

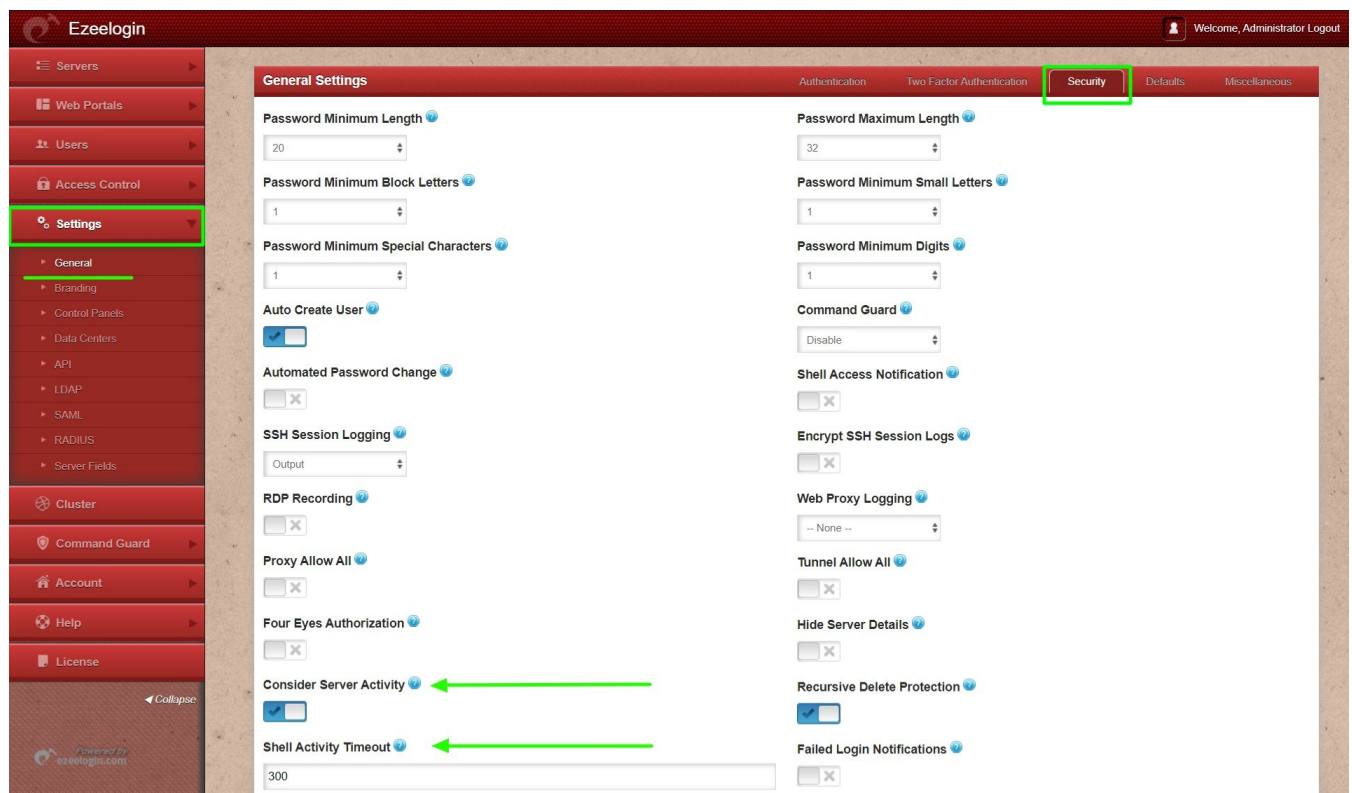
# Configure shell activity timeout in ssh gateway

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Enable ssh session timeout so that idle ssh session are automatically disconnected from the ssh gateway.

Set the variable *Shell Activity Timeout* so that ssh session which are idle are automatically timed out after the set number of seconds. A value of '0' means it will never timeout. In the below example, we have set the ssh session to disconnect after 300 seconds.

The *Consider Server Activity* means, the ssh time would not time out if the user is compiling a kernel on the server or running a command like 'top' which would never end . Enable this variable so that ssh session are not timed out when user interaction is not there but there are commands the user has left to run to completion.



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