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Identity Sources

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Identity sources allow the Application Workspace to use users and groups defined in external identity providers.

There are multiple types of identity sources available:

- LDAP (Lightweight Directory Access Protocol) allows you to connect to a Microsoft Active Directory, JumpCloud or eDirectory.
- Microsoft Entra ID

The LOCAL identity source is configured and enabled by default. This is where the default admin account resides.

Identity sources list

This list displays all identity sources currently available in the Application Workspace System.

Selecting multiple table rows

- Adjacent rows: Click on the first row, hold down the Shift key, click on the last row in the range
- Non-adjacent rows: Hold the Ctrl or Cmd key and click on each row you want to select
- Adjacent rows, using only the mouse: Click and hold the left mouse button on the first row, then drag the cursor up or down across the rows to highlight the desired ones

Table toolbar

To create a new identity source, click on the **Create** button; to view the details of an identity source or edit it, double-click its entry or select the identity source and click the **Edit** button.

The **Users** button opens a list with all the users available within the selected identity source.

The **Groups** button opens a list with all the groups available within the selected identity source.

Synchronize is available for all identity sources except the LOCAL one; the button is enabled only for identity sources that are enabled. The synchronize option give you the possibility to pull into Application Workspace all the changes made in the identity source since the last sync.

Views gives you control on how the table is displayed.
The default view contains all your identity sources in alphabetic ascending order, and only a few columns: **Name**, **Type**, **Enabled** and **Hidden**.
You can create your own personalized view of the table, by filtering the identity source or adding/deleting columns and clicking **Save as** in the drop-down menu of **Views**.

Further reading

See in the following articles the description of each screen in the detailed view of an identity source, and what actions you can perform in each of them.

LOCAL
Microsoft Entra ID
LDAP
Contact automatic synchronization