



SmartZone: JACE Security

Applies to:	SmartZone JACE
Objective:	Configure Authorization for JACE devices in SmartZone DCIM.
Documentation Reference:	SmartZone DCIM User Manual, Admin Topics/Discovery/General Settings
Pre-Requisites:	At least one JACE device

IMPORTANT: SmartZone only uses Read access and does not in any way write back to the JACE.

Panduit SmartZone software communicates with JACE devices using oBIX. oBIX (Open Building Information Exchange) is a standard of RESTful APIs for building control systems.

SmartZone reads data over a network of devices using XML and URIs, within a framework specifically designed for building automation.

The communication uses the standard HTTP or HTTPS protocols. As far as security is concerned, HTTPS ensures privacy and server authentication. Authorization for resources on the JACE is controlled through user/password credentials. These are defined on the JACE and are then specified as a configuration in SmartZone (see screenshot below).

The screenshot displays a configuration window with two main sections: 'Protocols' on the left and 'Authorization Parameters Form' on the right.

Protocols:

- SNMPV1/V2
- SNMPV3
- HP-HTTP
- HP-HTTPS
- JACE-OBIX
- Set-1/Jace1** (Selected)
- Set-2/jace 2

Authorization Parameters Form:

Definition Name: Jace1

User Name: pln-joeb

Password: [Redacted]

Confirm: [Redacted]

Port: 443

Use HTTPS:

Trust Self-Signed Certificate:

Buttons: SAVE, CANCEL