



# Manage syslog alerts

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# Manage syslog alerts

## Configure syslog server for alerts

To configure syslog alerts, you must enter a syslog server address and a UDP port. Up to five syslog servers are allowed.

### Before you begin

- The syslog server address must be available. This address can be a fully qualified domain name, an IPv4 address, or an IPv6 address.
- UDP port number of the syslog server must be available. This port is typically 514.

### About this task

This task describes how to enter the address and port for the syslog server, and then test the address you entered.

### Steps

1. Select **Settings > Alerts**.
2. Select the **Syslog** tab.

If a syslog server is not yet defined, the **Alerts** page displays "Add Syslog Servers."

3. Click **Add Syslog Servers**.

The **Add Syslog Server** dialog box opens.

4. Enter information for one or more syslog servers (maximum of five), and then click **Add**.
  - **Server Address** — Enter a fully qualified domain name, an IPv4 address, or an IPv6 address.
  - **UDP Port** — Typically, the UDP port for syslog is 514. The table displays the configured syslog servers.
5. To send a test alert to the server addresses, select **Test All Syslog Servers**.

### Results

The event monitor sends alerts to the syslog server whenever an alertable event occurs.

## Edit syslog servers for alerts

You can edit the server address used for receiving syslog alerts.

### Steps

1. Select **Settings > Alerts**.
2. Select the **Syslog** tab.
3. From the table, select a syslog server address, and then click the **Edit** (pencil) icon from on the far right.

The row becomes an editable field.

4. Edit the server address and UDP port number, and then click the **Save** (checkmark) icon.

### Results

The updated server address appears in the table.

## Add syslog servers for alerts

You can add a maximum of five servers for syslog alerts.

### Before you begin

- The syslog server address must be available. This address can be a fully qualified domain name, an IPv4 address, or an IPv6 address.
- The UDP port number of the syslog server must be available. This port is typically 514.

### Steps

1. Select **Settings > Alerts**.
2. Select the **Syslog** tab.
3. Select **Add Syslog Servers**.

The Add Syslog Server dialog box opens.

4. Select **Add another syslog server**.
5. Enter information for the syslog server, and then click **Add**.
  - **Syslog Server Address** — Enter a fully qualified domain name, an IPv4 address, or an IPv6 address.
  - **UDP Port** — Typically, the UDP port for syslog is 514.



You can configure up to five syslog servers.

### Results

The syslog server addresses appear in the table.

## Delete syslog servers for alerts

You can delete a syslog server so it no longer receives alerts.

### Steps

1. Select **Settings > Alerts**.
2. Select the **Syslog** tab.
3. Select a syslog server address, and then click **Remove** from the top right.

The Confirm Delete Syslog Server dialog box opens.

4. Confirm the operation, and then click **Delete**.

### Results

The server you removed no longer receives alerts from the event monitor.

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