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Preface

McAfee is dedicated to providing you with the best in security for protecting data on personal computers. Applying the latest technology, deployment and management of users is accomplished using simple and structured administration controls.

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders represents a technology where we are pleased to address the security requirements for files and folders, data in transit on removable devices, and stored on NAS, SAN and network servers. Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is the next generation of the McAfee file and folder encryption product.

Through the continued investment in technology and the inclusions of industry standards we are confident that our goal of keeping Endpoint Encryption at the forefront of data security will be achieved.

About This Guide

This Guide is designed to aid corporate security administrators in the correct implementation, configuration and deployment of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders. Although this guide is complete in terms of setting up and managing Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders, it does not attempt to teach the topic of "Enterprise Security" as a whole. Readers unfamiliar with Endpoint Encryption should follow the appropriate sections of the *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Quick Start Guide* which walks through setting up an Endpoint Encryption enterprise before tackling any of the topics in this guide.

This guide should be read as a companion to the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide*, which details more general topics regarding managing Endpoint Encryption products.

Audience

This guide was designed to be used by qualified system administrators and security managers. Knowledge of basic encryption technology, networking and routing concepts, and a general understanding of the aims of centrally managed security is required.

For information about cryptography topics, readers are advised to consult the following publications:

Applied Cryptography: Protocols, Algorithms, and Source Code in C, 2nd Edition, Bruce Schneier, Pub. John Wiley & Sons; ISBN: 0471128457

Computer Security, Deiter Gollman, Pub. John Wiley and Sons; ISBN: 0471978442

Conventions

This guide uses the following conventions:

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| Bold Condensed | All words from the interface, including options, menus, buttons, and dialog box names. |
| Courier | The path of a folder or program; text that represents code or something the user types exactly (for example, a command at the system prompt). |
| <i>Italic</i> | Emphasis or introduction of a new term; names of product manuals. |
| Blue | A web address (URL); a live link. |
| NOTE | Supplemental information; for example, an alternate method of executing the same command. |
| CAUTION | Important advice to protect your computer system, enterprise, software installation, or data. |

Related Documentation

The following materials are available from your Endpoint Encryption representative:

- *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Administration Guide (this document)*
- *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide*
- *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Quick Start Guide*
- *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Users Guide*
- *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Technical Description*
- *Endpoint Encryption Enterprise Technical Overview*
- *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Generic PKI Token Technical White Paper*

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Contacting Technical Support

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Introduction

Why Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders?

All organizations have their own rules about what data is available to whom. Some information is available to all – other information is restricted and confidential. At the most basic level, most IT users are trusted to access their PC's and use their documents; however, at a higher level – for example, at the board of directors, or within Finance, certain information (e.g. reports and shareholder information) should remain restricted, even to system administrators.

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders allows you to define and protect information in a way that only certain users can access it. This data is stored, managed, archived, and distributed as any other file is, however, they can be viewed only by those who have been given access.

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is a “Persistent Encryption” engine. When a file has been encrypted and has been moved or copied to another place, it remains encrypted. If a file is moved out of an encrypted directory, it will also remain encrypted. Likewise, if an encrypted file is moved to a FAT32 device - such as a memory stick – the encryption will remain in place.

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders follows the Endpoint Encryption Policy control methods; Administrators can set individual, department, group, or company-wide policies such as **All .doc files will be encrypted**, **My Documents will be encrypted**, and **Users cannot explicitly decrypt encrypted data**. This policy engine is managed from the Endpoint Encryption Manager.

Design Philosophy

McAfee's product range enhances the security of data by providing data encryption and a token-based logon procedure using, for example, a Smart Card or a USB based token. You can use any login method, including passwords and national ID cards to access protected data. You can also use the same credentials for Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders that you may, for example, use with McAfee's Endpoint Encryption for PC module. The same administration system, user IDs, and ancillary software can be used for both systems.

The Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client supports the following platforms:

- Microsoft Windows 2000 with SP4 + Rollup package 1
- Microsoft Windows XP SP2
- Microsoft Windows Vista

Users can work without interruption. With the exception of the initial logon to access protected data, Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders provides complete transparent security.

How Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Works

The Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client encrypts folders and files according to policies determined by Endpoint Encryption Administrators. These policies are delivered by the Endpoint Encryption Server. The Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client acts like a filter between the application creating or editing the files and the storage media, e.g. the hard disk.

Whenever a file is written to the storage media the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders filter executes the assigned encryption policies and encrypts the data, if applicable. Later, when an application reads the file, the encryption filter automatically decrypts the file reading it into the computer memory. Remember, the source file is always encrypted on disk.

The encryption/decryption process happens automatically and is fully transparent to the user. The user does not notice any difference between working with encrypted and plaintext files; the user's working procedures are not (and must not be) disturbed.

When a file is encrypted, it is encrypted at its original location on the disk. Hence, no copies or other special files are created when encrypting a file. The original file remains encrypted at all times, only the parts read into the memory are decrypted when an application reads the file.

When the application closes the file, the memory is wiped and the original file is still encrypted on disk. No decrypted traces of the file remain in the RAM.

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders can encrypt files and folders on all formatted local drives, e.g. FAT and NTFS and network drives - e.g. NTFS and SAN with Unix servers. Also, Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders supports encryption of files and folders within terminal server environments such as Microsoft® Terminal Server™.

Encrypted folders and files are always visible to the user. The user can search and recognize files and folders as before encryption. A small padlock icon can be optionally attached to the file or folder icon, marking it as encrypted.

With Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders, it is easy to encrypt files and folders. Encryption can be enforced either by an organizational policy or by the user right-clicking folders and files.

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A key feature of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is the principle of containment, or persistent encryption, as it is also known. This means that the encrypted folder or file always will retain its encryption, irrespective of how it is edited, moved or copied.

The file remains encrypted and secure regardless of where or how it is moved. This applies to files moved to other folders, or, USB memory sticks, floppy disks or a network share.

Files and folders are decrypted manually by the user. The user right-clicks on the encrypted file or folder and selects the appropriate menu option. It is worth noting that policies can restrict this option. Likewise, policies can enforce decryption if necessary.

NOTE: Files moved to PDAs will lose their encryption. The user is presented a warning if moving encrypted files to media not supported by Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders. Files moved from the PDA to an encrypted directory at the PC will certainly be encrypted

A user's access to various encryption keys is defined by Endpoint Encryption Administrators, and delivered to the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client via the Endpoint Encryption Server. The user must authenticate to Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders before getting access to the key and eventually, the file. The authentication is performed with the Endpoint Encryption logon dialog. If authentication fails the user will be unable to read the encrypted files.

Once a user has accessed an encryption key, it can optionally be stored securely (encrypted) on the user's PC for future use (this is called the *local key cache*). Other keys may only be available direct from the Endpoint Encryption Server - this can prevent encrypted data from being used outside the corporate environment.

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders encrypts folders and files transparently at the original location of the file or folder. User interaction is minimal and the user perceives the working environment as normal.

Policy entries define folders where all files will automatically be encrypted. This allows directories, e.g. those containing Temp files to be encrypted also. This assures that all temporary files created will be encrypted.

Files can also be encrypted based on a policy of their file type, e.g. a policy may state that all Microsoft Word® document files (*.doc, *.rtf, etc) should be encrypted. The user is never involved in applying policies. All policy enforcement is automatic and beyond user control.

Finally, the user's ability to do any operations with the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client can be policy controlled, for example, the ability to encrypt additional folders by right-clicking, or create decrypted copies of files.

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders supports three standard algorithms with various key lengths, including the Endpoint Encryption FIPS 140-2 certified AES 256 algorithm.

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders encrypts the Windows' pagefile. This feature is automatic and cannot be configured or disabled. The pagefile is overwritten when the computer is restarted. Again, any new data being written to the pagefile is automatically encrypted. This option prevents hackers from finding fragments of sensitive data stored in the paging areas on the hard disk.

With central management using the Endpoint Encryption Manager, and distribution of encryption keys using the secure Endpoint Encryption Server, it is easy to allow sharing of encrypted files within an organization. By assigning groups of users to encryption keys, the users in the group can exchange and read encrypted files like any other file, without noticing any difference. Users not assigned to the key will not be able to read files encrypted with that key.

Using this mechanism it is possible to protect files and folders on shared units, e.g. a network drive, from unauthorized access by encrypting it with a proper key and allocating selected users to this key only. This approach provides for encryption key hierarchies to be created, with an organization common key at the bottom (which every user has), to specific department or group keys at the top (assigned only to selected users within that department or group).

The Endpoint Encryption Manager also provides for a separation between security administration and system administration. Only dedicated security administrators can be authorized to deal with encryption management, thereby excluding system administrators from access to encrypted data. Moreover, various security levels can be created among the security administrators, preventing some (most) administrators from critical functions while allowing only a few administrators to access all the functions in the system.

Management

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders communicates with an Endpoint Encryption Management Centre Server to update its policy whenever the user authenticates to Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders, i.e. tries to access encrypted data or logs on to Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders. **NOTE:** the user must be online. Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders will work also when offline, provided that the encryption key(s) used are made available offline (this is a policy setting per encryption key or encryption key group).

You can create a policy from the Endpoint Encryption Manager, and then create an install set from it. When the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client is

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installed, the user that logs on will be forced to retrieve the proper policy assigned to him/her in the central database.

If Administrators change the device policy in the Endpoint Encryption Manger, all machines using that policy will apply it when they next check for updates, i.e. authentication performed when online.

The Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders software queries the directory for any updates to its policy, and if needed downloads and applies them. Typical updates could be new rules about what should be encrypted, new passwords or policy information for users, and also updates and rule changes to the way data can be accessed. In this way, transparent synchronization of the enterprise becomes possible.

Permission to access or manage policies is controlled through the Endpoint Encryption Manger administration rights.

The Endpoint Encryption Server Side Components

Endpoint Encryption Manager

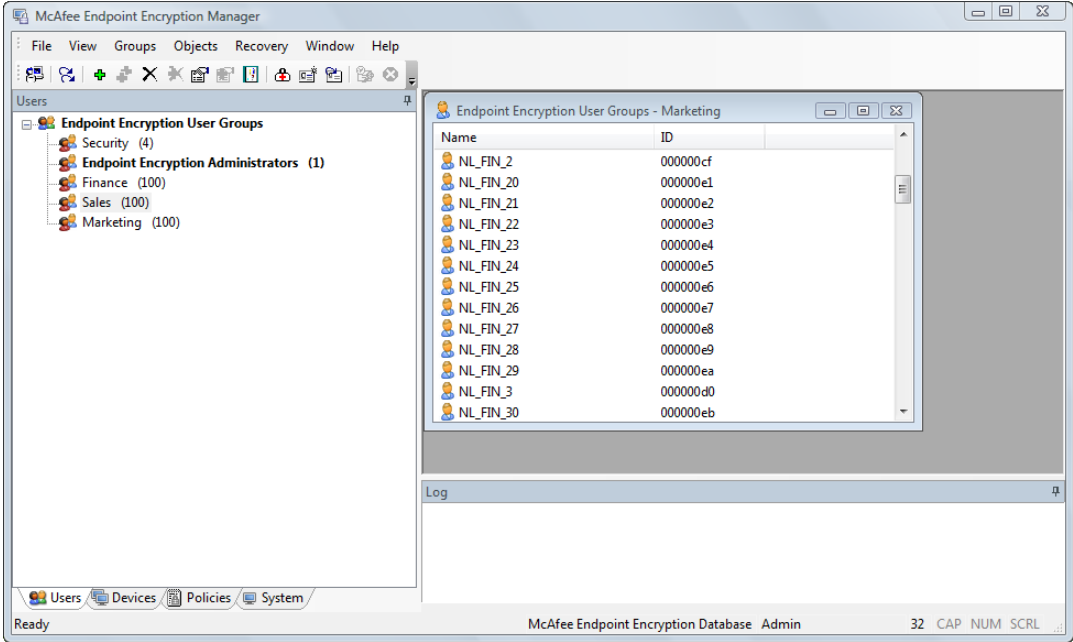


Figure 1: Endpoint Encryption Manager interface

The most important component of the Endpoint Encryption solutions is Endpoint Encryption Manger, the administration interface. This utility allows privileged users to manage the enterprise from any workstation that can establish a TCP/IP link or file link to the *Object Directory*. Typical procedures that the Endpoint Encryption Manger handles are:

- Defining Administrators and Users

- Configuring Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Policies
- Creating and assigning Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders keys

Database Server

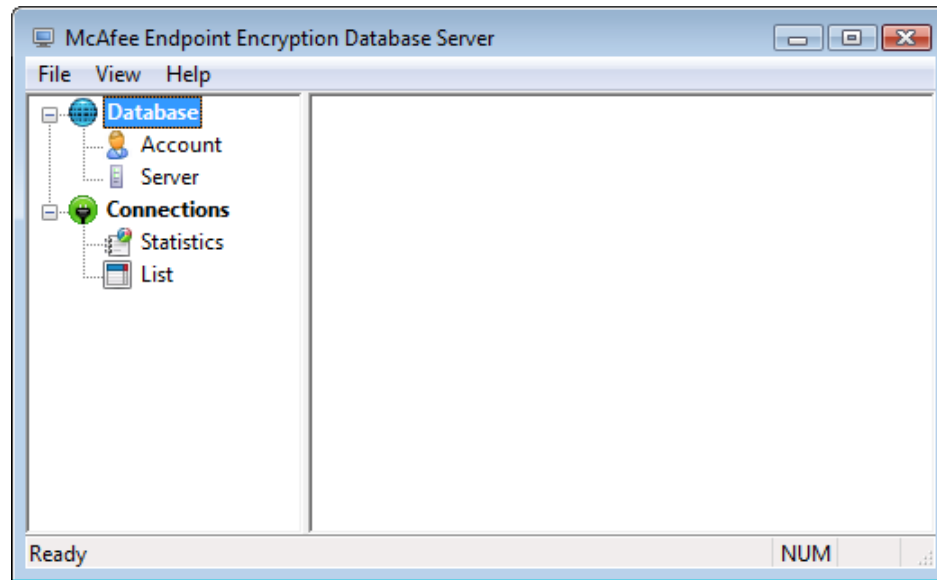


Figure 2: Endpoint Encryption Server

The Endpoint Encryption Database Server facilitates connections between Endpoint Encryption entities such as the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Client and Endpoint Encryption Manager, and the central Object Directory over an IP connection (rather than the file based "local" connection). The server performs authentication of the entity using DSA signatures, and link encryption using Diffie-Hellman key exchange and bulk algorithm line encryption. This ensures that "snooping" the connection cannot result in any secure key information being disclosed.

The server exposes the *Object Directory* via fully routed TCP/IP, meaning that access to the *Object Directory* can be safely exposed to the Internet / Intranet, allowing clients to connect wherever they are. As all communications between the Server and client are encrypted and authenticated there is no security risk in exposing it in this way.

Object Directory

The Object Directory is the central configuration store for the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders policies and is used as a repository of information for all the Endpoint Encryption entities. The default directory uses the operating systems file system driver to provide a high performance scalable system which mirrors an X500 design. The standard store has a capacity of over 4 billion users and machines.

Typical information stored in the Object Directory includes:

- User Configuration and Policy Configuration information
- Client and administration file lists
- Encryption key and recovery information
- Audit trails
- Secure Server Key information

Connector Manager

Endpoint Encryption's directory used to keep track of security information is designed so that synchronization of details between Endpoint Encryption and other systems is possible. The **Connector Manager** is a customizable module which enables data from systems such as X500 directories (commonly used in PKI infrastructures) to propagate to the Endpoint Encryption Object Directory. Using this mechanism, it is possible to replicate details such as a user's account status between Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders and other directories. Current connector options include LDAP, Active Directory, Novell, and NT Domains. For information on these components, see the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide* or contact your Endpoint Encryption representative.

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client files

All the files that encompass the entire Endpoint Encryption product framework reside within the database.

At first, they are written from the installation CD to the disk of the system where the central system shall reside. Once the database is created, the files on disk are imported to the database and assigned proper attributes and indexing. The files are imported into File Groups, where each group has a dedicated purpose, e.g. EEFF31: Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders for PC client files.

By opening the **System** tab in the Endpoint Encryption Manager and then expanding the **Endpoint Encryption File Groups**, the existing file groups are listed. By double-clicking any group, the files within the group are listed in a separate window. Actions such as **Update** may then be performed at any of the files by right-clicking it and select the desired action.

Install and Deployment

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is installed on users' computers by running small deploy sets (also known as install sets) created by the Endpoint Encryption

Manager. This executable file contains the core components and drivers needed to enable Endpoint Encryption on a user's machine.

The install set can be used on any number of PCs and contains all the data and links to install Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders on any supported Windows platform.

The executable may be deployed using any standard software distribution tool, like Microsoft System Management Server (SMS) or Novell ZenWorks.

CAUTION: It is critical that the client operating system is fully updated using Windows update. Client machines that do not have the latest Windows updates may not be able to support Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders. The Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installer makes a check to see if the minimum OS update patches are installed. If not, the installation will stop.

After a re-start of the client system after installation, the user may be forced to logon to EEFF in order to retrieve the correct encryption policy. This first logon can be made mandatory, i.e. such that it cannot be bypassed until proper authentication credentials are entered. This authentication enforcement is enabled/disabled in the Endpoint Encryption Manager.

There is also an option in the Endpoint Encryption Manager providing an automatic logon feature if both Endpoint Encryption Manager (hard disk encryption with pre-boot authentication) and Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders are installed. If enabled, the logon to Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is done automatically, since the user has already entered Endpoint Encryption logon credentials in pre-boot. The authentication to Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is then based on the authentication from Endpoint Encryption for PC. See *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Policy Settings* of this document for more detail.

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Client Software

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client

Once the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client is installed, the machine needs to restart. After re-start, the user may be forced to do a logon to retrieve the correct policy from the central database through the Endpoint Encryption Server. If there is no connection to the central database, the user will work with the default policy as defined by the policy from which the install set was created (i.e. a blank policy if not created from a dedicated policy). This forced logon is subject to a policy setting in Endpoint Encryption Manager and its value is included in the installation set that is deployed.

If the forced logon is enabled, the initial logon cannot be by-passed. The authentication dialog will remain until proper authentication details are presented.

General information about the client

When users try and access encrypted data, the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client automatically recognizes this and prompts the user to authenticate. If successful, the data is transparently decrypted and the appropriate application started.



Figure 3: Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders authentication dialog

The Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client software is largely transparent to the end user. The visible parts are an entry in the users tool tray (the Endpoint

Encryption product icon), and the shell extension options, visible from the context menu when right-clicking files and folders.

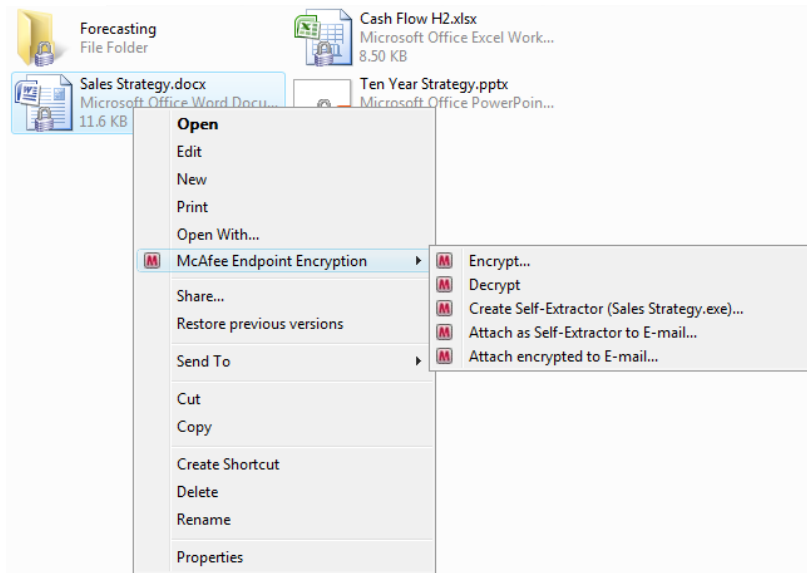


Figure 4: Context menu with Endpoint Encryption Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders entries

The content of the context menu regarding Endpoint Encryption Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is determined through a policy for each user.

The system tray icon

With Endpoint Encryption Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installed, there is an additional icon in the system tray menu.



Figure 5: The Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders system tray icon

The content of the menu (accessed when right-clicking the tool tray icon) is defined by a policy for each user that logs on. Depending on the number of Endpoint Encryption products installed, the tray menu may look slightly different than the picture below (Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders only).

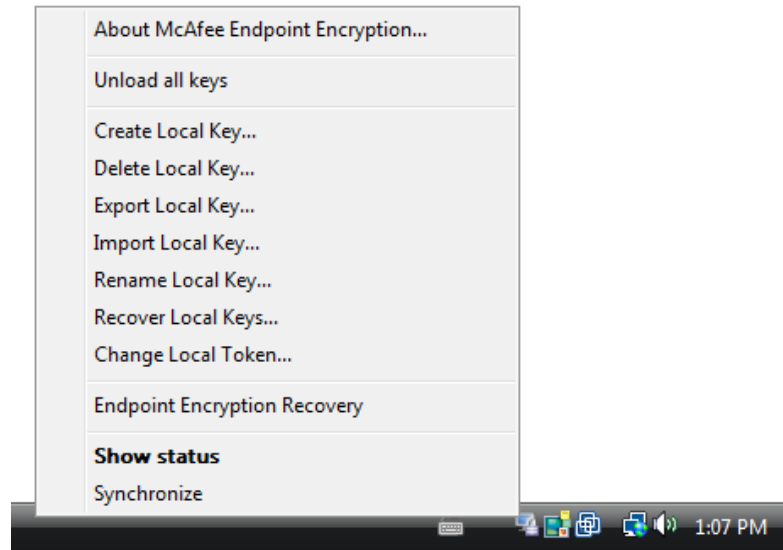


Figure 6: Endpoint Encryption system tray icon menu (Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders only)

The **About Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders...** option displays the configuration data for the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client in a separate window. The details of this window are presented later in this guide.

The **Unload all keys** option enables users to close all the keys that have been opened to access data, thus securing (locking) the system.

The **Endpoint Encryption Recovery** option allows the user to recover lost Endpoint Encryption passwords.

The **Synchronize** option opens a communication with the Endpoint Encryption Server in order to retrieve the latest policy from the Object Directory.

Click *System tray icon* for more information.

Limitations in Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders

Compressed files

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders cannot encrypt files that are compressed with the built-in file compression in the Windows operating system. This is due to the format and design of this Windows function.

Consequently, files compressed by Windows will first be decompressed before encryption with Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders. After encryption, the file will not be re-compressed. Nor will it be re-compressed after decryption.

However, files compressed with third party compression software, e.g. WinZip, can be encrypted as is, i.e. without any decompression. Note, however, that the compressed file needs to be encrypted in order protect its content.

Removable media

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders can enforce encryption on removable media. However, the removable media affected must follow the following definition:

“Any device that is attached to the computer and is assigned a drive letter, except for network drives, and that report itself to the operating system as ‘Removable’ . The media shall also set a flag ‘Removable’ in the operating system and also report to the operating system whenever a media is inserted. ”

For certain devices, where a media is inserted into a reading device attached to the computer, removable media encryption policies will only be applied when there is a write operation initiated to the media. Examples of such devices are:

- Floppy Disk drives (FDD), and
- Magneto-Optical (MO) storage drives.

Self-Extractors: Minimizing window issue

When attaching a Self-Extractor to an e-mail (with context menu option **Attach as Self-Extractor to E-mail**), the window with the e-mail that opens up cannot be minimized. This is due to a design issue in MAPI, not an error within Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders.

Self-Extractors: Creating e-mail draft

When attaching a Self-Extractor to an e-mail (with context menu option **Attach as Self-Extractor to E-mail**), and closing the e-mail without sending it (create Draft) the draft is not saved to the Drafts, but to the Inbox folder instead (MS Outlook). This is due to a design issue in MAPI, not an error within Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders.

Encryption on Novell file servers

In this version of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders, due to missing Unicode support in the NWFS file system, files cannot be encrypted on Novell file servers (NWFS files shares).

Deploying Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders

There are 7 steps you need to follow to install Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders on your users' computers:

1. Install the Endpoint Encryption Management Centre

Follow the *Installing Endpoint Encryption Manager* section of the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administrator's Guide*.

2. Create your Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Administrators

Follow the 'Creating and Configuring Users' section of the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide*.

3. Create your Endpoint Encryption Server(s)

Follow the 'Endpoint Encryption Database Server' section of the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administrator's Guide*.

4. Create encryption keys and policies relevant to your user population

Follow the *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Policy Settings* section of this guide.

5. Create Install Sets from the policies

Follow the *Creating an Install Set* section of this guide.

6. Install on the target computers

Follow the *Installing, Upgrading, and Removing Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders* section of this guide.

7. Manage Encryption Policies

Use the information in the *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Policy Settings* section of this guide to change policies as you wish.

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Policy Settings

About Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Policies

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders policies control the encryption settings, encrypted areas and the available context menu options for users when using Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders.

Each installation of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is linked back to a policy object in the Endpoint Encryption Manager. Any updates and changes to this policy will be reflected to all users assigned that policy.

To manage policies, navigate to the **Policies** tree in the Endpoint Encryption Manager and mark the **Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Policy Groups** node.

Policy administration functions

Create a Policy Group

You can create any number of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Policy Groups. Simply right-click the **Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Policy Groups** node and **select Create policy group**. When selected, you will be asked to give a name for the group. You may also select if all the member policies in this group shall have the same settings as the group itself (i.e. a controlled group, as compared with a non-controlled group).

Typically, this is not the case. Each individual policy created is separate from the others, even if in the same group. Otherwise it would not make sense to have several policies (i.e. if all were the same).

Create a Policy

Once you have created a Policy Group, you may create and configure individual policies.

You should create policies to fulfill an organizational or functional need – for example, a policy for a department within your organization, such as **Management Policy**, **HR Policy** and **Sales & Marketing Policy**.

To create a new Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders policy:

1. Navigate to the **Policies** tab of the Endpoint Encryption Manager.
2. Find the **Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Policy Groups**.

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3. Double-click it to expand its groups.
4. Either open an existing group, or create a new group by right-clicking the top node and selecting **Create policy group**.
5. From the open group window, right-click and select **Add**.
6. Enter the name for the new policy, type in an optional description if you like and select **OK**.

Right-click options on a Policy Group

Open group

This option opens a window displaying the content (policies) of the group.

Rename group

This option changes the name of the Policy Group. This does not affect the association of the group content to other objects.

Delete group

This option deletes the selected group. The group must be empty before it can be deleted. You will be prompted if you want to permanently delete the group, otherwise it will be placed into Endpoint Encryption Deleted objects. See the *Endpoint Encryption Manager guide* for additional details.

Create install set

This option creates an install set for the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client. For more information please see *Creating an Install Package*– in this guide.

Set as default group

Set the selected Policy Group to the default group.

Reset all to group configuration

Resets the properties of the individual policies within the group to those of its group.

Create copy

Creates a copy of the Policy Group based on the selected one.

Properties

Opens the properties of the selected Policy Group. The content of this dialog is described later in this document.

Right-click options on an individual Policy

Add

Adds a new policy to the group.

Rename

Changes the name of the policy. This does not affect the association of the policy to other objects.

Delete

Deletes the selected policy. If you delete a policy, all users connected to that policy will have all restrictions removed as they were defined in the deleted policy.

You will be asked if you want to permanently delete the group, otherwise it will be placed in the Endpoint Encryption Deleted objects. See the *Endpoint Encryption Manager guide* for additional details on deleting objects.

Create install

Creates an install set for the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client. For more information please see *Creating an Install Package* in this guide.

Reset to group configuration

Resets the properties of the individual policy to those of its group.

Create copy

Creates a copy of the policy based on the selected one.

Properties

Opens the properties of the selected policy. If the policy is within a group that is controlled, the properties of the member policy are defined at the group level; i.e. the policies in the group cannot be configured individually.

Policy configuration settings

When selecting the **Properties** option for either a Policy Group or an individual non-controlled policy, the policy configuration dialog opens up.

General

Options - Explorer Integration

Allow explicit encrypt

Enables the **Encrypt...** option in the user's context menu (displayed when right-clicking a folder or file). This allows the user to manually encrypt files and folders beyond what has been defined in the central policies. If a file or folder is encrypted according to a centrally set policy, the user cannot change this by "re-encrypting" the file/folder with another key. The option will be visible, but grayed out (inaccessible).

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Allow explicit decrypt

Enables the **Decrypt...** option in the user's context menu (displayed when right-clicking a folder or file). This allows the user to manually decrypt files and folders. If a file or folder is encrypted according to a centrally set policy, the user cannot decrypt it. The option will be visible, but grayed out (inaccessible).

Enable padlock icon visibility

Adds padlock icons to encrypted files and folders icons. This makes it easier to recognize encrypted objects.

Enable search encrypted

Enables the **Search encrypted...** option in the user's context menu (displayed when right-clicking a folder only, or the Windows **Start** button), such that the user can manually search for encrypted data on specified locations. The search may also be based on a particular encryption key, or all encrypted objects (all keys).

Allow creation of Self-Extractor

If enabled, users will be able to create password encrypted Self-Extractors. These are files that have been encrypted with a dedicated password (according to PKCS#5). Self-Extractors may be read from any other machine without having Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installed. The user must know the password in order to extract and decrypt the file. This feature is further described in section *Create Self-Extractor* of this guide.

NOTE: The password rules for Self-Extractors follow the Endpoint Encryption password quality restrictions that are applied to the user, e.g. minimum length. See the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide* -> *Password template* section for details.

Options - E-mail Integration

Enable sending of encrypted e-mail attachments

Enables the client context menu option for sending encrypted e-mail attachments.

NOTE: The recipient of the attachment must have Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installed and also access to the encryption key used to encrypt the attachment. If you use an encryption key from the central database to encrypt the attachment, then the recipient must also be able to access the same database. If you use a user local key to encrypt the attachment, then that key must be exported to the recipient using the local user key management functions. See section *Local user key management* for details. In both cases, the recipient must have Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installed. If this is not the case, consider using the Self-Extractor function instead. See section *Create Self-Extractor* for details.

NOTE: Encrypted e-mail attachments created with Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders 2.x **cannot** be opened with a Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders 3.x client. However, encrypted attachments created with Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders 3.x **can** be read by a Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders 2.x client.

Options - System Tray

Show About option on system tray menu

Enables the option in the system tray menu that opens a dialog about the current configuration of this instance of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders.

Show option for unloading all keys

The option **Unload keys** enables users to close all the keys that have been opened to access data, thus securing (locking) the system.

Options - System

Attempt logon with Endpoint Encryption for PC credentials

This option allows automatic logon to Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders from the pre-boot authentication using Endpoint Encryption for PC. This option must be enabled for the client to attempt to logon to Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders with Endpoint Encryption for PC credentials – if it is not set, the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders logon will appear as normal. Also, if this option is set but Endpoint Encryption Manager is not installed (or an incompatible version of Endpoint Encryption for PC is installed), then the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders logon will revert to its normal behavior.

The automatic Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders logon happens at each Windows logon (but not screen saver logon). If the user closes the keys and doesn't re-logon to Windows, then the user will be prompted to logon to Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders as normal as if the user accesses a protected file. Doing a manual Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders **Synchronize** will also work exactly as before.

The automatic logon is independent of what Endpoint Encryption supported authentication token is used.

Disable forcing of logon on first boot

This option enables/disables the enforcement of a first logon after the first re-boot after the installation of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders. If enabled, there will be a mandatory logon dialog, forcing the user to authenticate properly in order to retrieve the correct set of encryption keys and the correct encryption policy. If forced, the logon cannot be by-passed until proper Endpoint Encryption authentication credentials have been entered. This ensures that the user cannot work without proper encryption policies applied. If disabled, the user has to manually logon in order to retrieve encryption policies and keys. Until then, the user will work with the default policy from which the install set was created (i.e. a "blank" policy if not created from a dedicated policy).

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NOTE: if the previous setting (**Attempt logon with Endpoint Encryption for PC credentials**) is enabled, the forced logon – if enabled – will happen automatically.

CAUTION: For this option to work, the installation set must be created from the policy containing **Disable forcing of logon on first boot**.

Attempt to change Endpoint Encryption password when Windows password changes

This option detects when the user changes the Windows password (on the client side). If enabled, it will try to change the Endpoint Encryption password to the new password selected by the user.

This is an example scenario:

The users exist in the database, imported from Active Directory using the Endpoint Encryption AD Connector. The Endpoint Encryption user names are set to be the AD standard “sAMAccountName”.

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is deployed with the option **Forced logon after first reboot** enabled.

In the Endpoint Encryption Manager the users are set to use the default password of ‘12345’, along with the password option **Force change if ‘12345’** enabled.

The instructions to the users at the time of the roll-out of the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client have been: When prompted for Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders logon:

For **User ID**: enter your Windows user name.

For password: enter ‘12345’. When prompted to change, change to your **current** Windows password.

The user will now have the same password in Windows as in Endpoint Encryption.

Now, with the ‘password change detection’ option enabled, when the user changes the Windows password, the password change event triggers Endpoint Encryption to capture the new Windows password. Endpoint Encryption will then automatically change the Endpoint Encryption password to the captured (new) Windows password. This keeps the passwords in synch and also eliminates the need to change the password in two places (Windows **and** Endpoint Encryption).

CAUTION: For this setting to work, the following requirements apply:

The Endpoint Encryption **Password** restrictions, e.g. **Password History** must be disabled for the user. The password quality will instead rely on the corresponding settings within Windows.

The Endpoint Encryption password and the Windows password must be the same, prior to the automatic password change. Please see the example above for how to accomplish this in a user convenient manner.

The Endpoint Encryption user name and the Windows user name must be identical. It is recommended to use the Endpoint Encryption ActiveDirectory Connector to accomplish this. See Step 1 in the example scenario above.

Admin Level

The Endpoint Encryption Management Centre administration level applied to this policy. Only Administrators with an equal or higher level will be able to change the settings.

Description

Here you may type some descriptive information about the policy, e.g. what the purpose of the policy is, or to who it shall be applied.

File Extensions

File extension encryption allows you to define what kind of files shall be encrypted based on their file extensions assigned by the application (not the user). You may add any extension and select what key shall be used to encrypt these files. Also, you need to specify what applications will be creating the files, for example, to encrypt *.doc files, you need to stipulate the application that creates these files, i.e. Microsoft® Word™ in this example.

Process Specific File Extension encryption

Process specific file encryption provides the possibility to encrypt particular file extensions created by named applications (processes). Both the file extension and the process name must be listed in order for the file extension encryption to work. For example, assume you want to encrypt files with the extension *.txt. However, you only want *.txt files created by Notepad to be encrypted, not *.txt files encrypted by any other application, e.g. MS Word®.

You would then enter the process specific name **notepad.exe**, the extension .txt and the encryption key in your list of process specific file extensions to be encrypted. How this is done is described below. The result would then be that only *.txt files created by Notepad will be encrypted, not those by any other application. This feature is particularly useful for temporary files (*.tmp).

Only **newly created files** can be encrypted with file extension encryption. For encryption of existing files, folder encryption needs to be used.

Creating (editing/removing) a process specific file extension encryption policy

1. Start the Endpoint Encryption Manager and open the policy for which you would like to enable process specific file extension encryption.

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2. Click the icon for **File Extensions** encryption.
3. Assure the category **Process Specific** is selected.
4. Click the **Add** button to add a process name.

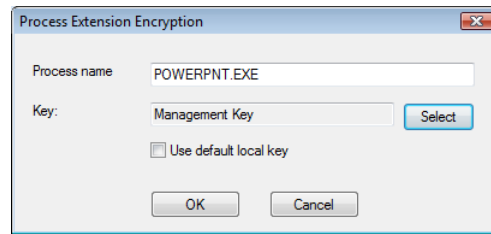


Figure 7: Process specific file extension encryption – Adding a process name

5. Enter the process name you want to enable the file extension encryption for.

NOTE: Observe that you need to enter process name and the [exe] extension; i.e. **notepad.exe**. Process names may easily be identified by starting the corresponding application and then locate the process name in the Windows Task Manager.

6. After you have entered the process name, select the encryption key to be used to encrypt the file types created by the given process. Select the key by clicking the corresponding button. A list of available encryption keys will be presented. The option **Use default local key** refers to the user local encryption key that may be generated automatically as per the policy for user local keys. See section *User Local Keys* for additional details.
7. Click **OK** and observe your process being added to the list. If you want to remove or edit a process, mark the process and click the **Remove** and **Edit** buttons respectively.

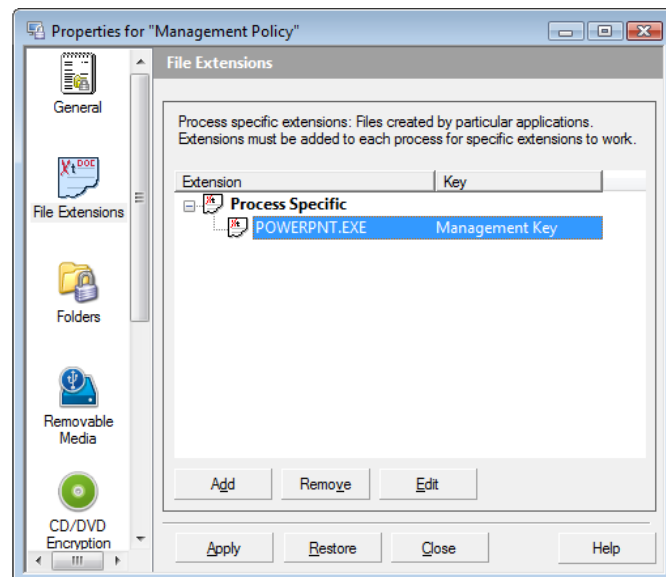


Figure 8: Process specific extension encryption – Process listing

8. Next you must add file extensions to be encrypted by the listed processes. Mark the process name and click **Add**. A window appears asking you to enter file extensions for the process.

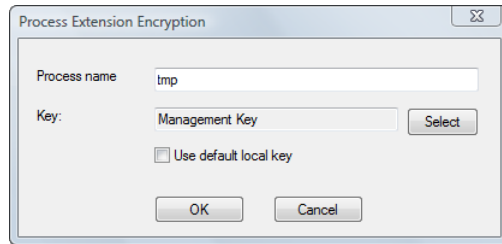


Figure 9: Process specific extension encryption – Adding extensions to a process

9. Enter the extension. **NOTE:** the encryption key is selected in the previous steps. It is not possible to change the key in this window (**Select** is disabled). Also, only the extension should be entered - any wildcards or dots (“doc” and not “*.doc”, or “.doc”) should be omitted.
10. Click **OK** and observe the extension being listed below the process name. Repeat this step if you want to add multiple extensions to one process. If you would like to have **all** files created by a particular process, simply enter a wildcard **only**, i.e. “*” as file extension.
11. Repeat the above steps for adding additional processes and/or extensions. Remember to mark the appropriate headline before you click **Add**, i.e. mark **Process Specific** and then **Add** to add a new process; mark a particular process name and then **Add** to add an extension to the marked process.

The following pictures show an example setup where all temporary files (*.tmp) created by Microsoft® PowerPoint™ and Microsoft® Excel™ are encrypted with the **Management Key**. Also, PowerPoint™ PPT files, Excel™ XLS files, Word™ DOC files and TXT files created through the Windows Explorer (i.e. created by using the Windows' right-click option **New...**) will be encrypted with the **Management Key**.

NOTE: For Microsoft® Office™ 2007, the file extensions are different compared with previous versions of Office. Office 2007 uses a four letter extension by default, e.g. the default extension for Word™ 2007 is *.docx.

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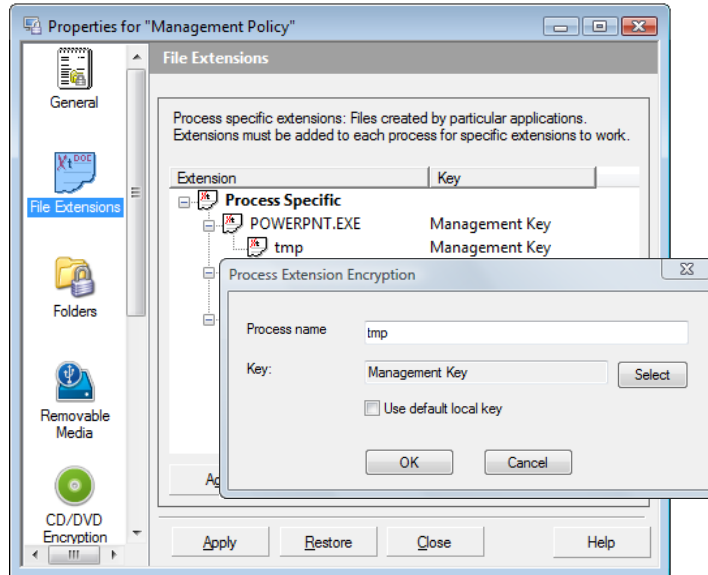


Figure 10: Process specific extension encryption – Adding additional processes

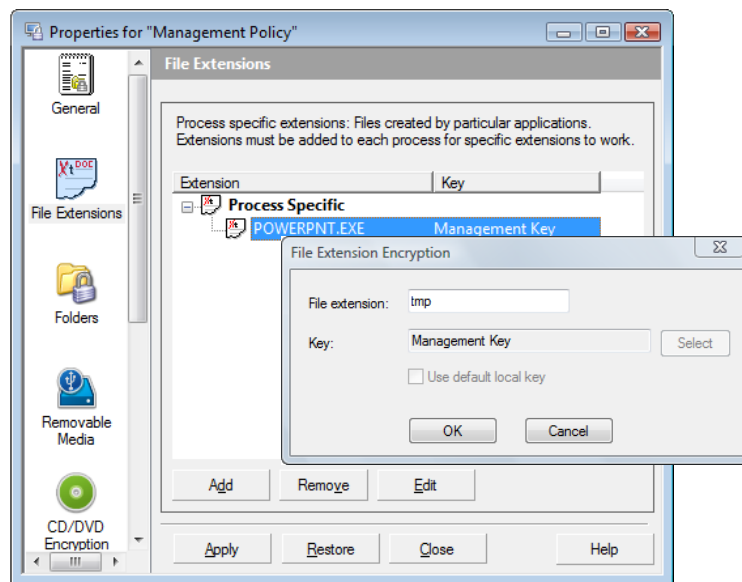


Figure 11: Process specific extension encryption – Adding additional extensions

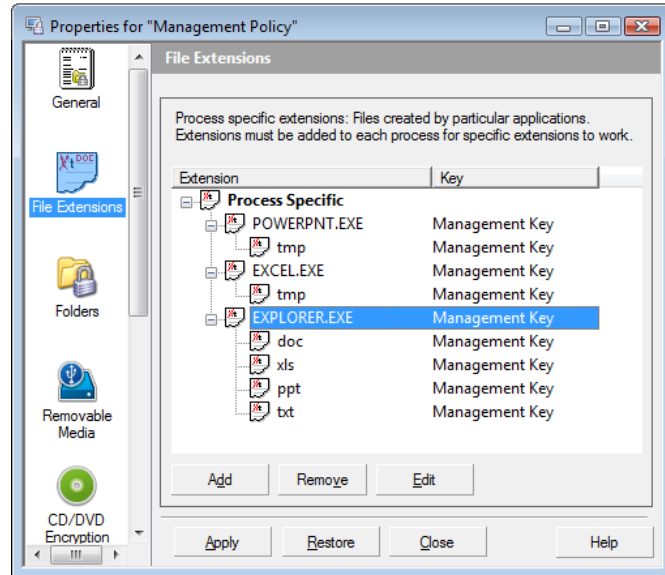


Figure 12: Process specific extension encryption – Example setup

To remove or edit a listed process or an extension, highlight the object and then click the **Remove** or **Edit** buttons accordingly.

About Process Specific file extension encryption

Mix of keys and extensions

It is possible to add as many processes and extensions as you like. It is also possible to mix encryption keys for different extensions in one and the same process, as long as it is done in a rational manner.

Save vs. Save As... when editing existing files

Consider an existing file with an extension that is listed to be encrypted by a file extension encryption policy. Opening this file, and editing it and then saving it, does not necessarily mean it will be encrypted, even if the policy states files with that extension to be encrypted.

For some applications, it is required to do a **Save As...** operation (i.e. create a new file) for the encryption to happen on that particular file. Whereas for other applications, the regular **Save** operation is enough on the existing file for the encryption to happen. Typically, Microsoft® Office™ applications belong to the latter, i.e. such files will be encrypted by just opening them and do a **Save** operation. Notepad is an example of the former, where it is necessary to do "Save As..." in order for the file extension encryption policy to apply on that existing file.

Deleting extensions

It is important to notice that deleting a file extension does not initiate any decryption of files with the particular extension. To decrypt files encrypted with a file extension encryption policy, you need to do a manual search-and-decrypt action using the corresponding context menu options from a client with Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installed. More about searching-and-decrypting encrypted files is presented in the *Search encrypted...* section of this guide.

Folders

This section lets you specify what folders shall be encrypted for users that are assigned this policy. You may either specify folders on local drives or network drives using direct addressing or UNC paths. It is also possible to fetch a path from the user's environment variables by typing, e.g. `C:\%user%`.

Add

Let's you specify a new folder to encrypt.

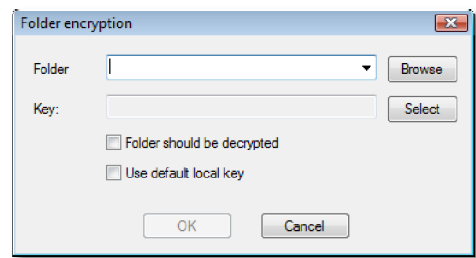


Figure 13: Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Policy – Folder selection

You may choose from the drop-down menu a list of predefined folders for local drives. These will be resolved properly, independent of what language the client operating system is using. Note the following folders:

[DESKTOPDIRECTORY] = The working desktop of the user, i.e.
[SYSDRIVE:\Documents and Settings\{USER}\Desktop]

[TEMP] = The user's directory for Temporary files being created, i.e.
[SYSDRIVE:\Documents and Settings\{USER}\Local Settings\Temp]

[MYDOCUMENTS] = The "My Documents" folder for the user, i.e.
[SYSDRIVE:\Documents and Settings\{USER}\My Documents]

[APPDATA] = The Application Data directory for the user, i.e.
[SYSDRIVE:\Documents and Settings\{USER}\Application Data]

[LOCAL_APPDATA] = The user's local Application Data directory, i.e.
[SYSDRIVE:\Documents and Settings\{USER}\Local Settings\Application Data]

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[PROFILE] = The user's local user root directory, i.e.
[SYSDRIVE:\Documents and Settings\{USER}]

You may also type the UNC path for any folder residing on a network share, as well as using a mapped drive letter to identify the folder to encrypt.

You may also browse the network for folders, as it is mapped and viewed from the machine hosting your instance of the Endpoint Encryption Manager. By clicking the **Browse** button a standard folder browser opens up that lets you select folders to encrypt.

Select the folder you want to encrypt and then select what encryption key shall be used for that folder (**Select**). Note that you may assign several folders with different keys in one and the same folder encryption policy.

Environment variables in folder paths

It is also possible to type in environment variables in the folder encryption path, these will then be resolved in the client to fetch the proper folder to encrypt, e.g. if you write: [c:\%user%](#) as a folder path, then on the client side, the environment variable %user% is fetched and included when resolving the entire path to the folder to be encrypted.

Folder should be decrypted

Selecting this option for a folder will remove the indicator that specifies what key should be used to encrypt files stored in that folder, i.e. **new files** added to the folder will **not** be encrypted. Also, existing files will be decrypted. You will see the key selection change to <No Key> when selecting this option.

Once you have made your selections for the folder, click **OK** to see your selection being added to the folder encryption policy you are creating.

Use default local key

This refers to the user local encryption key that may be generated automatically as per the policy for user local keys. See the *User Local Keys* section for additional details.

Remove

Lets you remove a selected folder encryption item from the list.

NOTE: Removing a folder entry from the list of folders to encrypt does **not** imply that the content of that folder will be automatically decrypted. In order to decrypt a folder listed as encrypted, you need to use the option **Folder should be decrypted** as described above.

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Edit

Lets you edit a selected folder encryption item from the list, e.g. change encryption key.

The image below depicts an example configuration for folder encryption, containing both a local folder as well as network folders with various notations.

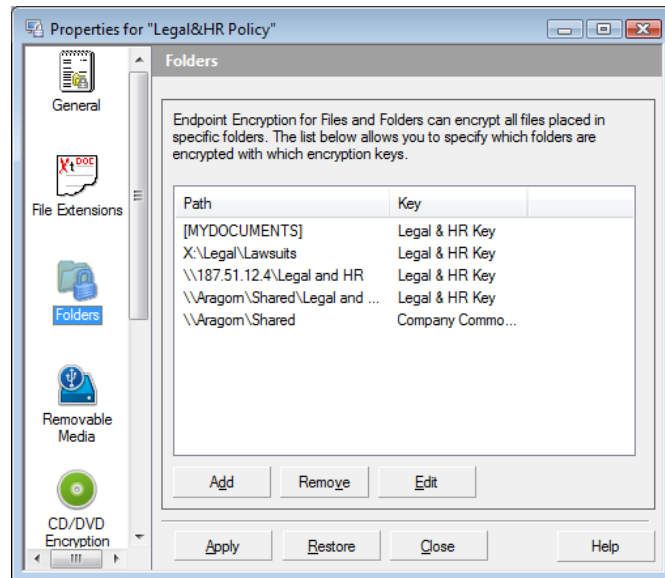


Figure 14: Folder encryption - Example configuration

Considerations on folder encryption

McAfee recommends that you...

- **Do not** encrypt entire volumes and in particular the system volume. Doing this may cause deadlocks in the client systems.
- **Do not** encrypt the [Program Files] directory as it may cause deadlocks in the client systems.
- **Do not** assign folder encryption onto removable devices (e.g. a USB-Hard disk) drive based on the drive letter. As the drive letter assigned to the removable device very well may change each time the device is attached, and other drives may be assigned the letter previously assigned to the removable device, it could lead to unintentional encryption of other devices.

NOTE: It is possible to have a subfolder set as decrypted even if (any) parent folder is set to be encrypted, i.e. it is possible to encrypt the **My Documents** folder through a folder encryption policy and then have the subfolder **My Video** decrypted also through a policy.

For large (>1 GB) network folders that shall be encrypted, rather than having the folders encrypted through a folder encryption policy, consider a manual (explicit) encrypt of the network folder(s) in advance, from one machine with Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders deployed. See the chapter on *Large-scale deployment considerations* for additional details

When encrypting large folders on a network share through a policy, it is strongly recommended to tune the network encryption intensity. The following values are recommended:

- I/O Utilization: 20% (Set in **Encryption options** policy section)
- Bandwidth limit: 100 KB/sec. (Set in **Network** policy section)
- Network latency: 600 ms. (Set in **Network** policy section)

You also may want to tune the network folder encryption based on the capacity of the client machines and the overall network traffic. Use the parameter “Maximum number of clients allowed to encrypt folder” to an increase the encryption intensity if there is idle capacity.

Removable Media

This feature allows you to specify encryption policies for removable media attached to machines where Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is installed.

The definition of what Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders considers being removable media is as follows:

“A device that is attached to the computer and assigned a drive letter, except for network drives, and is recognized by the operating system as ‘Removable’. In addition, devices that set a flag ‘Removable’ in the operating system and that also reports to the operating system whenever a media is inserted”.

You can select from three different settings for removable media.

Enable removable media encryption controls

Enabling this policy will automatically encrypt any file written to an attached removable media with the encryption key selected from the **Select** button. When enabling this option, the key selection dialog opens up automatically, i.e. it is not possible to enable this option without selecting an encryption key.

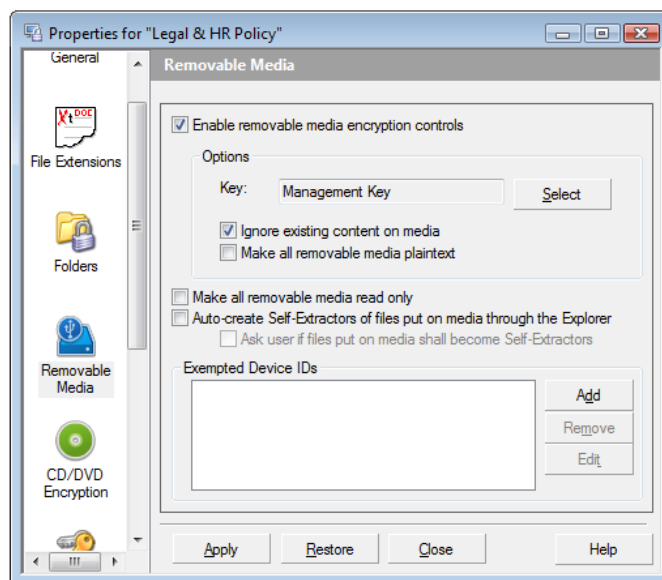


Figure 15: Enabling "Removable media encryption controls"

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If the **Make all removable media plaintext** (see below) option is enabled, then any **existing** encrypted file on inserted removable media will be **decrypted**, provided the user has access to the proper encryption key.

Ignore existing content on media

This option is disabled by default and dictates that all existing files on attached removable media will be encrypted also. When this setting is enabled, only new files will be encrypted when placed on removable media attached to a system that has this policy applied.

NOTE: When this option is disabled, all existing files become encrypted. Therefore, they can no longer be read from systems without Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders. Be mindful when using this option.

Make all removable media plaintext

This option disables the persistent encryption for removable media, i.e. encrypted files that are transferred to the removable media will end up there in plaintext.

Make all removable media read-only

This option is mutually exclusive to the previous one. Instead of encrypting files written to removable media, you may prevent files from being written at all, i.e. make the removable media attached, read-only. Users may read files from the media, but any writing to the media is blocked.

Note that the previous option is disabled when you select the **Read-only** option for removable media.

Changing this parameter requires the client machines to be restarted (after having received the policy change) before it takes effect.

CAUTION: Disabling the **Automatically encrypt all removable media** option does **not** mean that new files created on a removable media that have been subject to the removable media encryption policy will be in plaintext – new files **will still be encrypted when written to the media** (the encryption policy is still applied to the removable media itself). In order to remove an applied encryption policy on removable media, the option **Make all removable media plaintext** must be enabled.

Auto-create Self-Extractors of files put on media through the (Windows) Explorer

This option renders all files put on removable media to be converted to password encrypted Self-Extractors when they are placed on the removable media using the Windows Explorer file management operations. These operations are the following:

- Drag-and-drop
- Copy-Paste (incl. keyboard shortcuts)
- Cut-Paste (incl. keyboard shortcuts)

NOTE: the following file management operations are **not** covered by this policy:

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- Command prompt file operations (copy *, move *)
- Files being created directly on removable media, e.g. when doing **Save** on a file from within the application, directly to the media
- CD/DVD burning

When enabled, the user is asked what password to use. Unless the sub-option is enabled (see below), the conversion will happen automatically with no other user intervention than asking for the password to use.

The creation to the Self-Extractor will happen irrespective of if the file is already encrypted or not. Also, it will only be the Self-Extractor copy of the file that is put on the media, not any other copy of the original file, not plaintext nor encrypted.

The main purpose of this feature is to:

- Provide a way to protect files when placed on removable media, yet being able to read the files on machines without Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installed
- No limitation to special removable media hardware
- No software installation when reading the Self-Extractors

Self-Extractors can only be read on Windows machines. As is the case with Self-Extractor files in general, it is not possible to unpack the Self-Extractor, alter the content and re-pack it back into a protected Self-Extractor that may be put back on the media protected. To re-create Self-Extractors, the full Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client is required.

Ask user if files put on media shall become Self-Extractors

This option can only be enabled once its parent option **Auto-create Self-Extractors ...** is enabled. When enabled, this option presents a question to the user if the file being placed on the removable media through a Windows Explorer function should be converted into a Self-Extractor. If the user answers **No**, the file will not be put on the media in any shape, i.e. the intended file management operation will fail.

Additional exempted Device IDs

This list provides for additional exclusions from removable media encryption by listing the Device ID of the media to exclude. The main cause for this exclusion list is to prevent double encryption of files on removable media with built-in encryption. By excluding certain devices, the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client won't apply any removable media encryption policies to these devices. Still, any non-excluded removable devices attached to the PC will be subject to removable media encryption.

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You will find the DeviceID of a device by looking in the Windows Device Manager on a machine where the device is attached. The picture below shows an example of where to find the DeviceID.

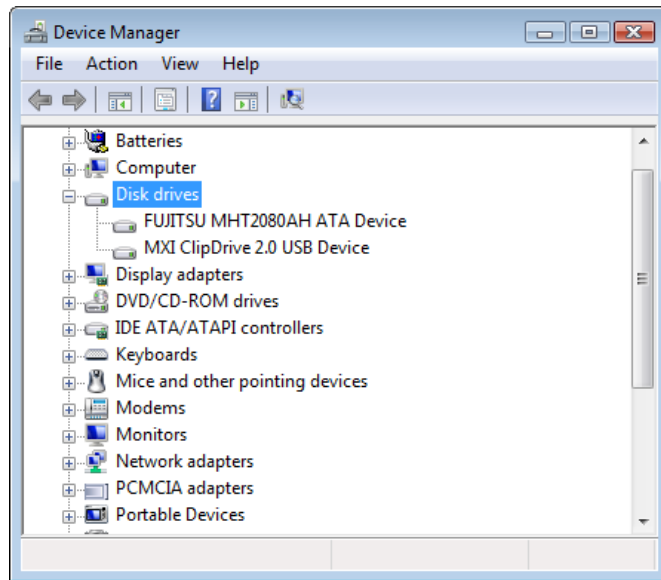


Figure 16: Finding the DeviceID for a removable media device

By looking at the **Properties** of a particular device and the **Details** tab, the DeviceID may be found. First assure the correct item is selected from the drop-down menu.

- For Windows 2000/XP: **Device Instance Id**
- For Windows Vista: **Device Instance Path**

The data presented in the information box is normally on the format:

```
STORAGETYPE\DeviceID\UnitID
```

As it is the DeviceID that shall be exempted, only the DeviceID information is of interest. In the example below, the sought DeviceID is:

```
DISK&VEN_MXI&PROD_CLIPDRIVE_2.0&REV_2.00
```

This is the data that shall be entered in the exemptions list in the user's policy.

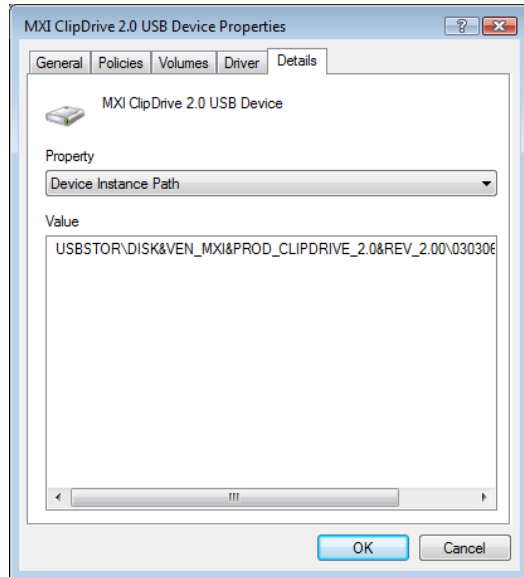


Figure 17: Identifying the DeviceID for a removable media device

To add exemptions to the list, click the **Add** button and enter the DeviceID of the removable media device that should be exempt.

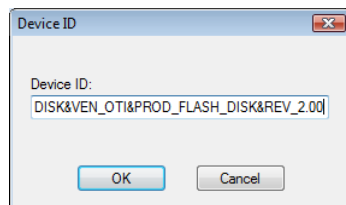


Figure 18: Adding an exempted removable media device

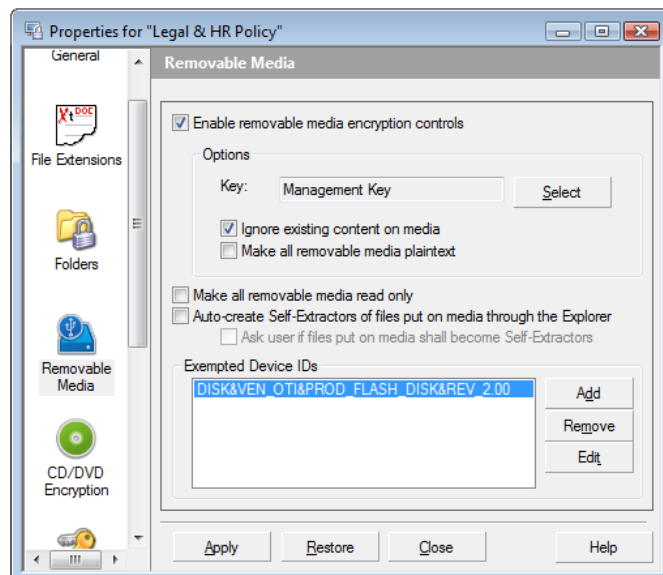


Figure 19: Exempted DeviceID added to the list

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Changes to the list of exempted DeviceIDs are done by using the **Edit** and **Remove** buttons accordingly.

About Removable Media encryption

Definition reminder

Note again the definition of removable media defined above. In addition to this definition, floppy disk drives (FDD) and Magneto-Optical (MO) drives are supported.

Free space on media

When applying encryption to FDD, the floppy must contain enough free disk space to encrypt the files. If a file is larger than 50% of the floppy, the encryption will fail and the file will be left in plaintext. There is no warning message informing the user about this.

I/O utilization value for FDD encryption

For removable media encryption enforcement to work better on floppy disk drives, it is recommended to increase the **I/O Utilization** value to 80%. This will have no impact on the rest of the system and can be safely done.

CD / DVD Encryption

This option enforces encryption on CD and DVD write operations. The encryption is applied on a sector level to the entire CD/DVD, meaning that all content being written to the CD/DVD will be encrypted. Thus, it is not possible to encrypt only selected files out of several in a burning session; all files being burnt will be encrypted.

In order to read an encrypted CD/DVD, the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client needs to be installed, i.e. it is not possible to read the encrypted disk without the client.

The encryption is independent of the application used to burn the CD or DVD (with one exception, see note below); the encryption will be applied whether or not the files being burnt are already encrypted. This is an all-or-nothing encryption feature.

When trying to read an encrypted CD/DVD from a client without Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installed, the user will see no content, i.e. it will appear as a blank disk. If the user tries to burn data onto an encrypted disk from a system without Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installed, there will be error messages saying that the data structure and file tables of the disk are invalid; the burning will therefore fail.

About Multi-Session CDs/DVDs

The CD/DVD encryption feature supports burning of encrypted data to plain CDs/DVDs. Disks that have plaintext data already burnt to them cannot have encrypted files added, however, if the first burning was done with enforced encryption, files can be added in later burning sessions upon which they will also be encrypted with the same key used to originally encrypt the disk. Thus, it is not possible to have mixed plaintext and encrypted data on a CD/DVD.

Enforce encryption on CD/DVD write operations

This option enables the CD/DVD encryption. When enabled, an encryption key must first be selected. This encryption key will be used to encrypt data written to CD/DVD for the users assigned to this policy. In order to read the encrypted CD/DVD, the user must be able to access this encryption key; they must also have the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client installed.

Make all CDs and DVDs plaintext

This option prevents users from manually encrypting CDs and DVDs via the context menu (right-click) option **Encrypt**.... Even if the above policy (Enforce encryption on CD/DVD write operations) is disabled, it's possible for a user with the context menu option **Encrypt**... enabled, to right-click the CD/DVD drive and encrypt a CD/DVD by selecting the **Encrypt**... option and an encryption key. If the user performs this manual operation, the next burning session will burn the CD/DVD encrypted. To disable this, the user may do a manual **Decrypt**... from the context menu, provided this option is enabled.

With the **Make all CDs and DVDs plaintext** option enabled, users cannot burn encrypted CDs/DVDs on their own using the context menu.

Do not allow writing to CDs and DVDs (make CDs and DVDs read-only)

This option is mutually exclusive to the above option. When enabled, it prevents users from writing to CD/DVD.

NOTE: The burning application **Alcohol 120%** is not affected by the CD/DVD encryption policy due to the behaviour of this burning application.

Self-Extractors will also be encrypted when burnt to CD/DVD with this policy enabled, i.e. these Self-Extractors cannot be read on systems without Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installed. With this policy disabled, it is still possible to burn Self-Extractors to CD/DVD which can be read on systems without Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installed. This requires the user to first manually create the Self-Extractors and then include them in the burning session data set.

Key Manager

This property page contains settings for key loading and unloading and timeouts.

Automatic key loading/unloading

Enable inactivity timeout

If a user has successfully authenticated to a Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders key, there is no need to again authenticate when the key is needed next. As long as the key is active (performing encryption/decryption), it will be available to the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Driver. However, when a key is inactive it will be closed after the amount of time specified by this parameter. The user will then need to authenticate again when the key is needed. The default value is enabled at 60 minutes; this can be disabled and the time can be changed. If disabled, it will render an indefinite timeout, i.e. once authenticated the keys will remain loaded throughout that entire Windows session.

Unload keys when screen saver is started or screen is locked - Marking this option will result in all keys being closed when the screen saver starts or when the workstation is locked (e.g. with Ctrl-Alt-Del). When the user returns from the inactivation, an authentication is required to access the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders keys. The default value is disabled.

Load ALL keys available to a user at logon

Marking this option will result in that all keys that the user can access are loaded simultaneously once the user has done a first successful Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders logon. Thus, subsequent authentications to other keys are not required. Leaving this option unmarked will require the user to authenticate once to every key assigned to the user (when requested).

NOTE: When doing a Windows logoff, all the encryption keys are automatically closed. Thus, for each new Windows logon, a Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders authentication is required in order to access encryption keys.

User Local Keys

With the options in this section, it is possible to allow the user to create their own encryption keys and manage them locally. As a safety mechanism, the Endpoint Encryption Recovery schema applies also to user locally generated keys. No local encryption key can ever be generated without being recoverable with the Endpoint Encryption Recovery system.

The user local keys are protected with a separate password or a user digital certificate.

NOTE: The password for local user keys is subject to the Endpoint Encryption password quality restrictions that are applied to the user, e.g. minimum length. See the "*Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide -> Password template*" for details.

Allow user local keys

Marking this box prepares the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client to work with user local keys. As soon as this option is enabled, a recovery key **must** be selected. It is not possible to enable this option without selecting a proper recovery key. This mandatory selection of a key from the Endpoint Encryption central database provides for using the Endpoint Encryption Recovery mechanisms when recovering user local keys. The Recovery key may be changed at a later stage.

Enabling this option will present a new section in the Endpoint Encryption client tray icon menu. If none of the sub-options presented below are selected, this section will have no meaning to the users (no menu entries).

Recovery key

This field presents what key from the Endpoint Encryption central database that is used for recovery of encryption keys created locally by the users. By clicking the **Select** button, the Recovery key may be changed.

Local key management options

The following options each corresponds to an entry in the Endpoint Encryption tray icon menu for the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client, i.e. when enabled, the users with **User Local Keys** enabled will have access to each of the wizards that corresponds to the menu entry.

Allow user local key generation

Enabling this option allows users to start the local key generation wizard. The wizard guides the user in the creation of a secure storage location and the actual key generation. The key generation wizard is described in the *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders User Guide*.

NOTE: User local encryption keys are all generated for the Endpoint Encryption FIPS 140-2 certified implementation of the AES algorithm with a 256 bits key length. The algorithm and the key length cannot be changed for user local keys.

Allow export of user local keys

This option allows users to export keys that they have generated locally, i.e. sharing their keys with other users that have Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installed (and local key management enabled). There are no restrictions to export, i.e. the users may very well share encryption keys with external users that also are using Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders with local user key management. Only user local keys can be exported, i.e. not encryption keys from the Endpoint Encryption central object directory. The key export wizard is described in the document *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders User Guide*.

Allow import of user local keys

This option allows users to import keys that have been created with Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders by other users, i.e. sharing keys with other users that have local key management enabled. There are no restrictions to import, i.e. the users may very well import encryption keys from external users that also are using Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders with local user key management. Only user local keys can be imported, i.e. not encryption keys from external Endpoint Encryption databases. The key import wizard is described in the document *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders User Guide*.

Allow deletion of user local keys

This option allows users to delete local user keys, both locally generated keys and imported keys. Encryption keys from the Endpoint Encryption central database cannot be deleted with this option. The key deletion wizard is described in the document *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders User Guide*.

NOTE: Be very careful with allowing users to delete local user encryption keys. If deleted, there is **no** way to restore that key.

For a description of the Endpoint Encryption client tray icon menu entries, please see the *System tray icon* section of this document, as well as the *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders User Guide*.

Automatically create user local key

With this option enabled in the user's policy, the wizard to create a local key will automatically start on the user's machine. The encryption key being generated is the one that is referred to as **Default Local Key** in the key selection dialogs for e.g. a folder encryption policy.

Encryption options

This dialog contains various settings for encryption restrictions and encryption priority.

Changes to most of the parameters in this dialog require the client machine to be restarted (after having received the policy change) before they take effect (machine policies).

Preserve file times

This setting resets the file time attributes after encryption and decryption. When a file is encrypted with Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders, the **Last Modified** time is changed. Also, some other time values are changed when a file is encrypted or decrypted.

With this option, it is possible to have the original time values restored (preserved) after encryption and decryption, e.g. the **Last Modified** time will be reset to when the file was truly last modified, i.e. by a user. The default setting is enabled.

Require authentication for listing of encrypted folders

This setting prevents a user from listing (view) the contents of an encrypted folder unless the user has access to the encryption key used to encrypt that folder.

The Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client must be installed for this viewing restriction to occur. The default value is disabled.

Use wiping when encrypting and deleting files

When a file is encrypted with Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders there is a risk that plaintext traces may remain on the disk. With the wiping functionality that is enabled with this option, any plaintext traces are securely deleted (wiped) whenever a file is encrypted. When using wiping, the encryption of files will take about 5% longer than without wiping.

The wiping mechanism follows the data shredding specification of US Department of Defense (DoD). The specification detail may be found in:

DoD 5220.22-M National Industrial Security Program Operating Manual (NISPOM) January 1995, Department of Defense & Central Intelligence Agency, U.S. Government Printing Office. ISBN 0-16-045560-X.

Enable limiting of file size that will be encrypted

Marking this option allows you to exclude files larger than a certain size from encryption when encrypted by a folder policy enforcement, i.e. when existing files are encrypted in accordance with the folder policy (including Removable Media existing content enforcement). Files encrypted with explicit (right-click) **Encrypt...** are not subject to this limitation, nor are files encrypted by a file extension encryption policy; Other files not subject to this limitation are files that are drag-dropped to encrypted folders and files saved to encrypted folders. Specify the file size restriction in the field.

You can use this option to prevent (very) large files from being encrypted by the policy enforcement; particularly for network shares where encryption of large files may cause heavy network traffic.

I/O Utilization

This value defines the frequency at which Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders will encrypt files when enforcing encryption policies. A value of 50% means it will take a file, encrypt it and then wait the same amount of time it took to encrypt the previous file before starting to encrypt the next file.

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If you want to enforce removable media encryption on floppy disk drives, setting this value to 80% will significantly improve the removable media encryption enforcement on these devices. However, if you want to encrypt large folders on a network share, it is recommended to set this value to 20 – 30%.

Blocked Processes

With this feature, it is possible to exclude certain applications from proper access to encrypted data. Blocked processes (applications) will then always be given files in cipher text by the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders filter driver, i.e. files will not be decrypted for the blocked processes.

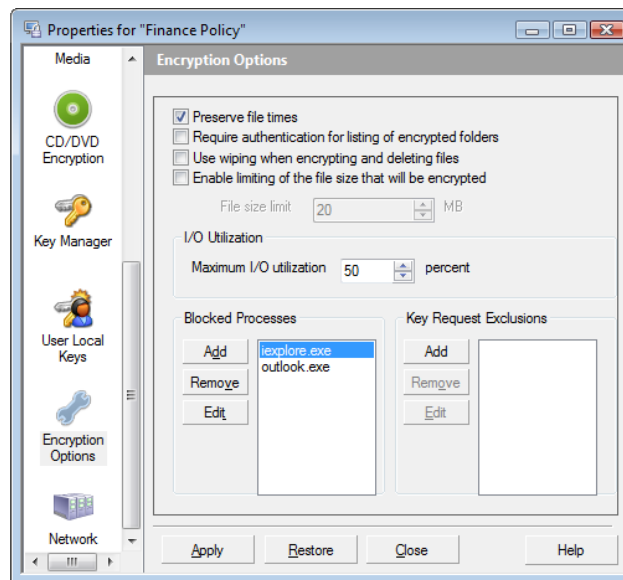


Figure 20: List of exempted processes

To add a process that shall be exempted, simply click the **Add** button and enter the name of the process to be blocked.

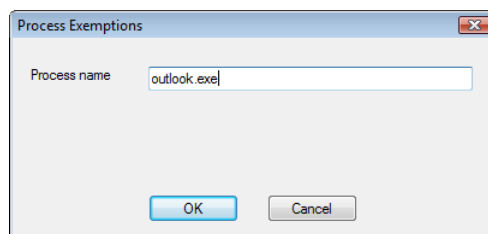


Figure 21: Adding an exempted process

To edit the name of a blocked process, click the **Edit** button.

To remove an exempted process, select the process name in the list and click **Remove**.

The main purpose of process blocking is to prevent encrypted data from being unintentionally exposed in plaintext; this is done by circumventing the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders encryption engine. One example of this is to prevent encrypted data from being uploaded to external FTP sites. By blocking the FTP process, it is not possible for the user to upload data in plaintext to an FTP server.

The aim of this feature is not to share encrypted data via web-mail or the Internet, for example. The Blocked Processes feature is not designed for such usage, due to the file name change for encrypted files. The CE 3 design does not allow for any user mode application interaction with blocked processes.

Consider the process exemption feature as a prevention feature, a part of the concept of digital rights management, rather than a way for users to share encrypted data. For sharing encrypted files beside regular file shares or removable media, consider using the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders features of e-mail attachment encryption or Self-Extractors.

With the blocked processes feature, it is also possible to prevent encrypted data from being burnt to CD/DVD. By blocking the CD/DVD burning applications, encrypted files cannot be written to CD/DVD.

Other processes that may be worth blocking are Internet browser applications (e.g. iexplore.exe) and FTP applications.

CAUTION: Data compression applications like WinZip® must **not** be set as blocked processes. If blocked, they will continuously fail to perform compression operations on encrypted data. Likewise, do not set **explorer.exe** as a blocked process; also, do not set it as a **Key Request Exclusion**. See the next section.

Key Request Exclusions

Assume a user is working with encrypted data on the PC. All keys are loaded such that encrypted data can be accessed transparently. The user then takes a lunch break at 11.30 a.m. and closes the keys manually (or the keys may unload due to work station locking, for example). Now, at 11.50 a.m. the user's antivirus software is set to start a system scan each day. When the antivirus reaches the first encrypted file, it cannot access the file since the encryption key is not loaded. Hence, an authentication dialog will be presented to the user, who cannot do anything as he/she is at lunch. Consequently, the entire virus scanning process will stop until the user is back at the desk and can authenticate properly.

The **Key Request Exclusion** option exists to avoid scenarios like the one described above. By listing processes that automatically shall get an **Access Denied** message if keys are not available, the example situation above will be avoided and the user will return from lunch finding the daily virus scanning process properly finished. Of course, the encrypted files have not been scanned, but at least the virus scanning process

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didn't halt. In addition, encrypted files will be scanned later whenever they are accessed by the user and the encryption keys are there to decrypt the data.

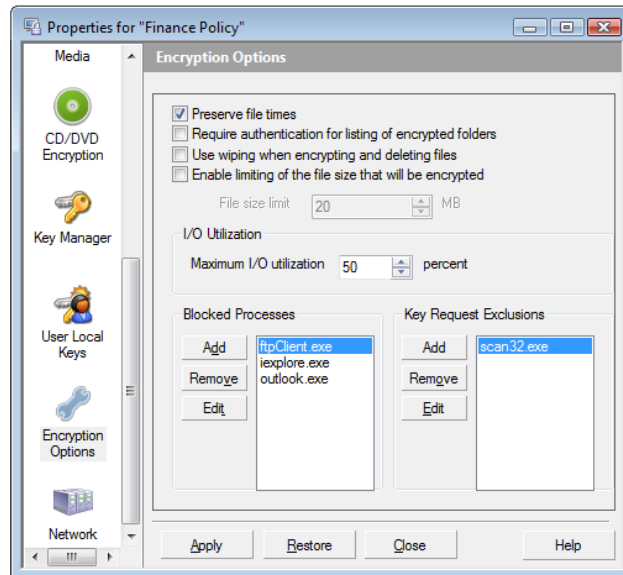


Figure 22: List of Key Request Exclusions

To add a Key Request Exclusion, click the **Add** button and enter the process name of the exclusion.

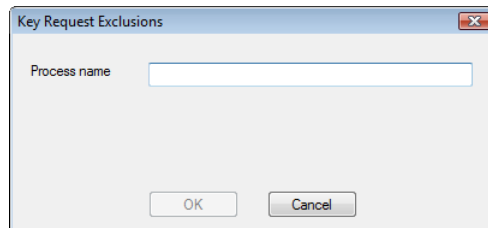


Figure 23: Adding a Key Request Exclusion

To edit the name of a Key Request Exclusion, click the **Edit** button.

To remove a Key Request Exclusion, select the process name in the list and click **Remove**.

Network

This dialog lets you set some parameters controlling encryption on network shares (file server storage). Changes to any of the parameters in this dialog require the client machine to be restarted (after having received the policy change) before they take effect (machine policies).

Enable network encryption

This tick box switches network encryption on/off. If unchecked, then no encryption will be done on network shares, no matter what other encryption settings are made for the network. Also, content copied, moved or created directly on network drives will not be encrypted.

The default setting is enabled. Changes to this setting require the client machine to reboot after the policy update in order for the change to take effect.

Enable network bandwidth limit

Marking this option limits the participation when encrypting folders on network drives. All Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders clients connecting to a network cooperate to encrypt files found in shared encrypted directories. This setting allows users with a poor network capacity to be excluded from this cooperation as long as the bandwidth is lower than the specified limit. Specify the limit in the field. The default limit is 50 kB/sec, which signifies a quite busy network.

Disable encryption on slow network connections

This option defines a limit (network latency) beyond which this Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client will not participate in encryption of existing network files. Specify the limit in the field.

Maximum clients to encrypt folder

This option imposes a limit on the number of client machines that will encrypt a particular network folder. This option makes network encryption more cost-efficient in that not all the clients will run to each and every network folder to encrypt it if specified by a policy. Such a "rush" could potentially cause network congestion and jam encryption. Hence, this option introduces a control to enforce network encryption more efficiently. If the maximum number of clients is already working on a folder, then the other clients will ignore these folders and proceed to the other folders set to be encrypted by the policy. If the network bandwidth permits, setting a higher value than the default "5" will speed up the pace at which existing folders are being encrypted on the network.

Encryption keys

About Encryption keys

Encryption keys are generic purpose objects which Endpoint Encryption applications can use to encrypt information – for example, Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders uses Key objects to protect files and folders on network, removable media and user hard disks.

Encryption key administration functions

You create and manage the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders keys from the Endpoint Encryption Manager. Navigate to the **Policies** tab and find the entry **Encryption Keys Groups**.

You can create any number of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders **Encryption Key Groups**. Each group created should have a clear purpose reflecting the use of the keys within that group, e.g. **Company keys** or **Test keys**.

Simply right-click the **Encryption Keys Groups** node and select **Create keys groups**. When selected, you will be asked to give a name for the group. You may also specify if all the member keys in this group should have the same settings as the group itself. Typically, this is not the case. Each individual key created is separate from the others, even if in the same group. Otherwise it would not make sense to have several encryption keys (i.e. if all had identical settings).

Create an Encryption Key

Once you have created an Encryption Keys Group, you may create and configure individual encryption keys.

You should create encryption keys to fulfill an organizational or functional need, e.g. **Management Key**, **Project X Key** and **Company common key**.

To create a new Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders key:

1. Navigate to the **Policies** tab of the Endpoint Encryption Manager.
2. Find the **Encryption Keys Groups**.
3. Double-click it to expand the groups.
4. Either open an existing group, or create a new group by right-clicking the top node and selecting **Create keys groups**.
5. From the open group window, right-click and select **Create new key**.
6. Enter the name for the new key, type in an optional description if needed.

7. Select the algorithm to be used by the key. You may select algorithm from the drop-down menu. The recommendation is to use the Endpoint Encryption FIPS 140-2 certified implementation of the AES algorithm with a key length of 256 bits.
8. When finished, select **OK** to create the encryption key.

Right-click options on an Encryption Keys Group

Open group

Opens a window displaying the content (keys) of the group.

Rename group

Changes the name of the Keys Group. This does not affect the association of the group content to other objects.

Delete group

Deletes the selected Keys group. The group must be empty before it can be deleted. You will be prompted if you want to permanently delete the group, otherwise it will be placed in the Endpoint Encryption **Deleted objects**. See the *Endpoint Encryption Manager guide* for additional details.

Set as default group

Set the selected Encryption Keys Group to the default group.

Reset all to group configuration

Resets the properties of the individual keys within the group to those of its group, including the **Users** list for each key.

Create copy

Creates a copy of the Keys Group based on the selected one.

Properties

Opens the properties of the selected Keys Group. The content of this dialog is described later in this document.

Right-click options on an individual encryption key

Add key

Creates a new key within the group.

Rename key

Changes the name of the selected encryption key. This does not affect the association of the policy to other objects.

Delete key

Deletes the selected encryption key. If you delete a key, all users connected to that policy will have all restrictions removed as they were defined in the deleted policy.

You will be prompted if you want to permanently delete the group, otherwise it will be placed within Endpoint Encryption **Deleted objects**. See the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide* for additional details on deleting objects.

CAUTION: Be very careful when deleting encryption keys! If permanently deleted, there is **no way** to recover the encryption keys. Data encrypted with a deleted key will be permanently inaccessible. Thus, it is recommended to never delete an encryption key. Instead, consider an archiving function where obsolete encryption keys are moved to a special encryption keys group, e.g. **Obsolete Encryption Keys**. Simply drag-drop keys between groups in order to do this.

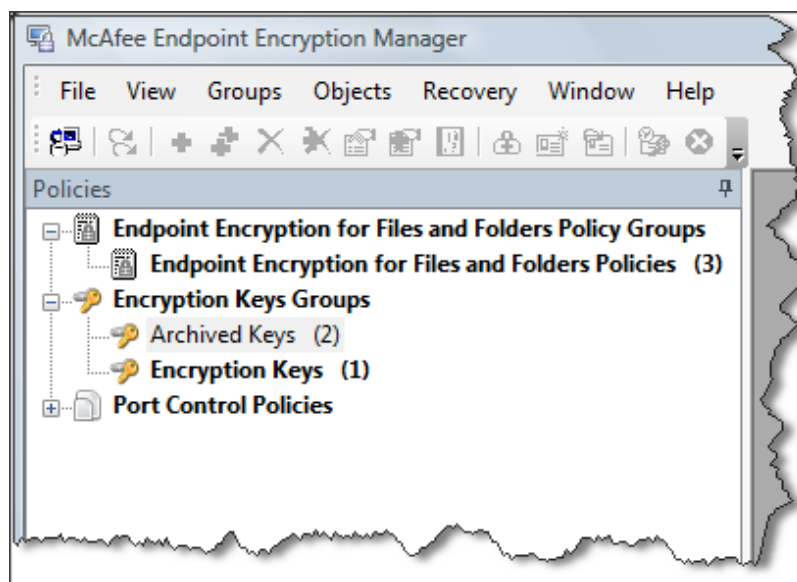


Figure 24: Archiving old Encryption Keys to a special group

Reset to group configuration

Resets the properties of the individual key to those of its group.

Properties

Opens the properties of the selected key. If the key is within a group that is controlled, the properties of the member key are defined at the group level; i.e. the keys in the group cannot be configured individually.

Encryption key configuration settings

When selecting the **Properties** option for an Encryption Keys Group the key group configuration dialog opens up.

Group

This dialog presents information about the **Keys** group. You may type in some description for the group in the field. Click **Apply** to save any changes.

Validity

This dialog sets the validity parameters for the keys within the group.

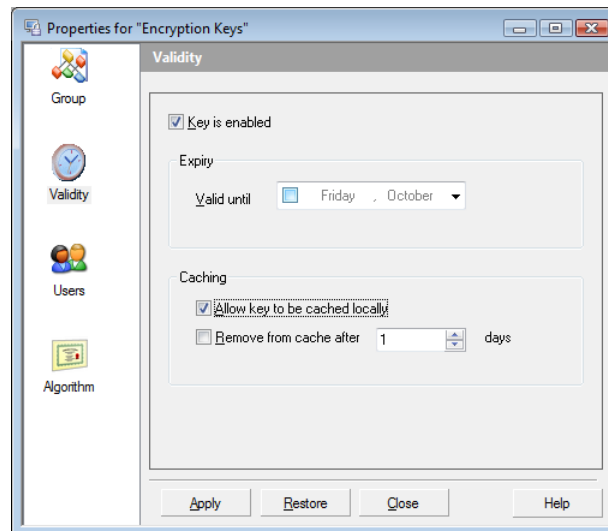


Figure 25: Validity settings for an Encryption Keys group

Key is enabled

This option enables/disables the keys within the group. Disabled keys cannot be retrieved by users and cannot thus be used to encrypt/decrypt data.

Expiry

You can specify a date where the key will be valid until. After this date access to the key (and therefore access to data protected by it) will be denied.

Caching

Allow keys to be cached locally

Enables local caching of the key. Normally keys are obtained on access from the network Endpoint Encryption database. This means that the only way to access protected data is to have a good connection to the Endpoint Encryption database.

If you need data to be available to users' offline, you can allow local caching of a particular key or on keys within a controlled group.

For the first time a key is requested, the user must authenticate against a Endpoint Encryption Database to obtain a fresh copy of the key. If the Database is not accessible then the user authenticates against a local key cache and queries it for a

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copy of the key. If the key could be obtained from the Database, then the local copy may be installed, or updated at the same time. If the user's credentials are not correct, no keys are released.

Remove from cache after...

Causes a local cached copy of a key to be wiped from the local key cache after a certain number of days of disconnection. This prevents users obtaining keys, and then continuing to use them for extended periods of time without validating their credentials against the central Endpoint Encryption Database. You can use this option to ensure that if you make changes to the validity or user list of cacheable keys, that these changes are enforced within a certain period of time.

Users

You can restrict access to keys to certain users by adding them to the keys user list.

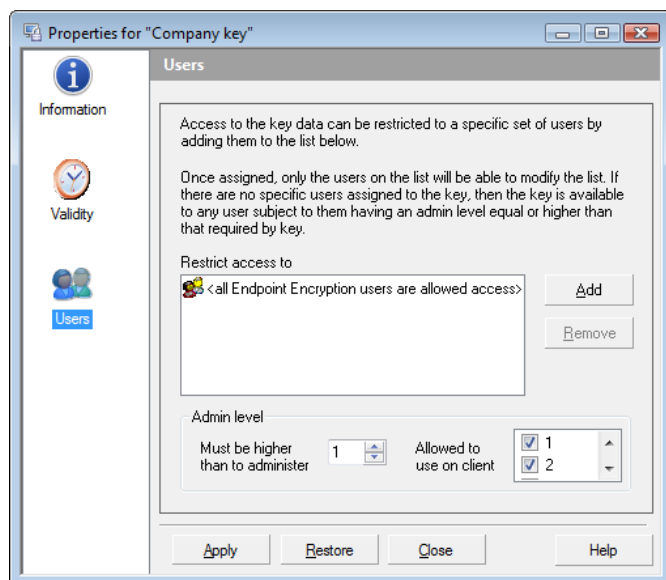


Figure 26: User settings for an Encryption Keys group/Encryption Key

When the list is empty, any user who has valid Endpoint Encryption credentials can obtain the key. *Once one or more users are added to the list though, ONLY those users can obtain, or administer the key*, irrespective of admin level, i.e. if the list is defined without any administrators added to the list, then no administrator can manage the keys in the group. This prevents general Endpoint Encryption Administrators from being able to access sensitive data.

Use the **Add** and **Remove** buttons to edit the list. Both individual users as well as Endpoint Encryption user groups may be assigned to a key group.

CAUTION: The assignment of users to keys is an irreversible process. Once the users are assigned, only those on the list can change any property of the keys in the group. Likewise, if you delete a user group or a

user that is assigned to the key, then that group or user can no longer manage the key. Be extra cautious if this is the only object assigned to the key; otherwise the key may become impossible to manage. Such a situation **cannot** be resolved.

Also be very cautious when permanently deleting users. Make sure that users that are permanently deleted are **not** the only persons assigned to any encryption key. If permanently deleted and no other user is assigned to manage the key, then the key will forever be impossible to manage. Such a situation **cannot** be recovered. Such keys will forever remain in the system as zombie"keys. **Under no circumstances must zombie keys be selected to encrypt data!**

NOTE: You can restrict what administration functions regarding keys (add key, delete key, properties etc) by setting a users administration rights – see *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide* for details.

Admin level

Admin level must be greater than...

You can specify the minimum admin level required to access a key. This parameter is enforced in addition to the restricted user lists. If you add a user to the user list, and also set an admin level, then if the user does not match or exceed the level they will not be able to access the key. For more information on admin levels see the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administrators' Guide*.

Allowed to use on client

This option offers a way to prevent certain Endpoint Encryption administrator levels from being able to access encryption keys from clients, e.g. for reading encrypted data. Even if the Administrators of a restricted level are listed in the **Users** list, when they try to authenticate on a Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client, no encryption key with the corresponding Admin level restriction set will be loaded. By un-checking the relevant tick-boxes 1 through 32, you restrict the access right based on the Endpoint Encryption Admin level.

Algorithm

Select algorithm to be associated with the keys in the group. The available algorithms are presented in the drop-down menu. The recommendation is to use the Endpoint Encryption FIPS 140-2 certified implementation of the AES algorithm with a key length of 256 bits.

Properties for an Encryption Key

Information

This dialog presents information about the particular encryption key. If the key is in a non-controlled group, you may edit the description information about the selected key. Select **Apply** to save any changes.

Validity

Please see the *Validity* section of this Guide for details on this dialog.

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Users

Please see *Users* section of this Guide for details on this dialog.

Assigning and Updating Policies

Assigning policies

Once you have created encryption policies, these must be assigned to the users and user groups in order to take any effect.

Encryption policies are assigned to users and user groups (typically the latter) through the Endpoint Encryption Manager.

If you have created your Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders policies wisely, i.e. with a specific aim and purpose for each policy, assigning them to users and user groups will be a very simple task.

1. Once you have started the Endpoint Encryption Manager and have verified that your Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders policies are ready for deployment, navigate to the **Users** tab and then select to what user object you want to assign a particular policy, e.g. the **Management** user group.
2. Open the **Properties** of the object and scroll down the left-hand pane of the object configuration window to find the **Policies** icon.
3. Click **Add** to select what encryption policy shall be assigned to the object. To remove a policy from the list, select the policy and click **Remove**. Select **Apply** to save any changes in the policy assignment.

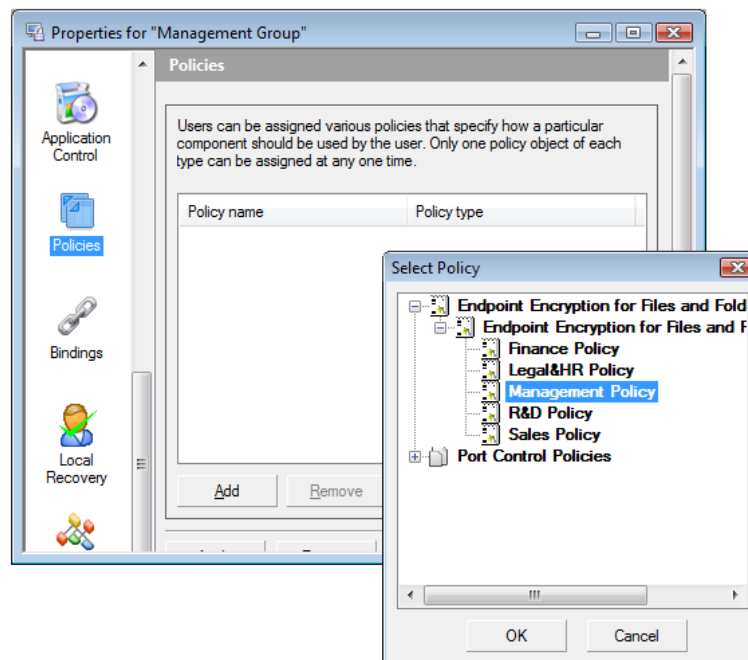


Figure 27: Users – Selecting encryption policy

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NOTE: You can only assign one type of policy to a user group or user. I.e. a user cannot have two different Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders policies applied.

Once the policy has been assigned to the user object, users may retrieve the policy. When the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client is installed, after the mandatory reboot, the user logging on can be forced to authenticate to Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders in order to retrieve the correct encryption policy assigned. This mandatory authentication is subject to a policy setting; see the *General* section of this guide for details. If enforced, there is no way to cancel the authentication dialog but to enter correct Endpoint Encryption credentials.

If there is no connection to the Endpoint Encryption database hosting the policy the user will work with the default policy from which the install set was created (i.e. a “blank” policy if not created from a dedicated policy).

Updating policies

The policy for a user is automatically updated whenever the user performs a Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders authentication. Provided there is a connection to the Endpoint Encryption database holding the corresponding policy, any changes to the user’s policy will immediately be applied. Likewise, any updates regarding encryption keys will also take immediate effect after a successful Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders authentication.

If there is no connection to the Endpoint Encryption database, the policy will not be updated, nor will the encryption keys.

The update is thus fully transparent and automated, provided there is a connection to the correct Endpoint Encryption database. The user cannot avoid having updates applied, nor can the updates be altered by the user.

Policy changes requiring reboot

Unlike Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders versions 2.x, there is no need to restart the client machine for any policy updates to take effect. All policy changes take immediate effect once updated on the client.

However, some policy changes might require other events before they are enforced. One example is the setting for Key Manager, **Default Key Inactivity Timeout**; changes to this setting will only happen when keys are reloaded.

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About Install Packages

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is installed by running a special archive file created from the Endpoint Encryption Manager. This archive file contains all the components necessary to install the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client.

The Endpoint Encryption Manager compresses the files needed into a single self-contained executable for ease of management.

Install sets can be created for policy groups, or an individual policy. This chapter deals with creating the install package, for information on how to apply it, see the *Creating an Install Set* chapter for more information.

Creating an Install Set

You create the Install Set from the Endpoint Encryption Manager.

1. Select the policy you want to create set for.
2. From the **Policies** tab, select the **Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Policies Groups** node.
3. Open the group, and select the policy object containing the settings you wish to deploy.
4. Select either an individual Policy or a Policy group. There is no difference in the resulting install set.
5. Right-click it and choose **Create install set**.
6. Select which file sets you want to include. This should include at least the core Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders files, and also any token, reader and language file sets you want to use.
7. Select the Endpoint Encryption Server that the new client will communicate with to synchronize policy information and to retrieve encryption keys. The default is the Endpoint Encryption Server that the administrator is currently using, but could be any the administrator has access to. You can specify multiple connection points if you have more than one server defined.

NOTE: For information on setting up a Endpoint Encryption Server, see the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide*.

8. Select creation and install locations and set install parameters.
9. Set the location you wish the completed install file to be saved to and the directory on the client you wish Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders to be installed into.

Configuration base

This contains the policy group (or individual policy) that will form the configuration base for this install set. It is possible to create an installation set based on an individual policy such that the specific settings in that policy are included in the

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installation set and thus applied without the user having to logon on to the Endpoint Encryption database.

Install set save location and program directory

Specify the location where you want to save the installation set and then select to what program folder on the client machine that Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders will be installed to.

Uninstall password

This line allows you to select an uninstall password for the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client. If selected, users cannot uninstall Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders, and thereby deviate from the information security policy, unless they can enter the correct uninstall password.

Installation progress options

The next two options defines the visibility of the installation; Silent installs do not give the user any visible display of the install process, and are used in automatic deployment environments, such as Microsoft SMS. Also, the uninstall process will be entirely silent. **Automatically restart** reboots the system automatically when install and uninstall has finished.

CAUTION: If you use the automatic restart option, the user will lose any unsaved data at the automatic restart as no warning message is presented.

Select **Finish** to create the installation set according to the settings you have made. The installation set containing the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client will be stored in the location you specified.

Show in "Add/Remove Programs"

This option allows you to control whether the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client shall appear as an entry in the Windows' **Add/Remove programs** listing or not. If it is not listed, then it is only possible to remove CE through the command prompt. This feature, along with an Uninstall Password, creates a highly tamper-resistant client installation.

NOTE: If you have forgotten the uninstall password, or if you want the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders entry to show in Windows' **Add/remove programs**, you just need to over-install the existing installation with an Install set containing a known (or no) password set, and/or the **Show in Add/Remove programs** option enabled. You may then uninstall with the new (or no) password, and/or from the Windows' **Add/Remove programs**.

10. Run the installation file on the target machines.

The steps involved when creating the Install Set are summarized in the following picture:

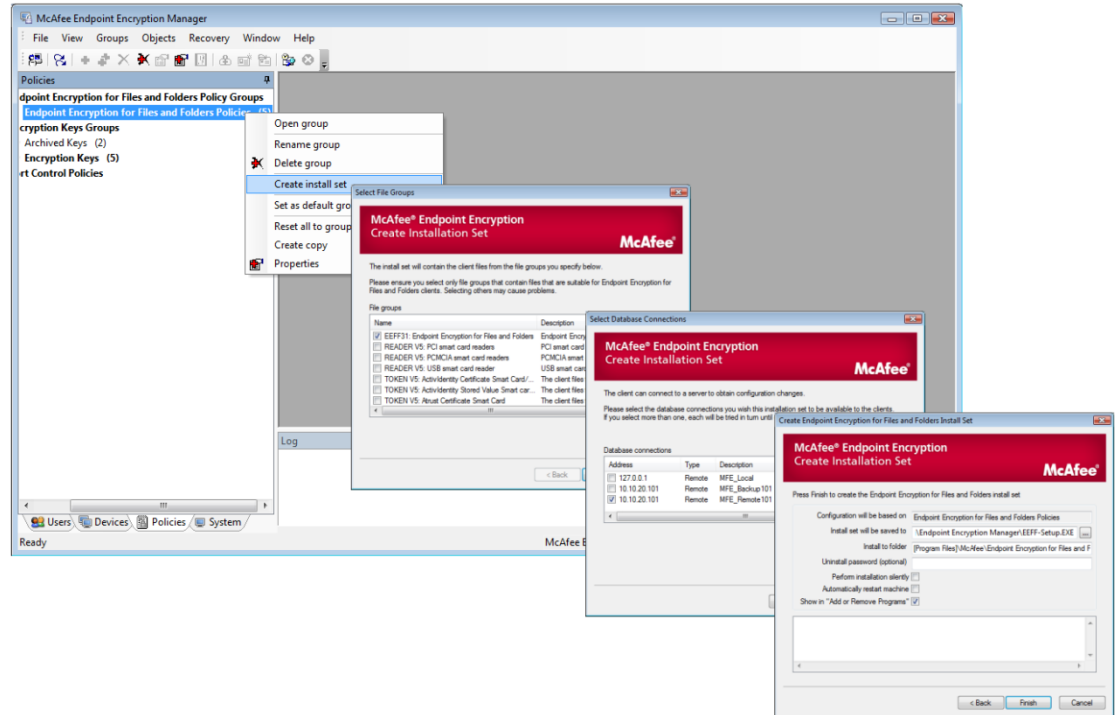


Figure 28: Creating an Install Set

After the install file has been run on a client machine and the machine restarted, it will immediately connect back to the Endpoint Encryption Server(s). When the user has logged into Windows, the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders authentication dialog can be set to appear – a so-called forced logon. This mandatory logon is subject to a policy setting; see the *General* section of this guide for details. If enforced, this first authentication cannot be bypassed as it forces the user to retrieve correct encryption policy from the Endpoint Encryption database. Without the forced authentication, there is no guarantee that the user really gets the correct policy applied.

If there is no Endpoint Encryption Server available at the time of the forced first authentication, the user will be working with the default policy from which the install set was created (i.e. a blank policy if not created from a dedicated policy) and without any encryption keys.

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The Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client is created by extracting the necessary client files along with some configuration files from the Endpoint Encryption database, via the Endpoint Encryption Manager, and packaging these files into an executable file.

Installing Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client

Supported platforms

- Windows 2000 Workstation SP4 with RollUp1
- Windows XP SP2
- Windows Vista
- Minimum Windows Update Requirements

Windows 2000:

- SP4
- KB891861 (Update Rollup 1 for Windows 2000 SP4)
- KB922582

Windows XP:

- SP 2
- KB922582
- (or SP3)

Windows Server 2003:

- SP1
- KB922582
- KB930184
- KB922529
- KB910048
- (or SP2)

NOTE: The Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installation will check for these updates before executing the installation. Without these updates installed, the installation will fail.

To install Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders:

1. Make sure you have local admin rights on the computer where you intend to install.
2. Ensure the Endpoint Encryption Server you defined in your Endpoint Encryption Manager is running (preferably as a system service).

3. Execute the **Install Package** created by the Endpoint Encryption administrator on the target computer. This enables and installs Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders. Note that you will may distribute the client using any software distribution tool like Microsoft® System Management Server™ (SMS) or Novell® ZenWorks™.
4. Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders requires the client computer to restart before the client will launch.

After the required restart, Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders may require the user to logon in order to download encryption keys and execute the proper encryption policy assigned to the user. This forced logon is subject to a policy setting. If the logon is successful, it will apply the latest policy and start encrypting according to the centrally defined policy. If the Endpoint Encryption Server cannot be reached, then the user will not be given any encryption keys and the default policy from which the install set was created (i.e. a blank policy if not created from a dedicated policy) will be used. Also, if there is no forced logon, the default policy will be applied.

You can use the same package to install any number of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders clients. Note that if you have created the install set from a particular policy, the unique settings of that policy will be applied wherever that install set is executed.

Upgrading Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders

Upgrading an existing 3.x system

In order to upgrade your population of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders clients, you need to first import the new client files to the Endpoint Encryption database.

Start by running the Endpoint Encryption CD with the latest version of Endpoint Encryption software. Choose the installation language of your choice from the installation CD. Run the installation and select all options that reflect your current Endpoint Encryption configuration. In particular, assure you mark all the tick boxes for **Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders**.

Finish the installation and then start the Endpoint Encryption Manager.

In the Management Centre, open the **System** tab and then expand the **Endpoint Encryption File Groups**. Locate the file group **Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client files**. There are now three ways to complete the upgrade of the client files.

1. Upgrade each file individually
2. Upgrade the entire existing file group
3. Create a new file group

Upgrade each file individually

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If you know precisely the file(s) that have changed for a particular upgrade, you may upgrade the file(s) individually.

1. Open the **Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client files** and identify the file(s) you want to upgrade.
2. Right-click the file to upgrade and select **Upgrade**.
3. Then locate the corresponding upgraded file from your Endpoint Encryption Manager Program directory, subdirectory [McAfee\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders]. Then finish the upgrade.

For more information about upgrading files within the Endpoint Encryption database, please see the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide*.

Upgrade the entire existing file group

You can also update all the files in the existing file group **CE3: Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders 3 Client Files**.

1. First delete all the existing files in the group.
2. Then right-click anywhere within the (empty) group content window and select **Import file set...** (not **Import files**).
3. In the search dialog that opens, browse the system directory where you have installed the Endpoint Encryption files from the Installation CD.
4. Locate the file called SbCeFiles.ini in the SYSDRIVE:\Program Files\McAfee directory.
5. Open the file and assert in the Endpoint Encryption Manager log at the bottom of the Admin interface that the files are imported to your new file group.

Create a new file group

Instead of upgrading individual files, you may create a new file group for each and every file in the newer version of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders. This is an alternative approach to the previous one, leaving the old client files untouched in the database.

1. In the Endpoint Encryption Manager, open the **System** tab and then right-click the **Endpoint Encryption File Groups** and select **Create File Group**.
2. In the next dialog, name the new file group to something similar to **CE3: Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders 3.x Client Files**.
3. Make the group a controlled group (all group members have the same configuration).
4. Once the group has been created, right-click the group and select **Properties**.
5. Click the **Contents** icon and set the group content to **Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders files** only.
6. Save the settings, close the group properties window and double-click the new group to open its content.
7. To fill the group with correct content, right-click anywhere within the (empty) group content window and select **Import file set...** (not **Import files**).

8. In the search dialog that opens, browse the system directory where you have installed the Endpoint Encryption files from the Installation CD.
9. Locate the file called `SbCeFiles.ini` in the `SYSDRIVE:\Program Files\SBAdmin` directory.
10. Open the file and assert in the Endpoint Encryption Manager log at the bottom of the Admin interface that the files are imported to your new file group.
11. Based on your new file group, create a new Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client and ensure that **only** the new file group is included, containing the upgraded files.

CAUTION: Under **no** circumstances should two file groups containing Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client files be selected for an installation set.

For any of the three above described file upgrade scenarios, a new Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client installation set must be created and then deployed. This is described next.

Upgrading the client installation

To upgrade a Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client, the following schema applies.

| Upgrade from version | To version | Actions |
|----------------------|------------|--|
| 2.x | 3.0 | To upgrade any previous version of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders to Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders 3.1.0, simply over-install any existing installation using an Install Set for 3.1.0. The Installer will automatically remove any previous version of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders before completing the installation of version 3.1.0. Also, since version 3.1.0 is backward compatible, there is no need to decrypt any data even if encrypted with version 2.x. Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders 3.1.0 can read also data encrypted by versions 2.x. |

NOTE: A reboot is always required to activate the latest version. Also, when upgrading runtime environments (RTEs) for the Aladdin eTokens, be aware that there is incompatibility between the eToken RTE versions available in Endpoint Encryption. If you have an installed eToken RTE of 3.00 and want to upgrade Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders and the eToken RTE to 3.60, then you **must** first uninstall the existing Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client, restart the machine and then install the new version with the correct RTE, irrespective of what version of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is installed.

Updating Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders policies

In order to update a policy on a client, change the policy and then ask the users with that policy to do a manual Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders logon (described in the *Synchronize* section of this guide). This will immediately update the policy. If no manual logon is done, the policy will be updated the next time the user does a

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders authentication. If there is no connection to the Endpoint Encryption Server, the policy cannot be updated.

Uninstalling Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders

To remove Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders:

1. Ensure that a user with the context menu options **Decrypt**, and **Search encrypted...** logs on (Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Synchronize) to the computer. Also, this user should be allowed to access the encryption keys necessary to decrypt any data on the computer.
2. Search the local drives for any encrypted data. Use the **Search encrypted...** function described in the *Search encrypted...* section.
3. Decrypt the data found in the search by selecting all search results, right-clicking them and select **Decrypt...** For large amounts of data, the decryption process may take some time. If a file fails to be decrypted, it is most probably opened by another application, e.g. a virus scanner doing a system scan for the moment. Try to decrypt the failed files again after a few seconds.
4. Open **Add or Remove Programs**.

NOTE: If the option **Show in Add/Remove Programs** was not selected for the Install Set that installed the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client, then it is only possible to uninstall using the command prompt.

5. Find the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders item and click **Remove**.
6. If you are uninstalling from the command prompt, navigate to the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders program directory, normally [SYSDRIVE:\Program Files\McAfee\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders] and type:

```
sbcesetup -uninstall
```
7. If enabled, you will be prompted for the uninstall password before uninstall can start. If you have forgotten the uninstall password, simply over-install the existing installation with an installation set where no password protection is set and then redo the Uninstall. **NOTE:** the machine must restart between the over-install and removal.

Other than the (optional) password uninstall protection, removing Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is only possible if the current user has local administration rights. General users will not be able to remove the software. You will be prompted to restart the computer to finish the removal.

NOTE: The steps (1) through (3) above are crucial since no data gets decrypted automatically when uninstalling Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders!

If you forget to decrypt the data before removing the client, simply install the client again and pursue steps (1) through (3) as described above. You will be required to do a Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders authentication before you can proceed with the decryption and client removal.

NOTE: If you have forgotten the uninstall password, or if you want the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders entry to show in Windows **Add/remove programs**, you just need to over-install the existing installation using an Install set with a known (or no) password set, and/or the **Show in Add/Remove programs** option enabled. You may then uninstall with the new (or no) password, and/or from the Windows **Add/Remove programs**.

Also, when uninstalling from a Windows Vista system, there will be a (hidden) directory left behind on the client: [SYSDRIVE:\Program Data\McAfee]. Though not causing any system disturbances, this folder has to be deleted manually.

Installing Endpoint Encryption Manager

To install Endpoint Encryption Manager:

1. Run **Setup.exe** from your Installation CD or install media. More information on setting up Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders can be found in the *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Quick Start Guide* and the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide*.

Supported platforms

- Windows 2000 Workstation (evaluation use only!)
- Windows 2000 Server
- Windows XP (evaluation use only!)
- Windows Server 2003
- Windows Vista

Uninstalling Endpoint Encryption Manager

To uninstall Endpoint Encryption Manager:

1. Open the control panel on the target machine
2. Open **Add or Remove Programs**.
3. Find the **Endpoint Encryption Manager** item and click **Remove**.

NOTE: Removing Endpoint Encryption Manager does not remove any Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders clients. After removal, no encryption keys can be retrieved from the database as it is deleted. Thus, make sure that all Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders clients are removed and **all data decrypted** before removing Endpoint Encryption Manager.

If you back up your Endpoint Encryption database directory before uninstalling the product, you can be sure of the ability to retrieve encrypted data and policies in the future. The default location of this is:

Windows 2000/2003/XP:

[SYSDRIVE:\Program Files\SBAdmin\SBDATA]

Windows Vista (hidden directory):

[SYSDRIVE:\Program Data\SBAdmin\SBDATA]

NOTE: When uninstalling from a Windows Vista system, there will be a (hidden) directory left behind on the machine: [SYSDRIVE:\Program Data\SBAdmin]. Though not causing any system disturbances, this folder has to be deleted manually. It is also wise to leave this directory, should there be a need to later access encrypted data that was not decrypted before the Management Centre was uninstalled. Hence, leaving this folder untouched is good for a future backup purpose.

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client

This chapter describes the client side of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders and the available options.

System tray icon

When Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is installed, you will notice a new icon in the system tray – the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders application icon:



Figure 29: Endpoint Encryption product icon

This icon is the same for all Endpoint Encryption products. Thus, all Endpoint Encryption product tray icon menus will be available from this common product icon. If you right-click this icon, a menu appears with a number of options. A few options are subject to policy control and may be made invisible to the end user.

Depending on the number of Endpoint Encryption products installed on the client, the tray icon menu will have different sections. The picture below shows a client where only Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is installed.



Figure 30: Endpoint Encryption tray icon menu - Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders only

About Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders

This option opens up a dialog with information about this installation of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders.

Unload all keys

This option clears all the currently open keys from memory. The next time encrypted data is accessed the user will be prompted to authenticate.

Local user key management options

Please see the *Local user key management options* section for details regarding these options.

Endpoint Encryption Recovery

Selecting this option allows a user to recover a lost Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders password when offline. Doing an offline recovery requires an interaction with the IT HelpDesk over telephone or the Endpoint Encryption User Web Recovery system.

The recovery process starts with the following dialog:



Figure 31: Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Recovery – Recovery challenge code

The client challenge code should be read out to the HelpDesk operator, or entered into the Endpoint Encryption User Web Recovery interface.

Based on this challenge, the HelpDesk operator can see *what* user is trying to do the recovery and ask authentication questions based on the information stored in the Endpoint Encryption database or any other external system. If the Endpoint Encryption

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User Web Recovery is used, then the questions entered by the user at the time of Web Recovery registration will be presented.

Identification information such as department, cell phone number, nearest boss etc. may be imported to the Endpoint Encryption database from external LDAP systems, e.g. Microsoft ActiveDirectory. For more information about how to accomplish this, please see the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide*, chapters about various connectors.

If the identification of the user is approved, then a response code will be presented to the HelpDesk operator, or, in the User Web Recovery interface. This response code should be entered into the client dialog appearing once the user has clicked **Next>** after having presented the client challenge.



Figure 32: Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Recovery – Enter recovery response code

Once the response is entered into the dialog, select **Enter**. Based on the recovery key size specified for the user in Endpoint Encryption Manager, additional response codes may have to be entered. Please consult the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide*, chapter about User management for more information about Recovery key sizes.

Once the response code(s) is entered, the user should click **Next>** in order to have the response code verified. If successful, the user password will be reset to Endpoint Encryption default '12345'. If the user has the password policy **Force change if '12345'** enabled, then the user must change the password before proceeding with the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders authentication. Please consult the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide*, chapter about password policies for more information about password restrictions.

For more information about setting up and configuring Endpoint Encryption Web Recovery, please see the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide*, chapter about Web Recovery.

Show status

This entry opens a dialog presenting the ongoing activities in the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client. For example, if the client is active in encrypting the content of a network folder, it will be displayed in the dialog along with an approximation for how long it will last.

There are also two buttons available:

Diagnostics

This buttons automatically creates an e-mail with an XML attachment using the system default e-mail application. The attachment contains (non-sensitive) system data for support purposes. The better description of the machine needing support, the better understanding the Endpoint Encryption support staff will get and thus the chance of a quick resolution of the support issue is dramatically improved.

The e-mail with the XML attachment shall be sent to the Endpoint Encryption support representative along with a description of the support issue.

Again, it is important to stress that no secret or sensitive system data is gathered, but only system configuration data. Under no circumstances is sensitive information about encryption keys included, nor are any encryption keys, or pieces of these, ever sent to Endpoint Encryption. As you may verify by reviewing the XML file in a standard Web browser, there is no data disclosure of files stored on the machine, again only system configuration data is extracted.

Endpoint Encryption makes no further use of the data sent to us other than trying to understand and reproduce the support issue. As soon as it can be done safely, the information sent to us is destroyed.

Also, if there is information included in the text file that you find inappropriate, then edit the file before sending it to your Endpoint Encryption support representative.

The default e-mail address may be changed by altering a registry value on the machine where the Diagnostics operation is executed. See the *Client Registry controls* section for details.

Synchronize

Triggers a client synchronization with the Endpoint Encryption database. See the following section for details.

Synchronize

Synchronizing Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders triggers an authentication to the Endpoint Encryption database. Upon synchronization, the user's policy is updated to reflect any changes in the Endpoint Encryption database. Also, all encryption key assignments and settings are updated. For example, the user may have been revoked access to a certain encryption key. After synchronization the revoked encryption key will no longer be available to the user.

Also, any successful Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders authentication when the central database can be reached automatically updates the user's policy and the encryption key settings. Hence, it is not necessary to do a manual Synchronization to get the policy updated; yet the option exists for immediate synchronizations.

For information on what settings are available in a Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders policy see the *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Policies* chapter in this guide.

Local user key management options

There are entries on the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders tray icon menu that relate to the management of local user generated keys; each entry is subject to policy control. When selected, each entry starts a wizard that assists the user in accomplishing that operation in an easy and intuitive manner.



Figure 33: Local user key management menu options

Create Local Key...

Starts the encryption key creation wizard. Keys may be stored either on the user's local hard disk or on a removable unit, e.g. a USB flash memory stick. The encryption keys are stored in key stores that are protected either by a password or a user digital certificate. The creation wizard allows the user to select storage location and protection method; these selections cannot be policy controlled.

NOTE: The password rules for local user keys follow the Endpoint Encryption password quality restrictions that are applied to the user, e.g. minimum length. (See the Administration Guide, section **Password templates** for details.)

All locally generated encryption keys can be recovered using the Endpoint Encryption standard recovery procedure for lost tokens.

Delete Local Key...

Starts the key deletion wizard to delete local user keys, both locally generated keys and imported keys. Encryption keys from the Endpoint Encryption central database cannot be deleted with this option.

CAUTION: Be very careful with allowing users to delete local user encryption keys. If deleted, there is **no** way to restore that key.

Export Local Key...

Selecting this option starts the wizard for exporting a user local key so that it can be imported by other clients, i.e. shared. **NOTE:** it is **not** possible to export a user local key and import it into an Endpoint Encryption database. Nor is it possible to export an encryption key from the Endpoint Encryption database and import it by a client. However, user local keys can always be shared with other users through export and import, provided these operations are allowed by the policy.

In order to export a key, there must be one key available for export. If there is no key available for export, this menu option will be visible, but not accessible.

Exported keys are protected by a transport password that the user selects. Also, in order to complete the export the user must again authenticate to the key store holding the encryption key, even if the key is already loaded in the client.

Import Local Key...

Selecting this option starts the wizard for importing a user local key that has been exported from another client, i.e. shared. Like with the **Export...** function, note that it is **not** possible to import a key from a Endpoint Encryption database. Only user local keys can be shared with other users through export and import, provided these operations are allowed by the policy.

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In order to complete the import, the transport password must be entered. Also, the user must authenticate to the key store to which the imported key shall be saved, alternatively create a new key store. This authentication has to be done even if keys from the key store are currently loaded in the client.

Rename Local Key...

Start the wizard that allows the user to rename a local key. Only local user keys (generated or imported) can be changed; not centrally managed encryption keys.

Recover Local Keys...

This option starts the recovery wizard such that a user may recover user local keys, should the authentication token have been forgotten or lost. The recovery operation involves an interaction with the Endpoint Encryption administration system, just like recovery for centrally generated keys. The user is prompted to select a new token, e.g. set a new password, during the wizard.

Change Local Token...

This option starts the wizard that allows the user to change token, e.g. change the protection mechanism for a key store from password to a digital certificate, or vice versa. **NOTE:** changing the password for a local Key Store is managed through this option also.

Context menu options (right-click options)

When Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is installed, the policy settings created for the Desktop Integration and Email Integration will take effect. These settings mainly affect the context menu (right-click menu below) options.

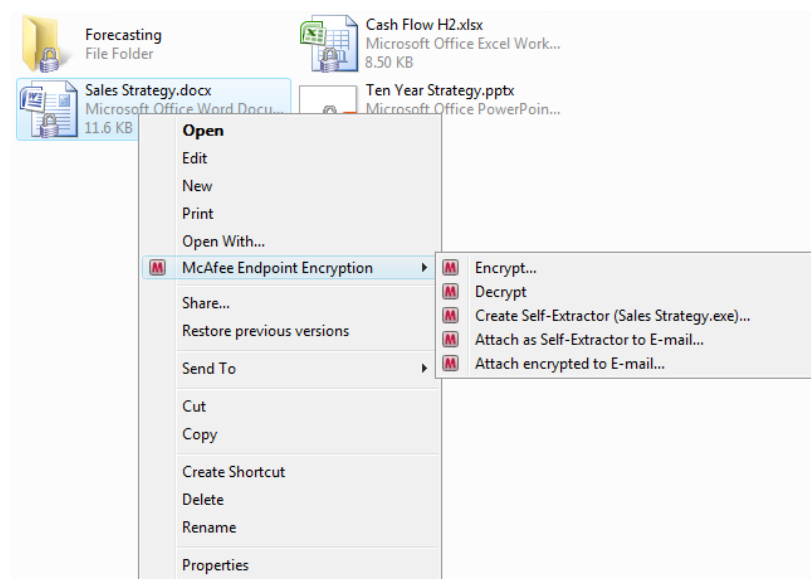


Figure 34: Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders– Context menu options

Encrypt...

If enabled for the user, this option encrypts the folder or file that is right-clicked. A dialog opens up when selecting this operation, where the user may select what key shall be used to encrypt the object.

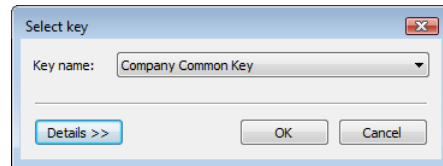


Figure 35: Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders– Encryption key selection

NOTE: If the folder/file already is encrypted (e.g. according to a policy), the user **cannot** change the encryption key by selecting another key from the drop-down menu. This is also reflected in the **Encrypt** context menu option being unavailable (greyed out), even if allowed in the policy.

The **Details >>** button reveals more information about the selected encryption key, e.g. algorithm.

When the user has selected encryption settings for the folder/file, click **OK** to execute the encryption. The user may be asked to authenticate if the encryption key selected is not loaded.

Depending on the amount of data to encrypt, there may be a progress bar of the encryption displayed. At the end of the encryption, a dialog is presented telling the result of the encryption. In some cases, the product may fail to encrypt some documents in a folder. **Typically, this is because the document is opened by another application.** For example, if encrypting a text document while having the document open for editing, the encryption will fail. The application must first be closed and then re-encrypting the document using the right-click operation.

Also be aware that a document may be "opened" by an application, even without the user knowing it. For example the automatic anti-virus scanning process also opens documents for virus scanning and then automatically closes the documents when the scanning has finished. If there is a coincidence that a document is scanned for viruses at the time when the user tries to encrypt it, the encryption will fail. The user then has to redo the encryption. Typically, this may be done within a few seconds.

Decrypt...

If enabled for the user, this option decrypts the folder/file the user right-clicks.

NOTE: If the folder/file already is encrypted (e.g. according to a policy), the user **cannot** decrypt it. This is also reflected in the **Decrypt** context menu option being unavailable (greyed out), even if allowed in the policy.

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If the folder/file is encrypted (e.g. according to a policy), the user **cannot** decrypt it. This is also reflected in the **Decrypt** context menu option being unavailable (grayed out), even if allowed in the policy. Depending on the amount of data to decrypt, there may be a bar stating the progress of the decryption. At the end of the decryption, a dialog is presented telling the result of the decryption. In some cases, the product may fail to decrypt some documents in a folder. **Typically, this is because the document is opened by another application.** For example, if encrypting a text document while having the document open for editing, the decryption will fail. The application must first be closed and then re-decrypting the document using the right-click operation.

Also be aware that a document may be "opened" by an application, even without the user knowing it. For example the automatic anti-virus scanning process also opens documents for virus scanning and then automatically closes the documents when the scanning has finished. If there is a coincidence that a document is scanned for viruses at the time when the user tries to decrypt it, the decryption will fail. The user then has to redo the decryption. Typically, this may be done within a few seconds.

Search encrypted...

This option is only available when right-clicking a folder, or the Windows **Start** button. When selected, a search dialog opens up that allows the user to specify the search.

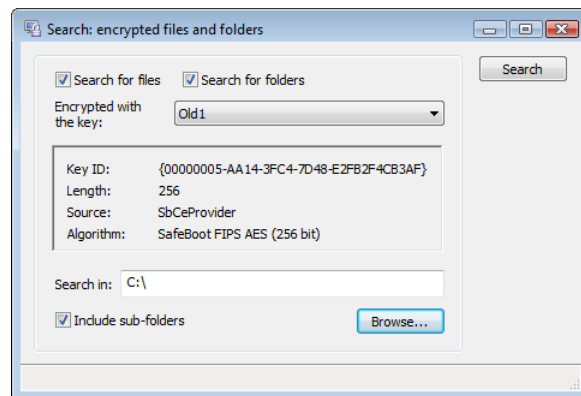


Figure 36: Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders– Search dialog

Specify the parameters for the search, e.g. search for all files and folders encrypted with a particular key (or <any key>) on this location. When ready, select **Search** to launch the search. As the search progresses, matching objects found will be displayed in a list.

Once the search is complete, the objects found may be marked with `Ctrl-A` and then any action can be performed on them, e.g. right-click and select **Decrypt**.

This operation is very helpful before uninstalling Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders from a computer. As no data is decrypted when uninstalling the client, any encrypted data must first be decrypted. To find this data, the **Search encrypted...** function is the tool to use.

Create Self-Extractor

This option allows the user to create a special package of a file or folder, namely a self-extracting package that is encrypted with a password (as specified in PKCS#5). This package may be stored on portable media and then opened on other systems by simply providing the password used to encrypt the file/folder. Or, it may be attached to an e-mail (in a *.cab format) and sent to a recipient that does not have Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installed. For both cases, there is a corresponding option in the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders context menu.

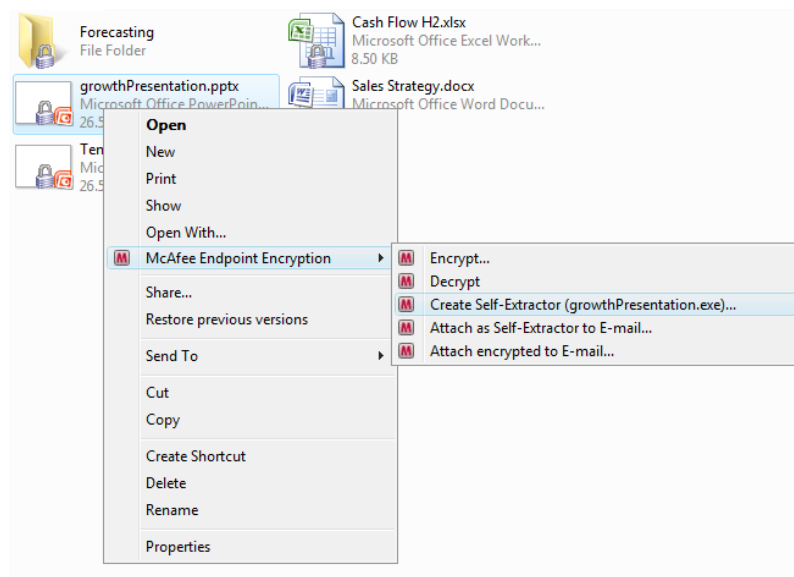


Figure 37: Create Self-extractor context menu option

Create Self-Extractor ({filename}.exe...)

This option creates an encrypted self-extracting file (*.exe) of whatever file or folder is selected. Note the source file/folder will remain intact on disk, only a copy of the file/folder is transformed into a self-extractor, irrespective of if it is encrypted or not.

Once selected, the user is asked to provide details to the self-extracting file:

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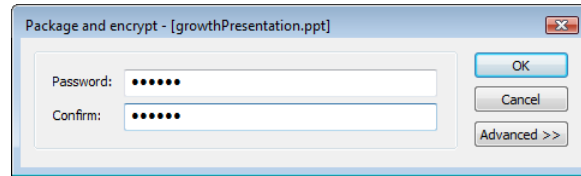


Figure 38: Entering encryption password for self-extracting file

In essence, only the password used to encrypt the self-extracting file needs to be entered. As an option, the user may specify where to save the self-extracting file. The default location is the same as the location of the source file/folder. Also, the user may change the name of the self-extracting file. By default, the self-extracting file is named as its source file/folder with the *.exe extension.

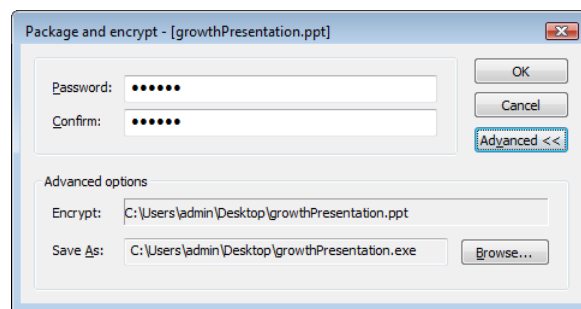


Figure 39: Selecting storage location for the self-extracting file

The user may browse for a suitable storage location, e.g. a USB memory stick attached to the computer, by clicking **Browse**.

When finished, the user clicks **OK**, whereby the self-extracting file is created. The self-extracting file has the following icon:



Figure 40: Example of self-extracting file

The extra options may be hidden/displayed by clicking the **Advanced** button.

Attach as Self-Extractor to E-mail...

When selecting this option, the self-extractor is automatically packaged into a *.cab (cabinet) file and attached to a new e-mail. By simply calling Windows to create a new e-mail with the self-extractor *.cab attachment, using whatever default e-mail client is installed, there is automatic support for all e-mail clients.

The self-extractor is packaged into a *.cab file as these are widely recognized in most computer environments and the likelihood to pass e-mail virus scanners increases. Otherwise, the plain *.exe is most likely to be blocked. However, proactive e-mail virus scanners may very well block also the *.cab file as they detect an *.exe hidden in the cabinet file. Thus, it may happen that e-mails sent with *.cab self-extractor attachments are blocked.

Before creating the self-extractor *.cab package and attaching it to a new e-mail, the user is asked to provide a password to be used to encrypt the self-extractor.

By clicking **OK**, the self-extractor is packed into a *.cab file and then attached to a new e-mail ready to be sent.

Opening a Self-Extractor

For any of the two creation scenarios described above, opening and viewing the self-extractor is done in the same manner. For e-mail attachments, however, the self-extractor file must first be unpacked from the *.cab file. The user then just double-clicks the Self-Extractor file. The user will then be prompted for the password used to create and encrypt the self-extracting file. Thus, the creator of this file must submit the password to the recipient of the file in a secure manner.

By default, after typing the correct password the content of the Self-Extractor will open up automatically in the associated application. However, the **content won't be automatically saved to disk**. When the user closes the application that opened up the unpacked Self-Extractor content, the unpacked content will be wiped from the disk. If the user instead wants to save the Self-Extractor content to disk, the **Advanced >>** button must be selected.

This opens up an extra dialog where the user may select what to do with the unpacked and decrypted Self-Extractor.

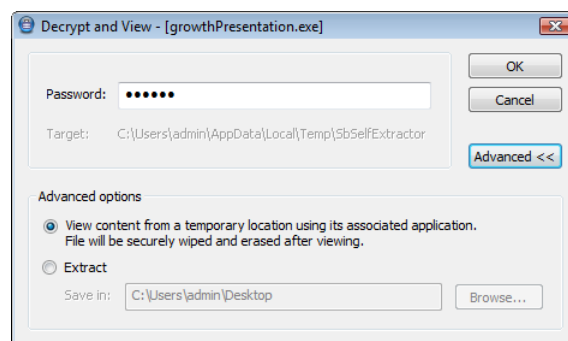


Figure 41: Selecting what to do with the content of the Self-Extractor

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By default, the **open-close-wipe** option is selected. If the **Extract** option is selected instead, the user may select where to permanently save the unpacked and decrypted Self-Extractor. The user may browse for a suitable location with the **Browse** button.

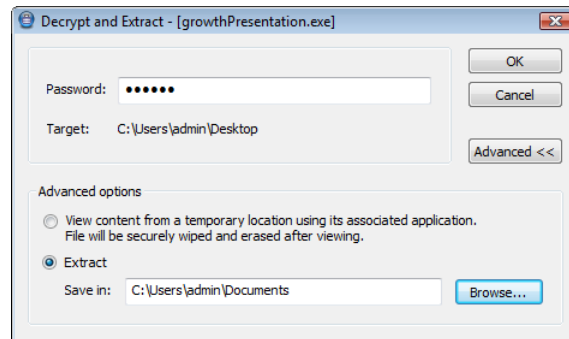


Figure 42: Selecting storage location for the unpacked Self-Extractor

Self-Extractors may be read on any computer running Windows 2000 and later. There is no need to have the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client installed. Nor is there any need to have local administrator rights in order to open a Self-Extractor.

NOTE: If a file is encrypted with Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders - when creating a self-extracting file, the copy of the file being placed in the self-extractor will be decrypted. However, the self-extractor is itself encrypted (by the password selected by the user). Also, only the copy of the source file used for the self-extractor is decrypted, **not** the source file/folder.

CAUTION: When opening the files in the self-extractor, i.e. the “regular” files, with the default applications, e.g. MS Word™, temporary files and working copies may be created from the “regular” files. These file copies contain traces of the content of the file in the self-extractor. Thus, deleting the self-extracting file and any extracted file may not be sufficient from a security perspective, should the self-extractor contain sensitive information. In addition, traces of any file opened on the computer may be found in the system’s pagefile. Thus, make sure to advise your users to be careful on what computers the self-extracting files are “opened”; sensitive data may be left behind even though the self-extracting file and any extracted are “safely” deleted.

Attach encrypted to e-mail...

This option only appears when right-clicking files, **not** folders. It allows the user to send a particular document (plaintext or encrypted) in a protected way to a recipient that also has Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installed. The option creates a special encrypted format of the document and attaches it automatically to an e-mail that you can send. The recipient must have Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installed and also have access to the encryption key used when creating the encrypted attachment, i.e. either having a connection to the Endpoint Encryption database hosting the key or having shared a user local encryption key.

NOTE: If you attach an encrypted document to an e-mail without using the **Encrypt and E-mail...** function, the document will be attached in plaintext even if the document is encrypted on disk. The source document will still be encrypted, but the copy created as an attachment will be in plaintext and the recipient will receive it in plaintext. If you want the “standard” encryption to remain in the attached file, you need to set the e-mail application as an Exempted Processes.

CAUTION: Please observe the following regarding this option: First, in order to have **Encrypt and E-mail...** available in the context menu, it must first be enabled in the user's policy. Second, this option will only be visible when right-clicking a file, i.e. unlike the Self-Extractors, **not** on folders.

The following is a step-by-step instruction to the user how to send a document as an encrypted e-mail attachment.

Creating and sending the attachment

Select document

Select the document that shall be sent as an encrypted attachment by right-clicking it and select **Attach encrypted to E-Mail...** from the menu that appears.

CAUTION: The decision to send a particular document as an encrypted attachment is done **outside the e-mail application**. The **Attach encrypted to E-Mail...** operation is selected directly on the document and not from within the e-mail application. The encrypted attachment will then automatically be attached to whatever e-mail application is used in a new e-mail.

Select encryption key

The dialog that opens up will ask for a selection of encryption key for the attachment.

If the document is already encrypted, it is possible to proceed by clicking **OK**.

However, in that case the recipient must also have the key the document is already encrypted with.

If the document was not already encrypted, the user cannot click **OK** until an encryption key is selected from the list of available keys.

Select the encryption key to use for the attachment and then click **OK** to continue.

Authenticate and Send

Depending on whether the selected key is loaded or not, the user may be prompted to authenticate before proceeding. Once the attachment is created and encrypted, it will automatically be attached to a new e-mail that is created. The user then fills in the rest of the e-mail and sends it.

Reading the attachment

For the recipient to read the attachment, first assure that Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is installed and that the user can access the encryption key used to encrypt the attachment.

Then the recipient simply double-clicks the attachment and it will open in its correct application. If the key used to encrypt the attachment is not available, the recipient must first authenticate.

The user may read the attachment and save it in an encrypted state.

Identifying encrypted files and folders

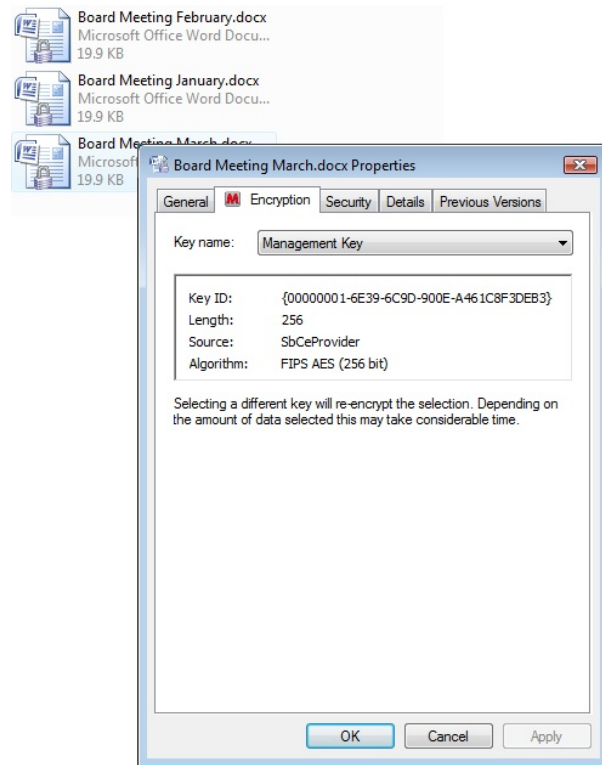


Figure 43: Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders – Identify Encrypted Files

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders can add a padlock icon to the file icon of encrypted files and folders. This is an optional policy setting, **Enable padlock icon visibility**. You can find out more about Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders policies in *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Policies* of this guide.

Users may right-click files to find more information about their encryption by viewing the **Properties** of the file. An extra tab **Encryption** is also visible.

It is also possible to enable an **Encryption** column to the Windows Explorer detailed file listing view. This column is enabled as other detail columns are enabled in Windows Explorer.

Accessing encrypted files



Figure 44: Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders authentication

To access encrypted information, users simply open the files as they would normally. If the files are encrypted, users will be presented with a Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders authentication screen as above.

If the user has a correct personal ID and password, and the users account has been assigned to the key used to protect the files then they will be able to access them.

The first time encrypted data is accessed Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders communicates over TCP/IP with a Endpoint Encryption Server, and downloads a copy of the encryption key used to protect the data. Encryption keys may be cached locally, so a connection to the Endpoint Encryption Server is not required when the key is needed again. Other keys can **only** be used online, and a connection to the Endpoint Encryption Server is needed each time a key is required.

You can find out more about Keys in the *About Encryption keys* chapter of this guide.

To summarize the access restrictions for encrypted data:

1. The user must have valid Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders credentials.
2. The user's Endpoint Encryption account must be allocated to the key used to encrypt the data.
3. The key must be cached locally, or a connection must be possible to the Endpoint Encryption Server.

NOTE: With Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders it is important to remember that the files are **not** encrypted with a user id and password, they are encrypted with a centrally controlled key, or a user locally generated key. Access to the data is only possible if the user can successfully authenticate to access the key.

The .cekey file

When encrypting folders, either manually using the **Encrypt** option or when encrypted automatically following a centrally defined folder encryption policy, a small file named .cekey is written to the folder.

This file basically only contains information about what key shall be used to encrypt the files stored in that particular folder. It contains the KeyID, **not** the key itself.

The file is protected by the system with the System and Hidden file attributes. Moreover, the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders driver locks the file such that it cannot be manipulated or deleted. This makes it highly tamper resistant.

If the .cekey file were to be deleted or manipulated, the encryption policy for the folder hosting the file would be disabled, thus posing a security threat.

As long as Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is installed on the client computer, the .cekey file cannot be manipulated in anyway.

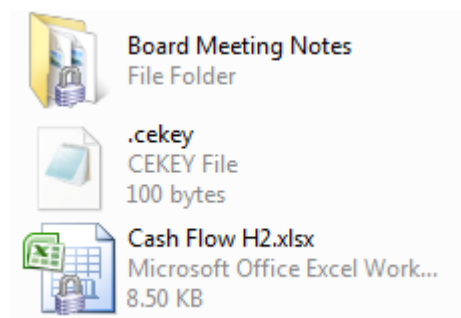


Figure 45: Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders– the .cekey file in encrypted folders

Some client characteristics

This section outlines characteristics of the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client that are important for an administrator of the system.

Inaccessible folders

If the user is not assigned to the key used to encrypt a folder, then the user cannot list (view) the content of that folder as long as Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is installed. If the user is assigned to the key, then it is possible to list the content of folders encrypted with that key.

This behavior is subject to a policy setting (*Require authentication for listing of encrypted folders*) – see the *Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Policies* chapter for policy details.

Follow target

When a file that is encrypted with key A, for example, and is moved to a folder where files are encrypted with key B, then the file encrypted with key A will immediately be re-encrypted with key B. This behavior, known as *follow-target-encryption* requires that the user (process) transferring the file has access to both key A and key B, since the file is first decrypted (with key A) and then instantly re-encrypted (with key B). This operation takes place instantly when the file is placed in the folder encrypted with key B.

Process sbceCore.exe automatically restarts

The process `SbCeCore.EXE` is the main process that manages the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client. If the user manages to kill this process, thereby attempting to deviate from the assigned encryption policy, the user will automatically restart.

In previous versions of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders, this process was protected from being killed. However, such protection is not allowed on the Microsoft® Vista™ operating system. Hence, alterations have been done such that if killed, it will instantaneously restart. The automatic restart cannot be disabled.

Client Registry controls

This section outlines some of the changes that may be made in the Registry of the client machine in order to change the behavior of the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client.

NOTE: As for all client Registry changes, it is recommended that they are carried out by an authorized system administrator and not by the end-user themselves

Controlling the authentication result dialog

If the authentication to the central database fails, a message can be displayed to the end user. This will notify the user that there was no connection to the central database, but the authentication instead happened towards the user's local database. The message dialog is disabled by default but can be enabled by configuring the `SbC4.INI` file, located in the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders program directory, a subfolder called Data:

- **Windows 2000/XP:** [SYSDRIVE:\Program Files\McAfee\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders\Data]
- **Windows Vista:** [SYSDRIVE:\Program Data\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders\Data]

Add the following entries to the `SbC4.INI` file to enable the messages:

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```
[Options.Logon]
```

```
Manual.ShowFailedRemoteConnect=Yes
```

```
RequestKey.ShowFailedRemoteConnect=Yes
```

The first entry `Manual.ShowFailedRemoteConnect` controls the result message display when the authentication was initiated through a manual **Synchronize** by the user. A parameter of "No" will display no message.

The second entry `RequestKey.ShowFailedRemoteConnect` controls the result message display when the authentication was triggered by a key request (user trying to access encrypted file). A parameter of "No" will display no message.

Once the file has been edited, a copy of the edited `sbc4.ini` file with the entries must be made to the parent folder in order for the changes to take effect:

- **Windows 2000/XP:** [SYSDRIVE:\Program Data\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders\Data]
- **Windows Vista:** [SYSDRIVE:\Program Data\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders\Data]

Pre/Post-install authentication message alterations

By default, the authentication result is disabled and the options controlling the message display in the `sbc4.INI` file are blank. The INI file is created automatically after the installation and first successful Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders authentication. Hence, the additions have to be added manually after the client install.

However, there is a way to include the additions into an installation set, i.e. prior to any deployment:

1. Create a new TXT file named `SbC4.TXT`
2. Open the text file and add the following text:

```
[Options.Logon]

Manual.ShowFailedRemoteConnect=Yes

RequestKey.ShowFailedRemoteConnect=Yes
```
3. Save the changes and close the text editor.
4. Change the TXT extension to INI, ignore any system warning. The file created in step (1) shall now have a name of `SbC4.INI`
5. Open the Endpoint Encryption Manager and locate the **Endpoint Encryption File Groups (System tab)**.
6. Expand the file group containing the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client files.
7. Right-click the content of this file group and select **Import files...**

8. Browse for the sbc4.INI file from step (4) and finish the import.
9. Create and deploy a new Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Installation Set. This Install Set will now contain a sbc4.INI file with the settings needed to show the authentication result dialog.

Likewise, any file/software distribution tool may be used to deploy this individual sbc4.INI file containing the above entries only to the correct directory:

- **Windows 2000/XP:** [SYSDRIVE:\Program Files\McAfee\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders]
- **Windows Vista:** [SYSDRIVE:\Program Data\McAfee\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders]

Utilities for Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders

This chapter describes the various utilities that may be used together with Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders.

Troubleshooting utilities

There are two tracing utilities that may be used for troubleshooting Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders:

- SbCE.log
- sbceCoreTrace

The SbCE.log utility

Description

This log reveals what the key provider and the authentication dialogs are doing, not the low-level transactions traced by the utility described next.

Where to find it

The SbCE.log is enabled by editing the `sbc4.ini` file in the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders program directory.

- **On Windows 2000/XP:** [SYSDRIVE:\Program Files\McAfee\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders]
- **On Windows Vista:** [SYSDRIVE:\Program Data\McAfee\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders]

You will need to create this file by making a copy of it from the `sbc4.ini` file stored in the subdirectory `\Data`.

How to use "SbCE.log"

Add:

```
[Debug]
```

```
Trace=1
```

to the `sbc4.ini` file in the `\Data` directory. Then copy the file to the parent directory. The log will be output to the `SbCE.log` file in the same directory.

When to use SbCE.log

Authentication problems

- Communication between the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client and the database
- Tokens problems
- Key retrieval from database and key loading
- Send the log file to your McAfee representative for further analysis.

Kernel and User traces

Description

This utility contains two logging functions, tracing what happens in the User Mode and the Driver component of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders respectively. The utility logs all the activities in each component such that it detect what happens at a certain occasions, e.g. if a module malfunctions.

As the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders driver is extensively involved in all file I/O transactions of the client system, the Kernel trace log grows large very quickly. Thus, before using the Kernel Tracing mode, the problem being traced must be as close as possible to 100% reproducible. Then activate the Kernel Tracing, as per the instructions below; try to reproduce the problem immediately and then disable Kernel Tracing as soon as the problem has been reproduced.

The User Mode trace file does not grow as fast as the Kernel tracing, yet the same procedure as for Kernel tracing should be followed in order to keep all logs as small as possible, therefore reducing the amount of trace information not related to the issue being reproduced.

The utility creates one log for Kernel tracing and one for User Mode tracing, depending on what tracing is enabled (see steps below). Any trace file being generated should be sent to your McAfee representative for further analysis.

Where to find it

This utility is built into the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client. Hence, it comes as a part of any deployed client.

Instructions

To create a coreTrace log, you should use the SbCeShell.com (command line version) or SbCeShell.exe (Windows version) utility in the CE 3 [Program Files] directory.

To enable tracing, run the following commands from a command prompt when in the CE 3 [Program Files] directory on the client:

1. SbCeShell -enable_user_mode_trace

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2. `SbCeShell -use_full_driver_trace`
3. `SbCeShell -enable_driver_trace <{complete path}\trace file name>`
4. Perform the operation you want to log
5. `SbCeShell -disable_driver_trace`
6. `SbCeShell -disable_user_mode_trace`

Zip the two output files and send them to your McAfee representative for analysis. The output files are:

- the driver trace file specified in step 3, and
- the user mode trace file called `TraceFile.sb` that is located in the users temp folder (complete path is displayed in step 1).

The Windows built-in dump file

Description

This utility is actually not part of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders, but a built-in function in Windows (XP and Vista). Thus, it is only available on these platforms, not any earlier versions of Windows. The utility is activated from within Windows. When enabled, it generates a dump file that contains important data about the system status, as it was when the error occurred. It also may give important clues about the error itself.

Where to find it

This utility comes as a part of the Windows XP and Vista operating systems.

Instructions

The utility is activated as follows:

- Start the Windows Control Panel
- Select the **System** option
 - **On XP:** Click the **Advanced** tab
 - **On Vista:** Select **Advanced system settings**
- Select **Settings** in the **Startup and Recovery** section

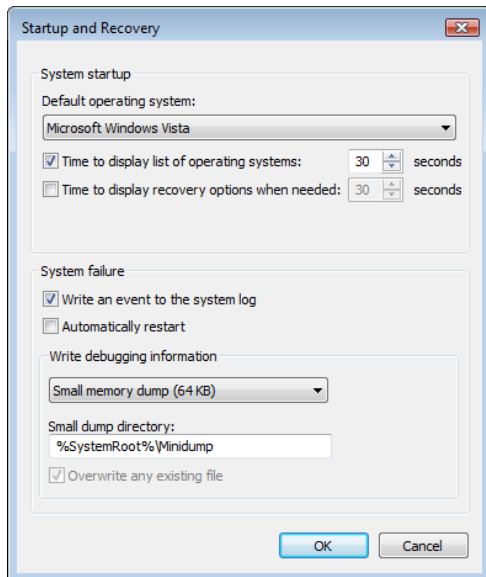


Figure 46: Windows dialog for mini-dump file

- In the section named **Write debugging information**, enable the dump file utility by selecting the appropriate dump file to be generated from the drop-down menu.

There are three types of dump files that Windows can generate:

- Small memory dump
- Kernel memory dump
- Complete memory dump

Small memory dump

The Small memory dump often provides clues on what program module generated the error. Also, it is quite small and thus handy to send as an e-mail attachment.

However, it only provides an indication of why and where the problem occurred. The really interesting details are not included. Nevertheless, the “Small” dump will reveal if the error is because of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders.

Kernel memory dump

The Kernel memory dump option generates a dump file that is actually best suited for Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders investigations. Thus, try using this option when creating a dump file that may be because of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders.

Complete memory dump

The Complete memory dump is the ideal dump from an error investigation perspective as it provides a complete dump of the system RAM. Thus, it will be equal to the size of the RAM of the machine, i.e. very large on modern computers.

All dump files may be considerably compressed. Please do this before sending them to your McAfee representative for further analysis.

Also, this utility works the best if a debug version of the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client is installed. Please contact your McAfee representative for details how this version may be obtained.

Used for problems related to

System failures, system stop errors

User mode process debugging utilities

The Windows Debug Diagnostics tool (Vista and XP only)

The Windows Debug Diagnostics tool is a tool designed to help troubleshoot performance issues in any Win32 user-mode process. For example, the Debug Diagnostics 1.1 tool can help you troubleshoot an application that stops responding (hangs) or crashes, performs slowly or exhibits any other abnormal behavior, e.g. explorer.exe or SbCeCore.exe. The tool, once executed, generates an application dump that contains valuable information for analyzing the cause of the abnormal behavior. The tool is only available for Windows XP and Windows Vista. For process debugging under Windows 2000, please see *The NTSD User Mode Process debugger (Windows 2000 only)* section later in this chapter.

Where to find it

The tool is built into Windows Vista and is available as a stand-alone tool for Windows XP.

For Windows XP, the tool and the associated instructions are available at:

<http://www.microsoft.com/downloadS/details.aspx?FamilyID=28bd5941-c458-46f1-b24d-f60151d875a3&displaylang=en>

Instructions/syntax - Windows Vista

Crashing applications

Whenever an application crashes on Vista, a process minidump is automatically created in [%SystemRoot%\Minidump]. Retrieve the correct Process Minidump and submit to Support for further processing.

Hanging applications

Open the **Task Manager** and identify the frozen process that needs to be monitored. Right-click the process and select **Create dump** from the context menu. This will generate a full memory dump file, in the directory stated above.

Instructions/syntax - Windows XP

Crashing applications

Follow the **Process crash instructions** provided on the download site:

<http://www.microsoft.com/downloadS/details.aspx?FamilyID=28bd5941-c458-46f1-b24d-f60151d875a3&displaylang=en>

Hanging applications

Follow the **Process Hangs** instructions provided on the download site:

<http://www.microsoft.com/downloadS/details.aspx?FamilyID=28bd5941-c458-46f1-b24d-f60151d875a3&displaylang=en>

In all of the above cases, send the generated dump reports to Support for further processing.

The NTSD User Mode Process debugger (Windows 2000 only)

The NTSD user mode process debugger is not a utility that comes with Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders. Instead, it is a built-in debugger utility in the Windows Vista, XP, Windows 2000 and Windows Server 2003 platforms.

The awareness of this utility is quite low, but it is a very useful utility for debugging issues that occur in user mode processes. Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders has one key user mode process: SBCECore.EXE. If this process terminates unexpectedly, the NTSD debugger may provide important clues.

Where to find it

It comes as a part of all modern Microsoft® Windows® operating systems.

Instructions/syntax

1. Log on to the computer where SBCECore.exe crashes.
2. Click on the Windows **Start** menu and select **Run...**
3. Type: `ntsd -g -G "C:\Program Files\ McAfee\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders\SBCECore.exe`
4. (Change the path to the one that corresponds to your Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders program directory)
5. Press enter and a command prompt window will appear.

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6. Wait until SBCECore.exe crashes. To know when this happens, you should look into the command prompt window. When it has crashed you should see a prompt looking like: 0:006>
 7. Type the following five commands in the command prompt window and hit enter between them (observe the dot in the beginning of logopen and logclose):
 - 1).logopen sbcedbgtrace.txt
 - 2) g
 - 3) kb
 - 4) .logclose
 - 5) q
 8. The window should now have been closed by the last command
 9. Click on the **Start** menu and select **Run...**
 10. Type: cmd
 11. Press enter and a new command prompt window will appear
 12. In the new command prompt window, type: dir
- You should now see a file called sbcedbgtrace.txt
13. Send that file to your McAfee support representative for further analysis.

Command line file operation utilities

File copy with retained encryption SbCeShell.com/.exe

The SbCeShell utility contains a function to make a blind (raw) copy of an encrypted file from a command prompt, to a target location without decrypting the file. This copy function may be useful for scripted back-up operations.

Where to find it

The utility comes as a part of the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client. Once the client has been installed, the utility is ready to use.

Instructions/syntax

1. Open a command prompt and step to the Program Files directory for Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders, normally: [SYSDRIVE:\Program Files\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders]
2. Run the command >SbCeShell -blind_copy <source> <destination>

Where source must be a path to a file, either complete or relative, and destination must be either a path to an existing folder, either complete or relative, or, a complete path to a non existing destination file.

When to use it

This "blind copy" feature of `SbCeShell` is well suited for scripted back-up operations where the back-up shall stay encrypted and the back-up runs when the user is not present at the machine.

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The Forced Logon

When Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is installed on the client computer and the computer has restarted, the user logging on to Windows may be forced to perform a Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders logon (authentication), depending on the corresponding policy setting. If forced, it means that the user cannot cancel or bypass it. The authentication dialog will persist.

The forced logon is enabled in all policies by default and must be disabled **prior to creating the corresponding install set** for the disabling to have effect; the reason being that the client won't synchronize until after the first logon. Thus, if you want to disable this setting, it has to accompany the install set, i.e. the install set must be **created based on the particular policy** containing this setting (disabled forced logon).

NOTE: If you are running Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders together with Endpoint Encryption for PC it is possible to configure the system such that the logon to Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is automatically based on the authentication done in Endpoint Encryption for PC. With this configuration, the user will not see the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders logon once authenticated to Endpoint Encryption for PC. Please see the *General* section of this document for more information.

Also, be aware that if any protected file is accessed, a logon will always appear but it will be possible to cancel this logon.

Authentication desktop view switching

By default, the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders logon dialog appears on a separate desktop view. It is possible to configure if the desktop view switching shall occur or not by making changes to an INI file.

The configuration file controlling the desktop view switching is the `sbc4.ini` file, located in the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders program directory, a subfolder called `Data`:

- **Windows 2000/XP:** [SYSDRIVE:\Program Files\ McAfee\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders\Data]
- **Windows Vista:** [SYSDRIVE:\Program Data\ McAfee\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders\Data]

Using the **user's standard desktop view** instead is accomplished by adding the following entries to the `sbc4.ini` file:


```
[Options.Logon]
```

```
Manual.Force.UsePrivateDesktop=No
```

```
Manual.UsePrivateDesktop=No
```

```
RequestKey.UsePrivateDesktop=No
```

The first entry `Manual.Force.UsePrivateDesktop` controls the desktop switching when there is a forced logon after the first installation of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders. If the option is set to **No** – the logon dialog box will sit over your current desktop view. If the option is set to **Yes** a private desktop (your current desktop image excluding the icons and taskbar) will appear with the dialog box.

The second entry `Manual.UsePrivateDesktop` controls the switching when the user manually triggers a **Synchronize** from the tray icon menu. If the option is set to **No** – the logon dialog box will sit over your current desktop view. If the option is set to **Yes** a private desktop (your current desktop image excluding the icons and taskbar) will appear with the dialog box.

The last entry `RequestKey.UsePrivateDesktop` controls the desktop switching when there is an authentication dialog triggered based on accessing encrypted data and the encryption key is not loaded, i.e. a regular user authentication when accessing encrypted data. If the option is set to **No** – the logon dialog box will sit over your current desktop view. If the option is set to “Yes” a private desktop (your current desktop image excluding the icons and taskbar) will appear with the dialog box.

Once the file has been edited, a copy of the edited `sbc4.ini` file with the entries must be made to the parent folder in order for the changes to take effect:

- **Windows 2000/XP:** [SYSDRIVE:\Program Files\McAfee\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders]
- **Windows Vista:** [SYSDRIVE:\Program Data\McAfee\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders\]

Post-install Desktop view switching alterations

By default, the desktop view switching is enabled and the options controlling the switching in the `sbc4.INI` file are blank. The INI file is created automatically after the installation and first successful Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders authentication. Hence, the additions have to be added manually after the client install.

However, there is a way to include the additions into an installation set:

1. Create a new TXT file named `sbc4`
2. Open the text file and add the following text:

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```
[Options.Logon]
Manual.UsePrivateDesktop=No
RequestKey.UsePrivateDesktop=No
Manual.Force.UsePrivateDesktop=No
```

3. Save the changes and close the text editor.
4. Change the TXT extension to INI, ignore any system warning. The file created in step (1) shall now have a name of Sbc4.INI
5. Open the Endpoint Encryption Manager and locate the **Endpoint Encryption File Groups (System)** tab).
6. Expand the file group containing the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client files.
7. Right-click the content of this file group and select **Import files...**
8. Browse for the Sbc4.INI file from step (4) and finish the import.
9. Create and deploy a new Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Installation Set. This Set will now contain an Sbc4.INI file with the settings needed to disable the desktop switching.

Likewise, any file/software distribution tool may be used to deploy this individual Sbc4.INI file containing the above entries only to the correct directory:

- **Windows 2000/XP:** [SYSDRIVE:\Program Files\McAfee\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders]
- **Windows Vista:** [SYSDRIVE:\Program Data\McAfee\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders]

Large-scale deployment considerations

This chapter briefly outlines some recommendations for large scale deployments of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders. These are just general recommendations. For your particular environment additional recommendations may apply. Please consult your Endpoint Encryption representative if you have special considerations for your environment.

The definition of a large-scale installation is any deployment with 1000 users and above.

First-time logon

If many clients are deployed simultaneously and the systems are re-started such that the clients all try to contact the database at the same time (e.g. due to the forced logon) the response times may be quite long.

The reason for this is that for each user authenticating to the central database (i.e. doing a logon), the directory infrastructure performs a name-to-id lookup. This involves trawling the object directory to find the user object with a name attribute which matches the one requested. Also, when a new object is created, a trawl of the entire database is initiated to check that the new (e.g.) user is unique.

To remedy this situation, it is strongly recommended that name indexing is enabled in the central object directory, see the next section for details.

Enable database name indexing

This operation significantly improves the response time when the clients communicate with the Endpoint Encryption object directory. The name index creates a shortcut to the name-to-ID lookup by periodically creating indexes of the name/id attributes of all objects in the directory.

For further details about name indexing, please consult the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide*.

The following configuration values (in the file `dbcfg.ini`) are recommended:

```
[NameIndex]
Enabled=Yes
LockTimeout=3000
LockSleep=10
HashCount=32
MinEntrySize=16
LifeTime=0
```

Large-scale deployment considerations

Make sure you have performed the name indexing before you start deploying your clients. The recommendation is to first deploy one single client and then perform a logon to the database. This single logon will initiate the name indexing to start and after that the remaining clients can be deployed.

NOTE: Name indexing is **not** the same as database compression. Compression of the object directory is not recognized to render any performance improvements for Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders and, thus, not recommended. Consequently, the parameters for [Attribs] and [Tracking] of the dbcfg.ini file shall be disabled. Also, there is no need to set any values for the [idassignments] in the dbcfg.ini file.

Key caching

If possible, try to make use of the encryption key caching feature. This may be impossible due to security reasons. However, considering this option for any encryption key created will help reduce the communication payload on the Endpoint Encryption Server.

Avoid other "9 a.m." database payloads

If possible, try to avoid other payloads on the machine hosting the Endpoint Encryption object directory and the Endpoint Encryption Servers.

Examples of such extra payloads are object directory backups and Endpoint Encryption for PC synchronizations.

For directory backups, please consider a scheduling later during the day.

For Endpoint Encryption for PC synchronizations, please consider using the synchronization delay options. See the *Endpoint Encryption for PC – Administrators' Guide* for details.

Exclude from antivirus real-time scanning

If you happen to have anti-virus software on the computer hosting the central object directory and the Endpoint Encryption communication servers, consider excluding the following process and directory from real-time scanning (if possible and allowed by your anti-virus policy):

- **Process:** SbdbServer.exe
- **Directory:** [SYSDRIVE:\Program Files\SBAdmin]

This will dramatically improve the response times in the communication between the client and the server.

Tune encryption intensity for network

When encrypting large folders on a network share through a policy, it is strongly recommended to tune the network encryption intensity. The following values are advised:

- I/O Utilization: 30% (Set in **Encryption options** policy section)
- Bandwidth limit: 100 KB/sec. (Set in **Network** policy section)
- Network latency: 600 ms. (Set in **Network** policy section)
- Maximum number of clients to encrypt folders: 10

You also may want to consider limiting the size of the files to be encrypted (Set in the **Encryption options**). This is not critical, however.

Explicitly encrypt large shares in advance

For large network folders that shall be encrypted, rather than having the folders encrypted through a folder encryption policy, consider a manual (explicit) encrypt of the network folder(s) in advance, from one machine with Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders deployed.

Initiate the encryption from this single machine, after logging on with an appropriate Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders user, and then let the encryption run, say, maybe overnight.

The reason is to avoid extreme payload on the file server(s) from many clients seeking to 1. Enumerate, 2. Fetch 3. Encrypt and 4. Upload files to/from the server(s). By doing this, the risk of network failure and file server payload overflow is minimized.

Dedicated machine

If possible, consider using a dedicated machine for hosting of your central object directory and the Endpoint Encryption communication servers. This will help eliminate disturbances from other applications consuming RAM, CPU and HDD I/O.

When considering using a dedicated machine, the following three hardware parameters are of foremost importance:

- Fast hard disk drive
- Plenty of RAM (preferably 1 GB or more)
- High-speed network cards / 100 Mbps+ network connection

Exclude Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client program directory

Irrespective of what antivirus solution is used on the clients, it is recommended to exclude the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders program directory from real-time antivirus scanning.

By default, the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders program directory is:

- [SYSDRIVE]\Program Files\McAfee\Endpoint Encryption for Files&Folders

Typically, most antivirus solutions can be policy controlled to exclude certain directories from real-time scanning. Please consult the operating manuals for your antivirus solution for further details.

Tokens

This chapter addresses the different authentication tokens that are supported in Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders.

Passwords

The most common authentication token is the user password. There are a number of password quality restrictions that can be imposed on the Endpoint Encryption user from the Endpoint Encryption Manager, e.g. minimum length, content, change intervals etc. Please consult the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administrator's Guide* for details about user password quality restrictions.

For user local keys and Self-Extractors the same password rules apply as specified in the user's Endpoint Encryption password policy, i.e. the restrictions imposed on the user, in the Endpoint Encryption Manager, also apply for user local keys and Self-Extractor passwords.

USB tokens

The following USB authentication tokens are directly supported by Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders, i.e. without using the Generic PKI token (see below).

- Aladdin eToken 32 MB and 64 MB
- SafeNet iKey
- RSA SID800

The USB tokens can be used either with or without digital certificates for authentication.

The list of supported USB tokens is continuously updated. Please consult your Endpoint Encryption representative for the latest list of supported tokens.

With certificates (PKI)

If user digital certificates are used for authentication, it requires the use of a Endpoint Encryption Connector that imports the user certificates to the Endpoint Encryption database from an external certificate repository; it then associates them with each Endpoint Encryption user accordingly. Observe, as a side note, that the user group containing the users must be a non-controlled group and with the password token selected in order for the Connector to successfully set the user certificate as the token to use. For more information about setting up Connectors and importing user digital certificates, please consult the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide*.

When properly configured, the users can use the certificates on the supported USB authentication tokens to authenticate to Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders.

However, you may want to consider using the Generic PKI token instead when working with certificate based authentication in Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders, see more below.

Without certificates

The USB authentication tokens can also be used without digital certificates. If so, each token must pass a Endpoint Encryption Manager Console for proper configuration.

Also, each user must be set to use the corresponding token for authentication.

NOTE: When upgrading runtime environments (RTEs) for the Aladdin eTokens, be aware that there is incompatibility between the eToken RTE versions available in Endpoint Encryption. If you have an installed eToken RTE of 3.00 and want to upgrade Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders and the eToken RTE to 3.60, then you **must** first uninstall the existing Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client, restart the machine and then install the new version with the correct RTE.

USB token for user local keys

A special case related to USB tokens is the user local keys – these may be stored on any USB stick with memory capacity and are protected either with a password or a user imported certificate.

To begin with, unlike the previously mentioned USB tokens, the encryption key store for local user keys may be stored directly on the USB token. However, this requires the USB token to have a storage memory area that can be mapped by the PC. Typically, this is not the case with plain USB authentication tokens. Thus, for user local key stores on a USB drive involves the usage of a USB flash memory. These drives typically have a FAT formatted storage area that is mapped by the PC. Thus, the encryption key store for user local keys is not itself protected by any internal token structures or on-board cryptographic processor. However, they may be protected by a private key that corresponds to the user's digital certificate and that is protected by built-in security mechanisms on the card. This holds both for USB authentication tokens and smart cards.

Smart cards

Like with USB authentication tokens, smart cards can be used with or without digital certificates for authentication to Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders.

A number of smart cards are supported by Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders, both for PKI and non-PKI usage. For a list of directly supported cards, please consult your McAfee representative.

Also, for smart cards with certificates, you may want to try the Generic PKI token module available. Please see information below.

With certificates (PKI)

If user digital certificates are used for authentication, it requires the use of a Endpoint Encryption Connector that imports the user certificates to the Endpoint Encryption database from an external certificate repository and associates them with each Endpoint Encryption user accordingly. Observe, as a side note, that the user group containing the users must be a non-controlled group and with the password token selected in order for the Connector to successfully set the user certificate as the token to use. For more information about setting up Connectors and importing user digital certificates, please consult the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide*.

When properly configured, the users can use the certificates on the supported smart card to authenticate to Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders.

Without certificates

The smart card authentication tokens can also be used without digital certificates. If so, each card must pass a Endpoint Encryption Manager for proper configuration. Also, each user must be set to use the corresponding smart card for authentication.

Generic PKI token

The last added token support to Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders is the Generic PKI token module. The aim of this is to make the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders (and Management Centre) logon independent of whatever smart card is used, i.e. any smart card with a valid certificate can be used without any dedicated scripts or driver files.

However, the following criteria must all be met in order to have the Generic PKI token working:

Microsoft compliance

The certificates used together with the Generic PKI token need to be Microsoft compliant. Microsoft compliant certificates can be used for e.g. Windows smart card logon. If the certificate is not Microsoft compliant it will not work with the Generic PKI token.

Certificates in Endpoint Encryption database

The certificates must also be imported into the Endpoint Encryption database and assigned to each Endpoint Encryption user that will use the Generic PKI token as the authentication token to use. For certificate import from MS Active Directory, the

Endpoint Encryption Connector Manager G2 for Active Directory is necessary. For documentation about the Endpoint Encryption Connector Manager, please contact your McAfee representative.

Also, be mindful that the Generic PKI token only works with Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders and not any other Endpoint Encryption product, e.g. Endpoint Encryption for PC. Please see the documentation for other Endpoint Encryption products regarding token support for each.

In order to get the Generic PKI token to work, the CSP from the corresponding smart card manufacturer must be properly installed on the client side. Also, the exact name of the CSP must be known and entered into a configuration file in the Generic PKI token file group.

There is a separate White Paper that describes the Generic PKI token more in detail, e.g. what INI file to edit. Please contact your Endpoint Encryption representative to obtain this document.

Installation

This feature is installed by selecting the corresponding entry in the **Tokens** section when first installing the Endpoint Encryption central systems. If selected, there will be a file group in the subsequently created Endpoint Encryption database containing the Generic PKI token files. This file group will be available as an option when creating the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installation set. If you want your Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders clients to support the Generic PKI token, this file group must be included in the installation set.

The Generic PKI token requires the exact name of the CSP used on the client side to be known and entered into an INI file. It may make sense to create copies of the "Generic PKI token files" file group in the Endpoint Encryption database and edit the appropriate file in each group to correspond to the CSP it will support, e.g. you may have one **Generic PKI token files – RSA** file group and another file group called **Generic PKI token files – Siemens** for those deployments where a Siemens PKI token will be used.

As mentioned, for the Generic PKI token to work, the exact name of the third-party CSP must be entered into the `SbTokCSP.INI` file in the Generic PKI token file group, i.e. manually edit the INI file outside the database and then import (replace) the same file into the corresponding file group. Thus, if you have a Generic PKI token file group aimed at RSA tokens, edit the `SbTokCSP.INI` with the name of the RSA CSP and then import it to the file group **Generic PKI token files – RSA**. The edit of the

SbTokCSP.INI file must be done before creating any installation sets for Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders clients that shall use the Generic PKI token.

Installation steps

- When first installing the Endpoint Encryption central components, ensure that you select the **TOKEN: Generic PKI (CSP) Token files** file group when selecting the tokens to be supported in the Endpoint Encryption database. Also make sure you select the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders files.
- Finish the installation of the Endpoint Encryption database as you find appropriate. For details regarding installation of the Endpoint Encryption database, please consult the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide*, available from your Endpoint Encryption representative upon request.
- Configure the Endpoint Encryption Connectors and import user data and user certificates from the repository holding the certificates to be used with Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders. Make sure that the pre-requisites (stated above) are met. For configuration of Connectors, please consult the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administrator's Guide*, available from your McAfee representative upon request.
- Now, if you are not using the RSA SID800 token and the associated CSP, you need to edit the file called SbTokCSP.INI. First, create a text file called SbTokCSP.TXT outside the Endpoint Encryption Manager. Open the file and make the following entry:

```
[CSP]
```

```
Name="Exact name of the CSP"
```

- You need to replace the string within the quotation marks above with the name of the deployed CSP. For example, support for the RSA SID800 token and its CSP require the entry to look as follows:

```
[CSP]
```

```
Name=RSA Sign-on Manager CSP
```

- Then rename the file extension from SbTokCSP.TXT to SbTokCSP.INI, accept any warning presented.
- Now, in Endpoint Encryption Manager, open the file group named **TOKEN: Generic PKI (CSP) Token files** and delete the existing file SbTokCSP.INI. Then import the file you created outside the database containing the name of your CSP. Alternatively, create a copy of the file group with all files in it, name

it in accordance with what CSP is supported, e.g. **Generic PKI token files – Siemens** and import/replace the `SbTokCSP.INI` file. For a complete description of file group management within the Endpoint Encryption database, please consult the *Endpoint Encryption Manager Administration Guide*, available from your McAfee representative upon request.

- Then configure the Endpoint Encryption database for Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders to match your security policy, i.e. create and assign encryption keys and encryption policies. For guidance on configuration of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders, please see *the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Policies* section of this guide.
- When creating the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installation set, make sure that you also include the correct file group for **TOKEN: Generic PKI (CSP) Token files**, corresponding to the CSP you want to support with the Generic PKI token. Once the installation set has been created, it can be deployed to the machines and the Generic PKI token functionality will be automatically available.

If you have made all configurations correct, users may now use their PKI tokens with certificates to authenticate to Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders.

PIN caching

PIN caching is a concept that applies to plain USB authentication tokens such as smart cards. This is a mechanism that is implemented in some CSPs for (secure) storage of the user PIN. The user doesn't have to enter the PIN repeatedly in each operation that involves access to the authentication token.

If the PIN caching principle is implemented in the CSP being used, then Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders can benefit from that feature, making it less stressful for the user to authenticate with the PIN as soon as there is a request to access the token.

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Configuration Files

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders uses several .INI files to maintain information about the configuration of various components. Some of the more important files are listed here.

SbErrors.ini

This file is used to increase the detail available in on-screen error messages. You can add further descriptions to errors by amending this file.

SbFeatur.ini

This file controls the feature set available to Endpoint Encryption. This file is digitally signed by the McAfee team and must not be modified.

SDMCFG.ini

This file is used by the Endpoint Encryption Client to control the connection to the Object Directory. There may be many connections listed in the file, the multi-connection behavior is controlled through `scm.ini`.

[Databases]

Database1=192.168.20.57

[Database1]
Description=SB-HP-Vista
IsLocal=No
Authenticate=Yes
Port=5555

ServerKey=...

ExtraInfo=...

The IP address for the remote server. This can be a DNS name.

The public key for the remote Server. This is used to stop a hacker putting a rogue server in place and intercepting the traffic.

Padding for the server key.

SbC4.ini

This file contains the configuration settings for the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client.

SBM.ini

This is the configuration file for Endpoint Encryption authentication tokens, readers and algorithms. Typically, this file is automatically generated and populated when selecting tokens and reader file during the creation of the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders installation set.

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Program and Driver Files

EXE files

SBCESETUP

SBCESetup.exe is the core executable in Endpoint Encryption's packaging mechanism. It is used as an exe stub for the install package, and also handles the uninstall process. Setup takes one parameter `-Uninstall` which prompts it to walk through `sbfiles.lst`, deleting files (or marking them for deletion if they are in use) and reversing registry settings. Setup also re-runs any installation executables with the `-Uninstall` flag to remove programs. The order of removal is reverse to the install, i.e. Installation executables, registry settings, then lastly files.

SbCeCore

This is the client core service running in User mode. It starts all the managers and acts as the coordinator for Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders activities in User mode. In order to prevent users from working without encryption, this process cannot be killed in the Windows Task Manager.

SBCECoreService

This is the client core service running in System mode. It acts as the coordinator for Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders activities in System mode.

DLL files

SbAlg, SbAlg00, SbAlg01, SbAlg12

These are the cryptographic support for communications with the Endpoint Encryption Manager and the implementation of the client encryption algorithms.

SbC4

Utilities for configuration of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders.

Etpro

Utilities for the eToken Pro USB token.

SbCePolicy

Utilities for receiving and loading policies.

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SbCeProvider

Utilities for receiving and providing encryption keys to the other parts of the client.

SbDbMgr

Directory communication and access control support.

SbFile

Endpoint Encryption File Encryptor Support.

SbFileDB

Directory driver for the standard Endpoint Encryption X500 type Object Directory.

SbGroup

Utilities for group management and support.

SbHashes

Utilities for application control (hash sum control)

SbKeys

Libraries for controlling encryption keys.

SBM

Libraries for Endpoint Encryption tokens, readers and algorithm settings.

SbUser

Utilities for user management and support.

SbUtils

Libraries for various Endpoint Encryption utilities.

SbXferDb

Transport directory driver for offline installs.

SbCeNp

The libraries providing for the automatic change of the Endpoint Encryption password when the Windows password is changed.

SCom

Communication service control for the Endpoint Encryption Manager.

SbCeDriverCom

Utilities for controlling and running the kernel driver.

DesktopIntegration

Libraries for integration between Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders and the Windows Explorer, e.g. drag-and-drop operations on encrypted files.

SbCePolicyEnforcer

Libraries for the enforcement of encryption policies.

Install

Libraries used when installing the client.

KeyGenerator

Libraries for generation of user local encryption keys.

KeyManager

Utilities for management of encryption keys.

KeyMenuProvider, KeyMenuProvider_04XX

Utilities for the functions available to the user for management of user local keys. The variants of this module containing a `_04XX` extension represent different language versions of this module.

KeyStore, KeyStore_04XX

Libraries for the interaction and management of user local key stores. The variants of this module containing a `_04XX` extension represent different language versions of this module.

LogManager

Libraries for managing the logging operations. Currently not fully implemented.

MachinePolicyProcessor

Utilities for enforcement of machine policies.

MenuProvider, MenuProvider_04XX

Libraries for managing the system tray menu. The variants of this module containing a `_04XX` extension represent different language versions of this module.

NotificationManager

Manages and responds to notification events. This library is located in the WINDOWS\System32 folder.

PolicyUpdateManager

Utilities for receiving and interpretation of policy updates.

PostInstall

Utilities for post-installation operations.

RemovableMediaEnforcer

Libraries for the enforcement of removable media policies.

SbCeSelfExtractorStub

The libraries for the Self-Extractor functions. The variants of this module containing a _04xx extension represent different language versions of this module.

StandAloneKeyProvider, StandAloneKeyProvider_04XX

The libraries for the interaction with the user local keys. The variants of this module containing a _04xx extension represent different language versions of this module.

SbTrayManager

Libraries for the system tray icon management.

SYS files

sbce

The Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders kernel filter driver.

SbAlg00, SBAlg01, SbAlg12

Encryption algorithm drivers.

DAT files

SbCe-{Endpoint Encryption DB ID}

The local Endpoint Encryption database containing duplicate data from the central database. This database is encrypted.

SbCe-DEFAULTS

The default settings for an installation of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders before any policy has been retrieved and applied.

SbCe-POLICIES

The default policy for an installation of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders before any policy has been retrieved and applied. If the client fails to connect to the Endpoint Encryption Server after the first restart after installation, then the content of this file will be applied (no privileges).

Other files

SRG files

Endpoint Encryption registry files – these are standard **Regedit** files which are processed into the registry by Endpoint Encryption, without using the Windows **Regedit** utility.

PostInstall.XML

An XML file with information about actions after the installation of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders has been done. Incorrect changes to this file may result in severe malfunctions on the machine.

SBFILES.LST

A list of the files to process by the sbc4Setup.exe un/installer executable.

Setup.log

A log file with log data about the setup of the Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client.

LNG files

Language resource files for different working languages of Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders.

Error Messages

Please see the file `sberrors.ini` for more details of these error messages. You can also find more information on error messages on our web site, www.mcafee.com.

Module codes

The following codes can be used to identify from which Endpoint Encryption module the error message was generated.

5c00=SCOM, network comms;Protocol

5c02=SCOM, network comms;Cryptographic

db00=Database, database;Miscellaneous

db01=Database, database;Objects

db02=Database, database;Attributes

a100=ALG, encryption algorithms; Miscellaneous

1500 = Installer program errors

5C02: Communications, Crypto

[5c020000] The Diffie-Hellmen data is invalid or corrupt

[5c020001] An unsupported encryption algorithm has been requested

[5c020002] An unsupported authentication algorithm has been requested

[5c020003] Unable to sign data

[5c020004] Authentication signature is not valid

[5c020005] Authentication parameters are invalid or corrupt

[5c020006] Failed while generating DSA parameters

[5c020007] No session key has been generated

[5c020008] Unable to authenticate user

[5c020009] Session key too big

5C00: Communications, Protocol

[5c000000] Unsupported version

The server and client are not talking the same communications protocol version

[5c000005] Out of memory

[5c000008] A corrupt or unexpected message was received

[5c000009] Unable to load the Windows TCP/IP library (WSOCK32.DLL)

Check that the TCP/IP protocol is installed

[5c00000a] Communications library not initialized

This is an internal programmatic error

[5c00000c] Unable to create TCP/IP socket

[5c00000d] Failed while listening on a TCP/IP socket

[5c00000e] Unable to convert a host name to an IP address

Check the host file or the DNS settings

[5c00000f] Failed to connect to the remote computer

The computer may not be listening or it is too busy to accept connections

[5c000010] Failed while accepting a new TCP/IP connection

[5c000011] Failed while receiving communications data

The remote computer may have reset the connection

[5c000012] Failed while sending communications data

[5c000013] Invalid communications configuration

[5c000014] Invalid context handle

[5c000015] A connection has already been established

[5c000016] No connection has been established

[5c000017] Request for an unknown function has been received

[5c000018] Unsupported or corrupt compressed data received

[5c000019] Data block is too big

[5c00001a] Data of an unexpected length has been received

[5c00001b] Message too big to be sent

This may occur if an attempt is made to import large amounts of data into the database (e.g. a file)

[5c00001c] Unable to create thread mutex

[5c00001d] Message too big to be sent

Error Messages

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DB00: Directory

[db000000] Out of memory

[db000001] More data is available

[db000002] The database has not been created or initialized yet

Check the database path or create a new database.

To force the new database wizard to be run, delete the `SDMCFG.INI` file and restart the administration program.

[db000003] Invalid context handle

[db000004] The name was not found in the database

[db000005] Authentication was not successful

Check that you have the correct token for this database

[db000006] Unknown database

[db000007] Invalid database type

[db000008] The database could not be found

Check the database path settings

[db000009] Database already exists

Choose a different database path

[db00000a] Unable to create the database

Check the path settings and make sure you have write access to the directory

[db00000b] Invalid database handle

[db00000c] The database is currently in use by another entity

You cannot delete a database while someone is using it

[db00000d] Unable to initialize the database

[db00000e] User aborted

[db00000f] Memory access violation

[db000010] Invalid string

[db000011] No default group has been defined

[db000012] The group could not be found

[db000013] File not found

[db000014] Unable to read file

[db000015] Unable to create file

[db000016] Unable to write to file

[db000017] File corrupt

[db000018] Invalid function

[db000019] Unable to create mutex

[db00001a] Invalid license

The license has been modified so that the signature is now invalid

[db00001b] License has expired

[db00001c] The license is not for this database

Check the database ID and ensure it is the same as the one specified in the license.

Each time you create a new database, a different ID is generated.

There is no way to change the ID of a database.

[db00001d] You do not have permission to access the object

[db00001e] Endpoint Encryption is currently busy with another task. Please wait for it to complete and try again.

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This usually means that your hard disks are in the process of being encrypted or decrypted.

You can check the current Endpoint Encryption status from the right-click menu of the Endpoint Encryption task bar icon.

[db00001f] Endpoint Encryption is still installed on this machine

[db000020] Buffer too small

[db000021] The requested function is not supported

[db000022] Unable to update the boot sector

The disk may be in use by another application or Explorer itself.

The disk may be protected by an anti-virus program.

DB01: Database, Objects

[db010000] The object is locked

Someone else is currently updating the same object

[db010001] Unable to get the object ID

[db010002] Unable to change the object's access mode

Someone else may be accessing the object at the same time.

If you are trying to write to the object while someone else has the object open for reading, you will not be able to change to write mode.

[db010003] Object is in wrong access mode

[db010004] Unable to create the object in the database

The disk may be full or write protected

[db010005] Operation not allowed on the object type

[db010006] Insufficient privilege level

You do not have the access rights required to access the object.

[db010007] The object status is disabled

This is usually associated with User objects. Disabling the user's object prevents them logging on until their account is re-enabled.

[db010008] The object already exists

[db01000f] The object is in use

[db010010] Object not found

The object has been deleted from the database

[db010011] License has been exceeded for this object type

Check that your licenses are still valid and if not obtain further licenses if necessary

[db010012] No more object id's are available for this type of object.

You have run out of object ID's

[db010013] Remove Error - Can't Remove Object

The object is locked, or no longer exists.

[db010014] Object Not Removed

You are trying to restore an object which has not been deleted.

[db010015] Restore Error

Could not restore the object.

DB02: Database, Attributes

[db020000] Attribute not found

[db020001] Unable to update attribute

[db020002] Unable to get attribute data

[db020003] Invalid offset into attribute data

[db020004] Unable to delete attribute

[db020005] Incorrect attribute length

[db020006] Attribute data required

A100 Algorithm

[a1000000] Not enough memory

[a1000001] Unknown or unsupported function

[a1000002] Invalid handle

[a1000003] Encryption key is too big

[a1000004] Encryption key is too small

[a1000005] Unsupported encryption mode

[a1000006] Invalid memory address

[a1000007] Invalid key data

Installer program errors

| | |
|------------|-------------------------------|
| [15000001] | Memory Error |
| [15000002] | No EXE Stub |
| [15000003] | Error reading EXE Stub |
| [15000004] | Error Creating File |
| [15000005] | Error Writing File |
| [15000006] | Error Opening File |
| [15000007] | Error Reading File |
| [15000008] | Invalid File |
| [15000009] | No More Files |
| [1500000a] | Block Data Too Large |
| [1500000b] | Decompress Failed |
| [1500000c] | Unsupported Computation |
| [1500000d] | Install Error |
| [1500000e] | Error Creating Temp Directory |

Technical Specifications and Options

Language Support

Endpoint Encryption Manager

American English, International English, Dutch, German, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Swedish

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Client

American English, International English, Dutch, German, Japanese, Swedish, Czech, French

System Requirements

Documentation that discusses appropriate hardware for typical installations of Endpoint Encryption is available from your McAfee representative upon request.

Endpoint Encryption Manager Server

- Windows NT4.0 sp6a, 2000 all service packs (Workstation for evaluation only), XP all service packs (for evaluation only), 2003 Server (all service packs), Vista (both 32 and 64 bits editions)
- 256MB RAM, 512MB recommended.
- 200MB Free hard disk space
- Pentium compatible processor
- TCP/IP network connection with a static DNS name / IP address

Windows NT, 2000, XP, 2003 Server and Vista are soft limited to 200 connections, but may be increased to up to 1000.

For high-loaded systems, please contact your McAfee representative for information on setting up multiple-server implementations.

Endpoint Encryption Manager Application

- Windows NT4.0, 2000, XP, 2003 Server, Vista
- 256MB RAM
- 20MB free hard disk space
- Pentium compatible processor
- TCP/IP network connection

Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders Client

- Windows 2000 SP4 with RollUp1, XP SP2, Vista SP1. Please see section *Installing Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders client* for additional client OS requirements.
- 256MB RAM
- 5MB Free hard disk space
- Pentium compatible processor
- TCP/IP network connection

Encryption Algorithms

Endpoint Encryption supports many custom algorithms. Each encryption key generated for Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders may be associated with a separate algorithm.

Algorithm performance is based on the “PassMark” rating which gives an overall indication of system performance. All tests were performed on a K6-II-300 machine running Windows XP SP2. This test platform has a PassMark of 20.7. The closer to this figure an algorithm gets, the less the impact of Endpoint Encryption on the user. Faster machines will achieve correspondingly faster passmark ratings, but the percentage difference between them will be comparable.

RC5-12

CBC Mode, 1024 bit key, 12 rounds, 64 bit blocks. PassMark 20.7 (100%). The RC5-12 algorithm is compatible with the Endpoint Encryption 3.x algorithm.

RC5-18

CBC Mode, 1024 bit key, 18 rounds, 64 bit blocks, PassMark 20.7 (100%). The 18 round RC5 variant is designed to prevent the theoretical “Known Plaintext” attack.

AES 256 (FIPS 140-2 Approved) - recommended

CBC Mode, 256 bit key, 128 bit blocks, PassMark 19.3 (93%)

This algorithm is approved for FIPS 140-2 use.

Data wiping standard

The wiping mechanism follows the data shredding specification of US Department of Defense (DoD). The specification detail may be found in:

DoD 5220.22-M National Industrial Security Program Operating Manual (NISPOM)
January 1995, Department of Defense & Central Intelligence Agency, U.S. Government
Printing Office. ISBN 0-16-045560-X.

Appendix

Making Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders FIPS Compliant

The following procedures must be followed to operate McAfee Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders cryptographic module in a FIPS Approved mode:

1. McAfee Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders must be installed using a FIPS approved algorithm. The validated version of McAfee Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders presents AES-256 as the only option for the encryption algorithm. The AES-256 encryption algorithm is certified for use in FIPS 140-2 implementations.
2. The module software must be operating in “FIPS” mode. This is done by setting the FIPS registry key value from 0 (disabled) to 1 (enabled). The first step is to create a FIPS registry script (see Appendix A for details). Once the file is created right click on the newly created .reg file and select merge from the drop down menu.
3. To verify that the registry has been updated properly the user must install a registry editor and navigate to the following paths and verify that “FipMode is set to 1”:
 - Windows 2000 and XP - HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content Encryption\Verifier
 - HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content Encryption\Verifier

The PC used to run McAfee Endpoint Encryption for Files and Folders must be built using production grade components and configured in a single operator mode. To do this, the following operating system services must be disabled:

- Fast user switching
- Terminal services
- Remote registry service
- Secondary logon service
- Telnet service
- Remote desktop and Remote assistance services

FIPS mode registry script

The following needs to be saved to a text file with the extension “.reg” and then merged into the registry as a requirement for installing the module in a FIPS-compliant mode of operation:

Windows 2000/XP

```
REGEDIT4
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content Encryption\Verifier]
```

```
"FipsMode"=dword:00000001
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content Encryption\Verifier\1]
```

```
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeProvider.dll"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content Encryption\Verifier\2]
```

```
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeNp.dll"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content Encryption\Verifier\3]
```

```
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeDe5Auth.dll"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content Encryption\Verifier\4]
```

```
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeSetup.exe"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content Encryption\Verifier\5]
```

```
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeObj.dll"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content Encryption\Verifier\6]
```

```
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbKeysObj.dll"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content Encryption\Verifier\7]
```

```
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeMarshal.dll"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content Encryption\Verifier\8]
```

```
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCmaCe.dll"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content Encryption\Verifier\9]
```

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```
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbAlgs\\SbAlg00.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\10]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbAlgs\\SbAlg01.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\11]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbAlgs\\SbAlg11.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\12]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbAlgs\\SbAlg12.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\13]
"Path"="c:\\windows\\system32\\drivers\\Sbalg00.sys"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\14]
"Path"="c:\\windows\\system32\\drivers\\Sbalg01.sys"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\15]
"Path"="c:\\windows\\system32\\drivers\\Sbalg11.sys"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\16]
"Path"="c:\\windows\\system32\\drivers\\Sbalg12.sys"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\17]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbComms.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\18]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbTokens\\SbTokenPwd.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\19]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeCore.exe"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\20]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeCoreService.exe"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
```



```
Encryption\Verifier\21]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content
encryption\\SbCeDesktopIntegration.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\22]
"Path"="c:\\windows\\system32\\drivers\\SbCe.sys"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\23]
"Path"="c:\\windows\\system32\\drivers\\SbCeCd.sys"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\24]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeDriverCom.dll

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\25]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeLocalProvider.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\26]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCePolicyEnforcer.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\27]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeProviderManager.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\28]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeTray.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\29]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\resource.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\30]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeSelfExtractorStub.exe"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\31]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeShell.exe"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\32]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeShell.com"
```

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```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content  
Encryption\Verifier\33]  
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeProxy.exe"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content  
Encryption\Verifier\34]  
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCePostInstall.dll"
```

Windows Vista

REGEDIT4

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content  
Encryption\Verifier]  
"FipsMode"=dword:00000001
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content  
Encryption\Verifier\1]  
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeProvider.dll"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content  
Encryption\Verifier\2]  
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeNp.dll"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content  
Encryption\Verifier\3]  
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeDe5Auth.dll"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content  
Encryption\Verifier\4]  
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeSetup.exe"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content  
Encryption\Verifier\5]  
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeObj.dll"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content  
Encryption\Verifier\6]  
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbKeysObj.dll"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content  
Encryption\Verifier\7]  
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeMarshal.dll"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content  
Encryption\Verifier\8]
```

```
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCmaCe.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\9]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbAlgs\\SbAlg00.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\10]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbAlgs\\SbAlg01.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\11]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbAlgs\\SbAlg11.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\12]
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[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\13]
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[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
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[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
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"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbComms.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\18]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbTokens\\SbTokenPwd.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\\Verifier\\19]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeCore.exe"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\\SOFTWARE\\SafeBoot International\\SafeBoot Content
```

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```
Encryption\Verifier\20]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeCoreService.exe"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\21]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content
encryption\\SbCeDesktopIntegration.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\22]
"Path"="c:\\windows\\system32\\drivers\\SbCe.sys"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\23]
"Path"="c:\\windows\\system32\\drivers\\SbCeCd.sys"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\24]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeDriverCom.dll

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\25]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeLocalProvider.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\26]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCePolicyEnforcer.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\27]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeProviderManager.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\28]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeTray.dll"

[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
Encryption\Verifier\29]
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\resource.dll"

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Encryption\Verifier\30]
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[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content
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"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeShell.exe"
```

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[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content  
Encryption\Verifier\32]  
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeShell.com"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content  
Encryption\Verifier\33]  
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCeProxy.exe"
```

```
[HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\SafeBoot International\SafeBoot Content  
Encryption\Verifier\34]  
"Path"="c:\\program files\\safeboot content encryption\\SbCePostInstall.dll"
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