

Authorization

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Authorization is a [security](#) mechanism used to determine user/[client privileges](#) or access levels related to system resources, including computer programs, files, services, data and [application](#) features. Authorization is normally preceded by [authentication](#) for user identity verification. System administrators (SA) are typically assigned permission levels covering all system and user resources.

During authorization, a system verifies an authenticated user's access rules and either grants or refuses resource access.

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