

Integration of Microsoft RD Gateway with DoubleClue using RADIUS



1. Introduction

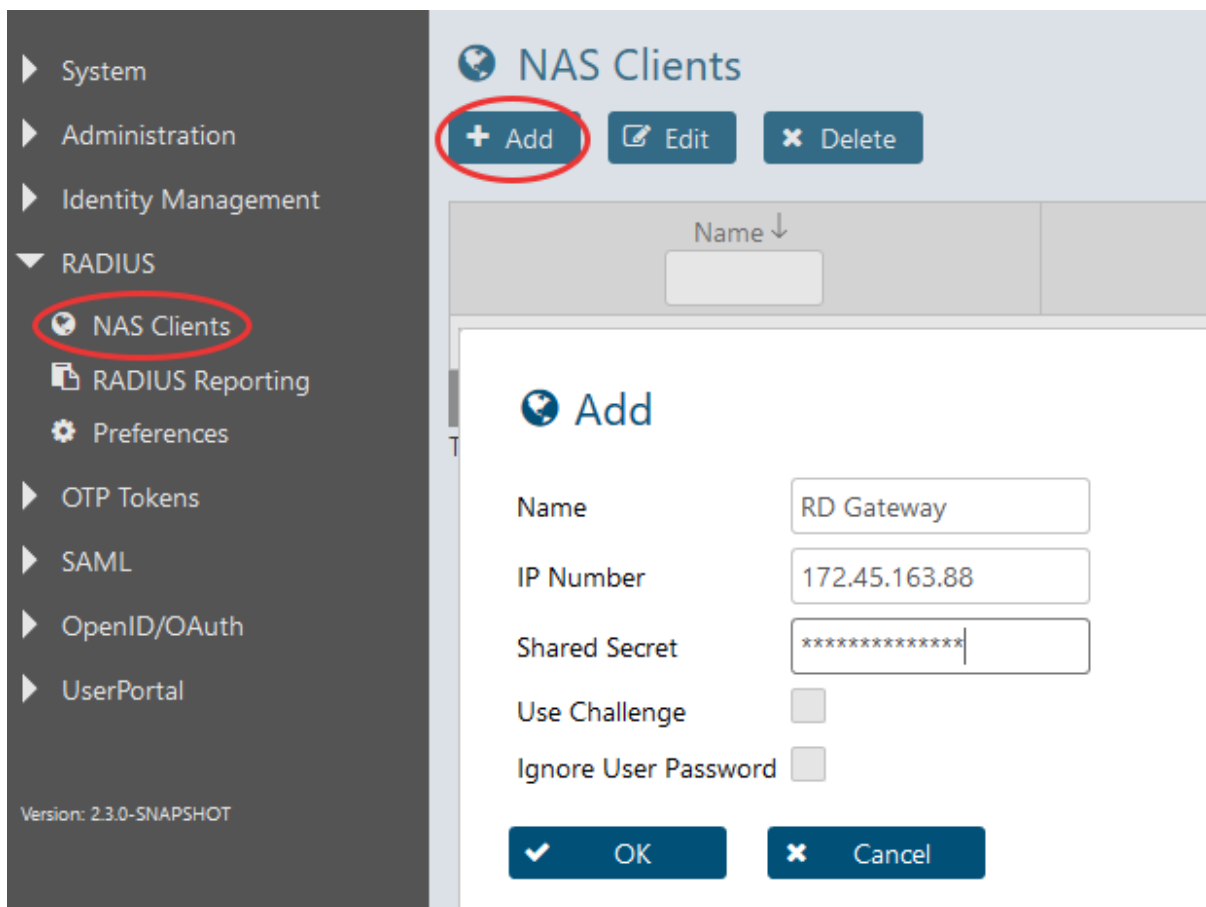
This guide is intended for administrators who would like to protect their Microsoft RD Gateway remote access using DoubleClue Multi-Factor Authentication (MFA).

Requirements:

- Installation of Microsoft RD Gateway.
- DoubleClue Enterprise Management (DCEM) installation with readily registered users.

2. Preparing DCEM as a RADIUS Server

You need to add a “NAS Client” configuration in DCEM.



The screenshot shows the DCEM web interface for configuring NAS Clients. On the left is a navigation menu with 'NAS Clients' selected and circled in red. The main area shows the 'NAS Clients' management screen with 'Add', 'Edit', and 'Delete' buttons. The 'Add' button is also circled in red. Below the buttons is a table with a 'Name' column. A modal window titled 'Add' is open, showing the following fields: 'Name' (RD Gateway), 'IP Number' (172.45.163.88), 'Shared Secret' (masked with asterisks), 'Use Challenge' (checkbox), and 'Ignore User Password' (checkbox). At the bottom of the modal are 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons.

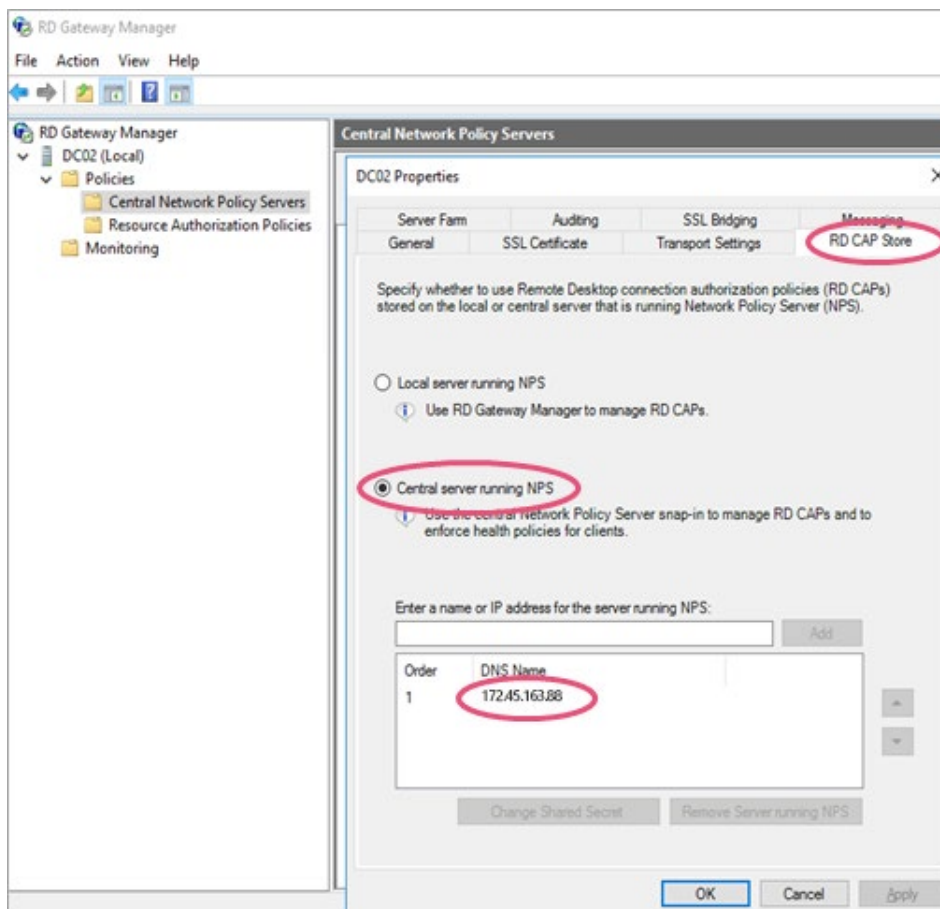
1. In DCEM, go to main menu item “RADIUS”, sub menu “NAS Clients” and click on “Add”.
2. The “IP Number” must be the source IP of the Microsoft RD Gateway.
3. Do not enable the checkbox “Use Challenge”.
4. Click on “OK”. The configuration will be active immediately after that.

3. Microsoft RD Gateway Configuration

For an RDP connection, the RD Gateway will send an Access request to a RADIUS Server, which is DCEM in this case. DoubleClue will perform the MFA and response with Accept or Reject packets.

 Please note: User passwords are not sent to the RADIUS Server (in this case DCEM).

1. Start “RD Gateway Management” and right click on “Central Network Policy”
2. Click on “Configure Central RD-CAP”.
3. Go to the tab “RD CAP Store”
4. Check the radio button next to “Central server running NPS”.
5. Add the IP address of DCEM.
6. If you are using several DCEM nodes, please add each DCEM node here.
7. Click on “OK” to finish the configuration.



3.1 Set the RADIUS Response Timeout

The RADIUS Response time should be increased to at least 60 or 90 seconds. Within this time the user will have the opportunity to acknowledge the PushApproval.

1. In “Network Policy Server”, go to “Remote RADIUS Server Groups”
2. Select your Server Group and right click on “Properties”.
3. Select your server and click “edit”
4. Go to tab dialog “Load Balancing”
5. Set “Number of seconds without response before request is considered dropped to 90 seconds.

