



# IPInfo App for Splunk

App Version: 8.1.0

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Description: Installation and Configuration Document for IPInfo App for Splunk

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# **Version Summary**

Version	Change History	
1.0.0	Initial Version	
1.0.2	Added Screenshots and Web Installation Steps	
1.0.3	Replace old dashboard screen with new	
1.0.7	Bug Fixes, Color Issues	
3.0.0	Support to Splunk 8.x and Python 3.x	
	Internal Updates	
3.4.9	New scripted lookup New ipinfobatch command	
3.4.11	Bug Fixes and Compliance to Splunk App Inspect	
3.5.3	Added Support for New Lookup Commands privacyinfolookup - domaininfolookup - rangesinfolookup	
3.5.4	Bugfixes : Issues with ipinfolookup command	
4.0.0	IPInfo not supported on Splunk 6.x and 7.x	
4.0.9	Support for Proxy Settings	
5.0.2	Support for Splunk Search Head Cluster	
5.1.1	Merging ipinfolookup capability with original ipinfo command privacyinfolookup to now be privacyinfo domaininfolookup to now be domaininfo rangesinfolookup to now be rangesinfo	
5.1.2	Updating `ipinfo` command to support ipinfo bulk api	
5.2.8	Feature to Add custom rootCA certificate. Feature to Disable the SSL verification. Couple of other Bug fixes.	
5.2.10	Updating Python Library to 1.6.15 Bug Fixes with Batch Command	
5.3.1	Adding WorkFlow Action for IPinfo	
5.4.0	Support batching in privacy command	
5.4.1	Cleaning Up of Old Splunk Code and Minor Bug Fixes	
5.4.2	Introducing lat/lon along with loc, for better support with maps	
5.4.3	Adding prefix=true support with ipinfo command	
5.5.0	Multi IP support with ipinfo command (eg  ipinfo src_ip dest_ip)	
5.5.1	Adding a privacy=true flag so that the results are returned as part of the ipinfo command and other Minor Bug Fixes	





5.6.1	Adding a privacy=true flag so that the results are returned as part of the ipinfo command Support for multiple fields in one go , for example   ipinfo prefix=true src_ip, dest_ip
5.6.2	Minor BugFixes with commands
5.6.3	Minor BugFixes with setup page
5.7.3	Support for Authenticated Proxy Splunk Cloud Compatibility Package
5.7.4	Bug Fixes with Authenticated Proxy Splunk Cloud Compatibility Package
6.0.1	Updates to <i>ipinfobatch</i> command output  New options available for <i>ipinfo</i> command  Minor Bug fixes
7.0.7	NEW Setup Page for MMDB Support for all commands using MMDB and API Bugfix related to NULL values with ipinfo command Bugfix on issues with unauthenticated Proxy Other Minor BugFixes
7.0.8	Bugfix multiple API calls or single IP lookup using ipinfo command Other Minor BugFixes
7.1.1	Persistent Setup Page Updated MMDB section on Setup Page Enhancement where MMDB is supported automatically on non-default management port. Other Minor BugFixes
8.0.0	Fix MMBD Bundle Accumulation Issues (old bundle gets deleted as new MMDB bundle is downloaded) Fix ipinfo command to work in MMDB mode to work without "list_storage_password" capability. Other Minor BugFixes
8.1.0	New Feature Manual Trigger to Sync the MMDB Fix IPV6 IP returning results on the Dashboard Disabled Replication to Indexing Layer Other Minor BugFixes





# **Supported OS**

All Splunk supported OS (Windows, Linux, Mac)

Ref: https://www.splunk.com/en\_us/download/splunk-enterprise.html

# **Supported Splunk**

Splunk	
Splunk 8.X	
Splunk 9.X	





# IPInfo App for Splunk

IPInfo App for Splunk provides an Integration between IPInfo API and Splunk. This app adds *ipinfo* command to Splunk, which uses IPINFO API engine to lookup information for a given IP.

NEW- MMDB Download is also available and supports all features of *ipinfo* command.

NOTE: MMDB is downloaded in /lookups section of app directory. And does not overwrite splunk's default MMDB.





### Install the App

NOTE: There are multiple ways of deploying apps to Splunk environment, in this document we'll be referring installation via CLI (Command Line Interface)

### CASE1: SINGLE STAND ALONE MACHINE (CLI)

Single standalone Splunk Enterprise Installation on Windows/\*NIX



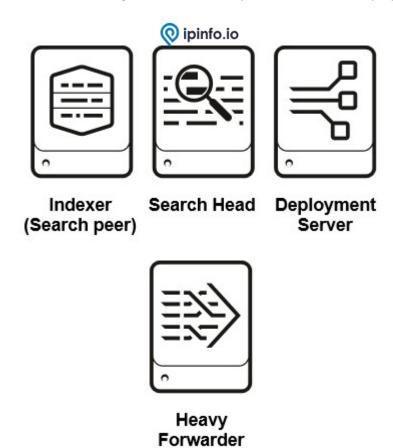
- 1. Unzip ipinfo\_app.spl
- 2. Copy the unzipped directory ipinfo\_app to \$SPLUNK\_HOME/etc/apps/
- 3. Open CLI and restart Splunk using ./splunk restart





#### CASE2: DISTRIBUTED ARCHITECTURE

Single Indexer Single Search head and Single forwarder (Heavy or Universal) and Deployment server



- 1. Unzip ipinfo\_app.spl
- 2. **Copy** the unzipped directory **ipinfo\_app** to deployment server in the following location \$SPLUNK\_HOME/etc/deployment-apps/
- 3. Add following to serverclass.conf

[serverClass:<SEARCHHEAD\_SERVERCLASS>:app:< ipinfo\_app > ] stateOnClient=enabled restartSplunkd=true

4. Open CLI deploy the apps using following command ./splunk reload deploy-server





#### CASE3: DISTRIBUTED ARCHITECTURE

Multiple non-clustered Indexers, Multiple non-clustered SearchHeads, Forwarder(Heavy or Universal) and













Indexer

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Search Head Search Head Search Head ipinfo.io

Deployment server



Deployment Server



Heavy Forwarder

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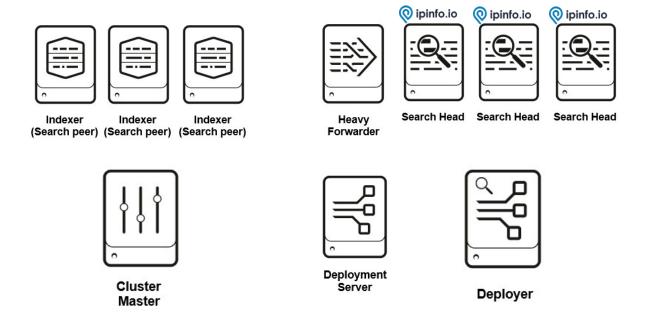
4. Open CLI deploy the apps using following command ./splunk reload deploy-server





#### CASE4: DISTRIBUTED ARCHITECTURE

Single Site clustered Indexer, Clustered Search heads and Forwarder (Heavy or Universal).



- 1. Unzip ipinfo\_app.spl
- 2. Copy ipinfo\_app to Deployer server in the following location \$SPLUNK\_HOME/etc/shcluster/apps/
- 3. Open CLI on Deployer and deploy the app on Search Head Cluster using following command ./splunk apply shcluster-bundle -target <URI>:<management\_port> -auth <username>:<password>



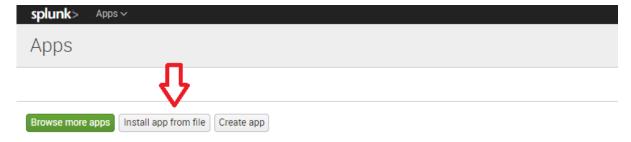


### CASE5: STANDALONE INSTALLATION (WEB)

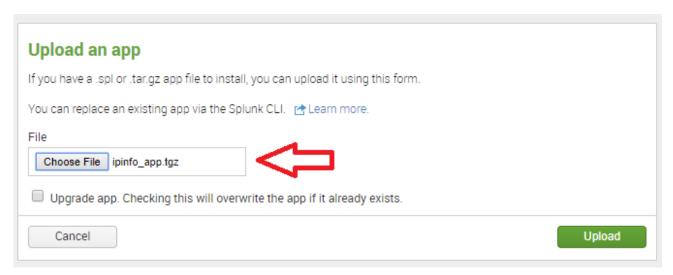
1. On the Splunk Home Page, Click on "Manage Apps"



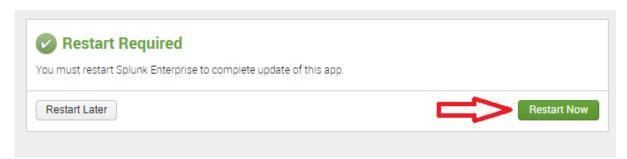
2. On the Manage Apps page, Click on "Install app from file"



3. Select path for IPINFO Splunk app and Click "Upload"



4. Splunk will prompt you to restart the machine, please restart







### Configuration

- 1. After Installation and restart, login to the Splunk web and go to 'Manage Apps'
- 2. It will list out all the installed application and their configuration option.
- 3. Look for 'IPINFO and click on the 'Set-Up' link to configure the add on.
- 4.





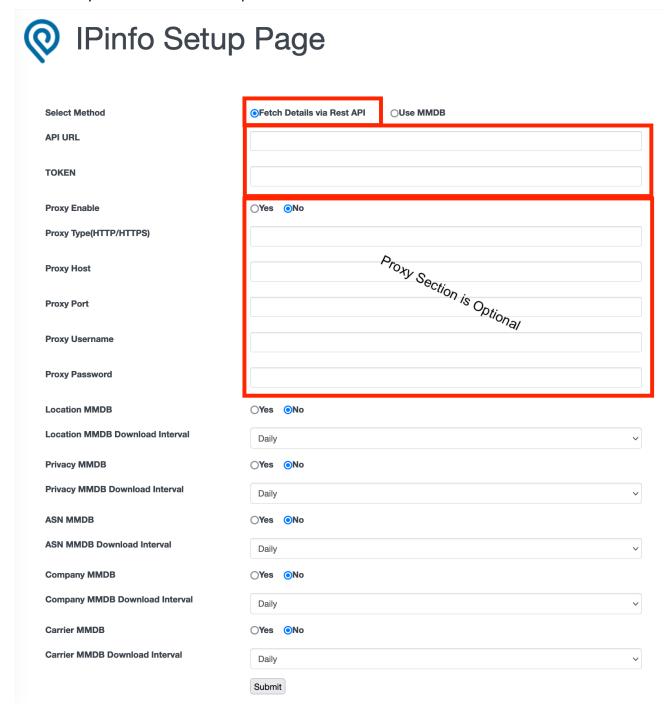


### **API Configuration**

If you select "Rest API"

API URL and TOKEN are mandatory fields

All Proxy related fields will be optional fields









If you select "MMDB"

TOKEN and MMDB related fields will be mandatory fields

All Proxy related fields will be optional fields

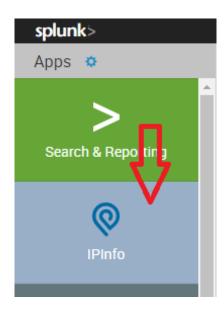


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### **ACCESSING THE APP**



### **TEST COMMAND**

-----IPInfo ------

| makeresults 1 | eval IP1=random()%192, IP2=random()%210, IP3=random()%230, IP4=random()%192, IP='IP1'.".".'IP2'.".".'IP3'.".".'IP4'| table \_time IP | ipinfo IP

### **Availability of Fields**

- Basic Subscription ip, city, region, country, loc, org, postal, hostname
- Standard Subscription ip, city, region, country, loc, postal, hostname asn\_asn, asn\_name, asn domain, asn route, asn type
- **Pro Subscription** ip, city, region, country, loc, postal, hostname asn\_asn, asn\_name, asn\_domain, asn\_route, asn\_type, company\_name, company\_domain, company\_type, carrier\_name, carrier\_mcc, carrier\_mnc



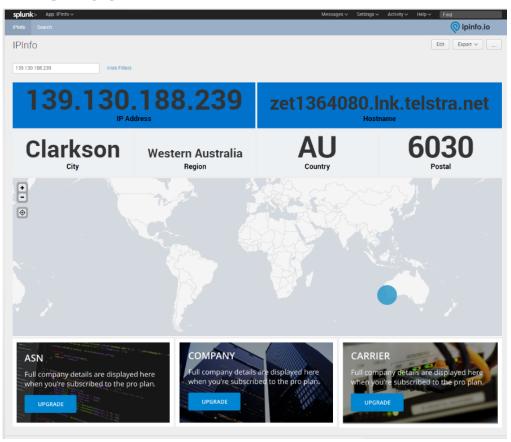


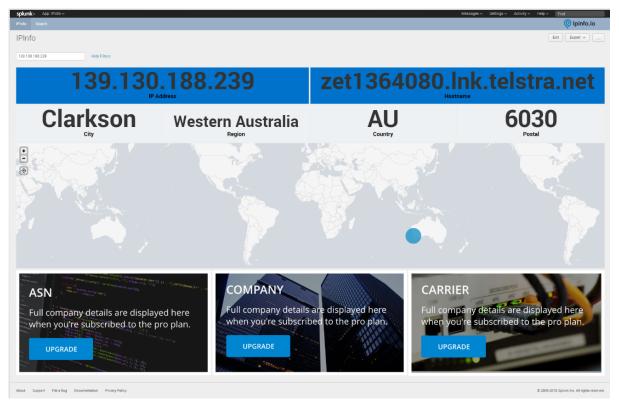
| makeresults count=2000 eval IP1=random()%192, IP2=random()%210, IP3=random()%230, IP4=random()%192, IP='IP1'.".".'IP2'.".".'IP3'.".".'IP4' | table time IP | ipinfo IP ----- IPInfo ----- (Multi) | makeresults count=100 eval IP1=random()%192, IP2=random()%210, IP3=random()%230, IP4=random()%192, SRCIP='IP1'.".".'IP2'.".".'IP3'.".".'IP4' eval IP1=random()%192, IP2=random()%210, IP3=random()%230, IP4=random()%192, DESTIP='IP1'.".".'IP2'.".".'IP3'.".".'IP4' table time SRCIP DESTIP | ipinfo SRCIP DESTIP ----- IPInfo ----- (prefix) | makeresults count=100 eval IP1=random()%192, IP2=random()%210, IP3=random()%230, IP4=random()%192, SRCIP='IP1'.".".'IP2'.".".'IP3'.".".'IP4' | table \_time SRCIP | ipinfo prefix=true SRCIP ----- IPInfo ----- (privacy) | makeresults count=2000 eval IP1=random()%192, IP2=random()%210, IP3=random()%230, IP4=random()%192, SRCIP='IP1'.".".'IP2'.".".'IP3'.".".'IP4' eval IP1=random()%192, IP2=random()%210, IP3=random()%230, IP4=random()%192, DESTIP='IP1'.".".'IP2'.".".'IP3'.".".'IP4' | table \_time SRCIP DESTIP | ipinfo prefix=true privacy=true SRCIP, DESTIP Options available – asn | company | abuse | domains | carrier | prefix | privacy | alltypes ----- IPInfo Batch -----| ipinfobatch ip="197.94.71.228,197.94.71.227,197.94.71.221, 197.94.71.226,197.94.71.225 ,197.94.71.22" ----- privacyinfo -----| makeresults | eval IP="23.24.240.0" | privacyinfo IP ----- rangesinfo -----| makeresults | eval domain="comcast.net" | rangeinfo domain ----- domaininfo-----| makeresults | eval IP="1.1.1.1" | domaininfo IP







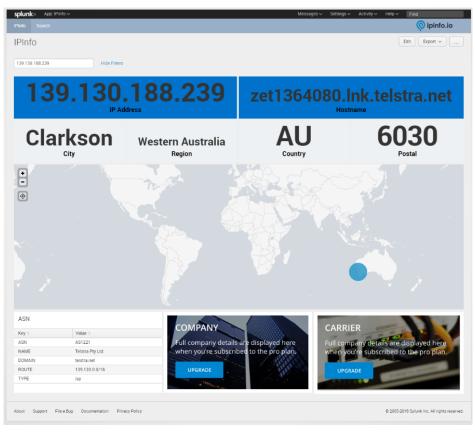


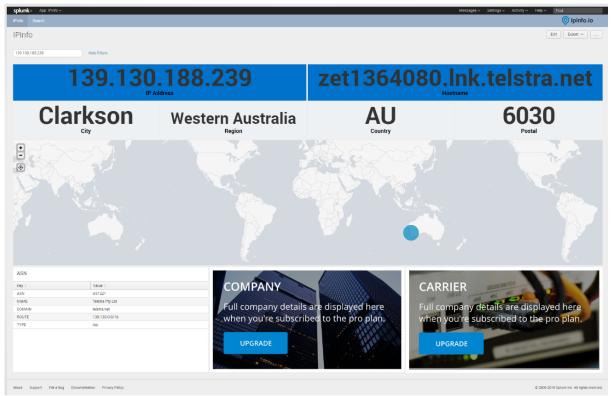








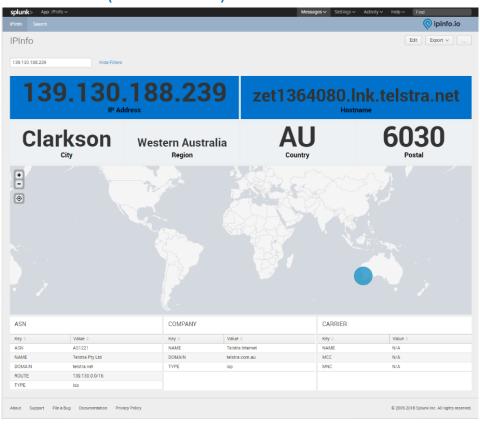


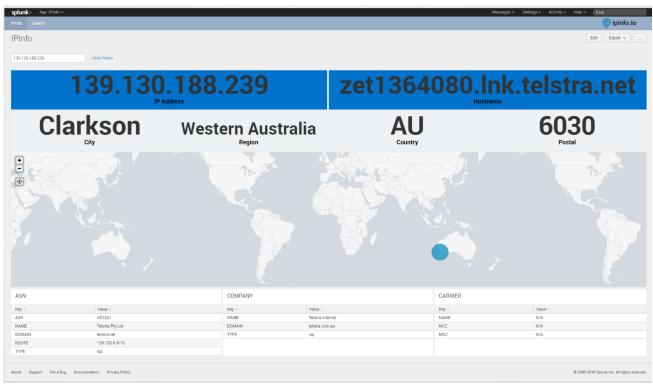






### IPINFO PRO (NO CARRIER)

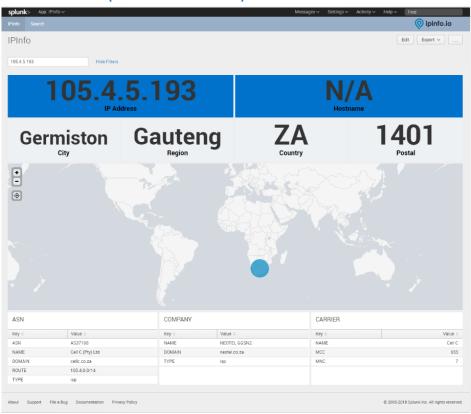


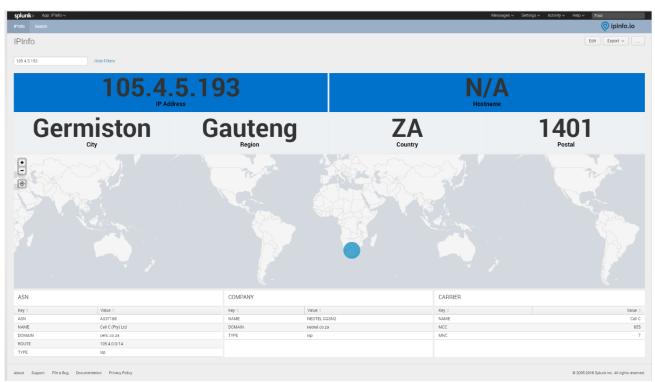






### IPINFO PRO (WITH CARRIER)





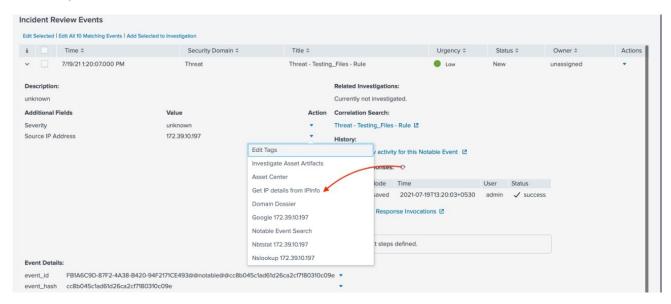


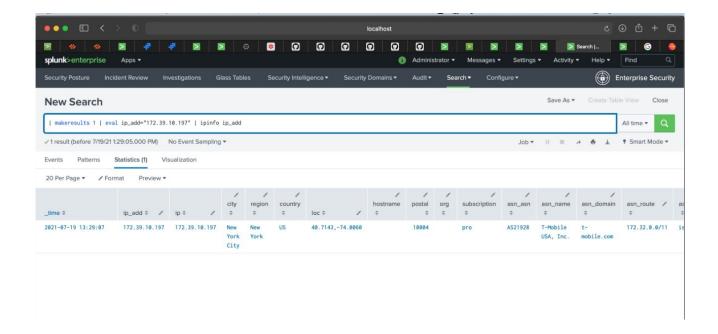


### Workflow Action:

From V5.3.1, we have added a new workflow actions in Splunk which will give you option to fetch details of IP from IPInfo by single click. It will work when fieldname is **ip OR** \*\_**ip** like **ip,dest\_ip,src\_ip** etc.

#### For Example:









### 1. Unicode issue with ip\_info\_setup.conf on certain windows machines

Sometimes we have noticed that unicode issue with ip\_info\_setup.conf which looks like this:

```
18/05/2022
              2022-05-18 11:16:02,667 - IPINFO - ERROR -
11:16:02.667
             Traceback:
              Traceback (most recent call last):
               File "C:\Program Files\Splunk\etc\apps\ipinfo_app\bin\ipinfo.py", line 107, in stream
                 list_of_ip_details = getipinfo(self,list_of_ips)
                File "C:\Program Files\Splunk\etc\apps\ipinfo_app\bin\ipinfo.py", line 155, in getipinfo
                  config.read([default_conf,local_conf])
                File "C:\Program Files\Splunk\Python-3.7\lib\configparser.py", line 696, in read
                  self._read(fp, filename)
                File "C:\Program Files\Splunk\Python-3.7\lib\configparser.py", line 1079, in _read
                  raise MissingSectionHeaderError(fpname, lineno, line)
              configparser.MissingSectionHeaderError: File contains no section headers.
              file: 'C:\\Program Files\\Splunk\\etc\\apps\\ipinfo_app\\local\\ip_info_setup.conf', line: 1
              '\ufeff\n'
              Collapse
              host =
                                   source = C:\Program Files\Splunk\var\log\splunk\ipinfo\ipinfo.log | sourcetype = ipinfo-2
```

This can be fixed by just doing a 'Convert to UTF-8 without BOM' action on the file:

