use the Manage schedules function from the
Web Administration Tool navigation area. See “Creating replication schedules” on
page 376 for information about managing schedules.

**Viewing server information**
Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area of the Web
Administration Tool and click Manage topology
1. Select the subtree that you want to view and click Show topology.
2. Select the server that you want to view.
3. Click View server to display the view server panel.

The View Server panel displays the following information:

**Server name**
This field displays the name of the server on which the directory server
instance is running. This information is displayed in the hostname:port
format.

**Host Name**
This field displays the host name of the machine on which the directory
server instance is running.

**Port**
This field displays the nonsecure port on which the server is listening.

**Server ID**
This field displays the unique ID assigned to the server at the first startup
of the server. This ID is used in replication topology to determine a
server’s role.
Role  This field displays the configured role of the server in a replication topology.

Configuration mode  This field identifies whether the server is running in configuration mode. If TRUE, the server is in configuration mode. If FALSE, the server is not in configuration mode.

Instance name  This field displays the name of the directory server instance running on the server.

Security  This field displays the secure SSL port the server is listening on.

The server name, ID and role and consumer information are displayed.

Viewing server errors
You can view replication updates that were not completed because of errors that occurred during replication.

Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool and click Manage topology.
1. Select the subtree that you want to view and click Show topology.
2. Select the server (replica agreement) that you want to view.
3. Click View errors.

The subtree, supplier and consumer information is displayed. Replication errors are displayed in a table that supplies the following information:

Change ID  The ID assigned to the failed update.

Last update time Indicates the time when the last attempt to replicate the entry was made.

Number of attempts Indicates the number of attempts made to replicate the entry.

Result code Result code obtained by the last attempt to replicate the entry.

Note: The order this information is displayed in is defined by failure ID. Failure IDs are assigned as they happen. The failure ID is not the same as the change ID. The change ID remains constant, but the failure ID is changed on every failed attempt.

You can select an error and perform the following actions:
• Click Show details to view more information about the error.
• Click Retry to attempt the update again.
• Click Remove to remove the error from the Replication error management table.

You can also
• Click Retry all to attempt all the update again.
• Click Remove all to remove all the errors from the Replication error management table.

See “Managing queues” on page 378 for additional information.
Adding the supplier information to a replica

If you did not select to add the credential information to the consumer or if a problem occurred in adding the credential information to the replica, you need to change the replica’s configuration to identify who is authorized to replicate changes to it, and add a referral to a master.

On the machine where you are creating the replica:

1. Expand Replication management in the navigation area and click Manage replication properties.
2. Click Add.
3. Select a supplier from the Replicated subtree drop-down menu or enter the name of the replicated subtree for which you want to configure supplier credentials. If you are editing supplier credentials, this field is not editable.
4. Enter the replication bindDN. In this example, cn=any.

Note: You can use either of these two options, depending on your situation.

- Simple Bind - Specify the DN and password
- Kerberos - If the credentials on the supplier do not identify the principal and password, that is, the server’s own service principal is to be used, then the bind DN is ibm-kn=ldap/yourservername@yourrealm. If the credentials has a principal name such as myprincipal@myrealm, use that as the DN. In either case a password in not needed.
- SSL w/ EXTERNAL bind - Specify the subject DN for the certificate and no password

5. Depending on the type of credential, enter and confirm the credential password. (You previously recorded this for future use.)

- Simple Bind
- Kerberos
- SSL w/ EXTERNAL bind

6. Click OK.
7. You must restart the replica for the changes to take effect.

See “Adding credentials” on page 361.

The replica is in a suspended state and no replication is occurring. After you have finished setting up your replication topology, you must click Manage queues, select the replica and click Suspend/resume to start replication. See “Managing queues” on page 378 for more detailed information. The replica now receives updates from the master.

Modifying replication properties

Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area and click Manage replication properties.

On this panel you can:
• Change the maximum number of pending changes to return from replication status queries. The default is 200.

• Set the maximum number of replication errors that a server allows while replicating updates. To do this, click Error and enter a numeric value in the field. Otherwise, to set the maximum number of replication errors a server allows while replicating updates to a consumer as unlimited, click Unlimited.

Note: Logging is enabled if a value greater than zero is specified.

• Change the size in bytes of the replication context cache. The default is 100,000 bytes.

• Set the replication conflict maximum entry size in bytes. If the total size of an entry in bytes exceeds the value in this field, the entry is not sent again by the supplier to resolve a replication conflict on the consumer. The default is 0 for unlimited.

• Select a value from the Restrict access to replication topology combo box to specify whether the access to replication topology is restricted or not.

• Add, edit, or delete supplier information.

Adding supplier information
1. Click Add.
2. Select a supplier from the drop-down menu or enter the name of the replicated subtree that you want to add as a supplier.
3. Enter the replication bind DN for the credentials.

Note: You can use either of these two options, depending on your situation.

• Set the replication bind DN (and password) and a default referral for all subtrees replicated to a server using the ‘default credentials and referral’. This might be used when all subtrees are replicated from the same supplier.

• Set the replication bind DN and password independently for each replicated subtree by adding supplier information for each subtree. This might be used when each subtree has a different supplier (that is, a different master server for each subtree).

4. Depending on the type of credential, enter and confirm the credential password. (You previously recorded this for future use.)

• Simple Bind - specify the DN and password

• Kerberos - specify a pseudo DN of the form 'ibm-kg=LDAP-service-name@realm' without a password

• SSL w/ EXTERNAL bind - specify the subject DN for the certificate and no password

See “Adding credentials” on page 361.

5. Click OK.

The subtree of the supplier is added to the Supplier information list.

Editing supplier information
1. Select the supplier subtree that you want to edit.
2. Click Edit.
3. If you are editing Default credentials and referral, which is used to create the cn=Master Server entry under cn=configuration, enter the URL of the server
from which the client wants to receive replica updates in the Default supplier's LDAP URL field. This needs to be a valid LDAP URL (ldap://). Otherwise, skip to step 4.

4. To specify whether the server supports replication conflict resolution, select a value from the **Replication conflict resolution** combo box.

5. Enter the replication bind DN for the new credentials you want to use.

   **Note:** Set the replication bind DN and password independently for each replicated subtree by adding supplier information for each subtree. This might be used when each subtree has a different supplier (that is, a different master server for each subtree).

6. Enter and confirm the credential password.

7. Click **OK**.

**Removing supplier information**

1. Select the supplier subtree that you want to remove.
2. Click **Delete**.
3. When asked to confirm the deletion, click **OK**.

The subtree is removed from the Supplier information list.

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**Creating replication schedules**

You can optionally define replication schedules to schedule replication for particular times, or to not replicate during certain times. If you do not use a schedule, the server schedules replication whenever a change is made. This is equivalent to specifying a schedule with immediate replication starting at 12:00 AM on all days.

Expand the **Replication management** category in the navigation area and click **Manage schedules**.

On the **Weekly schedule** tab, select the subtree for which you want to create the schedule and click **Show schedules**. If any schedules exist, they are displayed in the **Weekly schedules** box. To create or add a new schedule:

1. Click **Add**.
2. Enter a name for the schedule. For example **schedule1**.
3. For each day, Sunday through Saturday, the daily schedule is specified as **None**. This means that no replication update events are scheduled. The last replication event, if any, is still in effect. Because this is a new replica, there are no prior replication events, therefore, the schedule defaults to immediate replication.
4. You can select a day and click **Add a daily schedule** to create a daily replication schedule for it. If you create a daily schedule it becomes the default schedule for each day of the week. You can:
   - Keep the daily schedule as the default for each day or select a specific day and change the schedule back to none. Remember that the last replication event that occurred is still in effect for a day that has no replication events scheduled.
   - Modify the daily schedule by selecting a day and clicking **Edit a daily schedule**. Remember changes to a daily schedule affect all days using that schedule, not just the day you selected.
Create a different daily schedule by selecting a day and clicking **Add a daily schedule**. After you have created this schedule it is added to the **Daily schedule** drop-down menu. You must select this schedule for each day that you want the schedule to be used.

See [Creating a daily schedule](#) for more information on setting up daily schedules.

5. When you are finished, click **OK**.

### Creating a daily schedule

Expand the **Replication management** category in the navigation area and click **Manage schedules**.

On the **Daily schedule** tab, select the subtree for which you want to create the schedule and click **Show schedules**. If any schedules exist, they are displayed in the **Daily schedules** box. To create or add a new schedule:

1. Click **Add**.
2. Enter a name for the schedule. For example **monday1**.
3. Select the time zone setting, either UTC or local.
4. Select a replication type from the drop-down menu:

   - **Immediate**: Performs any pending entry updates since the last replication event and then updates entries continuously until the next scheduled update event is reached.
   - **Once**: Performs all pending updates prior to the starting time. Any updates made after the start time wait until the next scheduled replication event.

5. Select a start time for the replication event.
6. Click **Add**. The replication event type and time are displayed.
7. Add or remove events to complete your schedule. The list of events is refreshed in chronological order.
8. When you are finished, click **OK**.

For example:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Replication type</th>
<th>Start time</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Immediate</td>
<td>12:00 AM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Once</td>
<td>10:00 AM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Once</td>
<td>2:00 PM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Immediate</td>
<td>4:00 PM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Once</td>
<td>8:00 PM</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

In this schedule, the first replication event occurs at midnight and updates any pending changes prior to that time. Replication updates continue to be made as they occur until 10:00 AM. Updates made between 10:00 AM and 2:00 PM wait until 2:00 PM to be replicated. Any updates made between 2:00 PM and 4:00 PM wait the replication event scheduled at 4:00 PM, afterwards replication updates continue until the next scheduled replication event at 8:00 PM. Any updates made after 8:00 PM wait until the next scheduled replication event.

**Note**: If replication events are scheduled too closely together, a replication event might be missed if the updates from the previous event are still in progress when the next event is scheduled.
Managing queues

This task allows you to monitor status of replication for each replication agreement (queue) used by this server.

Expand the Replication management category in the navigation area and click Manage queues.

The Manage queues table contains the following information in columns:

- **Select**: Selects the replica on which you want to perform an action.
- **Replica**: Specifies the name of the replica in the replication queue.
- **Subtree**: Specifies the subtree under which the replica is located.
- **Last result**: Indicates the last return code/status (success/failed)
- **State**: Indicates the state of replication with the consumer:
  - **Active**: Actively sending updates to consumer.
  - **Ready**: In immediate replication mode, ready to send updates as they occur.
  - **Waiting**: Waiting for next scheduled replication time.
  - **Binding**: In the process of binding to the consumer.
  - **Connecting**: In the process of connecting to the consumer.
  - **On Hold**: This replication agreement has been suspended or "held".
  - **Error Log Full**: For a server configured to use multiple connections, replication is suspended for this agreement. The receiver threads continue polling for status from any updates that have been sent, but no more updates are replicated.
  - **Retrying**: If the server is configured to use a single connection, replication attempts to send the same update after waiting for 60 seconds and keeps trying until replication succeeds or the administrator skips the update.
- **Queue size**: Specifies the number of pending changes returned from replication status queries.

- Select the replica for which you want to manage the queue.
- Depending on the status of the replica, you can click **Suspend/resume** to stop or start replication.
- Click **Force replication** to replicate all the pending changes regardless of when the next replication is scheduled.
- Click **Queue details**, for more complete information about the replica's queue. You can also manage the queue from this selection.
Click **Refresh** to update the queues, obtain the current status, and clear server messages.

**Queue details**

If you clicked **Queue details**, three tabs are displayed:

- Status
- Last attempted details
- Pending changes

The **Status** tab displays the replica name, its subtree, its replication status, and a record of replication times. From this panel you can suspend or resume replication by clicking **Suspend** or **Resume**. The non-editable status field changes to reflect the change in status. Click **Refresh** to update the queue information.

The **Last attempted details** tab gives the following information about the last update attempt on the selected replica:

- **Replica** - The name of the replica in the replication queue.
- **Subtree** - The subtree under which the replica is located.
- **Entry DN** - The DN of the updated entry.
- **Last replicated at** - The last time the entry was replicated.
- **Update type** - The type of update, for example, add, delete or modify.
- **Last result** - The error code assigned to the error.
- **Failed LDIF** - The update in LDIF format.
- **Additional error messages** - Any additional information about the error.

If an entry is not able to be loaded press **Skip blocking entry** to continue replication with the next pending entry. Click **Refresh** to update the queue information.

**Note:** The default timeout for any change to be completed through replication is 60 seconds. If replication updates involve large amount of changes, such as adding a large group entry, the update operation may require more than 60 seconds for the operation to finish. If any single update (add, delete, modify, or modifydn) operation through replication takes more than 60 seconds, then the supplier server times out that update operation and retries again sending the same update through replication. In order to extend the timeout duration for update operations in replication, you can use the IBM/SLAPD_REPL_UPDATE_EXTRA_SECS environment variable. To know more about using this environment variable, see the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Troubleshooting Guide*.

The **Pending changes** tab shows all the pending changes to the replica. The number of pending changes displayed depends on the value you entered on the **Manage replication properties** panel. The default is 200.

If replication is blocked you can delete all the pending changes by clicking **Skip all**. Click **Refresh** to update the list of pending changes to reflect any new update or updates that have been processed.

**Note:** If you choose to skip blocking changes, you must ensure that the consumer server is eventually updated. See the **ldapdiff** command information in the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference* for more information.
Command line tasks for managing replication

**Specifying a supplier DN and password for a subtree**

You can specify a supplier DN and PW for a particular subtree. To do this the following information is needed on all consumers:

1. Start the consumer servers.
2. You must configure replica1 to be a replica server. Do the following to add an entry to the `ibmsslapd.conf` file on replica1:

   ```bash
   idsldapmodify -D admin_dn -w admin_pw -i instance_name -i LDIF_file
   ```

   where `LDIF_file` contains the following:

   ```
   dn: cn=Master Server, cn=configuration
   cn: Master Server
   ibm-slapdMasterDN: cn=master
   ibm-slapdMasterPW: masterserverpassword
   ibm-slapdMasterReferral: ldap://masterhostname:masterport
   objectclass: ibm-slapdReplication
   ```

   ```
   dn: cn=Supplier s1, cn=configuration
   cn: Supplier s1
   ibm-slapdMasterDN: cn=s1
   ibm-slapdMasterPW: s1
   ibm-slapdReplicaSubtree: ou=Test, o=sample
   objectclass: ibm-slapdSupplier
   ```

3. Save the `ibmsslapd.conf` file.
4. Restart replica1.

**Viewing replication configuration information**

A great deal of information related to replication activity is available using searches. To see the replication topology information related to a particular replicated subtree, you can do a subtree search with the base set to the DN of the subtree and the filter set as `(objectclass=ibm-repl*)` to find the subentry that is the base of the topology information. If this replication context was created through the web admin interface, the name of the entry will be `ibm-replicaGroup=default`.

```bash
idsldapsearch -D adminDN -w adminPW -p port -b suffixentryDN
objectclass=ibm-repl*
```

The objects returned will include the replica group itself, plus the following:

- An object with `objectclass=ibm-replicaSubentry` for each server that replicates data within this context. Replica subentries contain a server ID attribute and an indication of the role the server plays (`ibm-replicationServerIsMaster`).

- For each replica subentry, there is a replication agreement object for each consumer server that receives replication updates from the server described by the replica subentry. Each replication agreement contains the following information:
  - `ibm-replicaConsumerId`: The server ID of the consumer server.
  - `ibm-replicaURL`: The LDAP URL of the consumer server.
  - `ibm-replicaCredentialsDN`: The DN of the entry containing the credentials used to bind to the consumer.

Agreements may also contain the following:

- `ibm-replicaScheduleDN`: The DN of a schedule entry that determines when replication updates are sent to this consumer. If no schedule is specified, replication defaults to "immediate" mode.
- **ibm-replicationOnHold**: A boolean indicating that replication to this consumer is suspended (or not).
- **ibm-replicationExcludedCapability**: The values of this attribute list OIDs of features that the consumer does not support. Operations related to these capabilities are then excluded from the updates sent to this consumer.
- **ibm-replicationMethod**: Single threaded or multi-threaded.
- **ibm-replicationConsumerConnections**: For a replication agreement using the single-threaded replication method, the number of consumer connections is always one, the attribute value is ignored. For an agreement using multi-threaded replication, the number of connections can be configured from 1 to 32. If no value is specified on the agreement, the number of consumer connections is set to one.

### Monitoring replication status

In addition, there are many operational attributes that provide replication status information when explicitly requested on a search. One of these attributes is associated with the entry that is the base of the replicated subtree, that is, the entry that the **ibm-replicationContext** objectclass was added to. If you do a base search of that entry, and request that the **ibm-replicationIsQuiesced** attribute is returned. This attribute is a boolean that indicates if the subtree has been quiesced. If the subtree is quiesced, no client updates are allowed (only updates from replication suppliers are accepted). There is an extended operation that can be used to quiesce a subtree, see the **ldapexop** command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for more information.

The remainder of the status-related operational attributes are all associated with a replication agreement object. These attributes are only returned when explicitly requested on the search. The attributes available are:

- **ibm-replicationLastActivationTime**: The time that the last replication session started between this supplier and consumer.
- **ibm-replicationLastFinishTime**: The time that the last replication session finished between this supplier and consumer.
- **ibm-replicationLastChangeId**: The change ID of the last update sent to this consumer.
- **ibm-replicationState**: The current state of replication with this consumer. Possible values are:
  - **Active**: Actively sending updates to consumer.
  - **Ready**: In immediate replication mode, ready to send updates as they occur.
  - **Retrying**: If the server is configured to use a single connection, replication attempts to send the same update after waiting for 60 seconds and keeps trying until replication succeeds or the administrator skips the update.
  - **Waiting**: Waiting for next scheduled replication time.
  - **Binding**: In the process of binding to the consumer.
  - **Connecting**: In the process of connecting to the consumer.
  - **On Hold**: This replication agreement has been suspended or "held".
**Error Log Full**

For a server configured to use multiple connections, replication is suspended for this agreement. The receiver threads continue polling for status from any updates that have been sent, but no more updates are replicated.

**error xxxx**

An error has occurred where xxxx is the id of the message that describes the error.

- **ibm-replicationLastResult**: The results of the last attempted update to this consumer, in the form:
  
  | time stamp | change id | result code | operation | entry DN |

  **Note**: This information is available for single threaded replication only.

- **ibm-replicationLastResultAdditional**: Any additional error information returned from the consumer for the last update.

  **Note**: This information is available for single threaded replication only.

- **ibm-replicationPendingChangeCount**: The number of updates queued to be replicated to this consumer.

- **ibm-replicationPendingChanges**: Each value of this attribute gives information about one of the pending changes in the form:
  
  | change id | operation | entry DN |

  Requesting this attribute might return many values. Check the change count before requesting this attribute.

- **ibm-replicationChangeLDIF**: Gives the full details of the last failing update in LDIF.

  **Note**: This information is available for single threaded replication only.

- **ibm-replicationFailedChanges**: Similar to **ibm-replicationPendingChanges** in that it lists the IDs, DNs, update types, result codes, timestamps, numbers of attempts for failures logged for a specified replication agreement. The number of failures displayed are less than or equal to **ibm-slapdMaxPendingChangesDisplayed**.

- **ibm-replicationFailedChangeCount**: Similar to **ibm-replicationPendingChangeCount** in that it returns a count of the failures logged for a specified replication agreement.

- **ibm-replicationPerformance**: Information about multi-threaded replication.

  **Note**: Only the following are allowed to view **ibm-replicationPendingChanges**, **ibm-replicationPendingChangesCount**, **ibm-replicationFailedChanges** and **ibm-replicationChangeLDIF**:

  - The administrator
  - Members of the administrative group
  - Members of the global administrative group
  - Any user explicitly given update access to the replication topology entries through ACLs
Creating gateway servers

Creating a new Gateway server

Note: After creating a Gateway server, you must create new replication agreements
to reflect the new topology. See the "Replication agreements" on page 293 for
more information.

Create a new replica context, replica group and replica subentry in the DIT. The
replica subentry must contain the ibm-replicaSubentry object class and
ibm-replicaGateway auxiliary object class. The ibm-replicaSubentry object class and
ibm-replicaGateway auxiliary object class are **bold** in the following example:

dn: o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: organization
objectclass: ibm-replicationContext

dn: ibm-replicagroup=default,o=sandbox
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicaGroup
ibm-replicagroup: default

objectclass: ibm-replicaSubentry
objectclass: ibm-replicaGateway
ibm-replicagroup: default
ibm-replicaServerId: serverid
ibm-replicationServerIsMaster: TRUE
cn: servername

Where **servername** is the name of the server, and where **serverid** is a 37 character
string assigned the first time a server is started. The server ID can be found by
typing the following at a command prompt:

`idsldapsearch -p port -b "" -s base objectclass=*`

Converting an existing peer server to a Gateway server

Before converting a peer server to a Gateway server, make sure the subtree is
quiesced and there are no pending changes. The following example shows a
replica subentry that is NOT configured as a Gateway server.

dn: ibm-replicaServerId= serverid ,ibm-replicagroup=default,o=sandbox
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-replicaSubentry
ibm-replicaServerId: serverid
ibm-replicationServerIsMaster: TRUE
cn: servername

To convert this peer to a gateway, add the ibm-replicaGateway auxiliary object
class to the desired replica subentry in the DIT. The ibm-replicaGateway auxiliary
object class is **bold** in the following example.

dn: ibm-replicaServerId= serverid ,ibm-replicagroup=default,o=sandbox
changetype: modify
add: objectclass
objectclass: ibm-replicaGateway

Where **servername** is the name of the server, and where **serverid** is a 37 character
string assigned the first time a server is started. The server ID can be found by
typing the following at a command prompt:

`idsldapsearch -p port -b "" -s base objectclass=*`
For information about removing an auxiliary object class, see "Deleting an auxiliary object class" on page 485.
Chapter 15. Distributed directories

A distributed directory is a directory environment in which data is partitioned across multiple directory servers. A distributed directory must have a collection of machines including relational database management (RDBM) servers holding data, and proxy servers managing the topology.

The Proxy server

The Proxy server is a special type of IBM Security Directory Server that provides request routing, load balancing, fail over, distributed authentication and support for distributed/membership groups and partitioning of containers. Most of these functions are provided in a new backend, the proxy backend. IBM Security Directory Server Proxy Server does not have an RDBM backend and cannot take part in replication.

A directory proxy server sits at the front-end of a distributed directory and provides efficient routing of user requests thereby improving performance in certain situations, and providing a unified directory view to the client. It can also be used at the front-end of a server cluster for providing fail over and load balancing.

The proxy server routes read and write requests differently based on the configuration. Write requests for a single partition are directed to the single primary write server. Peer servers are not used to avoid conflicts. Read requests are routed in a round robin manner to balance the load. However, if high consistency is enabled read requests are routed to the primary write server.

The proxy server also provides support for ACL’s to be defined based on groups defined on a different partition, and support for partitioning of flat namespaces. The proxy server can also be used as an LDAP-aware load balancer.

Before deploying a proxy server, you must verify that all the operations required in your environment are supported. For more information, see “OIDs for supported and enabled capabilities” on page 565, “OIDs for extended operations” on page 574 and “OIDs for controls” on page 578.

Note: If you specify an administrative control for any operation on proxy, the proxy server will propagate the administrative control to the backend server.

The proxy server routes new requests targeting a backend server only through a free backend connection. If there are no free backend connections available, Proxy will temporarily suspend reading requests from clients. Proxy will resume reading from clients only when the backend connection becomes free. Also, if there are pending requests from a client to a backend, any new request from the client will be routed through the same backend connection used by earlier requests.
Note: The `ibm-slapdProxyMaxPendingOpsPerClient` attribute included in the `ibm-slapdProxyBackendServer` objectclass can be used to configure the threshold limit for pending requests from a client connection in a backend connection. On reaching this threshold limit, requests from the client connection will not be read until the pending requests in the backend connection reduces to a value below the specified threshold limit. If this attribute is not specified, the maximum pending client operations will default to 5.

Finally, the proxy server is configured with its own schema. You need to ensure that the proxy server is configured with the same schema as the back-end servers for which it is proxying. The proxy server must also be configured with partition information.

Note: The server uses the same default configuration file whether it is configured as a directory server or a proxy server. However, when the server is configured as a proxy server, the configuration settings for the features that the proxy server does not support are ignored. Given below is a list of entries in the configuration file that are ignored by the proxy server:

- `cn=Event Notification, cn=Configuration`
- `cn=Persistent Search, cn=Configuration`
- `cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration`
- `cn=Replication, cn=configuration`
- `cn=Bulkload, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration`
- `cn=DB2CLI, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration`

For the entry “`cn=Front End, cn=configuration`”, environment variables set under this entry will be supported by proxy. The environment variables supported by the proxy server include the following:

### Table 38. Environment variables supported by proxy server

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<th>Variable</th>
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<tr>
<td>PROXY_CACHE_GAG_PW</td>
<td>Specifies if password caching is enabled or disabled. The proxy server has the ability to locally cache the passwords of global administrators. If password policy is enabled, caching of the Global Admin Group Member passwords is disabled. If password policy is disabled, the caching of Global Admin Group Members is enabled. PROXY_CACHE_GAG_PW environment variable can override this default behavior. PROXY_CACHE_GAG_PW set to YES will enable password caching. PROXY_CACHE_GAG_PW set to any other value will disable password caching. When the env variable is unset the default behavior is governed by the password policy setting.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>PROXY_GLOBAL_GROUP_PERIOD</td>
<td>Specifies the interval after which the proxy interval thread wakes up. The default value for this variable is 30 seconds.</td>
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<tr>
<td>PROXY_USE_SINGLE_SENDER</td>
<td>Specifies if a single sender thread is used for the operations. By default this is false.</td>
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<td>PROXY_RECONNECT_TIME</td>
<td>Specifies the interval after which the proxy tries to reconnect to a backend server that has gone down. By default this is 5 seconds.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>LDAP_LIB_WRITE_TIMEOUT</td>
<td>Specifies the time (in seconds) to wait for a socket to be write ready.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FLOW_CONTROL_SLEEP_TIME</td>
<td>In Flow control, when there are no free backend connections available, the proxy server temporarily suspends reading from socket. It then checks periodically to see if there is a free backend connection that became available. The frequency with which this check is done is determined by the environment variable “FLOW_CONTROL_SLEEP_TIME”. This must be set to an integer value and will specify in milliseconds the frequency with which the check is done by the proxy. If the environment variable is not set, it defaults to 5.</td>
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The proxy server supports some features of Security Directory Server while at the same time there are some features that are not supported by proxy. The list of features that are supported by the proxy server are given below:

- Log access extended operations
- Dynamic configuration of the supported attributes
- Server start stop
- TLS
- Unbind of a bound dn
- Dynamic trace
- Attribute type extended operation
- User type extended operation
- Auditing of source ip control
- Server administration control
- Entry check sum
- Entry uuid
- Filter acls
- Admin group delegation
- Denial of service prevention
- Admin server auditing
- Dynamic groups
- Monitor operation counts
- Monitor logging counts
- Connection monitor active workers
- Monitor tracing
- SSL Fips mode
- Modify dn as long as the entry rename does not move the entry across partitions.
• Multiple instances
• AES password encryption
• Admin password policy
• Locate entry extended operation
• Resume role extended operation
• ldap get file
• Limit number of attribute values
• Audit performance - Performance auditing is supported for proxy. The following performance info fields for each audit record are valid for proxy. The RDBM lock wait time will always be 0 for a proxy server:
  – Operation response time
  – Time spent on work Q
  – Client I/O time
• Digest MD-5 Binds
• Admin roles
• Preoperation plugins
• Global Admin Group
• Paged and Sorted Searches
• ibm-allmembers search
• Transactions

  **Note:** Transactions are supported but only if all the entries that are part of the transaction request reside on a single directory server.

The list of features not supported by the proxy server are given below:
• Event notification
• Replication management extended operations
• Group evaluation extended operation
• Account Status extended operation
• Subtree delete
• Proxy authorization control
• Group authorization control
• Omit group Referential integrity
• Unique Attributes
• Effective password policy
• Online backup extended operation
• Password prebind extended operation
• Password post bind extended operation
• Post Operation plugins
• Null based search
In this setup, three servers have their data split within a “container” (under some entry in the directory tree). Because the proxy server handles the routing of requests to the appropriate servers, no referrals are used. Client applications need only be aware of the proxy server. The client applications never have to authenticate with servers A, B, or C.

Data is split evenly across the directories by hashing on the RDN just below the base of the split. In this example the data within the subtree is split based on the hash value of the RDN. Hashing is only supported on the RDN at one level in the tree under a container. Nested partitions are allowed. In the case of a compound RDN the entire normalized compound RDN is hashed. The hash algorithm assigns an index value to the DN of each entry. This value is then used to distribute the entries across the available servers evenly.

Notes:
1. The parent entries across multiple servers must remain synchronized. It is the administrator’s responsibility to maintain the parent entries.
2. ACLs must be defined at the partition base level on each server.

Note: The number of partitions and the partition level are determined when the proxy server is configured, and when the data is split. There is no way to expand or reduce the topology without repartitioning.

The hash value enables the proxy server to locate and retrieve entries

For example: Data under o=sample is split across three servers. This means that the proxy server is configured to hash RDN values immediately after o=sample among 3 servers, or "buckets". This also means that RDN values more than 1 away from o=sample will map to the same server as values immediately after o=sample. For example, cn=test,o=sample and cn=user1,cn=test,o=sample will always map to the same server. Server A holds all the entries with a hash value of 1, server B holds all the entries with a hash value of 2, and server C holds all the entries with a hash value of 3. The proxy server receives an add request for an entry with DN cn=Test,o=sample. The proxy server then uses the configuration information (specifically that there are 3 partitions with a base at o=sample) and the cn=Test
RDN as inputs to the internal hashing function. If the function returns 1, the entry resides on Server A and the add request is forwarded there.

Entry hashing is based on the RDN of the entry. Only the portion of the DN immediately to the left of the split point is used by the hash algorithm. Also, the whole normalized string is used for the hash, not just the value. For example, if our split point is o=sample and this is split into three partitions, then the following occurs:

- cn=example,o=sample hashes to a single server, let's say serverA. This is determined by hashing cn=example into one of three partitions.
- dc=example, o=sample hashes to a different server, let's say serverB. This is determined by hashing dc=example.
- cn=foo,cn=example,o=sample hashes to serverA. This is because only cn=example is used for the hash algorithm. All entries beneath cn=example,o=sample resolve to the same server as cn=example,o=sample.

Note: It is essential to note that when using a 6.1 and above version of the proxy server with 6.0 backend servers, the cn=pwdpolicy subtree must be configured as a split point. However, a 6.1 and above version of proxy server using 6.1 and above backend servers should not have the cn=pwdpolicy subtree.

**DN Partition plug-in**

Security Directory Server provides the option to load customer written partitioning function during server runtime. The existing hash algorithm that is used to partition data is statically linked by Security Directory Server. However, with DN partitioning function implemented as a plug-in, the hash algorithm can be easily replaced resulting in Security Directory Server being more flexible and adaptive.

The existing hash algorithm however remains as the default partitioning plug-in. It is loaded during server startup if no customized code is available. This feature incorporates an attribute called ibm-slapdDNPartitionPlugin in the objectclass ibm-slapdProxyBackend. It is a required and single-valued attribute which means that only one DN partitioning plug-in is allowed for a Proxy Server Back-end. The value of the attribute consists of a path using which a customized DN partitioning module is loaded and an initialization function using which a user provided DN partitioning function is registered.

The initialization function is called when the DN partitioning plug-in is loaded during Proxy Server startup time. By loading the dynamically loadable plug-in module, the functions defined in the module get assigned with function addresses by the loader. By executing this initialization function, the address of the partitioning function registered in the initialization function gets stored in the Proxy Server Back-end. The registered DN partitioning function, later on, is called by Proxy Router to route requests to target servers.

Note:

- The DIT that is populated by Proxy Server using one partitioning algorithm will be inaccessible by the Proxy Server using a different partitioning algorithm. Once the DIT is populated, the partition plug-in should not be changed. If you need to change the partition plug-in, then the data should be reloaded. Data loaded for IBM Security Directory
Server, version 6.0 and earlier will not work with a custom DN partitioning plug-in in 6.1 and above versions unless the default plug-in is used in 6.1 and above versions.

- It is essential to note that to use a customized plugin, it must be set before running the ddsetup command.

**Using the command line**

To modify the ibm-slapdDNPartitionPlugin attribute and to add a customized plug-in, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=ProxyDB, cn=Proxy Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdDNPartitionPlugin
ibm-slapdDNPartitionPlugin: customized DN partitioning plug-in library
```

**The distributed directory setup tool**

The Distributed Directory Setup (ddsetup) tool splits an LDIF file into separate LDIF files that can be loaded onto individual directory servers. The ddsetup tool can be used in a non-distributed environment to merely split up an LDIF file into separate pieces. The user has the option of splitting the DIT at one or more subtrees, specifying the split points by DN.

The ddsetup tool uses the proxy server's ibmslapd.conf file to partition entries. The data is split using the partition algorithm specified in ibm-slapdDNPartitionPlugin attribute of the configuration file.

Note: The ddsetup tool does not enforce objectclass schema check since it is designed for optimal performance.

**Adding and partitioning the data**

Entries are added using either the Web Administration Tool (see "Adding an entry" on page 474 for additional information or the idsldapadd and idsldapmodify command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference).

If you have an existing database with a large number of entries, you need to export the entries to an LDIF file. See the idsdb2ldif command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for more information on how to do this:

1. To create the LDIF file, issue the command:
   ```
   idsdb2ldif -o mydata.ldif -s o=sample -I instance_name
   ```

2. Issue the command:
   ```
   ddsetup -I proxy -B "o=sample" -I mydata.ldif
   ```
   where
   proxy: Is the proxy server instance
Attention: When you create a new directory server instance, be aware of the information that follows. If you want to use a distributed directory, you must cryptographically synchronize the server instances to obtain the best performance.

When partitioning an existing directory containing AES-formatted data into a distributed directory, the partition servers must be synchronized with the original unpartitioned server. If not, LDIF export files produced by the ddsetup tool will fail to import.

If you are creating a directory server instance that must be cryptographically synchronized with an existing directory server instance, you must synchronize the server instances before you do any of the following:

- Start the second server instance
- Run the idsbulkload command from the second server instance
- Run the idsldif2db command from the second server instance


3. Use idsldif2db or idsbulkload to load the data to the appropriate backend server.

- ServerA (partition index 1) - ServerA.ldif
- ServerB (partition index 2) - ServerB.ldif
- ServerC (partition index 3) - ServerC.ldif
- ServerD (partition index 4) - ServerD.ldif
- ServerE (partition index 5) - ServerE.ldif

Note: The correct LDIF output must be loaded on to the server with the correct corresponding partition index value, otherwise the proxy server will not able to retrieve the entries.

For more information about the ddsetup utility, see the IBM Security Directory Server Command Reference.

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**Synchronizing information**

There are two main kinds of configuration information that must be kept synchronized among the servers in a distributed directory.

**Subtree policies**

ACLs are currently the only type of subtree policy. ACLs are honored locally within a server only. When data is split across a flat container each server contains the parent entry. If ACLs are defined on the parent entry, they must be defined on each of the parent entries. ACLs defined at the parent level or below must not have any dependencies on entries above the parent entry in the tree. The server does not enforce ACLs defined on another server.

At setup time, exact copies of the entire parent entry are added to each server if ddsetup is used; otherwise, it is the user’s responsibility to add copies of the entire parent entry to the server. If the parent entry has ACLs defined on it, each server has the same ACLs for the entries below the parent after initial configuration. Any changes made to the parent entries after initial configuration have to be sent to each server containing the
parent entry without using the proxy server. It is the administrator's responsibility to keep the parent entries (including the ACLs on the parent) synchronized among the servers.

**Global policies including schema and password policy**

The `cn=ibmpolicies` and `cn=schema` subtree store global configuration and must be replicated among the servers in a distributed directory. Set gateway replication agreements under the `cn=ibmpolicies` subtree, so that if any of the servers have a replica, the change is passed on to their individual replica. With the `cn=ibmpolicies` replication agreement, the `cn=schema` and `cn=pwdpolicy` subtrees are automatically replicated. Global policies include the [global administration group entry stored under cn=ibmpolicies](#) for more information.

**Notes:**
1. The global policies are not replicated to the proxy server.
2. Changes to `cn=schema` is not replicated to the proxy server.

**Attention:** When you create a new directory server instance, be aware of the information that follows. If you want to use a distributed directory, you must cryptographically synchronize the server instances to obtain the best performance.

If you are creating a directory server instance that must be cryptographically synchronized with an existing directory server instance, you must synchronize the server instances **before** you do any of the following:

- Start the second server instance
- Run the `idsbulkload` command from the second server instance
- Run the `idsldif2db` command from the second server instance

See [Appendix J, “Synchronizing two-way cryptography between server instances,”](#) for information about synchronizing directory server instances.

### Partition entries

Entries that exist as the base of a partition, for example, `o=sample`, cannot be modified through the proxy server. The proxy server can return one of these entries during a search (the proxy searches for duplicates, and any entry returned is a random entry), but these entries cannot be modified using the proxy server.
Setting up a distributed directory with proxy server

The following scenario shows how to set up the proxy server and a distributed directory with three partitions for the subtree o=sample.

![Diagram](image)

Setting up the back-end servers

Use one of the following methods to set up the back-end servers:

**Using Web Administration**

**Adding the suffix to the backend servers:** To add the suffix, use one of the following methods.

1. Log on to ServerA, click *Server administration* in the Web Administration navigation area and then click *Manage server properties* in the expanded list. Next, click the *Suffixes* tab.
2. Enter the Suffix DN, *o=sample*.
3. Click *Add*.
4. Repeat this process for as many suffixes as you want to add.
5. When you are finished, click *Apply* to save your changes without exiting, or click *OK* to apply your changes and exit.
6. Repeat this procedure for ServerB and ServerC.

For more information see “Adding and removing suffixes” on page 127.

**Global administration group:** The global administration group is a way for the directory administrator to delegate administrative rights in a distributed environment to the database backend. Global administrative group members are users that have been assigned the same set of privileges as the administrative group with regard to access entries in the database backend and have complete access to the directory server backend. All global administrative group members have the same set of privileges. Global administrative group members do not have access to the audit log. Therefore, local administrators can use the audit log to monitor global administrative group member activity for security purposes.

Global administrative group members have no privileges or access rights to any data or operations that are related to the configuration settings of the directory server. This is commonly called the configuration backend.
Global administrative group members can send request for schema updates through a proxy server to its backend servers. In this case, after the schema updates are applied to the proxy server, the changes will then be propagated to the backend servers. To know more about this, see "Schema updates in a distributed directory" on page 404.

**Note:** The global administration group should be used by applications or administrators to communicate with the proxy server using administrative credentials. For example, the member that was set up using these instructions (cn=manager,cn=ibmpolicies) should be used in place of the local administrator (cn=root) when directory entries are to be modified through the proxy server. Binding to the proxy server as cn=root gives an administrator full access to the proxy server's configuration, but only anonymous access to the directory entries.

**Creating a user entry for membership in the global administrators group:**

1. Log onto ServerA. This is the server that you specified as the partition for cn=ibmpolicies.
2. Start the server.
3. From the navigation area, expand the **Directory management** topic.
4. Click **Add an entry**. See "Adding an entry" on page 474 for additional information.
5. From the **Structural object class** drop-down menu, select **person**.
6. Click **Next**.
7. Click **Next** to skip the **Select auxiliary object classes** panel.
8. Type **cn=manager** in the **Relative DN** field.
9. Type **cn=ibmpolicies** in the **Parent DN** field.
10. Type **manager** in the **cn** field.
11. Type **manager** in the **sn** filed.
12. Click the **Optional attributes** tab.
13. Type a password in the **userPassword** field. For example **mysecret**.
14. Click **Finish**.

**Adding the user entry to the global administration group:** The following steps add cn=manager to the global administration group.

1. In the navigation area, click **Manage entries**.

   **Note:** The Current location field displays the current level of an entry in DIT tree in URL format. The suffix node in the DIT is displayed in the ldap://hostname:port format. The next level is displayed when you click a RDN from the RDN column in the Manage entries table. This displays DIT at that level. To go up at any level in the displayed DIT tree, click the required URL in the Current location field.

2. Select the radio button for cn=ibmpolicies and click **Expand**.

   **Note:** An expandable entry indicates that the entry has child entries. Expandable entries have a plus ‘+’ sign next to them in the Expand column. You can click the ‘+’ sign next to the entry to view the child entries of the selected entry.

3. Select the radio button for globalGroupName=GlobalAdminGroup and from the **Select Action** drop-down menu select **Manage members** and click **Go**.
4. Specify the maximum number of members to return for a group. If you click Maximum number of members to return, you must enter a number. Otherwise, click Unlimited.

5. To load the members into the table, click Load or select Load from Select Action and click Go.

6. Type cn=manager,cn=ibmpolicies in the member field and click Add.

7. A message is displayed: You have not loaded entries from the server. Only your changes will be displayed in the table. Do you want to continue?, click OK.

8. cn=manager is displayed in the table. Click Ok. cn=manager is now a member of the global administration group.

Using the command line

Adding the suffix to the backend servers: For information about adding the suffix to the backend servers using command line see “Adding and removing suffixes” on page 127.

Creating and adding a user entry for membership in the global administrators group: Issue the commands:

```bash
idsldapadd -h ServerA -D admin_dn -w admin_pw -f LDIF1
idsldapmodify -h ServerA -D admin_dn -w admin_pw -f LDIF2
```

where LDIF1 contains:

- dn: cn=manager,cn=ibmpolicies
- objectclass: person
- sn: manager
- cn: manager
- userpassword: secret

and where LDIF2 contains:

- dn: globalGroupName=GlobalAdminGroup,cn=ibmpolicies
- changetype: modify
- add: member
- member: cn=manager,cn=ibmpolicies

Setting up the proxy server

Use one of the following methods to set up the proxy server:

Using Web Administration

Configuring the proxy server:

**Note:** If the server you are configuring as a proxy server contains the entry data that you want to distribute across the directory, you must extract the entry data into an LDIF file before you configure the server. After the server is configured as a proxy server you cannot access the data that is contained in its RDBM. If you need to access the data in its RDBM, you can either reconfigure the server so that it is not a proxy or create a new directory server instance that points to the RDBM as its database.

1. Log onto the server that you are going to use as the proxy server.
2. Start the server in configuration only mode.
3. From the navigation area expand Proxy administration.
4. Click Manage proxy properties.
5. Select the Configure as proxy server check box.
6. In the **Suffix DN** field enter `cn=ibmpolicies` and click **Add**.

7. In the **Suffix DN** field enter `o=sample` and click **Add**.

8. To enable all groups processing, select the **Enable distributed groups** check box. By default, this check box is selected. The attribute `ibm-slapdProxyEnableDistGroups` under the `ibm-slapdProxyBackend` object class in the configuration file is associated with this control.

   **Note:** A distributed group is a group where group entries and member DN's are located in different partitions. When all group processing is disabled, the proxy server will not perform any distributed group evaluation. This is helpful if distributed directories do not contain any groups or distributed groups as the proxy server can avoid additional group processing in such cases. However, if groups are disabled at the proxy server level and the data on the backend servers contain distributed groups, the behavior is not supported and is undefined. The proxy server will be unable to detect this, so no warnings or errors will be issued.

9. To enable dynamic groups processing, select the **Enable distributed dynamic groups** check box. By default, this check box is selected. The attribute `ibm-slapdProxyEnableDistDynamicGroups` under the `ibm-slapdProxyBackend` object class in the configuration file is associated with this control.

   **Note:** Distributed dynamic groups are dynamic groups that are defined when some or all of the members reside in a different partition. If distributed dynamic groups do not exist, dynamic group processing can be avoided. Dynamic groups must be enabled for this setting to have an impact. By selecting or clearing the Enable dynamic group check box you can enable or disable dynamic group processing.

10. Click **OK** to save your changes and return to the **Introduction** panel.

    **Note:** You must log off the Web Administration, and log in again. Doing so will update the navigation area. If you do not log off and then log on again, the navigation area is not updated for a proxy server.

**Identifying the distributed directory servers to the proxy server:**

1. Expand **Proxy administration** from the navigation area and click **Manage back-end directory servers**.

2. Click **Add**.

3. Enter the host name for ServerA in the **Hostname** field.

4. Enter the port number for ServerA (for this example all servers use 389).

5. Enter the number of connections that the proxy server can have with the back-end server in the **Connection pool size** field. The minimum value is 1 and the maximum value is 100. For this example, set the value to 5.

   **Note:**
   - Do not set the value in the **Connection pool size** field to be less than 5.
   - Number of connections to the back-end server should be less than or equal to the number of workers configured on the back-end server.

6. Enter duration in seconds to schedule health check runs by the server.

   **Note:** This edit box is displayed only for proxy server with version 6.1 and above.
7. In the **Maximum pending client operations per connection** field, enter a numeric value for the maximum pending client operations per connection. The `ibm-slapdProxyMaxPendingOpsPerClient` attribute of the `ibm-slapdProxyBackendServer` objectclass is associated with this field. This attribute is used to configure the threshold limit for pending requests from a client connection in a backend connection. The default value for the `ibm-slapdProxyMaxPendingOpsPerClient` attribute is 5. If a value of “0” is assigned to the `ibm-slapdProxyMaxPendingOpsPerClient` attribute, then number of client operations per connection that is pending can be unlimited.

**Note:** In the Maximum pending client operations per connection field, only positive numeric values should be assigned. If negative values are assigned, an appropriate error message will be displayed.

8. The authentication method for the back-end directory server is set to “Simple”, by default. Verify that the **Enable SSL encryption** checkbox is not selected.

9. Select the **Enable health check outstanding limit** check box to check the number of outstanding health check requests the server is waiting on.

10. Enter a value for health check outstanding limit.

11. Click **Next**.

12. Specify the administrator DN, the DN of a member of the local administrator, or a member of a global admin group in the **Bind DN** field. For example, `cn=root`.

13. Specify and confirm the administration password, in the **Bind password** fields. For example, `secret`.

14. Click **Finish**.

15. Repeat steps 2 through 10 for ServerB and ServerC.

16. When you are finished, click **Close** to save your changes and return to the **Introduction** panel.

17. Ensure that all the back-end servers are started.

**Note:** If the proxy server cannot connect with one or more of the back-end servers at start up, the proxy server starts in configuration mode only. This is true unless you set up server groups. See “Server groups” on page 411.

### Synchronizing global policies:
These steps set up `cn=ibmpolicies` as a single partition. This is necessary to enable you to synchronize the global policies on all of the servers. Global administrative group members can send request for schema updates through a proxy server to its backend servers. To know more about schema update, see “Schema updates in a distributed directory” on page 404.

1. From the navigation area, click **Manage partition bases**.
2. On the **Partition bases** table, click **Add**.
3. Enter a split name in the **Split Name** field.

**Note:** This value represents the split name provided for a split point that splits a partition base DN into partitions. The `ibm-slapdProxySplitName` attribute in the `ibm-slapdProxyBackendSplitContainer` object class is associated with this split name. The value of the `ibm-slapdProxySplitName` attribute must be unique within a proxy server's configuration file and must only contain alphanumeric values. For example, if a directory is split at DN “o=sample” into two partitions, the split name is associated with the o=sample split and the two partitions. To uniquely identify a split
partition you must use the ibm-slapdProxySplitName and ibm-slapdProxyPartitionIndex attributes.

4. Enter cn=ibmpolicies in the Partition base DN field.

5. Enter 1 in the Number of partitions field.

Note: A value greater than 1 for cn=ibmpolicies is not supported.

6. To enable auto fail-back, select the Auto fail-back enabled check box.

   • To enable Auto fail-back queue, select the Auto fail-back queue enabled check box. The ibm-slapdProxyFailbackBasedOnQueueEnabled attribute in the ibm-slapdProxyBackendSplitContainer objectclass is associated with this control.

      When the Auto fail-back queue enabled check box is selected, fail-back is based on replication queue size. If this check box is not selected, then the auto fail-back queue threshold size value is ignored.

   • Enter the auto fail-back queue threshold size in the Auto fail-back queue threshold size field. The ibm-slapdProxyFailbackQueueThresholdSize attribute in the ibm-slapdProxyBackendSplitContainer objectclass is associated with this control.

      The default value of auto fail-back queue threshold size is 5. The auto fail-back queue threshold size denotes the size of the replication queue which determines if the replication state is stable. A value of 0 indicates that the replication queue is considered stable only if there are no pending changes. Negative values are not allowed.

Note: If a backend server is restarted and if autofocus is enabled, the proxy server will automatically start using that backend server.

7. To enable proxy high consistency, select the Proxy high consistency enabled check box. For more information see ”High consistency and failover when high consistency is configured” on page 409

8. Click OK.

9. Select the radio button for cn=ibmpolicies and click View servers.

10. Verify that cn=ibmpolicies is displayed in the Partition base DN field.

11. In the Back-end directory servers for partition base table, click Add.

12. From the Back-end directory server menu, select ServerA.

13. Enter 1 in the Partition index field.

14. From the Server role combo box, select a role for the back-end directory server.

   Note: The available roles that you can assign for a back-end directory server are primarywrite and any. Primary write server should be set to a master or peer server where write requests should be sent.

15. From the Proxy tier combo box, select a priority that you want to assign. For more information, see ”Weighted Prioritization of backend servers” on page 409

16. Click OK.

Dividing the data into partitions: These steps divide the data in the subtree o=sample into three partitions.

1. On the Partition bases table, click Add.

2. Enter a split name in the Split Name field.

3. Enter o=sample in the Partition base DN field.
4. Enter 3 in the Number of partitions field.

5. To enable auto fail-back, select the **Auto fail-back enabled** check box.
   - To enable Auto fail-back queue, select the **Auto fail-back queue enabled** check box. The ibm-slapdProxyFailbackBasedOnQueueEnabled attribute in the ibm-slapdProxyBackendSplitContainer objectclass is associated with this control.
     When the **Auto fail-back queue enabled** check box is selected, fail-back is based on replication queue size. If this check box is not selected, then the auto fail-back queue threshold size value is ignored.
   - Enter the auto fail-back queue threshold size in the **Auto fail-back queue threshold size** field. The ibm-slapdProxyFailbackQueueThresholdSize attribute in the ibm-slapdProxyBackendSplitContainer objectclass is associated with this control.
     The default value of auto fail-back queue threshold size is 5. The auto fail-back queue threshold size denotes the size of the replication queue which determines if the replication state is stable. A value of 0 indicates that the replication queue is considered stable only if there are no pending changes. Negative values are not allowed.

6. To enable proxy high consistency, select the **Proxy high consistency enabled** check box.

7. Click **OK**.

**Assigning partition index values to the servers:** These steps assign a partition value to each of the servers.

1. Select the radio button for o=sample and click **View servers**.
2. Verify that o=sample is displayed in the **Partition base DN** field.
3. In the **Back-end directory servers for partition base** table, click **Add**.
4. From the **Back-end directory server** drop-down menu, select ServerA.
5. Ensure that 1 is displayed in the **Partition index** field.
6. From the **Server role** drop-down menu, select the appropriate server role.

   **Note:** This value represents the role of a back-end directory server in a particular partition. The ibm-slapdProxyServerRole attribute in the ibm-slapdProxyBackendSplit object class is associated with this value. The values that can be assigned to this attribute are primarywrite or any.

7. From the **Proxy tier** combo box, select a priority that you want to assign.
8. Click **OK**.
9. In the **Back-end directory servers for partition base** table, click **Add**.
10. From the **Back-end directory server** drop-down menu, select ServerB.
11. Ensure that 2 is displayed in the **Partition index** field.

   **Note:** This number is automatically incremented for you. You can manually change the partition index number, however, it cannot exceed the actual number of partitions for the base. For example, you cannot use 4 as a partition index, if the partition base has only three partitions. Duplicate partition indexes are only allowed on servers participating in replication on that subtree.

12. Click **OK**.
13. In the **Back-end directory servers for partition base** table, click **Add**.
14. From the **Back-end directory server** drop-down menu, select ServerC.
15. Ensure that 3 is displayed in the **Partition index** field.

16. From the **Server role** drop-down menu, select the appropriate server role.

   **Note:** This value represents the role of a back-end directory server in a particular partition. The ibm-slapdProxyServerRole attribute in the ibm-slapdProxyBackendSplit object class is associated with this value. The values that can be assigned to this attribute are primarywrite or any.

17. From the **Proxy tier** combo box, select a priority that you want to assign.

18. Click **OK**.

19. When you are finished, click **Close**.

20. Restart the proxy server for the changes to take effect.

**Viewing partition bases:** Do the following to view partition bases:
1. From the navigation area, click **View partition bases**.
2. Select a split from the **Select a split combo box**.
3. Click **Show partitions**. This populates the **Partition entries** table with the available partitions for the selected split.

Do the following to view server entries for a partition:
1. Select a partition entry from the **Partition entries table**.
2. Click **Show servers**. This populates the **Server entries** table with the server information associated with the selected partition of a split.

**Viewing entry location:** If you have not done so already, click **Proxy administration** in the Web Administration navigation area and then click **View entry location** in the expanded list. In this panel, the Location details table is populated with the location details of a DN entry or DN entries in a distributed directory. To populate the Location details table with information, the locate entry extended operation is called.

To view the location of a DN entry in a distributed directory, do the following:
1. To search the location of a DN entry in a distributed directory, select **Entry DN** and then enter a valid DN in the field or click the **Browse** button and specify the location of the entry DN.
2. Click the **Show entry details** button. This will populate the Location details table with the location information of the specified entry DN.
3. Click the **Close** button to navigate to the Introduction panel.

To view the locations of multiple DN entries in a distributed directory, do the following:
1. To search the locations of multiple DN entries in a distributed directory, select **Select a file containing multiple DNs**.
2. Enter the absolute path of the text file containing the multiple DN entries in the **File name** field or click the **Browse** button and specify the location of the text file that contains DN entries.
3. Click the **Submit file** button.
4. Click the **Show entry details** button to populate the Location details table with the location information of the DN entries.
5. Click the **Close** button to navigate to the Introduction panel.
Using the command line

Configuring the proxy server:  Issue the commands:

```
idsldapmodify -h Proxy Server -D admin_dn -w admin_pw -i LDIF1
idsldapmodify -h Proxy Server -D admin_dn -w admin_pw -i LDIF2
```

where **LDIF1** contains:

- **dn:** cn=Configuration
- **changetype:** modify
- **replace:** ibm-slapdServerBackend
- **ibm-slapdServerBackend:** PROXY

and where **LDIF2** contains:

- **dn:** cn=ProxyDB, cn=Proxy Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
- **cn:** Server1
- **ibm-slapdProxyBindMethod:** Simple
- **ibm-slapdProxyConnectionPoolSize:** 5
- **ibm-slapdProxyMaxPendingOpsPerClient:** positive_number
- **ibm-slapdProxyDN:** cn=root
- **ibm-slapdProxyPW:** secret
- **ibm-slapdProxyTargetURL:** ldap://ServerA:389
- **objectClass:** top
- **objectClass:** ibm-slapdProxyBackendServer
- **objectClass:** ibm-slapdConfigEntry

Identifying the distributed directory servers to the proxy server:  Issue the commands:

```
idsldapadd -h Proxy Server -D admin_dn -w admin_pw -f LDIF1
```

where **LDIF1** contains:

- **dn:** cn=Server1, cn=ProxyDB, cn=Proxy Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
- **cn:** Server1
- **ibm-slapdProxyBindMethod:** Simple
- **ibm-slapdProxyConnectionPoolSize:** 5
- **ibm-slapdProxyMaxPendingOpsPerClient:** positive_number
- **ibm-slapdProxyDN:** cn=root
- **ibm-slapdProxyPW:** secret
- **ibm-slapdProxyTargetURL:** ldap://ServerB:389
- **objectClass:** top
- **objectClass:** ibm-slapdProxyBackendServer
- **objectClass:** ibm-slapdConfigEntry

- **dn:** cn=Server3, cn=ProxyDB, cn=Proxy Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
- **cn:** Server3
- **ibm-slapdProxyBindMethod:** Simple
- **ibm-slapdProxyConnectionPoolSize:** 5
- **ibm-slapdProxyMaxPendingOpsPerClient:** positive_number
- **ibm-slapdProxyDN:** cn=root
ibm-slapdProxyPW: secret
ibm-slapdProxyTargetURL: ldap://ServerC:389
objectClass: top
objectClass: ibm-slapdProxyBackendServer
objectClass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry

Dividing the data into partitions and assigning partition index values to the servers: Issue the commands:

```
idsldapadd -h Proxy Server -D admin_dn -w admin_pw -f LDIF2
```

where `LDIF2` contains:

```
objectClass: top
objectClass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry
objectClass: ibm-slapdProxyBackendSplitContainer

dn: cn=split1, cn=Sample Policies split, cn=ProxyDB, cn=Proxy Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
objectClass: ibm-slapdProxyBackendServerDN: cn=Server1,cn=ProxyDB,cn=Proxy Backends,cn=IBM Directory,cn=Schemas,cn=Configuration
objectClass: ibm-slapdProxyPartitionIndex: 1
objectClass: ibm-slapdProxyBackendServerRole: any
objectClass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry
objectClass: ibm-slapdProxyBackendSplit

```

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Schema updates in a distributed directory

When schema updates are requested by a global administrator group member, the schema updates are first applied to the Security Directory Proxy server and then the updates are propagated to its backend servers. Additionally, global admin group member can request for schema update directly on the backend servers. However, if the schema updates are requested on the proxy server by the primary administrator, a local admin group member having SchemaAdmin role, or the Master Server DN, then the schema updates are applied only to the proxy server.

To enforce schema updates to all the backend servers that the proxy server is serving to, the global policies must be synchronized. Security Directory Server supports replication of schema updates to the consumer servers in a replication topology if the replication is setup for the CN=IBMPOLICIES context among all the backend servers that the proxy server is serving to. To implement this, you need to setup replication on the CN=IBMPOLICIES context amongst all the backend servers served by the proxy server. In order to ensure that the schema updates are made properly even in case of a failure of the primary write server, directory administrators should always include at least one other write server in the replication topology of the CN=IBMPOLICIES context. Proxy will re-route the schema update to the next available write server if the primary write server fails. Once the primary write server is restored back, the schema updates received in its absence will be pushed to it by the second write server. To create this setup, you must consider the following:

1. **Set up a distributed directory with proxy server.** See "Setting up the proxy server" on page 396.

2. Create replication topology for the cn=ibmpolicies subtree. For more information about setting up replication, see Chapter 14, "Replication," on page 283 and see "Setting up a topology for global policies" on page 414.

   **Note:** If all the write server are offline, then the proxy server will return an appropriate error message to the LDAP client.

An example extract of proxy server configuration to propagate the schema updates:

cn=ProxyDB, cn=Proxy Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
ibm-slapdDNPartitionPlugin=libldapdnhash.so dnHashInit
ibm-slapdPagedResAllowNonAdmin=TRUE
ibm-slapdPagedResLmt=3
ibm-slapdPlugin=database libback-proxy.so proxy_backend_init
ibm-slapdPlugin=extendedop libback-proxy.so initResumeRole
ibm-slapdProxyEnableDistDynamicGroups=true
ibm-slapdProxyEnableDistGroups=true
ibm-slapdSuffix=o=sample
ibm-slapdSuffix=cn=ibmpolicies
objectclass=top
objectclass=ibm-slapdConfigEntry
objectclass=ibm-slapdProxyBackend
cn=Server1, cn=ProxyDB, cn=Proxy Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
cn=Server1
ibm-slapdProxyBindMethod=Simple
ibm-slapdProxyConnectionPoolSize=5
ibm-slapdProxyDN=cn=root
ibm-slapdProxyHealthCheckOlimit=24
ibm-slapdProxyMaxPendingOpsPerClient=5
ibm-slapdProxyPW={AES256}LM3NvpMrOFvYhTnEdmeTbw==
ibm-slapdProxyTargetURL=ldap://ServerA:389
ibm-slapdServerID=8c440640-6e1f-102e-88a8-ff9133d50edd
ibm-slapdStatusInterval=5
objectClass=top
objectClass=ibm-slapdProxyBackendServer
objectClass=ibm-slapdConfigEntry

cn=Server2, cn=ProxyDB, cn=Proxy Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
cn=Server2
ibm-slapdProxyBindMethod=Simple
ibm-slapdProxyConnectionPoolSize=5
ibm-slapdProxyDN=cn=root
ibm-slapdProxyHealthCheckOlimit=24
ibm-slapdProxyMaxPendingOpsPerClient=5
ibm-slapdProxyPW={AES256}LM3NvpMrOFvYhTnEdmeTbw==
ibm-slapdProxyTargetURL=ldap://ServerB:389
ibm-slapdServerID=aaaa01c0-6e1f-102e-8ea9-8d957fd1611f
ibm-slapdStatusInterval=5
objectClass=top
objectClass=ibm-slapdProxyBackendServer
objectClass=ibm-slapdConfigEntry

cn=cn\=ibmpolicies split, cn=ProxyDB, cn=Proxy Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
cn=cn=ibmpolicies split
ibm-slapdProxyAutoFailBack=true
ibm-slapdProxyFailbackBasedonQueueEnabled=true
ibm-slapdProxyHighConsistency=true
ibm-slapdProxyNumPartitions=1
ibm-slapdProxyPartitionBase=cn=ibmpolicies
ibm-slapdProxySplitName=ibmpolicessplit
objectClass=ibm-slapdConfigEntry
objectClass=ibm-slapdProxyBackendSplitContainer
objectClass=top

cn=split1, cn=cn\=ibmpolicies split, cn=ProxyDB, cn=Proxy Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
cn=split1
ibm-slapdProxyBackendServerDN=cn=Server1,cn=ProxyDB,cn=Proxy Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
ibm-slapdProxyBackendServerRole=primarywrite
ibm-slapdProxyPartitionIndex=1
ibm-slapdProxyTier=1
objectClass=top
objectClass=ibm-slapdConfigEntry
objectClass=ibm-slapdProxyBackendSplit

cn=split2, cn=cn\=ibmpolicies split, cn=ProxyDB, cn=Proxy Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
cn=split2
ibm-slapdProxyBackendServerDN=cn=Server2,cn=ProxyDB,cn=Proxy Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
ibm-slapdProxyBackendServerRole=any
ibm-slapdProxyPartitionIndex=1

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Password policy in a distributed directory

Password Policy in a distributed directory is enforced on the backend servers with some additional overhead in the proxy server. There are two kinds of user password policies: Global and multiple password policies. Multiple password policies is supported in the distributed directory environment only if all the groups, members, and policy data is local to a single partition. On the other hand, global password policy is supported, even when users and groups are distributed.

In order for the proxy server to support password policy it must be enabled on all backend servers. The proxy server will send password policy controls on all necessary requests. The majority of password policy enforcement is done locally on the backend servers, and therefore will function the same way as it does in a non-distributed environment. In some cases additional checking must be done at the proxy server level to ensure consistent password policy enforcement.

Notes:
1. If an administrator enables or disables password policy, the proxy server must be restarted.
2. The proxy server does not support effective password policy extended operation.

The proxy server uses two extended operations to enable password policy enforcement for external binds. The extended operations are Password Policy Initialize and Verify Bind Extended operation and the Password Policy Finalize and Verify Bind Extended operation. For further information about these two extended operations refer the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Programming Reference.

Failover and load balancing

The proxy server is aware of all of the replicas of a given partition, and load balances read requests between the online replicas. The proxy server is aware of all of the masters for a given partition, and must use one of these as the primary master. The server configured as the primary write server is the primary master. If no primary write server is configured the first master or peer server is the primary write server. If the primary write server is down, the proxy server is capable of failing over to a backup server (one of the other master or peer servers). If the requested operation cannot be performed by the currently online servers, the proxy server returns an operations error.

Note:
- For better performance, all backend servers and the proxy server should be cryptographically synchronized. See the Appendix J, “Synchronizing two-way cryptography between server instances,” on page 653 section for information about synchronizing directory server instances.
- Compare operations are not load balanced.

The proxy server performs load balancing on read requests when high consistency is disabled. On the other hand, when high consistency is enabled all read and
write requests are sent to the primary write server until a failover occurs. See the "High consistency and failover when high consistency is configured" on page 409 section for more information.

If a backend server is unavailable, the operation will error out. All subsequent operations will fail over to the next available server.

**Auto failback**

Security Directory Server provides an option to enable and disable auto failback. When auto failback is enabled, the proxy server starts using a server as soon as it becomes available. However, when auto failback is disabled, servers must be restored using the resume role extended operation, except in the following cases where auto failback is always enabled:

Cases that always invoke auto failback and the action taken:
- All back-end servers go down in a partition.
- Action Taken
  - If a read server is the first server to come back online, the proxy server will auto restore that server. Since read servers cannot handle write operations, the first write server to come back online will also be restored.
  - If a write server is the first server to come back online the proxy server will auto restore that write server. Since write servers can handle both read and write requests no additional servers will be automatically restored.
- All Writeable Backend Servers go down in a partition.
- Action Taken
  - The first write server to come back online will be auto restored by the proxy server.

Note:
- Autofailback can be enabled or disabled by setting the value of the attribute ibm-slapdEnableAutoFailBack to true or false.
- The default value of ibm-slapdEnableAutoFailBack is true.

Security Directory Server also provides you with an option to enable failback based on a configurable replication queue size. This feature enables failback to be done automatically only when the replication queue size from the current write server to the server being failed back is less than or equal to the configured replication queue size.

To enable failback based on a configurable replication queue size using web administration tool see “Dividing the data into partitions” on page 399.

To enable failback based on a configurable replication queue size using the command line, do the following:
- Set the value of ibm-slapdProxyFailbackBasedOnQueueEnabled attribute to TRUE. To do this, issue the following command:
  ```bash
  ldapmodify -D admin_DN_proxy_server -w admin_PW \ -p port -i modify.ldif
  ```
  where modify.ldif contains
  ```
  dn: RDN_of_Backend_Split_Container, cn=ProxyDB, cn=Proxy Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
  ```
Set the value of the ibm-slapdProxyFailbackQueueThreshold attribute to a desired value. To do this, issue the following command:

```
ldapmodify -D admin_DN -w admin_PW -p port -i modify.ldif
```

where modify.ldif contains

```
   ch Gentype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdProxyFailbackQueueThreshold
   ibm-slapdProxyFailbackQueueThreshold : positive_number
```

Health Check Feature

The proxy server back-end uses a thread named health check to identify the servers that are available and the servers that are down. The health check thread runs a health check by initiating a root DSE search for the ibm-slapdisconfigurationmode attribute against each of the back-end servers. If the Root DSE search against any server fails, either because the server is down or if the server is in configuration only mode, the thread begins the failover process and marks the server as unavailable. After a server is identified as unavailable, an appropriate error message is also written to the error log.

Let us consider an example where the health check interval is set to 5 seconds and the olimit is set to 5. In this case, if the back-end server does not respond to the health check searches within 25-30 seconds, the proxy server will mark the back-end server as disconnected and will failover to the next available server. Subsequently, a message is also logged at this time (GLPPXY044E).

When such a message is logged it could be either because the back-end server is overloaded and the server needs performance tuning or hardware upgrade or there could be some kind of error condition in the back-end server that needs to be addressed. The proxy server updates the state of the back-end server to ready when the back-end server can successfully respond to root dse searches. If auto failback is enabled, the server is restored at this time. If auto failback is disabled an administrator can use the resume role extended operation to resume use of the server.

Note: Caution should be used when configuring the ibm-slapdProxyHealthCheckOlimit attribute. This attribute is used to specify the olimit on healthcheck. If the proxy server is under heavy load and the olimit value set is too small, the proxy may falsely report that the back-end server is unresponsive. To correct this problem, the olimit should be increased. However, the value of olimit must be atleast 3 less than the value of connection pool size.
Health Check Status Interval Configuration

The ibm-slapdStatusInterval attribute represents the time interval between health check runs scheduled by the server. This attribute is not a dynamic attribute and the default value is set to 0. The value 0 disables the health check. An administrator can modify the value of this attribute to best suit the environment.

High consistency and failover when high consistency is configured

Sometimes, high consistency is required by applications. For instance, an application may write some data then immediately perform a search to ensure the update was correct. In a high consistency environment, the proxy server does not round robin read operations. Instead, the proxy server directs all read and write operations for a single partition to a single back-end server.

High Consistency is configurable on a per split basis. To enable high consistency, you need to set the attribute ibm-slapdProxyHighConsistency to true.

The sample entry below specifies that High consistency is enabled for the split container having partition base o=sample.

Sample Entry

dn: cn=o\=sample split, cn=ProxyDB, cn=Proxy Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
cn: o=sample split
ibm-slapdProxyNumPartitions: 1
ibm-slapdProxyPartitionBase: o=sample
ibm-slapdProxySplitName: samplesplit
ibm-slapdEnableAutoFailBack: true
ibm-slapdProxyHighConsistency: true
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry
objectclass: ibm-slapdProxyBackendSplitContainer

All read and write operations within a single partition are directed to a single back-end. When the primary back-end server goes down the proxy will failover to a secondary server that is configured. All read and write operations will then be directed towards that server until the primary server is restored.

Weighted Prioritization of backend servers

The proxy server prioritizes back-end servers into 5 possible tiers. At a given time the proxy server will only use servers in one tier. When all the write servers within a tier fail the proxy server will failover to the second tier. When the second tier fails it will failover to the third tier, so on and so forth.

Weighted prioritization is configurable for each back-end server within a split. This is done by setting a value for the attribute ibm-slapdProxyTier. The default value for this attribute is 1 and if the attribute is not present the proxy will treat the back-end server as a tier one server. Valid values for this attribute range from 1 to 5.

During startup, all servers in all tiers will be contacted. If the administrator wants the proxy server to start up even if some of the back-end servers in different tiers are not available, then server groups can be used. For more information about server groups, see "Server groups" on page 411.
Failover between proxy servers

In a proxied directory, failover support between proxies is provided by creating an additional proxy server that is identical to the first proxy server. These are not the same as peer masters, the proxy servers have no knowledge of each other and must be managed through a load balancer.

A load balancer, such as IBM WebSphere Edge Server, has a virtual host name that applications use when sending updates to the directory. The load balancer is configured to send those updates to only one server. If that server is down, or unavailable because of a network failure, the load balancer sends the updates to the next available proxy server until the first server is back on line and available. Refer to your load balancer product documentation for information on how to install and configure the load balancing server.

Note: In a load-balanced proxy environment, if a proxy server fails, the first operation sent to it fails and returns an error. All subsequent operations are sent to the failover proxy server. The first operation that failed can be retried. It is not automatically sent to the failover server.

Setting up backup replication for a distributed directory with proxy servers

In this example you are going to set up a distributed directory and use replication to provide read and write backup capabilities. The three partitions for the suffix o=sample has a corresponding hash value (H1, H2, or H3). Each partition has its own replication site consisting of two peer servers and a replica to provide the read write backup capabilities. Each proxy server has knowledge of all the servers in the topology (indicated by the dashed connections). The relationships among the servers in each replication site is represented by the solid lines.
To create this scenario you must

1. Create an LDIF file for the data you are going to partition. See “Creating an LDIF file for your data entries” on page 412
2. Create a replication topology for the data subtree. See “Setting up the replication topology” on page 413
3. Create a second replication topology for the cn=ibmpolicies subtree. See “Setting up a topology for global policies” on page 414.
4. Set up the proxy servers. See “Setting up proxy servers” on page 415
5. Partition existing data. See “Partitioning the data” on page 415
6. Load the data. See “Loading the partitioned data” on page 415
7. Start replication. See “Starting replication” on page 419

For more information about setting up replication, see Chapter 14, “Replication,” on page 283.

Server groups

If the proxy server is unable to contact a backend server, or if authentication fails, then proxy server startup fails and the proxy server starts in configuration only mode by default, unless server groupings have been defined in the configuration file.

Server groupings enable the user to state that several backend servers are mirrors of each other, and proxy server processing can continue even if one or more backend servers in the group is down, assuming that at least one backend server is online. Connections are restarted periodically if the connections are closed for some reason, such as the remote server is stopped or restarted.

The proxy configuration file supports a special set of entries that enable a directory administrator to define server groups in the configuration file. Each group contains a list of backend servers. As long as at least one backend server in each group can be contacted, the proxy server will start successfully and service client requests,
though performance might be degraded. Each backend server in the entry is
defined to have an OR relationship, and all the entries have an AND relationship.

The directory administrator must define the server groups using idsldapadd and
idsldapmodify to add and modify the required entries. The directory administrator
must ensure that each of the backend servers is placed in a server group and that
the backend servers in each server group contain the same partition of the
directory database. For example, suppose that server1 and server2 are peers of
each other, with server3 and server4 being separate peers, that is, server1 and
server2 hold a disjoint data set from server3 and server4. In this case, a user would
add server1 and server2 in a server group entry under the cn=configuration suffix,
and server3 and server4 in a separate server group entry. If either server1 or
server2 is up, then the proxy server can proceed to check if either server3 or
server4 is online. If neither server3 or server4 is up, then the proxy server starts in
configuration only mode.

In addition to the server grouping, the administrator must add the serverID of
each backend server in the server group entry. If the server is down, no root DSE
information can be gained, and the serverID is needed for determining the
supplier/consumer relationships throughout the topology.

Any backend servers not in a server group that are offline at proxy server startup
cause the proxy server to start in configuration only mode.

The following is an example of user-defined server groupings:

dn: cn=serverGroup, cn=ProxyDB, cn=Proxy Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas,
cn=Configuration

  cn: serverGroup

  ibm-slapdProxyBackendServerDN: cn=Server1,cn=ProxyDB,cn=Proxy Backends,
cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas,cn=Configuration

  ibm-slapdProxyBackendServerDN: cn=Server2,cn=ProxyDB,cn=Proxy Backends,
cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas,cn=Configuration

  objectclass: top

  objectclass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry

  objectclass: ibm-slapdProxyBackendServerGroup

Notes:

1. In each entry pointed to by ibm-slapdProxyBackendServerDn, the attribute
   ibm-slapdServerId must be added, with its value identical to the value on
   the corresponding backend server.

2. Web Administration Tool support for server groupings is not available. It is the
   administrator's responsibility to keep these entries in sync and correct with the
distributed configuration. LDAP protocol must be used to maintain the entries.

Creating an LDIF file for your data entries

To create an LDIF file (mydata.ldif) for the data entries in the subtree o=sample if
they currently reside on a server:

- Issue the command:

  idsdb2ldif -o mydata.ldif -s o=sample -I instance_name

  -k key seed -t key salt

Note: You must use the -I option if there is more than one instance. You must use
the -k and -t options if keys on the server are not in sync.
Attention:

- If you are exporting data that will be imported into an Advanced Encryption Standard (AES)-enabled server and if the two servers are not cryptographically synchronized, see Appendix J, “Synchronizing two-way cryptography between server instances,” on page 653 for information about cryptographic synchronization of servers.

- If all the backend servers in a distributed directory environment are not configured for the SHA-2 family of algorithms (SHA-224, SHA-256, SHA-384, and SHA-512) or salted version of the SHA-2 family of algorithms (SSHA-224, SSHA-256, SSHA-384, and SSHA-512) then data encrypted using these family of algorithms should not be added through the Proxy server. This is because if data encrypted using these family of algorithms are added to the backend servers that is not configured for these family of algorithms, then the server will assume the data to be in clear text and consequently data corruption might occur.

See the `idsdb2ldif` command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for more information.

Setting up the replication topology

Ensure that you understand replication concepts and terms before attempting to create this scenario. See Chapter 14, “Replication,” on page 283, if you do not understand the concept of replication.

In this topology created using the Web Administration Tool, each partition is treated as a separate replication site. However, there are no gateway servers in this topology because you do not want the partitioned data to be replicated to the other partitions.

**Note:** At this point you are creating the topology. Do not load any entry data.

1. Log onto ServerA and, if you have not already done so, add the subtree `o=sample`. Doing this makes ServerA a master server for `o=sample`. See “Adding a subtree” on page 359.

2. Create a set of credentials for the topology. See “Adding credentials” on page 361.

3. Add ServerA2 as a peer-master server. See “Adding a peer-master or gateway server” on page 365.

4. Add ServerA3 as a replica. Ensure that the supplier agreement with ServerA2 is selected. See “Adding a replica server” on page 367.

**Note:** You can either log on to ServerB and ServerC to create similar topologies as you did with ServerA or continue to create the topology from ServerA. Remember that if you continue to add the topology from ServerA, you must deselect any agreements that the Web Administration Tool tries to create that are not appropriate for the topology. For example, no agreement can exist between any of the "A" servers and any of the "B" or "C" servers. Conversely, none of the "B" servers can have any agreements with any of the "A" or "C" servers.


7. Add ServerB3 as a replica. Deselect any supplier agreements from ServerA and ServerA2 are selected. See “Adding a replica server” on page 367.


For more information about setting up replication, see Chapter 14, “Replication,” on page 283.

Setting up a topology for global policies

You need to set up a second topology for the cn=ibmPolicies subtree to replicate global policy updates. For example you could use the same topology setup that you created for o=sample and make ServerA, ServerB, and ServerC gateway servers.

In this topology any updates made to any one of the servers is updated to all the servers.

Ensure that you create the appropriate agreements between the replication sites. See “Setting up a gateway topology” on page 338 and “Managing gateway servers” on page 371 for information on how to set up this kind of a topology.

You do not have to use the same topology model that you set up for the data subtree. You could create a topology in which servers A, A2, B, B2, C, and C2 are all peer servers with agreements amongst themselves and the replica servers A3, B3, and C3. The only requirement is that all the servers in your data subtree topology are included in the cn=ibmpolicies subtree topology.
Note: Remember that schema changes are not replicated by the proxy servers. Entries that update the schema must be made on each of the proxy servers and on one of the peer-master servers in the cn=ibmpolicies topology.

Setting up proxy servers

1. Set up a proxy server, Proxy A:

   Follow the directions in "Setting up the proxy server" on page 396 to set up your proxy server. Remember that when the instructions tell you to repeat steps for ServerB and ServerC, you need to perform those steps for ServerA2, ServerA3, ServerB2, ServerB3, ServerC2, and ServerC3 as well.

   Note: Remember to assign the correct partition values, when assigning partition values to the backend servers.

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Server name</th>
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<td>ServerA3</td>
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<td>ServerC</td>
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<td>ServerC2</td>
<td>3</td>
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<td>ServerC3</td>
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</table>

2. Set up the second proxy server, Proxy B, the same way you set up Proxy A.

3. Add a load balancer such as IBM WebSphere Edge Server.

Partitioning the data

To partition the data contained in the mydata.ldif file you created for the subtree o=sample, issue the following command:

    ddsetup –I ProxyA -B "o=sample" –i mydata.ldif

where

ProxyA: Is the proxy server instance

Loading the partitioned data

The correct LDIF output must be loaded on to the server with the correct corresponding partition index value, otherwise the proxy server is not able to retrieve the entries.

Depending upon the amount of your data, use idsldif2db or idsbulkload to load the data to the appropriate backend servers. Again, depending on the amount of data, loading the appropriate LDIF file to each server might be more efficient than having the data replicated.

- ServerA (partition index 1) - ServerA.ldif
- ServerA2 (partition index 1) - ServerA2.ldif
- ServerA3 (partition index 1) - ServerA3.ldif
- ServerB (partition index 2) - ServerB.ldif
- ServerB2 (partition index 2) - ServerB2.ldif
- ServerB3 (partition index 2) - ServerB3.ldif
- ServerC (partition index 3) - ServerC.ldif
- ServerC2 (partition index 3) - ServerC2.ldif
- ServerC3 (partition index 3) - ServerC3.ldif
Monitor Search

Administrators can use monitor search to determine the current status of the proxy server. Monitor search does not actively query for status but it simply reports the current status that is available to the proxy server. This implies that if a back-end server is down and the proxy server has not discovered it yet then it will not be reported in the search result. A monitor search for “cn=partitions, cn=proxy, cn=monitor” will return one entry for each split point, partition, and server in each partition.

Note:
- On a proxy server the cn=monitor search will show operations as completed before they are really completed. If operation counts are needed to detect actual completed operations, the cn=proxy,cn=monitor search must be used.
- In a proxy server environment a single request from a client can map to multiple different kinds of requests in the proxy environment. For example, a bind maps to a compare, search, and a series of extended operations to evaluate group membership.

An example of monitor search for the searchbase “cn=partitions, cn=proxy, cn=monitor” is given below:

```bash
idsldapsearch -D adminDN -w adminpw -h servername -p portnumber -b cn=partitions,cn=proxy,cn=monitor -s base objectclass=* 
```

This command returns the following information:

**Split Point Entry:**
- ibm-slapdProxySplitName= configured name , cn=partitions, cn=proxy, cn=monitor
- ibm-slapdProxyPartitionBase= configured_base
- ibm-slapdProxyHighConsistencyEnabled = true|false
- ibm-slapdProxyCurrentTier = tier_number #the current tier that the proxy server uses to process operations.

**Partition Entry:**
- ibm-slapdProxyPartitionIndex= index value , ibm-slapdProxySplitName= configured name , cn=partitions,cn=proxy, cn=monitor
- ibm-slapdProxyPartitionStatus : (active, readonly, unavailable)
- ibm-slapdProxyPartitionIndex= index value

**Server Entry:**
- ibm-slapdPort= port + ibm-slapdProxyBackendServerName= server URL , ibm-slapdProxyPartitionIndex= index value ibm-slapdProxySplitName= configured name , cn=partitions, cn=proxy, cn=monitor
- ibm-slapdServerStatus: (active, unavailable)
- ibm-slapdProxyCurrentServerRole: (primarywriteserver, readonlyserver, writeserver, notactive)
- ibm-slapdProxyConfiguredRole: (primarywriteserver, readonlyserver, writeserver)
- ibm-slapdProxyNumberOfActiveConnections: connection count

where
- ibm-slapdProxyPartitionStatus:
  - active: If atleast one write server is active.
  - readonly: If no write servers are active, but atleast one read server is active.
- unavailable: No servers are active in the partition.

- **ibm-slapdServerStatus:**
  - active: The server is up and the proxy server has established connections to the server.
  - unavailable: The server is either started in configuration mode, or the proxy server is unable to establish a connection to the server with the proper authority.

- **ibm-slapdProxyCurrentRole:**
  - primarywriteserver: The server is active and receiving all the write requests. If high consistency is enabled the server is also receiving all the read requests.
  - readonlyserver: The server is active and available for read only requests. the server will only be used if high consistency is disabled, or all the write servers are down.
  - writeserver: The server is active and available. If high consistency is enabled, this server will not be used until failover. If high consistency is disabled, this server will be used as a read server until a failover situation.
  - notactive: This means that the server is currently not being used in this partition. This can mean one of two things: the server is unreachable, or the server is up, but has not been restored in this partition.

- **ibm-slapdProxyConfiguredRole:** This is the role that the server was configured as. If no roles were specifically configured this value is set based on the proxy server's own discovery algorithm at start up.

- **ibm-slapdProxyNumberOfActiveConnections:** This is the actual number of connections that are open to the backend server.

**Note:** If the connection is secure, *ibm-slapdSecurePort* attribute will be used instead of *ibm-slapdPort*.

A monitor search for *cn=proxy,cn=monitor* will provide counters for each kind of operation requested and completed by the proxy back-end. The filter supported by this search is *objectclass=*". The counters related to all the back-end servers configured in the proxy server is given as an output of the monitor search. Following counters are returned by the proxy backend monitor search:

- **ops_requested** - The number of operations requested by the Proxy Backend.
- **ops_completed** - The number of operations completed by the Proxy Backend.
- **search_requested** - The number of search operations requested by the Proxy Backend.
- **search_completed** - The number of search operations completed by the Proxy Backend.
- **binds_requested** - The number of bind operations requested by the Proxy Backend.
- **binds_completed** - The number of bind operations completed by the Proxy Backend.
- **unbinds_requested** - The number of unbind operations requested by the Proxy Backend.
- **unbinds_completed** - The number of unbind operations completed by the Proxy Backend.
- **addsRequested** - The number of add operations requested by the Proxy Backend.
- **adds_completed** - The number of add operations completed by the Proxy Backend.
- deletes_requested - The number of delete operations requested by the Proxy Backend.
- deletes_completed - The number of delete operations completed by the Proxy Backend.
- modrdns_requested - The number of modrdn operations requested by the Proxy Backend.
- modrdns_completed - The number of modrdn operations completed by the Proxy Backend.
- modifies_requested - The number of modify operations requested by the Proxy Backend.
- modifies_completed - The number of modify operations completed by the Proxy Backend.
- compares_requested - The number of compare operations requested by the Proxy Backend.
- compares_completed - The number of compare operations completed by the Proxy Backend.
- abandons_requested - The number of abandons operations requested by the Proxy Backend.
- abandons_completed - The number of abandons operations completed by the Proxy Backend.
- extops_requested - The number of extended operations requested by the Proxy Backend.
- extops_completed - The number of extended operations completed by the Proxy Backend.
- unknownops_requested - The number of unknown operations requested by the Proxy Backend.
- unknownops_completed - The number of unknown operations completed by the Proxy Backend.
- total_connections - The number of connections between the proxy backend and backend servers configured for the proxy server.
- total_ssl_connections - The number of ssl connections between the proxy backend and backend servers configured for the proxy server.
- used_connections - The number of used connections between the proxy backend and backend servers configured for the proxy server.
- used_ssl_connections - The number of used ssl connections between the proxy backend and backend servers configured for the proxy server.
- total_result_sent – The number of results sent by the proxy backend to the client since the proxy server was started.
- total_entries_sent - The number of entries sent by the proxy backend to the client since the proxy server was started.
- total_success_result_sent - The number of success results sent by the proxy backend to the client since the proxy server was started.
- total_failed_result_sent - The number of failed results sent by the proxy backend to the client since the proxy server was started.
- total_references_sent - The number of references sent by the proxy backend to the client since the proxy server was started (related to referrals).
- transactions_requested - The number of transaction operations requested by the Proxy Backend.
- transactions_completed - The number of transaction operations completed by the Proxy Backend.
transaction_prepare_requested - The number of prepare transaction operations requested by the Proxy Backend.

transaction_prepare_completed - The number of prepare transaction operations completed by the Proxy Backend.

transaction_commit_requested - The number of commit transaction operations requested by the Proxy Backend.

transaction_commited - The number of commit transaction operations completed by the Proxy Backend.

transaction_rollback_requested - The number of rollback transaction operations requested by the Proxy Backend.

transaction_rollbacked - The number of rollback transaction operations completed by the Proxy Backend.

Transactions in proxy server

Transactions enable an application to group a set of entry updates. The proxy server can process concurrent transaction requests where all operations target a single backend server.

The proxy server utilizes the backend servers’ transaction functionality to complete the transaction requests. Transactions are enabled on the proxy server only if they are enabled on the backend servers. A message is logged at startup if the backend servers have transactions enabled. In addition, the prepare transaction extended operation is enabled only if it is enabled on the backend servers. A message is logged at start up if the backend servers do not support the prepare transaction request.

For best results, the maximum number of transactions configured on the proxy server must be at least one less than the number of connections available to each backend server. For example, if the connection pool value is set to 10, then the maximum number of transactions should be set to 9 or less. Also, if the backend servers have a small timeout value, then the proxy server’s transactions will get rolled back on the smaller transaction timeout value.

Starting replication

If replication has not automatically started, you will need to unquiesce the subtree and restart the queues for each of the servers. See "Quiescing the subtree" on page 360 and "Managing queues" on page 378 for information on how to do those tasks.
Chapter 16. Directory Server backup and restore

Security Directory Server provides methods for backing up and restoring directory server instance information. There are methods that back up the complete information for a directory server instance, and methods that back up only the data in the database. Use the information in “Methods that back up complete directory server instance information” and “Methods that back up database information only” on page 422 to help you choose a backup and restore method.

Methods that back up complete directory server instance information

Security Directory Server provides two mechanisms for backing up and restoring complete directory server instance information: basic and enhanced. These mechanisms can back up not only the directory server instance data (stored in a DB2 database), but also the associated configuration and schema files for the directory server instance.

You can find information about the basic method in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Installation and Configuration Guide under the sections Creating a new instance for which you specify all settings and Backing up the directory server instance. Also, you can find information about the basic method in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference (see the information about the idsdbback and idsdbrestore commands).

Information about the enhanced method is contained in this chapter and in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference (see the information about the ldapexop utility with the extended operations option -op backuprestore).

Both methods provide the option to perform online or offline backups. (Online backups can be performed while the server is running or stopped; offline backups must be performed while the server is stopped.) The backups are always stored on the server where they are taken. However, there are differences in where and how you can request the backup.

With either of these two methods, the backups do not back up the following files, which you must back up separately:
- idsinstances.ldif
- SSL related files: keys, key stash files, CRL files
- IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator solution files

After investigating these methods, choose one and use it exclusively. Do not mix the two methods.

The following table compares the two methods.

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<th>Feature</th>
<th>Basic method</th>
<th>Enhanced method</th>
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<tr>
<td>Request from</td>
<td>Local server</td>
<td>Remote or local server</td>
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Table 39. Comparison of basic and enhanced backup and restore methods (continued)

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<th>Feature</th>
<th>Basic method</th>
<th>Enhanced method</th>
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<tr>
<td>Interface used</td>
<td>Instance Administration Tool or the <code>idsdbback</code> and <code>idsdbrestore</code> commands</td>
<td>Web Administration Tool or <code>ldapexop</code> utility</td>
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<tr>
<td>Backup location</td>
<td>Can be taken to a different location each time; overwrites the previous backup only if the backup is performed to the same location.</td>
<td>Provides a way to configure the backup location and method that will be used for all the backups requested through this mechanism.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Store one or multiple backups</td>
<td>Multiple backups</td>
<td>Stores only one backup at a time and overwrites previous backups when the new backup is successfully taken</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Restores</td>
<td>Administrator can choose from any backup location on the disk</td>
<td>Allows a restore only from the most current backup taken</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Scheduling</td>
<td>One time request that backs up or restores to a specific location specified at the time of the backup</td>
<td>Provides the option to schedule backups one time, daily or weekly.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Online or offline</td>
<td>Can perform online or offline backups.</td>
<td>Can perform online or offline backups.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Backs up directory server data and associated configuration and schema files</td>
<td>Provides option to back up only configuration files</td>
<td>Backs up data and associated configuration and schema files</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Administrator management</td>
<td>More required. Administrators must better manage their disk space.</td>
<td>Less required. Only one backup location.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Backs up and restores DB2 parameters</td>
<td>Backs up and restores DB2 configuration parameters and database optimization parameters</td>
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Methods that back up database information only

As an alternative to Security Directory Server complete backup and restore mechanisms, there are two other methods that you can use to back up and restore only the directory server instance data that is stored in the DB2 database. These methods back up the DB2 data but not Security Directory Server-specific configurations such as the schema. One method also preserves DB2 configurations. The two methods are described in the following list:

- You can use the Security Directory Server LDIF export and import commands, `idsdb2ldif` and `idsldif2db`, to export the data into an LDIF file and restore it from the LDIF file. See the section Importing LDIF data with the Configuration Tool in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Installation and Configuration guide for information about using the Configuration Tool, or the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for information about the commands. These commands do not preserve DB2 configurations. They work across all dissimilar hardware platforms, but they are relatively slow.

- You can use DB2 backup and restore commands to back up and restore the data. This method preserves the DB2 configurations and is fast. This method works
For best results, use either the basic or enhanced method described in "Methods that back up complete directory server instance information" on page 421 unless there are special circumstances you must address, such as backing up and restoring data across dissimilar hardware platforms.

Enhanced backup

The enhanced backup method enables you to back up the directory server instance data and the associated configuration and schema files for the directory server instance. The enhanced backup method provides options to perform both online and offline backups.

Note:

- Online Backup configuration can be done either during the initial database configuration or from the database backup tool.
- If online backup is configured in the server’s configuration file and the administrator changes the backup location path, the server needs to be stopped for the first backup following the change. Subsequent backups can be performed with the server online.
- For servers configured for online backups it is important to schedule recurring backups or logs will grow too large for the file system.
- Removal of online backup configuration can be done using the database configuration tool.
- Backed up database and server files are replaced after each successful backup. However, if the backup operation fails, the previous backup is still available.
- Proxy servers must be backed up using the basic method. For more information, see IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Installation and Configuration Guide.
- Changelog data can be backed up if desired.
- To backup or restore to multiple paths you must use the Instance administration tool. For more information, see IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Installation and Configuration Guide.
- For all backup operations, ensure that the administration server is running.

To configure the directory server for backup and restore, use one of the following methods:

Using Web Administration

If you have not done so already, click Server administration in the Web administration navigation area, and then click Manage backup/restore in the expanded list. On the Manage backup/restore panel, the Backup/Restore status tab is selected by default.

The Backup/Restore status tab displays the following information:
Backup enabled
Specifies whether backup is enabled for a directory server instance or not.
The value of this field can be "true" or "false". The backupenabled attribute is associated with this field.

Backup change log enabled
Specifies whether backup is configured for change log or not. The value of this field can be "true" or "false". The backupchangelog attribute is associated with this field.

Backup type
Specifies whether an online backup or offline backup is configured for a directory server instance. If the backup type is online, the value of this field will be "ONLINE". If the backup type is offline, the value of this field will be "OFFLINE".

Backup frequency
Specifies the frequency at which the backup will be performed for a directory server instance. The value of this field can be "one time", "daily", "weekly", or "one time and recurring" depending on the type of schedule that a user had configured on the Schedule directory server backup tab. If a user does not choose any options, then "none" is displayed in the field.

Backup status
Specifies the current status of the backup. The status of the backup can be one of the following:
• SCHEDULED
• NOT SCHEDULED
• BACKUP IN PROGRESS
The backupstatus attribute is associated with this field.

Previous successful backup
Specifies the date and time when the last successful backup was performed in YYYY-MM-DD-hh:mm format. If backup was never been done for a directory server instance, then "none" is displayed. The backuplastdone attribute is associated with this field.

Previous backup location
Specifies the configured path where the last backup was performed. If backup is not configured for a directory server instance, then "none" is displayed in this field.

Next scheduled backup
Specifies the date and time when the next backup is scheduled in YYYY-MM-DD-hh:mm format. If backup is not configured for a directory server instance, then "none" is displayed in this field. The backupnextscheduled attribute is associated with this field.

Next backup location
Specifies the location where the next backup is to be performed. If backup is not configured for a directory server instance, then "none" is displayed in this field.

Restore status
Specifies the current restore status. The restore status can be one of the following:
• RESTORE IN PROGRESS
• RESTORE COMPLETED yyyy-MM-dd-hh:mm
• none
The restorestatus attribute is associated with this field.

You can click Refresh to refresh the information on this panel

**Configure directory server backup**

If you have not done so already, click **Server administration** in the Web administration navigation area, and then click **Manage backup/restore** in the expanded list. Click the **Configure directory server backup** tab.

**Note:** If the directory server is not running and the Web administration tool is connected to the administration server, then a message such as "Connected to administration server. Not all values are available." will be displayed.

On this tab, you can do the following:

- Enable or disable backup for a directory server
- Enable or disable backup for change log
- Set the backup type
- Set a path for backup and restore

Directory server backup can be configured by the following users:

- Primary directory administrator
- Local administration group member having all of the following roles:
  - DirDataAdmin, ServerStartStopAdmin, ServerConfigGroupMember, and SchemaAdmin

To configure backup and restore settings for a directory server instance, do the following:

1. Select the **Enable backup of directory server** check box to enable backup for the selected directory server instance.

2. Select the **Enable backup of changelog** check box to enable backup for the changelog database.

   **Note:** This check box will be available only if the changelog is configured for the directory server instance.

3. To specify a backup type, select one of the following:

   - Click **Online backup** to enable online backup for a directory server instance.
   - Click **Offline backup** to enable offline backup for a directory server instance.

   **Note:** Online backups can be performed while the server is running or stopped and offline backups must be performed while the server is stopped.

4. Specify a path for backup and restore operations in the **Backup/Restore location** field. If the specified location does not exist on the computer, then the path will be created.

   **Note:**

   - The instance owner must have write permission on the specified backup location.
   - When specifying a path for directory server backup, you must ensure that the specified path has adequate space for two directory backups since the previous backup is retained until the current backup is completed successfully. If online backups are scheduled, you must ensure that there is adequate space for up to a week’s worth of
inactive archive log files. If online backups are not scheduled, a
directory administrator must monitor the space used by inactive logs
and remove them periodically.

5. When you are finished, do one of the following:
   • Click OK to apply your changes and exit this panel.
   • Click Apply to apply your changes and stay on this panel.
   • Click Cancel to exit this panel without making any changes.

**Perform directory server backup**

If you have not done so already, click Server administration in the Web
administration navigation area, and then click Manage backup/restore in the
expanded list. Click the Perform directory server backup tab.

This tab will be available only if the server returns the following:

• Server capability OID 1.3.18.0.2.32.87 on the root DSE search, which suggests
  that the server is capable of configuring the backup and restore configuration
  entry.

• The ServerBackupRestore LDAP extended operation OID 1.3.18.0.2.12.81 in the
  supported extension for the administration server on the root DSE search.

The administration server uses the idsdbback command to process backup
requests. The idsdbback command is used to backup directory server instance’s
data and configuration files. If you are performing backup for a directory server
instance for the first time, the directory server instance must be stopped before
performing backup. For a first time online backup, you must stop the directory
server if the database is not configured for online backup. This is because online
backups require changes to the database configuration. After the initial backup, the
directory server instance state can be running or stopped when performing an
online backup. However, for an offline backup the directory server instance must
be stopped. The web administration tool will guide you through stopping the
server.

The backup operation can only be performed by the following users:

• Primary directory administrator

• Local administration group member having all of the following roles:
  DirDataAdmin, ServerStartStopAdmin, ServerConfigGroupMember, and
  SchemaAdmin

The **Perform directory server backup** tab will not be displayed to any other user.

The Perform directory server backup tab displays the following information:

**Backup type**

Specifies the type of backup configured for a directory server instance.
Depending on the type of backup configured, the value of this field can be
"ONLINE" or "OFFLINE". The backuponline attribute is associated with
this field.

**Backup status**

Specifies the current status of the backup. The status of the backup can be
one of the following:

• SCHEDULED
• NOT SCHEDULED
• BACKUP IN PROGRESS
The backupstatus attribute is associated with this field.

**Previous successful backup**
Specifies the date and time when the last successful backup was performed in YYYY-MM-DD-hh:mm format.

**Backup location**
Specifies the path where the backup would be stored. The backuplocation attribute is associated with this field. If a backup location is not configured, then the Perform directory server backup tab will not be available.

Do the following:
- To take a first time online backup when database is not configured for online backup, click **Stop server and backup now**.
- To take online backup of a directory server instance when database is configured for online backup, click **Backup now**.
- To take an offline backup while server is running, click **Stop server and backup now**.
- To take an offline backup while server is stopped, click **Backup now**.
- To view logs related to the backup operation, click **View logs**.

**Note:** The web administration tool will only display one of the above mentioned options depending on the current state.

You can click **Refresh** to refresh the information on this panel.

**Schedule directory server backup**
If you have not done so already, click **Server administration** in the Web administration navigation area, and then click **Manage backup/restore** in the expanded list. Click the **Schedule directory server backup** tab.

**Note:** Scheduling an offline backup will cause the server to stop the backup to be taken and the server will be restarted. However, scheduled online backups do not stop the server.

On this tab, you can configure a schedule to perform the backup operation for a directory server instance. To configure the scheduling of backup, do the following:

1. To take backup once for a directory server, select the check box under the section One time and specify a date and time. You can select a date using the calendar icon.

   **Note:**
   - User can select One time, Recurring, or both of the options to schedule backup operations.
   - If the backup type is online but the database is not configured for online backup, then the controls under the sections One time and Recurring will be disabled and scheduling of backup will not be allowed until you perform the first backup using the **Perform directory server backup** tab.

2. To take directory server backup after a specific interval of time in a recurring manner, select the check box under the section Recurring and specify the duration. Here, the duration can be daily or a day of the week.

3. When you are finished, do one of the following:
   - Click **OK** to apply your changes and exit this panel.
• Click **Apply** to apply your changes and stay on this panel.
• Click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

**Perform directory server restore**

If you have not done so already, click **Server administration** in the Web administration navigation area, and then click **Manage backup/restore** in the expanded list. Click the **Perform directory server restore** tab.

The administration server uses the idsdbrestore command to process restore requests. This command restores directory server instance's data and configuration files. To perform restore operation, the directory server instance must be stopped.

The restore operation can only be performed by the following users:
• Primary directory administrator
• Local administration group member having all of the following roles:
  - DirDataAdmin, ServerStartStopAdmin, ServerConfigGroupMember, and
  - SchemaAdmin

The **Perform directory server restore** tab will not be displayed to any other user.

The Perform directory server restore tab displays the following information:

**Restore status**
- Specifies the status of the restore operation.

**Restore location**
- Specifies the configured path from where the backup should be restored.
  - The backuplocation attribute is associated with this field.

**Restore from backup**
- Specifies the date and time in yyyy-MM-dd-hh:mm format of the previous backup.

Do the following:
• To restore a directory server instance while server is running, click **Stop server and restore now**.
• To restore a directory server instance while server is stopped, click **Restore now**.
• To view logs related to the restore operation, click **View logs**.

**Note:** The web administration tool will display only one of the above mentioned options depending on the server state.

You can click **Refresh** to refresh the information on this panel.

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**Using the command line**

To display backup status, issue the following command:

```
idsldapsearch -h ldaphost -p port -D binddn -w password
-s base -b cn=backup,cn=monitor objectclass=* 
```

To configure backup, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -h ldaphost -p port -D binddn -w password -i backup.ldif
```

Where backup.ldif contains:

```
dn: cn=RDBM Backup, cn=Configuration
ibm-slapdBackupAt: 2008-04-14-16:55
```
In this example, one time as well as recurring backups is scheduled by setting the
ibm-slapdBackupAt and the ibm-slapdBackupEvery attribute respectively. The
attributes ibm-slapdBackupAt and the ibm-slapdBackupEvery must be set in the
following format:

- `ibm-slapdBackupAt`: YYYY-MM-DD-hh:mm
- `ibm-slapdBackupEvery`: D-hh:mm, where 0=Sunday, 6=Saturday, and 7=Every
day

**Note:** If backups are configured to be done online, the first backup must be
performed with the directory server offline. You must not schedule an online
backup before performing the first backup offline or the backup will fail.

To notify the admin server about the changes in the server configuration, issue the
following command:

```bash
idsldapexop -h ldaphost -p admin_port -D binddn -w password
-op readconfig -scope subtree 'CN=RDBM BACKUP, CN=CONFIGURATION'
```

To initiate backup of a directory server instance request remotely, issue the
following command:

```bash
idsldapexop -h ldaphost -p admin port -D binddn -w password
-op backuprestore -action backup
```

**Note:** The type of backup and the backup location are determined by how the
server is configured for backups. The configuration must be done before
issuing the idsldapexop command.

To restore a directory server instance remotely, issue the following command:

```bash
idsldapexop -h ldaphost -p ldap port -D binddn -w password
-op backuprestore -action restore
```

**Note:** For more information about backing up and restoring directory server
instance information using `ldapexop` utility with the extended operations
option `-op backuprestore`, see IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1
Command Reference.
IBM Security Directory Server provides several logging utilities that can be viewed either through the Web Administration Tool or the system command line.

- "Modifying global log settings" on page 434
- "Modifying administration server log settings" on page 435
- "Enabling the administration server audit log and modifying administration audit log settings" on page 436
- "Enabling the server audit log and modifying server audit log settings" on page 440
- "Modifying bulkload log settings" on page 450
- "Modifying tools log settings" on page 452
- "Modifying DB2 log settings" on page 453
- "Modifying lost and found log settings" on page 454
- "Modifying the server log" on page 456

Notes:

1. In the Web Administration Tool the Logfiles link in each task title bar accesses the Web Administration console log files. IBM Security Directory Server log files are accessible by using the procedures specified in the following sections.

2. On Windows-based systems, if a path begins with the drive letter and a colon, it is assumed to be the full path. A path without the drive letter, starts in the installation tree. As examples: c:\tmp\mylog is a full path, while \tmp\mylog is interpreted as c:\idsslapd-instance_name\tmp\mylog.

Only the administrator or members of the administrative group can view or access log information.

## Default log paths

You can configure log files to track various operations that are run against a directory server. If you do not configure log files, the log details are recorded in the default log path.

The directory server records the logs in the following default log path:

**AIX, Linux, and Solaris**

```
instance_directory/idsslapd-instance_name/logs
```

The variables are used for the following purpose:

- `instance_directory`: Specifies the home directory of the directory server instance owner.
- `instance_name`: Specifies the name of the directory server instance.

**Windows**

```
drive\idsslapd-instance_name\logs
```

The variables are used for the following purpose:

- `drive`: Specifies the drive where the directory server instance is created.
- `instance_name`: Specifies the name of the directory server instance.
If you change the default error log path for a directory server, ibmslapd.log, or an administration server, idsdiradm.log, the server takes the following actions:

1. Writes the log messages to the default log file from the time the server restarts until it parses the ibm-slapdLog attribute.
2. Writes the log messages to the custom log path after the server parses the ibm-slapdLog attribute that contains the custom log path.

**Log management tool**

The log management tool enables the LDAP administrator to limit the size of log files. The tool process, idslogmgmt, wakes up every 15 minutes, checks the log files sizes, and moves log files that exceed the maximum log size threshold into an archive file. The number of archived logs can also be limited. Except for the administrative tools' and the idslogmgmt's log, the configuration settings for the logs are located in the ibmslapd configuration file. See the idslogmgmt command information in the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference* for more information.

**Note:** The log management tool requires that you have IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator installed.

### Specifying custom location for an instance's idslogmgmt.log file

By default, the idslogmgmt tool when run as a instance owner with the -I instance option or as root without -I option logs information to the following file:

**On UNIX-based systems**

```
/var/idsldap/V6.3.1/idslogmgmt.log
```

**On Windows systems**

```
DS_install_directory\var\idslogmgmt.log
```

However, when the tool is run by a user with root permission it overrides the file permissions of the idslogmgmt.log file to read-only for other users, thereby not allowing an instance owner to log information in the idslogmgmt.log file specific to an instance.

To specify a custom location for the idslogmgmt.log file to log information when using the idslogmgmt -I instance command, user must set the environment variable IDSLMG_LOG_PATH. Do the following to specify a custom location for the idslogmgmt.log file:

1. Create a directory where you want to store the idslogmgmt file. Ensure that the instance owner has the required access rights on the directory.
2. Log in to the system using the instance owner's credentials.

**Note:** On UNIX, if a user has logged with credentials other than instance owner, run `su - instance_owner`.

3. Set the environment variable, IDSLMG_LOG_PATH, and export the variable. For example:

**On UNIX-based systems**

```
export IDSLMG_LOG_PATH=/directoryForLog
```

**On Windows systems**

```
set IDSLMG_LOG_PATH=C:\directoryForLog
```
4. From the same console, start the idslogmgmt tool. For example:
   
   ```
   idslogmgmt -I instance_name
   ```
   
   This will create the idslogmgmt.log file under the location specified in the
   IDSLMG_LOG_PATH environment variable. However, IBM Tivoli Directory
   Integrator AssemblyLine startup messages will be logged in the
   `instance_home/idsslapd-instance/etc/logmgmt/idslogmgmt.log` file.

   If the environment variable is not set and the idslogmgmt command is run with
   the -I instance option, the information will be logged in the `instance_home/
   idsslapd-instance/etc/logmgmt/idslogmgmt.log` file.

   **Attention:** Security Directory Server may crash if the size of any log file exceeds
   the size of the system file size limit. Such a situation may typically occur when
   tracing is enabled on the server.

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### Default log management

A new configuration entry is created for the default log file management. This
entry contains the default log settings for the all logs with the exception of the
ibm-slapdLog attribute. These settings can be overridden in the specific log
management entries described in the following section. By default the entry will
not have attributes; hence, there will be no log limits enforced. Here is the
description of the entry:

```yaml
dn: cn=default, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold:
ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives:
ibm-slapdLogArchivePath:
objectclass: top
objectclass: ibm-slapdLogConfig
objectclass: ibm-slapdConfigEntry
objectclass: container
```

The following attributes are defined:

**ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold**

When this size threshold, in MB, is exceeded the file will be archived.

**ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives**

The maximum number of archived logs.

**ibm-slapdLogArchivePath**

The path where the archived logs will be placed.

By default, the idslogmgmt application logs data to the following file on UNIX:

```
/var/idsldap/V6.3.1/idslogmgmt.log
```

and to the following file on Windows:

```
DS_install_directory/var/idslogmgmt.log
```

The following are the default values for the log management of idslogmgmt.log:

- The default threshold is 10 MB.
- The maximum number of archive files is 3.
- The archive location will be the same as the original log location.
Modifying global log settings

If you have the Log Management Tool and IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator installed, then you can set the default maximum log size threshold, the maximum number of log archives, and Log archive path values. For example, if you want to keep only three archived logs for each log, you can set the maximum log archives value to three for all the logs using the global log settings. The global log settings apply to all logs. The global log settings apply to all log management entries unless they are overridden by specifying the settings explicitly for individual log entries.

To edit Global log settings, use one of the following methods:

**Using the Web Administration Tool**

1. Select Global log settings and click the Edit settings button or select Edit settings from the Select Action drop-down list and click Go.
2. Specify the threshold size for the log in MB under Log size threshold (MB). If you want to specify a size limit in MB, select the option and specify a numeric value in the field. Otherwise, select Unlimited.
3. Specify the maximum number of logs to be archived. If you want to specify the maximum number of logs to be archived, select the option and specify a numeric value in the field. If you don't want to archive logs, select No archives. To set it to unlimited, select Unlimited.
4. Specify the path name for logs to be archived. If you want to specify a path name, select the option and enter the absolute path name for logs to be archived. To specify the archive path same as that of log file, select Same directory as of log file.
5. Specify the frequency between two cycles of Event by selecting an item from the Select frequency check box.
6. Specify the start date and start time for Event in the Starting on fields. You can also click the calendar icon to specify the start date. The start time should be in the following format: 12:30:00 PM.
7. After you have finished, do one of the following:
   - Click Next to continue with the configuring of log settings.
   - Click Finish to save the changes and return to the Modify log settings panel.
   - Click Cancel to discard changes made on this panel and to navigate to the Modify log settings panel.

**Using the command line**

Issue the command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=Default, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold
ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold: size threshold in MB
- replace: ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives
ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives: number of log archives to save
- replace: ibm-slapdLogArchivePath
ibm-slapdLogArchivePath: archived logs path
```
Modifying administration server log settings

An administration server is a limited LDAP server that accepts extended operations to stop, start, and restart the LDAP server. The administration server log (idsdiradm.log is the default file name) enables you to view status and errors encountered by the administration server.

To modify the administration server log settings, use one of the following methods. Remember that individual log settings override the Default log settings.

Using Web Administration Tool

1. Expand Logs in the navigation area, click Modify log settings.
2. Click Administration server log.
3. Enter the path and file name for the administration server error log. Ensure that the file exists on the LDAP server and that the path is valid. See “Default log paths” on page 431 for default log paths.

   Note: If you specify a file that is not an acceptable file name (for example, invalid syntax or if the server does not have the rights to create and/or modify the file), the attempt fails with the following error: LDAP Server is unwilling to perform the operation.

4. Under Log size threshold (MB) select the first radio button and enter the maximum log size in Megabytes. If you do not want to limit log size, select the Unlimited radio button instead.

5. Under Maximum log archives, select one of the following:
   - If you want to specify a maximum number of archived logs, select the radio button with an edit window next to it. Enter the maximum number of archives you want to save. One archived log is an earlier log that reached its size threshold.
   - If you do not want to archive logs, select No archives.
   - If you do not want to limit the number of archived logs, select Unlimited.

6. Under Log archive path, do one of the following:
   - If you want to specify the path where archives are kept, select the radio button with an edit window next to it and enter the desired path.
   - If you want to keep the archives in the directory where the log file is located, select the Same directory as log file radio button.

7. Under Log Schedule, do the following:
   - Specify the frequency between two cycles of Event by selecting an item from the Select frequency check box.
   - Specify the start date and start time for Event in the Starting on fields. You can also click the calendar icon to specify the start date. The start time should be in the following format: 12:30:00 PM.

8. Click Apply to apply your changes and continue working with logs, or click OK to save your changes and to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel. Click Cancel to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel without saving any changes.

9. You must stop the server for changes to take effect. See “Starting and stopping the server” on page 82. After stopping the server you must also stop and start the administration server locally to resynchronize the ports.
   - Issue the commands:
Using the command line

Issue the command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```plaintext
dn: cn=Admin, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdLog
ibm-slapdLog: newpathname
  replace: ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold
ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold: size threshold in MB
  replace: ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives
ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives: number of log archives to save
  replace: ibm-slapdLogArchivePath
ibm-slapdLogArchivePath: archived logs path
```

You must stop the server for changes to take effect. After stopping the server you must also stop and start the administration server locally to resynchronize the ports. Start the server.

```bash
ibmdirctl -D AdminDN -w AdminPW -p portnumber stop
ibmdirctl -D AdminDN -w AdminPW -p portnumber admstop
idsdiradm
ibmdirctl -D AdminDN -w AdminPW -p portnumber start
```

Enabling the administration server audit log and modifying administration audit log settings

Audit logging is used to improve the security of the directory server. The directory administrator and administrative group members who are assigned AuditAdmin or ServerConfigGroupMember role can use the records stored in the audit log to check for suspicious patterns of activity in an attempt to detect security violations.
If security is violated, the administration server audit log (adminaudit.log is the default file name) can be used to determine how and when the problem occurred and perhaps the amount of damage done.

**Note:**
- The Primary directory administrator and administrative group members with Audit administrator and Server configuration group member roles are the only users who can access the administration server audit log settings.
- Failed connection attempts are audited only if they fail after reaching the LDAP server. Connections that fail in the SSL layer, network, or operating system layer are not audited.

To modify the administration audit log settings, use one of the following methods. Remember that individual log settings override the **Default log settings**.

**Note:** The administration server audit log audits binds, unbinds, searches and extended operations.

### Using Web Administration Tool

1. Expand **Logs** in the navigation area, click **Modify log settings**.
2. Click **Administration server audit log**.
3. Select **Enable admin server audit logging** to use the audit log utility with the administration server.

   **Note:** The default setting is enabled. You only need to select the check box, if you have previously disabled the administration server audit log.

4. Enter the path and file name for the administration server audit log. Ensure that the file exists on the LDAP server and that the path is valid. See “Default log paths” on page 431 for default log paths.

   **Note:** If you specify a file that is not an acceptable file name (for example, invalid syntax or if the server does not have the rights to create and/or modify the file), the attempt fails with the following error: **LDAP Server is unwilling to perform the operation**.

5. Under **Log size threshold (MB)** select the first radio button and enter the maximum log size in Megabytes. If you do not want to limit log size, select the **Unlimited** radio button instead.

6. Under **Maximum log archives**, select one of the following:
   - If you want to specify a maximum number of archived logs, select the radio button with an edit window next to it. Enter the maximum number of archives you want to save. One archived log is an earlier log that reached its size threshold.
   - If you do not want to archive logs, select **No archives**.
   - If you do not want to limit the number of archived logs, select **Unlimited**.

7. Under **Log archive path**, do one of the following:
   - If you want to specify the path where archives are kept, select the radio button with an edit window next to it and enter the desired path.
   - If you want to keep the archives in the directory where the log file is located, select the **Same directory as log file** radio button.

8. Under **Log Schedule**, do the following:
• Specify the frequency between two cycles of Event by selecting an item from the Select frequency check box.

• Specify the start date and start time for Event in the Starting on fields. You can also click the calendar icon to specify the start date. The start time should be in the following format: 12:30:00 PM.

9. Under Operations to log, do the following:
   • Select the Bind check box to enable logging for bind operation. Otherwise, to disable logging for bind operation, clear the check box.

   • Select the Unbind check box to enable logging for unbind operation. Otherwise, to disable logging for unbind operation, clear the check box.

   • Select the Search check box to record LDAP search operations performed by any client. Otherwise, to disable search, clear the check box.

   • Select the Add check box to records additions to LDAP. Otherwise, to disable this feature, clear the check box.

   • Select the Modify check box to record modifications to LDAP. Otherwise, to disable this feature, clear the check box.

   • Select the Delete check box to records deletions from LDAP. Otherwise, to disable this feature, clear the check box.

   • Select the Modify RDN check box to record modifications made to RDNs. Otherwise, to disable this feature, clear the check box.

   • Select the Event notification check box to record event notifications. Otherwise, to disable this feature, clear the check box.

   • Select the Extended operations check box to enable logging for extended operations. Otherwise, to disable logging for extended operations, clear the check box.

10. Click Apply to apply your changes and continue working with logs, or click OK to save your changes and to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel. Click Cancel to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel without saving any changes.

Using the command line

Issue the command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where filename contains:

- `dn: cn=Admin Audit, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration`
- `changetype: modify`
- `replace: ibm-audit ibm-audit: true`
- `replace: ibm-slapdLog ibm-slapdLog: newpathname`
- `replace: ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold: size threshold in MB`
- `replace: ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives: number of log archives to save`
- `replace: ibm-slapdLogArchivePath ibm-slapdLogArchivePath: archived logs path`
- `replace: ibm-auditbind ibm-auditbind: {TRUE|FALSE}`
To update the settings dynamically, issue the following commands:

```
idsldapexop -p port -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig \
-scope entire
```
```
idsldapexop -p administration_port -D adminDN -w adminPW \
-op readconfig -scope entire
```

Disabling the administration server audit log

To disable audit logging:

Using Web Administration

1. Expand **Logs** in the navigation area, click **Modify log settings**.
2. Click **Administration server audit log**.
3. Deselect **Enable admin server audit logging**.
4. Click **Apply** to apply your changes and continue working with logs, or click **OK** to save your changes and to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel. Click **Cancel** to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel without saving any changes.

Using the command line

Issue the command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:
To update the settings dynamically, issue the following commands:

```bash
dsladpxop -p port -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope entire
dsladpxop -p administration_server_port -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope entire
```

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### Configuring preaudit records

Auditing can be configured to audit operations before they complete. This is known as pre-auditing. When pre-audit records are enabled, the audit plugin is invoked to update an audit record before the operation completes. To enable pre-auditing, you must set the value of the `IBMSLAPD_PREOP_AUDIT` environment variable to "YES". This can be done by accessing the environment variable or by using the `ldapmodify` command with the following format:

```bash
ldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW
dn: cn=Front End, cn=configuration
changetype: modify
add: ibm-slapdSetEnv
ibm-slapdSetEnv: IBMSLAPD_PREOP_AUDIT=YES
```

**Note:**

- The server must be restarted for the changes to take effect.
- Pre-auditing must be used only for debugging purposes. It changes the format and breaks tools that parse the logs.

An example of a pair of diagnostic audit records when pre-audit is enabled, where the sequence identifier is 3: "PREOP: 3" and "POSTOP: 3", is as follows:

```
AuditV3--2007-08-29-11:44:32.912-06:00DST--V3 PREOP: 3 threadId: 1161116592
Search--bindDN: cn=root--client: 127.0.0.1:1044--connectionID: 3--received: 2007-08-29-11:44:32.912-06:00DST--Success
criticality: false
base: o=sample
scope: baseObject
derefAliases: neverDerefAliases
typesOnly: false
filter: (objectclass=*)
```

```
AuditV3--2007-08-29-11:44:33.092-06:00DST--V3 POSTOP: 3 threadId: 1161116592
Search--bindDN: cn=root--client: 127.0.0.1:1044--connectionID: 3--received: 2007-08-29-11:44:32.912-06:00DST--Success
criticality: false
base: o=sample
scope: baseObject
derefAliases: neverDerefAliases
typesOnly: false
filter: (objectclass=*)
```

---

### Enabling the server audit log and modifying server audit log settings

Audit logging is used to improve the security of the directory server. A default audit plug-in is provided with the server. Depending on the audit configuration parameters, this plug-in might log an audit entry in the default or specified audit log for each LDAP operation the server processed. The administrator can use the...
activities stored in the audit log to check for suspicious patterns of activity in an attempt to detect security violations. If security is violated, the audit log can be used to determine how and when the problem occurred and perhaps the amount of damage done. This information is very useful, both for recovery from the violation and, possibly, in the development of better security measures to prevent future problems. You can also write your own audit plug-ins to either replace, or add more processing to, the default audit plug-in. For more information about plug-ins, see the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Server Plug-ins Reference.

**Note:** Failed connection attempts are audited only if they fail after reaching the LDAP server. Connections that fail in the SSL layer, network, or operating system layer are not audited.

The following server events are audited if auditing is enabled:
- Auditing started
- Audited stopped
- Audit configuration changed
- Server started
- Server stopped

Server events are audited in the following format:

`Time—Message Text in local code page`

For example:

```
```

The audit log displays log entries chronologically. Each non-message entry contains a general information header followed by operation-specific data. For example,

```
2013-03-23-16:01:01.345-06:00—V3 Bind--bindDN:cn=root
 --client:9.1.2.3:12345--
 ConnectionID:12--received:2013-03-23-16:01:01.330-06:00
 --success
 name: cn=root
 authenticationChoice: simple
```

If the audit version is version 2 the header contains “AuditV2—”.

```
```

If the audit version is version 3 the header contains “AuditV3—”

```
```

UniqueID:

If the audit version is set to 1, no additional information is audited.

If the audit version is set to 2 or greater, then the following is TRUE:
- If the control is a Proxy authorization control, then the following additional information is audited:
  - ProxyDN: Proxy Auth DN
- If the control is a Group authorization control, and audit is configured to audit the groups sent on a Group authorization control, then the following additional information is audited:
  - Group: Group Name
- Group: Group Name 2 (repeat for each group)
- Normalized: TRUE or FALSE

- If the control is an Audit control, and audit is configured to audit the additional information in the Audit control, then the following additional information is audited:
  - RequestID: request ID 1
  - RequestID: request ID 2 (repeat for each additional request ID)
  - ClientIP: client IP sent in the audit control

- If the control is a Replication update ID control, and audit is configured to audit the Replication update ID control, then the following additional information is audited:
  - value: value sent in the control

**Note:** For an operation, one of the following is printed:
- Unknown
- Bind
- Unbind
- Search
- Add
- Modify
- Delete
- ModifyDN
- event notification: registration
- event notification: unregister
- extended operation
- Compare

The header is in the following format:

**Timestamp** "-" 
The local time the entry is logged, that is, the time the request was processed. The timestamp is in the format YYYY-MM-DD-HH:MM:SS.mmm=(or-)HH:MM. The =(or=)HH:MM is UTC offset. mmm is milliseconds.

**Version number+[SSL|TLS]+[unauthenticated or anonymous] Operation "-"**
Shows the LDAP request that was received and processed. Version number is either V2 or V3. **SSL** displays only when SSL was used for the connection. **TLS** displays only when TLS is used for the connection. **unauthenticated or anonymous** displays to indicate whether the request was from an unauthenticated or anonymous client. Neither unauthenticated or anonymous display if the request is from an authenticated client.

**bindDN:**
Shows the bind DN. For V3 unauthenticated or anonymous requests, this field is *CN=NULLDN*.

**client:Client IP address:Port number "-"**
Shows the client IP address and port number.
ConnectionID: xxxx "--"
Is used to group all the entries received in the same connection, meaning
between the bind and unbind, together.

received: Timestamp 2 "--"
Is the local time when the request was received, or to be more specific, the
beginning time when the request was processed. Its format is the same as
Timestamp 1.

Result or Status string
Shows the result or status of the LDAP operation. For the result string, the
textual form of the LDAP resultCode is logged, for example, success or
operationsError, instead of 0 or 1.

UniqueID
The uniqueID is the unique request ID to store in the control. The clientIP
is the client’s original IP to store in the control. If critical is true the
criticality of the control will be set to true; if false the criticality will be set
to false.

Operation-specific data follows the header and displays operation-specific data, for
example,
• Bind:
  – name: bindDN string
  – authenticationChoice: unknown, simple, krbv42LDAP, krbv42DSA, sasl
  – authenticationMechanism: CRAM-MD5
  – Admin Acct Status: Not Locked, Locked, or Lock Cleared
  – username: adminusername (for DIGEST-MD5 only)
  – mappedname: cn=root (for DIGEST-MD5 w/ authzid only)
  – authzId: u: username (for DIGEST-MD5 with authzid only)
• Search:
  – base: o=ibm_us, c=us
  – scope: unknown, baseObject, singleLevel, or wholeSubtree
  – derefAliases: unknown, neverDerefAliases, derefInSearching,
    derefFindingBaseObj, or derefAlways
  – typesOnly: FALSE
  – filter: (&(cn=c*)(sn=a*))
  – attributes: cn, sn, title (this item is not present if there are no attributes)
• Compare:
  – entry: cn=Joe Smith, o=ibm_us, c=us
  – attribute: cn

  Note: The attribute value is not written.
• Add:
  – entry: cn=Joe Smith, o=ibm_us, c=us
  – attributes: cn, sn

  Note: The attribute value is not written.
• Modify:
  – object: cn=Joe Smith, o=ibm_us, c=us
  – add: mail
Modify types can be one of the following:
- unknown
- add
- delete
- replace

- **Delete:**
  - entry: cn=Joe Smith, o=ibm_us, c=us

- **ModifyDN:**
  - entry: cn=Joe Smith, ou=Austin, o=ibm_us, c=us
  - newrdn: Joe S. Smith
  - deleteoldrdn: true
  - newSuperior: ou=rochester (this item is not present if there is no newSuperior value)

- **Event Notification: Event Registration:**
  - eventID: LDAP_change
  - base: o=ibm_us, c=us
  - scope: wholeSubtree
  - type: unknown, changeAdd, changeDelete, changeModify, or changeModDN

- **Event Notification: Unregistered Event:**
  - ID: hostname.uuid

By default the audit log is disabled.

**Note:** Members of the administrative group can view the audit log and settings but not modify them. Only the administrator is enabled to access, change or clear the audit log files.

To enable audit logging and modify logging settings, use one of the following methods. Remember that individual log settings override the default log settings.

**Using Web Administration**

1. Expand **Logs** in the navigation area, click **Modify log settings**.
2. Click **Server Audit log**.

**Note:**
- The directory administrator and administrative group members are the only users who can access this panel.
- On some platforms, logging is provided through standard operating system logging mechanisms. On these platforms, this panel cannot be used to configure directory server logs. For example, on an OS/400® platform, the directory server job log contains all server messages. However, in the case of i5/OS directory server version 6.1 and above, the Audit log panel is displayed and directory server logs for audit can be configured.
- If you have the Log Management Tool installed, you can set the Log size threshold, Maximum log archives, and Log archive path values. Values entered into these fields will not take effect if the Log...
Select **Enable server audit logging** to use the audit log utility.

Enter the **Path and file name** for the audit log. The audit log can also be directed to something other than a file, for example, a line printer. Ensure that the file exists on the ldap server and that the path is valid. See “**Default log paths**” on page 431 for default log paths.

**Note:** If you specify a file that is not an acceptable file name (for example, invalid syntax or if the server does not have the rights to create and/or modify the file), the attempt fails with the following error: *LDAP Server is unwilling to perform the operation.*

5. **Under Log size threshold (MB)** select the first radio button and enter the maximum log size in Megabytes. If you do not want to limit log size, select the **Unlimited** radio button instead.

6. **Under Maximum log archives**, select one of the following:
   - If you want to specify a maximum number of archived logs, select the radio button with an edit window next to it. Enter the maximum number of archives you want to save. One archived log is an earlier log that reached its size threshold.
   - If you do not want to archive logs, select **No archives**.
   - If you do not want to limit the number of archived logs, select **Unlimited**.

7. **Under Audit version**, select the audit version you want to use. Version 1 maintains previous audit logging capabilities for any applications that parse the audit log. Version 2 enables you to log extended operations, however, you might need to modify existing applications that parse the audit log. Version 3, the default value, also writes out a unique ID, if the server generates one for the request. The unique ID only appears on the proxy server and is printed between the header information and any control data.

8. **Under Audit log level**, do one of the following:
   - If you want to log only failed attempts, select the **Only failed attempts** radio button.
   - If you want to log all attempts, select the **All attempts** radio button.

9. **Under Log archive path**, do one of the following:
   - If you want to specify the path where archives are kept, select the radio button with an edit window next to it and enter the desired path.
   - If you want to keep the archives in the directory where the log file is located, select the **Same directory as log file** radio button.

10. **Select the operations you wish to log.** Consult the field help for additional information about the various operations you can log.
    - **Bind** - records connections to the server
    - **Unbind** - records disconnections from the server
    - **Search** - records LDAP search operations performed by any client
    - **Add** - records additions to LDAP
    - **Modify** - records modifications to LDAP
    - **Delete** - records deletions from LDAP
    - **Compare** - records compare operations
    - **Modify RDN** - records modifications made to RDNs
    - **Event notification** - records event notifications
- **Extended operations** - records extended operations performed against the server.

- **Group values sent on group control** - records the groups defined in the group control.

- **Attributes sent on group evaluation extended operation** - records attributes sent with the group evaluation extended operation.

11. Under **Log Schedule**, do the following:

- Specify the frequency between two cycles of Event by selecting an item from the **Select frequency** check box.

- Specify the start date and start time for Event in the **Starting on** fields. You can also click the calendar icon to specify the start date. The start time should be in the following format: 12:30:00 PM.

12. Click **Apply** to apply your changes and continue working with logs, or click **OK** to save your changes and to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel. Click **Cancel** to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel without saving any changes.

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**Using the command line**

Issue the command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=Audit, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-audit
ibm-audit: true
-
replace: ibm-slapdLog
ibm-slapdLog: newpathname
-
replace: ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold
ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold: size threshold in MB
-
replace: ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives
ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives: number of log archives to save
-
replace: ibm-slapdLogArchivePath
ibm-slapdLogArchivePath: archived logs path
-
replace: ibm-auditadd
ibm-auditadd: (TRUE|FALSE)
#select TRUE to enable, FALSE to disable
-
replace: ibm-auditbind
ibm-auditbind: (TRUE|FALSE)
#select TRUE to enable, FALSE to disable
-
replace: ibm-auditdelete
ibm-auditdelete: (TRUE|FALSE)
#select TRUE to enable, FALSE to disable
-
replace: ibm-auditextopevent
ibm-auditextopevent: (TRUE|FALSE)
#select TRUE to enable, FALSE to disable
-
replace: ibm-auditfailedoponly
ibm-auditfailedoponly: (TRUE|FALSE)
#select TRUE to enable, FALSE to disable
```

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Disabling the audit log

To disable audit logging use one of the following methods:

**Using Web Administration**

Click **Server administration** in the Web Administration navigation area and then click **Logs** in the expanded list.
1. Click **Modify log settings**.
2. Click **Server audit log**.
3. Deselect **Enable audit logging**.
4. Click **Apply** to apply your changes and continue working with logs, or click **OK** to save your changes and to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel. Click **Cancel** to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel without saving any changes.

**Using the command line**

Issue the command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:
Performance profiling

IBM Security directory server provides information about the run-time performance of the server using a performance trace based on the independent trace facility (ldtrc). Additionally, Security Directory Server provides information indicative of performance hotspots during operation execution in the audit record for each operation. Hence, the server can publish performance information in:

- A performance trace, based on the independent trace facility.
- Audit logs.

Performance profiling through the independent trace facility

The performance profile information in trace is intended to help users diagnose performance problems. By using the independent trace facility, performance profiling is accomplished with minimum impact on server performance. The independent trace facility profiles operation performance that consists of timestamps at key points traversed during an operation execution for a running server instance. The timestamps are profiled during different stages such as the following:

- RDBM search processing
- RDBM bind processing
- RDBM compare processing
- RDBM write processing

Note: Timestamp collection points for individual operations are provided only for the RDBM backend.

The instance configuration option ibm-slapdStartupTraceEnabled governs the tracing of performance records at server startup. With dynamic tracing (ldaptrace client utility), the independent trace utility can be made to start or stop collecting performance records after server startup. To activate tracing of performance records dynamically, do the following:

1. Activate tracing for performance records. To do this, issue the ldaptrace command of the following format:
   
   `ldaptrace -h hostname -p port -D adminDN -w adminpwd -l on \ 
   -t start -- -perf`

2. Dump the trace to a binary trace file. To do this, issue the following command:
   
   `ldtrc dmp trace.bin`

3. Format the trace. To do this, issue the following command:
   
   `ldtrc fmt trace.bin trace.txt`

After formatting the trace you can analyze the trace and diagnose performance problems. To turn off tracing, issue the following command:

`ldtrc off`

Given below is an example of formatted performance trace:

```
prf_entry LD PERF FrontEnd::operation_in_workQ (3.100.98.1.1.0) 
pid 10255; tid 1167334320; sec 1159183071; nsec 84815000
En-queue bind op; Worker thread ID 1133718448;
Work Q size now = 1; client conn (9.124.231.39: conn ID 1)
```
Auditing for performance profiling

Tracing timestamps using the independent trace facility gives a detailed performance profile. However, to identify performance bottlenecks during operation execution, you can also check the audit log for the summary figures indicating performance hotspots. These hotspots are best provided as a summary.

For instance, the operation response time, time spent in worker queue, the accumulated RDBM lock wait times, and time spent in client I/O per operation. Following are the hotspots identified for auditing:

- When an operation has to wait in the worker thread queue for a long time before the worker thread actually starts executing the operation.
- The time spent for cache contention inside the backend needs to be tracked.
- The time spent in handling client I/O, that is, the time spent in receiving the request and returning the result. This value can also be used for detecting bottlenecks because of slow clients or network issues.

For each operation, performance data field in the audit records is controlled using the configuration option “ibm-auditPerformance”. The value of the “ibm-auditPerformance” field is ‘false’ by default and therefore no performance data will be collected and published by default.

When the value of the “ibm-auditPerformance” field is set to ‘true’, performance data will be collected and published in the audit logs for each operation that is enabled to be audited.

If the “ibm-auditPerformance” field is enabled, that is, set to ‘true’, in audit record section four performance data fields are audited: operationResponseTime, timeOnWorkQ, rdbmLockWaitTime, and clientIOTime. The value of these performance data fields is in milliseconds. A brief description of the performance data fields is given below:

- **operationResponseTime** – This field represents the time difference in milliseconds between the time the operation was received and the time its response was sent. The operation received time and the response sent time of an operation are published in audit v3 header.

- **timeOnWorkQ** – This field represents time in milliseconds spent in the worker queue before execution is initiated on the operation. The value of this field is the difference between the time execution was initiated and the time the operation was received.

- **rdbmLockWaitTime** - This field represents time in milliseconds spent in acquiring locks over RDBM caches during operation execution. The value in this field helps administrators to determine the time spent for cache contention against real work.

  The lock wait time over the following resources are also considered.

  - Resource cache
  - DN cache
  - Entry cache
  - Filter cache
  - Attribute cache
  - Deadlock detector
  - RDBM locks

  **Note:** From IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3, attribute cache is deprecated. You must avoid using attribute cache.
**clientIOTime** – This field represents time in milliseconds that was spent in receiving the complete operation request and returning the complete operation response. This field is implemented in the operation structure and is updated on receiving the complete BER for operation request and on successfully returning the response BER message for the operation.

An example of the audit version 3 format for a search operation issued when ibm-auditPerformance is enabled will look like:

AuditV3--2006-09-09-10:49:01.863-06:00DST--V3 Search--bindDN: cn=root--client: 127.0.0.1:40722--connectionID: 2--received: 2006-09-09-10:49:01.803-06:00DST--Success
controlType: 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.5.1
criticality: false
base: o=sample
scope: wholeSubtree
derefAliases: neverDerefAliases
typesOnly: false
filter: (&(cn=C*)(sn=A*))
operationResponseTime: 591
timeOnWorkQ: 1
rdbmLockWaitTime: 0
clientIOTime: 180

To enable audit for performance data, use one of the following methods:

**Using Web Administration**

1. Expand Logs under Server administration in the navigation area and click Modify log settings.
2. Click Server audit log.
3. Under audit performance data, select the Enable audit for performance data check box to log performance data related to the server in the audit log.

**Using command line**

Issue the following command to enable audit for performance data:

```bash
ldapmodify -h hostname -p port -D adminDN -w adminpwd
```

```bash
dn: cn=Audit,cn=Log Management,Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-auditPerformance
ibm-auditPerformance: true
```

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**Modifying bulkload log settings**

Bulkload is used for loading entries. The bulkload log allows you to view status and errors related to bulkload. See the `idsbulkload` command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference for more information.

To modify the bulkload log settings, use one of the following methods. Remember that individual log settings override the Default log settings.

**Using Web Administration**

1. Expand Logs in the navigation area, click Modify log settings.
2. Click Bulkload log.
3. Enter the path and file name for the error log. Ensure that the file exists on the ldap server and that the path is valid. See "Default log paths" on page 431 for default log paths.
Note: If you specify a file that is not an acceptable file name (for example, invalid syntax or if the server does not have the rights to create and/or modify the file), the attempt fails with the following error: LDAP Server is unwilling to perform the operation.

4. Under Log size threshold (MB) select the first radio button and enter the maximum log size in Megabytes. If you do not want to limit log size, select the Unlimited radio button instead.

5. Under Maximum log archives, select one of the following:
   - If you want to specify a maximum number of archived logs, select the radio button with an edit window next to it. Enter the maximum number of archives you want to save. One archived log is an earlier log that reached its size threshold.
   - If you do not want to archive logs, select No archives.
   - If you do not want to limit the number of archived logs, select Unlimited.

6. Under Log archive path, do one of the following:
   - If you want to specify the path where archives are kept, select the radio button with an edit window next to it and enter the desired path.
   - If you want to keep the archives in the directory where the log file is located, select the Same directory as log file radio button.

7. Under Log Schedule, do the following:
   - Specify the frequency between two cycles of Event by selecting an item from the Select frequency check box.
   - Specify the start date and start time for Event in the Starting on fields. You can also click the calendar icon to specify the start date. The start time should be in the following format: 12:30:00 PM.

8. Click Apply to apply your changes and continue working with logs, or click OK to save your changes and to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel. Click Cancel to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel without saving any changes.

Using the command line

Issue the command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where filename contains:

- cn=Bulkload, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
- changetype: modify
- replace: ibm-slapdLog
- ibm-slapdLog: newpathname
- replace: ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold
- ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold: size threshold in MB
- replace: ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives
- ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives: number of log archives to save
- replace: ibm-slapdLogArchivePath
- ibm-slapdLogArchivePath: archived logs path

To update the settings dynamically, issue the following idsldapexop command:

```bash
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope single "cn=Bulkload, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration" ibm-slapdLog
```
The `idsldapexop` command updates only those attributes that are dynamic. For other changes to take effect you must stop and restart the server. See Appendix L, “Dynamically-changed attributes,” on page 663 for a list of the attributes that can be updated dynamically.

### Modifying tools log settings

The configuration tools log enables you to view status and error messages related to the configuration tools, such as `idscfgdb`, `idsucfgdb`, `idscfgchglog`, `idscfgsuf`, `idsucfgsuf`, `idsdnpw`, `idsxcfg`.

To modify the configuration tools log settings, use one of the following methods. Remember that individual log settings override the default log settings.

#### Using Web Administration

1. Expand **Logs** in the navigation area, click **Modify log settings**.
2. Click **Tools log**.
3. Enter the path and file name for the error log. Ensure that the file exists on the ldap server and that the path is valid. See “Default log paths” on page 431 for default log paths.

   **Note:** If you specify a file that is not an acceptable file name (for example, invalid syntax or if the server does not have the rights to create and/or modify the file), the attempt fails with the following error: LDAP Server is unwilling to perform the operation.

4. Under **Log size threshold (MB)** select the first radio button and enter the maximum log size in Megabytes. If you do not want to limit log size, select the **Unlimited** radio button instead.

5. Under **Maximum log archives**, select one of the following:
   - If you want to specify a maximum number of archived logs, select the radio button with an edit window next to it. Enter the maximum number of archives you want to save. One archived log is an earlier log that reached its size threshold.
   - If you do not want to archive logs, select **No archives**.
   - If you do not want to limit the number of archived logs, select **Unlimited**.

6. Under **Log archive path**, do one of the following:
   - If you want to specify the path where archives are kept, select the radio button with an edit window next to it and enter the desired path.
   - If you want to keep the archives in the directory where the log file is located, select the **Same directory as log file** radio button.

7. Under **Log Schedule**, do the following:
   - Specify the frequency between two cycles of Event by selecting an item from the **Select frequency** check box.
   - Specify the start date and start time for Event in the Starting on fields. You can also click the calendar icon to specify the start date. The start time should be in the following format: 12:30:00 PM.

8. Click **Apply** to apply your changes and continue working with logs, or click **OK** to save your changes and to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel. Click **Cancel** to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel without saving any changes.
Using the command line

Issue the command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

- `dn: cn=Tools, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration`
- `changetype: modify`
- `replace: ibm-slapdLog`
  - `newpathname`
- `replace: ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold`
  - `size threshold in MB`
- `replace: ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives`
  - `number of log archives to save`
- `replace: ibm-slapdLogArchivePath`
  - `archived logs path`

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Modifying DB2 log settings

The DB2 error log (db2cli.log is the default file name) records database errors that occur as a result of LDAP operations.

To modify the DB2 log settings, use one of the following methods. Remember that individual log settings override the Default log settings.

### Using Web Administration

1. Expand **Server administration** in the navigation area, click **Logs**, click **Modify log settings**, click **DB2 log**.
2. Enter the path and file name for the DB2 log. Ensure that the path is valid. If the file does not exist, it is created. The error log can also be directed to something other than a file, for example, a line printer. See “Default log paths” on page 431 for default log paths.

   **Note:** If you specify a file that is not an acceptable file name (for example, invalid syntax or if the server does not have the rights to create and/or modify the file), the attempt fails with the following error: **LDAP Server is unwilling to perform the operation.**

3. Under **Log size threshold (MB)** select the first radio button and enter the maximum log size in Megabytes. If you do not want to limit log size, select the **Unlimited** radio button instead.

4. Under **Maximum log archives**, select one of the following:
   - If you want to specify a maximum number of archived logs, select the radio button with an edit window next to it. Enter the maximum number of archives you want to save. One archived log is an earlier log that reached its size threshold.
   - If you do not want to archive logs, select **No archives**.
   - If you do not want to limit the number of archived logs, select **Unlimited**.

5. Under **Log archive path**, do one of the following:
   - If you want to specify the path where archives are kept, select the radio button with an edit window next to it and enter the desired path.
   - If you want to keep the archives in the directory where the log file is located, select the **Same directory as log file** radio button.
6. Under **Log Schedule**, do the following:
   - Specify the frequency between two cycles of Event by selecting an item from the **Select frequency** check box.
   - Specify the start date and start time for Event in the Starting on fields. You can also click the calendar icon to specify the start date. The start time should be in the following format: 12:30:00 PM.

7. Click **Apply** to apply your changes and continue working with logs, or click OK to save your changes and to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel. Click **Cancel** to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel without saving any changes.

### Using the command line

Issue the command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=DB2CLI, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdLog
  ibm-slapdLog: newpathname
-
replace: ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold
  ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold: size threshold in MB
-
replace: ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives
  ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives: number of log archives to save
-
replace: ibm-slapdLogArchivePath
  ibm-slapdLogArchivePath: archived logs path
```

To update the settings dynamically, issue the following `idsldapexop` command:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope single
  "cn=DB2CLI, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration" ibm-slapdLog
```

The `idsldapexop` command updates only those attributes that are dynamic. For other changes to take effect you must stop and restart the server. See [Appendix L](#), “Dynamically-changed attributes,” on page 663 for a list of the attributes that can be updated dynamically.

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### Modifying lost and found log settings

The lost and found log (LostAndFound.log is the default file name) records errors that occur as a result of a replication conflict.

To modify the lost and found log settings, use one of the following methods. Remember that individual log settings override the Default log settings.

#### Using Web Administration

1. Expand **Logs** in the navigation area, click **Modify log settings**.
2. Click **Lost and found log**.

  **Note:**
The directory administrator and administrative group members are the only users who can access this panel.

On some platforms, logging is provided through standard operating system logging mechanisms. On these platforms, this panel cannot be used to configure or view directory server logs. For example, on an OS/400 platform, the directory server job log contains all server messages. However, in the case of i5/OS directory server version 6.1 and above, the Lost and found log panel is displayed and logs related to errors that occur as a result of a replication conflict can be recorded in the Lost and found log.

If you have the Log Management Tool installed, you can set the Log size threshold, Maximum log archives, and Log archive path values. Values entered into these fields will not take effect if the Log Management Tool is not installed. See the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Troubleshooting Guide for more information about the Log Management Tool.

3. Enter the path and file name for the error log. Ensure that the file exists on the ldap server and that the path is valid. See "Default log paths" on page 431 for default log paths.

   Note: If you specify a file that is not an acceptable file name (for example, invalid syntax or if the server does not have the rights to create and/or modify the file), the attempt fails with the following error: LDAP Server is unwilling to perform the operation.

4. Select the Log members for group entries involved in a conflict check box to log the members of group entries into lost and found log during replication conflict resolution. The "ibm-slapdLogMembers" attribute in the entry "cn=Replication, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration" is associated with this control. The group members' cache should be enabled for performance reasons when group member entries are required to be logged in the lost and found log. If groups have very large number of member entries, it is advisable to disable logging of all members.

   Note: The attribute ibm-slapdLogMembers is significant only in the case of "cn=Replication, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration" entry. For all other log settings, the ibm-slapdLogMembers attribute remains insignificant.

5. Under Log size threshold (MB) select the first radio button and enter the maximum log size in Megabytes. If you do not want to limit log size, select the Unlimited radio button instead.

6. Under Maximum log archives, select one of the following:
   - If you want to specify a maximum number of archived logs, select the radio button with an edit window next to it. Enter the maximum number of archives you want to save. One archived log is an earlier log that reached its size threshold.
   - If you do not want to archive logs, select No archives.
   - If you do not want to limit the number of archived logs, select Unlimited.

7. Under Log archive path, do one of the following:
   - If you want to specify the path where archives are kept, select the radio button with an edit window next to it and enter the desired path.
   - If you want to keep the archives in the directory where the log file is located, select the Same directory as log file radio button.

8. Under Log Schedule, do the following:
Specify the frequency between two cycles of Event by selecting an item from the Select frequency check box.

Specify the start date and start time for Event in the Starting on fields. You can also click the calendar icon to specify the start date. The start time should be in the following format: 12:30:00 PM.

9. Click Apply to apply your changes and continue working with logs, or click OK to save your changes and to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel. Click Cancel to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel without saving any changes.

Using the command line

Issue the command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where filename contains:

```
  dn: cn=Replication, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
  changetype: modify
  replace: ibm-slapdLog
  ibm-slapdLog: newpathname
  -
  replace: ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold
  ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold: size threshold in MB
  -
  replace: ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives
  ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives: number of log archives to save
  -
  replace: ibm-slapdLogArchivePath
  ibm-slapdLogArchivePath: archived logs path
```

Modifying the server log

The error log, ibmslapd.log (this is the default file name), is enabled by default. The error log enables you to view status and error messages related to the server.

To modify the error log settings, use one of the following methods. Remember that individual log settings override the Default log settings.

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1. Expand Server administration in the navigation area, click Logs, click Modify log settings.
2. Click Server log.
3. Enter the path and file name for the error log. Ensure that the path is valid. If the file does not exist, it is created. The error log can also be directed to something other than a file, for example, a line printer. See “Default log paths” on page 431 for default log paths.

   Note: If you specify a file that is not an acceptable file name (for example, invalid syntax or if the server does not have the rights to create and/or modify the file), the attempt fails with the following error: LDAP Server is unwilling to perform the operation.

4. Under Log size threshold (MB) select the first radio button and enter the maximum log size in Megabytes. If you do not want to limit log size, select the Unlimited radio button instead.
5. Under Maximum log archives, select one of the following:
If you want to specify a maximum number of archived logs, select the radio button with an edit window next to it. Enter the maximum number of archives you want to save. One archived log is an earlier log that reached its size threshold.

If you do not want to archive logs, select No archives.

If you do not want to limit the number of archived logs, select Unlimited.

6. Under Log archive path, do one of the following:
   - If you want to specify the path where archives are kept, select the radio button with an edit window next to it and enter the desired path.
   - If you want to keep the archives in the directory where the log file is located, select the Same directory as log file radio button.

7. Under Log Schedule, do the following:
   - Specify the frequency between two cycles of Event by selecting an item from the Select frequency check box.
   - Specify the start date and start time for Event in the Starting on fields. You can also click the calendar icon to specify the start date. The start time should be in the following format: 12:30:00 PM.

8. Select either Low, Medium, or High for the level of error logging.
   - Low logs the least amount of error information, for example,
   - Medium logs a medium amount of error information, for example,
     Oct 13 10:35:41 2009 GLPCOM024I The extended Operation plugin is successfully loaded from libloga.dll.
   - High logs the most amount of error information, for example
     Oct 13 10:37:48 2009 GLPCOM024I The extended Operation plugin is successfully loaded from libloga.dll.

9. Click Apply to apply your changes and continue working with logs, or click OK to save your changes and to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel. Click Cancel to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel without saving any changes.

### Using the command line

Issue the command:
```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:
```
dn: cn=ibmslapd, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-slapdLog
ibm-slapdLog: newpathname
- replace: ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold
ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold: size threshold in MB
- replace: ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives
```
ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives: number of log archives to save
- replace: ibm-slapdLogArchivePath
ibm-slapdLogArchivePath: archived logs path
- replace: ibm-slapdLogOptions
ibm-slapdLogOptions: {l | m | h}

To update the settings dynamically, issue the following idsldapexop command:
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readconfig -scope entire

The idsldapexop command updates only those attributes that are dynamic. For other changes to take effect you must stop and restart the server. See Appendix L, "Dynamically-changed attributes," on page 663 for a list of the attributes that can be updated dynamically.

**Start/stop server tracing**

To start or stop server tracing use the following method

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If you have not done so already, click **Server administration** in the Web Administration navigation area and then click **Logs** in the expanded list. Next, click **Start/stop server tracing**.

On this panel, you can:
- Enable server tracing
- Set the level of trace debug data to be collected
- Specify the debug output file to which the trace information to be send

To enable trace facility:
1. Select the **Enable server tracing** check box to enable tracing for this server instance.
2. Specify a trace debug level in the **Trace debug levels** field.
3. Specify the file to which the trace information should be send in the **Trace debug file** field.
4. After you have finished, do one of the following:
   - Click **OK** to save the changes and return to the Introduction panel.
   - Click **Cancel** to discard changes made and return to the Introduction panel.

### Viewing logs

The following sections show you how to view the IBM Security Directory Server logs. For a selected log file, the View logs panel displays the most recent logs in the View log table in ascending order. The View log table displays 20 rows, where a logged item could span over one or more rows. You can navigate over the pages in the View log table by clicking the navigation arrow provided on the status bar of the table or by entering the page number in the field on the status bar and clicking **Go**.

**View logs using Web Administration**

To view a log using the Web Administration Tool, do the following:
1. Click **Server administration** in the Web Administration navigation area and then click **Logs** in the expanded list. Click **View log**.

**Note:**

- The directory administrator and administrative group members are the only users who can access this panel.
- On some platforms, logging is provided through standard operating system logging mechanisms. On these platforms, this panel cannot be used to view directory server logs. For example, on an OS/400 platform, the directory server job log contains all server messages. However, in the case of i5/OS directory server version 6.0 and above, the Select log combo box will only display Audit log and Lost and found log, provided the ibm-supportedCapability OIDs 1.3.18.0.2.32.80 and 1.3.18.0.2.32.52 for Audit log and Lost and found log respectively are displayed on root DSE search.
- When the Web admin tool is used to access the admin server:
  - The status bar on the View logs panel displays a message indicating that the tool is connected to the admin server. If you access panels that are not supported by admin server, a message is displayed indicating that the functions on the panels are not supported.
  - The View logs panel is enabled based on the capabilities present in rootDSE for ibm-supportedcapabilities attribute.
  - The Clear button on the View logs panel is disabled as the admin server does not support clear log request.

2. Select the log you want to view from the **Select log** drop-down menu; for example, **Lost and Found log**

3. You can:
   - Use the navigation arrows at the bottom of the panel allow you to go to the **Next** page or to the **Previous** page.
   - Select a specific page from the edit menu, for example **Page 6 of 16**, and click **Go** to display that page of the error log.
   - Click **Refresh** to update the entries in the log.
   - Click **Clear log** to delete all entries in the log.

**Note:** Admin Group members cannot clear the Audit logs.

4. Click **Close** to return to the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Introduction panel.

**View logs using the command line**

Use the following procedures to view logs using the command line.

**Viewing the admin server error log**

To view the administration server error log in the default location, issue the following command:

```
more instance_home_directory/idsslapd-instance name/logs/idsdiradm.log
```

Where:

- **instance_home_directory** is the home directory of the directory server instance owner, or the directory you specified when you created the directory server instance.
instance name is the name of the directory server instance.

On a Windows operating system:
more drive\idsslapd-instance name\logs

Where drive is the drive you specified when you created a directory server instance, and instance name is the name of the directory server instance.

Do the following to view the Administration server error log from a system with the IBM Security Directory Server client:
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readlog -log idsdiradm -lines all

Do the following to clear the Administration server error log:
ldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op clearlog -log idsdiradm

Viewing the admin server audit log settings
To view the administration server audit log in the default location, issue the following command:

On a UNIX operating system:
more instance_home_directory/idsslapd-instance name/logs/adminaudit.log

Where:
- instance_home_directory is the home directory of the directory server instance owner, or the directory you specified when you created the directory server instance.
- instance name is the name of the directory server instance.

On a Windows operating system:
more drive\idsslapd-instance name\logs\adminaudit.log

Where drive is the drive you specified when you created a directory server instance, and instance name is the name of the directory server instance.

Do the following to view the administration server log from a system with the IBM Security Directory Server client:
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readlog -log adminAudit -lines all

Do the following to clear the administration server log:
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op clearlog -log adminAudit

Viewing the audit log
To view the audit log in the default location, issue the following command:

On a UNIX operating system:
more instance_home_directory/idsslapd-instance name/logs/audit.log

Where:
- instance_home_directory is the home directory of the directory server instance owner, or the directory you specified when you created the directory server instance.
- instance name is the name of the directory server instance.

On a Windows operating system:
Where drive is the drive you specified when you created a directory server instance, and instance name is the name of the directory server instance.

Do the following to view the audit log from a system with the IBM Security Directory Server client:

```
idslapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readlog -log audit -lines all
```

Do the following to clear the audit log:

```
idslapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op clearlog -log audit
```

**Viewing the Bulkload log**

To view the bulkload log in the default location, issue the following command:

On a UNIX operating system:

```
more instance_home_directory/idsslapd-instance name/logs/bulkload.log
```

Where:

- instance_home_directory is the home directory of the directory server instance owner, or the directory you specified when you created the directory server instance.
- instance name is the name of the directory server instance.

On a Windows operating system:

```
more drive\idsslapd-instance name\logs\bulkload.log
```

Where drive is the drive you specified when you created a directory server instance, and instance name is the name of the directory server instance.

Do the following to view the bulkload error log from a system with IBM Security Directory Server client:

```
idslapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readlog -log bulkload -lines all
```

Do the following to clear the bulkload error log:

```
idslapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op clearlog -log bulkload
```

**Viewing the Configuration tools log**

To view the Configuration tools log in the default location, issue the following command:

On a UNIX operating system:

```
more instance_base_directory/idsslapd-instance name/logs/idstools.log
```

Where:

- instance_base_directory is the home directory of the directory server instance owner, or the directory you specified when you created the directory server instance.
- instance name is the name of the directory server instance.

On a Windows operating system:

```
more drive\idsslapd-instance name\logs\idstools.log
```
Where `drive` is the drive you specified when you created a directory server instance, and `instance name` is the name of the directory server instance.

Do the following to view the Configuration tools log from a system with IBM Security Directory Server client:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readlog -log config -lines all
```

Do the following to clear the Configuration tools log:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op clearlog -log config
```

**Viewing the DB2 log**

To view the DB2 log in the default location, issue the following command:

```
more instance_home_directory/idsslapd-instance name/logs/db2cli.log
```

Where:
- `instance_home_directory` is the home directory of the directory server instance owner, or the directory you specified when you created the directory server instance.
- `instance name` is the name of the directory server instance.

On a UNIX operating system:

```
more drive\idsslapd-instance name\logs\db2cli.log
```

Where `drive` is the drive you specified when you created a directory server instance, and `instance name` is the name of the directory server instance.

Do the following to view the DB2 error log from a system with IBM Security Directory Server client:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readlog -log cli -lines all
```

Do the following to clear the DB2 error log:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op clearlog -log cli
```

**Viewing the Lost and Found error log**

To view the Lost and Found log in the default location, issue the following command:

```
more instance_home_directory/idsslapd-instance name/logs/LostAndFound.log
```

Where:
- `instance_home_directory` is the home directory of the directory server instance owner, or the directory you specified when you created the directory server instance.
- `instance name` is the name of the directory server instance.

On a Windows operating system:

```
more drive\idsslapd-instance name\logs\LostAndFound.log
```

Where `drive` is the drive you specified when you created a directory server instance, and `instance name` is the name of the directory server instance.
Do the following to view the Lost and found error log from a system with IBM Security Directory Server client:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readlog -log LostAndFound -lines all
```

Do the following to clear the Lost and found error log:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op clearlog -log LostAndFound
```

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To view the Configuration tools log in the default location, issue the following command:

On a UNIX operating system:

```
more instance_home_directory/idsslapd-instance name/logs/ibmslapd.log
```

Where:

- `instance_home_directory` is the home directory of the directory server instance owner, or the directory you specified when you created the directory server instance.
- `instance name` is the name of the directory server instance.

On a Windows operating system:

```
more drive\idsslapd-instance name\logs\ibmslapd.log
```

Where `drive` is the drive you specified when you created a directory server instance, and `instance name` is the name of the directory server instance.

Do the following to view the error log from a system with IBM Security Directory Server client:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op readlog -log slapd -lines all
```

Do the following to clear the error log:

```
idsldapexop -D adminDN -w adminPW -op clearlog -log slapd
```

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### Log integration into CBE and CARS format

In an effort to create self-managing environment, IBM has taken initiative in introducing "Autonomic Computing". Autonomic computing is an open standard based architecture that allows systems to configure, heal, optimize, and protect itself. In order to determine the conditions of the different components of the system, it is necessary to standardize the format of the event data so that the system can resolve its current conditions.

To standardize the format of data for the problem determination architecture IBM introduced a common format for log and trace information called the Common Base Event (CBE) format. This format creates consistency across similar fields and improves the availability to correlate across multiple logs. CBE is based on a 3-tupple structured format, which includes:

- Component impacted by a situation, or the source
- Component observing a situation
- Situation data, the properties describing the situation including correlation information

The 3-tupple format makes it possible to write and deploy resource-independent management functions that can isolate a failing component.
In an effort to align IBM Security Directory Server to autonomic computing space, it is a must to have the logs such as error log, audit log, and so on, produced by the Security Directory Server product to provide these logs in CBE format.

IBM Common Auditing and Reporting Service (CARS) component leverages CBE, which is a common format for events proposed by IBM, and IBM Common Event Infrastructure (CEI) technologies to provide an audit infrastructure. The purpose of CBE is to facilitate effective intercommunication among disparate components within an enterprise. In order to effectively process audit data, the CARS component requires the audit data to be in the CBE format. CEI is an IBM strategic event infrastructure for submission, persistent storage, query, and subscription of the CBE events. The CARS component uses the CEI interfaces for submission of events. These events can be denoted as auditable by using configuration options at the CEI Server that stores them in a CEI XML Event store that meets the auditing requirements.

The CARS component allows staging of data from the CEI XML Event store into report tables. IBM products and customers can provide audit reports based on auditable events staged into report tables. The CARS component also supports managing the lifecycle of auditable events, which includes archive, restore, and audit reports on restored archives.

IBM Security QRadar SIEM consolidates log source event data from thousands of devices endpoints and applications that are distributed throughout a network. It performs immediate normalization and correlation activities on raw data to distinguish real threats from false positives. To correlate the activity on Security Directory Server in the perspective of larger IT systems and the network, it is necessary to integrate the Security Directory Server instance audit log files with the QRadar server instance audit logs.

Note: The Security Directory Server log integration with CBE and CARS has been deprecated.

Log management tool for CBE, CEI, and CARS features

To start the execution of the CBE, CEI, and CARS features for a Security Directory Server instance, you need to run the Security Directory Server log management tool, idslogmgmt, as an owner of that instance.

Note: Only one instance of idslogmgmt can be run on a Security Directory Server instance, and only one instance of idslogmgmt that manages the admin tools log can be run.

To implement the CBE, CEI, CARS, and QRadar features, you need to launch IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator and the assembly lines using the idslogmgmt wrapper. The log management assembly lines will initially read and process the parameters passed by the wrapper script. Next, the log management assembly lines read the Security Directory Server instance repository file and determine the version of log management tool associated with the servers installed. For the list of servers, the ibmslapd.conf file is read and the log management settings are retrieved. The tool checks for the setting updates in the Security Directory Server instances’ configuration files in regular intervals. The default interval is 5 minutes. If IDSLMG_CHECK_INTERVAL variable is set, then the value set in this variable takes precedence.
After the log management configuration settings are read from the ibmslapd.conf file, the tool finds the location of logs and performs the appropriate log management activities. The activities can include managing of log disk space usage or converting proprietary format log data into CBE format and sending that data to a file or a CEI server. The activities also include converting the server audit log data into syslog format for the consumption by QRadar.

**Note:** The administration server audit log data is not converted to syslog for integration with QRadar.

When the idslogmgmt tool is run, a pid file, idslogmgmt.pid, containing the process ID will be created and updated in the `instance_home\tmp` directory. This pid file help in determining which idslogmgmt is running or stopped for a Security Directory Server instance when the status action is specified by the log management extend operation. This only applies to instance specific idslogmgmt execution and not in the execution in which admin tools parameters are specified. See the Common Base Event (CBE) features section in *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Troubleshooting Guide* to know more about special case scenarios related to CBE.

### Entries for log management

The log management attributes associated with the CBE, CEI, and CARS feature are placed under the following entries depending on the attributes.

- **cn=default, cn=Log Management, cn=configuration**
  This applies to all log management entries unless they are overwritten by specifying the settings explicitly in the individual log entries.

- **cn=specific_log_name, cn=Log Management, cn=configuration**
  This applies only to the log specified by the entry. The default settings for this log can be overwritten by specifying the settings in this entry. The values for `specific_log_name` are: ibmslapd, audit, tools, bulkload, admin, admin audit, db2cli, replication, and ddsetup.

The configuration attributes that are associated with QRadar integration can be placed only under `cn=Audit, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration`.

### CARS Reports

The CARS report generates the required CBE properties. Security Directory Serve log entries that are mapped to CBE properties are basically categorized into the Base Properties and Security Extension Properties. The Base Properties tables list the properties that are part of the CBE v1.0.1 specification. The Security Extension Properties tables list the properties that are part of the CBE extension for Security Events v0.21 specification. The properties are expressed in XPath statement, which describes where the property is found within a CBE.

### A sample CBE formatted output

A sample CBE formatted output for an audit record would be as given below:

```xml
```

- `controlType`: 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.5.1
- `criticality`: false
- `name`: cn=root
- `authenticationChoice`: simple
- `Admin Acct Status`: Not Locked

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<CommonBaseEvent creationTime="2005-11-14T12:27:37"
xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
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globalInstanceId="i0000000000000000000000000000000"
sequenceNumber="0000000000000000000000000000001"
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subcomponent="audit"
componentIdType="ProductName"
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location="127.0.0.1:389"
locationType="IPV6"
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Configuring log management attributes for CBE, CARS, and QRadar

Using Web Administration
Here, an example of the admin server log is considered. Depending on the log that you select, there might be some change in the controls displayed on the panel.

If you have not done so already, do the following:
1. Click Server administration in the Web Administration navigation area and then click Logs in the expanded list.
2. Click Modify log settings.
3. From the list of logs, select Admin server log.

To modify the admin server log:
1. Enter the path and file name for the administration server log.
2. Under Log size threshold (MB), select one of the following:
   - Select the radio button with the edit field next to it and enter the maximum log size in Megabytes.
   - If you want to use the default limit, select the radio button next to the drop-down menu. Select Default from the drop-down menu.
   - If you do not want to set a limit to the log size, select the radio button next to the drop-down menu. Select Unlimited from the drop-down menu.
3. Under Maximum log archives, select one of the following:
   - Select the radio button with the edit field next to it and enter the maximum number of archives you want to save. One archived log is an earlier log that reached its size threshold.
   - If you want to use the default maximum log archives value, select the radio button next to the drop-down menu. Select Default from the drop-down menu.
   - If you do not want to archive logs, select the radio button next to the drop-down menu. Select No archives from the drop-down menu.
   - If you do not want to limit the number of archived logs, select the radio button next to the drop-down menu. Select Unlimited from the drop-down menu.
4. Under Log archive path, select one of the following:
   - If you want to specify the path where archives are kept, select the radio button with an edit window next to it and enter the desired path.
   - If you want to keep the archives in the directory where the log file is located, select the Default path radio button.
5. Specify the frequency of between two cycles of the CBE feature by selecting an item from the Select frequency check box.
6. Specify the start date and start time for the CBE feature in the Starting on fields. You can also click the calendar icon to specify the start date. The start time should be in the following format: 12:30:00 PM.
7. After you have finished, do one of the following:
   - Click Next to continue with the configuring of log settings.
   - Click Finish to save the changes and return to the Modify log settings panel.
   - Click Cancel to discard changes made on this panel and to navigate to the Modify log settings panel.
To configure log settings for event-formatted log file, do the following:

- Select the **Send log records to event-formatted log file** check box to enable CBE formatted log file for the user.

- Specify the path name to store the CBE formatted log file in the **File path** field.

- Specify the file name in the **File name prefix** field for the CBE formatted log.

- Specify the threshold size for the CBE formatted log file in MB under **Log size threshold (MB)**. If you want to specify a size limit in MB, select the option and specify a numeric value in the field. Otherwise, select **Unlimited**.

- Specify the maximum number of logs to be archived for the CBE formatted log. If you want to specify the maximum number of logs to be archived, select the option and specify a numeric value in the field. To set it to unlimited, select **Unlimited**.

- Specify the path name where CBE formatted log should be archived. If you want to specify a path name, select the option and enter the absolute path name for logs to be archived. To specify the archive path same as that of log file, select **Same directory as of log file**.

- Specify the log level for the CBE formatted log. The available log levels are High, Medium, and Low.

- After you have finished, do one of the following:
  - Click **Back** to go to the previous panel.
  - Click **Next** to continue with the configuring of log settings.
  - Click **Finish** to save the changes and return to Modify log settings panel.
  - Click **Cancel** to discard changes made on this panel and to navigate to the Modify log settings panel.

**Note:**

- If no value is entered in Log archive path, the default value will be assigned.
- If 0 is set in fields that require numerical value, it is considered as "Unlimited" except for "Maximum log archives", where 0 is considered as "No archives".

To configure Common Audit and Reporting Service:

- Select the **Send log records to common audit and reporting service** check box to enable the CBE feature to read Security Directory Server proprietary formatted logs and to convert them to CBE format and to write them to CEI server.

- In the **Host** field, enter the host name of the CEI server.

- In the **Port** field, enter the port number on which the CEI server listens on.

- Specify the log level for the CBE formatted log. The available log levels are High, Medium, and Low.

- After you have finished, do one of the following:
  - Click **Back** to go to the previous panel.
  - Click **Finish** to save the changes and return to Modify log settings panel.
  - Click **Cancel** to discard changes made on this panel and to navigate to the Modify log settings panel.

**To start or stop log management using the Web administration tool:** If you have not done so already, click **Logs** under **Server administration** in the Web Administration navigation area and click **Start/Stop log management** in the expanded list.
Using this panel, the primary administrator and local administrative group members with AuditAdmin or ServerConfigGroupMember role can start and stop the log management service.

To start or stop the log management service:
- Do one of the following:
  - If the log management service is running, click **Stop** to stop the service.
  - If the log management service is stopped, click **Start** to start the service.
- Click **Close** to return to the "Introduction" panel.

**Note:** Configuration of the QRadar integration feature is not supported using the Web administration tool.

**Using the command line**

To set the attribute values for the CBE and CARS feature:

```bash
# idsldapmodify -h host_name -p portnumber -D cn=RDN_value -w password -f file_name
```

where the contents of file_name are:

- `dn: cn=specific_log_name,cn=Log Management,cn=configuration
ibm-slapdLogEventFileEnabled: true`
- `add:ibm-slapdLogCARSEnabled
ibm-slapdLogCARSEnabled: false`
- `add: ibm-slapdLogEventFormat
ibm-slapdLogEventFormat: CBE`
- `add: ibm-slapdLogMgmtStartTime
ibm-slapdLogMgmtStartTime: 200609010000`
- `add: ibm-slapdLogMgmtFrequency
ibm-slapdLogMgmtFrequency: 20`
- `add:ibm-slapdLogEventFileSizeThreshold
ibm-slapdLogEventFileSizeThreshold: 2`
- `add:ibm-slapdLogEventMaxArchives
ibm-slapdLogEventMaxArchives: 2`
- `add:ibm-slapdLogEventFileArchivePath
ibm-slapdLogEventFileArchivePath: path_name/TempDir`
- `add: ibm-slapdLogEventFileOptions
ibm-slapdLogEventFileOptions: h|m|l`
- `add: ibm-slapdLogEventPath
ibm-slapdLogEventPath: /home/inst1/idsslapd-instance_name/logs`
- `add:ibm-slapdLogEventFilePrefix
ibm-slapdLogEventFilePrefix: log_name`
- `add: ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold
ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold: 1`
- `add: ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives
ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives: 1`
- `add: ibm-slapdLogArchivePath
ibm-slapdLogArchivePath: path_name/TempDir1`

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To set the attribute values for QRadar integration, first add the auxiliary objectclass `ibm-slapdQRadarConfig` to `cn=Audit, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration` as follows:

```
# idsldapmodify -h host_name -p portnumber -D cn=RDN_value -w password \
- f file_name
```

where the contents of file_name are:

```
dn: cn=Audit, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
changetype: modify
add: objectclass
objectclass: ibm-slapdQRadarConfig
```

To set the attribute values for QRadar integration:

```
# idsldapmodify -h host_name -p portnumber -D cn=RDN_value -w password \
- f file_name
```

where the contents of file_name are:

```
dn: cn= specific_log_name ,cn=Log Management, cn=configuration
ibm-slapdLogEventQRadarEnabled: true
- add: ibm-slapdLogEventQRadarHostName
  ibm-slapdLogEventQRadarHostName: host_name_of_qradar_instance
- add: ibm-slapdLogEventQRadarPort
  ibm-slapdLogEventQRadarPort: port_of_qradar_instance
- add: ibm-slapdLogEventQRadarMapFilesLocation
  ibm-slapdLogEventQRadarMapFilesLocation: directory_location_of_qradar_mapfiles
```

To start an instance:

```
ibmslapd -I instance_name -n
```

You can start log management locally or remotely. To start log management locally, issue the following command:

```
idslogmgmt -I instance_name
```

To start, get status, and stop log management remotely, issue the following commands:

```
ibmdirctl -D adminDN -w password -h host_name \
- p administration_server_port startlogmgmt
ibmdirctl -D adminDN -w password -h host_name \
- p administration_server_port statuslogmgmt
ibmdirctl -D adminDN -w password -h host_name \
- p administration_server_port stoplogmgmt
```
Expand the Directory management category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool. All the directory entry tasks that you want to perform can be accessed by selecting Manage entries. Two short cuts have been added to the navigation area for the specific tasks of adding an entry and finding (searching for) entries.

You can perform the following operations with directory entries:

- Browse the directory tree
- Add or remove an entry
- Add or remove an auxiliary object class to an entry
- Edit the attributes of an entry
- Copy an entry
- Manage members
- Manage memberships
- Edit ACLs
- Search for entries

### Browsing the tree

If you have not done so already, expand the Directory management category in the navigation area, then click Manage entries. The Manage entries table displays the following column information:

**Select**
- Select the radio button next to the name of an attribute you want to view, edit, copy or delete.

**Expand**
- Indicates an expandable entry. An expandable entry is an entry that has child entries.

**Note:** It is possible that even though the + sign is present, you still might not see any child entries, as ACLs do not permit a user to see child entries.

**RDN**
- Displays the relative distinguished name (RDN) of the entry.

**Object class**
- Displays the object classes of the entry.

**Created**
- Lists the date the entry was created.

**Modified**
- Lists the date the entry was last modified.

**Modified by**
- Lists the identity of the person who last modified the entry.

Select a subtree and click Expand to view the next lower level in the subtree. You can click Collapse/Go to to move one level back up the subtree hierarchy. You can also click Find to locate the entry you want to work on (see “Searching the directory entries” on page 486). After you have located the level for the entry that
you want to work on, select it and choose the operation you want to perform from tool bar or the Select Action drop-down menu.

Adding an entry

**Using Web Administration**

If you have not done so already, expand the Directory management category in the navigation area.

1. Click **Add an entry**.
2. Select a filter object class from the drop-down menu and click **Refresh**.
3. Select one **Structural object class** from the list box.
4. Click **Next**.
5. Select a filter object class from the drop-down menu and click **Refresh**.
6. Select any **Auxiliary object classes** you wish to use from the Available box and click **Add**. Repeat this process for each auxiliary object class you want to add. You can also delete an auxiliary object class from the Selected box by selecting it and clicking **Remove**.
7. Click **Next**.
8. In the **Relative DN** field, enter the relative distinguished name (RDN) of the entry that you are adding, for example, cn=John Doe.
9. In the **Parent DN** field, enter the distinguished name of the tree entry you selected, for example, ou=Austin, o=sample. You can also click **Browse** to select the Parent DN from the list. You can also expand the selection to view other choices lower in the subtree. Specify the your choice and click **Select** to specify the Parent DN that you want. The **Parent DN** defaults to the entry selected in the tree.

**Note:** If you started this task from the Manage entries panel, this field is filled for you. You selected the Parent DN before clicking Add to start the add entry process. However, if your server supports the modifyDN operation, the field is still modifiable if the entry is a leaf node. That is, if it has no entries below it, you can move the entry to another parent DN entry.

10. At the **Required attributes** tab enter the values for the required attributes.

**Notes:**

a. If the attribute is multi-valued and you want to add more than one value for a particular attribute, click **Multiple values**. See “Multiple values for attributes” on page 475.

b. If an attribute requires binary data, click **Binary data**. See “Binary data for attributes” on page 475.

c. If your server has language tags enabled, click **Language tag value** to add or remove language tag descriptors. See “Language tags” on page 477 and “Language tag values for attributes” on page 479 for more information.

d. If an attribute contains referrals, click **Manage referral**. See Chapter 13, “Referrals,” on page 275 and “Creating default referrals” on page 279 for more information.

11. Click **Optional attributes**.

12. At the **Optional attributes** tab enter the values as appropriate for the other attributes.

13. Click **Finish** to create the entry.
14. After successfully adding an entry, you will be prompted to add a similar entry. To add a similar entry, click Yes. To exit and return to the Manage entries panel, click No.

**Using the command line**

Issue the command:

```
idsldapadd -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains the following:

- `dn: cn=John Doe, ou=Austin, o=sample`
- `cn: John Doe`
- `objectclass: inetOrgPerson`
- `objectclass: organizationalPerson`
- `objectclass: person`
- `objectclass: top`
- `sn: Doe`

**Multiple values for attributes**

If the attribute supports multiple values and you want to add more than one value for a particular attribute:

1. Click **Multiple values**.
2. Supply the additional value for the attribute.
3. Click **Add**.
4. Repeat this for each additional value.
5. When you are finished click **OK**.

The values are added to a drop-down menu displayed below the attribute.

If the attribute supports multiple values and you want to remove one or more values for a particular attribute:

1. Click **Multiple values**.
2. Select the value you want to remove.
3. Click **Remove**.
4. Repeat this for each additional value that you want to remove.
5. When you are finished click **OK**.

The values are removed from the drop-down menu displayed below the attribute. The drop-down menu displays the remaining values. If only one value on no values are assigned to the value, the drop-down menu is no longer displayed.

**Note:** If you select a language value tag in the **Display with language tags** menu, then any attribute you add or remove is associated with that language tag. See **“Language tag values for attributes” on page 479** for more information about adding language tag values.

**Binary data for attributes**

**Using Web Administration**

If an attribute requires binary data, a **Binary data** button is displayed next to the attribute field. If the attribute has no data the field is blank. Because binary...
attributes cannot be displayed, if an attribute contains binary data, the field displays **Binary data 1**. If the attribute contains multiple values, the field displays as a drop-down list.

Click the **Binary data** button to work with binary attributes.

You can import, export or remove binary data.

To add binary data to the attribute:
1. Click the **Binary data** button.
2. Click **Import**.
3. You can either enter the path name for the file you want or click **Browse** to locate and select the binary file.
4. Click **Submit file**. A message is displayed.
5. Click **Close**. **Binary data 1** is now displayed in the table under **Binary data entries**.
6. Repeat the import process (steps 2 through 5) for as many binary files as you want to add. The subsequent entries are listed as **Binary data 2**, **Binary data 3**, and so on.
7. When you are finished adding binary data, click **OK**.

After the first binary data file has been imported, you can perform two additional operations to export or remove the binary data.

To export binary data:
1. If you have not already done so, click the **Binary data** button.
2. Select the binary file you want to export.
3. Click **Export**.
4. Click on the link **Binary data to download**.
5. Follow the directions of your wizard to either display the binary file or to save it to a new location.
6. Click **Close**.
7. Repeat the import process for as many binary files as you want to export.
8. When you are finished exporting data, click **OK**.

To remove binary data:
1. If you have not already done so, click the **Binary data** button.
2. Check the binary data file you want to remove. For this task multiple files can be selected.
3. Click **Delete**.
4. When you are prompted to confirm the deletion, click **OK**. The binary data marked for deletion are removed from the list.
5. When you are finished deleting data, click **OK**.

**Note:** Binary attributes are not searchable.

**Using the command line**

Issue the command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```
where filename contains the following:

dn: cn=Bob Garcia, ou=deptABC, ou=Austin, o=sample
changetype: modify
add: jpegphoto
jpegphoto:< file:///usr/local/directory/photos/Bob.jpg

### Language tags

**Notes:**

1. For language tags to work correctly, your database must be configured as a UTF-8 database.

2. After enabling the language tag feature, if you associate language tags with the attributes of an entry, the server returns the entry with the language tags. This occurs even if you later disable the language tag feature. Because the behavior of the server might not be what the application is expecting, to avoid potential problems, do not disable the language tag feature after it has been enabled.

The term, language tags, defines a mechanism that enables the directory to associate natural language codes with values held in a directory and enables clients to query the directory for values that meet certain natural language requirements. The language tag is a component of an attribute description. The language tag is a string with the prefix `lang-`, a primary subtag of alphabetic characters and, optionally, subsequent subtags connected by a hyphen (`-`). The subsequent subtags can be any combination of alphanumeric characters, only the primary subtag needs to be alphabetic. The subtags can be any length, the only limitation is that the total length of the tag cannot exceed 240 characters. Language tags are case insensitive; en-us and en-US and EN-US are identical. Language tags are not allowed in components of DN or RDN. Only one language tag per attribute description is allowed.

**Note:** On a per attribute basis, language tags are mutually exclusive with unique attributes. If you have designated a particular attribute as being a unique attribute, it cannot have language tags associated with it.

If language tags are included when data is added to a directory, they can be used with search operations to selectively retrieve attribute values in specific languages. If a language tag is provided in an attribute description within the requested attribute list of a search, then only attribute values in a directory entry which have the same language tag as that provided are to be returned. Thus for a search like:

```
idsldapsearch -b "o=sample" (objectclass=organization) description;lang-en
```

the server returns values of an attribute "description;lang-en", but does not return values of an attribute "description" or "description;lang-fr".

If a request is made specifying an attribute without providing a language tag, then all attribute values regardless of their language tag are returned.

The attribute type and the language tag are separated with a semicolon (`;`) character.

**Note:** RFC2252 allows the semicolon character to be used in the "NAME" part of an AttributeType. However, because this character is being used to separate the AttributeType from the language tag, its usage in the "NAME" part of an AttributeType is no longer permitted as specified in draft-ietf-ldapbis-models-07.txt.
For example, if the client requests a "description" attribute, and a matching entry contains:

```
objectclass: top
objectclass: organization
o: Software GmbH
description: software
description;lang-en: software products
description;lang-de: Softwareprodukte
postalAddress: Berlin 8001 Germany
postalAddress;lang-de: Berlin 8001 Deutschland
```

the server returns:

```
description: software
description;lang-en: software products
description;lang-de: Softwareprodukte
```

If the search requests a "description;lang-de" attribute, then the server returns:

```
description;lang-de: Softwareprodukte
```

This type of server processing enables directories that contain multi-lingual data to support clients that operate in various languages. If an application is implemented correctly, the German client sees data entered for the lang-de attribute only, and the French client sees data entered for the lang-fr attribute only.

To determine whether the language tag feature is enabled, issue a root DSE search specifying the attribute "ibm-enabledCapabilities".

```
idsldapsearch -b "" -s base objectclass=* ibm-enabledCapabilities
```

If the OID "1.3.6.1.4.1.4203.1.5.4" is returned, the feature is enabled.

If the language tag support is not enabled, any LDAP operation that associates a language tag with an attribute is rejected with the error message:

```
LDAP_NO_SUCH_ATTRIBUTE
```

**Attributes that cannot have associated language tags**

The following attributes cannot have language tags associated with them:

- objectclass
- member
- uniquemember
- memberURL
- ibm-memberGroup
- userpassword
- secretkey
- ref
- operational attributes
- configuration attributes
- binary attributes

Or, to generate a list of attributes that cannot have language tags associated with them, use the following command:

```
idsldapexop -op getattributes -attrType language_tag -matches true
```
Language tag values for attributes

If the attribute supports language tag values and you want to add language tag values for a particular attribute:

1. Click **Language tag values**.
2. In the **Language tag** field, enter the name of the tag you are creating. Remember the tag must begin with the prefix `lang-`.
3. Enter the value for the tag in the **Value** field.
4. Click **Add**.
5. Repeat adding values as necessary, if this attribute has the **Multiple values** feature enabled. If the **Multiple values** button is not enabled, you can enter one language tag value only. See “Multiple values for attributes” on page 475.
6. Click **OK** for your values to be accepted.

**Note:** If you do not click **OK**, your attribute values are not saved.

The values are added to the **Display with language tags** menu.

You can expand the **Display with language tags** menu and select a language tag. Click **Change view** and the attribute values that you have entered for that language tag are displayed. Any values that you add or remove in this view apply to the selected language tag only.

If the attribute supports language tag values and you want to remove one or more values for a particular attribute, see “Removing a language tag descriptor from an entry” on page 480.

Searching for entries containing attributes with language tags

Issuing the command,
```
idsldapsearch -b "o=sample" "cn=Mark Anthony" sn
```
return the following results:
```
cn=Mark Anthony,o=sample
sn=Anthony
sn;lang-spanish=Antonio
```

**Note:** All versions of "sn" are displayed in the output.

Issuing the command,
```
idsldapsearch -b "o=sample" "cn=Mark Anthony" sn;lang-spanish
```
returns the following results.
```
cn=Mark Anthony,o=sample
sn;lang-spanish=Antonio
```

**Note:** Only "sn;lang-spanish" is displayed in the output.

Issuing the command,
```
idsldapsearch -b "o=sample" "sn;lang-spanish=Antonio"
```
returns the entire entry:
Removing a language tag descriptor from an entry

Use either of the following methods to remove a language tag descriptor from an entry:

**Using Web Administration**

From either the **Manage entries -> Edit attributes** path or the **Add an entry -> Select structural object class -> Select auxiliary object class -> Enter the attributes** path:

1. Select the attribute from which you want to remove the language tag.
2. Click the **Language tag value** button to access the Language tag values panel.
3. In the **Language tag** field, click the language tag you want to remove.
4. Click **Remove**. The language tag and its values is removed from the menu list.
5. Repeat steps 3 and 4 for each language tag you want to remove.
6. When you have finished, click **OK**.

**Using the command line**

Issue the command:

```
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
dn: cn=Mark Anthony, o=sample
changetype: modify
delete: sn;lang-spanish
sn;lang-spanish: Antonio
```

This removes the attribute `sn;lang-spanish` that has the value "Antonio" from the entry.

If you want to delete the entire entry see "Deleting an entry."

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**Deleting an entry**

**Note:** When you are logged into the console, the Web Administration Tool does not permit you to delete the entry that you are logged on as. For example, if you logged on as user `cn=John Doe,ou=mylocale,o=mycompany,c=mycountry`, and you try to delete the entry, `cn=John Doe` from that tree, you receive an error message. You must log on as some other user to delete the John Doe entry.

**Using Web Administration**

If you have not done so already, expand the **Directory management** category in the navigation area, then click **Manage entries**. You can expand the various subtrees and select the subtree, the suffix, or the entry that you want to work on. Click **Delete**.

- You are requested to confirm the deletion. Click **OK**.
- The entry is deleted from the entry and you are returned to the list of entries.
Using the command line

Issue the command:

```
idsldapdelete -D adminDN -w adminPW "cn=John Doe, ou=Austin, o=sample"
```

The above delete command will fail if the entry to be deleted, "cn=John Doe, ou=Austin, o=sample", is not a leaf entry. In order to delete a non-leaf entry, use the -s option of the `idsldapdelete` utility as shown below:

```
idsldapdelete -D adminDN -w adminPW -s "cn=John Doe, ou=Austin, o=sample"
```

This command will delete the entry "cn=John Doe, ou=Austin, o=sample" and all the entries below it.

Modifying an entry

Using Web Administration

If you have not done so already, expand the Directory management category in the navigation area, then click Manage entries. You can expand the various subtrees and select the entry that you want to work on. Click Edit attributes or click the RDN name of an entry in the RDN column to open the Edit attributes panel.

1. View the object class inheritance for the entry in the Object class drop-down menu. Object classes are sorted by inheritance.
2. In the Relative DN field, you can change the relative distinguished name (RDN) of the entry that you are editing; for example, change cn=Bob Garcia to cn=Robert Garcia.
3. In the Parent DN field, the distinguished name of the tree entry you selected is displayed. If your server supports the modifyDN operation, you can modify the Parent DN with a new superior attribute on a leaf node. You can either edit this field or you can click Browse, select a Parent DN from the list, and click Select to change the Parent DN of the entry.
4. At the Required attributes tab enter the values for the required attributes.

Notes:

a. If the attribute is multi-valued and you want to add more than one value for a particular attribute, click Multiple values. See “Multiple values for attributes” on page 475.

b. In case of multi-valued attributes, if an attribute has values more than the maximum number of values to return for each attribute limit, then the values of the attribute is displayed using a combo box, where the number of the values displayed will be equal to the value of the limit. Also, for this attribute the Multiple values button will not be displayed and a message indicating this attribute value truncation is displayed.

c. If an attribute requires binary data, click Binary data. See “Binary data for attributes” on page 475.

d. If your server has language tags enabled, click Language tag value to add or remove language tag descriptors. See “Language tags” on page 477 and “Language tag values for attributes” on page 479 for more information.

e. If an attribute contains referrals, click Manage referral. See Chapter 13 “Referrals,” on page 275 and “Creating default referrals” on page 279 for more information.

5. Click Optional attributes.
6. At the **Optional attributes** tab enter the values as appropriate for the other attributes.

7. Click **OK** to modify the entry.

**Note:** In case an entry has more attributes than the maximum number of attributes to return for each entry limit, then the entry is returned with all the values of attributes until the maximum number of attributes to return for each entry limit is reached. The attributes for which no values are returned are displayed at the lower-end of the panel. These attributes are displayed along with a message indicating that the entry is not complete.

## Using the command line

### Renaming an entry

Issue the following command to rename an entry, changing RDN from cn=Bob Garcia to cn=Robert Garcia:

```bash
idsldapmodrdn -D adminDN -w adminPW -r "cn=Bob Garcia, ou=deptABC, ou=Austin, o=sample" "cn=Robert Garcia"
```

**Note:** The `-r` option causes the old name to be removed.

### Moving an entry

Issue the following command to move an entry, for example, moving Bob to a new department:

```bash
idsldapmodrdn -D adminDN -w adminPW -s "ou=deptXYZ, ou=Austin, o=sample" "cn=Bob Garcia, ou=deptABC, ou=Austin, o=sample" "cn=Bob Garcia"
```

You can also issue the following command to move an entry:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains the following:

```
dn: cn=Bob Garcia, ou=deptABC, ou=Austin, o=sample
changetype: modrdn
newrdn: cn=Bob Garcia
deleteoldrdn: 0
newsuperior: ou=deptXYZ, ou=Austin, o=sample
```

**Note:** Renaming or moving an entry in a proxy environment is supported only if it does not move entries across partitions.

### Modifying attributes of an entry

Issue the following command to modify the attributes of an entry, for example, replacing the `roomNumber` attribute value:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains the following:

```
dn: cn=Bob Garcia, ou=deptABC, ou=Austin, o=sample
changetype: modify
replace: roomNumber
roomNumber: 4B-014
```

### Copying an entry

This function is useful if you are creating similar entries. The copy inherits all the attributes of the original. You need to make some modifications to name the new entry.
Using Web Administration

If you have not done so already, expand the Directory management category in the navigation area, then click Manage entries. You can expand the various subtrees and select the entry, such as John Doe, that you want to work on. Expand the Select Action drop-down menu, select Copy, and click Go.

1. Change the RDN entry in the DN field. For example change cn=John Doe to cn=Jim Smith.
2. If your server supports the modifyDN operation, you can modify the Parent DN with a new superior attribute on a leaf node. You can either edit this field or you can click Browse, select a Parent DN from the list, and click Select to change the Parent DN of the entry.
3. On the required attributes tab, change the cn entry to the new RDN. In this example Jim Smith.
4. Change the other required attributes as appropriate. In this example change the sn attribute from Doe to Smith.
5. Click Next to display the Optional attributes tab.
6. Change the optional attributes as appropriate and click Next to display the Static memberships tab.
7. At the Static memberships tab, choose the group memberships that you want the copied entry to be a member of. This tab also allows the user to edit the memberships of the copied entry.

Note: The Static memberships tab is only displayed when you copy an entry, where the entry being copied is a member of a static group. In case an entry is not a member of a static group, the Static memberships tab will not be displayed for the Copy entry operation.
8. When you have finished making the necessary changes click Finish to create the new entry.
9. The new entry Jim Smith is added to the bottom of the entry list.

Note: This procedure copies only the attributes of the entry. The group memberships of the original entry are not copied to the new entry. See “Managing memberships for an entry” on page 526 to add memberships to the entry.

Using the command line

Do the following to copy an entry using the command line:

1. Search to get the current entry back in LDIF form. Issue the following command:
   ```bash
topldapsearch -L -s base -b "cn=Bob Garcia, ou=deptABC, ou=Austin, o=sample" (objectclass=*)
   ```
   which returns something like the following (save this information to a file):
   ```plaintext
dn: cn=Bob Garcia, ou=deptABC, ou=Austin, o=sample
   cn: Bob Garcia
   cn: Robert Garcia
   objectclass: inetOrgPerson
   objectclass: organizationalPerson
   objectclass: person
   objectclass: top
   sn: Garcia
   roomNumber: 4B-014
   ```
2. Edit the entry to change the name and room number in the new entry:
3. Add the new entry. Issue the following command:

   idsldapadd -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename

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**Editing access control lists for an entry**

To edit the access control lists (ACLs) for an entry:

1. If you have not done so already, expand the **Directory management** category in the navigation area.
2. Click **Manage entries**.
3. Expand the various subtrees and select the entry, such as cn=Robert Garcia,ou=Austin,o=sample, that you want to work on.
4. Expand the **Select Action** drop-down menu.
5. Select **Edit ACL**.
6. Click **Go**.

To view ACL properties using the Web Administration Tool utility and to work with ACLs, see “Working with ACLs” on page 502.

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**Adding an auxiliary object class**

### Using Web Administration

If you have not done so already, expand the **Directory management** category in the navigation area, then click **Manage entries**. You can expand the various subtrees and select the entry, such as John Doe, that you want to work on. From the **Select Action** drop-down menu scroll down and select **Add auxiliary class** and click **Go**.

1. Select a filter object class from the drop-down menu and click **Refresh**.
2. Select any **Auxiliary object classes** you wish to use from the Available box and click **Add**. Repeat this process for each auxiliary object class you want to add. You can also delete an auxiliary object class from the Selected box by selecting it and clicking **Remove**.
3. Click **Next**.
4. At the **Required attributes** tab enter the values for the required attributes.

**Notes:**

a. If the attribute is multi-valued and you want to add more than one value for a particular attribute, click **Multiple values**. See “Multiple values for attributes” on page 475.

b. If an attribute requires binary data, click **Binary data**. See “Binary data for attributes” on page 475.
c. If your server has language tags enabled, click **Language tag value** to add or remove language tag descriptors. See “Language tags” on page 477 and “Language tag values for attributes” on page 479 for more information.

d. If an attribute contains referrals, click **Manage referral**. See Chapter 13, “Referrals,” on page 275 and “Creating default referrals” on page 279 for more information.

5. Click **Optional attributes**.

6. At the **Optional attributes** tab enter the values as appropriate for the other attributes.

7. Click **Finish** to modify the entry.

**Using the command line**

Issue the following command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains the following:

```
Note: The hyphen (-) on the 5th line is important.
dn: cn=Bob Garcia, ou=deptABC, ou=Austin, o=sample
 changetype: modify
 add: objectclass
 objectclass: uniquelyIdentifiedUser
 -
 add: serialNumber
 serialNumber: 738393
```

Any attributes that are required by the auxiliary object class must be added to the entry as part of the same modify operation.

**Deleting an auxiliary object class**

Although you can delete an auxiliary class during the add auxiliary class procedure, it is easier to use the delete auxiliary object class function if you are going to delete a single auxiliary class from an entry. However, it might be more convenient to use the add auxiliary class procedure if you are going to delete multiple auxiliary classes from an entry.

**Using Web Administration**

1. If you have not done so already, expand the **Directory management** category in the navigation area, then click **Manage entries**. You can expand the various subtrees and select the entry, such as John Doe, that you want to work on. From the **Select Action** drop-down menu scroll down and select **Delete auxiliary class** and click **Go**.

2. From the list of auxiliary object classes select the auxiliary classes you want to delete and press **OK**.

3. You are asked to confirm the deletion, click **OK**.

4. The auxiliary object classes are deleted from the entry and you are returned to the list of entries.

**Using the command line**

Issue the following command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```
where *filename* contains the following:

```plaintext
Note: The hyphen (-) on the 5th line is important.
dn: cn=Bob Garcia, ou=deptABC, ou=Austin, o=sample
changetype: modify
delete: objectclass
objectclass: uniquelyIdentifiedUser
- delete: serialNumber
  serialNumber: 738393
```

Any attributes that were allowed in the entry only because of the auxiliary object class must be deleted from the entry as part of the same modify operation.

## Searching the directory entries

There are three options for searching the directory tree:

- A [**Simple search**](#) using a predefined set of search criteria
- An [**Advanced search**](#) using a user-defined set of search criteria
- A [**Manual search**](#)

The search options are accessible by expanding the **Directory management** category in the navigation area, click **Find entries**. Select one of the following tabs:

**Note:** Binary attributes such as userpassword are only searchable to find if they actually exist.

### Search filters

Select on of the following types of searches:

#### Simple search

A simple search uses a default search criteria:

- Base DN is **All suffixes**
- Search scope is **Subtree**
- Search size is **500**
- Time limit is **900**
- Alias dereferencing is **never**
- Chase referrals is deselected (off)

To perform a simple search:

1. On the **Search filter** tab, click **Simple**.
2. Select an object classes from the drop-down list.
3. If your server has language tags enabled, you can specify a language tag. See "Language tags" on page 477 for more information.
4. Select a specific attribute for the selected entry type. If you select to search on a specific attribute, select an attribute from the drop-down list and enter the attribute value in the **Is equal to** box. If you do not specify an attribute, the search returns all the directory entries of the selected entry type.

5. Click **OK**.

#### Advanced search

An advanced search enables you to specify search constraints and enable search filters. The default search criteria are the same as those for a simple search.

- To perform an advanced search:
1. On the Search filter tab, click Advanced.
2. Click Add.
3. Select an Attribute from the drop-down list.
4. If your server has language tags enabled, you can specify a language tag. See "Language tags" on page 477 for more information.
5. Select a Comparison operator
   - Is equal to - The attribute is equal to the value.
   - Is not equal to - The attribute is not equal to the value.
   - Is less than or equal to - The attribute is less than or equal to the value.
   - Is greater than or equal to - The attribute is greater than or equal to the value.
   - Is approximately equal to - The attribute is approximately equal to the value.
6. Enter the Value for comparison.
7. If you already added at least one search filter, specify the additional criteria and select an operator from the Operator drop-down menu. The AND command returns entries that match both sets of search filter criteria. The OR command returns entries that match either set of search filter criteria. The default operator is AND.
8. Click OK to add the search filter criteria to the advanced search.

The Search results table contains the following columns:
- Select - Select the radio button next to the name of the filter you want to add, edit or delete.
- Attribute - The attribute on which the filter is performed, for example, objectclass.
- Comparison - The filter's comparison criteria, for example, Is equal to.
- Value - The value used for comparison; for example, the wildcard value (*).
- Operator - The search operator that was specified, for example, AND.

9. Click the check box to select each filter that you want to use in the search.
10. Change any of the default settings on the Options tab. See "Options" on page 488.
11. Click OK to begin the search.

The Search results table contains the following columns:
- Select - Select the radio button next to the name of the entry you want to perform and action.
- RDN - The RDN of the entry.
- Object class - The object class to which the entry belongs.
- Created - The date the entry was created.
- Last modified - The date the entry was last modified.
- Last modified by - The ID of the user who last modified the entry.

12. After viewing the search results click, you can modify the entry attributes (see Chapter 18, "Working with directory entries," on page 473) or click Close to return to the Find entries panel.

To modify a search filter:
1. Select the filter you want to modify.
2. Click edit.
3. Change any of the fields that were set when you added the search filter.

4. Click OK.

To remove the search filters:
- Click the check box to select each filter that you want to remove.
- Click Remove to remove the search filter criteria from the advanced search.

**Note:** If you want to clear all search filters, click Remove all.

### Using command line

Given below are examples of a simple and an advanced search. To execute a simple search issue the following command:

```
idsldapsearch -D userDN -w userPW -b Subtree_DN -s SUB cn=John
```

To execute an advanced search, issue the following command:

```
idsldapsearch -D userDN -w userPW -b Subtree_DN -s SUB (&(cn=John)(sn=Smith))
```

The above example searches for entries with cn=John and sn=Smith. Here, two search criteria have been combined into a single filter using the AND (&) logical operator.

### Manual search

**Notes:**

1. Avoid using wildcard searches where the wildcard is in any position other than the leading character in a term, or a trailing character. Use wildcard searches that are similar to the following (leading character):
   
   ```
   sn=*term
   ```

   or the following (trailing character):
   
   ```
   sn=term*
   ```

2. Do not use both wildcard searches simultaneously.

Use this method to create a search filter. The default search criteria are the same as those for a simple search. For example to search on surnames enter `sn=*` in the field. If you are searching on multiple attributes, you must use search filter syntax. For example to search for the surnames of a particular department you enter:

```
(&(sn=*)(dept= departmentname ))
```

### Options

At the **Options tab**:

- **Search base DN** - Choose one of the radio buttons to select a search base:
  - **DN** - Select the DN radio button if you want to specify the search base explicitly. Enter the search base in the DN field; for example, `o=sample`.
  - **Suffix** - Select a suffix from the Suffix drop-down menu to search only within that suffix. If you started this task from the "Manage entries" panel, this field is prefilled for you.
  - **All suffixes** - Select All suffixes to search the entire tree

- **Search scope**
  - Select **Object** to search only within the selected object.
  - Select **Single level** to search only within the immediate children of the selected object.
– Select **Subtree** to search the selected object all descendants of the selected object.

- **Search size limit** - Enter the maximum number of entries to search or select Unlimited.

- **Search time limit** - Enter the maximum number of seconds for the search or select Unlimited.

- If the server supports alias dereferencing, select a type of **Alias dereferencing** from the drop-down list.
  - **Never** - If the selected entry is an alias, it is not dereferenced for the search, that is, the search ignores the reference to the alias. Also, entries found in the search are not dereferenced.
  - **Find** - If the selected entry is an alias, the search dereferences the alias and search from the location of the alias.
  - **Search** - The selected entry is not dereferenced, but any entries found in the search are dereferenced.
  - **Always** - All aliases encountered in the search are dereferenced.

- Select the **Chase referrals** check box to follow referrals to another server if a referral is returned in the search. When a referral directs the search to another server, the connection to the server uses the current credentials. If you are logged in as Anonymous you might need to log in to the server using an authenticated DN.

  If an entry is found on the referred server, the **Search results** panel shows only the DN of the entry. Other columns such as object class, modified timestamp and so forth are not shown. You are not able to perform such operations as **Edit Acls**, **Delete**, **Add auxiliary** or **Delete auxiliary** on the referral entry.

  See [Chapter 13, “Referrals,” on page 275](#) and [Chapter 19, “Access control lists,” on page 491](#) for more information.

- Select the **Include deleted entries** check box to enable deleted entries to be returned for a search operation.

  See [“Search Settings” on page 115](#) for additional information about searches.
Chapter 19. Access control lists

The following sections describe access control lists (ACLs) and how to manage them.

Overview

Access control lists (ACLs) provide a means to protect information stored in a LDAP directory. Administrators use ACLs to restrict access to different portions of the directory, or specific directory entries. LDAP directory entries are related to each other by a hierarchical tree structure. Each directory entry (or object) contains the distinguished name of the object as well as a set of attributes and their corresponding values.

The access control model defines two sets of attributes:

- The entryOwner information
- The Access Control Information (ACI)

In conformance with the LDAP model, the ACI information and the entryOwner information is represented as attribute-value pairs. The LDIF syntax can be used to administer these values.

EntryOwner information

The entryOwner information controls which subjects can define the ACIs. An entry Owner also acquires full access rights to the target object. The attributes that define entry ownership are:

- entryOwner - Explicitly defines an entry owner.
- ownerPropagate - Specifies whether the permission set is propagated to the subtree descendant entries.

The entry owners have complete permissions to perform any operation on the object regardless of the aclEntry. Additionally, the entry owners are the only ones who are permitted to administer the aclEntries for that object. EntryOwner is an access control subject, it can be defined as individuals, groups or roles.

Note: The directory administrator and local administration group members who are assigned the DirDataAdmin role are the entryOwners for all objects in the directory by default, and this entryOwnership cannot be removed from any object.

Access control information

The ACI specifically defines a subject's permission to perform a given operation against certain LDAP objects.

Non-filtered ACLs

This type of ACL applies explicitly to the directory entry that contains them, but may be propagated to none or all of its descendant entries. The default behavior of the non-filtered ACL is to propagate. The attributes that define non-filtered ACLs are:

- aclEntry - Defines a permission set.
aclPropagate - Specifies whether the permission set is propagated to the subtree descendant entries.

**Filtered ACLs**

Filter-based ACLs differ in that they employ a filter-based comparison, using a specified object filter, to match target objects with the effective access that applies to them.

Although they perform the same function, the behavior of the two types of ACLs is significantly different. Filter-based ACLs do not propagate in the same way that non-filter-based ACLs currently do. By nature, they inherently propagate to any comparison matched objects in the associated subtree. For this reason, the aclPropagate attribute, which is used to stop propagation of non-filter ACLs, does not apply to the new filter-based ACLs.

The default behavior of filter-based ACLs to accumulate from the lowest containing entry, upward along the ancestor entry chain, to the highest containing entry in the DIT. The effective access is calculated as the union of the access rights granted, or denied, by the constituent ancestor entries. There is an exception to this behavior. For compatibility with the subtree replication feature, and to allow greater administrative control, a ceiling attribute is used as a means to stop accumulation at the entry in which it is contained.

A separate set of access control attributes are used specifically for filter-based ACL support, rather than merging filter-based characteristics into the existing non-filter based ACLs. The attributes are:

- ibm-filterAclEntry
- ibm-filterAclInherit

The ibm-filterAclEntry attribute has the same format as aclEntry, with the addition of an object filter component. The associated ceiling attribute is ibm-filterAclInherit. By default it is set to true. When set to false, it terminates the accumulation.
ACL type usage scenarios

Non-filter ACLs are intended to be useful in situations where the access topology of the directory calls for a homogeneous sub-tree distribution of permissions, as described in the example given below. In this scenario, access needs to be applied to the directory objects in an even distribution in the tree.

To accomplish this, a single set of non-filter ACL specifications can be defined at, or near, the top entry of the directory. The ACLs can propagate homogeneously throughout the directory sub-tree, so that they apply to all sub-tree objects. Also, since there is no comparison matching associated with this type of ACL, less processing is involved.

Filter-based ACLs are intended to be useful in situations where the access topology of the directory calls for a heterogeneous sub-tree distribution of permissions, as described in the example given below. In this scenario several access types are required, and they need to be applied to the directory objects in a more scattered
distribution.

Example 2: Filter-based ACL Scenario

To accomplish this, a single set of filter-based ACL specifications can be defined at the suffix entry of the directory with filters that are associated with each of the desired access types. The filters correspond to attributes contained in the various objects that are distributed throughout the directory tree.

The correct permissions will be applied to a particular directory object based on a successful comparison match with the attributes contained in that object. ACL administration is simplified due to a single location at the suffix. In contrast, to achieve the same set of ACLs using non-filter ACLs would require ACL specifications in every directory object in the tree.

The access control attribute syntax

Each of these attributes can be managed using LDIF notation. The syntax for the new filter-based ACL attributes are modified versions of the current non-filter-based ACL attributes. The following defines the syntax for the ACI and entryOwner attributes using baccus naur form (BNF).

\[
\begin{align*}
  \text{<aclEntry> ::= <subject> [ ":" <rights> ]} \\
  \text{aclPropagate ::= "true" | "false"} \\
  \text{<ibm-filterAclEntry> ::= <subject> ":" <object filter> [ ":" <rights> ]} \\
  \text{<ibm-filterAclInherit> ::= "true" | "false"} \\
  \text{<entryOwner> ::= <subject>} \\
  \text{<ownerPropagate> ::= "true" | "false"} \\
  \text{<subject> ::= <subjectDnType> ":" <subjectDn> | <pseudoDn>} \\
  \text{<subjectDnType> ::= "role" | "group" | "access-id"} \\
  \text{<subjectDn> ::= <DN>}
\end{align*}
\]

\[
\text{<DN> ::= distinguished name as described in RFC 2251, section 4.1.3.}
\]
Subject

A subject (the entity requesting access to operate on an object) consists of the combination of a DN (Distinguished Name) type and a DN. The valid DN types are: access-id, Group and Role.

The DN identifies a particular access-id, role or group. For example, a subject might be "access-id: cn=personA, o=sample or group: cn=deptXYZ, o=sample".

Because the field delimiter is the colon (:) , a DN containing colons must be surrounded by double-quotation marks ("""). If a DN already contains characters with double-quotation marks, these characters must be escaped with a backslash (\).

All directory groups can be used in access control.

Note: Any group of AccessGroup, GroupOfNames, GroupofUniqueNames, or groupOfURLs structural objectclasses or the ibm-dynamicGroup, ibm-staticGroup auxiliary objectclasses can be used for access control.

Another DN type used within the access control model is role. While roles and groups are similar in implementation, conceptually they are different. When a user is assigned to a role, there is an implicit expectation that the necessary authority has already been set up to perform the job associated with that role. With group membership, there is no built in assumption about what permissions are gained (or denied) by being a member of that group.
Roles are similar to groups in that they are represented in the directory by an object. Additionally, roles contain a group of DNs. Roles that are used in access control must have an objectclass of `AccessRole`.

**Pseudo DNs**

Pseudo DNs are used in access control definition and evaluation. The directory contains several pseudo DNs (for example, "group:cn=Anybody" and "access-id:cn=this"), which are used to refer to large numbers of DNs that share a common characteristic, in relation to either the operation being performed or the object on which the operation is being performed.

Three pseudo DNs are supported by LDAP version 3:

**access-id: cn=this**

When specified as part of an ACL, this DN refers to the bindDN, which matches the DN on which the operation is performed. For example, if an operation is performed on the object "cn=personA, o=sample" and the bindDn is "cn=personA, o=sample", the permissions granted are a combination of those given to "cn=this" and those given to "cn=personA, o=sample".

**group: cn=anybody**

When specified as part of an ACL, this DN refers to all users, even those that are unauthenticated. Users cannot be removed from this group, and this group cannot be removed from the database.

**group: cn=Authenticated**

This DN refers to any DN that has been authenticated by the directory. The method of authentication is not considered.

*Note:* "cn=Authenticated" refers to a DN that has been authenticated anywhere on the server, regardless of where the object representing the DN is located. It should be used with caution, however. For example, under one suffix, "cn=Secret" could be a node called "cn=Confidential Material" which has an aclentry of "group:cn=Authenticated: normal: rsc". Under another suffix, "cn=Common" could be the node "cn=Public Material". If these two trees are located on the same server, a bind to "cn=Public Material" would be considered authenticated, and would get permission to the normal class on the "cn= Confidential Material" object.

### Examples of pseudo DNs

Some examples of pseudo DNs:

**Example 1**

Consider the following ACL for object: `cn=personA, o=sample` AclEntry:

```
access-id: cn = this:critical:rwsc
AclEntry: group: cn=Anybody: normal:rsc
AclEntry: group: cn=Authenticated: sensitive:rcs
```

User Binding as | Would receive
---|---
`cn=personA, o=sample` | normal:rsc:sensitive:rcs:critical:rwsc
`cn=personB, o=sample` | normal:rsc:sensitive:rsc
NULL (unauth.) | normal:rsc

In this example, personA receives permissions granted to the "cn=this" ID,
and permissions given to both the "cn=Anybody" and "cn=Authenticated" pseudo DN groups.

Example 2
Consider the following ACL for object: cn=personA, o=sample AclEntry:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>access-id:cn=personA, o=sample: object:ad</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>AclEntry: access-id: cn = this:critical:rwsc</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>AclEntry: group: cn=Anybody: normal:rsc</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>AclEntry: group: cn=Authenticated: sensitive:rcs</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

For an operation performed on cn=personA, o=sample:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>User Binding as</th>
<th>Would receive</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>cn=personA, o=sample</td>
<td>object:ad:critical:rwsc</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>cn=personB, o=sample</td>
<td>normal:rsc:sensitive:rsc</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NULL (unauth.)</td>
<td>normal:rsc</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

In this example, personA receives permissions granted to the "cn=this" ID, and those given to the DN itself "cn=personA, o=sample". Note that the group permissions are not given because there is a more specific aclentry ("access-id:cn=personA, o=sample") for the bind DN ("cn=personA, o=sample").

Example 3
Consider the following ACL for object: cn=personA, o=sample AclEntry, where you want to give that user the ability to change his or her own password:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>User Binding as</th>
<th>Would receive</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>access-id:cn=this:at.userpassword:rwsc</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Object filter
This parameter applies to filtered ACLs only. The string search filter as defined in RFC 2254, is used as the object filter format. Because the target object is already known, the string is not used to perform an actual search. Instead, a filter-based compare on the target object in question is performed to determine if a given set of ibm-filterAclEntry values apply to it.

Rights
Access rights can apply to an entire object or to attributes of the object. The LDAP access rights are discreet. One right does not imply another right. The rights may be combined together to provide the desired rights list following a set of rules discussed later. Rights can be of an unspecified value, which indicates that no access rights are granted to the subject on the target object. The rights consist of three parts:

Action:
Defined values are grant or deny. If this field is not present, the default is set to grant.

Permission:
There are six basic operations that may be performed on a directory object. From these operations, the base set of ACI permissions are taken. These are: add an entry, delete an entry, read an attribute value, write an attribute value, search for an attribute, and compare an attribute value.
The possible attribute permissions are: read (r), write (w), search (s), and compare (c). Additionally, object permissions apply to the entry as a whole. These permissions are add child entries (a) and delete this entry (d).

The following table summarizes the permissions needed to perform each of the LDAP operations.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Operation</th>
<th>Permission Needed</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>idsldapadd</td>
<td>add (on parent)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>idsldapdelete</td>
<td>delete (on object)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>idsldapmodify</td>
<td>write (on attributes being modified)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>idsldapsearch</td>
<td>• search, read (on attributes in RDN)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>• search (on attributes specified in the search filter)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>• search (on attributes returned with just names)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>• search, read (on attributes returned with values)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>idsldapmodrdn</td>
<td>write (on RDN attributes)</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

For search operations, the subject is required to have search (s) access to all the attributes in the search filter or no entries are returned. For returned entries from a search, the subject is required to have search (s) and read (r) access to all the attributes in the RDN of the returned entries or these entries are not returned.

In the following example, the `at.telephoneNumber:rsc` permission set grants members of the cn=Bowling Team, ou=Groups, o=sample read only access to only the `telephoneNumber` attribute contained in this entry. The `at.cn:rsc` permission set ensures that the RDN search criteria is met. For this example the only the `cn` or `telephoneNumber` attributes can be used in a search filter. If the title attribute was to be used in a search filter then an additional `at.title:rsc` permission set would have to be added for the search to be successful.

dn: cn=Bonnie Daniel, ou=Widget Division, ou=Austin, o=sample
objectclass: person
objectclass: organizationalPerson
cn: Bonnie Daniel
sn: Daniel
telephone: 1-812-855-7453
internationaliSDNNumber: 755-7453
title: RISC Manufacturing
seealso: cn=Mary Burnnet, ou=Widget Division, ou=Austin, o=sample
postalcode: 1515
aclentry: group: cn=Bowling Team, ou=Groups, o=sample: at.cn:rsc:
at.telephoneNumber:r

**Access Target:**
These permissions can be applied to the entire object (add child entry, delete entry), to an individual attribute within the entry, or can be applied to groups of attributes (Attribute Access Classes) as described in the following.

Attributes requiring similar permissions for access are grouped together in classes. Attributes are mapped to their attribute classes in the directory schema file. These classes are discrete; access to one class does not imply
access to another class. Permissions are set with regard to the attribute access class as a whole. The permissions set on a particular attribute class apply to all attributes within that access class unless individual attribute access permissions are specified.

IBM defines five attribute classes that are used in evaluation of access to user attributes: **normal**, **sensitive**, **critical**, **system**, and **restricted**. As examples, the attribute **commonName** belongs to the normal class, and the attribute **userPassword** belongs to the critical class. User defined attributes belong to the normal access class unless otherwise specified.

The system class attributes that apply to access control are:

- **aclSource**
- **ibm-effectiveAcl**
- **ownerSource**

These are attributes maintained by the LDAP server and are read-only to the directory users and administrators. **OwnerSource** and **aclSource** are described in the [Propagation](#) section.

The restricted class attributes that define access control are:

- **aclEntry**
- **aclPropagate**
- **entryOwner**
- **ibm-filterAclEntry**
- **ibm-filterAclInherit**
- **ownerPropagate**

By default all users have read access to the restricted attributes but only **entryOwners** can create, modify, and delete these attributes.

### Propagation

Entries on which an aclEntry has been placed are considered to have an explicit aclEntry. Similarly, if the **entryOwner** has been set on a particular entry, that entry has an explicit owner. The two are not intertwined, an entry with an explicit owner may or may not have an explicit aclEntry, and an entry with an explicit aclEntry might have an explicit owner. If either of these values is not explicitly present on an entry, the missing value is inherited from an ancestor node in the directory tree.

Each explicit aclEntry or entryOwner applies to the entry on which it is set. Additionally, the value might apply to all descendants that do not have an explicitly set value. These values are considered propagated; their values propagate through the directory tree. Propagation of a particular value continues until another propagating value is reached.

**Note:** Filter-based ACLs do not propagate in the same way that non-filter-based ACLs do. They propagate to any comparison matched objects in the associated subtree. See [Filtered ACLs](#) on page 492 for more information on the differences.

AclEntry and entryOwner can be set to apply to just a particular entry with the propagation value set to "false", or an entry and its subtree with the propagation value set to "true". Although both aclEntry and entryOwner can propagate, their propagation is not linked in anyway.
The aclEntry and entryOwner attributes allow multiple values within the same entry, however, the propagation attributes, aclPropagate and ownerPropagate, can only have a single value within the same entry.

The system attributes aclSource and ownerSource contain the DN of the effective node from which the aclEntry or entryOwner are evaluated, respectively. If no such node exists, the value default is assigned.

An object's effective access control definitions can be derived by the following logic:

- If there is a set of explicit access control attributes at the object, then that is the object's access control definition.
- If there is no explicitly defined access control attributes, then traverse the directory tree upwards until an ancestor node is reached with a set of propagating access control attributes.
- If no such ancestor node is found, the default access described in "Access evaluation" is granted to the subject.

**Access evaluation**

Access for a particular operation is granted or denied based on the subject's bind DN for that operation on the target object. Processing stops as soon as access can be determined.

The checks for access are done by first finding the effective entryOwnership and ACI definition, checking for entry ownership, and then by evaluating the object's ACI values.

Filter-based ACLs accumulate from the lowest containing entry, upward along the ancestor entry chain, to the highest containing entry in the DIT. The effective access is calculated as the union of the access rights granted, or denied, by the constituent ancestor entries. The existing set of specificity and combinatory rules are used to evaluate effective access for filter based ACLs.

Filter-based and non-filter-based attributes are mutually exclusive within a single containing directory entry. Placing both types of attributes into the same entry is not allowed, and is a constraint violation. Operations associated with the creation of, or updates to, a directory entry fail if this condition is detected.

When calculating effective access, the first ACL type to be detected in the ancestor chain of the target object entry sets the mode of calculation. In filter-based mode, non-filter-based ACLs are ignored in effective access calculation. Likewise, in non-filter-based mode, filter-based ACLs are ignored in effective access calculation.

To limit the accumulation of filter-based ACLs in the calculation of effective access, an ibm-filterAclInherit attribute set to a value of "false" may be placed in any entry between the highest and lowest occurrence of ibm-filterAclEntry in a given subtree. This causes the subset of ibm-filterAclEntry attributes above it in the target object's ancestor chain to be ignored.

To exclude the accumulation of filter-based ACLs in the calculation of effective access, an ibm-filterAclInherit attribute set to a value of "false" may be placed in any entry below the lowest occurrence of ibm-filterAclEntry in a given subtree. This causes all ibm-filterAclEntry attributes above it in the target object's ancestor chain to be ignored. The resulting access resolves to the default filter ACL value.
By default, the directory administrator, local administrative group members who are assigned the DirDataAdmin role, and the master server (or peer server for replication) get full access rights to all objects in the directory except write access to system attributes. Other entryOwners get full access rights to the objects under their ownership except write access to system attributes. By default all users have read access rights to normal, system, and restricted attributes. If the requesting subject has entryOwnership, access is determined by the above default settings and access processing stops.

**Note:** If explicit ACLs are set on an entry, but no explicit ACLs are set for system attributes, then the requester is automatically granted rsc (read, search, and compare) permissions. To deny access, you must deny it explicitly. Access is not denied by default.

If the requesting subject is not an entryOwner, then the ACI values for the object entries are checked. The access rights as defined in the ACIs for the target object are calculated by the specificity and combinatory rules.

### Specificity rule

The most specific aclEntry definitions are the ones used in the evaluation of permissions granted/denied to a user. The levels of specificity are:

- Access-id is more specific than group or role. Groups and roles are on the same level.
- Within the same dnType level, individual attribute level permissions are more specific than attribute class level permissions.
- Within the same attribute or attribute class level, deny is more specific than grant.

### Combinatory rule

Permissions granted to subjects of equal specificity are combined. If the access cannot be determined within the same specificity level, the access definitions of lesser specific level are used. If the access is not determined after all defined ACIs are applied, the access is denied.

**Note:** After a matching access-id level aclEntry is found in access evaluation, the group level aclEntries are not included in access calculation. The exception is that if the matching access-id level aclEntries are all defined under cn=this, then all matching group level aclEntries are also combined in the evaluation.

In other words, within the object entry, if a defined ACI entry contains an access-id subject DN that matches the bind DN, then the permissions are first evaluated based on that aclEntry. Under the same subject DN, if matching attribute level permissions are defined, they supersede any permissions defined under the attribute classes. Under the same attribute or attribute class level definition, if conflicting permissions are present, denied permissions override granted permissions.

**Note:** A defined null value permission prevents the inclusion of less specific permission definitions.

If access still can not be determined and all found matching aclEntries are defined under "cn=this", then group membership is evaluated. If a user belongs to more than one groups, the user receives the combined permissions from these groups. Additionally, the user automatically belongs to the cn=Anybody group and
possibly the cn=Authenticated group if the user did an authenticated bind. If permissions are defined for those groups, the user receives the specified permissions.

**Note:** Group and Role membership is determined at bind time and last until either another bind takes place, or until an unbind request is received. Nested groups and roles, that is a group or role defined as a member of another group or role, are not resolved in membership determination nor in access evaluation.

For example, assume attribute1 is in the sensitive attribute class, and user cn=Person A, o=sample belongs to both group1 and group2 with the following aclEntries defined:
1. aclEntry: access-id: cn=Person A, o=sample: at.attribute1:grant:rsc:sensitive:deny:rsc
2. aclEntry: group: cn=group1,o=sample:critical:deny:rwsc
3. aclEntry: group: cn=group2,o=sample:critical:grant:rn:normal:grant:rsc

This user gets:
- Access of 'rsc' to attribute1, (from 1. Attribute level definition supersedes attribute class level definition).
- No access to other sensitive class attributes in the target object, (from 1).
- No other rights are granted (2 and 3 are NOT included in access evaluation).

For another example, with the following aclEntries:
1. aclEntry: access-id: cn=this: sensitive
2. aclEntry: group: cn=group1,o=sample:sensitive:grant:rsc:normal:grant:rsc

The user has:
- no access to sensitive class attributes, (from 1. Null value defined under access-id prevents the inclusion of permissions to sensitive class attributes from group1).
- and access of 'rsc' to normal class attributes (from 2).

**Working with ACLs**

The following sections describe various task that you can perform to manage ACLs.

**Using the Web Administration Tool utility to manage ACLs**

To view ACL properties using the Web Administration Tool utility and to work with ACLs.

1. Click **Directory management**.
2. Click **Manage entries**.
3. Select a directory entry. For example, ou=Widget Division,ou=Austin,o=sample.
4. Expand the **Select Action** drop-down menu.
5. Select **Edit ACL**.
6. Click Go.

**Note:** The Edit ACL panel is displayed with the **Effective ACLs** tab preselected. This panel has five tabs:
- Effective ACLs
The Effective ACLs and Effective owners tabs contain read-only information about the ACLs.

**Effective ACLs**

Effective Access Control Lists (ACLs) are the explicit and inherited ACLs of the selected entry. To view the effective ACLs for the selected entry, click the Load button at the top of the table. The Effective ACLs table contains read-only information in the following columns:

- **Select** - Select the radio button next to the name of an ACL you want to view.
- **Subject DN** - The distinguished name of the entry to which access is being granted or denied.
- **Subject type** - The type of ACL. There are three subject types:
  - **access-id** - Associates access with a user.
  - **group** - Associates access with users who are members of the selected group.
  - **role** - Associates access with users that have been assigned the selected role.

Click **Load** to load the ACLs. After you have loaded the ACLs, you can refresh the table at any time by clicking **Refresh**. The timestamp below the table records when the table was last refreshed.

**Viewing access rights**: You can view the access rights for a specific effective ACL by selecting it and clicking **View**. The **View access rights** panel opens.

- The **Subject DN** section displays the distinguished name of the entry that you are viewing.
- The **Subject type** section displays the type of ACL that the entry is associated with.
- The **Rights** section displays the addition and deletion rights of the subject.
  - **Add child** grants or denies the subject the right to add a directory entry beneath the selected entry.
  - **Delete entry** grants or denies the subject the right to delete the selected entry.
- The **Security class access rights** section defines permissions for security classes. Attributes are grouped into security classes:
  - **Normal** - Normal attributes require the least security, for example, the attribute `commonName`.
  - **Sensitive** - Sensitive attributes require a moderate amount of security, for example `homePhone`.
  - **Critical** - Critical attributes require the most security, for example, the attribute `userpassword`.
  - **System** - System attributes are read-only attributes that are maintained by the server.
  - **Restricted** - Restricted attributes are used to define access control.

You can view the attribute to determine its security class. See “Viewing attributes” on page 51 if you need information about how to do this.
Note: The system and restricted security class options are displayed only if your server supports system and restricted ACLs. The system security class cannot be set to writable.

- The Attribute access rights section lists attributes that have had their permissions individually set, instead of using those set for security class to which the attribute belongs.
  - **Read** - The subject can read attributes.
  - **Write** - The subject can modify the attributes.

  **Note:** System class is not writable.

  - **Search** - The subject can search attributes.
  - **Compare** - The subject can compare attributes.

- **Click Close** to return to the Effective ACL panel.

**Effective owners**

Effective owners are the explicit and inherited owners of the selected entry. The Effective owner table contains read-only information about Subject DN and the Subject type of the effective owners.

**Non-filtered ACLs**

You can add new non-filtered ACLs to an entry, or edit existing non-filtered ACLs.

Non-filtered ACLs can be propagated. This means that access control information defined for one entry can be applied to all of its subordinate entries. The ACL source is the source of current ACL for the selected entry. If the entry does not have an ACL, it inherits an ACL from parent objects based on the ACL settings of the parent objects.

If no ACL applies to a directory object either directly or through inheritance, the following default access is applied:

```
```

**Adding or editing non-filtered ACLs:**

1. Select the **Non-filtered** ACLs tab.

  **Note:** If no non-filtered ACLs exist for the entry, the Propagate ACLs check box is preselected and cannot be modified.

2. Select the **Propagate** check box to allow descendants without an explicitly defined ACL to inherit from this entry. If the check box is selected, the descendent inherits ACLs from this entry and if the ACL is explicitly defined for the child entry, then the ACL which was inherited from parent is replaced with the new ACL that was added. If the check box is not selected, descendant entries without an explicitly defined ACL will inherit ACLs from a parent of this entry that has this option enabled.

3. Click **Add** to create new access rights for the entry or select an existing Subject DN and click **Edit** to modify existing ACLs.

   - **Specify Subject DN** - Type the DN of the entity requesting access to perform operations on the selected entry, for example, **cn=Ricardo Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample**. You cannot modify this field if you are editing the ACL.

   - **Specify the Subject type** - Select the type of ACL. For example, select **access-id** if the DN is a user. You cannot modify this field if you are editing the ACL.
From the **Add child** menu, select whether to grant or deny the subject the right to add a directory entry beneath the selected entry. In this example, if you select grant, Ricardo Garcia is able to add child entries under ou=Widget Division.

From the **Delete entry** menu, select whether to grant or deny the subject the right to delete the selected entry. In this example, it grants or denies cn=Ricardo Garcia the ability to delete ou=Widget Division and any of its child entries.

Set the permissions for the **Security class access rights** for each of the security classes. You can grant the permissions individually or click **Grant all** or **Deny all** to grant or deny permissions globally. Ricardo Garcia is given the permissions you set here to all of the attributes of each security class. See "Viewing access rights" on page 503 for more information.

**Note:** If you select **Grant all**, it gives Ricardo Garcia access to the restricted attributes including the ACLs themselves. This means that Ricardo Garcia can grant himself additional permissions on the entry. For example, if the administrator denied **Delete entry** permission to Ricardo Garcia on the entry ou=Widget Division, ou=austin, o=sample, Ricardo Garcia could not delete the entry or any of its child entries. If the administrator also clicked **Grant All** for the security class permissions, Ricardo Garcia is able to change the ACL and can give himself permission to delete the child entries of ou=Widget Division, ou=austin, o=sample and the parent entry itself. If you do select **Grant All** when creating ACLs, you might want to explicitly deny write permission to the restricted class for security purposes.

- Additionally, you may specify permissions based on the attribute instead of the security class to which the attribute belongs.
  - Select an attribute from the **Define an attribute** drop-down list.
  - Click **Define**. The attribute is displayed with a permissions table.
  - Specify whether to grant or deny each of the four security class permissions associated with the attribute or click **Grant all** or **Deny all** to grant or deny permissions globally.
  - You can repeat this procedure for multiple attributes.
  - To remove an attribute, simply select the attribute and click **Delete**.
  - When you are finished click **OK** to return to the Edit ACL Panel.
- Click **OK** to save your changes and exit.

**Removing ACLs non-filtered ACLs:** To remove non-filtered ACLs:

- Select the **Non-filtered** ACLs tab
- Select the radio button next to the ACL you want to delete.
- Click **Remove** or click **Remove all** to delete all Subject DNs from the list.
- Click **OK** to save your changes.

**Filtered ACLs**

You can add new filtered ACLs to an entry, or edit existing filtered ACLs.

Filter-based ACLs employ a filter-based comparison, using a specified object filter, to match target objects with the effective access that applies to them.

The default behavior of filter-based ACLs to accumulate from the lowest containing entry, upward along the ancestor entry chain, to the highest containing entry in the DIT. The effective access is calculated as the union of the access rights...
granted, or denied, by the constituent ancestor entries. There is an exception to this behavior. For compatibility with the subtree replication feature, and to allow greater administrative control, a ceiling attribute is used as a means to stop accumulation at the entry in which it is contained.

If no ACL applies to a directory object either directly or through inheritance, the following default access is applied:

```
ibm-filteraclentry:group:CN=ANYBODY:(objectclass=*)normal:rsc:system:rsc
:restricted:rsc
```

**Adding or editing filtered ACLs:**

1. Select the **Filtered** ACLs tab
2. Enter the following information on the Filtered ACLs tab:
   - Select the **Not specified** radio button to remove the `ibm-filterACLInherit` attribute from the selected entry.
   - Select the **True** radio button to allow the ACLs for the selected entry to accumulate from that entry, upward along the ancestor entry chain, to the highest filter ACL containing entry in the DIT.
   - Select the **False** radio button to stop the accumulation of filter ACLs at the selected entry.
3. Click **Add** to create new access rights for the entry or select an existing Subject DN and click **Edit** to modify existing filtered ACLs.
   - Specify **Subject DN** - Type the DN of the entity requesting access to perform operations on the selected entry, for example, `cn=Ricardo Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample`. You cannot modify this field if you are editing the ACL.
   - Specify the **Subject type** - Select the type of ACL. For example, select `access-id` if the DN is a user. You cannot modify this field if you are editing the ACL.
   - From the **Add child** menu, select whether to grant or deny the subject the right to add a directory entry beneath the selected entry. In this example, if you select grant, Ricardo Garcia is able to add child entries under `ou=Widget Division`.
   - From the **Delete entry** menu, select whether to grant or deny the subject the right to delete the selected entry. In this example, it grants or denies `cn=Ricard Garcia` the ability to delete `ou=Widget Division` and any of its child entries.
   - Specify the filter for the selected ACL in the **Object filter** field. The ACL propagates to any descendant object in the associated subtree that matches the filter that you specified in this field. For example, if you specify `sn=Campbell` as the filter, then Ricardo Garcia has access permissions under `ou=Widget Division,ou=austin,o=sample` to the entries `cn=David Campbell, cn=James Campbell, cn=Michael Campbell+postalcode=4609` and `cn=Michael Campbell` because each of the entries contain the `sn` attribute with the value `Campbell`. Click **Edit filter** for assistance in composing the search filter string.
   - Set the permissions for the **Security class access rights** for each of the security classes. You can grant the permissions individually or click **Grant all** or **Deny all** to grant or deny permissions globally. Ricardo Garcia is given the permissions you set here to all of the attributes of each security class. See “Viewing access rights” on page 503 for more information.
Note: If you select Grant all, it gives Ricardo Garcia access to the restricted attributes including the ACLs themselves. This means that Ricardo Garcia can grant himself additional permissions on the entry. For example, if the administrator denied Delete entry permission to Ricardo Garcia on the entry ou=Widget Division,ou=austin,o=sample, Ricardo Garcia could not delete the entry or any of its child entries. If the administrator also clicked Grant All for the security class permissions, Ricardo Garcia is able to change the ACL and can give himself permission to delete the child entries of ou=Widget Division,ou=austin,o=sample and the parent entry itself. If you do select Grant All when creating ACLs, you might want to explicitly deny write permission to the restricted class for security purposes.

- Additionally, you may specify permissions based on the attribute instead of the security class to which the attribute belongs.
  - Select an attribute from the Define an attribute drop-down list.
  - Click Define. The attribute is displayed with a permissions table.
  - Specify whether to grant or deny each of the four security class permissions associated with the attribute or click Grant all or Deny all to grant or deny permissions globally.
  - You can repeat this procedure for multiple attributes.
  - To remove an attribute, simply select the attribute and click Delete.
  - When you are finished click OK to return to the Edit ACL panel.

4. Click OK to save your changes and exit.

Removing filtered ACLs: To remove filtered ACLs:
- Select the Filtered ACLs tab
- Select the radio button next to the ACL you want to delete.
- Click Remove or click Remove all to delete all Subject DNs from the list.
- Click OK to save your changes.

Owners
Entry owners have complete permissions to perform any operation on an object. Entry owners can be explicit or propagated (inherited). The owner is the source of the current owner for the selected entry. If the entry does not inherit an owner from a ancestor, this field displays a message stating that this entry inherits owners from default. Adding owners to this entry overrides all inherited owners. By default the directory administrator is the owner of all of the entries in the directory.

Adding an owner: To add an owner for the entry:
1. Select the Owners tab.
   - Select the Propagate owners check box to allow descendants without an explicitly defined owner to inherit from this entry. If the check box is not selected, descendant entries without an explicitly defined owner will inherit owner from a parent of this entry that has this option enabled.
   - Specify the Subject DN. Type the (DN) Distinguished name of the entity that you are granting owner access on the selected entry, for example, cn=Ricardo Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample.
   - Select the Subject type of DN. For example, select access-id if the DN is a user.
2. Click Add.
3. Repeat the process for any additional owners that you want to create.
4. When you are finished, click **OK** to save your changes and exit to the **Manage entries** panel.

### Removing an owner:
To remove an owner from an entry:

1. Select the **Owners** tab.
2. Select the radio button next to the owner you want to delete.
3. Click **Remove** or click **Remove all** to delete all Subject DNs from the list.
4. Click **OK** to save your changes.

### Using the command line utilities to manage ACLs

The following sections describe how to use the LDIF utilities to manage ACLs.

#### Defining the ACIs and entry owners

The following two examples show an administrative subdomain being established. The first example shows a single user being assigned as the entryOwner for the entire domain. The second example shows a group assigned as the entryOwner.

```plaintext
entryOwner: access-id:cn=Person A,o=sample
ownerPropagate: true

entryOwner: group:cn=System Owners, o=sample
ownerPropagate: true
```

The next example shows how an access ID "cn=Person 1, o=sample" is being given permissions to read, search, and compare attribute1. The permission applies to any node in the entire subtree, at or below the node containing this ACI, that matches the "(objectclass=groupOfNames)" comparison filter. The accumulation of matching ibm-filteraclentry attributes in any ancestor nodes has been terminated at this entry by setting the ibm-filterAclInherit attribute to "false".

```plaintext
ibm-filterAclEntry: access-id:cn=Person 1,o=sample:(objectclass=groupOfNames):
  at.attribute1:grant:rsc
ibm-filterAclInherit: false
```

The next example shows how a group "cn=Dept XYZ, o=sample" is being given permissions to read, search and compare attribute1. The permission applies to the entire subtree below the node containing this ACI.

```plaintext
aclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=sample:at.attribute1:grant:rsc
aclPropagate: true
```

The next example shows how a role "cn=System Admins,o=sample" is being given permissions to add objects below this node, and read, search and compare attribute2 and the critical attribute class. The permission applies only to the node containing this ACI.

```plaintext
  attribute2:grant:rsc:critical:grant:rsc
aclPropagate: false
```

#### Modifying the ACI and entry owner values

**Modify-replace**

Modify-replace works the same way as all other attributes. If the attribute value does not exist, create the value. If the attribute value exists, replace the value.

Given the following ACIs for an entry:

```plaintext
aclEntry: group:cn=Dept ABC,o=sample:normal:grant:rsc
aclPropagate: true
```
Perform the following change:

dn: cn=some entry  
changetype: modify  
replace: aclEntry
aclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=sample:normal:grant:rsc

The resulting ACI is:

aclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=sample:normal:grant:rsc  
aclPropagate: true

ACI values for Dept ABC are lost through the replace.

Given the following ACIs for an entry:

ibm-filterAclEntry: group:cn=Dept ABC,o=sample:(cn=Manager ABC):normal  
                      :grant:rsc  
ibm-filterAclInherit: true

Perform the following changes:

dn: cn=some entry  
changetype: modify  
replace: ibm-filterAclEntry
ibm-filterAclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=sample:(cn=Manager XYZ):normal  
                      :grant:rsc

The resulting ACI is:

ibm-filterAclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=sample:(cn=Manager XYZ):normal  
                      :grant:rsc  
ibm-filterAclInherit: false

ACI values for Dept ABC are lost through the replace.

**Modify-add**

During an idsldapmodify-add, if the ACI or entryOwner does not exist, the ACI or entryOwner with the specific values is created. If the ACI or entryOwner exists, then add the specified values to the given ACI or entryOwner. For example, given the ACI:

```
ibm-filterAclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=sample:(cn=Manager XYZ):normal  
                      :grant:rsc
```

with a modification:

```
dn: cn=some entry  
changetype: modify  
add: aclEntry
aclEntry: group:cn=Dept ABC,o=sample:at.attribute1:grant:rsc
```

would yield an multi-valued aclEntry of:

```
aclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=sample:at.attribute1:grant:rsc  
aclEntry: group:cn=Dept ABC,o=sample:at.attribute1:grant:rsc
```

For example, given the ACI:

```
ibm-filterAclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=sample:(cn=Manager XYZ):normal  
                      :grant:rsc
```

with a modification:

```
ibm-filterAclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=sample:at.attribute1:grant:rsc
```

would yield an multi-valued ibm-filterAclEntry of:

```
ibm-filterAclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=sample:at.attribute1:grant:rsc  
ibm-filterAclEntry: group:cn=Dept ABC,o=sample:at.attribute1:grant:rsc
```
dn: cn=some entry
changetype: modify
add: ibm-filterAclEntry
ibm-filterAclEntry: group:cn=Dept ABC,o=sample:(cn=Manager ABC)
   :at.attribute1:grant:rsc

would yield an multi-valued aclEntry of:
ibm-filterAclEntry: group:cn=Dept ABC,o=sample:(cn=Manager ABC):at.attribute1
   :grant:rsc
ibm-filterAclEntry: group:cn=Dept ABC,o=sample:(cn=Manager ABC):at.attribute1
   :grant:rsc

The permissions under the same attribute or attribute class are considered
as the basic building blocks and the actions are considered as the
qualifiers. If the same permission value is being added more than once,
only one value is stored. If the same permission value is being added more
than once with different action values, the last action value is used. If the
resulting permission field is empty ('"'), this permission value is set to null
and the action value is set to grant.

For example, given the following ACI:

```
iglEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=sample:grant:rsc
```

with a modification:

dn: cn=some entry
changetype: modify
add: aclEntry
aclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=IBM:deny:r:critical:deny::sensitive
   :grant:r

yields an aclEntry of:

```
aclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=IBM:normal:deny:r:critical:deny::sensitive
   :grant:r
```

For example, given the following ACI:

```
ibm-filterAclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=sample:(cn=Manager XYZ):normal
   :grant:rsc
```

with a modification:

dn: cn=some entry
changetype: modify
add: ibm-filterAclEntry
ibm-filterAclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=sample:(cn=Manager XYZ):normal
   :deny:r:critical:deny::sensitive:grant:r

yields an aclEntry of:

```
ibm-filterAclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=sample:(cn=Manager XYZ):normal
   :grant:sc:normal:deny:r:critical:grant::sensitive
   :grant:r
```

**Modify-delete**

To delete a particular ACI value, use the regular idsldapmodify-delete
syntax.

Given an ACI of:

```
aclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=sample:object:grant:ad
aclEntry: group:cn=Dept XYZ,o=sample:normal:grant:rwsc
```

```
dn: cn = some entry
```
Deleting an ACI or entryOwner value that does not exist results in an unchanged ACI or entryOwner and a return code specifying that the attribute value does not exist.

Deleting the ACI/entry owner values
With the idsldapmodify-delete operation, the entryOwner can be deleted by specifying

```
dn: cn = some entry
changetype: modify
delete: entryOwner
```

In this case, the entry would then have no explicit entryOwner. The ownerPropagate is also removed automatically. This entry would inherit its entryOwner from the ancestor node in the directory tree following the propagation rule.

The same can be done to delete aclEntry completely:

```
dn: cn = some entry
changetype: modify
delete: aclEntry
```

Deleting the last ACI or entryOwner value from an entry is not the same as deleting the ACI or entryOwner. It is possible for an entry to contain an ACI or entryOwner with no values. In this case, nothing is returned to the client when querying the ACI or entryOwner and the setting propagates to the descendent nodes until it is overridden. To prevent dangling entries that nobody can access, the directory administrator always has full access to an entry even if the entry has a null ACI or entryOwner value.

Retrieving the ACI/entry owner values
The effective ACI or entryOwner values can be retrieved by simply specifying the desired ACL or entryOwner attributes in a search, for example,

```
idsldapsearch -b "cn=object A, o=sample" -s base "objectclass=*"
aclentry aclpropagate aclsource entryowner ownerpropagate ownersource
ibm-filterAclEntry ibm-filterAclInherit ibm-effectiveAcl
```
returns all ACL or entryOwner information that is used in access evaluation on
object A. Note that the returned values might not look exactly the same as they are
first defined. The values are the equivalent of the original form.

Searching on the ibm-filterAclEntry attribute alone only returns the values specific
to the containing entry.

A read-only operational attribute, ibm-effectiveAcl, is used to show the
accumulated effective access. A search request for ibm-effectiveAcl returns the
effective access that applies to the target object based on: non-filter ACLs, or filter
ACLs, depending on how they have been distributed in the DIT.

Because filter-based ACLs might come from several ancestor sources, a search on
the aclSource attribute produces a list of the associated sources.

Subtree replication considerations

For non-filter-based access to be included in subtree replication, any aclEntry
attributes must reside at the associated ibm-replicationContext entry. Because
effective access cannot be propagated from an ancestor entry above a replicated
subtree, the aclPropagate attribute must be set to a value of true.

For filter-based access to be included in subtree replication, any ibm-filterAclEntry
attributes must reside at, or below, the associated ibm-replicationContext entry.
Because effective access cannot be accumulated from an ancestor entry above a
replicated subtree, the ibm-filterAclInherit attribute must be set to a value of false,
and reside at the associated ibm-replicationContext entry.
Chapter 20. Groups and roles

Groups

A group is a list, such as a collection of names. A group can be used in aclentry, ibm-filterAclEntry, and entryowner attributes to control access or in application-specific uses such as a mailing list; see Chapter 19, “Access control lists,” on page 491. Groups can be defined as either static, dynamic, or nested.

Static groups

A static group defines each member individually using the structural objectclass groupOfNames, groupOfUniqueNames, accessGroup, or accessRole; or the auxiliary objectclass ibm-staticgroup or ibm-globalAdminGroup. A static group using the structural objectclasses groupOfNames and groupOfUniqueNames require at least one member or uniqueMember, respectively.

IBM Security Directory Server enforces partial referential integrity for static groups. Referential integrity is a database concept that ensures relationships between tables remain consistent. When a static group is added into the directory, the members need not exist in the directory. However, when an object is deleted from the directory, all static groups that have this object as a member are updated automatically to remove this object from their lists of members. In addition, when an object is renamed in the directory, all static groups and nested groups that have this object as a member are updated automatically to rename this object in their lists of members.

Note: This concept does not apply to dynamic groups because dynamic groups are search-based. The deletion of an object from the directory automatically causes it to be excluded from the search results.

A typical group entry is:

```text
DN: cn=Dev.Staff,ou=Austin,o=sample
objectclass: accessGroup
cn: Dev.Staff
member: cn=John Doe,ou=Austin,o=sample
member: cn=Jane Smith,ou=Austin,o=sample
member: cn=James Smith,ou=Austin,o=sample
```

Each group object contains a multivalued attribute consisting of member DNs.

Upon deletion of an access group, the access group is also deleted from all ACLs to which it has been applied.

Note: Referential integrity results in updates to the modifyTimeStamp of the group entry to which a member belongs. In a replication environment, ldap operations of type deletion, modrdn, or movement of a member entry from one tree to another invokes referential integrity on both Master (Supplier) and Replica (Consumer). To avoid any replication conflict that may arise because of group entries on master and replica bearing different timestamp values, the modifyTimeStamp of the affected group is set to the value of the modifyTimeStamp of the member entry that was affected in the last operation, subject to the modifyTimeStamp of the last operation being later than the existing modifyTimeStamp of the group.
Dynamic groups

A dynamic group defines its members differently than a static group. Instead of listing them individually, the dynamic group defines its members using an LDAP search. The dynamic group uses the structural objectclass **groupOfURLs** (or auxiliary objectclass **ibm-dynamicGroup**) and the attribute, **memberURL** to define the search using a simplified LDAP URL syntax.

```
ldap:///base DN of search ? scope of search ? searchfilter
```

**Note:** As the example illustrates, the host name must not be present in the syntax. The remaining parameters are just like normal ldap URL syntax. Each parameter field must be separated by a ?, even if no parameter is specified. Normally, a list of attributes to return would be included between the base DN and scope of the search. This parameter is also not used by the server when determining dynamic membership, and so may be omitted, however, the separator ? must still be present.

**where:**

**base DN of search**

Is the point from which the search begins in the directory. It can be the suffix or root of the directory such as **ou=Austin**. This parameter is required.

**scope of search**

Specifies the extent of the search. The default scope is sub.

- **base** Returns information only about the base DN specified in the URL
- **one** Returns information about entries one level below the base DN specified in the URL. It does not include the base entry.
- **sub** Returns information about entries at all levels below and includes the base DN.

**searchfilter**

Is the filter that you want to apply to the entries within the scope of the search. See the **idsldapsearch** command information in the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference* for more information about the syntax of the search filter. The default is objectclass=*

The search for dynamic members is always internal to the server, so unlike a full ldap URL, a host name and port number is never specified, and the protocol is always **ldap** (never **ldaps**). The **memberURL** attribute may contain any kind of URL, but the server only uses **memberURLs** beginning with **ldap://** to determine dynamic membership.

**Examples**

A single entry in which the scope defaults to sub and the filter defaults to objectclass=*:

```
ldap:///cn=John Doe, cn=Employees, o=Acme, c=US
```

All entries that are one-level below **cn=Employees**, and the filter defaults to objectclass=*:

```
ldap:///cn=Employees, o=Acme, c=US??one
```

All entries that are under **o=Acme** with the objectclass=person:

```
ldap:///o=Acme, c=US??sub?objectclass=person
```
Depending on the object classes you use to define user entries, those entries might not contain attributes which are appropriate for determining group membership. You can use the auxiliary object class, \textit{ibm-dynamicMember}, to extend your user entries to include the \textit{ibm-group} attribute. This attribute allows you to add arbitrary values to your user entries to serve as targets for the filters of your dynamic groups. For example:

The members of this dynamic group are entries directly under the cn=users, ou=Austin entry that have an ibm-group attribute of GROUP1:

\begin{verbatim}
dn: cn=GROUP1, ou=Austin
objectclass: groupOfURLs
cn: GROUP1
memberURL: ldap:///cn=users, ou=Austin??one?(ibm-group=GROUP1)
\end{verbatim}

Here is an example member of cn=GROUP1, ou=Austin:

\begin{verbatim}
dn: cn=Group 1 member, cn=users, ou=austin
objectclass: person
objectclass: ibm-dynamicMember
cn: Group 1 member
sn: member
userpassword: memberpassword
ibm-group: GROUP1
\end{verbatim}

### Nested groups

The nesting of groups enables the creation of hierarchical relationships that can be used to define inherited group membership. A nested group is defined as a parent group entry that has members that are group entries. A nested group is created by extending one of the structural group object classes by adding the \textit{ibm-nestedGroup} auxiliary object class. After nested group extension, zero or more \textit{ibm-memberGroup} attributes may be added, with their values set to the DNs of nested child groups. For example:

\begin{verbatim}
dn: cn=Group 2, cn=Groups, o=sample
objectclass: groupOfNames
objectclass: ibm-nestedGroup
objectclass: top
cn: Group 2
description: Group composed of static, and nested members.
member: cn=Person 2.1, cn=Dept 2, cn=Employees, o=sample
member: cn=Person 2.2, cn=Dept 2, cn=Employees, o=sample
ibm-memberGroup: cn=Group 8, cn=Nested Static, cn=Groups, o=sample
\end{verbatim}

The introduction of cycles into the nested static group hierarchy is not allowed. If it is determined that a nested static group operation results in a cyclical reference, either directly or through inheritance, it is considered a constraint violation and therefore, the update to the entry fails.

### Hybrid groups

Any of the structural group object classes mentioned can be extended such that group membership is described by a combination of static, dynamic, and nested member types. For example:

\begin{verbatim}
dn: cn=Group 10, cn=Groups, o=sample
objectclass: groupOfURLs
objectclass: ibm-nestedGroup
objectclass: ibm-staticGroup
objectclass: top
cn: Group 10
description: Group composed of static, dynamic, and nested members.
memberURL: ldap:///cn=Austin, cn=Employees, o=sample??one?objectClass=person
\end{verbatim}
Determining group membership

Two operational attributes can be used to query aggregate group membership. For a given group entry, the `ibm-allMembers` operational attribute enumerates the aggregate set of group membership, including static, dynamic, and nested members, as described by the nested group hierarchy. For a given user entry, the `ibm-allGroups` operational attribute enumerates the aggregate set of groups, including ancestor groups, to which that user has membership.

Note:
- The `ibm-allMembers` operational attribute is processed in a distributed environment also.
- The proxy server obtains the dynamic members of a nested group only if they reside on the same backend server. Also, in case of proxy server, only global admin group members can perform the `ibm-allMembers` search.
- The `ibm-allMembers` search is supported only for base searches.
- The values for the `ibm-allMembers` and `ibm-allGroups` operational attributes are determined at runtime. For a large directory, this can mean long operation times.

A requester may only receive a subset of the total data requested, depending on how the ACLs have been set on the data. Anyone can request the `ibm-allMembers` and `ibm-allGroups` operational attributes, but the data set returned only contains data for the LDAP entries and attributes that the requester has access rights to. The user requesting the `ibm-allMembers` or `ibm-allGroups` attribute must have access to the `member` or `uniquemember` attribute values for the group and nested groups in order to see static members, and must be able to perform the searches specified in the `memberURL` attribute values in order to see dynamic members. For examples:

**Hierarchy examples**

For this example, assume that the directory contains the following entries:

```
dn: cn=g1,cn=groups,o=sample
objectclass: groupOfNames
objectclass: ibm-nestedGroup
cn: g1
ibm-memberGroup: cn=g2,cn=groups,o=sample
ibm-memberGroup: cn=g4,cn=groups,o=sample
ibm-memberGroup: cn=g5,cn=groups,o=sample

dn: cn=m1, cn=users,o=sample
objectclass:person
```

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Assume that \texttt{m1} and \texttt{m2} are in the \texttt{member} attribute of \texttt{g2}. The ACL for \texttt{g2} allows \texttt{user1} to read the member attribute, but \texttt{user2} does not have access to the member attribute. The entry LDIF for the \texttt{g2} entry is as follows:

\begin{verbatim}
dn: cn=g2,cn=groups,o=sample
objectclass: accessGroup
cn: g2
member: cn=m1,cn=users,o=sample
member: cn=m2,cn=users,o=sample
aclentry: access-id:cn=user1,cn=users,o=sample:normal:rsc
aclentry: access-id:cn=user2,cn=users,o=sample:normal:rsc:at.member:deny:rsc
\end{verbatim}

The \texttt{g4} entry uses the default aclentry, which allows both \texttt{user1} and \texttt{user2} to read its member attribute. The LDIF for the \texttt{g4} entry is as follows:

\begin{verbatim}
dn: cn=g4, cn=groups,o=sample
objectclass: accessGroup
cn: g4
member: cn=m5, cn=users,o=sample
\end{verbatim}

The \texttt{g5} entry is a dynamic group, which gets its two members from the \texttt{memberURL} attribute. The LDIF for the \texttt{g5} entry is as follows:

\begin{verbatim}
dn: cn=g5, cn=groups,o=sample
objectclass: container
objectclass: ibm-dynamicGroup
cn: g5
memberURL: ldap:///cn=users,o=sample??sub?((|(cn=m3)(cn=m4)))
\end{verbatim}

The entries \texttt{m3} and \texttt{m4} are members of group \texttt{g5} because they match the \texttt{memberURL}. The ACL for the \texttt{m3} entry allows both \texttt{user1} and \texttt{user2} to search for it. The ACL for the \texttt{m4} entries doesn't allow \texttt{user2} to search for it. The LDIF for \texttt{m4} is as follows:

\begin{verbatim}
dn: cn=m3, cn=users,o=sample
objectclass:person
cn: m3
sn: three
aclentry: access-id:cn=user1,cn=users,o=sample:normal:rsc
aclentry: access-id:cn=user2,cn=users,o=sample:normal:rsc

dn: cn=m4, cn=users,o=sample
objectclass:person
cn: m4
sn: four
aclentry: access-id:cn=user1,cn=users,o=sample:normal:rsc
aclentry: access-id:cn=user2,cn=users,o=sample
\end{verbatim}

**Example 1:**

User 1 does a search to get all the members of group \texttt{g1}. User 1 has access to all members, so they are all returned.

\begin{verbatim}
idsldapsearch -D cn=user1,cn=users,o=sample -w user1pwd -s base -b cn=g1,
cn=groups,o=sample objectclass=* ibm-allmembers
\end{verbatim}
Example 2:
User 2 does a search to get all the members of group g1. User 2 does not have access to members m1 or m2 because they do not have access to the member attribute for group g2. User 2 has access to the member attribute for g4 and therefore has access to member m5. User 2 can perform the search in the group g5 memberURL for entry m3, so that member is listed, but cannot perform the search for m4.

```
idsldapsearch -D cn=user2,cn=users,o=sample -w user2pwd -s base -b cn=g1,
    cn=groups,o=sample objectclass=* ibm-allmembers
```

cn=g1,cn=groups,o=sample
ibm-allmembers: CN=M3,CN=USERS,o=sample
ibm-allmembers: CN=M5,CN=USERS,o=sample

Example 3:
User 2 does a search to see if m3 is a member of group g1. User 2 has access to do this search, so the search shows that m3 is a member of group g1.

```
idsldapsearch -D cn=user2,cn=users,o=sample -w user2pwd -s base -b cn=m3,
    cn=users,o=sample objectclass=* ibm-allgroups
```

cn=m3,cn=users,o=sample
ibm-allgroups: CN=G1,CN=GROUPS,o=sample

Example 4:
User 2 does a search to see if m1 is a member of group g1. User 2 does not have access to the member attribute, so the search does not show that m1 is a member of group g1.

```
idsldapsearch -D cn=user2,cn=users,o=sample -w user2pwd -s base -b
    cn=m1,cn=users,o=sample objectclass=* ibm-allgroups
```

cn=m1,cn=users,o=sample

Example 5:
Depending on the ACLs associated with an user, the evaluation of the search consisting of the ibm-allMembers operational attribute for dynamic groups might give varied results. This example illustrates how access control can affect evaluation of the ibm-allMembers operational attributes for dynamic groups.

Consider the entries for two groups in LDIF defined as follows:

- For claims group:
  ```
  dn: cn=claims,cn=groups,o=sample
  objectclass: top
  objectclass: groupOfURLs
  memberURL: ldap:///cn=users,o=sample??sub?(ibm-group=claims)
  cn: claims
  ```

- For departmentNum group:
  ```
  dn: cn=departmentNum, cn=groups, o=sample
  objectclass: top
  objectclass: groupOfURLs
  memberURL: ldap:///cn=users,o=sample??one?((departmentnumber=2001)
  (departmentnumber=2002))
  ```

Consider the entries for users in LDIF defined as follows:
Here, the default access control, **cn=anybody**, is used, which has read, search, and compare access. This DN has access-class defined as "normal".

An user with required administrative privileges runs a search returning **ibm-allMembers** for these groups, the search returns:

```
idsldapsearch -D cn=root -w ? -b "cn=groups, o=sample" -s one objectclass=* ibm-allMembers
```

- cn=departmentNum,cn=groups,o=sample
- ibm-allMembers=uid=adavid,cn=users,o=sample
- ibm-allMembers=uid=jchevy,cn=users,o=sample

- cn=claims,cn=groups,o=sample
- ibm-allMembers=uid=adavid,cn=users,o=sample
- ibm-allMembers=uid=jchevy,cn=users,o=sample

The result displays the entries that satisfy the search criteria departmentnumber=2001 or departmentnumber=2002 and ibm-group=claims.

If the same search is performed anonymously, the search returns:

```
idsldapsearch -b "cn=groups, o=sample" -s one objectclass=* ibm-allMembers
```

- cn=departmentNum,cn=groups,o=sample
- ibm-allMembers=uid=adavid,cn=users,o=sample
- ibm-allMembers=uid=jchevy,cn=users,o=sample
- cn=claims,cn=groups,o=sample

In the displayed result, entries that are members of the departmentNum group are returned that satisfy the search criteria departmentnumber=2001 or departmentnumber=2002, and no entries are returned as a member of the claims group. This is because the ibm-group attribute has access-class defined as "critical", while the departmentnumber attribute has access-class defined as "normal". Moreover, anonymous users do not have search access to attributes of access-class "critical".

In a dynamic group, the members are defined using an LDAP search. Therefore, the search for dynamic members and determination of group membership is internal to the directory server and therefore no access control applies.
However, if a client application retrieves ibm-allGroups to manage authority within some other application, then you need to be sure that the application does these searches using an identity that has the necessary authority.

**Group object classes**

**ibm-dynamicGroup**
This auxiliary class allows the optional `memberURL` attribute. Use it with a structural class such as `groupOfNames` to create a hybrid group with both static and dynamic members.

**ibm-dynamicMember**
This auxiliary class allows the optional `ibm-group` attribute. Use it as a filter attribute for dynamic groups.

**ibm-nestedGroup**
This auxiliary class allows the optional `ibm-memberGroup` attribute. Use it with a structural class such as `groupOfNames` to create a hybrid group with both static and dynamic members.

*Note:* The `ibm-staticGroup` is the only class for which `member` is *optional*, all other classes taking `member` require at least 1 member.

**groupOfNames**
Defines entries for a group of names. Represents a list containing an unordered list of names.

**groupOfUniqueNames**
Defines entries for a group of unique names.

**accessGroup**
A group that is used for access control.

**groupOfURLs**
Represents a group of URLs.

**Group attribute types**

**ibm-allGroups**
Shows all groups to which an entry belongs. An entry can be a member directly by the `member`, `uniqueMember`, or `memberURL` attributes, or indirectly by the `ibm-memberGroup` attribute. This *Read-only* operational attribute is not allowed in a search filter.

**ibm-allMembers**
Shows all members of a group. An entry can be a member directly by the `member`, `uniqueMember`, or `memberURL` attributes, or indirectly by the `ibm-memberGroup` attribute. This *Read-only* operational attribute is not allowed in a search filter.

**ibm-group**
Is an attribute taken by the auxiliary class `ibm-dynamicMember`. Use it to define arbitrary values to control membership of the entry in dynamic groups. For example, add the value "Bowling Team" to include the entry in any `memberURL` that has the filter "ibm-group=Bowling Team".
ibm-memberGroup
Is an attribute taken by the auxiliary class ibm-nestedGroup. It identifies sub-groups of a parent group entry. Members of all such sub-groups are considered members of the parent group when processing ACLs or the ibm-allMembers and ibm-allGroups operational attributes. The sub-group entries themselves are not members. Nested membership is recursive.

member
Identifies the distinguished names for each member of the group.

uniquemember
Identifies a group of names associated with an entry where each name was given a uniqueldentifier to ensure its uniqueness. A value for the uniquemember attribute is a DN followed by the uniqueldentifier.

memberURL
Identifies an URL associated with each member of a group. Any type of labeled URL can be used.

The following tasks utilize the entries contained in the sample.ldif file that is located in the examples directory of the IBM Security Directory Server.

You are going to create three groups to organize a lunch club. The first group is a static group that lists those people who like to meet for lunch on Monday. The second group that meets for lunch on Tuesday is a dynamic group. This group lists all the members of a department (the Widget division). The advantage of a dynamic group is that the changes that you make to the subtree entry, such as adding a new person entry, is dynamically changed in the group as well. The third group is a nested group that is a container for the other two groups.

Creating a static group entry

If you have not done so already, expand the Directory management category in the navigation area.
1. Click Add an entry.
2. Select the Groups filter object class from the drop-down menu and click Refresh.
3. Select one Structural object class from the list box. For this example GroupOfNames.
4. Click Next.
5. Select the Groups filter object class from the drop-down menu and click Refresh.
6. Select any Auxiliary object classes you wish to use from the Available box. For this example ibm-staticGroup and click Add. Repeat this process for each auxiliary object class you want to add. You can also delete an auxiliary object class from the Selected box by selecting it and clicking Remove.
7. Click Next.
8. In the Relative DN field, enter the relative distinguished name (RDN) of the entry that you are adding, for example, cn=Monday.
9. In the Parent DN field, enter the distinguished name of the tree entry you selected, for example, ou=Groups,o=sample. You can also click Browse to select the Parent DN from the list. You can also expand the selection to view other choices lower in the subtree. Specify your choice and click Select to specify the Parent DN that you want. The Parent DN defaults to the entry selected in the tree.
10. At the **Required attributes** tab enter the values for the required attributes. For this example in the **cn** field type **Monday**.

**Notes:**

a. If you want to add more than one value for a particular attribute, click **Multiple values**. Supply the additional value for the attribute and click **Add**. Repeat this for each additional value. To remove a value, select the value and click **Remove**. Click **OK** when you have finished adding the multiple values. The values are added to a drop-down menu displayed below the attribute.

b. If your server has language tags enabled, you can click **Language tag**. Click **value** to add or remove language tag descriptors. See “Language tags” on page 477 for more information.

11. In the **member** field, add the DN for at least one member. For example cn=Bob Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample.

**Note:** This member does not have to be a preexisting entry. It can be created later.

a. Click **Multiple values**.

b. In the **member** field, type cn=Ricardo Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample.

c. Click **Add**.

d. Click **OK**.

12. Click **Optional attributes**.

13. At the **Optional attributes** tab enter the values as appropriate for the other attributes. For example in the **Description** field, type Monday lunch group. See “Binary data for attributes” on page 475 for information on adding binary values.

14. Click **Finish** to create the entry.

See “Managing members of group entries” on page 525 to add additional members to this group.

**Creating a dynamic group entry**

For this example, you are creating a dynamic group for the organization ou=Widget Division,ou=Austin,o=sample.

If you have not done so already, expand the **Directory management** category in the navigation area.

1. Click **Add an entry**.

2. If not already selected, choose the **All** filter object class from the drop-down menu and click **Refresh**.

3. Select one **Structural object class** from the list box. For this example container.

4. Click **Next**.

5. Select the **Groups** filter object class from the drop-down menu and click **Refresh**.

6. Select any **Auxiliary object classes** you wish to use from the Available box. For this example ibm-dynamicGroup and click **Add**. Repeat this process for
each auxiliary object class you want to add. You can also delete an auxiliary object class from the Selected box by selecting it and clicking Remove.

7. Click Next.

8. In the Relative DN field, enter the relative distinguished name (RDN) of the entry that you are adding, for example, cn=Tuesday.

9. In the Parent DN field, enter the distinguished name of the tree entry you selected, for example, ou=Groups,o=sample. You can also click Browse to select the Parent DN from the list. You can also expand the selection to view other choices lower in the subtree. Specify the your choice and click Select to specify the Parent DN that you want. The Parent DN defaults to the entry selected in the tree.

Note: If you started this task from the Manage entries panel, this field is prefilled for you. You selected the Parent DN before clicking Add to start the add entry process.

10. At the Required attributes tab enter the values for the required attributes. In this example, in the cn field type Tuesday.

Notes:

a. If you want to add more than one value for a particular attribute, click Multiple values. Supply the additional value for the attribute and click Add. Repeat this for each additional value. To remove a value, select the value and click Remove. Click OK when you have finished adding the multiple values. The values are added to a drop-down menu displayed below the attribute.

b. If your server has language tags enabled, you can click Language tag value to add or remove language tag descriptors. See “Language tags” on page 477 for more information.

11. Click Optional attributes.

12. At the Optional attributes tab enter the values as appropriate for the other attributes. In this example for memberURL type ldap:///ou=Widget Division,ou=Austin,o=sample??sub?.

13. Click Finish to create the entry.

Creating a nested group entry

In this task you are creating a nested group that is a container for the other two groups.

If you have not done so already, expand the Directory management category in the navigation area.

1. Click Add an entry.

2. If not already selected, choose the All filter object class from the drop-down menu and click Refresh.

3. Select one Structural object class from the list box. For this example container.

4. Click Next.

5. Select the Groups filter object class from the drop-down menu and click Refresh.

6. Select any Auxiliary object classes you wish to use from the Available box. For this example ibm-nestedGroup and click Add. Repeat this process for each auxiliary object class you want to add. You can also delete an auxiliary object class from the Selected box by selecting it and clicking Remove.
7. Click Next.

8. In the Relative DN field, enter the relative distinguished name (RDN) of the entry that you are adding, for example, cn=Lunch bunch.

9. In the Parent DN field, enter the distinguished name of the tree entry you selected, for example, ou=Groups,o=sample. You can also click Browse to select the Parent DN from the list. You can also expand the selection to view other choices lower in the subtree. Specify the your choice and click Select to specify the Parent DN that you want. The Parent DN defaults to the entry selected in the tree.

Note: If you started this task from the Manage entries panel, this field is prefilled for you. You selected the Parent DN before clicking Add to start the add entry process.

10. At the Required attributes tab enter the values for the required attributes. In this example, in the cn field type Lunch bunch.

Notes:
   a. If you want to add more than one value for a particular attribute, click Multiple values. Supply the additional value for the attribute and click Add. Repeat this for each additional value. To remove a value, select the value and click Remove. Click OK when you have finished adding the multiple values. The values are added to a drop-down menu displayed below the attribute.

   b. If your server has language tags enabled, you can click Language tag value to add or remove language tag descriptors. See “Language tags” on page 477 for more information.

11. Click Optional attributes.

12. At the Optional attributes tab enter the values as appropriate for the other attributes. In this example for ibm-memberGroup type cn=Monday,ou=Groups,o=sample.
   a. Click Multiple values.
   b. In the member field, type cn=Tuesday,ou=Groups,o=sample.
   c. Click Add.
   d. Click OK.

13. Click Finish to create the entry.

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Verifying the group task

To verify that you created the groups in the previous tasks correctly:

If you have not done so already, expand the Directory management category in the navigation area.

1. Click Manage entries.

2. Select o=sample and click Expand.

   Note: An expandable entry indicates that the entry has child entries. Expandable entries have a plus ‘+’ sign next to them in the Expand column. You can click the ‘+’ sign next to the entry to view the child entries of the selected entry.

3. Select ou=Groups and click Expand.

4. Select cn=Lunch bunch.

5. Expand the Select Action menu, select Manage Members and click Go.
6. Click the **Effective group members** tab.

7. Specify the maximum number of members to return for a group. If you click **Maximum number of members to return**, you must enter a number. Otherwise, click **Unlimited**.

8. To populate the table with the members of a group, click **Load** or select **Load** from **Select Action** and click **Go**.

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**Managing members of group entries**

You can add and remove members from group entries.

**Adding a member to a group entry**

1. From the navigation area, expand the **Directory management** topic.

2. Click **Manage entries**.

3. Expand the various subtrees and select the group entry that you want to work on. For example, select the group **cn=Monday,ou=groups,o=sample** that was created in the creating a static group entry task.

4. From the **Select Action** drop-down menu, select **Manage members** and click **Go**.

5. Specify the maximum number of members to return for a group. If you click **Maximum number of members to return**, you must enter a number. Otherwise, click **Unlimited**.

6. The **Static group members** tab is highlighted. Click **Load** to display the existing members of the group. In this example **cn=Bob Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample** and **cn=Ricardo Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample** are displayed in the table.

**Notes:**

a. You can add new members without clicking **Load**. This is beneficial when you have large groups.

b. If you add new members, and one of the new members you are adding already exists, then when you click **Load**, the duplicate new member that you added is ignored.

**Note:**

7. Type the name of entry that you want to add as a member of the group for example **cn=Kyle Nguyen,ou=austin,o=sample** in the member field or select it using the **Browse** function (Expand o=sample → Expand ou=Austin → Select cn=Kyle Nguyen,ou=austin,o=sample).

8. Click **Add**.

9. **cn=Kyle Nguyen,ou=austin,o=sample** is displayed in the table. Click **Apply** to save the change and continue adding additional members or click **Ok** to save the changes and return to the manage entries panel. **cn=Bob Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample**, **cn=Ricardo Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample** and **cn=Kyle Nguyen,ou=austin,o=sample** are now members of the Monday group.

10. If you click on the **Effective group members** tab and click **Refresh**, **cn=Bob Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample**, **cn=Ricardo Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample** and **cn=Kyle Nguyen,ou=austin,o=sample** are now displayed as members.
Editing a member entry in a group
To edit a member entry in a group:
1. From the navigation area, expand Directory management.
2. Click Manage entries.
3. Expand the various subtrees and select the group entry that you want to work on.
4. From the Select Action drop-down menu, select Manage Members and click Go.
5. Select the appropriate group tab for the entry you want to edit. For this, click Static group members.
6. To populate the table with the members of a group, click Load or select Load from Select Action and click Go.
7. To edit an existing member’s entry details, select the member entry you want to edit from the member or uniqueMember table and do one of the following:
   - Click Edit.
   - Select Edit from the Select Action drop-down menu and click Go.

   **Note:** This displays the Edit attributes panel for the selected member entry. On this panel, you may modify the appropriate fields.

Removing a member from a group entry
To remove a member from the group entry:
1. From the navigation area, expand the Directory management topic.
2. Click Manage entries.
3. Expand the various subtrees and select the group entry that you want to work on. For example, select the group cn=lunch bunch,ou=groups,o=sample that was created in the creating a group entry task.
4. From the Select Action drop-down menu, select Manage Members and click Go.
5. Select the appropriate group tab for the entry you want to remove. For this example click Static group members.
6. Specify the maximum number of members to return for a group. If you click Maximum number of members to return, you must enter a number. Otherwise, click Unlimited.
7. To populate the table with the members of a group, click Load or select Load from Select Action and click Go.
8. Select the entry you want to remove and click Remove. If you want to remove all the members from the group entry, click Remove all.
9. You are prompted to confirm the removal. Click OK to remove the member.
10. Click Apply to save the change and continue removing additional members or click OK to save the changes and return to the manage entries panel.

   **Note:** You can also delete a static member entry by entering a member DN in the member field and by clicking Delete. The Delete button is displayed only when no members are loaded in the member table.

Managing memberships for an entry
You can add and remove static memberships from an entries.
Adding a group membership

1. From the navigation area, expand the Directory management topic.
2. Click Manage entries.
3. Expand the various subtrees and select the entry, such as cn=Bob Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample.
4. From the Select Action drop-down menu, select Manage Memberships and click Go.
5. On the Effective memberships tab, click Load to display the group memberships for Bob Garcia.

   Note: If you have selected a group entry, no effective group memberships can be displayed unless it is a member of another static or dynamic group. No membership is displayed, if the group entry is a member of a nested group only.

6. Select the Static memberships tab.
7. Select All suffixes or select a suffix to limit the groups that you want to view. For this example select cn=ibmpolicies.
8. Click Browse groups to show all the static groups for that suffix.
9. Select globalGroupName=GlobalAdminGroup,cn=ibmpolicies.
10. Click Select.

   Note: Alternatively, you could type globalGroupName=GlobalAdminGroup,cn=ibmpolicies in the Group DN field or click Browse to select it from the directory and click Add.

11. If you did not click Load to display the memberships for the entry or, if there were no memberships for the entry, a message is displayed: You have not loaded entries from the server. Only your changes will be displayed in the table. Do you want to continue?, click OK.

12. globalGroupName=GlobalAdminGroup,cn=ibmpolicies is displayed in the table. Click Apply to save the change and continue adding additional members or click Ok to save the changes and return to the manage entries panel. cn=Bob Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample is now a member of the global administration group.

13. If you click on the Effective group members tab and click Refresh, globalGroupName=GlobalAdminGroup,cn=ibmpolicies is now displayed as a group membership for the entry cn=Bob Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample.

Removing a group membership from an entry

1. From the navigation area, expand the Directory management topic.
2. Click Manage entries.
3. Expand the various subtrees and select the entry, such as cn=Bob Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample.
4. From the Select Action drop-down menu, select Manage Memberships and click Go.
5. On the Static memberships tab, click Load to display the group memberships for Bob Garcia.

6. Select the group membership that you want to remove and click Remove. If you want to remove all the memberships from the user entry, click Remove all.
7. You are prompted to confirm the removal. Click OK to remove the member.
8. Click **Apply** to save the change and continue removing additional members or click **Ok** to save the changes and return to the manage entries panel.

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**Editing a memberURL in a dynamic group**

To edit a memberURL in a dynamic group:

1. From the navigation area, expand the **Directory management** topic.
2. Click **Manage entries**.
3. Expand the various subtrees and select the group entry that you want to work on. For example, select the group cn=lunch bunch,ou=groups,o=sample that was created in the creating a group entry task.

**Note:** The group entry you select must be a dynamic group.

4. From the **Select Action** drop-down menu, select **Manage Members** and click **Go**.
5. In the Dynamic group filter tab, click **Edit**.
6. You can edit the **Base DN**. The base DN is the DN on which the search is performed. You can use the **Browse** button to locate the desired DN. Clicking **Browse** takes you to the "Browse entries" panel. Select the desired entry from the table and click **Select**.
7. Select the scope for the memberURL. The options include:
   - **Object** – search only within the selected (base) entry.
   - **Single level** – search only within the immediate children of the selected (base) entry.

   **Note:** This does not include the base entry.
   - **Subtree** – search all descendants of the selected entry, including the base entry.
8. Enter a search filter string. You can click **Edit** to launch a panel that will help you create a search filter string. This new panel has the following options:
   - **Simple**
   - **Advanced**
   - **Manual**

   For more information, see “Search filters” on page 486.

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**Roles**

Role-based authorization is a conceptual complement to the group-based authorization, and is useful in some cases. As a member of a role, you have the authority to do what is needed for the role in order to accomplish a job. Unlike a group, a role comes with an implicit set of permissions. There is not a built-in assumption about what permissions are gained (or lost) by being a member of a group.

Roles are similar to groups in that they are represented in the directory by an object. Additionally, roles contain a group of DNs. Roles which are to be used in access control must have an objectclass of ‘AccessRole’. The ‘Accessrole’ objectclass is a subclass of the ‘GroupOfNames’ objectclass.

For example, if there are a collection of DNs such as ‘sys admin’, your first reaction may be to think of them as the ‘sys admin group’ (since groups and users are the most familiar types of privilege attributes). However, since there are a set of
permissions that you would expect to receive as a member of ‘sys admin’ the collection of DNs may be more accurately defined as the ‘sys admin role’.
Chapter 21. Managing search limit groups

In IBM Security Directory Server, in order to prevent a user's search requests from consuming too many resources and consequently impairing the server's performance, search limits are imposed on these requests for any given server. The administrator sets these search limits on the size and duration of searches, when configuring the server. See “Search Settings” on page 113 for more information.

Only the administrator and members of the local or global administrative groups are exempt from these search limits that apply to all other users. However, depending upon your needs, you can create search limit groups that can have more flexible search limits than the general user. The individual members or groups contained in the search limit group are granted the search limitations specified in the search limit group.

When a user initiates a search, the search request limitations are first checked. If a user is a member of a search limit group, the limitations are compared. If the search limit group limitations are higher than those of the search request, the search request limitations are used. If the search request limitations are higher than those of the search limit group, the search limit group limitations are used. If no search limit group entries are found, the same comparison is made against the server search limitations. If no server search limitations have been set, the comparison is made against the default server setting. The limitations used are always the lowest settings in the comparison.

If a user belongs to multiple search limit groups, the user is granted up to the highest level of search capability. For example, the user belongs to search group 1 that grants search limits of search size 2000 entries and search time of 4000 seconds and to search group 2 that grants search limits of search size unlimited entries and a search time of 3000 seconds. The user has the search limitations of search size unlimited and search time of 4000 seconds.

Search limit groups can be stored under either localhost or IBMpolicies. Search limit groups under IBMpolicies are replicated, those under localhost are not. You can store the same search limit group under both localhost and IBMpolicies. If the search limit group is not stored under one of these DNs, the server ignores the search limit part of the group and treats it as a normal group.

When a user initiates a search, the search limit group entries under localhost are checked first. If no entries are found for the user, the search limit group entries under IBMpolicies are then searched. If entries are found under localhost, the search limit group entries under IBMpolicies are not checked. The search limit group entries under localhost have priority over those under IBMpolicies.

Creating a search limit group

To create a search limit group, you must create a group entry using either the Web Administration Tool or the command line.

Using Web Administration

If you have not done so already, expand the Directory management category in the navigation area.
1. Click **Add an entry** or click **Manage entries** and select the location (cn=ibmPolicies or cn=localhost) and click **Add**.

2. Select one of the group object classes from **Structural object class** menu.
   - accessGroup
   - accessRole
   - AIXAccessGroup
   - eNTGroup
   - groupofNames
   - groupofUniqueNames
   - groupofURLs
   - ibm-nestedGroup
   - ibm-proxyGroup
   - ibm-staticGroup
   - ibm-dynamicGroup

3. Click **Next**.

4. Select **ibm-searchLimits** auxiliary object class you want to use from the **Available** menu and click **Add**. Repeat this process for each additional auxiliary object class you want to add. You can also delete an auxiliary object class from the **Selected** menu by selecting it and clicking **Remove**.

5. Click **Next**.

6. In the **Relative DN** field, enter the relative distinguished name (RDN) of the group that you are adding, for example, cn=Search Group1.

7. In the **Parent DN** field, enter the distinguished name of the tree entry you are selecting, for example, cn=localhost. You can also click **Browse** to select the Parent DN from the list. Select your choice and click **Select** to specify the Parent DN that you want. The **Parent DN** defaults to the entry selected in the tree.

   **Note:** If you started this task from the **Manage entries** panel, this field is prefilled for you. You selected the **Parent DN** before clicking **Add** to start the add entry process.

8. At the **Required attributes** tab enter the values for the required attributes.
   - **cn** is the relative DN you specified earlier.
   - In the the **ibm-searchSizeLimit** field specify the number of entries that define the size of the search. This number can range between 0 and 2,147,483,647. A setting of 0 is the same as **Unlimited**.
   - In the the **ibm-searchTimeLimit** field specify the number of seconds that define the duration of the search. This number can range between 0 and 2,147,483,647. A setting of 0 is the same as **Unlimited**.
   - Depending on the object class you selected, you might see a **Member** or **uniqueMember** field. These are the members of the group you are creating. The entry is in the form of a DN, for example, cn=Bob Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample.

   **Notes:**
   a. If the attribute is multi-valued and you want to add more than one value for a particular attribute, click **Multiple values**. See “Multiple values for attributes” on page 475.
   b. If an attribute requires binary data, click **Binary data**. See “Binary data for attributes” on page 475.
c. If your server has language tags enabled, click **Language tag value** to add or remove language tag descriptors. See “Language tags” on page 477 and “Language tag values for attributes” on page 479 for more information.

d. If an attribute contains referrals, click **Manage referral**. See Chapter 13, “Referrals,” on page 275 and “Creating default referrals” on page 279 for more information.

9. Click **Optional attributes**.

10. At the **Optional attributes** tab enter the values as appropriate for the attributes.

11. Click **Finish** to create the entry.

### Using the command line

To set search limits of 4000 seconds and 2000 entries for user1 and user2 in cn=localhost location, issue the following command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -a -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where **filename** contains:

- Dn: cn=Search1, cn=localhost
- Cn: Search1
- member: cn=user1,o=sample
- member: cn=user2,o=sample
- ibm-searchTimeLimit: 4000
- ibm-searchSizeLimit: 2000
- objectclass: top
- objectclass: ibm-searchLimits
- objectclass: groupofNames

### Modifying a search limit group

You can modify a search limit group, such as changing the size or time limits of the search, or adding or deleting members of the group by using either the Web Administration Tool or the command line.

#### Using Web Administration

To modify a search limit group, see “Modifying an entry” on page 481.

#### Using the command line

To change the searchTimeLimit to 3000 seconds and change the searchSizeLimit to unlimited, as well as add a new member (Bob Garcia), issue the following command:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where **filename** contains:

- dn: cn=Search1, cn=localhost
- changetype: modify
- replace: ibm-searchTimeLimit
- ibm-searchTimeLimit: 3000
- replace: ibm-searchSizeLimit
- ibm-searchSizeLimit: 0
- add: member
- member: cn=Bob Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample
Copying a search limit group

Copying a search limit group is useful if you want to have the same search limit group under both localhost and IBMpolicies. It is also useful if you want to create a new group that has similar information to an existing group, but has minor differences.

Using Server Administration

To copy a search limit group, see “Copying an entry” on page 482.

Using the command line

To view the search groups contained in localhost, issue the command:

```
idsldapsearch -b cn=localhost objectclass=ibm-searchLimits
```

Select the search limit group that you want to copy. Use an editor to change the appropriate information and save the changes to `filename`. The issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -a -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

- `Dn: cn=NewSearch1, cn=localhost`
- `Cn: NewSearch1`
- `member: cn=user1,o=sample`
- `member: cn=user2,o=sample`
- `ibm-searchTimeLimit: 4000`
- `ibm-searchSizeLimit: 2000`
- `objectclass: top`
- `objectclass: ibm-searchLimits`
- `objectclass: groupofNames`

Removing a search limit group

To remove a search limit group you can use either the Web Administration Tool or the command line.

Using Web Administration

To remove a search limit group, see “Deleting an entry” on page 480.

Using the command line

To remove a search limit group using the command line, issue the following command:

```
idsldapdelete -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

- `#list additional DNs here, one per line`
- `cn=Search1, cn=localhost`

To remove multiple search limit groups, list the DNs. Each DN must be on a separate line.
Chapter 22. Managing a proxy authorization group

The proxy authorization is a special form of authentication. By using this proxy authorization mechanism, a client application can bind to the directory with its own identity but is allowed to perform operations on behalf of another user to access the target directory. A set of trusted applications or users can access IBM Security Directory Server on behalf of multiple users.

Note: Proxy authorization is different from the proxy server.

The members in the proxy authorization group can assume any authenticated identities except for the administrator or members of the local or global administrative groups. Members of the proxy authorization group also have the authority to use the group authorization control.

Note: The administrator and members of the local administrative group have the authority to assume the identity of a global administrator group member by sending a group authorization control for the global administrator group.

The proxy authorization group can be stored under either localhost or IBMpolicies. A proxy authorization group under IBMpolicies is replicated. A proxy authorization group under localhost is not. You can store the proxy authorization group under both localhost and IBMpolicies. If the proxy group is not stored under one of these DNs, the server ignores the proxy part of the group and treats it as a normal group.

As an example, a client application, client1, can bind to Security Directory Server with a high level of access permissions. UserA with limited permissions sends a request to the client application. If the client is a member of the proxy authorization group, instead of passing the request to Security Directory Server as client1, it can pass the request as UserA using the more limited level of permissions. What this means is that instead of performing the request as client1, the application server can access only that information or perform only those actions that UserA is able to access or perform. It performs the request on behalf of or as a proxy for UserA.

Note: The attribute member must have its value in the form of a DN. Otherwise an Invalid DN syntax message is returned. A group DN is not permitted to be a member of the proxy authorization group.

Administrators and administrative group members are not permitted to be members of the proxy authorization group. All administrators have authority to use the proxy authorization control, without having to be in that group.

The audit log records both the bind DN and the proxy DN for each action performed using proxy authorization.

Creating a proxy authorization group

To create a proxy authorization group, you must create a group entry using either the Web Administration Tool or the command line.
Using Web Administration

If you have not done so already, expand the Directory management category in the navigation area.

1. Do one of the following:
   - Click Add an entry.
   - Click Manage entries and select the location (cn=ibmPolicies or cn=localhost) and click Add.

2. Select the groupOfNames object classes from Structural object class menu.

3. Click Next.

4. Select ibm-proxyGroup auxiliary object class from the Available menu and click Add. Repeat this process for each additional auxiliary object class you want to add. You can also delete an auxiliary object class from the Selected menu by selecting it and clicking Remove.

5. Click Next.

6. In the Relative DN field, enter cn=proxyGroup.

7. In the Parent DN field, enter the distinguished name of the tree entry you are selecting, for example, cn=localhost. You can also click Browse to select the Parent DN from the list. Select your choice and click Select to specify the Parent DN that you want. The Parent DN defaults to the entry selected in the tree.

   Note: If you started this task from the Manage entries panel, this field is prefilled for you. You selected the Parent DN before clicking Add to start the add entry process.

8. At the Required attributes tab enter the values for the required attributes.
   - cn is proxyGroup.
   - Member is in the form of a DN, for example, cn=Bob Garcia,ou=austin,o=sample.

   Notes:
   a. If the attribute is multi-valued and you want to add more than one value for a particular attribute, click Multiple values. Do not create multiple values for cn value. The proxy authorization group must have the well known name, proxyGroup. See “Multiple values for attributes” on page 475.

   b. If an attribute requires binary data, click Binary data. See “Binary data for attributes” on page 475.

   c. If your server has language tags enabled, click Language tag value to add or remove language tag descriptors. See “Language tags” on page 477 and “Language tag values for attributes” on page 479 for more information.

   d. If an attribute contains referrals, click Manage referral. See Chapter 13, “Referrals,” on page 275 and “Creating default referrals” on page 279 for more information.

9. Click Optional attributes.

10. At the Optional attributes tab enter the values as appropriate for the attributes.

11. Click Finish to create the entry.

Using the command line

To create the proxy authentication group with an initial member in the cn=localhost location, issue the following command:
idsldapadd -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename

where filename contains:
    dn: cn=proxyGroup,cn=localhost
    cn: proxyGroup
    member: cn=client1, ou=austin, o=sample
    objectclass: top
    objectclass: container
    objectclass: groupOfNames
    objectclass: ibm-proxyGroup

To add an additional member, issue the command:
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename

where filename contains:
    dn: cn=proxyGroup,cn=localhost
    cn: proxyGroup
    changetype: modify
    add: member
    member: cn=client2, ou=austin, o=sample

The proxy authorization function is utilized by including the Proxy Authorization Control with your LDAP operations or using the LDAP commands with the -y option. For example:

idsldapsearch -D "cn=client1,ou=austin,o=sample" -w client1password -y "cn=userA,o=sample" -b "o=sample" -s sub ou=austin

Based on the above idsldapsearch specification, client1 can read from the target directories whatever userA has permission to read.

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**Modifying a proxy authorization group**

**Using Server Administration**

To modify the proxy authorization group such as adding or deleting members of the group, see "Modifying an entry" on page 481.

**Using the command line**

To modify the proxy authorization group in the cn=IBMpolicies location, issue the following command:

Note: This command deletes user1, and adds user2 and user3.
idsldapmodify -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename

where filename contains:
    dn: cn=proxyGroup,cn=IBMpolicies
    changetype: modify
    delete: member
    member: cn=client1, ou=austin, o=sample
    -
    add: member
    member: cn=client2, ou=austin, o=sample
    -
    add: member
    member: cn=client3, ou=austin, o=sample
Copying a proxy authorization group

Using Server Administration

Copying a proxy authorization group is useful if you want to have the same proxy authorization group under both localhost and IBMpolicies.

To copy a proxy authorization group, see “Copying an entry” on page 482.

Using the command line

To view the proxy authorization group contained in localhost, issue the command:

```
idsldapsearch -D adminDN -w adminPW -b cn=localhost objectclass=ibm-proxyGroup
```

The following is the output for this command:

```
Dn: cn=proxyGroup, cn=localhost
Cn: proxyGroup
objectclass: ibm-proxyGroup
objectclass: groupOfNames
member: cn=client1, ou=austin, o=sample
member: cn=client2, ou=austin, o=sample
member: cn=client3, ou=austin, o=sample
```

Select the proxy authorization group. Use an editor to change `cn=localhost` to `cn=IBMpolicies`, and save the changes to `filename`.

Then issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -a -D adminDN -w adminPW -i filename
```

where `filename` contains:

```
Dn: cn=proxyGroup, cn=IBMpolicies
Cn: proxyGroup
objectclass: ibm-proxyGroup
objectclass: groupOfNames
member: cn=client1, ou=austin, o=sample
member: cn=client2, ou=austin, o=sample
member: cn=client3, ou=austin, o=sample
```

Removing the proxy authorization group

To remove a member from the proxy authorization group use either of the following methods.

Using Web Administration

To remove a proxy authorization group, see “Deleting an entry” on page 480.

Using the command line

To remove the proxy authorization group issue the command:

```
idsldapdelete -D adminDN -w adminPW -s "cn=ProxyGroup,cn=IBMpolicies"
```

Although the proxy authorization group can be managed by the Web Administration Tool, proxy authorization is not recognized by any of the other Web Administration Tool functions. The proxy authorization function is utilized by including the Proxy Authorization Control with your LDAP operations or using the LDAP commands with the `-y` option. For example:
idsldapsearch -D "cn=client1,ou=austin,o=sample" -w  client1password
   -y "cn=userA,o=sample" -b "o=sample" -s sub ou=austin

Based on the above idsldapsearch specification, client1 can read from the target
directories whatever userA has permission to read.
Part 4. User-related tasks
Chapter 23. Realms, templates, users, and groups

A realm is a collection of users and the groups to which they belong. For example a company, a bowling team, or a club could all be realms.

Realms are defined by creating entries of object class "ibm-realm" anywhere in a user naming context (not under cn=localhost, cn=schema or cn=configuration). The ibm-realm object defines the realm’s name (cn), a group of realm administrators (ibm-realmAdminGroup), a user-template object (ibm-realmUserTemplate) specifying the object classes and attributes for users in the realm, and the location of container entries under which user and group entries are stored (ibm-realmUserContainer and ibm-realmGroupContainer). The directory administrator and members of the administrative group are responsible for managing user-templates, realms and realm administrator groups. After a realm is created, members of that realm’s administrator group (realm administrators) are responsible for managing the users and groups within that realm.

Creating a realm

Expand the Realms and templates category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.
1. Click Add realm.
   • Enter the name for the realm. For example realm1.
   • Enter the Parent DN that identifies the location of the realm. This entry is in the form of a suffix, for example o=sample. You can also click Browse to select the location of the subtree that you want.
2. Click Next to continue.
3. Review the information. At this point you haven't actually created the realm, so User template and User search filter can be ignored.
4. Click Finish to create the realm.

Creating a realm administrator

To create a realm administrator, you must first create an administration group for the realm.

Creating the realm administration group

Expand the Directory management category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.
1. Click Manage entries.
2. Expand the tree for the parent DN that identifies the location of the realm you just created, and select the realm you just created, cn=realm1,o=sample.
3. Expand the Select Action menu, select Edit ACL and click Go.
4. Click the Owners tab.
5. Ensure that Propagate owner is checked.
6. Enter the Subject DN for the realm, cn=realm1,o=sample.
7. Change the Subject type to group.
8. Click Add.
9. Click OK to save your changes and return to the Manage entries panel.

Creating the administrator entry

If you do not already have a user entry for the administrator, you must create one.

Expand the Directory management category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click Manage entries.
2. Expand the tree to the location where you want the administrator entry to reside.

   Note: Locating the administrator entry outside of the realm avoids giving the administrator the ability to accidently delete him or herself. In this example the location might be o=sample.

3. Click Add.
4. Select the Structural object class, for example person.
5. Click Next.
6. Select any auxiliary object class you want to add.
7. Click Next.
8. Enter the required attributes for the entry. For example,
   • Relative DN cn=John Doe
   • Parent DN o=sample (This is pre-filled for you.)
   • cn John Doe
   • sn Doe

   Notes:
   a. If the attribute is multi-valued and you want to add more than one value for a particular attribute, click Multiple values. See "Multiple values for attributes" on page 475.
   b. If an attribute requires binary data, click Binary data. See "Binary data for attributes" on page 475.
   c. If your server has language tags enabled, click Language tag value to add or remove language tag descriptors. See "Language tags" on page 477 and "Language tag values for attributes" on page 479 for more information.
   d. If an attribute contains referrals, click Manage referral. See Chapter 13, "Referrals," on page 275 and "Creating default referrals" on page 279 for more information.
9. On the Optional attributes tab ensure that you have assigned a user password.
10. When you are done, click Finish.

Adding the administrator to the administration group.

Expand the Directory management category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click Manage entries.
2. Expand the tree (o=sample) and select the realm you just created, cn=realm1,o=sample.
3. Expand the Select Action menu, select Manage members and click Go.
4. The Static group members tab is highlighted. Click **Load** to display the members of the group. In this example, you have not added any members yet so no entries are displayed in the table.

5. Type the name of entry that you want to add as a member of the group, for example the entry you created in the previous task, `cn=John Doe,o=sample` in the member field or select it using the **Browse** function (expand `o=sample` and select `cn=John Doe,o=sample`).

6. Click **Add**.

7. `cn=John Doe,o=sample` is displayed in the table. Click **Apply** to save the change and continue adding additional members or if you are finished, click **Ok** to save the changes and return to the manage entries panel.

You have created an administrator that can manage entries within the realm. See “Managing members of group entries” on page 525 for additional information about adding members to a group.

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**Creating a template**

After you have created a realm, your next step is to create a user template. A template helps you to organize the information you want to enter. Expand the **Realms and templates** category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click **Add user template**.
   - If you have preexisting templates, you can select a template to have its settings copied to the template you are creating. However, in this task you are creating your first template.
   - Enter the name for the template, for example, **template1**.
   - Enter the location where the template is going to reside. For replication purposes, locate the template in the subtree of the realm that is going to use this template. For example, for the realm you created in the previous operations `cn=realm1,o=sample`, locate the template in the subtree `o=sample`. You can also click **Browse** to select a different subtree for the location of the template.

2. Click **Next**. You can click **Finish** to create an empty template. You can later add information to the template, see “Editing a template” on page 551.

3. If you clicked **Next**, choose the structural object class for the template, for example **inetOrgPerson**. You can also add any auxiliary object classes that you want.

4. Click **Next**.

5. Select a naming attribute from the **Naming attribute** drop-down menu. This attribute is used for the RDN of each entry in a realm that uses the template. The naming attribute, for example `givenName`, must have a value that is unique to each member in the realm that uses this template. The value is the display name for the user entry in the user lists for user and group tasks. For example, if the `givenName` is the naming attribute and Bob Garcia is entered, the entry appears as Bob Garcia in the appropriate user lists.

6. A **Required** tab has been created on the template. You can modify the information contained on this tab.
   a. Select **Required** in the tab menu and click **Edit**. The Edit tab panel is displayed. You see the name of the tab **Required** and the selected attributes that are required by the object class, **inetOrgPerson**:
      - `*sn` - surname
b. If you want to add additional information to this tab, select the attribute from the Attributes menu. For example, select departmentNumber and click Add. Select employeeNumber and click Add. Select title and click Add. The Selected attributes menu now reads:

- title
- employeeNumber
- departmentNumber
- *sn
- *cn

Note: The * denotes required information.

You can rearrange the way that these fields appear on the template by highlighting the selected attribute and clicking Move up or Move down. This changes the position of the attribute by one position. Repeat this procedure until you have the attributes arranged in the order you want them. For example,

- *sn
- *cn
- title
- employeeNumber
- departmentNumber

d. You can also modify each selected attribute.

1) Highlight the attribute in the Selected attributes box and click Edit.

2) You can change the display name of the field used on the template. For example, if you want departmentNumber to be displayed as Department number enter that into the Display name field.

3) You can also supply a default value to prefill the attribute field in the template. For example, if most of the users that are going to be entered are members of Department 789, you can enter 789 as the default value. The field on the template is prefilled with 789. The value can be changed when you add the actual user information.

4) Click OK.

e. Click OK.

7. To create another tab category for additional information, click Add.

- Enter the name for the new tab. For example, Address information.

- For this tab, select the attributes from the Attributes menu. For example, select homePostalAddress and click Add. Select postOfficeBox and click Add. Select telephoneNumber and click Add. Select homePhone and click Add. Select facsimileTelephoneNumber and click Add. The Selected attributes menu reads:

  - homePostalAddress
  - postOfficeBox
  - telephoneNumber
  - homePhone
  - facsimileTelephoneNumber

- You can rearrange the way that these fields appear on the template by highlighting the selected attribute and clicking Move up or Move down.
This changes the position of the attribute by one position. Repeat this procedure until you have the attributes arranged in the order you want them. For example,

- homePostalAddress
- postOfficeBox
- telephoneNumber
- facsimileTelephoneNumber
- homePhone

8. Repeat this process for as many tabs as you want to create. When you are finished click **Finish** to create the template.

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**Adding the template to a realm**

After you have created a realm and a template, you need to add the template to the realm. Expand the **Realms and templates** category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click **Manage realms**.
2. Select the realm you want to add the template to, in this example, `cn=realm1,o=sample` and click **Edit**.
3. Scroll down to **User template** and expand the drop-down menu.
4. Select the template, in this example, `cn=template1,o=sample`.
5. Click **OK**.
6. Click **Close**.

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**Creating groups**

Expand the **Users and groups** category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click **Add group**.
2. Enter the name of the group that you want to create. For example **group1**.
3. Select the realm that you want to add the user to from the drop-down menu. In this case **realm1**.
4. Click **Next**.
5. Click **Finish** to create the group. If you already have users in the realm you can click **Next** and select users to add to **group1**. Then click **Finish**.

See “**Groups**” on page 513 for additional information.

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**Adding a user to the realm**

Expand the **Users and groups** category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click **Add user**.
2. Select the realm that you want to add the user to from the drop-down menu. In this case **realm1**.
3. Click **Next**. The template that you just created, template1, is displayed. Fill in the required fields, denoted by an asterisk (*) and any of the other fields on the tabs.
4. If you have already created groups within the realm, you can also add the user to one or more groups.
a. Select the **User group** tab.

b. Click **Add**.

c. Either type the name of the group (Group1) in the **Group name** field or click **Available groups** and select the group or groups that you want to add the user to from the list. You can also select a **group** and click **View** to see the existing members of that group. See **“Managing memberships for an entry” on page 526** for additional information on group memberships.

5. When you are done, click **Finish**.

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### Managing realms

After you have set up and populated your initial realm, you can add more realms or modify existing realms.

Expand the **Realms and templates** category in the navigation area and click **Manage realms**. A list of existing realms is displayed. From this panel you can add a realm, edit a realm, remove a realm or edit the access control list (acl) of the realm.

### Adding a realm

Expand the **Realms and templates** category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click **Add realm**.
   - Enter the name for the realm. For example **realm2**.
   - If you have preexisting realms, for example **realm1**, you can select a realm to have its settings copied to the realm you are creating.
   - Enter the Parent DN that identifies the location of the realm. This entry is in the form of a suffix, for example **o=sample**. You can also click **Browse** to select the location of the subtree that you want.

2. Click **Next** to continue or click **Finish**.

3. If you clicked **Next**, review the information.

4. Select a **User template** from the drop-down menu. If you copied the settings from a preexisting realm, its template is prefilled in this field.

5. Enter a **User search filter**.

6. Click **Finish** to create the realm.

### Editing a realm

Expand the **Realms and templates** category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

- Click **Manage realms**.
- Select the realm that you want to edit from the list of realms.
- Click **Edit**.
  - You can use the **Browse** buttons to change the
    - **Administrator group**
    - **Group container**
    - **User container**
  - You can select a different template from the drop-down menu.
  - Click **Edit** to modify the **User search filter**.
- Click **OK** when you are finished.
Removing a realm

Expand the Realms and templates category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click Manage realms.
2. Select the realm you want to remove.
3. Click Delete.
4. When prompted to confirm the deletion, click OK.
5. The realm is removed from the list of realms.

Editing ACLs on the realm

To view ACL properties using the Web Administration Tool utility and to work with ACLs, see “Working with ACLs” on page 502.


Managing templates

After you have created your initial template, you can add more templates or modify existing templates.

Expand the Realms and templates category in the navigation area and click Manage user templates. A list of existing templates is displayed. From this panel you can add a template, edit a template, remove a template or edit the access control list (ACLs) of the template.

Adding a user template

Expand the Realms and templates category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click Add user template or click Manage user templates and click Add.
   • If you have preexisting templates, for example template1, you can select a template to have its settings copied to the template you are creating.
   • Enter the name for the new template. For example template2.
   • Enter the Parent DN that identifies the location of the template. This entry is in the form of a DN, for example o=sample. You can also click Browse to select the location of the subtree that you want.
2. Click Next. You can click Finish to create an empty template. You can later add information to the template see “Editing a template” on page 551.
3. If you clicked Next, choose the structural object class for the template, for example inetOrgPerson. You can also add any auxiliary object classes that you want.
4. Click Next.
5. From the Naming attribute drop-down menu, select the attribute that is used for the RDN of each entry in a realm that uses the template. This naming attribute, for example employeeNumber, must have a value that is unique to each member in the realm that uses this template. The value of this naming attribute is the display name for the user entry in the user lists for user and group tasks. For example, if the employeeNumber is the naming attribute and 1234abc is entered, the entry appears as 1234abc in the appropriate user lists.
6. A Required tab has been created on the template. You can modify the information contained on this tab.
a. Select **Required** in the tab menu and click **Edit**. The Edit tab panel is displayed. You see the name of the tab **Required** and the selected attributes that are required by the object class, inetOrgPerson:

- *sn - surname
- *cn - common name

**Note:** The * denotes required information.

b. If you want to add additional information to this tab, select the attribute from the **Attributes** menu. For example, select **departmentNumber** and click **Add**. Select **employeeNumber** and click **Add**. Select **title** and click **Add**. The **Selected attributes** menu now reads:

- title
- employeeNumber
- departmentNumber
- *sn
- *cn

c. You can rearrange the way that these fields appear on the template by highlighting the selected attribute and clicking **Move up** or **Move down**. This changes the position of the attribute by one position. Repeat this procedure until you have the attributes arranged in the order you want them. For example,

- *sn
- *cn
- title
- employeeNumber
- departmentNumber

d. You can also modify each selected attribute.

1) Highlight the attribute in the **Selected attributes** box and click **Edit**.

2) You can change the display name of the field used on the template. For example, if you want **departmentNumber** to be displayed as **Department number**, enter that into the **Display name** field.

3) You can also supply a default value to prefill the attribute field in the template. For example, if most of the users that are going to be entered are members of Department 789, you can enter 789 as the default value. The field on the template is prefilled with 789. The value can be changed when you add the actual user information.

4) Click **OK**.

e. Click **OK**.

7. To create another tab category for additional, click **Add**.

- Enter the name for the new tab. For example, Address information.
- To this tab, select the attribute from the **Attributes** menu. For example, select **homePostalAddress** and click **Add**. Select **postOfficeBox** and click **Add**. Select **telephoneNumber** and click **Add**. Select **facsimileTelephoneNumber** and click **Add**. The **Selected attributes** menu reads:

  - homePostalAddress
  - postOfficeBox
  - telephoneNumber
  - homePhone
You can rearrange the way that these fields appear on the template by highlighting the selected attribute and clicking **Move up** or **Move down**. This changes the position of the attribute by one position. Repeat this procedure until you have the attributes arranged in the order you want them. For example,

- `homePostalAddress`
- `postOfficeBox`
- `telephoneNumber`
- `facsimileTelephoneNumber`
- `homePhone`

- Click **OK**.

8. Repeat this process for as many tabs as you want to create. When you are finished click **Finish** to create the template.

**Editing a template**

Expand the **Realms and templates** category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

- Click **Manage user templates**.
- Select the template that you want to edit from the list of templates.
- Click **Edit**.
- If you have preexisting templates, for example template1, you can select a template to have its settings copied to the template you are editing.
- Click **Next**.
  - You can use the drop-down menu to change the structural object class of the template
  - You can add or remove auxiliary object classes.
- Click **Next**.
  - You can modify the tabs and attributes contained in the template. See [6 on page 549](#) for information on how to modify the tabs.
- When you are done, click **Finish**.

**Removing a template**

Expand the **Realms and templates** category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click **Manage user templates**.
2. Select the template that you want to remove.
3. Click **Delete**.
4. When prompted to confirm the deletion, click **OK**.
5. The template is removed from the list of templates.

**Editing ACLs on the template**

Expand the **Realms and template** category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click **Manage user templates**.
2. Select the template for which you want to edit the ACLs.
3. Click **Edit ACL**.
To view ACL properties using the Web Administration Tool utility and to work with ACLs, see “Working with ACLs” on page 502.


Managing users

After you have set up your realms and templates, you can populate them with users.

Adding users

Expand the Users and groups category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click Add user or click Managing users and click Add.
2. Select the realm that you want to add the user to from the drop-down menu.
3. Click Next. The template that is associated with that realm, is displayed. Fill in the required fields, denoted by an asterisk (*) and any of the other fields on the tabs. If you have already created groups within the realm, you can also add the user to one or more groups.
4. When you are done, click Finish.

Finding users within the realm

Expand the Users and groups category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click Manage users.
2. Expand the Select Actions menu, select Show find toolbar and click Go.
3. Select the realm that you want to search to from the Select realm field.
4. Enter the search string in the Search field. See “Finding” on page 30 for information about how to use the Find utility.
5. You can perform the following operations on a selected user:
   - Add - See “Adding users.”
   - Edit - See “Editing a user’s information.”
   - Copy - See “Copying a user” on page 553.
   - Delete - See “Removing a user” on page 553.
6. When you are done, click OK.

Editing a user's information

Expand the Users and groups category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click Manage users.
2. Select a realm from the drop-down menu. Click View users, if the users are not already displayed in the Users box.
3. Select the user you want to edit and click Edit.
4. Modify the information on the tabs, modify group membership.
5. When you are done click OK.
Copying a user
If you need to create a number of users that have mostly identical information, you
can create the additional users by copying the initial user and modifying the
information.

Expand the Users and groups category in the navigation area of the Web
Administration Tool.
1. Click Manage users.
2. Select a realm from the drop-down menu. Click View users, if the users are not
already displayed in the Users box.
3. Select the user you want to copy and click Copy.
4. Modify the appropriate information for the new user, for example the required
information that identifies a specific user, such as sn or cn. Information that is
common to both users need not be changed.
5. When you are done click, OK.

Removing a user
Expand the Users and groups category in the navigation area of the Web
Administration Tool.
1. Click Manage users.
2. Select a realm from the drop-down menu. Click View users, if the users are not
already displayed in the Users box.
3. Select the user you want to remove and click Delete.
4. When prompted to confirm the deletion, click OK.
5. The user is removed from the list of users.

Managing groups
After you have set up your realms and templates, you can create groups.

Adding groups
Expand the Users and groups category in the navigation area of the Web
Administration Tool.
1. Click Add group or click Manage groups and click Add.
2. Enter the name of the group that you want to create.
3. Select the realm that you want to add the group to from the drop-down menu.
4. Click Finish to create the group. If you already have users in the realm you can
click Next and select users to add to the group. Then click Finish.
See “Groups” on page 513 for additional information.

Finding groups within the realm
Expand the Users and groups category in the navigation area of the Web
Administration Tool.
1. Click Manage groups.
2. Expand the Select Actions menu, select Show find toolbar and click Go.
3. Select the realm that you want to search to from the Select realm field.
4. Enter the search string in the Search field. See “Finding” on page 30 for
information about how to use the Find utility.
5. You can perform the following operations on a selected group:
6. When you are done, click Close.

**Editing a group's information**

Expand the **Users and groups** category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click **Manage groups**.
2. Select a realm from the drop-down menu. Click **View groups**, if the groups are not already displayed in the **Groups** box.
3. Select the group you want to edit and click **Edit**.
4. You can add or remove users from the group.
5. When you are done click, **OK**.

**Copying a group**

If you need to create a number of groups that have mostly the same members, you can create the additional groups by copying the initial group and modifying the information.

Expand the **Users and groups** category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click **Manage groups**.
2. Select a realm from the drop-down menu. Click **View groups**, if the users are not already displayed in the **Groups** box.
3. Select the group you want to copy and click **Copy**.
4. Change the group name in the **Group name** field. The new group has the same members as the original group.
5. You can **Add** new group members, **Delete** group members or **View** a group member's information by selecting the group member and clicking the appropriate operation.
6. When you are done click, **OK**. The new group is created and contains the same members as the original group with any addition or removal modifications you made during the copy procedure.

**Removing a group**

Expand the **Users and groups** category in the navigation area of the Web Administration Tool.

1. Click **Manage groups**.
2. Select a realm from the drop-down menu. Click **View groups**, if the groups are not already displayed in the **Groups** box.
3. Select the group you want to remove and click **Delete**.
4. When prompted to confirm the deletion, click **OK**.
5. The group is removed from the list of groups.
Appendix A. Error codes

The possible values for an LDAP error code are shown in the following tables:

Table 40. General return codes

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<td>00</td>
<td>LDAP_SUCCESS</td>
<td>00</td>
<td>Success</td>
<td>The request was successful.</td>
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<td>01</td>
<td>LDAP_OPERATIONS_ERROR</td>
<td>01</td>
<td>Operations error</td>
<td>An operations error occurred.</td>
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<td>02</td>
<td>LDAP_PROTOCOL_ERROR</td>
<td>02</td>
<td>Protocol error</td>
<td>A protocol violation was detected.</td>
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<tr>
<td>03</td>
<td>LDAP_TIMELIMIT_EXCEEDED</td>
<td>03</td>
<td>Time limit exceeded</td>
<td>An LDAP time limit was exceeded.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>04</td>
<td>LDAP_SIZELIMIT_EXCEEDED</td>
<td>04</td>
<td>Size limit exceeded</td>
<td>An LDAP size limit was exceeded.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>05</td>
<td>LDAP_COMPARE_FALSE</td>
<td>05</td>
<td>Compare false</td>
<td>A compare operation returned false.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>06</td>
<td>LDAP_COMPARE_TRUE</td>
<td>06</td>
<td>Compare true</td>
<td>A compare operation returned true.</td>
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<tr>
<td>07</td>
<td>LDAP_STRONG_AUTH_NOT_SUPPORTED</td>
<td>07</td>
<td>Strong authentication not supported</td>
<td>The LDAP server does not support strong authentication.</td>
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<td>08</td>
<td>LDAP_STRONG_AUTH_REQUIRED</td>
<td>08</td>
<td>Strong authentication required</td>
<td>Strong authentication is required for the operation.</td>
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<td>09</td>
<td>LDAP_PARTIAL_RESULTS</td>
<td>09</td>
<td>Partial results and referral received</td>
<td>Partial results only returned.</td>
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<td>10</td>
<td>LDAP_REFERRAL</td>
<td>0A</td>
<td>Referral returned</td>
<td>Referral returned.</td>
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<td>11</td>
<td>LDAP_ADMIN_LIMIT_EXCEEDED</td>
<td>0B</td>
<td>Administration limit exceeded</td>
<td>Administration limit exceeded.</td>
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<tr>
<td>12</td>
<td>LDAP_UNAVAILABLE_CRITICAL_EXTENSION</td>
<td>0C</td>
<td>Critical extension not supported</td>
<td>Critical extension is not supported.</td>
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<tr>
<td>13</td>
<td>LDAP_CONFIDENTIALITY_REQUIRED</td>
<td>0D</td>
<td>Confidentiality is required</td>
<td>Confidentiality is required.</td>
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<tr>
<td>14</td>
<td>LDAP_SASL_BIND_IN_PROGRESS</td>
<td>0E</td>
<td>SASL bind in progress</td>
<td>An SASL bind is in progress.</td>
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<td>16</td>
<td>LDAP_NO_SUCH_ATTRIBUTE</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>No such attribute</td>
<td>The attribute type specified does not exist in the entry.</td>
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<td>17</td>
<td>LDAP_UNDEFINED_TYPE</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>Undefined attribute type</td>
<td>The attribute type specified is not valid.</td>
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<tr>
<td>18</td>
<td>LDAP_INAPPROPRIATE_MATCHING</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>Inappropriate matching</td>
<td>Filter type not supported for the specified attribute.</td>
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<td>19</td>
<td>LDAP_CONSTRAINT_VIOLATION</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>Constraint violation</td>
<td>An attribute value specified violates some constraint (for example, a postal address has too many lines, or a line that is too long).</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>20</td>
<td>LDAP_TYPE_OR_VALUE_EXISTS</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>Type or value exists</td>
<td>An attribute type or attribute value specified already exists in the entry.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>21</td>
<td>LDAP_INVALID_SYNTAX</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>Invalid syntax</td>
<td>An attribute value that is not valid was specified.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>32</td>
<td>LDAP_NO_SUCH_OBJECT</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>No such object</td>
<td>The specified object does not exist in the directory.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>33</td>
<td>LDAP_ALIAS_PROBLEM</td>
<td>21</td>
<td>Alias problem</td>
<td>An alias in the directory points to a nonexistent entry.</td>
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<td>34</td>
<td>LDAP_INVALID_DN_SYNTAX</td>
<td>22</td>
<td>Invalid DN syntax</td>
<td>A DN that is syntactically not valid was specified.</td>
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<tr>
<td>35</td>
<td>LDAP_IS_LEAF</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>Object is a leaf</td>
<td>The object specified is a leaf.</td>
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<tr>
<td>36</td>
<td>LDAP_ALIAS_DEREF_PROBLEM</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>Alias dereferencing problem</td>
<td>A problem was encountered when dereferencing an alias.</td>
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<tr>
<td>48</td>
<td>LDAP_INAPPROPRIATE_AUTH</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>Inappropriate authentication</td>
<td>Inappropriate authentication was specified (for example, LDAP_AUTH_SIMPLE was specified and the entry does not have a userPassword attribute).</td>
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<td>49</td>
<td>LDAP_INVALID_CREDENTIALS</td>
<td>31</td>
<td>Invalid credentials</td>
<td>Invalid credentials were presented (for example, the wrong password).</td>
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<tr>
<td>50</td>
<td>LDAP_INSUFFICIENT_ACCESS</td>
<td>32</td>
<td>Insufficient access</td>
<td>The user has insufficient access to perform the operation.</td>
</tr>
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<td>51</td>
<td>LDAP_BUSY</td>
<td>33</td>
<td>DSA is busy</td>
<td>The DSA is busy.</td>
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<tr>
<td>52</td>
<td>LDAP_UNAVAILABLE</td>
<td>34</td>
<td>DSA is unavailable</td>
<td>The DSA is unavailable.</td>
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<tr>
<td>53</td>
<td>LDAP_UNWILLING_TO_PERFORM</td>
<td>35</td>
<td>DSA is unwilling to perform</td>
<td>The DSA is unwilling to perform the operation.</td>
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<td>54</td>
<td>LDAP_LOOP_DETECT</td>
<td>36</td>
<td>Loop detected</td>
<td>A loop was detected.</td>
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<tr>
<td>64</td>
<td>LDAP_NAMING_VIATION</td>
<td>40</td>
<td>Naming violation</td>
<td>A naming violation occurred.</td>
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<tr>
<td>65</td>
<td>LDAP_OBJECT_CLASS_VIOLATION</td>
<td>41</td>
<td>Object class violation</td>
<td>An object class violation occurred (for example, a &quot;required&quot; attribute was missing from the entry).</td>
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<td>66</td>
<td>LDAP_NOT_ALLOWED_ON_NONLEAF</td>
<td>42</td>
<td>Operation not allowed on nonleaf</td>
<td>The operation is not allowed on a nonleaf object.</td>
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<td>LDAP_NOT_ALLOWED_ON_RDN</td>
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<td>Operation not allowed on RDN</td>
<td>The operation is not allowed on an RDN.</td>
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<tr>
<td>68</td>
<td>LDAP_ALREADY_EXISTS</td>
<td>44</td>
<td>Already exists</td>
<td>The entry already exists.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>69</td>
<td>LDAP_NO_OBJECT_CLASS_MODS</td>
<td>45</td>
<td>Cannot modify object class</td>
<td>Object class modifications are not allowed.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>70</td>
<td>LDAP_RESULTS_TOO_LARGE</td>
<td>46</td>
<td>Results too large</td>
<td>Results too large.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>71</td>
<td>LDAP_AFFECTS_MULTIPLE_DSAS</td>
<td>47</td>
<td>Affects multiple DSAs</td>
<td>Affects multiple DSAs.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>80</td>
<td>LDAP_OTHER</td>
<td>50</td>
<td>Unknown error</td>
<td>An unknown error occurred.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>81</td>
<td>LDAP_SERVER_DOWN</td>
<td>51</td>
<td>Can't contact LDAP server</td>
<td>The LDAP library cannot contact the LDAP server.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>82</td>
<td>LDAP_LOCAL_ERROR</td>
<td>52</td>
<td>Local error</td>
<td>Some local error occurred. This is usually a failed memory allocation.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>83</td>
<td>LDAP_ENCODING_ERROR</td>
<td>53</td>
<td>Encoding error</td>
<td>An error was encountered encoding parameters to send to the LDAP server.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>84</td>
<td>LDAP_DECODING_ERROR</td>
<td>54</td>
<td>Decoding error</td>
<td>An error was encountered decoding a result from the LDAP server.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>85</td>
<td>LDAP_TIMEOUT</td>
<td>55</td>
<td>Timed out</td>
<td>A time limit was exceeded while waiting for a result.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>86</td>
<td>LDAP_AUTH_UNKNOWN</td>
<td>56</td>
<td>Unknown authentication method</td>
<td>The authentication method specified on a bind operation is not known.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>87</td>
<td>LDAP_FILTER_ERROR</td>
<td>57</td>
<td>Bad search filter</td>
<td>An invalid filter was supplied to ldap_search (for example, unbalanced parentheses).</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>88</td>
<td>LDAP_USER_CANCELLED</td>
<td>58</td>
<td>User cancelled operation</td>
<td>The user cancelled the operation.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>89</td>
<td>LDAP_PARAM_ERROR</td>
<td>59</td>
<td>Bad parameter to an LDAP routine</td>
<td>An LDAP routine was called with a bad parameter (for example, a NULL ld pointer, etc.).</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>90</td>
<td>LDAP_NO_MEMORY</td>
<td>5A</td>
<td>Out of memory</td>
<td>A memory allocation (for example malloc) call failed in an LDAP library routine.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>91</td>
<td>LDAP_CONNECT_ERROR</td>
<td>5B</td>
<td>Connection error</td>
<td>Connection error.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Dec value</td>
<td>Value</td>
<td>Hex value</td>
<td>Brief description</td>
<td>Detailed description</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>-----------</td>
<td>--------------------------------</td>
<td>-----------</td>
<td>--------------------------------------------</td>
<td>--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>92</td>
<td>LDAP_NOT_SUPPORTED</td>
<td>5C</td>
<td>Not supported</td>
<td>Not supported.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>93</td>
<td>LDAP_CONTROL_NOT_FOUND</td>
<td>5D</td>
<td>Control not found</td>
<td>Control not found.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>94</td>
<td>LDAP_NO_RESULTS_RETURNED</td>
<td>5E</td>
<td>No results returned</td>
<td>No results returned.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>95</td>
<td>LDAP_MORE_RESULTS_TO_RETURN</td>
<td>5F</td>
<td>More results to return</td>
<td>More results to return.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>96</td>
<td>LDAP_URL_ERR_NOTLDAP</td>
<td>60</td>
<td>URL doesn't begin with ldap://</td>
<td>The URL does not begin with ldap://.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>97</td>
<td>LDAP_URL_ERR_NODN</td>
<td>61</td>
<td>URL has no DN (required)</td>
<td>The URL does not have a DN (required).</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>98</td>
<td>LDAP_URL_ERR_BADSCOPE</td>
<td>62</td>
<td>URL scope string is invalid</td>
<td>The URL scope string is not valid.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>99</td>
<td>LDAP_URL_ERR_MEM</td>
<td>63</td>
<td>Can't allocate memory space</td>
<td>Cannot allocate memory space.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>100</td>
<td>LDAP_CLIENT_LOOP</td>
<td>64</td>
<td>Client loop</td>
<td>Client loop.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>101</td>
<td>LDAP_REFERRAL_LIMIT_EXCEEDED</td>
<td>65</td>
<td>Referral limit exceeded</td>
<td>Referral limit exceeded.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>112</td>
<td>LDAP_SSL_ALREADY_INITIALIZED</td>
<td>70</td>
<td>ldap_ssl_client_init successfully called previously in this process</td>
<td>The ldap_ssl_client_init was successfully called previously in this process.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>113</td>
<td>LDAP_SSL_INITIALIZE_FAILED</td>
<td>71</td>
<td>Initialization call failed</td>
<td>SSL Initialization call failed.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>114</td>
<td>LDAP_SSL_CLIENT_INIT_NOT_CALLED</td>
<td>72</td>
<td>Must call ldap_ssl_client_init before attempting to use SSL connection</td>
<td>Must call ldap_ssl_client_init before attempting to use SSL connection.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>115</td>
<td>LDAP_SSL_PARAM_ERROR</td>
<td>73</td>
<td>Invalid SSL parameter previously specified</td>
<td>An SSL parameter that was not valid was previously specified.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>116</td>
<td>LDAP_SSL_HANDSHAKE_FAILED</td>
<td>74</td>
<td>Failed to connect to SSL server</td>
<td>Failed to connect to SSL server.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>117</td>
<td>LDAP_SSL_GET_CIPHER_FAILED</td>
<td>75</td>
<td>Not used</td>
<td>Deprecated.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>118</td>
<td>LDAP_SSL_NOT_AVAILABLE</td>
<td>76</td>
<td>SSL library cannot be located</td>
<td>Ensure that GSKit has been installed.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>128</td>
<td>LDAP_NO_EXPLICIT_OWNER</td>
<td>80</td>
<td>No explicit owner found</td>
<td>No explicit owner was found.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>129</td>
<td>LDAP_NO_LOCK</td>
<td>81</td>
<td>Could not obtain lock</td>
<td>Client library was not able to lock a required resource.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

In addition, the following DNS-related error codes are defined in the ldap.h file:
### Table 41. DNS-related return codes

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<th>Dec value</th>
<th>Value</th>
<th>Hex value</th>
<th>Detailed description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>133</td>
<td>LDAP_DNS_NO_SERVERS</td>
<td>85</td>
<td>No LDAP servers found</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>134</td>
<td>LDAP_DNS_TRUNCATED</td>
<td>86</td>
<td>Warning: truncated DNS results</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>135</td>
<td>LDAP_DNS_INVALID_DATA</td>
<td>87</td>
<td>Invalid DNS Data</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>136</td>
<td>LDAP_DNS_RESOLVE_ERROR</td>
<td>88</td>
<td>Can't resolve system domain or nameserver</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>137</td>
<td>LDAP_DNS_CONF_FILE_ERROR</td>
<td>89</td>
<td>DNS Configuration file error</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The following UTF8-related error codes are defined in the ldap.h file:

### Table 42. UTF8-related return codes

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<th>Dec value</th>
<th>Value</th>
<th>Hex value</th>
<th>Detailed description</th>
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<tr>
<td>160</td>
<td>LDAP_XLATE_E2BIG</td>
<td>A0</td>
<td>Output buffer overflow</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>161</td>
<td>LDAP_XLATE_EINVAL</td>
<td>A1</td>
<td>Input buffer truncated</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>162</td>
<td>LDAP_XLATE_EILSEQ</td>
<td>A2</td>
<td>Unusable input character</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>163</td>
<td>LDAP_XLATE_NO_ENTRY</td>
<td>A3</td>
<td>No codeset point to map to</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>176</td>
<td>LDAP_REG_FILE_NOT_FOUND</td>
<td>B0</td>
<td>File not found in NT registry</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>177</td>
<td>LDAP_REG_CANNOT_OPEN</td>
<td>B1</td>
<td>Can not open NT registry</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>178</td>
<td>LDAP_REG_ENTRY_NOT_FOUND</td>
<td>B2</td>
<td>Entry not found in NT registry</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>192</td>
<td>LDAP_CONF_FILE_NOT_OPENED</td>
<td>C0</td>
<td>Plugin configuration file not opened</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>193</td>
<td>LDAP_PLUGIN_NOT_LOADED</td>
<td>C1</td>
<td>Plugin library not loaded</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>194</td>
<td>LDAP_PLUGIN_FUNCTION_NOT_RESOLVED</td>
<td>C2</td>
<td>Plugin function not resolved</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>195</td>
<td>LDAP_PLUGIN_NOT_INITIALIZED</td>
<td>C3</td>
<td>Plugin library not initialized</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>196</td>
<td>LDAP_PLUGIN_COULD_NOT_BIND</td>
<td>C4</td>
<td>Could not bind to plugin function</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>208</td>
<td>LDAP_SASL_GSS_NO_SEC_CONTEXT</td>
<td>D0</td>
<td>gss_init_sec_context failed</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Appendix B. Object Identifiers (OIDs) and attributes in the root DSE

The OIDs and attributes shown in the following sections are used in IBM Security Directory Server 6.3.1. These OIDs and attributes are in the root DSE. The root DSE entry contains information about the server itself.

Security Directory Server defines a root DSE entry that an LDAP server provides to supply you with information about the LDAP server. For example, you might want to know what version of LDAP a server supports.

To list the OIDs and attributes in the root DSE, run the following command:

```
idsldapsearch -D AdminDN -w Adminpw -s base
    -b "" objectclass=*;
```

For more detailed information, see the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Programming Reference.

Attributes in the root DSE

The following attributes are in the root DSE:

**namingcontexts**
The naming contexts held in the server.

The values of this attribute correspond to the naming contexts that this server masters or shadows. If the server does not master or shadow any information (for example, it is an LDAP gateway to a public X.500 directory), this attribute is absent. If the server believes it contains the entire directory, the attribute has a single value, and that value is an empty string (indicating the null DN of the root). This allows a client to choose suitable base objects for searching when it has contacted a server (the list of highest level suffixes the user defines in the configuration).

**ibm-configurationnamingcontext**
The suffix where the server's configuration entries are stored. For version 6.0 and above this is cn=configuration.

**subschemasubentry**
The value of this attribute is the name of a subschema entry in which the server makes available attributes specifying the schema. It is set to cn=schema.

**security**
The secure SSL port the server is listening on. For example 636.

**port**
The nonsecure port the server is listening on. For example 389. This is only present only if the server does not have a secure port enabled.

**supportedsaslmechanisms**
A list of supported SASL security features.

The values of this attribute are the names of supported SASL mechanisms that the server supports. If the server does not support any mechanisms then this attribute is absent. This attribute contains any SASL mechanism that is registered to the server.
supportedldapversion
LDAP versions implemented by the current server.

The values of this attribute are the versions of the LDAP protocol that the
server implements. The values are 2 and 3.

ibmdirvoryversion
The version of IBM Security Directory Server installed on this server. The
current version is 6.3.1.

ibm-enabledcapabilities
Lists the server capabilities currently enabled on the server. See "OIDs for
supported and enabled capabilities" on page 565 for the values.

ibm-servicename
Specifies the host name of the server. If a Kerberos realm is defined, the
form is hostname@realmname.

vendorname
The supplier of this version of LDAP. For IBM Security Directory Server,
this is set to International Business Machines (IBM).

vendorversion
For IBM Security Directory Server 6.3.1, the vendor version is set to 6.3.1.

ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol
Specifies the secure communication protocols that are configured on the
server.

ibm-tlsciphers
Specifies the supported TLS 1.2 ciphers that are configured on the server.

ibm-slapdServerBackend
Specifies whether the server loads a database or proxy backend.

ibm-slapdSizeLimit
Limits the number of entries returned by a search initiated by non
administrative users.

ibm-slapdSSLExtSigalg
Specifies the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithms that are configured on
a server.

ibm-slapdSuiteBMode
Specifies the Suite B cryptographic security level that is configured on a
server.

ibm-slapdTimeLimit
Specifies in seconds the maximum amount of time the server spends
processing a search request initiated by non administrative users.

ibm-slapdDerefAliases
Describes how the server is configured to handle dereferencing.

ibm-supportedAuditVersion
The supported version of auditing. For example, in version 6.0 and above
the server supports auditing version 3 that enables auditing of extended
operations.
ibm-supportedACIMechanisms

Lists the ACL models the server supports. See “OIDs for ACI mechanisms” on page 574 for the values.

ibm-supportedcapabilities

Lists the server capabilities currently supported by the server. See “OIDs for supported and enabled capabilities” for the values.

ibm-sasldigestrealmname

Displays the SASL digest realm name associated with the server.

ibm-slapdServerInstanceName

Name of the directory server instance running on the server.

ibm-slapdisconfigurationmode

Identifies whether the server is running in configuration mode. If TRUE, the server is in configuration mode. If FALSE, the server is not in configuration mode.

## OIDs for supported and enabled capabilities

The following table shows OIDs for supported and enabled capabilities. You can use these OIDs to see if a particular server supports these features.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Short name with OID</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Supported by IBM Security Directory Base Server 6.3.1</th>
<th>Supported by IBM Security Directory Proxy Server 6.3.1</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Without partitioned data</td>
<td>With partitioned data</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Enhanced Replication Model</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.1</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>N/A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>EntryChecksum</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.2</td>
<td>Indicates that this server supports the ibm-entrychecksum and ibm-entrychecksumop features.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Entry UUID</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.3</td>
<td>This value is listed in the ibm-capabilities Subentry for those suffixes that support the ibm-entryuuid attribute.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Filter ACLs</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.4</td>
<td>Identifies that this server supports the IBM Filter ACL model</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Password Policy</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.5</td>
<td>Identifies that this server supports password policies</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Sort by DN</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.6</td>
<td>Enables searches sorted by DNs in addition to regular attributes.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Administration Group Delegation</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.8</td>
<td>Server supports the delegation of server administration to a group of administrators that are specified in the configuration backend.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Short name with OID</td>
<td>Description</td>
<td>Supported by IBM Security Directory Base Server 6.3.1</td>
<td>Supported by IBM Security Directory Proxy Server 6.3.1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
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</tr>
<tr>
<td>Denial of Service Prevention 1.3.18.0.2.32.9</td>
<td>Server supports the denial of service prevention feature including read/write time-outs.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Dereference Alias Option 1.3.18.0.2.32.10</td>
<td>Server supports an option to not dereference aliases by default * Proxy rootDSE does not list ** Aliases across partitions are not dereferenced</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes(*)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Admin Server Audit Logging 1.3.18.0.2.32.11</td>
<td>Server supports the auditing of the admin server.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>128 Character Table Names 1.3.18.0.2.32.12</td>
<td>The server feature to allow name of unique attributes to be higher than 18 characters (with the maximum of 128 characters). * Proxy rootDSE does not list ** Uniqueness is not guaranteed across partitions</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes(*)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Attribute Caching Search Filter Resolution 1.3.18.0.2.32.13</td>
<td>The server supports attribute caching for search filter resolution.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>N/A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Dynamic Tracing 1.3.18.0.2.32.14</td>
<td>Server supports active tracing for the server with an LDAP extended operation.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Entry And Subtree Dynamic Updates 1.3.18.0.2.32.15</td>
<td>The server supports dynamic configuration updates on entries and subtrees.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Globally Unique Attributes 1.3.18.0.2.32.16</td>
<td>The server feature to enforce globally unique attribute values.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Group-Specific Search Limits 1.3.18.0.2.32.17</td>
<td>Supports extended search limits for a group of people. * Proxy rootDSE does not list ** Group Based Search limits don't work consistently when data is partitioned</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes(*)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>IBMpolicies Replication Subtree 1.3.18.0.2.32.18</td>
<td>Server supports the replication of the cn=IBMpolicies subtree.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Table 43. OIDs for supported and enabled capabilities (continued)

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<tr>
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<th>Description</th>
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</thead>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Without partitioned data</td>
<td>With partitioned data</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Max Age ChangeLog Entries 1.3.18.0.2.32.19</td>
<td>Specifies that the server is capable of retaining changelog entries based on age.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>N/A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Monitor Logging Counts 1.3.18.0.2.32.20</td>
<td>The server provides monitor logging counts for messages added to server, command-line interface, and audit log files.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Monitor Active Workers Information 1.3.18.0.2.32.21</td>
<td>The server provides monitor information for active workers (cn=workers,cn=monitor).</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Monitor Connection Type Counts 1.3.18.0.2.32.22</td>
<td>The server provides monitor connection type counts for SSL and TLS connections.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Monitor Operations Counts 1.3.18.0.2.32.23</td>
<td>The server provides new monitor operation counts for initiated and completed operation types. * The operations completed counts do not reflect actual operations completed in the proxy. Instead, it represents operations that are either completed or have been sent to a backend server for processing. Proxy Specific Monitors should be used in IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.1 or later.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes(*)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Monitor Tracing Info 1.3.18.0.2.32.24</td>
<td>The server provides monitor information for tracing options currently being used.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Null Base Subtree Search 1.3.18.0.2.32.26</td>
<td>Server allows null based subtree search, which searches the entire DIT defined in the server.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Proxy Authorization 1.3.18.0.2.32.27</td>
<td>Server supports Proxy Authorization for a group of users.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TLS Capabilities 1.3.18.0.2.32.28</td>
<td>Specifies that the server is actually capable of doing TLS.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Short name with OID</td>
<td>Description</td>
<td>Supported by IBM Security Directory Base Server 6.3.1</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Without partitioned data</td>
<td>With partitioned data</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Non-Blocking Replication</td>
<td>The server is capable of ignoring some errors received from a consumer (replica) that would normally cause an update to be re-transmitted periodically until a successful result code was received.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>N/A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Kerberos Capability</td>
<td>Specifies that the server is capable of using Kerberos.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-allMembers and ibm-allGroups operational attributes</td>
<td>Indicates whether or not a backend supports searching on the ibm-allGroups and ibm-allMembers operational attributes.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
| All operational Attributes | All operational Attributes  
* Proxy rootDSE does not list  
** Some operational attributes are dependent on the data not being distributed. | Yes | Yes(*) | Yes(**) |
| Language Tags | Server supports language tags. | Yes | No | No |
| FIPS mode for GSKit | Enables the server to use the encryption algorithms from the ICC FIPS-certified library. | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Modify DN (leaf move) | Indicates if modify DN operation supports new superior for leaf entries. Note that this capability is implied by the pre-existing Modify DN (subtree move) capability. Applications should check for both capabilities.  
* modify DN allowed only if the change does not cross partitions | Yes | Yes | Yes(*)) |
<p>| Simplify resizing of attributes | Allows customers to increase the maximum length of attributes through the schema modification facilities. | Yes | N/A | N/A |
| Global Administration Group | Server supports the delegation of server administration to a group of administrators that are specified in the RDBM backend. Global Administrators do not have any authority to the configuration file or log files. | Yes | Yes | Yes |</p>
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<td>AES Encryption Option</td>
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<td>Server supports AES Password Encryption.</td>
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<td>Auditing of Compare</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.40</td>
<td>Server supports auditing of compare operations.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Log Management 1.3.18.0.2.32.41</td>
<td>Identifies that this server supports log management.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Multi-threaded Replication</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.42</td>
<td>Replication agreements can specify using multiple threads and connections to a consumer.</td>
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<td>Supplier Replication Configuration</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.43</td>
<td>Server configuration of suppliers for replication.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Using CN=IBMpolicies for Global Updates 1.3.18.0.2.32.44</td>
<td>Server supports the replication of global updates using the replication topology in cn=IBMpolicies subtree.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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<tr>
<td>Multihomed configuration support 1.3.18.0.2.32.45</td>
<td>Server supports configuration on multiple IP addresses (multihomed).</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Multiple Directory Server Instances Architecture</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.46</td>
<td>Server is designed to run with multiple directory server instances on the same machine.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Configuration Tool Auditing</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.47</td>
<td>Server supports the auditing of the configuration tools.</td>
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<td>Audit consolidation configuration settings</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.48</td>
<td>Indicates that audit log settings are available in the configuration file.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Proxy Server 1.3.18.0.2.32.49</td>
<td>Describes whether this server is capable of acting as a proxy server or regular RDBM server. Optional Information.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>LDAP Attribute Cache Auto Adjust 1.3.18.0.2.32.50</td>
<td>Indicates if autonomic attribute cache is supported and enabled. Note: From IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3, attribute cache is deprecated. You must avoid using attribute cache.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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<td>Replication conflict resolution max entry size</td>
<td>Based on this number, a supplier may decide if an entry should be re-added to a target server in order to resolve a replication conflict.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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<tr>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.51</td>
<td>LostAndFound log file</td>
<td>Supports LostAndFound file for archiving replaced entries as a result of replication conflict resolution.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.52</td>
<td>Password Policy Account Lockout</td>
<td>Identifies that this server supports password policy Account Locked feature.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.53</td>
<td>Password Policy Admin</td>
<td>Identifies that this server supports Admin Password Policy.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.54</td>
<td>SSL Fips processing mode</td>
<td>Server supports SSL FIPS mode processing.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.55</td>
<td>IDS 6.0 ibm-entrychecksumop</td>
<td>Identifies that the 6.0 version of the ibm-entrychecksumop calculation was used on the server.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.56</td>
<td>LDAP Password Global Start Time</td>
<td>Indicates that the server can support ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime attribute in the cn=pwdPolicy entry.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.57</td>
<td>Audit Configuration Settings Consolidation</td>
<td>Identifies that the audit configuration settings are now residing in the ibmslapd configuration file only. * Transactions are supported only when all updates target a single partition.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.58</td>
<td>CBE Log Format</td>
<td>Indicates that Security Directory Server log management and conversion to event format is supported.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.59</td>
<td>Encrypted Attribute Support</td>
<td>Server supports encrypted attributes.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.60</td>
<td>Proxy Monitor search</td>
<td>Server supports special monitor searches intended for proxy server.</td>
<td>No</td>
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<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.61</td>
<td>SSHA Password Encrypt</td>
<td>Server supports SSHA Password Encryption.</td>
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<td>MD5 Password Encrypt</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.64</td>
<td>Server supports MD5 Password Encryption.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Filter Replication</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.65</td>
<td>The server feature designed to have only required entries and a subset of its attributes to be replicated.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Group Members Cache</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.66</td>
<td>Server supports caching group members.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>PKCS11 Support</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.67</td>
<td>Server supports PKCS11 Encryption standard.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Server Admin Roles</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.68</td>
<td>Server supports Server Administration roles.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Digest MD5 Support</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.69</td>
<td>Server supports Digest MD5 Bind.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>External Bind Support</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.70</td>
<td>Server supports External Bind.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Persistent Search</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.71</td>
<td>Server supports persistent search.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Admin Server Denial of Service Prevention</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.72</td>
<td>Admin Server supports Denial of Service Prevention.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Admin server Enhanced Monitor Support</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.73</td>
<td>Admin server supports &quot;cn=monitor&quot;, &quot;cn=connections,cn=monitor&quot;, and &quot;cn=workers,cn=monitor&quot; searches.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>System Monitor Search</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.74</td>
<td>Server supports &quot;cn=system,cn=monitor&quot; search.</td>
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<td>Multiple Password Policies</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.77</td>
<td>Server allows multiple password policy to be defined and used.</td>
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<td>Passthrough Authentication</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.32.78</td>
<td>Server supports pass through authentication feature.</td>
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<td>Dynamic Updates of Replication Supplier Request 1.3.18.0.2.32.79</td>
<td>Server supports dynamic updates of replication supplier information.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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<tr>
<td>Audit Performance 1.3.18.0.2.32.81</td>
<td>Server supports auditing of performance for operations.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>No Emergency Thread Support 1.3.18.0.2.32.82</td>
<td>Emergency Thread is not supported by server.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Enhanced Replication Group RI handling 1.3.18.0.2.32.83</td>
<td>Enhanced Replication Group RI handling</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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<tr>
<td>Reread the DB2 Password 1.3.18.0.2.32.84</td>
<td>Server re-reads the DB2 password to identify any change in DB2 password specified in configuration.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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<tr>
<td>Proxy Failback Based on Replication Queue 1.3.18.0.2.32.85</td>
<td>Proxy Server will failback only when replication queue is below the threshold specified in configuration file.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Backup restore configuration capability 1.3.18.0.2.32.87</td>
<td>Server supports configuring automatic backup and restore.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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<tr>
<td>Password Policy Max Consecutive repeated characters 1.3.18.0.2.32.88</td>
<td>Server supports restricting maximum consecutive repeated characters in password policy.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Virtual List View Support 1.3.18.0.2.32.89</td>
<td>Server supports virtual list view control in searches.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
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<tr>
<td>Proxy Paged Search 1.3.18.0.2.32.90</td>
<td>Proxy Server supports paged control in searches.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Tombstone Support 1.3.18.0.2.32.92</td>
<td>Server supports tombstone for deleted entries.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
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<tr>
<td>Proxy Health Check outstanding limit 1.3.18.0.2.32.93</td>
<td>Proxy supports identifying a hung server based on the configured outstanding health check requests.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Replication Finegrained timestamps 1.3.18.0.2.32.94</td>
<td>Replication uses fine grained timestamp for resolving conflicts.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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<tr>
<td>Distributed Dynamic group enabled 1.3.18.0.2.32.96</td>
<td>Proxy Server Supports enabling/Disabling Distributed dynamic group configuration option.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Distributed group enabled 1.3.18.0.2.32.97</td>
<td>Proxy Server Supports enabling/Disabling Distributed group configuration option.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>SHA-2 1.3.18.0.2.32.99</td>
<td>Indicates that this server supports SHA-2 family of algorithms, which include: SHA-224, SHA-256, SHA-384, and SHA-512. The server also supports the Salted version of the SHA-2 family of algorithms, which include: SSHA-224, SSHA-256, SSHA-384, and SSHA-512. * SHA-2 is only applicable for servers with database backend.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>N/A(*)</td>
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<td>NIST SP800-131A Suite B 1.3.18.0.2.32.101</td>
<td>Indicates that the server supports Suite B mode.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>TLS 1.0 protocol 1.3.18.0.2.32.102</td>
<td>Indicates that the server supports TLS v1.0 protocol.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>TLS 1.1 protocol 1.3.18.0.2.32.103</td>
<td>Indicates that the server supports TLS v1.1 protocol.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>TLS 1.2 protocol 1.3.18.0.2.32.104</td>
<td>Indicates that the server supports TLS v1.2 protocol.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Replication of security attributes 1.3.18.0.2.32.105</td>
<td>Indicates that a read-only replica accepts the replication updates for password policy operational attributes. The read-only replica can notify its master servers about a bind operation that affects password policy operational attributes of a user. Indicates that a master server can accept notifications from a read-only replica about a bind operation that affects password policy operational attributes of a user.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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OIDs for ACI mechanisms

The following table shows the OIDs for ACI mechanisms.

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<td>IBM SecureWay V3.2 ACL Model</td>
<td>Indicates that the LDAP server supports the IBM SecureWay V3.2 ACL model</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.26.2</td>
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<tr>
<td>IBM Filter Based ACL Mechanism</td>
<td>Indicates that the LDAP server supports IBM Security Directory Server filter based ACLs.</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.26.3</td>
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<tr>
<td>System Restricted ACL Support</td>
<td>Server supports specification and evaluation of ACLs on system and restricted attributes.</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.26.4</td>
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OIDs for extended operations

The following table shows OIDs for extended operations.

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<td>1.3.18.0.2.12.58</td>
<td>This extended operation sends the server a DN of an entry which contains a userPassword attribute, and the server sends back the status of the user account being queried: open locked expired</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
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<tr>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.12.46</td>
<td>Retrieve attributes by supported capability: operational, language tag, attribute cache, unique or configuration.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.12.15</td>
<td>This operation performs the requested action on the server it is issued to and cascades the call to all consumers beneath it in the replication topology.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.12.20</td>
<td>Request to Clear log file.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Short name with OID</td>
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<td>Control replication extended operation 1.3.18.0.2.12.16</td>
<td>This operation is used to force immediate replication, suspend replication, or resume replication by a supplier. This operation is allowed only when the client has update authority to the replication agreement.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Control queue extended operation 1.3.18.0.2.12.17</td>
<td>This operation marks items as &quot;already replicated&quot; for a specified agreement. This operation is allowed only when the client has update authority to the replication agreement.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
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<tr>
<td>DN normalization extended operation 1.3.18.0.2.12.30</td>
<td>Request to normalize a DN or a sequence of DNs.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Dynamic server trace extended operation 1.3.18.0.2.12.40</td>
<td>Activate or deactivate tracing in IBM Security Directory Server.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Dynamic update requests extended operation 1.3.18.0.2.12.28</td>
<td>Request to update server configuration for IBM Security Directory Server.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Effective password policy extended operation 1.3.18.0.2.12.75</td>
<td>Used for querying effective password policy for a user or a group.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
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<tr>
<td>End transaction extended operation 1.3.18.0.2.12.6</td>
<td>End Transactional context (commit/rollback).</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Event notification register request extended operation 1.3.18.0.2.12.1</td>
<td>Request registration for events notification.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
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<tr>
<td>Event notification unregister request extended operation 1.3.18.0.2.12.3</td>
<td>Unregister for events that were registered for using an Event Registration Request.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
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<tr>
<td>Get file extended operation 1.3.18.0.2.12.73</td>
<td>Returns the contents of a given file on the server.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Get lines extended operation 1.3.18.0.2.12.22</td>
<td>Request to get lines from a log file.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Get number of lines extended operation 1.3.18.0.2.12.24</td>
<td>Request number of lines in a log file.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td><strong>Group evaluation extended operation</strong>&lt;br&gt; 1.3.18.0.2.12.50</td>
<td>Requests all the groups that a given user belongs to.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Kill connection extended operation</strong>&lt;br&gt; 1.3.18.0.2.12.35</td>
<td>Request to kill connections on the server. The request can be to kill all connections or kill connections by bound DN, IP, or a bound DN from a particular IP.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>LDAP trace facility extended operation</strong>&lt;br&gt; 1.3.18.0.2.12.41</td>
<td>Use this extended operation to control LDAP Trace Facility remotely using the Administration Server.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Locate entry extended operation</strong>&lt;br&gt; 1.3.18.0.2.12.71</td>
<td>This extended operation is used to extract the back-end server details of a given set of entry DNs and provide the details to the client.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>LogMgmtControl extended operation</strong>&lt;br&gt; 1.3.18.0.2.12.70</td>
<td>The LogMgmtControl extended operation is used to start, stop, and query the status of the log management for an IBM Security Directory Server instance running on a server.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td><strong>Online Backup extended operation</strong>&lt;br&gt; 1.3.18.0.2.12.74</td>
<td>Performs online backup of the directory server instance’s DB2 database.</td>
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<td><strong>Password policy bind initialize and verify extended operation</strong>&lt;br&gt; 1.3.18.0.2.12.79</td>
<td>The Password policy bind initialize and verify extended operation performs password policy bind initialization and verification for a specified user.</td>
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<td><strong>Prepare Transaction extended operation</strong>&lt;br&gt; 1.3.18.0.2.12.64</td>
<td>Using the prepare transaction extended operation the client requests the server to start processing the operations sent in a transaction.</td>
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<td><strong>Proxy Backend Server Resume Role Extended Operation</strong>&lt;br&gt; 1.3.18.0.2.12.65</td>
<td>This extended operation enables a proxy server to resume the configured role of a back-end server in a distributed directory environment.</td>
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<td>Quiesce or unquiesce</td>
<td>This operation puts the subtree into a state where it does not accept client updates (or terminates this state), except for updates from clients authenticated as directory administrators where the Server Administration control is present.</td>
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<td>Trigger a replication of replication topology-related entries under a given replication context.</td>
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<td>ServerBackupRestore</td>
<td>Issues request to the administration server to backup a directory server’s data and configuration files or restore directory server’s data and configuration from an existing backup.</td>
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<td>Request to start, stop or restart an LDAP server.</td>
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<td>Unique attributes extended</td>
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## OIDs for controls

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<td>AES bind control</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.10.28</td>
<td>This control enables IBM Security Directory Server to send updates to the consumer server with passwords already encrypted using AES.</td>
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<td>Audit control</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.10.22</td>
<td>The control sends a sequence of uniqueid strings and a source ip string to the server. When the server receives the control, it audits the list of uniqueids and sourceip in the audit record of the operation.</td>
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<td>Do not replicate control</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.10.23</td>
<td>This control can be specified on an update operation (add, delete, modify, modDn, modRdn).</td>
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<td>Group authorization control</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.10.21</td>
<td>The control sends a list of groups that a user belongs to.</td>
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<td>Ldap delete operation timestamp control</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.10.32</td>
<td>This control is used to send the modified timestamp values to a replica during a delete operation.</td>
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<td>Limit Number of Attribute Values Control</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.10.30</td>
<td>This control limits the number of attribute values returned for an entry in a search operation.</td>
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<td>Manage DSAIT control</td>
<td>2.16.840.1.113730.3.4.2</td>
<td>Causes entries with the 'ref' attribute to be treated as normal entries, allowing clients to read and modify these entries.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes (*)</td>
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<td>Modify groups only control</td>
<td>1.3.18.0.2.10.25</td>
<td>Attached to a delete or modify DN request to cause the server to do only the group referential integrity processing for the delete or rename request without doing the actual delete or rename of the entry itself. The entry named in the delete or modify DN request does not need to exist on the server.</td>
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<td>No replication conflict resolution control 1.3.18.0.2.10.27</td>
<td>When present, a replica server accepts a replicated entry without trying to resolve any replication conflict for this entry.</td>
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<td>Omit group referential integrity control 1.3.18.0.2.10.26</td>
<td>Omits the group referential integrity processing on a delete or modrdn request. When present on a delete or rename operation, the entry is deleted from or renamed in the directory, but the entry’s membership is not removed or renamed in the groups in which the entry is a member.</td>
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<td>Paged search results control 1.2.840.113556.1.4.319</td>
<td>Allows management of the amount of data returned from a search request.</td>
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<td>Password policy request or response</td>
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<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Persistent search control 2.16.840.1.113730.3.4.3</td>
<td>This control provide clients a means to receive notification of changes in the LDAP server.</td>
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<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Proxy authorization control 2.16.840.1.113730.3.4.18</td>
<td>The Proxy Authorization Control enables a bound user to assert another user’s identity. The server uses this asserted identity in the evaluation of ACLs for the operation.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>This control is returned when a target server detects a conflict during a replicated modify operation.</td>
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<td>Replication supplier bind control 1.3.18.0.2.10.18</td>
<td>This control is added by the supplier, if the supplier is a gateway server.</td>
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<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Return deleted objects control 1.3.18.0.2.10.33</td>
<td>This control when included in a null base search requests, all entries in the database including those entries with attribute isDeleted set to TRUE are returned.</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
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<tr>
<td>Server administration control 1.3.18.0.2.10.15</td>
<td>Allows an update operation by the administrator under conditions when the operation would normally be refused (server is quiesced, a read-only replica, etc.)</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes (*)</td>
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<td>Sorted search results control</td>
<td>Allows a client to receive search results sorted by a list of criteria, where each criterion represents a sort key.</td>
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<td>Subtree delete control</td>
<td>This control is attached to a Delete request to indicate that the specified entry and all descendent entries are to be deleted.</td>
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<td>Transaction control</td>
<td>Marks the operation as part of a transacational context.</td>
<td>No</td>
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<td>1.3.18.0.2.10.5</td>
<td>* In IBM Security Directory Proxy Server, transactions are supported only when all updates target a single partition.</td>
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<td>Virtual list view control</td>
<td>This control extends the regular LDAP search operation and includes a server side sorting control.</td>
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Appendix C. LDAP data interchange format (LDIF)

This documentation describes the LDAP Data Interchange Format (LDIF), as used by the `idsldapmodify`, `idsldapsearch`, and `idsldapadd` utilities. The LDIF specified here is also supported by the server utilities provided with IBM Security Directory Server.

LDIF is used to represent LDAP entries in text form. The basic form of an LDIF entry is:

```
<dn>: <distinguished name>
<attrtype>: <attrvalue>
<attrtype>: <attrvalue>
...
```

A line can be continued by starting the next line with a single space or tab character, for example:

```
dn: cn=John E Doe, o=University of Higher Learning, c=US
```

Multiple attribute values are specified on separate lines, for example:

```
cn: John E Doe
cn: John Doe
```

If an `attrvalue` contains a non-US-ASCII character, or begins with a space or a colon `:`, the `attrtype` is followed by a double colon and the value is encoded in base-64 notation. For example, the value " begins with a space" would be encoded like this:

```
cn:: IGJlZ2lucyB3aXRoIGEgc3BhY2U=
```

Multiple entries within the same LDIF file are separated by a blank line. Multiple blank lines are considered a logical end-of-file.

LDIF example

Here is an example of an LDIF file containing three entries.

```
dn: cn=John E Doe, o=University of Higher Learning, c=US
  cn: John E Doe
  cn: John Doe
  objectclass: person
  sn: Doe

dn: cn=Bjorn L Doe, o=University of Higher Learning, c=US
  cn: Bjorn L Doe
  cn: Bjorn Doe
  objectclass: person
  sn: Doe

jn: sn=Jennifer K. Doe, o=University of Higher Learning, c=US
  cn: Jennifer K. Doe
  cn: Jennifer Doe
  objectclass: person
  sn: Doe

jpegPhoto:: /9j/4AAQSkZJRgABAAAAD/2wBDABALDA4MChAODQ4SERATGCgaGBYWGDEjJR0oOjM9PDkzODdASFxO
ERXRTc4UG1RV19izhnKp1xeX8keFx1Z2P/2wBDARESEhgVG
...
```
The jpegPhoto in Jennifer Doe’s entry is encoded using base-64. The textual attribute values can also be specified in base-64 format. However, if this is the case, the base-64 encoding must be in the code page of the wire format for the protocol (that is, for LDAP V2, the IA5 character set and for LDAP V3, the UTF-8 encoding).

Version 1 LDIF support

The client utilities (idsldapmodify and idsldapadd) have been enhanced to recognize the latest version of LDIF, which is identified by the presence of the "version: 1" tag at the head of the file. Unlike the original version of LDIF, the newer version of LDIF supports attribute values represented in UTF-8 (instead of the very limited US-ASCII).

However, manual creation of an LDIF file containing UTF-8 values may be difficult. In order to simplify this process, a charset extension to the LDIF format is supported. This extension allows an IANA character set name to be specified in the header of the LDIF file (along with the version number). A limited set of the IANA character sets are supported. See “IANA character sets supported by platform” on page 583 for the specific charset values that are supported for each operating system platform.

The version 1 LDIF format also supports file URLs. This provides a more flexible way to define a file specification. File URLs take the following form:

attribute:< file:///path (where path syntax depends on platform)

For example, the following are valid file Web addresses:

jpegphoto:< file:///d:\temp\photos\myphoto.jpg  (DOS/Windows style paths)
jpegphoto:< file:///etc/temp/photos/myphoto.jpg  (UNIX or Linux style paths)

Note: IBM Security Directory Server utilities support both the new file URL specification as well as the older style (e.g. "jpegphoto: /etc/temp/myphoto"), regardless of the version specification. In other words, the new file URL format can be used without adding the version tag to your LDIF files.

Version 1 LDIF examples

You can use the optional charset tag so that the utilities will automatically convert from the specified character set to UTF-8 as in the following example:

version: 1
charset: ISO-8859-1
dn: cn=Juan Griego, o=University of New Mexico, c=US
cn: Juan Griego
sn: Griego
description:: V2hhdCBhIGNhcmVmdWwgcmVhZGVyIHlvd
title: Associate Dean
title: [title in Spanish]
jpegPhoto:< file:///usr/local/photos/jgriego.jpg

In this instance, all values following an attribute name and a single colon are translated from the ISO-8859-1 character set to UTF-8. Values following an attribute name and a double colon (such as description:: V2hhdCBhIGNhcm... ) must be base-64 encoded, and are expected to be either binary or UTF-8 character strings. Values read from a file, such as the jpegPhoto attribute specified by the Web
address in the previous example, are also expected to be either binary or UTF-8. No translation from the specified “charset” to UTF-8 is done on those values.

In this example of an LDIF file without the charset tag, content is expected to be in UTF-8, or base-64 encoded UTF-8, or base-64 encoded binary data:

```ldif
# IBM Directorysample LDIF file
#
# The suffix "o=sample" should be defined before attempting to load
# this data.
version: 1
dn: o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: organization
o: sample
dn: ou=Austin, o=sample
ou: Austin
objectclass: organizationalUnit
seealso: cn=Linda Carlesberg, ou=Austin, o=sample
```

This same file could be used without the version: 1 header information:

```ldif
# IBM Directorysample LDIF file
#
# The suffix "o=sample" should be defined before attempting to load
# this data.

dn: o=sample
objectclass: top
objectclass: organization
o: sample
dn: ou=Austin, o=sample
ou: Austin
objectclass: organizationalUnit
seealso: cn=Linda Carlesberg, ou=Austin, o=sample
```

**Note:** The textual attribute values can be specified in base-64 format.

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## IANA character sets supported by platform

The following table defines the set of IANA-defined character sets that can be defined for the charset tag in a Version 1 LDIF file, on a per-platform basis. The value in the left-most column defines the text string that can be assigned to the charset tag. An "X" indicates that conversion from the specified charset to UTF-8 is supported for the associated platform, and that all string content in the LDIF file is assumed to be represented in the specified charset. "n/a" indicates that the conversion is not supported for the associated platform.

String content is defined to be all attribute values that follow an attribute name and a single colon.

See [IANA Character Sets](http://www.iana.org/assignments/character-sets) for more information about IANA-registered character sets. Go to:

http://www.iana.org/assignments/character-sets
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* Supported at Solaris 7.
Notes:


2. On the Windows 2000 operating system, you must set the environment variable zhCNGB18030=TRUE.
Appendix D. ASCII characters from 33 to 126

The following table shows ASCII characters from 33 to 126. These are the characters that can be used in the encryption seed string.

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Appendix E. IPv6 support

Internet Protocol Version 6 (IPv6) is the protocol designed by the IETF to replace the current version Internet Protocol, IP Version 4 (IPv4). IPv6 fixes a number of problems in IPv4, such as the limited number of available IPv4 addresses. IPv6 uses a wider address (128-bit vs 32-bit) than IPv4, and this has an impact on the TCP application level. It also has improvements in areas such as routing and network autoconfiguration. IPv6 is expected to gradually replace IPv4.

All supported servers and clients of IBM Security Directory Server version 6.0 and later are enabled to support IPv6 as well as IPv4 nodes. The following are examples of the format of LDAP URLs for IPv4 and IPv6.

Note: If :portnumber is not specified in the URL, the default ports (389 for non-SSL and 636 for SSL) are used.

- To use a literal IPv4 address in a URL, the format is x.x.x.x:port. An example of an LDAP server name in a URL for non-SSL communication listening on port 80 is:
  - ldap://9.53.90.21:80

  An example of an LDAP server name in a URL for SSL communication listening on the default port of 636 is:
  - ldaps://9.53.90.21

- To comply with RFC 2732, literal IPv6 address in URLs must be enclosed in [ ] characters. Examples of LDAP server names in URLs for non-SSL communication listening on the respective ports of 80 and the default of 389 are:
  - ldap://[107:0:0:0:200:7051]:80
  - ldap://[::ffff:9.53.96.21]

Examples of LDAP server names in URLs for SSL communication listening on the respective ports of 80 and the default of 636 are:
  - ldaps://[107:0:0:0:200:7051]:80
  - ldaps://[::ffff:9.53.96.21]

Notes:
1. If you are using the IPv6 URL format in a mixed environment with directory servers that are not IPv6 enabled, the IPv6 URL format is not recognized by the non-IPv6 enabled clients and servers. For example:
   - Referals do not work if a non-IPv6 enabled client receives a URL address in the IPv6 format.
   - Replication does not work if a non-IPv6 enabled consumer server receives its supplier URL information in the IPv6 format.

2. Linux systems require an interface ID for resolving the link-local IP address. The getaddrinfo or other interface conversion routines work, but then the resolved IP address does not work for the connect() function. Use the following format to specify an IP address with interfaces ID:
   ldap://[xxxx:xxxx:xxxx:xxxx:xxxx:xxx%InterfaceID]

The link-local IPv6 address with scope:local does not work on Linux systems. IBM Security Directory Server version 6.0 and later support scope:global only in IPv6 addresses on Linux systems.
Appendix F. Simple Network Management Protocol agent

The Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) agent services request for monitoring the state of the directory server and issues traps to the Network Management Station. Using the IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator assembly line with the SNMP agent, the performance and wellness information of the directory server can be reported and monitored. The IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator assembly line will collect and report performance and wellness information like monitor search, root DSE search, and system information of the directory server it is monitoring. Directory server performance information will be logged periodically and will be made available in Extensible Markup Language (XML) format defined for Common Base Event (CBE).

Note:
- You must have IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator 7.1 installed to use the SNMP agent.
- You also need to add a user to the directory and place ACLs on the suffixes of the directory, denying the user any permission to access the Data Information Tree (DIT) data. This user is created for performing monitor searches only and must exist across all monitored instances.

Each directory server instance has a separate entry in the idssnmp.properties file. Configuration details will be unique for each directory server instance monitored by the idssnmp tool. This enables the idssnmp tool to monitor multiple directory server instances. A single instance of idssnmp tool that is launched will be able to monitor all the directory server instances mentioned in the idssnmp.properties file.

The idssnmp.properties file is encrypted by default once the idssnmp agent is started. This file is located in the DS_install_directory\idstools\snmp directory. The idssnmp.properties file contains the following:

```plaintext
server:  IP_address
port:  port_number
isSSL:  True/False
ldapbindDN:  bind_DN
bindDNpwd:  bind_pwd
systemuser:  user_ID
systemuserpwd:  user_pwd
filterCacheActive:  True/False
filterCacheThreshold:  Threshold Value in percentage
pendingRequestsActive:  True/False
pendingRequestsThreshold:  Threshold Value
pendingRequestsSinceLastIntervalActive:  True/False
pendingRequestsSinceLastIntervalThreshold:  Threshold Value
activeConnectionActive:  True/False
activeConnectionThreshold:  Threshold Value
memoryUtilizationActive:  True/False
memoryUtilizationThreshold:  Threshold Value in kilobytes
cpuUtilizationActive:  True/False
cpuUtilizationThreshold:  Threshold Value in percentage
diskSpaceUtilizationActive:  True/False
diskSpaceUtilizationThreshold:  Threshold Value in kilobytes
```
replicationPendingChangeCountActive: True/False
replicationPendingChangeCountThreshold: Threshold Value
replicationStatusActive: True/False
trapForMessageId-log_type: GLP...>

where:

server
Represents the IP address of the monitored LDAP server.

port
Represents the port on which the monitored LDAP server is running.

isSSL
Indicates if the communication between the LDAP instance and the SNMP Agent is SSL encrypted.

ldapbindDN
Represents the bind DN.

bindDNpwd
Represents the bind password.

systemuser
Represents the system user id.

systemuserpwd
Represents the system user password.

filterCacheActive
If set to true, then a trap alert is generated when the percentage of search filter cache used exceeds the threshold limit.

filterCacheThreshold
Specifies the threshold value in percentage.

pendingRequestsActive
If set to true, then a trap alert is generated when the difference between number of operations requested and the number of operations completed (pending requests) exceeds the threshold limit.

pendingRequestsThreshold
Specifies the threshold value.

pendingRequestsSinceLastIntervalActive
If set to true, then a trap alert is generated when the number of pending requests since the last interval exceeds the threshold limit.

pendingRequestsSinceLastIntervalThreshold
Specifies the threshold value.

activeConnectionActive
If set to true, then a trap alert is generated when the number of active connections exceed the threshold limit.

activeConnectionThreshold
Specifies the threshold value.

memoryUtilizationActive
If set to true, then a trap alert is generated when the maximum system memory utilization exceeds the threshold limit.

memoryUtilizationThreshold
Specifies the threshold value in kilobytes.

cpuUtilizationActive
If set to true, then a trap alert is generated when the Maximum CPU utilization exceeds the threshold limit. This is applicable only for non-windows operating systems.
cpuUtilizationThreshold
   Specifies the threshold value in percentage.

diskSpaceUtilizationActive
   If set to true, then a trap alert is generated when the disk space utilization by the directory where DB2 database is stored exceeds the threshold limit.

diskSpaceUtilizationThreshold
   Specifies the threshold value in kilobytes.

replicationPendingChangeCountActive
   If set to true, then a trap alert is generated when the replication queue reaches a predefined threshold, for instance if the queue grows larger than 10000 entries.

replicationPendingChangeCountThreshold
   Specifies the threshold value.

replicationStatusActive
   If set to true, then a trap alert is generated if the current state of replication is incompatible, server is down, authentication has failed, or down level server is not supported.

trapForMessageId
   Represents a list of message identifiers. The list will be a "," separated list of message identifiers. An SNMP trap will be generated in the event of a matching message identifier in the server log requested through an ldap extended operation. The log type describes the type of log required by the ldap extended operation. Each log type must be mentioned separately. For instance:
   • trapForMessageId-slapd:
   • trapForMessageId-audit:
   • trapForMessageId-ibmdiradm:

   If you want to send traps for all the messages generated in the log file, you can specify one of the following:
   • TRAP_MAX – This will send traps for all (Information, Warning and Error) messages seen in the log files.
   • TRAP_MID – This will send traps only for all Warning and Error messages seen in the log files.
   • TRAP_MIN – This will send traps only for all Error messages seen in the log files.

   Given below is an example of traps that can be set for log files slapd, audit, and ibmdiradm:
   trapForMessageId-slapd: TRAP_MID
   trapForMessageId-audit: TRAP_MAX
   trapForMessageId-ibmdiradm: TRAP_MID

   Note:
   • TRAP_MIN and TRAP_MID are not valid values for trapForMessageId-audit. This is because the audit log contains only information messages.
   • The traps sent by the idssnmp tool contain the OID 1.3.6.1.4.1.2.6.199.1.1.7. This OID holds the name of the instance to which the event corresponds to.
The configuration file, idssnmp.conf, is in the standard SNMP format, that is, space separated with certain keywords. This configuration file contains the port number on which the SNMP agent runs, at least one IP address or host name, the IP address of the network management system (NMS) to where the connector sends its traps, and the communities that this SNMP Agent responds to. This file is located in the DSinstall_directory\idstools\snmp directory.

1. Edit the port number in the configuration file for the IBM Security Directory Server SNMP agent. The SNMP Agent monitors Security Directory Server. If you want to monitor something other than the directory server, the SNMP agent for Security Directory Server must be run on a nonstandard port. The nonstandard port is necessary to avoid a port conflict with the agent for the other application.

   Port 161

   The example shows that the SNMP agent runs on port 161. If more than one port is specified, only the first line of type Port is read, others are ignored.

2. To properly receive any traps, you must edit the line in the SNMP configuration file that has the keyword Trap by adding the IP address of the NMS receiving the traps (by default the value is 127.0.0.1), its port number and the community string it expects to receive from the agent. You can repeat the line to specify multiple machines that are receiving the traps. For example:

   Trap 5.4.3.2 162 public

   This example shows that any traps that are generated are sent to a machine with the IP address 5.4.3.2 on port 162 using the community string "public".

3. Specify a polling interval in seconds. After the specified number of seconds the agent polls the servers to discover their status.

   Poll 600

   In this example the agent checks the servers every 600 seconds, that is, every 10 minutes.

4. If you want to restrict access to the agent, you can specify an optional community string. If you specify community, you must provide the string. For example:

   Community dirServer

   Any machine supplying the community string, dirServer, has access to the data. If the community string is not specified, authorization is not restricted. To further restrict access, you can provide other tokens such as the IP address in the community string line that the machine originating the request must have:

   Community dirServer 1.2.3.4

   If no IP Address is specified, then any machine supplying the community string has access to the data. If additional access restrictions are needed, you can also specify the supported access right, readOnly, to the elements of the community and lastly the view of the subtree. Please note that the data is implicitly read only and that readOnly is used to maintain the SNMP configuration file standards. If you specify community, the string is required. The IP address, access right and view are optional, however these restrictions are sequential in nature. You can optionally specify IP address or IP address and access right, but you could not optionally specify the access right and view without IP address.

   This example is the most restrictive and illustrates the correct sequence of the tokens.
Community dirServer 1.2.3.4 readOnly 1.5.4.3.2.1

In this example, the requesting NMSs must supply "dirServer" as a community string. The requests must originate from a machine with IP address 1.2.3.4 and all elements in this community are read only and the view is 1.5.4.3.2.1.

Note: With restricted authorization, if more than one machine is running an NMS authorized to perform get operation on the Directory SNMP Agent, the community line will need to be duplicated.

5. If you need to divide the SNMP OID tree, you can specify a view of the subtree.
   View 1.5.4.3.2.1

   This example indicates that the agent deals with all the subtrees under the OID 1.5.4.3.2.1.

Note:

- Load the following MIBS to your NMS:
  
  \%DS_install_directory\%idstools\%snmp\%IBM-DIRECTORYSERVER-MIB
  \%DS_install_directory\%idstools\%snmp\%INET-ADDRESS-MIB

The SNMP agent can be started by running the idssnmp script located in the \%DS_install_directory\%sbin directory.

See the IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator documentation for information on how to install IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator and how to setup SSL (IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator Users Guide).

## SNMP Logging

By default, the idssnmp application logs its data to the file /var/idsldap/V6.3.1/idssnmp.log on the UNIX platform and %DS_install_directory\%var\%idssnmp.log on the Windows platform.

In addition to the tool's main log file, idssnmp.log, there are two additional log files that IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator produces:

- ibmdi.log
- idssnmpinit.log

These files are produced because the IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator application writes logs to a static location. After the idssnmp tool is initialized, most of the log statements are written to idssnmp.log. The ibmdi.log file and idssnmpinit.log file are written to the following directories:

- %DS_install_directory\%idstools\%snmp\%logs (UNIX)
- %DS_install_directory\%idstools\%snmp\%logs (Windows)

If these directories are not created, then the logs are placed in the current working directory. The ibmdi.log and idssnmpinit.log are overwritten each time the idssnmp tool is run so the filesize can remain small.

The following command line option:

\%D DEBUG

can be specified to debug idssnmp. The log can then have more detailed information of the agent's execution.
Note: The IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator assembly line will periodically log directory server performance information in XML format defined for Common Base Event (CBE).

Using the command line – idssnmp

idssnmp has the following command line options:

- **-q** This will not display the log messages to the screen. This is an optional parameter.
- **-v** Displays the version number of the idssnmp tool. This is an optional parameter.
- **-?** Displays the usage. This is an optional parameter.

If IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator fails, it returns one of the following exit codes:

1
- Cannot open logfile (-l parameter)
- Cannot open configuration file
- Stopped by admin request

2
Exit after auto-run. When you start IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator specifying the -w option, IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator runs the AssemblyLine specified by the -r parameter and then exits.

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License expired or invalid.
Appendix G. Active Directory synchronization

Note: From IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1, the Active Directory synchronization solution is deprecated.

Active Directory synchronization is a tool for synchronizing users and groups between Microsoft Active Directory and an IBM Security Directory Server instance. Synchronization is one-way, from Active Directory to Security Directory Server only.

Note: Synchronization of users and groups between Active Directory and Security Directory Server instances through Security Directory Proxy server is not supported.

Active Directory synchronization uses IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator for synchronizing the directories. You must have IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator installed before Active Directory synchronization can be run. IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator is used to run the configuration, and the IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator Administration and Monitoring Console is used to start, stop, restart, and monitor execution. You must have IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator installed before Active Directory synchronization can run.

Notes:

1. The Active Directory synchronization feature and IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator must be on the same computer as the associated directory server instance.
2. Active Directory synchronization synchronizes only users and groups. It does not synchronize other objects in the directory.
3. Active Directory synchronization does not synchronize nested organizational units (OUs).
5. Mapping of the userPassword attribute is not allowed. (User password data is not synchronized by this solution.)
6. Active Directory synchronization can synchronize users and groups from one or more user containers of Active Directory to a single OU of Security Directory Server. However, it does not synchronize multiple user and group containers of Active Directory to multiple OUs of Security Directory Server.
7. You can specify multiple user containers to synchronize with a single organizational unit (OU) in Security Directory Server.

Note: You can specify multiple user containers to synchronize with a single organizational unit (OU) in Security Directory Server by using the semicolon (;) as a separator. (Other characters used as separators are not supported.) If you use the semicolon (;) separator, enclose the argument in quotation marks ("), as shown in the following example: "ou=SWUGroups,dc=adsync,dc=com;ou=STGGroups,dc=adsync,dc=com"

The sAMAccountName attribute from Active Directory will be used to compose the $dn attribute in Security Directory Server. Because the sAMAccountName attribute is unique in a domain, there will not be
conflicts when synchronizing multiple Active Directory user containers to a single Security Directory Server OU.

8. The solution currently supports an SSL connection to Active Directory, but does not support an SSL connection to Security Directory Server.

9. If you configure or change the administrator DN or password (or both) for the directory server instance after configuring Active Directory synchronization, you must reconfigure Active Directory synchronization.

10. If the user or group container names from Active Directory are changed dynamically (while Active Directory synchronization is running), you must reconfigure Active Directory synchronization with the new names or Active Directory synchronization will no longer run.

11. If you modify Security Directory Server users and groups by a means other than Active Directory synchronization, Active Directory synchronization might not work correctly.

12. Synchronization is one-way, from Active Directory to Security Directory Server only.

13. Only user entry attributes are synchronized.

14. The synchronization from Active Directory to Security Directory Server cannot be guaranteed if a user modifies users or groups in a Security Directory Server instance externally, that is, outside the synchronization solution.

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**Steps for using Active Directory synchronization**

**Note:** From IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.3.1, the Active Directory synchronization solution is deprecated.

After you install IBM Security Directory Server and IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator, create and configure a directory server instance, use the following steps to configure and use Active Directory synchronization:

1. If you use a copy of IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator that you did not install in the default path (on UNIX based systems: /opt/IBM/TDI/V7.1 and on Windows systems: C:\Program Files\IBM\TDI\V7.1), you must set the IDS_LDAP_TDI_HOME environment variable to the directory where you installed IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator V7.1.

   **Note:** On Windows systems, if there are spaces in this path, Active Directory synchronization will not work properly. Set the environment variable to a path with no spaces and no quotation marks, or use the short name when you specify the path.

2. Optionally, load the sample users.ldif and groups.ldif files into the Active Directory Server. Use the documentation for Active Directory Server.

3. Configure Active Directory synchronization using the IBM Security Directory Server Configuration Tool or the `idsadscfg` command. This generates the `adsync_private.prop` and `adsync_public.prop` files. See the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Installation and Configuration Guide* for information.

4. Modify the `adsync_public.prop` file to customize optional attributes and SSL parameters, if needed. See "Files used by Active Directory synchronization" on page 599 for information. If you are using SSL, see "Configuring Active Directory synchronization to use an SSL connection to Active Directory" on page 603 for information.

5. Start Active Directory synchronization, using the `idsadsrun` command. You are asked if you want to fully synchronize, followed by real time synchronization,
or only start real time synchronization. See "Running Active Directory synchronization" on page 603 for information.

Changes made to the Active Directory entries will be read by the Active Directory synchronization tool, which identifies the changes.

Active Directory synchronization will synchronize any changes to Security Directory Server. IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator Administration and Monitoring Console can be used for further administration and monitoring.

Note:

- You can use either the Configuration Tool or the `idsadscfg` command to configure Active Directory synchronization.
- For information about configuring Active Directory synchronization with the Configuration Tool, see the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Installation and Configuration Guide.
- For information about configuring Active Directory synchronization with the `idsadscfg` command, see the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference.

Files used by Active Directory synchronization

The following files are used by Active Directory synchronization:

**adsync.xml**

The adsync.xml file is a configuration file. It provides the pre-configured assembly lines and connectors needed to perform the synchronization of Active Directory with IBM Security Directory Server. It was originally created using the IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator Configuration Editor utility. There is only one adsync.xml file on a computer. This file cannot be changed. For customization, each Security Directory Server instance is configured to create properties files that define how the Active Directory synchronization works for the specific directory server instance.

**Properties files**

Two property files (adsync_private.prop and adsync_public.prop) are updated when a directory server instance is configured for Active Directory synchronization. The adsync.xml file contains a reference to these external properties files.

- The adsync_private.prop properties file is encrypted and the property values in this file can be modified only through the Configuration Tool or the `idsadscfg` command.

Active Directory synchronization uses the following attributes as mandatory attributes to synchronize the Security Directory Server user entries:

- `$dn` attribute (created from `sAMAccountName`
- `cn`
- `sn`
- `uid`
- `objectClass`

The following is an example of an adsync_private.prop file:

```
Adhost1.AdGroupContainer:ou=SWUGroups,dc=adsynctest,dc=com
Adhost1.AdLdapLoginName:cn=administrator,cn=users,dc=adsynctest,dc=com
Adhost1.AdLdapPwdd:dd06proxy
Adhost1.AdLdapSrchBase:dc=adsynctest,dc=com
```
The remaining attributes are optional and you can change these attributes (and the mapping) in the DS_instance_home/idsslapd-instance/ etc/tdisoldir/adsync_public.prop file.

- The adsync_public.prop file is an ASCII text file. It contains the following properties, which you can modify:

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<tr>
<th>Property</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Example</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>AdDc1.AdSSL</td>
<td>A value of <strong>true</strong> indicates that SSL has been configured and will be used for the connection to Active Directory.</td>
<td>true</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>A value of <strong>false</strong> indicates that the connection will not be over an SSL session.</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>If the value is set to <strong>true</strong>, you must follow the instructions in “Configuring Active Directory synchronization to use an SSL connection to Active Directory” on page 603 to configure a key file on the IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator server before running the configuration.</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Property</td>
<td>Description</td>
<td>Example</td>
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<td>----------------------------------</td>
<td>-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------</td>
<td>------------------------------------------------------------------------</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TdsOptionalAttributes</td>
<td>List of attributes, separated by semicolon (:) characters, with optional syntax [attribute:(colon)attribute]. These attributes signify that each attribute name from Active Directory can be stored in IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator (Initial Work Entry) with a different name, which can further be used to map the attribute to a different attribute in Security Directory Server. The attributes are case sensitive. Multiple attributes cannot be mapped to a single Security Directory Server Attribute. The userPassword attribute cannot be mapped.</td>
<td>otherTelephone:telephoneNumber signifies that attribute otherTelephone from Active Directory is mapped to the corresponding attribute telephoneNumber in the Security Directory Server entry.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>LogLevel</td>
<td>Active Directory solution uses the LogLevel parameter to log the adsync configuration and execution details. The following log levels can be specified: • DEBUG • INFO • WARN • ERROR • FATAL</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The following is an example of an adsync_public.prop file:

```
Adhost1.OptionalAttributes:mail;displayName:cn; l:city;postalCode; initials:initials; givenName:givenName; streetAddress:street; st:st; department:departmentNumber; telephoneNumber; title; title:physicalDeliveryOfficeName:roomNumber; otherTelephone:telephoneNumber; description: descriptionibmLdaphost1.OptionalAttributes:mail; cn; city:postalCode; initials; givenName; street; st; departmentNumber; telephoneNumber; title; title:roomNumber; descriptionAdhost1.AdLdapSSL: false
```

groups.ldif (sample file)

This file contains the sample groups to be added to the Active Directory setup. This is the sample data used to synchronize between Active
Directory and Security Directory Server. Do not use this file as it is. It is modified during configuration with the user and group container and domain information you specify.

An example groups.ldif file is:

```
CN=SWUGroup1,OU=SWUGroups,dc=adsynctest,dc=com
objectClass=top
objectClass=group
cn=SWUGroup1
member=CN=lwood,ou=sales,dc=adsynctest,dc=com
member=CN=jdixon,ou=sales,dc=adsynctest,dc=com
member=CN=jcarroll,ou=sales,dc=adsynctest,dc=com
member=CN=twatson,ou=sales,dc=adsynctest,dc=com
member=CN=jsanchez,ou=sales,dc=adsynctest,dc=com
sAMAccountName=SWUGroup1
groupType=-2147483646

CN=SWUGroup2,OU=SWUGroups,dc=adsynctest,dc=com
objectClass=top
objectClass=group
cn=SWUGroup2
member=CN=amason,ou=sales,dc=adsynctest,dc=com
member=CN=swilson,ou=sales,dc=adsynctest,dc=com
member=CN=Elizabeth Brown,ou=sales,dc=adsynctest,dc=com
sAMAccountName=SWUGroup2
groupType=-2147483646
```

users.ldif (sample file)

This file contains the sample users to be added to the Active Directory setup. This is the sample data used to synchronize between Active Directory and Security Directory Server. Do not use this file as it is. It is modified during configuration with the user and group container and domain information you specify.

An example users.ldif file is:

```
CN=lwood,ou=sales,dc=adsynctest,dc=com
cn=lwood
displayName=LORI H. WOOD
givenName=LORI
initials=H
objectClass=top
objectClass=person
objectClass=organizationalPerson
objectClass=user
physicalDeliveryOfficeName=8B001
name=lwood
sAMAccountName=lwood
sn=WOOD
userAccountControl=544
userPrincipalName=lwood@xyz.com

CN=pburns,ou=sales,dc=adsynctest,dc=com
cn=pburns
displayName=PATRICK BURNS
givenName=PATRICK
objectClass=top
objectClass=person
objectClass=organizationalPerson
objectClass=user
name=pburns
sAMAccountName=pburns
sn=BURNS
userAccountControl=544
userPrincipalName=pburns@xyz.com
```
Running Active Directory synchronization

Use the idsadsrun command to run Active Directory synchronization after it is configured. For information about running Active Directory synchronization with the idsadsrun command, see the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference.

Note: If there are errors in the parameters specified for Active Directory, these errors will found at runtime and not during configuration. If errors are reported during runtime for the Active Directory parameters, you must reconfigure the Active Directory parameters correctly using the Configuration Tool (in the Active Directory synchronization: Active Directory details window) or the idsadscfg command.

Configuring Active Directory synchronization to use an SSL connection to Active Directory

You can use an SSL connection to Active Directory Server. (However, you cannot use an SSL connection to IBM Security Directory Server.) To set up Active Directory synchronization to work with an SSL connection to Active Directory:

1. Configure Active Directory synchronization to use the appropriate port number. Additionally:
   - If you are using the Configuration Tool to configure, be sure to select the Use SSL connection to Active directory check box in the Active Directory synchronization: Instance Details window and to provide the correct port number in the Host port field in the Active Directory synchronization: Active Directory details window.
   - If you are using the idsadscfg command to configure, be sure to use the -Z flag.

2. Configure Active Directory to SSL using the self certificate as follows:
   b. Start the Certificate Server Service. This creates a virtual directory in Internet Information Service (IIS) that enables you to distribute certificates.
   c. Create a Security (Group) Policy to direct Domain Controllers to get an SSL certificate from the Certificate Authority (CA).
   d. Open the Active Directory Users and Computers Administrative tool.
   e. Under the domain, right-click Domain Controllers. Select Properties.
   f. On the Group Policy tab, click to edit the Default Domain Controllers Policy.
h. Right-click **Automatic Certificate Request Settings**.

i. Select **New**.

j. Select **Automatic Certificate Request**.

k. Run the wizard. Select the Certificate Template for a Domain Controller.

l. Select your Enterprise Certificate Authority as the CA. Selecting a third-party CA works as well.

m. Complete the wizard.

   All Domain Controllers now automatically request a certificate from the CA and support LDAP using SSL on port 636.

n. Retrieve the Certificate Authority Certificate to the computer on which you installed Active Directory synchronization.

   **Note:** You must install IIS before installing the certificate server.

o. Open a Web browser on the computer on which you installed Active Directory synchronization.

p. Go to http://server_name/certsrv/ (where server_name is the name of the Windows 2003 server). You are asked to log in.

q. Select the task **Retrieve the CA certificate or certificate revocation list** and click **Next**.

r. The next page automatically highlights the CA certificate. Click **Download CA certificate**.

s. A new download window opens. Save the file to the hard drive.

3. Generate a jks file and configure Active Directory synchronization as follows:

   Create a certificate store using **keytool**. Use the keytool.exe file to create the certificate store and import the CA certificate into this store.

   **Note:** The keytool.exe file is located in the IBM Tivoli Directory Integrator directory in the \_jvm\bin directory.

   Use the following command:

   ```
   _jvm\bin\keytool -import -file certnew.cer -keystore keystore_name.jks -storepass password -alias keyalias_name
   ```

   For example, assume the following values:

   - Keystorename = idi.jks
   - Password = secret Keyalias
   - name = AD_CA

   The command with these values is as follows. (Assume that you are in the C:\Program Files\IBM\TivoliDirectoryIntegrator directory.)

   ```
   _jvm\bin\keytool -import -file certnew.cer -keystore idi.jks -storepass secret -alias AD_CA
   ```

   To verify the contents of your keystore, type the following:

   ```
   _jvm\bin\keytool -list -keystore idi.jks -storepass secret
   ```

   This results in the following:

   Keystore type: jks
   Keystore provider: SUN
   Your keystore contains 1 entry:
   ad_ca, Mon Nov 04 22:11:46 MST 2002, trustedCertEntry,
Configure Active Directory synchronization to use the keystore created in step 3 on page 604 as follows:

Edit the `DS_instance_home\idsslapd-instance\etc\tdisoldir\solution.properties` file to set the keystore file location, keystore file password, and keystore file type. (In the current release, only the jks type is supported.)

```bash
#server authentication  
#example
javax.net.ssl.trustStore=c:\test\idi.jks  
javax.net.ssl.trustStorePassword=secret  
javax.net.ssl.trustStoreType=jks
#client authentication  
#example
javax.net.ssl.keyStore=c:\test\idi.jks  
javax.net.ssl.keyStorePassword=secret  
javax.net.ssl.keyStoreType=jks
```

Start Active Directory synchronization using the `idsadsrun` command. The solution will connect to Active Directory over SSL.
### Appendix H. Additional information on password policy

#### Password policy operational attributes

The following operational attributes are provided by the password policy feature:

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<th>Syntax</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td>pwdChangedTime</td>
<td>GeneralizedTime</td>
<td>Contains the time the password was last changed or the password policy start time whichever is the most recent. A server records pwdChangedTime only if the password policy is enabled and the values of the pwdMinAge or pwdMaxAge attribute is greater than zero.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pwdAccountLockedTime</td>
<td>GeneralizedTime</td>
<td>Contains the time at which the account was locked. If the account is not locked, this attribute is not present.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pwdExpirationWarned</td>
<td>GeneralizedTime</td>
<td>Contains the time at which the password expiration warning was first sent to the client.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pwdFailureTime</td>
<td>GeneralizedTime</td>
<td>A multi-valued attribute containing the times of previous consecutive login failures. If the last login was successful, this attribute is not present.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pwdGraceUseTime</td>
<td>GeneralizedTime</td>
<td>A multi-valued attribute containing the times of the previous grace logins.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pwdHistory</td>
<td>Directory String</td>
<td>Stores the history of previously used passwords. The password portion of this attribute is stored using the same encryption method as the userPassword is stored in. The passwords stored in this attribute are compared to the new userPassword that the user has entered.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>pwdReset</td>
<td>Boolean</td>
<td>Contains the value TRUE if the password has been reset and must be changed by the user. The value is FALSE or not present otherwise.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ibm-pwdAccountLocked</td>
<td>Boolean</td>
<td>Indicates that the account has been administratively locked.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
### Interoperability support for password policy response control

In order to return RFC compliant password policy response control for interoperability, user must set the environment variable, `USE_OPENLDAP_PWDPOLICY_CONTROL`, to YES. To do this issue the idsldapmodify command of the following format:

```
idsldapmodify -p port -D adminDN -w adminPW
  dn: cn=Front End, cn=configuration
  changetype: modify
  add: ibm-slapdSetEnv
  ibm-slapdSetEnv: USE_OPENLDAP_PWDPOLICY_CONTROL=YES
```

After setting the environment variable, restart the server to effect the changes made.

### Password policy queries

The password policy operational attributes can be used to view the status of a directory entry or to query for entries matching specified criteria. Operational attributes are returned on a search request only when specifically requested by the client. To use these attributes in search operations, you must have permission to critical attributes, or permission to the specific attributes used.

To view all password policy attributes for a given entry:

```
ldapsearch -s base -D adminDN -w adminPW -b "uid=user1,cn=users,o=sample"
  "objectclass=*" +ibmpwpolicy
```

The `pwdChangedTime` attribute value can be used to determine password expiration time. The expiration time is calculated based on the password policy start time and the creation timestamp of user entry. If one of the dependent values do not exist, the `pwdChangedTime` attribute might not exist. Therefore, the `pwdChangedTime` attribute in a search filter might not return all the user entries for which the passwords are about to expire. To determine if a user password is about to expire, run the following command:

```
idsldapsearch -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -b base -s sub \
  "(&(!(pwdChangedTime=*))(userPassword=*))" pwdChangedTime
```

**Note:** If a server contains many entries, the search might take considerable time. You must plan when to run the search.

To find all user entries for which passwords are about to expire, run the following command:

```
idsldapsearch -p port -D adminDN -w adminPWD -b base -s sub \
  "(&(pwdChangedTime=*))(userPassword=*))" pwdChangedTime
```

To query for locked accounts, use the `pwdAccountLockedTime`:

```
idsldapsearch -b "cn=users,o=sample" -s sub "(pwdAccountLockedTime=* )" dn
```
To query for accounts for which the password must be changed because the password was reset, use the pwdReset attribute:

```
idsldapsearch -b "cn=users,o=sample" -s sub *(pwdReset=TRUE)"
```

### Overriding password policy and unlocking accounts

A directory administrator can override normal password policy behavior for specific entries by modifying the password policy operational attributes and using the server administration control (-k option of the LDAP command line utilities).

You must avoid modifying the userPassword attribute and password policy related operational attributes in the same ldap modify operation. If any password policy related operational attributes are present in the ldap modify operation, the server does the following operations:

- Runs post-modify actions related only to the operational attributes
- Skips any post-modify actions related to the modification of userPassword

The post operation actions related to userPassword includes clearing the pwdExpirationTime and pwdAccountLockedTime value, which might get skipped in such a case.

You can prevent the password for a particular account from expiring by setting the pwdChangedTime attribute to a date far in the future when setting the userPassword attribute. The following example sets the time to midnight, January 1, 2200.

```
idsldapmodify -D cn=root -w ? -k
-dn: uid=wasadmin,cn=users,o=sample
-changetype: modify
-replace: pwdChangedTime
-pwdfinal: 22000101000000Z
```

You can unlock an account which has been locked due to excessive login failures by removing the pwdAccountLockedTime and pwdFailureTime attributes:

```
idsldapmodify -D cn=root -w ? -k
-dn: uid=user1,cn=users,o=sample
-changetype: modify
-delete: pwdAccountLockedTime
-delete: pwdFailureTime
```

You can unlock an expired account by changing the pwdChangedTime and clearing the pwdExpirationWarning and pwdGraceUseTime attributes:

```
idsldapmodify -D cn=root -w ? -k
-dn: uid=user1,cn=users,o=sample
-changetype: modify
-replace: pwdChangedTime
-pwdChangedTime: yyyymmddhhss.Z
-delete: pwdExpirationWarning
-delete: pwdGraceUseTime
```

You can clear and then reset the "password must be changed" status by deleting and adding the pwdReset attribute:

```
idsldapmodify -D cn=root -w ? -k
-dn: uid=user1,cn=users,o=sample
-changetype: modify
-delete: pwdReset
```

```
```
idsldapmodify -D cn=root -w ? -k

```bash
dn: uid=user2, cn=users, o=sample
changetype: modify
replace: pwdReset
pwdReset: TRUE
```

An account can be administratively locked by setting the ibm-pwdAccountLocked operational attribute to TRUE. The account can be unlocked by setting the attribute to FALSE. Unlocking an account in this way does not affect the state of the account with respect to being locked due to excessive password failures or an expired password.

The user setting this attribute must have permission to write the ibm-pwdAccountLocked attribute, which is defined as being in the CRITICAL access class.

```bash
idsldapmodify -D uid=useradmin, cn=users, o=sample -w ?
dn: uid=user1, cn=users, o=sample
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-pwdAccountLocked
ibm-pwdAccountLocked: TRUE
```

To unlock the account:

```bash
idsldapmodify -D uid=useradmin, cn=users, o=sample -w ?
dn: uid=user1, cn=users, o=sample
changetype: modify
replace: ibm-pwdAccountLocked
ibm-pwdAccountLocked: FALSE
```

If the account is locked because the attribute ibm-pwdAccountLocked is set to TRUE and if the administrator clears this attribute (sets it to FALSE) and uses the administrative control (-k option), then the account is completely unlocked. The pwdAccountLockedTime and pwdFailureTime attributes are also cleared and reset.

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**Replicating multiple password policy attributes**

For replication of multiple password policy attributes, the server's participating in replication must have the OID, LDAP_MULTIPLE_PASSWORD_POLICIES_OID, for the ibm-supportedcapabilities and ibm-enabledcapabilities attributes. The OID number for this capability is 1.3.18.0.2.32.77. If this OID is present in a server's root DSE, it indicates that the server can support multiple password policies as well as more granular password policy error messages.

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**Replicating password policy operational attributes**

In a replication environment, certain password policy attributes must be replicated to the server's within the replication topology to have consistency in implementing password policy. For this, the global password policy entry “cn=pwdpolicy, cn=ibmpolicies” must be replicated to all the consumers of the cn=ibmpolicies subtree. To ensure that all servers have same password policy entries, the password policy entries must be defined under the cn=ibmpolicies entry and should be replicated to consumers.

The user-related elements of the password policy are stored in the operational attributes of entries. These attributes are subject to modifications even on a read-only replica, so replicating these attributes must be carefully considered.
pwdChangedTime

The pwdChangedTime attribute must be replicated on all replicas, to enable expiration of the password.

pwdReset

The pwdReset attribute must be replicated on all replicas, to deny access to operations other than bind and modify password.

pwdHistory

The pwdHistory attribute must be replicated to writable replicas. This attribute does not need to be replicated to a read-only replica, as the password is never directly modified on this server.

pwdAccountLockedTime, pwdExpirationWarned, pwdFailureTime, pwdGraceUseTime

The pwdAccountLockedTime, pwdExpirationWarned, pwdFailureTime and pwdGraceUseTime attributes must be replicated to writable replicas, making the password policy global for all servers. When the user entry is replicated to a read-only replica, these attributes must not be replicated. This means that the number of failures, the number of grace logins, and the locking take place on each replicated server. If the effective password failure count set for a user is $M$ (value of the pwdMaxFailure attribute), a user on a master-replica topology can use $N \times M$ attempts. $N$ is the number of servers and $M$ is the value of the pwdMaxFailure attribute. Out of the $N$ number of servers, for write replicas the count is considered as 1. If the password policy operational attributes of a user entry is updated on a peer server, these updates are replicated to all the write replicas. The remaining $N-1$ servers are the count of read-only replicas. Each read-only replica stores updates to password policy operational attributes of a user entry in its own database. Replicating these attributes to a read-only replica can reduce the number of tries globally but can also introduce some inconstancies in the way the password policy is applied.

There are times when the values of pwdAccountLockedTime, pwdExpirationWarned, pwdFailureTime and pwdGraceUseTime are replicated. If the user's password is reset, thereby clearing some of these attributes, this action is replicated to the read-only replicas. Also, if an administrator on the master server uses the administrative control to overwrite the values of these attributes on the master server, this forced write of the operational attributes is also replicated to read-write and read-only replicas.

ibm-pwdAccountLocked

When the ibm-pwdAccountLocked attribute is set or cleared on the master server, this attribute is also replicated to the replicas. When this attribute is cleared while using the administrative control on the operation, the pwdAccountLockedTime attribute is also cleared so that the account is totally unlocked when this attribute is set to FALSE. However, before replicating the ibm-pwdAccountLocked attribute on to the consumer server, the LDAP_PASSWORD_POLICY_ACCOUNT_LOCKED_OID must be present for supported capabilities on the server. If LDAP_PASSWORD_POLICY_ACCOUNT_LOCKED_OID is not present on the consumer server replication must remove the attribute ibm-pwdAccountLocked before it sends any updates to servers.
Forcing an add or update for an entry

When an administrative user updates or adds an entry, specifying a password policy operational attribute as one of the attributes to be changed or in the case of a new entry, the administrative user specifies a value for one or more of the operational attributes, then the administrative user is performing a forced add/update for the entry.

A forced add/update of an entry means that the normal password policy processing is not performed for that entry. Only those password policy operational attributes specified on the operation are changed as indicated.

Normally the forced add/update is indicated by using the administrative control on the operation while specifying a password policy attribute.

When updating the ibm-pwdAccountLocked attribute, the administrative control does not need to be sent.

When the administrator is performing a forced add/update to an entry, the administrator has the intention to set all of the password policy attributes as the entry requires.

Do not force an add unless all of the normal password policy operational attributes have been given an appropriate value, such as pwdReset and pwdChangedTime. If pwdChangedTime is not given a value on a forced add, then this attribute is not set until the user first attempts to bind to the server, or until another forced update creates a time for this attribute.

If any of the password policy attributes need to be specifically set on an add operation, the new entry should be created first and a separate modify operation should be used to set any other password policy attribute.

If the userpassword attribute is being modified on the modify operation, then any password policy attributes that are to be force updated must be updated separate from the userpassword modification operation. This ensures that all of the proper password policy changes that occur on an add or modify operation are performed.
Appendix I. Required attribute definitions for IBM Security Directory Server

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.285
  NAME 'aclEntry'
  DESC 'Holds the access controls for entries in an IBM eNetwork LDAP directory'
  EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
  USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.285
  DBNAME( 'aclEntry' 'aclEntry' )
  ACCESS-CLASS restricted
  LENGTH 32700 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.286
  NAME 'aclPropagate'
  DESC 'Indicates whether the ACL applies on entry or subtree.'
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.17
  USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.286
  DBNAME( 'aclPropagate' 'aclPropagate' )
  ACCESS-CLASS restricted
  LENGTH 5 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.287
  NAME 'aclSource'
  DESC 'Indicates whether the ACL applies on entry or subtree.'
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.12
  USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.287
  DBNAME( 'aclSource' 'aclSource' )
  ACCESS-CLASS system
  LENGTH 1000 )

attributetypes=( 2.5.4.1
  NAME ( 'aliasedObjectName' 'aliasedentryname' )
  DESC 'Represents the pointed to entry that is specified within an alias entry.'
  EQUALITY 2.5.13.1
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.12
  SINGLE-VALUE
  USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 2.5.4.1
  DBNAME( 'aliasedObject' 'aliasedObject' )
  ACCESS-CLASS normal
  LENGTH 1000
  EQUALITY )

attributetypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.101.120.6
  NAME 'altServer'
  DESC 'The values of this attribute are URLs of other servers which may be contacted when this server becomes unavailable.'
  EQUALITY 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.109.114.1
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.26
  USAGE dSAOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.101.120.6
  DBNAME( 'altServer' 'altServer' )
  ACCESS-CLASS normal
  LENGTH 2048 )

attributetypes=( 2.5.21.5
  NAME 'attributeTypes'
  DESC 'This attribute is typically located in the subschema entry

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and is used to store all attributes known to the server and
objectClasses.'

EQUALITY 2.5.13.30
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.3
USAGE directoryOperation )

IBMAttributetypes=( 2.5.21.6
DBNAME( 'attributeTypes' 'attributeTypes' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 30
EQUALITY )

attributetypes=( 2.5.4.15
NAME 'businessCategory'
DESC 'This attribute describes the kind of business performed by an
organization.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SUBSTR 2.5.13.4
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
USAGE userApplications )
IBMAttributetypes=( 2.5.4.15
DBNAME( 'businessCategory' 'businessCategory' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 128
EQUALITY
SUBSTR)

attributetypes=( 2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.5
NAME 'changeNumber'
DESC 'Contains the change number of the entry as assigned by the
supplier server.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.14
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE userApplications )
IBMAttributetypes=( 2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.5
DBNAME( 'changeNumber' 'changeNumber' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 11
EQUALITY APPROX )

attributetypes=( 2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.8
NAME 'changes'
DESC 'Defines changes made to a directory server. These changes are
in LDIF format.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.5
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE userApplications )
IBMAttributetypes=( 2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.8
DBNAME( 'changes' 'changes' )
ACCESS-CLASS sensitive )

attributetypes=( 2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.77
NAME 'changeType'
DESC 'Time last changed.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.24
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE userApplications )
IBMAttributetypes=( 2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.77
DBNAME( 'changeTime' 'changeTime' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 30 )

attributetypes=( 2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.17
NAME 'changeType'
DESC 'Describes the type of change performed on an entry. Accepted values include: add, delete, modify, modrdn.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE userApplications )
IBMAttributetypes=( 2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.7
DBNAME( 'changeType' 'changeType' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 250
EQUALITY )

attributetypes=( 2.5.4.3
NAME ( 'cn' 'commonName' )
DESC 'This is the X.500 commonName attribute, which contains a name of an object. If the object corresponds to a person, it is typically the persons full name.'
SUP 2.5.4.41
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
ORDERING 2.5.13.3
SUBSTR 2.5.13.4
USAGE userApplications )
IBMAttributetypes=( 2.5.4.3
DBNAME( 'cn' 'cn' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 256
EQUALITY
ORDERING
SUBSTR
APPROX )

attributetypes=( 2.5.18.1
NAME 'createTimestamp'
DESC 'Contains the time that the directory entry was created.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.24
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 2.5.18.1
DBNAME( 'ldap_entry' 'create_Timestamp' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 26 )

attributetypes=( 2.5.18.3
NAME 'creatorsName'
DESC 'Contains the creator of a directory entry.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.1
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.12
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 2.5.18.3
DBNAME( 'ldap_entry' 'creator' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 1000
EQUALITY )

attributetypes=( 2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.10
NAME 'deleteOldRdn'
DESC 'a flag which indicates if the old RDN should be retained as an attribute of the entry'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE userApplications )
IBMAttributetypes=( 2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.10

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attributetypes=( 2.5.4.13
NAME 'description'
DESC 'Attribute common to CIM and LDAP schema to provide lengthy description of a directory object entry.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SUBSTR 2.5.13.4
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
USAGE userApplications )
IBMAttributetypes=( 2.5.4.13
DBNAME( 'description' 'description' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 1024
EQUALITY
SUBSTR )

attributetypes=( 2.5.21.2
NAME 'ditContentRules'
DESC 'Refer to RFC 2252.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.29
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.16
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 2.5.21.2
DBNAME( 'ditContentRules' 'ditContentRules' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 256
EQUALITY )

attributetypes=( 2.5.4.49
NAME ( 'dn' 'distinguishedName' )
DESC 'This attribute type is not used as the name of the object itself, but it is instead a base type from which attributes with DN syntax inherit. It is unlikely that values of this type itself will occur in an entry.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.1
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.12
USAGE userApplications )
IBMAttributetypes=( 2.5.4.49
DBNAME( 'dn' 'dn' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 1000
EQUALITY )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.288
NAME 'entryOwner'
DESC 'Indicates the distinguished name noted as the owner of the entry'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
USAGE directoryOperation )
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IBMAttributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.288
DBNAME( 'entryOwner' 'entryOwner' )
ACCESS-CLASS restricted
LENGTH 1000 )

attributetypes=( 2.5.18.9
NAME 'hasSubordinates'
DESC 'Indicates whether any subordinate entries exist below the entry holding this attribute.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributeTypes=( 2.5.18.9
DBNAME( 'hasSubordinates' 'hasSubordinates' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 5 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2244
NAME 'ibm-allGroups'
DESC 'All groups to which an entry belongs. An entry may be a member directly via member, uniqueMember or memberURL attributes, or indirectly via ibm-memberGroup attributes. Read-only operational attribute (not allowed in filter).'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.12
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2244
DBNAME( 'allGroups' 'allGroups' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 1000 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2243
NAME 'ibm-allMembers'
DESC 'All members of a group. An entry may be a member directly via member, uniqueMember or memberURL attributes, or indirectly via ibm-memberGroup attributes. Read-only operational attribute (not allowed in filter).'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.12
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2243
DBNAME( 'ibmallMembers' 'ibmallMembers' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 1000 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1077
NAME 'ibm-audit'
DESC 'TRUE or FALSE. Enable or disable the audit service. Default is FALSE.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1077
DBNAME( 'audit' 'audit' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 16 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1073
NAME 'ibm-auditAdd'
DESC 'TRUE or FALSE. Indicate whether to log the Add operation. Default is FALSE.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1073
DBNAME( 'auditAdd' 'auditAdd' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 16 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1070
NAME 'ibm-auditBind'
DESC 'TRUE or FALSE. Indicate whether to log the Bind operation.
Default is FALSE.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1070
DBNAME( 'auditBind' 'auditBind' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 16 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1071
NAME 'ibm-auditDelete'
DESC 'TRUE or FALSE. Indicate whether to log the Delete operation.
Default is FALSE.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1071
DBNAME( 'auditDelete' 'auditDelete' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 16 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1069
NAME 'ibm-auditExtOpEvent'
DESC 'TRUE or FALSE. Indicate whether to log LDAP v3 Event
Notification extended operations. Default is FALSE.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1069
DBNAME( 'auditExtOpEvent' 'auditExtOpEvent' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 16 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1078
NAME 'ibm-auditFailedOpOnly'
DESC 'TRUE or FALSE. Indicate whether to only log failed operations.
Default is FALSE.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1078
DBNAME( 'auditFailedOpOnly' 'auditFailedOpOnly' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 16 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1079
NAME 'ibm-auditLog'
DESC 'Specifies the pathname for the audit log.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5 SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1079
DBNAME( 'auditLog' 'auditLog' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 1024 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1072
NAME 'ibm-auditModify'
DESC 'TRUE or FALSE. Indicate whether to log the Modify operation.
Default is FALSE.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7...
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SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1072
DBNAME( 'auditModify' 'auditModify' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 16 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1075
NAME 'ibm-auditModifyDN'
DESC 'TRUE or FALSE. Indicate whether to log the ModifyRDN
operation. Default is FALSE.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1075
DBNAME( 'auditModifyDN' 'auditModifyDN' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 16 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1074
NAME 'ibm-auditSearch'
DESC 'TRUE or FALSE. Indicate whether to log the Search operation.
Default is FALSE.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1074
DBNAME( 'auditSearch' 'auditSearch' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 16 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1076
NAME 'ibm-auditUnbind'
DESC 'TRUE or FALSE. Indicate whether to log the Unbind operation.
Default is FALSE.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1076
DBNAME( 'auditUnbind' 'auditUnbind' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 16 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2483
NAME 'ibm-capabilitiessubentry'
DESC 'Names the ibm-capabilitiessubentry object listing the
capabilities of the naming context containing this object.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.1
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.12 SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE dSAOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2483
DBNAME( 'ibmcapsubentry' 'ibmcapsubentry' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 1000 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2444
NAME 'ibm-effectiveAcl'
DESC 'An operational attribute that contains the accumulated filter
based effective access for entries in an IBM LDAP directory.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15 NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2444
DBNAME( 'effectiveAcl' 'effectiveAcl' )
ACCESS-CLASS restricted
LENGTH 32700 )
attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2331
NAME 'ibm-effectiveReplicationModel'
DESC 'Advertises in the Root DSE the OID of the replication model in use by the server'
EQUALITY 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.109.114.1
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.26
SINGLE-VALUE NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2331
DBNAME( 'effectiveReplicat' 'effectiveReplicat' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 240 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2482
NAME 'ibm-enabledCapabilities'
DESC 'Lists capabilities that are enabled for use on this server.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE dSAOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2482
DBNAME( 'ibmenabledcap' 'ibmenabledcap' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 100 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2325
NAME 'ibm-entryChecksum'
DESC 'A checksum of the user attributes for the entry containing this attribute.'
EQUALITY 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.109.114.1
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.26
SINGLE-VALUE NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2325
DBNAME( 'entryChecksum' 'entryChecksum' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 100 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2326
NAME 'ibm-entryChecksumOp'
DESC 'A checksum of the replicated operational attributes for the entry containing this attribute.'
EQUALITY 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.109.114.1
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.26
SINGLE-VALUE NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2326
DBNAME( 'entryChecksumOp' 'entryChecksumOp' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 100 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1780
NAME 'ibm-entryUuid'
DESC 'Uniquely identifies a directory entry throughout its life.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.1780
DBNAME( 'ibmEntryUuid' 'ibmEntryUuid' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 36
EQUALITY )
attributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2443
NAME 'ibm-filterAclEntry'
DESC 'Contains filter based access controls for entries in an IBM
LDAP directory.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2443
DBNAME( 'filterAclEntry' 'filterAclEntry' )
ACCESS-CLASS restricted
LENGTH 32700 )

attributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2445
NAME 'ibm-filterAclInherit'
DESC 'Indicates whether filter based ACLs should accumulate up the
ancestor tree.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.17
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2445
DBNAME( 'filterAclInherit' 'filterAclInherit' )
ACCESS-CLASS restricted
LENGTH 5 )

attributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3238
NAME 'ibm-pwdPolicyStartTime'
DESC 'Specifies the time Password Policy was last turned on.'
ORDERING 2.5.13.28
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.24
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3238
DBNAME( 'pwdPolicyStartTime' 'pwdPolicyStartTime' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 30 )

attributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2330
NAME 'ibm-replicationChangeLDIF'
DESC 'Provides LDIF representation of the last failing operation'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.5
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2330
DBNAME( 'replicationChange' 'replicationChange' )
ACCESS-CLASS system )

attributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2498
NAME 'ibm-replicationIsQuiesced'
DESC 'Indicates whether the replicated subtree containing this
attribute is quiesced on this server.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE dSAOperation )
IBMAttributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2498
DBNAME( 'replicationIsQuiesced' 'replicationIsQuiesced' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 5 )

attributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2338
NAME 'ibm-replicationLastActivationTime'
DESC 'Indicates the last time the replication thread was activated'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.24
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2334
NAME 'ibm-replicationLastChangeId'
DESC 'Indicates last change ID successfully replicated for a
replication agreement'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation)
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2334
DBNAME( 'replicationLastCh' 'replicationLastCh' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 11 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2335
NAME 'ibm-replicationLastFinishTime'
DESC 'Indicates the last time the replication thread completed
sending all of the pending entries.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.24
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2335
DBNAME( 'replicationLastFi' 'replicationLastFi' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 30 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2448
NAME 'ibm-replicationLastGlobalChangeId'
DESC 'Indicates the ID of the last global (applies to the entire
DIT, such as schema) change successfully replicated.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27 SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2448
DBNAME( 'replicationLastGl' 'replicationLastGl' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 11 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2340
NAME 'ibm-replicationLastResult'
DESC 'Result of last attempted replication in the form:
<time><change id><resultcode><entry-dn>'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2340
DBNAME( 'replicationLastRe' 'replicationLastRe' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 2048 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2332
NAME 'ibm-replicationLastResultAdditional'
DESC 'Provides any additional error information returned by the
consuming server in the message component of the LDAP result'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2332
DBNAME( 'replicationLastAd' 'replicationLastAd' )
ACCESS-CLASS system

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LENGTH 1024

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2339
NAME 'ibm-replicationNextTime'
DESC 'Indicates next scheduled time for replication'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.24
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2339
DBNAME('replicationNextTi' 'replicationNextTi')
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 30 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2333
NAME 'ibm-replicationPendingChangeCount'
DESC 'Indicates the total number of pending unreplicated changes for this replication agreement'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2333
DBNAME('replicationPendin' 'replicationPendin')
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 12 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2337
NAME 'ibm-replicationPendingChanges'
DESC 'Unreplicated change in the form <change id><operation> <dn>
where operation is ADD, DELETE, MODIFY, MODIFYDN'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2337
DBNAME('replicationPendch' 'replicationPendch')
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 1100 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2336
NAME 'ibm-replicationState'
DESC 'Indicates the state of the replication thread: active, ready, waiting, suspended, or full; if full, the value will indicate the amount of progress'
EQUALITY 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.109.114.1
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.26
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2336
DBNAME('replicationState' 'replicationState')
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 240 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2495
NAME 'ibm-replicationThisServerIsMaster'
DESC 'Indicates whether the server returning this attribute is a master server for the subtree containing this entry.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE dsUpdateOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2495
DBNAME('repThisSvrMaster' 'repThisSvrMaster')
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 5 )

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attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2328
NAME 'ibm-serverId'
DESC 'Advertises in the Root DSE the ibm-slapdServerId configuration setting'
EQUALITY 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.109.114.1
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.26
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE dSAOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2328
DBNAME( 'serverId' 'serverId' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 240 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2374
NAME 'ibm-slapdACLCache'
DESC 'Controls whether or not the server caches ACL information'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2374
DBNAME( 'ACLCache' 'ACLCache' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 5 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2373
NAME 'ibm-slapdACLCacheSize'
DESC 'Maximum number of entries to keep in the ACL Cache'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.14
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27 S
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2373
DBNAME( 'slapdACLCacheSize' 'slapdACLCacheSize' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 11 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2428
NAME 'ibm-slapdAdminDN'
DESC 'Bind DN for ibmslapd administrator, e.g.: cn=root'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.1
ORDERING 1.3.18.0.2.4.405
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.12
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2428
DBNAME( 'slapdAdminDN' 'slapdAdminDN' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 1000
EQUALITY ORDERING )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2425
NAME 'ibm-slapdAdminPW'
DESC 'Bind password for ibmslapd administrator.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.5
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2425
DBNAME( 'slapdAdminPW' 'slapdAdminPW' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2366
NAME 'ibm-slapdAuthIntegration'
DESC 'Specifies integration of LDAP administrator access with local OS users. Legal values are: 0 - do not map local OS users to LDAP'
administrator, 1 - map local OS users with proper authority to LDAP administrator. This is supported only on i5/OS.
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2366
DBNAME( 'slapdAuthIntegrat' 'slapdAuthIntegrat' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 11 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2432
NAME 'ibm-slapdCLIErrors'
DESC 'File path or device on ibmslapd host machine to which DB2 CLI error messages will be written. On Windows, forward slashes are allowed, and a leading slash not preceded by a drive letter is assumed to be rooted at the install directory (i.e.: /tmp/cli.errors = D:\Program Files\IBM\ldap\tmp\cli.errors).
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2432
DBNAME( 'slapdCLIErrors' 'slapdCLIErrors' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 1024 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3147
NAME 'ibm-slapdCachedAttributeAutoAdjust'
DESC 'Specifies if autonomic attribute caching is to be enabled.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.17
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.3147
DBNAME('slapdCachAttrAA' 'slapdCachAttrAA' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 5)

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3149
NAME 'ibm-slapdCachedAttributeAutoAdjustTime'
DESC 'Time to start autonomic attribute cache processing. Values are in the form of Thhmmss where hh is hours, mm is minutes and ss is seconds, using a 24 hour clock.'
EQUALITY 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.109.114.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.26
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.3149
DBNAME('slapdCachAttrAAT' 'slapdCachAttrAAT' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 7)

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3148
NAME 'ibm-slapdCachedAttributeAutoAdjustTimeInterval'
DESC 'Specifies the time interval, in hours, for autonomic attribute cache processing.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.14
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.3148
DBNAME('slapdCachAttrAAI' 'slapdCachAttrAAI' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 11)

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3116
NAME 'ibm-slapdCryptoSync'
DESC 'A key stash file consistency marker string.'

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It is queried by the server at startup as part of
a verification process to ensure that the key stash
files match any data that has been two-way encrypted.

EQUALITY 2.5.13.17
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.5
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation

IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3116
DBNAME( 'CryptoSync' 'CryptoSync' )
ACCESS-CLASS system )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2369
NAME 'ibm-slapdDB2CP'
DESC 'Specifies the Code Page of the directory database. 1208 is
the code page for UTF-8 databases.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation

IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2369
DBNAME( 'slapdDB2CP' 'slapdDB2CP' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 11 )

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type=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2431
NAME 'ibm-slapdDBAlias'
DESC 'The DB2 database alias.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation

IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2431
DBNAME( 'slapdDBAlias' 'slapdDBAlias' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 8 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2417
NAME 'ibm-slapdDbConnections'
DESC 'The number of DB2 connections the server will dedicate to the DB2
backend. The value must be 5 or greater. Additional connections may
be created for replication and change log.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation

IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2417
DBNAME( 'DbConnections' 'DbConnections' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 2 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2382
NAME 'ibm-slapdDbLocation'
DESC 'The file system path where the backend database is located. On
UNIX or Linux this is usually the home directory of the DB2INSTANCE owner
(e.g.: /home/ldapdb2). On windows its just a drive specifier (e.g.: D:)'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2382
DBNAME( 'slapdDbLocation' 'slapdDbLocation' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 1024 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2426
NAME 'ibm-slapdDbName'
DESC 'The DB2 database name for this backend.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2426
DBNAME( 'slapdDbName' 'slapdDbName' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 8 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2422
NAME 'ibm-slapdDbUserID'
DESC 'The user name with which to connect to the DB2 database for this backend.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2422
DBNAME( 'slapdDbUserID' 'slapdDbUserID' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 8 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2423
NAME 'ibm-slapdDbUserPW'
DESC 'The userpassword with which to connect to the DB2 database for this backend.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.5
SINGLE-VALUE USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2423
DBNAME( 'slapdDbUserPW' 'slapdDbUserPW' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 6 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2449
NAME 'ibm-slapdDerefAliases'
DESC 'Maximum alias dereferencing level on search requests, regardless of any derefAliases that may have been specified on the client requests. Allowed values are "never", "find", "search" and "always".'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3054
DBNAME( 'DerefAliases' 'DerefAliases' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 6 )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 1000

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3287 NAME 'ibm-slapdGroupMembersCacheBypassLimit'
DESC 'Maximum number of members that can be in a group in order for the group and its members to be cached in the group members cache.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAtributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3287
DBNAME('slapdGMCacheByp' 'slapdGMCacheByp')
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 11)

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3297
NAME 'ibm-slapdGroupMembersCacheSize' DESC 'Maximum number of group entries whose members should be cached.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAtributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3297
DBNAME('slapdGMCacheSiz' 'slapdGMCacheSiz')
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 11)

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3399
NAME 'ibm-slapdProxyMaxPendingOpsPerClient' DESC 'The maximum number of operations that could be pending for a single backend server from a single client connection. If not specified, defaults to 5'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.14
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAtributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3399
DBNAME('ProxyMaxPendOps' 'ProxyMaxPendOps')
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 11)

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2481
NAME 'ibm-supportedCapabilities'
DESC 'Lists capabilities supported, but necessarily enabled, by this server.'
QUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE dSAOperation )
IBMAtributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2481
DBNAME('ibmsupportedCap' 'ibmsupportedCap')
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 100)

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2421
NAME 'ibm-slapdEnableEventNotification'
DESC 'If set to FALSE, the server will reject all extended operation requests to register for event notification with the extended result LDAP_UNWILLING_TO_PERFORM.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAtributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2421
DBNAME('enableEvntNotify' 'enableEvntNotify')
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 5)

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.xxxx
NAME 'ibm-slapdEnablePersistentSearch'

DESC 'If set to FALSE, the server will ignore non-critical persistent search control sent with a search request and will return LDAP_UNWILLING_TO_PERFORM for critical persistent search control sent with a search request'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.xxxx
DBNAME( 'enablePersistentSearch' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 5 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2372
NAME 'ibm-slapdEntryCacheSize'
DESC 'Maximum number of entries to keep in the entry cache'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.14
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2372
DBNAME( 'slapdRDBMCacheSize' 'slapdRDBMCacheSize' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 11 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2424
NAME 'ibm-slapdErrorLog'
DESC 'File path or device on the ibmslapd host machine to which error messages will be written. On Windows, forward slashes are allowed, and a leading slash not preceded by a drive letter is assumed to be rooted at the install directory (i.e.: /tmp/slapd.errors = D:\Program Files\IBM\ldap\tmp\slapd.errors).'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2424
DBNAME( 'slapdErrorLog' 'slapdErrorLog' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 1024 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2371
NAME 'ibm-slapdFilterCacheBypassLimit'
DESC 'Search filters that match more than this number of entries will not be added to the Search Filter cache. Because the list of entry ids that matched the filter are included in this cache, this setting helps to limit memory use. A value of 0 indicates no limit.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.14
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2371
DBNAME( 'slapdRDBMCacheByp' 'slapdRDBMCacheByp' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 11 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2370
NAME 'ibm-slapdFilterCacheSize'
DESC 'Specifies the maximum number of entries to keep in the Search Filter Cache.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.14
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2370
DBNAME( 'slapdFilterCacheS' 'slapdFilterCacheS' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 11 )
attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2378
NAME 'ibm-slapdIdleTimeOut'
DESC 'Reserved for future use.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2378
DBNAME('SlapdIdleTimeOut' 'SlapdIdleTimeOut' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 11)

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2364
NAME 'ibm-slapdIncludeSchema'
DESC 'File path on the ibmslapd host machine containing schema
definitions used by the LDCF backend. Standard values are:
/etc/V3.system.at /etc/V3.system.oc
/etc/V3.ibm.at /etc/V3.ibm.oc /etc/V3.user.at /etc/V3.user.oc
/etc/V3.ldapsyntaxes /etc/V3.matchingrules /etc/V3.modifiedschema
On Windows, forward slashes are allowed, and a leading slash not
preceded by a drive letter is assumed to be rooted at the install
directory (i.e.: /etc/V3.system.at =
D:\Program Files\IBM\Ildap\etc\V3.system.at).'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2364
DBNAME( 'slapdIncludeSchema' 'slapdIncludeSchema' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 1024 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2365
NAME 'ibm-slapdIpAddress'
DESC 'Specifies IP addresses the server will listen on. These can
be IPv4 or IPv6 addresses. If the attribute is not specified, the
server uses all IP addresses assigned to the host machine. This is
supported on i5/OS only.'
EQUALITY 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.109.114.1
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.26
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2365
DBNAME( 'slapdIpAddress' 'slapdIpAddress' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 32 )

attributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2420
NAME 'ibm-slapdKrbAdminDN'
DESC 'Specifies the kerberos ID of the LDAP administrator (e.g.
ibm-kn=name@realm). Used when kerberos authentication is used to
authenticate the administrator when logged onto the Web Admin
interface. This is specified instead of adminDN and adminPW.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2420
DBNAME( 'slapdKrbAdminDN' 'slapdKrbAdminDN' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 512 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2394
NAME 'ibm-slapdKrbEnable'
DESC 'Must be one of { TRUE | FALSE }. Specifies whether the
server supports kerberos authentication.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2394
DBNAME( 'slapdKrbEnable' 'slapdKrbEnable' )
access-class critical
length 5

attributetypes(1.3.18.0.2.4.2419
name 'ibm-slapdKrbIdentityMap'
desc 'If set to TRUE, when a client is authenticated with a kerberos ID, the server will search for a local user with matching kerberos credentials, and add that user DN to the connections bind credentials. This allows ACLs based on LDAP user DNs to still be usable with kerberos authentication.'
syntax 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
single-value
usage directoryOperation)
IBMAttributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2419
dbname('KrbIdentityMap' 'KrbIdentityMap'
access-class critical
length 5)

attributetypes(1.3.18.0.2.4.2416
name 'ibm-slapdKrbKeyTab'
desc 'Specifies the LDAP servers keytab file. This file contains theLDAP servers private key, as associated with its kerberos account. This file should be protected (like the servers SSL key database file).
On Windows, forward slashes are allowed, and a leading slash not preceded by a drive letter (D:) is assumed to be rooted at the install directory (i.e.: /tmp/slapd.errors = D:\Program Files\IBM\ldap\tmp\slapd.errors).'
equality 2.5.13.5
syntax 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
single-value
usage directoryOperation)
IBMAttributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2416
dbname('slapdKrbKeyTab' 'slapdKrbKeyTab'
access-class critical
length 1024)

attributetypes(1.3.18.0.2.4.2400
name 'ibm-slapdKrbRealm'
desc 'Specifies the LDAP servers kerberos realm. Used to publish the ldapservicename attribute in the root DSE. Note that an LDAP server can serve as the repository of account information for multiple KDCs (and realms), but the LDAP server, as a kerberos server, can only be a member of a single realm.'
equality 2.5.13.2
syntax 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
single-value
usage directoryOperation)
IBMAttributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2400
dbname('slapdKrbRealm' 'slapdKrbRealm'
access-class critical
length 256)

attributetypes(1.3.18.0.2.4.2415
name 'ibm-slapdLdapCrlHost'
desc 'Specify the hostname of the LDAP server that contains the Certificate Revocation Lists (CRLs) for validating client x.509v3 certificates. This parameter is needed when ibm-slapdSslAuth=serverclientauth AND the client certificates have been issued for CRL validation'
equality 2.5.13.2
syntax 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
single-value
usage directoryOperation)
IBMAttributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2415
dbname('LdapCrlHost' 'LdapCrlHost'
access-class critical
length 256)
ATTRIBUTETYPES=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2407 NAME 'ibm-slapdLdapCrlPassword' 
DESC 'Specify the password that server-side SSL will use to bind to 
the LDAP server that contains the Certificate Revocation Lists 
(CRLs) for validating client x.509v3 certificates. This parameter 
may be needed when ibm-slapdSslAuth=serverclientauth AND the client 
certificates have been issued for CRL validation. Note: If the 
LDAP server holding the CRLs permits unauthenticated 
access to the CRLs (i.e. anonymous access), then 
ibm-slapdLdapCrlPassword is not required.' 
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.5 
SINGLE-VALUE 
USAGE directoryOperation ) 
IBMATTRIBUTETYPES=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2407 
DBNAME( 'CrlPassword' 'CrlPassword' ) 
ACCESS-CLASS critical ) 

ATTRIBUTETYPES=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2404 
NAME 'ibm-slapdLdapCrlPort' 
DESC 'Specify the LDAP ibm-slapdPort used by the LDAP server that 
contains the Certificate Revocation Lists (CRLs) for validating 
certificate x.509v3 certificates. This parameter is needed when 
ibm-slapdSslAuth=serverclientauth AND the client certificates have 
been issued for CRL validation. (IP ports are unsigned, 16-bit 
integers in the range 1 - 65535)' 
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27 
SINGLE-VALUE 
USAGE directoryOperation ) 
IBMATTRIBUTETYPES=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2404 
DBNAME( 'LdapCrlPort' 'LdapCrlPort' ) 
ACCESS-CLASS critical 
LENGTH 11 )

ATTRIBUTETYPES=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2403 
NAME 'ibm-slapdLdapCrlUser' 
DESC 'Specify the bindDN that server-side SSL will use to bind to 
the LDAP server that contains the Certificate Revocation Lists 
(CRLs) for validating client x.509v3 certificates. This parameter 
may be needed when ibm-slapdSslAuth=serverclientauth AND the client 
certificates have been issued for CRL validation. 
Note: If the LDAP server holding the CRLs permits unauthenticated access to the CRLs (i.e. anonymous access), then ibm-slapdLdapCrlUser is not required.' 
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.12 
SINGLE-VALUE 
USAGE directoryOperation ) 
IBMATTRIBUTETYPES=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2403 
DBNAME( 'LdapCrlUser' 'LdapCrlUser' ) 
ACCESS-CLASS critical 
LENGTH 1000)

ATTRIBUTETYPES=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2409 
NAME 'ibm-slapdMasterDN' 
DESC 'Bind DN used by a replication supplier server. The value has to 
match the replicaBindDN in the credentials object associated with the replication agreement defined between the servers. 
When kerberos is used to authenticate to the replica, ibm-slapdMasterDN must specify the DN representation of the 
tokened ID (e.g. ibm-kn=freddy@realm1). When kerberos is used, 
MasterServerPW is ignored.' 
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.12 
SINGLE-VALUE 
USAGE directoryOperation ) 
IBMATTRIBUTETYPES=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2409 
DBNAME( 'MasterDN' 'MasterDN' ) 
ACCESS-CLASS critical 
LENGTH 1000)
DBNAME('MasterDN' 'MasterDN')
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 1000

attributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2411
NAME 'ibm-slapdMasterPW'
DESC 'Bind password used by a replication supplier. The value has to
match the replicaBindPW in the credentials object associated with
the replication agreement defined between the servers. When kerberos
is used, MasterServerPW is ignored.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.5
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation)
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2411
DBNAME( 'MasterPW' 'MasterPW' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2401
NAME 'ibm-slapdMasterReferral'
DESC 'URL of a master replica server (e.g.: ldaps://master.us.ibm.com:636)'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE USAGE directoryOperation)
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2401
DBNAME( 'MasterReferral' 'MasterReferral'
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 256

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2412
NAME 'ibm-slapdMaxEventsPerConnection'
DESC 'Maximum number of event notifications which can be registered
per connection. Minimum = 0 (unlimited) Maximum = 2,147,483,647'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2412
DBNAME( 'EventsPerCon' 'EventsPerCon' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 11

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2405
NAME 'ibm-slapdMaxEventsTotal'
DESC 'Maximum total number of event notifications which can be
registered for all connections. Minimum = 0 (unlimited) Maximum =
2,147,483,647'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2405
DBNAME( 'MaxEventsTotal' 'MaxEventsTotal' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 11

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2439
NAME 'ibm-slapdMaxNumOfTransactions'
DESC 'Maximum number of transactions active at one time, 0 = unlimited.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.29
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2439
DBNAME( 'MaxNumOfTrans' 'MaxNumOfTrans' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 11
EQUALITY ORDERING SUBSTR APPROX )
attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2385
NAME 'ibm-slapdMaxOpPerTransaction'
DESC 'Maximum number of operations per transaction. Minimum = 1 Maximum = 500'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.29
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2385
DBNAME( 'MaxOpPerTrans' 'MaxOpPerTrans' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 11
EQUALITY ORDERING APPROX )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2386
NAME 'ibm-slapdMaxTimeLimitOfTransactions'
DESC 'The maximum timeout value of a pending transaction in seconds. 0 = unlimited'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.29
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27 SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2386
DBNAME('MaxTimeOfTrans' 'MaxTimeOfTrans' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 11
EQUALITY ORDERING APPROX )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2500
NAME 'ibm-slapdMigrationInfo'
DESC 'Information used to control migration of a component.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2500
DBNAME( 'slapdMigrationInf' 'slapdMigrationInf' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 2048 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2376
NAME 'ibm-slapdPagedResAllowNonAdmin'
DESC 'Whether or not the server should allow non-Administrator bind for paged results requests on a search request. If the value read from the ibmslapd.conf file is TRUE, the server will process any client request, including those submitted by a user binding anonymously. If the value read from the ibmslapd.conf file is FALSE, the server will process only those client requests submitted by a user with Administrator authority. If a client requests paged results with a criticality of TRUE or FALSE for a search operation, does not have Administrator authority, and the value read from the ibmslapd.conf file for this attribute is FALSE, the server will return to the client with return code insufficientAccessRights - no searching or paging will be performed.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.17
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2376
DBNAME( 'SlapdPagedNonAdmn' 'SlapdPagedNonAdmn' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 5 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2380
NAME 'ibm-slapdPagedResLmt'
DESC 'Maximum number of outstanding paged results search requests allowed active simultaneously. Range = 0.... If a client requests a paged results operation, and a maximum number of outstanding paged results are currently active, the server will return to the client with return code of busy - no searching or paging will be
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IBMAttributetypes=(
  1.3.18.0.2.4.2380
  DBNAME('SlapdPagedResLmt' 'SlapdPagedResLmt')
  USAGE directoryOperation
  LENGTH 11 )
attributetypes=(
  1.3.18.0.2.4.2406
  NAME 'ibm-slapdPlugin'
  DESC 'A plugin is a dynamically loaded library which extends the capabilities of the server. An ibm-slapdPlugin attribute specifies to the server how to load and initialize a plugin library. The syntax is: keyword filename init_function [args...]. The syntax will be slightly different for each platform due to library naming conventions.'
  EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
  USAGE directoryOperation
  IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2406
  DBNAME('slapdPlugin' 'slapdPlugin')
  ACCESS-CLASS critical
  LENGTH 2000 )
attributetypes=(
  1.3.18.0.2.4.2408
  NAME 'ibm-slapdPort'
  DESC 'TCP/IP ibm-slapdPort used for non-SSL connections. Can not have the same value as ibm-slapdSecurePort. (IP ports are unsigned, 16-bit integers in the range 1 - 65535)'
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
  SINGLE-VALUE
  USAGE directoryOperation
  IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2408
  DBNAME('slapdPort' 'slapdPort')
  ACCESS-CLASS critical
  LENGTH 5 )
attributetypes=(
  1.3.18.0.2.4.2402
  NAME 'ibm-slapdPwEncryption'
  DESC 'Must be one of { none | AES128 | AES192 | AES256 | crypt | sha | ssha | md5 | sha224 | sha256 | sha384 | sha512 }. Specify the encoding mechanism for the user passwords before they are stored in the directory. Defaults to none if unspecified. If the value is set other than none, SASL digest-md5 bind will fail.'
  EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
  SINGLE-VALUE
  USAGE directoryOperation
  IBMAttributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2402
  DBNAME('PwEncryption' 'PwEncryption')
  ACCESS-CLASS critical
  LENGTH 6 )
attributetypes=(
  1.3.18.0.2.4.2413
  NAME 'ibm-slapdReadOnly'
  DESC 'Must be one of { TRUE | FALSE }. Specifies whether the backend can be written to. Defaults to FALSE if unspecified. If setto TRUE, the server will return LDAP_UNWILLING_TO_PERFORM (0x35) in response to any client request which would change data in the readOnly database.'
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
  SINGLE-VALUE
  USAGE directoryOperation
  IBMAttributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2413
  DBNAME('ReadOnly' 'ReadOnly')
  ACCESS-CLASS critical
  LENGTH 5 )
attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2487
NAME 'ibm-slapdReferral'
DESC 'Specify the referral LDAP URL to pass back when the local suffixes do not match the request. Used for superior referral (i.e. ibm-slapdSuffix is not within the servers naming context).'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2487
DBNAME('Referral' 'Referral')
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 32700)

attributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3641
NAME 'ibm-slapdReplicateSecurityAttributes'
DESC 'Attribute to enable replication of security attributes between master and read-only replica so that password policy for account lockout can be strongly enforced in replication topologies'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
attributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2437
NAME 'ibm-slapdSchemaAdditions'
DESC 'File path on the ibmslapd host machine containing additional schema definitions used by the LDCF backend. Standard values are: /etc/V3.modifiedschema On Windows, forward slashes are allowed, and a leading slash not preceded by a drive letter is assumed to be rooted at the install directory (i.e.: /etc/V3.system.at=
D:\Program Files\IBM\ldap\etc\V3.system.at).
' 
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
USAGE directoryOperation)
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2437
DBNAME( 'slapdSchemaAdditions' 'slapdSchemaAdditions')
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 1024)

attributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2363
NAME 'ibm-slapdSchemaCheck'
DESC 'Must be one of { V2 | V3 | V3_lenient}. Specifies schema checking mechanism for add/modify operation. V2 = perform LDAP v2 checking. V3 = perform LDAP v3 checking. V3_lenient = not ALL parent object classes are required. Only the immediate object class is needed when adding entries.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2363
DBNAME( 'SchemaCheck' 'SchemaCheck')
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 10)

attributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2398
NAME 'ibm-slapdSecurePort'
DESC 'TCP/IP port used for SSL connections. Can not have the same value as ibm-slapdPort. (IP ports are unsigned, 16-bit integers in the range 1 - 65535)'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2398
DBNAME( 'SecurePort' 'SecurePort')
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 5)
attributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3637
NAME 'ibm-slapdSecurityProtocol' 'slapdSecurityProt'
DESC 'Attribute used to set the protocol for secure communication. The supported protocols are SSLV3, TLS10, TLS11 and TLS12.'
EQUALITY 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.109.114.1
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.26
USAGE directoryOperation )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2399
NAME 'ibm-slapdSecurity'
DESC 'Must be one of { none | SSL | SSLOnly }. Specifies types of connections accepted by the server. none - server listens on non-ssl port only. ssl - server listens on both ssl and non-ssl ports. ssloonly - server listens on ssl port only.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2399
DBNAME( 'Security' 'Security' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 7)

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2397
NAME 'ibm-slapdSetenv'
DESC 'Server executes putenv() for all values of ibm-slapdSetenv at startup to modify its own runtime environment. Shell variables (%PATH% or \24LANG) will not be expanded. The only current use for this attribute is to set DB2CODEPAGE=1208, which is required if using UCS-2 (Unicode) databases.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
USAGE directoryOperation)
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2397
DBNAME( 'slapdSetenv' 'slapdSetenv')
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 2000)

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2396
NAME 'ibm-slapdSizeLimit'
DESC 'Maximum number of entries to return from search, regardless of any sizelimit that may have been specified on the client search request. Range = 0.... If a client has passed a limit, then the smaller value of the client value and the value read from ibmslapd.conf will be used. If a client has not passed a limit and has bound as admin DN, then the limit will be considered unlimited. If the client has not passed a limit and has not bound as admin DN, then the limit will be that which was read from ibmslapd.conf file. 0 = unlimited.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2396
DBNAME( 'SizeLimit' 'SizeLimit' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 11)

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2381
NAME 'ibm-slapdSortKeyLimit'
DESC 'Maximum number of sort conditions (keys) that can be specified on a single search request. Range = 0.... If a client has passed a search request with more sort keys than the limit allows, and the sorted search control criticality is FALSE, then the server will honor the value read from ibmslapd.conf and ignore any sort keys encountered after the limit has been reached - searching and sorting will be performed. If a client has passed a search request with more keys than the limit allows, and the sorted search control
criticality is TRUE, then the server will return to the client with return code of adminLimitExceeded - no searching or sorting will be performed.'

```plaintext
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2381
DBNAME( 'SlapdSortKeyLimit' 'SlapdSortKeyLimit' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 1)
```

```plaintext
attributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2377
NAME 'ibm-slapdSortSrchAllowNonAdmin'
DESC 'Whether or not the server should allow non-Administrator bind for sort on a search request. If the value read from the ibmslapd.conf file is TRUE, the server will process any client request, including those submitted by a user binding anonymously. If the value read from the ibmslapd.conf file is FALSE, the server will process only those client requests submitted by a user with Administrator authority. If a client requests sort with a criticality of TRUE for a search operation, does not have Administrator authority, and the value read from the ibmslapd.conf file for this attribute is FALSE, the server will return to the client with return code insufficientAccessRights - no searching or sorting will be performed.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation)
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2377
BNAME( 'SlapdSortNonAdmin' 'SlapdSortNonAdmin')
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 5 )
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```plaintext
attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2395
NAME 'ibm-slapdSslAuth'
DESC 'Must be one of { serverauth | serverclientauth}. Specify authentication type for ssl connection. serverauth - supports server authentication at the client. serverclientauth - supports both server and client authentication.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation)
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2395
DBNAME( 'slapdSslAuth' 'slapdSslAuth')
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 16)
```

```plaintext
attributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2429
NAME 'ibm-slapdSsslCertificate'
DESC 'Specify the label that identifies the servers Personal Certificate in the key database file. This label is specified when the servers private key and certificate are created with the ikgui application. If ibm-slapdSsslCertificate is not defined, the default private key, as defined in the key database file, is used by the LDAP server for SSL connections.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2389
DBNAME( 'SslCertificate' 'SslCertificate' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 128 )
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```plaintext
attributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2429
NAME 'ibm-slapdSsslCipherSpec'
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ESC 'SSL Cipher Spec Value must be set to DES-56, RC2-40-MD5, RC4-128-MD5, RC4-128-SHA, RC4-40-MD5, TripleDES-168, or AES. It identifies the allowable encryption/decryption methods for establishing a SSL connection between LDAP clients and the server.'

EQUALITY 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.109.114.1
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.26
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2429
DBNAME( 'slapdSslCipherSpec' 'slapdSslCipherSpe' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 30)

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2362
NAME 'ibm-slapdSslCipherSpecs'
DESC 'This attribute is deprecated in favor of ibm-slapdSslCipherSpec. Specifies a decimal number which identifies the allowable encryption/decryption methods for establishing a SSL connection between LDAP client(s) and the server. This number represents the availability of the encryption/decryption methods supported by the LDAP server. The pre-defined Cipher values and their descriptions are: SLAPD_SSL_TRIPLE_DES_SHA_US 0x0A Triple DES encryption with a 168-bit key and a SHA-1 MAC LAPD_SSL_DES_SHA_US 0x09DES encryption with a 56-bit key and a SHA-1 MAC SLAPD_SSL_RC4_SHA_US 0x05 RC4 encryption with a 128-bit key and a SHA-1 MAC SLAPD_SSL_RC4_MD5_US 0x04 RC4 encryption with a 128-bit key and a MD5 MAC SLAPD_SSL_RC4_MD5_EXPORT 0x03 RC4 encryption with a 40-bit key and a MD5 MAC SLAPD_SSL_RC2_MD5_EXPORT 0x06 RC2 encryption with a 40-bit key and a MD5 MAC'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2362
DBNAME( 'SslCipherSpecs' 'SslCipherSpecs' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 11 )

attributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3640
NAME 'ibm-slapdSSLExtSigalg'
DESC 'Attribute used to configure a server with the TLS 1.2 signature and hash algorithm restrictions.'
EQUALITY 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.109.114.1
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.26
USAGE directoryOperation )
attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2375
NAME 'ibm-slapdSSLKeyDatabase'
DESC 'File path to the LDAP servers SSL key database file. This key database file is used for handling SSL connections from LDAP clients, as well as for creating secure SSL connections to replica LDAP servers. On Windows, forward slashes are allowed, and a leading slash not proceeded by a drive specifier (D:) is assumed to be rooted at the install directory (i.e.: /etc/key.kdb = D:\Program Files\IBM\ldap\etc\key.kdb).' 
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2375
DBNAME( 'slapdSSLKeyDataba' 'slapdSSLKeyDataba' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 1024)

attributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2438
NAME 'ibm-slapdSSLKeyDatabasePW'
DESC 'Specify the password associated with the LDAP servers SSL key database file, as specified on the ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabase parameter. If the LDAP servers key database file has an associated password stash file, then the ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabasePW parameter can be ommitted, or set to ibm-slapdSslKeyDatabasePW = none.'
Note:
The password stash file must be located in the same
directory as the key database file and it must have the same file
name as the key database file, but with an extension of .sth,
instead of .kdb.
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.5
SINGLE-VALUE USAGE directoryOperation
IBMAtributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2438
DBNAME('slapdSslKeyRingFile' 'slapdSslKeyDPW')
ACCESS-CLASS normal )

attributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2392
NAME 'ibm-slapdSslKeyRingFile'
DESC 'file path to the LDAP servers SSL key database file. This key
database file is used for handling SSL connections from LDAP
clients, as well as for creating secure SSL connections to replica
LDAP servers. On Windows, forward slashes are allowed, and a
leading slash not preceeded by a drive specifier (D:) is assumed to
be rooted at the install directory (i.e.: /etc/key.kdb =
D:\Program Files\IBM\ldap\etc\key.kdb).'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation
IBMAtributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2392
DBNAME('SslKeyRingFile' 'SslKeyRingFile')
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 1024 )

attributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2390
NAME 'ibm-slapdSslKeyRingFilePW'
DESC 'Specify the password associated with the LDAP servers SSL key
database file, as specified on the ibm-slapdSslKeyRingFile
parameter. If the LDAP servers key database file has an associated
password stash file, then the ibm-slapdSslKeyRingFilePW parameter
can be omitted, or set to ibm-slapdSslKeyRingFilePW = none.
Note:
The password stash file must be located in the same
directory as the key database file and it must have the same file
name as the key database file, but with an extension of .sth,
instead of .kdb.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.5
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation
IBMAtributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2390
DBNAME('SslKeyRingFilePW' 'SslKeyRingFilePW')
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 1000 )

attributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.3639
NAME 'ibm-slapdSuiteBMode'
DESC 'Attribute used to set the restrictive subset of
the NIST SP 800-131A specification.
The supported Suite B modes are 128 and 192'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE USAGE directoryOperation
attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2480
NAME 'ibm-slapdSupportedWebAdmVersion'
DESC 'This attribute defines the earliest version of the web administration console that supports configuration of this server.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
ORDERING 2.5.13.3
SUBSTR 2.5.13.4
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2480
DBNAME( 'slapdSupWebAdmVer' 'slapdSupWebAdmVer')
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 256 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2393
NAME 'ibm-slapdSysLogLevel'
DESC 'Must be one of { l | m | h }. Level at which debugging and operation statistics are logged in ibmslapd.log file. h - high (verbose), m - medium, l - low (terse).'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation
IBMAttributetypes=(1.3.18.0.2.4.2393
DBNAME( 'SysLogLevel' 'SysLogLevel' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 1 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3412
NAME 'ibm-slapdTombstoneEnabled'
DESC 'Enable or Disable tombstones to record deleted entries. The default value is FALSE'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3412
DBNAME( 'slapdTSEnabled' 'slapdTSEnabled' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 5 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3413
NAME 'ibm-slapdTombstoneLifetime'
DESC 'Specifies the time in hours that tombstones may live. When the time limit is reached the tombstones will be deleted from the database.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.14
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3413
DBNAME( 'slapdTSLifetime' 'slapdTSLifetime' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 11 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2391
NAME 'ibm-slapdTimeLimit'
DESC 'Maximum number of number of seconds to spend on search request, regardless of any timelimit that may have been specified on the client request. Range = 0.... If a client has passed a limit, then the smaller value of the client value and the value read from ibmslapd.conf will be used. If a client has not passed a limit and has bound as admin DN, then the limit will be considered unlimited. If the client has not passed a limit and has not bound as admin DN, then the limit will be that which was read from ibmslapd.conf file. 0 = unlimited.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation)
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2391
DBNAME( 'TimeLimit' 'TimeLimit'
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 11 )

attributetypes=( ibm-slapdStartupTraceEnabled-oid
NAME 'ibm-slapdStartupTraceEnabled'
DESC 'Must be one of { TRUE | FALSE }. Specifies whether trace information is to be
collected at server startup'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( ibm-slapdStartupTraceEnabled-oid
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 5 )

attributetypes=( ibm-slapdTraceMessageLevel-oid
NAME 'ibm-slapdTraceMessageLevel'
DESC 'any value that would be acceptable after the command line -h option, sets
Debug message level'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( ibm-slapdTraceMessageLevel-oid
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 16 )

attributetypes=( ibm-slapdTraceMessageLog-oid
NAME 'ibm-slapdTraceMessageLog'
DESC 'File path or device on ibmslapd host machine to which
LDAP C API and Debug macro messages will be written.
On Windows, forward slashes are allowed, and a leading
slash not preceded by a drive letter is assumed to be rooted at
the install directory
(i.e., '/tmp/tracemsg.log = C:\Program Files\IBM\ldap\tmp\tracemsg.log).'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( ibm-slapdTraceMessageLog-oid
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 1024 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2384
NAME 'ibm-slapdTransactionEnable'
DESC 'If FALSE, globally disables transaction support; the server
will reject all StartTransaction requests with the response
LDAP_UNWILLING_TO_PERFORM.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.17
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2384
DBNAME('TransactionEnable' 'TransactionEnable'
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 5 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3638 NAME 'ibm-slapdUniqueAttrForBindWithValue'
DESC 'Configuration attribute used for enabling binds using value of a unique attribute.
For example, mail, employeeNumber etc.' EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE USAGE directoryOperation )
attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.3646 NAME 'ibm-slapdBindWithUniqueAttrsEnabled'
DESC 'Configuration attribute used for enabling binds using combination of a unique attribute and
value. For example, mail=xyz@ibm.com, employeeNumber=123456 etc.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.17 {5}
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2499
NAME 'ibm-slapdUseProcessIdPW'
DESC 'If set to true the server will use the user login ID associated with the ibmslapd process to connect to the database. If set to false the server will use the ibm-slapdDbUserID and ibm-slapdDbUserPW values to connect to the database.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2499
DBNAME('useprocidpw' 'useprocidpw')
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 5 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2436
NAME 'ibm-slapdVersion'
DESC 'IBM Slapd version Number'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2436
DBNAME('slapdVersion' 'slapdVersion')
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 1024 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2327
NAME 'ibm-supportedReplicationModels'
DESC 'Advertises in the Root DSE the OIDs of replication models supported by the server'
EQUALITY 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.109.114.1
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.26
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE dSAOperation
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.2327
DBNAME('supportedReplicationModels' 'supportedReplicationModels')
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 240 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.101.120.16
NAME 'ldapSyntaxes'
DESC 'Servers MAY use this attribute to list the syntaxes which are implemented. Each value corresponds to one syntax.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.30
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.54
USAGE directoryOperation
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.101.120.16
DBNAME('ldapSyntaxes' 'ldapSyntaxes')
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 256 EQUALITY )

attributetypes=( 2.5.21.4
NAME 'matchingRules'
DESC 'This attribute is typically located in the subschema entry.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.30
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.30
attributeTypes=( 2.5.21.8
NAME 'matchingRuleUse'
DESC 'This attribute is typically located in the subschema entry.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.30
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.31
USAGE directoryOperation )

attributeTypes=( 2.5.21.8
DBNAME( 'matchingRules' 'matchingRules' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 256
EQUALITY )

attributeTypes=( 2.5.4.31
NAME 'member'
DESC 'Identifies the distinguished names for each member of the group.'
SUP 2.5.4.49
EQUALITY 2.5.13.1
USAGE userApplications )

attributeTypes=( 2.5.18.4
NAME 'modifiersName'
DESC 'Contains the last modifier of a directory entry.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.1 SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.12
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )

attributeTypes=( 2.5.18.2
NAME 'modifyTimestamp'
DESC 'Contains the time of the last modification of the directory entry.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.24
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )

attributeTypes=( 2.5.4.41
NAME 'name'
DESC 'The name attribute type is the attribute supertype from which string attribute types typically used for naming may be formed. It is unlikely that values of this type itself will occur in an entry.'
EQUALITY 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.109.114.2
SUBSTR 2.5.13.4
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
USAGE userApplications )

attributeTypes=( 2.5.4.41
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<table>
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<tr>
<th>Attribute Type</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Syntax</th>
<th>Usage</th>
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</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><code>nameForms</code></td>
<td>This attribute is typically located in the subschema entry.</td>
<td>2.5.21.7</td>
<td>directoryOperation</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><code>namingContexts</code></td>
<td>The values of this attribute correspond to naming contexts which this server masters or shadows.</td>
<td>1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.12</td>
<td>dSAOperation</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><code>newSuperior</code></td>
<td>Specifies the name of the entry that will become the immediate superior of the existing entry, when processing a modDN operation.</td>
<td>2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.1.453.16.2.103</td>
<td>userApplications</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><code>numSubordinates</code></td>
<td>Counts the number of children of this entry.</td>
<td>1.3.1.1.4.1.453.16.2.103</td>
<td>directoryOperation</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><code>organizationName</code></td>
<td>This attribute contains the name of an organization (organizationName).</td>
<td>2.5.4.10</td>
<td>userApplications</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
The values of the objectClass attribute describe the kind of object which an entry represents.

attribute types:

- **objectClass**
  - **NAME**: 'objectClass'
  - **DESC**: 'The values of the objectClass attribute describe the kind of object which an entry represents.'
  - **EQUALITY**: 2.5.13.0
  - **SYNTAX**: 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.38
  - **USAGE**: userApplications
  - **ACCESS-CLASS**: normal
  - **LENGTH**: 128

- **objectClasses**
  - **NAME**: 'objectClasses'
  - **DESC**: 'This attribute is typically located in the subschema entry.'
  - **EQUALITY**: 2.5.13.30
  - **SYNTAX**: 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.37
  - **USAGE**: directoryOperation
  - **ACCESS-CLASS**: system
  - **LENGTH**: 256

- **ownerPropagate**
  - **NAME**: 'ownerPropagate'
  - **DESC**: 'Indicates whether the entryOwner applies on entry or subtree.'
  - **SYNTAX**: 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.7
  - **USAGE**: directoryOperation
  - **ACCESS-CLASS**: restricted
  - **LENGTH**: 5

- **organizationalUnitName**
  - **NAME**: 'organizationalUnitName'
  - **DESC**: 'This attribute contains the name of an organization (organizationName).'
  - **SUP**: 2.5.4.41
  - **SUBSTR**: 2.5.13.4
  - **USAGE**: userApplications
  - **ACCESS-CLASS**: normal
  - **LENGTH**: 128

- **owner**
  - **NAME**: 'owner'
  - **DESC**: 'Identifies the distinguished name (DN) of the person responsible for the entry.'
  - **SUP**: 2.5.4.49
  - **EQUALITY**: 2.5.13.1
  - **USAGE**: userApplications
  - **ACCESS-CLASS**: normal
  - **LENGTH**: 1000

- **ownerSource**
  - **NAME**: 'ownerSource'
  - **DESC**: 'Indicates the distinguished name of the entry whose entryOwner value is being applied to the entry.'
  - **SYNTAX**: 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.12
IBMAttributeTypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.290
  DBNAME( 'ownerSource' 'ownerSource' )
  ACCESS-CLASS system
  LENGTH 1000 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.1.17
  NAME 'pwdAccountLockedTime'
  DESC 'Specifies the time that the users account was locked'
  EQUALITY 2.5.13.27
  ORDERING 2.5.13.28
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.24
  SINGLE-VALUE
  USAGE directoryOperation )

IBMAttributeTypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.1.17
  DBNAME( 'pwdAccLockTime' 'pwdAccLockTime' )
  ACCESS-CLASS critical
  LENGTH 30 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.1.16
  NAME 'pwdChangedTime'
  DESC 'Specifies the last time the entries password was changed'
  EQUALITY 2.5.13.27
  ORDERING 2.5.13.28
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.24
  SINGLE-VALUE
  USAGE directoryOperation )

IBMAttributeTypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.1.16
  DBNAME( 'pwdChangedTime' 'pwdChangedTime' )
  ACCESS-CLASS critical
  LENGTH 30 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.1.18
  NAME 'pwdExpirationWarned'
  DESC 'The time the user was first warned about the coming expiration
  of the password'
  EQUALITY 2.5.13.27
  ORDERING 2.5.13.28
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.24
  SINGLE-VALUE
  USAGE directoryOperation )

IBMAttributeTypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.1.18
  DBNAME( 'pwdExpireWarned' 'pwdExpireWarned' )
  ACCESS-CLASS critical
  LENGTH 30 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.1.21
  NAME 'pwdGraceUseTime'
  DESC 'The timestamps of the grace login once the password has
  expired'
  EQUALITY 2.5.13.27
  ORDERING 2.5.13.28
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.24
  USAGE directoryOperation )
DBNAME( 'pwdGraceUseTime' 'pwdGraceUseTime' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 30)

attributetypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.1.20
NAME 'pwdHistory'
DESC 'The history of users passwords'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
USAGE directoryOperation )
DBNAME( 'pwdHistory' 'pwdHistory' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 1024 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.42.2.27.8.1.22
NAME 'pwdReset'
DESC 'Indicates that the password has been reset.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.17
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
DBNAME( 'pwdReset' 'pwdReset' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 5 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.299
NAME 'replicaBindDN'
DESC 'Distinguished name to use on LDAP bind to the remote replica'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.12
USAGE directoryOperation )
DBNAME( 'replicaBindDN' 'replicaBindDN' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical
LENGTH 1000 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.302
NAME 'replicaBindMethod'
DESC 'LDAP bind type to use on LDAP bind to replica.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
USAGE directoryOperation )
DBNAME( 'replicaBindMethod' 'replicaBindMethod' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 100 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.300
NAME ( 'replicaCredentials' 'replicaBindCredentials' )
DESC 'Credentials to use on LDAP bind to the remote replica'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
DBNAME( 'replicaCred' 'replicaCred' )
ACCESS-CLASS critical )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.298
NAME 'replicaHost'
DESC 'Hostname of the remote replica'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
DBNAME( 'replicaHost' 'replicaHost' )
ATTRIBUTETYPES=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.301
NAME 'replicaPort'
DESC 'TCP/IP port that the replica server is listening on.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMATTRIBUTETYPES=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.301
DBNAME( 'replicaPort' 'replicaPort' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 10 )

ATTRIBUTETYPES=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.304
NAME 'replicaUpdateTimeInterval'
DESC 'Specifies the time between replica update transmissions from master to slave replica.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMATTRIBUTETYPES=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.304
DBNAME( 'replicaUpdateInt' 'replicaUpdateInt' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 20 )

ATTRIBUTETYPES=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.303
NAME 'replicaUseSSL'
DESC 'Signifies whether replication flows should be protected using SSL communications.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMATTRIBUTETYPES=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.303
DBNAME( 'replicaUseSSL' 'replicaUseSSL' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 10 )

ATTRIBUTETYPES=( 2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.34
NAME 'ref'
DESC 'standard Attribute'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.5
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.26
USAGE userApplications )
IBMATTRIBUTETYPES=( 2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.34
DBNAME( 'ref' 'ref' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 100 )

ATTRIBUTETYPES=( 2.5.18.10
NAME 'subschemaSubentry'
DESC 'The value of this attribute is the name of a subschema entry
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in which the server makes available attributes specifying the
schema.'

EQUALITY 2.5.13.1
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.12 SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 2.5.18.10
DBNAME('subschemaSubent' 'subschemaSubent' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 1000
EQUALITY )

attributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.819
NAME 'subtreeSpecification'
DESC 'Identifies a collection of entries that are located at the
vertices of a single subtree.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE directoryOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.18.0.2.4.819
DBNAME('subtreeSpec' 'subtreeSpec' )
ACCESS-CLASS system
LENGTH 2042 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.101.120.7
NAME 'supportedExtension'
DESC 'The values of this attribute are OBJECT IDENTIFIERS
identifying the supported extended operations which the server
supports.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.38
USAGE dSAOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.101.120.7
DBNAME('supportedExtensio' 'supportedExtensio' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 256 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.101.120.15
NAME 'supportedLDAPVersion'
DESC 'The values of this attribute are the versions of the LDAP
protocol which the server implements.'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.27
USAGE dSAOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.101.120.15
DBNAME('supportedLDAPVers' 'supportedLDAPVers' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 11 )

attributetypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.101.120.14
NAME 'supportedSASLMechanisms'
DESC 'The values of this attribute are the names of supported SASL
mechanisms which the server supports.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.2
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
USAGE dSAOperation )
IBMAttributetypes=( 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.101.120.14
DBNAME('supportedSASLMech' 'supportedSASLMech' )
ACCESS-CLASS normal LENGTH 2048 )

attributetypes=( 2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.6
NAME 'targetDN'
DESC 'Defines the distinguished name of an entry that was added,
modified, or deleted on a supplier server. In the case of a modrdn
operation, the targetDn contains the distinguished name of the
entry before it was modified.'
EQUALITY 2.5.13.1
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.12

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SINGLE-VALUE
NO-USER-MODIFICATION
USAGE userApplications )
IBMAttributetypes=( 2.16.840.1.113730.3.1.6
DBNAME('targetDN' 'targetDN')
ACCESS-CLASS normal
LENGTH 1000
EQUALITY APPROX)
Appendix J. Synchronizing two-way cryptography between server instances

If you want to use replication, use a distributed directory, or import and export LDIF data between server instances, you must cryptographically synchronize the server instances to obtain the best performance.

If you already have a server instance, and you have another server instance that you want to cryptographically synchronize with the first server instance, use the following procedure before you do any of the following:

- Start the second server instance
- Run the `idsbulkload` command from the second server instance
- Run the `idsldif2db` command from the second server instance

To cryptographically synchronize two server instances, assuming that you have already created the first server instance:

1. Create the second server instance, but do not start the server instance. Run the `idsbulkload` command, or run the `idsldif2db` command on the second server instance.

2. Use the `idsgendirksf` utility on the second server instance to recreate the `ibmslapddir.ksf` file (the key stash file) from the first server instance. This file is used to replace the second server instance's original `ibmslapddir.ksf` file. See the `idsgendirksf` command information in the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference* for more information about the `idsgendirksf` utility. The file is in the `idsslapd-instance_name\etc` directory on Windows systems, or in the `idsslapd-instance_name/etc` directory on AIX, Linux, and Solaris systems. *(instance_name is the name of the server instance).*

3. Start the second server instance, run the `idsbulkload` command, or run the `idsldif2db` command on the second server instance.

The server instances are now cryptographically synchronized, and AES-encrypted data will load correctly.

Although the procedure discusses two server instances, you might need a group of server instances that are cryptographically synchronized.

**Note:** When importing LDIF data, if the LDIF import file is not cryptographically synchronized with the server instance that is importing the LDIF data, any AES-encrypted entries in the LDIF import file will not be imported.

If you are creating a new directory server instance and you want it to be cryptographically synchronized with other directory server instances, use the following procedure:

1. On the original server, obtain the encryption salt value by performing the following search:
   ```bash
   ldapsearch -D adminDN -w adminPw -b "cn=crypto,cn=localhost" objectclass=ibm-slapdCryptoSalt
   ```
   A value similar to the following is returned:
   ```plaintext
   ibm-slapdCryptoSalt=d?TRm$'ucc5m
   ```
3. Find the encryption seed value that was supplied when creating the original server.

4. Create the new server using one of the following:
   - Use the **Instance Administration Tool** and provide the encryption seed value from the original server in the **Encryption seed string** field and the encryption salt value from the original server in the **Encryption salt string** field.
   - Use the **idsicrt** command, and specify the `-e encryptionseed` and `-g encryptsalt` options.
Appendix K. Filtered ACLs and non-filtered ACLs – sample LDIF file

To have a complete understanding of the ACL models, an administrator can best learn through hands on trial. Create sample data with sample ACLs for your directory and check the effective ACLs of each of the entries to ensure that the ACL scheme is correct for the desired access.

Included is a sample LDIF file that contains combinations of filtered ACLs and non-filtered ACLs. This sample LDIF file can be loaded onto a directory server.

In this sample LDIF file, there is one suffix entry, two user entries and 17 additional entries spread over 5 levels of the directory tree. Each entry has a two-digit designation. The first digit identifies the level where the entry is in the directory tree. The entries are also numbered on each level, incrementally, from left to right. This numbering format is reflected in the second digit.

Figure 21. Filtered ACLs and non-filtered ACLs

LDIF File:

version: 1
dn: o=sample
objectclass: organization
objectclass: top
o: sample
dn: cn=User1, o=sample
cn: User1
sn: User
objectclass: person
objectclass: top
userPassword: User1
dn: o=Level11, o=sample
o: Level11
objectclass: organization
objectclass: top
ibm-filterAclEntry: access-id:CN=USER1,o=sample:(o=Level32):normal:rwsc:
sensitive:rsc:critical:rsc
dn: o=Level21, o=Level11, o=sample
o: Level21
objectclass: organization
objectclass: top
ibm-filterAclInherit: FALSE
dn: o=Level31, o=Level21, o=Level11, o=sample
o: Level31
objectclass: organization
objectclass: top
ibm-filterAclEntry: access-id:CN=USER1,o=sample:(o=Level42):normal:rwsc:
sensitive:rsc:critical:rsc
ibm-filterAclEntry: access-id:CN=USER1,o=sample:(o=Level43):normal:rwsc:
sensitive:rsc:critical:rsc
ibm-filterAclEntry: access-id:CN=USER2,o=sample:(o=Level44):normal:rwsc:
sensitive:rsc:critical:rsc
ibm-filterAclInherit: FALSE
dn: o=Level41, o=Level31, o=Level21, o=Level11, o=sample
o: Level41
objectclass: organization
objectclass: top
dn: o=Level42, o=Level32, o=Level21, o=Level11, o=sample
o: Level42
objectclass: organization
objectclass: top
ibm-filterAclEntry: access-id:CN=USER1,o=sample:(o=Level42):normal:rwsc:
sensitive:rsc:critical:rsc
ibm-filterAclEntry: access-id:CN=USER1,o=sample:(o=Level43):normal:rwsc:
sensitive:rsc:critical:rwsc
ibm-filterAclEntry: access-id:CN=USER1,o=sample:(o=Level44):normal:rwsc:
sensitive:rsc:critical:rsc
ibm-filterAclInherit: FALSE
dn: cn=User2, o=sample
cn: User2
sn: User
objectclass: person
The following is a sample search output with comments about how the ACL was calculated for that entry:

Appendix K. Filtered ACLs and non-filtered ACLs – sample LDIF file
The effective ACL for this entry is the default ACL because the following are true:

- There is no explicit non-filtered ACL defined on this entry.
- There are no propagating non-filtered ACLs defined higher in the directory tree.
- None of the defined filtered ACLs apply to this entry.

The effective ACL for this entry is the default ACL because the following are true:

- There is no explicit non-filtered ACL defined on this entry.
- There are no propagating non-filtered ACLs defined higher in the directory tree.
- None of the defined filtered ACLs apply to this entry.

This entry has a filtered ACL defined in it that does not apply to the entry. The filtered ACL defined in this entry only applies to an entry that has o=Level32. The effective ACL for this entry is the default ACL because the following are true:

- There is no explicit non-filtered ACL defined on this entry.
- There are no propagating non-filtered ACLs defined higher in the directory tree.
- None of the defined filtered ACLs apply to this entry.

This entry has an ibm-filterACLInherit=FALSE defined on it. This attribute acts as a ceiling and stops the accumulation of filtered ACLs. In this case, there are no filtered ACLs defined below this entry. The effective ACL for this entry is the default ACL because the following are true:

- The ibm-filterACLInherit definition causes this entry to be in filter ACL mode, and therefore excludes non-filter ACL definitions.
- None of the defined filtered ACLs apply to this entry.
The effective ACL for this entry is the default ACL because the following are true:

- There is no explicit non-filtered ACL defined on this entry.
- There are no propagating non-filtered ACLs defined higher in the directory tree.
- None of the defined filtered ACLs apply to this entry.

The attribute `ibm-filterACLInherit=TRUE` means that this entry does not act as a ceiling for any filtered ACLs.

The three `ibm-filterAclEntry` attributes provide an example of how a filtered ACL can be defined on one entry and apply to another entry. In this case the three filtered ACLs apply to the three children of this entry but not to this entry. The effective ACL was calculated by an accumulation of all the filtered ACLs which applied to this entry. There was only one filtered ACL that applied to this entry, which is the filtered ACL defined on the `o=Level21,o=Level11,o=sample` entry. No other filtered ACLs apply to this entry, so the effective ACL is taken directly from the filtered ACL defined on the `o=Level21,o=Level11,o=sample` entry.

This entry is a simple example of how filtered ACLs accumulate. The filtered ACL defined on the `o=Level32,o=Level21,o=Level11,o=sample` entry is combined with the filtered ACL defined on the `o=Level43,o=Level32,o=Level21,o=Level11,o=sample` entry to give read, write, search and compare access to all three classes of attributes for user 1.

This entry is a simple example of how the `ibm-filterACLInherit` attribute can be used to stop the accumulation of filtered ACLs. The filtered ACL defined on the `o=Level32,o=Level21,o=Level11,o=sample` entry does not apply to this entry because `ibm-filterACLInherit=FALSE`. Only the filtered ACL defined on the
The effective ACL for this entry is the default ACL because the following are true:

- There is no explicit non-filtered ACL defined on this entry.
- There are no propagating non-filtered ACLs defined higher in the directory tree.
- None of the defined filtered ACLs apply to this entry.

This is an example of non-filtered ACLs. The effective ACL for this entry is the ACL defined in the entry.

**Note:** The value returned in the effective ACL is the server's normalized value.

This is an example of the non-filtered ACL defined on the entry propagating down to the entry. This propagation occurs because the aclPropagate attribute was set to TRUE in the entry.

This entry has 4 filtered ACLs defined in it. One of the filtered ACLs applies to this entry. The effective ACL is a result of this filtered ACL.

**Note:** The non-filter ACL defined on the entry did not propagate to this entry. The non-filtered ACL did not propagate to this entry because filtered ACLs are defined on this entry, and only one kind of ACL can exist on a given entry.
This entry has an explicit non-filtered ACL defined, and the effective ACL is taken from the explicitly defined ACL. Because aclPropagate is FALSE, the defined non-filtered ACL does not propagate down the tree.

ibm-effectiveACL=access-id:CN=USER2,o=sample:critical:rsc:normal:rwsc:sensitive:rsc

This entry is an example of how filtered ACLs can accumulate even past a non-filtered ACL entry. The effective ACL for the entry is a combination of the filtered ACL defined on the o=Level34 autobiograph:Level22,o=sample entry and the o=Level51 autobiograph:Level45,o=sample entry.

ibm-effectiveACL=access-id:CN=USER2,o=sample:normal:rwsc:sensitive:rwsc:critical:rsc

The effective ACL for this entry is the default ACL. Because the entry does not have any explicit ACL attributes to set the mode to either filtered or not filtered, you must look up the directory tree for the ACL source. The Level45 entry has non-filtered ACLs, but has aclPropagate set to FALSE, so it is not the ACL source. Then, we go to the next ancestor in the directory tree, the Level 34 entry. The Level 34 entry is of the filter ACL type. The Level 34 entry is the ACL source for the entry. Since there are no filtered ACLs in the tree that apply to the entry, the default ACL is applied.

ibm-effectiveACL=access-id:CN=USER1,o=sample:normal:rwsc:sensitive:rsc:critical:rsc

This entry has an explicit non-filtered ACL defined, so the effective ACL is taken from the explicitly defined ACL.
Appendix L. Dynamically-changed attributes

The following is a list of attributes that can be changed dynamically. You do not have to restart the server for these changes to take effect. If you use the command line to update values, you must request the `ldapexop -op readconfig` option. For more information, see the `idsldapexop` command information in the IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference.

**cn=Configuration**
- ibm-slapdadmindn
- ibm-slapdAdminGroupEnabled
- ibm-slapdadminpw
- ibm-slapdDerefAliases
- ibm-slapdpwencryption
- ibm-slapdsizelimit
- ibm-slapdtimelimit
- ibm-slapdAdminRole
- ibm-slapdPtaEnabled

**cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration**
The dynamically-changed attributes apply to the following subentries:
- cn=Default, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
- cn=ibmslapd, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
- cn=Audit, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
- cn=Bulkload, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
- cn=DB2CLI, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
- cn=Tools, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
- cn=Replication, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
- cn=Admin, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration
- cn=Admin Audit, cn=Log Management, cn=Configuration

The following are the dynamically-changed attributes for these subentries:
- ibm-slapdLog (Does not apply to cn=Default)
- ibm-slapdLogArchivePath
- ibm-slapdLogMaxArchives
- ibm-slapdLogOptions (Does not apply to cn=Default)
- ibm-slapdLogSizeThreshold

**cn=AdminGroup,cn=Configuration**
These attributes are dynamically-changed for the subtrees under this entry.
- ibm-slapdAdminDN
- ibm-slapdAdminPW
- ibm-slapdDigestAdminUser
- ibm-slapdKrbAdminDN

**cn=Front End, cn=Configuration**
- ibm-slapdaclcache
• ibm-slapdaclcachesize

• ibm-slapdfiltercachebypasslimit
• ibm-slapdfiltercachesize
• ibm-slapdidletimeout

**cn=Connection Management, cn=Front End, cn=Configuration**

• ibm-slapdAllowAnon
• ibm-slapdAllReapingThreshold
• ibm-slapdAnonReapingThreshold
• ibm-slapdBoundReapingThreshold
• ibm-slapdESizeThreshold
• ibm-slapdEThreadActivate
• ibm-slapdEThreadEnable
• ibm-slapdETimeThreshold
• ibm-slapdIdleTimeOut
• ibm-slapdWriteTimeout

**cn=Event Notification, cn=Configuration**

• ibm-slapdmaxeventsperconnection
• ibm-slapdmaxeventstotal

**cn=Transaction, cn=Configuration**

• ibm-slapdmaxnumoftransactions
• ibm-slapdmaxoppertransaction
• ibm-slapdmaxtimelimitoftransactions
• ibm-slapdMaxTimeBetweenPrepareAndCommit

**cn=ConfigDB, cn=Config Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration**

• ibm-slapdreadonly

**cn=Directory, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration**

• ibm-slapdcachedattribute
• ibm-slapdcachedattributelimitsize
• ibm-slapdlanguagetaulennabled
• ibm-slapdpagedresallownonadmin
• ibm-slapdpagedreslmt
• ibm-slapdreadonly
• ibm-slapdsortkeylimit
• ibm-slapdsortsrchallownonadmin
• ibm-slapdsuffix
• ibm-slapdcachedattributeautoadjust
• ibm-slapdcachedattributeautoadjusttime
• ibm-slapdcachedattributeautoadjusttimelimit
• ibm-slapdnumretry
• ibm-slapdgroupmemberscachesize
• ibm-slapdgroupmemberscachebypasslimit
- ibm-slapdDbUserPW
- ibm-slapdTombstoneEnabled
- ibm-slapdTombstoneLifetime

cn=change log, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
  - ibm-slapdCachedAttribute
  - ibm-slapdCachedAttributeSize
  - ibm-slapdCachedAttributeAutoAdjust
  - ibm-slapdCachedAttributeAutoAdjustTime
  - ibm-slapdCachedAttributeAutoAdjustTimeInterval

cn=Digest, cn=configuration
  - ibm-slapdDigestAdminUser
  - ibm-slapdDigestRealm
  - ibm-slapdDigestAttr


cn=pwdPolicy Admin, cn=Configuration
  - ibm-slapdConfigPwdPolicyOn
  - pwdMinLength
  - pwdLockout
  - pwdLockoutDuration
  - pwdMaxFailure
  - pwdFailureCountInterval
  - passwordMinAlphaChars
  - passwordMinOtherChars
  - passwordMaxRepeatedChars
  - passwordMaxConsecutiveRepeatedChars
  - passwordMinDiffChars


cn=Replication, cn=configuration
  - ibm-slapdReplConflictMaxEntrySize
  - ibm-slapdMaxPendingChangesDisplayed
  - ibm-slapdReplMaxErrors
  - ibm-slapdReplContextCacheSize
  - ibm-slapdReplRestrictedAccess
  - ibm-slapdEnableConflictResolutionForGroups


cn=VirtualListView, cn=Configuration
  - ibm-slapdVLVEnabled
  - ibm-slapdMaxVLVBeforeCount


cn=Persistent Search, cn=Configuration
  - ibm-slapdMaxPersistentSearches
  - ibm-slapdEnablePersistentSearch


cn=RDBM Backup, cn=Configuration
  - ibm-slapdBackupLocation
  - ibm-slapdBackupAt
  - ibm-slapdBackupEvery
  - ibm-slapdBackupOnline

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- ibm-slapdBackupEnabled
- ibm-slapdBackupChangelog

**cn=Master Server, cn=Configuration**
- ibm-slapdMasterDN
- ibm-slapdMasterPW
Appendix M. IBM Security Directory Server backup and restore

Introduction

IBM Security Directory Server provides multiple methods for backing up and restoring directory server instance information. There are methods that back up the complete information for a directory server instance, and methods that back up only the data in the database. This appendix contains information about methods that back up only the data in the database, which includes DB2 backup and restore commands to back up and restore the DB2 data. For more information regarding methods for backing up and restoring directory server instance information, see Chapter 16, “Directory Server backup and restore,” on page 421.

Security Directory Server uses IBM DB2 relational database to store directory information. To ensure the availability of directory information and to recover critical data from loss or corruption, it is necessary for Security Directory Server directory administrators to design a backup and restore strategy for their Security Directory Server environments.

DB2 provides online backup feature, which allows taking backup of a database while the database is being accessed by other applications, such as Security Directory Server. Before considering a backup and restore strategy that includes online backup, be aware that performing an online backup consumes a significant amount of DB2 resources.

This appendix starts with a description of the Security Directory Server database and tablespace definitions. Individual sections describe alternatives to Security Directory Server backup and restore procedure that include DB2 offline and online backup, DB2 offline restore, and redirected restore.

Security Directory Server directory schema and database definitions

Security Directory Server uses directory schema files to define the underlying DB2 directory database, which is used to store data. In order to recover a data stored on Security Directory Server, you are required to back up the files containing the Security Directory Server directory configuration and schema and the DB2 databases.

Security Directory Server directory schema

By default, Security Directory Server maintains its schema files in the etc directory under the directory server instance owner’s home directory. For example, for the ldapdb2 instance owner, the schema file location would be:

/home/ldapdb2/idsslapd-ldapdb2/etc

Note: You can also specify a different location for the schema files during instance creation provided the instance owner has write access on the directory.

Each time you start the server, it checks the schema files, validates them against the underlying DB2 database, and checks that the database is correctly configured to support the schema.
A new instance can be configured to have the same schema by copying the schema files to the new server instance owner’s inst_owner_home/idsslapd-inst_name/etc directory. For example, to back up the schema files on AIX, where ldapdb2 is the Security Directory Server instance being used and the directory /safeplace/etc is the location where the schema files are to be saved, issue the following command:

cp /home/ldapdb2/idsslapd-ldapdb2/etc/* /safeplace/etc

To set up a new instance with the same schema, issue the following command:

cp /safeplace/etc/* /home/newuser/idsslapd-new_user/etc

### Security Directory Server directory database and tablespaces

A tablespace is a storage structure where the actual data underlying database objects can be stored. DB2 supports two types of tablespaces:

- **System Managed Space (SMS)** - In SMS, the operating system’s file system manager allocates and manages the space where the table is stored. This is suitable for tablespaces that grow and shrink rapidly.

- **Database Managed Space (DMS)** - In DMS, the database manager controls the storage space.

During the database configuration, by default, a database with DMS tablespaces is created. The locations for tablespaces can be explicitly provided by the administrator. If the specified location is a file system, then DMS cooked tablespace is created. In case the specified location is a raw/block device, DMS raw tablespace is created. Raw devices are devices where no file system is installed. For information on how to create database with SMS or DMS tablespaces and the default values for various parameters, see the `idscfgdb` command information in the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Command Reference*.

**Note:**

- DB2 by default creates 3 tablespaces- USERSPACE1, SYSCATSPACE, and TEMPSPACE1. Security Directory Server creates an additional tablespace called LDAPSPACE,

- USERSPACE1 and LDAPSPACE tablespaces store the Security Directory Server data.

- Administrators can opt to create either DMS or SMS type tablespace for USERSPACE1 and LDAPSPACE.

Since DB2 backup and restore can be done at the database level, the tablespace level, or both levels, it is important to understand the underlying structure to determine which backup and restore method might be best for different Security Directory Server environments. In general, it is advisable that users do not use DB2 backup and restore at the tablespace level for reasons listed.

In the examples, ldapdb2 is used as the database name. You can use the `db2 list database directory` and `db2 list tablespace show detail` commands to find the database and tablespace information for your environment.

You can view the tablespaces by using the following DB2 commands run under the context of the DB2 instance owner. In this example, ldapdb2 is used:

```
db2 connect to databasename
db2 list tablespaces
```

The following examples show tablespace output for the Security Directory Server directory database on an AIX, Linux, or Solaris system:
Tablespaces for Current Database

Tablespace ID = 0
Name = SYSCATSPACE
Type = System managed space
Contents = All permanent data. Regular table space.
State = 0x0000
Detailed explanation:
Normal

Tablespace ID = 1
Name = TEMPSPACE1
Type = System managed space
Contents = System Temporary data
State = 0x0000
Detailed explanation:
Normal

Tablespace ID = 2
Name = USERSPACE1
Type = Database managed space
Contents = All permanent data. Large table space.
State = 0x0000
Detailed explanation:
Normal

Tablespace ID = 3
Name = LDAPSPACE
Type = Database managed space
Contents = All permanent data. Large table space.
State = 0x0000
Detailed explanation:
Normal

Security Directory Server data is stored in two separate tablespaces: USERSPACE1 and LDAPSPACE. By default, there is only one container or directory for each tablespace. To view the details about the USERSPACE1 tablespace, issue the following DB2 command:

```
db2 list tablespace containers for 2
```

Given below are examples of output for the Security Directory Server instance ldapdb2:

**Output for tablespace container 2 in case of DMS cooked tablespace:**

**For non-windows:**

```
Container ID = 0
Name = /home/ldapdb2/ldapdb2/NODE0000/SQL00001/USPACE
Type = File
```

**For windows:**

```
Container ID = 0
Name = C:\ldapdb2\NODE0000\SQL00001\USPACE
Type = File
```

**Output for tablespace container 2 in case of DMS raw tablespace:**

**For linux:**

```
Container ID = 0
Name = /dev/raw/raw1
Type = disk
```

**For windows:**

```
Container ID = 0
Name = \H
Type = disk
```
The default container or directory that DB2 uses for tablespace 2 (USERSPACE1) is /home/ldapdb2/ldapdb2/NODE0000/SQL00001/USPACE. It contains all of the ldapdb2 database tables, which have rows that fit in a 4K page size. This includes the attribute tables that are used for fast DB2 lookups. Tablespace 3 (LDAPSPACE) contains the remainder of the database tables that require a 32K page size. This includes the ldap_entry table, which contains the majority of the Security Directory Server directory data and the replication tables. To view the tablespace container information for the LDAPSPACE tablespace, issue the following DB2 command:

```
DB2 list tablespace containers for 3
```

Output for tablespace container 3 in case of SMS tablespace:

For non-windows:

```
Container ID = 0
Name = /home/ldapdb2/ldapdb2/NODE0000/SQL00001/SQLT0002.0
Type = path
```

For windows:

```
Container ID = 0
Name = C:\ldapdb2\NODE0000\SQL00001\SQLT0002.0
Type = path
```

It is important to notice that data in Security Directory Server is spread out between tablespace 2 and tablespace 3, and both tablespaces need to be accessed for most of the single Security Directory Server operations. In case of a search operation, the attribute tables in tablespace 2 are used to find the entries that
match the given criteria but the entry information is returned from the ldap_entry table in tablespace 3. For an update operation, the attribute tables in tablespace 2 and the ldap_entry (and possibly the replication tables) in tablespace 3 must be updated. For this reason, users should perform backup and restore only at the database level, so that the related sets of data are kept together. If the related sets of data are not kept together, recovering to a point in time where all of the data is consistent would be unlikely.

**Security Directory Server change log database and tablespaces**

In IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.0 and later, the change log feature records all updates to the directory in a separate change log DB2 database, which is different from the database that holds the directory server directory information tree (DIT). The change log database can be used by other applications to query and track LDAP updates. By default, the change log function is disabled. The change log function should be configured only if needed because it reduces update performance due to the additional logging overhead. A way to check for existence of the change log function is to look for the suffix CN=CHANGELOG. If it exists, the change log function is enabled.

When Security Directory Server creates a database for the change log, it uses the `db2 create database` command to create a database named ldapclog. Security Directory Server creates this database with four SMS tablespaces identical to the ldapdb2 database.

You can view the tablespaces by using the following DB2 commands run under the context of the DB2 instance owner. In this example, ldapdb2 is used.

```
db2 connect to ldapclog
db2 list tablespaces
```

It is important to notice that the Security Directory Server directory information is stored in a database (ldapdb2) which is different to the change log database (ldapclog). In order to keep related sets of data together, care must be taken to ensure they are backed up and restored in a consistent manner.

**Overview of backup and restore procedures for LDAP**

In an IBM Security Directory Server environment, you can back up and restore a database using the DB2 commands, Security Directory Server backup and restore commands, and Security Directory Server tools. These options have their advantages and disadvantages.

DB2 backup and restore are built-in commands available in DB2 to back up and restore databases. The advantages of using db2 backup and db2 restore commands or the dbbackup and dbrestore commands is that the DB2 configuration parameters and database optimizations parameters are preserved for the backed-up database. In addition, the restored database has the same performance tuning specifications as that of the backed-up database. One of the disadvantages of using db2 backup and restore is that the database backed-up on one hardware platform cannot be restored on a different platform. For example, a database backed up on AIX system cannot be restored on a Solaris system. In addition, database backed up on a version of directory server cannot be restored on a different version of directory server version. You are also required to use the same version of DB2 for both the db2 backup and db2 restore operations. See DB2 Administration Guide to know more about DB2 backup and restore procedures. See DB2 Command Reference to
know more about the DB2 commands. The DB2 Administration Guide and the
Command Reference are part of the online library installed with DB2 and Security
Directory Server.

The Security Directory Server commands, idsdbback and idsdbrestore, for back up
and restore of databases use the DB2 backup and restore commands. In addition to
the features provide by the DB2 backup and restore commands, idsdbback and
idsdbrestore also backs up and restores Security Directory Server configuration and
schema files. However, it is important to note that idsdbback does not support DB2
online backup in IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.0. You must stop the
Security Directory Server before running the idsdbback command. For more
information about the use of these commands, see the Server utilities section in

An alternative to the DB2 and Security Directory Server backup and restore
commands are Security Directory Server tools, such as the LDAP Data Interchange
Format (LDIF) export and import commands, db2ldif and ldif2db. These tools can
be used across dissimilar hardware platforms but the process is slower. These tools
do not preserve the DB2 configuration parameters and database optimizations
parameters. For more information about the use of these commands, see the Server

Note: If you restore over an existing database, any performance tuning tasks on
that existing database is lost. You must check all DB2 configuration
parameters after performing a restore. Also, if you do not know whether a
db2 reorgchk was performed before the database was backed up, run db2
reorgchk after the restore.

Examples of offline backup and restore procedure for a
directory database

The DB2 commands to perform offline backup and restore operations for a
directory database, ldapdb2, are as follows:

```
su – ldapdb2
db2start
db2 force applications all
db2 backup db ldapdb2 to directory_or_device
db2 restore db ldapdb2 from directory_or_device replace existing
```

where, directory_or_device is the name of a directory or device where the backup is
stored.

The DB2 commands to perform offline backup and restore operations for the
change log database are as follows:

```
su – ldapdb2
db2start
db2 force applications all
db2 backup db ldapclog to directory_or_device
db2 restore db ldapclog from directory_or_device replace existing
```

The most common error that occurs while restoring is a file permission error.
Following are some reasons why this error might occur:

- The DB2 instance owner does not have permission to access the specified
directory and file. One way to solve this is to change directory and file
ownership to the DB2 instance owner. For example, enter the following
command:

```
chown ldapdb2 fil_or_dev
```
The backed-up database is distributed across multiple directories, and those directories do not exist on the target system of the restore. Distributing the database across multiple directories is accomplished with a redirected restore. To solve this problem, either create the same directories on the target system or perform a redirected restore to specify the proper directories on the new system. When creating the same directories, ensure that the owner of the directories is the DB2 instance owner.

Replication considerations
Backup and restore operations may be used to initially synchronize a consumer with a supplier or whenever the supplier and consumer get out of sync. A consumer can get out of sync if it is not defined to the supplier or is not reachable by the supplier. In this case, the supplier does not know about the consumer and does not save updates on a propagation queue for that consumer.

Overview of online backup and restore procedures
When a Security Directory Server database is created, only circular logging is enabled for it. This means that log files are reused in a circular fashion, and are not saved or archived. With circular logging, rollforward recovery is not possible but crash recovery is possible. The directory server must be stopped and should be offline when backups are taken. Before performing online backups, administrators must plan a strategy to manage the DB2 log files that will be needed to perform a restore from an online backup.

Log management
When log archiving is configured for the database, rollforward recovery is possible. This is because of the following reasons:
• The logs record changes to the database during and after the backups are taken.
• Log files are kept even after they contain committed and externalized data referred to as “inactive” logs.

To configure log archiving, change the logarchmeth1 database parameter from OFF to an appropriate value by selecting the archiving mode desired. The possible values for mode are:

LOGRETAIN
In this mode, inactive log files are never overwritten. This means that inactive logs must be moved to an archive location to avoid running out of disk space for primary logs. The database configuration specifies the number of active primary log files and active secondary log files that can be created. When LOGRETAIN is set, DB2 will first fill up the primary logs, and then if the first primary log is still active, DB2 will create secondary logs. If the number of primary and secondary logs have been created and filled has reached the maximum limit before the first primary log becomes inactive, a “log full” condition will occur. As primary logs become inactive, DB2 will create additional primary logs as needed. In the LOGRETAIN mode, it is important to monitor the disk space available for the log files because if the disk fills up, directory updates will not be possible until the condition is rectified.

USEREXIT
In this mode, archival and retrieval of logs is performed by a user-supplied user exit program called db2uext2. The user exit program is called to copy a log file to an archive location as soon as the log file is full. This allows
DB2 to rename and reuse the file once it becomes inactive. During recovery operations, after restoring a database from a backup, when inactive log files are required, DB2 will call the user exit program to retrieve the necessary logs from the archive location.

**DISK: directory**

With this setting, log management is performed using an algorithm similar to the USEREXIT mode. The difference between the two modes, USEREXIT and DISK: directory, is that instead of calling the user exit program, DB2 will automatically archive the logs from the active log directory to the specified directory. During recovery, DB2 retrieves these logs from that location.

**TSM:[management class name]**

This mode is similar to the USEREXIT mode except that logs will be automatically archived on the local IBM Tivoli Storage Manager server. The management class name parameter is optional. If not specified, the default management class is used.

**VENDOR: library**

In this mode, logging operates in a mode similar to USEREXIT except that the specified vendor library is invoked to archive or retrieve the logs.

When this parameter is configured, the database is enabled for rollforward recovery. After logarchmeth1 is set to for log archiving, a full offline backup of the database must be made for the “backup pending state” to be satisfied so that the database can be used. To check if the database is in “backup pending state”, look at the “Backup pending” value returned from the following DB2 command, which could either be YES or NO.

```
db2 get db config for ldapdb2
```

When the database is recoverable, the backups of the database can be completed online. Rollforward recovery reapplies the completed units of work recorded in the logs to the restored database, tablespace, or tablespaces. You can specify rollforward recovery either to the end of the logs or to a particular point in time.

A recovery history file is created with each database and this file is updated automatically with summary information whenever you carry out a backup or restore of a full database or tablespace. The recovery history file is a useful tracking mechanism for restore activity within a database. This file is created in the same directory as the database configuration file. It is automatically updated whenever one of the following activities is performed:

- Backup of a database or tablespace
- Restore of a database or tablespace
- Rollforward of a database or tablespace
- Alter of a tablespace
- Quiesce of a tablespace
- Rename of a tablespace
- Load of a table
- Drop of a table
- Reorganization of a table
- Update of table statistics

For information about existing backed-up databases, enter the following DB2 command:
The database configuration file contains the logarchmeth1 and other parameters related to rollforward recovery. In some cases, since the default parameter settings will not work well, you may need to change some of these default settings for your setup. See the DB2 Administration Guide for detailed information about configuring these parameters in DB2.

**Primary logs (logprimary)**
This parameter specifies the number of primary logs that might be active at a given time.

**Secondary logs (logsecond)**
This parameter specifies the number of secondary log files that might be created if all active primary logs are full.

**Log size (logfilsiz)**
This parameter determines the number of pages for each of the configured logs. A page is 4 KB in size.

**Log buffer (logbufsz)**
This parameter enables you to specify the amount of database shared memory to use as a buffer for log records before writing these records to disk.

**Number of commits to group (mincommit)**
This parameter enables you to delay the writing of log records to disk until a minimum number of commits have been performed.

**New log path (newlogpath)**
You can change the location where active logs and future archive logs are placed by changing the value for this configuration parameter to point to either a different directory or a device.

**Primary log archive method (logarchmeth1)**
This parameter specifies the media type of the primary destination for archived logs. See section “Log management” for details about the options available.

**Secondary log archive method (logarchmeth2)**
This parameter specifies the media type of the secondary destination for archived logs. If this parameter is specified, log files will be archived using both this method and the method specified by logarchmeth1.

**Track modified pages (trackmod)**
When this parameter is set to “Yes”, the database manager tracks database modifications so that the backup utility can detect which subsets of the database pages must be examined by an incremental backup and potentially included in the backup image. After setting this parameter to “Yes”, you must take a full database backup in order to have a baseline against which incremental backups can be taken.

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**Using DB2 backup and restore**

Basic examples for both offline and online backup of the database are described in the following sections. The examples shown are for the AIX operating system, and may need to be modified for other operating systems. These examples also incorporate name of the days in a week abbreviation in the naming of the backup locations.
Offline backup and offline restore procedures for Security Directory Server database using DB2 backup and restore

Back up the directory database:

1. Determine a secure location to store the files to be used for backup and recovery, such as a backup machine, separate media, etc. In the examples listed, the /safeplace directory is used as a location to store files. The DB2 instance owner must have write permission for the /safeplace directory.

   cp /home/ldapdb2/idsslapd-ldapdb2/etc/* /safeplace/etc

2. Save Security Directory Server configuration and schema files in a secure location. These files need to be updated only if you change the topology, configuration parameters, or schema. In the examples, the Security Directory Server instance and database are named ldapdb2.

   cp /home/ldapdb2/idsslapd-ldapdb2/etc/* /safeplace/etc

3. Make sure that ibmslapd is not running.

   ibmslapd -I ldapdb2 -k

4. Create a full database offline backup. You must run all DB2 commands as the DB2 instance owner.

   db2 force applications all
   db2 backup db ldapdb2 to /safeplace/sun-full-ldapdb2

Restoring the directory database on a different machine:

1. If necessary, install Security Directory Server.

2. Configure a database, using the same information that was specified on the backup machine.

3. Copy or ftp the configuration, schema, and backup image files from the backup machine to /safeplace on this machine.

   cp /safeplace/etc/* /home/ldapdb2/idsslapd-ldapdb2/etc

4. Copy the backed-up configuration and schema files to this machine.

   cp /safeplace/etc/* /home/ldapdb2/idsslapd-ldapdb2/etc

5. Restore the directory database.

   db2 restore db ldapdb2 from /safeplace/sun-full-ldapdb2 replace existing

Note: In some versions, DB2 supports cross-platform backup and restore operations and mixed version backup and restore operations. From a Security Directory Server perspective, you cannot back up a database on one version of directory server and then restore that database on another version of directory server. It is advisable to use the same version of db2 backup and db2 restore for both DB2 operations.

DB2 online backup and offline restore procedures

Setting up online backup for the directory database (without change log)

1. Use a secure location to store files to be used for backup and recovery, such as a backup machine, separate media, etc. In the examples listed, the /safeplace directory is used as a location to store files. The DB2 instance owner must have write permission for the /safeplace directory.

   cp /home/ldapdb2/idsslapd-ldapdb2/etc/* /safeplace/etc

2. Save Security Directory Server configuration and schema files in the secure location. These files need to be updated only if you change the topology, configuration parameters, or schema.

   cp /home/ldapdb2/idsslapd-ldapdb2/etc/* /safeplace/etc

3. Make sure that ibmslapd is not running.

   ibmslapd -I ldapdb2 -k
4. For recovery purposes, log files should be kept on a different physical drive than the database. In this example, the /safeplace/db2logs-ldapdb2 directory is used as the secure location. You must run all DB2 commands as the DB2 instance owner.

   \texttt{db2 update db config for ldapdb2 using newlogpath /safeplace/db2logs-ldapdb2}

5. Update the directory server database for online backup support with log archiving on.

   \texttt{db2 update db config for ldapdb2 using logarchmeth1 logretain}
   \texttt{db2 force applications all}
   \texttt{db2stop}
   \texttt{db2start}

6. After archival logging is set, you must make a full offline backup. Create a full offline backup of database.

   \texttt{db2 backup db ldapdb2 to /safeplace/sun-full-ldapdb2}

7. Start the directory server instance.

   \texttt{ibmslapd –I ldapdb2}

**Creating full online backup for the directory database**

1. On a nightly basis (or more frequently if necessary), create full backup and copy log files from the log file path.

   \texttt{db2 backup db ldapdb2 online to /safeplace/mon-ldapdb2}

   **Note:** You can use an online backup image for recovery only if you have the logs that span the time during which the backup operation was running.

   \texttt{db2 get db config for ldapdb2 | grep –i "Path to log files"}

   The following is an example of the information returned:

   \texttt{Path to log files = /safeplace/db2logs-ldapdb2/NODE0000/}

**Restoring the directory database**

Suppose that a disk drive failed on Wednesday morning on the machine being used, since the /safeplace directory is used to back up the files and logs was not affected, it can be used for restore.

If a different machine is being used to restore the database, the /safeplace directory on the backed up machine must be set up on the new machine to a local /safeplace directory. This must include all backup directories being used, as well as the log files in the /safeplace/db2log-ldapdb2/NODE0000 directory.

1. If necessary, install Security Directory Server.

2. Configure a database, using the same information that was specified on the backup machine.

3. Copy or tar the configuration and schema files backed up previously.

   \texttt{cp /safeplace/etc/* /home/ldapdb2/idsslapd-ldapdb2/etc}

4. Restore the directory database from Tuesday.

   \texttt{db2 restore db ldapdb2 from /safeplace/tues-ldapdb2 taken at timestamp_of_backup}

   **Note:** The \texttt{timestamp_of_backup} option is only required if there are more than one backup image in the specified directory path.
If you are restoring on a new machine, the following warning message is displayed:

SQL2523W Warning! Restoring to an existing database that is different from the database on the backup image, but have matching names. The target database will be overwritten by the backup version. The Roll-forward recovery logs associated with the target database will be deleted. Do you want to continue? (y/n) y

DB20000I The RESTORE DATABASE command completed successfully.

5. Set the new database’s log path to the same path that was used for the log files. If you are restoring on a new system, you must copy the log files from the old system to the new.

   db2 update db config for ldapdb2 using newlogpath /safeplace/db2logs-ldapdb2

6. Roll forward all logs located in the log directory, which include changes since the Tuesday night backup.

   db2 rollforward db ldapdb2 to end of logs and stop

   Note: In this case, recovery requires only the last full backup image and the logs spanning the time since the backup was made.

**Setting up incremental online backup for both the directory and change log database to be used for recovery**

This section and the following sections are based on a backup strategy with a weekly schedule of doing full backups on Sundays, and then using incremental backups during the week.

![Incremental Cumulative Backup](image)

**Figure 22. Incremental cumulative and Delta backup**

1. Use a secure location to store files to be used for backup and recovery, such as a backup machine, separate media, etc. In the examples listed, the directory /safeplace is used as a location to store files. If the change log is not configured, all commands containing ldapclog can be ignored.
2. Save the Security Directory Server configuration and schema files in a secure location. These files need to be updated only if you change the topology, configuration parameters, or schema. In this example, ldapdb2 is used as the Security Directory Server instance and database instance name.

   cp /home/ldapdb2/idsslapd-ldapdb2/etc/* /safeplace/etc

3. Make sure that ibmslapd is not running.

   ibmslapd -I ldapdb2 -k

   **Note:** In this example, the path of the log files has not been modified from the default locations. Here, the default log path locations are used for both directory and change log databases. For recovery purposes, log files should be kept on a different physical drive than the databases.

4. Update the directory server database and change log database for online backup support with archival logging on, and incremental backup with trackmod on.

   **Note:** Setting trackmod on for incremental backup support can have an impact on the runtime performance for database update or insert operation.

   db2 update db cfg for ldapdb2 using logarchmeth1 logretain trackmod on
   db2 update db config for ldapclog using logarchmeth1 logretain trackmod on
   db2 force applications all
   db2stop
   db2start

Creating full offline backups for both the directory and change log databases

1. Create full database offline backups for both directory and change log databases on Sunday.

   db2 backup db ldapdb2 to /safeplace/sun-full-ldapdb2
   db2 backup db ldapclog to /safeplace/sun-full-ldapclog

2. Start the directory server instance.

   ibmslapd -I ldapdb2

Creating incremental online backups for both the directory and change log databases

1. On a daily basis or more frequently if determined necessary, create incremental backups.

   **Note:** You can only use an online backup image for recovery if you have the logs that span the time during which the backup operation was running. Note that the directory and change log database logs are kept in different paths with identical names, for example, S0000000.LOG and S0000001.LOG, so they need to be saved in different directories if the change log is configured.

   db2 backup db ldapdb2 online incremental to /safeplace/mon-ldapdb2

2. Verify the path to the log files for the directory database.

   db2 get db config for ldapdb2 | grep -i "Path to log files"

   An example of the output displayed:
3. Verify the path to the log files for the change log database.
   db2 get db config for ldapclog | grep "Path to log files"
   An example of the output displayed:
   Path to log files = /home/ldapdb2/ldapdb2/NODE0000/SQL00002/SQLOGDIR/
   cp /home/ldapdb2/ldapdb2/NODE0000/SQL00002/SQLOGDIR/*
   /safeplace/db2logs-ldapclog

4. Restore the directory and change log databases

   Suppose a disk drive failed on Wednesday morning on the machine being used, since the /safeplace directory used to backup the files was not affected, it can be used for restore.
   If a different system is being used to restore the database, the /safeplace directories on the backed up system must be set up on the new system to the local /safeplace directory. This must include all backup directories being used, as well as the log files in the /safeplace/db2log-ldapdb2/NODE0000 and the /safeplace/db2log-ldapclog/NODE0000 directories.

   1. If necessary, install Security Directory Server. Configure a new database, using the same information that was specified earlier.
      Copy the configuration and schema files backed up previously.
      cp /safeplace/etc/* /home/ldapdb2/idsslapd-ldapdb2/etc

   2. Make sure that ibmslapd is not running.
      ibmslapd –I ldapdb2 –k

   3. Restore the directory database. The last backup image to be restored is called the target image. The target image must be restored twice, once at the start of the restore procedure and again at the end. In order to restore Tuesday’s incremental backup.
      db2 restore db ldapdb2 incremental from /safeplace/tues-ldapdb2
      db2 restore db ldapdb2 incremental from /safeplace/sun-full-ldapdb2
      db2 restore db ldapdb2 incremental from /safeplace/tues-ldapdb2

   4. Copy the log files backed up previously to the default log path locations.
      cp /safeplace/db2logs-ldapdb2/*
      /home/ldapdb2/ldapdb2/NODE0000/SQL00001/SQLOGDIR
      db2 rollforward db ldapdb2 to end of logs and stop

   5. Restore the change log database.
      db2 restore db ldapclog incremental from /safeplace/tues-ldapclog
      db2 restore db ldapclog incremental from /safeplace/sun-full-ldapclog
      db2 restore db ldapclog incremental from /safeplace/tues-ldapclog

   6. Copy the log files backed up previously to the default log path locations.
      cp /safeplace/db2logs-ldapclog/*
      /home/ldapdb2/ldapdb2/NODE0000/SQL00002/SQLOGDIR
      db2 rollforward db ldapclog to end of logs and stop
Note: In this case, recovery requires a full backup image and the last incremental backup. Note that the Monday incremental backup is not needed to restore up through Tuesday.

Using incremental delta backups

In the examples using incremental backup, the incremental backup increases in size until the next full backup. This is because the backup contains accumulated changes over time, so there are many more changes saved for Saturday than there were for Monday. DB2 also allows “delta” backups, which save only changes made since the last backup of any kind. These delta backups are much smaller and can be done in lesser time. When restoring, you must have all deltas since the last full or incremental backup.

The commands to perform online delta backups for the ldapdb2 database on a daily basis are listed:

```sql
db2 backup db ldapdb2 online incremental delta to /safeplace/mon-delta-ldapdb2
db2 backup db ldapdb2 online incremental delta to /safeplace/tues-delta-ldapdb2
db2 backup db ldapdb2 online incremental delta to /safeplace/wed-delta-ldapdb2
db2 backup db ldapdb2 online incremental delta to /safeplace/thurs-delta-ldapdb2
db2 backup db ldapdb2 online incremental delta to /safeplace/fri-delta-ldapdb2
db2 backup db ldapdb2 online incremental delta to /safeplace/sat-delta-ldapdb2
```

When using delta backups, the log files for the database must be kept in a secure location. If you are using the default log paths, you must copy them to the `/safeplace/db2logs-ldapdb2` directory or modify the database configuration to save them directly in the `/safeplace/db2logs-ldapdb2` directory.

Restoring from incremental delta backups

In the examples, the log files for the database from the backup machine must be available on the machine being used for restoring the delta backups. If you are using the default log paths, you must copy them from the `/safeplace/db2logs-ldapdb2/NODE0000` directory on the backup machine to the default log path on the machine being restored, or modify the database configuration `newlogpath` on the new machine and copy them directly to the `/safeplace/db2logs-ldapdb2/NODE0000` directory. When restoring from delta backups, you must have ALL deltas since the last full or incremental backup.

The commands to restore online delta backups for the ldapdb2 database are as listed:

```sql
db2 restore db ldapdb2 incremental from /safeplace/sat-delta-ldapdb2
db2 restore db ldapdb2 incremental from /safeplace/sun-full-ldapdb2
db2 restore db ldapdb2 incremental from /safeplace/mon-delta-ldapdb2
db2 restore db ldapdb2 incremental from /safeplace/tues-delta-ldapdb2
db2 restore db ldapdb2 incremental from /safeplace/wed-delta-ldapdb2
db2 restore db ldapdb2 incremental from /safeplace/thurs-delta-ldapdb2
db2 restore db ldapdb2 incremental from /safeplace/fri-delta-ldapdb2
db2 restore db ldapdb2 incremental from /safeplace/sat-delta-ldapdb2
```

Note: The target image must be restored twice, at the beginning and at the last restore.

Copy the logs and do rollforward:

```bash
cp /safeplace/db2logs-ldapdb2/*
    /home/ldapdb2/ldapdb2/NODE0000/SQL0001/SQLOGDIR/
```

```sql
db2 rollforward db ldapdb2 to end of logs and stop
```
Pros and cons of different backup and restore strategies
If a database is used for high write activity, an online full backup may be more efficient. Although minimal, the tracking of updates to the database can have an impact on the runtime performance of transactions that update or insert data.

Incremental backup can be used as a way to protect a database that is mostly read-only and has some write activity, which makes it important to be recoverable. An incremental backup image is a copy of all database data that has changed since the most recent, successful, and full backup operation. This is also known as a cumulative backup image. The predecessor of an incremental backup image is always the most recent successful full backup of the same object. With this approach, you must save the last full backup and the last cumulative incremental backup because both will be used for restoring the database.

An incremental delta backup image is a copy of all database data that has changed since the last successful backup, such as full, incremental, or incremental delta. This is also known as a differential or noncumulative backup image. While delta backups are smaller, all deltas since the last full or cumulative incremental backup are required to restore the database.

Managing the archived logs
When using online backup, you need to keep archived logs for as long as they might be required for restoring a database, which depends on your backup methodology and goals. This applies even if you have configured one of the log archival options that “automates” log archiving, you still must have a plan to delete old log files as they become expendable so that your archive space does not get full. One key decision that you must make is whether you want to recover your data up to the most recent backup, or you want to recover data right up to the time of the system failure. In case a disk fails and you have to restore a database from a backup, you must have the log files that were taken during the backup. After the restore activity, the log files are rolled forward to bring the database to a consistent state that existed after the last backup. If you have saved all the log files generated since the last backup, you can replay the logs right to a time just before the crash. This helps reduce loss of updates to the directory considerably. The next main factor is your backup methodology and schedule. Consider the following examples:

1. If you perform daily full online backups, then you must at least keep the log files that were active during the last backup operation. If you have saved all logs generated since the beginning of the last backup, then you would have all the data necessary to restore the database to the point in time immediately before an event, such as disk or system failure. Any log files archived before the last backup can be deleted to free disk space.

2. If you perform a full online backup once a week and thereafter daily incremental backups in between, then you must at least save the logs that were active during the latest backup, full or incremental. Also, with this approach all the archived logs before the last full backup are no longer needed and can be deleted.

3. If you perform a full online backup once a week and thereafter daily incremental delta backups, then you need to save the logs that were active during the latest backup, full or delta. In order to restore data up to the point in time of the data loss, you must save all the logs since the last backup operation. Any log files archived before the last full backup can be deleted.
Other examples of DB2 backup, restore, and rollforward command options

In cases where you want to restore a database to a specific point in time and not roll forward any changes made after than point in time, the “without rolling forward” option will prevent DB2 from changing the restored database in rollforward pending state.

```
db2 restore db ldapdb2 from /safeplace taken at 20040405154705 without rolling forward
```

To restore a database without prompting for a path that has only one backup database image stored, use the following command:

```
db2 restore db ldapclog from /safeplace/full-backup-ldapclog without rolling forward without prompting
```

The command for offline rollforward database to a point in time:

```
db2 rollforward database ldapdb2 to 2004-04-22-14.54.21.253422 and stop
```

This command rolls forward all logs located in the log folder specified in the database configuration file up to and including the point-in-time as stated in the example. The “and stop” key phrase completes the rollforward recovery process by rolling back incomplete transactions and tuning off the rollforward pending state of the database.

Common problems that may occur during DB2 backup, restore, or rollforward

In the scenarios listed below, the database name ldapdb2 is used. For change log, the change log database ldapclog can be used.

Scenario 1
When you try updating database configuration for online backup parameters while ibmslapd is running:

```
db2 update db cfg for ldapdb2 using logarchmeth1 logretain trackmod on
```

DB20000I The UPDATE DATABASE CONFIGURATION command completed successfully.

SQL1363W One or more of the parameters submitted for immediate modification were not changed dynamically. For these configuration parameters, all applications must disconnect from this database before the changes become effective.

If you receive the displayed message, you must stop and restart ibmslapd for the changes to take effect. Use the following commands:

```
ibmslapd –I ldapdb2 –k
ibmslapd –I ldapdb2
```

Scenario 2
When you try performing online backup without setting logretain:

```
db2 backup database ldapdb2 online to /safeplace
```

SQL2413N Online backup is not allowed because either logretain or userexit for roll-forward is not activated, or a backup pending condition is in effect for the database.

To set the archival logging parameters to enable rollforward recovery for the database ldapdb2 the following DB2 command must be run:

```
db2 update db config for ldapdb2 using logarchmeth1 logretain
```

After archival logging is configured, the user must make a full backup of the database. This state is indicated by the backup_pending flag parameter.
If a full backup has not been made, the following message will be displayed when the user connects to the database:

```
db2 connect to ldapdb2
SQL1116N A connection to or activation of database ldapdb2 cannot be made because of a BACKUP PENDING.
```

The database will be in backup pending state until an offline backup is performed. This could cause a server to fail when it connects to the database and will start in configuration mode only.

**Scenario 3**

Taking a full backup:
```
db2 backup database ldapdb2 to /safeplace
```

If the backup is successful, the following message is displayed:

```
Backup successful. The timestamp for this backup image is : 20040308170601
```

**Scenario 4**

When you try to restore a database while ibmslapd is running, the following message is displayed:
```
db2 restore db ldapdb2 from /safeplace
SQL1035N The database is currently in use.
```

**Scenario 5**

If rollforward must be done following a restore:
```
db2 connect to ldapdb2
SQL1117N A connection to or activation of database "LDAPDB2" cannot be made because of ROLL-FORWARD PENDING.  SQLSTATE=57019
```

The database will be in rollforward pending state until a rollforward command is issued. This could cause a server to fail when it connects to the database and will start in configuration mode only.
Appendix N. Setting up SSL security – SSL scenarios

The scenarios presented in this appendix are designed to create secure connections between the different components of your IBM Security Directory Server system.

The following conditions are assumed:
- IBM Security Directory Server 6.3.1 is installed on a machine.
- An IBM Security Directory Server instance is created.
- An IBM Security Directory Server database is created.
- There are no key database (.kdb) or key store (.jks) files created.

Using HTTPS with Embedded WebSphere Application Server Version 7.x

The embedded version of WebSphere Application Server version 7.x has HTTPS set up on port 12101 by default. To use HTTPS, you must change your login Web address to the following:

https://hostname:12101/IDSWebApp/IDSjsp/Login.jsp

For non-HTTPS connections, use the following Web address:

http://hostname:12100/IDSWebApp/IDSjsp/Login.jsp

Additionally, if you want to change the SSL certificate of application server, you can create new key and trust store database files for the WebSphere Application Server to use. By default, the key and trust store database files are separate and are located in the WAS_HOME/profiles/TDSWebAdminProfile/etc/ directory. These files are named DummyServerKeyFile.jks and DummyServerTrustFile.jks respectively.

After you have created your new jks files, you can change the key and trust store database files that IBM WebSphere Application Server uses by adding or modifying the following entries (highlighted in bold) in the WAS_HOME/profiles/TDSWebAdminProfile/config/cells/DefaultNode/security.xml file to use your new file names, passwords, and file formats.

```xml
<keyStores xmi:id="KeyStore_DefaultNode_10"
  name="DummyServerKeyFile"
  password="{xor}CDo9Hgw="
  provider="IBMJCE"
  location="${WAS_HOME}/profiles/TDSWebAdminProfile/etc/DummyServerKeyFile.jks"
  type="JKS"
  fileBased="true"
  hostList=""
  managementScope="ManagementScope_DefaultNode_1"/>

<keyStores xmi:id="KeyStore_DefaultNode_11"
  name="DummyServerTrustFile"
  password="{xor}CDo9Hgw="
  provider="IBMJCE"
  location="${WAS_HOME}/profiles/TDSWebAdminProfile/etc/DummyServerTrustFile.jks"
  type="JKS"
  fileBased="true"
  hostList=""
  managementScope="ManagementScope_DefaultNode_1"/>
```

Create a key pair and certificate request for self-signing key store file (.jks) and a key database file (.kdb).

Notes:

1. See the appendix "Setting up GSKit to support CMS key databases" in IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Installation and Configuration Guide.

2. The instructions for creating a key pair and certificate request for self-signing key store file (.jks) and a key database file (.kdb) are given based on the assumption that no key database or key store files have been created. If you already have key database or key store files created that you prefer to use, you can skip to step 4 on page 688.

The only requirements are that you create the key store file and key database file on a machine that has GSKit and Java installed:

Note: There can be only one key store file (.jks) per Web Application Server. You can request one of the following certificates:

- A low assurance certificate from VeriSign, best for non-commercial purposes, such as a beta test of your secure environment
- A server certificate to do commercial business on the Internet from VeriSign or some other CA
- A self-signed server certificate if you plan to act as your own CA for a private Web network

For information about using a CA such as VeriSign to sign the server certificate, see “Creating a key pair and requesting a certificate from a Certificate Authority” on page 152.

1. Do the following to create a key database (.kdb) file on the system that has Security Directory Server installed:
   a. Type `ikeyman` to start the Java utility.
   b. Select **Key Database File**.
   c. Select **New**, or **Open** if the key database already exists.
   d. From the **Key database type** list, select **CMS**.
   e. Specify a key database file name and location. Click **OK**.

   **Note:** A key database is a file that the client or server uses to store one or more key pairs and certificates.

   f. When prompted, supply the password for the key database file. Click **OK**.
   g. Go to **Create->New Self-Signed Certificate**.
   h. Supply the following:
      - User-assigned label for the key pair. The label identifies the key pair and certificate in the key database file.
      - The desired certificate Version.
      - The desired Key Size.
      - The X.500 common name of the server. Usually this is the TCP/IP fully qualified host name, for example, www.ibm.com.
      - The organization name. This is the name of your organization.
2. Do the following to create a self-signing key store file (.jks) on the system on which Web Administration Tool is installed:
   a. Type `ikeyman` to start the Java utility.
   b. Select **Key Database File**.
   c. Select **New**, or **Open** if the key database already exists.
   d. From the **Key database type** list, select **JKS**.
   e. Specify a key store file name and location. Click **OK**.
   f. When prompted, supply the password for the key store file. Click **OK**.
   g. Go to **Create->New Self-Signed Certificate**.
   h. Supply the following:
      - User-assigned label for the key pair. The label identifies the key pair and certificate in the key database file.
      - The desired certificate Version.
      - The desired Key Size.
      - The X.500 common name of the server. Usually this is the TCP/IP fully qualified host name, for example, www.ibm.com.
      - The organization name. This is the name of your organization.
      - The organizational unit name. This is an optional field.
      - The locality/city where the server is located. This is an optional field.
      - A three-character abbreviation of the state/province where the server is located. This is an optional field.
      - The zip code appropriate for the server’s location. This is an optional field.
      - The two-character country code where the server is located.
      - The Validity Period for the certificate.
   i. Click **OK**.

3. Extract the certificate from the .kdb file to the .jks file:
   a. Select **Key Database File**.
   b. Select **Open**.
   c. Select the key database type, key database (.kdb) file name, and location.
      
      **Note:** This is the key database file you created previously.
   d. When prompted, specify the password.
   e. Click **OK**.
   f. Select **Personal Certificates**.
g. Click Extract Certificate.

h. Select Data type. For this scenario, select Binary DER data.

   Note: The Data type can also be Base-64 encoded ASCII data, which creates .arm file.

i. Provide a filename and location.

   Notes:
   1) Remember this filename and location.
   2) Transfer the extracted server certificate from the server system to the client system, if required.

j. Select Key Database File.

k. Select Open.

l. Select the key database type, key store (.jks) file name, and location.

   Note: This is the key store file you created previously.

m. When prompted, specify the password.

n. Click OK.

o. Go to Signer Certificates.

p. Click Add.

q. Select the Binary DER data (.der) file created previously for the key database (.kdb) file.

r. Click OK.

s. Enter a label for the certificate.

t. Click OK.


6. Log on to the Web Administration Tool to add a non-SSL-enabled server.

   Launch the Web Administration Tool:

   a. After you have started the application server, from a Web browser, type the following address: http://localhost:12100/IDSWebApp/IDSjsp/Login.jsp

      The IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Tool Login page is displayed.

      Note: This address works only if you are running the browser on the computer on which the Web Administration Tool is installed. If the Web Administration Tool is installed on a different computer, replace localhost with the hostname or IP address of the computer where the Web Administration Tool is installed.

   b. Log in to the console as the console administrator:

      1) Be sure that Console administration login is displayed.
      2) In the User ID field, type superadmin.
      3) In the Password field, type secret.

      The IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Tool console is displayed.
c. Add a non-SSL-enabled server to the console, using the following instructions:
   1) Expand **Console administration** in the navigation area.
   2) Click **Manage console servers**. A table of server host names and port numbers is displayed.
   3) Click **Add**.
   4) Specify a unique name that identifies a registered IBM Security Directory Server instance running on a specified host name or IP address and server port. The server name is displayed in the LDAP Hostname list on the Directory server login panel. If a name is not provided in the Server name field, the hostname:port combination would be displayed for the server instance in the LDAP Hostname list on the Directory server login panel.
   5) Type the hostname or the IP address of the server in the **Hostname** field; for example, myserver.mycity.mycompany.com.
   6) Specify the server port number in the **Port** field.
   7) Select the **Admin server supported** check box to enable the Administration port control.
   8) Specify the administration server port number in the **Administration port** field.
   9) Ensure the **Enable SSL encryption** check box is not checked.
   10) Click **OK**, and then click **OK** again on the confirmation panel.
   d. Click **Logout** in the navigation area.

7. Log in as the directory server instance administrator:
   a. On the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Login Tool page, select the LDAP host name or IP address for your computer from the drop-down menu for the **LDAP Hostname** field.
   b. Type the administrator DN and the password for the directory server instance. You specified these fields during instance creation.
   c. Click **Login**.

8. Configure the security settings for the Web Administration console:
   a. Go to the Web Administration console.
   b. Click **Server administration**.
   c. Click **Manage security properties**.
   d. Click **Settings**.
   e. To enable an SSL connection, select the **SSL** radio button.

   **Note:** The security settings you set for IBM Security Directory Server here apply to the directory administration server as well.
   f. Select the **Server and client authentication** radio button.

   **Note:** You must distribute the server certificate to the client. For server and client authentication, you also must add the certificate of the client to the server's key database.

   g. Select the **Key database** tab:

   1) Specify the **Key database path and file name**. This is the fully qualified file specification of the key database file. If a password stash file is defined, it is assumed to have the same file specification, with an extension of .sth.
2) Specify the **Key password**. If a password stash file is not being used, the password for the key database file must be specified here. Then specify the password again in the **Confirm password** field.

3) Specify the **Key label**. This administrator-defined key label indicates what part of the key database to use.

**Note:** In order for the server to use this file, it must be readable by the user ID `idsldap`. See the *IBM Security Directory Server Version 6.3.1 Troubleshooting Guide* for information about file permissions.

h. When you are finished, do one of the following:
   - Click **Apply** to save your changes without exiting the panel.
   - Click **OK** to apply your changes and exit the panel.
   - Click **Cancel** to exit this panel without making any changes.

i. You must stop and restart both IBM Security Directory Server and the administration server for the changes to take effect.

9. Configure the console properties settings for the Web Administration console:
   a. After you have restarted the application server, log in to the console as the console administrator:
      1) In the **User ID** field, type `superadmin`.
      2) In the **Password** field, type `secret`.
   b. Expand **Console administration** in the navigation area.
   c. Click **Manage console properties**.
   d. Click **Component management** to specify the components that are enabled for all servers in the console. By default all the components are enabled.

   **Note:** You might not see a management component or some of its tasks, even if it is enabled, if you do not have the correct authority on the server or the server does not have the needed capabilities, or both.
   e. Click **Session properties** to set the time out limit for the console session. The default setting is 60 minutes.

   **Note:** A session might be valid for three to five minutes more than what you have set. This is because the invalidations are performed by a background thread in the application server that acts on a timer interval. This timer interval extends the session time out duration.
   f. Click **SSL key database** to set up the console so that it can communicate with other LDAP servers using the Secure Sockets Layer (SSL), if necessary. Set the key database path and file name, the key password, the trusted database path and file name, the trusted password in the appropriate fields.

   **Note:** The supported file type is `.jks`. Use the `.jks` file you created previously. See [“Using ikeyman” on page 151](#) and [“Secure Sockets Layer” on page 141](#) for information about key databases and SSL.

   **Note:** The LDAP server and the administration server can have separate credentials (key database files).
   g. Click **OK**.

10. Add an SSL-enabled server to the console:
   a. Expand **Console administration** in the navigation area.
b. Click Manage console servers.

c. Click Add.

d. Specify a unique name that identifies a registered Security Directory Server instance running on a specified host name or IP address and server port. The server name is displayed in the LDAP Hostname list on the Directory server login panel. If a name is not provided in the Server name field, the hostname:port combination would be displayed for the server instance in the LDAP Hostname list on the Directory server login panel.

e. Type the hostname or the IP address of the server in the Hostname field; for example, myserver.mycity.mycompany.com

f. Specify the server secure port number in the Port field.

g. Select the Admin server supported check box to enable the Administration port control.

h. Specify the admin server secure port number in the Administration port field.

Note: The Port number and Administration port numbers are different for an SSL-enabled server. Click Help for more information.

i. Select the Enable SSL encryption check box.

j. Click OK, and then click OK again on the confirmation panel.

k. Click Logout in the navigation area.

Note: You need to restart IBM WebSphere Application Server.

11. Log in as the directory server instance administrator to verify that the SSL-enabled server was added correctly:

a. On the IBM Security Directory Server Web Administration Login Tool page, select the LDAP host name or IP address for your computer from the drop-down menu for the LDAP Hostname field.

b. Type the administrator DN and the password for the directory server instance. You specified these fields during instance creation.

c. Click Login.

12. Configure the SSL-enabled localhost as SSL only-enabled:

a. Go to the Web Administration console.

b. Click Server administration.

c. Click Manage security properties.

d. Click Settings.

e. To enable an SSL connection, select the SSL only radio button.

f. Select the Server and client authentication radio button.

Note: You must distribute the server certificate to each client. For server and client authentication you also must add the certificate for each client to the server’s key database.

g. When you are finished, click Apply to save your changes without exiting. Click OK to apply your changes and exit. Click Cancel to exit this panel without making any changes.

h. You must stop and restart both IBM Security Directory Server and the administration server for the changes to take effect.

13. Issue the following command to verify that the server is functioning as an SSL server:

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Setting up an SSL connection between a IBM Security Directory Server C-based client and IBM Security Directory Server

1. Do the following to create a key database (.kdb) file and self-signed certificate on the server using the ikeyman utility:
   a. Type `ikeyman` to start the Java utility.
   b. Select **Key Database File**.
   c. Select **New**, or **Open** if the key database already exists.
   d. Specify a key database type, key database file name (for example, `server_file.kdb`), and location. Click **OK**.
   e. When prompted, supply the password for the key database file.
   f. Make sure the **Stash a password to a file** box is checked.
   g. Click **OK**.
   h. Go to **Create->New Self-Signed Certificate**.
   i. Supply the following:
      - User-assigned label for the key pair. The label identifies the key pair and certificate in the key database file.
      - The desired certificate Version.
      - The desired Key Size.
      - The X.500 common name of the server. Usually this is the TCP/IP fully qualified host name, for example, www.ibm.com.
      - The organization name. This is the name of your organization.
      - The organizational unit name. This is an optional field.
      - The locality/city where the server is located. This is an optional field.
      - A three-character abbreviation of the state/province where the server is located. This is an optional field.
      - The zip code appropriate for the server's location. This is an optional field.
      - The two-character country code where the server is located.
      - The Validity Period for the certificate.

2. Do the following to create a new .kdb file on the client machine:
   a. Type `ikeyman` to start the Java utility.
   b. Select **Key Database File**.
   c. Select **New**, or **Open** if the key database already exists.
   d. Specify a key database type, key database file name (for example, `client_file.kdb`), and location. Click **OK**.
   e. When prompted, supply the password for the key database file.
   f. Make sure the **Stash a password to a file** box is checked.
   g. Click **OK**.

3. Do the following on the server machine:
   a. Open the `server_file.kdb` file.
   b. Go to **Personal Certificates**.
c. Click **Extract Certificate**.
d. Provide a filename and location.

    **Note:** Remember this filename and location.

4. Transfer the extracted server’s self-signed certificate from the server machine to the client machine.
5. Do the following on the client machine:
   a. Open the `client_file.kdb` file.
   b. Go to **Signer Certificates**.
   c. Click **Add**.
   d. Click **Browse** to find the server’s self-signed certificate that you transferred to the client machine.
   e. Open the file.
   f. Click **OK**.
   g. Enter the label for this certificate.

    **Note:** This label must match the label you defined in step 692.

   h. Select the certificate and click **View/Edit**. Make sure the **Set the certificate as a trusted root** box is selected.

   i. Go to **Create**->**New Self-Signed Certificate**.

   j. Supply the following:
      - User-assigned label for the key pair. The label identifies the key pair and certificate in the key database file.
      - The desired certificate Version.
      - The desired Key Size.
      - The X.500 common name of the server. Usually this is the TCP/IP fully qualified host name, for example, www.ibm.com.
      - The organization name. This is the name of your organization.
      - The organizational unit name. This is an optional field.
      - The locality/city where the server is located. This is an optional field.
      - A three-character abbreviation of the state/province where the server is located. This is an optional field.
      - The zip code appropriate for the server’s location. This is an optional field.
      - The two-character country code where the server is located.
      - The Validity Period for the certificate.

   k. Click **OK**.

   l. Click **Extract Certificate**.

   m. Provide a filename and location.

    **Note:** Remember this filename and location.

   n. Click **OK**.

6. Transfer the extracted client’s self-signed certificate from the client machine to the server machine.
7. Do the following on the server machine:
   a. Open the `server_file.kdb` file.
b. Go to Signer Certificates.

c. Click **Add**.

d. Click **Browse** to find the client's self-signed certificate that you transferred to the server machine.

e. Open the file.

f. Click **OK**.

g. Enter the label for this certificate.

**Note:** This label must match the label you defined in step 693.

h. Select the certificate and click **View/Edit**. Make sure the **Set the certificate as a trusted root** box is selected.

8. Issue the following command, on the server machine to modify the cn=SSL,cn=Configuration entry in the ibmslapd.conf file:

   ```bash
   idsldapmodify -p port -D admin_dn -w admin_pw -i filename
   ```

   where **filename** contains:

   ```
   dn: cn=SSL,cn=Configuration
   changetype: modify
   replace: ibm-slapdSslAuth
   ibm-slapdSslAuth: serverClientAuth
   -
   replace: ibm-slapdSecurity
   ibm-slapdSecurity: SSLonly
   -
   replace: ibm-slapdSSLKeyDatabase
   ibm-slapdSSLKeyDatabase: server_keyfile
   -
   replace: ibm-slapdSSLKeyDatabasePW
   ibm-slapdSSLKeyDatabasePW: server_keyfile_password
   -
   replace: ibm-slapdSslKeyRingFilePW
   ibm-slapdSslKeyRingFilePW: server_keyfile_password
   ```

9. Restart the directory server and the administration server for the changes to take effect.

10. Issue the following command, from the client to verify that the server is functioning as an SSL server:

    ```bash
    idsldapsearch -h hostname -p server_secure_port -D admin_dn -w admin_pw -K keyfile -b "cn=localhost" objectClass=*     
    ```

    **Note:** You do not need to specify the **-P** option here because the keyfile password was attached to a stash file.
Appendix O. High Availability Scenarios

IBM Security Directory Server is widely deployed in high availability (HA) configurations. In a typical HA configuration, a load balancer is configured in front of several peer masters. Load balancing function, also called virtual IP support or layer 4 routing is usually implemented using network switches. Many network switches from Cisco, F5, Nortel, and other switch vendors have this capability.

For HA configurations, a load balancer is configured only for the purpose of a failover. If a primary master goes down, all traffic to that master is redirected to one of the peer masters. Usually, failback to the original peer is not automatic. However, this is appropriate as the failback is desired only when the replication queue to the newly restarted peer becomes empty. The load balancer sends health check messages to the LDAP servers frequently. For most load balancers, the default health check message is very basic such as a TCP SYN packet. If the target server responds with an ACK, then it is regarded as up. However, the SYN packet is not a very accurate measure of availability, because an ACK is returned even if the target server is in a hung state.

In larger configurations, both load balancing and failover may be desired. Typically, load balancing of write traffic is unwise, because it leads to a possibility of an update conflict. So, one common approach is to configure read and write applications to use a virtual IP address in the load balancer which is configured for failover, and to have read-only applications point to a different virtual IP address, which is configured for load balancing. For write access, the load balancers are configured to failover between peer masters. For read access, failover and load balancing may occur between read-only replicas or between a combination of peer masters and read-only replicas.

The licensed version of Security Directory Server also includes the proxy server. The proxy server has the ability to distinguish between LDAP reads and writes, and so it can failover writes and load balance reads. However, it is advisable to have several proxies so that there is no single point of failure. The proxies are typically fronted by one or several load balancers.

Many LDAP applications use persistent sessions. If persistent sessions are used, the failover process may not be fast. While new sessions are redirected to the backup server, the existing sessions may take several minutes to time out, resulting in a loss of service for that period. This problem can be resolved by using the Proxy server of IBM Security Directory Server, version 6.1 or later, which fails over existing sessions without disruption. Some load balancers, such as the software load balancer included in IBM WebSphere Application Server Network Deployment, can be configured to send a reset (RST) packet to any persistent sessions, so that they can be quickly re-established on the failover server.

There are several other characteristics of an HA configuration. For instance, in an HA configuration scenario, if one system goes down, the remaining systems must be able to bear the load. Also, it is a good idea to build redundancy into the network configuration, so that if one LAN segment or switch goes down, traffic can still flow from LDAP clients to LDAP servers. In an HA configuration, it is advisable to store LDAP data on RAID arrays, so that no server outage is caused by a physical disk failure. It is also advisable to use system monitoring tools to poll the availability of the servers, so that recovery procedures can be initiated if...
any of the servers go down. Some scenarios may also have HA support to include multiple redundant sites, so that if an entire site is lost, the other one takes over.

Another important characteristic of HA configuration involves the ability to accomplish maintenance without system downtime. IBM Security directory server supports incremental upgrade of a server topology, so that service can be applied to one server at a time without downtime for the directory service. Updates for the server that is down are queued, so that it comes back into full synch when it is restarted. Security Directory Server also supports online backup of an existing server, using either DB2 or RAID facilities. This allows new servers to be added or existing servers to be replaced in the topology without downtime.
Appendix P. Referential integrity plug-in

Security Directory Server provides a plug-in named libdelref which is a pre-operation plug-in that enables referential integrity constraints for LDAP Delete operation. The libraries are available at the location: $DS_HOME/lib$ or lib64, and library name varies for different platforms as libdelref.dll (Windows), libdelref.a (AIX), libdelref.so (Solaris and Linux ). Also, a sample configuration file $tdsdelref.conf$ is available in the /etc directory of the Security Directory Server install location. When an instance is created, the $tdsdelref.conf$ file becomes available in the etc directory of the instance location.

You can enable the plug-in using the attribute $ibm-slapdReferentialIntegrityPlugin$ defined in the $imbslapd.conf$ file. By default, the value of this attribute is false. To enable the plug-in you must modify the attribute value to true and restart the server.

The following lines in the $imbslapd.conf$ file define the libdelref plugin:

```
dn: cn=Directory, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
ibm-slapdPlugin: preoperation libdelref.so DeleteReferenceInit
file=/home/nuser/idsslapd-nuser/etc/tdsdelref.conf dn=o=sample
ibm-slapdReferentialIntegrityPlugin: FALSE
```

**Note:** By default the plug-in entry function is "DeleteReferenceInit". However, for debugging purposes the function "DeleteReferenceInitDebug" may be substituted in the init-function specification in the $imbslapd.conf$ file to generate more verbose logging in ibmslapd.log.

Here, the $ibm-slapdPlugin$ attribute defines that the plugin is a pre-operation plugin whose library is libdelref.so. The $file$ parameter takes the default value as the complete path of the sample $tdsdelref.conf$ file in the etc directory and the $dn$ parameter takes the default value for the $dn$ under which you want to search for the entries as $o=sample$.

To enable the plug-in, issue the following command:

```
idsldapmodify -D bindDN -w password
dn: cn=Directory, cn=RDBM Backends, cn=IBM Directory, cn=Schemas, cn=Configuration
ibm-slapdReferentialIntegrityPlugin: True
```

The plugin is initialized by reading referential integrity constraint information from the file specified by $file$ parameter and the $dn$ specified by the $dn$ parameter in the $tdsdelref.conf$ file. The $tdsdelref.conf$ file is included for reference purposes. You can use any file as long as it adheres to the following format:

```
file= absolutePathToFile
dn= searchDN
```

Or:

```
oc= deleteObjectClass:referenceObjectClass:referenceAttribute
dn= searchDN
```

where:

$absolutePathToFile$: is the absolute path to a file containing oc and dn parameters
**deleteObjectClass**: is the objectclass name of the deleted object for which the referential integrity is to be maintained

**referenceObjectClass**: is the objectclass name of the reference object which might contain reference to the deleted object

**referenceAttribute**: is the attribute name in the referenceObjectClass whose value is the reference to the object being deleted

**searchDN**: is the base DN, where objects need to searched (for references to the object being deleted)

The file may contain multiple attributes and search base DN specifications in any order. Each specification is treated literally, so white space before and after a specification is not allowed, and will lead to undesirable results.

**Note**: There can be multiple instances of "oc" and "dn", separated by spaces.

Let us consider an example of how referential integrity works for a delete operation. Consider an example where the entry in `tdsdelfconf.conf` is:

```
oc=inetOrgPerson:inetOrgPerson:manager
```

Let us assume there are two users in the DIT, namely: cn=testmanager and cn=testuser. Also, let us assume that the manager of cn=testuser is cn=testmanager. For instance:

```
dn: cn=testmanager,o=sample
objectclass: inetOrgPerson
sn: manager

dn: cn=testuser,o=sample
objectclass: inetOrgPerson
sn: testuser
manager: cn=testmanager,o=sample
```

Now, if referential integrity plugin is enabled and you delete cn=testmanager, then all the references to cn=testmanager for manager attribute in cn=testuser will also get deleted.

This section contains information to consider when setting up a mixed platform environment where an LDAP directory is being replicated between Security Directory Server on Linux, Unix, or Windows platforms and z/OS IBM Security Directory Server. This information also applies to migration of the schema and directory entries between these different platforms.

**Note:** Replication from a z/OS LDAP Server to a Distributed LDAP Server on a distributed platform depends on the following conditions:
- The data stored or modified on the z/OS server and the operations used to update them are limited to the subset that is supported on both directory servers.
- The schema definitions are equivalent between the two servers.

The Distributed platforms include AIX, Windows, Solaris, Linux, and HP-UX. For optimal performance, it is better to use replication only between Distributed LDAP Server on Distributed platforms.

### Schema considerations

1. **Syntax and matching rules:**


   Additional syntaxes and matching rules must be removed from the Security Directory Server schema before it can be used in z/OS IBM Security Directory Server. Attributes using these syntaxes or matching rules must either be removed from the schema or changed to use syntaxes and matching rules supported by z/OS IBM Security Directory Server. If the attributes are in use in an entry, either remove the attribute values from the entry if the attribute is being removed from the schema or ensure that the attribute values conform to the changed attribute definition in the schema.

2. **Schema LDIF format:**

   The format of the schema LDIF obtained from Security Directory Server or z/OS IBM Security Directory Server by publishing the schema (using `ldapsearch -L`) might not be acceptable input for a schema modification.

   a. When modifying the Security Directory Server schema, break up the `attributetypes` and `objectclasses` in the schema file into separate schema modifications, each including a single `attributetypes` value or `objectclasses` value. Also, include an `ibmattributetypes` value (if any) in the modification for its associated `attributetypes` value. If the attribute or object class already exists in the schema, make the modification a modify-replace; otherwise, make the modification a modify-add.

   When modifying the z/OS IBM Security Directory Server schema, the entire LDIF can be processed in a single modify-replace operation, whether or not the attributes or object classes already exist in the schema.

   For example, assume that attribute `attr1` and object class `objclass1` already exist in the schema. For z/OS IBM Security Directory Server, the following
schema modification replaces those schema elements and adds new
attribute attr2 and object class objclass2:

dn: cn=schema
changetype: modify
replace: attributetypes
attributetypes: (  
  1.3.18.0.2.4.11111  
  NAME 'attr1'  
  DESC 'Description for attribute attr1'  
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15  
  USAGE userApplications  
)  
IBMAttributetypes: (  
  1.3.18.0.2.4.11111  
  ACCESS-CLASS normal  
)  
attributetypes: (  
  1.3.18.0.2.4.22222  
  NAME 'attr2'  
  DESC 'Description for attribute attr2'  
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15  
  USAGE userApplications  
)  
IBMAttributetypes: (  
  1.3.18.0.2.4.22222  
  ACCESS-CLASS normal  
)  
replace: objectclasses
objectclasses: (  
  1.3.18.0.2.6.33333  
  NAME 'objclass1'  
  DESC 'Description for object class objclass1'  
  SUP top  
  STRUCTURAL  
  MUST ( cn )  
  MAY ( attr1 )  
)  
objectclasses: (  
  1.3.18.0.2.6.44444  
  NAME 'objclass2'  
  DESC 'Description for object class objclass2'  
  SUP top  
  STRUCTURAL  
  MUST ( cn )  
  MAY ( attr1 $ attr2 )  
)  
For Security Directory Server, this schema modification has to be
reformatted into separate schema modifications and modify-add used
instead of modify-replace for the new schema elements, as follows:

dn: cn=schema
changetype: modify
replace: attributetypes
attributetypes: (  
  1.3.18.0.2.4.11111  
  NAME 'attr1'  
  DESC 'Description for attribute attr1'  
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15  
  USAGE userApplications  
)  
IBMAttributetypes: (  
  1.3.18.0.2.4.11111  
  ACCESS-CLASS normal  
)  
attributetypes: (  
  1.3.18.0.2.4.22222  
  NAME 'attr2'  
  DESC 'Description for attribute attr2'  
  SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15  
  USAGE userApplications  
)  
IBMAttributetypes: (  
  1.3.18.0.2.4.22222  
  ACCESS-CLASS normal  
)  
replace: objectclasses
objectclasses: (  
  1.3.18.0.2.6.33333  
  NAME 'objclass1'  
  DESC 'Description for object class objclass1'  
  SUP top  
  STRUCTURAL  
  MUST ( cn )  
  MAY ( attr1 )  
)  
objectclasses: (  
  1.3.18.0.2.6.44444  
  NAME 'objclass2'  
  DESC 'Description for object class objclass2'  
  SUP top  
  STRUCTURAL  
  MUST ( cn )  
  MAY ( attr1 $ attr2 )  
)
dn: cn=schema
changeType: modify
add: attributetypes
attributetypes: (1.3.18.0.2.4.22222
NAME 'attr2'
DESC 'Description for attribute attr2'
SYNTAX 1.3.6.1.4.1.1466.115.121.1.15
USAGE userApplications
)
IBMAttributetypes: (1.3.18.0.2.4.22222
ACCESS-CLASS normal
)
dn: cn=schema
changeType: modify
replace: objectclasses
objectclasses: (1.3.18.0.2.6.33333
NAME 'objc1ass1'
DESC 'Description for object class objclass1'
SUP top
STRUCTURAL
MUST ( cn )
MAY ( attr1 )
)
dn: cn=schema
changeType: modify
add: objectclasses
objectclasses: (1.3.18.0.2.6.44444
NAME 'objc1ass2'
DESC 'Description for object class objclass2'
SUP top
STRUCTURAL
MUST ( cn )
MAY ( attr1 $ attr2 )
)
b. Ensure that the object classes do not precede the attributes that they reference.

Import or export of directory entries

1. Exporting data from Security Directory Server to z/OS IBM Security Directory Server:

   a. IBM Security Directory Server includes certain suffixes, such as
      cn=configuration, cn=ibmPolicies, and cn=localhost, that contain special
      entries used to manage LDAP configuration, policies, and replication. z/OS
      IBM Security Directory Server only supports some of these special entries.
      You must remove the other special entries from the LDIF or use db2ldif -s
      subtreeDN -x to avoid unloading these suffixes. The cn=configuration
      suffix contains entries that are used to configure advanced replication
      support. When the server is first started, the following advanced replication
      configuration entries under the cn=configuration suffix are automatically
      created:
      • cn=configuration
      • cn=Replication,cn=configuration
      • cn=Log Management,cn=Configuration
      • cn=Replication,cn=Log Management,cn=Configuration


b. User passwords must be in clear text, SHA, or CRYPT. Other forms are not compatible with z/OS IBM Security Directory Server. If using CRYPT, make sure to specify `pwCryptCompat off` in the z/OS IBM Security Directory Server's configuration file.

c. z/OS IBM Security Directory Server does not support the use of filtered ACLs in `aclEntry` attribute values (`ibm-filterAclEntry` attribute). You must remove these before importing to z/OS IBM Security Directory Server.

2. Exporting data from z/OS IBM Security Directory Server to Security Directory Server:

   a. For Security Directory Server, `aclEntry` and `entryOwner` attribute values must begin with the following format:
      
      "access-id:|group:|role:"

      This is not required for z/OS IBM Security Directory Server, therefore, it might need to be added to these attribute values before importing to Security Directory Server. Always specify these on z/OS IBM Security Directory Server to avoid this issue.

   b. User passwords must be in clear text, SHA, or CRYPT. Other forms are not compatible with Security Directory Server. If using CRYPT, make sure to specify `pwCryptCompat off` in the z/OS IBM Security Directory Server’s configuration file. Use `ds2ldif -t` to unload passwords in the tagged format used by Security Directory Server.

**Functional considerations**

1. For Security Directory Server, deleting a person entry results in removing the DN of the entry from groups and ACLs. This is not done in z/OS IBM Security Directory Server. Instead, applications need to do this themselves.

2. Similarly, Security Directory Server supports a control that allows deletion of all entries in a subtree. z/OS IBM Security Directory Server does not support this control, therefore, applications need to do this themselves.

3. There are some capabilities that only Security Directory Server or only z/OS IBM Security Directory Server supports. Restrict usage to capabilities supported on both platforms to facilitate replication of operations and migration of entries.
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Glossary

Use this section to locate definitions of some of the IBM Directory product terms

access control list (ACL)
In computer security, a list associated with an object that identifies all the subjects that can access the object and their access rights.

access control groups
Groups to be used for access control. Each group contains a multivalued attribute consisting of member DNs. Access control groups have an object class of 'AccessGroup'.

access permissions
There are two sets of access permissions:
- Permissions that apply to an entire object
- Permissions that apply to attribute access classes or individual attributes.

aclEntry
A multivalued attribute that contains information pertaining to the access allowed to the entry and its attributes. An aclEntry lists the following types of information: who has rights to the entry (scope of the protection), what attributes or classes of attributes the user has access to (attribute access classes), and what rights the user or group has (permission).

aclPropagate
The attribute that controls ACL propagation. If the value is set to true, ACLs are propagated down the hierarchy tree. If the value is set to false, the ACL becomes an override, pertaining only to this particular object.

aclSource
A read-only operational attribute that is associated with each object. This attribute contains the distinguished name (DN) of the entry in which the access control list (ACL) is defined.

Advanced Encryption Standard (AES)
A data encryption technique that improved upon and officially replaced the Data Encryption Standard (DES).

alias
A pointer to another directory object. Aliases can be used within LDAP to reference entries anywhere within the directory tree.

attribute access class
Class that consists of attributes that require similar permission for access. Attributes are assigned to an access class within the schema files. The user-modifiable access classes are normal, sensitive, critical, and restricted. An additional class of system is not user-modifiable.

cascading replication
A replication topology in which there are multiple tiers of servers. A peer/master server replicates to a small set of read-only servers which in turn replicate to other servers. Such a topology off-loads replication work from the master servers.

cipher
A cryptographic algorithm used to encrypt data that is unreadable until converted into plain data with a predefined key.

CipherSpec
The combination of encryption algorithm and hash function applied to an SSL message after authentication completes.

cipher specifications
Specifications that indicate the data encryption algorithm and key size to use for secure connections.

cipher suite
The combination of authentication, key exchange algorithm, and the Secure Sockets Layer (SSL) cipher specification used for the secure exchange of data.

consumer server
A server which receives changes through replication from a supplier server.
**digital signature**
Information that is encrypted with a private key and is appended to a message or object to assure the recipient of the authenticity and integrity of the message or object. The digital signature proves that the message or object was signed by the entity that owns, or has access to, the private key or shared-secret symmetric key. Digital signatures are used for authentication and integrity assurance of digital data.

**directory schema**
The valid attribute types, object classes, matching rules and syntaxes that can appear in a directory. The attribute types and object classes define the syntax of the attribute values, which attributes must be present, and which attributes may be present for specific object classes.

**directory server instance**
A directory server instance is comprised of all of the nonexecutable files that are required for a directory server and its corresponding administration daemon to run on a machine. These files include the ibmslapd.conf file, the schema files, the stash files, and the log files of the directory server instance. Each server instance and its corresponding administration daemon listens on a unique port with the same IP address.

**distinguished name (DN)**
The name that uniquely identifies an entry in a directory. A distinguished name is made up of attribute=value pairs, separated by commas.

**DMS (Database Managed Space)**
A tablespace where the database manager controls the storage space.

**entryOwner**
An attribute whose value can refer to a user or a group. Each entry has an associated entryOwner attribute. However, the entryOwner subject has all authority to the entry.

**Forwarding server**
A read-only server that replicates all changes sent to it. This contrasts to a peer/master server in that it is read only and it can have no peers.

**Gateway server**
A server that forwards all replication traffic from the local replication site where it resides to other Gateway servers in the replicating network. Also receives replication traffic from other Gateway servers within the replication network, which it forwards to all servers on its local replication site.

Gateway servers must be masters (writable).

**group**
A logical organization of users based on some common criteria. Groups can be used in specifying a common set of directory access permissions.

**hashing algorithm**
The algorithm used by the anonymizer to anonymize a hash value into a cryptographic irreversible data value.

**iKeyman**
A tool supplied with the Gateway for maintaining digital certificates for SSLight and JSSE.

The ikeyman tool is a user-friendly GUI tool for managing key files. This tool allows creating of public-private key pairs and certificate requests, receiving certificate requests into a key database, and managing keys in a key database.

**indexing rules**
Index rules attached to attributes make it possible to retrieve information faster. The IBM Security Directory Server provides the following indexing rules:
- Equality
- Approximate
- Substring
- Reverse

**ldapadd**
The LDAP modify-entry and LDAP add-entry tool ldapmodify is a shell-accessible interface to the ldap_modify and ldap_add library calls. ldapadd is implemented as a renamed version of ldapmodify. When invoked as
ldapadd the -a (add new entry) flag is turned on automatically.

**ldapdelete**
The LDAP delete-entry tool ldapdelete is a shell-accessible interface to the ldap_delete library call. ldapdelete opens a connection to an LDAP server and binds and deletes one or more entries. If one or more dn arguments are provided, entries with those Distinguished Names (DN) are deleted. Each DN should be a string-represented DN.

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**ldapmodrdn**
LDAP modify-entry RDN tool ldapmodrdn is a shell-accessible interface to the ldap_modrdn library call. ldapmodrdn opens a connection to an LDAP server and binds and modifies the RDN of entries. The entry information is read from standard input, from a file, through the use of the -f option, or from the command-line pair DN and RDN.

**ldapsearch**
The LDAP search tool ldapsearch is a shell-accessible interface to the ldap_search library call. ldapsearch opens a connection to an LDAP server and binds and performs a search using the filter. The filter should conform to the string representation for LDAP filters.

**LDAP Data Interchange Format (LDIF)**
A format used by the LDAP import-export tools as well as ldapmodify, ldapadd, and ldapsearch command-line utilities to represent LDAP entries or changes to entries in a standard portable text form. See RFC 2849.

**ldif2db**
This program is used to load entries specified in text LDAP Directory Interchange Format (LDIF) into a directory stored in a relational database. The database must already exist. ldif2db can be used to add entries to an empty directory database or to a database that already contains entries.

**matching rule**
A rule that describes how to perform a comparison.

**multiple values**
Multiple values are used to assign more than one value to an attribute. The attribute can have multiple values, for example, to accommodate a maiden and married last name. To add multiple values to an attribute, click **Multiple values**, then add one value per line. If an attribute contains multiple values, the field displays as a drop-down list.

**nested group**
A child group entry whose distinguished name (DN) is referenced by an attribute contained within a parent group entry. The ibm-membergroup attribute has been defined to explicitly distinguish nested groups from ordinary members.

**nested subtree**
A subtree within another subtree of the directory.

**object class definition**
Statement that specifies which attributes must be present in an object of that class, as well as attributes that might be present. Every entry contains an objectClass attribute that identifies what type of information the entry contains.

**object class types**
Object classes can be structural, for example, **person**; abstract, for example **top**; or auxiliary, for example **ePerson**.

**ownerPropagate**
The attribute that controls directory object ownership propagation. If the value is set to true, directory object ownership is propagated down the hierarchy tree. If that attribute is set to false, the entry owner specified is an override, pertaining only to this particular entry.

**ownerSource**
A read only operational attribute that contains the distinguished name (DN) of the entry in which the owner values are defined. Each entry has an associated ownerSource attribute. This attribute is maintained by the server but can be retrieved for administrative purposes.
Peer server
The term used for a master server when there are multiple masters for a given subtree. A peer server does not replicate changes sent to it from another peer server; it only replicates changes that are originally made on it.

Proxy server
A server that receives requests intended for another server and that acts on the client’s behalf (as the client’s proxy) to obtain the requested service. A proxy server is often used when the client and the server are incompatible for direct connection. For example, the client is unable to meet the security authentication requirements of the server but should be permitted some services.

Public key
The non-secret half of a cryptographic key pair that is used with a public key algorithm. The public key is made available to everyone. Public keys are typically used to verify digital signatures or decrypt data that has been encrypted with the corresponding private key.

In secure communication, an algorithmic pattern used to decrypt messages that were encrypted by the corresponding private key. A public key is also used to encrypt messages that can be decrypted only by the corresponding private key. Users broadcast their public keys to everyone with whom they must exchange encrypted messages.

Quiesce
To put the server into a state in which it does not accept client updates, except for those done by the administrator and accompanied by replication management control.

Referral
A way for servers to refer clients to additional directory servers. Referrals can distribute namespace information among multiple servers, provide knowledge of where data resides within a set of interrelated servers, and route client requests to the appropriate server. The general format for a referral is: ldap[s]://hostname:port. Typically the format for a referral to a nonsecure server is: ldap://hostname:389 and to a secure SSL server is: ldaps://hostname:636.

Relative distinguished name (RDN)
The first component of the distinguished name (DN). For example, if the entry’s DN is cn=John Doe,ou=Test,o=sample, the RDN is cn=John Doe.

Replica
A server that contains a copy of the directory or a copy of part of the directory of another server. Replicas back up servers in order to enhance performance or response times and to ensure data integrity.

Replicated subtree
A portion of the directory information tree (DIT) that is replicated from one server to another. Under this design, a given subtree can be replicated to some servers and not to others. A subtree can be writable on a given server, while other subtrees might be read-only.

Replicating network
A network that contains connected replication sites.

Replication agreement
Information contained in the directory that defines the connection or replication path between two servers. One server is called the supplier (the one that sends the changes) and the other is the consumer (the one that receives the changes). The agreement contains all the information needed for making a connection from the supplier to the consumer and scheduling replication.

Replication context
The replication context identifies the root of a replicated subtree. The configuration information related to replication is maintained in a set of entries created below a replication context.

Replication site
A Gateway server and any master, peer or replica servers configured to replicate together.

Role
A job function that identifies the tasks that a user can perform and the resources to which a user has access. A user can be assigned one or more roles.

or
Defines what access levels a given user has and the specific resources they can modify at those levels. The user may be limited in how they can access information if they do not have the proper role. Multiple roles are permissible.

**RSA encryption**
A system for public-key cryptography used for encryption and authentication. It was invented in 1977 by Ron Rivest, Adi Shamir, and Leonard Adleman. The security of the system depends on the difficulty of factoring the product of two large prime numbers.

**Secure Sockets Layer (SSL)**
A security protocol that provides communication privacy. SSL enables client and server applications to communicate in a way that is designed to prevent eavesdropping, tampering, and message forgery. SSL was developed by Netscape Communications Corp. and RSA Data Security, Inc.

**SMS (System Managed Space)**
A tablespace where the operating system’s file system manager allocates and manages the space where the table is stored.

**sorted search**
Search that allows a client to receive search results sorted based on a list of criteria, where each criteria represents a sort key. This moves the responsibility of sorting from the client application to the server, where it might be done more efficiently.

**subtree**
A section of a directory hierarchy, which is also called a directory tree. The subtree typically starts at a particular directory and includes all subdirectories and objects below that directory in the directory hierarchy; that is, any subdirectories or objects connected to the directory or to any lower level of its subdirectories.

**suffix**
A distinguished name (DN) that identifies the top entry in a locally held directory hierarchy. Because of the relative naming scheme used in Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP), this suffix applies to every other entry within that directory hierarchy. A directory server can have multiple suffixes, each identifying a locally held directory hierarchy. A suffix is also known as a naming context.

**supplier server**
A server that sends changes to a consumer server.

**syntax**
Syntax refers to the required format for the values of an attribute. Supported syntaxes are:
- IBM Attribute Type Description
- Matching Rule Description
- Name Form Description
- Attribute Type Description
- Object Class Description
- DIT Structure Rule Description
- DIT Content Rule Description
- LDAP Syntax Description
- OID
- Matching Rule Use Description
- Boolean - TRUE/FALSE
- Binary - octet string
- INTEGER - integral number
- Generalized Time
- IA5 String - case-sensitive string
- Directory String - case-insensitive string
- UTC time
- Telephone Number
- DN - distinguished name

**Transport Layer Security (TLS)**
An Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF)-defined security protocol that is based on Secure Sockets Layer (SSL) and is specified in RFC 2246.

**VLV (Virtual List View)**
A GUI technique that may be employed where ordered lists containing a large number of entries need to be displayed. VLV provides a scrollable view of large sorted data set through a window containing a small number of visible entries.
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