

Traffic Management API



The Traffic Management API allows you to use Akamai's Dynamic DNS-based network to map domains to data centers or for cloud-based server load balancing.

<https://developer.akamai.com/api/luna/config-gtm/overview.html>

Create a Domain

For a domain named **example.akadns.net**, create a request object:

```
{
  "name": "example.akadns.net",
  "type": "weighted",
  "emailNotificationList":
  [ "our.admin@example.com" ],
  "modificationComments":
  "New Traffic Management domain."
}
```

Then, POST the object to `/config-gtm/v1/domains/`.

Create a Data Center

Each domain needs at least two associated data centers.

1. Create a request object specifying the first data center's desired geography:

```
{
  "city": "Downpatrick",
  "continent": "EU",
  "country": "GB",
  "latitude": 54.367,
  "longitude": -5.582,
  "nickname": "Winterfell"
}
```

Then, **POST** the object to `/config-gtm/v1/domains/example.akadns.net/datacenters`.

2. From the response, cache the resource's `datacenterId`.

```
{
  "city": "Downpatrick",
  "continent": "EU",
  "country": "GB",
  "datacenterId": 3131,
  ...
}
```

3. Repeat steps 1 and 2 for the second data center.

```
{
  "city": "Snæfellsjökull",
  "continent": "EU",
  "country": "IS",
  "latitude": 64.808,
  "longitude": -23.776,
  "nickname": "Frostfangs"
}
```

Create a Property

A property is really a subdomain. It specifies the data centers across which to balance the load. The sum of this value must add up to 100. In this example, we make two data centers distributed 50/50.

Create a request object for a property called *origin*, and two data centers distributed 50/50:

```
{
  "name": "origin",
  "handoutMode": "normal",
  "failoverDelay": 0,
  "failbackDelay": 0,
  "trafficTargets": [
    {
      "datacenterId": 3131,
      "enabled": true,
      "servers": [
        "1.2.3.5"
      ],
      "weight": 50
    },
    {
      "datacenterId": 3132,
      "enabled": true,
      "servers": [
        "1.2.3.4"
      ],
      "weight": 50
    }
  ],
  "type": "weighted-round-robin",
  "scoreAggregationType": "mean"
}
```

Then, **PUT** the object to `/config-gtm/v1/domains/example.akadns.net/properties/origin`.