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1 Understanding the ServiceNow Driver

The NetIQ Identity Manager driver for ServiceNow can seamlessly provision and de-provision users to the ServiceNow cloud application. ServiceNow provides cloud based services that allow users to manage the software through a web service.

The ServiceNow driver supports the following features:

- ◆ Supports provisioning users and groups from the Identity Vault
- ◆ Supports password synchronization from the Identity Vault
- ◆ Supports the creation of user accounts based on policies and entitlements

IMPORTANT: The ServiceNow driver is a Subscriber channel only driver.

- ◆ [“Supported ServiceNow Versions” on page 11](#)
- ◆ [“How the Driver Works” on page 11](#)
- ◆ [“Data Transfer Between Systems” on page 13](#)
- ◆ [“Supported Operations” on page 13](#)
- ◆ [“Planning to Install the Driver” on page 14](#)

Supported ServiceNow Versions

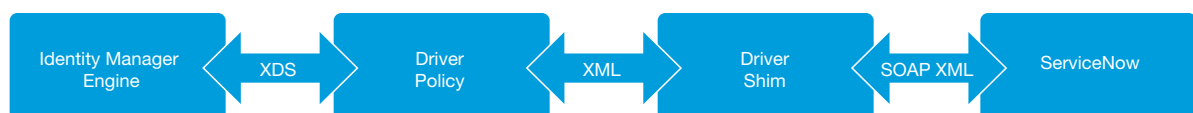
You can use the ServiceNow driver with the following ServiceNow versions:

- ◆ Paris
- ◆ Quebec
- ◆ Rome
- ◆ Tokyo
- ◆ Utah
- ◆ Vancouver

How the Driver Works

Figure 1-1 illustrates the data flow between Identity Manager and a ServiceNow driver.

Figure 1-1 ServiceNow Driver Data Flow



The Identity Manager engine uses XDS, a specialized form of XML (Extensible Markup Language), to represent events in the Identity Vault. Identity Manager passes the XDS to the driver policy which can consist of basic policies, DirXML Script, and XSLT (Extensible Stylesheet Language Transformation) style sheets. The ServiceNow driver uses SOAP (Simple Object Access Protocol) protocol to handle the HTTP (Hypertext Transfer Protocol) transport of data between the Identity Vault and ServiceNow. The Subscriber channel receives XDS command documents from the Identity Manager engine, converts them to ServiceNow API (Application Program Interface) calls, and executes them.

The driver shim translates the XDS to XML payload on the Subscriber channel and then invokes the appropriate SOAP endpoints exposed by ServiceNow for Object CRUD (Create, Read, Update, and Delete) operations.

The driver uses the following Internet protocols and languages to exchange data between Identity Manager and ServiceNow.

- ♦ [“SOAP” on page 12](#)
- ♦ [“HTTP” on page 12](#)
- ♦ [“HTTPS” on page 13](#)

SOAP

SOAP is an XML-based protocol for exchanging messages. It defines the message exchange but not the message content. The driver supports SOAP 1.1.

SOAP documents are organized into three elements:

- ♦ **Envelope:** The root XML node.
- ♦ **Header:** Provides context knowledge such as a transaction ID and security information.
- ♦ **Body:** The method-specific information.

SOAP follows the HTTP request/response message model, which provides SOAP request parameters in an HTTP request and SOAP response parameters in an HTTP response.

HTTP

HTTP is a protocol used to request and transmit data over the Internet or other computer network. The protocol works well in an Internet infrastructure and with firewalls.

HTTP is a stateless request/response system because the connection is usually maintained only for the immediate request. The client establishes a TCP connection with the server and sends a request command. The server then sends back its response.

HTTPS

HTTPS is the HTTP protocol over SSL (Secure Socket Layer) as a sub-layer under the regular HTTP application layering. HTTPS encrypts and decrypts user page requests as well as the pages that are returned by the Web server.

ServiceNow processes the request and returns a SOAP response to the driver shim. The shim receives the response as an array of bytes and converts it to an XML document before passing it back to the driver policies. The input transformation style sheet processes the response and converts it into appropriate XDS that is reported back to the Identity Manager engine.

Data Transfer Between Systems

The data is transferred between the Identity Vault and the ServiceNow driver only on the Subscriber channel. Communication is one-way only.

The Subscriber channel does the following:

- ◆ Watches for additions and modifications to the Identity Vault objects.
- ◆ Makes changes to ServiceNow's internal representation of user identities that reflect those changes.

Supported Operations

The ServiceNow driver supports the following operations on the Subscriber channel:

Operation	Supported On
Add, Modify, Delete, Migrate, and Query	User and Group Objects NOTE: When a user's password is added or modified on the Subscriber channel, ServiceNow returns the user password in hashed format which is seen in the ServiceNow driver trace. For more information, see the ServiceNow documentation website .
Password Synchronization	User Objects
Entitlements	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ User Accounts◆ Group Membership◆ Roles◆ Departments

Planning to Install the Driver

This section provides information for planning the installation and configuration process for the driver.

- ◆ [“Installation Requirements” on page 14](#)
- ◆ [“Options for Installing the Driver Shim” on page 14](#)

Installation Requirements

The ServiceNow driver requires the following applications and files:

- ◆ Identity Manager 4.5 Service Pack 2, particularly the following components:
 - ◆ Designer
 - ◆ Remote Loader (if you want to connect through the Remote Loader)
 - ◆ Role and Resource Service driver
 - ◆ User Application driver
 - ◆ Driver Set packages
 - ◆ Advanced Java Class
 - ◆ Common Settings
 - ◆ Identity Manager Default Universal Password Policy
- ◆ ServiceNow driver files
 - ◆ `servicenowshim.jar`
- ◆ ServiceNow driver packages
 - ◆ ServiceNow Base
 - ◆ ServiceNow Default Configuration
 - ◆ ServiceNow Entitlements
 - ◆ ServiceNow Password Synchronization

Options for Installing the Driver Shim

You can install the driver shim on the Identity Manager server. Alternatively, you can use the Remote Loader service to run the driver on a server other than the Identity Manager server. In this case, the driver and the Remote Loader service run on the same server. The Remote Loader loads drivers and communicates with the Identity Manager engine on behalf of drivers installed on remote servers.

For more information about supported platforms for installing Identity Manager or the Remote Loader, see [“Planning to Install Identity Manager”](#) in the *NetIQ Identity Manager Setup Guide for Linux* or [“Planning to Install Identity Manager”](#) in the *NetIQ Identity Manager Setup Guide for Windows*.

For information about configuring the Identity Manager drivers with the Remote Loader, see [Configuring the Remote Loader and Drivers](#) in the *NetIQ Identity Manager Setup Guide for Linux* or [Configuring the Remote Loader and Drivers](#) in the *NetIQ Identity Manager Setup Guide for Windows*.

2 Installing the Driver Files

To create and configure the driver, you must install the driver shim. The installation and configuration process for the ServiceNow driver requires access to the ServiceNow application, Identity Manager, the Remote Loader in case of a remote installation, and Designer for Identity Manager. NetIQ supports installing the ServiceNow driver on the Identity Manager server and on a remote server using the Remote Loader.

To install the driver, you first need to install the driver files, install the driver packages, and then modify the driver configuration to suit your environment. This section describes how to install the driver files. For information on installing and configuring driver packages, see [Chapter 3, “Creating a New Driver Object,”](#) on page 17.

- ♦ [“Prerequisites for Installing the Driver”](#) on page 15
- ♦ [“Installing the ServiceNow Driver Files”](#) on page 15

Prerequisites for Installing the Driver

Before installing the driver, your Identity Manager environment must have the following software:

- ♦ Identity Manager 4.5 Service Pack (SP) 2 or later

Download Identity Manager 4.5 SP2 as instructed in the [“NetIQ Identity Manager 4.5 Service Pack 2 Release Notes”](#).

For Identity Manager 4.6 prerequisites and installation information, see [“Implementation Checklist”](#) in the *NetIQ Identity Manager Setup Guide for Linux* or [“Planning to Install Identity Manager”](#) in the *NetIQ Identity Manager Setup Guide for Windows*.

- ♦ Designer packages - Download the required packages from the [Designer Update channel](#) and upgrade your Designer to Designer 4.5 SP 2 Hot Fix 1 or later.

Installing the ServiceNow Driver Files

By default, the driver files are installed on the Identity Manager server at the same time as the Identity Manager engine. The installation program extends the Identity Vault’s schema and installs the driver shim and the driver configuration file. It does not create the driver in the Identity Vault or upgrade an existing driver’s configuration.

You can install the driver on the Identity Manager server, or connect to the Identity Manager engine through a Remote Loader from a remote server. In this configuration, you install the Remote Loader and the driver files on a non-Identity Manager server where you want to run the driver. For more information, see [Configuring the Remote Loader and Drivers](#) in the *NetIQ Identity Manager Setup Guide for Linux* or [Configuring the Remote Loader and Drivers](#) in the *NetIQ Identity Manager Setup Guide for Windows*. After the driver files are installed, create the driver. For more information, see [Creating a Driver](#).

3 Creating a New Driver Object

You install the ServiceNow driver files on the server where you want to run the driver, and then proceed to create the driver in the Identity Vault. You create the ServiceNow driver by installing the driver packages or importing the basic driver configuration file and then modifying the driver configuration to suit your environment.

The following sections provide instructions to create and activate the driver:

- ♦ [“Creating the Driver Object in Designer” on page 17](#)
- ♦ [“Deploying, Starting and Activating the Driver” on page 20](#)

Creating the Driver Object in Designer

You create the ServiceNow driver by importing the driver’s packages and then modifying the configuration to suit your environment. After you have created and configured the driver, you need to deploy and start it.

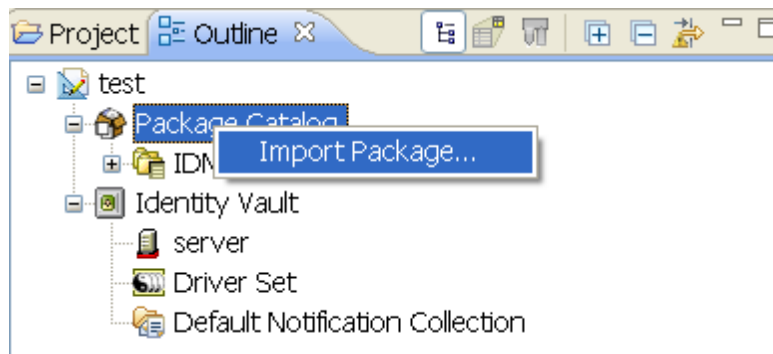
- ♦ [“Importing the Driver Packages in Designer” on page 17](#)
- ♦ [“Installing the Driver Packages” on page 18](#)
- ♦ [“Configuring the Driver Object” on page 20](#)

Importing the Driver Packages in Designer

The driver packages contain the items required to create a driver, such as policies, entitlements, filters, and schema mapping policies. These packages are only available in Designer and can be updated after they are installed. You should use the most current version of the packages in the Package Catalog before you can create a new driver object.

To verify that you have the most recent version of the driver packages in the Package Catalog:

- 1 Open Designer.
- 2 In the toolbar, click **Help >> Check for Package Updates**.
- 3 Click **OK** to update the packages.
- 4 In the Outline view, right-click **Package Catalog**.
- 5 Click **Import Package**.



6 Select any ServiceNow driver packages.

or

Click **Select All** to import all of the packages displayed.

By default, only the base packages are displayed. Deselect **Show Base Packages Only** to display all packages.

7 Click **OK** to import the selected packages, then click **OK** in the successfully imported packages message.

8 After the current packages are imported, continue with [“Installing the Driver Packages” on page 18](#).

NOTE: Designer does not display the name of the driver or the driver symbol when you import the ServiceNow driver from Identity Vault. This issue is seen in Modeler only.

Installing the Driver Packages

1 In Designer, open your project.

2 In the Modeler, right-click the driver set where you want to create the driver, then click **New > Driver**.

3 Select **ServiceNow Base**, then click **Next**.

4 Select the optional features to be installed, then click **Next**. The options are:

- ◆ **ServiceNow Default Configuration:** This package contains the default policies required to enable the driver to create user and group accounts. Leave this option selected.
- ◆ **ServiceNow Password Synchronization:** This package contains the policies that enable the ServiceNow driver to synchronize passwords. To synchronize passwords, verify that this option is selected. For more information, see the [NetIQ Identity Manager Password Management Guide](#).
- ◆ **ServiceNow Driver Entitlements:** This package contains configuration information and policies for synchronizing user accounts, group membership, roles, and departments. If you want account creation and auditing enabled through entitlements, verify that this option is selected. For more information, see the [NetIQ Identity Manager Entitlements Guide](#).

5 (Conditional) If there are package dependencies for the packages you selected to install, you must install these dependencies to install the selected package. Click **OK** to install the package dependencies listed.

6 (Conditional) The **Common Settings** page is only displayed if the Common Settings package is installed as a dependency. On the **Install Common Settings** page, fill in the following fields, then click **Next**:

User Container: Select the Identity Vault container where ServiceNow user accounts will be added if they do not already exist in the vault. This value becomes the default for all drivers in the driver set.

Group Container: Select the Identity Vault container where ServiceNow groups will be added if they do not already exist in the vault. This value becomes the default for all drivers in the driver set.

7 On the **Install ServiceNow Base** page, specify a name for the driver that is unique within the driver set, and then click **Next**.

8 On the new **Install ServiceNow Base** page, fill in the following fields, then click **Next**:

- ◆ **ServiceNow Base URL:** Specify the URL to connect to ServiceNow.
- ◆ **ServiceNow Login ID:** Specify a ServiceNow account with administrative privileges to be used by Identity Manager.
- ◆ **ServiceNow Login Password:** Provide the password for the specified ServiceNow account.
- ◆ **Always Accept Server Certificate:** This option eliminates the need for manually maintaining a truststore. If you select *No*, you must have a truststore configured with the appropriate certificates.
- ◆ **Truststore File Path:** Specify the name and path of the truststore file containing the trusted certificates. For example, `c:\security\truststore`.
- ◆ **Proxy host and port:** Specify the proxy host address and port. For example, `192.10.1.3:18180`. Otherwise, leave the field blank.
- ◆ **Set Proxy Authentication Parameters:** Select **Show** to display the proxy authentication parameters.
 - ◆ **Proxy User ID:** Specify the user name for authentication.
 - ◆ **Proxy User Password:** Specify the proxy user password.
- ◆ **Use Custom Application Schema:** To use a custom schema with the driver, select **Yes**. By default, the value is set to **No**, which allows Identity Manager to load the default schema with the driver.
 - ◆ **Custom Schema File Path:** To use a custom schema file, provide the local directory path where the entire schema file exists. For the driver to use the new schema, restart the driver. The default ServiceNow schema file is bundled with the `NIDM_Driver_4.5_ServiceNow.zip` file.

9 **Connect to Remote Loader:** Select *Yes* or *No* to determine if the driver will use the Remote Loader. If you select *No*, skip to **Step 10**. If you select *Yes*, use the following information to complete the Remote Loader configuration, then click **Next**:

Host Name: Specify the host name or IP address of the server where the Remote Loader Service is installed and running for this driver.

Port: Specify the port number where the Remote Loader Service is installed and running for the ServiceNow driver. The default port is 8090.

Remote Password: Specify the Remote Loader password as defined in the Remote Loader service. The Identity Manager engine (or Remote Loader shim) requires this password to authenticate to the Remote Loader.

Driver Password: Specify the driver object password that is defined in the Remote Loader service. The Remote Loader requires this password to authenticate to the Identity Manager server.

10 On the **Confirm Installation Tasks** page, review the summary of tasks and click **Finish**.

The driver is now created. You can modify the configuration settings, by continuing with the next section, [Configuring the Driver Object](#).

Configuring the Driver Object

Configuring the Driver Parameters: There are many settings that can help you customize and optimize the driver. The settings are divided into categories such as Driver Configuration, Engine Control Values, Global Configuration Values (GCVs), Health, Log Level, Packages, and so on. Although it is important for you to understand all of the settings, your first priority should be to review the [Driver Properties](#) located on the Driver Configuration page. The Driver Parameters and the Global Configuration Values let you configure the ServiceNow login information and other parameters associated with the driver. These settings must be configured properly for the driver to start and function correctly.

The driver requires an account with ServiceNow that is an administrator for your ServiceNow subscription. You should create a new account in your ServiceNow specifically for this purpose. Make sure that this new account is set to administer your ServiceNow application.

After completing the configuration tasks, continue with the next section [“Deploying, Starting and Activating the Driver”](#) on page 20.

Deploying, Starting and Activating the Driver

After installing and configuring the driver you must deploy, start and activate it. To perform the respective operations see:

- ♦ [Deploying the Driver](#) in *“NetIQ Identity Manager Driver Administration Guide”*
- ♦ [Starting the Driver](#) in *“NetIQ Identity Manager Driver Administration Guide”*
- ♦ [Activating Drivers](#) in *“NetIQ Identity Manager Driver Administration Guide”*

4 Customizing the Driver

This section explains how to use and modify policies and filters to synchronize data between the Identity Vault and ServiceNow according to your specific business rules. It is also possible to customize the driver using the entitlements shipped with the driver.

The ServiceNow driver synchronizes data and events from the Identity Vault through a series of policies. The policies in this section are examples of the many possible solutions for your company's business rules. The code segments show simple and partial solutions and do not cover all situations and conditions. In addition, the code segments only process the attributes of interest and do not handle other attributes.

You set defaults for policies and filters when you import the driver configuration.

- ♦ [“Customizing the Referenced Attributes Using Policies” on page 21](#)
- ♦ [“Customizing the ServiceNow Application Schema” on page 23](#)

Customizing the Referenced Attributes Using Policies

Referenced attributes can be handled by customizing the policies in ServiceNow. Company, Location, and Building are examples of some of the referenced attributes in ServiceNow.

Identity Manager allows you to customize the referenced attributes by modifying the policies. For example, you can update the `Company` attribute for a user on the Subscriber channel by adding a custom policy to the driver using Designer.

To add a custom policy:

- 1 In Designer, add the `Company` attribute to the ServiceNow driver filter and select **Synchronize** under the **Subscribe** settings.
- 2 Right-click the **Output Transformation Policy**, click **New**, and then click **DirXML Script**.
- 3 Add the below DirXML script to the policy you just created.

```
<rule>
  <description>Company attribute Verification</description>
  <conditions>
    <and>
      <if-class-name op="equal">sys_user</if-class-name>
      <if-attr name="company" op="available"/>
      <if-operation mode="nocase" op="equal">modify</if-operation>
    </and>
  </conditions>
  <actions>
    <do-set-local-variable name="companyName" scope="policy">
      <arg-string>
        <token-xpath expression="./modify-attr[@attr-
name=&apos;company&apos; ]/add-value/value/text()&#xd; &#xa;"/>
      </arg-string>
    </do-set-local-variable>
  </actions>
</rule>
```

```

</do-set-local-variable>
<do-set-local-variable name="companyInstance" scope="policy">
  <arg-node-set>
    <token-query class-name="core_company" scope="entry">
      <arg-match-attr name="name">
        <arg-value>
          <token-local-variable name="companyName"/>
        </arg-value>
      </arg-match-attr>
    </token-query>
  </arg-node-set>
</do-set-local-variable>
<do-if>
  <arg-conditions>
    <and>
      <if-xpath op="not-true">${companyInstance}/../instance</if-xpath>
    </and>
  </arg-conditions>
  <arg-actions>
    <do-add-dest-object class-name="core_company" when="before">
      <arg-dn>
        <token-text xml:space="preserve">Companyattr</token-text>
      </arg-dn>
    </do-add-dest-object>
    <do-add-dest-attr-value class-name="core_company" name="name"
when="before">
      <arg-dn>
        <token-text xml:space="preserve">Companyattr</token-text>
      </arg-dn>
      <arg-value type="string">
        <token-xpath expression="./modify-attr[@attr-name='company']/"
add-value/value/text()"/>
      </arg-value>
    </do-add-dest-attr-value>
    <do-add-dest-attr-value class-name="sys_user" name="company">
      <arg-value type="string">
        <token-xpath expression="./modify-attr[@attr-name='company']/"
add-value/value/text()"/>
      </arg-value>
    </do-add-dest-attr-value>
  </arg-actions>
</arg-actions/>
</do-if>
</actions>
</rule>

```

4 Deploy the driver along with the policy.

In the above example, when the driver is deployed to the Identity Vault, the policy checks whether the company name exists in the ServiceNow database and performs one of the following actions:

- ◆ If the company name exists, the policy links the company with the user.
- ◆ If the company name does not exist in the database, the policy updates ServiceNow with the company name and links it with the user.

Customizing the ServiceNow Application Schema

The Schema Mapping policy is contained in the driver object and applies to the Subscriber channel. The purpose of the Schema Mapping policy is to map schema names (particularly attribute names and class names) between the Identity Vault namespace and the ServiceNow namespace. Do not modify or remove existing entries in the Schema Mapping policy. You can, however, add entries to the Schema Mapping policy.

[Table 4-1](#) and [Table 4-2](#) list the default attributes that are supported in ServiceNow.

Table 4-1 *sys_user*

Attributes	Type
Accumulated roles	String
Active	True/False
Building	<i>reference to Building</i>
Business phone	Phone Number
Calendar Integration	Integer
City	String
Class	System Class Name
Company	<i>reference to Company</i>
Cost center	<i>reference to Cost Center</i>
Country code	String
Created	date/Time
Created by	String
Date Format	String
Default perspective	<i>reference to Menu List</i>
Department	<i>reference to Department</i>
Domain	Domain ID
EDU Status	String
Email	Email
Employee number	String
Failed login attempts	Integer
First name	String
Email	Email
Employee number	String
Failed login attempts	Integer

Attributes	Type
First name	String
Gender	String
Home Phone	Phone Number
internal Integration User	True/False
LDAP Server	<i>reference to LDAP Server</i>
Language	String
Last login	Date
Last login device	String
Last login time	date/Time
last name	String
Last password	String
Location	<i>reference to Location</i>
Locked out	True/False
Manager	<i>reference to User</i>
Middle name	String
Mobile phone	Phone Number
Name	String
Notification	Integer
Password	Password (1 Way Encrypted)
Password needs reset	True/False
Photo	Image
Prefix	String
Roles	User Roles
Schedule	<i>reference to Schedule</i>
Source	String
State/Province	String
Street	Two Line Text Area
Sys ID	Sys ID
Time format	String
Time zone	String
Title	String
Updated	Date/Time

Attributes	Type
Updated by	String
Updates	Integer
User ID	String
VIP	True/False
Web service access only	True/False
Zip/Postal code	String

Table 4-2 *sys_user_group*

Attributes	Type
Active	True/False
Cost Center	<i>reference to Cost Center</i>
Created	Date/Time
Created by	String
Default assignee	<i>reference to User</i>
Description	String
Exclude manager	True/False
Group email	Email
Hourly rate	Currency
Include members	True/False
manager	<i>reference to User</i>
Name	String
Parent	<i>reference to Group</i>
Roles	User Roles
Source	String
Sys ID	Sys ID
Type	List
Updated	Date/Time
Updated by	String
Updates	Integer

ServiceNow also supports other attributes in addition to the default attributes. The attributes are available in the custom schema file packaged in the `NIIdM_Driver_4.5_ServiceNow.zip` file. For more information about using the schema file, see [Use Custom Application Schema](#).

5 Securing Driver Communication

If the remote Web service you are accessing allows HTTPS connections, you can configure the driver to take advantage of this increased security.

Configuring the Subscriber Channel

The Subscriber channel sends information from the Identity Vault to the Web service. To establish a secure connection for the Subscriber channel, you need a truststore containing a certificate issued by the certificate authority that signed the server's certificate.

- 1 Make sure you have a server certificate signed by a certificate authority.
- 2 Import the certificate into your truststore or create a new trust store by entering the following command at the command prompt:

```
keytool -import -file name_of_cert_file -trustcacerts -noprompt -  
truststore filename -storepass password
```

For example:

```
keytool -import -file tree_ca_root.b64 -trustcacerts -noprompt -  
truststore dirxml.truststore -storepass novell
```

- 3 Configure the Subscriber channel to use the trust store you created in [step 2](#):
 - 3a In Identity Console, click the **IDM Administration** tile.
 - 3b On the Driver Dashboard, click the driver's icon.
 - 3c Select the **Configuration** tab, then expand the **Driver Parameters** section.
 - 3d On the **Driver Settings** tab, select **No** for **Always accept server certificate**.
 - 3e In the **Truststore file path**, specify the path to the trust store you created in [step 2](#).
- 4 Save.

6 Managing the Driver

As you work with the ServiceNow driver, there are a variety of management tasks you might need to perform, including the following:

- ◆ Starting, stopping, and restarting the driver
- ◆ Viewing driver version information
- ◆ Using Named Passwords to securely store passwords associated with the driver
- ◆ Monitoring the driver's health status
- ◆ Backing up the driver
- ◆ Inspecting the driver's cache files
- ◆ Viewing the driver's statistics
- ◆ Using the DirXML Command Line utility to perform management tasks through scripts
- ◆ Securing the driver and its information

Because these tasks, as well as several others, are common to all Identity Manager drivers, they are included in one reference, the [NetIQ Identity Manager Driver Administration Guide](#).

A Driver Properties

This section provides information about the Driver Configuration and Global Configuration Values properties for the ServiceNow driver. These are the only unique properties for drivers. All other driver properties (Named Password, Engine Control Values, Log Level, and so forth) are common to all drivers. Refer to “[Driver Properties](#)” in the *NetIQ Identity Manager Driver Administration Guide* for information about the common properties.

The information is presented from Identity Console’s perspective. If a field is different in Designer, it is marked with a Designer icon.

- ♦ “[Driver Configuration](#)” on page 31
- ♦ “[Global Configuration Values](#)” on page 34

Driver Configuration

In Identity Console:

- 1 Click the **IDM Administration** tile.
- 2 On the Driver Dashboard, locate the driver, then click the driver icon to display the driver’s properties page.

In Designer:

- 1 Open a project in the Modeler.
- 2 Right-click the driver icon or line, then select click **Properties > Driver Configuration**.

The following sections describe driver configuration in details:

- ♦ “[Driver Module](#)” on page 31
- ♦ “[Driver Object Password](#)” on page 32
- ♦ “[Authentication](#)” on page 32
- ♦ “[Startup Option](#)” on page 33
- ♦ “[Driver Parameters](#)” on page 33
- ♦ “[ECMA Script](#)” on page 34
- ♦ “[Global Configuration](#)” on page 34

Driver Module

The driver module changes the driver from running locally to running remotely or the reverse.

Java: Use this option to specify the name of the Java class that is instantiated for the shim component of the driver. This class can be located in the `classes` directory as a class file, or in the `lib` directory as a `.jar` file. If this option is selected, the driver is running locally. Select this option to run the driver locally.

The Java class name is:

```
com.novell.nds.dirxml.driver.ServiceNow.ServiceNowDriverShim
```

Native: This option is not used with the ServiceNow driver.

Connect to Remote Loader: Used when the driver is connecting remotely to the connected system. Designer includes two sub options:

- ◆ **Remote Loader Client Configuration for Documentation:** Includes information on the Remote Loader client configuration when Designer generates documentation for the driver.
- ◆ **Driver Object Password:** Specifies a password for the Driver object. If you are using the Remote Loader, you must enter a password on this page. Otherwise, the remote driver does not run. The Remote Loader uses this password to authenticate itself to the remote driver shim.

Name: Displays the java class name.

Driver Object Password

Use this option to set a password for the driver object. If you are using the Remote Loader, you must enter a password on this page. This password is used by the Remote Loader to authenticate itself to the remote driver shim.

Authentication

The authentication section describes the parameters required for authentication to the connected system.

Authentication ID: Specify a user application ID. This ID is used to pass Identity Vault subscription information to the application.

Authentication Context: Specify the IP address or name of the server the application shim should communicate with.

Remote Loader Connection Parameters: The syntax for the parameter is `hostname=xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx port=xxxxx kmo=certificatename`, where the hostname is the IP address of the application server running the Remote Loader server and the port is the port the Remote Loader is listening on. The default port for the Remote Loader is 8090.

The `kmo` entry is optional. It is only used when there is an SSL connection between the Remote Loader and the Identity Manager engine.

Example: `hostname=10.0.0.1 port=8090 kmo=IDMCertificate`

Driver Cache Limit (KB): Specify the maximum event cache file size. If the value is set to zero, the file size is unlimited.

Application Password: Specify the password to connect to the application.

Remote Loader Password: Specify the password to connect to the application through the remote loader. The password should match with the password specified during the configuration of the Remote Loader on the connected system.

Startup Option

The Startup Option section allows you to set the driver state when the Identity Manager server is started.

Auto start: The driver starts every time the Identity Manager server is started.

Manual: The driver does not start when the Identity Manager server is started. The driver must be started through Designer or Identity Console.

Disabled: The driver has a cache file that stores all of the events. When the driver is set to Disabled, this file is deleted and no new events are stored in the file until the driver state is changed to Manual or Auto Start.

Driver Parameters

The Driver Parameters section lets you configure the driver-specific parameters. When you change driver parameters, you tune driver behavior to align with your network environment.

The parameters are presented by category:

- ◆ [“Driver Settings” on page 33](#)
- ◆ [“Publisher Options” on page 34](#)

Driver Settings

ServiceNow Base URL: Specify the URL to connect to ServiceNow.

ServiceNow Login ID: Specify the login ID to connect to ServiceNow.

ServiceNow Login Password: Specify the password for the login ID.

Select **Remove existing password** to clear the password.

Always Accept Server Certificate: This option eliminates the need for manually maintaining a truststore. If you select *No*, you must have a truststore configured with the appropriate certificates.

Truststore File Path: Specify the name and path of the truststore file containing the trusted certificates used when the remote server is configured to provide server authentication. For example, `c:\security\truststore`. Leave this field empty when server authentication is not used.

Proxy Host and Port: When an HTTP proxy is used, specify the host address and the host port. For example, `192.10.1.3:18180`. Otherwise, leave the field blank.

Set Proxy Authentication Parameters: Select **Show** to display the proxy authentication parameters:

- ◆ **Proxy User ID:** Specify the user name for authentication. Leave the field blank for anonymous authentication.
- ◆ **Proxy User Password:** Specify the password for the user.

Use Custom Application Schema: To use a custom schema with the driver, select **Yes**. By default, the value is set to **No**, which allows Identity Manager to load the default schema with the driver.

- ♦ **Custom Schema File Path:** To use a custom schema file, provide the local directory path where the entire schema file exists. For the driver to use the new schema, restart the driver.

Publisher Options

Publisher Heartbeat interval: Specify the heartbeat interval in seconds.

Leave this field empty to turn off the heartbeat.

ECMA Script

The ECMAScript section enables you to add ECMAScript resource files. The resources extend the driver's functionality when Identity Manager starts the driver.

Global Configuration

Displays an ordered list of Global Configuration objects. The objects contain extension GCV definitions for the driver that Identity Manager loads when the driver is started. You can add or remove the Global Configuration objects, and you can change the order in which the objects are executed.

Global Configuration Values

Global configuration values (GCVs) are values that can be used by the driver to control functionality. GCVs are defined on the driver or on the driver set. Driver set GCVs can be used by all drivers in the driver set. Driver GCVs can be used only by the driver on which they are defined.

The ServiceNow driver includes several predefined GCVs. You can also add your own GCVs, on a need basis, while you implement policies in the driver.


To access the driver's GCVs in Identity Console:


- 1 Click the **IDM Administration** tile.
- 2 On the Driver Dashboard, locate the driver, then click the driver icon to display the driver's properties page.
 - 2a Select the **Configuration** tab.
 - 2b Expand the **Global Config Values** section.

To add a GCV to the driver set:

- 1 On the Driver Dashboard, click the upper right corner of the driver set to display the Action menu.
- 2 Select **Driver Set Properties**.
- 3 On the **Driver Set Configuration** tab, expand the **Global Config Values** section.
- 4 Save the values.

To access the driver's GCVs in Designer:

- 1 Open a project in the Modeler.
- 2 Right-click the driver icon  or line, then select **Properties > GCVs**.
or

To add a GCV to the driver set, right-click the driver set icon , then click **Properties > GCVs**.

Password Synchronization

Use the following GCVs to configure the driver to synchronize passwords to ServiceNow.

Application accepts passwords from Identity Manager: This option is used to determine whether the application accepts passwords from Identity Manager. Selecting **True** allows the passwords to flow from the Identity Manager data store to connected system.

Notify the user of password synchronization failure via e-mail: Select this option if you want to notify the user through e-mail.

Entitlements

There are multiple sections in the Entitlements tab. Depending on which packages you installed, different options are enabled or displayed.

- ◆ [“Entitlements Configuration” on page 35](#)
- ◆ [“Role Mapping” on page 36](#)
- ◆ [“Parameter Format” on page 36](#)
- ◆ [“Resource Mapping” on page 36](#)
- ◆ [“Entitlement Extensions” on page 37](#)

Entitlements Configuration

Use Entitlements to control ServiceNow accounts: Select **True** to enable the driver to manage user accounts based on the driver's defined entitlements. Select **False** to disable management of user accounts based on the entitlements.

Enable Login Disabled Attribute Sync: Select **True** if the changes made to the LoginDisabled attribute in the Identity Vault should be synchronized even if the User Account entitlement (Account) is enabled.

When Account Entitlement Revoked: Select an appropriate action when a user account entitlement is revoked. The options are **Disable User** or **Delete User**. By default, **Disable User** is selected.

Use Group Entitlement: Select **True** to enable the driver to manage group membership based on the driver's defined entitlements.

Use Role Entitlement: Select **True** to enable the driver to manage user roles based on the driver's defined entitlements.

Use Department Entitlement: Select **True** to enable the driver to manage department based on the driver's defined entitlements.

Advanced Settings: Select **Show** to display the entitlement options that allow or deny additional functionality like role mapping, resource mapping and others. These settings should rarely be changed.

Parameter Format: Specify the parameter format the entitlement agent must use when granting this entitlement.

Role Mapping

Identity Applications allows you to map business roles with IT roles.

Enable role mapping: Select **Yes** to make this driver visible to Identity Applications.

Allow mapping of user accounts: Select **Yes** if you want to allow mapping of user accounts in Identity Applications.

Allow mapping of groups: Select **Yes** if you want to allow mapping of groups in Identity Applications.

Allow mapping of roles: Select **Yes** if you want to allow mapping of roles in Identity Applications.

Allow mapping of departments: Select **Yes** if you want to allow mapping of departments in Identity Applications.

Parameter Format

Format for Account entitlement: Specifies the parameter format that the entitlement agent uses when granting this entitlement. The options are **Identity Manager 4** or **Legacy**.

Format for Role entitlement: Specifies the parameter format that the entitlement agent uses when granting this entitlement. The options are **Identity Manager 4** or **Legacy**.

Format for Permission Set Entitlement: Specifies the parameter format that the entitlement agent uses when granting this entitlement. The options are **Identity Manager 4** or **Legacy**.

Format for Responsibility entitlement: Specifies the parameter format that the entitlement agent uses when granting this entitlement. The options are **Identity Manager 4** or **Legacy**.

Resource Mapping

Identity Applications allow you to map resources to users. For more information, see the [NetIQ Identity Manager - User's Guide to the Identity Applications](#).

Enable resource mapping: Select **Yes** to make this driver visible to Identity Applications.

Allow mapping of user accounts: Select **Yes** if you want to allow mapping of user accounts in Identity Applications.

Allow mapping of groups: Select **Yes** if you want to allow mapping of groups in Identity Applications.

Allow mapping of roles: Select **Yes** if you want to allow mapping of roles in Identity Applications.

Allow mapping of departments: Select **Yes** if you want to allow mapping of departments in Identity Applications.

Entitlement Extensions

Identity Applications allow you to map resources to users. For more information, see the [NetIQ Identity Manager - User's Guide to the Identity Applications](#).

User account extensions: The content of this field is added below the entitlement elements in the `EntitlementConfiguration` resource object.

Group extensions: The content of this field is added below the entitlement elements in the `EntitlementConfiguration` resource object.

Role extensions: The content of this field is added below the entitlement elements in the `EntitlementConfiguration` resource object.

Department extensions: The content of this field is added below the entitlement elements in the `EntitlementConfiguration` resource object.

B Trace Levels

The driver supports the following trace levels:

Table B-1 Supported Trace Levels

Level	Description
0	No debugging
1-2	Identity Manager messages. Higher trace levels provide more detail.
3	Previous level plus driver parameters, Remote Loader, driver shim, and driver connection messages
4-5	Previous level plus Remote Loader, driver, driver shim, and driver connection messages, driver parameters, driver security, driver schema, request and response XML

