



Log4j2 Vulnerability

Information for customers affected by the CVE-2021-44228.

Dear customers,

Ataccama can confirm that several platform versions contain the recently discovered Log4j2 vulnerability (CVE-2021-44228). Below you may find the details as to which Ataccama modules and versions are affected and how to apply the patch to your specific configuration.

Detailed Description of the Vulnerability and Exploits

<https://www.lunasec.io/docs/blog/log4j-zero-day/>

Log4j Mitigation Guide

<https://lists.apache.org/thread/gzj2jsglvsffzs8zormxyly0vofdpx6j>

Version 13.x

This family of versions is vulnerable to CVE-2021-44228 due to its 3rd party dependencies.

The Ataccama components are not vulnerable to CVE-2021-44228. Gen2 doesn't use Log4J as the underlying logging library. [SLF4J](#) library is used as the logging abstraction layer and [Logback](#) is used in the underlying logging library. The file *log4j-core<version>.jar* containing the vulnerable JndiLookup class is not present on the classpath.

| Component | Vulnerable |
|--------------|------------|
| MMM Backend | No |
| MMM Frontend | No |
| DPM | No |
| DPE | No |
| Runtime | No |
| AI Core | No |



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| Configuration service | No |
| Audit module | No |
| MDM Web Application | No |
| MDM Server | No |
| RDM Web Application | No |
| DQ Issue Tracker Web Application | No |
| ONE Desktop | No |

Ataccama 3rd party dependencies

These components are used as standalone dependencies.

| Component | Vulnerable | Description | Log4j version |
|--------------------------|------------|---|-----------------------|
| Keycloak | No | Keycloak is used as an identity provider for authentication and authorization flows. | |
| Minio | No | Minio is used as object storage. | |
| Elasticsearch | VULNERABLE | This is an optional dependency used for search in Gen2 Catalog. This dependency needs to be patched because it is vulnerable. | log4j-core-2.11.1.jar |
| Manta | VULNERABLE | This is an optional dependency used for data lineage. This dependency needs to be patched because it is vulnerable. | log4j-core-2.13.1.jar |

How to patch Elasticsearch

1. Please follow [Elasticsearch instructions for setting JVM properties](#) and add the JVM property `log4j.formatMsgNoLookups=true`.
2. Restart Elasticsearch



In addition to this fix we highly recommend deleting the vulnerable class.

1. Locate the vulnerable library `log4j-core-*.jar` . You can use the following command in the installation directory. `find . -type f -name "log4j-core*.jar"`
 - a. The command prints a path to the `log4j-core` file if it exists. For example:
`elasticsearch/lib/log4j-core-2.11.1.jar`
2. Delete the vulnerable class on path. You can use the following command `zip -d PATH_TO_FILE org/apache/logging/log4j/core/lookup/JndiLookup.class`
 - a. `zip -d elasticsearch/lib/log4j-core-2.11.1.jar org/apache/logging/log4j/core/lookup/JndiLookup.class`
2. Restart Elasticsearch

How to patch Manta

Two Manta services, the Manta Dataflow Server and Manta Admin UI, require a patch. To do so, please follow the instructions below.

Manta dataflow

1. Go to the Manta installation directory e.g. `/opt/ataccama/manta/server/bin`
2. Edit `setenv.sh`
 - a. Add the following line `export JAVA_OPTS="-Dlog4j.formatMsgNoLookups=true"`
3. Restart Manta service

Manta admin UI

4. Go to the Manta installation directory e.g. `/opt/ataccama/manta/serviceutility/bin`
5. Edit `setenv.sh`
 - a. Add the following line `export JAVA_OPTS="-Dlog4j.formatMsgNoLookups=true"`
6. Restart Manta service

How to check whether Manta has been patched

1. Run the following command `ps -auxw | grep java | grep log4j`
 - a. At the output you should find `-Dlog4j.formatMsgNoLookups=true` when is Manta patched

Example:

```
user@host:ps -auxw | grep java | grep log4j
```

```
root      1531077  166  5.7 7004788 944796 pts/3  Sl   09:16   1:23
/usr/bin/java
-Djava.util.logging.config.file=/opt/ataccama/manta/server/conf/logging.properties
-Djava.util.logging.manager=org.apache.juli.ClassLoaderLogManager
-Dlog4j.formatMsgNoLookups=true -Djdk.tls.ephemeralDHKeySize=2048
-Djava.protocol.handler.pkgs=org.apache.catalina.webresources
```



```
-Dorg.apache.catalina.security.SecurityListener.UMASK=0027 -Xms512M -Xmx3072M  
-Dignore.endorsed.dirs= -classpath  
/opt/ataccama/manta/server/bin/bootstrap.jar:/opt/ataccama/manta/server/bin/tom  
cat-juli.jar -Dcatalina.base=/opt/ataccama/manta/server  
-Dcatalina.home=/opt/ataccama/manta/server  
-Djava.io.tmpdir=/opt/ataccama/manta/server/temp  
org.apache.catalina.startup.Bootstrap start
```

Version 12.x

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Ataccama components

The Ataccama Gen1 components are not vulnerable because they do not use Log4j as the underlying logging library. 1

| Component | Vulnerable | Log4j version |
|----------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| DQD | No | |
| DQIT | No | |
| MDM | No | |
| RDM | No | |
| DQC | No | |
| MDA | No | |
| Runtime | No | |
| MDC | No | |
| IDE | No | |
| ONE web app (DQ and DG) | VULNERABLE | log4j-core-2.7.jar |



Ataccama 3rd party dependencies

| Component | Vulnerable | Description | Log4j version |
|--------------------------|------------|--|-----------------------|
| Keycloak | No | Keycloak is used as an identity provider for authentication and authorization flows. | |
| RabbitMQ | No | Messaging provider | |
| Elasticsearch | VULNERABLE | This dependency needs to be patched because it is vulnerable. | log4j-core-2.11.1.jar |

How to patch ONE web app

1. Delete file
INSTALLATION_DIR/one/webapps/ROOT/WEB-INF/lib/log4j-core-2.7.jar/org/apache/logging/log4j/core/lookup/JndiLookup.class
 - a. You can use the following command `zip -d INSTALLATION_DIR/one/webapps/ROOT/WEB-INF/lib/log4j-core-2.7.jar org/apache/logging/log4j/core/lookup/JndiLookup.class`
2. Restart ONE web app

How to patch Elasticsearch

3. Please follow [Elasticsearch instructions for setting JVM properties](#) and add the JVM property `log4j.formatMsgNoLookups=true`.
4. Restart Elasticsearch

In addition to this fix we highly recommend deleting the vulnerable class.

3. Locate the vulnerable library log4j-core-2.7.jar . You can use the following command in the installation directory. `find . -type f -name "log4j-core*.jar"`
 - a. The command prints a path to the log4j-core file if it exists. For example:
`elasticsearch/lib/log4j-core-2.11.1.jar`
4. Delete the vulnerable class on path. You can use the following command `zip -d PATH_TO_FILE org/apache/logging/log4j/core/lookup/JndiLookup.class`
 - a. `zip -d elasticsearch/lib/log4j-core-2.11.1.jar org/apache/logging/log4j/core/lookup/JndiLookup.class`
3. Restart Elasticsearch



Version 11.x

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Version 10.x

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Version 9.x

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