



# **eIDAS-Node Migration Guide**

Version 1.4.2

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## 1. Introduction

This document is intended for a technical audience consisting of developers, administrators and those requiring detailed technical information on how to configure, build and deploy the eIDAS-Node application.

The purpose of this document is to facilitate migration from eIDAS-Node v1.4.1 to eIDAS-Node v1.4.2.

### 1.1. Document structure

This document is divided into the following sections:

Chapter 1 — *Introduction*: this section.

Chapter 2 — *Prerequisites*: Identifies any prerequisites that are required before migrating your eIDAS-Node to version 1.4.2.

Chapter 3 — *Changes*: Contains detailed information about the changes that should be taken into consideration when migrating to eIDAS-Node version 1.4.2.

### 1.2. Document aims

The main aim of this document is to provide information on all the changes requiring your action when migrating to eIDAS-Node version 1.4.2, including:

configuration changes; and  
changes to common code.

## 2. Prerequisites

Before starting your migration to eIDAS-Node version 1.4.2 you should have:

already implemented eIDAS-Node version 1.4.1;

downloaded the eIDAS-Node v1.4.2 Integration Package; and

downloaded the latest documentation.

### 3. Changes

#### 3.1. Summary of changes

In eIDAS-Node version 1.4.2 there are several changes that affect your installation. The main changes are:

Remove vulnerability EID-631: Issuer URL in SAML AuthnRequest can be manipulated

#### 3.2. Validate issuer of SAML request (and SAML response)

This change validates the issuer of the metadata. **A node with an inexistent or empty whitelist for a component will not retrieve any metadata for that component.**

Specifically, the following 4 checks are performed during the EIDAS authentication flow:

The SAML Requests issued from SP's to Connector have the issuer checked against **sp.metadata.location.whitelist**

The SAML Requests issued from Connector(s) to Proxy have the issuer checked against **connector.metadata.location.whitelist**

The SAML Responses issued from IdP (s) to Proxy have the issuer checked against **idp.metadata.location.whitelist**

The SAML Responses issued from Proxy(s) to Connector have the issuer checked against a dynamic whitelist built from values of all the keys following the **pattern** **service1.metadata.url ... service8.metadata.url**



##### 3.2.1. Code changes

```

EIDAS-Node\src\main\java\eu\eidas\node\auth\connector\AUCONNECTORSAML.java
EIDAS-Node\src\main\java\eu\eidas\node\auth\service\AUSERVICESAML.java
EIDAS-Specific\src\main\java\eu\eidas\node\auth\specific\SpecificEidasConnector.java
EIDAS-Specific\src\main\java\eu\eidas\node\auth\specific\SpecificEidasService.java
EIDAS-Node\src\main\webapp\WEB-INF\applicationContext.xml
  Changes necessary to retrieve and populate corresponding metadata url whitelists that
  the node is allowed to contact back to retrieve metadata necessary to verify SAML
  request / SAML response signatures (based on sp.metadata.location.whitelist,
  sp.metadata.location.whitelist, idp.metadata.location.whitelist
EIDAS-SAMLEngine\src\main\java\eu\eidas\auth\engine\ProtocolEngine.java
EIDAS-SAMLEngine\src\main\java\eu\eidas\auth\engine\ProtocolEngineI.java
  Core changes in the Protocol Engine to take into account the whitelists above when un-
  marshalling the SAML Request and Response and verify the signature of their originating
  issuer.
  
```

EIDAS-Commons\src\main\java\eu\eidas\util\whitelistUtil.java  
Utility class for parsing a semicolon separated list of ascii strings that represent a SET OF the urls.

### 3.2.2. Configuration changes

eidas.xml additions: semicolon separated urls as values for following new keys

```
<entry key="connector.metadata.location.whitelist">  
http://localhost:8080/EidasNode/ConnectorMetadata;  
http://eidasnode:8888/EidasNode/ConnectorMetadata;
```

```
</entry>
```

```
<entry key="sp.metadata.location.whitelist">
```

```
http://localhost:8080/SP/metadata
```

```
</entry>
```

```
<entry key="idp.metadata.location.whitelist">
```

```
http://localhost:8080/IdP/metadata
```

```
</entry>
```

### 3.3. Other fixes/improvements

No additional changes were made.