

# Getting started with the Splunk integration in Chrome Enterprise Core

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## Resources

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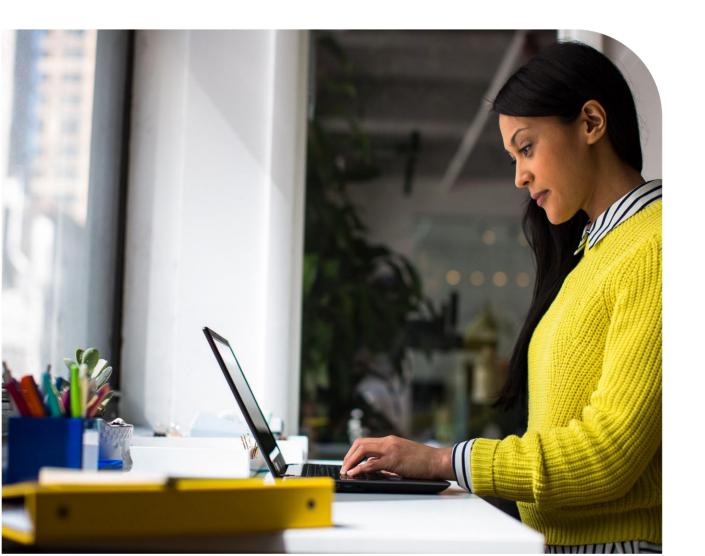




#### The value of the Chrome browser and Splunk integration

The integration between Splunk and the Chrome browser provides valuable insights into unsafe behavior and potential attackers targeting your enterprise. Through the Splunk integration, Chrome offers insights into security events such as malware transfers, visits to unsafe sites, password reuse, and more. By having visibility into these events, you can gain even more confidence in detecting malicious activity and respond quickly to prevent possible breaches.

Once the integration is set up, the data is sent from the Chrome browser to Splunk. Additionally, the data is logged in the Google Admin console under Reporting > Audit and Investigation > Chrome log events. For more information, please review this Help Center article.





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#### Install the Google Chrome Add-on for Splunk

Install the Google Chrome Technical Add-on for your Splunk instance.

- More details about the install process is located via this link.
- For customer-managed deployments, refer to the standard methods for Splunk Add-on installs as documented for a <u>Single Server Install</u> or a <u>Distributed Environment Install</u>.
- For steps to install add-ons for Splunk Cloud, refer to <u>Install apps in your Splunk Cloud Deployment</u>.

#### Getting started with the Google Chrome App for Splunk

The <u>Google Chrome App for Splunk</u> provides users with pre built dashboards and analytics to help investigate the most critical incidents of risky extension installs, malware transfer and unsafe site visits. The solution also includes incident response or automation-driven detections, simplifying the process of responding to critical incidents. View the most updated instructions on how to set up the Google Chrome App for Splunk on <u>the Splunk Lantern page</u>.





# View Chrome events in Splunk

Events will start being sent to Splunk once the changed policy is applied to the enrolled machines in Chrome Enterprise Core.

The source name override you have specified during the setup of the HEC in Splunk is the keyword to search for Chrome events.

For more information about what events are sent to Splunk, please <u>review this Help Center article</u>.

Note that password events will only be sent if the feature is turned on. For more information about Password Alert, please <u>review this blog</u>.

Chrome Data Protection events are available only for customers who have purchased Chrome Enterprise Premium. For more information about Chrome Enterprise Premium and how to set it up, go to <a href="Protect Chrome users with Chrome Enterprise Premium Threat and Data">Protection.</a>



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