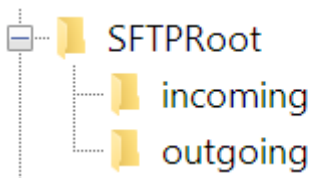


# How to override permissions on subfolders inside the user's Home VFS

As of version 5.0 (and subsequent versions) Syncplify Server! allows overriding permissions on subfolders that are physically contained inside a user's Home VFS. So we're talking about actual folders here, not virtual folders as virtual folders already come with their own set of permissions.

Let's say, for example, that the actual directory structure on the disk is the one you see in the picture here below:



And let's say you want to apply different permissions to the various sub-directories under that root... Well, now with Syncplify Server! you can do so very easily:

The screenshot shows the 'Edit user' interface for a user named 'admin'. The 'Permission override' section is active, displaying a table of paths and their permissions. The table has columns for Path, DL, DM, DR, DX, DE, FU, FD, FM, FR, FX, WS, and FE. The rows are for /incoming and /outgoing paths. The /incoming path has green checkmarks for DL, DM, DR, DX, DE, and FU, and red X marks for FD, FM, FR, FX, WS, and FE. The /outgoing path has green checkmarks for DL, DR, and DE, and red X marks for DM, DX, DE, FU, FD, FM, FR, FX, WS, and FE. There are also edit and delete icons for each row.

Path	DL	DM	DR	DX	DE	FU	FD	FM	FR	FX	WS	FE
/incoming	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✗	✗	✗
/outgoing	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗

All physical paths configured under the "permission override" section must be **POSIX and root-based**, meaning they begin with a forward-slash, they use forward-slashes as path separators, and they are relative to the directory (or whatever target) pointed to by the user's home-VFS (which is, in fact, the "root" for each individual user account).

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