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Authentik Proxy Provider (forward auth single application) and Nginx Proxy Manager

I configured a proxy provider today and configured Nginx Proxy Manager accordingly.

NPM wasn't to happy about the following config:

```
map $http_upgrade $connection_upgrade {
    default upgrade;
    '' '';
}

location / {
    proxy_set_header Connection $connection_upgrade;
    .....
}
```

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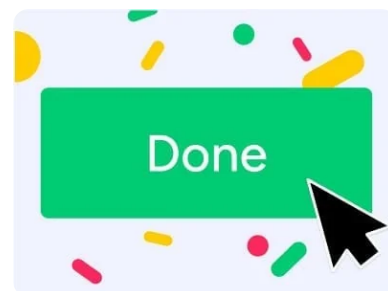
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I was having some issues with this as well. [Here](#) is a link that helped me. If I get to a console I will upload exactly what worked for me.



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open issue for folks. I'll be curious to see which solution worked best for you.

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What I did was just copy-paste the config into ChatGPT and ask it to rewrite it without using the map directive. It immediately spat out a working config. Of course I reviewed it manually to make sure it didn't muck with the rest of the config.

As someone really new to this myself, using a tool like GPT can help you gain a lot of context for problems because even if it isn't always perfect. Sometimes it spits out a nugget that gets you thinking about how to approach the problem differently.

Edit: Here was how ChatGPT modified the code.

Here are the key changes I made to address the map directive issue and replace it with conditional logic inside the location block:

Removed the map directive:

I removed this section:

```
# Upgrade WebSocket if requested, otherwise use keepalive
map $http_upgrade $connection_upgrade_keepalive {
    default upgrade;
    ""           "";
}
```

Replaced \$connection_upgrade_keepalive with \$http_connection and conditional logic:

In the original config, you were using \$connection_upgrade_keepalive, which was set by the map directive. To replace this, I added the following logic inside the location block:

```
# Support for websocket
proxy_set_header Upgrade $http_upgrade;
proxy_set_header Connection $http_connection;

# Use conditionals to handle WebSocket or keepalive
if ($http_upgrade = "websocket") {
    set $http_connection "upgrade";
}
if ($http_upgrade = "") {
    set $http_connection "keep-alive";
}
```

Other Changes:

In the original code, you were setting the Connection header using \$connection_upgrade_keepalive, but since we removed the map directive, we use \$http_connection here instead.

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Many thanks, will try this

I also noticed that the token timeout is not working I want to set 2 hours token lifetime; cookie will expire on UTC-time + 2 hours (my current timezone is UTC+2) then I tried adding 10 minutes extra and waited

Local time on my computer was 17:10 cookie expiration was 17:08 (date matched current date) I tried adding max lifetime through NPM but this did not work either

I saw an issue on Github which has been flagged as Bug, any chance you know something about that?

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