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# 1 Understanding Your Select Access Integration

Select Access is an integral part HP's comprehensive Identity Management suite. It delivers a full solution for complex access management across the enterprise. Select Access:

- Automates access control and user life-cycle management
- Extends the enterprise through federation
- Delegates management to business owners and the end users themselves

Along with robust workflow, user self-service, reporting, and delegated administration capabilities, Select Access is the most comprehensive access control system available. Select Access simplifies your ability to secure user access to IBM WebSphere 6.x Server™ resources.

## Assumptions in this Document

This document assumes the following:

- That you have IBM WebSphere 6.x installed and running on your network
- That you understand the features and functions of Select Access
- That you have installed Select Access 6.2
- That you have a working knowledge of Select Access and LDAP 3.0-compliant directory servers

## Integrating the Select Access and WebSphere

In a typical Select Access and EJB application server configuration, all requests for network resources must sent to the web server. That way, when a request for an EJB application is made via the web server, the Enforcer plugin queries the Policy Validator to determine whether or not the user is allowed to access the web server and its resources. If the resource/application request is authorized according to the access policies set in Select Access, network requests proceed with the application server plugin which proxies a query to the servlet engine.



IBM WebSphere Application Server supports the IIS and Sun ONE web servers, and the IBM HTTP server distributed with WebSphere. Depending on which web server you use, you need to configure IBM WebSphere Application Server differently.

## Understanding the Key Components of this Integration

When integrating Select Access with version 6.x of WebSphere, access controls are tied to three components:

- Select Access' user registry API
- Select Access' Trust Association Interface (TAI) adapter API
- Java Authorization Contract for Containers (JACC)

### Identity data storage: the Custom User Registry API

Via Select Access' proprietary API for user registries, this integration allows you to choose where identity data is stored and retrieved. Custom user registries allows WebSphere to access data stored from:

- The same identity data location as Select Access (that is, an LDAP v3.0 compliant directory).
- Another data store.

However, only the Select Access identity data locations supports role and group features native to the Select Access solution.

### Identity authentication: the Select Access TAI Adapter API

To authenticate users with Select Access as WebSphere's external security provider requires that the Select Access TAI adapter API in order to establish a trust association between Select Access and WebSphere. This trust-driven relationship gives Select Access the same privileges as authentication via WebSphere's internal mechanisms.

The authentication mechanism in this integration works as follows:

- 1 Resource requests are routed through the TAI interface.
- 2 Select Access' authentication servers authenticate the identity using the authentication method required (for example, password, tokens, and so on).
- 3 Once the identity has been authenticated the TAI adapter creates a Java Subject using the `SAPrincipalImpl` class (a child of `java.security.Principal` class).
- 4 Select Access creates a nonce and adds it to a hashtable as part of the Subject's public credential element.
- 5 If any personalization data exists for the identity, a `SAP13n` object is created for this purpose.

### Retrieving identity data

To retrieve identity data, call the `com.ibm.websphere.security.auth.WSSubject.getCallerSubject()` method in the current session. [To retrieve the UID variable programmatically from the Subject on page 14](#) shows how to use this method so it yields the authenticated subject and all principal and credential data.



## Identity authorization: the JACC

Select Access uses JACC as the mechanism for authorizing access to a specific requested J2EE resource on WebSphere. Select Access has implemented all but the following mechanisms of the JACC:

- Pre-loading of configurations or policies
- JACC authorizations
  - ▶ JACC authorizations can work in conjunction with JAAS-based and TAI-based authentication processes, however. For details, see <http://java.sun.com/j2ee/javaacc/>.

This is due to JACC containers overlapping with Select Access' internal mechanisms.



## 2 Programmatic Integration Tasks

With this integration, there are three instances that require some extra programmatic integration steps:

- When using the JAAS login module for applications that do not use a standard web interface. For details, see [The JAAS Login Module](#) on page 11.
- When an EJB requires authentication. For details, see [EJB Authentication](#) on page 13.
- When you want to retrieve personalization information from the Subject. This personalization is forwarded by Select Access as described in [Chapter 3, Integration Tasks](#). For details, see [Personalization Data Retrieval](#) on page 14.

### The JAAS Login Module

The code sample shown in [To login with JAAS programmatically](#) on page 12, uses the `HttpServletRequest` and `HttpServletResponse` servlet object in a JAAS `LoginModule`. Important things to note are:

- **The callstore variable:** is an array of `SACallbackStore`. Its purpose is to store callback variables used in the validation process. In this example, we use the `SAWebCallbackStore` that takes the `HttpServletRequest` and `HttpServletResponse` as input parameters.

Valid callback stores include:

- `SACertCallbackStore` holds a X509 certificate.
- `SALocationCallbackStore` holds a URL which is needed by all except `SAWebCallbackStore`.
- `SABasicAuthCallbackStore` holds a user ID and password.
- `SANonceCallbackStore` holds the Select Access nonce.



If you are using a callback store other than the `SAWebCallbackStore`, you must include the `SALocationCallbackStore`. This parameter describes where and which resource to authenticate against.

- **The Select Access login name reference:** `SALogin` is a variable that you must set according to the details described in [The SALogin Setup](#) on page 21. With this information, the `SAApplicationCallbackHandler` takes the `SACallbackStore` array and runs validations against the data entered.

If there is more than one callback store, the login module performs authentication similar to the following until it can successfully authenticate an identity. All subsequent authentication steps are then aborted.

```
SAWebCallbackStore
SANonceCallbackStore
SACertCallbackStore
SABasicAuthCallbackStore
```



You can also add an external `CallbackHandler` as part of the constructor for GUI-based login validation with the IBM user ID and password (for example, `com.ibm.wsspi.wssecurity.auth.callback.GUIPromptCallbackHandler`).

- **The Principal object:** The `SAPrincipalImpl` contains user ID, nonce and personalization data that is returned after the Select Access authentication. Sometimes, depending on how you have configured WebSphere, there can be more than one Principal object in the Subject so you may need to search for it.

## To login with JAAS programmatically

Login with JAAS programmatically to protect web resources like JSP/Servlet. Use the default WebSphere security settings, without TAI. The code should run without TAI, because TAI will intercept the HTTP request before the filter is called. This means there is no protection before writing the code. Ensure that the `SALogin` is defined. Put the filter in the application that needs protection.

Refer to the following web sites for more information about programatic integration:

- **WebSphere V6 Security Handbook:**

<http://www.redbooks.ibm.com/redbooks/pdfs/sg246316.pdf>

- **Programmatic login (in the IBM information center):**

[http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/wsphelp/topic/com.ibm.websphere.nd.doc/info/ae/ae/csec\\_programlog.html](http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/wsphelp/topic/com.ibm.websphere.nd.doc/info/ae/ae/csec_programlog.html)  
`import com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.*;`

```
import com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.websphere.jaas.*;
```

```
public void doFilter(ServletRequest request, ServletResponse  
response, FilterChain chain)
```

```
    throws IOException, ServletException {
```

```
    HttpServletRequest httpReq = (HttpServletRequest) request;
```

```
    HttpServletResponse httpRes = (HttpServletResponse) response;
```

```
    try {
```

```
        SACallbackStore [] callstore = new SACallbackStore[1];
```

```
        callstore[0] = new SAWebCallbackStore(httpReq, httpRes);
```

```
        LoginContext lc = new LoginContext("SALogin", new  
        SAApplicationCallbackHandler(callstore));
```

```
        lc.login();
```

```
        javax.security.auth.Subject caller_subject = lc.getSubject();
```

```

        if (caller_subject != null) {
            java.util.Iterator iter = caller_subject.
                getPrincipals().iterator();

            while (iter.hasNext()) {
                java.security.Principal principal =
                    (java.security.Principal)iter.next();

                if (principal instanceof SPrincipalImpl) {
                    SPrincipalImpl sa_principal =
                        (SPrincipalImpl)principal;

                    String nonce = sa_principal.getNonce();
                }
            }
        }
    } catch (Exception le) {
        System.out.println("Can not login. error: " + le);
        return;
    }
    chain.doFilter(request, response);
}

```

## EJB Authentication

EJB authentication requires the same SLogin alias required by the JAAS login module (for details, see [Configuring WebSphere for the JAAS Login](#) on page 21). If you did not configure JACC with this alias, your EJB applications cannot retrieve the authenticated Subject either from a JAAS login, nor can it get the default one if you are using a web login.

The following code sample shows how to get the default Subject for the session from TAI. It uses the `com.ibm.websphere.security.auth.WSSubject.getCallerSubject()` method. Include the appropriate credentials or Principal; otherwise you won't be able to create the EJB.

### To authenticate EJBs programmatically

The following code is used to call EJBs in a local machine or remote machines protected by SA can run with TAI enabled. This is because the code `com.ibm.websphere.security.auth.WSSubject.getCallerSubject()` can only be used when TAI is working. Implement the WebSphere security settings so that the server is protected.

```

Subject caller_subject =
com.ibm.websphere.security.auth.WSSubject.getCallerSubject();

Hashtable h = new Hashtable();

h.put(Context.INITIAL_CONTEXT_FACTORY, "com.ibm.websphere.naming.WsnInitialContextFactory");

```

```

h.put(Context.PROVIDER_URL, "iiop://localhost:2809");
h.put(Context.SECURITY_PRINCIPAL, caller_subject.getPrincipals());
h.put(Context.SECURITY_CREDENTIALS, caller_subject.getPublicCredentials()
);

Context ctx = new InitialContext(h);

Object home = ctx.lookup("ejb/ejbs/SATestHome");

SATestHome saHome = (SATestHome) PortableRemoteObject.narrow(home,
SATestHome.class);

SATest simpleMath = (SATest) PortableRemoteObject.narrow(saHome.create(),
SATest.class);

System.out.println("Call simpleMath.add(2,4) = " + simpleMath.add(2,4));

simpleMath.remove();

```

## Personalization Data Retrieval

You can retrieve any variable configured by the Policy Builder from the Subject. In the case of the integration requirements for these two products, UID is the variable required.

### To retrieve the UID variable programmatically from the Subject

```

Subject caller_subject =
com.ibm.websphere.security.auth.WSSubject.getCallerSubject();

java.util.Iterator iter = caller_subject.getPrincipals().iterator();

while (iter.hasNext()) {
    java.security.Principal principal =
(java.security.Principal) iter.next();

    if (principal instanceof SAPrincipalImpl) {
        SAPrincipalImpl sa_principal =
(SAPrincipalImpl) principal;

        SAP13n p13n = sa_principal.getP13n();

        System.out.println("This is the uid of the user: " +
p13n.getAttribute("UID"));
    }
}

```

## 3 Integration Tasks

### Configuring WebSphere for External Authentication and Authorization

Before we can install TAI and JACC, reconfigure WebSphere to use these external security mechanisms. This involves the following tasks:

- 1 Copy the following JAR files into the `<WS_install_path>/classes` folder:
  - Extract all the files from the `servletfilter.war` file, under the `servlet` directory on the SA installation CDs.
  - Copy the following files from the `<SA_Install_Path>/shared` directory:  
`sslsupport.jar`
  - Copy the following files from the `<SA_Install_Path>/shared/jetty/policy_builder/protected` directory:  
`xalan.jar`  
`xmlsec.jar`
  - Copy the following files from the `solutions\websphere6` directory on the SA installation CDs:  
`sa-j2ee-util.jar`  
`sa-was-sec.jar`
- 2 Create a new properties file to capture Select Access' Enforcer plugin parameters that will be required by WebSphere. For details, see [The Select Access Enforcer Properties File for WebSphere](#) on page 15.
- 3 Configure WebSphere to use external mechanisms via its Administration Console. For details, see [The Administration Console Configuration Parameters](#) on page 16.
- 4 Configure Select Access to act as WebSphere's security provider. For details, see [The WebSphere-specific Settings for Select Access](#) on page 19.

#### The Select Access Enforcer Properties File for WebSphere

The file you are about to create contains vital information that the WebSphere server requires. It is a typical properties file that contains parameters similar to the following:

```
EnforcerAPIConfigFile=c:/Program Files/HP OpenView/Select Access/bin/
    enforcer_websphere.xml
Service=http://MyWebsphereService.com:9080
Resource=/
SecurityRealm=MyOrg
```

## To create your own properties file

- 1 Create a properties file named `<WS_install_path>/properties directory/sa_enforcer.properties`.
- 2 Add the following parameters to this file and save your changes.

**Table 1 Properties to Configure**

Parameter	Value	Description
EnforcerAPIConfig File	The path and filename of your WebSphere <code>enforcer.xml</code> configuration file.	Created by the Setup tool when using the Generic Enforcer setup. It contains information on how to connect to the Policy Validator from the Enforcer plugin.
Service	URL, for example, <code>http://localhost:9080/webspherestartup</code>	Sets the URL to WebSphere's default authentication service. This URL is required for two purposes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• For startup and shutdown of the WebSphere server.</li><li>• For default Select Access authentication, which requires a service/resource as well as identity credentials.</li></ul> Since this URL is required for both, ensure you set permissions in the Policy Builder, deny access to all but the most important administrators. Use either Password or NTLM authentication for this service/resource combination.
Resource	URI to Resource Name	Sets the URI to WebSphere's default authentication resource page.
SecurityRealm	Realm or domain of server	Sets the domain name or realm on which the service is available on.

## The Administration Console Configuration Parameters

Open the Administration Console to configure or reconfigure you WebSphere server to use external authentication and authorization mechanisms. Unique properties need to be configured for:

- Custom User Registries. For details, see [To configure Custom User Registries parameters](#) on page 17.
- Trust Associations. For details, see [To configure Trust Association parameters](#) on page 17.
- JACC provider for Select Access properties. For details, see [To configure JACC provider settings](#) on page 18.
- General global security settings. For details, see [To enable external security mechanisms](#) on page 18.



- Stopping the WebSphere server. For details see [To stop and restart the WebSphere server](#) on page 19.

## To configure Custom User Registries parameters

- 1 In the **Global Security Configuration** tab, in the **User Registries** section, click **Custom User Registries**

 In WebSphere 6.0.2, **Custom User Registries** refers to **Custom**.

- 2 In the **Configuration** tab, click **Custom Properties**.

- 3 Add the following property name and value:

**Name** = SA\_ENFORCER


**Value** = sa\_enforcer.properties


- 4 Click **OK** to save these settings.

- 5 In the **Configuration** tab, configure the following values:

**Server user ID** = <myID>

**Server user password** = <myPwd>

 The server user must be pre-defined in Select Access. Create a user in the Select Access Policy Builder that can access all the defined resources. This user's username and password are used in the **Server user ID** and **Server user password** fields.

 Remember your ID and password you set here. You need to use these credentials when stopping and restarting the server, as described in [To stop and restart the WebSphere server](#) on page 19.

**Custom registry class name** = com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.websphere.registry.SelectAccessRegistry

**Ignore case for authorization** = checked

- 6 Click **OK** to save these settings.

## To configure Trust Association parameters

- 1 In the **Global Security Configuration** tab, in the **Authentication** section, click **Authentication mechanisms** → **LTPA**.

- 2 In the **LTPA Configuration** tab, click **Trust Association**.

- 3 In the **Trust Association Configuration** tab, in the **Additional Properties** section, click **Interceptors**.

- 4 Create a new interceptor named  
com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.websphere.tai.SelectAccessTAIv6.

- 5 Click **OK**.

- 6 Click the interceptor link you just created to open the **Interceptors Configuration** tab.

- 7 In the **Additional Properties** section, click **Custom Properties**.

- 8 Add the following property name and value:

**Name** = SA\_ENFORCER

- Value = sa\_enforcer.properties**
- 9 Click **OK** to save these settings.
- 10 Click **Authentication mechanisms** → **LTPA** → **Trust Association**.
- 11 In the **Configuration** tab, select the **Enable trust association** check box.
- 12 Click **OK** to save these settings.
- 13 In the **Configuration** tab **General Properties** section, enter your password and click **OK**.

### To configure JACC provider settings

- 1 In the **Global Security Authorization** section, in the **Authorization** section, click **Authorization providers**.
- 2 Click **External JACC provider** in the **Related Items** section.
- 3 Click **Custom Properties** in the **Additional Properties** section.
- 4 Add the following property name and value:
  - Name = SA\_ENFORCER**
  - Value = sa\_enforcer.properties**
- 5 Click **OK** to save these settings.
- 6 In the **Configuration** tab, configure the following values:
  - Name = Select Access**
  - Policy class name = com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.websphere.jacc.SAPolicyImpl**
  - Policy configuration class = com.hp.ov.selectaccess.websphere.jacc.SAPolicyConfigurationFactoryImpl**
  - ▶ For WebSphere 6.0.2, **Policy class configuration** is **Policy configuration factory class name**.
  - ▶ Select Access does not support external configuration with this version. However, this integration does include a configuration factory so Select Access can accept the JACC parameters.
- 7 Click **OK** to return to the **Authorization Providers** section.
- 8 In the **Configuration** tab, **General Properties** section, change **Authorization** to **External authorization using a JACC provider** and click **OK**.

### To enable external security mechanisms

- 1 In the **Global Security Configuration** tab, enable the following mechanisms by doing the following:
  - Select the **Enable global security** check box
  - Select the **Enforce Java 2 security** check box
  - Select the **Issue permission warning** check box
  - In the **Active authentication mechanism** drop-down box, select **Lightweight Third Party Authentication (LTPA)**.
  - In the **Active user registry** drop-down box, select **Custom user registry**.

- 2 Click **OK** to save these settings.

### To stop and restart the WebSphere server

- 1 Ensure the Select Access Policy Validator is running. You cannot stop WebSphere without a running Policy Validator.
- 2 Change to the <WS\_install\_path>\bin folder.
- 3 Using the credentials you set in [To configure Custom User Registries parameters](#) on page 17, at the Command Prompt, type:  

```
stopserver server1 -username <MyID> -password <MyPwd>
```
- 4 To restart the server, at the Command Prompt type:  

```
startserver server1
```

## The WebSphere-specific Settings for Select Access

To prepare Select Access to act as WebSphere's Security Provider you must:

- Configure the appropriate kind of personalization parameter so that identity information can be shared by the two systems. You must add a personalization variable named UID for the uid attribute for every authentication server used to authenticate identities for WebSphere. For details see [To pass identity information to WebSphere](#) on page 19.

Configuring the personalization parameters for your authentication services gives you the ability to retrieve custom attributes data from Select Access' identity data store programmatically from the WebSphere Subject. For details on how to retrieve attributes programmatically see [Personalization Data Retrieval](#) on page 14.

- Use Select Access to protect specific WebSphere server resources by adding these resources to the Policy Builder Resources Tree and set the appropriate level of permissions for them. For details, see [To register and secure WebSphere resources](#) on page 20.

### To pass identity information to WebSphere

- 1 In the Policy Builder, click **Tools** → **Authentication Services**.
  - To add a new authentication service and configure the personalization properties for that service, click **Add** in the **Authentication Services** dialog box. Choose the authentication method you require.
  - To modify an existing authentication service and modify the personalization properties for that service, select a service entry and click **Properties** in the **Authentication Services** dialog box.
- 2 In the resulting **Authentication Properties** dialog box, click the **Personalization** tab.
- 3 In the **Identity Data** tab, select the **Store identity attribute in** check box.
- 4 Click **Add** to create a new row.
- 5 Type uid, userid in the new **Directory Attribute Name** column.
- 6 Type UID in the **Environment Variable Name** column.

## To register and secure WebSphere resources

- 1 At minimum, add two resource services: one for WebSphere Administration assets and one for corporate assets served to end users by the WebSphere server. This intelligently separates WebSphere resources so you can set different authentication and access policies according to the types of identities who will be requesting access to these resources. For details, see [Chapter 3, Building Your Identities and Resources Trees](#), in the *HP OpenView Select Access 6.2 Policy Builder Guide*.
- 2 Set your authentication and authorization policies for each service you have created:
  - Enable Select Auth and use at least one authentication service to authenticate identities for WebSphere. For details, see [Chapter 5, Authentication Basics: Select Auth & Personalization](#), in the *HP OpenView Select Access 6.2 Policy Builder Guide*.
  - Set a request for protection, for example, protect the port 9080 resource, so that a user needs to be authenticated and authorized before they can access that particular resource. This prevents users from directly accessing the WebSphere server. For details, see [Chapter 7, Controlling Network Access](#), in the *HP OpenView Select Access 6.2 Policy Builder Guide*.
- 3 Under each service you have created, add the appropriate number of resources served to identities by that service. For details, see [Chapter 3, Building Your Identities and Resources Trees](#), in the *HP OpenView Select Access 6.2 Policy Builder Guide*.
- 4 Set your authentication and authorization policies for each resource if applicable.
  - For each resource you add, the Select Auth policy is inherited from the parent service. You do not need to explicitly set this policy.
  - If you want to set a different access policy other than the Deny policy that is inherited from the parent service, choose a different policy for each Identity/resource combination as required.
- 5 Test the Enforcer plugin on your web server by trying to access the server directly via the “snoop” servlet. For example, `http://<server name>:9080/snoop`. If you’ve set the appropriate Select Auth policy on this resource, Select Access prompts you to enter your credentials.
  - ▶ If you are accessing the WebSphere content via the WebSphere server, you may have a problem with your WebSphere and/or its proxy configuration. For details on how to setup WebSphere with a proxy, see the *Select Access 6.0 Integration Paper for WebSphere 5.x*.

# Configuring WebSphere for the JAAS Login


Chapter 2, [Programmatic Integration Tasks](#), introduces you to the JAAS login module. If you require the JAAS login module because WebSphere includes applications that do not use a standard web interface, you have to configure WebSphere to include an `SALogin` reference.

## The SALogin Setup

The `SALogin` reference can be set in the WebSphere administrative console by configuring parameters in the Application Login and Configuration page.

### To configure an alias for the SALogin reference

- 1 In the Administration Console, click **Security** → **Global Security** → **JAAS Configuration** → **Application Login Configuration**.
- 2 In the **Application Login Configuration** page, click **Create**.
- 3 Create a new alias named `SALogin` using the following class:  

```
com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.websphere.jaas.SAApplicationLoginModule
```
- 4 Click **Custom Properties** to create a new property named `SA_ENFORCER` with a value of `sa_enforcer`.  
 Ensure the `sa_enforcer` value is appropriate for your JAAS LoginModule authentication strategy. See the JAAS documentation for more details on different authentication strategies.

## Protecting a Web Service

A JAAS default systems login must be setup with the following JAAS class to authenticate a web service resource:

```
com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.websphere.jaas.SASystemDefaultLoginModule.
```

This login module only uses password authentication. You have to configure the resource to use the password or NTLM authentication method. The login module will not be able to retrieve location for authorization therefore it will look for the default authorization in `sa_enforcer.properties` and authenticate against it. See [Configuring WebSphere for the JAAS Login](#) on page 21 for configuration information.

## Web Service Resource Authorization

Web service resource authorization is a two-step process. The authorization is checked against the SOAPAction in the HTTP Headers (`wsdl targetNamespace` tag) and the actual URL. The SOAPAction is defined in the SOAP 1.1 specifications but removed from SOAP 1.2.

## SOAP 1.1

If your SOAP message is still using the 1.1 standard, but you do not want to use SOAPAction, you need to create a policy in the Policy Builder with the `targetNamespace` as the resource and allow unknown users to access it.

### Example

```
<wsdl:definitions name="AddressBook" targetNamespace="http://addressbook.com/AddressBook/" xmlns:tns="http://addressbook.com/AddressBook/" xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema" xmlns:soap="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/soap/" xmlns:wsdl="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/wsdl/">
```

### To use the SOAP 1.1 standard without SOAPAction

- 1 Create a policy named `http://addressbook.com/AddressBook` with unknown user rights.
  - ▶ You need to allow the unknown user on the root but protect them on the lower-level method. This is because the `url` gets access first, and if the unknown user doesn't have access, the user won't be able to access the actual SOAP method.
- 2 Set the permissions on the specific operations to protect these resources, for example, `http://addressbook.com/AddressBook/SaveAddress`.
- 3 Place a policy on the URL resource for the HTTP access to the SOAP object. For example, if the URL to access the SOAP is `http://websphere.can.hp.com:9080/AddressBook/services/AddressBookPort`, this is also the URL to protect in the Policy Builder. The URL is global for all operations on this particular SOAP service.

## 4 Troubleshooting

**Q--->Why does my user name or user ID come up as something long such as cn=Joe Doe,dc=can,dc=hp,dc=com?**

A--->You need to configure a personalization parameter named UID with the LDAP attribute uid.

**Q--->Why doesn't WebSphere call the Validator for every web resource access?**

A--->Turn SSO off in WebSphere for LTPA because we are using Select Access for this instead of the internal WebSphere mechanism. In the Administration Console, click **Security** → **Global Security** → **Authentication mechanisms** → **LPTA** → **Single sign-on (SSO)** and make sure the **Enable** checkbox is not selected.

**Q--->I can't log into the WebSphere administrative console after I've setup security. Why is this now happening?**

A--->You need to do the following:

- Create a new resource for `https://localhost:9043`.
- Ensure you have a WebSphere identity/user with the same profile data as you had setup in Select Access.

Once you've checked these two items, you should test authentication with Password service. This is the easiest authentication service to use testing this authentication processes.

**Q--->How can I log out of the WebSphere Administrative Console *and* Select Access at the same time. When I log out of the Administrative Console, the Select Access session seems to still be active.**

A--->You need to do the following in Select Access:

- Create a logout policy. Set this conditional access policy logs against the following WebSphere resource for all Known Identities:  
`https://localhost:9043/ibm/console/logout.do`
- Create a redirect policy to the URL described above. Set this conditional policy against the following WebSphere resource for all WebSphere administration identities: `https://localhost:9043/ibm/console/logon.jsp`

**Q--->I'm getting abnormal results in WebSphere. Sometimes resources are not being authenticated properly. Why is this happening?**

A--->Don't use internal WebSphere security mechanisms. You must delegate all identity and access management to Select Access. Otherwise, when you introduce a WebSphere security infrastructure such as roles or SSO using LTPA, it will conflict with Select Access' mechanisms and you may not get the proper results.





# A API Reference

This API reference documents the modules, exception-handling methods, and classes used with programmatic integration tasks documented in [Chapter 2, Programmatic Integration Tasks](#).

## The Login Modules

There are two login modules:

- `com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.websphere.jaas.SAApplicationLogin` Module: For programming a JAAS LoginModule authentication in WebSphere for application logins. To create a JAAS application login alias, see [To configure an alias for the SALogin reference](#) on page 21 for details.
- `com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.websphere.jaas.SASystemWebLogin` Module: Not recommended for use; can be used as a web system-wide JAAS LoginModule for authentication in the WebSphere application server.

## The Exception Handling Classes

There are two ways to handle exceptions:

- `com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.util.SAP13nNotFoundException`: When a personalization object cannot be found by the Principal, this exception will be raised.
- `com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.util.SAAuthException`: The general Select Access authentication exception that can be raised when an exception situation occurs.

## Other Classes and Their Methods

The functions upon which the integration framework for Select Access and WebSphere is built are defined in classes listed below. Methods are listed alphabetically in the sections that follow.

<b>Class Name</b>	<b>Class Contents</b>		
com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.SABasicAuthCallbackStore	Contains the		
	<b>Method Name</b>	<b>Page</b>	<b>Description</b>
	getAttribute(String key)	page 30	Gets the string of the attribute with the given key.
com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.SACertCallbackStore	Contains the		
	<b>Method Name</b>	<b>Page</b>	<b>Description</b>
	SACertCallbackStore(X509Certificate [ ] certificates, Integer keySize)	page 33	Stores the X509 certificate that will be used in the JAAS LoginModule for authentication.
com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.SALocationCallbackStore	Contains the		
	<b>Method Names</b>	<b>Page</b>	<b>Description</b>
	SALocationCallbackStore(URL location, String sourceHost)	page 33	Stores the URL or string path location that is be used in the JAAS LoginModule for authentication.
SALocationCallbackStore(String protocol, String host, String path, String port, String sourceHost)	page 34		
com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.SAWebCallbackStore	Contains the		
	<b>Method Name</b>	<b>Page</b>	<b>Description</b>
	SANonceCallbackStore(String nonce)	page 34	Stores the nonce that is used in the JAAS LoginModule for authentication.

Class Name	Class Contents		
com.hp.ov.selectaccess. solutions.jaas. SPrincipalImpl	The Select Access Principal is stored in a Subject that has been authenticated by the Select Access Validator. In the Principal, you will be able to retrieve the user name, current service name, nonce and the personalization object. The nonce can be used in subsequent authentication or authorization calls.		
	Method Names	Page	Description
	getName ()	page 30	Returns the name of the current object.
	getService ()	page 30	Returns the URL of the current service.
	isPerimeterAuth ()	page 31	Determines whether or not perimeter authentication is used.
	getNonce ()	page 31	Returns the nonce of the current Subject.
	getPl3n ()	page 31	Returns the personalization data of the current Subject.
	Return Values	page 32	Not used at this time.
setSignature (String signature)	page 35	Not used at this time.	

Class Name	Class Contents		
<code>com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.util.SAP13n</code>	Retrieves personalization data that is set by the administrator in the Policy Builder. You can retrieve this data from this object.		
	Method Name	Page	Description
	<code>getAttribute(String key)</code>	<a href="#">page 30</a>	Gets the string of the attribute with the given key.
	<code>keySet()</code>	<a href="#">page 30</a>	Not used at this time.
<code>isEmpty()</code>	<a href="#">page 31</a>	Determines whether there is any personalization data in the object. The retrievable data is set in the Policy Builder. For details, see <a href="#">To pass identity information to WebSphere on page 19</a> .	

Class Name	Class Contents		
com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.websphere.jaas.SAApplicationCallbackHandler	The callback handler to use for use with all Select Access JAAS LoginModules. If you want to use user ID and password as the last resort for authentication and would like to use a different callback handler, (such as the IBM GUI callback handler) then use the second constructor. The external callback handler will not be used until all roads are exhausted.		
	Method Name	Page	Description
	SANonceCallbackStore (String nonce)	<a href="#">page 34</a>	Used to handle callbacks for use with all Select Access JAAS LoginModules.
SAApplicationCallbackHandler (CallbackHandler callbackHandler, SACallbackStore [ ] callbackStores)	<a href="#">page 32</a>	Used to handle callbacks for use with all Select Access JAAS LoginModules. Use this constructor if you want to use user ID and password as an authentication fall-back mechanism with a different callback handler (such as the IBM GUI callback handler).	
com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.websphere.jaas.SANonceCallbackStore	Used to store the nonce that will be used in the JAAS LoginModule for authentication.		
	Method Name	Page	Description
SANonceCallbackStore (String nonce)	<a href="#">page 34</a>	Stores the nonce that is used in the JAAS LoginModule for authentication.	

## getAttribute(String key)

Description	Gets the string of the attribute with the given key.
Class	<code>com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.util.SAP13n</code>
Syntax	<code>String getAttribute(String key)</code>
Parameters	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <code>String key</code> — An object containing the cache keys for the current identity's LDAP record. In Select Access, keys are based on DN and UIDs (possibly several).</li></ul>
Return Values	None.

## getName()

Description	Returns the name of the current object.
Class	<code>com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.SAPrincipalImpl</code>
Syntax	<code>String getName()</code>
Parameters	None.
Return Values	The name of the current object.

## getService()

Description	Returns the URL of the current service.
Class	<code>com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.SAPrincipalImpl</code>
Syntax	<code>String getURL()</code>
Parameters	None.
Return Values	The name of the current service.

## keySet()

Description	Not used at this time.
Class	<code>com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.util.SAP13n</code>
Syntax	<code>Set keySet()</code>
Parameters	None.

## isEmpty()

Description	Determines whether there is any personalization data in the object. The retrievable data is set in the Policy Builder. For details, see <a href="#">To pass identity information to WebSphere</a> on page 19.
Class	<code>com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.util.SAP13n</code>
Syntax	<code>boolean isEmpty()</code>
Parameters	None.
Return Values	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><code>true</code> — No information exists in the object.</li><li><code>false</code> — The object contains information.</li></ul>

## isPerimeterAuth()

Description	Determines whether or not perimeter authentication is used.
Class	<code>com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.SAPrincipalImpl</code>
Syntax	<code>String isPerimeterAuth()</code>
Parameters	None.
Return Values	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><code>true</code> — Perimeter authentication is used.</li><li><code>false</code> — Perimeter authentication is used.</li></ul>

## getNonce()

Description	Returns the nonce of the current Subject.
Class	<code>com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.SAPrincipalImpl</code>
Syntax	<code>String getNonce()</code>
Parameters	None.
Return Values	The nonce of the current subject.
Remarks	The nonce can be used in subsequent authentication or authorization calls.

## getP13n()

Description	Returns the personalization data of the current Subject.
Class	<code>com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.SAPrincipalImpl</code>
Syntax	<code>SAP13n getP13n()</code>

Parameters None.  
Return Values None.

### getSignature()

Description Not used at this time.  
Class `com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.SAPrincipalImpl`  
Syntax `String getSignature()`  
Parameters None.  
Return Values None.

### SAApplicationCallbackHandler(SACallbackStore [ ] callbackStores)

Description Used to handle callbacks for use with all Select Access JAAS LoginModules.  
Class `com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.websphere.jaas.SAApplicationCallbackHandler`  
Syntax `SAApplicationCallbackHandler(SACallbackStore [ ] callbackStores)`  
Parameters

- `callbackStores`

Return Values None.  
Remarks The external callback handler is not be used until all roads are exhausted.

### SAApplicationCallbackHandler(CallbackHandler callbackHandler, SACallbackStore [ ] callbackStores)

Description Used to handle callbacks for use with all Select Access JAAS LoginModules. Use this constructor if you want to use user ID and password as an authentication fall-back mechanism with a different callback handler (such as the IBM GUI callback handler).  
Class `com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.websphere.jaas.SAApplicationCallbackHandler`  
Syntax `SAApplicationCallbackHandler(CallbackHandler callbackHandler, SACallbackStore [ ] callbackStores)`  
Parameters

- `callbackHandler`
- `callbackStores`



**Return Values** None.

**Remarks** The external callback handler is not be used until all roads are exhausted.

### **SABasicAuthCallbackStore(String username, char [ ] password)**

**Description** Stores the user name and password that is used by the JAAS LoginModule for authentication.

**Class** `com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.SABasicAuthCallbackStore`

**Syntax** `SABasicAuthCallbackStore(String username, char [ ] password)`

**Parameters**

- `username` — The name of the identity in the Subject.
- `password` — The password of the identity in the Subject.

**Return Values** None.

**Remarks** The password is removed from the object after it is used by `LoginModule`.

### **SACertCallbackStore(X509Certificate [ ] certificates, Integer keySize)**

**Description** Stores the X509 certificate that will be used in the JAAS LoginModule for authentication.

**Class** `com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.SACertCallbackStore`

**Syntax** `SACertCallbackStore(X509Certificate [ ] certificates, Integer keySize)`

**Parameters**

- `X509Certificate [ ] certificates` — The X509 format certificate in the Subject.
- `keysize`

**Return Values** None.

### **SALocationCallbackStore(URL location, String sourceHost)**

**Description** Stores the URL or string path location that is be used in the JAAS LoginModule for authentication.

**Class** `com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.SACertCallbackStore`

**Syntax** `SALocationCallbackStore(URL location, String sourceHost)`

**Parameters**

- `URL location` — The complete URI to the resource.
- `String sourceHost`

**Return Values** None.

**Remarks** This callback is required if a `SAWebCallbackStore` is not used.

## **SALocationCallbackStore(String protocol, String host, String path, String port, String sourceHost)**

<b>Description</b>	Stores the URL or string path location that is be used in the JAAS LoginModule for authentication.
<b>Class</b>	<code>com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.SACertCallbackStore</code>
<b>Syntax</b>	<code>SALocationCallbackStore(String protocol, String host, String path, String port, String sourceHost)</code>
<b>Parameters</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <code>String protocol</code> — The complete protocol required for the resource.</li><li>• <code>String host</code></li><li>• <code>String path</code> — The complete path and file name to the resource.</li><li>• <code>String port</code></li><li>• <code>String sourceHost</code></li></ul>
<b>Return Values</b>	None.
<b>Remarks</b>	This callback is required if a <code>SAWebCallbackStore</code> is not used.

## **SANonceCallbackStore(String nonce)**

<b>Description</b>	Stores the nonce that is used in the JAAS LoginModule for authentication.
<b>Class</b>	<code>com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.websphere.jaas.SANonceCallbackStore</code>
<b>Syntax</b>	<code>SANonceCallbackStore(String nonce)</code>
<b>Parameters</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <code>String Nonce</code>.</li></ul>
<b>Return Values</b>	None.
<b>Remarks</b>	The nonce can be used in subsequent authentication or authorization calls.

## **SAWebCallbackStore(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response)**

<b>Description</b>	Stores the <code>HttpServletRequest</code> and <code>HttpServletResponse</code> that will be used in the JAAS LoginModule for authentication.
<b>Class</b>	<code>com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.SAWebCallbackStore</code>
<b>Syntax</b>	<code>SAWebCallbackStore(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response)</code>
<b>Parameters</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <code>HttpServletRequest request</code></li><li>• <code>HttpServletResponse response</code></li></ul>

Return Values None.

### **setSignature(String signature)**

Description Not used at this time.

Class `com.hp.ov.selectaccess.solutions.jaas.SAPrincipalImpl`

Syntax `void setSignature(String signature)`

Parameters

- String signature

Return Values None.

