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How to manage Audit log of Squid
Syslog

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Preface

Squid is a common proxy service in Linux. In order to let N-Reporter manage Squid Syslog without problem, please use the following recommended steps to set up your own Syslog.

In this manual, we use Linux Squid 2.7 for example.

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How to set up Output format of Linux Squid

Linux Squid setup steps

► **step1:** Login Linux with root or the user has a property permission.

```
vi /etc/squid/squid.conf
```

► **step2:** Search the location of access_log. Add a new line or edit as following.

```
#access_log /var/log/squid/access.log squid
```

```
access_log syslog:local4.info squid
```

Local4.info (Make changes according to your needs.)

► **step3:** Search the location of access_log. Add a new line or edit as following.

```
logformat
```

```
squid %ts.%03tu %>a %Ss/%03Hs %<st %rm %ru %un %Sh/%<A %mt
```

► **step4:** Search the location of access_log. Add a new line or edit as following.

```
/etc/init.d/squid restart
```

How to set up Linux rsyslog forward to squid syslog

Linux setup:

► **step1:** Login Linux with root or the user has a proper permission.

```
vi /etc/rsyslog.conf
```

► **step2:** Add a new line in the end of rsyslog.conf profile, 192.168.2.3 is an IP of N-Reporter. The setting of local4 must be as the same as squid.conf (access_log syslog:local4.info squid) .

```
local4.* @192.168.2.3
```

► **step3:** Restart rsyslog

```
/etc/init.d/rsyslog restart
```

► **step4:** After restarting rsyslog, all the squid syslog of Linux will be send to N-Reporter (192.168.2.3)

In this case, N-Reporter can track all the syslog of squid completely.

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