

Steps to export and submit Android valid signer certificates

On the local machine, locate the specific Keystore file that is used for the APK signing. The file location may be varies for different setup. For example, in Linux or MAC OSX environment, the default Keystore file for Eclipse IDE is located at ~./android/

Go to terminal, obtain the Certificates information with the command line as follows:

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keytool -export -keystore <keystore> -alias <alias> -file
<output.cer>
```

After export, verify if the certificate is in DER format (extension can be .cer but format should be DER) You can use either of the following commands to verify the formatting:

1. hexdump <file>

(The certificate should start with "00000000 30")

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jason@192 Downloads % hexdump /Users/jason/Downloads/nfp.cert
0000000 30 82 03 6c 30 82 02 54 a0 03 02 01 02 02 04 50
0000010 00 53 3d 30 0d 06 09 2a 86 48 86 f7 0d 01 01 05
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0000110 04 0b 13 0f 53 54 59 4c 20 53
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0000120 6e 73 20 31 11 30 0f 06 03 55
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2. Alternatively, you can use this command:

openssl x509 -text -noout -inform DER -in <android.cer>

The certificate should load, else will show error if not DER.

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Google Play signing is enabled for Android Production app

- ** If enabled, you should download the Google certificate and pass it to us together with your signer cert. (2 certificates in total are expected).
- 1. Google app signing key
- 2. Upload key

You can download the certificate for the app signing key and your upload key from the Release > Setup > App Integrity page in the Play Console. This is used to register public key(s) with API providers; it's intended to be shared, as it does not contain your private key.

For reference:

https://developer.android.com/studio/publish/appsigning#api-providers