Vector

Coralogix provides seamless integration with Vector so you can send your logs from anywhere and parse them according to your needs.

Prerequisites

- Vector installed
- For those customers with a <u>Kubernetes</u> environment, Helm 2.9+ Package Manager <u>installed</u>

Usage

You must input the following variables when creating a Coralogix logger instance or updating your configuration file:

- `api_key`: Input your Coralogix <u>Send-Your-Data API key</u>.
- applicationName and subsystemName: Input <u>application and subsystem names</u>.
- coralogix_domain: Input the Coralogix <u>domain</u> associated with your account.

Configuration for Non-Kubernetes Environments

STEP 1. Edit default configuration file

Edit the default configuration file vector.toml and paste the following configuration below. Update the following:

- event.log.applicationName = "VECTOR APP"
- event.log.subsystemName = "VECTOR SUBSYS"
- uri = <u>REST API Singles endpoint</u> associated with your Coralogix <u>domain</u>
- headers.authorization = "Bearer <<API_KEY>> "

```
# This input is just for test or demo purposes and is supported only since
Vector v0.12.0. Feel free to use any other input.

[sources.my_source_id]
  type = "demo_logs" # required
  lines = ["{\"msg\":\"success\", \"code\":200}", "{\"msg\":\"error\",
  \"code\":500}"] # optional, no default, relevant when [`format`](#format) =
```

```
shuffle`
  sequence = false # optional, default, relevant when [`format`](#format) =
`shuffle`
 batch interval = 10
 format = "shuffle"
[transforms.prepare for coralogix]
 # General
 type = "lua" # required
 inputs = ["my source id"] # required
 version = "2" # required
 # Hooks
 hooks.process = '''
 function (event, emit)
   event.log = {
     applicationName = "VECTOR_APP",
     subsystemName = "VECTOR SUBSYS",
     json = event.log,
     computerName = os.getenv("HOSTNAME"),
     timestamp = os.time() * 1000
   emit(event)
 end
[sinks.coralogix]
 # General
 type = "http" # required
 inputs = ["prepare_for_coralogix"] # required
 compression = "none" # optional, default
 method = "post"
 uri = https://ingress.eu2.coralogix.com/logs/v1/singles # required
 # Batch
 batch.max_bytes = 1049000 # optional, default, bytes
 batch.timeout_secs = 2 # optional, default, seconds
 # Encoding
 encoding.codec = "json" # required
 # Healthcheck
 #healthcheck.enabled = true # optional, default
 headers.Content-Type = "application/json"
 headers.authorization = "Bearer <<API_key>>"
```

STEP 2. Add your own sources

That code will allow you to generate the test traffic. After testing the connection, add your own sources, as in the example below.

```
[sources.my_source_id]
  type = "file"
  include = ["/var/log/access.log "]
```

You can read more about this configuration here.

STEP 3. Restart Vector

Remember to restart Vector after every change to load updated configuration.

Configuration for Kubernetes Environments

STEP 1. Add Helm chart repo

```
helm repo add vector https://helm.vector.dev
helm repo update
```

STEP 2. Create an override.yaml file

Prior to installation create an override.yaml file and paste the following configuration below. Remember to update:

- event.log.applicationName: "VECTOR_APP"
- event.log.subsystemName: "VECTOR_SUBSYS"
- uri: <u>logs endpoint</u> associated with your Coralogix domain
- headers.private_key: <<API_KEY>>

```
# vector override.yaml
---
role: "Agent"

customConfig:
    sources:
    kubernetes_logs:
        type: kubernetes_logs

transforms:
```

```
type: lua
    inputs: ["kubernetes_logs"]
    version: "2"
          function (event, emit)
            event.log = {
              applicationName = "VECTOR_APP",
              subsystemName = "VECTOR_SUBSYS",
              json = event.log,
              computerName = os.getenv("HOSTNAME"),
              timestamp = os.time() * 1000
            emit(event)
          end
sinks:
  coralogix:
    type: http
    inputs: ["prepare_for_coralogix"]
    uri: https://ingress.eu2.coralogix.com/logs/v1/singles
    batch:
      maxbytes:
        1049000
    request:
      headers:
        Content-Type: application/json
        private_key: <<api_key>>
```

STEP 3. Deploy the chart

STEP 4. Remove the Daemonset

helm uninstall vector-agent

Support

Need help?

Our world-class customer success team is available 24/7 to walk you through your setup and answer any questions that may come up.

Feel free to reach out to us **via our in-app chat** or by sending us an email at support@coralogix.com.

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