

Using the Fileconnector.metadata File

The `fileconnector.metadata` file provides additional, static information about the parsed data that is not available within the report files. [GS: I didn't understand the below text so I copied it as is. Please let me know if anything needs to be corrected.](#)

In all file based connectors to load the metadata properties, use `java.util.Properties` class. It will treat the backslash as `(\)` escape character. If you try entering the folder path as `<\workshop>`, it will render the path as `.`

If you use double slash `(\\)` or forward slash `(/)`, the property will not throw any exception. This will work only if the path is root.

Example for root drive:

If the root path is `.`, then the path will be `/workshop/test.groovy`.

The condition above is not applicable if the path is other than root drive.

Example for drives other than the root drive:

If the path is `.`, then the path will be `.`.

The following metadata properties are available:

NAME	DESCRIPTION
ScriptName	This flag sets the script name for groovy based parser. For example, <code>ScriptName=NessusScript.groovy</code>
ScriptFolder	Introduced since 3.x; this flag sets the path for scripting parser to look for groovy scripts. For example, <code>ScriptFolder=C:/server/cfg/scripts.</code> If this flag is not set, the parser will look at the default location to get the scripts (NVD Connector/cfg).