

## 4 Trigger severity

Trigger severity defines how important a trigger is. Zabbix supports the following trigger severities:

SEVERITY	DEFINITION	COLOUR
<b>Not classified</b>	Unknown severity.	Grey
<b>Information</b>	For information purposes.	Light green
<b>Warning</b>	Be warned.	Yellow
<b>Average</b>	Average problem.	Orange
<b>High</b>	Something important has happened.	Red
<b>Disaster</b>	Disaster. Financial losses, etc.	Bright red

The severities are used for:

- visual representation of triggers. Different colours for different severities.
- audio in global alarms. Different audio for different severities.
- user media. Different media (notification channel) for different severities. For example, SMS - high severity, email - other.
- limiting actions by conditions against trigger severities

It is possible to [customise trigger severity names and colours](#).

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