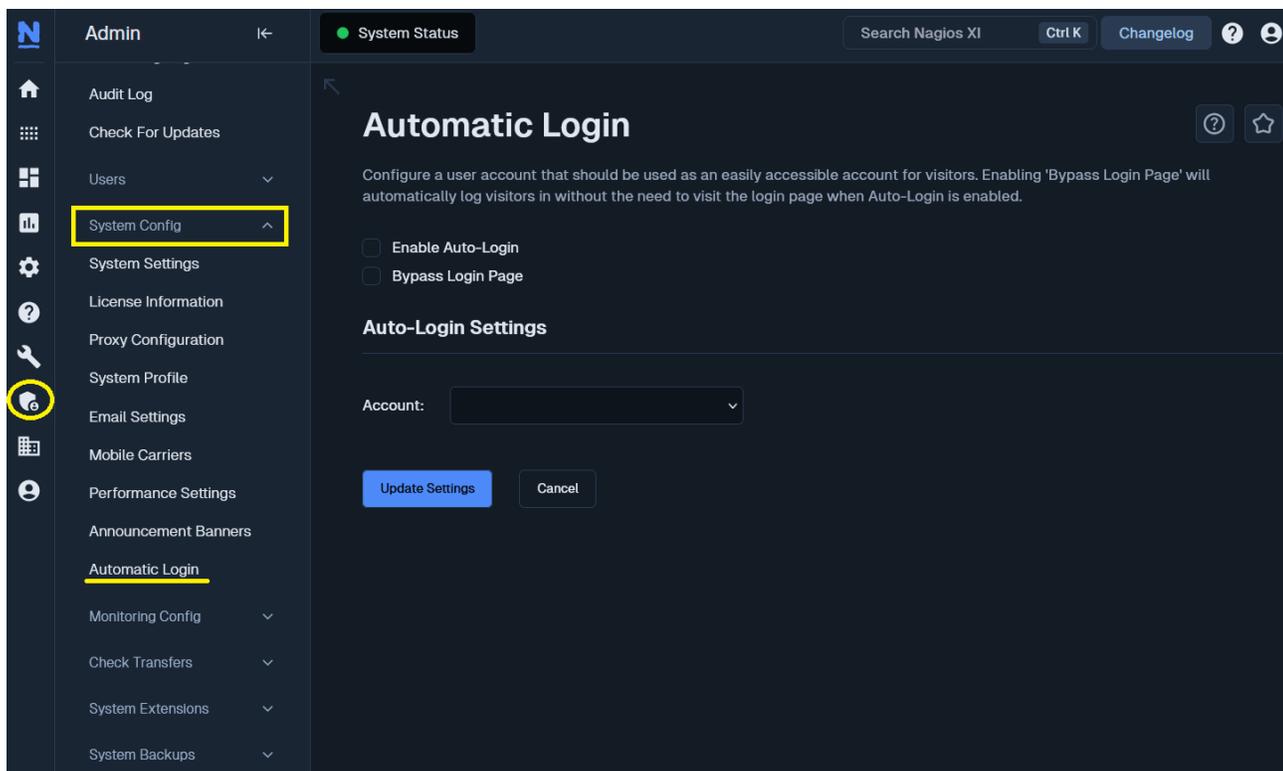## Purpose

This document describes how to use the Automatic Login feature in Nagios XI 2026. This enables you to configure Nagios XI to automatically log visitors in as a specific user when your Nagios XI interface URL is visited, or to add an Automatic Login button to the Login page which can be clicked to log in as a specific user without the need to authenticate.

This can be useful in scenarios where you'd like to share things like status overviews, custom Dashboards, and Reports with a wider audience without needing to share any login credentials, or for users to retain them. For example, the Auto-Login button could be linked to a read-only user, and used by managers and less technical staff to see how your infrastructure is performing.

Finding Automatic Login

To begin, navigate to **Admin > System Config > Automatic Login.** Here you will find all of the settings for this feature:
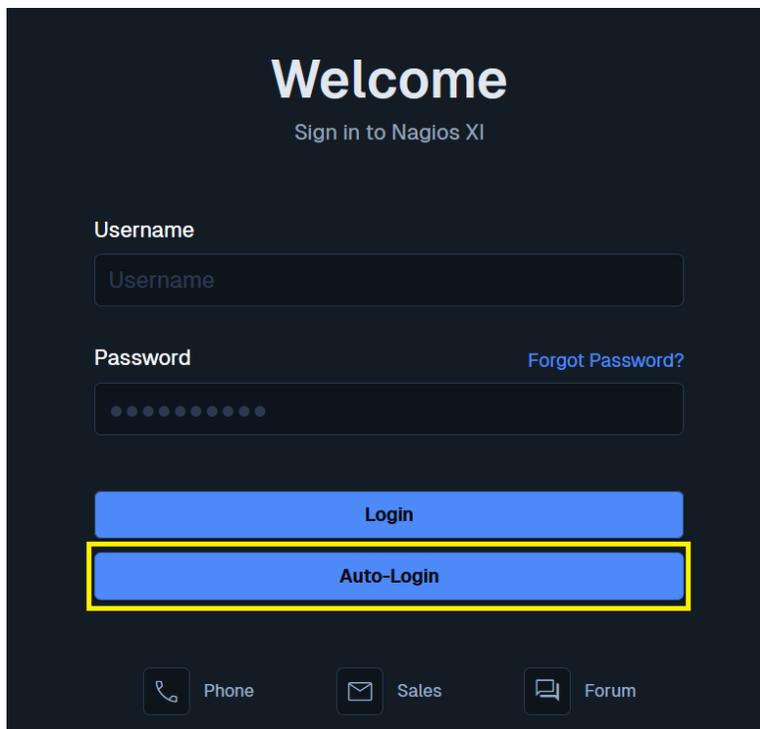
Configuring Automatic Login

Here you will see various settings:

- **Enable Automatic Login**: checking this box will enable Automatic Login.

- **Bypass Login Page**: checking this box will automatically log visitors to your Nagios XI URL into the user interface as the selected user without the opportunity to log in as a different user. In order to log in as a different user, visitors will need to log out to get to the Login page, then enter their credentials. Use this option with caution, it is the least secure approach.

- **Account**: this is the account which visitors will be logged into automatically, either immediatedly upon visiting the Nagios XI URL if **Bypass Login Page** is selected, or by clicking the Auto-Login button on the Login page. In most cases, a read-only user is chosen to protect the system, but any account can be used.

Once enabled, the login page will include the **Auto-Login** button:

Finishing Up

This completes the documentation on Using Automatic Login in Nagios XI 2026. If you have additional questions or other support-related questions, please visit us at our Nagios Support Forum, Nagios Documentation Hub, or Nagios Library:

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