


# Authentication with 3DEXPERIENCE platform

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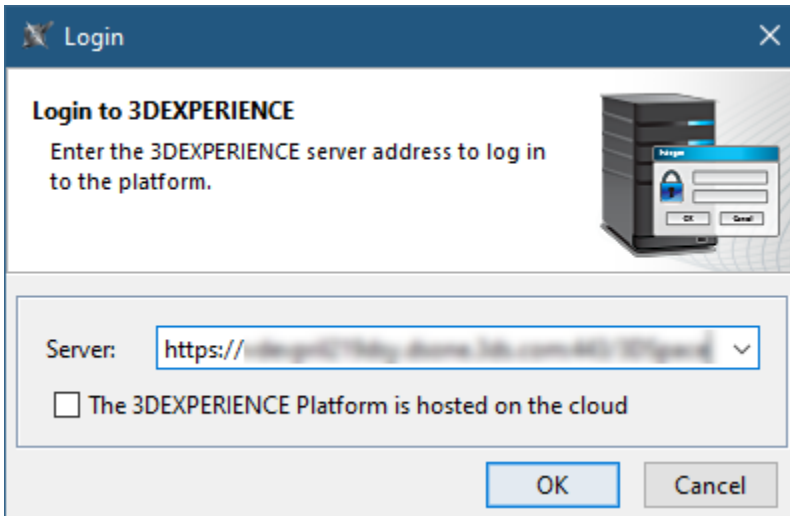
The **3DEXPERIENCE** menu groups all available integrations with the **3DEXPERIENCE** platform. After installing the plugins supporting the integration with the platform, you can access the related functionalities in the **3DEXPERIENCE** menu.

For some functionalities to work, you need to log in to the **3DEXPERIENCE** platform as described below. Note that you can log in to the platform deployed either on-premises or on the cloud server.

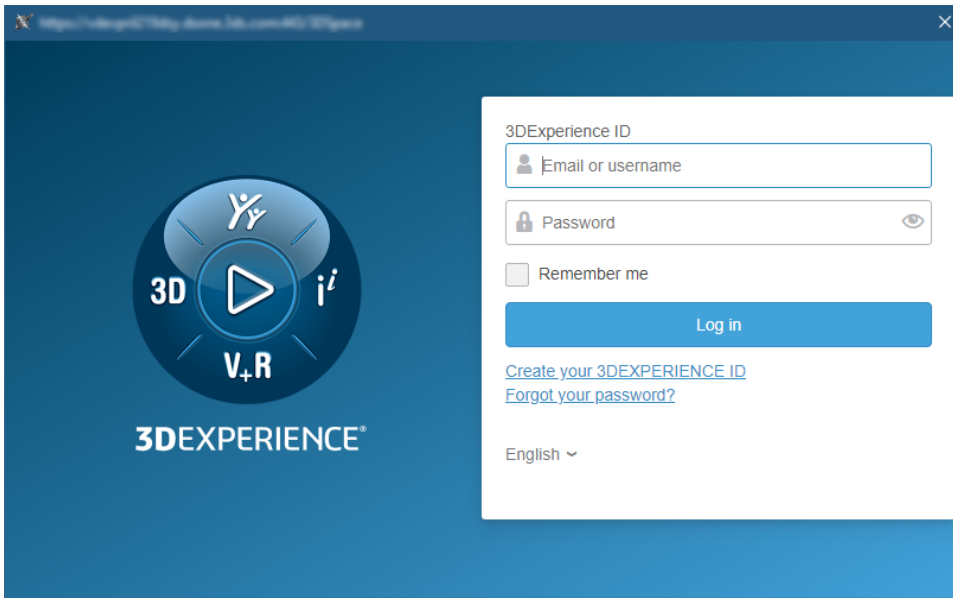
 You can manage all secure connections, including self-signed certificates, using the [Server Certificates](#) tool.

To log in to the **3DEXPERIENCE** platform from the modeling tool

1. In the main menu, select **3DEXPERIENCE > Login**.
2. In the **Server** box of the open dialog, enter the server address. If the **3DEXPERIENCE** platform is deployed on the cloud, select the **The 3DEXPERIENCE platform is hosted on the cloud** check box.



3. Click **OK**.
4. In the respective boxes of the open dialog, enter your **3DEXPERIENCE** username and password.



5. Click **Log in**.

Once you log in to the **3DEXPERIENCE** platform, you can use all the functionalities of the installed plugins without canceling the session.

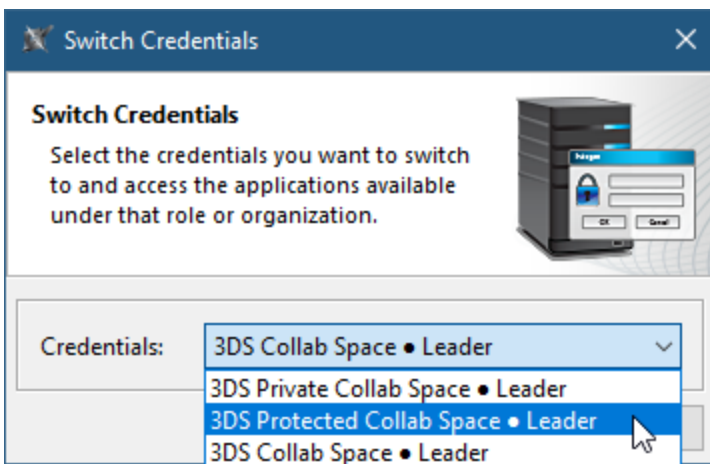
When logging in to the cloud-based **3DEXPERIENCE** platform, make sure you have all the required roles and/or licenses to use the platform and its applications. If you do not have the necessary roles and/or licenses, you will get the notification suggesting you to choose a different platform. If you still encounter login issues, contact the person responsible for the role and license configuration.

## Switching credentials

Once you log in to the **3DEXPERIENCE** platform, you can switch to a different platform, the platform's collaborative space, or a different access role without terminating your session.

To switch to different **3DEXPERIENCE** platform credentials

1. In the main menu, select **3DEXPERIENCE > Switch Credentials**.
2. In the **Credentials** drop-down list box of the open dialog, select the credentials you want to switch to and click **OK**.



The **Credentials** drop-down list box displays only the platforms, collaborative spaces, and roles that you have access to. They are displayed in the following format: Platform • Collaborative Space • Access Role.

## Logging out

When you finish working on a project in the **3DEXPERIENCE** platform, you can terminate your session by logging out of the platform.

To log out of the **3DEXPERIENCE** platform

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- In the main menu, select **3DEXPERIENCE > Logout**.

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