

How-To Guide

Configuring Carbon Black Protection to Forward Logs to EventTracker

EventTracker v9.2 and later

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Abstract

This guide helps you in configuring Carbon Black Protection with EventTracker to receive Carbon Black Protection events. In this guide, you will find the detailed procedures required for monitoring Carbon Black Protection.

Scope

The configuration details in this guide are consistent with EventTracker version 9.2 and later, Carbon Black Protection Application Control for Servers & Critical Systems .

Audience

Administrators who are assigned the task to monitor and manage Carbon Black Protection events using EventTracker.

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1. Overview

Carbon Black Protection (Carbon Black Protection), formerly Bit9, is an application control product that allows departments to monitor and control application execution on systems. The best aspect of Carbon Black Protection is its ability to hash out and quickly locate executables on all workstations and servers.

EventTracker integrates to Carbon Black Protection by logging through REST API and provides reports, knowledge objects and dashboards for all generated events. This helps largely in searching for and weeding out known-bad files and suspected-bad files from the network.

2. Prerequisites

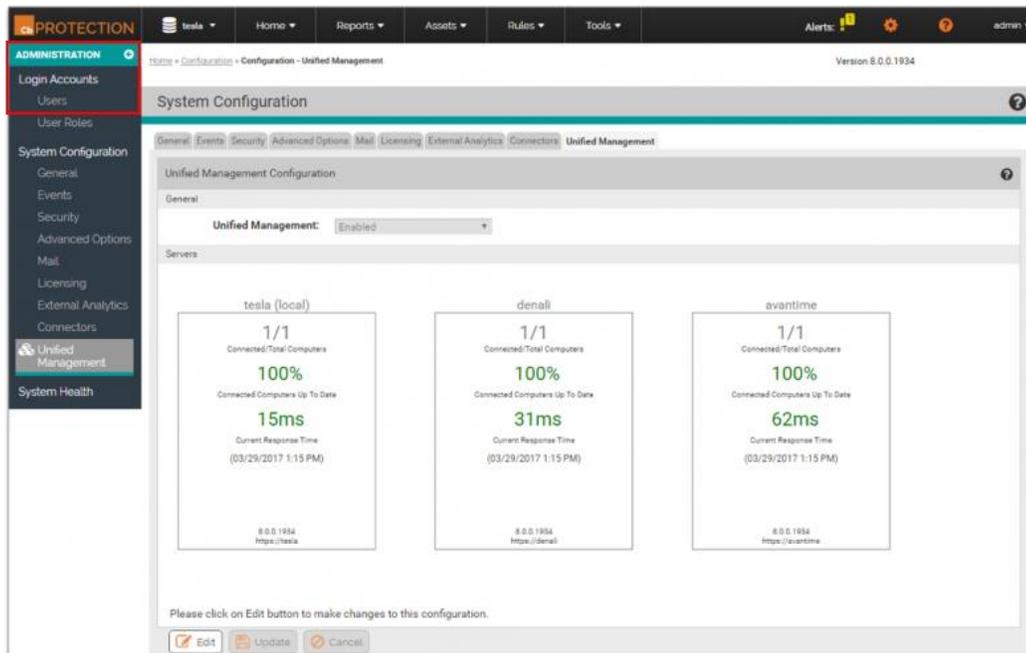
- Carbon Black Protection must be deployed.
- Contact support to get the Hostname associated with your Carbon Black Protection API backend.

3. Integrating Carbon Black Protection events to EventTracker server

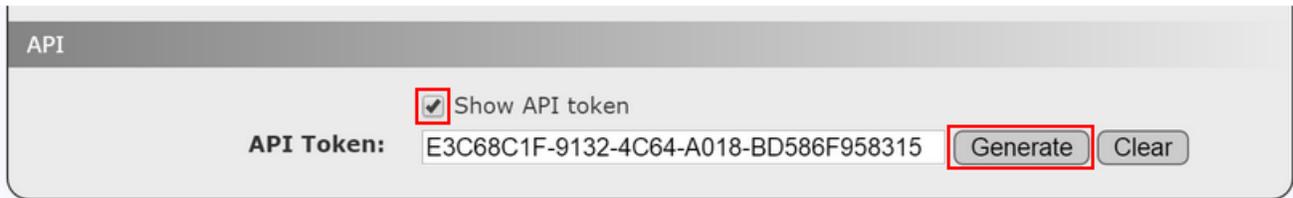
EventTracker utilizes Carbon Black Protection API to fetch events from Carbon Black Protection console in CSV format. The Carbon Black Protection API is accessible through a special hostname assigned to your organization. Authentication is handled by an API token, which is generated from the administration section of the Carbon Black Protection console.

API configuration for Carbon Black Protection API is explained below:

1. Log into the console as an administrator.



2. Select **Administration -> Login Accounts**.
3. Find the user in the list then click the **Edit** button on the left-hand side of the row containing their username.



4. This will show the details for the selected user. At the bottom of the details page, click the checkbox next to **Show API Token** in the API section. This will reveal the API token associated with the given user. If no API token is revealed, click the **Generate** button. If a new API token was created, it must be saved with the **Save** button before it becomes active.
5. Note down the API Token generated.

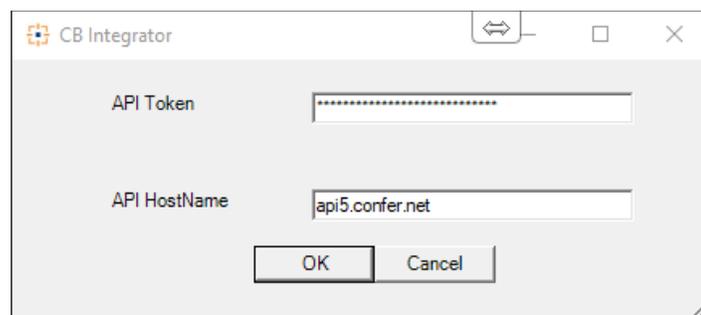
Following are the steps to integrate Carbon Black Protection to EventTracker:

- Contact the EventTracker support team for obtaining Carbon Black Protection Integrator pack.
- The Integrator package will be obtained in a Zip file format, extract the files to get the below file contents as shown in the image.

Name	Date modified	Type	Size
Icon	7/7/2017 11:02 AM	File folder	
CBForm.ps1	7/6/2017 6:35 PM	Windows PowerS...	25 KB
CBScript.bat	7/6/2017 5:44 PM	Windows Batch File	1 KB
CBScript.ps1	7/6/2017 6:35 PM	Windows PowerS...	16 KB

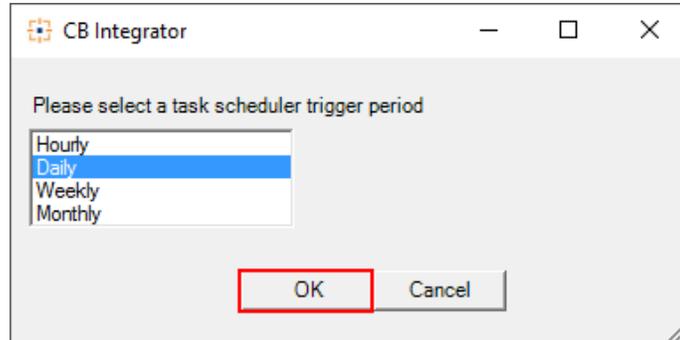
1. Double-click on the CARBON BLACKScript.bat to initialize configuration.

Carbon Black Integrator configuration window will pop-up.

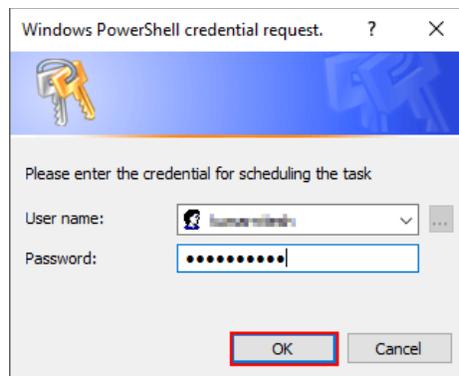


2. In the Carbon Black Integrator configuration window, enter the following details:

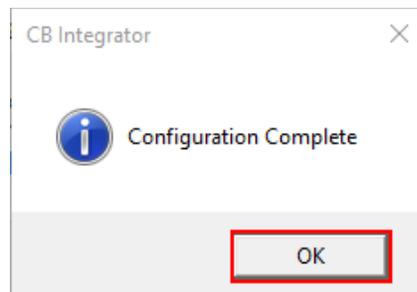
- APIToken – Enter the API key of the configured user.
 - API HostName – Enter the API backend hostname.
3. Click **OK** to proceed.
 4. Enter an appropriate schedule period. It is prescribed to keep it Daily.



5. Click **OK** to proceed.
6. Enter admin credentials for scheduling the task.



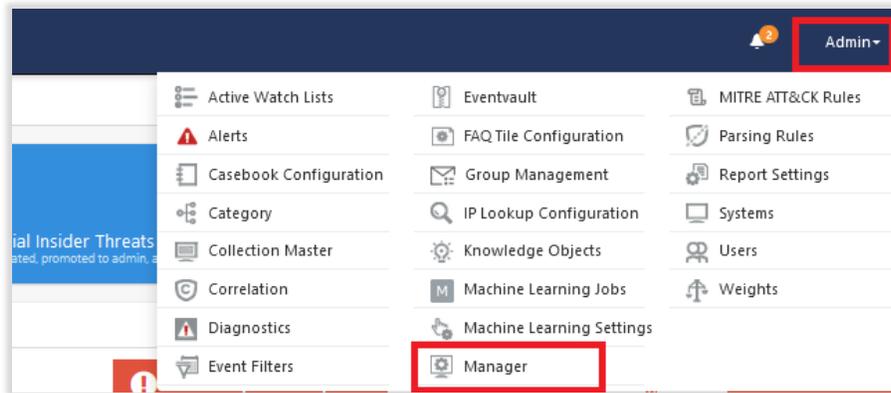
7. Click **OK** to proceed.
- Successful configuration pop-up message is shown.



8. Click **OK** to exit Carbon Black Integrator configuration.

4. Verifying Carbon Black Protection Integration in EventTracker

1. Launch the EventTracker Manger.
2. Select Manager under Admin drop-down.



3. Go to the **Direct Log Archiver** tab and check if the configurations are replicated as shown below:

MANAGER CONFIGURATION

CONFIGURATION syslog / VIRTUAL COLLECTION POINT **DIRECT LOG ARCHIVER / NETFLOW RECEIVER** AGENT SETTINGS

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Direct log file archiving from external sources

Purge files after days Maximum files per cycle Global virtual collection point

LOG FILE FOLDER	CONFIGURATION NAME	LOG FILE EXTENSION	VCP PORT	FIELD SEPARATOR	LOG TYPE
C:\Data\VirtualCollectionPoint\CB Output	CB	csv	GLOBAL	,	

ADD **EDIT** REMOVE

4. Select Carbon Black Protection integrator DLA configuration and click **Edit** to verify DLA configuration further.

The screenshot shows the 'Direct Archiver Configuration' window. The following fields are highlighted with red boxes:

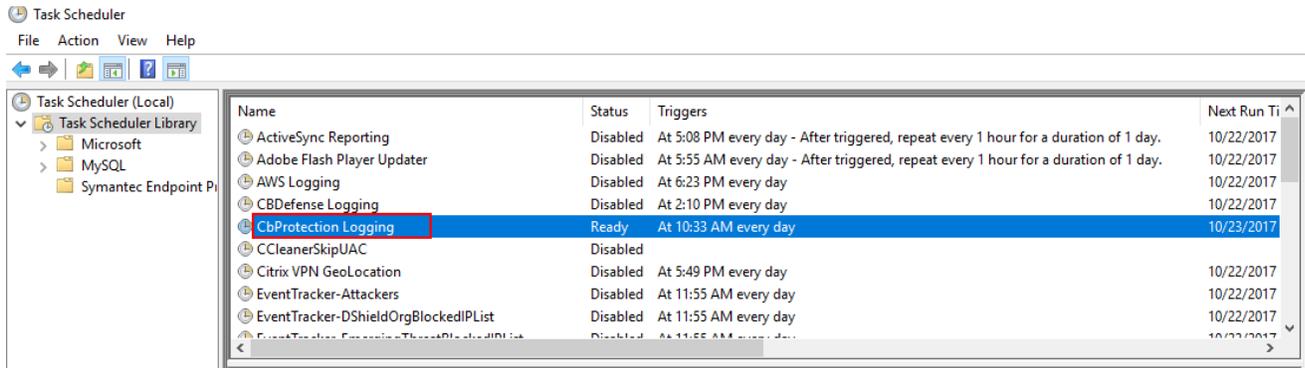
- Type:** Others
- Logfile Extension:** csv
- Configuration Name:** CB
- Field Separator:** Others
- Separator:** \
- Starting Line Offset:** 0
- Extract field names from header:**

5. Verify configured settings and click **Configure** to proceed.

The screenshot shows the 'Direct Archiver Configuration' window with the following fields and settings:

- Log source:** CB Protection
- Computer Name:** CB Protection
- Computer IP:** 0.0.0.0
- System Type:** Unknown
- System Description:** (empty)
- Comment Line Token:** (empty)
- Log File Format:** Custom Log File Format
- Message Fields:** eventTime
- Select Event Date and Time Fields:** No of Fields: 1, Date Field: eventTime
- Select Date Time Format Fields:** Format Value: AUTO
- Select Column Mapping:** Computer

6. Verify configured settings and click Cancel if settings are correct.
7. Go to Start and open **Task Scheduler** to verify **Carbon BlackProtection Logging** scheduled task.



- Adjust task trigger schedule for the task as per your requirement.
- If task is altered, save it with admin credentials.

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