### Elasticsearch Monitoring

# Why doesn't the number of documents I see in SPM match the number of documents in my Elasticsearch index

SPM collects index stats from primary shards only. To see the total number of documents in an index, select all shards in that index and choose "sum". The list of shards and the "sum" function can be found in the "Shard filter" in the Index Stats report.

# Can SPM collect metrics even when Elasticsearch HTTP API is disabled

Each SPM agent collects Elasticsearch metrics only from the local node by accessing the Stats API via HTTP. To allow only local access add the following to elasticsearch.yml. Don't forget to restart each ES node to whose elastic-search.yml you add this.

http.host: "127.0.0.1"

#### Can I point SPM monitor to a non-localhost Elasticsearch node

Yes. Adjust /opt/spm/spm-monitor/conf/spm-monitor-config-TOKEN\_HERE-default.properties and change the SPM\_MONITOR\_ES\_NODE\_HOSTPORT property from the default localhost:9200 value to use an alternative host-name:port. After that restart SPM monitor (if you are running a standalone version) or Elasticsearch process(es) with embedded SPM monitor.

# My Elasticsearch is protected by basic HTTP authentication, can I use SPM

Yes. You just need to adjust /opt/spm/spm-monitor/conf/spm-monitor-config- $TOKEN\_HERE$ -default.properties file by adding the following two properties (replace values with your real username and password):

SPM\_MONITOR\_ES\_NODE\_BASICAUTH\_USERNAME=yourUsername SPM\_MONITOR\_ES\_NODE\_BASICAUTH\_PASSWORD=yourPassword

Restart your SPM monitor after this change (either with **sudo service spm-monitor restart** in case of standalone monitor or by restarting Elasticsearch node if you are using in-process javaagent).

# I am using SPM for Elasticsearch monitor and I don't see Index (and/or Refresh/Flush/Merge) stats, why is that

SPM for Elasticsearch monitor collects Index stats only from primary shards, so it is possible that you installed SPM monitor on some Elasticsearch node which hosts only replicas. The same is also true for Refresh/Flush and Merge stats. Also note that SPM Elasticsearch monitor should be installed on all your Elasticsearch nodes to get the complete picture of your cluster in SPM Reports UI.

#### Metrics

Report: Cache

Chart: Request

Metric Name | Metric Description — | — maximum size | estimated size | overhead |

Chart: Fielddata

Metric Name | Metric Description — | — maximum size | estimated size | overhead |

Report: Cluster Health

Chart: ES Shards

Metric Name | Metric Description — | — active primary shards | active shards | relocating shards | initializing shards | unassigned shards |

Chart: ES Nodes

Metric Name | Metric Description — | — nodes | data nodes |

Report: Cache

Chart: Warmer

Chart: Field Cache

Metric Name | Metric Description — | — field cache evictions | field cache size |

#### Chart: Query/Filter Cache

Metric Name | Metric Description — | — filter cache count | filter cache evictions | filter cache size |

#### Report: Connections

#### Chart: Connections/Sockets

Metric Name | Metric Description — | — open TCP sockets (current\_estab) | open TCP conns (server\_open) | open HTTP conns (current\_open) | total opened HTTP conns (total\_opened) |

#### Chart: TCP Traffic

Metric Name | Metric Description — | — inbound segments (in\_segs) | outbound segments (out\_segs) | retransmitted segments (retrans\_segs) |

#### Chart: Transport (Node-to-Node)

Metric Name | Metric Description — | — received count (rx\_count) | transmitted count (tx\_count) | received size (rx\_size) | transmitted size (tx\_size) |

#### Chart: TCP Socket Stats

Metric Name | Metric Description — | — active conn openings (active\_opens) | passive conn openings (passive\_opens) | failed socket open (attempt\_fails) | socket resets sent (out\_rsts) | open sockets (current\_estab) | socket resets (estab\_resets) |

### Report: Cluster Topology

#### Chart: Shards

Metric Name | Metric Description — | — active primary shards | active shards | relocating shards | initializing shards | unassigned shards |

### Report: Thread Pool

#### Chart: Thread Pool

Metric Name | Metric Description — | — active | size | queue | queue size | rejected | largest | completed | min | max |

## Report: Index Stats

### Chart: Documents

Metric Name	Metric Description
docs count (prim) docs count (all) docs deleted (prim) docs deleted (all) size on disk (prim) size on disk (all)	docs count on primary shards docs count on all (primary and replica) shards docs deleted on primary shards docs deleted on all (primary and replica) shards size on the disk of primary shards size on the disk of all (primary and replica) shards

## Chart: Merged Documents

Metric Name	Metric Description
docs count (prim) docs count (all) docs size (prim) docs size (all)	merge docs count on primary shards merge docs count on all (primary and replica) shards merged docs size on primary shards merge docs size on all (primary and replica) shards

## Chart: Indexing

Metric Name	Metric Description
indexed docs (prim)	docs indexed on primary shards
indexed docs (all)	docs indexed on all (primary and replica) shards
delete total (prim)	docs deleted on primary shards
delete total (all)	docs deleted on all (primary and replica) shards
indexing rate (prim)	indexing rate on primary shards
indexing rate (all)	indexing rate on all (primary and replica) shards
deleting rate (prim)	deleting rate on primary shards
deleting rate (all)	deleting rate on all (primary and replica) shards