

# SAML 2.0

Security Assertion Markup Language 2.0 (SAML 2.0) is an XML-based, open-standard data format used for exchanging authentication and authorization data between a Service Provider and an Identity Provider.

It uses security assertion tokens to pass information about the end user between the identity provider and the service provider.

SAML 2.0 enables web-based authentication and authorization scenarios including cross-domain single sign-on (SSO).

For more information about SAML see the [Oasis documentation](#)

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