

Encryption reference

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Auto-TLS Requirements and Limitations

Reference information for Auto-TLS requirements, limitations, and component support.

Requirements

- You must install the Cloudera Manager Agent software on the Cloudera Manager Server host.
- You can enable auto-TLS using certificates created and managed by a Cloudera Manager certificate authority (CA), or certificates signed by a trusted public CA or your own internal CA. If you want to use a trusted public CA or your own internal CA, you must obtain all of the host certificates before enabling auto-TLS. For instructions on obtaining certificates from a CA, see “Manually Configuring TLS Encryption for Cloudera Manager” > “On Each Cluster Host”.

Component support for Auto-TLS

The following CDP services support auto-TLS:

- Atlas
- Cloudera Manager Host Monitor Debug Interface
- Cloudera Manager Service Monitor Debug Interface
- Cruise Control
- HBase
- HDFS Client Configuration
- HDFS NameNode Web UI
- Hive-on-Tez
- HiveServer2
- HttpFS
- Hue Client
- Hue Load Balancer
- Hue Server
- Impala Catalog Server
- Impala Server
- Impala StateStore
- Java Keystore Key Management Server (KMS)
- Kafka Broker Server
- Kafka Mirrormaker
- Knox
- Kudu
- Livy
- Oozie
- Ozone
- Phoenix
- Ranger
- Safenet Luna Hardware Security Modules (HSM) KMS
- Schema Registry
- Solr
- Spark History Server
- Streams Messaging Manager
- Streams Replication Manager
- YARN Web UI
- Zeppelin

- ZooKeeper

For unlisted CDP services, you must enable TLS manually. See the applicable component guide for more information.

Limitations

- It is not possible to rename hostnames of cluster nodes in an Auto-TLS setup.

Related Information

[Manually Configuring TLS Encryption for Cloudera Manager](#)

Rotate Auto-TLS Certificate Authority and Host Certificates

Your cluster security requirements may require that you rotate the auto-TLS CA and certificates.

Using an internal CA (Use case 1)

1. Navigate to Administration Security . Click Rotate Auto-TLS Certificates to launch the wizard.
2. Complete the wizard.

Using a custom CA (Use case 3)

1. Use the `/cm/commands/addCustomCerts` API command to replace the old certificates with new certificates in CMCA directory for each host. You must run this command for each host separately. An example of a curl command to upload the certificates to Cloudera Manager :

```
curl -u admin:admin -X POST --header 'Content-Type: application/json' --header 'Accept: application/json' -d '{
    "location": "/opt/cloudera/AutoTLS",
    "interpretAsFileNames": true,
    "hostCerts": [ {
        "hostname": "ccycloud-10.vcdp71.root.hwx.site",
        "certificate":
            "/tmp/auto-tls/certs/ccycloud-10.vcdp71.root.hwx.site.pem",
        "key":
            "/tmp/auto-tls/certs/ccycloud-10.vcdp71.root.hwx.site.pem"
    } ]
}' 'https://ccycloud-7.vcdp71.root.hwx.site:7183/api/v41/cm/commands/addCustomCerts'
```

In the example above, the "location" should be omitted if Auto-TLS was enabled or rotated after 7.1, and the file paths should point to files on the CM server host.

2. Use CM API `/hosts/{hostId}/commands/generateHostCerts` to deploy the new certificates to each host. You must run this command for each host separately. An example curl command :

```
curl -u admin:admin -X POST --header 'Content-Type: application/json' --header
    'Accept: application/json' -d '{ "sshPort" :
    22, "userName" : "root", "password" : "cloudera" }'
```

```
'https://ccycloud-7.vcdp71.root.hwx.site:7183/
api/v41/hosts/250e1bb7-8987-419c-a53f-c852c275d299/commands/generateHost
Certs'
```

where '250e1bb7-8987-419c-a53f-c852c275d299' in the command above is the hostID.

Auto-TLS Agent File Locations

The certificates, keystores, and password files generated by auto-TLS are stored in `/var/lib/cloudera-scm-agent/agent-cert` on each Cloudera Manager Agent.

Filenames

Table 1: Auto-TLS Agent Files

| Filename | Description |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| cm-auto-global_cacerts.pem | CA certificate and other trusted certificates in PEM format |
| cm-auto-global_truststore.jks | CA certificate and other trusted certificates in JKS format |
| cm-auto-in_cluster_ca_cert.pem | CA certificate in PEM format |
| cm-auto-in_cluster_truststore.jks | CA certificate in JKS format |
| cm-auto-host_key_cert_chain.pem | Agent host certificate and private key in PEM format |
| cm-auto-host_cert_chain.pem | Agent host certificate in PEM format |
| cm-auto-host_key.pem | Agent host private key in PEM format |
| cm-auto-host_keystore.jks | Agent host private key in JKS format |
| cm-auto-host_key.pw | Agent host private key password file |