



# ApplicGate Man-in-the-Middle (MitM) Use Case

## 1 Initial situation

- The data sent and received by apps or browsers should be recorded.
- This function can be very helpful, for example, in program development.



# 2 Requirements

- All data must be logged.
- Encrypted connections (https) must be broken.
- No additional hardware should be necessary.
- Installation should be easy.

## 3 Solution by ApplicGate

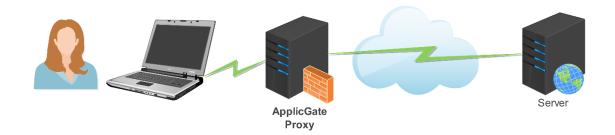
ApplicGate is a software solution that runs on Windows and Linux and can be easily installed on existing systems.

#### Note:

Breaking encrypted connections is currently only supported under Windows.



### 3.1 Network schema



## 3.2 Fulfillment of requirements by ApplicGate

- ApplicGate is configured as a web proxy in WLAN/LAN.
- The devices communicate with the servers via this proxy.
- Encrypted connections (https) terminate at the proxy (data is decrypted). A new encrypted connection is established to the server (man-in- the -middle).
- The decrypted data is recorded.
- To break the https connection, the ApplicGate proxy automatically generates web server certificates with the appropriate names. These certificates are signed with a signing certificate. The signing certificate is generated using a PowerShell script, for example, and configured in ApplicGate.
- This signing certificate must be installed on the devices (Trusted Root Certification Authorities ) so that the devices trust the certificates generated by ApplicGate.
- Easy installation:
  The software is started with a mouse click and then configured via a web interface.
- High availability:
   The ApplicGate Proxy can be backed up ( hot stand-by ).

# 4 Strengths of ApplicGate

- Easy installation
- Flexible architecture :
   Can be installed on any Windows computer.



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