Getting started with Synthetics

Welcome to Splunk Synthetic Monitoring & Web Optimization! After you sign up, you will receive an email that contains instructions on how to activate your account. You will be directed to a sign up form where you will set your password and are then able to login. After you login, use the following resources to get your customer journey off on the right foot.

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**Task 1: Create an allow list for all Splunk Synthetic Monitoring and Web Optimization IP addresses**

- Splunk Synthetic Monitoring IP addresses can be found:
  - in the [Knowledge Base](#) OR
  - in the upper right hand corner of the UI under Profile Name > Monitoring Network
- Splunk Optimization IP addresses can be found:
  - in the [Knowledge Base](#)

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**Task 2: Exclude Splunk Synthetic Monitoring from affecting analytics tooling**

- [Exclude Rigor IPs](#) within the Analytics tooling interface
- [Exclude analytics files](#) from loading when executing Splunk Synthetic Monitoring browser checks

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**Task 3: Add users to the platform**

- [Add new users and groups](#)
- [Understand the different user roles](#) within the platform