

Electronic Signatures Using a Federated Identity

Enable your users to sign electronic documents using their existing corporate or customer credentials

OVERVIEW

Seamless integration within our Verified Signing Solutions portfolio

Entrust's cloud-based digital signing service enables your company's employees to authenticate, submit, review, and sign PDF documents anywhere, at any time, using their existing credentials – with an independent body of evidence generated for your records.

It's all made possible by two products from our verified signing solutions portfolio:

- Entrust Identity as a Service (IDaaS) or use your own identity provider (IdP) for signing electronic documents
- Signhost, available via a web portal and a REST API.

Each service can be purchased separately for standalone applications.

KEY FEATURES & BENEFITS

Supports OpenID Connect (OIDC)

• Enrolled users can log in to the signing portal using IDaaS or any OIDC-compatible IdP

• Signer's identity attributes (name, email address, unique ID, etc.) can be included in the proof record (transaction receipt) during the signing process.

Optimized approvals and agreements

- Faster and easier contract management for employees, customers, and partners
- Increased visibility and control of document signing processes for you

Better proof of consent

By receiving an independent proof record you'll eliminate the dependency on internal log records for proofing consent.

Identity verification remains in your hands

You keep control of the issuance and validation of the end-user identity. The stronger your identification process is, the stronger signature assurance you get.

High assurance document security

Signed documents will receive a trusted seal (with the option to use a custom seal with your corporate entity) and a trusted timestamp to embed a strong and independent body of evidence.

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HOW IT WORKS

A seamless user experience

The signature workflow is managed via Signhost, which is connected to your IDaaS deployment (or any third-party IdP that supports OpenID Connect) and can be fully integrated into your backend systems via a RESTful API. This makes the employee and customer experience simpler, while strengthening your audit trail and reducing the risk of error in the signing process.

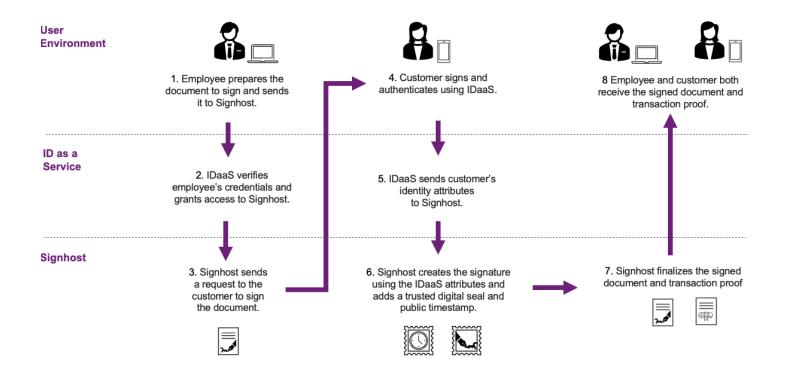
Signhost will generate a trusted seal and a timestamp before sending back the signed document and receipt.

Adding seals and timestamps for higher assurance

Trusted seals and timestamps increase the assurance of your signature by providing an independent proof of the signature and document existence.

We provide an Entrust-branded seal by default, which is trusted by Adobe. We can also generate a customized branded seal – either using a standard (Adobe-trusted) certificate, or an eIDAS advanced seal using a qualified certificate.

Our timestamps are publicly trusted, with the option to use eIDAS-qualified timestamps.



The document signing process

THE ENTRUST ADVANTAGE

About Signhost

Signhost is our online electronic signature service, designed for high-risk and high assurance scenarios. Signhost enables companies of all sizes and industries to have digital documents signed quickly, easily, and in accordance with multiple regulations.

The solution can be used via our web portal or fully integrated into your own systems through our API. The service hosts data in Europe in compliance with the EU General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).

About Entrust ID as a Service (IDaaS)

Entrust Identity as a Service (IDaaS) enables trusted identities for workforces, consumers, and citizens so they can engage securely and seamlessly with your organization. It supports all modern use cases, including:

- Phishing-resistant multi-factor authentication (MFA)
- Zero Trust alignment
- Digital onboarding solutions
- Know Your Customer (KYC)

IDaaS has a native integration with Signhost.



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