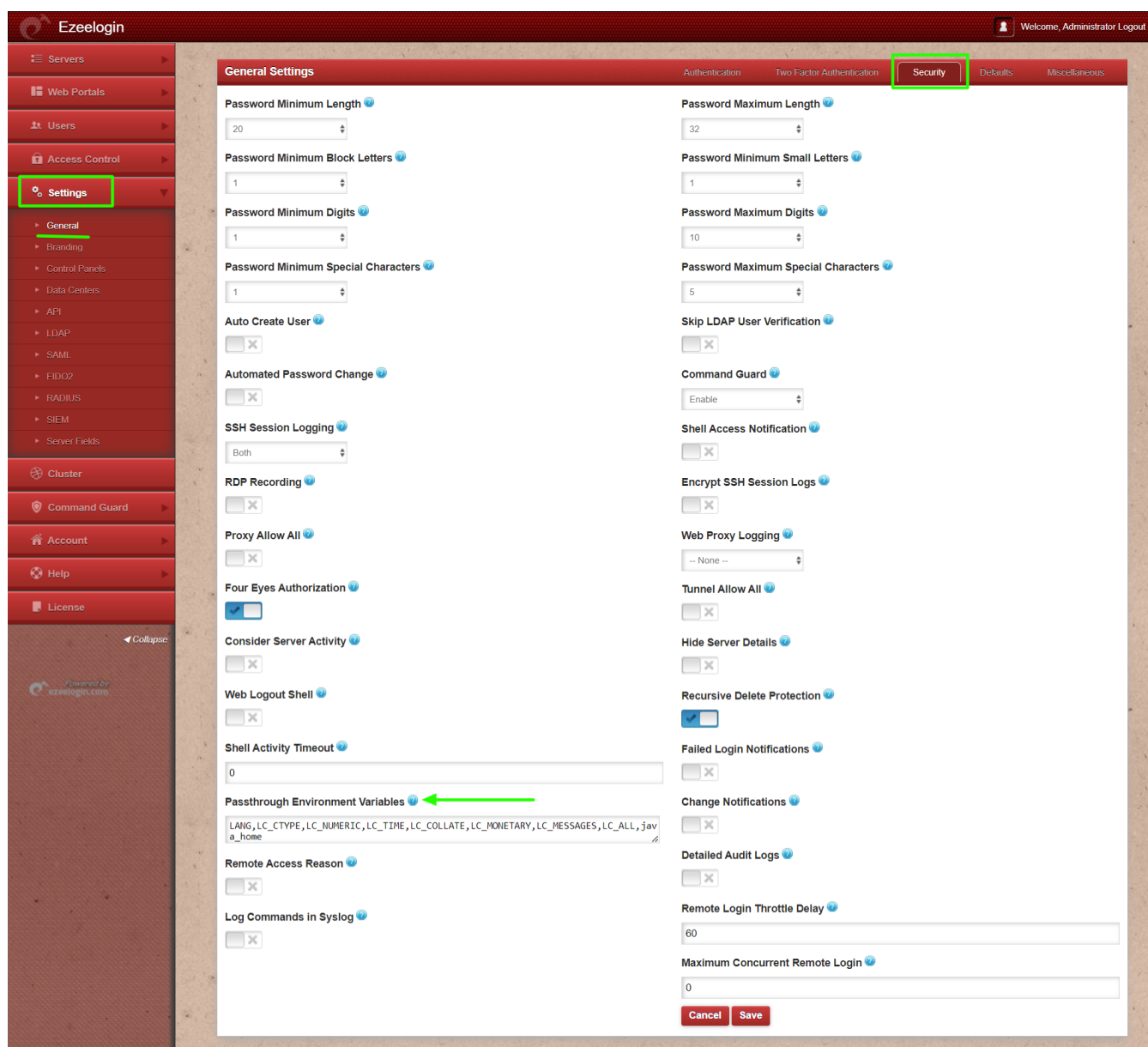# How to pass environment variable through jump server?

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## How can I forward env variables over ssh in ezeelogin?

**Overview:** This article helps Ezeelogin gateway users to set passthrough environment variables that should be allowed to be passed to the remote servers when logging in via Ezeelogin SSH jump host.

**Step 1:** Login to Ezeelogin GUI and add the environment variables under **Settings** -> **General** -> **Security** -> **Passthrough Environment Variables**



**Step 2:** Allow environment variables to the **/etc/ssh/sshd_config** file of both the **Ezeelogin installed server** and the **remote server**.

```
root@gateway:~# vi /etc/ssh/sshd_config

AcceptEnv java_home
```

**Step 3:** Restart ssh service

```
root@gateway:~# service ssh restart
```

**Step 4:** Add the environment variables to the **/etc/ssh/sshd_config** file of the **desktop machine** or the **machine from which you need to forward the environment variables** as follows:

```
root@desktop:~# vi /etc/ssh/ssh_config

SendEnv java_home
```

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