Securing your server to IP address or hostname.

This section will outline how to secure the SOA Gateway Web Services to a specific IP address/hostname.

All examples have been enclosed in <IfModule> directives. This means that the security directives will be ignored automatically if the Apache web server does not have SOA Gateway enabled.

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Example 1

This example will show how to allow a request to the configuration service from only the local machine. This is local to where the SOA Gateway server is running, not where the Eclipse IDE is running (if different).

- 1. Edit the SOA Gateway Apache configuration file.
- 2. Enter the following directives.

```
<IfModule mod_xmiddle.c>
<Location /configurationService>
Allow from 127.0.0.1
Deny from all
</Location>
</IfModule>
```

3. Restart the server

This would only allow access to the configuration web service from the local machine. All remote clients would be denied access.

Example 2

Only allow a remote machine to configure the SOA Gateway server.

- 1. Edit the SOA Gateway Apache configuration file
- 2. Enter the following directives.

```
<IfModule mod_xmiddle.c>
<Location /configurationService>
Allow from adminHost
Deny from all
</Location>
</IfModule>
```

3. Restart the server

This example would only allow the machines adminHost to configure the SOA Gateway server. All others machines would be rejected access.

Example 3

Only allow a remote machine to configure SOA Gateway, but allow any client to access the Web Service WSDL.

- 1. Edit the SOA Gateway Apache configuration file
- 2. Enter the following directives:

```
<IfModule mod_xmiddle.c>
<Location /configurationService>
<Limit POST>
Allow from adminHost
Deny from all
</Limit>
</Location>
</IfModule>
```

3. Restart the server.

This would allow the machine adminHost to access the configuration, but would allow any client to access the configuration service WSDL.

Example 4

This example will show how to secure a specific resource. The examples 1, 2, and 3 above can also be applied to securing a resource. The only thing that has to change is the Location parameter. For example, using Example 1 as a basis; to only allow "adabas_Employees" to be accessed from the local machine, do the following:

- 1. Edit the SOA Gateway Apache configuration file
- 2. Enter the following directives.

```
<IfModule mod_xmiddle.c>
    <Location /adabas_Employees>
        Allow from 127.0.0.1
        Deny from all
    </Location>
</IfModule>
```

3. Restart the server

All remote access to the "adabas_Employees" resource would be denied. Note: This example will restrict access to the "adabas_Employees" service, not the XRD import or export. XRD import/export operations are provided by the configuration Web Service, to secure these operations see examples 1, 2 and 3.

Example 5

This example will show how to secure the resource administration service for SOA Gateway. Again, example 1-4 may be used once the Location parameter has been changed. For example, using Example 1 as a basis; to only allow the resource administration service to be accessed from the local machine, do the following:

- 1. Edit the SOA Gateway Apache configuration file
- 2. Enter the following directives.

```
<IfModule mod_xmiddle.c>
    <Location /resourceService>
        Allow from 127.0.0.1
        Deny from all
    </Location>
</IfModule>
```

3. Restart the server

All remote access to the "resourceService" resource would be denied.