

title: Sematext Syslogd Integration description: Ship your logs to Sematext centralized monitoring and logging platform with syslogd via UDP.

With plain syslogd, you can send logs to Sematext Logs Management App via UDP if you add this line to your **/etc/syslog.conf**:

```
*. * @logsene-syslog-receiver.sematext.com
```

Before you restart syslogd, **register your public IP**. If you're behind a NAT or registering IPs doesn't suit your use-case, there are other options:

- if you just want to test sending a few logs to Logs Management App, you can use your application token in a CEE-formatted JSON message. For example:

```
logger '@cee: {"logsene-app-token": "LOGSENE_APP_TOKEN_GOES_HERE", "message": "hello world!"
```

- change your syslog daemon from syslogd to rsyslog or syslog-ng or anything else that lets you format your messages, so you can build a JSON containing your Logs Management application token like the one above
- similar to the solution above, you can use a separate machine for consolidating your logs, where you'd install rsyslog or syslog-ng. Configure that machine to send logs to Logs Management App, and configure your syslogd to send logs to your logs to your "central" rsyslog/syslog-ng via UDP:

```
*. * @central-syslog-server
```

If your central machine is running syslog-ng, you'll have to add an `udp()` option to your `source()` statement in **/etc/syslog-ng/syslog-ng.conf**:

```
udp()
```

If your central machine is running rsyslog, you'll have to load the UDP input module and run it on the standard **port 514**:

```
$ModLoad imudp
$UDPServerRun 514
```