Solace PubSub+ Distributed Tracing using self-managed OTEL Collector with Jaeger, Dynatrace, New Relic and more…

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Demo 101 for dummies, experts and everyone in between

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1 Purpose

Describe how to get OpenTelemetry (OTEL) traces from a simple application chain to Jaeger and/or other observability Cloud solutions using standard self-managed versions of OTEL collector and Jaeger. This document and accompanying code can be found online at https://github.com/SolaceLabs/solace-demo-observability

1.1 Application chain

Solace SDKPerf ***publisher*** – Solace Broker ***topic*** – Solace Broker ***queue1*** and ***queue2*** – Solace SDKPerf ***consumer***

1.2 Reference

Solace PubSub+ Distributed Tracing is an additional option for Solace PubSub+ and SAP AEM event brokers. The Distributed Tracing part of this demo is based on work from my colleague Daniel Brunold (https://github.com/dabgmx, also well-known for his work on the Solace Prometheus Exporter, see https://github.com/solacecommunity/solace-prometheus-exporter)
For this demo Daniel got some good inspiration from the Solace Codelabs 'Getting Started with Solace Distributed Tracing and Context Propagation' at https://codelabs.solace.dev/codelabs/dt-otel/
In addition, you can also use Solace Syslog Forwarding to ingest Event, System and Command logs information.

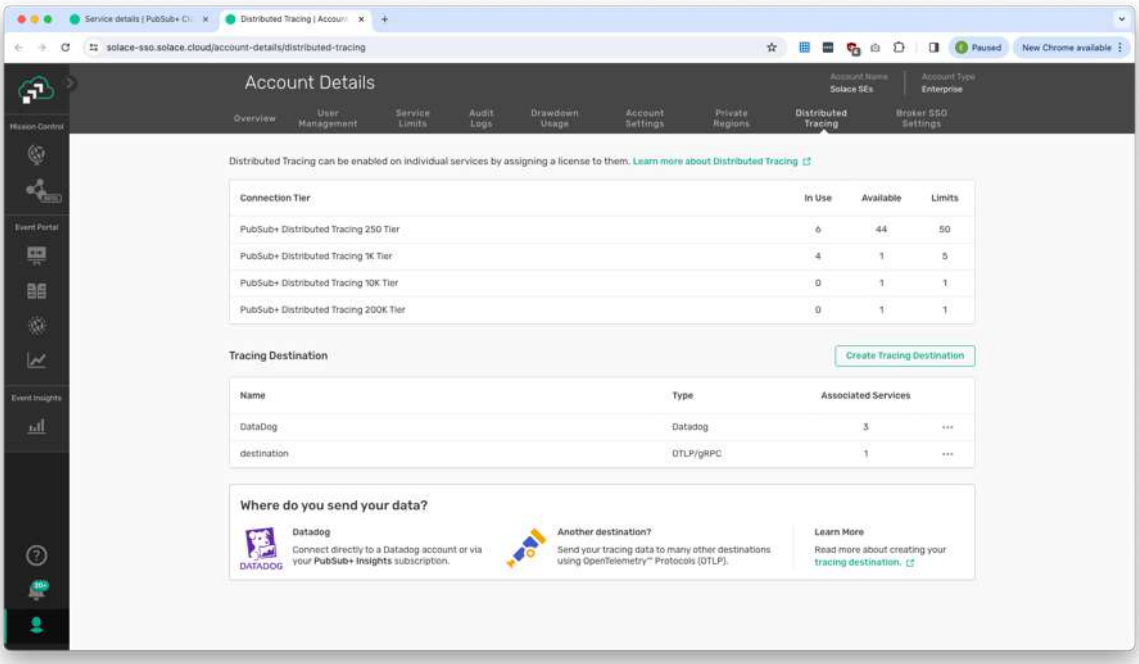
2 Setup

2.1 Prerequisites

A Solace broker running in the PubSub+ Cloud platform or self-managed.
Java installed if you want to use direct installations of SDKPerf and OpenSearch.

2.2 Configuration

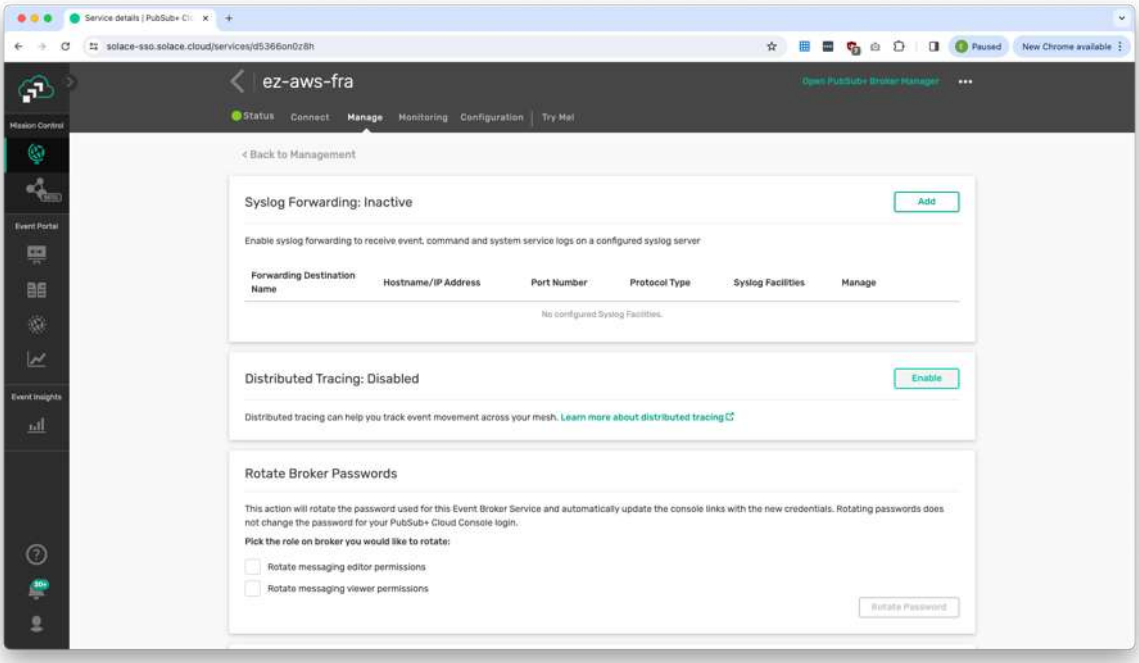
For Solace PubSub+ Cloud brokers Distributed Tracing can be enabled on individual services by assigning a license to them. This license is available for multiple Connection Tiers.



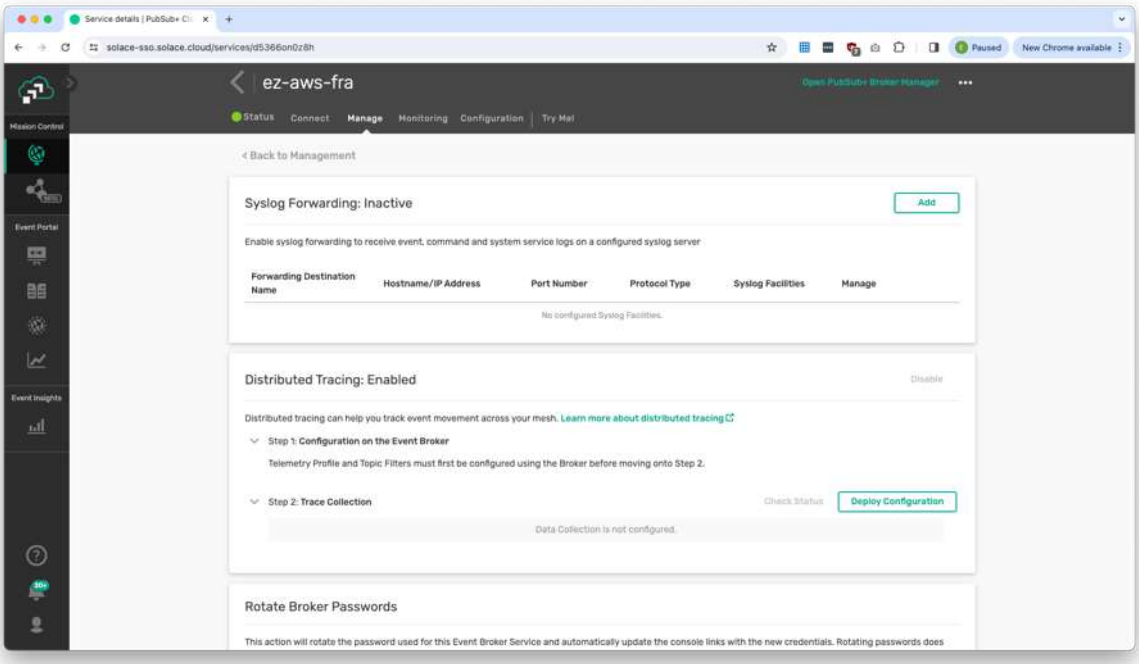
In this demo you will enable Distributed Tracing but you will not use the [Deploy Configuration] option to deploy a managed OTEL collector as you will use a self-managed OTEL collector with local Jaeger and optional other destinations.

In Mission Control go to Cluster Manager and select the service where you want to use Distributed Tracing. In the service overview click Manage then Advanced Options. In the

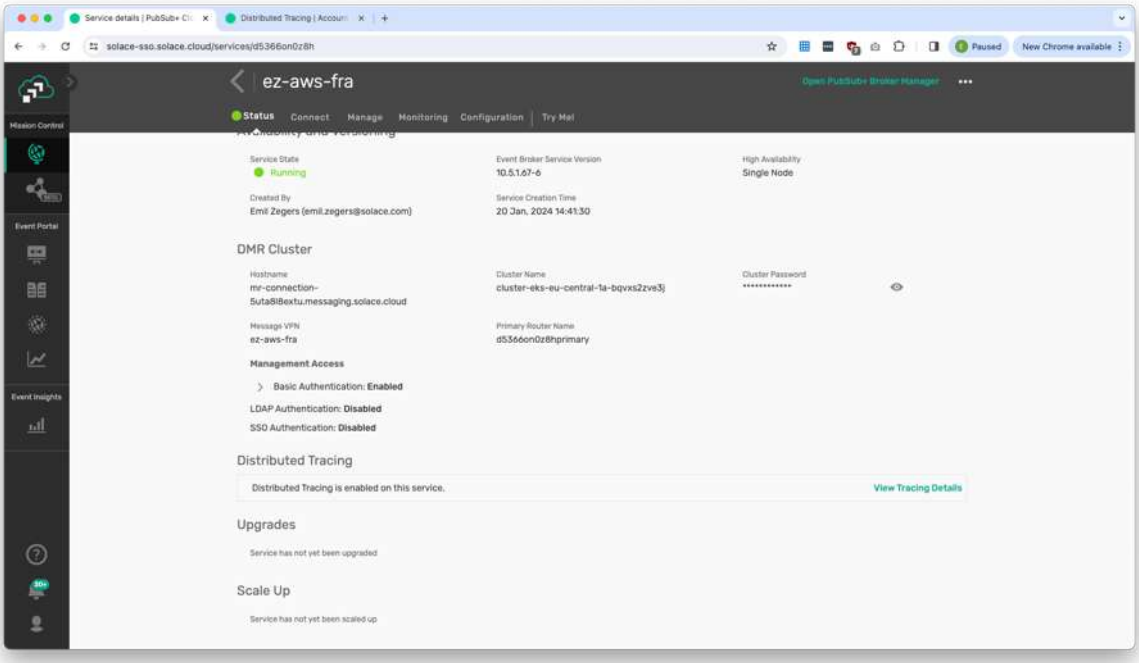
Distributed Tracing section click [Enable]



Do not click [Deploy Configuration] as you will setup your own OTEL collector in this demo.

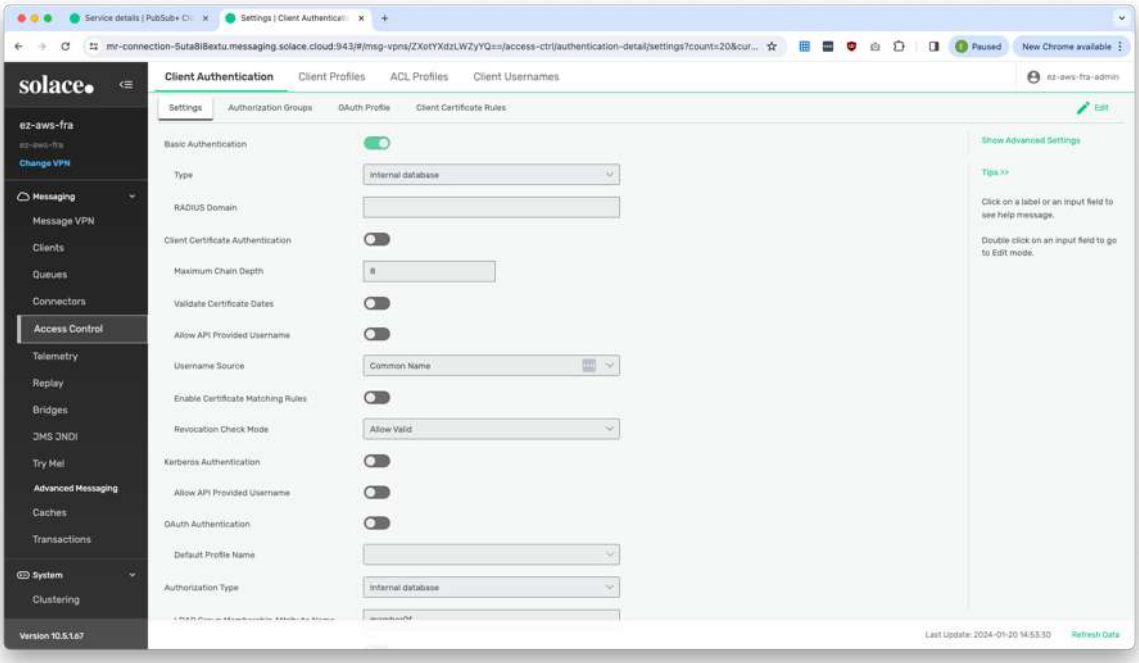


When enabled you'll find a section Distributed Tracing in the Status overview.

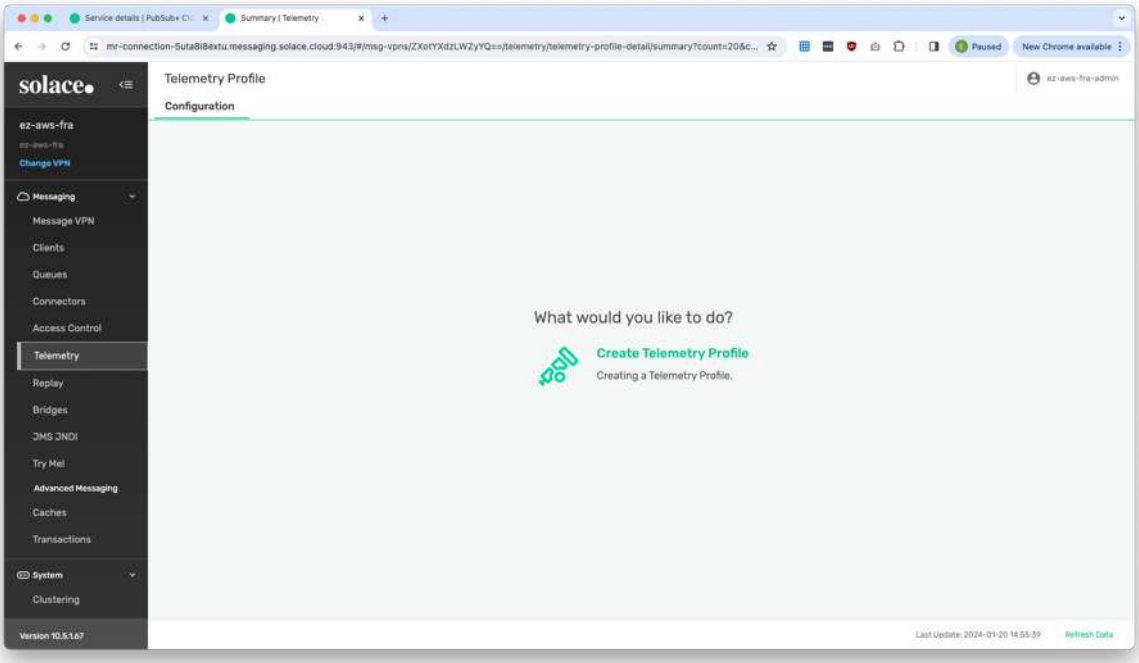


2.3 Configure Broker

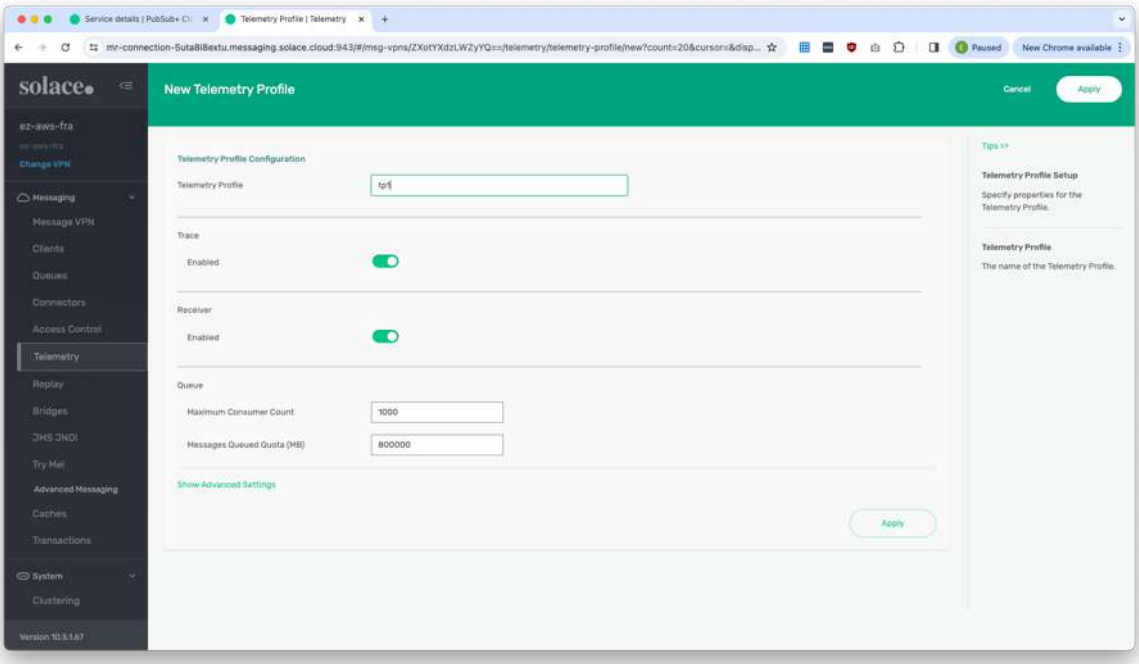
Open PubSub+ Broker Manager and verify under Access Control that Basic Authentication is enabled and set to Type Internal database.



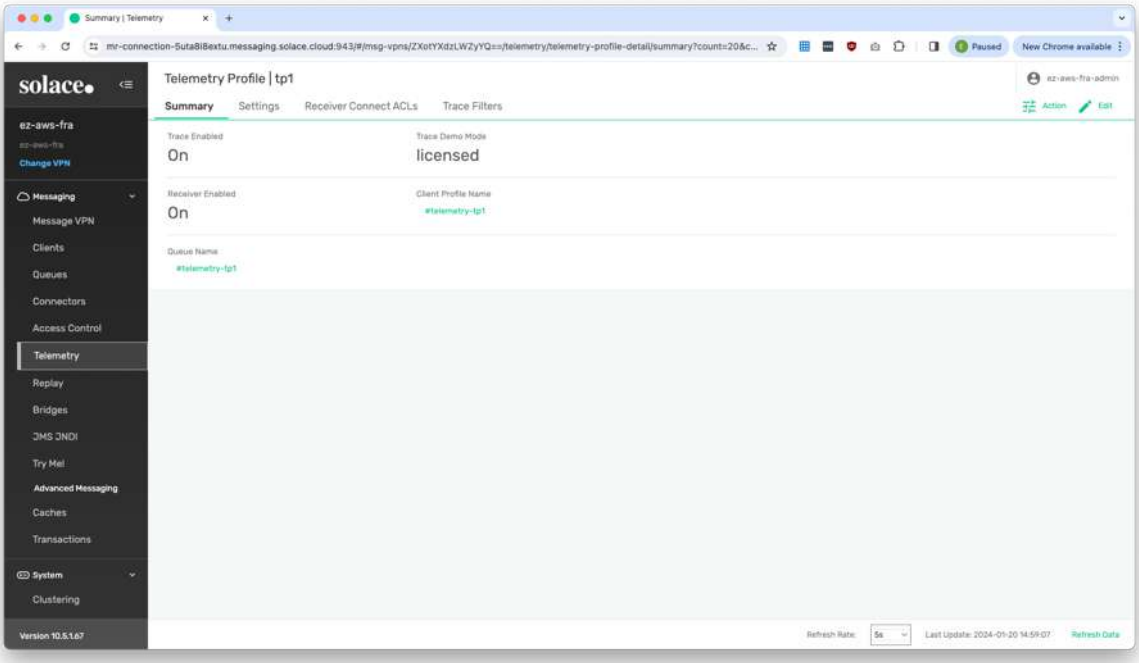
At Telemetry click Create a Telemetry Profile.



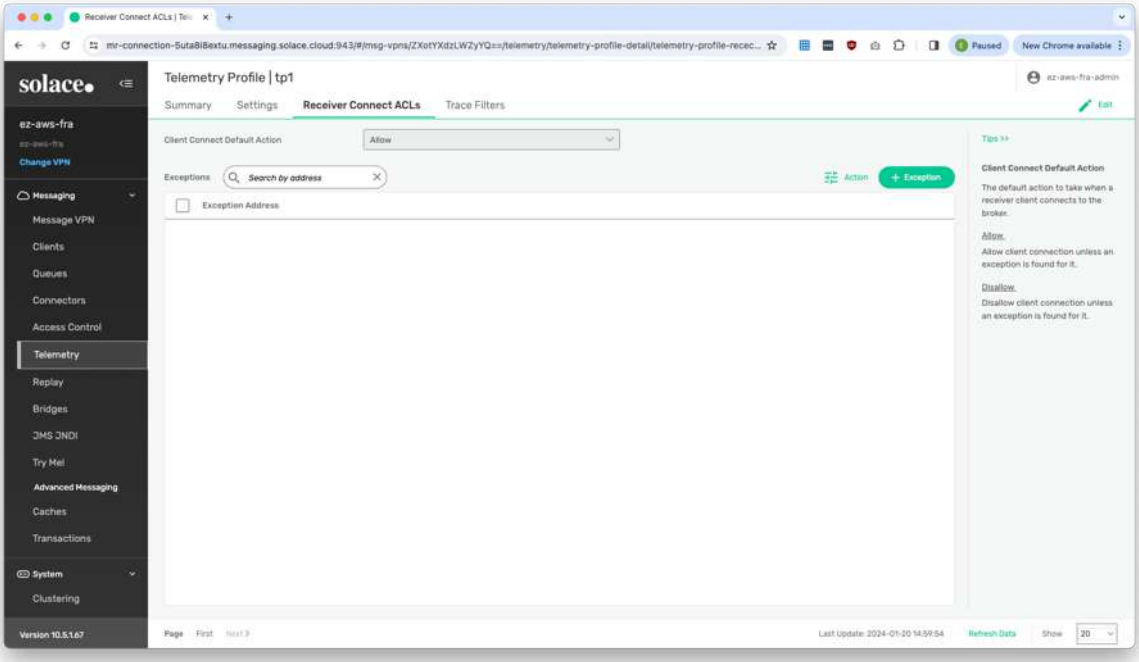
Use name "tp1" and check if Trace and Receiver are enabled then click [Apply]

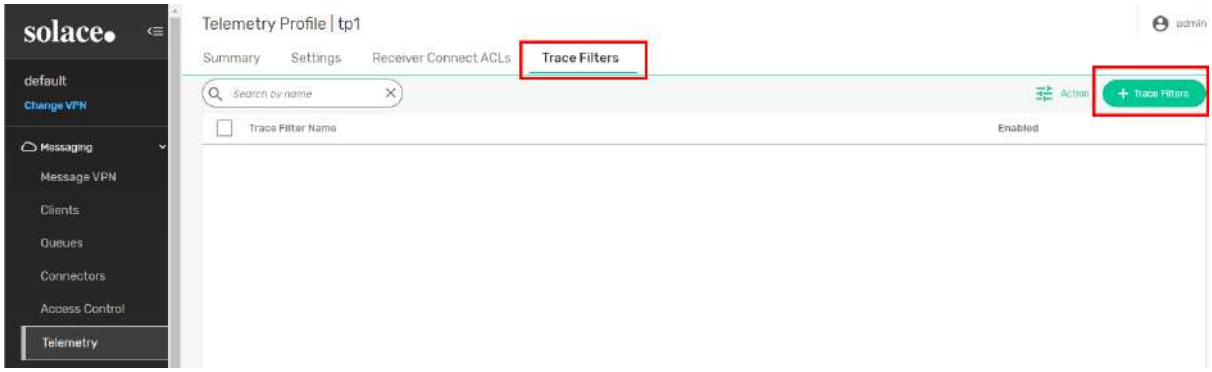


Telemetry Profile is displayed with Client Profile Name and Queue Name #telemetry-tp1

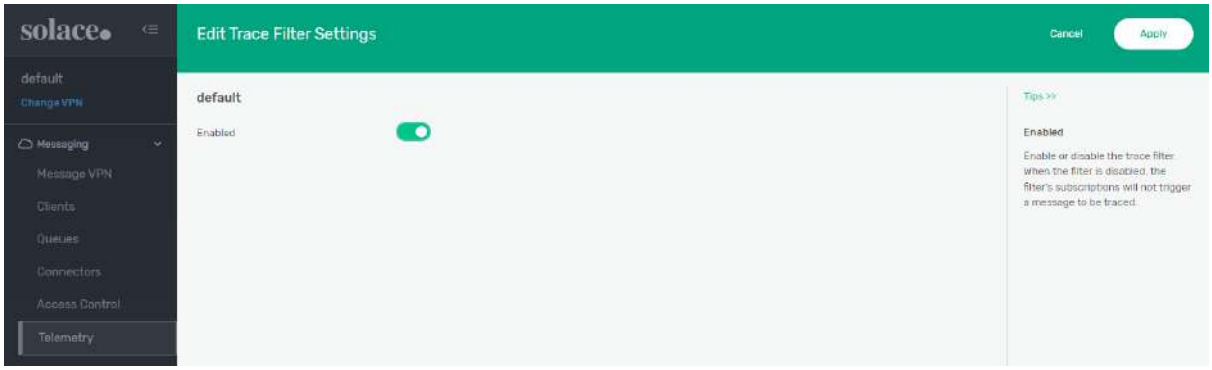


Click Edit at Receiver Connect ACLs to switch from Disallow to Allow and click [Apply]

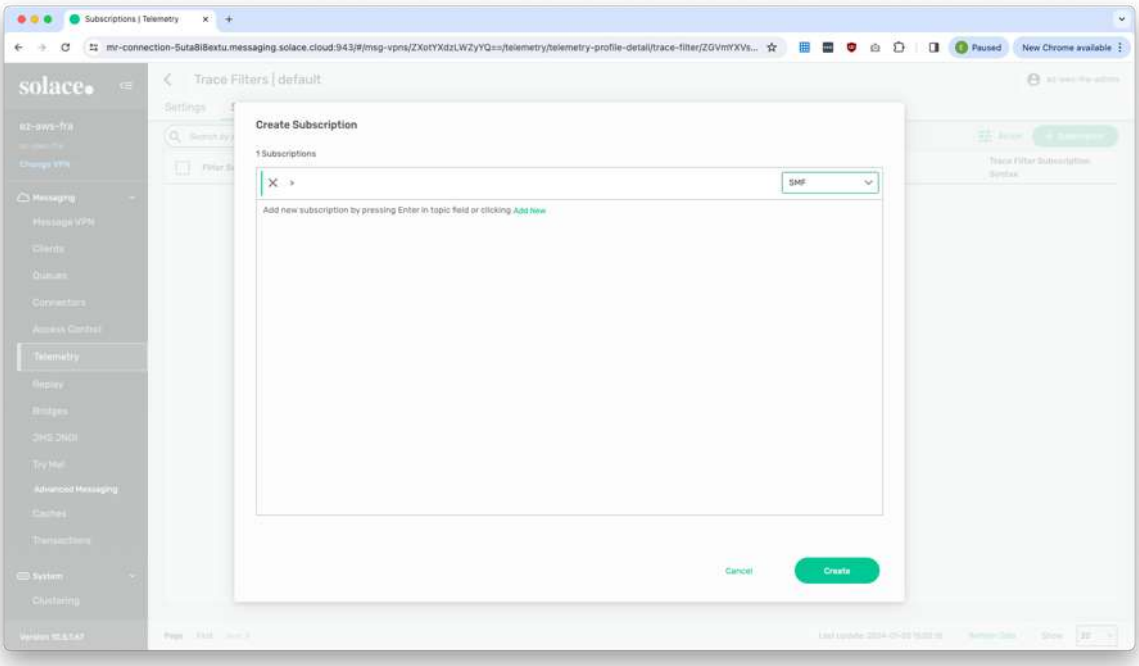


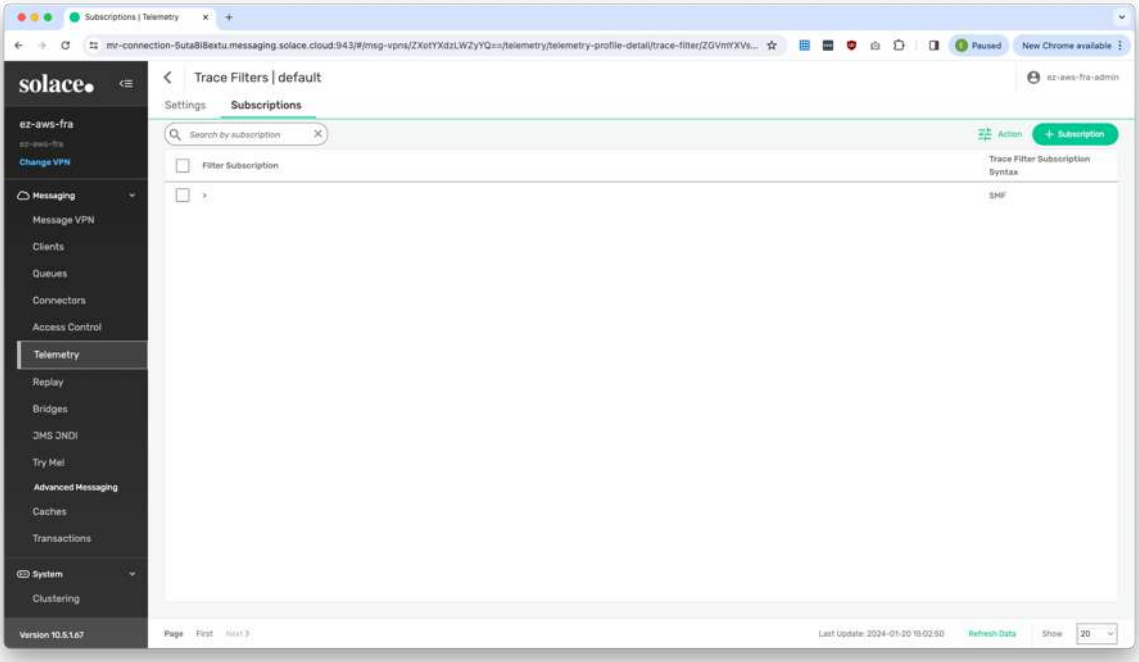


At Trace Filters click [+ Trace Filters] to add a filter with name "default" and set it to Enabled.

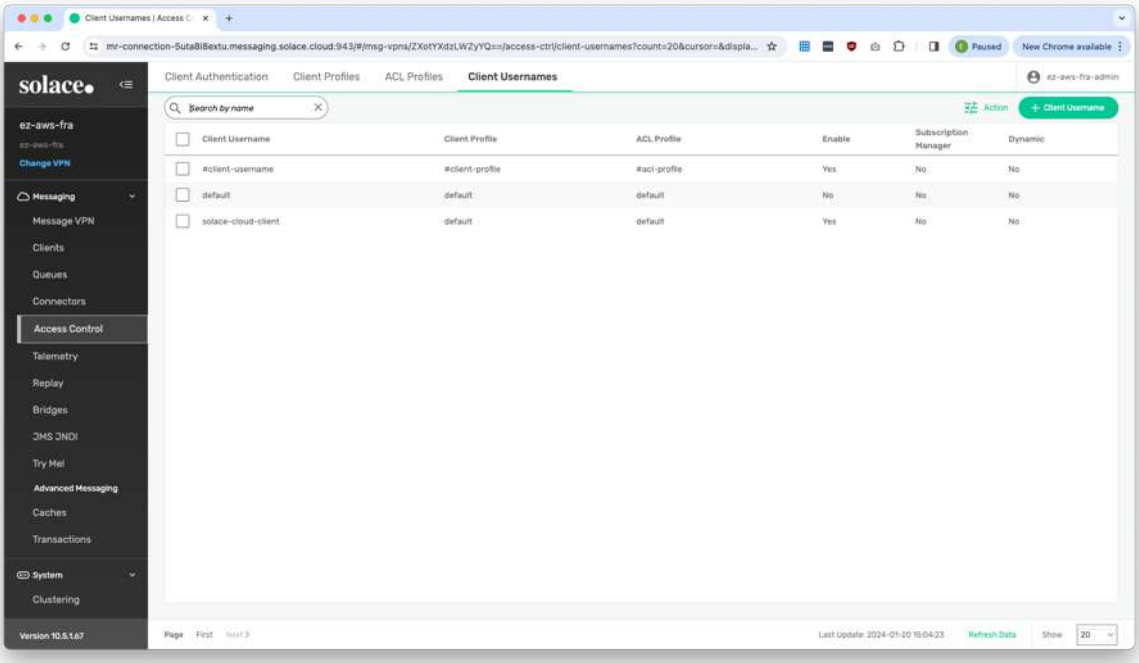


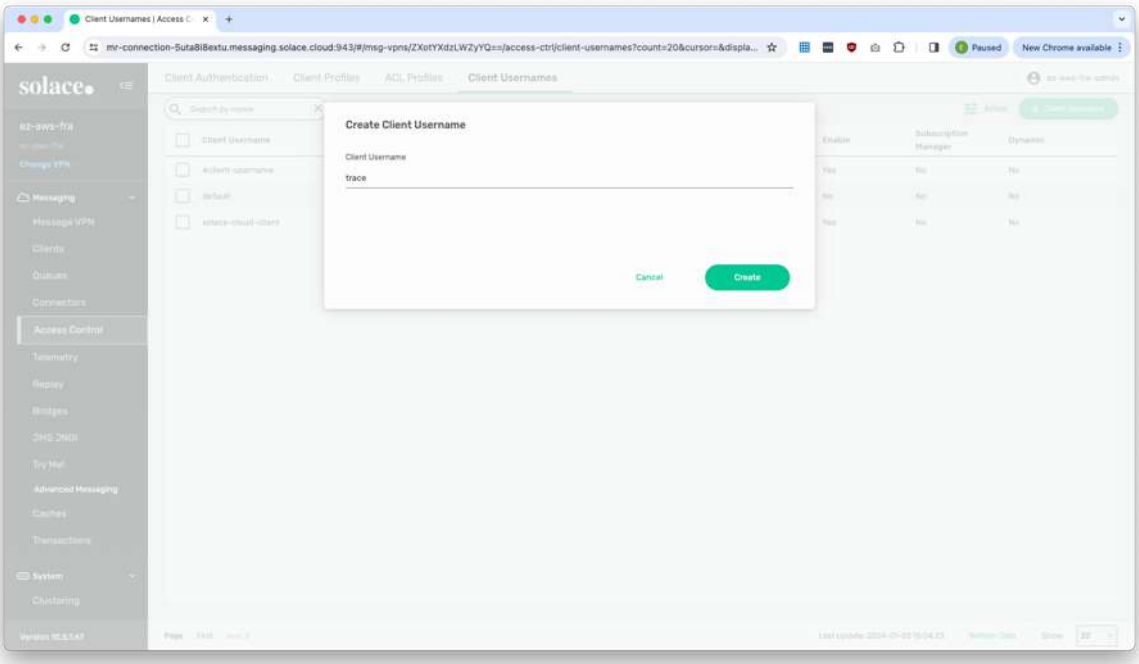
Open this filter and create a subscription using the *greater than wildcard sign* ">"





At Access Control go to Client Usernames and click [+ Client Username] to create a client username "trace" with password "trace123" and "#telemetry-tp1" profiles:

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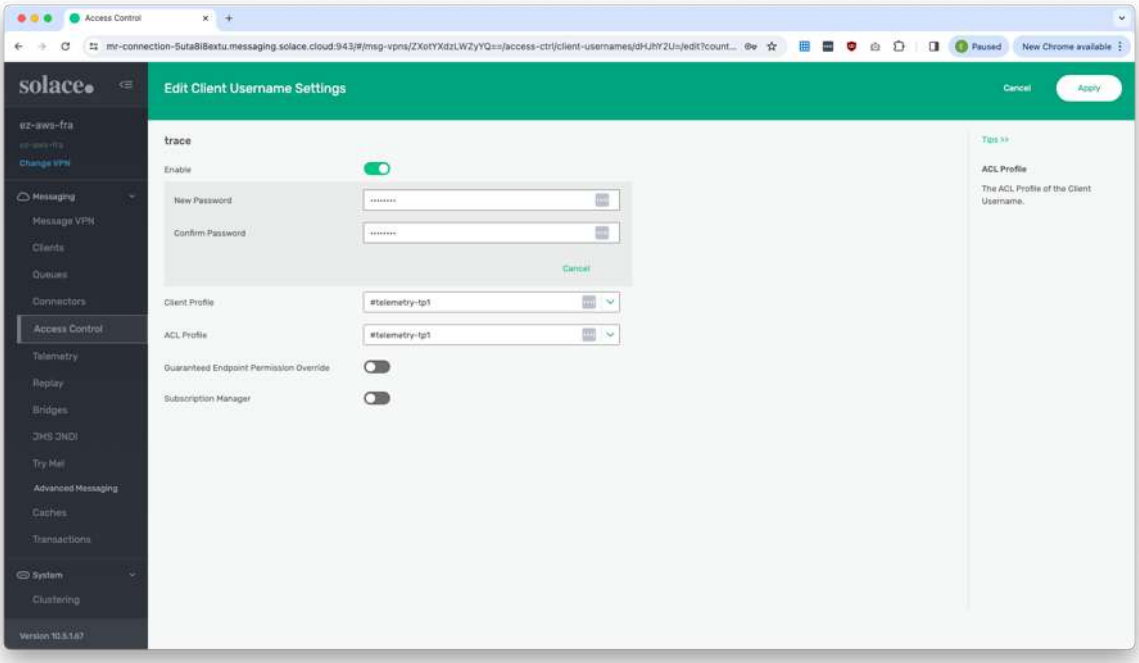
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ACL Profile
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Guaranteed Endpoint Permission Override
Subscription Manager
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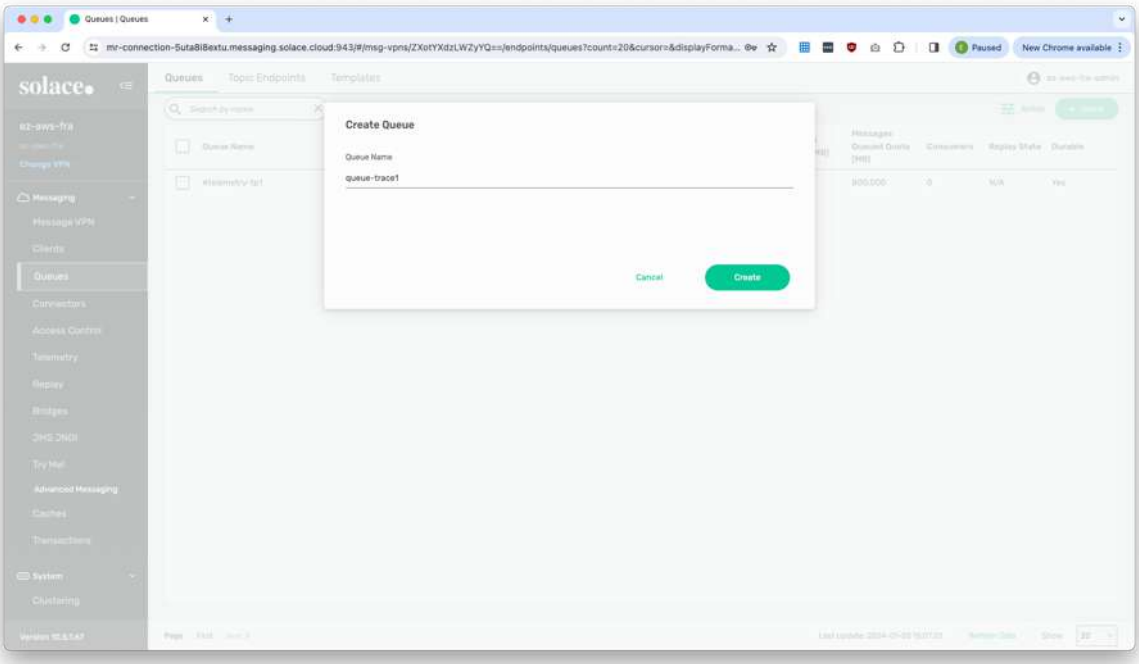
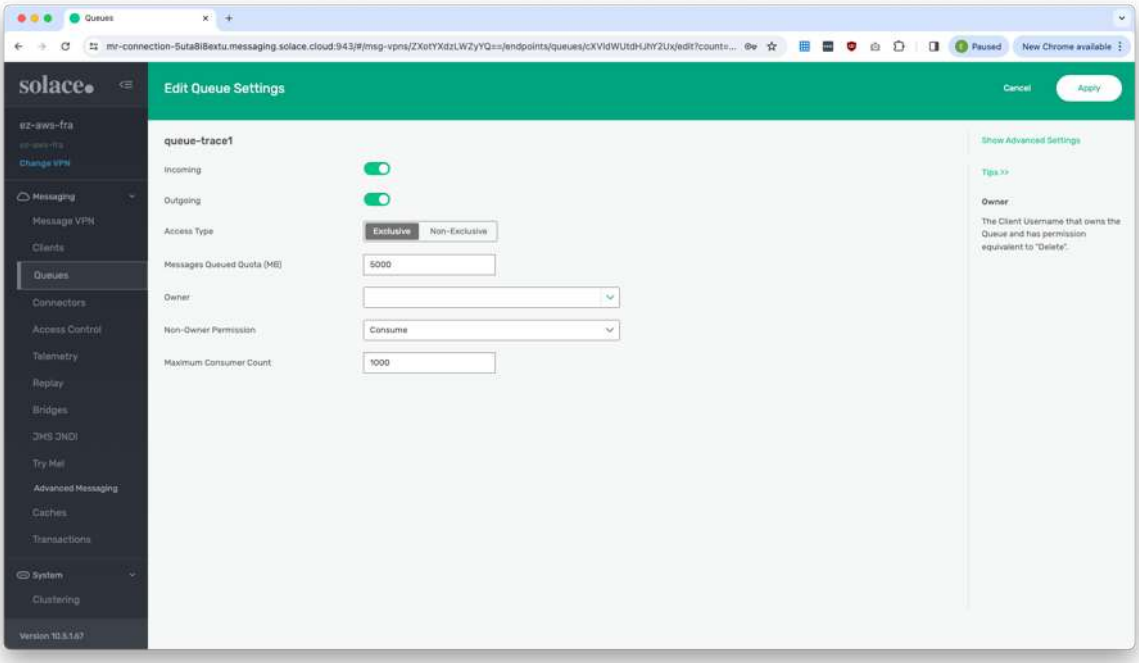
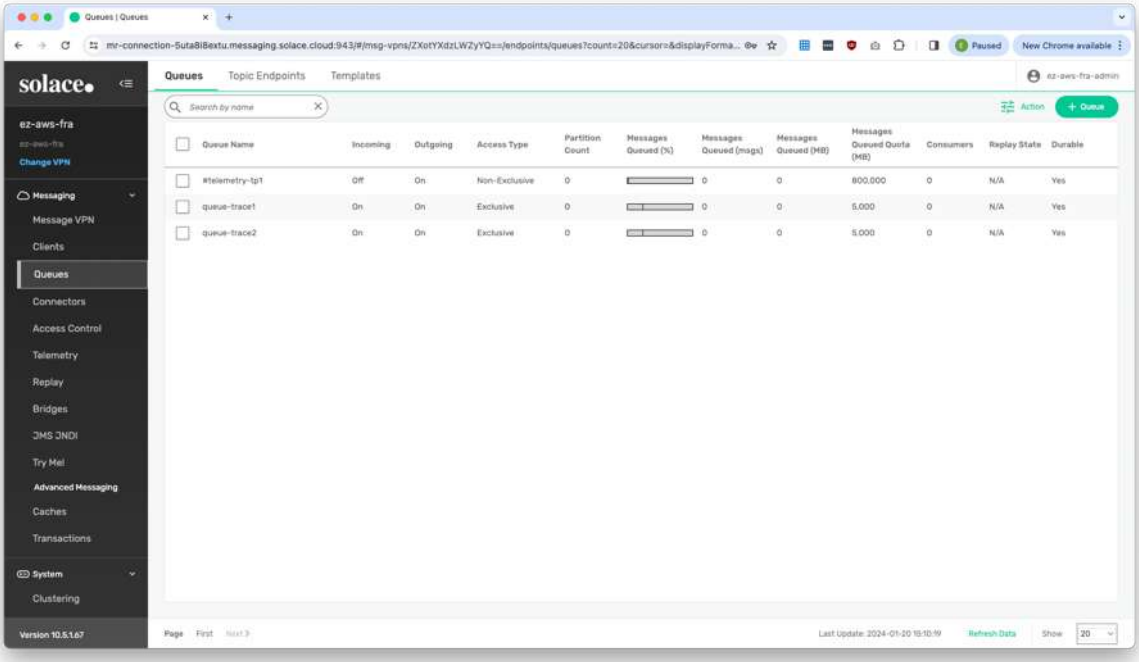
The ACL Profile of the Client Username.

Create two or more queues (queue-trace1, queue-trace2, ...) with subscription "demo/trace". These are the messaging queues.



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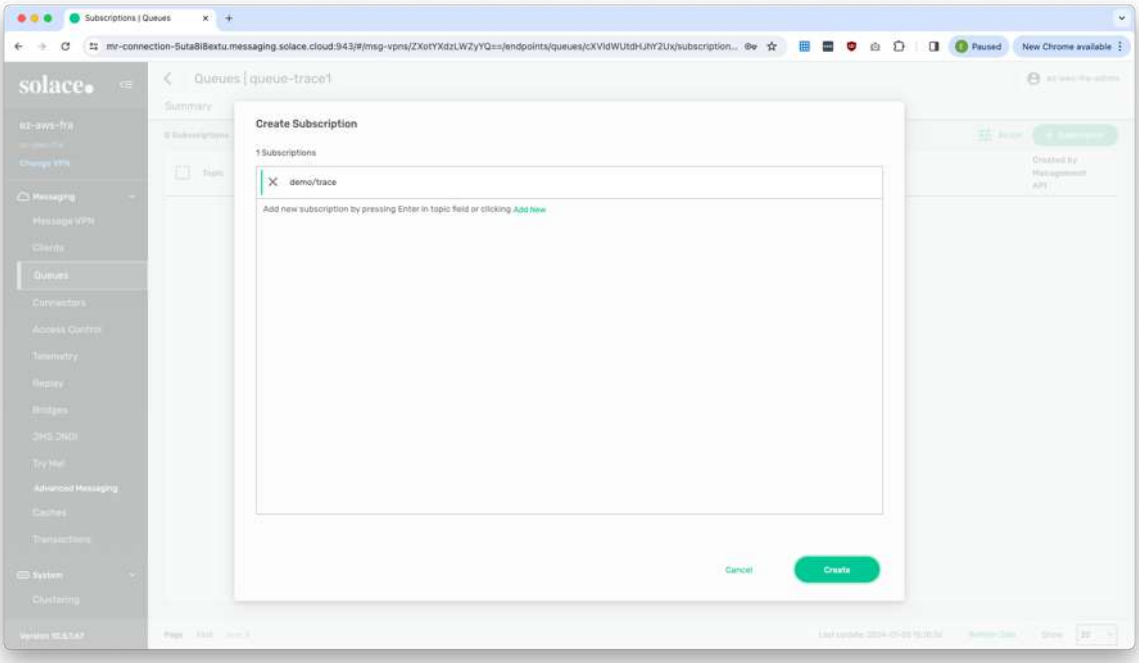
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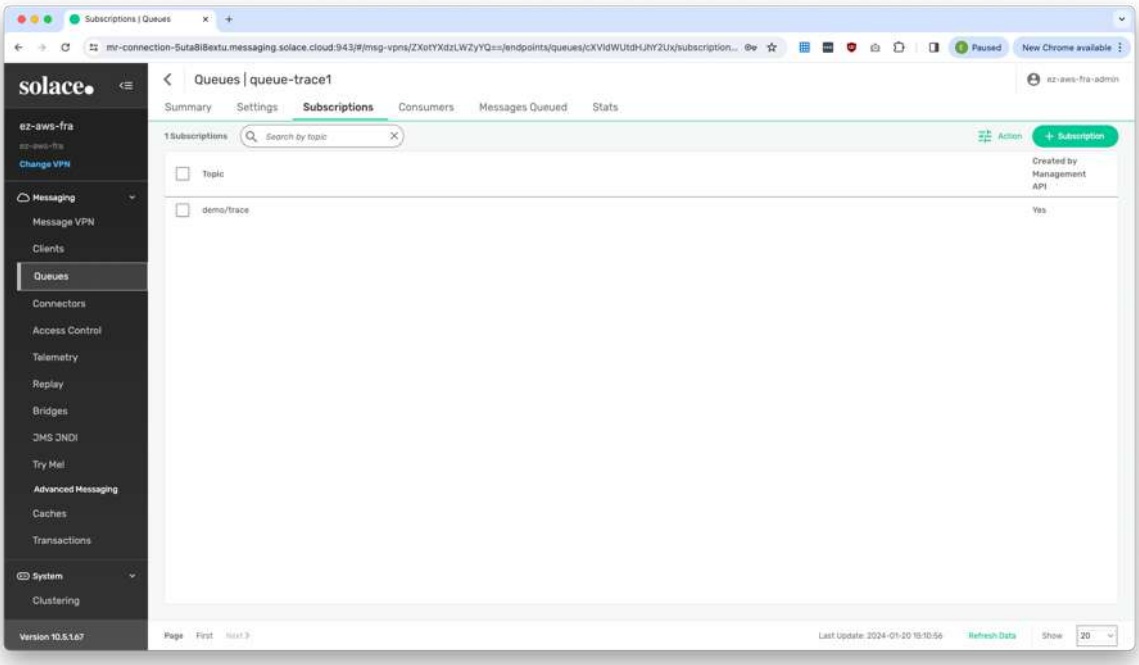
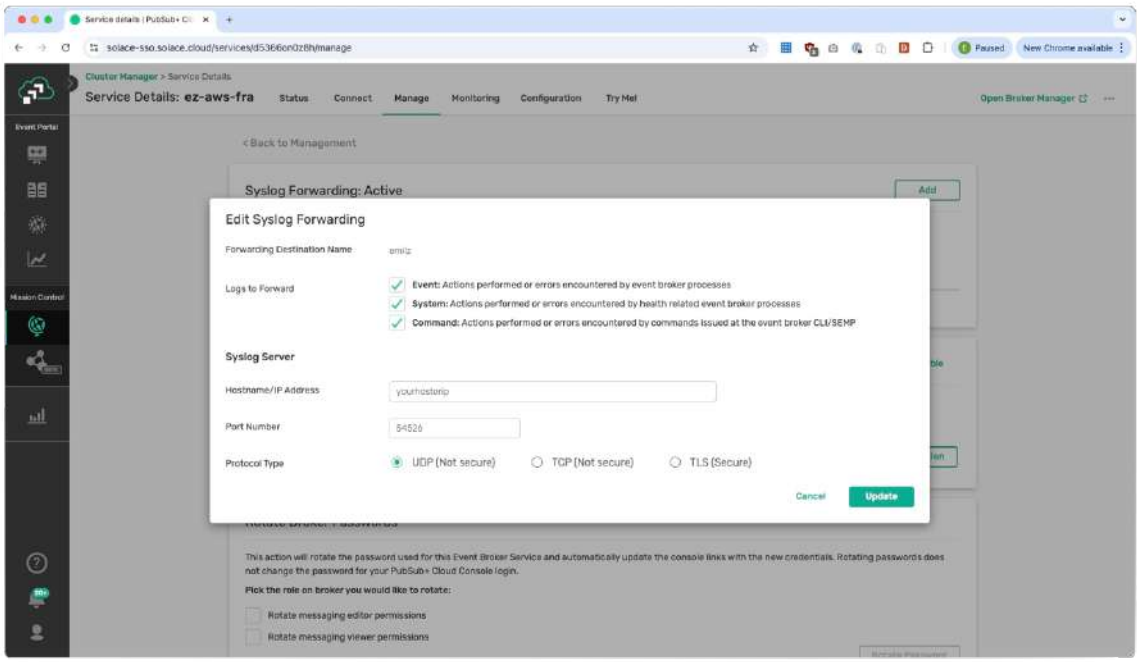


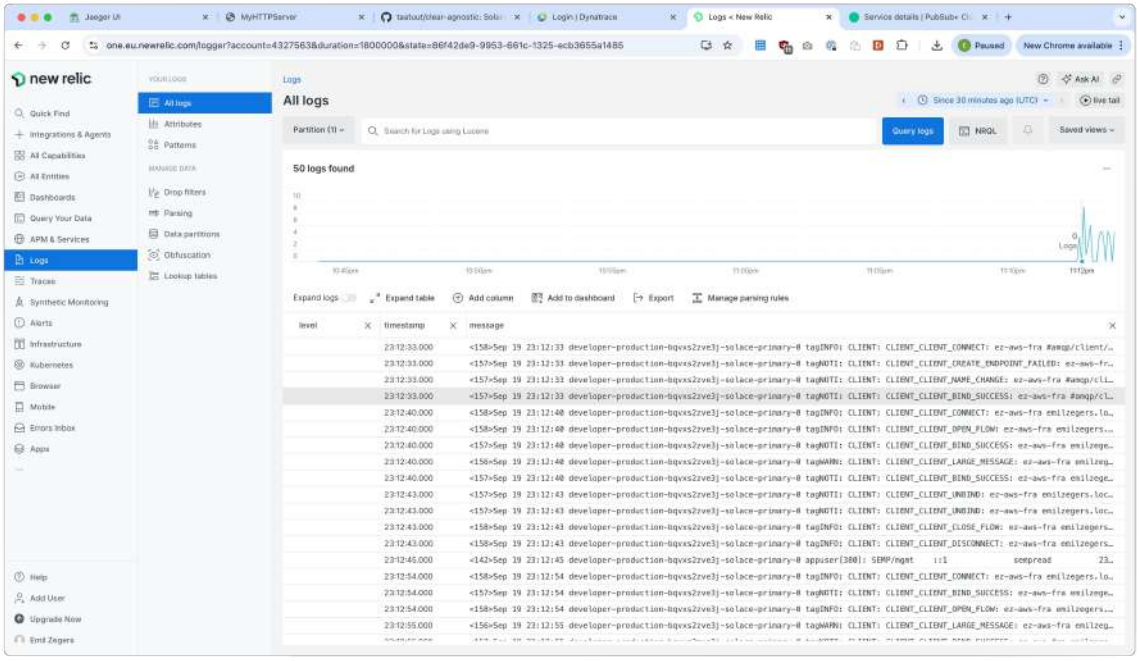
Configuration of the broker is now done.

2.4 Syslog Forwarding

See for configuration https://docs.solace.com/Cloud/cloud-syslog-forwarding.htm



Exported the log data to New Relic (you can have a permanent free account with some restrictions). Looks like Jaeger does not (directly) support ingesting log data? TODO: check, also explore Loki.



When using the JSON export, the log data can also be displayed by the Simple OTEL endpoint Python script. Example log data: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Some yaml excerpts below.

Add New Relic exporter to exporters section:

```
 otlphttp/newrelic:
   endpoint: ${NEW_RELIC_EXPORTER_OTLP_ENDPOINT}
   tls:
     insecure: false
   headers:
     api-key: ${NEW_RELIC_LICENSE_KEY}
```

Service section:

```
service:
 telemetry:
   logs:
     level: "debug"
 pipelines:
   logs:
     receivers: [syslog]
     exporters: [logging, otlphttp/newrelic, otlphttp/jsontest]
   traces:
     receivers: [solace/broker1, otlp]
     processors: [batch]
#      exporters: [logging, otlp/jaeger, otlphttp/newrelic, otlphttp/dynatrace, otlphttp/jsontest]
     exporters: [logging, otlp/jaeger, otlphttp/newrelic, otlphttp/jsontest]
```

See section OTEL Collector for full YAML configuration information.

2.5 Jaeger

Download Jaeger from here: https://www.jaegertracing.io/download/
Examplefor for MacOS: jaeger-1.53.0-darwin-amd64.tar.gz

Installation

```
mkdir -p ~/jaeger
cd ~/jaeger
tar xzvf <your download directory>/jaeger-1.53.0-darwin-amd64.tar.gz
```

Gives output like:

```
x jaeger-1.53.0-darwin-amd64/
x jaeger-1.53.0-darwin-amd64/example-hotrod
…
x jaeger-1.53.0-darwin-amd64/jaeger-ingester
x jaeger-1.53.0-darwin-amd64/jaeger-query
```

Remove extended attributes from extracted files to avoid MacOS popup warnings on downloaded (executable) files, assuming you are allowed to administer the Mac you are working on:

```
xattr -rc '~/jaeger'
```

If necessary, add sudo.

Start

```
cd ~/jaeger/jaeger-1.53.0-darwin-amd64/
./jaeger-all-in-one
# Or detached:
#nohup ./jaeger-all-in-one > /dev/null 2>&1 &
```

To stop kill the process with Control-C.

2.6 OTEL collector

Download from here:
https://github.com/open-telemetry/opentelemetry-collector-releases/releases/
Example for MacOS ARM: otelcol-contrib_0.96.0_darwin_arm64_darwin_arm64.tar.gz

Installation

```
mkdir -p ~/otelcol/otelcol-contrib_0.96.0_darwin_arm64
cd ~/otelcol/otelcol-contrib_0.96.0_darwin_arm64
tar xzvf <your download directory>/otelcol-contrib_0.96.0_darwin_arm64_darwin_arm64.tar.gz
```

Gives output like:

```
x LICENSE
x README.md
x otelcol-contrib
```

Prepare config files here:

```
cd ~/otelcol
```

Ping for IP address (what is preferred method to obtain -static- IP address?):

```
ping mr-connection-5uta8l8extu.messaging.solace.cloud
```

Added a custom hostname ez-dt.messaging.solace.cloud

Example for one broker: otel-collector-config-single.yaml:
<TODO: add yaml>

When working with multiple brokers define additional receivers and include in service/receivers:

```
receivers:
  solace/broker1:
    broker: [1.2.3.4:5671]
    max_unacknowledged: 500
    auth:
      sasl_plain:
        username: trace
        password: trace123
    queue: queue://#telemetry-tp1
    tls:
      insecure: false
      insecure_skip_verify: true

  solace/broker2:
    broker: [4.3.2.1:5671]
    max_unacknowledged: 500
    auth:
      sasl_plain:
        username: trace
        password: trace123
    queue: queue://#telemetry-tp1
    tls:
      insecure: false
      insecure_skip_verify: true

service:
  telemetry:
    logs:
      level: "debug"
  pipelines:
    traces:
      receivers: [solace/broker1, solace/broker2]
      processors: [batch]
      exporters: [logging, otlp/jaeger]
```

To get rid of other Apple messages like "can't be opened because Apple cannot check it for malicious software." , assuming you are allowed to administer the Mac you are working on:

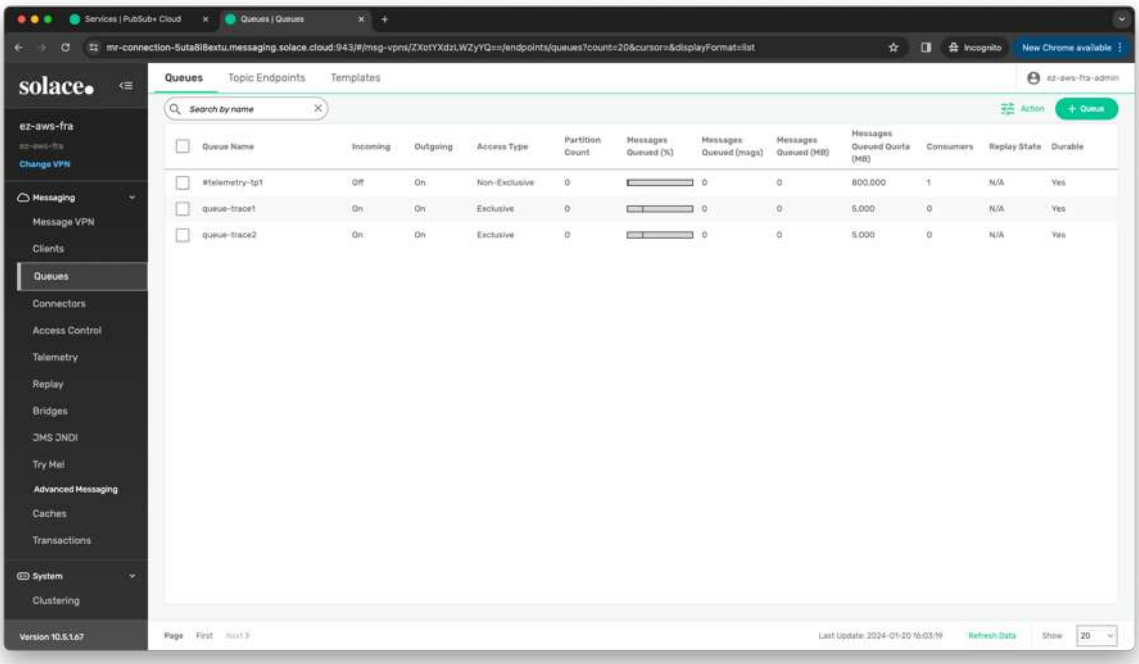
```
sudo spctl --master-disable
```

Start

```
cd ~/otelcol/otelcol-contrib_0.96.0_darwin_arm64
./otelcol-contrib --config=../otel-collector-config-single.yaml
# Or detached:
#nohup ./otelcol-contrib --config=../otel-collector-config-single.yaml > /dev/null 2>&1 &
```

To stop kill the process with Control-C.

In the Broker verify that the Telemetry queue #telemetry-tp1 has a (1) consumer at Consumers:



2.7 OpenSearch

There is no direct download for OpenSearch for macOS now as it is not fully supported. Install using docker or brew works fine. OpenSearch requires Java to run.
To use a direct install without docker or brew go to https://github.com/opensearch-project/opensearch-build/issues/4670 and download from https://artifacts.opensearch.org/snapshots/core/opensearch/3.0.0-SNAPSHOT/opensearch-min-3.0.0-SNAPSHOT-darwin-arm64-latest.tar.gz This tarball includes a JDK.

2.7.1 Installation

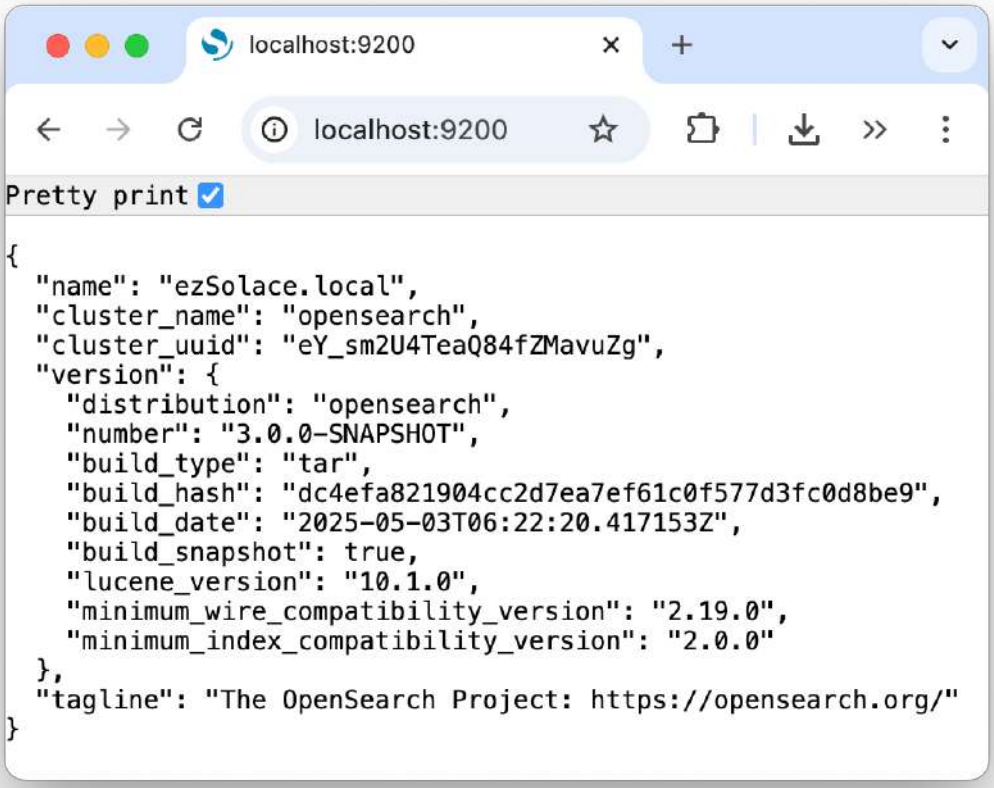
```
mkdir -p ~/opensearch
cd ~/opensearch
tar xzvf <your download directory>/opensearch-min-3.0.0-SNAPSHOT-darwin-arm64-latest.tar.gz
```

Now run OpenSearch, might need to remove Apple quarantine attribute from jdk.app.

```
xattr -d com.apple.quarantine ~/opensearch/opensearch-3.0.0-SNAPSHOT/jdk.app
cd opensearch-3.0.0-SNAPSHOT/bin
./opensearch
```

Gives output like:

```
WARNING: Using incubator modules: jdk.incubator.vector
WARNING: Unknown module: org.apache.arrow.memory.core specified to --add-opens
[2025-05-10T23:20:18,424][WARN ][stderr                ] [ezSolace.local] May 10, 2025 11:20:18 PM
org.opensearch.javaagent.bootstrap.AgentPolicy setPolicy
[2025-05-10T23:20:18,425][WARN ][stderr                ] [ezSolace.local] INFO: Policy attached successfully:
org.opensearch.bootstrap.OpenSearchPolicy@2b037cfc
[2025-05-10T23:20:18,430][INFO ][o.o.n.Node            ] [ezSolace.local] version[3.0.0-SNAPSHOT], pid[4157],
build[tar/dc4efa821904cc2d7ea7ef61c0f577d3fc0d8be9/2025-05-03T06:22:20.417153Z], OS[Mac OS
X/15.4.1/aarch64], JVM[Eclipse Adoptium/OpenJDK 64-Bit Server VM/21.0.7/21.0.7+6-LTS]
[2025-05-10T23:20:18,430][INFO ][o.o.n.Node            ] [ezSolace.local] JVM home
[/Users/emilzegers/opensearch/opensearch-3.0.0-SNAPSHOT/jdk.app/Contents/Home], using bundled
JDK/JRE [true]
…
[2025-05-10T23:20:24,341][INFO ][o.o.h.AbstractHttpServerTransport] [ezSolace.local] publish_address
{127.0.0.1:9200}, bound_addresses {[::1]:9200}, {127.0.0.1:9200}
[2025-05-10T23:20:24,344][INFO ][o.o.n.Node            ] [ezSolace.local] started
[2025-05-10T23:20:24,355][INFO ][o.o.g.GatewayService  ] [ezSolace.local] recovered [0] indices into
cluster_state
```



For information about experimental support for Distributed Tracing in OpenSearch see https://docs.opensearch.org/docs/latest/observing-your-data/trace/distributed-tracing/ To enable add (uncomment) below lines to ~/opensearch/opensearch-3.0.0-SNAPSHOT/config/opensearch.yml and (re)start OpenSearch

```
opensearch.experimental.feature.extensions.enabled: true
opensearch.experimental.feature.telemetry.enabled: true
telemetry.feature.tracer.enabled: true
telemetry.tracer.enabled: true
```

https://docs.opensearch.org/docs/latest/api-reference/index-apis/stats/
Check http://localhost:9200/_stats

3 Testing the application chain

3.1 Solace SDKPerf

In this demo you will use Solace SDKPerf, a general purpose testing tool with support for OpenTelemetry. You can find information about SDKPerf at https://docs.solace.com/API/SDKPerf/SDKPerf.htm and downloads at https://solace.com/downloads/?fwp_downloads_types=other
On MacOS you can for example use the Java version: sdkperf-jcsmp-8.4.14.10.zip or sdkperf-mqtt-8.4.15.5.zip

3.1.1 Installation

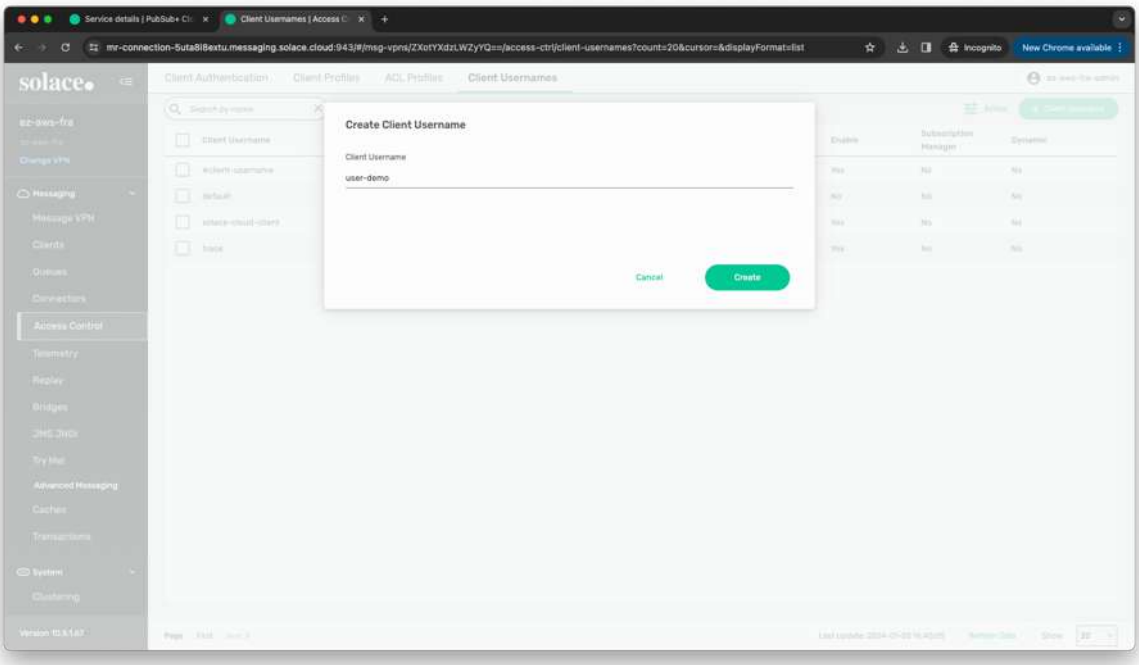
```
mkdir -p ~/sdkperf
cd ~/sdkperf
tar xzvf <your download directory>/sdkperf-jcsmp-8.4.14.10.zip
tar xzvf <your download directory>/sdkperf-mqtt-8.4.15.5.zip
```

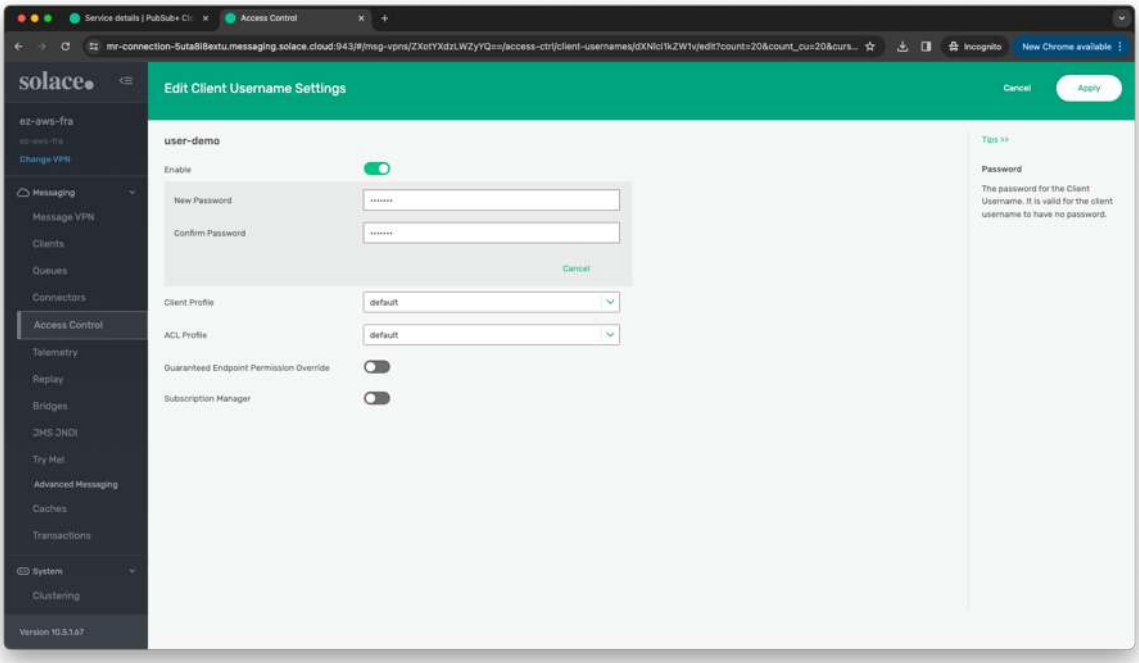
Gives output like:

```
x sdkperf-jcsmp-8.4.14.10/
x sdkperf-jcsmp-8.4.14.10/lib/
…
x sdkperf-jcsmp-8.4.14.10/sdkperf_java.bat
x sdkperf-jcsmp-8.4.14.10/sdkperf_java.sh
```

And similar for the MQTT version

In Broker Manager > Messaging > Acces Control > Client Usernames create user user-demo with password default.





Publish a message and receive it from 2 queues:

cd ~/sdkperf/sdkperf-jcsmp-8.4.14.10

Using Distributed Tracing from/to SDKPerf
https://solace.community/discussion/1633/distributed-tracing-context-propagation
With default user solace-cloud-client and initial auto-generated hostname

Can add -md flag to dump message, or -tmd to dump trace message (sort of works does drop an error)

./sdkperf_java.sh -cip=tcps://mr-connection-5uta8l8extu.messaging.solace.cloud:55443 -cu=solace-cloud-client@ez-aws-fra -cp=deun1l905ashrflooldf1qhrfg -ptl='demo/trace' -sql='queue-trace1,queue-trace2' -mt=persistent -mn=1 -mr=1 -msa=32768 -q -tcc -tcrc -tecip="http://localhost:4317"

Run repeatedly every 10 seconds

while true; do ./sdkperf_java.sh -cip=tcps://mr-connection-5uta8l8extu.messaging.solace.cloud:55443 -cu=solace-cloud-client@ez-aws-fra -cp=deun1l905ashrflooldf1qhrfg -ptl='demo/trace' -sql='queue-trace1,queue-trace2' -mt=persistent -mn=1 -mr=1 -msa=32768 -q -tcc -tcrc -tecip="http://localhost:4317"; sleep 10; done

With default user solace-cloud-client and initial auto-generated hostname

./sdkperf_java.sh -cip=tcps://mr-connection-5uta8l8extu.messaging.solace.cloud:55443 -cu=solace-cloud-client@ez-aws-fra -cp=deun1l905ashrflooldf1qhrfg -ptl='demo/trace' -sql='queue-trace1,queue-trace2' -mt=persistent -mn=1 -mr=1 -msa=32768 -q

With default user solace-cloud-client and additional created hostname

./sdkperf_java.sh -cip=tcps://ez-dt.messaging.solace.cloud:55443 -cu=solace-cloud-client@ez-aws-fra -cp=deun1l905ashrflooldf1qhrfg -ptl='demo/trace' -sql='queue-trace1,queue-trace2' -mt=persistent -mn=1 -mr=1 -msa=32768 -q

With default user solace-cloud-client and IP address (Dynamic? Going round between 18.159.178.64, 18.153.239.155, … How to find these, and/or create static?)

./sdkperf_java.sh -cip=tcps://18.159.178.64:55443 -cu=solace-cloud-client@ez-aws-fra -cp=deun1l905ashrflooldf1qhrfg -ptl='demo/trace' -sql='queue-trace1,queue-trace2' -mt=persistent -mn=1 -mr=1 -msa=32768 -q

With created user user-demo

./sdkperf_java.sh -cip=tcps://mr-connection-5uta8l8extu.messaging.solace.cloud:55443 -cu=user-demo@ez-aws-fra -cp=default -ptl='demo/trace' -sql='queue-trace1,queue-trace2' -mt=persistent -mn=1 -mr=1 -msa=32768 -q

For MQTT

./sdkperf_mqtt.sh -cip=ssl://ez-dt.messaging.solace.cloud:8883 -cu=solace-cloud-client@ez-aws-fra -cp=deun1l905ashrflooldf1qhrfg -ptl='demo/trace' -sql='queue-trace1,queue-trace2' -mpq=1 -msq=1 -mn=1 -mr=1 -msa=32768 -q -tcc -tcrc -tecip="http://localhost:4317"

MQTT5

./sdkperf_mqtt5.sh -cip=ssl://ez-dt.messaging.solace.cloud:8883 -cu=solace-cloud-client@ez-aws-fra -cp=deun1l905ashrflooldf1qhrfg -ptl='demo/trace' -sql='queue-trace3' -mpq=1 -msq=1 -mn=1 -mr=1 -msa=32768 -q -tcc -tcrc -tecip="http://localhost:4317"

https://docs.solace.com/API/SDKPerf/Command-Line-Options.htm
https://docs.solace.com/API/SDKPerf/Example-Commands.htm

Can use something like iTerm to have all terminals together (jaeger, otelcollector, sdkperf and Simple OTEL endpoint from top to bottom).

4 Results

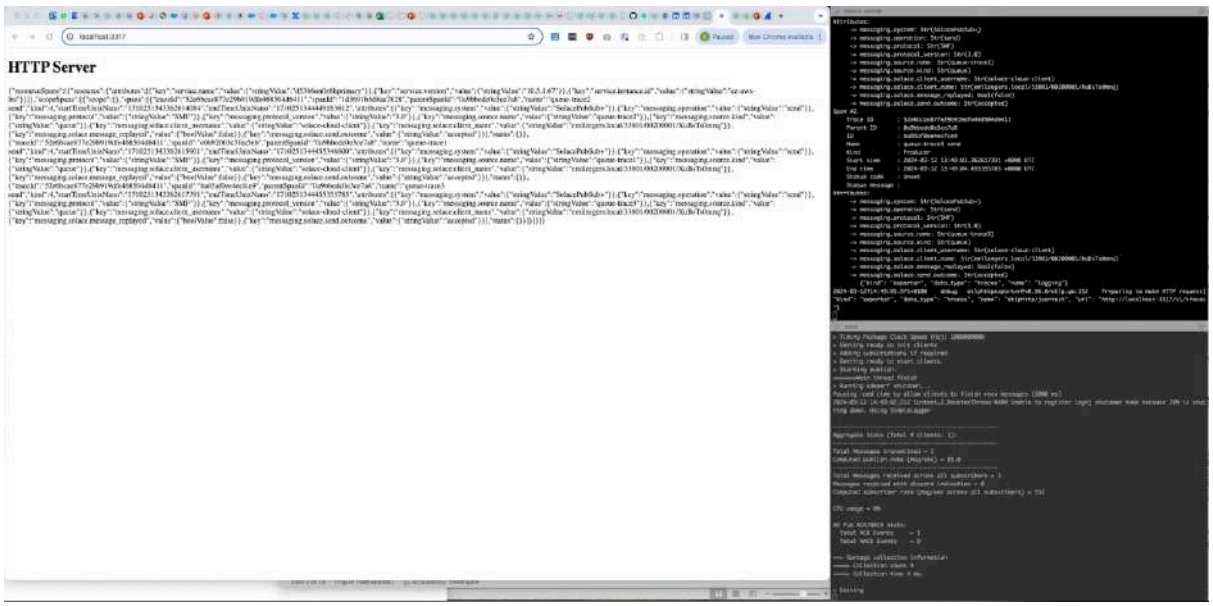
4.1 Simple OTEL endpoint

The Simple OTEL endpoint Python script processes POST requests from OTEL collector exporter with metrics in JSON and just displays the data received. See the simpleotelendpoint.py script, and relevant configuration in OTEL collector YAML file.

Example configuration for JSON:

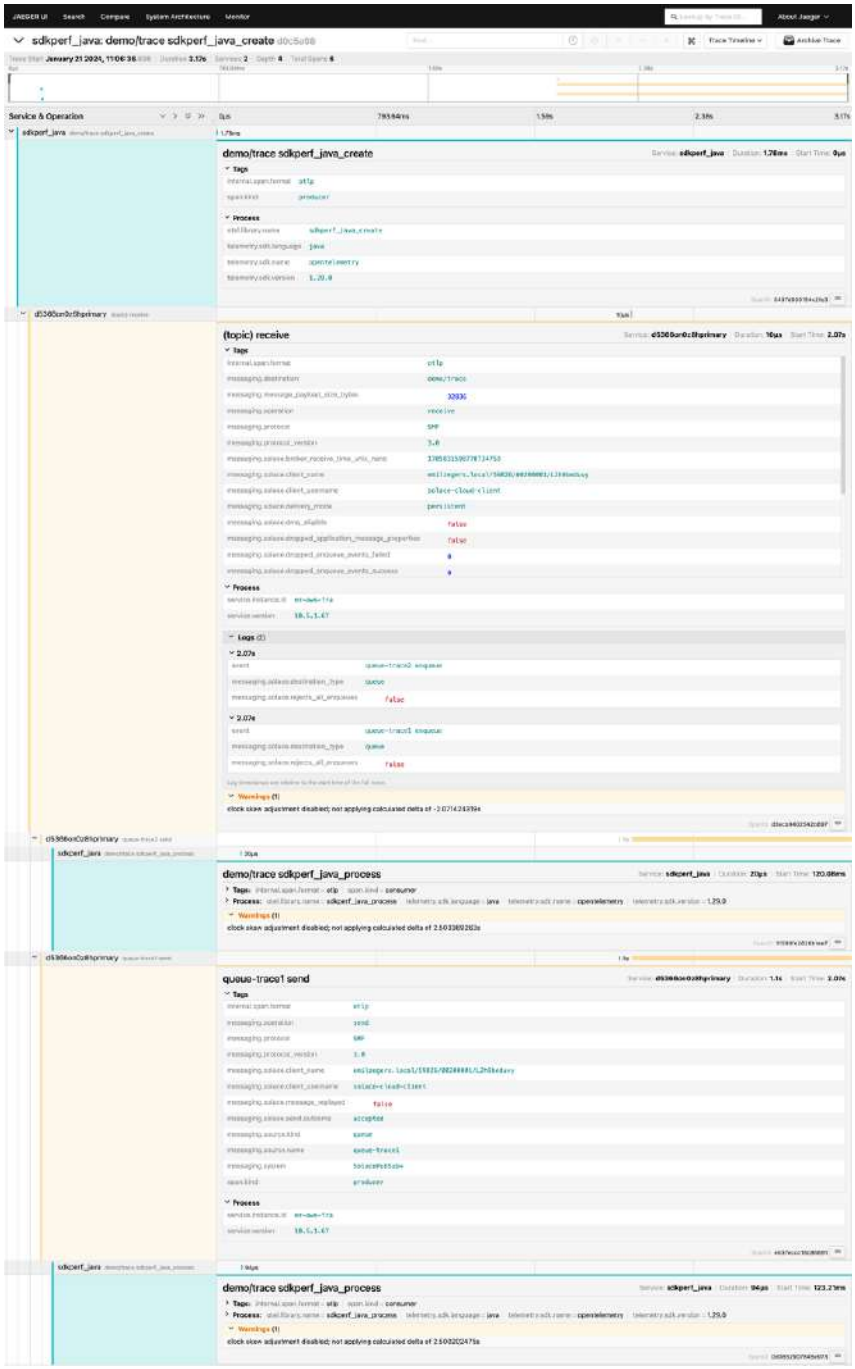
```
otlphttp/jsontest:
  endpoint: "http://localhost:3317/"
  compression: "none"
  encoding: "json"
  tls:
    insecure: true
```

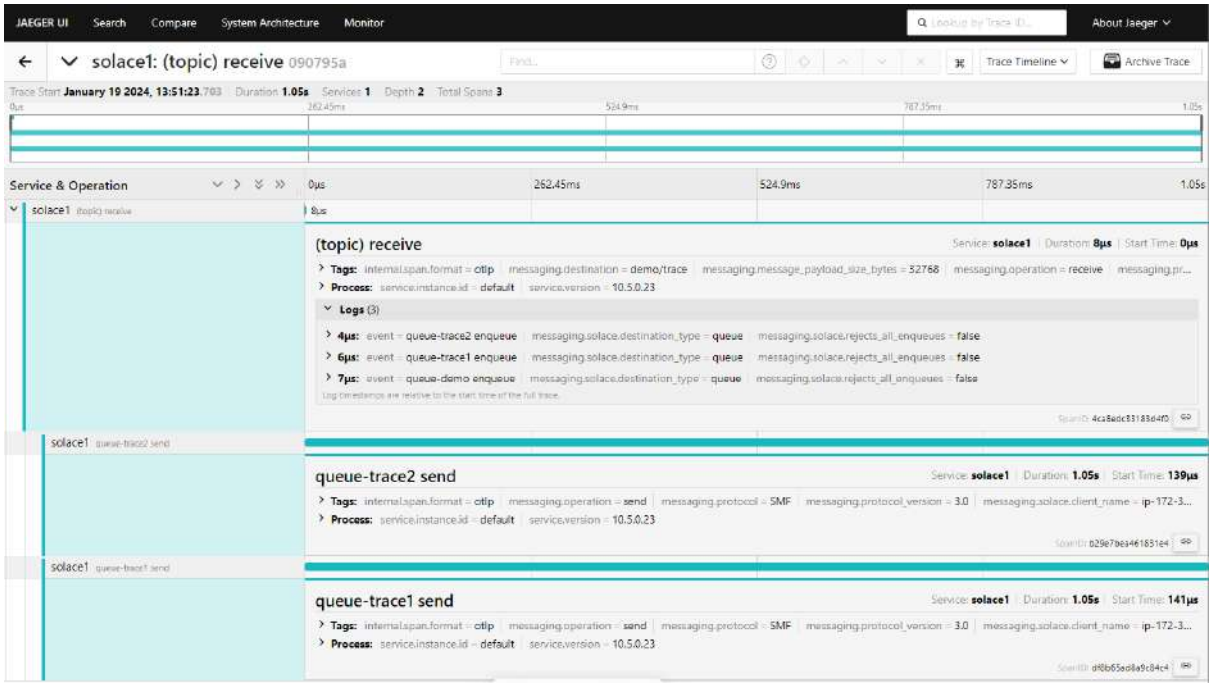
```
  headers:
    Content-Type: "application/json"
```



4.2 Jaeger

Navigate to http://localhost:16686 to access the Jaeger UI (server status info at http://0.0.0.0:14269/, see https://www.jaegertracing.io/docs/1.53/deployment/ for more info).

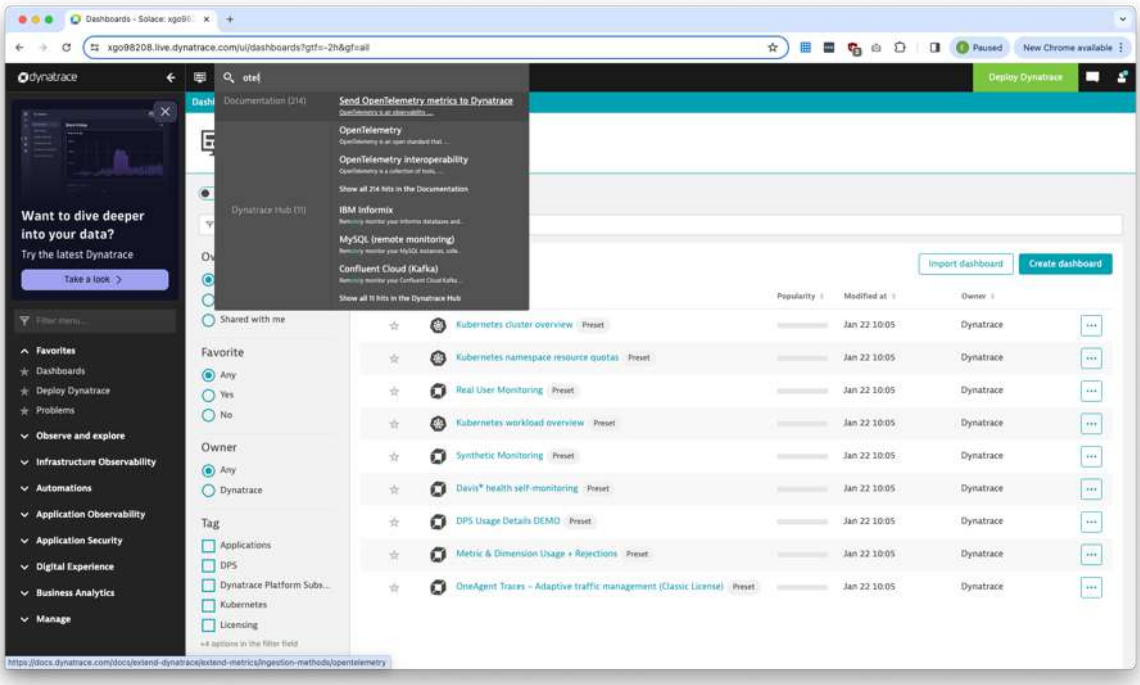

JAEGER UI
Search
Compare
System Architecture
Monitor
About Jaeger
sdkperf_java: demo/trace sdkperf_java_create d0c5a08
Trace Timeline
Archive Trace
Service & Operation
0µs
783.84ms
1.56s
2.35s
3.17s
sdkperf_java
1.78ms
demo/trace sdkperf_java_create
Service: sdkperf_java
Duration: 1.78ms
Start Time: 0µs
Tags
otel.library.name
sdkperf_java_create
telemetry.sdk.language
java
telemetry.sdk.name
opentelemetry
telemetry.sdk.version
1.20.0
(topic) receive
Service: d5360ur0c0lprimary
Duration: 16µs
Start Time: 2.07s
internal.span.format
otlp
messaging.destination
demo/trace
messaging.message_payload_size_bytes
2030
messaging.operation
receive
messaging.protocol
SMF
messaging.protocol_version
3.0
messaging.solace.client_name
solace-cloud-client
messaging.solace.delivery_mode
persistent
messaging.solace.dmq_eligible
false
messaging.solace.dropped_application_message_properties
false
messaging.solace.dropped_tropicve_events_failed
0
messaging.solace.dropped_tropicve_events_success
0
Process
service.instance.id
mr-mwh-lrs
service.version
10.5.1.47
Logs (2)
2.07s
event
queue-trace2 enqueue
messaging.solace.destination_type
queue
messaging.solace.rejects_all_consumers
false
2.07s
event
queue-trace1 enqueue
messaging.solace.destination_type
queue
messaging.solace.rejects_all_consumers
false
Warnings (1)
clock skew adjustment disabled; not applying calculated delta of -2.07142439s
sdkperf_java
30µs
demo/trace sdkperf_java_process
Service: sdkperf_java
Duration: 21µs
Start Time: 120.08ms
Tags: internal.span.format = otlp span.kind = consumer
Process: otel.library.name = sdkperf_java_process telemetry.sdk.language = java telemetry.sdk.name = opentelemetry telemetry.sdk.version = 1.29.0
Warnings (1)
clock skew adjustment disabled; not applying calculated delta of 2.503369203s
queue-trace1 send
Service: d5360ur02l0primary
Duration: 1.1s
Start Time: 2.07s
internal.span.format
otlp
messaging.operation
send
messaging.protocol
SMF
messaging.protocol_version
3.0
messaging.solace.client_name
solace-lead-client
messaging.solace.message_replayed
false
messaging.solace.send.outcome
accepted
messaging.source.kind
queue
messaging.source.name
queue-trace1
messaging.system
SolacePubSub+
span.kind
producer
Process
service.instance.id
mr-mwh-lrs
service.version
10.5.1.47
sdkperf_java
1.92µs
demo/trace sdkperf_java_process
Service: sdkperf_java
Duration: 94µs
Start Time: 123.21ms
Tags: internal.span.format = otlp span.kind = consumer
Process: otel.library.name = sdkperf_java_process telemetry.sdk.language = java telemetry.sdk.name = opentelemetry telemetry.sdk.version = 1.29.0
Warnings (1)
clock skew adjustment disabled; not applying calculated delta of 2.503202475s



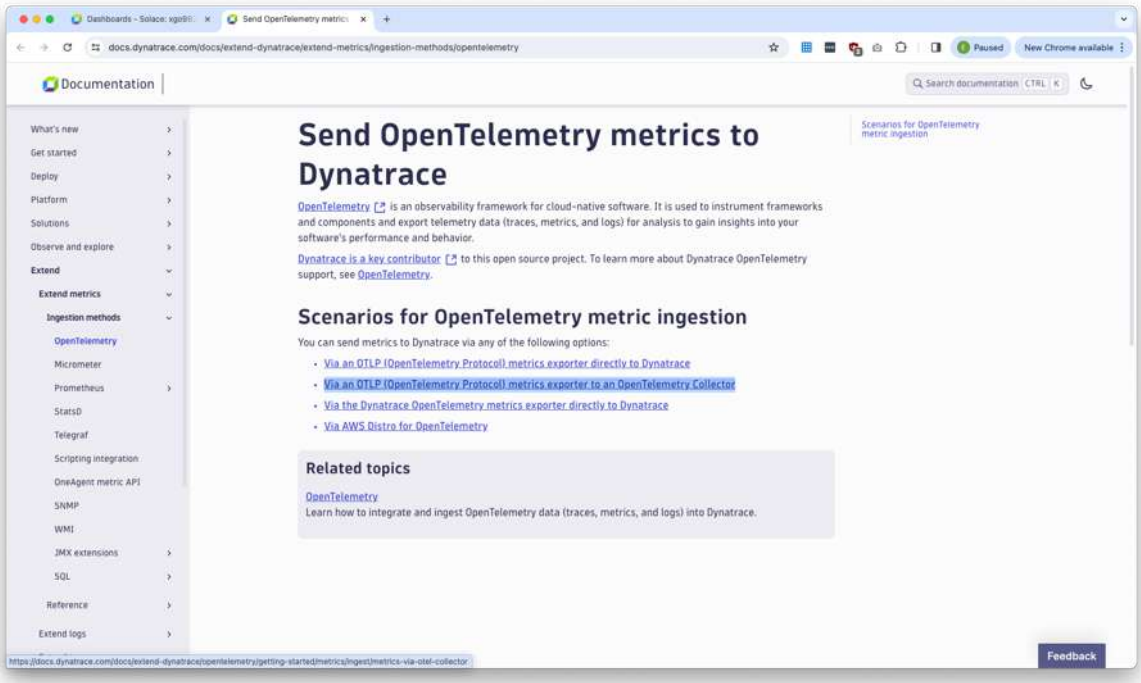
4.2.1 Loki

TODO

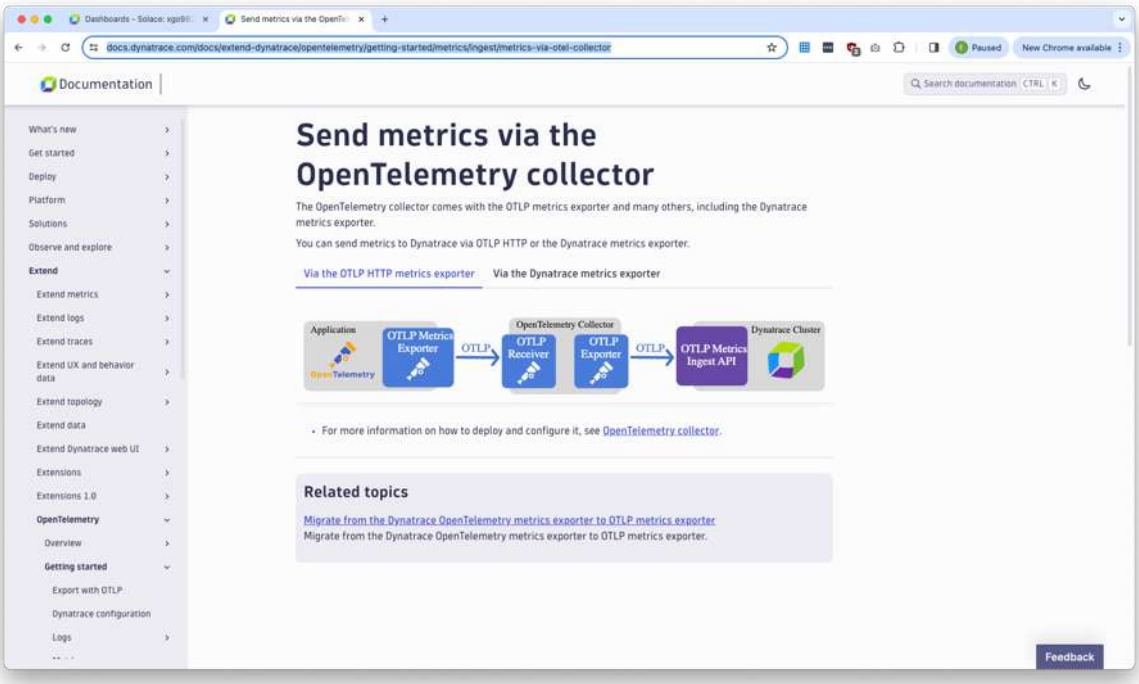
4.3 Dynatrace



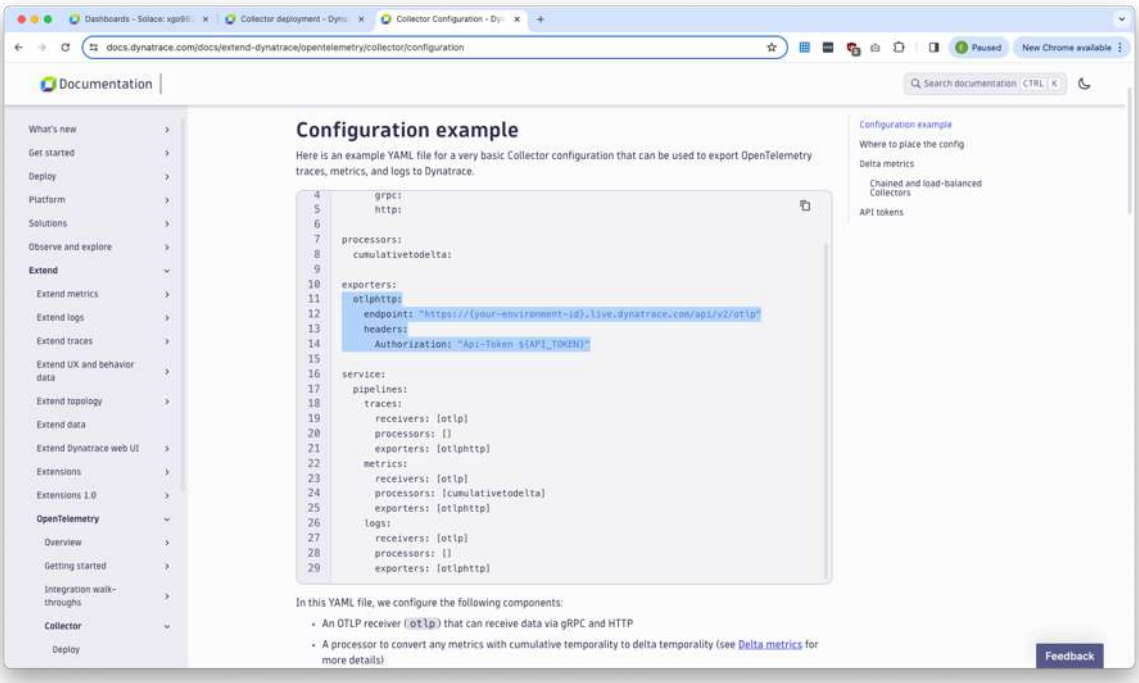
https://docs.dynatrace.com/docs/extend-dynatrace/extend-metrics/ingestion-methods/opentelemetry



https://docs.dynatrace.com/docs/extend-dynatrace/opentelemetry/getting-started/metrics/ingest/metrics-via-otel-collector



https://docs.dynatrace.com/docs/extend-dynatrace/opentelemetry/collector#example-configuration


docs.dynatrace.com/docs/extend-dynatrace/opentelemetry/collector/configuration
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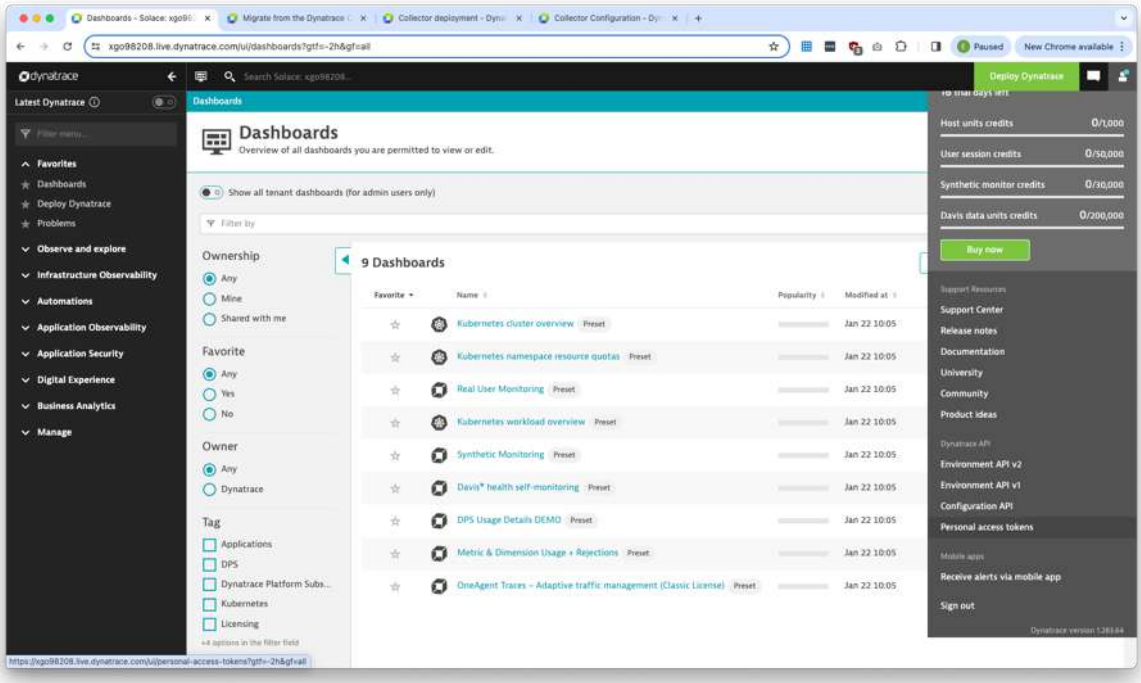
Get started
Deploy
Platform
Solutions
Observe and explore
Extend
Extend metrics
Extend logs
Extend traces
Extend UX and behavior data
Extend topology
Extend data
Extend Dynatrace web UI
Extensions
Extensions 1.0
OpenTelemetry
Overview
Getting started
Integration walk-throughs
Collector
Deploy
Configuration example
Here is an example YAML file for a very basic Collector configuration that can be used to export OpenTelemetry traces, metrics, and logs to Dynatrace.
grpc:
http:
processors:
cumulativetodelta:
exporters:
otlphttp:
endpoint: "https://{your-environment-id}.live.dynatrace.com/api/v2/otlp"
headers:
Authorization: "Api-Token ${API_TOKEN}"
service:
pipelines:
traces:
receivers: [otlp]
processors: []
exporters: [otlphttp]
metrics:
receivers: [otlp]
processors: [cumulativetodelta]
exporters: [otlphttp]
logs:
receivers: [otlp]
processors: []
exporters: [otlphttp]
In this YAML file, we configure the following components:
An OTLP receiver (otlp) that can receive data via gRPC and HTTP
A processor to convert any metrics with cumulative temporality to delta temporality (see Delta metrics for more details)
Configuration example
Where to place the config
Delta metrics
Chained and load-balanced Collectors
API tokens
Feedback


xgo98208.live.dynatrace.com/ui/dashboards?gtf=-2h&gf=all
dynatrace
Latest Dynatrace
Favorites
Dashboards
Deploy Dynatrace
Problems
Observe and explore
Infrastructure Observability
Automations
Application Observability
Application Security
Digital Experience
Business Analytics
Manage
Deploy Dynatrace
Dashboards
Dashboards
Overview of all dashboards you are permitted to view or edit.
Show all tenant dashboards (for admin users only)
Filter by
Ownership
Any
Mine
Shared with me
Favorite
Any
Yes
No
Owner
Any
Dynatrace
Tag
Applications
DPS
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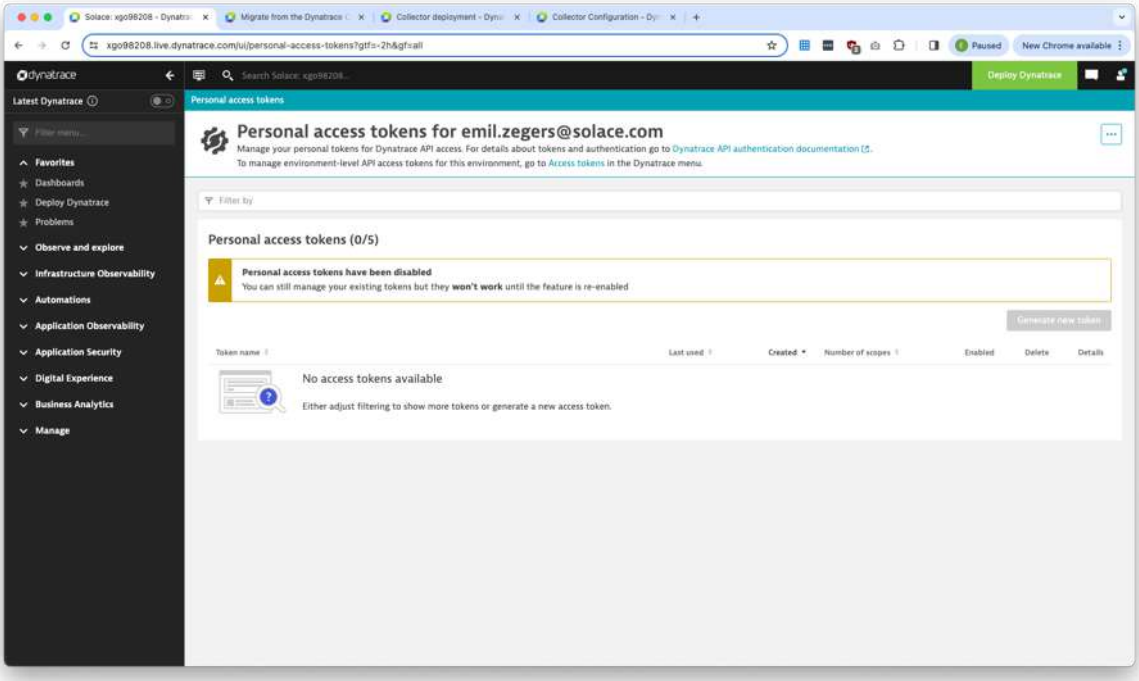
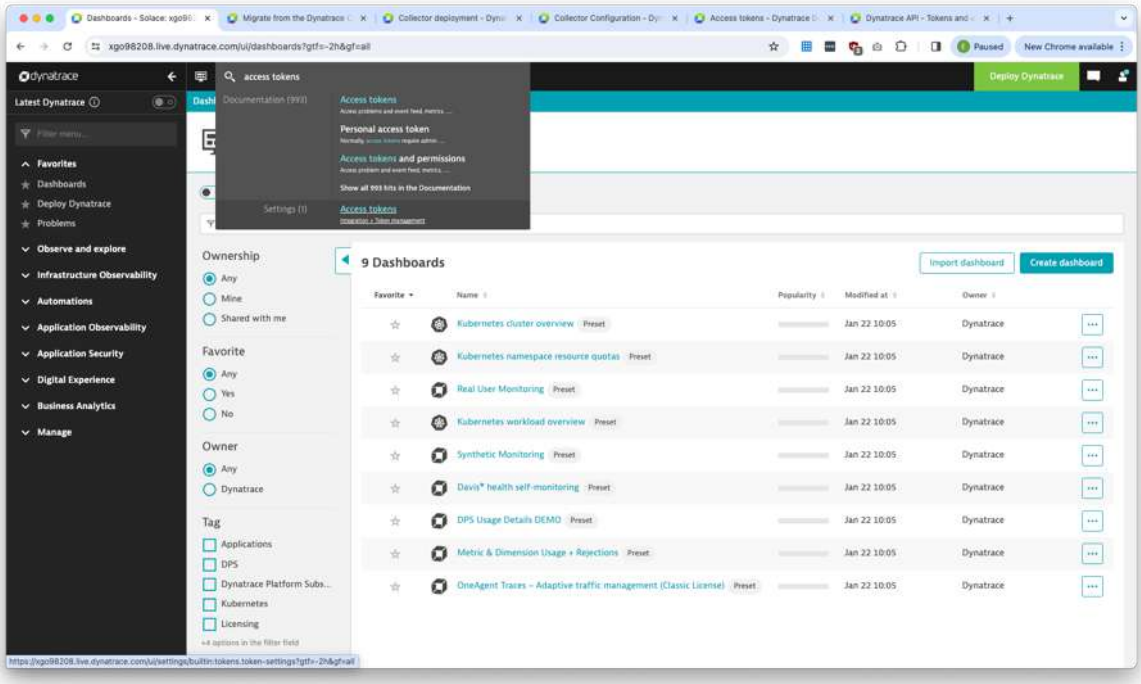
University
Community
Product ideas
Environment API v2
Environment API v1
Configuration API
Personal access tokens
Receive alerts via mobile app
Sign out


xgo98208.live.dynatrace.com/ui/personal-access-tokens?gtf=-2h&gf=all
Deploy Dynatrace
Personal access tokens
Personal access tokens for emil.zegers@solace.com
Manage your personal tokens for Dynatrace API access. For details about tokens and authentication go to Dynatrace API authentication documentation.
To manage environment-level API access tokens for this environment, go to Access tokens in the Dynatrace menu.
Personal access tokens (0/5)
Personal access tokens have been disabled
You can still manage your existing tokens but they won't work until the feature is re-enabled
Generate new token
Token name
Last used
Created
Number of scopes
Enabled
Delete
Details
No access tokens available
Either adjust filtering to show more tokens or generate a new access token.
Favorites
Dashboards
Deploy Dynatrace
Problems
Observe and explore
Infrastructure Observability
Automations
Application Observability
Application Security
Digital Experience
Business Analytics
Manage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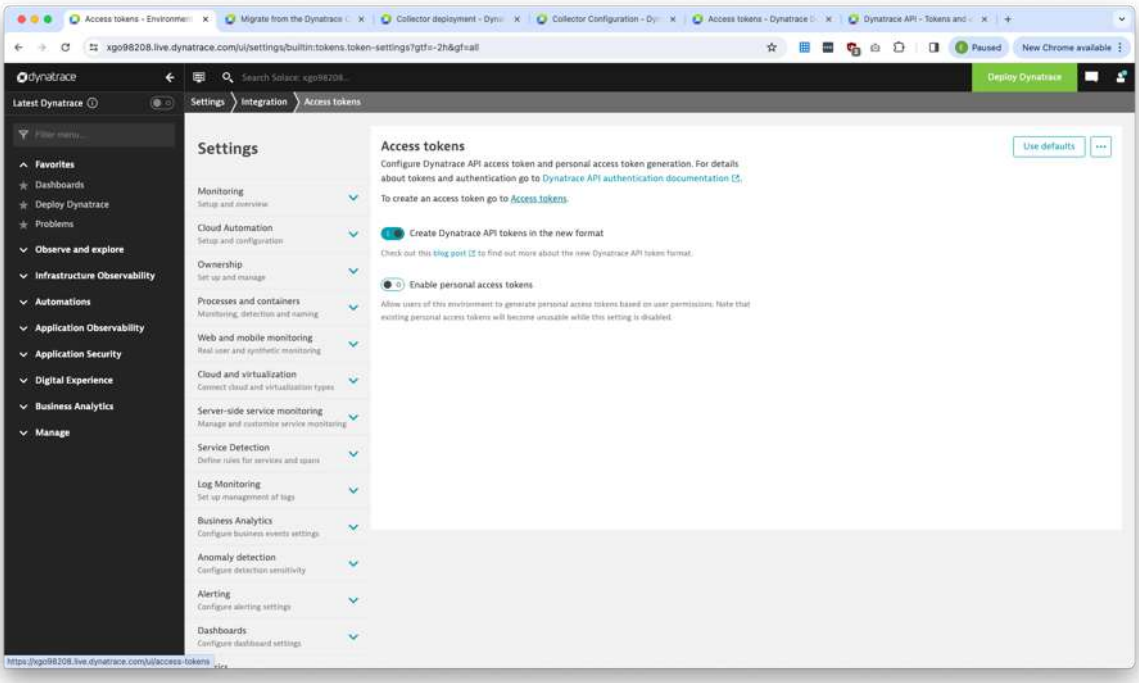
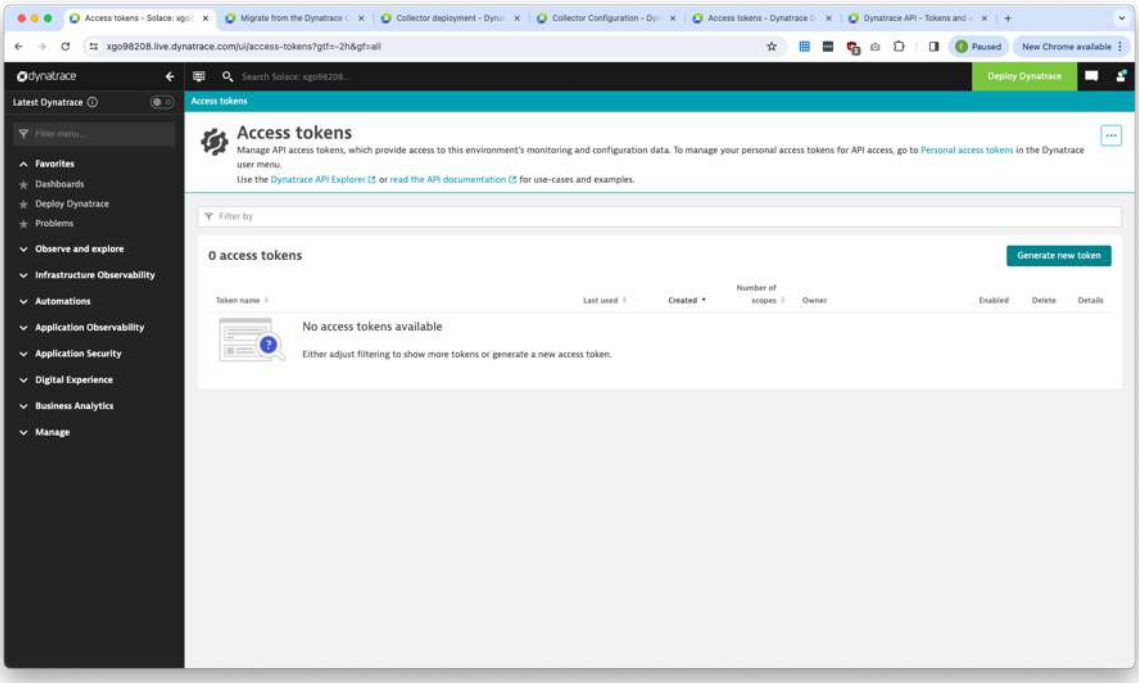
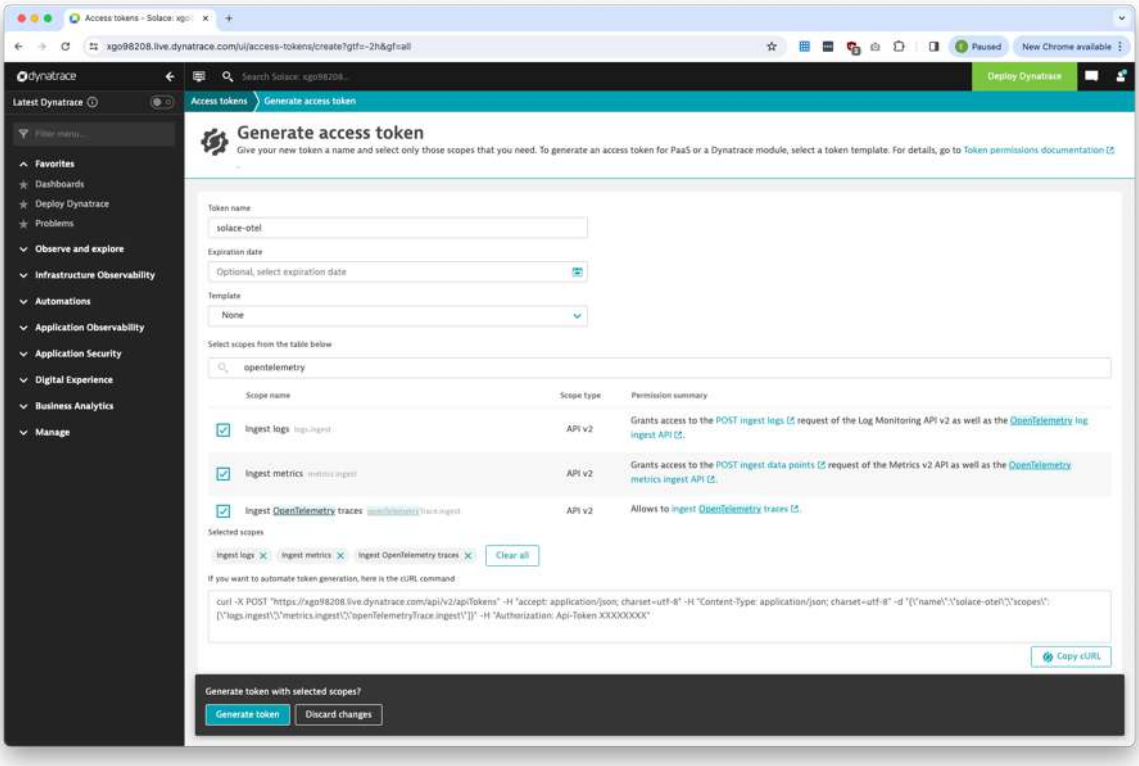




Token name: solace-otel

Search for OpenTelemetry and add Scopes



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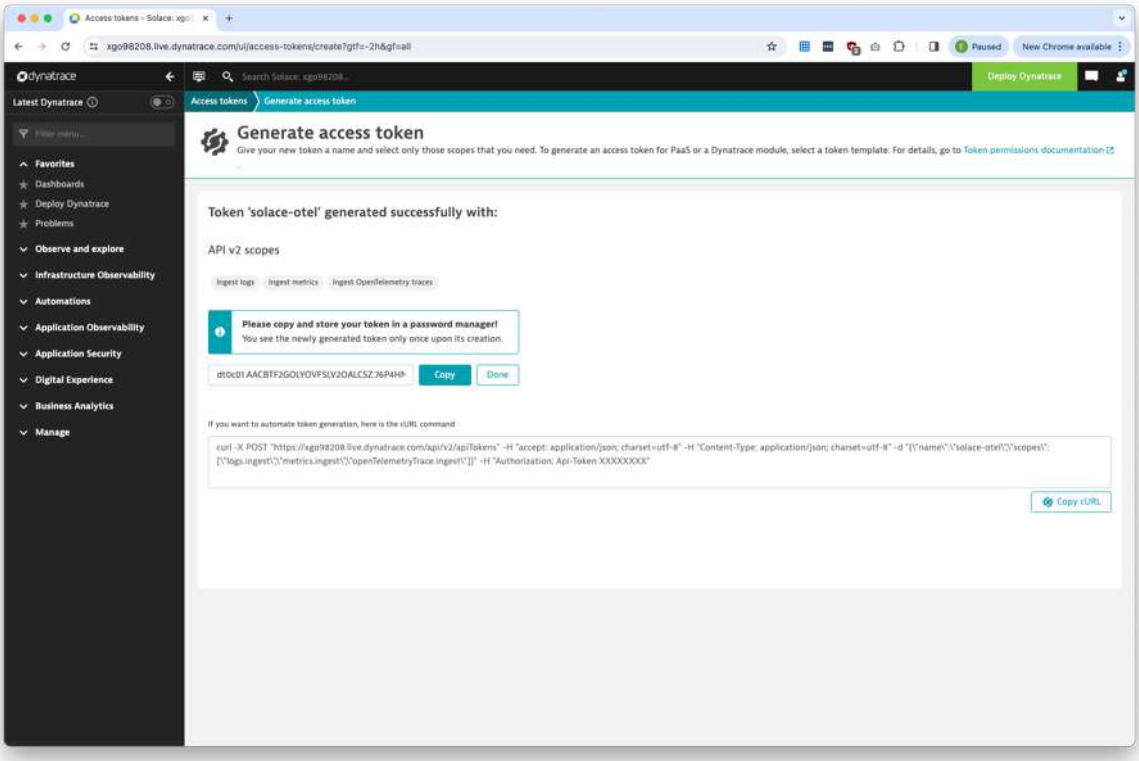
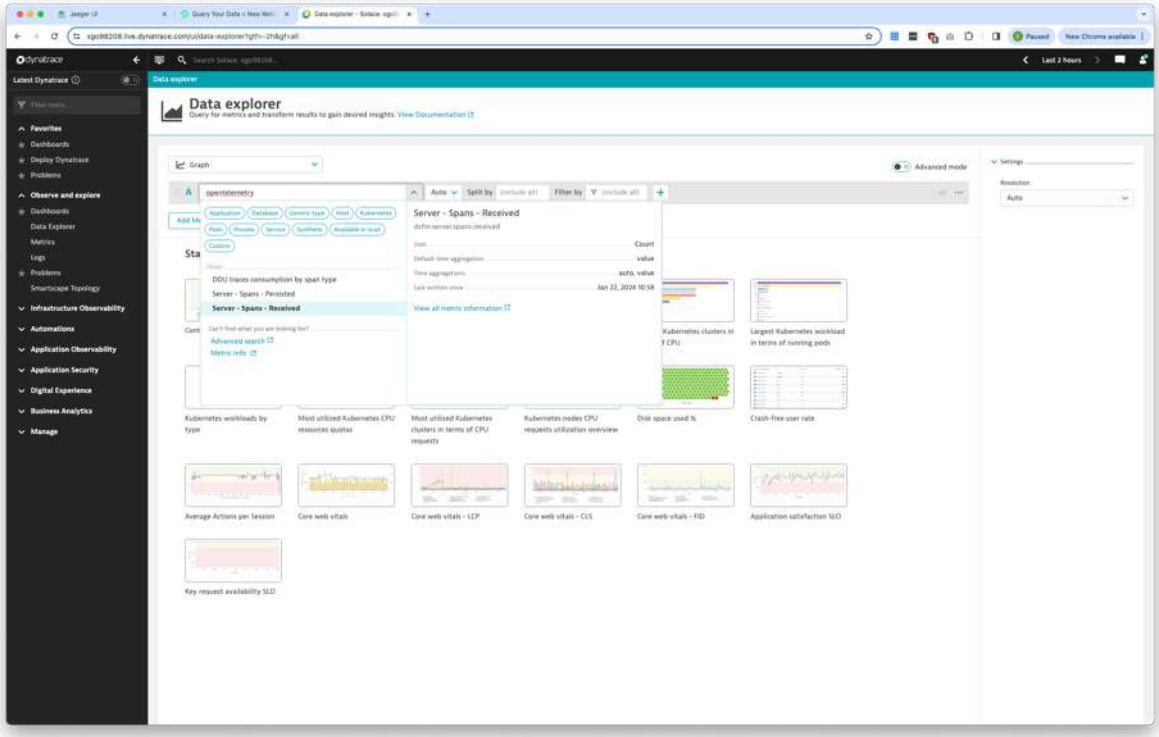
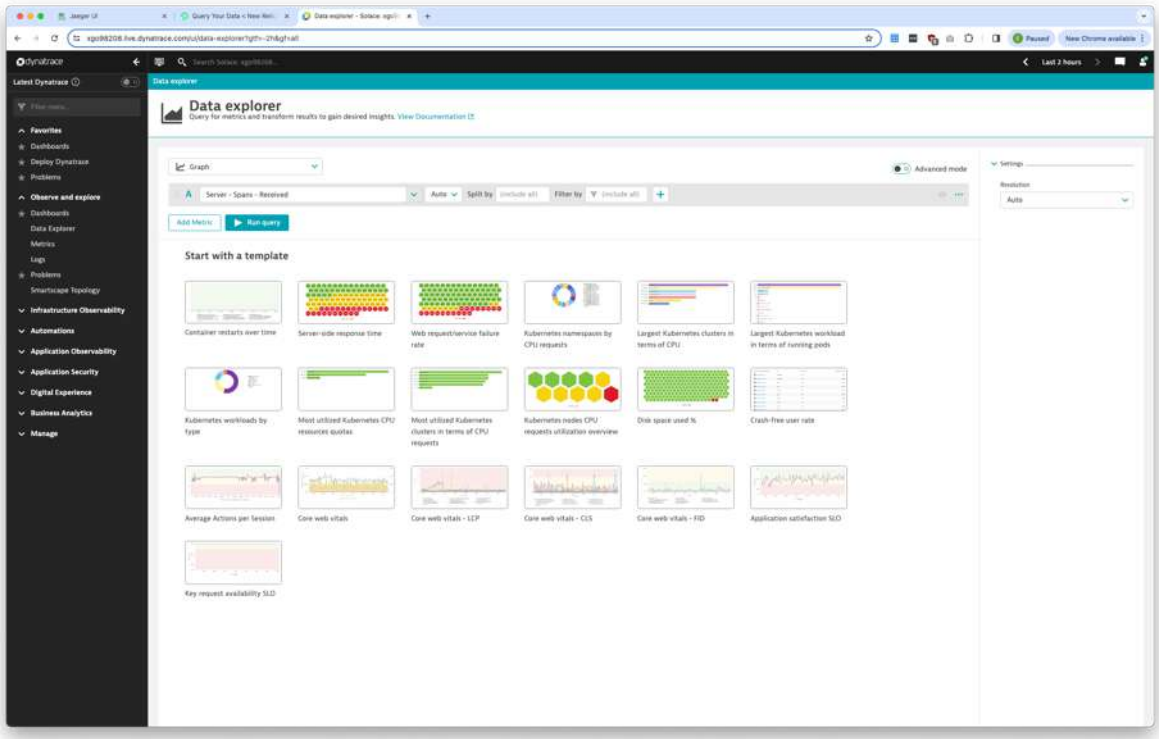


Copy token and add to YAML file.

Now send some events with SDKPerf resulting in traces in Dynatrace.





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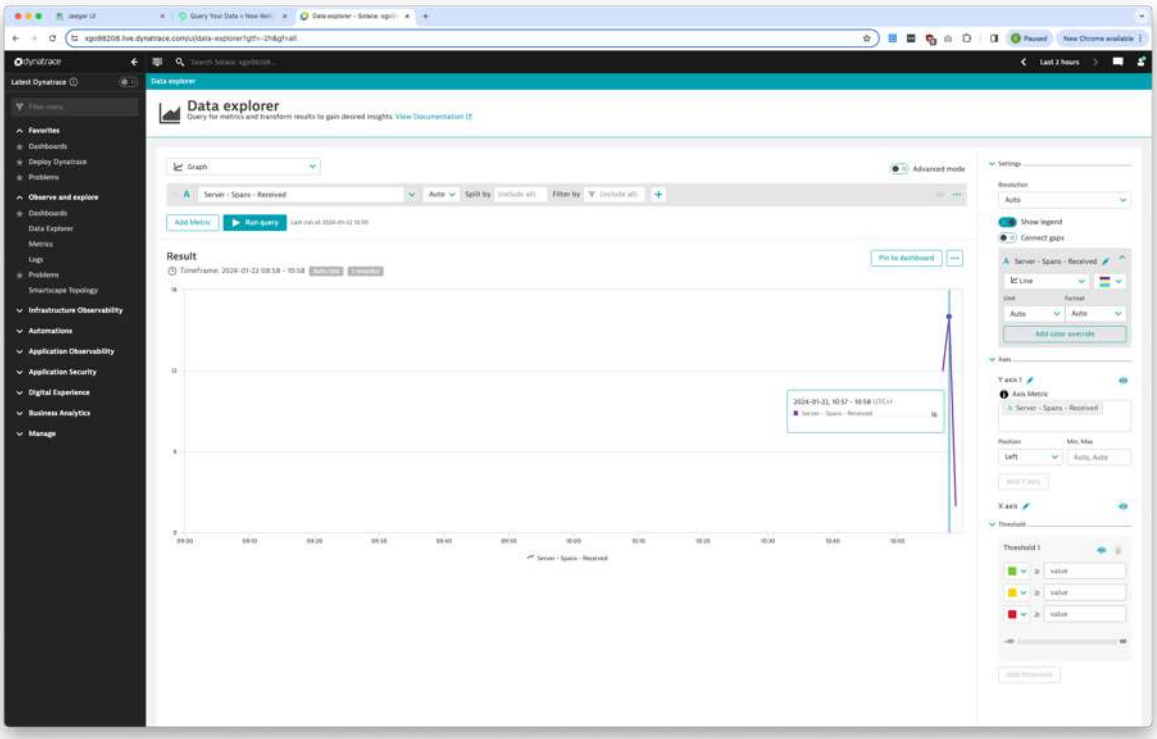
Data explorer
Query for metrics and transform results to gain desired insights.
Result

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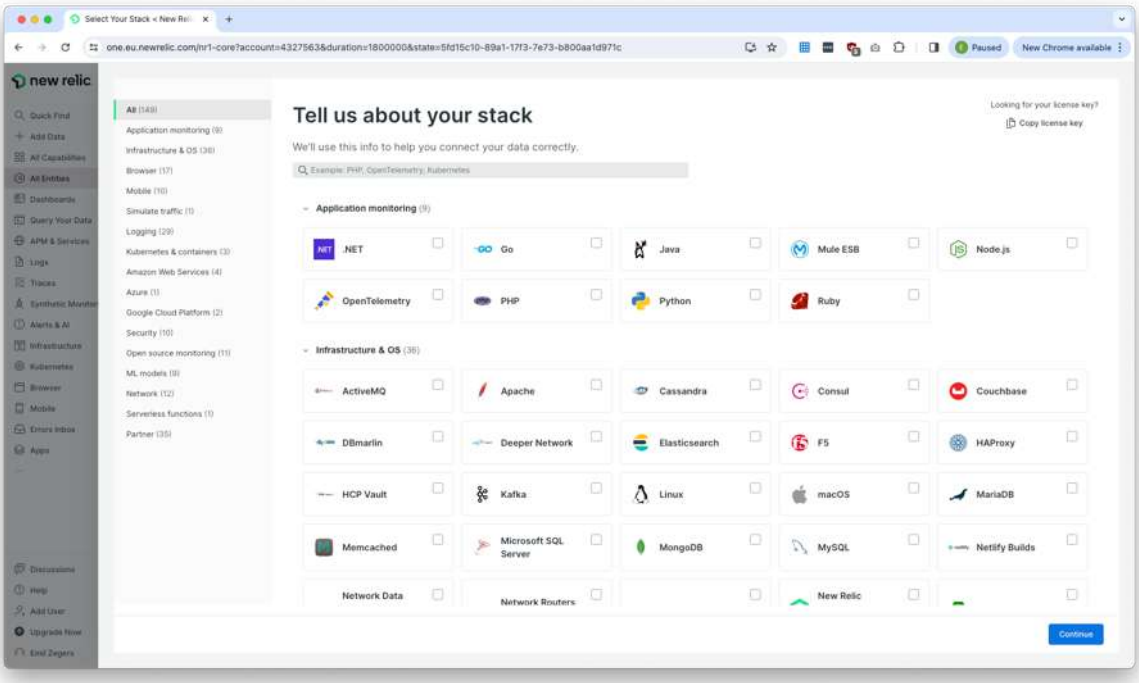
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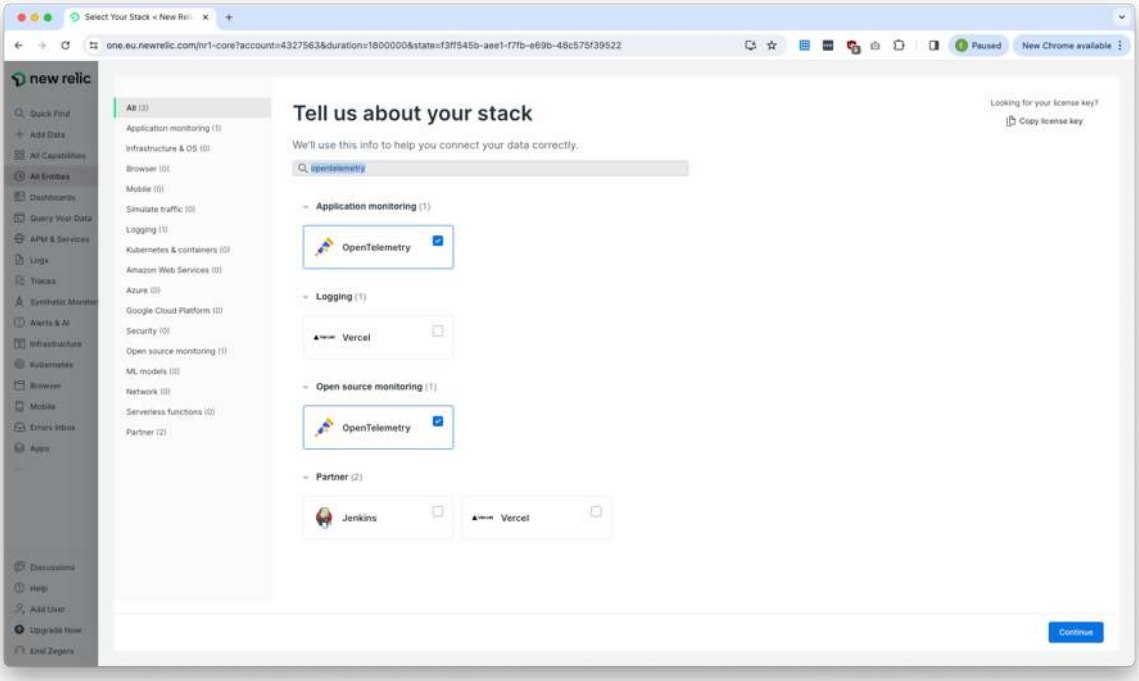
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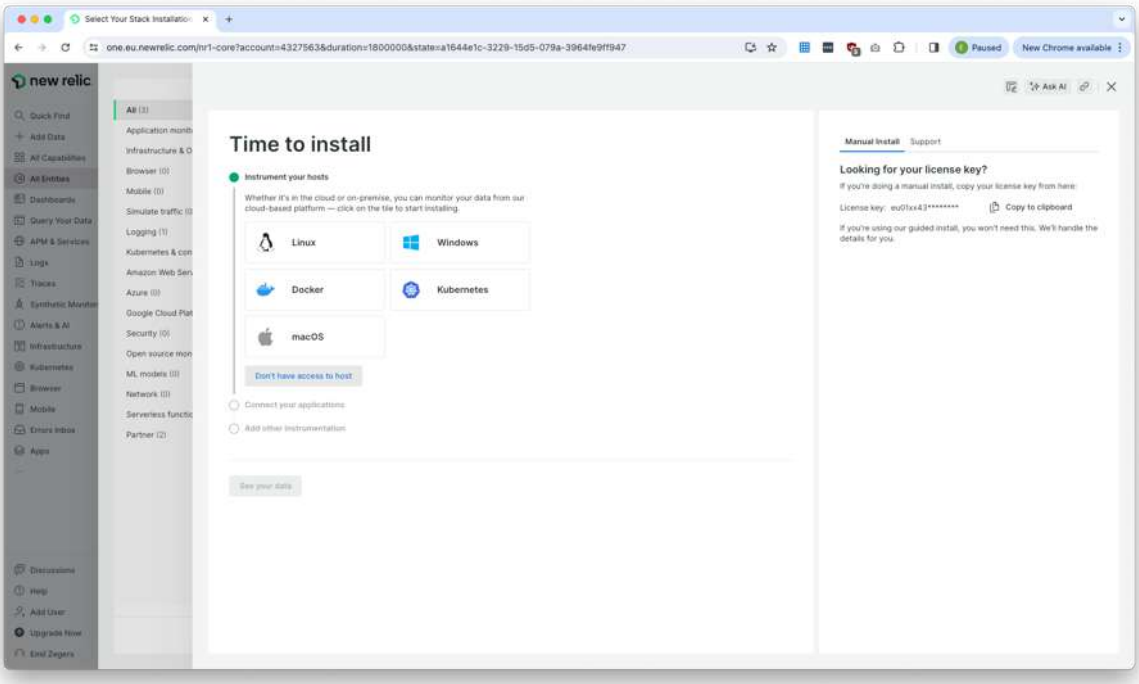
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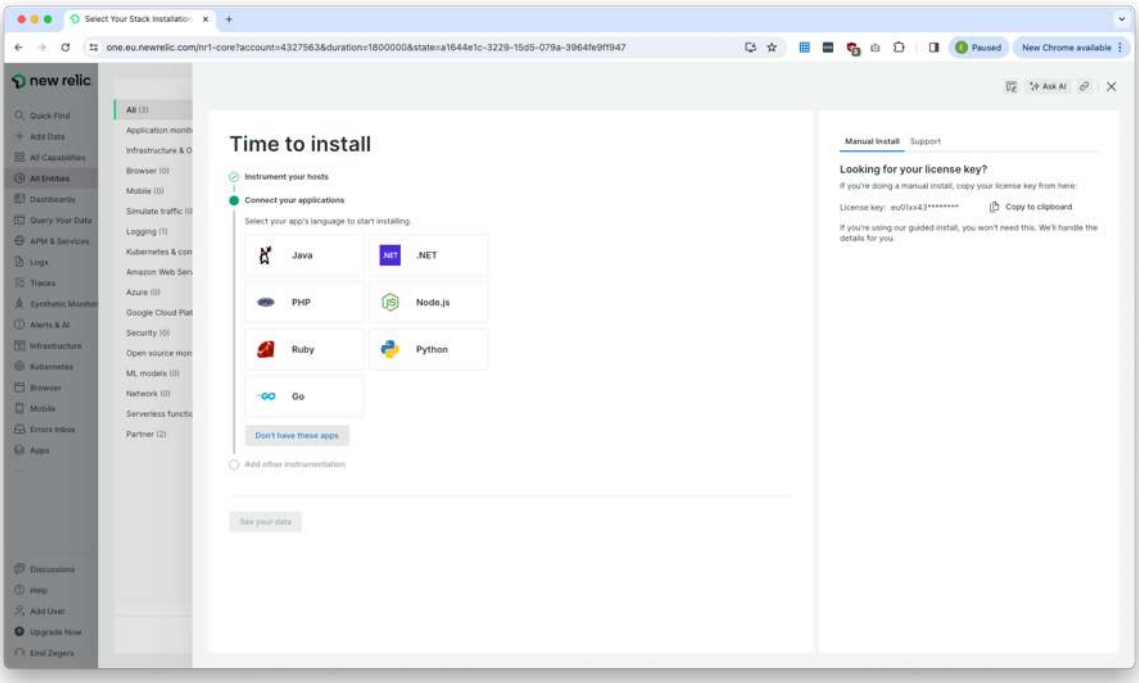

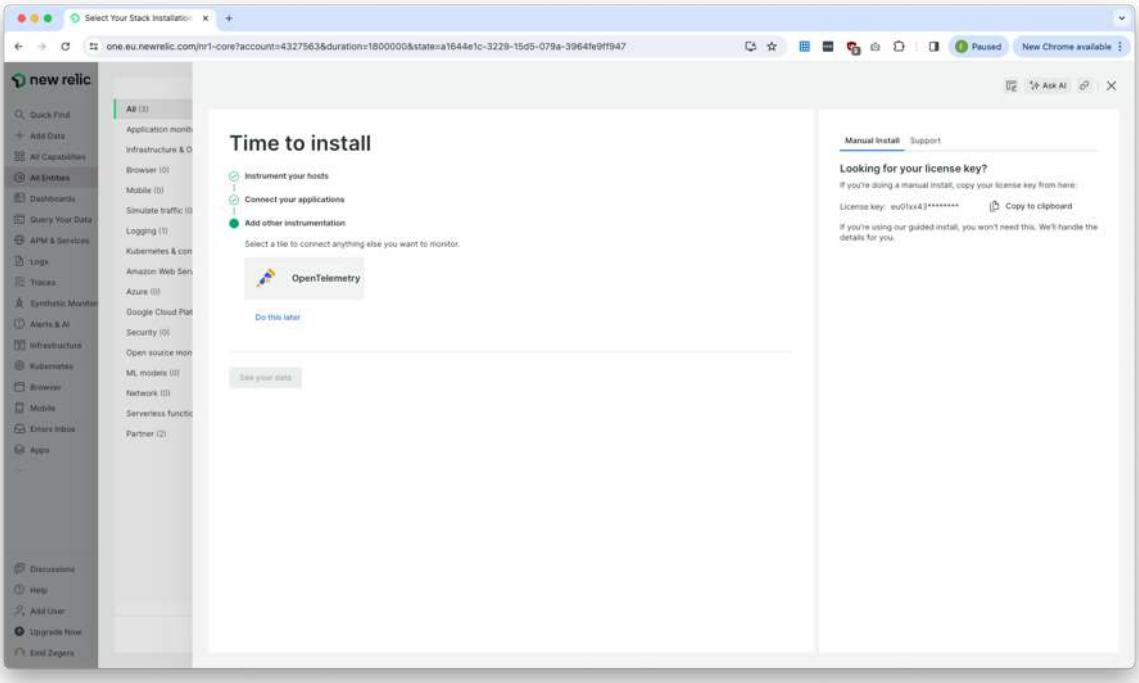

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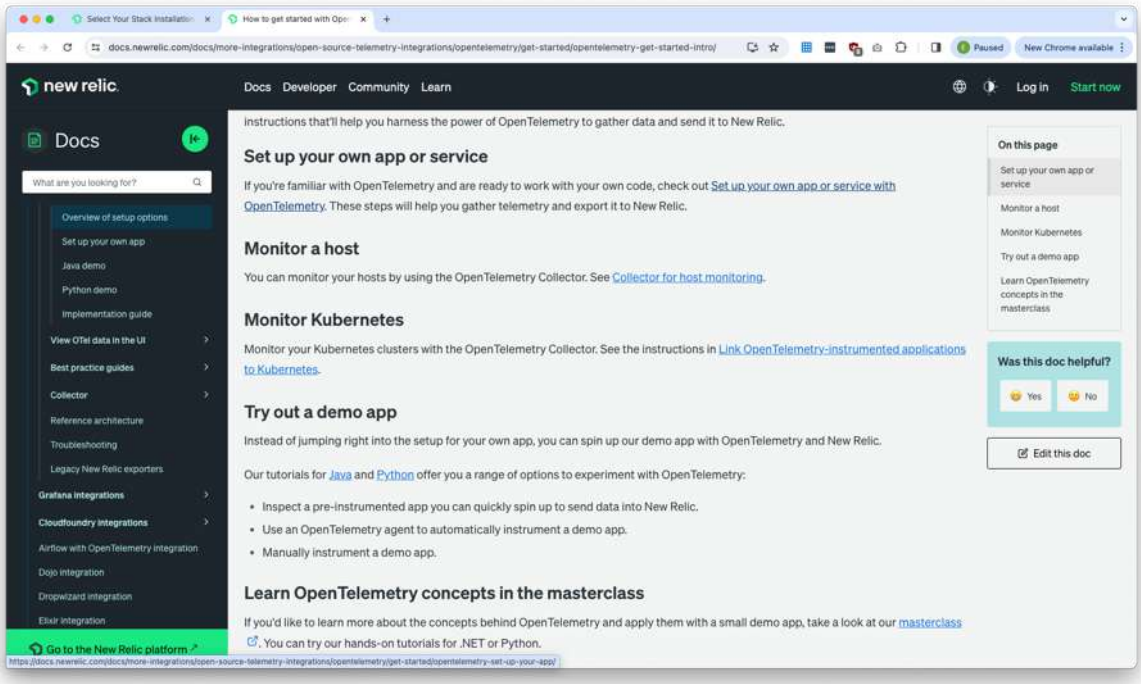

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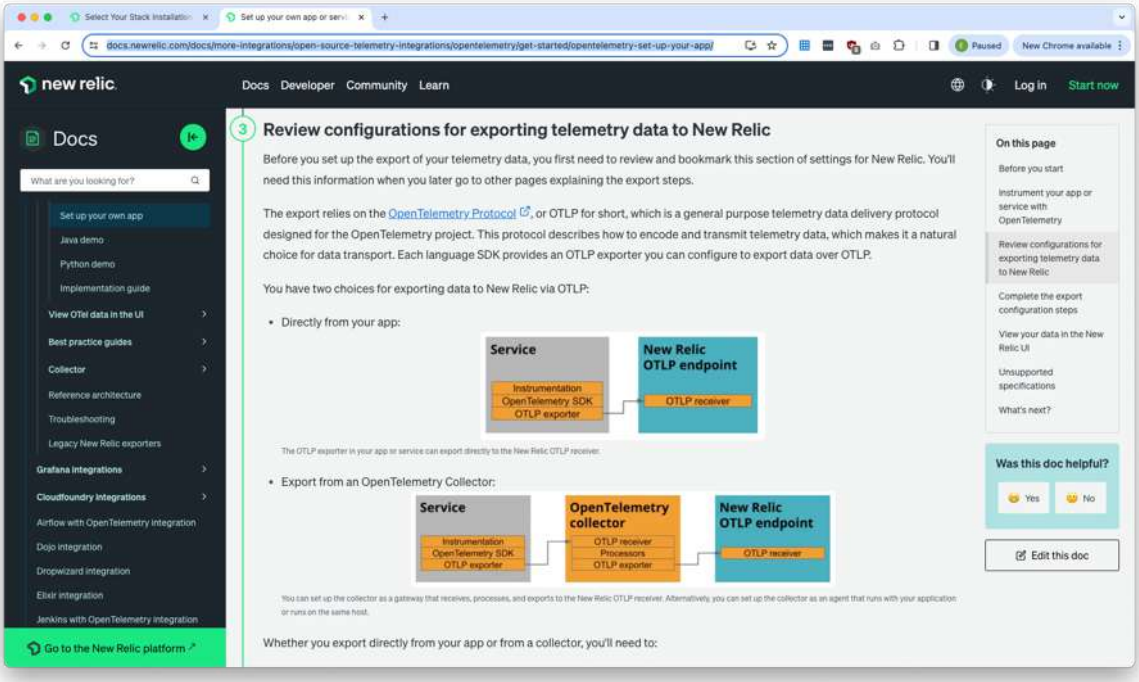

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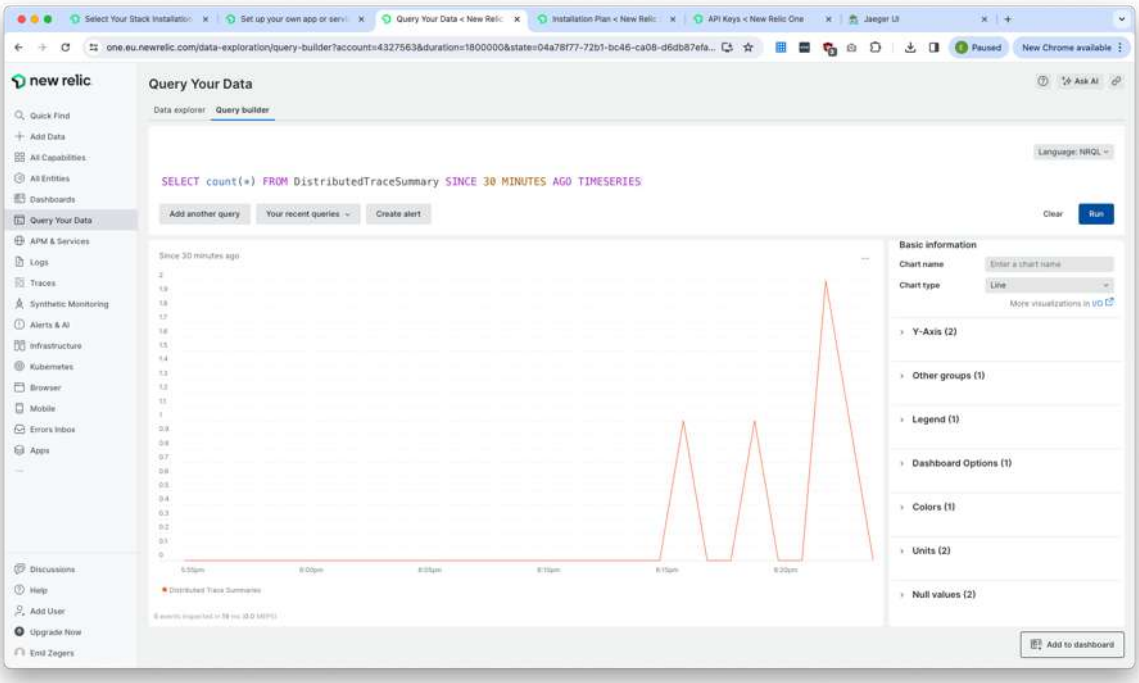

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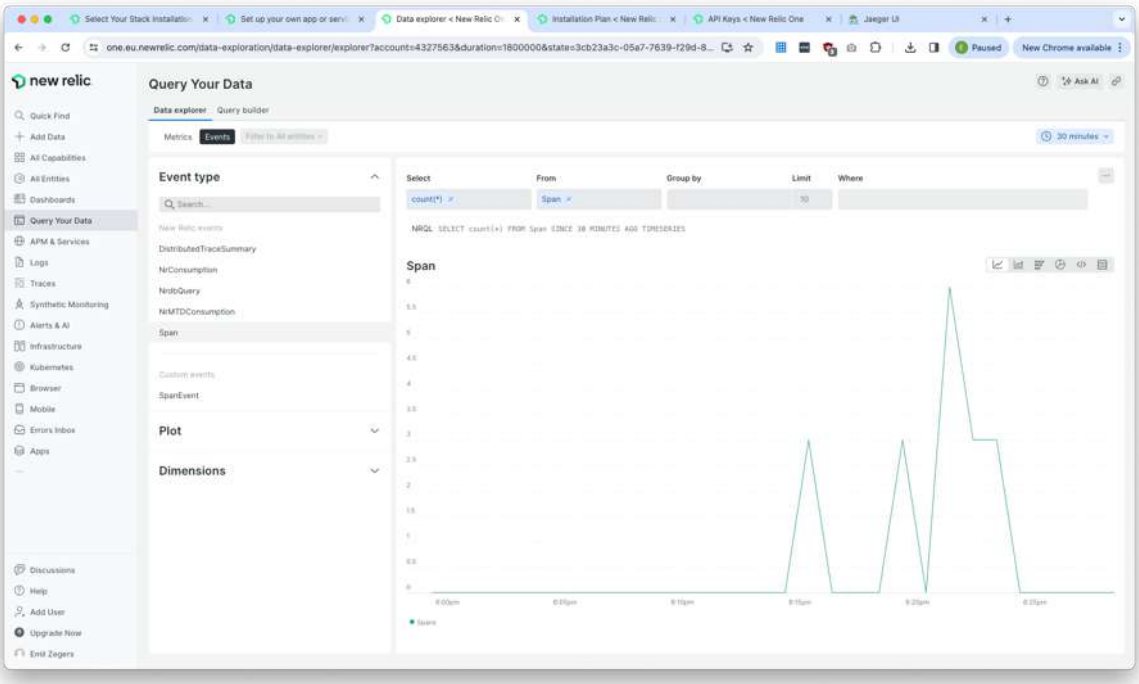

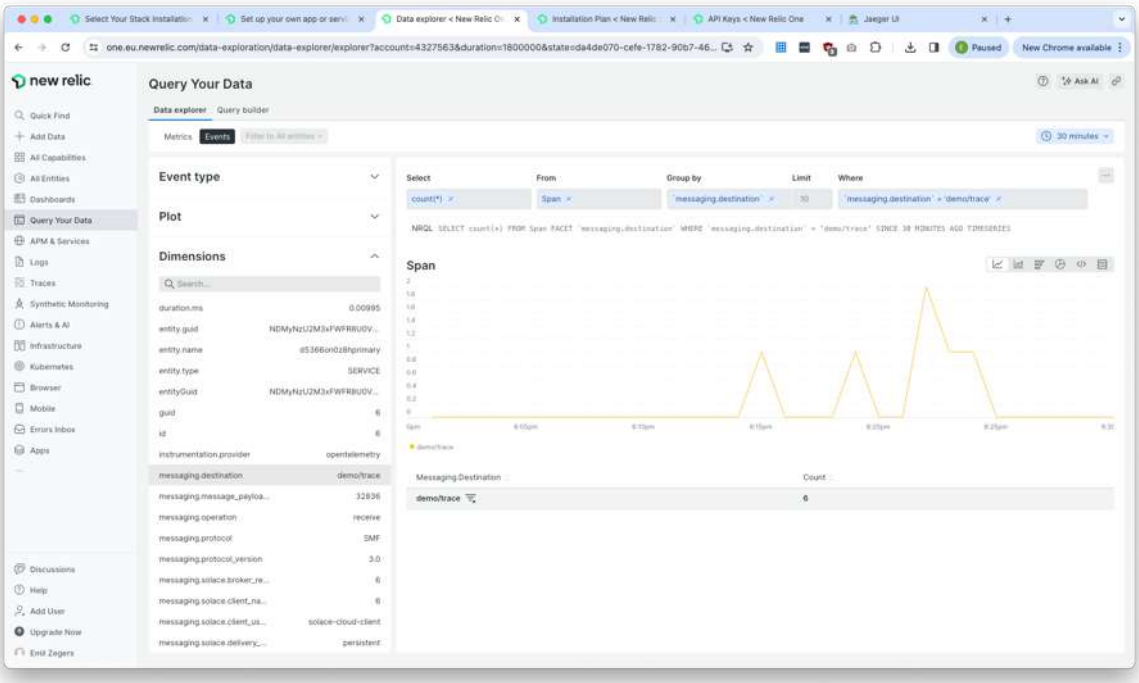

4.5 DataDog

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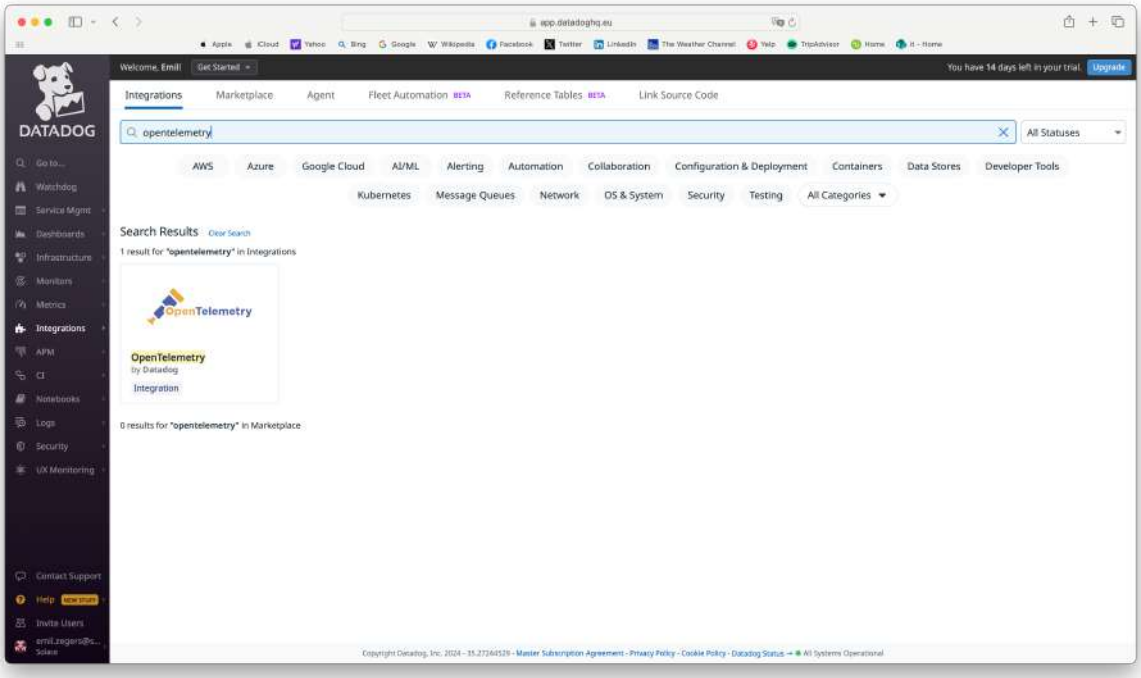

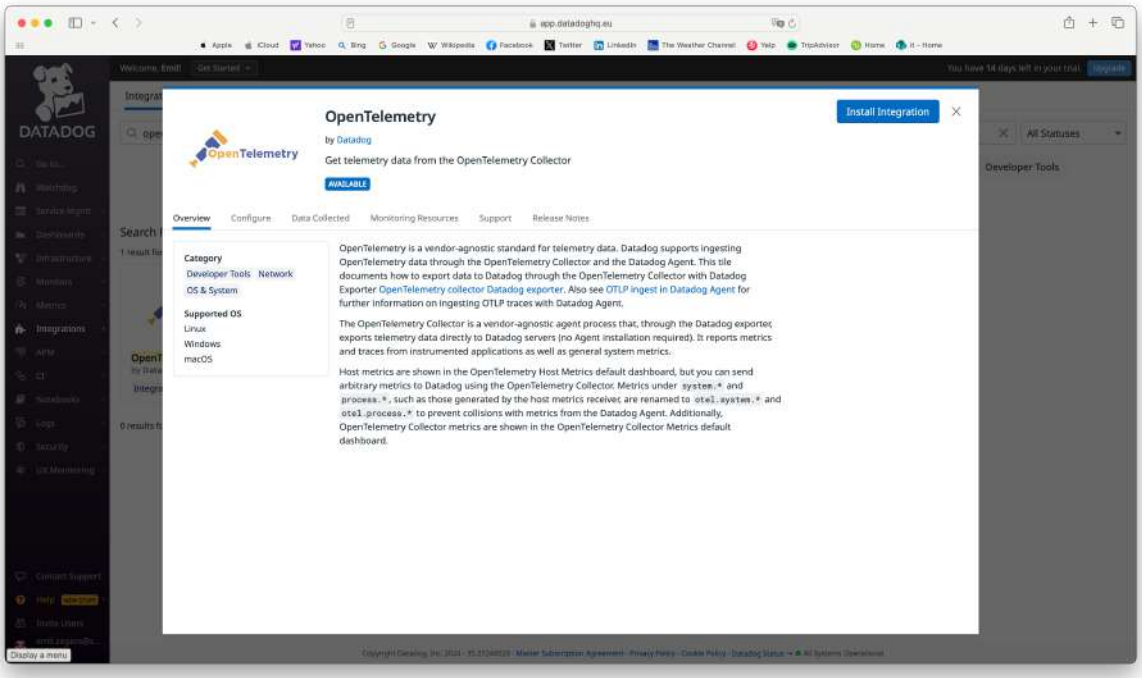

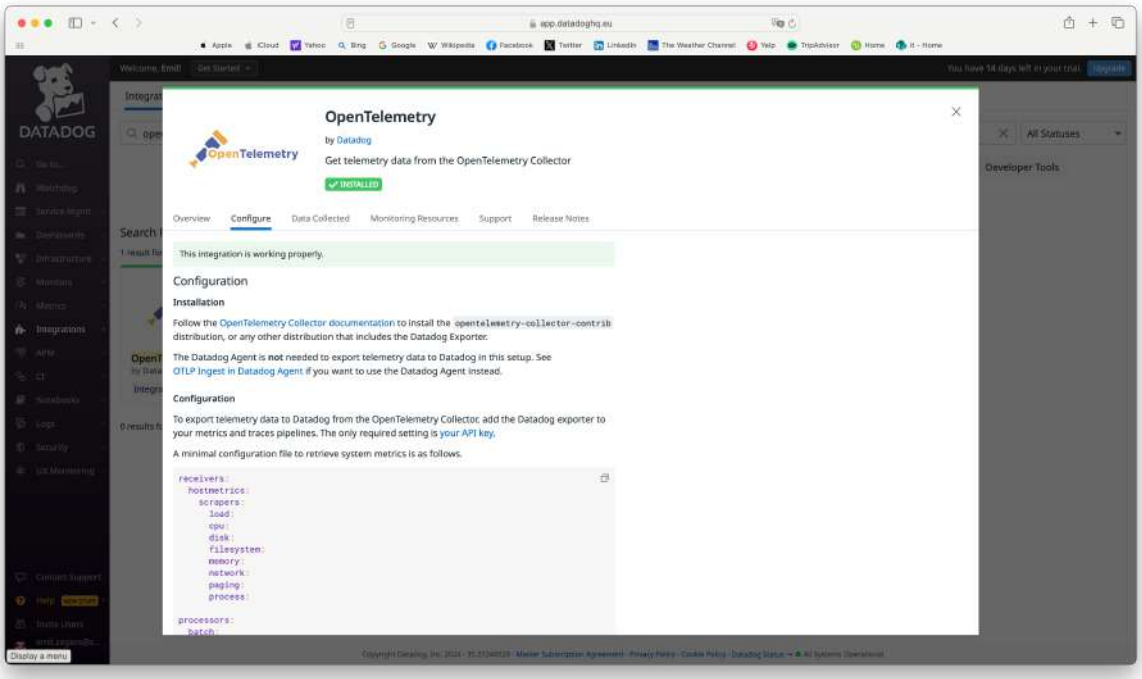


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    metrics:
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4.6 Splunk

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TODO: need for enterprise cloud package with Splunk?

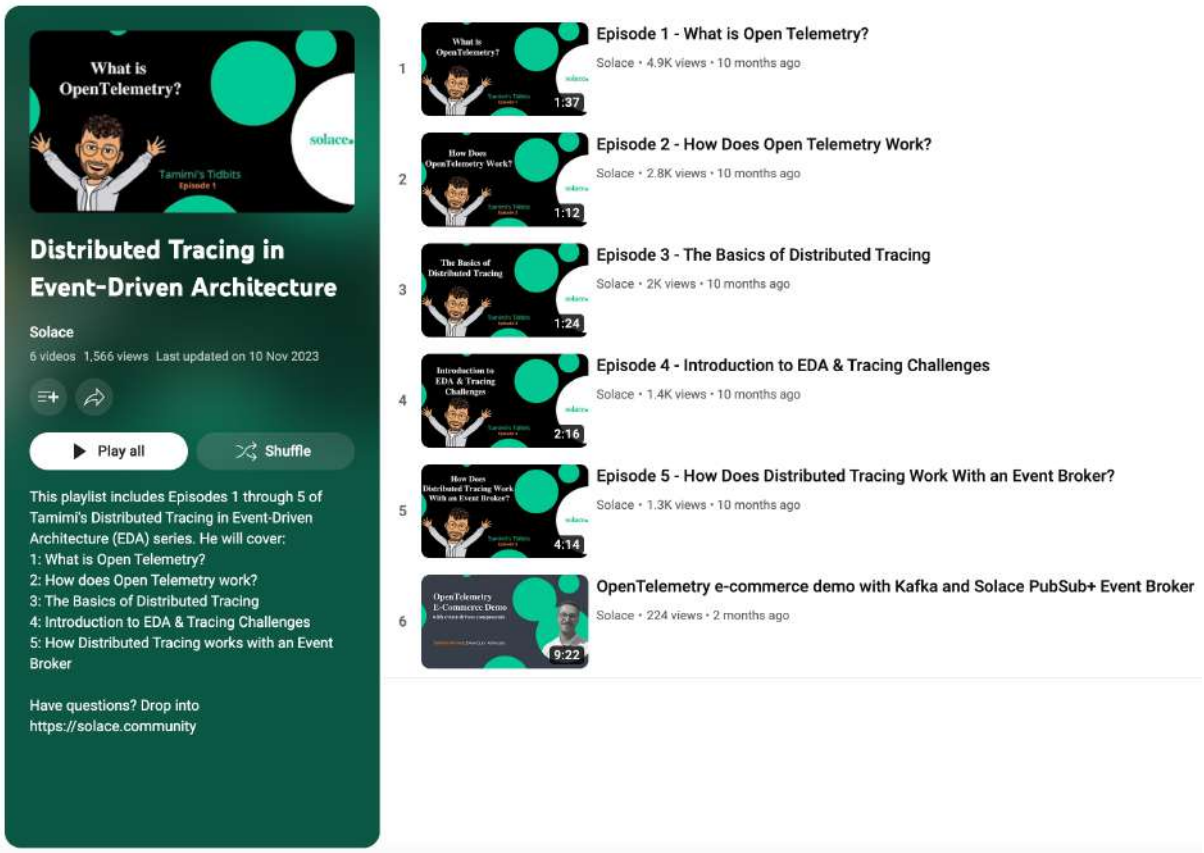
4.7 OpenSearch

https://opensearch.org/blog/opentelemetry-metrics-visualization/

5 Resources

https://github.com/SolaceLabs/solace-demo-observability
The repo also contains this document and the deck on Distributed Tracing used at the Solace Connect 2024 user group in Amsterdam https://solace.com/event/solace-connect-user-group-benelux-2024/

https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLY1Ks8JEfJR7jWm3aafht9cou2oleB_Ef



OpenTelemetry e-commerce demo with Kafka and Solace PubSub+ Event Broker
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RIHQGVS5KNM