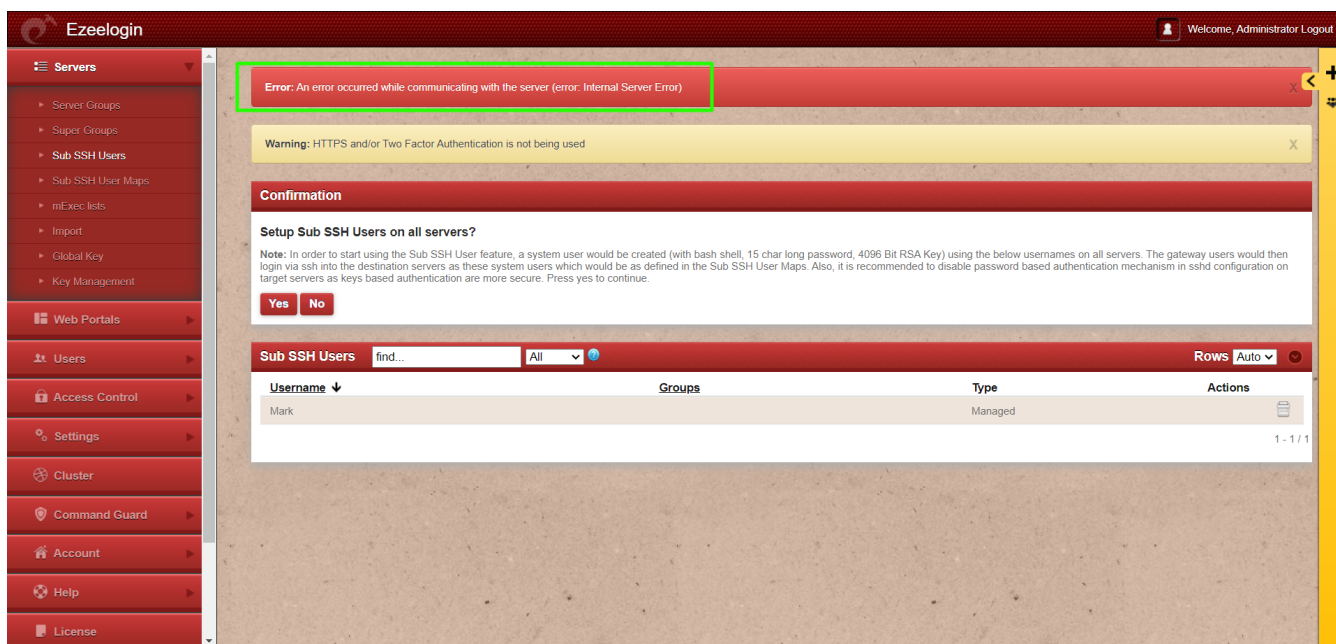


Internal server error

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How to solve error Error: An error occurred while communicating with the server (error: Internal Server Error)



This error usually occurs because the maximum execution time for PHP scripts has been exceeded. By default, PHP scripts are allowed to run for a certain amount of time.

Follow the below steps to resolve the issue

1. Check the latest [application logs](#) for the errors

Run the following command to navigate to the log directory and tail the latest logs.

```
root@jumpserver:~# cd $(awk '/^system_folder/{print $2}\'
/usr/local/etc/ezlogin/ez.conf)/application/logs/
root@jumpserver:/var/www/ezlogin/application/logs#
tail -f <the latest log file>
```

For Example

```
root@jumpserver:~# cd $(awk '/^system_folder/{print $2} '/usr/local/etc/ezlogin/ez.conf)/application/logs/
root@jumpserver:/var/www/ezlogin/application/logs# tail log-2024-03-23.php -f

ERROR - 2024-03-25 11:28:54 --> Severity: Error --> Maximum execution time of 30 seconds exceeded /var/www/ezlogin/application/third_party/vendor/phpseclib/phpseclib/phpseclib/Math/BigInteger/Engines/PHP.php 2097941
```

Since the **maximum execution time** of 30 seconds has been exceeded in this case, the issue can be resolved by increasing the **max_execution_time** limit.

2. Increase PHP Execution Time

Increase the maximum execution time for PHP scripts by modifying the **max_execution_time** limit in your **php.ini** file.

```
root@jumpserver:~# nano
/etc/php/8.1/apache2/php.ini ---> (change into
corresponding PHP version)

max_execution_time = 300
```

3. After making the changes restart **Apache web service**.

```
root@jumpserver:~# systemctl restart apache2
```

4. To confirm check the **php.ini** file

```
root@jumpserver:~# grep -v '^s*#'
/etc/php/8.1/apache2/php.ini | grep -i
max_execution_time
max_execution_time = 300
```

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