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How to use the real_ip_header in Nginx Proxy Manager, whilst using still using access lists for Cloudflare?

I run all of my services behind cloudflare, and to stop non-cloudflare-proxied traffic reaching them, I created an access list of the cloudflare endpoints, and added the rule to all of my services. It worked before, but I then wanted to see the real client IP in my logs, so I added:

```
real_ip_header CF-Connecting-IP;
```

to them, in the advanced tab. Now, the requests get blocked, presumably because it uses the real-ip to filter traffic. Is there any way to get the real client IP, while still filtering non-cloudflare traffic?



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Not possible. You either can use access lists and not set the real_ip_header or vice versa.

Use a firewall in front of NPM and whitelist cloudflare IPv4 and IPv6 only. Then set NPM to use

```
real_ip_header CF-Connecting-IP;
```

 in a proxy host's advanced section.

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Sorry, I probably didn't make it clear! I block the non-cloudflare traffic in nginx-proxy-manager, and not in the web servers for the individual services.

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But Cloudflare has a huge list of IPs. A lot of scammers use Cloudflare and AWS .

Can you filter based on an http header or something?

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I don't want to block any ingress requests but i want to capture the real IP address instead of cloudflare proxy using nginx as reverse proxy. Could someone suggest a way for it ??

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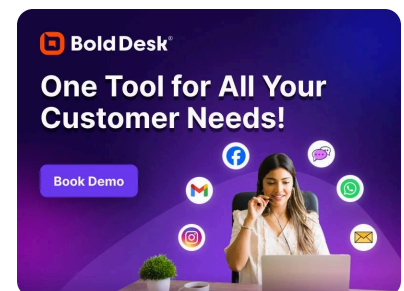
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Are you able to upload a picture of what that config looks like. I am currently trying to figure that out for fail2ban, and not sure if I set up the option correctly. Thanks!

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Created access list:

<https://i.ibb.co/VmsQstT/Screenshot-2022-12-27-at-12-36-45.png>

Named rule:

<https://i.ibb.co/jrmQdmF/Screenshot-2022-12-27-at-12-36-53.png>

Applied rule to services:

<https://i.ibb.co/fkkT5Mk/Screenshot-2022-12-27-at-12-37-31.png>



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Late reply, but use the solution discussed here: <https://github.com/NginxProxyManager/nginx-proxy-manager/issues/1358>



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