

# System integration and analysis

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System and software integration





# 20% Discount for MUM assistant

## Problem

Multiple events on the network as a system administrator or network administrator we don't know locate the source.



## Symptom

Multiple incidents that are not managed.  
Feeling of lack of control over the network.



## Solution

Centralized system to collect, normalize,  
visualization and analysis



# AGENDA

- Intro
- Architecture
- ELK (ElasticSearch, Logstash, Kibana)
- Mkt + AAA+ with Freeradius and DB centralized
- Mkt + Centralized Log and ELK
- Mkt + Monitoring and ELK
- Mkt + Netflow and ELK
- Q and A

*¿What is?*

**ELK**



# Elasticsearch

Elasticsearch is a search engine based on Lucene. It provides a distributed, multitenant-capable full-text search engine with an HTTP web interface and schema-free JSON documents.



# Elasticsearch

Elasticsearch is developed in Java and is released as open source under the terms of the Apache License



# Elasticsearch

- Distributed, scalable, and highly available
  - Real-time search and analytics capabilities
  - Sophisticated RESTful API
- 
- <https://www.elastic.co/products/elasticsearch>



# Elasticsearch

- **Schema-free, REST & JSON based distributed search engine**
- **Open Source: Apache License 2.0**
- **Easy to understand, yet very powerful query language**

*Full text search (phrase, fuzzy)*

*Numeric search (support ranges, dates, ipv4 addresses)*

*Highlighting*

*Aggregations*

*Suggestions*



# Logstash

Logstash is a tool to collect, process, and forward events and log messages. Collection is accomplished via configurable input plugins including raw socket/packet communication, file tailing, and several message bus clients.



# Logstash

- Centralize data processing of all types
  - Normalize varying schema and formats
  - Quickly extend to custom log formats
  - Easily add plugins for custom data sources
- <https://wikitech.wikimedia.org/wiki/Logstash>



# Logstash

- **Inputs: collect data from variety of sources**
- **Filters: parse, process and enrich data**
- **Outputs: push data to a variety of destinations**

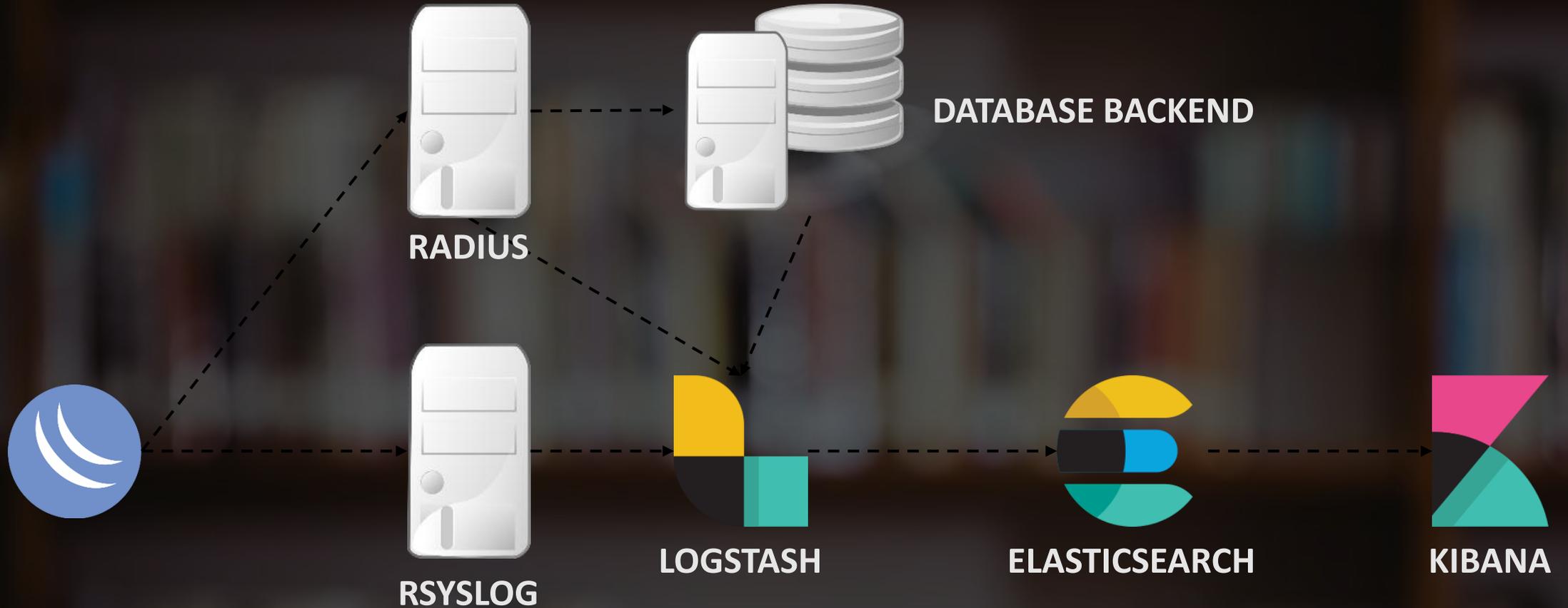


# Kibana

- Execute queries on your data & visualize results
- Add/remove widgets
- Share/Save/Load dashboards
- Open Source: Apache License 2.0



# Big Picture





# AAA System



# Radius

RADIUS is an application level protocol that carries Authentication, Authorization and Accounting (AAA) configuration information between a Network Access Server (NAS) and a Shared Authentication Server. Radius defined in RFC 2865



# Radius

In MikroTik RouterOS itself support RADIUS for Hotspot, PPP, DHCP, Wireless and Login. RADIUS using transport protocol UDP.

UDP Port 1812 – Authentication

UDP Port 1813 – Accounting



# Radius

## RADIUS operation typically split into three type :

- Dial-In User : User who requesting for login and password
- Network Access Server (NAS) / RADIUS Client : Device who accept the request from dial-in user and  
: Forward into RADIUS Server.
- Shared Authentication Server / RADIUS Server : Device who make a decision for request (Accept,  
: Reject or Challenge)

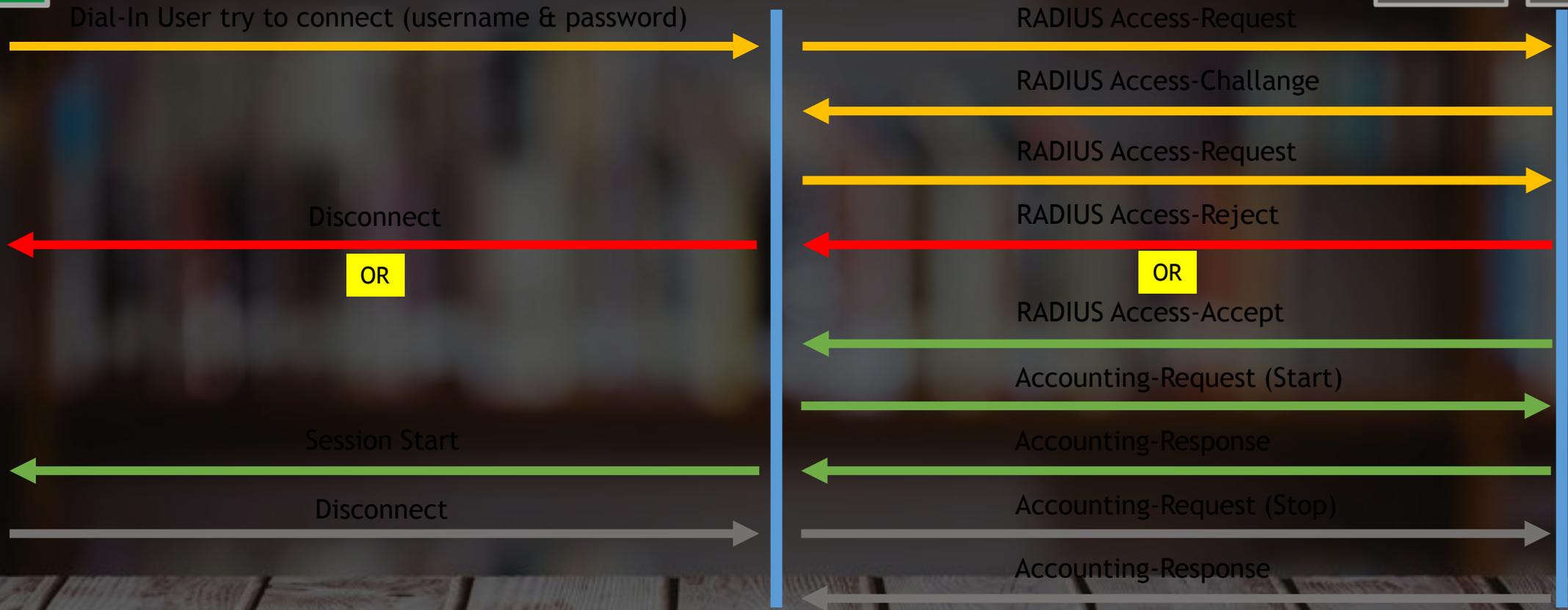




Link-Establishment



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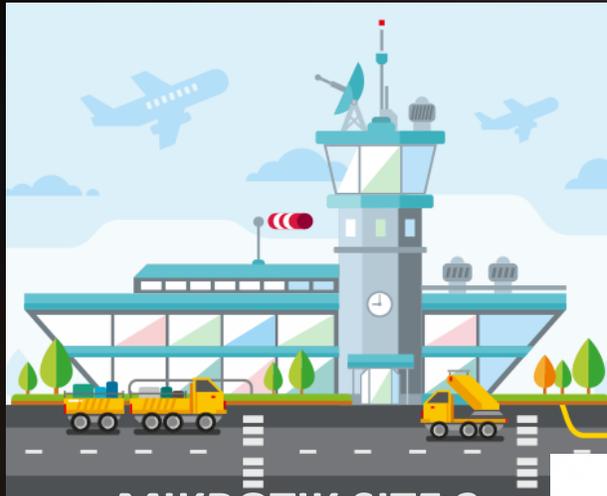


# Topology





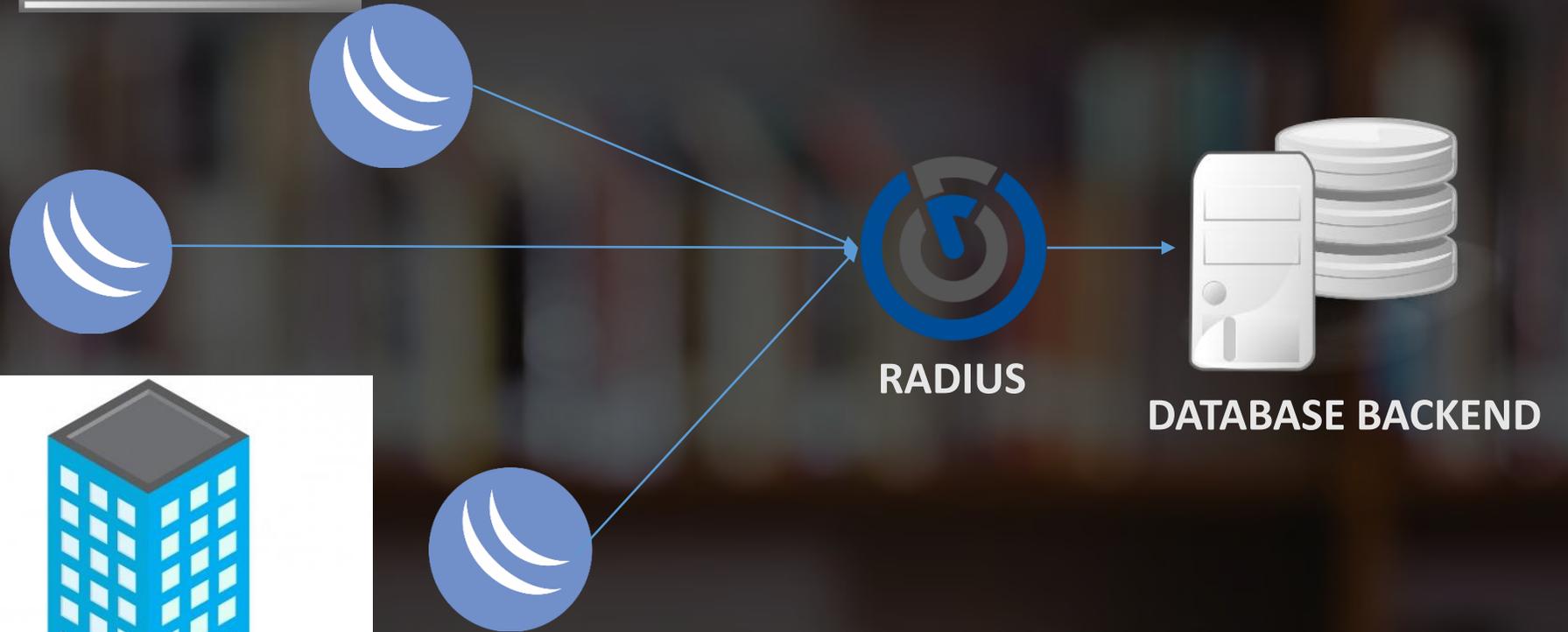
MIKROTIK SITE 3



MIKROTIK SITE 2



MIKROTIK SITE 1



Radius

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#	Service	Called ID	Domain	Address	Secret
0	login			127.0.0.1	fajar123

1 item (1 selected)

Radius Server <127.0.0.1>

General Status

Service:  ppp  login  
 hotspot  wireless  
 dhcp

Called ID:

Domain:

Address: 127.0.0.1

Secret: fajar123

Authentication Port: 1812

Accounting Port: 1813

Timeout: 300 ms

Accounting Backup

Realm:

Src. Address: 0.0.0.0

enabled

OK  
Cancel  
Apply  
Disable  
Comment  
Copy  
Remove  
Reset Status



*service (ppp|login|hotspot|wireless|dhcp; Default: )*

- *hotspot* - HotSpot authentication service
- *login* - router's local user authentication
- *ppp* - Point-to-Point clients authentication
- *wireless* - wireless client
- *dhcp* - DHCP protocol client authentication

*Address (IPv4/IPv6 address; Default: 0.0.0.0)* IPv4 or IPv6 address of RADIUS server.

*Secret (string; Default: )* Shared secret used to access the RADIUS server.



Freeradius produces several logs  
that we can process with logstash

<http://code.metager.de/source/xref/freeradius/server/doc/schemas/logstash/>



```
# Tue Mar 10 15:32:24 2015
12# Packet-Type = Access-Request
13# User-Name = "test@example.com"
14# Calling-Station-Id = "01-02-03-04-05-06"
15# Called-Station-Id = "aa-bb-cc-dd-ee-ff:myssid"
16# NAS-Port = 10
17# NAS-IP-Address = 10.9.0.4
18# NAS-Identifier = "Wireless-Controller-1"
19# Service-Type = Framed-User
20# NAS-Port-Type = Wireless-802.11
21#
```

<http://code.metager.de/source/xref/freeradius/server/doc/schemas/logstash/>



```
26input {  
27  stdin {  
28    type => radiusdetail  
29  }  
30}
```

<http://code.metager.de/source/xref/freeradius/server/doc/schemas/logstash/>



```
filter {
34
35   if [type] == "radiusdetail" {
36
37       # join all lines of a record together
38       multiline {
39           pattern => "^[^t]"
40           negate => true
41           what => "previous"
42       }
43
44       # pull off the timestamp
45       grok {
46           match => [ "message", "%{?timestamp}>[^\n\t+](\n\t)" ]
47       }
48
49       # create the timestamp field
50       date {
51           match => [ "timestamp", "EEE MMM dd HH:mm:ss yyyy",
52                   "EEE MMM d HH:mm:ss yyyy" ]
53       }
54
55       # split the attributes and values into fields
56       kv {
57           field_split => "\n"
58           source => "message"
59           trim => "\ "
60           trimkey => "\t "
61       }
62   }
63}
```

<http://code.metager.de/source/xref/freeradius/server/doc/schemas/logstash/>



```
65output {
66  if [type] == "radiusdetail" {
67    elasticsearch {
68      host => localhost
69      protocol => http
70      cluster => elasticsearch
71      index_type => "detail"
72      index => "radius-%{+YYYY.MM.dd}"
73      flush_size => 1000
74    }
75  }
76}
```

<http://code.metager.de/source/xref/freeradius/server/doc/schemas/logstash/>



# Centralize Log



# RSYSLOG

RSYSLOG stand for "the rocket-fast system for log processing" is an open-source software utility used on UNIX and Unix-like computer systems for forwarding log messages in an IP network. It implements the basic syslog protocol, extends it with content-based filtering, rich filtering capabilities, flexible configuration options and adds features such as using TCP for transport

<http://www.rsyslog.com/rsyslog-8-19-0-v8-stable-released/>



# RSYSLOG

- Protocol supported by rsyslog are:
- ISO 8601 timestamp with millisecond granularity and timezone information
- The addition of the name of relays in the host fields to make it possible to track the path a given message has traversed
- Reliable transport using TCP
- Support GSS-API and TLS



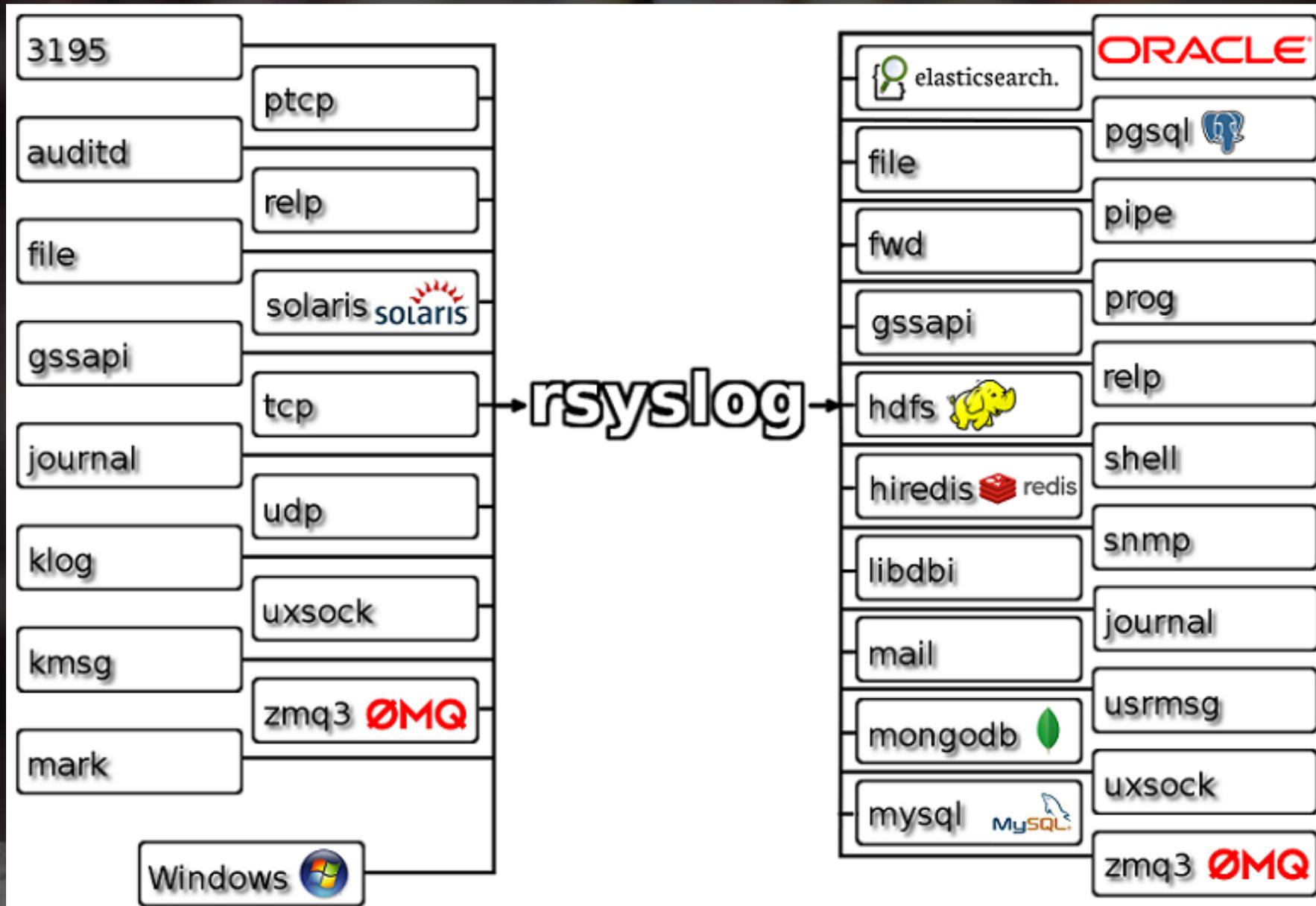
# RSYSLOG

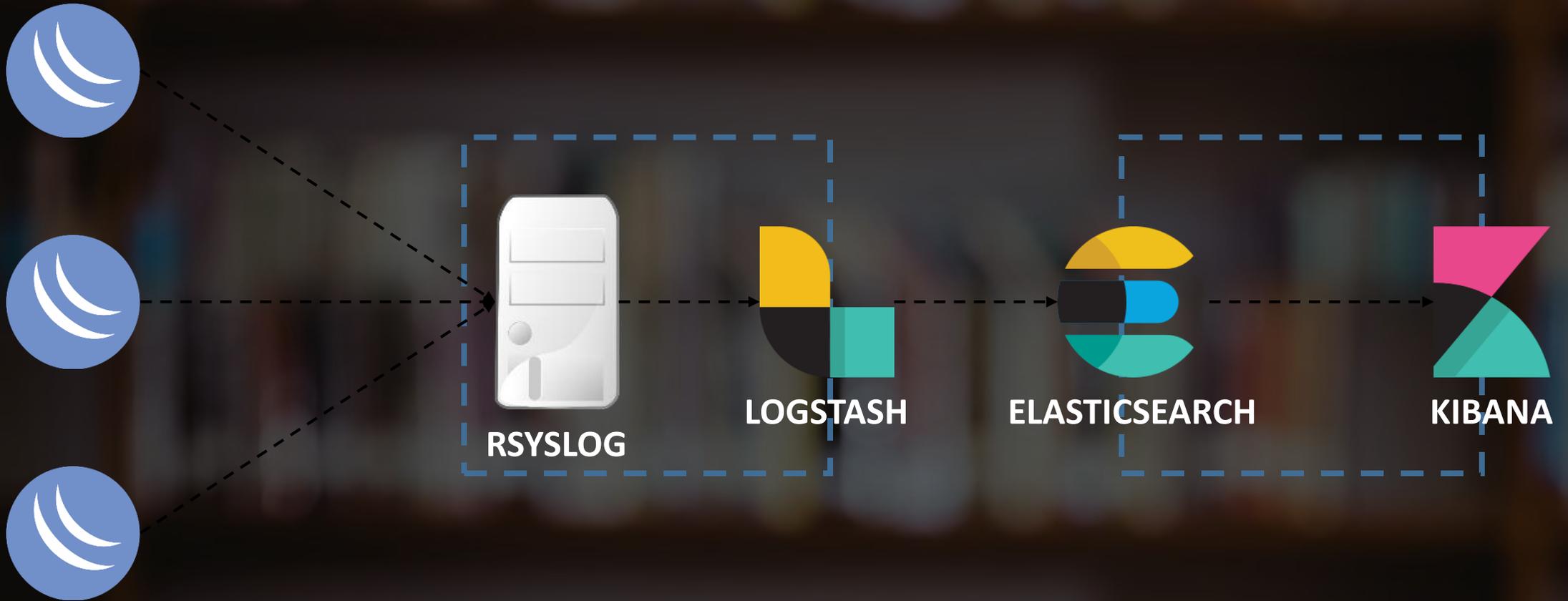
- Logging directly into various database engines.
- Support for RFC 5424, RFC 5425, RFC 5426
- Complete input/output support for systemd journal



# Topology







# MikroTik log Configuration



Logging

Rules Actions

+ - Filter Find

Name	Type
disk	disk
echo	echo
memory	memory
remote	remote

Log Action <remote>

Name: remote

Type: remote

Remote Address: IP.Address.LogServer

Remote Port: 514

Src. Address: 0.0.0.0

BSD Syslog

Syslog Facility: 3 (daemon)

Syslog Severity:

default

4 items (1 selected)

```
system logging action set remote remote=ip.address.log.server
```



The image displays four instances of the 'New Log Rule' dialog box, arranged in a 2x2 grid. Each dialog box has a title bar with a close button (X) and a maximize button (square). The dialog boxes are configured as follows:

- Top-left:** Topics:  critical; Prefix: (empty); Action: remote. Buttons: OK, Cancel, Apply, Disable, Copy, Remove. Status: enabled.
- Top-right:** Topics:  error; Prefix: (empty); Action: remote. Buttons: OK, Cancel, Apply, Disable, Copy, Remove. Status: enabled.
- Bottom-left:** Topics:  warning; Prefix: (empty); Action: remote. Buttons: OK, Cancel, Apply, Disable, Copy, Remove. Status: enabled.
- Bottom-right:** Topics:  info; Prefix: (empty); Action: remote. Buttons: OK, Cancel, Apply, Disable, Copy, Remove. Status: enabled.

```
/system logging
add action=remote topics=critical
add action=remote topics=error
add action=remote topics=info
add action=remote topics=warning
```



Logging

Rules Actions

+ - ✓ ✗ ⌵ Find

Action ⌵ contains ⌵ remote ⌵ + - Filter

Topics	Prefix	Action
critical		remote
error		remote
info		remote
warning		remote

4 items out of 8 (1 selected)



# Monitoring



```
/snmp set enabled=yes contact="jose.roman@fibercli.com" location="Mum Madrid" trap-community=public trap-version=2
```



Host Templates IPMI Macros Host inventory Encryption

Host name

Visible name

Groups

In groups

- Discovered hosts
- Zabbix servers

Other groups

- Database servers
- Hypervisors
- JB applications
- Linux servers
- Network devices
- SNMP hosts
- Templates
- UPS devices
- Virtual machines
- Web servers
- Windows servers

New group

Agent interfaces

IP ADDRESS	DNS NAME	CONNECT TO	PORT	DEFAULT
<input type="text" value="192.168.3.239"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="button" value="IP"/> <input type="button" value="DNS"/>	<input type="text" value="10050"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/> <a href="#">Remove</a>

[Add](#)

SNMP interfaces

<input type="text" value="127.0.0.1"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="button" value="IP"/> <input type="button" value="DNS"/>	<input type="text" value="161"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/> <a href="#">Remove</a>
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Use bulk requests

[Add](#)

JMX interfaces [Add](#)

IPMI interfaces [Add](#)

Description

Monitored by proxy

Enabled



There are clients to export data to databases like fluentdb.

<https://github.com/jojohappy/zabbix-relay>



We can integrate Zabbix events as input in Logstash, with the goal to have a decoupled monitorization.

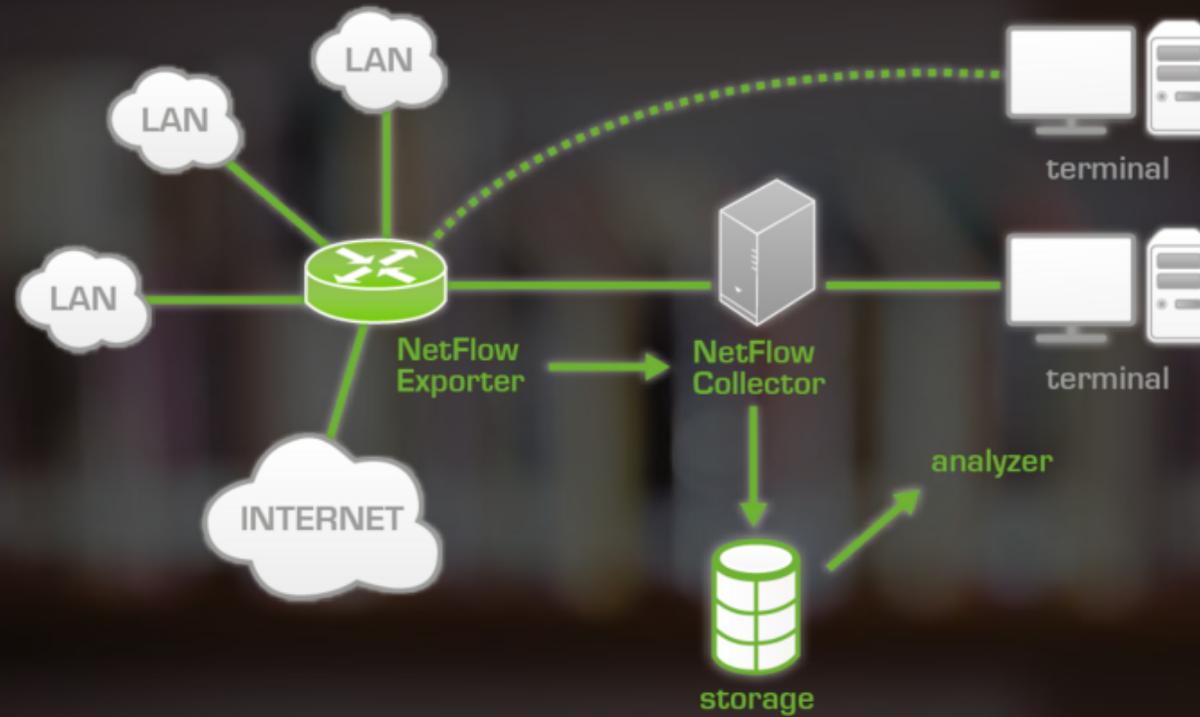


# Netflow



**NetFlow** is a network protocol created by [Cisco Systems](#) to collect information about ip traffic.





```
/ip traffic-flow set active-flow-timeout=30m cache-entries=1M  
\enabled=yes inactive-flow-timeout=15s interfaces=all
```



```
/ip traffic-flow target add dst-address=ip.server port=5055 disabled=no  
\v9-template-refresh=20 v9-template-timeout=30m version=9
```



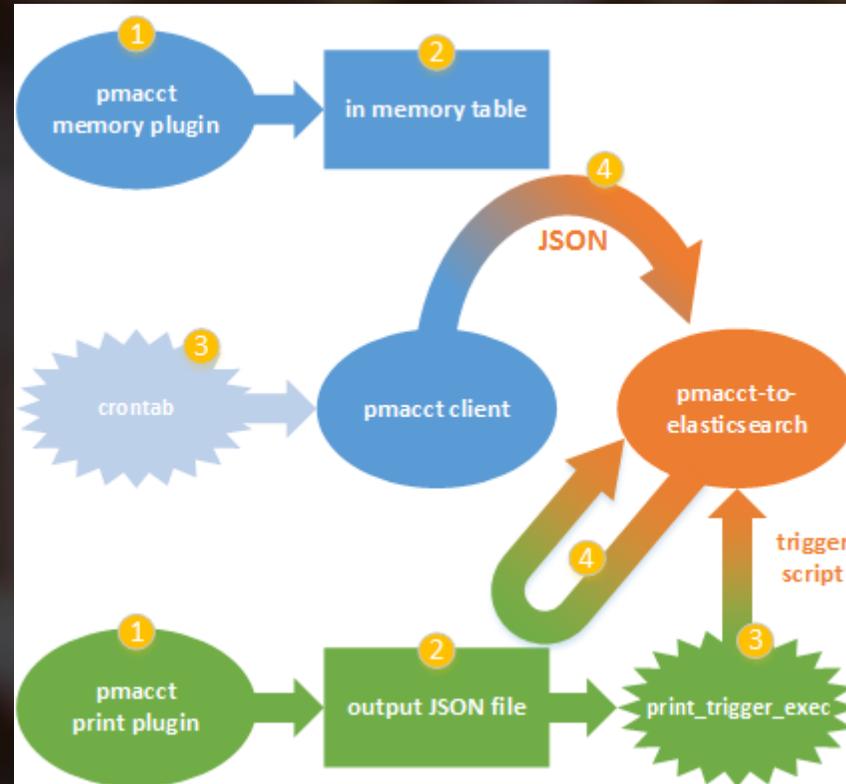
**To collect the output we need a netflow collector, for example pmacctsonda.**



**When we collect the logs with pmacct we'll send the output in json format to ElasticSearch.**

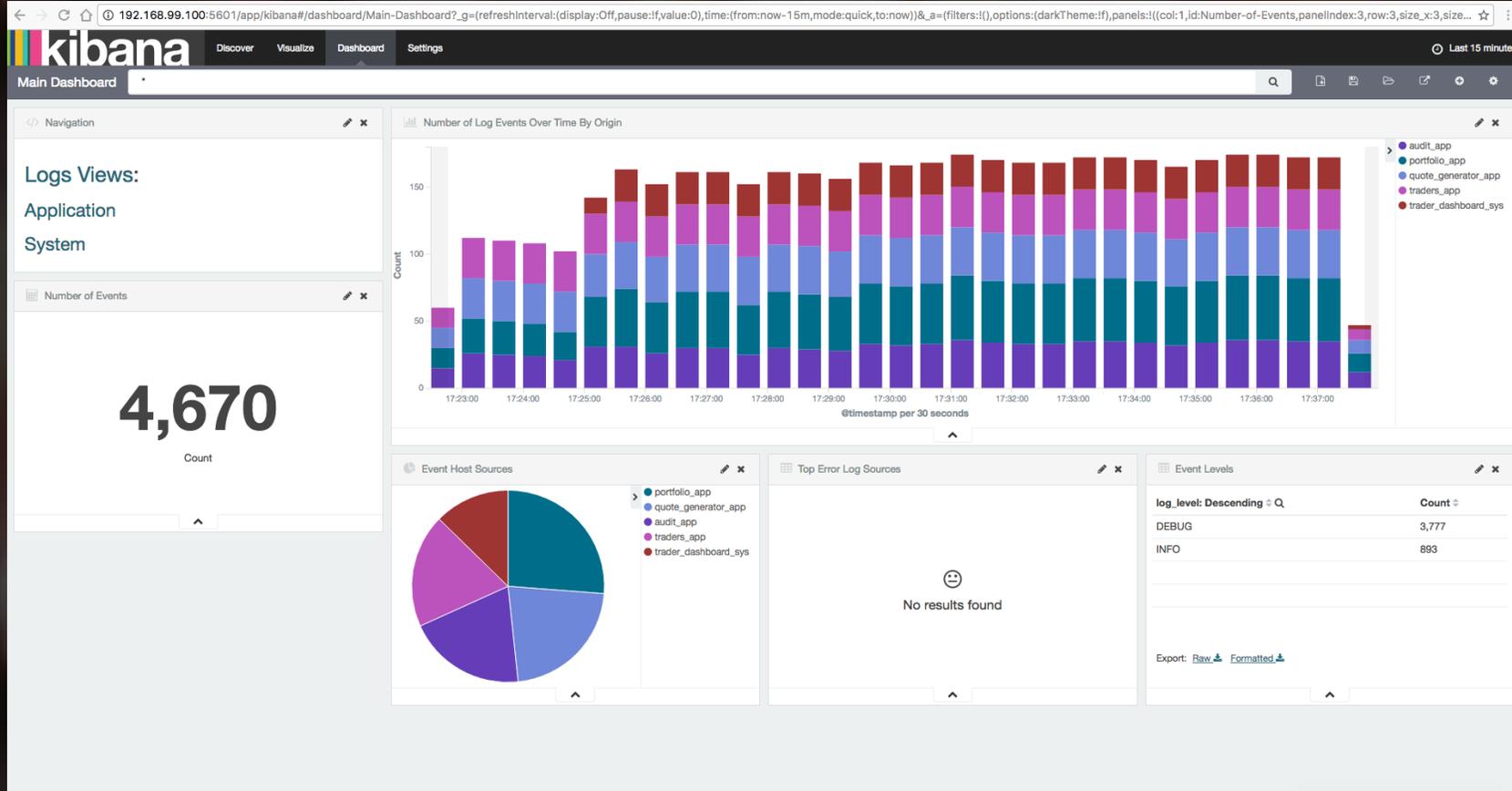
<https://github.com/pierky/pmacct-to-elasticsearch/blob/master/CONFIGURATION.md>





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# Additional resources



# Grafana

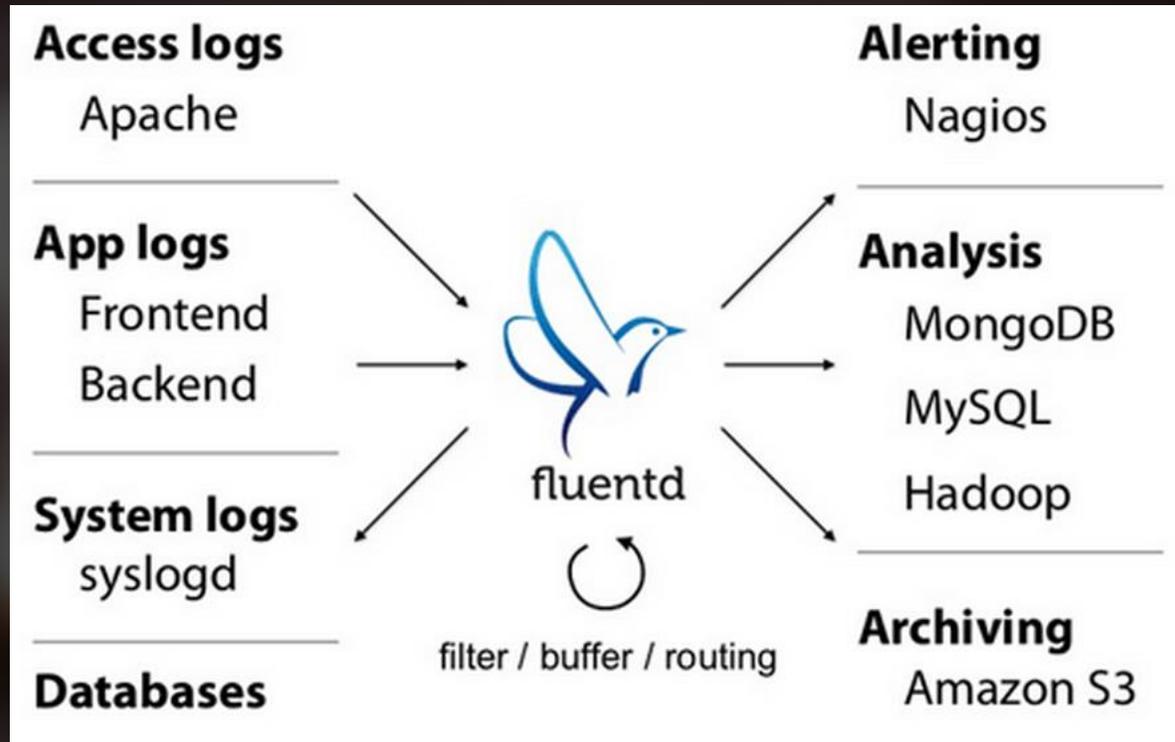


# Influxdb



# Fluentd





# Thank you



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