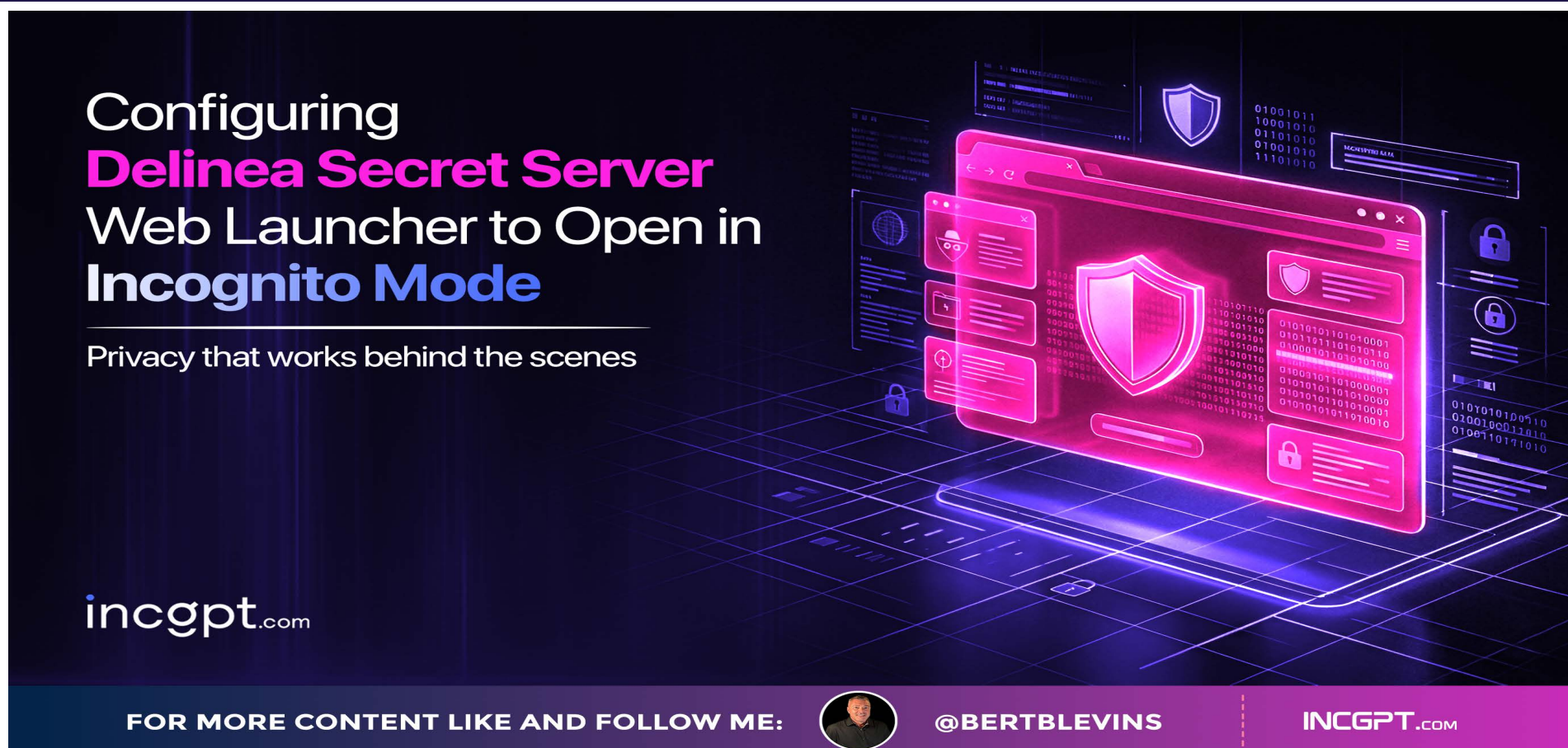


Configuring Delinea Secret Server Web Launcher to Open in Incognito Mode



To set the Delinea Secret Server Web Launcher to open in incognito (or InPrivate) mode by default, you need to configure the “Web Launcher requires Incognito Mode” setting. This is typically done per secret, but to apply it as a default across multiple secrets, use secret policies applied to folders. Additionally, ensure your browser extension (Web Password Filler) is configured to run in private modes.

Prerequisites

You must have administrative access to Secret Server to edit secrets, templates, or policies.



A secret must use a supported secret template (for example, for web credentials).



Install and configure the Web Password Filler browser extension from Delinea.

Step 1: Enable Incognito Mode on Individual Secrets

For specific secrets, follow these steps:

01

Log in to Secret Server.

02

Navigate to the secret you want to configure.

03

Edit the secret and go to the Security tab (or equivalent settings section for launcher options).

04

Enable the checkbox for Web Launcher requires Incognito Mode (sometimes labeled as “Web Launcher required Incognito Mode”).

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Save the changes.

When launched, this secret will now open in a new incognito window if one is not already active. If autofilling credentials on a non-incognito page, you will be prompted to switch to incognito.

Step 2: Set as Default Using Secret Policies

To enforce this as a default for new or existing secrets in folders:



Log in to Secret Server as an admin.



Go to Admin > Secret Policies.



Click Create Secret Policy (or Add in older versions).



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Enable the policy (check the Enabled box).



In the policy settings (grouped into tabs like Security and Remote Password Changing), locate Web Launcher requires Incognito Mode.



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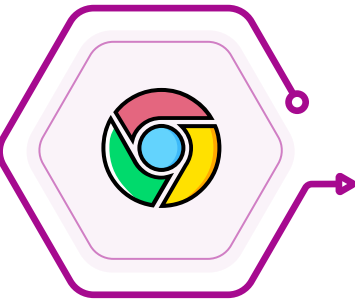


Apply the policy to folders by going to a folder's settings, selecting the policy from the dropdown, and applying it. This will propagate to all secrets in that folder and subfolders.

New secrets created in those folders will inherit the setting automatically.

Step 3: Configure Browser Extension for Incognito Support

The extension must be allowed in private browsing:



Chrome:

Go to `chrome://extensions/`, find the Web Password Filler extension, and toggle Allow in incognito.



Microsoft Edge:

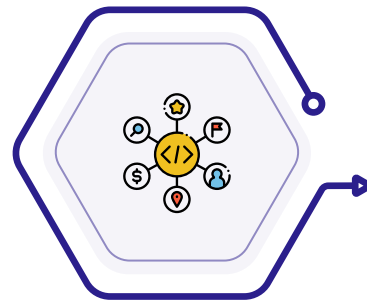
Go to `edge://extensions/`, find the extension, and toggle Allow in InPrivate.





Firefox:

Go to about:addons, select the extension, and enable Run in Private Windows.



Safari:

On macOS Sonoma (14+) or higher, enable Run in Private Window via extension settings (older versions auto-enable).

Without this, launches may fail even if the secret setting is enabled.

Notes

This setting applies to web-based launchers (for example, for website credentials). Other launchers like RDP may not be affected.



If using API or bulk creation, ensure policies are applied to avoid issues (as fixed in versions like 11.2).



Test launches after changes to confirm behavior. If issues persist, check Secret Server logs or consult Delinea support for version-specific quirks.

Microsoft Edge Command-Line Argument for Incognito Mode

The command-line argument (often referred to as a process or switch argument) to open Microsoft Edge in InPrivate mode (its equivalent of incognito) is `--inprivate`. You can append this to the `msedge.exe` executable path when launching from the Command Prompt, PowerShell, or within a launcher configuration like in Delinea Secret Server.

Example Usage

01

From Command Prompt

```
msedge.exe --inprivate https://example.com
```

02

From Command Prompt

```
msedge.exe --inprivate https://example.com
```

03

In a Shortcut

Right-click an Edge shortcut, select Properties, and append `--inprivate` to the Target field, for example:
"C:\Program Files (x86)\Microsoft\Edge\Application\msedge.exe" `--inprivate`

Summary

This argument ensures the browser launches without saving history, cookies, or site data for that session. Note that it is `--inprivate` specifically for Edge, not `--incognito` (which is for Chrome). If you are integrating this into a tool like Secret Server's Web Launcher, it may be configurable in the browser launch settings or via custom arguments, but consult Delinea's documentation for exact integration.

