

Thinlinc MFA login

SSH/ThinLinc: GUI client

The authentication process is the same when a GUI client like !ThinLinc client is used. However, this method is **least friendly** for the initial configuration: the displayed text cannot be copied. Because of this we suggest other ways to configure the MFA initially.

1. Please login over ssh or with !ThinLinc. If no MFA device is configured yet, a selection of options is shown.

ThinLinc client

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Server: il.math.uzh.ch

Username:

Password:

☐ End existing session Options...

Exit Advanced<< Connect

Enter username and password to connect.

Authentication

? No MFA method found! Please configure one here or online. See <https://wiki.math.uzh.ch/public/MFA/> for details. Choose a method:

1. Create recovery codes
2. Configure email codes
3. Configure time-based one-time codes

Please enter a number:

Enter 1, 2, or 3

OK Cancel

2. The easiest one to configure is **email**, but all three choices are possible:

Authentication

?

Your TOTP configuration:

- * Account: kputyrdev
- * Issuer: Institute of Mathematics
- * Secret: **USVQGFOTE6KTDLEYSBG243ZRN2YCNMQV**

Enter this data to your authenticator app then type a generated 6-digit code:

.....| **Enter the code from the app**

OK  Cancel

Authentication

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Here are your recovery codes:

- * 
- * 
- * 
- * 
- * 
- * 

The codes cannot be copied - make a photo / screenshot

Store them in a safe place and type 'yes' to confirm:

| **yes**

OK  Cancel

Authentication

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A verification token has been sent to the email address k*****@m***.u**.ch.
Please enter the token:

.....| **Enter the token sent to this email address**

OK  Cancel

3. If the second factor is configured, a list of methods is shown and you can use a code from any of them. Type *email* to request an email code - an email is sent automatically *only* when it is the only method.

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Options...

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Authentication

? Configured MFA methods:

1. Email Device (email) - type 'email' to send a code
2. TOTP KeePassXC (totp)
3. My Recovery Codes (static)

Code:

Enter code or 'email'

OK Cancel

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1. Email Device (email) - type 'email' to send a code
2. TOTP KeePassXC (totp)
3. My Recovery Codes (static)

Code:

Check this email

Enter the code

OK Cancel

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