

# Configure the system time

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While it is possible to configure the system time on your appliance manually, we recommend that you synchronize your appliance clocks with Network Time Protocol (NTP) servers, which are an external and accurate time source.

By default, all ExtraHop appliances are synchronized to the pool.ntp.org time servers. Follow the steps below to synchronize time to your preferred time servers.

1. Log into the Admin UI on the ExtraHop appliance.
2. In the Appliance Settings section, click **System Time**.
3. Click **Configure Time**.
4. Click the Time Zone drop-down list and select a time zone.
5. Click **Save and Continue**.
6. On the Time Setup page, select **Set time with NTP server** and then click **Select**.  
The `pool.ntp.org` public time server appears in the Time Server #1 field by default.
7. Type the IP address or fully qualified domain name (FQDN) for the time servers in the Time Server fields. You can add a maximum of nine time servers.



**Tip:** After adding the fifth time server, click **Add Server** to display up to four additional time server fields.

8. Click **Save**, and then click **Done**.