How to obtain an access token via oidc-agent

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oidc-agent

- oidc-agent is a set of tools to manage OpenID Connect tokens and make them easily usable from the command line
 - It follows the <u>ssh-agent</u> design
- <u>Source code</u> (developed by the KIT team)
- Documentation



Installation

- oidc-agent is directly available for some distributions
 - the newest packages are available for a wide range of different distribution at <u>https://repo.data.kit.edu/</u>
- Download the repository key to a location writable only by root

\$ curl https://repo.data.kit.edu/repo-data-kit-edu-key.asc | sudo tee
/etc/apt/trusted.gpg.d/kitrepo-archive.asc

Add one of the supported repos to your /etc/apt/sources.list

\$ echo "deb [signed-by=/etc/apt/trusted.gpg.d/kit-data-repo.asc] https://repo.data.kit.edu/debian/ stable
./" | sudo tee /etc/apt/sources.list.d/kit-data-repo.list

• Update and install oidc-agent

\$ sudo apt update \$ sudo apt install oidc-agent Check the oidc-agent version

\$ oidc-agent -V
oidc-agent 5.2.3

Debian/Ubuntu

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Device code flow is **required** when commands are typed in a UI

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\$ eval \$(oidc-agent)

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- [2] https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/

Issuer [https://iam-demo.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/]: 2

Select the AS where you want to register the Client. I choose IAM dev here

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The following scopes are supported: openid profile email offline_access wlcg wlcg.groups storage.read:/ storage.create:/ compute.read compute.modify compute.create compute.cancel storage.modify:/ eduperson_scoped_affiliation eduperson_entitlement eduperson assurance storage.stage:/

Scopes or 'max' (space separated) [openid profile offline_access]: storage.read:/ storage.create:/ compute.read compute.modify

List of supported scopes is taken from the /.well-known/openid-configuration endpoint of the AS. Insert the necessary scopes only

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Registering Client ... Generating account configuration .. accepted

The oidc-agent Client has been registered in the IAM dev. The configuration details have been saved locally

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Using a browser on any device, visit: https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/device

And enter the code: LYEOTT

The AS asks for the consent of the user to access the information linked to the requested scopes



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Using a browser on any device, visit: https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/device

And enter the code: LYEOTT

[Polling the device code verification from the https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/device/approve endpoint]

Enter encryption password for account configuration 'demo': *** Confirm encryption Password: *** Everything setup correctly!

oidc-agent Client configuration

- Local oidc-agent Client configurations are saved in ~/.config/oidc-agent or ~/.oidc-agent
- In this example, demo is an alias for the oidc-agent Client
- The Client configuration is encrypted using the password set by the user during Client registration

\$ cat ~/.config/oidc-agent/demo 1038 J37J7SrGe8cawpuaLqSky1Ny6EBqQd+S NvFOQhh4GDmH4b4oECLJfg== 24:16:16:32:1:2:67108864:2 gEysXtC37u5b4hxdEStDnfCX5mMs6xrXCtdkXkjCkAvflEyr3RRakTjgxnUv5T6kly9v7mgRfhg/XMPkwY0XSwOO6KyM7vbe2id6spD6sFU+hsZQtGgs/9zBb+d5hfLTis x15/CvFJ8w4t71riqpfaZP15B5j0+9NCE4xPTZc9C+G5UrqtX7pa92hMCwQnsn/WqCr1xA6Z9AO/Npt9aTUr84KTyHzq+1j3PcajGICqrJB+ov6F937cW1j67DKUidoG32 xqO4C9v4rVJiukKZ7kmdRiFnvp9IerrqIPaiYYWhpeLsF2NdjzDfCs13ArC86Ye1pzYeSSf/QbCaghHYcjQnWL7Iea4QLNS6pQ0oLoDefv7uIY0JDmQk+17IYo9wwphFls S7uV9AW4rGhOeDmhH1TE7G8MnRp1NaOWA2g3p9p4aweR3tSBhefLOwbw9WveHGsMWUpf2Z7umogiY8/wDgF2L1188iBKYouYkgobckLeKAVRuz0Ok6aSsVuTFcODw0Bv5n NpMbzQdzqNnHy5066f2xTfmQDqi27n3toMnLu/RF6aWn4XPvSbblNapeeCfDtNwVNoXEMuokN0H0SXvVG7JCHj/YunprQ0Mbk4ZKZCZ2KpU9Lia4uAyWDmdr3qnKN6VVqi PejDzBWuajnFqRW40zwAZSilMQ5HT/WydbONnlMD5XhoxdqNoes83Htn9nZa3dJ4XV5CfJjrUcNswD5P9q60kT6XdiD1/mVOV8A4CR12BCy1+Y9JA0HPweTzKzkiTyplDs cMihY3w9F1C1517TwvXzN60XJmVOBr3/1RoMHUz1raZfAMEPULLGiUUgvbTYcTxNKg3niINr4/6IDgvovbmIHiOHLaEcPAbf4E/zmINOuhcraLK5iAbFNOgUOIfizifD5N dW/pCPWx5WxD616WiKR5gHRvCsDoZK8ouB03dyseGLZYv1gzEeQ3Dk17s25cT2hmCVSMCHaWeH4QSb5PxeVTYxzGMJd3Ugb7iY280JmvHd91gzgd/Jhn6M38uL811p26F1 WH8XMvL6t4mego0glUyMURAw0IdcZoQXzFvqQ/ATYH+zc5xJ072476o6ByjHz3dJNK5pVqGmUB9d0TDa80CrB/AT0baBv9E2TeJyn9Nwyh0NTvv1VABhkp/H17nh2XUG2+ 5Kp2MdXXfe1amTR4pBPk02e3mjC4+70H737o1FoIngLUyzgKzay1atnAvNRaPs5evsuu9UxtZWdrhgzXSRaX1oW9B3Hgv00PZRmOd3u6dbx0EuXwnUCNB4MUmskuo6oFcK HChGBynNgLblz48w9FXaS0hYtOI8krk8A1+NsllIZg2i+pwkHeSS5gkm1WiRYaKEiuCWxHXYO4hI29wCvDqF QOiU4pGrhcyK4K6olsK9tJs70H+ZmGeLE9Gp4w58WMc= Generated using version: 5.2.3

oidc-agent Client configuration

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- The decrypted oidc-agent configuration can be checked with oidc-add -p command .
- The encryption pwd is required. It can be saved in an env variable or a file and passed to the agent using one of the pw-cmd/pw-env/pw-file option (useful for . automated environment)

```
$ oidc-add -p demo
Enter decryption password for account config 'demo': ***
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         "name": "demo",
         "client name":
                           "oidc-agent:demo-rmiccoli",
         "issuer url":
                           "https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/",
         "mytoken url":
                           "config endpoint":"https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/.well-known/openid-configuration",
         "device authorization endpoint":
                                             "https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/devicecode",
         "daeSetBvUser": 0,
                           "08353bd6-72a9-4ba6-9de2-7583ad326702",
         "client id":
         "client secret": "XXX",
         "refresh token":
                           "eyJhbGciOiJub25lIn0.eyJleHAiOjE3NDkwMzI3MjYsImp0aS...4M2Q5LWMxNDNhMDUwZmNmZSJ9.",
                           "",
         "cert path":
         "auth scope":
                           "storage.read:/ storage.create:/ compute.read compute.modify openid offline access",
         "refresh scope":
                           "compute.read storage.read:/ compute.modify storage.create:/ openid offline access",
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         "audience":
         "oauth": 0,
         "uses pub client":0,
         "mytoken profile":{
         },
         "redirect uris": ["edu.kit.data.oidc-agent:/redirect", "http://localhost:8080", "http://localhost:27491", "http://localhost:4242"],
         "username":
                           11.11
                           .....
         "password":
```

oidc-agent Client configuration

```
$ oidc-add -p demo
Enter decryption password for account config 'demo': ***
       "name": "demo",
       "client name": "oidc-agent:demo-rmiccoli",
       "issuer url": "https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/",
       "mytoken url":"",
       "config endpoint":
                             "https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/.well-known/openid-configuration",
       "device authorization endpoint":
                                           "https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/devicecode",
       "daeSetBvUser":
                             0.
       "client id": "08353bd6-72a9-4ba6-9de2-7583ad326702",
       "client secret":
                             "XXX"
                             eyJhbGciOiJub251In0.eyJleHAiOjE3NDkwMzI3MjYsImp0aS...4M2Q5LWMxNDNhMDUwZmNmZSJ9
       "refresh token":
       "cert path": "",
       "auth scope": "storage.read:/ storage.create:/ compute.read compute.modify openid offline access"
       "refresh scope":
                             "compute.read storage.read:/ compute.modify storage.create:/ openid offline access",
                     ....,
       "audience":
       "oauth":
                     0,
       "uses pub client":
                             0,
       "mytoken profile":
       },
       "redirect uris":
                             ["edu.kit.data.oidc-agent:/redirect", "http://localhost:8080", "http://localhost:27491",
       "http://localhost:4242"],
       "username":
                     11.11
       "password":
                     11.11
                                           Even if not requested by the user, oidc-agent adds the openid and
                                           offline access scopes during the token request. This triggers the AS to issue
                                           an ID token and a refresh token; the latter is stored by oidc-agent
```

What oidc-agent does when requesting a token

- When a user wants to obtain an AT with the oidc-token command, the RT stored during the Client registration is used
 - o oidc-agent triggers an OAuth refresh token flow
- No need to re-run oidc-gen before. Just start the agent (eval \$(oidc-agent)) and load the Client configuration (oidc-add <client-alias>) in case a new session is started
- Limit the scopes requested for your token as much as possible. The oidc-token command without arguments will request all the scopes allowed by your Client



Token request with curl command

The same token request can be performed via curl using the command learnt:

```
$ curl -s -L -u ${CLIENT ID}:${CLIENT SECRET} -d grant type=refresh token -d
scope=storage.read:/myPath -d refresh token=${REFRESH TOKEN}
https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/token | jq .access token | tr -d '"' | cut -d. -f2 | base64
-d 2>/dev/null | jq
  "wlcq.ver": "1.0",
  "sub": 8b7b42fd-0e42-43c5-8254-729aa8f6a12d"
                                                         My uuid on the IAM dev instance
  "aud": "https://wlcg.cern.ch/jwt/v1/any",
  "nbf": 1746441308,
  "scope": "storage.read:/myPath",
  "iss": "https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/",
  "exp": 1746442508,
  "iat": 1746441308,
  "jti": "d6f1cc78-8ec7-48ce-aed6-3eabf1cc2022",
  "client id": 08353bd6-72a9-4ba6-9de2-7583ad326702
                                                            client id of the demo client
```

Requesting a new refresh token

- In INDIGO IAM, the default validity period of a refresh token is **30 days**
 - after this period, the refresh token expires and must be renewed to continue obtaining access tokens
- To generate a new refresh token and update the local oidc-agent configuration, run

\$ oidc-gen --reauthenticate -w device demo

This command initiates a reauthentication flow and replaces the expired refresh token in the local configuration

\$ oidc-gen --manual -w device iam-dev

No account exists with this short name. Creating new configuration ...

- [1] http://localhost:8080/
- [2] https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/
- Issuer [https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/]:

Client id: 2ace8c62-9c5a-4cf4-8df8-162d3203f54c

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Users 40	Created	
Groups 33	10 minutes ago	
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	iam-dev Human readable client name	
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	Client description	
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	Human readable client description	
	Dynamically registered	
	false	
	True if the client registered via the OpenID Connect dynamic registration endpoint, false of	herwise.
	Redirect URIs	
	https://app.example.org/cb	+
	List of Redirect URIs for this client	
	http://localhost/example	
IAM 1.11.0 (e38c73c)	* http://localhost:4242	

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\$ oidc-gen --manual -w device iam-dev

No account exists with this short name. Creating new configuration ...

[1] http://localhost:8080/

```
[2] https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/
```

Issuer [https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/]:

Client id: 2ace8c62-9c5a-4cf4-8df8-162d3203f54c

Client secret: <insert the client secret>

In upcoming IAM releases, the client secret will no longer be visible in the dashboard. It will only be shown at registration time or when regenerated via the dedicated button.

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\$ oidc-gen --manual iam-dev
No account exists with this short name. Creating new
configuration ...

[1] http://localhost:8080/

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[2] https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/
Issuer [https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/]:
Client id: 2ace8c62-9c5a-4cf4-8df8-162d3203f54c
Client secret: <insert the client secret>
The following scopes are supported: openid profile email
address phone offline_access eduperson_scoped_affiliation
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Using a browser on any device, visit: https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/device

And enter the code: T-CHV6

[Polling the device code verification from the https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/device/approve endpoint]

Enter encryption password for account configuration 'iam-dev': *** Confirm encryption password: *** Everything setup correctly!





Check that the IAM Client has been imported

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```
$ oidc-add -p iam-dev
      "name": "iam-dev",
     "client name": "oidc-agent:iam-dev-rmiccoli",
     "issuer url": "https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/",
     "mytoken url": "",
     "config endpoint":
                             "https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/.well-known/openid-configuration",
     "device authorization endpoint":
                                            "https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/devicecode",
     "daeSetByUser": 0,
     "client id":
                      "2ace8c62-9c5a-4cf4-8df8-162d3203f54c",
      "client secret": "XXX",
     "refresh token": "eyJhbGciOiJub25lIn0.eyJleHAiOjE3NDkwNTIzNDYsImp0aSI6ImZmZWQ4MztNXXX.",
                      "",
     "cert path":
     "auth scope":
                    "openid profile offline access",
     "refresh scope": "openid profile offline access",
                   ....
      "audience":
     "oauth": 0,
     "uses pub client":
                              0,
     "mytoken profile":
                              £
     },
      "redirect uris": ["http://localhost:4242"],
      "username":
                      "",
                      .....
      "password":
```

You can avoid the interactive interface of --manual (or -m) by directly using command line options with oidc-gen

```
$ oidc-gen -w device \
    --client-id=2ace8c62-9c5a-4cf4-8df8-162d3203f54c \
    --client-secret=XXX \
    --issuer=https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/ \
    --redirect-uri=http://localhost:4242 \
    --scope="openid profile offline_access" \
    iam-dev
```

If you request an access token with a scope that is allowed by the Client but was not granted during the OAuth authorization flow, you will receive an *up-scoping error*

\$ oidc-token -s phone iam-dev Error: invalid_scope: Up-scoping is not allowed. We cannot get these scopes with the current configuration. To get these scopes you might need to adapt the account configuration with \$ oidc-gen -m iam-dev

but it also might be necessary to change the client configuration with the OpenID provider.

```
$ oidc-gen -m -w device iam-dev
Enter decryption password for account config 'iam-dev':
Client id [2ace8c62-9c5a-4cf4-8df8-162d3203f54c]:
Client secret [***]:
The following scopes are supported: openid profile email address phone offline_access
eduperson_scoped_affiliation eduperson_entitlement wlcg wlcg.groups storage.read:/ aarc
eduperson_assurance entitlements storage.create:/ storage.modify:/ storage.stage:/ compute.read
compute.modify
Scopes or 'max' (space separated) [openid profile offline_access]: openid profile offline_access phone
Redirect_uris (space separated) [http://localhost:4242]:
Generating account configuration ...
accepted
```

Using a browser on any device, visit: https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/device

And enter the code: ABCDEF

[Polling the device code verification from the https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/device/approve endpoint]

Enter encryption password for account configuration 'iam-dev' [***]: *** Confirm encryption password: *** Everything setup correctly!



```
$ oidc-token -s phone iam-dev | cut -d. -f2 | base64 -d 2>/dev/null | jq
{
    "wlcg.ver": "1.0",
    "sub": "8b7b42fd-0e42-43c5-8254-729aa8f6a12d",
    "aud": "https://wlcg.cern.ch/jwt/v1/any",
    "nbf": 1746526113,
    "scope": "phone",
    "iss": "https://iam-dev.cloud.cnaf.infn.it/",
    "exp": 1746527313,
    "iat": 1746526113,
    "jti": "da699ee1-253b-4f17-b6b0-0ce74dbbddcb",
    "client_id": "2ace8c62-9c5a-4cf4-8df8-162d3203f54c"
}
```

More options

- Many other options can be used together with the oidc-gen/oidc-add/oidc-token commands to handle the Client configuration and token requests
- To know more about it, read the <u>documentation</u>!