



# Privileged Account Management

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# About Privileged Account Management

Privileged Account Management (PAM) refers to managing access to privileged or high-level accounts such as domain administrator accounts, root accounts, or superuser accounts, as well as to critical or sensitive accounts and systems. These privileges are often associated with IT accounts, such as root access to a Unix system or the ability to add or delete email accounts on a Microsoft Exchange application. They can also apply to access to sensitive accounts such as a company's Twitter or Facebook account, or sensitive assets such as a financial database or list of credit card numbers or security certificates.

By controlling access to privileged accounts, PAM solutions provide a way to protect organizations from accidental or deliberate misuse of privileged access. There are numerous PAM solution providers in the market, such as Thycotic, Leiberman, CyberArk, and BeyondTrust. The details of how access to privileged accounts is managed can vary by solution provider, and might mean different things to different companies. Things like automatic rotation of credentials, time-boxing user access, making passwords invisible to end users, and tracking and auditing actions can all be parts of a PAM solution.

Think of PAM solutions as a library, but instead of books, the library holds privileged accounts. To check a book out of the library you need a library card, but for PAM, you need some kind of credential or authorization to access what is in the library, or vault. ("Vault" is a common term for the logical container of assets protected by PAM.) However, unlike a library card, which gives you access to every book in a library, with PAM your credential might only give you access to a limited set of specific PAM vaults, and not every vault that is managed by the PAM solution.

## PAM Terminology

Although specific terms for common PAM concepts vary from vendor to vendor, in general these are the terms you will encounter when working with PAM solutions:

- **Vault or safe:** a logical container or folder that contains privileged accounts and passwords. A safe or vault is a container in which you store privileged access, for example, a container for all your company's Windows administrator accounts, or a container for all Unix root accounts. In IdentityIQ, these are called containers.
- **Privileged Item:** a piece of privileged data that is managed by the PAM solution, such an account, credential, file, or key. The types and names of privileged data vary by PAM vendor.

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## Privileged Account Management in IdentityIQ

You must have the SailPoint™ Lifecycle Manager installed to use the Privileged Account Management Module effectively.

The SailPoint IdentityIQ Privileged Account Management (PAM) Module extends identity governance processes and controls to highly privileged access, enabling you to centrally manage access to privileged and non-privileged accounts. It gives you a complete and centralized view of your PAM containers, including which individuals and groups have access to each container, and what privileged items each container holds. It also automates governance controls, enabling you to securely manage access to PAM containers.

IdentityIQ is not a PAM solution per se and does not provide the same features a PAM solution does; rather, the IdentityIQ PAM module integrates with market-leading PAM solution providers (such as Thycotic, Leiberan, CyberArk, and BeyondTrust) to provide governance features that the PAM solutions themselves do not offer. While the native PAM solution determines *what is in* a container, and IdentityIQ PAM module governs *who has access* to a container, and *what permissions* they have in it

The SailPoint IdentityIQ Privileged Account Management Module gives you:

### ***Complete visibility and governance over privileged accounts***

By extending identity governance to privileged accounts, enterprises get a 360-degree view over all access, especially high-risk identities with privileged access.

### ***Simplified and centralized administration***

With the Privileged Account Management Module, IdentityIQ can serve as a central platform to govern access to both privileged and non-privileged accounts according to established policies. This prevents over-provisioning and limits the risk of providing access to highly privileged accounts to unauthorized users. It also speeds the delivery of privileged access based on user role or lifecycle event changes.

### ***Integration with multiple 3rd-party PAM solutions at once***

The IdentityIQ Privileged Account Management Module enables you to deploy multiple instances and integrate with multiple PAM vendors at the same time. The IdentityIQ Privileged Account Management Module provides an open, standards-based integration framework (SCIM) that supports any third-party solution.

## Activating the Privileged Account Management Module

To activate the PAM module:

1. Log on to IdentityIQ as an administrator.
2. Click **gear > Global Settings** and select **Import from File**.
3. Click **Browse** and browse to the following directory:

*IdentityIQ\_home*\WEB-INF\config

where *IdentityIQ\_home* is the directory in which you extracted the *IdentityIQ.war* file during the IdentityIQ installation procedure.

4. Select the *init-pam.xml* file and click **Import**.
5. When the import is complete, click **Done**.

The PAM features are now active inside of the IdentityIQ product.

### Components Installed with the PAM Module

The installed PAM components include:

#### Business Processes

##### ***PAM Approval Subprocess***

Approval sub-process for PAM requests. This generates approvals based on the approvalScheme, audits the approval decisions, and returns the approved status.

##### ***PAM Identity Provisioning***

The business process that handles provisioning of identities for PAM.

##### ***PAM Identity Provisioning Notify***

This subprocess handles notification from the PAM provisioning workflows.

##### ***PAM Initialize***

This subprocess initializes the various objects necessary when executing the PAM workflow. This creates the ProvisioningProject and IdentityRequest.

##### ***PAM Request Finalize***

This subprocess handles the final step from the PAM business processes.

#### Email Templates

##### ***PAM Approval***

Notifies approvers when they need to approve a request changes a user's permissions on a PAM container.

##### ***PAM Manager Notification***

Notifies managers when an employee's access to PAM containers is modified.

##### ***PAM Requester Notification***

Notifies requesters when their requests for PAM access modification are completed.

### ***PAM User Notification***

Notifies users when they are given access or removed to a PAM container.

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## **User Capabilities**

### ***PAM Administrator***

Gives users full access to all PAM module functionality; this capability is assigned by default to members of the **PAMAdministrator** Dynamic Scope/Quicklink Population, and can also be assigned directly to individual users.

### ***PAM Viewer***

Gives read-only access to PAM features and information.

## **Dynamic Scope**

### ***PAMAdministrator***

Lets associated users see and use the Quicklink that grants access to PAM functionality.

## **Quicklink**

### ***Privileged Account Management***

The Quicklink menu item available by default to members of the PAMAdministrator Dynamic Scope. This Quicklink appears in the main menu under **Manage Access > Privileged Account Management**. In the Debug pages, this Quicklink object is named `View PAM Container List`.

## **Audit Event**

### ***Approve PAM Request / Reject PAM Request***

You can select these in the **gear menu > Global Settings > Audit Configuration** page if you want to audit PAM-related events.

## **Rules**

### ***PAM Group Refresh***



This rule make external groups non-requestable. You might want to make external groups non-requestable if, for example, your organization's process is for group membership to be requestable through an external application such as Active Directory, which is a common use case

### **Map Demodata PAM Application Names**

A sample rule included in the `examplerules.xml` file in the `[installdir]\WEB-INF\config` directory. PAM solutions have the concept of "external" users and groups: accounts and groups that are defined in an external system such as Active Directory, and are used within the PAM system to control access. When these objects are aggregated from the PAM system, they include a *source* attribute for the name of the external system from which they came (the name used by the PAM system). When stored as Links and ManagedAttributes, these names need to match the Application name. This rule maps the name as known on the external system to a name that can be used locally.

### **Application Types**

#### ***Privileged Account Management application (connector) type***

Aggregates users, groups, and containers into IdentityIQ.

#### ***Privileged Account Management collector type***

Reads in permissions users have on containers, and can write permissions back to the target system.

## Configuring the Privileged Account Management Module

Configuring the PAM module in IdentityIQ involves several steps:

- Configuring applications to connect to your PAM vendor to aggregate data about PAM accounts and groups. The PAM application should include a collector to aggregate data about PAM vaults and permissions. See [Configuring a PAM Application](#).
- Setting global options for PAM, that determine things like how PAM containers can be modified within IdentityIQ, and which business process to use for provisioning PAM identities. See [PAM Global Configuration Settings](#)
- Configuring the tasks that will aggregate and index PAM data, and refresh identities. See [Privileged Account Management Tasks: Aggregation, Indexing, and Refresh](#)

### Configuring a PAM Application

The PAM module includes a PAM-specific application (connector) type: Privileged Account Management. To use the PAM feature, configure a PAM application to connect to each of your PAM vendor systems. Applications should be configured to include both a **connector** and a **target collector**.

- The **connector** aggregates users, groups, and containers into IdentityIQ.
- The **target collector** reads in permissions users have on containers, and can write permissions back to the target system.

The PAM connector type is based on IdentityIQ's SCIM 2.0 connector, with special schemas, object types, and policies. The **SCIM 2.0 Connector** documentation, which is available for download on Compass through the [Connector Directory](#), gives detailed information about all the configuration parameters in this application definition. The information below provides some essential and PAM-specific information about configuring PAM applications.

To configure a PAM application:

1. Click **Applications > Application Definition > Add New Application**.
2. Enter a **Name** and **Owner** for the PAM application.
3. For **Application Type** choose **Privileged Account Management**
4. On the **Configuration** tab, click **Settings** to enter connection information. Note the following:
  - The Base URL is the URL to the PAM vendor's SCIM server.
  - If you are using Basic authentication into the PAM vendor's server, it is a best practice to set up an identity within IdentityIQ specifically for performing this authentication
5. Also on the **Settings** tab, add **Permissions**; these are the container permissions that will display for the PAM container in the PAM UI. The permissions you enter here should correspond to the permissions used by the vendor's PAM application, and will vary depending on vendor. To add a permission, type the permission name in the **Permissions** field and click the plus icon to add it.

6. On the **Provisioning Policies** tab, edit the out-of-the-box policies for creating accounts and creating containers as needed. These policies determine which fields are presented to users when adding accounts or containers, and can also determine how container information is displayed in the Entitlement Catalog.
7. Set up an **Unstructured Target Collector** for the application. This will aggregate permissions users and groups have on containers.
  1. Click the **Unstructured Targets** tab.
  2. Click **Add New Unstructured Data Source**.
  3. An **Add or Create** dialog appears. Click **Create TargetSource**.
  4. Enter a **Name** (required) and **Description** (optional).
  5. Choose or create a **Correlation Rule** for correlating the data. You can use the **PAM Access Mapping Correlation Rule** which is provided out of the box, or create your own rule.
  6. For **Target Source Type**, choose **Privileged Account Management Collector**.
  7. A new set of **SCIM Settings** fields is displayed. For the Base URL, enter the URL to the PAM vendor's SCIM server. For other fields, refer to the **SCIM 2.0 Connector** documentation.
  8. **Save** the data source.
8. *Optional:* On the **Rules** tab, choose rules for managing your PAM application:
  - You can create a **Customization Rule** on the application to map external application names to internal IdentityIQ application names, and/or external users to IdentityIQ identities.
  - You can use the **PAM Group Refresh** rule (included with the PAM module) to make external groups non-requestable. You might want to make external groups non-requestable if, for example, your organization's process is for group membership to be requestable through an external application such as Active Directory; this is a common use case.
9. **Save** the Application definition.

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## PAM Global Configuration Settings

Part of configuring the PAM module is configuring global settings for the module. Global settings include things like how PAM containers can be modified within IdentityIQ, and which business process to use for provisioning PAM identities

To configure PAM's global settings, click the **gear icon > Global Settings > IdentityIQ Configuration** and select the **Privileged Account Management** tab.

Define the following:

### ***Enable adding and removing identities in PAM containers***

Allow PAM users to manually add or remove identities on the container details page.

### ***Enable adding and removing privileged items in PAM containers***

Allow PAM users to manually add or remove privileged items on the container details page.

### ***Enable owners to modify PAM containers***

Allow owners of PAM containers to change or edit their containers.

### ***Enable the creation of PAM containers***

Allow PAM users to manually add PAM containers on the Privileged Account Management page.

### ***The maximum number of selectable users in Privileged Account Management***

The maximum number of identities you can take action on at one time in the PAM module.

### ***The workflow used to provision identities***

The workflow, or business process, that defines the provisioning process for the PAM Module. Business processes are defined and maintained on the Business Process Editor page. See the **Business Processes** documentation for more information.

### ***A rule to filter privileged items that can be added to containers***

You can use a rule to add business logic to limit which privileged items can be added to PAM containers. Rules must be of rule type `PrivilegedItemSelector` to be included in the dropdown list. You can also click the ... icon to open the rule editor to create or edit a rule.

## Allowing View-Only Access to PAM Containers

To give users view-only access to PAM containers and their data, you can grant the **PAM Viewer** capability to those users.

For details on how to grant capabilities to users, see the **Identity Management** documentation.

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## Privileged Account Management Tasks: Aggregation, Indexing, and Refresh

Once your PAM applications have been configured to connect to your PAM vendors, and your PAM global settings have been configured, you can aggregate data from your PAM vendor systems. Data is aggregated using tasks. In addition to data aggregation tasks, tasks for indexing effective access and for updating identities should be configured for PAM.

The following tasks are required for the PAM feature, and should be run in this sequence:

- **Account Aggregation:** this task aggregates **PAM accounts** from your PAM vendor. Other than setting the PAM application as the application to scan, there are no other specific options you need to select specifically for PAM; you can choose Account Aggregation Options that suit your business needs.
- **Account Group Aggregation:** this task aggregates **group information** from your PAM vendor. Other than setting the PAM application as the application to scan, there are no other specific options you need to select specifically for PAM; you can choose Account Group Aggregation Options that suit your business needs.
- **Target Aggregation:** this task aggregates **data about PAM vaults and the rights that users** have to those vaults. Configure the task to select your PAM Target Source (that is, the Unstructured Target Collector you configured when setting up your PAM application) as the target source to aggregate.
- **Effective Access Indexing:** this task refreshes the effective access privileges on the PAM containers; that is, container access that is granted by virtue of membership in a group. Check the **Index Entitlement Targets** and **Index unstructured targets** options when running this task for PAM.
- **Identity Refresh:** this task refreshes identities with relevant PAM group and permissions data. For PAM, run this task with the **Refresh Identity Entitlements for all links** selected.

Refer to the **IdentityIQ Tasks** documentation for detailed information on defining tasks.

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## Adding a PAM Quicklink Card to the Home Page

The Privileged Account Quicklink is added to your Quicklink menu during the installation process, under the **Manage Access** sub-menu.

You can manually add a Quicklink card to your Home page as well.

1. Go to your Home page
2. Click **Edit**
3. Click **Add Card**
4. Select **Privileged Account Management** and **Save**
5. **Save** again on the Home Edit page to load the card.

For more information about Quicklinks and Quicklink cards, see the IdentityIQ **Getting Started** documentation.

## Managing Privileged Accounts

To open the Privileged Account Management page, use the Quicklink menu and select **Manage Access > Privileged Account Management**. A Quicklink card can also be enabled on the IdentityIQ home page for quicker access. See [Adding a PAM Quicklink Card to the Home Page](#) for details on how to enable this card.

The Privileged Account Management page shows all the PAM containers in your installation. The containers display the following information:

- **Container Name:** the display name aggregated from the privileged account management application
- **Application:** the name of the privileged account management application associated with this container
- **Total Identities:** the total number of identities associated with the container either directly or through a group
- **Privileged Items:** the number of privileged items to which this container grants access, these are usually privileged accounts
- **Groups:** the number of groups associated with the container
- **Owner:** the owner of this privileged account management container

**Filter** and **Search** options at the top of the page can help you quickly find specific containers.

The **Add Container** button lets you manually add containers. See [Adding New PAM Containers Manually](#).

You can click **View Details** to see and edit details about identities and items in the container. The ability to view or make changes to this information is controlled using SailPoint rights and capabilities and through the configuration settings. Users with a PAM Administrator capability can edit containers and their contents; users with a PAM Viewer capability can only view containers and their contents.

The identities and entitlements contained in your privileged account management system are available throughout the IdentityIQ product. For example, the identities are incorporated in the Identity Warehouse, the entitlements display in the Entitlement Catalog and are included in certain Certifications, requests are tracked through the lifecycle manager process, and provisioning transactions are listed in the Administrator Console.

### Container Details

Click **View Details** on a container to view and edit its contents.

The page contains three tabs:

#### **Identities**

all identities with access to the privileged items, either directly or effectively - [Container Details: Identities](#)

#### **Groups**

all groups with access to the privileged items - [Container Details: Groups](#)

#### **Privileged Items**

all the items to which this container provides access - [Container Details: Privileged Items](#)

## Container Details: Identities

Use this tab to view, add, or remove identities in this container.

The add and remove features are only available if this option was enabled during your PAM configuration. See [PAM Global Configuration Settings](#) for more information on these configuration options and [Adding and Removing Identities in a PAM Container](#) for details on adding and removing identities.

The **Direct Access** tab shows identities granted direct access to this container (view, add, remove)

The **Effective Access** tab shows identities granted access to this container through group membership (view only)

### ***Display Name***

The display name of the identity as aggregated from the privileged account management application

### ***Status***

Current status of the identity as determined through aggregation

### ***Manager***

The listed manager of this identity, if one has been assigned.

### ***Details***

View details, permissions granted and the account and application from which they were granted, or **Remove** the identity from the container. For more details, see [Adding and Removing Identities in a PAM Container](#)

## Container Details: Groups

Use this tab to view detailed information about groups.

### ***Display Name***

The display name of the group as aggregated from the PAM application

### ***Description***

A description of this group, if one is available

### ***Details***

View details, the identities contained within the group, the permission granted the group by this container, and all of the permissions granted this group and the containers through which they are granted

## Container Details: Privileged Items

Use this tab to view, add, or remove privileged items to which this container grants access. Privileged items are things like accounts, credentials, files, and keys.

The add and remove features are only visible if enabled during your PAM configuration. See [PAM Global Configuration Settings](#) for more information on these configuration options, and [Adding and Removing Privileged Items in a PAM Container](#) for details on adding and removing items.



## Adding New PAM Containers Manually

PAM containers are typically created through aggregation from the PAM vendor application. In addition, system administrators, and other users with the **PAM Administrator** capability, can manually add PAM containers in IdentityIQ.

Some global and application-level settings for PAM determine whether this option is available and how it works:

- The option to add containers must be enabled globally. To enable this option, navigate to the **gear menu > Global Settings > IdentityIQ Configuration > Privileged Account Management** tab, and select the **Enable the creation of PAM containers** option. See [PAM Global Configuration Settings](#).
- A provisioning policy for creating containers must be defined in the application definition for the PAM application that will be associated with the new container. This policy determines which specific fields need to be defined for a new container when it is added. See [Configuring a PAM Application](#).

To add a PAM container:

1. In the Quicklink menu, click **Manage Access > Privileged Account Management**.
2. Click **Add Container**.
3. Choose the **PAM application** for this container from the drop-down. Note that the drop-down only lists applications of type Privileged Account Management. When you choose the application, additional **Create Container Policy** fields appear for the container, based on the provisioning policy that is set for the application.
4. Enter a **Display Name**, **Description**, and **Owner** for the container.
5. **Create Container Policy** fields: any fields required by the provisioning policy for creating containers will appear and should be completed. This information is used to provision the container in the PAM system, and can also determine how container information is displayed in the Entitlement Catalog. The provisioning policy for creating containers is defined in the application definition. See [Configuring a PAM Application](#).
6. Click **Submit**.

By default, the creation of a new PAM container must be approved by the owner of the PAM application associated with the container. An approval item is created for the application owner and can be accessed through the **Approvals** tile on the approver's home page.

PAM container creation is handled by a workflow task. To monitor status of this task, use the **gear icon > Administrator Console > Provisioning** tab. You can view the results of this task in either the Administrator Console **Tasks** tab, or in the **Setup > Tasks > Task Results** tab.

## Adding and Removing Identities in a PAM Container

System administrators, and other users with the **PAM Administrator** capability, can manually add or remove identities in a PAM container.

Some global settings for PAM determine whether this option is available and how it works. See [PAM Global Configuration Settings](#) for more information on these configuration options.

- The option to add or remove identities in a PAM containers must be enabled globally. To enable this option, navigate to the **gear menu > Global Settings > IdentityIQ Configuration > Privileged Account Management** tab, and select the **Enable adding and removing identities in PAM containers** option.

- The approval path for additions or deletions of identities in a PAM container is determined by the business process selected **for The workflow used to provision identities**.

To add or remove identities in a PAM container:

1. In the Quicklink menu, click **Manage Access > Privileged Account Management**.
2. Click **View Details** for the container whose items you want to modify.
3. Click **Add Identities**. Note that you can only add or remove an identity from the Direct Access list; the Effective Access list is view-only.
4. Choose the identities to add. Note that you can only select identities that have an account on the PAM application associated with this container.

You can use the **Manage Access** feature in Lifecycle Manager to request that an account be added for a user on the PAM application, if one does not exist. See the **Lifecycle Manager** documentation for more information.

5. Click **Next**.
6. Select permissions for these users on this container. You may be prompted to select an account, if the user has more than one account on the application.
7. Click **Submit** to begin the approval/provisioning process.
8. To remove identities, click the **Remove** button beside the identity, and confirm the deletion. You select multiple identities and click **Bulk Remove** to remove multiple identities at once.

Any approvals that are required by the business process for identity provisioning in PAM must be completed, as part of the addition or removal process.

## Adding and Removing Privileged Items in a PAM Container

Although you cannot create new privileged items directly in IdentityIQ, any privileged items that have been aggregated from your PAM vendor(s) can be manually added to PAM containers.

The option to add privileged items to containers must be enabled globally. To enable this option, navigate to the **gear menu > Global Settings > IdentityIQ Configuration > Privileged Account Management** tab, and select the **Enable adding and removing privileged items in PAM containers** option. With this option enabled, users can also remove privileged items from containers. See [PAM Global Configuration Settings](#).

To add or remove items in a PAM container:

1. In the Quicklink menu, click **Manage Access > Privileged Account Management**.
2. Click **View Details** for the container whose items you want to modify.
3. Click the **Privileged Items** tab.
4. Click **Add Privileged** Items.
5. Select the items to add, from the drop-down. You can select more than one item before you submit the change, but items are selected one at a time.

Be sure to select *all* the items you want to add before submitting the request, because once the request has been submitted, the resulting business process must be completed before you can add more items to this container.

6. Click **Submit**.
7. To remove an item from the container, click the **Remove** button beside the item, and confirm the deletion. You can select multiple items and remove them in bulk using **Bulk Remove**.

By default, changes to items in a PAM container must be approved by the owner of the PAM container. If there is no owner set for the container, approvals go to the owner of the PAM application associated with the container. Approvals are accessed through the **Approvals** tile on the approver's home page.

Once the addition or removal of items has been approved, these new associations between the items and the container are provisioned to the PAM application, according to the provisioning policies that are defined in the application definition for the application. See [Configuring a PAM Application](#).

The addition of items to a PAM container is handled by a workflow task. To monitor status of this task, use the **gear icon > Administrator Console > Provisioning** tab. You can view the results of this task in either the Administrator Console **Tasks** tab, or in the **Setup > Tasks > Task Results** tab.

## Using Rapid Setup Joiner and Leaver Processes for PAM Users

You can use Rapid Setup to manage joiner and leaver processes for PAM applications, in the same manner as for any other application. If you want to use Rapid Setup with your PAM applications, you can configure Rapid Setup to run additional functions that are specific to PAM, such as deleting containers via a rule.

A set of sample Rapid Setup rules is included with Rapid Setup. Sample Rapid Setup rules are in the `rsexamplerules.xml` file, which is located in your IdentityIQ installation directory under `<identityiq_home>\WEB-INF\config\rapidsetup`.

For information on how to import files into IdentityIQ, see the **System Configuration** documentation.

The sample rules include examples of rule logic for performing PAM-specific actions, such as deleting containers. Once imported, the rule must be modified to reference the correct PAM applications and associated PAM containers. Then the rule can be selected as part of your Rapid Setup global configuration. See [PAM Global Configuration Settings](#).

## Privileged Account Management Credential Cycling

Credential cycling enables applications that require credentials, such as username and password, to obtain that information directly from a PAM vendor, such as a CyberArk or Beyond Trust vault. Credential cycling enables credentials to be authenticated directly from the PAM source at runtime.

An administrator defines which applications will use credential cycling, which PAM solution provides those credentials, and how each of the applications will contact the PAM repository to retrieve the credentials. This is done using a configuration file that is imported into IdentityIQ as an object.

### Credential Cycling Configuration

A more detailed look at the template and the configuration options is provided in a later section.

To enable credential cycling, BeyondTrust PowerBroker Password Safe application passwords must be configured in the JSON format:

```
{"bt_user": "MyUserName", "bt_password": "MyPasswordValue" }
```

Prerequisites:

- Install and configure the PAM Module (with link)
- Define an application in IdentityIQ

A template file is provided in your IdentityIQ installation for use as a model for setting up your own configuration. The template file is:

```
\WEB-INF\config\credentialConfigurationTemplate.xml
```

Edit this file to set your own PAM solution and values. The template includes models for BeyondTrust and CyberArk, as well as a solution-neutral mapping option.

- Include information about which of your applications will use credential cycling.
- Import the edited XML file into IdentityIQ using **Gear icon > Global Configuration > Import File**
- Importing the file creates a new object in IdentityIQ: Credential Configuration

If you need to update your credential cycling configuration, modify and re-import the credential configuration XML. You can also edit the Credential Configuration object directly in the Debug pages.

### Working with the Credential Configuration Template

The `credentialConfigurationTemplate.xml` is located in the `WEB-INF\config` directory of your IdentityIQ installation.

The template file includes sections for BeyondTrust, CyberArk, and a solution-neutral mapping option. If you are using a PAM solution other than BeyondTrust or CyberArk, you can use those sections of the template as a model for configuring another PAM solution. The file is fully commented to provide guidance as you insert your configuration settings.

### Template General Guidelines

When working with templates, the best practice is to make a copy of this template to hold your specific configuration values, rather than modifying the original template file.

The template includes individual sections for BeyondTrust, CyberArk, and a solution-neutral mapping option. Remove the sections that you will not use before importing the template. For example, if you want to implement just a CyberArk solution, remove the template sections for BeyondTrust and the mapping option.

### Template:

## **BeyondTrust**

Here are some key points to observe when you work with the BeyondTrust portion of the template:

```
<CredentialSource credentialClass="sailpoint.pam.credential.BeyondTrustCredentialManager"
name="beyondTrust ">
  <!-- The attributes in this map are used mainly to communicate with
BeyondTrust.
attributes          Any values here can be overridden by values of the same name in the
                    map of each credential association. Required attributes must either
be configured      here or in every credential source. Attributes:
                    Required: url
                    Required: runas
                    Required: apikey
                    Required: managedSystemName
                    Required: managedAccountName
                    Optional: durationMinutes
                    Optional: credentialCacheMinutes
                    Optional: checkInReason
                    Optional: checkOutReason
                    -->
  <Attributes>
  <Map>
    <entry key="url">
      <value><String>https://your.beyondtrust.server/BeyondTrust/api/public/v3/</String></value>
    </entry>
    <entry key="runas">
      <value><String>runas_user</String></value>
    </entry>
    <entry key="apikey">
      <value><String>your_beyondtrust_api_key_goes_here</String></value>
    </entry>
    <entry key="managedAccountName" value="beyond_trust_managed_account_
name"/>
    <entry key="managedSystemName" value="beyond_trust_managed_system_
name"/>
  </Map>
</Attributes>
<!-- ***Application Configuration -->
<CredentialAssociation applicationName="application_name"
                        attributeName="application_username_attribute"
                        credentialAttributeName="bt_user">
  <!-- *** Attribute values go here. These attributes can be used to
override values from
*** above, or can be left out if not needed -->
  <Attributes>
```

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        <Map>
        <entry key="managedAccountName" value="special_beyond_trust_managed_account_name"/>
        </Map>
    </Attributes>
</CredentialAssociation>
<CredentialAssociation applicationName="application_name"
    attributeName="application_password_attribute"
    credentialAttributeName="bt_password"/>
</CredentialSource>

```

## CyberArk

Here are some key points to observe when you work with the CyberArk portion of the template:

```

<CredentialSource credentialClass="sailpoint.pam.credential.CyberArkCredentialManager"
name="cyberark">
    <!-- The attributes in this map are used mainly to communicate with
    CyberArk.
    attributes
    Any values here can be overridden by values of the same name in the
    map of each credential association. Required attributes must either
    be configured
    here or in every credential source. Attributes:
    Required: safe
    Required: folder
    Required: appId
    Required: object
    -->
    <Attributes>
    <Map>
    <entry key="safe" value="cyber_ark_safe_name"/>
    <entry key="folder" value="cyber_ark_folder_name"/>
    <entry key="appId" value="cyber_ark_app_ID"/>
    </Map>
    </Attributes>

    <!-- *** Application Configuration -->
    <CredentialAssociation applicationName="application_name"
        attributeName="application_username_attribute"
        credentialAttributeName="CyberArk_username_
attribute">
        <!-- *** Attribute values go here. These attributes can be used to
        override values from
        *** above, or can be left out if not needed -->
        <Attributes>
        <Map>
        <entry key="object" value="object_value"/>
        </Map>
        </Attributes>
    </CredentialAssociation>
</CredentialSource>

```

## Credential Mapping

Here are some key points to observe when you work with the mapping portion of the template:

```
<CredentialSource credentialClass="sailpoint.pam.credential.MapCredentialManager"
name="mapCredManager">
    <!-- The attributes in this map are the values that will be returned by
the map credential manager.
        It's probably a good idea to encrypt these so they are not stored in
plain text if the values
        are sensitive -->
    <Attributes>
        <Map>
            <entry key="credentialValues">
                <value>
                    <Map>
                        <entry key="map_username_attribute" value="john_doe_username"/>
                        <entry key="map_password_attribute" value="super_secret_
password"/>
                    </Map>
                </value>
            </entry>
        </Map>
    </Attributes>
    <!-- *** Application Configuration -->
    <CredentialAssociation applicationName="application_name"
        attributeName="application_username_attribute"
        credentialAttributeName="map_username_attribute"/>
    <CredentialAssociation applicationName="application_name"
        attributeName="application_password_attribute"
        credentialAttributeName="map_password_attribute"/>
</CredentialSource>
```

## Credential Cycling in an Application

When credential cycling is configured for an application, the Application Definition page displays a message for the users. Although the relevant credential fields are still marked as requiring values, these fields are not validated when credential cycling is enabled, and so can be left blank, or can include dummy values.