



How-To Guide

Configure Syslog Over TLS in Netsurion Open XDR

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Abstract

This guide provides instructions to configure syslog over TLS to forward data from the Device or Client to Netsurion Open XDR using a Certificate.

Note:

The screen/ figure references are only for illustration purpose and may not match the installed product UI.

Scope

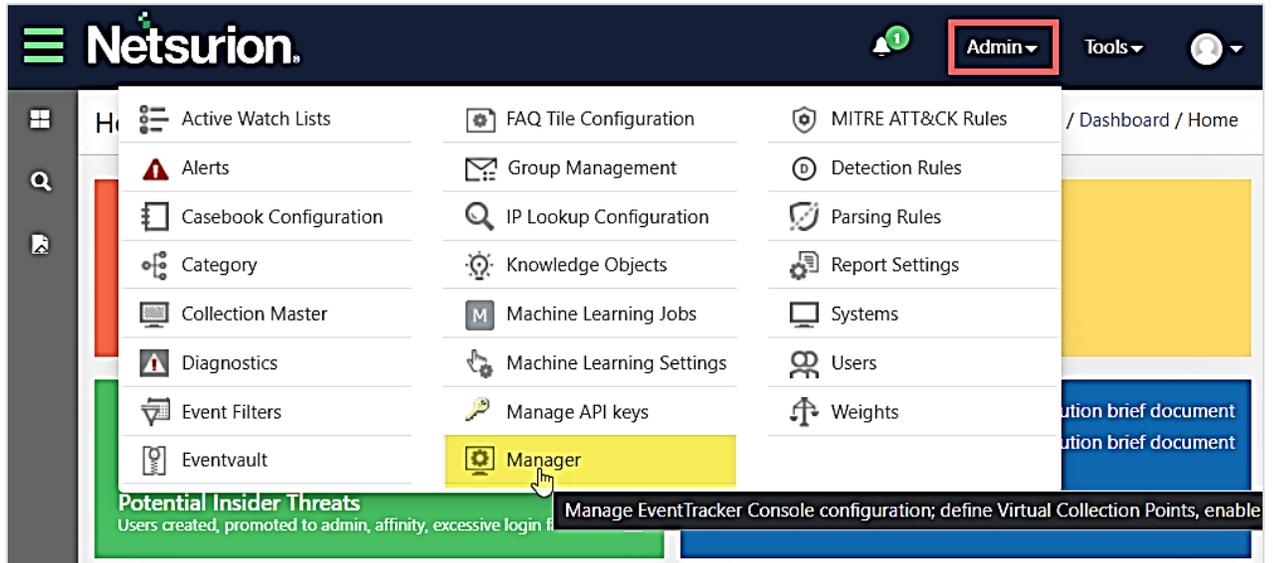
The configuration details in this guide are consistent with Netsurion Open XDR 9.3 or later.

Audience

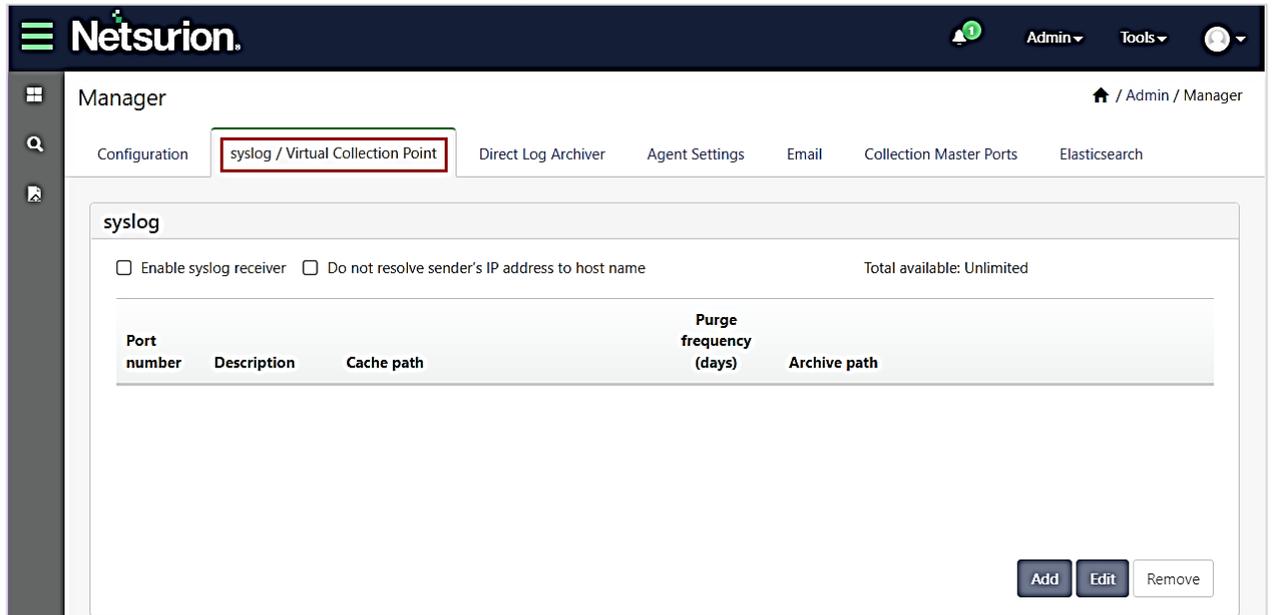
This guide is for the administrators responsible for configuring syslog over TLS using the certificate provided by Netsurion.

To configure syslog over TLS in Netsurion Open XDR,

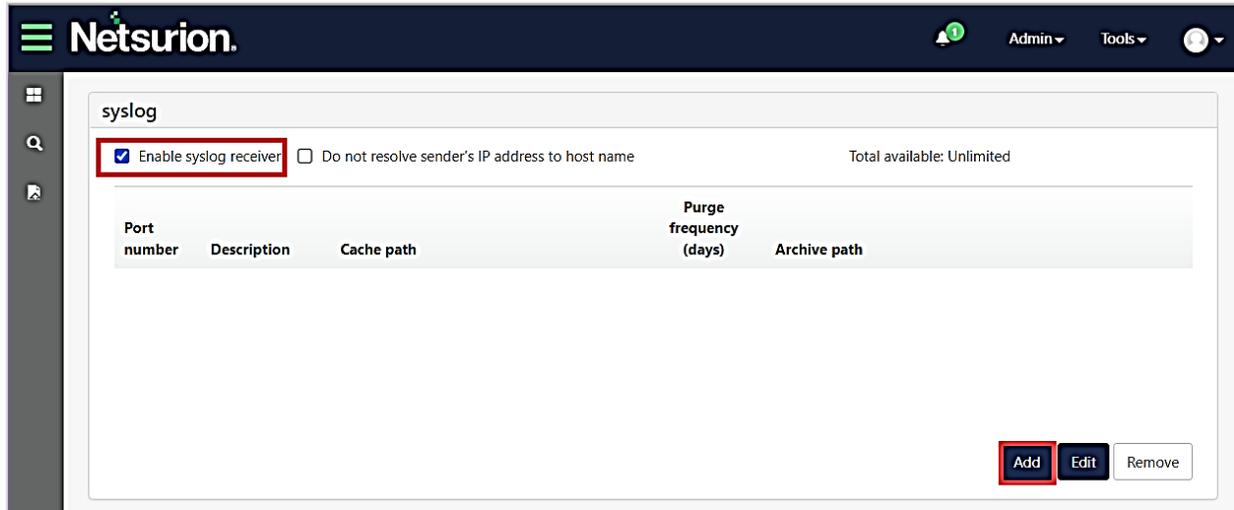
1. Log in to Netsurion Open XDR, hover over the **Admin** menu and click **Manager**.



2. In the Manager interface, click the syslog/ Virtual Collection Point tab.



- In the **syslog** pane, select the **Enable syslog receiver** check box and click **Add** to add the configuration details.



- In the **syslog Receiver Port** window, specify the **Port Number** and then select the **Enable TLS** check box to provide the certificate information.

syslog Receiver Port ✕

Port Number

Description

Cache Path
 Browse...

Note: Configuring cache path on different disk drive(s) would help in enhancing the application's performance.

Purge archives older than days

Enable TLS

Resolve Hostname
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Raw syslog forward:
 Select a destination and port to which all the incoming events will be forwarded as raw syslog messages.

Trap Destination (IP Address or host name)

Mode: UDP TCP

TCP Port

Save
Cancel

- Browse and locate the appropriate **Certificate file path** and the **Certificate key file path** details.

Note:

Access the **syslogserver.cert.pem** certificate file and the **syslogserver.key.pem** certificate key file distributed with the product by navigating to the **\EventTracker\Cert** path.

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Certificate key file path
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Password

Note: Optional: Enter the password if private key is password protected.

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6. After providing all the details, click **Save**.

If the sending device supports connecting to servers with the certificate issued by an untrusted Certificate Authority (CA, also known as "anonymous" mode), then ignore the following steps.

7. Download the CA certificate from CA certificate file.
<https://downloads.netsurion.com/Syslogover-TLS/syslogovertlsca-cert.zip>
8. Add the CA certificate to the trusted CA list on the Device or Client side. Refer the Device or Client specific documentation for more details.

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