



# MobileIron Access Cookbook

## Access with Salesforce and G Suite

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# Overview

SAML provides single sign-on capability for users accessing their services hosted in a cloud environment. Generally, a service provider such as Salesforce is federated with an identity provider such as G Suite for authentication. Users authenticate to G Suite as an identity provider and obtain a SAML token for accessing applications in a cloud environment, such as Salesforce.

This guide serves as step-by-step configuration manual for users using G Suite as an authentication provider with Salesforce in a cloud environment.

## Prerequisites

You must perform the following steps before you configure the service provider and identity provider with Access:

- Verify that you have the credentials for G Suite admin account.
- Verify that you refer the following link before configuring Salesforce and G Suite.  
<https://developers.Salesforce.com/signup>.
- Ensure that you configure Salesforce as a Service Provider that can work with G Suite as an Identity Provider. For more information, see  
<https://support.google.com/a/answer/6194938?hl=en>

Download the metadata files after the configuration. These files must be used when you configure Salesforce and G Suite to flow through MobileIron Access.



# Configuring Salesforce and G Suite with MobileIron Access

You must perform the following tasks to configure Salesforce and G Suite with MobileIron Access:

- [Configure Access to create a Federated Pair](#)
- [Configure the Salesforce environment for Access](#)
- [Configure the G Suite environment for Access](#)
- [Register Sentry to Access](#)

## [Configure Access to create a Federated Pair](#)

You must configure Access to select your service provider and the identity provider. You can apply the configuration settings for the service provider and the identity provider to create a federated pair.

### **Procedure**

1. Log in to **Access**.
2. Click **Profiles > Get Started**.
3. Enter Access host information and upload the **ACCESS SSL certificate**. The other fields retain the default values. Click **Save**. For more information on Access SSL certificates, see *Certificates* in the *MobileIron Access Guide*.
4. Click **Profiles > Federated Pairs > Add**.
5. Select **Salesforce** as the service provider.
6. Enter the following details:
  - a. Enter a **Name** for the service provider.
  - b. Enter an appropriate Description.
  - c. Select *Access Self Signing Certificate* in the **Signing Certificate** drop-down list.
  - d. Upload the metadata details for Salesforce (see Prerequisites) and click **Next**.
  - e. Select *Use Tunnel Certificates for SSO* to configure Cert SSO on MobileIron Core. See *Appendix* in the *MobileIron Access Guide* at <https://support.mobileiron.com/docs/current/accs/> .
7. Click **Next**.
8. Select **G Suite** as the Identity provider. Click **Next** and enter the following details:
  - a. Select *Access Self Signing Certificate* in the **Signing Certificate** drop-down list.
  - b. Upload the metadata details for G Suite (see Prerequisites).
9. Click **Done**.
10. Download the **ACCESS SP Metadata** and the **ACCESS IDP Metadata** file from the Federated Pair listing page.
11. On the **Profile** tab, click **Publish** to publish the profile.



## **Task Result**

The Federated Pair is created.

### [Configure the Salesforce environment for Access](#)

The following procedure configures a trust between Salesforce Service Provider and Access so authentication flows are redirected to Access.


#### **Procedure**

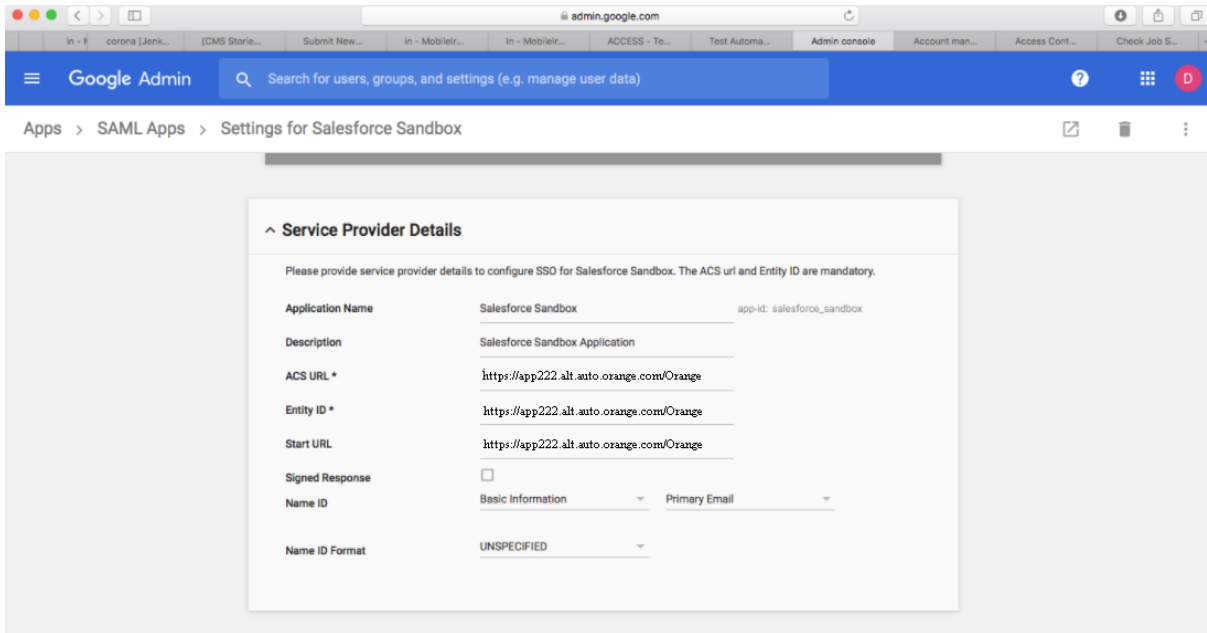
1. Login to Salesforce with Admin credentials.
2. Select **Security Controls > Single Sign On > New from Metadata File**.
3. Click **Browse** and upload the **Access IDP Metadata** (Pairname-UploadTO-Salesforce-SP.xml) File downloaded when configuring Access to create a Federated Pair. See Step 10 in [Configure Access to create a Federated Pair](#).
4. Click **Create > Save**.
5. Select **Domain Management > My Domain > Authentication Configuration settings**.
6. Click **Edit** and select the Authentication service that was created in **Step 4**.
7. Click **Save**.

### [Configure the G Suite environment for Access](#)

The following procedure configures a trust between G Suite Identity Provider and Access so authentication flows are redirected to Access.

#### **Procedure**

1. Login to G Suite admin console with admin credentials, (<https://admin.google.com>)
2. Navigate to Apps from the main menu and click **SAML Apps**.
3. Click **Salesforce** application that was added when configuring Salesforce and G Suite without Access. If the application is not added, click  .
4. Update **ACS URL**, **Entity ID**, and **Start URL**.  
Note: You can extract the Entity ID value from Access SP metadata file (pairname-UploadTo-GSuite.xml file) and paste it for ACS URL, Entity ID, and Start URL.



5. Configuration is complete.

## [Register Sentry to Access](#)

You must register Sentry to Access to fetch the latest configuration from Access.

### **Prerequisite**

Verify that you have registered Sentry earlier. If so, then do not perform this step.

### **Procedure**

1. **Clish** Sentry. In the configuration mode, execute the following command for registration.  
*(config)#accs registration https://<FQDN of Access server><Admin Username of Access Server>*
2. Enter the **Tenant password** and complete the registration.
3. In **Access**, click the **Sentry** tab.
4. Select the appropriate Sentry instance, then click **Action > Assign**.
5. Enter the **Password**.
6. Click **OK**.
7. **Clish** Sentry and execute the following command in configuration mode to fetch the latest configuration from Access immediately:

*(config)# accs config-fetch update*

**Note:** All the published configuration changes are fetched by Sentry assigned to the profile in fifteen minutes. However, if you want to see the changes immediately, then perform Step 7.



## **Task Result**

Single sign-on service is now configured using SAML with Salesforce and G Suite. This configuration lets you fetch the latest configuration from Access.

## **Verification**

- Log into Salesforce Custom Domain. Redirection occurs through Access and G Suite login page displays.
- Enter valid user credentials and verify that you are redirected to Salesforce through Access.



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