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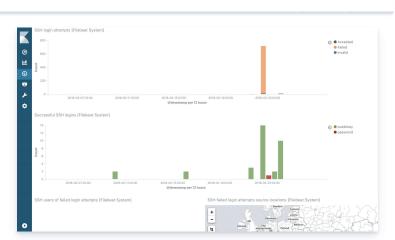






System logs

The system Filebeat module collects and parses logs created by the system logging service of common Unix/Linux based distributions. This module is not available on Windows. Learn more.



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1 Download and install Filebeat

First time using Filebeat? See the <u>Getting Started</u> <u>Guide</u>.

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curl -L -0

https://artifacts.elastic.co/downloads/beats/filebeat/filebeat-7.6.1-amd64.deb

sudo dpkg -i filebeat-7.6.1-amd64.deb

Looking for the 32-bit packages? See the <u>Download page</u>.

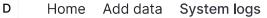
2 Edit the configuration

Modify /etc/filebeat/filebeat.yml to set the

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output.elasticsearch:
  hosts: ["<es_url>"]
  username: "elastic"
  password: "<password>"
setup.kibana:
  host: "<kibana_url>"
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Where <password> is the password of the elastic user, <es_url> is the URL of Elasticsearch, and <kibana_url> is the URL of Kibana.

Enable and configure the system module

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sudo filebeat modules enable system

Modify the settings in the /etc/filebeat/modules.d/system.yml file.

4 Start Filebeat

The setup command loads the Kibana dashboards. If the dashboards are already set up, omit this command.

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sudo filebeat setup
sudo service filebeat start

Module status

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