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EXPERIMENT 10

Aim: To perform Port, Service monitoring, Windows/Linux server monitoring using Nagios.

Procedure:-

Check if the nagios service is running by executing following command
sudo systemctl status nagios

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ubuntu@ip-172-31-89-161:~$ sudo systemctl status nagios
● nagios.service - Nagios Core 4.4.6
     Loaded: loaded (/usr/lib/systemd/system/nagios.service; enabled; preset: enabled)
     Active: active (running) since Sat 2024-09-28 16:08:58 UTC; 1min 2s ago
       Docs: https://www.nagios.org/documentation
    Process: 15743 ExecStartPre=/usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios -v /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg (code=exited, status=0/SUCCESS)
    Process: 15753 ExecStart=/usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios -d /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg (code=exited, status=0/SUCCESS)
   Main PID: 15764 (nagios)
      Tasks: 6 (limit: 1130)
     Memory: 2.4M (peak: 3.2M)
        CPU: 29ms
     CGroup: /system.slice/nagios.service
             ├─15764 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios -d /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg
             ├─15765 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios --worker /usr/local/nagios/var/rw/nagios.qh
             ├─15766 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios --worker /usr/local/nagios/var/rw/nagios.qh
             ├─15767 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios --worker /usr/local/nagios/var/rw/nagios.qh
             ├─15768 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios --worker /usr/local/nagios/var/rw/nagios.qh
             └─15769 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios -d /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg

Sep 28 16:08:58 ip-172-31-89-161 nagios[15764]: qh: Socket '/usr/local/nagios/var/rw/nagios.qh' successfully initialized
Sep 28 16:08:58 ip-172-31-89-161 nagios[15764]: qh: core query handler registered
Sep 28 16:08:58 ip-172-31-89-161 nagios[15764]: qh: echo service query handler registered
Sep 28 16:08:58 ip-172-31-89-161 nagios[15764]: qh: help for the query handler registered
Sep 28 16:08:58 ip-172-31-89-161 nagios[15764]: wproc: Successfully registered manager as @wproc with query handler
Sep 28 16:08:58 ip-172-31-89-161 nagios[15764]: wproc: Registry request: name=Core Worker 15765;pid=15765
Sep 28 16:08:58 ip-172-31-89-161 nagios[15764]: wproc: Registry request: name=Core Worker 15766;pid=15766
Sep 28 16:08:58 ip-172-31-89-161 nagios[15764]: wproc: Registry request: name=Core Worker 15767;pid=15767
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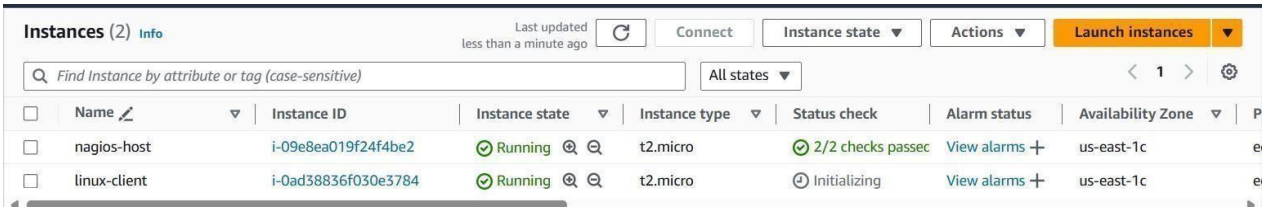
Now, create a new EC2 instance on AWS



Now perform the following commands on nagios-host EC2 instance.On the server, run this command

ps -ef | grep nagios

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ubuntu@ip-172-31-89-161:~$ ps -ef | grep nagios
nagios     15764       1  0 16:08 ?        00:00:00 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios -d /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg
nagios     15765   15764  0 16:08 ?        00:00:00 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios --worker /usr/local/nagios/var/rw/nagios.qh
nagios     15766   15764  0 16:08 ?        00:00:00 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios --worker /usr/local/nagios/var/rw/nagios.qh
nagios     15767   15764  0 16:08 ?        00:00:00 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios --worker /usr/local/nagios/var/rw/nagios.qh
nagios     15768   15764  0 16:08 ?        00:00:00 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios --worker /usr/local/nagios/var/rw/nagios.qh
nagios     15769   15764  0 16:08 ?        00:00:00 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios -d /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg
ubuntu     15957    1342  0 16:13 pts/0    00:00:00 grep --color=auto nagios
ubuntu@ip-172-31-89-161:~$
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Sudo su

mkdir /usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/monitorhosts

mkdir /usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/monitorhosts/linuxhosts

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ubuntu@ip-172-31-89-161:~$ sudo su
mkdir /usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/monitorhosts
mkdir /usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/monitorhosts/linuxhosts
root@ip-172-31-89-161:/home/ubuntu#
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Copy localhost.cfg file to the mentioned location

cp /usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/localhost.cfg/usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/monitorhosts/linuxhosts

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root@ip-172-31-89-161:/usr/local/nagios/etc/objects# cp /usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/localhost.cfg /usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/monitorhosts/linuxhosts
cp: cannot create regular file '/usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/monitorhosts/linuxhosts': No such file or directory
root@ip-172-31-89-161:/usr/local/nagios/etc/objects# sudo mkdir -p /usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/monitorhosts/linuxhosts
root@ip-172-31-89-161:/usr/local/nagios/etc/objects# cp /usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/localhost.cfg /usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/monitorhosts/linuxhosts
root@ip-172-31-89-161:/usr/local/nagios/etc/objects#
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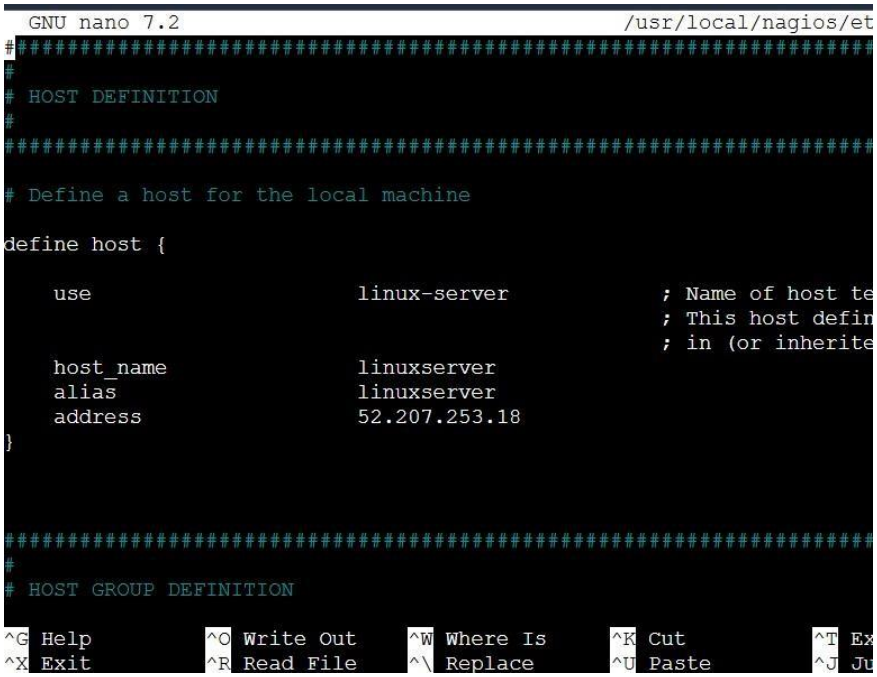
Open the nano editor for localhost.cfg file and make these changes. Add the Ip address of the linux-client for the address field.

nano/usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/monitorhosts/linuxhosts/localhost.cfg



Note - Here replace hostname with linuxserver

nano /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg

Add the following line to the nagios.cfg file

cfg_dir=/usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/monitorhosts/

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# Definitions for monitoring a router/switch
#cfg_file=/usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/switch.cfg

# Definitions for monitoring a network printer
#cfg_file=/usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/printer.cfg


# You can also tell Nagios to process all config files (with a .cfg
# extension) in a particular directory by using the cfg_dir
# directive as shown below:

#cfg_dir=/usr/local/nagios/etc/servers
#cfg_dir=/usr/local/nagios/etc/printers
#cfg_dir=/usr/local/nagios/etc/switches
#cfg_dir=/usr/local/nagios/etc/routers

cfg_dir=/usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/monitorhosts/
```

After making the changes in nagios.cfg file now check validate the file by typing the following command in the terminal.

/usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios -v /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg

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License: GPL

Website: https://www.nagios.org
Reading configuration data...
   Read main config file okay...
   Read object config files okay...

Running pre-flight check on configuration data...

Checking objects...
        Checked 16 services.
        Checked 2 hosts.
        Checked 2 host groups.
        Checked 0 service groups.
        Checked 1 contacts.
        Checked 1 contact groups.
        Checked 24 commands.
        Checked 5 time periods.
        Checked 0 host escalations.
        Checked 0 service escalations.
Checking for circular paths...
        Checked 2 hosts
        Checked 0 service dependencies
        Checked 0 host dependencies
        Checked 5 timeperiods
Checking global event handlers...
Checking obsessive compulsive processor commands...
Checking misc settings...

Total Warnings: 0
Total Errors:   0

Things look okay - No serious problems were detected during the pre-flight check
root@ip-172-31-89-161:/usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/monitorhosts/linuxhosts#
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Now restart the service by using this command

service nagios restart

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root@ip-172-31-89-161:/usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/monitorhosts/linuxhosts# service nagios restart
root@ip-172-31-89-161:/usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/monitorhosts/linuxhosts# systemctl status nagios
● nagios.service - Nagios Core 4.4.6
     Loaded: loaded (/usr/lib/systemd/system/nagios.service; enabled; preset: enabled)
     Active: active (running) since Sat 2024-09-28 17:36:35 UTC; 19s ago
       Docs: https://www.nagios.org/documentation
    Process: 1870 ExecStartPre=/usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios -v /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg (code=exited, status=0/SUCCESS)
    Process: 1872 ExecStart=/usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios -d /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg (code=exited, status=0/SUCCESS)
   Main PID: 1874 (nagios)
      Tasks: 8 (limit: 1130)
     Memory: 3.0M (peak: 3.2M)
        CPU: 24ms
     CGroup: /system.slice/nagios.service
             ├─1874 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios -d /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg
             ├─1875 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios --worker /usr/local/nagios/var/rw/nagios.qh
             ├─1876 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios --worker /usr/local/nagios/var/rw/nagios.qh
             ├─1877 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios --worker /usr/local/nagios/var/rw/nagios.qh
             ├─1878 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios --worker /usr/local/nagios/var/rw/nagios.qh
             ├─1879 /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios -d /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg
             ├─1880 /usr/local/nagios/libexec/check_ping -H 52.207.253.18 -w 3000.0,80% -c 5000.0,100% -p 5
             └─1881 /usr/bin/ping -n -U -w 30 -c 5 52.207.253.18

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Sep 28 17:36:35 ip-172-31-89-161 nagios[1874]: wproc: Registry request: name=Core Worker 1875;pid=1875
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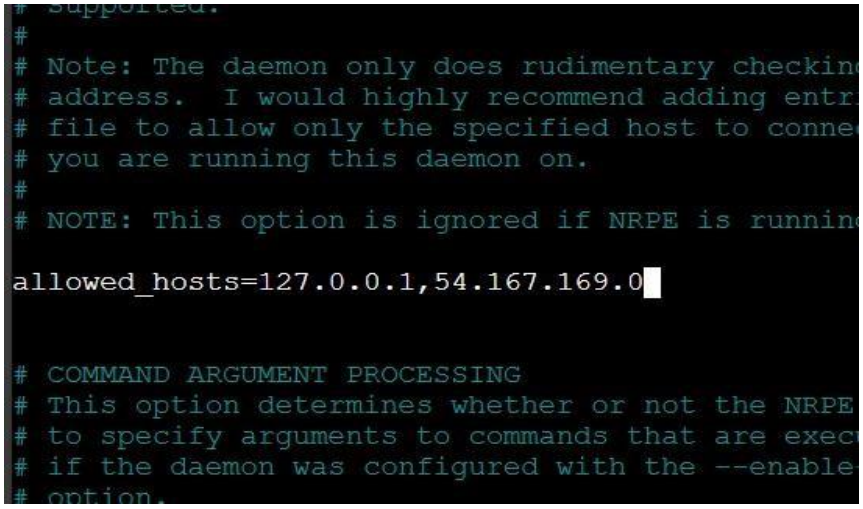
Now using this command update the apt repository of ubuntu (linux-client), install gcc, nagios-nrpe-server and nagios-plugin sudo apt update -y sudo apt install gcc -y

sudo apt install -y nagios-nrpe-server nagios-plugins

Now open nrpe.cfg file and add the ip address of the nagios host as shown. To open the nrpe.cfg file copy this command.



sudo nano /etc/nagios/nrpe.cfg

Now restart nrpe server by using this command

sudo systemctl restart nagios-nrpe-server

Now, check nagios dashboard, you should see linuxserver up and running, if not