

Use metrics to monitor performance

Use the [--metrics-enabled](#) option to enable the [Prometheus](#) monitoring and alerting service to access EthSigner.

Install Prometheus

To use Prometheus with EthSigner, install the [Prometheus main component](#) . On MacOS, install with [Homebrew](#) :

```
brew install prometheus
```

Setting up and running Prometheus with EthSigner

To configure Prometheus to run with EthSigner:

1. Configure Prometheus to poll EthSigner. For example, add the following YAML fragment to the theprometheus.yml
2. file:
3. Example configuration
4. global
5. :
6. scrape_interval
7. :
8. 15s
9. scrape_configs
10. :
11. -
12. job_name
13. :
14. "prometheus"
15. static_configs
16. :
17. -
18. targets
19. :
20. [
21. "localhost:9090"
22.]
23. -
24. job_name
25. :
26. "ethsigner-prod"
27. scrape_timeout
28. :
29. 10s
30. metrics_path
31. :
32. /metrics
33. scheme
34. :
35. http
36. static_configs
37. :
38. -
39. targets
40. :
41. [
42. "localhost:9546"
43.]
44. note
45. Alternatively create your own YAML file and add the above example configuration.
46. Start EthSigner with the [--metrics-enabled](#)
47. option.
48. ethsigner --chain-id
49. =
50. 2018
51. \
52. --downstream-http-port
53. =

54. 8590
55. --metrics-enabled
56. =
57. true
58. \
59. file-based-signer --key-file
60. =
61. /Users/me/signer/keyFile --password-file
62. =
63. /Users/me/signer/passwordFile
64. TheJVM
65. , andPROCESS
66. metrics categories are enabled by default. Use the [--metrics-category](#)
67. command line option to update the available categories.
68. tip
69. To view the full list of available EthSigner metrics view <http://localhost:9546/metrics>
70. . By default this is <http://localhost:9546/metrics>
71. .
72. In another terminal, run Prometheus specifying the `prometheus.yml`
73. file:
74. `prometheus --config.file`
75. =
76. `prometheus.yml`
77. View the [Prometheus graphical interface](#)
78. .

View Prometheus graphical interface

1. Open a web browser to <http://localhost:9090>
2. to view the Prometheus graphical interface.
3. Choose `Graph`
4. from the menu bar and click the `Console`
5. tab below.
6. From the `Insert` metric at cursor
7. drop-down, select a metric and click `Execute`
8. . The values display. [Edit this page](#) Last updated on Mar 30, 2023 by Eric Lin [Previous](#) [Configure TLS](#) [Next](#) [Create external signers](#)