

# What are the scenarios when the security code is prompted?

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## Security code for Ezsh shell

**Overview:** This article explains the use of the static security code in Ezsh shell, detailing when it's prompted, how to disable 2FA, and how to set or change the security code in the Ezeelogin user account.


1. The static security code is used only when 2FA is not enabled.

**Note:** Refer the following articles to disable 2fa

[How to disable 2FA from Ezeelogin GUI?](#)

[Clear two factor authentication](#)

2. The security code would be prompted when you ssh to the [Ezsh shell](#) after entering the Ezeelogin user password as shown in the screenshot below.



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Enter security code: |
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3. You can set or change the security code from the Ezeelogin user account under **Account -> Password**

The screenshot displays the Ezeelogin web interface. The main content area is titled "Change password, security code, two factor secret". It contains several input fields and buttons:

- New Password:** A text input field with a "Generate" button below it.
- Confirm Password:** A text input field.
- New Security Code:** A text input field with a "Generate" button below it.
- Confirm Security Code:** A text input field.
- SSH Key Passphrase:** A text input field with a help icon.
- Authorization Password:** A text input field with a help icon.
- SSH Private Key:** A large text area with a help icon.
- Buttons:** "Cancel" and "Save" buttons are located at the bottom right of the form.

The left sidebar shows the navigation menu with "Account" and "Password" highlighted. The top right corner of the interface shows "Welcome, Administrator Logout".

**Note:** It is mandatory to use security code or 2fa while ssh ing to the Ezsh shell.

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