

How to Configure SAML 2.0 for Obsidian Security

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Summary

This document describes how to configure Okta as an Identity Provider (IdP) for Obsidian Security.

If you need any additional assistance, please contact support@obsidiansecurity.com.

The fastest way to get help is to use the **Get help** chat button in the lower-left corner of your Obsidian admin console.

Supported Features

The Okta/Obsidian Security SAML integration currently supports the following features:

- IdP-initiated SSO
- SP-initiated SSO
- Just-in-time (JIT) provisioning
- NOT a big-bang SSO configuration

For more information on the listed features, visit the [Okta Glossary](#).

Prerequisites

- You must either be a Super Administrator, an Application Administrator, or have a delegated role with the ability to create and configure a new application in Okta and be able to assign users/groups to an application to complete this integration.

Configuration Steps

1. Click on the **Sign On** tab, as shown in the screenshot below.
2. Click on **Edit**.
3. In the **Default Relay State** field - enter the **YourSubdomain** part of your Obsidian Security tenant. For example, if you access Obsidian with <https://acme.obsec.io>, **YourSubdomain** is the **acme** part of the URL.
4. Keep the **Disable Force Authentication** checkbox checked.
5. Under the **Credentials Details**, select the following:
 - a. Application username - Okta username
 - b. Update application username on - Create and update
6. Click **Save**.

SAML 2.0 is the only sign-on option currently supported for this application.

SAML 2.0

Default Relay State:
All IDP-initiated requests will include this RelayState.

Attributes (Optional) [Learn More](#)

Disable Force Authentication: Never prompt user to re-authenticate.

[Preview SAML](#)

Metadata details

Metadata URL: <https://sso/saml/metadata>
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Credentials Details

Application username format:

Credentials Details

Application username format

Update application username on

Password reveal Allow users to securely see their password (Recommended)

i Password reveal is disabled, since this app is using SAML with no password.

Save

7. Under the **Assignments** tab, assign at least 1 user to the application. This is the user you'll log in with to complete the integration as described later in step #12.
8. Once you've saved the application, on the **Sign On** tab under the **Metadata details**, click and expand **More details**, as shown below. Copy the following values to a notepad/text editor of your choice. These values will be required to finish the SSO configuration in Obsidian Security's admin console:
 - a. **Sign On URL:** Copy the URL displayed for this field.
 - b. **Issuer:** Copy the URL displayed for this field.
 - c. **Signing Certificate:** Copy the X.509 certificate value.

Metadata details

Metadata URL `https://o/saml/metadata`
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Hide details

Sign on URL `https://sso/saml`
[Copy](#)

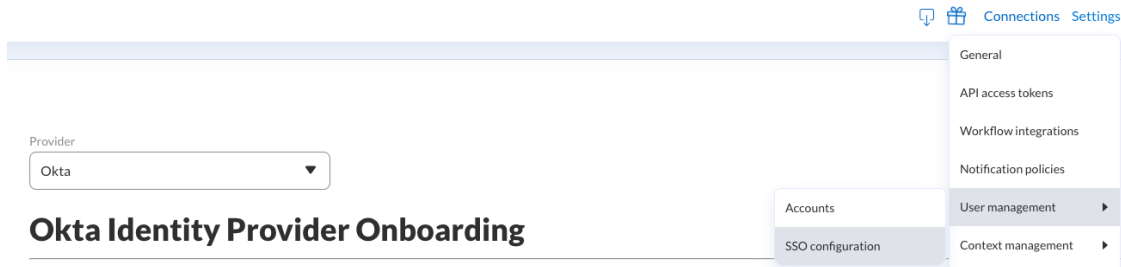
Sign out URL `https://`
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Issuer `http://www.okta.com`
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Signing Certificate [Download](#) [Copy](#)

Certificate fingerprint

9. Log in to your **Obsidian** tenant as a Super Administrator.
10. On the top-right corner of the admin console, click on **Settings**, then navigate to **User Management** and select **SSO configuration**. Select **Okta** from the drop-down menu.



11. On the **Identity provider configuration** page, enter the following values, as shown in the screenshot below:
 - a. **Identity provider configuration name** - *A friendly name. E.g. Okta.*
 - b. **Identity provider URL** - *Value copied from step #8(a).*
 - c. **Identity provider issuer** - *Value copied from step #8(b).*
 - d. **Identity provider X.509 certificate** - *Value copied from step #8(c).*
 - e. **Service provider ID / Audience** - *ObsidianSecurity*
 - f. **User attribute mapping**
 - i. **Email** - *NameID*
 - ii. **FirstName** - *FistName*
 - iii. **LastName** - *LastName*
 - g. **Default role mapping** - Select **Analyst** for the default role. This will ensure that all users assigned to the Obsidian Security application from Okta will have the same role when they SSO from Okta to Obsidian Security. Once the user does a successful SSO and the user is provisioned from Okta to Obsidian Security through SAML Just-In-Time (JIT) provisioning, you can change the role assignment for individual users by logging in to the Obsidian Security admin console as a Super Administrator.

Identity provider configuration

SSO enabled

Identity provider configuration name

Identity provider URL

Identity provider issuer

Identity provider X.509 certificate

Service provider ID / Audience

User attribute mapping

Email

First name

Last name

Default role mapping

Role ⓘ

Test SAML Authentication

12. Once you have completed all the steps, click the **Test** button. This will require you to log in to your Okta tenant. Make sure to log in to Okta with the user you assigned to the Obsidian Security application in step #7.

13. A successful test should look as shown below:

Identity provider configuration

✓ No issues found connecting to your identity provider.

User attribute mapping

Summary

Obsidian attribute	Token attribute	Value	Error
✓ Email	NameID		
✓ Last name	LastName		
✓ First name	FirstName		

Example account

Name

Email

OK Cancel

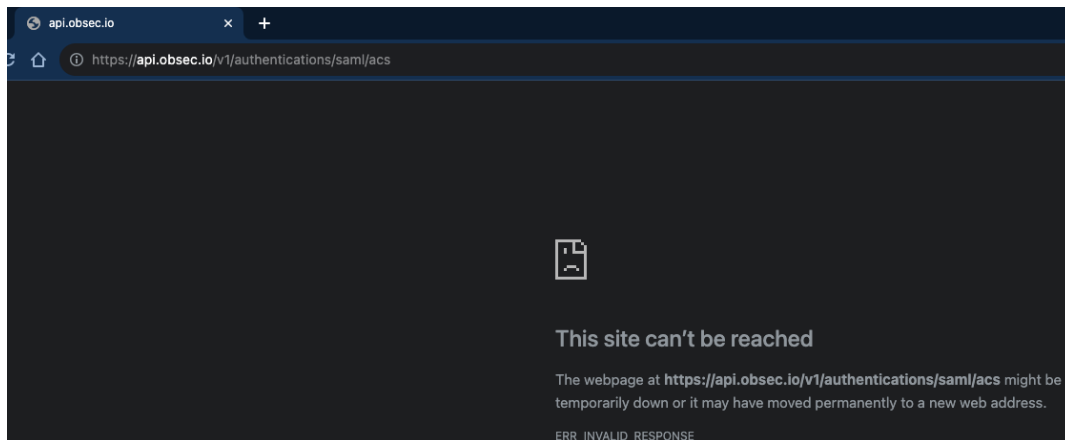
14. If the test passes successfully, click on **OK**.

15. Click **Save** on the main page.

16. **Congratulations!** SSO is now configured.

Notes And Troubleshooting

- If you get the following error message when you try to SSO from the Okta end-user dashboard,



Go to **step # 3** of the [Configuration Steps](#) section in this document and make sure that you entered the correct value in the **Default Relay State** field under the Sign On tab. Leaving it blank or using an incorrect value will prevent you from doing a successful SSO from the Okta end-user dashboard to Obsidian Security.

- The following SAML attributes are supported:

Name	Value
NameID	user.email
FirstName	user.firstName
LastName	user.lastName

SP-initiated SSO

1. Go to: [https://\[YourSubdomain\].obsec.io/](https://[YourSubdomain].obsec.io/)
2. Click **Sign in with SSO**