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Installing, Configuring, and Using the Hub Artifactory Plugin

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Chapter 1: Hub Artifactory Plugin Overview

The Black Duck Hub Artifactory plugin is a new tool designed to help you manage the logistics of your Artifactory repositories and contents. The Black Duck Hub Artifactory plugin can also help you uncover security and compliance risks associated with the open source artifacts stored in Artifactory repositories.

As a Hub and Artifactory user, the Hub Artifactory plugin enables you to:

- Run an artifact scan in an Artifactory job:
    - Scan multiple artifacts within your Artifactory repositories.
    - Create projects and releases in Black Duck Hub through the Artifactory job.
    - Schedule and automate the scanning of your Artifactory Repositories.

After a scan is complete, the results are available on the Hub server. Additionally, scanned artifacts include new properties in the Artifactory user interface indicating the most recent scan time, scan status, and a URL to view the scan results in Black Duck Hub.

Chapter 2: Installation Overview

The following sections provide a step-by-step guide to downloading and installing your Black Duck Hub Artifactory plugin.

Note: You can find Artifactory's documentation at: https://www.jfrog.com/confluence/display/RTF/Welcome+to+Artifactory

2.1 Installation Prerequisites

Before you install the Hub Artifactory plugin, ensure that:

- Hub Artifactory Pro version 4.14.0 or higher.
- Your Artifactory instance is up-to-date and fully patched.
- You know the host name and port for the Hub server.
- You have a user account with administrator privileges on the Hub system that you can use for the integration.
- You have connectivity to the internet. The machine that hosts your Artifactory server must be able to connect to the Hub server.

2.2 Downloading the Hub Artifactory Plugin

Download the Black Duck Hub Artifactory plugin from the specified GitHub location. The plugin is contained in a `.zip` file.

✱ To download the Hub Artifactory plugin:

1. Navigate to https://github.com/blackducksoftware/hub-artifactory/releases to download the latest version of the Black Duck Hub Artifactory plugin.
2. Download and save the `.zip` file to a temporary location.

2.3 Installing the Hub Artifactory Plugin

After you have downloaded the Hub Artifactory zip file as described in Downloading the Hub Artifactory Plugin on page 5, use the following process to install your Hub Artifactory plugin.

✱ To install the Hub Artifactory plugin:

1. SSH to the server hosting your Artifactory instance.
2. Navigate to the location where you saved the Hub Artifactory zip file.

3. Unzip and extract the zip file to a directory on the machine hosting your Artifactory installation. The structure of the `.zip` file is:

```
/
-blackDuckScanForHub.groovy
-lib
    /
    -jarFile.jar
    -jarFile2.jar
```

4. Place the `blackDuckScanForHub.groovy` file in: `.../path/to/your/artifactory/etc/plugins/`.
5. Create a `lib` folder in: `.../path/to/your/artifactory/etc/plugins/`, so that the path to the `lib` folder is: `.../path/to/your/artifactory/etc/plugins/lib`.
6. There are approximately 12 `.jar` files contained within the `.zip` file. Place all `.jar` files from the `.zip` file in the `lib` folder you created in the previous step.
7. Schedule the scans of your Artifactory repositories by configuring the CRON job in the `blackDuckScanForHub.groovy` file. This is discussed in Configuring the Scanning Schedule on page 8.
8. Restart Artifactory using the commands:
    - `service artifactory stop`
    - `service artifactory start`

Chapter 3: Configuring the Hub Artifactory Plugin

Configure the `blackDuckScanForHub.groovy` file to customize your Hub Artifactory plugin. This enables you to control the file types for scanning, and when the Artifactory properties are updated. This enables you specify which Artifactory repositories and artifact types are scanned. You can also configure the Hub server where scan results are sent. And you can configure the scheduling of scans as well.

3.1 Configuring Preferences Using the Hub Artifactory Groovy File

You can customize your Hub Artifactory plugin by editing the `blackDuckScanForHub.groovy` file. The `groovy` file provides wide flexibility in customization based on your environment, and enables you to fine-tune your scans based on workflow, preferences, and changing day-to-day requirements.

Caution: Changing values on fields not listed below can cause severe issues with your Hub Artifactory instance.

To configure the Hub Artifactory Groovy file:

1. Log in to Hub Artifactory as administrator.
2. Go to `.../path/to/your/artifactory/etc/plugins/`, and locate the `blackDuckScanForHub.groovy` file.
3. Open the `blackDuckScanForHub.groovy` file in your preferred text editor; for example, Notepad in Windows.
4. Edit the following properties. Note that all proxy fields are optional.

- `@Field final String HUB_URL=" "`: Provide the path to your Hub server.
- `@Field final int HUB_TIMEOUT=120`: System timeout in seconds; 120 is the default.
- `@Field final String HUB_USERNAME=" "`: Type your Hub user name.
- `@Field final String HUB_PASSWORD=" "`: Type your Hub password.
- `@Field final String HUB_PROXY_HOST=" "`: Type your Hub proxy host URL.
- `@Field final int HUB_PROXY_PORT= 0`: Type your Hub proxy port number.
- `@Field final String HUB_PROXY_IGNORED_PROXY_HOSTS=" "`: Type your Hub ignored proxy URLs.
- `@Field final String HUB_PROXY_USERNAME=" "`: Type your Hub proxy user name.
- `@Field final String HUB_PROXY_PASSWORD=" "`: Type your Hub proxy password.
- `@Field final int HUB_SCAN_MEMORY=4096`: Type the amount of physical memory (in MB) to be allocated for Hub scanning. The default is 4096.

- `@Field final boolean HUB_SCAN_DRY_RUN=false`: A dry run scan enables you to create scan files, but the scan files are not submitted to the Hub. Values are `false` (default) or `true`. Note that scan results are not submitted to the Hub unless the value is `true`.
- `@Field final List<String> ARTIFACTORY_REPOS_TO_SEARCH=[`

  ```
  "ext-release-local",
  "libs-release"
  ]
  ```

  Type the Artifactory repositories to be scanned.
- `@Field final List<String> ARTIFACT_NAME_PATTERNS_TO_SCAN=[`

  ```
  "*.war",
  "*.zip",
  "*.tar.gz",
  "*.hpi"
  ]
  ```

Determines the files to be scanned. Specify the Artifactory file name patterns to include in your scans. You can specify only the archive file types (as shown in this example), or you can use wildcard searches for more specificity. For example, you could search on file names to locate any files with *MyProject* in the name by specifying `MyProject.*`.

- `@Field final boolean logVerboseCronLog = false`: Turns the logging for CRON jobs on (`true`), or off (`false`). The default setting is false, which means that no date/time stamps for your automated scanning jobs are captured (logged). Turning on CRON job logging captures the start times of your automated Hub Artifactory scans. This can be helpful for verifying that CRON jobs are running as expected. Note that for `logVerbose`, only the starting time is logged.

5. Save and close the `blackDuckScanForHub.groovy` file.
6. Restart Artifactory.

3.2 Configuring the Scanning Schedule

You can configure the CRON job to determine when to automatically run the Hub Artifactory plugin. This enables you to set up Hub Artifactory scans to run automatically at your predetermined intervals.

To configure the Hub Artifactory plugin CRON settings:

1. Log in to Hub Artifactory as administrator.
2. Go to `.../path/to/your/artifactory/etc/plugins/`, and locate the `artifactory-plugin.groovy` file.
3. Open the `blackDuckScanForHub.groovy` file in a text editor such as Notepad.
4. Locate a row in the `artifactory-plugin.groovy` file similar to:
   `scanForHub(cron: "0 0/1 * 1/1 * ?")`
   and schedule the job for a specific running time by editing the CRON parameters as follows:

CRON parameters

From left to right:

- 1 - Seconds
- 2 - Minutes
- 3 - Hours
- 4 - Day-of-Month
- 5 - Month
- 6 - Day of week
- 7 - Year (optional field)

Examples:

`"0 42 10 * * ?"` - Builds a trigger that fires daily at 10:42 am.

`"0 0/2 8-17 * * ?"` - Builds a trigger that fires every other minute, between 8am and 5pm, every day.

Tip: For more information on building your customized CRON settings, and to use an automated CRON building tool to make building your custom CRON settings easier, visit http://www.cronmaker.com/. You can build your CRON expressions using the automated builder, and then copy them into the `artifactory-plugin.groovy` file.

3.3 How the Hub Artifactory Properties are Updated

The Hub Artifactory plugin updates your properties metadata as follows.

- *Main function*: The Hub Artifactory plugin searches your Artifactory repositories, and scans your artifacts.
- *After scanning*: The Hub Artifactory plugin continuously updates your Artifactory metadata through and by using the properties. Afterward, all properties are updated.

Note: Black Duck scan time prevents additional scans of the same artifact until the last modified is updated. In other words: for each scan, the Hub Artifactory plugin only scans new or modified artifacts.

3.4 What Happens After Scanning

After you have completed your Hub Artifactory scan, the following post-scanning results are available on the Black Duck Hub. This is in the form of a project representing your archive.

1. The project/version is created for each artifact.
2. You can drill down into the project/version to see the open source inventory, along with security and compliance risks.
3. If policy violations occur, they are highlighted.

Chapter 4: Troubleshooting your Black Duck Hub Plugin

Refer to the following sections should issues arise during use of your Hub plugin instance.

Tip: After major releases of Black Duck Hub, check for updated versions of your Black Duck plugins. Changes to the APIs, schema, and SDK versions may require updated versions of the integration plugins.

4.1 Testing Your Configuration

After you have installed and configured your Hub Artifactory instance, you can test your connection to the Hub server using a REST API call. This test determines:

- If a successful connection can be established with the Hub server in your configuration.
- If the repositories named in your properties configuration can be located.
- The number of artifacts in each repository.
- The most recent entries in the CRON log file, if you have CRON logging enabled.

To test your configuration:

1. Open a command line window.
2. At the command prompt, type the command:
   `curl -X GET -u admin:password "http://ARTIFACTORY_SERVER/artifactory/api/plugins/execute/testConfig"`
   Where `admin:password` is your user name and password, and the URL points to your environment.
3. Check the CLI output as follows; this is an example of the resulting output for a successful test.

```
canConnectToHub: OK
artifactsFound: 4
loggedCronRuns:
addPolicyStatus 2016-12-15T01:52:00.005
scanForHub 2016-12-15T01:53:00.003
addPolicyStatus 2016-12-15T01:53:00.004
addProjectVersionUrl 2016-12-15T01:53:00.004
scanForHub 2016-12-15T01:54:00.004
addPolicyStatus 2016-12-15T01:54:00.004
addProjectVersionUrl 2016-12-15T01:54:00.005
```

```
scanForHub 2016-12-15T01:55:00.002
addProjectVersionUrl 2016-12-15T01:55:00.003
addPolicyStatus 2016-12-15T01:55:00.006
```

- For `canConnectToHub`, a result of `OK` indicates a successful test. Otherwise, there is an issue with your Hub configuration.
- For `artifactsFound`, a value greater than `0` indicates a successful test. Otherwise, there is an issue with the name patterns and repositories you have entered.
- For `loggedCronRuns`, the test results may be blank. A blank test results indicates that either there have been no successfully logged CRON jobs, or the CRON logging is turned off, which is its default value. To enable CRON logging, open the `blackDuckScanForHub.groovy` file, and change the following values as shown.

  From:

  ```
  @Field final boolean logVerboseCronLog = false
  ```

  To:

  ```
  @Field final boolean logVerboseCronLog = true
  ```

  Then, save the `blackDuckScanForHub.groovy` file, and restart Artifactory. If after performing these steps, re-testing, and still nothing displays in the logged CRON jobs, there is an issue with your CRON expressions.

For more information on editing the `blackDuckScanForHub.groovy` file, refer to Configuring the Hub Artifactory Plugin on page 7.

For more information regarding CRON expressions, refer to Configuring the Scanning Schedule on page 8.

4.2 Development and Testing Errors

If an error message is generated that states *During development and testing the following errors were encountered*, use the following solutions:

- If you try to use Java 6 instead of Java 7, instead of getting an *Unsupported major:minor version error* message, the plugin sometimes throws a false *java.lang.OutOfMemoryError: Java heap space* message instead.
- If you get a message that reads *Service Unavailable*, either the Hub server can't be reached, or the request to the server is invalid. Contact your Hub server administrator.
- If you get a *Precondition failed* error message, then the request to the server is invalid. Verify that your global configuration is correct, and verify that the job configuration is correct. If you are still getting this message after you have checked your configuration, contact your Black Duck technical account manager.
- If you get a *Not Found (404) - Not Found* error message, then the request to the server is invalid. Contact your Black Duck technical account manager.

4.3 Error: Project Does Not Exist on the Hub

- If you try to use the Hub plugin integration, and you configure a job with a project and version, and that project already exists, but the current Hub user is not assigned to it, then the following errors display:
    - In the job configuration **Project Name** field, a notification displays *This project does not exist on the Hub Server.* Clicking **Create project/version** displays a message reading *This version may already exist.com.blackducksoftware.integration.hub.exception.BDRestException: There was a problem creating this Hub project. Error Code: 412*.
    - If you run the build, the following displays:

        Status : 412

        Response : {"errorMessage":"project name already exists","arguments": {"fieldName":"name"},"errors":[{"errorMessage":"project name already exists","arguments":{"fieldName":"name"},"errorCode":"{central.constraint_violation.project_name_duplicate_not_allowed}"}],"errorCode":" {central.constraint_violation.project_name_duplicate_not_allowed}"}

        Problem creating the project.

    Solution:

    Assigning the current user to the existing project with this name resolves the issue.

4.4 Hub Artifactory Log Files

Hub Artifactory log files may be helpful when troubleshooting. The log files are located in:

```
/var/opt/jfrog/artifactory/logs
```

Logging Level Options

The default log level for user plugins is *warn*. You can change a plugin log level to either:

- info
- debug

To change the logging level, edit the file `${ARTIFACTORY_HOME}/etc/logback.xml` as follows:

- To change to the *info* logging level:
  `<logger name="blackDuckScanForHub"> <level value="info"/> </logger>`
- To change to the *debug* logging level:
  `<logger name="blackDuckScanForHub"> <level value="debug"/> </logger>`

CRON Job Logging

Time/date stamps for your automated scans are captured in the `blackduck_cron_history` log file. The default setting for CRON job logging is *false* (off). If you open the `blackduck_cron_history` log file, and it is blank, this is because your CRON job logging value is set to *false*. Set the value to *true* for capturing the start and stop times for all CRON jobs. For more information, refer to Configuring

Preferences Using the Hub Artifactory Groovy File on page 7.

4.5 Clearing Your Log Files

As of Hub Artifactory version 1.2.0 and higher, you can clear your REST and CLI log files. This prevents your log files from consuming extra disk space, and makes it easier to see the latest logging entries.

To clear your log files:

1. Open a command line window.
2. At the command prompt, type the command:
   `curl -X POST -u admin:password "http://ARTIFACTORY_SERVER/artifactory/api/plugins/execute/testConfig"`
   Where `admin:password` is your user name and password, and the URL points to your environment.

Your old log files are now deleted, and are replaced with blank log files.

Chapter 5: Hub Artifactory Plugin Release Notes

Release 1.2.0

- Added a new REST API call to enable the testing of multiple elements of the Hub Artifactory configuration.
- Added a new REST API call to clear the REST and CLI log files.
- Added a new parameter to the `groovy` file which allows you to set a scanning cut-off date.

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- Eliminated the `Properties` file by moving all `Properties` file functionality into the `groovy` file.
- The default behavior of scanning is now `dryRun=false`. This parameter does not push the scan results to the Hub until the value is changed to `true`.
- A new log file is added which captures the date/time stamps of all automated scans (CRON jobs).

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- Because this is the first release of the Black Duck Hub Artifactory plugin, there are no release note items.

Chapter 6: Black Duck Support

If you have questions, need help, or find issues, contact Black Duck Software. If you are reporting an issue, please include the following information to help us investigate your issue:

- Name and version of the plugin.
- Black Duck product name and version number.
- Third-party integrated product and version; for example, Artifactory, Eclipse, Jenkins, Maven, and others.
- For Black Duck Hub, the following third-party integrated products are supported:
    - Jenkins
    - TeamCity
    - Bamboo
    - Team Foundation Server (TFS)
    - Artifactory
    - JIRA
    - Atlassian
    - JFrog Xray
- Java version.
- Black Duck KnowledgeBase version, where applicable.
- Operating system and version.
- Source control management system and version.
- If possible, the log files, configuration files, and Project Object Model (POM) XML files.

6.1 Training

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6.2 Services

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