Starting a collaboration session

Before logging in to any server, you must:

- Have a user account on the server.
- Be sure the server is running.

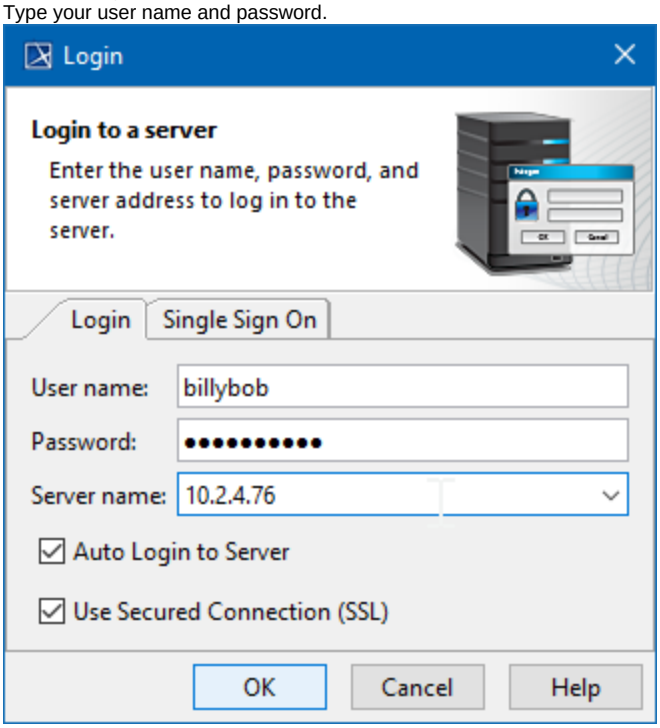
To log in to a server

1. From the **Collaborate** menu, select **Login**. The **Login** dialog opens.
2. Log in to a server.

   If you have set up an LDAP connection and imported users from LDAP using Teamwork Cloud Admin, you can use either internal or imported users to log in to Teamwork Cloud.

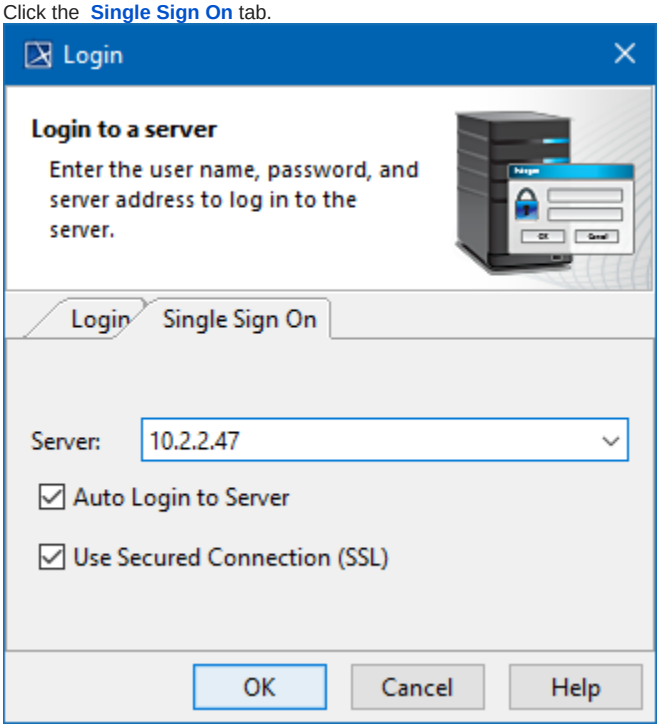
   - To login using "username/password" authentication:

     i. Click the **Login** tab.
     ii. Type your user name and password.



   - For users having a single ID and password for multiple software systems (valid only for Teamwork Cloud Server):

i. Click the **Single Sign On** tab.



3. Provide the server name (address). If you need to specify a server port, type < *server* name> : *<port number>* , for example *10.2.2.47:3579* .

> If you prefer to have only a Single Sign On login option, you can enable it by adding an argument to the properties file of the modeling tool:
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> **a.** Go to *<modeling tool installation directory>/bin* and open the properties file of your modeling tool.
> **b.** In the *JAVA_ARGS* line, add the *-Dhide.login.tab=true* argument.
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> ```
> MAIN_CLASS=com.nomagic.magicdraw.Main
> CONSOLE=false
> APP_ARGS=
> JAVA_HOME=C\:\\Program Files\\MagicDraw\\jre
> JAVA_ARGS=-Dhide.login.tab=true -XX\:+IgnoreUnr
> MAC_JAVA_ARGS=-Xdock\:name\=MagicDraw -Xdock\:i
> CLASSPATH=lib/patch.jar\:lib/brand.jar\:lib/bra
> ```

4. If you want the client application to remember your credentials and automatically log in to the server next time upon starting the client application, select the **Auto Login to Server** check box.
5. If you need to connect to the server using the SSL connection, select the **Use Secured Connection (SSL)** check box.

> The SSL connection must be established on both the server and the client side.

6. Click **OK**.
7. Wait while you are connected to the server, and then you can start performing collaborative tasks.

To log out of the server

- From the **Collaborate** menu, select **Logout**.