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### **Preface**

Oracle Database Appliance is an optimized, prebuilt database system that is easy to deploy, operate, and manage. By integrating hardware and software, Oracle Database Appliance eliminates the complexities of nonintegrated, manually assembled solutions. Oracle Database Appliance reduces the installation and software deployment times from weeks or months to just a few hours while preventing configuration and setup errors that often result in suboptimal, hard-to-manage database environments.

- Audience
- Documentation Accessibility
- Related Documents
- Conventions

### **Audience**

This guide is intended for anyone who configures, maintains, or uses Oracle Database Appliance:

- System administrators
- Network administrators
- Database administrators
- Application administrators and users

This book does not include information about Oracle Database architecture, tools, management, or application development that is covered in the main body of Oracle Documentation, unless the information provided is specific to Oracle Database Appliance. Users of Oracle Database Appliance software are expected to have the same skills as users of any other Linux-based Oracle Database installations.

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### **Related Documents**

For more information about Oracle Database Appliance, go to http://www.oracle.com/goto/oda/docs and click the appropriate release. The following documents are published in the Oracle Database Appliance online documentation library:

- Oracle Database Appliance Release Notes
- Oracle Database Appliance Licensing Information User Manual
- Oracle Database Appliance Security Guide
- Oracle Database Appliance Accessibility Guide
- Oracle Database Appliance X7-2 Deployment and User's Guide
- Oracle Database Appliance X6-2-HA Deployment and User's Guide
- Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S/M/L Deployment and User's Guide
- Oracle Database Appliance X5-2/X4-2/X3-2 Deployment and User's Guide
- Oracle Database Appliance Setup Posters and Booklets (a full-size printed copy ships with Oracle Database Appliance)
- Oracle Database Appliance Owner's Guide
- Oracle Database Appliance Service Manual
- Oracle Database Appliance Series Safety and Compliance Guide

For more information about using Oracle Database, go to http://docs.oracle.com/en/database/ and select the database release from the menu. See the following documents in the Oracle Database online documentation library:

- Oracle Database Security Guide
- Oracle Database Administrator's Guide
- Oracle Database SQL Language Quick Reference
- Oracle Database Backup and Recovery User's Guide
- Oracle Database Backup and Recovery Reference
- Oracle Database Utilities
- Oracle Automatic Storage Management Administrator's Guide

For more information about Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager 3.2, see https://docs.oracle.com/cd/E37444\_01/.

For more details about other Oracle products that are mentioned in Oracle Database Appliance documentation, see the Oracle Documentation home page at http://docs.oracle.com.

### Conventions

The following text conventions are used in this document:



Convention	Meaning
boldface	Boldface type indicates graphical user interface elements associated with an action or terms defined in the text.
italic	Italic type indicates book titles, emphasis, or placeholder variables for which you supply particular values.
monospace	Monospace type indicates commands within a paragraph, URLs, code in examples, text that appears on the screen, or text that you enter.
# prompt	The pound (#) prompt indicates a command that is run as the root user.



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# Introduction to Oracle Database Appliance

Oracle Database Appliance saves time and money by simplifying deployment, maintenance, and support of database solutions for organizations of every size. Oracle Database Appliance hardware models are optimized to run Oracle Database Standard Edition and Enterprise Edition.

- About Oracle Database Appliance
   Understand Oracle Database Appliance hardware models, deployment plans, and database options.
- Oracle Database Appliance Software Terminology
   Understand the software patches available for Oracle Database Appliance.
- About the Web Console

  Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to deploy and manage the appliance, databases, networks, and jobs.

# About Oracle Database Appliance

Understand Oracle Database Appliance hardware models, deployment plans, and database options.

#### **About Oracle Database Appliance Hardware Models**

Choose the Oracle Database Appliance hardware model that suits your business needs.

Oracle Database Appliance Hardware Model	Deployment Use Case
Oracle Database Appliance X7-2S, X7-2M, X7-2-HA	<ul> <li>Oracle Database Appliance X7-2S is a small configuration designed for smaller or entry-level deployments.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Oracle Database Appliance X7-2M is a medium-sized configuration designed for performance.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Oracle Database Appliance X7-2-HA is a large configuration designed for larger da- tabases and high-availability.</li> </ul>
Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S, X6-2M, X6-2L	<ul> <li>Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S is a small configuration designed for smaller or entry-level deployments.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Oracle Database Appliance X6-2M is a medium-sized configuration designed for performance.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Oracle Database Appliance X6-2L is a large configuration designed for larger da- tabases.</li> </ul>

Oracle Database Appliance Hardware Model	Deployment Use Case
Oracle Database Appliance X6-2-HA	Highly-available two-node Oracle RAC clusters that can support both Oracle RAC and single-instance databases.
Oracle Database Appliance X5-2, X4-2, and X3-2	Highly-available two-node Oracle RAC clusters that can support both Oracle RAC and single-instance databases.

You cannot expand or reconfigure Oracle Database Appliance to a different configuration. For example, you cannot expand Oracle Database Appliance X7-S to Oracle Database Appliance X7-2M. For Oracle Database Appliance hardware configuration details, see the *Oracle Database Appliance Owner's Guide*.

#### **About Oracle Database Appliance Deployment Plans**

Oracle Database Appliance X7-2S and X7-2M are single node systems that you deploy as a bare metal platform.

Oracle Database Appliance X7-2-HA is a two-node system with the option to deploy as a bare metal platform or a virtualized platform.

Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S, X6-2M, X6-2L are single node systems that you deploy as a bare metal platform.

Oracle Database Appliance X6-2-HA is a two-node system with the option to deploy as a bare metal platform or a virtualized platform. Starting with with Oracle Database Appliance release 18.5, systems deployed as bare metal are migrated from oakcli to odacli (the DCS software stack). Virtualized systems continue to use the oakcli software stack.

Oracle Database Appliance X5-2, X4-2, and X3-2 are two-node systems with the option to deploy as a bare metal platform or a virtualized platform. Starting with with Oracle Database Appliance release 18.5, systems deployed as bare metal are migrated from oakcli to odacli (the DCS software stack). Virtualized systems continue to use the oakcli software stack.

#### **About Database Deployment Options for Oracle Database Appliance**

The following Oracle Database editions are available:

Database Edition	Supported Releases	Description
Oracle Database Enterprise Edition	Oracle Database Release 18c, 12.2.0.1, 12.1.0.2, and 11.2.0.4	Supports Oracle Real Application Clusters (Oracle RAC) and single-instance Oracle Databases.
Oracle Database Standard Edition Two	Oracle Database Release 18 <i>c</i> , 12.2.0.1, 12.1.0.2, and 11.2.0.4	Supports Oracle Real Application Clusters (Oracle RAC), Oracle RAC One, and single-instance Oracle Databases.
Oracle Database Standard Edition One	Oracle Database Release 11.2.0.4	Supports Oracle Real Application Clusters (Oracle RAC), Oracle RAC One, and single-instance Oracle Databases.



Database Edition	Supported Releases	Description
Oracle Database Standard	Oracle Database Release	Supports Oracle Real Application Clusters (Oracle RAC),
Edition	11.2.0.4	Oracle RAC One, and single-instance Oracle Databases.



It is important to understand your Oracle Database licensing before you create databases. You cannot provision Oracle Database Enterprise Edition and Standard Edition databases in the same bare metal platform, or the same ODA\_BASE virtualized deployment, subject to Oracle Database licensing requirements. Review the Database Licensing Information User Manual for the Oracle Database release to review supported options and products.

# Oracle Database Appliance Software Terminology

Understand the software patches available for Oracle Database Appliance.

The table describes the Oracle Database Appliance patches that are available for download and the purpose of the patch.



Some hardware models may not use the patches listed in the table.

Table 1-1 Software for Oracle Database Appliance

Patch	Description
Oracle Database Appliance patch bundle (quarterly patch release)	Use the patch bundle to update to the latest release after Oracle Database Appliance is deployed. The patch updates the Oracle Database Appliance server, storage, and database components.
Oracle Database Appliance GI/	Use to perform an initial deployment of Oracle Database Appliance.
RDBMS Clone	The bundle contains the latest Grid Infrastructure and RDBMS components, Oracle Database Appliance Manager software, Oracle Linux and hardware drivers for deployment on an Oracle Database Appliance that is shipped from factory state.
	If you reimage Oracle Database Appliance with the Bare Metal ISO Image, download the GI/RDBMS Clone patch to deploy Oracle Database Appliance.
RDBMS Clone	Use the RDBMS Software Clone files to get the latest RDBMS clone binaries for Oracle Database releases 18c, 12.2.0.1, 12.1.0.2, and 11.2.0.4. The RDBMS clone files are needed to create Oracle databases and database homes.
Bare Metal ISO Image	Use to reimage the appliance and reset the system back to the factory configuration.



Table 1-1 (Cont.) Software for Oracle Database Appliance

Patch	Description	
VM ISO Image (DOM0) (Virtualized Platform ISO Image)	Use to re-image Oracle Database Appliance before deploying the ODA_Base Template and virtualized platform. The Oracle Database Appliance virtualized operating system image contains the following:	
	<ul> <li>Oracle Database Appliance Manager oakcli command-line interface</li> <li>Oracle Database Appliance Manager Configurator</li> <li>Oracle Linux</li> <li>Hardware drivers</li> <li>Required for Virtualized Platform deployments on multi-node high availability (HA) systems.</li> </ul>	
ODA_BASE Template (Virtualization Template)	use to create the ODA_Base virtual machine for a virtualized database appliance. The template contains the following:	
	<ul> <li>Oracle Virtual Machine template</li> <li>Oracle Database clone binaries</li> <li>Oracle Database templates, customized for Oracle Database Appliance deployments</li> <li>Oracle Grid Infrastructure clone binaries</li> <li>Required for Virtualized Platform deployments on multi-node HA systems.</li> </ul>	

#### Note:

See the *Oracle Database Appliance Release Notes* for the patch numbers and download locations and the component versions available in the patch bundle.

#### Note:

Starting with Oracle Database 18c, Oracle provides quarterly updates in the form of Release Updates (Updates) and Release Update Revisions (Revisions). Oracle no longer releases patch sets. For more information, see My Oracle Support Note 2285040.1.

Oracle Database releases are of type version and version\_full releases. The version release is designated in the form major release version.0.0.0.0. The major release version is based on the last two digits of the year in which an Oracle Database version is released for the first time. The version\_full release is an update of a version release and is designated based on the major release version, the quarterly release update version (Update), and the quarterly release update revision version (Revision).

Prior to Oracle Database release 18c, changing the first or second digit in the release number was an upgrade, and changing the fourth digit indicated an update. With 18c and later releases, changing the first digit is an upgrade, and changing the second indicates an update.



### About the Web Console

Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to deploy and manage the appliance, databases, networks, and jobs.

The Web Console assists you in deploying Oracle Databases that follow Optimal Flexible Architecture guidelines. The Optimal Flexible Architecture standard provides best practices configurations to ensure database deployments that are easier to support and maintain. Optimal Flexible Architecture includes the following:

- Structured organization of directories and files, and consistent naming for critical database files, such as control files, redo log files, and other critical files, which simplifies database administration
- Separation of tablespace contents to minimize tablespace free space fragmentation, and maximize administrative flexibility
- Stripe and Mirror Everything (SAME) deployment, which safeguards against storage failures



Create Oracle Databases using the Web Console or command-line interface to ensure that your database is configured optimally for Oracle Database Appliance.

The Web Console provides a user-friendly option to quickly view and perform many of the tasks needed to deploy, patch, and manage your system.

Use the links in the side navigation to view and manage the following:

#### Appliance

- Appliance information
- System information
- Disk group information
- All the patches and hardware and software components installed on the appliance
- List of RPMs and RPM Drift information

#### Network

- View network details
- Create, update, and delete networks
- View interface details

#### Oracle ASR

- View Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) configuration details
- Configure, update, test, and delete Oracle ASR

#### Patch Manager

Update the patch repository with Oracle Database Appliance patches



- View component details of the patch and versions that are installed on the appliance
- View component details of the patch and versions that are available, but not yet installed, on the appliance
- Run patch prechecks before applying the patch
- Update the server and storage components

Use the links in the top navigation to view and manage the following:

#### Database

- Create a database
- View database details
- Apply a backup policy for the database
- Create a manual backup
- Recover a database from a backup
- View and update the database backup schedule and update the archive log backup schedule for the database
- Create, update, and delete backup policies
- Create, update, and delete database homes
- Create and delete database homes
- Patch database homes

#### Object Store

- Create Object Store Credentials for backup and recovery
- View the details for Object Store Credentials, including the endpoint URL, user name, and tenant
- Update and delete Object Store Credentials

#### Monitoring

- View the status of hardware, physical disks, and network
- Click the hardware image to view details

#### Activity

- View a list of jobs, details, and status
- Click a job description to view job details

#### **Update ILOM and User Settings**

Expand **About** in the upper right corner of the Web Console to perform the following tasks:

- Click About to view the Oracle Database Appliance release that is installed on the appliance.
- Click Update ILOM Setting to change the root password. To enable first-time login and access to Oracle ILOM, a default Administrator (root) account and its password are provided with the system.
- Click Update User Settings to change the oda-admin password.



Click Sign Out to sign out of the Web Console. If you do not sign out, the system
automatically signs you out after a period of inactivity. A warning will appear 2 minutes before the session expires.



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# Preparing for Oracle Database Appliance Installation and Deployment

Complete these setup tasks before Oracle Database Appliance is delivered.

#### Tasks:

- Registering Your Support Identifier on My Oracle Support
   Add your hardware Support Identifier (SI) to your My Oracle Support account pro file
- Planning Oracle Database Appliance Configuration Options
   Determine how many CPU cores you want to enable, determine your database configuration options, and gather the system information for your Oracle Database Appliance Bare Metal deployment configuration.
- Gathering System Requirement Information
   Use these checklists to collect information before deploying Oracle Database Appliance.

# Registering Your Support Identifier on My Oracle Support

Add your hardware Support Identifier (SI) to your My Oracle Support account profile.

Your hardware SI is supplied when you purchase Oracle Database Appliance. If you acquire new software licenses, then you must also register your new software SIs. The SI registration process can take up to 24 hours to complete.



You cannot obtain support or software from Oracle without registered SIs.

# Planning Oracle Database Appliance Configuration Options

Determine how many CPU cores you want to enable, determine your database configuration options, and gather the system information for your Oracle Database Appliance Bare Metal deployment configuration.

#### Note:

Do not use Oracle Database Configuration Assistant (DBCA) to create databases on Oracle Database Appliance. Only use Oracle Appliance Manager for database configuration. Deploying Oracle Database instances using Oracle Appliance Manager ensures that these databases are properly configured, optimized, and supported on Oracle Database Appliance.

- Selecting an Oracle Database Appliance Configuration
   Compare and select an Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S, X6-2M, or X6-2L hardware configuration.
- Selecting Operating System Groups and Users
   Determine how you want to configure your operating system groups and users and whether or not you want to allow operating system role separation.
- Selecting Database Deployment Options
   See the Oracle Database editions that are available for deployment.
- Selecting Database Shapes for Oracle Database Appliance
   Oracle Database Appliance software includes preconfigured templates, known as
   shapes, that incorporate Oracle best practices with optimization for different
   classes of databases.

### Selecting an Oracle Database Appliance Configuration

Compare and select an Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S, X6-2M, or X6-2L hardware configuration.

- Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S is a small configuration designed for smaller or entry-level deployments.
- Oracle Database Appliance X6-2M is a medium-sized configuration designed for performance.
- Oracle Database Appliance X6-2L is a large configuration designed for larger databases and database consolidation.

You cannot expand or reconfigure Oracle Database Appliance to a different configuration. For example, you cannot expand Oracle Database Appliance X6-S to Oracle Database Appliance X6-2M. For Oracle Database Appliance X6-2 configuration details, see the *Oracle Database Appliance Owner's Guide*.

### Selecting Operating System Groups and Users

Determine how you want to configure your operating system groups and users and whether or not you want to allow operating system role separation.

#### **About Operating System Groups and Users**

Role separation enables you to configure groups and users to provide separate groups for operating system authentication.

Without role separation, a single user owns all of the Oracle installations. All of the databases are installed under a single user. Role separation enables you to have separate users for Oracle and Oracle Clusterware. You can install multiple databases with-



out sharing operating system authentication for system privileges. In addition, each Oracle software installation is owned by a separate installation owner, to provide operating system user authentication for modifications to Oracle Database binaries.



Any Oracle software owner can start and stop all databases and shared Oracle Grid Infrastructure resources, such as Oracle Automatic Storage Management (Oracle ASM) or Virtual IP (VIP). The job role separation configuration enables database security, it does not restrict user roles in starting and stopping various Oracle Clusterware resources.

With Oracle Grid Infrastructure role separation, separate operating system groups provide operating system authentication for Oracle ASM system privileges for storage tier administration. This operating system authentication is separated from Oracle Database operating system authentication. In addition, the Oracle Grid Infrastructure installation owner provides operating system user authentication for modifications to Oracle Grid Infrastructure binaries.

You can configure the appliance with one of four combinations of operating system users, groups, and roles. The default users are the Oracle Database installation owner (oracle) and Oracle Grid Infrastructure installation owner (grid). The default groups are oinstall, dbaoper, dba, asmadmin, asmoper, and asmdba

#### **Default Configuration: Two Users with Six Groups**

The default configuration is a combination of two operating system roles for users with six groups.

To configure two users, oracle user with the Oracle User (oracleUser) role and the grid user with the gridUser role, allow operating system role separation.

To configure six groups, oinstall, dbaoper, dba, asmadmin, asmoper, and asmdba, do not select the option to customize users and groups.



When you select the default configuration in the Web Console, the users and groups do not appear in the interface.

#### **Two Custom Users with Six Custom Groups**

You can customize the configuration to create two custom users and six custom groups.

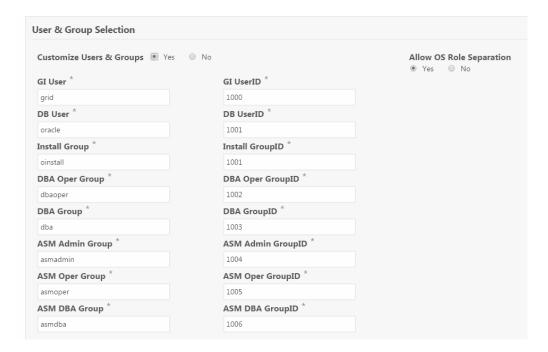
To configure two users, allow operating system role separation. The users are populated with the default values, oracle and grid, which you can edit.

To configure six groups, select the option to customize users and groups. The groups are populated with the default values, which you can edit. The default groups are oinstall, dbaoper, dba, asmadmin, asmoper, and asmdba.



The figure shows an example of a custom configuration with the default values populated.

Figure 2-1 Two Custom Users with Six Custom Groups



#### **Single Custom User with Six Custom Groups**

You can customize the configuration to create a single operating system database user and with six custom groups. The database user can deploy both the grid infrastructure and RDBMS (relational database management system) stacks. You can edit the user name and user ID and you can customize the group names and IDs. Use this option when you deploy SAP.

To configure a single oracle database user with the Oracle User (oracleUser) role, do not allow OS role separation.

To configure six groups, select the option to customize users and groups. The following default groups are populated: oinstall, dbaoper, dba, asmadmin, asmoper, and asmdba. You can customize the groups.

#### Single User with Two Groups

To configure a single oracle user with the Oracle User (oracleUser) role, do not allow OS role separation.

To configure two groups, oinstall and dba, do not select the option to customize users and groups.

### Selecting Database Deployment Options

See the Oracle Database editions that are available for deployment.

Oracle Appliance Manager installs Oracle Database software on mirrored disks that are internal to Oracle Database Appliance. You specify the database edition in the



Web Console during the initial deployment. You cannot use both Oracle Database Enterprise Edition and Standard Edition on the same appliance.

The following Oracle Database editions are available:

#### Oracle Database Enterprise Edition

Oracle Database Enterprise Edition provides the performance, availability, scalability, and security required for mission-critical applications such as high-volume online transaction processing (OLTP) applications, query-intensive data warehouses, and demanding Internet applications.

- Single-instance Oracle Database Enterprise Edition home
- Oracle Database options are available

#### Oracle Database Standard Edition 2

Oracle Database Standard Edition 2 delivers unprecedented ease of use, power, and performance for workgroup, department-level, and Web applications.

#### Oracle Database Standard Edition

Oracle Database Standard Edition delivers the unprecedented ease of use, power, and performance of Standard Edition One, with support for larger machines and clustering of services with Oracle Real Application Clusters (Oracle RAC).

#### Oracle Database Standard Edition One

Oracle Database Standard Edition One delivers unprecedented ease of use, power, and performance for workgroup, department-level, and Web applications.



Review the Oracle Database licensing guide for supported options and products.

### Selecting Database Shapes for Oracle Database Appliance

Oracle Database Appliance software includes preconfigured templates, known as shapes, that incorporate Oracle best practices with optimization for different classes of databases.

Because of differences in CPU counts, memory size, and other resources available with different Oracle Database Appliance models, some shapes are not supported on all models.

Each Oracle Database shape has different workload profile and performance characteristics:

- Memory requirements, which are calculated from the System Global Area (SGA), and Program Global Area (PGA) sizes
- Processing requirements, which are calculated from the number of processes
- Logging requirements, which are based on log buffer size, and online redo log size

Oracle Database Appliance shapes are tuned for the size of each database instance workload and are designed to run on a specific number of cores.



#### Note:

Oracle strongly recommends that you use the Oracle Database Appliance shapes. These shapes implement best practices, and are configured specifically for Oracle Database Appliance.

## **Gathering System Requirement Information**

Use these checklists to collect information before deploying Oracle Database Appliance.

- List of Information You Need Before Deployment
   Collect security, storage, and network information required to prepare for deploying Oracle Database Appliance.
- Checklist for System Details
   Use the checklist to gather system information that you need to obtain for Oracle Database Appliance. Record the values for your system.
- Checklist for Custom Network Address Configuration
   Use the checklist to identify the IP addresses required for Oracle Database Appliance.

### List of Information You Need Before Deployment

Collect security, storage, and network information required to prepare for deploying Oracle Database Appliance.

Review your security requirements for root passwords, determine your storage requirements and network administration requirements, and complete any required configuration before your Oracle Database Appliance hardware is delivered.

#### **Security Requirements**

- What root password should you use for Oracle Database Appliance? Root passwords should comply with your system security requirements.
- Secure operating systems are an important basis for general system security. Ensure that your operating system deployment is in compliance with common security practices.

#### **Storage Administration Requirements**

Storage administration is integrated into Oracle Database Appliance. No additional storage configuration is required.

Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S, X6-2M, and X6-2L use Oracle Automatic Storage Management Cluster File System (Oracle ACFS) or Oracle Automatic Storage Management (Oracle ASM) and include the following:

- Integrated storage for operational files (operating system, Oracle Grid Infrastructure home, Oracle Database homes, tools). Operational files are stored on mirrored internal system disks.
- DATA (user data and database files)



- RECO (database redo logs, archive logs, and recovery manager backups)
- Operational files are stored on mirrored internal system disks.

You can configure for External, Internal, or Custom backup location. Depending on backup location, you can select one of the following configuration options to divide the storage capacity between DATA diskgroup and RECO diskgroup:

- External: Storage capacity is split between 80% for DATA and 20% for RECO.
- Internal: Storage capacity is split between 40% for DATA and 60% for RECO.
- Custom: Storage capacity is configurable from 10% to 90% for DATA and the remainder for RECO.



Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S and X6-2M ship with two 3.2 TB non-volatile memory express (NVMe) drives for a total of 6.4 TB of NVMe storage. With Oracle Database Appliance X6-2M, you have the option to expand the system to a 4 disk configuration, which doubles the NVMe storage capacity. Oracle Database Appliance X6-2L ships with six 3.2 TB non-volatile memory express (NVMe) drives with the option to add three (3) disks for a total of nine (9) NVMe disks.

#### **Network Administration Requirements**

The network administration requirements and recommendations are as follows:

- Determine the type of network interface for your public network and know the details for your generic and public network.
- Oracle recommends that you resolve addresses using Domain Name System (DNS) servers.
- All names must conform to the RFC 952 standard, which permits alphanumeric characters and hyphens ("-"), but does not allow underscores ("\_").
- Provide an IP address for the public interface. The following are the public interfaces:
  - Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S: btbond1 or sfpbond1
  - Oracle Database Appliance X6-2M: btbond1, btbond2 and sfpbond1
  - Oracle Database Appliance X6-2L: btbond1, btbond2 and sfpbond1

Depending on your network setup, you can use one of the following available bonds:

- btbond are bonded interface based on onboard NIC 10GBase-T (copper) ports
- sfpbond is bonded interface based on the 10GbE SFP+ (fiber) PCle card

When you use the configure-first command during the initial setup, you can choose one of the bonded interfaces for the public network. Use one of the remaining bonded interfaces for management, backup, data guard, or other network. Be prepared to provide a netmask and gateway for each network, as both are required when you configure a network connection for Oracle Database Appliance.



#### **Answer These Questions**

Determine the answers to the following questions:

What is your domain name?

For example: example.com.

Do you want to use DNS?

(Optional) Ensure that the names and addresses that you provide for network configuration are configured in your Domain Name System (DNS) servers. DNS is optional, but recommended. If you want to use DNS, then obtain your DNS server addresses. The addresses that you provide are configured in the /etc/hosts file to provide IP name and address resolution, even if a DNS server is not available.

- Do you have a Network Time Protocol (NTP) service configured for each server, so that the local system time for each server is synchronized?
- Which network interface do you want to use for your public network?
  - 10GBase-T (copper)
  - 10GbE SFP+ (fiber)
- What are the details for your public network? To connect to the system, you require the following information:
  - Host name

For example: myhost

IP address

For example: 192.0.2.18

Netmask for the public network

For example: 255.255.252.0

Gateway for the public network

For example: 192.0.2.1

- Do you want the ability to configure additional networks?
- Do you want to use Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (Oracle ILOM) to manage Oracle Database Appliance independent of the operating system?

(Optional) Collect the following ILOM details from your network administrator:

Oracle ILOM host name

For example: myilom1

Oracle ILOM IP address

For example: 10.0.0.3

Netmask for the Oracle ILOM network

For example: 255.255.255.0

Gateway for the Oracle ILOM network

For example: 10.0.0.1



# Checklist for System Details

Use the checklist to gather system information that you need to obtain for Oracle Database Appliance. Record the values for your system.

Table 2-1 Checklist for System Configuration Information for Oracle Database Appliance

System Information	Description	
Host Name	The name for the Oracle Database Appliance System. The name must conform with the RFC 952 standard, which allows alphanumeric characters and hyphens ( - ), but does not allow underscores ( _ ). The name should not begin with a numeral or hyphen and should not end in a hyphen. Oracle recommends that you use all lowercase characters for the host name.	
Domain Name	Your domain name. For example: example.com	
Master Password	The password set for the root password of the system, OS users, database users, and pdbadmin. The password is also used to set the database SYS and SYSTEM passwords. Ensure that the password you provide is in compliance with common security practices.	
DNS Server	(Optional) DNS server details.	
NTP Server	(Optional) Network Time Protocol (NTP) service details.	
Region	The region where you plan to operate the Oracle Database Appliance system.	
Timezone	Select the time zone where you plan to operate the Oracle Database Appliance system.	
Database Edition	Select an Oracle Database edition, either Enterprise Edition or Standard Edition. You cannot mix editions. The database edition you select determines the database editions that you create in the appliance. To change editions, you must redeploy Oracle Database Appliance.	
Backup Location	Determine the backup location setting. The setting determines how the NVMe Disks are partitioned between DATA and RECO. Select External, Internal, or Custom:	
	• External reserves 80% of the storage for DATA and 20% for RECO.	
	<ul> <li>Internal reserves 40% of the storage for DATA and 60% for RE- CO.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Custom reserves anywhere from 10% to 90% of the storage for DATA, and the remainder is reserved for RECO.</li> </ul>	
Percentage of Storage Reserved for Data	If you select a Custom backup location, determine the amount of reserves for DATA storage. The percentage must be a whole number between 10 and 90.	
Diskgroup Redundan-	Determine the redundancy level for DATA, RECO, and FLASH:	
су	If there are up to two disk groups, then you can select the disk group redundancy as Normal or Flex. A quorum disk must exist, if you want to select Flex redundancy. If there are more than two disk groups, then you can select the redundancy as Normal (two way mirror), High (three way mirror), or Flex.	
	If you select High redundancy, then DATA, RECO, and FLASH are all High redundancy.	



Table 2-1 (Cont.) Checklist for System Configuration Information for Oracle Database Appliance

System Information	Description	
Network Information	Obtain network information:	
	Public network	
	(Optional) Additional network	
	<ul> <li>(Optional) Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (Oracle ILOM) network</li> </ul>	
Initial Database De- tails (if you want to create one during de- ployment)	Database name	
	Normal or container database	
	Class (database template)	
	Database characterset	
	Database language	
	<ul> <li>Database version</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Shape (for example: odb1 or odb2)</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Storage (Oracle ASM or Oracle ACFS)</li> </ul>	
	Configure Oracle Enterprise Manager console	

# Checklist for Custom Network Address Configuration

Use the checklist to identify the IP addresses required for Oracle Database Appliance.



Oracle does not recommend changing the default Host Private Address. You cannot change the private network after deploying the appliance.

Table 2-2 Default IP Address Requirements for Oracle Database Appliance

Type of IP	IP Address Default Values	Your Values As Applicable
Client Access Network	No default	No default
Additional Network	No default	No default
Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM)	No default	No default
Host Private Addresses	The HA system uses High Availability Internet Protocol (HAIP) with two default IP addresses: 192.168.16 and 192.168.17	Not applicable: the private addresses are defined before deployment and should not be changed



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# Readying Oracle Database Appliance for Deployment

Complete these tasks to prepare to deploy Oracle Database Appliance.

#### Topics:

### About Interconnect Cabling

Interconnect is reserved for Oracle Grid Infrastructure (GI) and Oracle Relational Database Management System (RDBMS).

- Attaching Network Cables to Oracle Database Appliance
   Connect Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S, X6-2M, or X6-2L to either a
   10GBase-T (copper) or 10GbE SFP+ (fiber) network.
- Attaching Peripheral Devices
   Complete this task if you have direct access to Oracle Database Appliance and you intend to use a locally connected monitor, keyboard and mouse.
- First Startup of Oracle Database Appliance
   Use this procedure to start up either a newly-installed Oracle Database Appliance,
   or to start up the appliance after you power it down.
- Configuring Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager
   Configure Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (Oracle ILOM) to manage Oracle
   Database Appliance independent of the operating system.

### **About Interconnect Cabling**

Interconnect is reserved for Oracle Grid Infrastructure (GI) and Oracle Relational Database Management System (RDBMS).

Oracle GI includes Oracle Clusterware, Oracle Automatic Storage Management (Oracle ASM), and Oracle Restart. Even if you do not use Oracle Real Application Clusters (RAC), Oracle Database Appliance uses the interconnect for RAC ASM and Oracle GI.



Do not use interconnect for other applications.

When you power on Oracle Database Appliance for the first time, the system automatically defines your public network interface based on the interconnect. If you use the InfiniBand cards, then the InfiniBand network is used for the interconnect. If you ordered the configuration that contains the 10GbE SFP+ (fiber) cards instead of InfiniBand cards, then the onboard 10GBase-T (Copper) ports are used for the interconnect.

# Attaching Network Cables to Oracle Database Appliance

Connect Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S, X6-2M, or X6-2L to either a 10GBase-T (copper) or 10GbE SFP+ (fiber) network.

Use standard Cat-6 network cables to connect to the on-board 10GBase-T (copper) network ports. The following sections show the cabling options for 10GbE SFP+ (fiber) network ports. In the figures, callouts 4 and 5 identify the ports for the 10GBase-T (copper) network. Callout 6 identifies the ports for the 10GbE SFP+ (fiber) network.

Figure 3-1 Connect the Fiber and Copper Network Cables for Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S or X6-2M

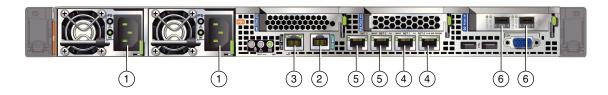


Figure 3-2 Connect the Fiber and Copper Network Cables for Oracle Database Appliance X6-2L

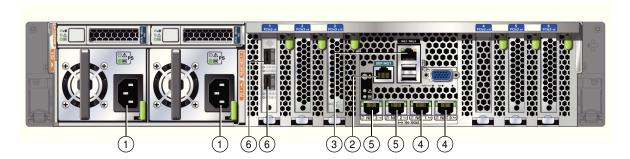


Table 3-1 Location of Network Ports and Power Cabling for Oracle Database Appliance

Callout Number	Description
1	Power cables
2	(Optional) ILOM SER MGT port. Service processor RJ-45 serial port
3	ILOM NET MGT port. Service processor 10/100/1000Base-T network interface
4	10 GbE network interface port with RJ-45 connector (btbond1)
5	10 GbE network interface port with RJ-45 connector (btbond2)
	These ports are not available on Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S.



Table 3-1 (Cont.) Location of Network Ports and Power Cabling for Oracle Database Appliance

Callout Number	Description
6	10 GbE dual-rate SFP+ (fiber network) ports (sfpbond1)

For 10 GbE SFP+ PCI cards, you can use fiber cables or copper cables.

#### **Fiber Cables**

For optical cables, you must purchase either Short Range (SR) or Long Range (LR) SFP+ transceivers for each of the network ports, and then plug in the appropriate optical cable. Currently, Oracle sells both the SR and LR SFP+ transceivers. In addition to these transceivers, you must purchase the appropriate LC-LC terminated fiber optic cables from a third-party vendor.

Name	Part Number
10 GbE Transceiver SR (SFP+)	X2129A-N
10 GbE Transceiver LR (SFP+)	X5562A-Z

#### **Copper Cables**

You can purchase the following copper cables from Oracle. These cables have built-in SFP+ connectors:

Name	Length	Part Number
TwinAx 1m	1m	X2130A-1M-N
TwinAx 3m	3m	X2130A-3M-N
TwinAx 5m	5m	X2130A-3M-N

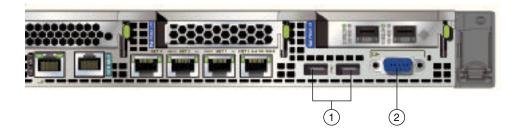
# **Attaching Peripheral Devices**

Complete this task if you have direct access to Oracle Database Appliance and you intend to use a locally connected monitor, keyboard and mouse.

Oracle Database Appliance is not equipped with human-computer interface devices, such as a monitor or keyboard. If you want to log in locally, instead of through a network, then you must attach interface devices.

Attach a monitor to the graphics card port, and attach a keyboard and a mouse to the USB ports. Refer to the figure and table to identify the ports.





In the figure, callout 1 identifies the ports for the keyboard and mouse. Callout 2 identifies the monitor port.

Table 3-2 Peripheral Device Connections for Oracle Database Appliance

Callout Num- ber	Description
1	USB ports for the keyboard and mouse
2	Graphics card port for the monitor

# First Startup of Oracle Database Appliance

Use this procedure to start up either a newly-installed Oracle Database Appliance, or to start up the appliance after you power it down.

To ready Oracle Database Appliance for the powering on the first time, you need to attach all of the required power cords and confirm that initialization completes successfully. You can then start up the system by pushing the power button once.

- Attaching Power Cords and Initializing Components
   Attach power cords for Oracle Database Appliance.
- Powering On Oracle Database Appliance the First Time
   Use this procedure the first time you power on Oracle Database Appliance.

### Attaching Power Cords and Initializing Components

Attach power cords for Oracle Database Appliance.



#### **Caution:**

Before plugging in the power cords, ensure that the electrical outlets providing the power are grounded.

If you use only a single AC circuit, then connect both power cords for each component to that circuit. If you want to maintain N+1 power supply redundancy, then use two separate AC circuits. Connect one power cord from each AC circuit into each component.

For more information about cabling with the supplied Cable Management Arm, refer to *Oracle Database Appliance Owner's Guide*.



## Powering On Oracle Database Appliance the First Time

Use this procedure the first time you power on Oracle Database Appliance.



After you connect power cords, the green SP OK light-emitting diode (LED) lights blink for a few minutes, and then turn to steady ON. The cooling fans also may turn on. However, these events do not indicate that the system is started. You must complete all of the steps in this section to turn on the appliance properly. Read through the entire section to understand the sequence required for initial system startup.

1. Push the recessed power button to turn on the appliance.



The fully-initialized state is indicated by the green SP OK LEDs staying steadily lit. If any of the green LED lights on the server are still blinking, then wait for them to complete their initialization steps.

The power button and the system initialization status indicator lights are located on the power panel. The following figure is an example of the location on the X6-2S and X6-2M. The layout on the X6-2L is slightly different.

Figure 3-3 Front of Oracle Database Appliance Power Panel for X6-2S and X6-M



Table 3-3 Description of Callouts for Powering On Oracle Database Appliance

Callouts for X6-2S and X6-2M	Function
4	SP OK LED light, located on the front panel of the appliance.
5	Recessed On/Off power button, which is located on the front panel of the appliance. Push this button only once. Do not repeatedly push the power button.
6	Green Power OK LED, located on the front panel. These lights must be in the steady ON position (Green light does not blink) before you log on to the system.



2. Wait for Oracle Database Appliance to complete startup.



Do not repeatedly push the power buttons. Startup can take several minutes to complete.

Oracle Database Appliance is ready for use when the green Power OK LEDs on the front of the system remains steadily on.

## Configuring Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager

Configure Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (Oracle ILOM) to manage Oracle Database Appliance independent of the operating system.

Oracle ILOM provides alternate ways to restart and troubleshoot Oracle Database Appliance.

You must set up the following items first to configure Oracle ILOM:

- A name and IP address
- A password to replace the default Oracle ILOM password
- Access to a management network, using an assigned netmask
- An Ethernet cable connected from the NET MGT port to the management network

In the default configuration, Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP) is enabled in Oracle ILOM and the DHCP server automatically assigns network settings. To determine the IP address or host name assigned by the DHCP server, use the network tools provided with the DHCP server.

If you do not use DHCP, then use the custom option in Oracle Database Appliance Manager Configurator to assign IP addresses and host names to Oracle ILOM when you deploy your database.



If you have not enabled DHCP, then you must complete Oracle Database Appliance configuration to access Oracle ILOM.

To connect to the Oracle ILOM, use one of the following two methods:

- 1. Log in using a web interface by completing these steps:
  - **a.** Using a client system's browser, enter the IP address or host name assigned by DHCP into the browser address field and press **Enter**.
  - b. At the login page, enter the default user name, root and the default password, changeme.

The Oracle ILOM web interface appears.

2. Log in using a command-line interface (CLI) by completing these steps:



a. Using a client system, establish a secure shell (SSH) connection by entering the following on the command line:

```
ssh -l root sp_ip_address
```

where  $sp\_ip\_address$  is the IP address assigned by DHCP.

b. Enter the default user name, root, and the default password, changeme.

The Oracle ILOM CLI prompt appears.

## **Troubleshooting the ILOM Configuration**

If the ILOM is not working, then ensure that the ILOM NIC is enabled and that ipv4 is enabled.

You can configure the ILOM with the IPMI tool or through the BIOS. The following describes how to use the IPMI tool:

1. Open the IPMI tool.

```
# ipmitool -I open sunoem cli
```

2. Go to SP/network and verify that the port is enabled:

```
cd /SP/network
```

3. If the port is not enabled, then enable the port.

```
set state=enabled
```

- 4. In SP/network, verify that ipv4 is enabled.
- 5. If ipv6 is enabled, then disable ipv6 and enable ipv4

```
# ipmitool -I open sunoem cli "set /SP/network/ipv6 state=disabled"
# ipmitool -I open sunoem cli "set /SP/network/ipv4 state=enabled"
```



4

# Provisioning Oracle Database Appliance Baremetal System

Understand the process to configure Oracle Database Appliance baremetal system.

The Web Console is the preferred method of deploying your bare metal platform configuration. The Web Console provides all of the fields necessary to provision Oracle Database Appliance, including configuring the system, network, database, and Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR). If you prefer to use the command-line interface, you must create a JSON file to configure the deployment options.

#### Plumbing the Network

Plumb the Oracle Database Appliance network with the public internet protocol (IP) information assigned to a node, to enable provisioning of the Oracle Database Appliance software.

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# Plumbing the Network

Plumb the Oracle Database Appliance network with the public internet protocol (IP) information assigned to a node, to enable provisioning of the Oracle Database Appliance software.

- Connect to Oracle ILOM remote console, then log into Oracle Database Appliance as root.
- 2. Run the command configure-firstnet on both nodes.

```
# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli configure-firstnet
Using bonding public interface (yes/no) [yes]:
Select the Interface to configure the network on (btbond1) [btbond1]:
Configure DHCP on btbond1 (yes/no) [no]:
INFO: You have chosen Static configuration
Use VLAN on btbond1 (yes/no) [no]:
```

Complete the network configuration as prompted and configure the public network interface. Also provide the netmask and gateway IP address. You use this network connection to transfer the software to the server node.

## Example 4-1 Example of a Bonded Configuration

For a bonded configuration, answer yes to using a bonding public interface and configure the first network to use a btbond1 interface without configuring DHCP.

#### # /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli configure-firstnet

## **Example 4-2 Example of a Non-Bonded Configuration**

To create a non-bonded configuration and disable VLAN capabilities, answer no to using a bonding public interface.

#### # /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli configure-firstnet

```
Using bonding public interface (yes/no) [yes]: no
INFO: Breaking the bonding on btbond1
INFO: remove bonding module: rmmod bonding
INFO: remove slave setup in /etc/sysconfig/network-scripts/ifcfg-em2
INFO: remove slave setup in /etc/sysconfig/network-scripts/ifcfg-em3
INFO: Restarting the network
Shutting down interface eml:
                                                           [
                                                             OK ]
Shutting down interface plp1:
                                                           [
                                                             OK ]
Shutting down interface plp2:
                                                           [ OK ]
Shutting down loopback interface:
                                                           [ OK ]
Bringing up loopback interface:
                                                           [ OK ]
Bringing up interface em1:
                                                           [
                                                             OK
                                                                 ]
Bringing up interface em2:
                                                           [
                                                             OK ]
Bringing up interface em3:
                                                           [
Bringing up interface plp1:
Determining if ip address 192.168.16.24 is already in use for device
p1p1...
                                                           [ OK ]
Bringing up interface plp2:
Determining if ip address 192.168.17.24 is already in use for device
p1p2...
                                                           [ OK ]
INFO: Restarting the network
Select the Interface to configure the network on (em2 em3) [em2]:
Configure DHCP on em2 (yes/no) [no]:
```



```
INFO: You have chosen Static configuration
Enter the IP address to configure : 10.1.10.2
Enter the Netmask address to configure : 255.255.255.0
Enter the Gateway address to configure[10.1.10.1] :
INFO: Plumbing the IPs now
/usr/share/system-config-network/netconfpkg/NCHostsList.py:100:
DeprecationWarning: BaseException.message has been deprecated as of Python
2.6
 badlines.append((num, value_exception.message))
/usr/share/system-config-network/netconfpkg/NCHostsList.py:105:
DeprecationWarning: BaseException.message has been deprecated as of Python
  """ % (value_exception.message, num)
/usr/share/system-config-network/netconfpkg/NCProfileList.py:142:
DeprecationWarning: BaseException.message has been deprecated as of Python
2 6
 self.error = e.message
INFO: Restarting the network
Shutting down interface eml:
                                                           [ OK ]
Shutting down interface em2:
                                                              OK
Shutting down interface em3:
                                                             OK
Shutting down interface plp1:
                                                           [
                                                             OK
                                                                 ]
Shutting down interface plp2:
                                                           [ OK ]
Shutting down loopback interface:
                                                           [ OK
                                                                  ]
Bringing up loopback interface:
                                                           [
                                                             OK
                                                                 - 1
Bringing up interface eml:
                                                           [
                                                              OK ]
Bringing up interface em2:
Determining if ip address 10.1.10.2 is already in use for device em2...
                                                           [ OK ]
Bringing up interface em3:
                                                             OK ]
Bringing up interface plp1:
Determining if ip address 192.0.2.24 is already in use for device plp1...
Bringing up interface p1p2:
Determining if ip address 192.0.2.25 is already in use for device p1p2...
```

## **Example 4-3 Example of Configuring VLAN**

```
# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli configure-firstnet
Using bonding public interface (yes/no) [yes]:
Select the Interface to configure the network on (btbond1) [btbond1]:
Configure DHCP on btbond1 (yes/no) [no]:
INFO: You have chosen Static configuration
Use VLAN on btbond1 (yes/no) [no]:yes
Configure VLAN on btbond1, input VLAN ID [2 - 4094] 122
INFO: using network interface btbond1.122
Enter the IP address to configure : 192.0.2.24
Enter the Netmask address to configure : 192.0.2.24
Enter the Gateway address to configure[192.0.2.24] :
INFO: Restarting the network
Shutting down interface btbond1:
                                                           [ OK ]
Shutting down interface eml:
                                                           [ OK ]
```



```
Shutting down interface plp1:
                                                             OK ]
                                                           [ OK ]
Shutting down interface plp2:
Shutting down loopback interface:
                                                           [ OK ]
Bringing up loopback interface:
                                                           [
                                                             OK ]
Bringing up interface btbond1:
Determining if ip address 192.0.2.24 is already in use for device
btbond1...
                                                           [ OK ]
Bringing up interface em1:
                                                           [ OK ]
Bringing up interface plp1:
Determining if ip address 192.0.2.24 is already in use for device
p1p1...
                                                                  [ OK ]
Bringing up interface plp2:
Determining if ip address 192.0.2.24 is already in use for device p1p2...
Bringing up interface btbond1.122:
Determining if ip address 192.0.2.24 is already in use for device
btbond1.122...
INFO: Restarting the DCS agent
initdcsagent stop/waiting
initdcsagent start/running, process 32104
```

# Verifying Cabling and Network Connections

After powering on Oracle Database Appliance, verify that the network connections are set up correctly.

Run the validation scripts only on Oracle Database Appliance HA models.

- 1. Log into the Oracle Database Appliance console and access the server node with user name as root and password welcomel.
- 2. Run validation scripts on both nodes, to verify cabling:

#### # /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli validate-storagetopology

```
INFO: ODA Topology Verification
INFO: Running on Node0
INFO: Check hardware type
SUCCESS: Type of hardware found: X7-2
INFO : Check for Environment(Bare Metal or Virtual Machine)
SUCCESS: Type of environment found: Bare Metal
INFO: Check number of Controllers
SUCCESS: Number of ahci controller found: 1
SUCCESS: Number of External SCSI controllers found: 2
INFO: Check for Controllers correct PCIe slot address
SUCCESS: Internal RAID controller:
SUCCESS: External LSI SAS controller 0: 3b:00.0
SUCCESS: External LSI SAS controller 1: 5e:00.0
INFO: Check if JBOD powered on
SUCCESS : 2JBOD : Powered-on
INFO : Check for correct number of EBODS(2 or 4)
SUCCESS : EBOD found : 4
INFO: Check for External Controller 0
SUCCESS: Cable check for port 0 on controller 0
```



```
SUCCESS: Cable check for port 1 on controller 0
SUCCESS: Overall Cable check for controller 0
INFO: Check for External Controller 1
SUCCESS: Cable check for port 0 on controller 1
SUCCESS: Cable check for port 1 on controller 1
SUCCESS: Overall Cable check for controller 1
INFO: Check for overall status of cable validation on Node0
SUCCESS: Overall Cable Validation on Node0
SUCCESS: JBODO Nickname set correctly
SUCCESS: JBODO Nickname set correctly
```

3. If there is a storage expansion shelf connected to the appliance, then power it on. Run the storagetopology command on both nodes to make sure the cabling is correct:

### # /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli validate-storagetopology

```
INFO: ODA Topology Verification
INFO: Running on Node0
INFO: Check hardware type
SUCCESS: Type of hardware found: X7-2
INFO : Check for Environment(Bare Metal or Virtual Machine)
SUCCESS: Type of environment found: Bare Metal
INFO: Check number of Controllers
SUCCESS: Number of ahci controller found: 1
SUCCESS: Number of External SCSI controllers found: 2
INFO : Check for Controllers correct PCIe slot address
SUCCESS: Internal RAID controller:
SUCCESS: External LSI SAS controller 0: 3b:00.0
SUCCESS: External LSI SAS controller 1: 5e:00.0
INFO: Check if JBOD powered on
SUCCESS : 2JBOD : Powered-on
INFO : Check for correct number of EBODS(2 or 4)
SUCCESS: EBOD found: 4
INFO: Check for External Controller 0
SUCCESS: Cable check for port 0 on controller 0
SUCCESS: Cable check for port 1 on controller 0
SUCCESS: Overall Cable check for controller 0
INFO: Check for External Controller 1
SUCCESS: Cable check for port 0 on controller 1
SUCCESS: Cable check for port 1 on controller 1
SUCCESS: Overall Cable check for controller 1
INFO: Check for overall status of cable validation on NodeO
SUCCESS: Overall Cable Validation on NodeO
SUCCESS: JBODO Nickname set correctly
SUCCESS: JBOD1 Nickname set correctly
```

4. Verify the interconnect network:

#### # ethtool plp1

```
Settings for plp1:
Supported ports: [ FIBRE ]
Supported link modes: 1000baseT/Full
Supported pause frame use: Symmetric Receive-only
Supports auto-negotiation: Yes
Advertised link modes: 1000baseT/Full
```



```
10000baseT/Full
Advertised pause frame use: No
Advertised auto-negotiation: Yes
Speed: 25000Mb/s <<<<<<< check speed
Duplex: Full
Port: Direct Attach Copper
PHYAD: 1
Transceiver: internal
Auto-negotiation: on
Current message level: 0x00000000 (0)
Link detected: yes
# ethtool p1p2
Settings for plp2:
Supported ports: [ FIBRE ]
Supported link modes: 1000baseT/Full
Supported pause frame use: Symmetric Receive-only
Supports auto-negotiation: Yes
Advertised link modes: 1000baseT/Full
10000baseT/Full
Advertised pause frame use: No
Advertised auto-negotiation: Yes
Speed: 25000Mb/s <<<<<< check speed
Duplex: Full
Port: Direct Attach Copper
PHYAD: 1
Transceiver: internal
Auto-negotiation: on
Current message level: 0x00000000 (0)
Link detected: yes
```

# Downloading Oracle Database Appliance Software

Download Oracle Database Appliance software and copy to a temporary location before applying updates to your appliance.

 Download the software files from My Oracle Support to a temporary location on an external client. Refer to the release notes for details about the software for the latest release.

For example, download the Oracle Database Appliance GI Clone for ODACLI/DCS stack (patch 27604593) and Oracle Database Appliance RDBMS Clone for ODA-CLI/DCS stack (patch 27604558) for 18.5:

```
p27604593_185000_Linux-x86-64.zip
p27604558_185000_Linux-x86-64.zip
```

Unzip the software — it contains README.html and one or more zip files for the patch.

```
unzip p27604593_185000_Linux-x86-64.zip unzip p27604558_185000_Linux-x86-64.zip
```



The GI and RDBMS Clone files for release 18.5 are extracted.

```
odacli-dcs-18.5.0.0.0-190416-GI-18.5.0.0.zip
odacli-dcs-18.5.0.0.0-190416-DB-18.5.0.0.zip
```

3. Copy the software files from the external client to Oracle Database Appliance. Use the scp or sftp protocol to copy the bundle.

Example using scp command:

```
scp software_file root@oda_host:/tmp
```

Example using sftp command:

```
sftp root@oda_host
```

Enter the root password, and then copy the file.

```
put software_file
```

For example, for release 18.5:

```
put odacli-dcs-18.5.0.0.0-190416-GI-18.5.0.0.zip
put odacli-dcs-18.5.0.0.0-190416-DB-18.5.0.0.zip
```

The GI and RDBMS Clone files are copied to the temporary location on the appliance. You can update the repository, and create the appliance, as explained in the next topic

# Installing Oracle Database Appliance Software

Install Oracle Database Appliance software, before creating the appliance.

Ensure that the Oracle Database Appliance patches are downloaded and available for updating the repository, as described in the topic *Downloading Oracle Database Appliance Software*.

Verify the current system version by running the following command on **both** nodes:

```
# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli describe-component -v
```

2. Update the repository with Oracle Grid Infrastructure and Database software.

```
[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli update-repository
-f /tmp/GI_clone_file,/tmp/DB_clone_file
```

For example, for release 18.5

```
# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli update-repository -f
/tmp/odacli-dcs-18.5.0.0.0-190416-GI-18.5.0.0.zip,
/tmp/odacli-dcs-18.5.0.0.0-190416-DB-18.5.0.0.zip
```



3. Confirm that the repository update is successful:

```
[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli describe-job -i job ID
```

**4.** Delete the software zip files from the temporary location on the appliance to save space:

```
[root@odal opt]# rm software_file
rm: remove regular file software file? y
```

You have now updated the repository with the Oracle Database Appliance software, and can create your appliance, as described in the next topic.

## Creating the Appliance

Create the appliance using the Web Console.

Ensure that ports 7070 and 7093 on the network between ODA and the client machine, are open.

 Navigate to the Web Console. You are prompted to set the password for the odaadmin user.

```
https://ODA-host-ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html
```

Log into the Web Console with the new password.

When you launch the Web Console on an unconfigured appliance, the Appliance page notifies you that the appliance is not configured and provides a link to the pages needed to configure and create the appliance.

- 3. Click Create Appliance.
- 4. In the Create Appliance page, if you want to create the appliance from a saved configuration, click **Browse**, and select the JSON file. The information from the saved configuration file is loaded. You can retain or edit the fields. Otherwise, manually, provide the values to create the appliance.
- 5. In the System Information section, specify the values as follows.
  - a. Host Name: Enter the host name.

The host name can contain alphanumeric characters and dashes (-), but cannot start with a number or dash (-) or end with dash (-). Do not exceed 30 characters.

- b. Domain Name: Enter the domain name.
- Region: Select the region of the world where the Oracle Database Appliance is located.
- d. Time Zone: Select the time zone where the Oracle Database Appliance is located.
- e. (Optional) **DNS Servers**: Enter addresses for one or more DNS servers.
- f. (Optional) NTP Servers: Enter addresses for one or more NTP servers.
- g. Diskgroup Redundancy: If there are up to two disk groups, then you can select the disk group redundancy as Normal or Flex. A quorum disk must exist, if you want to select Flex redundancy. If there are more than two disk groups,



then you can select the redundancy as Normal, High, or Flex. Select **Normal**, **High**, or **Flex**, as per your deployment requirement.

The Flex parameter defines the disk group redundancy. For Oracle ASM storage, when you select Flex as the disk group redundancy, you can set the database redundancy to either Mirror or High. You can set the disk group redundancy only during appliance creation. The database redundancy can be set anytime you create the database.

The redundancy level is for DATA, RECO, and FLASH. If you select High redundancy, then DATA, RECO, and FLASH are all High redundancy. If the system has less than five (5) NVMe storage devices, then redundancy is automatically set to Normal.

If the system has more than three (3) NVMe storage devices, then you can choose the Flex redundancy option.

The redundancy level for REDO can be set to Flex, but the file groups created in REDO are all High redundancy.

- h. Data Storage Percentage: Enter a whole number between 10 and 90 to define the percentage of storage reserved for DATA, the remainder is reserved for RECO. For example, if you enter 80, then 80% of the storage for DATA and 20% for RECO.
- System Password and Confirm Password: Enter the system password in both fields.

The system password is the password set for UNIX and root users. The password must begin with an alpha character and cannot contain quotation marks. Do not exceed 30 characters.

6. In the Network Information section, configure the primary client access network, virtual networks, and an Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) network. You are only required to configure the client access network. The ILOM configuration is optional if you already configured the ILOM for the appliance and you do not need to make changes.

Specify the following, depending on whether it is a single-node or multi-node Oracle Database Appliance deployment:

- a. Client Access Network Host Name: For Node0, enter the host name for the primary client access network.
- **b.** Client Access Network IP Address: For Node0, enter the IP address for the primary client access network.
- c. VIP Name for Node0: Enter the name of the virtual IP network for Node0.
- d. VIP IP Address for Node0: Enter the virtual IP address that resides on Node0 and is shared between the nodes.
- e. VIP Name for Node1: Enter the name of the virtual IP network for Node0.
- f. VIP IP Address for Node1: Enter the virtual IP address that resides on Node1 and is shared between the nodes.
- g. (Optional) ILOM Host Name: Enter the name of the Oracle ILOM host for Node0 and Node1.
- h. (Optional) ILOM Network IP Address: Enter the IP address for the ILOM for Node0 and Node1.



- i. (Optional) ILOM Network Subnet Mask: Enter the subnet mask address for the ILOM.
- (Optional) ILOM Network Gateway: Enter the gateway address for the ILOM.
- k. Client Access Network Subnet Mask: Enter the subnet mask address for the primary client access network.
- Client Access Network Gateway: Enter the gateway address for the primary client access network.
- m. Client Access Network Interface: Enter the interface for the primary client access network.
- 7. Determine how you want to configure your users and groups and whether or not you want to allow operating system role separation:
  - Two users with six groups: Customize Users and Groups, select No. Allow OS Role Separation, select Yes. This is the default configuration.
  - Two customized users with six customized groups: Customize Users and Groups, select Yes. Allow OS Role Separation, select Yes.
  - Single user with two groups: Customize Users and Groups, select No. Allow OS Role Separation, select No
  - Single user with six groups: Customize Users and Groups, select **Yes**. Allow OS Role Separation, select **No**. SAP deployments use this configuration.
- 8. Do you want to create an initial database? Select **Yes** and go to Step 9 or select **No** and go to Step 10.
- 9. Enter the following information to configure an initial database:
  - a. DB Name: Enter a name for the database.

The name must contain alphanumeric characters and cannot exceed 8 characters.

b. (Optional) **DB Unique Name**: Enter a globally unique name for the database.

Databases with the same DB Name within the same domain (for example, copies of a database created for reporting or a physical standby) must have a different DB Unique Name that is unique within the enterprise. The name must contain alphanumeric, underscore (\_), dollar (\$), and pound (#) characters, but must begin with an alphabetic character. No other special characters are permitted in a database name. The unique name cannot exceed 30 characters.

- **c. DB Version**: Select a database bundle patch number.
- d. CDB: Select Yes or No to specify whether or not you want a Container Database (CDB).
- e. PDB Name: Enter a name for the pluggable database (PDB).

The name must begin with an alphanumeric character. The following characters are valid: alphanumeric characters, and underscore (\_).

- f. PDB Admin User: Enter an Admin user name for the pluggable database (PDB).
- g. Database Edition: Select the Oracle Database edition, either Standard Edition and Enterprise Edition. Your license determines which database edition you are eligible to create in the appliance.
- **h. Password**: Provide a password for the database.



i. Deployment: Select a deployment type from the list. The options are RAC, RAC-One, or SI (single instance database). If you select a single instance database, then select the node for the SI database deployment.

If you select a single instance database, then you have the option to create the database on either Node0 or Node1. The default is Node0.

- j. Shape: Select a database shape from the list.
- k. In the **Database Class** field, select a database class from the drop-down list. If an option is not available in the list, it is not supported for the database edition on the Oracle Database Appliance or the version that you selected. The default is OLTP.
- In the Storage field, select ACFS or ASM from the drop-down list. The default is Oracle ASM.
  - Only Oracle 18c, 12.2, and 12.1 databases can use Oracle ASM storage. Oracle Database 11.2 is only supported on Oracle ACFS.
- m. If you select the storage as ASM, and the Database Version is 12.2 or later, and you specified the disk group redundancy as Flex, then you can select the Database Redundancy value as Mirror or High.

You can choose Oracle ACFS storage for all database versions, but if you select Oracle ACFS storage, then you cannot specify the database redundancy. If your disk group redundancy is Flex, and you choose Oracle ACFS storage for the database, then the database redundancy is set to Mirror.

n. Data Files on Flash Storage: Select Yes or No.

This option is only available if the HA system has HDD storage drives.

o. Configure EM Express: Select Yes or No.

Select **Yes** to configure the Oracle Enterprise Manager Database Express (EM Express) console for Oracle Database 12.2.1.0 or 12.1.0.2 or the Database Control Console for Oracle Database 11.2.0.4. Selecting Yes enables you to use the console to manage the database.

- p. Character set: Select a character set.
- **q.** National Characterset: Select a national characterset.
- r. Language: Select the database language.
- **s. Territory**: Select a territory or location from the list.
- 10. (Optional) Configure and enable Oracle ASR on the ASR page.

You can configure and enable Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) now or later:

- To not enable Oracle ASR during deployment, select No and click Submit. After deployment, you can configure an internal Oracle ASR or register with an external Oracle ASR Manager from either the Web Console or command-line interface.
  - Internal Oracle ASR: choose to configure Oracle ASR Manager on Oracle Database Appliance or use Oracle ASR Manager configured on another server in the same network as your appliance.
  - External Oracle ASR: If you already have Oracle ASR Manager configured elsewhere, you can register Oracle Database Appliance with your existing Oracle ASR Manager.



- To enable Oracle ASR, select Yes and complete the fields:
- a. ASR User Name: Enter the e-mail address associated with the My Oracle Support account under which the server is registered.
- **b. Password**: Enter the password associated with the My Oracle Support account under which the server is registered.
- c. SNMP Version: Select V2 or V3. V3 is the default and recommended version.
- d. HTTP Proxy used for Upload to ASR: Select Yes or No.
- Proxy Server Name: If you are using a proxy for upload, enter the proxy server name.
- **f. Proxy Port**: If you are using a proxy for upload, enter the proxy port.
- g. (Optional) HTTP Proxy Requires Authentication: If you are using a proxy for upload, select Yes if you require authentication. If you do not require authentication, select No.
- Proxy User Name: If you are using a proxy for upload, enter the proxy user name
- i. **(Optional) Proxy Password**: If you are using a proxy for upload and require authentication, enter the proxy password.
- **11.** Click **Submit**. When prompted, click **Yes** to confirm that you want to start the job to deploy the appliance.
- **12.** Verify that the appliance is deployed. Run the odacli describe-appliance command. For multi-node deployments, run the command on both nodes.

```
[root@oda1 opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli describe-appliance
Appliance Information
ID: 618dfa94-35ff-4f81-8aab-e93810bc2c45
Platform: Odav6
Data Disk Count: 48
CPU Core Count: 36
Created: July 24, 2018 1:55:57 PM MDT
System Information
Name: odax7-2ha
Domain Name: example.com
Time Zone: America/Denver
DB Edition: EE
DNS Servers: 192.1.1.1 192.1.1.2
NTP Servers: 192.1.1.3 192.1.1.4
Disk Group Information
______
DG Name Redundancy Percentage
Data High 80
Reco High 20
Redo High 100
Flash High 100
```

The job to create the appliance takes time to complete. To monitor the job progress, click the **Activity** tab. Click the job number to view the tasks.



After deployment, the root and database users SYS, SYSTEM, and PDBADMIN are set to the system password. The oracle and grid passwords are set to the default password. Change these passwords to comply with your user security protocols.



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# Oracle Database Appliance Postinstallation Tasks

Complete these administrative tasks after you have deployed software, but before the system is operational.

## Configuring CPU Core Count

Oracle Database Appliance is delivered with all 36 cores on each server enabled. Follow this procedure to reduce the number of cores, if required.

- Securing Oracle ILOM Service Processors
   Change the Oracle ILOM default password after completing Oracle Database Appliance deployment.
- Changing Oracle Database Appliance Passwords
   After deploying your appliance, ensure that you change the following passwords for securing your system.

## Configuring CPU Core Count

Oracle Database Appliance is delivered with all 36 cores on each server enabled. Follow this procedure to reduce the number of cores, if required.

To reduce the number of cores, run the following command on Node 0 only:
 Set the cores in multiples of 2, for example, 12:

```
[root@oak1 opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli update-cpucore --cores 12
```

2. Check if the job completed successfully:

```
[root@oak1 opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli describe-job -i job_ID
```

3. Verify that the core count is updated on both nodes:

[root@oak1 opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli describe-cpucore

# Securing Oracle ILOM Service Processors

Change the Oracle ILOM default password after completing Oracle Database Appliance deployment.

Do not change the default password until after you have completed software deployment on the Oracle Database Appliance.

#### **Changing Oracle ILOM Password from the Console**

- In the Oracle ILOM console, from the Administration menu, select User Management, and then navigate to the User Accounts subtab.
- 2. Select root user and click Edit.
- 3. Change the root user password.

## **Changing Oracle ILOM Password Using CLI Commands**

1. Connect to the Oracle ILOM console through SSH:

```
# ssh -l root SP-ipaddr
```

2. Set the new password:

```
# set /SP/users/root password=new_password
Changing password for user /SP/users/root/password...
Enter new password again: ********
New password was successfully set for user /SP/users/root
```

# Changing Oracle Database Appliance Passwords

After deploying your appliance, ensure that you change the following passwords for securing your system.

#### **Changing the Oracle Installation Owner Passwords**

During deployment, the root and database users SYS, SYSTEM and PDBADMIN are set to the system password. After deployment, the oracle and grid passwords are also set to the system password. Change the passwords to comply with your enterprise user security protocols. Refer to the *Oracle Database Appliance Security Guide* and *Oracle Database Security Guide* for information about the required configuration and best practices to secure database systems.

#### Changing the oda-admin User Password through the Command-Line

- 1. Log in to the appliance as root.
- 2. Run the odacli-adm set-credential command to reset the password. Enter the new password when prompted.

```
# odacli-adm set-credential --password --username oda-admin
Agent password: new password
```

#### Changing the the oda-admin User Password through the Web Console

- 1. Log into the Web Console using the user name oda-admin.
- 2. Click **About**, then **User Settings** in the upper right corner of the Web Console.
- Enter the password in the Password field and the Password Confirmation field, then click Submit.

A confirmation message is displayed.



- 4. Click About, then click Sign Out.
- 5. Log back into the Web Console with the new password.



The oda-admin password expiration period is 90 days.



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# Patching Oracle Database Appliance

To keep Oracle Database Appliance running with the latest software, check for and apply Oracle Database Appliance patch bundles when they are released.

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# About Patching Oracle Database Appliance

Use the Oracle Database Appliance Patch Bundle to patch your appliance.

Patches offer new features and may improve the functionality of existing features.

## **About Oracle Database Appliance Patch Bundles**

The Oracle Database Appliance Patch Bundle contains the latest patches for DCS Agent, DCS Controller, OAK, Oracle Grid Infrastructure, Oracle Database homes, enhancements, and fixes.

The Oracle Database Appliance Release Notes include information about the latest Oracle Database Appliance patch bundle and a list of component versions in the patch bundle. Oracle recommends updating the appliance with the latest Oracle Database Appliance software version to take advantage of new features, fixes, and the latest supported component versions. See the Oracle Database Appliance Release Notes for the upgrade paths.



#### Caution:

Do not patch Oracle Database Appliance using individual patches for Oracle Grid Infrastructure, Oracle Database, or Oracle Linux. Also do not use individual infrastructure patches, such as firmware patches. You must only use Oracle Database Appliance patches. If you use patches that are not intended for Oracle Database Appliance, or if you use Opatch, or a similar patching tool, then Oracle Database Appliance inventory is not updated, and you cannot complete future patch updates. If you apply out-of-cycle Oracle Database Release Update (RU), then ensure that you follow the recommendations described in the Readme for the RU.

The patch bundle provides all relevant patches for the entire system, including the following:

- BIOS
- Hardware drivers
- Hardware Management Pack (HWM), and firmware drivers for various components
- Oracle Appliance Manager
- **Oracle Linux**
- Oracle VM Server
- Java Development Kit (JDK)
- Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (Oracle ILOM)
- Oracle Database Bundle Patch (BP), Oracle Database Patch Set Update (PSU), and Oracle Database Release Update (RU)
- Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR)
- Oracle Grid Infrastructure
- Intelligent Platform Management Interface (IPMI)
- Network Card Patches for relevant hardware models



#### **About Network Card and Firmware Patching**

On Oracle Database Appliance X7-2 hardware models, when connected to 10G/Fiber network, the error "No Link" is encountered. To fix this issue, the network card patch is included in the Oracle Database Appliance Bundle Patch for 18.5. No separate update or patch is required.

## **About Updating Oracle Linux RPMs**

While not recommended, you can update some Oracle Linux RPMs for database nodes. Do not update or customize Oracle Linux kernel, Oracle Optimal Flexible Architecture, Oracle InfiniBand, or related software. Other software may be installed, updated, or customized. However, the Oracle Database Appliance update may not carry newer version dependencies of customized components. Therefore, you might be required to remove and subsequently reapply site-specific changes to successfully update Oracle Database Appliance in the future.



#### Caution:

For database nodes, do not update the following:

- Oracle Linux Kernel (kernel\*)
- Oracle Optimal Flexible Architecture (ofa\*)
- Oracle InfiniBand-related packages (ofed\*)

For storage, do not apply any RPM updates.

#### About Using a Different Version of Java Development Kit (JDK)

Oracle Database Appliance depends on a specific version of JDK. If you want to use a different version of JDK for a specific application, then install it in a different directory and only point to it for that application.

# **About Update Pre-Checks**

Update pre-checks are designed to detect problems that might be encountered during patching and flag those issues.

The pre-checks view the state of the appliance, including the version and hardware specific upgrades, verify that the necessary conditions and checks are complete before attempting an upgrade, and identify conditions that might cause an upgrade to fail. You can avoid potential patching problems by correcting the conditions and resolving the issues before applying the patch.

The pre-checks commands are available on Oracle Database Appliance release 12.2.1.2.0 or later. Update the DCS agent to support the pre-checks commands.





Patching pe-checks are available only when patching ODACLI stack. If you are patching and migrating from OAKCLI to ODACLI stack for bare metal system, then follow the procedure in the topic *Patching Oracle Database Appliance Bare Metal Systems Using the Command-Line*. For patching Virtualized Platform, see the topic *Patching Oracle Database Appliance Virtualized Platform*.

## **Components Verified by Patching Pre-Checks**

Check	Component Verified
System update pre-checks	Checks that the agent is online on all nodes
	Checks that there is sufficient space for the update
	Validates the minimum agent version and validates the patching tag
	Confirms that a valid patch is in the repository and calculates the patch bundle md5 checksum
Server update pre-checks	Confirms that Oracle Grid Infrastructure patch is installed
	Confirms that Oracle Clusterware is running on all nodes
	Performs a check for required components using opatch prereq checkcomponents
	Analyzes the patch using opatchauto
	Performs a patch conflict check
	Checks the available disk space
	Confirms that the yum repository directory exists
	Performs a yum check and yum check-up-date
	Performs a test (dry run) yum update to check for dependencies in the RPMs
DBHome update pre-checks	Confirms that the Oracle Grid Infrastructure is installed
	Confirms that Oracle Clusterware is running on all nodes
	Confirms that the Oracle Grid Infrastructure is upgraded before upgrading other components
	Validates that there is sufficient space available in local mount
	Performs a check for required components using opatch prereq checkcomponents
	Analyzes the patch using opatchauto
	Performs a patch conflict check and determines if a rollback of database patches is required



Check	Component Verified
Storage pre-checks	Validates storage patch location and tag
	Validates Oracle ASM disk groups status

# Running Update Pre-Checks Before Applying Patches

After updating the repository with patches, use the pre-checks to reduce potential update problems, and then apply patches.



Follow the procedure in this topic only when patching ODACLI stack. If you are patching and migrating from OAKCLI to ODACLI stack for bare metal system, then follow the procedure in the topic *Patching Oracle Database Appliance Bare Metal Systems Using the Command-Line*. For patching Virtualized Platform, see the topic *Patching Oracle Database Appliance Virtualized Platform*.

Before running the update pre-checks, ensure that the dcs-agent is updated.

1. Run the create-prepatchreport command to generate a pre-check report.

```
odacli create-prepatchreport -s -v release_number
```

2. Run the describe-prepatchreport command to display the pre-check report.

odacli describe-prepatchreport -i job\_ID

# Patching Oracle Database Appliance Using the Web Console

Upload Oracle Database Appliance Patch Bundle to the patch repository, and deploy the patch bundle using the Web Console.

#### **Updating the Patch Repository Using the Web Console**

- 1. Download the Oracle Database Appliance patches from My Oracle Support and save them in a directory on the appliance. See the *Oracle Database Appliance Release Notes* for a list of available patches and links to download the patches.
- 2. Log into the Web Console with the oda-admin user name and password.

https://Node0-host-ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html

- 3. Click Patch Manager.
- In the Update Patch Repository page, enter the absolute file path and patch name, then click **Update Repository** to start the update repository job. You can list more



than one file to update to the repository with a comma separated list, without spaces, or you can update each file, one at a time.

5. Click **Activity** to monitor the progress. When the job completes successfully, the Patch Repository is updated.

Running Update Prechecks and Patching Agent, Server, and Storage Using the Web Console



If your appliance has two nodes, you have the option to update both nodes at the same time or individually. If updating individually, update Node0 before updating Node1.

- 1. Do not have any jobs running or pending during the update window.
- 2. Click the **Appliance** tab, and then click **Patch Manager** in the Web Console.
- 3. Wait for the Component Details to load. If you just updated the Patch Repository, click **Refresh** in the Component Details section of the page.

After the patch is uploaded to the Patch Repository, the Component Details on the page are updated with the Installed Version and Available Version for each component.

- **4.** Select **Precheck**, click **Update Components**, then click **Submit** to verify the patches in the repository and check for conflicts.
  - When the job finishes, go to the next step. Click **Activity** for job status.
- On the Patch Manager page, click Refresh to refresh the Component Details. Select Update Server, click Update Components, then click Submit to begin the job to patch the server components.

For multi-node systems, select the node to update: All Nodes (default), Node0, or Node1.

The DCS agent is automatically updated whenever the Server or Storage components are updated.

When the job finishes, go to the next step. Click **Activity** for job status.

6. On the Patch Manager page, click Refresh to refresh the Component Details. Select Update Storage, click Update Components, then click Submit to begin the job to patch the storage components.

For multi-node systems, select the node to update: All Nodes (default), Node0, or Node1.

For high-availability environment, you can select the **Rolling** check box to perform rolling patching of storage components.

Click Activity to monitor the progress, and verify that the job completes successfully.

All patching-related information is logged in the dcs-agent log file at /opt/oracle/dcs/log/dcs-agent.log.



# Patching Database Homes to the Latest Release Using the Web Console

Use the Web Console to patch database homes to the latest release.



Follow the procedure in this topic only when patching ODACLI stack. For patching Virtualized Platform, see the topic *Patching Oracle Database Appliance Virtualized Platform*.

Before patching the database home, upload the RDBMS Clone Files for the database version, to the repository. See *Patching Oracle Database Appliance Using the CLI* for the procedure to update the repository with the latest RDBMS Clone Files.

Log into the Web Console with the oda-admin user name and password.

https://Node0-host-ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html

- 2. Click the **Database** tab, and then click **Patch** on the left pane.
- 3. Click Patch, and then select the Action as **Precheck** to run pre-checks before patching the database.
  - Click **Activity** for job status.
- 4. On the Patch page, for the database to be patched, click **View** and select **Prepatch reports** to view the pre-check report. Fix any errors, and then select Action as **Apply** to patch the database.
- 5. Verify that the patching job completes successfully.

## **Related Topics**

 Patching Oracle Database Appliance Bare Metal Systems Using the Command-Line

Follow these steps to apply patches to Oracle Database Appliance for bare metal system, using CLI commands.

#### **Related Topics**

Oracle Database Appliance Release Notes

# Patching Oracle Database Appliance Bare Metal Systems Using the Command-Line

Follow these steps to apply patches to Oracle Database Appliance for bare metal system, using CLI commands.

 Download the Oracle Database Appliance Server Patch for the ODACLI/DCS stack (patch 29235174) from My Oracle Support to a temporary location on an external client. Refer to the release notes for details about the software for the latest release.



For example, download the server patch for 18.5:

```
p29235174_185000_Linux-x86-64_1of3.zip
p29235174_185000_Linux-x86-64_2of3.zip
```

To patch your deployment to release 18.5, you need to download only the two files mentioned above. The third file  $p29235174\_185000\_Linux-x86-64\_3of3.zip$  is required only if you want to patch the databases to release 11.2.0.4.181016, or 12.1.0.2.181016, or 12.2.0.1.181016, or 18.4.0.0.181016.

2. Unzip the software — it contains README.html and one or more zip files for the patch.

```
unzip p29235174_185000_Linux-x86-64_1of3.zip unzip p29235174_185000_Linux-x86-64_2of3.zip
```

The zip file contains the following software files:

```
oda-sm-18.5.0.0.0-190424.1-serverlof2.zip
oda-sm-18.5.0.0.0-190424.1-server2of2.zip
```

3. Copy all the software files from the external client to Oracle Database Appliance. For two-node systems, ensure that you copy the software files to **both** nodes. Use the scp or sftp protocol to copy the bundle.

Example using scp command:

```
# scp software_file root@oda_host:/tmp
```

Example using sftp command:

```
# sftp root@oda_host
```

Enter the root password, and copy the files.

```
put software_file
```

4. Update the repository with the server software:

```
# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli update-repository -f
/tmp/software_file1,/tmp/software_file2,/tmp/software_file3
```

For example, for 18.5:

```
# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli update-repository -f
/tmp/oda-sm-18.5.0.0.0-190424.1-serverlof2.zip,
/tmp/oda-sm-18.5.0.0.0-190424.1-server2of2.zip
```

**5.** Confirm that the repository update is successful:

[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli describe-job -i job\_ID



**6.** Update the dcs-agent:

[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli update-dcsagent

**7.** Apply the server update:

[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli update-server -v version

For example, for 18.5:

[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli update-server -v 18.5.0.0.0

8. Confirm that the server update is successful:

[root@oda1 opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli describe-job -i job\_ID

9. Update the storage components.

Specify the -rolling option to patch shared disks in a rolling fashion.

[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli update-storage -v version -rolling

For example, for 18.5:

[root@oda1 opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli update-storage
-v 18.5.0.0.0 --rolling

## **10**. To patch existing Database Homes to release 18.5:

a. Run the patching pre-checks:

[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli create-prepatchreport -- dbhome -dbhomeid -v 18.5.0.0.0

**b.** Update the database home to the latest release:

[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli update-dbhome --dbhomeid -v release\_number

For example, for 18.5:

[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli update-dbhome --dbhomeid -v 18.5.0.0.0

**Note:** To patch your existing database homes to the current release, the Oracle Database Appliance Server Patch must be available in the repository. Download the RDBMS clone files for a release only if you want to create new database homes for that release.

11. To update the Oracle Database Appliance repository with the RDBMS Clone files for a release (for creating new databases of a specific release version):



a. Download the RDBMS Clone software file for a release, for example, p27604558\_185000\_Linux-x86-64.zip for 18.5, and extract the RDBMS Clone software:

```
unzip /tmp/p27604558_185000_Linux-x86-64.zip odacli-dcs-18.5.0.0.0-190416-DB-18.5.0.0.zip
```

- **b.** Copy the software to a temporary location on the appliance, similar to the procedure you followed for the server patch.
- c. Update the repository with latest release database software:

```
[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli update-repository
-f /tmp/odacli-dcs-db-clone-file.zip/
```

For example, for 18.5:

```
[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli update-repository
-f /tmp/odacli-dcs-18.5.0.0.0-190416-DB-18.5.0.0.zip
```

- **d.** Follow the same steps to update the repository with the RDBMS Clone software for other supported database versions such as 12.2, 12.1, and so on.
- 12. Confirm that the patch jobs are successful:

```
[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli list-jobs
```

**13.** Delete the software zip files from the temporary location on the appliance to save space:

```
[root@odal opt]# rm software_file
rm: remove regular file software_file? y
```

#### **Related Topics**

Patching Database Homes to the Latest Release Using the Web Console
 Use the Web Console to patch database homes to the latest release.

### **Related Topics**

Oracle Database Appliance Release Notes

# Patching Oracle Database Appliance Virtualized Platform

Follow these steps to apply patches to Oracle Database Appliance OAKCLI Virtualized Platform using CLI commands.

1. Download the Oracle Database Appliance Server Patch for OAK Stack and Virtualized Platforms (patch 29234791) from My Oracle Support to a temporary location on an external client. Refer to the *Oracle Database Appliance Release Notes* for 18.5, for details about the software for the latest release.



For example, download the Oracle Database Appliance Server Patch for OAK Stack and Virtualized Platforms for 18.5:

```
p29234791_185000_Linux-x86-64_1of3.zip
p29234791_185000_Linux-x86-64_2of3.zip
```

To patch your deployment to release 18.5, you need to download only the two files mentioned above. The third file  $p29234791\_185000\_Linux-x86-64\_3of3.zip$  is required only if you want to patch the databases to release 11.2.0.4.181016, or 12.1.0.2.181016, or 12.2.0.1.181016, or 18.4.0.0.181016.

 Copy the software files from the external client to Oracle Database Appliance. For two-node systems, ensure that you copy the software files to ODA\_BASE on **both** nodes. Use the scp or sftp protocol to copy the bundle.

Example using scp command:

```
scp software_file root@oda_host:/tmp
```

Example using sftp command:

```
sftp root@oda_host
```

Enter the root password, and copy the files.

```
put software_file
```

3. Update the repository with the server software:

```
[root@odal opt]# oakcli unpack -package path_to_patch_file
```

For example, for 18.5:

```
# oakcli unpack -package /tmp/p29234791_185000_Linux-x86-64_10f3.zip
# oakcli unpack -package /tmp/p29234791_185000_Linux-x86-64_20f3.zip
```

**4.** Apply the server update:

[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/oak/bin/oakcli update -patch version -server

For example, for 18.5:

[root@oda1 opt]# /opt/oracle/oak/bin/oakcli update -patch 18.5.0.0.0 -server

5. Update the storage components.

[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/oak/bin/oakcli update -patch version -storage



### For example, for 18.5:

[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/oak/bin/oakcli update -patch 18.5.0.0.0 -storage

- 6. To update the Oracle Database Appliance repository with RDBMS Clone files for a release, for example, 18.5:
  - a. Download the RDBMS Clone software file p28864456\_185000\_Linux-x86-64.zip to /tmp location and unpack the RDBMS Clone file software:

```
oakcli unpack -package /tmp/p28864456_185000_Linux-x86-64.zip
```

**b.** Update the repository with latest release database software:

```
[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/oak/bin/oakcli update -patch version --
database
```

For example, for 18.5:

```
[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/oak/bin/oakcli update -patch
18.5.0.0.0 --database
```

- c. Follow the same steps to update the repository with the RDBMS Clone software for other supported database versions such as 18.4, 12.2, 12.1, and so on.
- 7. Verify that the updates are applied.

```
[root@odal opt]# /opt/oracle/oak/bin/oakcli show version -detail
```

**8.** Delete the software zip files from the temporary location on the appliance to save space:

```
[root@odal opt]# rm software_file
rm: remove regular file software_file? y
```

Enable the discovery of repositories from ODA\_BASE.

```
[root@odal opt]# oakcli enable startrepo -node 0
[root@odal opt]# oakcli enable startrepo -node 1
```

# Patching Trace File Analyzer (TFA) Collector

Trace File Analyzer (TFA) Collector simplifies diagnostic data collection on Oracle Cluster Ready Services (CRS), Oracle Grid Infrastructure, and Oracle RAC systems.

Patch Trace File Analyzer (TFA) Collector to ensure that it contains the latest RPMs, and your deployment runs the latest diagnostic data collection version. If you are deploying Oracle Database Appliance for the first time, then TFA is installed with the new release in the location /opt/oracle/tfa/tfa home.

Patch Trace File Analyzer (TFA) Collector as follows:



- 1. Log in to Oracle Database Appliance as a root user.
- 2. Download the latest dcs-agent patch from My Oracle Support.
- **3.** Update the patch repository.

```
odacli update-repository -fileName patch bundle
```

4. If you are patching Oracle Database Appliance with the latest patch release, then run the following command, before applying the Oracle Database Appliance patch.

```
# odacli update-dcsagent -v version
```

To patch TFA to 18.5 release, run the following command twice, to patch both the DCS agent and Trace File Analyzer (TFA) Collector:

```
# odacli update-dcsagent -v 18.5.0.0.0
# odacli update-dcsagent -v 18.5.0.0.0
```

The existing TFA version is deinstalled from the Grid home and then the dcsagent is patched.

# Adding Repositories for Patch Updates

Add patch repositories to update operating system RPMs.

Patching of operating system is included in the Oracle Database Patch Bundle. If you want to update other RPMs, then you can configure any private or public repository. Oracle public YUM channels are already configured by default. Add operating system RPM repositories as follows:

Run the following command to add a repository:

```
# odacli update-agentconfig-parameters -n OSPatchRepos -v
'http://public-yum.oracle.com/repo/OracleLinux/OL6/latest/$basearch/' -a
```

Provide the public location within quotation marks(")

For adding RPMs stored on a local disk:

```
# odacli update-agentconfig-parameters -n OSPatchRepos -v
/tmp/OSimage/OL6.9_x86_64 -a
```

2. List all repositories:

```
odacli list-agentconfig-parameters -n OSPatchRepos
```

When you update the server, the operating system patching job uses all repositories to update the operating system RPMs.

```
odacli update-server -v 18.5.0.0
```



# Applying Out-of-Cycle Database Patches

The out-of-cycle patching feature enables administrators to patch databases in the Oracle Database Appliance deployment with the latest Oracle Database Release Update, outside of the Oracle Database Appliance releases.

You can apply Oracle Database Release Update (RU) patches manually using OPatch. Refer to the relevant section in this topic to run the OPatch for your database version.



The OPatch commands and procedures described in this topic are examples, and may need modifications based on a specific Oracle Database Release Update (RU). Always refer to the Readme of the Oracle Database Release Update (RU) for additional commands and steps.

## Note:

It is strongly recommended that you patch your deployment through the Oracle Database Appliance releases, whenever possible.

## Note:

You can apply out-of-cycle patches to both baremetal and Virtualized Platform deployments using this procedure.

#### Using OPatchauto to Manually Patch Oracle Database Release 12c and Later

1. Update the dcs-agent to the latest release.

```
# odacli update-dcsagent
```

**2.** Verify that the components are updated:

```
# odacli describe-component
# odacli list-dbhomes
```

- 3. Update OPatch to the latest version, if available:
  - a. Download the latest OPatch version from My Oracle Support.
  - **b.** Copy the files to the local host and extract them to the <code>ORACLE\_HOME/OPatch</code> directory.



c. Update the OPatch tool as oracle user.

```
/bin/rm -rf $ORACLE_HOME/OPatch/
su - oracle -c /usr/bin/unzip -q -o OPatch_zip_location/
p6880880_122010_Linux-x86-64.zip -d $ORACLE_HOME
```

 Download the latest database patches from My Oracle Support and copy the files to the local host.

```
scp patchfilename root@hostname:directory
```

 Unzip patches to an empty directory, for example, /tmp/patchesDir as oracle user.

This creates sub directories under / tmp/patchesDir with bug numbers. If the patch you are applying is a Release Update (RU), then the patch directory has multiple sub-directories.

```
/usr/bin/unzip -o location_of_patches/p29301631_180000_Linux-x86-64.zip -d /tmp/patchesDir
```

- **6.** For Oracle Database Appliance High-Availability deployments, set up SSH Keys for secure connection.
- 7. Analyze the patches.

```
$ORACLE_HOME/OPatch/opatchauto apply directory_with_patches_extracted -
analyze -oh $ORALCE_HOME -log /tmp/opatchAutoAnalyzePatch.log
```

8. As root user, apply the patches.

```
$ORACLE_HOME/OPatch/opatchauto apply directory_to_extract_patches -
oh $ORACLE HOME -inplace
```

- 9. When patching is completed on both nodes, run utlrp.sql and catcon.pl scripts to recompile invalid objects in the database.
- **10.** Update the registry to ensure that system component values are registered.

```
# odacli update-registry -n dbhome
```

## Using OPatch to Manually Patch Oracle Database Release 11.2.0.4

1. Update the dcs-agent to the latest release.

```
# odacli update-dcsagent
```

2. Verify that the components are updated:

```
# odacli describe-component
# odacli list-dbhomes
```

- 3. Update OPatch to the latest version, if available:
  - a. Download the latest OPatch version from My Oracle Support.



- **b.** Copy the files to the local host and extract them to the <code>ORACLE\_HOME/OPatch</code> directory.
- c. Update the OPatch tool as oracle user.

```
/bin/rm -rf $ORACLE_HOME/OPatch
su - oracle -c /usr/bin/unzip -q -o OPatch_zip_location/
p29141056_112040_Linux-x86-64.zip -d $ORACLE_HOME
```

4. Download the latest database patches from My Oracle Support and copy the files to the local host. Unzip the database patches to an empty directory, for example, /tmp/patchesDir as oracle user.

This creates sub directories under /tmp/patchesDir with bug numbers. If the patch you are applying is an Oracle Database Release Update (RU), then the patch directory has multiple sub-directories.

```
su - oracle -c '/usr/bin/unzip -o p29141056_112040_Linux-x86-64.zip -
d /tmp/patchesDir'
```

- **5.** Delete bug#2015 if it exists in the inventory.
  - a. Check if bug#2015 exists in the inventory:

```
su - oracle
export ORACLE_HOME=path_to_the_11.2.0.4_ORACLE_HOME
$ORACLE_HOME/OPatch/opatch lspatches | grep -i "OCW" | cut -d ';' -
f1
```

**b.** The command returns a bug number, for example, 28729234. Navigate to the inventory:

```
\verb|cd $ORACLE_HOME/inventory/one offs/bug#| from above command/etc/config| \\
```

c. Check if inventory.xml contains a string such as 'bug number="2015"'. If no match is found, then no action is required, and you can continue with step 6 in this procedure.

```
grep 'bug number="2015"' inventory.xml
echo $? ( the command returns 0, if match found )
```

d. Take a backup of inventory.xml.

```
cp inventory.xml inventory.xml.$(date +%Y%m%d-%H%M)
```

e. Delete entry like <bug number="2015" ...> from inventory.xml.

```
sed '/bug number="2015"/d' inventory.xml
```

6. Run prechecks using the opatch command for every patch.

```
su - oracle -c '$ORACLE_HOME/OPatch/opatch prereq CheckComponents -
ph /tmp/patchesDir/29301631 -oh $ORACLE_HOME'
su - oracle -c '$ORACLE_HOME/OPatch/opatch prereq CheckConflictAgain-
stOH -ph /tmp/patchesDir/29301631 -oh $ORACLE_HOME'
```



Run both commands for all the sub patches also. If there are any conflicting bugs, then rollback the one-off patches.

7. Apply the patch using the opatch auto command.

```
$ORACLE_HOME/OPatch/opatch auto /tmp/patchesDir/29301631 -oh $ORA-
CLE_HOME -ocmrf /opt/oracle/dcs/rdbaas/config/default-ocm.rsp
```

8. Verify that the database is up and running after applying the patch.

```
/u01/app/18.0.0.0/grid/bin/crsctl status resource ora.on6i.db -n patch-ed_db
```

9. Run catbundle.sql on all databases in this home.

## About Upgrading to a Different Database Home

Understand how to upgrade to a different database home using either the Web Console or odacli commands.

### **Prerequisites for Upgrading Database Homes**

You can upgrade database homes of the following releases:

- Oracle Database 12.2 to 18c
- Oracle Database 12.1 to 18c
- Oracle Database 11c to 18c
- Oracle Database 12.1 to 12.2
- Oracle Database 11c to 12.2
- Oracle Database 11c to 12.1

Before upgrading to a different database home, upload the RDBMS Clone Files for the database version, to the repository, and then create the database home. See *Patching Oracle Database Appliance Using the CLI* for the procedure to update the repository with the latest RDBMS Clone Files.

#### **About Upgrading Database Homes Using the Web Console**

Follow these steps to upgrade to a different database home using the Web Console.

1. Log into the Web Console with the oda-admin user name and password.

```
https://Node0-host-ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html
```

Click the **Database** tab, and then select a database, click **Actions**, and then click **Upgrade**. 3. Verify that the database upgrade job completes successfully.

## **About Upgrading Database Homes Using the Command-Line Interface**

Run the following command to upgrade to a different database home using the CLI:

```
odacli upgrade-database -i Comma separated list of database ids -from source dbhome id -to destination dbhome id [-j] [-h]
```

For more information about the options for the upgrade-database command, see the chapter *Oracle Database Appliance Command-Line Interface*.

## **Related Topics**

odacli upgrade-database
 Use the odacli upgrade-database command to upgrade a database from a supported release.

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# Re-imaging Oracle Database Appliance

Bare metal operating system re-imaging installs Oracle Database Appliance operating system software on the local (boot) drive.

Bare Metal is a non-virtualized Oracle Database Appliance configuration. Oracle Database Appliance ships from the factory with a bare metal configuration, default ISO image and Appliance Manager installed. Use the OS ISO Image to restore the OS to the "shipped from factory" state. Use only when necessary. Reimaging does not patch the firmware or update the component versions; it only re-images the local system disk from an operating system perspective. After imaging is completed, redeploy the End User image, then restore from backup, as needed.

- Cleaning Up Incomplete or Failed Installations
   Use the Oracle Database Appliance cleanup deploy utility, /opt/oracle/oak/
   onecmd/cleanup.pl to uninstall Oracle Database Appliance components.
- Restoring an Oracle Database Appliance Baremetal System
   Re-image Oracle Database Appliance to perform a bare metal restore of Oracle Database Appliance.
- Performing Secure Erase of Data on Storage Disks
   With this release, you can securely erase data from storage devices. Running the secure erase tool deletes the data on the storage disk permanently.
- Installing Oracle ORAchk Health Check Tool after Re-imaging the Appliance For Oracle Database Appliance bare metal systems, you must manually reinstall Oracle ORAchk Health Check Tool after re-imaging the appliance.

#### **Related Topics**

Errors when re-imaging Oracle Database Appliance
 Understand how to troubleshoot errors that occur when re-imaging Oracle Database Appliance.

# Cleaning Up Incomplete or Failed Installations

Use the Oracle Database Appliance cleanup deploy utility,  $\protect\operatorname{pt}$  oracle  $\protect\operatorname{pt}$  do uninstall Oracle Database Appliance components.

#### **About the Cleanup Utility**

Use the cleanup deploy utility to do the following:

- Uninstall Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR)
- Uninstall Oracle Trace File Analyzer (TFA)
- Uninstall Oracle Grid Infrastructure and the Oracle stack
- Reset or delete the Oracle Linux udev rules
- Delete users and groups that were created when the appliance was created.

The script removes the firstnet config and the client access VLAN UNIX\_DB, but does not delete any other VLANs. The script also resets any disabled CPU cores and enables all of the cores.

The cleanup utility runs in two modes: default and force mode. In the default mode, the commands used as part of cleanup do not use the force option. The ASM disk status is changed from MEMBER to FORMER, but ASM header on the disk is not erased. The default mode can be used only for cleaning up or re-provisioning of the same system.



For High-Availability systems, run the cleanup utility on both nodes sequentially. Ensure that the cleanup utility has completed on the first node, and then start the process on the second node.

## Running the Cleanup Utility for a Baremetal Deployment

```
# perl cleanup.pl [-griduser grid_user]
[-dbuser db_user] [-groups comma separated list of groups]
[-erasedata] [f]
```

When the *grid\_user* and *db\_user* are the same (roleSeparation=false), you must run the script for each user (-gridUser and -dbUser).

**Table 7-1** Command Options for Cleanup Utility

Option	Description
grid_user	Describes the Oracle Grid Infrastructure user name. The default user is grid.
db_user	Describes the database user name. The default user is oracle  Example with grid and oracle users:
	Zitampie mai gria ana eraere accie.
	cleanup.pl -griduser oracle -dbuser oracle
groups	Describes the comma-separated list of groups. The default groups are oinstall,dba,as-madmin,asmoper,asmdba.
erasedata	Completely erases all disks on system. It is mandatory to run this option if intention of cleanup is to reuse or move these disks on other systems.
	Example of secure erase:
	cleanup.pl -erasedata
cleanDefNet	Cleans up the default public network.



Table 7-1 (Cont.) Command Options for Cleanup Utility

Option	Description
checkHeader	Checks for OAK/ASM header on disks after successfully running the cleanup script. Use this to validate if the OAK/ASM header was erased by the cleanup script or not. Example of checking disk header:
	cleanup.pl -checkHeader
f	In the force mode, all commands use the force option. The ASM disk header is erased. The oakd header on the disk is erased in both default and force modes.  Example of default mode:
	cleanup.pl
	Example of force mode:
	cleanup.pl -f

## Running the Cleanup Script for a Virtualized Platform Deployment

Use this cleanup deploy script tool to clean up a Virtualized Platform deployment on Oracle Database Appliance.

Run the following command from dom0 on Node 0 to remove ODA\_BASE and the initial network configuration.

/opt/oracle/oak/tools/cleanOdabase.py

# Restoring an Oracle Database Appliance Baremetal System

Re-image Oracle Database Appliance to perform a bare metal restore of Oracle Database Appliance.

Bare metal restore uses Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) to re-image the Oracle Database Appliance node. The ILOM must be configured before performing a bare metal restore or re-image. Generally, the ILOM is configured as part of readying for deploying Oracle Database Appliance.

Download the Oracle Database Appliance Bare Metal ISO image to your local machine before you launch the ILOM console.

Follow these steps to re-image your appliance. For Oracle Database Appliance X7-2 HA, follow these steps on **both** nodes.

 Open a browser and connect to Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) on Node 0 as root.



https://ilom-ip-address

- 2. Launch the Remote Console.
  - **a.** Expand **Remote Control** in the left navigation.
  - b. Click the **Redirection** tab.
  - c. Click Launch for the Remote Console in the Actions menu.

The state of the system determines what appears on the Console page.

- **3.** Add the image.
  - a. Click the **KVMS** tab, then select **Storage**.
  - b. Click Add.
  - **c.** Browse to the Oracle Database Appliance Bare Metal ISO Image, highlight the image, then click **Select**.
  - d. Click Connect.

The mounting of the ISO image is successful when the **Connect** button changes to a **Disconnect** button.

e. Click OK

The CD-ROM icon in the top right corner is highlighted.

- 4. Configure the CD-ROM as the next boot device.
  - a. Expand **Host Management** in the left menu of the ILOM Remote Console tab.
  - b. Click Host Control.
  - c. Select CDROM from the Next Boot Device menu, then click Save.
- **5.** Power cycle the node.
  - a. Click Power Control in the Host Management menu.
  - b. Select Power Cycle, then click Save.

When the node comes back after the power cycle, re-imaging starts automatically. The Oracle Linux page appears, followed by the Running Post-Install scripts page.

The Running Post-Install scripts page is a static page and might give the impression that the re-imaging process is not progressing. The post-install process during re-imaging will wait until the synchronization between the partitions of the two mirrored local hard disks is complete, which can take 15 to 20 minutes to complete.

To check the progress of re-synchronization, press the ALT-F2 key combination to open a second console and enter the following command:

# cat /proc/mdstat

When the re-synchronization is complete, re-imaging is completed and the machine restarts.

After the machine restarts, the system is ready for you to deploy the Oracle software on the appliance to create an Oracle Database Appliance bare metal platform.



## Performing Secure Erase of Data on Storage Disks

With this release, you can securely erase data from storage devices. Running the secure erase tool deletes the data on the storage disk permanently.

You may want to consolidate storage disks between appliances. For example, you can use X7-2 disks on X6-2 models, and may want to consolidate all X6-2 disks on one system, and use all new X7-2 storage disks on another system. In such cases, use secure erase to erase headers from disks before re-imaging the disks, since the storage disks across the appliances may have different partition ratios.



Running the secure erase tool removes data from storage disks permanently. If you have any data on the disk, then take a backup of your storage disk before running the secure erase tool.

Follow the steps to run the secure erase tool:

 Stop oakd and the database and Oracle Grid Infrastructure before running the secure erase tool.

On bare metal systems, run the command:

```
#odaadmcli stop oak
```

On virtualized platforms:

#oakcli stop oak

To stop Oracle Clusterware resources:

#crsctl stop crs -f

Run the secure erase tool:

# /opt/oracle/oak/bin/odaeraser.py

3. You can also run the secure erase tool when running the cleanup tool:

# cleanup.pl -erasedata

## **Example 7-1** Options for the Secure Erase Tool

Option	Description
-a,all	Erases all disks. For example:
	# /opt/oracle/oak/bin/odaeraser.pyall



Option	Description
disk disk1,disk2	Erases specified disks. For example:
	<pre># /opt/oracle/oak/bin/odaeraser.pydisk e0_pd_00,e0_pd_01</pre>
dryrun	Runs the tool in the test mode
type HDD SSD NVMe	Erases the type of disk specified
-v,verbose	Displays verbose output
-h,help	Displays all CLI options for the tool

# Installing Oracle ORAchk Health Check Tool after Re-imaging the Appliance

For Oracle Database Appliance bare metal systems, you must manually reinstall Oracle ORAchk Health Check Tool after re-imaging the appliance.

Oracle ORAchk Health Check Tool performs proactive heath checks for the Oracle software stack and scans for known problems. If you have re-imaged your appliance, then manually run the RPMs for re-installing Oracle ORAchk Health Check Tool.

Navigate to the /root/Extras folder.

```
# ls -l /root/Extras/orachk*
-r--r--.
1 root root
80315766 Oct 15 14:05
/root/Extras/orachk-18.3.0_20180808-2.x86_64.rpm
```

2. Run the Oracle ORAchk Health Check Tool RPM:

```
rpm -i /root/Extras/orachk-18.3.0_20180808-2.x86_64.rpm
```

3. Verify that Oracle ORAchk Health Check Tool is installed.

```
\# orachk Clusterware stack is running from /u01/app/18.0.0.0/grid. Is this the correct Clusterware Home?[y/n][y] ...
```



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# **Managing Oracle Databases**

Manage the Oracle Databases on your Oracle Database Appliance. For an Oracle Database Appliance Virtualized Platform, see the <code>oakcli</code> commands for managing the databases.

- About Administrative Groups and Users on Oracle Database Appliance
   Oracle Database Appliance Web Console deployment creates operating system
   groups and users whose members are granted system administration privileges on
   the appliance.
- About Data Migration Options for Oracle Database Appliance
   Oracle Database Appliance supports the use of standard Oracle Database loading and migration tools.
- Working with Databases
   Use the Web Console to display a list of databases, database details, and create and delete databases.
- Working with Database Homes
   Use the Web Console to display a list of database homes, details, and create and delete database homes.
- Migrating Databases
   Review these topics to learn how to prepare for and migrate an entire database to your Oracle Database Appliance.
- About Managing Multiple Database Instances Using Instance Caging
  Use instance caging to manage your system resources on Oracle Database Appliance.
- Oracle EM Express and DB Console
   You can use Oracle Enterprise Manager Database Express (EM Express), or the
   Database Control Console (DB Console) to manage your database.

# About Administrative Groups and Users on Oracle Database Appliance

Oracle Database Appliance Web Console deployment creates operating system groups and users whose members are granted system administration privileges on the appliance.

During configuration, two administrative accounts are created for Oracle Database Appliance: the user grid, with a user ID (UID) of 1001, and the user oracle, with a UID of 1000. The user grid is the Oracle Grid Infrastructure installation owner. The user oracle is the Oracle Database installation owner, and the owner of all Oracle Database homes (Oracle homes). By default, these users are members of operating system groups whose members are granted privileges to start up and administer Oracle Database and Oracle Automatic Storage Management.

The following table describes the Oracle system privileges groups, and information about the operating system authentication groups:

Table 8-1 Operating System Groups and Users on Oracle Database Appliance

Oracle System Privileges	Group Name	Group ID (GID)	<i>grid</i> is a member	<i>oracle</i> is a member
Oracle Inventory group (OINSTALL)	oinstall	1001	yes (primary group)	yes (primary group
OSOPER for dbaoper group	dbaoper	1002	yes	yes
OSDBA group	dba	1003	no	yes
OSASM Group for Oracle ASM	asmadmin	1004	yes	no
OSOPER for ASM group	asmoper	1005	yes	no
OSDBA for ASM group	asmdba	1006	yes	yes

To change the Group Name and GID from the default values on Oracle Database Appliance bare metal platforms, change the default values from the Web Console during the deployment. If you create an initial database during deployment, then the password for the SYS and SYSTEM users is the Master Password that you set in the Web Console.

To change the Group Name and GID from the default values on the Oracle Database Appliance X7-2-HA Virtualized Platform, use the <code>-advance</code> parameter with the command <code>oakcli deploy</code>. If you create an initial database during deployment, then the password for the SYS and SYSTEM users is the ROOT password from the Configurator.



Change the password for both users as soon as possible after configuration to prevent unauthorized access to your database using these privileged accounts.

# About Data Migration Options for Oracle Database Appliance

Oracle Database Appliance supports the use of standard Oracle Database loading and migration tools.

If you are loading data or migrating data from an existing database to Oracle Database Appliance, then you can use the standard Oracle Database loading and migration tools. These tools include the following:

- Oracle GoldenGate
- SQL\*Loader
- Oracle Data Pump



- transportable tablespaces
- RMAN

You can also use the RMAN utility to back up and recover databases on Oracle Database Appliance.

## Working with Databases

Use the Web Console to display a list of databases, database details, and create and delete databases.

## Viewing Databases

Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to display a list of Oracle databases and database details, create, upgrade, and delete a database in Oracle Database Appliance.

## Creating a Database

Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to create a database in Oracle Database Appliance.

## Creating a Database Instance

Create an instance only database from the command-line interface.

### Cloning a Database from Backup

Use the Web Console to clone a database from a backup.

## Cloning a Database

Create a database from an existing Oracle ACFS database.

### Upgrading a Database

Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to upgrade an Oracle database to a different database home version.

#### Deleting a Database

Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to delete an Oracle database.

## Viewing Databases

Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to display a list of Oracle databases and database details, create, upgrade, and delete a database in Oracle Database Appliance.

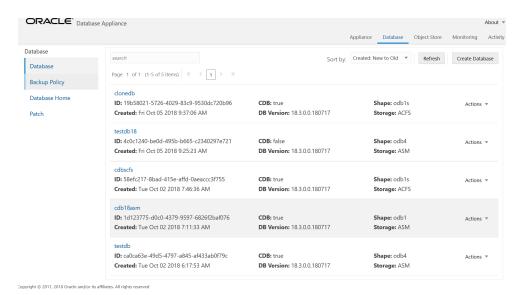
On the Oracle Database Appliance Virtualized Platform, see the command oakcli list databases.

1. Log into the Web Console:

https://host name or ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html

2. Click the **Database** tab.





- (Optional) Click the database name, in blue font, to display more details about the database.
- (Optional) Click Actions next to a database entry to view more details, upgrade or delete the database.

## Creating a Database

Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to create a database in Oracle Database Appliance.

Ensure that the repository is updated with the RDBMS Clone files for a database version, before creating the database.

The Web Console provides a quick and easy method of creating new databases. The Create New Database page in the Web Console is populated with default options for most of the configuration options. Drop-down lists enable you to quickly view and select from a list of available options. You can use the drop-down list to create a new database Oracle Database Home (ORACLE\_HOME) for the database or select an existing ORACLE HOME that you created earlier.

Oracle Database 18.5 is supported on both Oracle Automatic Storage Management (Oracle ASM) and Oracle ASM Cluster file system (ACFS). When databases are created in Oracle ACFS, each database is configured with its own Oracle ACFS file system for the datafiles and uses the following naming convention: /u02/app/db user/oradata/db unique name. The default size of this mount point is 100 GB.

The fields in the Web Console adjust, depending on the database version you select. Follow these steps to create a database:

- Log into the Web Console:
  - https://host-ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html
- Click the Database tab.
- 3. Click **Create Database** to display the Create Database page.
- 4. Select **Create Database** on the Create Database page.
- 5. Enter the following information on the Create Database page to configure the database:



a. In the **DB Name** field, enter a name for the database. The name *db1* appears in the field as an example of a database name, but the field is not populated. You must enter a name.

The name must contain lowercase alphanumeric characters and cannot exceed 8 characters. The Oracle system identifier (SID) is always set to the database name.

- b. (Optional) In the **DB Unique Name** field, enter a name to define a unique name for the database.
- c. In the Use Existing DB Home field, select Yes or No.
- d. In the **DB Version** field, select a database bundle patch number from the drop-down list.

Available database versions with available clones appear in the list in descending order. Supported versions that are not available in the repository appear in light gray font at the bottom of the list. Search is available for the list. To add a supported version to the repository, download the RDBMS clone file and update the repository.

- e. For the CDB option on Oracle Database version 18.5, select Yes or No, depending on whether or not you want the database to be a container database (CDB). The default is Yes.
- In the PDB Name field, enter a name for the pluggable database (PDB).

Alphanumeric characters and underscore (\_) are valid. The name must begin with an alphanumeric character and cannot exceed 30 characters. The name pdb1 appears in the field in italic text as an example, but it is not populated. You must enter a name.

g. In the PDB Admin User field, enter a name.

The field shows pdbadmin as an example, you must enter a name. Alphanumeric characters and underscore (\_) are valid.

- h. In the Database Edition field, enter the edition for which you have a license, either **Enterprise Edition** or **Standard Edition**.
- i. In the **Shape** field, select a database shape from the drop-down list. The shape determines the number of cores and total memory allocated to the database. The default is odb1 (1 Core, 8 GB Memory).
- j. In the **Database Class** field, select a database class from the drop-down list. If an option is not available in the list, it is not supported for the database edition on the Oracle Database Appliance or the version that you selected. The default is OLTP.
- k. In the Storage field, select ACFS or ASM from the drop-down list. The default is Oracle ASM.
- I. If you select the storage as ASM, and the Database Version is 12.2 or later, and the disk group redundancy was set to Flex during the appliance creation, then you can select the Database Redundancy value as Mirror or High.

You can choose Oracle ACFS storage for all database versions, but if you select Oracle ACFS storage, then you cannot specify the database redundancy. If your disk group redundancy is Flex, and you choose Oracle ACFS storage for the database, then the database redundancy is set to Mirror.



m. For the Configure EM Express or Configure EM Console option, select Yes or No. The default is No.

Select **Yes** to configure the Oracle Enterprise Manager Database Express (EM Express) console for Oracle Database 18.5. Selecting **Yes** enables you to use the console to manage the database.

In the Password field, enter the password for the SYS, SYSTEM, and PDB Admin.

The password must begin with an alpha character and cannot exceed 30 characters. Quotation marks are not allowed.

- o. In the Confirm Password field, enter the password again to confirm.
- p. In the Characterset field, select an option from the drop-down list. The default is AL32UTF8.
- **q.** In the **National Characterset** field, select an option from the drop-down list. The default is AL16UTF16.
- r. In the Language field, select a database language from the drop-down list. The default is American.
- s. In the **Territory** field, select a territory or location for the database from the drop-down list. The default is America.
- 6. Click **Create**. When prompted, click **Yes** to confirm that you want to start the job to create the database.

The job is submitted and a confirmation page appears with a link to the job. Click the link to view the job progress, tasks, and status.

After you close the Job confirmation page, you can click the **Activity** tab to monitor the job progress. Click the job number to view the tasks and status details. Click **Refresh** to refresh the page.

## Creating a Database Instance

Create an instance only database from the command-line interface.



If you provisioned the appliance without creating an initial database, then you must create a Oracle home. If the version of the database home is different from the migrated database, create a database home for the migrated database. You might want to create a database home specifically for the migrated database.

This example creates an instance only database named PRODDB with database version 18.5 and a new database home.

1. Use the odacli list-dbhomes command to display a list of database homes and verify that a database home exists for the database version.



Note the ID if you want to use an existing database home or if you want to get more details. Use the odacli describe-dbhomes command to get greater details about a specific database home.

Create a database home if a database home does not exist for the database version.

If you want to create a database home for specifically for the migrated database, you can use the odacli create-dbhome command, or you can create the database home when you create the database. The example creates a database home for database version 18.5.0.0.

```
# odacli create-dbhome -v 18.5.0.0
```

3. Create an instance only database. You can use an existing database home ID or you can create a database home when creating the database.

To create an instance only database named PRODDB with database version 18.5.0.0 that uses an existing database home with ID b727bf80-c99e-4846-ac1f-28a81a725df6:

```
#odacli create-database -n PRODDB -v 18.5.0.0 -io -m -dh b727bf80-c99e-4846-ac1f-28a81a725df6
```

To create an instance only database named PRODDB with database version 18.5.0.0 and a database home:

```
#odacli create-database -n PRODDB -v 18.5.0.0 -io -m
```

## Cloning a Database from Backup

Use the Web Console to clone a database from a backup.

When you backup a database in Oracle Database Appliance, a backup report is created. Save the backup report as a JSON file and you can use the file to create a database on the same appliance, or a different appliance.

The following are the prerequisites to cloning a database from a backup:

- The source database backup location must be Object Store or External FRA (Network File System).
- 2. If you use Object Store backup location, then obtain Object Store Credentials for the host.



- 3. If you use an External FRA (Network File System) backup location, then obtain the Network File System (NFS) mount point location.
- **4.** Create a backup policy using the object store credentials or NFS mount point as the backup destination.
- 5. Attach the backup policy to the database that you want to backup.
- **6.** Create a manual backup of the database and save the backup report generated when the backup completes.

Follow these steps to create a database from backup:

**1.** Log into the Web Console:

https://host-ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html

- Click the Database tab.
- 3. Click **Create Database** to display the Create Database page.
- Click Clone Database from Backup, then click Next to display the Clone Database from Backup page.
- 5. Select the Backup Destination from which you want to create the database. If your backup destination is ObjectStore:
  - a. Select Backup Destination as ObjectStore.
  - b. Select your Object Store Credential Name.
  - c. Enter the password in the Backup Encryption Passwords field and the Confirm Backup Encryption Passwords field.

If your backup destination is Network File System (NFS):

- a. Select Backup Destination as External FRA.
- **b.** Specify the **External FRA Mount Point**.
- c. Enter the password in the Backup Encryption Passwords field and the Confirm Backup Encryption Passwords field.
- Click Browse and select the backup report from which you want to create the database.

When the backup report is loaded, additional fields appear on the page and are populated based on the backup report. You can edit some of the fields.

7. In the **DB Name** field, enter a name for the database.

The name must contain lowercase alphanumeric characters and cannot exceed 8 characters. The Oracle system identifier (SID) is always set to the database name.

- Enter the password in the SYS User Password field and the Confirm SYS User Password field.
- 9. Click Create.
- **10.** Click **Yes** to confirm that you want to clone a database from the selected Object Store or External FRA.

When you submit the job, the job ID and a link to the job appears. Click the link to display the job status and details.



11. Validate that the job completed. You can track the job in the **Activity** tab in the Web Console, or run the command odacli describe-job with the job ID.

```
# odacli describe-job -ijobId
```

## Cloning a Database

Create a database from an existing Oracle ACFS database.

Cloning enables to:

- Create a database from another database without bringing down the source database
- Create multiple databases from a gold image, thus ensuring standardized mass deployments
- Optimize space utilization, by use of Oracle ACFS snapshots in cloning
- Create different types of databases, from a single source database type. For example, you can create single-instance databases, Oracle RAC databases, or Oracle RAC One Node databases from any type of source database
- Depending on the available memory and CPU cores, specify a supported database shape such as odb1s, odb2, and so on, to create any class of database from any source database.

Following are the prerequisites to clone a database:

- Ensure that Oracle Clusterware is running on all nodes, and the source database is up and running.
- The source database must use Oracle ACFS storage.
- The source database must not be a multitenant container databases (CDBs)
- The source database must be the primary database.
- The source database must not be in the OPEN state.
- The source database must not be in backup mode.
- The source database must be in archive mode.

Follow this procedure to clone a database:

1. Run the odacli clone-database command.

```
odacli clone-database --databaseUniqueName --dbname --dbshape --dbtype SI --json --sourcedbname --syspassword --tdepassword
```

Specify the unique name of the database, the name for the new database, the database shape, the type of database, the source database name, password for SYS user, and the TDE Wallet password. For information about all the command options, see the *ODACLI Command Reference* chapter.

## **Related Topics**

odacli clone-database

Use the odacli clone-database command to clone a new database from a source database.



## Upgrading a Database

Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to upgrade an Oracle database to a different database home version.

Before upgrading to a different database home, you must upload the RDBMS database version to the repository and create the database home.

1. Log into the Web Console:

https://host name or ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html

- 2. Click the **Database** tab.
- 3. Click **Actions** next to the database that you want, then select **Upgrade**.
- Select the destination database home version from the list of available versions, then click Upgrade.

## Deleting a Database

Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to delete an Oracle database.

1. Log into the Web Console:

https://host name or ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html

- Click the Database tab.
- 3. Click **Actions** next to the database that you want, then select **Delete**.
- 4. Confirm the action.

# Working with Database Homes

Use the Web Console to display a list of database homes, details, and create and delete database homes.

- About Managing Multiple Oracle Homes on Oracle Database Appliance
   Create and manage one or more Oracle home directories and Oracle databases
   on Oracle Database Appliance.
- Viewing Database Homes

Use the Web Console to display a list of database homes and database home details, including databases associated with a DB home.

Creating a Database Home

Use the Web Console to create database homes in Oracle Database Appliance.

Deleting a Database Home
 Use the Web Console to delete an Oracle database home.

# About Managing Multiple Oracle Homes on Oracle Database Appliance

Create and manage one or more Oracle home directories and Oracle databases on Oracle Database Appliance.

Oracle home is the directory in which you install Oracle Database binaries, and from which Oracle Database runs. Oracle Database Appliance supports multiple Oracle homes, including support of different release Oracle Database homes. You can create multiple Oracle databases on a given Oracle home. Use Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to create and manage multiple Oracle homes and databases on Oracle Database Appliance. Oracle Database Appliance Manager automatically creates an Oracle Database Oracle home that is compliant with Oracle's Optimal Flexible Architecture (OFA) standards.

Check the *Oracle Database Appliance Release Notes* to obtain information about the specific Oracle software releases supported for your Oracle Database Appliance platform.

When you use ODACLI commands to create multiple homes on Oracle Database Appliance, the commands start the Oracle Home cloning process. In Oracle Database Appliance deployments, the user oracle is the default software installation owner.

You can use the Web Console or the command-line interface to create and manage databases.

Use ODACLI commands to create, list, describe, and delete databases on Oracle Database Appliance. The odacli create-database command enables you to create a database with minimal user input. When you run this command without any additional options, the command creates a new database home (ORACLE\_HOME). You can create a database in an existing home by using the --dbhomeid option. To find the dbhomeid, use the odacli list-dbhomes command.

Alternatively, you can use the Web Console to create list, describe and delete data-bases and database homes. You can display a list of all Database Homes that includes the database home name, ID, version, the date and time that the database home was created and the location on the same page. You can also create and delete database homes on the Web Console.



## Caution:

Do not apply Oracle Database patches directly to Oracle Databases on Oracle Database Appliance. Only use Oracle Database Appliance patch bundles, which are tested to work across the whole software stack. If a one-off database patch is required, it may be applied to the Oracle Home. When you apply the Oracle Database Appliance patch bundle, it may cause a conflict during future patching events and you might need to roll back and then reapply the patch.

## Viewing Database Homes

Use the Web Console to display a list of database homes and database home details, including databases associated with a DB home.

1. Log in to the Web Console:

https://ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html

2. Click the Database tab.



- 3. Click **Database Home** on the left menu to view all database homes. The name, ID, version, location and date and time stamp of when the database home was created appears on the page.
- (Optional) Click Actions next to a database home entry, then View Databases to see the databases that are associated with the database home.

## Creating a Database Home

Use the Web Console to create database homes in Oracle Database Appliance.

Before you can create a database home, the Oracle Database Appliance RDBMS Clone file image must be in the repository. Follow these steps to create a database home:

1. Log in to the Web Console:

https://ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html

- 2. Click the **Database** tab, then click **Database Home**.
- Click Create Database Home.
- Select a database version from the list of available versions, then select the database edition, either Enterprise Edition or Standard Edition, per your licensing agreement.
- 5. Click **Create**. When prompted, click **Yes** to confirm that you want to start the job.

## Deleting a Database Home

Use the Web Console to delete an Oracle database home.

You can delete a database home (DB Home) if it is not associated with any databases.

1. Log into the Web Console:

https://host name or ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html

- 2. Click the **Database** tab.
- Click Database Home on the left menu to view all database homes. The name, ID, version, location and date and time stamp of when the database home was created appears on the page.
- Click Actions next to a database home entry, then Delete, and then confirm the action to delete a database home.

# Migrating Databases

Review these topics to learn how to prepare for and migrate an entire database to your Oracle Database Appliance.

About Migrating Databases

You can migrate an entire active container database (CDB) or non-CDB database to an Oracle Database Appliance machine by using the RMAN duplicate command.

Configuring a Static Listener
 Configure a static listener before you duplicate a database.



## Migrating a Database

Use the RMAN Duplicate command to migrate the entire database to the appliance.

## Registering a Database

Use the odacli register-database command to register the migrated database with the appliance.

## **About Migrating Databases**

You can migrate an entire active container database (CDB) or non-CDB database to an Oracle Database Appliance machine by using the RMAN duplicate command.

When using RMAN Duplicate, ensure to have network connectivity from source and target databases:

- Source database: The existing database to be migrated.
- Target database: The new database created on an Oracle Database Appliance environment.

If you do not have network connectivity between the source and the target environments, you can use the offline migration method. Offline migration uses RMAN backup sets for duplication, which does not require connectivity to the primary database.

At a high level, the procedure involves the following steps:

## 1. Deploy or update Oracle Database Appliance to the latest version.

Confirm that the provisioning completed successfully.

- If you have a bare metal platform, use the command odacli list-jobs and the command odacli describe-job to verify the status.
- If you have a virtualized platform, use the command oakcli list-jobs and the command oakcli describe-job to verify the status.

#### 2. Create an instance only database from the command-line interface.

- If you have a bare metal platform, use the command odacli create-database with the instanceonly flag on an Oracle Database Appliance machine. The new database is the target database.
- If you have a virtualized platform, use the command oakcli create-data-base with the instanceonly flag on an Oracle Database Appliance machine. The new database is the target database.

Creating an instance only database also creates the following:

- ACFS Filesystem used to store the database files
- Directory structures that are required by the database instance/rman duplicate command
- Password file for the SYS user
- Configure a static listener.
- 4. Migrate the existing database to the target database using the backup and restore operations.
- 5. Register the migrated database with the appliance.



## Note:

You can only migrate and register a database of the same storage type. For example, to migrate and register an Oracle ACFS database, you must create an Oracle ACFS database and then migrate and register it. Similarly, to to migrate an Oracle ASM database, you must create an Oracle ASM database and then migrate it.

## Configuring a Static Listener

Configure a static listener before you duplicate a database.

The static listener is only required when using RMAN Duplicate command.

Perform the following steps to manually configure the listener.ora file:

- 1. Log in as a grid user.
- 2. Navigate to /u01/app/18.5.0.0/grid/network/admin/ directory.
- 3. Edit the default listener.ora file and append the static database entry.

For example, the following file is edited for an 18.5.0.0 database named PRODDB in the example.com domain:

```
SID_LIST_LISTENER=
  (SID_LIST=
      (SID_DESC=
         (GLOBAL_DBNAME=PRODDB.example.com)
         (ORACLE_HOME=/u01/app/oracle/product/18.5.0.0/dbhome_2)
         (SID_NAME=PRODDB)
                (ENVS="TNS_ADMIN=/u01/app/oracle/product/18.5.0.0/dbhome_2/network/admin"))
    )
```

- 4. Save the file.
- 5. Restart the listener.

```
srvctl stop listener -l listener
srvctl start listener -l listener
```



## Migrating a Database

Use the RMAN Duplicate command to migrate the entire database to the appliance.

Before migrating the database, verify that a network connection exists between the source and destination databases.

Verify that the sysdba connection to the auxiliary database is working. Use the
password that you defined when you created the database with the --instanceonly flag.

```
sqlplus sys/password@hostname:PORT/GLOBAL_DBNAME as sysdba << EOF
select 1 from dual;
exit;
EOF</pre>
```

The following example uses the Welcome\_12 password for myhost on port 1521 for PRODDB.example.com.

```
sqlplus sys/Welcome_12@myhost:1521/PRODDB.example.com as sysdba << EOF
select 1 from dual;
exit;
EOF</pre>
```

As oracle user, set the ORACLE\_HOME and ORACLE\_SID environment variables.

```
ORACLE_HOME=path of Oracle Home against which the AUX DB is created ORACLE_SID=database unique name
```

3. Display a list of all database storage configured on the appliance and database storage identifiers (ID).

Use the  ${\tt odacli\ list-dbstorages}$  to display the storage IDs for all configured filesystems.

# odacli list-dbstorages			
ID Type	DBUnique	Name	Status
68d13446-f26c-49ee-ab75-a393732aa88a	Asm	rdb1	Configured
ff2023d9-338d-4cff-8bb4-e73a89e32ce4	Acfs	PRODDB	Configured

4. Display the database storage details, including the DATA, RECO and REDO locations, for each database storage ID.

For example, use the odacli describe-dbstorage command to display information about the ACFS storage for ID 9fe39332-cc1a-4b4b-8393-165524a6ef6b.

```
# odacli describe-dbstorage -i ff2023d9-338d-4cff-8bb4-e73a89e32ce4
DBStorage details
------
ID: ff2023d9-338d-4cff-8bb4-e73a89e32ce4
DB Name: PRODDB
```



```
DBUnique Name: PRODDB

DB Resource ID: c5b77384-634e-4dc8-b10b-fa2831d2c59b

Storage Type: Acfs

DATA Location: /u02/app/oracle/oradata/PRODDB

RECO Location: /u03/app/oracle/fast_recovery_area/

REDO Location: /u03/app/oracle/redo/

State: ResourceState(status=Configured)

Created: June 22, 2019 12:07:12 PM SGT

UpdatedTime: June 22, 2019 12:26:39 PM SGT
```

Duplicate the database.

Use the RMAN duplicate database command to duplicate the database.

```
rman target sys/Welcome__12@source database hostname:PORT
(Continued)
/Service Name auxiliary sys/Welcome_12@Hostname of the target database:
1521/service name
RUN {
SET NEWNAME FOR DATABASE TO NEW;
duplicate target database to PRODDB from active database
SPFILE
SET cluster_database 'false'
SET audit_file_dest '/u01/app/oracle/admin/PRODDB/adump'
SET db_create_file_dest '/u02/app/oracle/oradata/PRODDB'
SET db_create_online_log_dest_1 '/u03/app/oracle/redo'
SET db_recovery_file_dest '/u03/app/oracle/fast_recovery_area'
SET control_files '/tmp/control_PRODDB.ctl' nofilenamecheck;
}
```

## Registering a Database

Use the odacli register-database command to register the migrated database with the appliance.

The dbclass, dbshape, servicename and password are mandatory for registering the database. The dbclass and dbshape determine the sga\_target and pga\_target settings. The database init.ora parameters are reset as part of the odacli register-database command. Review the init.ora parameters after registration and ensure that the parameters set correctly.



For a standby database, open the standby database in READ ONLY mode before executing the odacli register-database command.

Follow these steps to register a database:

1. If you have Oracle Database version 12.1 with SQL patches, ensure that the sqlpatches are in the Oracle Database Appliance environment. If the patches are not in the environment, copy the \$OH/sqlpatch directories from the source data-

base home to the  $\$ OH \ in \ Oracle \ Database \ Appliance \ before \ executing the \ odacliregister-database \ command$ 

The odacli register-database command invokes the datapatch utility for applying the post patch SQLs. If the source database has any sqlpatches applied that are not present in the Oracle Database Appliance environment, then the datapatch will fail.

- 2. If you have Oracle Database version 11.2 with SQL patches, you must roll back any patches applied to the source database that are not part of the installed Oracle Database Bundle patch (BP).
- 3. Register the database with Oracle Database Appliance.

```
odacli register-database -c OLTP -s odb1 -sn proddb.example.com -p
Password for SYS:
  "jobId" : "317b430f-ad5f-42ae-bb07-13f053d266e2",
  "status" : "Created",
  "message" : null,
  "reports" : [ ],
  "createTimestamp" : "August 08, 2018 05:55:49 AM EDT",
  "description": "Database service registration with
                  db service name: proddb.example.com",
  "updatedTime" : "August 08, 2018 05:55:49 AM EDT"
rpandrap: ]# odacli describe-job -i "317b430f-ad5f-42ae-
bb07-13f053d266e2"
Job details
           ID: 317b430f-ad5f-42ae-bb07-13f053d266e2
  Description: Database service registration with
            db service name: proddb.example.com
       Status: Success
      Created: November 23, 2018 5:55:49 AM EDT
      Message:
Task Name
                              Start Time
_____
restore control file
                             November 23, 2018 5:55:49 AM EDT
move spfile to right location November 23, 2018 5:56:08 AM EDT
register DB with clusterware November 23, 2018 5:56:13 AM EDT
reset db parameters
                             November 23, 2018 5:57:05 AM EDT
                             November 23, 2018 5:57:36 AM EDT
Running DataPatch
(Continued)
  End Time
                            Status
November 23, 2018 5:56:08 AM EDT Success
November 23, 2018 5:56:13 AM EDT Success
November 23, 2018 5:57:05 AM EDT
                                Success
November 23, 2018 5:57:36 AM EDT Success
November 23, 2018 5:57:49 AM EDT Success
```

4. Use the odacli list-databases command to view the registered database.

# About Managing Multiple Database Instances Using Instance Caging

Use instance caging to manage your system resources on Oracle Database Appliance.

Oracle Database provides a method for managing CPU allocations on a multi-CPU server that runs multiple database instances. This method is called instance caging. Instance caging uses an initialization parameter to limit the number of CPUs that an instance can use simultaneously.

Instance caging and Oracle Database Resource Manager (the Resource Manager) work together to support your desired service levels across multiple instances. Consolidation can minimize idle resources, maximize efficiency, and lower costs.

Oracle Database Appliance templates are already tuned for the size of each database instance workload. They are designed to run on a specific number of cores. Instance caging ensures that each database workload is restricted to the set of cores allocated by the template, enabling multiple databases to run concurrently with no performance degradation, up to the capacity of Oracle Database Appliance. You can select database template sizes larger than your current needs to provide for planned growth.

## Note:

Oracle strongly recommends that you use the Oracle Database Appliance templates, because they implement best practices and are configured specifically for Oracle Database Appliance.

The Oracle Database Appliance Manager interface refers to the database sizing templates as database classes.

By default, instance caging is not enabled on Oracle Database Appliance. To enable instance caging, set the initialization parameter, RESOURCE\_MANAGER\_PLAN, for each database on Oracle Database Appliance. The parameter specifies the plan to be used by the Resource Manager for the current instance. Setting this parameter directs the Resource Manager to allocate core resources among databases. If a plan is not specified with this parameter, then the Resource Manager and instance caging are not enabled.

Instance caging allocation of core resources is enabled in accordance with the Oracle Database Appliance database template size that you select for each database. The  $\mathtt{CPU\_COUNT}$  initialization parameter is set in the template. Use the  $\mathtt{CPU\_COUNT}$  setting that matches the size of each database to consolidate, and follow the standard instructions for configuring instance caging.

## Oracle EM Express and DB Console

You can use Oracle Enterprise Manager Database Express (EM Express), or the Database Control Console (DB Console) to manage your database.



The EM Express console is available for Oracle Database 18c, 12.2.0.1, and 12.1.0.2. The DB Console is available for Oracle Database 11.2.0.4. Both consoles are webbased tools for managing Oracle Databases.

The EM Express console provides the following features:

- Support for basic administrative tasks, such as storage and user management
- Comprehensive solutions for performance diagnostics and tuning
- Performance advisors in a graphic user interface
- Oracle Database utilities in a graphic user interface, such as SQL\*Loader and Oracle Recovery Manager (RMAN)

EM Express is built inside the database server and cannot perform actions outside the database.



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# **Managing Storage**

Expand storage capacity and replace disks in Oracle Database Appliance.

- About Managing NVMe Storage Disks
   Depending on the available drives, you can expand Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S, X6-2M, or X6-2L storage to add NVMe disks or replace existing NVMe disks.
- About Storage Expansion Options for Oracle Database Appliance X6-2 With this release, you can add X7-2 S/M 6.4TB Intel NVMe storage disks to X6-2 Oracle Database Appliance, with some configuration changes.

## About Managing NVMe Storage Disks

Depending on the available drives, you can expand Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S, X6-2M, or X6-2L storage to add NVMe disks or replace existing NVMe disks.

Use the ODAADMCLI commands to perform appliance storage maintenance tasks, including perform storage diagnostics and collect diagnostic logs for storage components.

#### **Changing NVMe Storage Disks**

The default configuration for Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S or X6-2M includes two (2) NVMe disks. You can expand storage by adding two (2) additional disks for a total of four (4) NVMe disks. When you expand storage, you must add both NVMe drives, adding just one is not supported.

The default configuration for Oracle Database Appliance X6-2L includes six (6) NVMe disks. You can expand storage by adding three (3) disks for a total of nine (9) NVMe disks. When you expand storage, you must add all three NVMe drives, adding just one or two is not supported.

Oracle Database Appliance uses special commands to add or remove NVMe storage.



#### WARNING:

Pulling a drive before powering it off will crash the kernel, which can lead to data corruption. Do not pull the drive when the LED is an amber or green color. When you need to replace an NVMe drive, use the software to power off the drive before pulling the drive from the slot. If you have more than one disk to replace, complete the replacement of one disk before starting replacement of the next disk.

#### **Drive LED Indicators**

Each NVMe drive slot has a light-emitting diode (LED) indicator indicating the disk status:



- Green LED: OK/Activity. Disk is working normally. It is not safe to pull the drive when the green indicator light is on.
- Amber LED: Service needed or there is a critical warning. It is not safe to pull the drive when the amber indicator light is on.
- Blue LED: The disk is powered off and it is safe to remove the drive from the system

# About Storage Expansion Options for Oracle Database Appliance X6-2

With this release, you can add X7-2 S/M 6.4TB Intel NVMe storage disks to X6-2 Oracle Database Appliance, with some configuration changes.

Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S, X6-2M, and X6-2L use 3.2 TB NVMe disks. When you order for Oracle Database Appliance X7-2 storage, you receive the default 6.4 TB NVMe disks. Oracle Database Appliance uses special commands to add or remove NVMe storage.

When you expand storage with the 6.4 TB NVMe disks, they are formatted down to match the 3.2 TB drives that are delivered with Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S, X6-2M, and X6-2L. If you want to be able to utilize the full 6.4 TB drives, you must remove the 3.2 TB drives and re-image your Oracle Database Appliance. The re-image process removes all databases and files on the system. Ensure that you backup your databases and files, so that you can restore them after the re-image process.



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# Managing Networks

View the public and private networks that are configured on your Oracle Database Appliance.

- About Network Infrastructure and VLANs on Oracle Database Appliance
   Oracle Database Appliance supports multiple VLANs on the same network port or bond.
- Viewing Configured Networks
   Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to display a list of configured networks and network details.
- Creating a Network
   Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to create networks in Oracle Database Appliance.
- Updating a Network
   Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to update an existing network configuration.
- Deleting a Network
   Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to delete a specific network.

## **Related Topics**

odacli Network Commands
 Use the odacli network commands to list and describe network interfaces.

# About Network Infrastructure and VLANs on Oracle Database Appliance

Oracle Database Appliance supports multiple VLANs on the same network port or bond.

Virtual local area networks (VLANs) are multiple logical networks that are created from a single physical network switch port. VLANs provide network security isolation for multiple workloads that share a common network. For example, application, backup, and management networks. Each VLAN acts as an independent logical network operating with other VLANs over the same physical connection.

The physical ports in the system at deployment (either copper or fiber) are bonded as btbond0 in single node platforms. The VLAN is created on btbond0.

Connections to user domains are through the selected interfaces. A switch that supports tagged VLANs uses VLAN IDs to identify the packet, including to which network the packet belongs.



You cannot modify the Public and Private-interfaces after the system is deployed. To use VLANs with Oracle Database Appliance, you must configure them before you deploy the appliance.

Use the Web Console to display all physical and virtual networks. Use the command-line interface to create, list, and delete VLANs.

# Viewing Configured Networks

Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to display a list of configured networks and network details.

1. Open a browser and enter the following URL to launch the Web Console:

https://ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html

- **2.** Enter the following credentials:
  - User name: oda-admin
  - Password: welcome1
- 3. Click the **Network** tab.



You can view network details, create a new network, update an existing network, and delete a network.

# Creating a Network

Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to create networks in Oracle Database Appliance.

The Web Console provides a quick and easy method of creating networks. You can create the following types of networks: Public, Private, Dataguard, Backup, and Other.

1. Open a browser and enter the following URL to launch the Web Console:

https://ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html

- 2. Login as oda-admin.
- 3. Click the **Network** tab.
- 4. Click **Create Network** to display the Create New Network page.



- 5. Enter the following information on the Create New Network page to configure the network:
  - a. In the IP Address field, enter the network's IP address.
  - b. In the **Interface** field, select an interface from the menu.
  - c. In the **Subnet Mask** field, enter the subnet mask.
  - d. In the **Network Type** field, select an option from the drop-down list. The options are: Public, Private, Dataguard, Backup, and Other.
  - In the Gateway field, enter the gateway. The gateway is required for the default network.
  - f. For the Default Network, select Yes or No to identify whether or not the network is the default network.

In this example the fields are completed to create a new Other type network that uses an sfpbond1 interface with a defined IP address, subnet mask, and gateway.



Click Create. When prompted, click Yes to confirm that you want to start the job to create the network.

# **Updating a Network**

Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to update an existing network configuration.

1. Open a browser and enter the following URL to launch the Web Console:

https://ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html

- 2. Login as oda-admin.
- 3. Click the **Network** tab.
- 4. Select **Update** from the Actions menu next to the network you want to update.
- Edit the fields, as needed, on the Update Network page to update the network configuration:
  - a. In the IP Address field, enter the network's IP address.
  - b. In the **Interface** field, enter the name of the network interface.
  - c. In the Subnet Mask field, enter the subnet mask.
  - d. In the Network Type field, select an option from the drop-down list. The default is Other.
  - e. In the Gateway field, enter the gateway. The gateway is required for the default network.
  - For the Default Network, select Yes or No to identify whether or not the network is the default network.



**6.** Click **Update**. When prompted, click **Yes** to confirm that you want to start the job to update the network.

# Deleting a Network

Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to delete a specific network.



You can only delete networks that are not public or private networks. The delete option is disabled for the private and public networks.

1. Open a browser and enter the following URL to launch the Web Console:

https://ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html

- 2. Login as oda-admin.
- 3. Click the Network tab.
- 4. Select **Delete** from the Actions menu next to a network entry.





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# Backup, Restore and Recover Databases

Review backup, restore, and recovery operations for your databases.

### About Database Backup and Recovery Options

Backup your databases in Oracle Database Appliance and use the restore and recover features to restore a database to another system or to recover database files.

## Creating a Mount Point for NFS Backup Location

Create a mount point for the Network File System (NFS) location, to set up the NFS backup and recovery option.

## Configuring Agent Proxy Settings for Object Store Access

If the Object Store IP address is accessible through proxy setup only from the Oracle Database Appliance server, then define the proxy setting for the agent, so that the agent can access the Object Store.

#### Creating a Database Backup Policy

Use the Web Console to create a policy to backup a database to an internal or external Oracle Fast Recovery Area (FRA) location or to the Object Store.

### Updating a Database with a Backup Policy

Attach a backup policy to a database to define the database backup attributes and destination.

## Updating a Database Backup Policy

Use the Web Console to update the recovery window or change the crosscheck option for a database backup policy.

#### Backing Up a Database

Apply a backup policy to a database, create a manual backup, update a database backup schedule, or update an archive log backup.

## Viewing Backup Reports

A report is generated when a database backup is performed. The backup report lists the type, location, and date and timestamp of the backup.

#### Recovering a Database

Understand the recovery options available for recovering a database.

#### Deleting Backups

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## Deleting a Backup Policy

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Use the command-line interface to create a database backup policy.

## About Database Backup and Recovery Options

Backup your databases in Oracle Database Appliance and use the restore and recover features to restore a database to another system or to recover database files.

It is important to create a backup recovery strategy to protect the databases in Oracle Database Appliance from data loss due to a physical problem with a disk that causes a failure of a read from or write to a disk file that is required to run the database, or due to user error. You can create a backup policy in the Web Console or from the command-line interface.

The following backup options are available:

- Backup to an Oracle Fast Recovery Area (FRA) disk (Internal FRA)
- Backup to Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Object Storage (Oracle Object Storage)
- Backup to a Network File System (NFS) location (External FRA)

You can use the backup, restore, and recovery features with databases that have backup policy attached to them in the system. You can choose to manage your backups, and set up your backup, restore, and recovery option.

The backup feature enables you to create a backup policy with your backup parameters, including backup level and location. For new and existing databases, you can create and attach a backup policy to a database to perform a daily backup. Once a backup policy is attached to a database, the dcs-agent schedules daily automatic backups for the database. The default schedule is a level 0 backup every Sunday and a level 1 backup Monday through Saturday. You can edit or disable the schedule.

The dcs-agent generates and saves a backup report for each backup. The backup report contains the metadata required to recover or restore a database.



You cannot backup databases that use Transparent Data Encryption (TDE).

Recovering a database in Oracle Database Appliance is a full or whole database recovery using RMAN. You can recover from a Backup Report, a point-in-time (PITR), a System Change Number (SCN), or from the latest backup. For recovery of data block, tablespaces, data files, PDBs, see the *Oracle Database Backup and Recovery Reference Guide*.

#### **Backup Policy**

The backup policy defines the backup details. When you create a backup policy, you define the destination for the database backups, either Internal FRA (Disk) or External FRA (NFS location), or Cloud Object Storage, and you define the attributes such as the backup level and the recovery window.

If you use the Oracle Object Storage for backup and recovery, you must have an ObjectStore Resource ID or Name.

You can assign the backup policy to the database when you create the database. You can attach a backup policy to an existing database or update a backup policy.

## **Backup Levels**

The backup policy that you create defines the backup level:

Level 0: The backup captures all blocks in the datafile. By default, level 0 backups occur every Sunday. You can customize your backup settings through the Web



Console or the command-line. A level 0 backup is a full backup and is used as the parent for a level 1 backup.

- Level 1: The backup is an incremental backup that captures only those blocks that
  change between backups in each datafile. By default, a level 1 backup occurs daily, Monday through Saturday, and captures images of each block in a datafile that
  changed. Level 1 backups are differential backups. The backup includes blocks
  from the most recent previous level 1 or level 0 backup.
- LongTerm: The backup is a long-term, or archival backup. Use LongTerm to create a backup that is all-inclusive and exempt from the backup retention policy. The backup is all-inclusive because every file needed to restore and recover the database is backed up to a single location. The backup is exempt from the retention policy that is defined in the recovery window. For long term backups, you must use non-FRA locations for backup destinations using the backup policy options.
- **Archivelog**: This is a backup of all archivelogs not yet backed up to the backup destination, such as Internal FRA, External FRA (NFS location), or Object Store.

The AutoScheduler creates a level 0 backup on Level 0 Backup Day, by default, on Sunday, and level 1 on the remaining days of the week. You can display a list of scheduled backups, edit your backup schedule, or disable a scheduled backup.

### **Backup to Disk**

When you backup to disk, you are using the Oracle Fast Recovery Area (FRA) of the disk. FRA is a storage directory that allows backup and recovery operations on Oracle databases. The directory contains archived redo logs, backup pieces and copies, and the control file.

Advantages to backing up to disk are as follows:

- Quick recovery from backups stored on disk
- Ability to PITR restore the database
- Automate management of recovery related files (like archived logs)

### Note:

When you backup to disk, data is not encrypted and passwords are not allowed. In addition, backup to disk requires a lot of disk space (up to two to three times the size of the database).

The following is a high-level overview of the workflow for backup and recovery when using a disk:

- Create a backup policy to define the backup location (disk), backup level, and recovery window.
- 2. Create a database and attach the backup policy to the database. When the backup policy is associated with a database, backups are automatically created.
- Manage obsolete backups.
- 4. Recover the database from a backup on the disk.



### **Backup to External FRA (Network File System)**

Specifying a Network File System (NFS) location for backups, enables you to safely and securely store or retrieve a database backup at any time.

The advantages of using NFS backup location are:

- With NFS, you can access remote files, locally, by mounting local file systems on a network.
- Provides a centralized backup location, without requiring manual refresh.
- Supports enhanced security options using firewalls and Kerberos.
- Support for encrypted backups using passwords. You optionally, set the backup password, and provide the same during restore operation.

The following is a high-level overview of the workflow for backup and recovery when using an NFS location:

- 1. Create a mount point for the NFS location.
  - The mount point must be accessible from both nodes. The oracle user must have read/write permissions to the NFS location. If the request is being made to a remote server, ensure that it is running. See *Creating a Mount Point for NFS Backup Location* for the procedure to create a mount point.
- Create a backup policy specifying the NFS location, and the recovery window for NFS destination.
- 3. Associate the database with this backup policy, either during database creation, or by updating the backup policy for the database.
- Backups are automatically created, and you can also run manual backups. You can specify manual backup options in the Web Console or using ODACLI commands.
- Manage obsolete backups.
- 6. Restore from backup. When you save your backups to NFS, you can restore the database to the same system or to a different system.
- 7. Recover the database from a backup on NFS.

#### **Backup to Oracle Object Storage**

Oracle Object Storage is a highly secure, scalable storage platform that enables you to safely and securely store or retrieve a database backup at any time. Data and the associated metadata are stored as an object in a logical container (bucket). Oracle Database Appliance creates a Backup Report and a unique ID to identify each backup.

Oracle Object Storage is tightly integrated with Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Identity and Access Management. The data, user-defined metadata associated with the data, and encryption keys are automatically encrypted using 256-bit Advanced Encryption Standard (AES- 256). The encryption keys are rotated frequently and cannot be disabled. By default, only authenticated users that have explicitly been granted access to specific resources can access data stored in Oracle Object Storage. Data is uploaded and downloaded over SSL endpoints using the HTTPS protocol.

When you backup to Oracle Object Storage, you are using your backup policy and your Oracle ObjectStoreSwift credentials. The credentials are stored in an encrypted Oracle wallet. You can attach the credentials to one or more backup policies.



#### Note:

Credentials are validated when you create the backup policy that uses Oracle Object Storage. The credentials are not validated against the URL and tenancy.

Advantages to using Oracle Object Storage are as follows:

Backups are encrypted using the password for non-TDE databases.

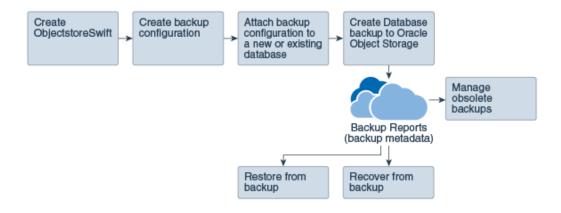


Save the password that you use during backups in a safe location, you must provide the password during recovery operations.

- Quick recovery from backups. With the Oracle Object Storage, you can safely and securely use the Web Console to store or retrieve data directly from within the cloud platform, at any time.
- Automate management of recovery related files (like archived logs)
- Oracle Object Storage is not directly accessed by the operating system, instead it
  uses APIs to access the storage at the application level.

The following is a high-level overview of the workflow for backup and recovery when using Oracle Object Storage:

- 1. Create an Object Store object with your credentials.
- Create a backup policy to define the backup location (Object Store), Object Store Credentials Name, the container (bucket) name where you want to store backups, and the recovery window.
- Create a database and attach the backup policy as part of creating the database. When the backup policy is associated with a database, backups are automatically created.
- 4. Manage obsolete backups.
- 5. Restore from backup. When you save your backups to Oracle Object Storage, you can restore the database to the same system or to a different system.
- Recover the database from a backup on Oracle Object Storage.







Before you can use this backup option, you must create an Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Object Storage account. When you create the account, you define the account credentials, end point URL, and bucket. Go to the Oracle Store and sign up for Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Object Storage.

#### **Backup Reports**

A backup report is generated for each backup and is similar to, but does not replace, a recovery catalog. The report contains the Oracle Database Appliance information and metadata needed to restore or recover a database. The Backup Report is designed to keep track of all of the information required to restore or recover a database.

The following is an example of a level 1 backup report:

```
"id" : "2d82460c-d648-4e75-8c7d-72cc90bc442a"
  "dbResId" : "b5fc646e-01a6-4c8b-8286-7633346c4329",
  "tag" : null,
  "dbId" : "2717054291".
  "dbName" : "HRDbO",
"dbUniqueName" : "HRDbOu"
  "backupType" : "REGULAR-L1",
  "keepDays": null,
"backupLocation": "https://swiftobjectstorage.us-phoenix-1.oraclecloud.com/vl/dbaasimage/backupbucket",
  "cfBackupHandle" : "c-2717054291-20171108-04",
  "spfBackupHandle": "c-2717054291-20171108-04",
"pitrTimeStamp": "November 08, 2017 12:43:14 PM UTC",
  "pitrsCM": "1175058",
"resetLogsTimeStamp": "November 08, 2017 10:43:14 FM 010",
"resetLogsTimeStamp": "November 08, 2017 09:55:34 AM UTC",
  "resetLogsSCN" : "1112268",
  "oraHomeVersion": "12.2.0.1.170814 (26723265, 26609817)",
  "sqlPatches": "25811364,26609817",
  "backupLogLoc": "https://swiftobjectstorage.us-phoenix-1.oraclecloud.com/v1/dbaasimage/backupbucket/scaoda702c1n1/rmanlog/
HRDbOu/2717054291/2017-11-08/rman_backup_2017-11-08_12-42-41.0545.log",
  "tdeWalletLoc" : null.
   "dbConfigLoc": "https://swiftobjectstorage.us-phoenix-1.oraclecloud.com/v1/dbaasimage/backupbucket/scaoda702cln1/dbconfig/
HRDbOu/2717054291/2017-11-08/DBCONFIG_TAG20171108T124407_2017-11-08_12-44-07.0533.tar.gz",
  "name" : "Backup_Report_HRDb0"
  "createTime" : "November 08, 2017 12:42:08 PM UTC",
  "state" : {
    "status" : "CONFIGURED"
  /,
"updatedTime" : "November 08, 2017 12:44:12 PM UTC",
"backupReportLogDetail" : "https://swiftobjectstorage.us-phoenix-1.oraclecloud.com/v1/dbaasimage/backupbucket/scaoda702cln1/
rmandetaillogreport/HRDbOu/2717054291/2017-11-08/rman_list_backup_detail_2017-11-08_12-44-04.0362.log*,
  "dbInfo" : {
   "dbClass" : "OLTP",
    "dbType" : "RAC",
"dbShape" : "odb1",
     "dbEdition" : "EE",
     "dbStorage" : "ASM'
  "dbDataSize" : "1542M"
  "dbRedoSize" : "16403M'
```

#### **About Recovery Options**

The recovery in Oracle Database Appliance always performs a full database restore or recover. The recovery options are LATEST, PITR, SCN, and BackupReport.

The following types of recovery are available:

- LATEST: Performs a complete recovery (valid backups and all required archived logs and online redo logs must be available)
- PITR: Point-in-Time Recovery that performs a recovery to a specified timestamp within the current incarnation of database



- SCN: SCN-based recovery that performs a recovery is an incomplete recovery to a specified SCN within the current incarnation of database.
- BackupReport: Performs a recovery based on the Backup Report timestamp. The BackupReport option is similar to PITR, except that the recovery uses the Backup Report timestamp instead of a specified timestamp.

#### Point-in-Time Database Recovery

Point-in-Time Recovery (PITR) recovers the database to a specific point-in-time. You can use a timestamp or a backup report for this type of recovery.

A point-in-time recovery is often used for the following situations:

- You want to recover the database to an SCN before a user or administrative error.
- Complete database recovery failed because all necessary archived redo logs were not available.
- A database upgrade fails.
- You are creating a test database or a reporting database from production database backups.

#### **System Change Number Recovery**

A system change number (SCN) is a stamp that defines a committed version of a database at a point in time. Oracle assigns every committed transaction a unique SCN. You can recover a database to the latest time or to an SCN.

The database is restored from backups created before the target time, and then applies incremental backups and logs to re-create all changes between the time of the data file backups and the end point of recovery. When the end point is specified as an SCN, the database applies the redo logs and stops after each redo thread or the specified SCN, whichever occurs first. When the end point is specified as a time, the database internally determines a suitable SCN for the specified time and then recovers to this SCN.

SCN is a primary mechanism to maintain data consistency in Oracle database. With each execution, there is an increase in the count of the SCN. The following are some examples of areas that use SCN:

- Redo records. Every redo record has an SCN version of the redo record in the redo header (redo records can have non-unique SCN). Given redo records from two threads (as in the case of RAC), recovery will order them in SCN order, essentially maintaining a strict sequential order.
- 2. Data block. Every data block has block SCN (block version). In addition to that, a change vector in a redo record also has expected block SCN. This means that a change vector can be applied to one and only version of the block. Code checks if the target SCN in a change vector is matching with the block SCN before applying the redo record. If there is a mismatch, corruption errors are thrown.
- 3. Read consistency. Every query has query environment which includes an SCN at the start of the query. A session can see the transactional changes only if that transaction commit SCN is lower then the query environment SCN.
- 4. Commit. Every commit generates an SCN (commit SCN) that marks a transaction boundary. Group commits are possible too.



#### **Obsolete Database Backups**

It is important to remove older backups once they become obsolete. The type of backup and the recovery window that you define in the database backup policy determines when obsolete database backups are deleted.

For level 0 and level 1 backups, run the command odacli delete-backup for a given Database Resource Identifier to delete obsolete backups based on the defined recovery window.

For Longterm backups, create a JSON input file and use the command odacli delete-backup for a given Backup Report to delete the backups from Oracle Object Storage.

Typically, older level 0 and level 1 database backups are considered obsolete and deleted based on the defined recovery window, as follows:

Disk: 1-14 days

Object Storage: 1-31 days

# Creating a Mount Point for NFS Backup Location

Create a mount point for the Network File System (NFS) location, to set up the NFS backup and recovery option.

Follow these steps to create a mount point for the NFS location:

- 1. Follow these steps on the source machine:
  - a. Create a sharable location on the source machine and give full permissions to this directory.

```
# mkdir /tmp/nfs_test
chmod 777 /tmp/nfs_test
```

**b.** Add entries in the /etc/exports file in the format shared\_location destination\_IPs (permissions).

#### For example:

```
# cat /etc/exports
/tmp/nfs_test 192.0.2.1(rw,sync)
/tmp/nfs_test 192.0.2.2(rw,sync)
```

c. Restart the NFS server on the host.

```
service nfs restart
```

d. Check the export list for the entries.

```
# showmount -e
Export list for odal:
/tmp/nfs_test 192.0.2.1,192.0.2.2
```

**2.** Follow these steps on the client machine:

a. Create a client location on the client machine as the oracle user.

```
# sudo -E -u oracle mkdir /tmp/client_location
```

b. Mount this location with the source location in the format mount\_serv-er:source\_folder client\_location.

```
# mount 192.0.2.3:/tmp/nfs_test /tmp/client_location
```

c. Check if the mount details are correct:

```
# mount
192.0.2.3:/tmp/nfs_test on /tmp/client_location type nfs
(rw,vers=4,addr=192.0.2.3,clientaddr=192.0.2.2)
```

Specify this NFS location in the backup configuration, either through the Web Console or CLI commands.

#### **Related Topics**

Preparing for Database Backup to NFS Location
 Use the command-line interface to create a policy to backup a database to an External FRA (NFS Location).

# Configuring Agent Proxy Settings for Object Store Access

If the Object Store IP address is accessible through proxy setup only from the Oracle Database Appliance server, then define the proxy setting for the agent, so that the agent can access the Object Store.

To create a backup policy that uses Object Store location, the agent must be able to access the Object Store URL.

 Define the HttpProxyHost and HttpProxyPort settings in the update-agentconfigParameters command.

# odacli update-agentConfigParameters -n HttpProxyHost

For more information about the agentconfigParameters command usage, see the Oracle Database Appliance Command-Line Interface.



2. Verify that the update succeeded:

#### # odacli describe-job -i 0b0cbf9b-b0ab-4523-a096-5da4e48fc825

3. Run the list-agentconfigParameters command to view the changes in the proxy settings:

#### # odacli list-agentConfigParameters

```
Name Value Description Updated

HttpProxyHost www-proxy.test.com October 23, 2018 4:56:53 PM IST

HttpProxyPort 80 October 23, 2018 4:56:53 PM IST

HttpsProxyHost Https proxy server host October 23, 2018 12:23:21 AM IST

HttpsProxyPort Https proxy server port October 23, 2018 12:23:21 AM IST

OSPatchRepos Repo list for OS patching October 23, 2018 12:23:21 AM IST
```

You can now use the Web Console or the command-line interface to create a backup policy to use the ObjectStore location for backup.

#### **Related Topics**

- odacli update-agentconfig-parameters
   Use the odacli update-agentconfig-parameters command to modify configuration variables used by the appliance.
- odacli list-agentconfig-parameters
   Use the odacli list-agentconfig-parameters command to list configuration variables used by the appliance.

# Creating a Database Backup Policy

Use the Web Console to create a policy to backup a database to an internal or external Oracle Fast Recovery Area (FRA) location or to the Object Store.

The backup policy defines the backup, including the location where you want to store the backups and the recovery window. Backup to disk requires a lot of disk space (up to two to three times the size of the database).

Follow these steps to create a backup policy from the Web Console:

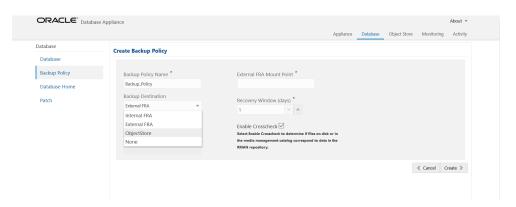
- 1. Click the **Database** tab in the Web Console.
- 2. Click Backup Policy in the left navigation to display a list of backup policies.
- 3. Click Create Backup Policy.



- 4. Enter a name for the backup policy and select the number of days for the recovery window. Select Enable Crosscheck to determine if the files on the disk on in the media management catalog correspond to data in the RMAN repository. Select one of the following as the backup destination:
  - To backup to disk, select Internal FRA as the backup destination.
  - To backup to the cloud, select **ObjectStore** as the backup destination. If you
    have more than one Object Store, then select the Object Store Credential
    Name from the list. Enter a name in the Container Name field.
  - To backup to an NFS location, select External FRA as the backup destination, and specify the NFS mount point location.
  - To not define a destination, select None.

The Backup Policy name must begin with an alpha character and contain only alphanumeric characters.

The following figure shows the Create Backup Policy page.



Click Create. Click Yes to confirm that you want to create the backup policy.
 A link to the job appears. When the job completes successfully, the backup configuration is ready.

Update an existing database to attach the backup configuration to the database using the ID or Name. When you attach the backup configuration to a database, the dcs-agent schedules daily automatic backups for the database.

# Updating a Database with a Backup Policy

Attach a backup policy to a database to define the database backup attributes and destination.

- 1. In the Web Console, click the **Database** tab, then select a database from the list.
- In the Database Information page, click Apply Backup Policy.If the action is disabled, then you must create a backup policy.
- 3. Select a backup policy from the list of available backup policies, and provide the **Backup Encryption Password**. Click **Apply**.
- **4.** Expand the **Actions** menu, then click **View** to display the Database Information page.



The details include whether or not Auto Backup is enabled, the Backup Destination, and options to create a backup, enable or disable automatic backups, update the database, and archive log backup schedule.

- (Optional) Click Manual Backup to create a single backup. Click Update Database Backup Schedule to schedule automatic backups. Click Update Archive Log Backup Schedule to schedule archive log backups.
- 6. Click the **Activity** tab to check the job status.

When the job completes successfully, the backup policy is associated with the database.

# **Updating a Database Backup Policy**

Use the Web Console to update the recovery window or change the crosscheck option for a database backup policy.

Crosscheck determines if the files on the disk on in the media management catalog correspond to data in the RMAN repository.

- 1. Click the **Database** tab in the Web Console.
- Click Backup Policy in the left navigation to display a list of backup policies.
- 3. Expand the **Actions** menu for a backup policy, then click **Update**.
- **4.** To change the recovery window, use the up or down arrow to change the number of days.
- 5. To enable or disable the crosscheck, select or deselect **Enable Crosscheck**.
- Click Update. Click Yes to confirm that you want to update the backup policy.
   A link to the job appears. When the job completes successfully, the backup configuration is ready.

# Backing Up a Database

Apply a backup policy to a database, create a manual backup, update a database backup schedule, or update an archive log backup.

You can use the Web Console or the command-line interface to create a database backup. In the command-line interface, use the command odacli create-backup for a specified Database.

Before creating a database backup, you must have a backup policy. The backup policy defines the recovery window and the backup destination. You must associate a backup policy with the database, otherwise you cannot create backups. Follow these steps to backup a database from the Web Console:

- 1. In the Web Console, click the **Database** tab.
- 2. Click a database name to select a database from the list.
- Review the database information, including the backup policy name and destination details. To select a backup policy for the database, click Apply Backup Policy. Select a policy and specify the Backup Encryption Password.
- 4. Click Manual Backup, Update Database Backup Schedule or Update Archive Log Backup Schedule.



If the action is disabled, then apply a backup policy.

5. Click **Yes** to confirm the job.

A link to the job appears. When the job completes successfully, the backup is ready. A list of backups appears at the bottom of the page.

# Viewing Backup Reports

A report is generated when a database backup is performed. The backup report lists the type, location, and date and timestamp of the backup.

- In the Web Console, click the Database tab, then click the database name in the list of databases.
  - Information about the database appears on the Database Information page.
- 2. Scroll to the bottom of the page to view a list of Backups.
- 3. Click the Job ID for a backup to view the Backup Report and more details about the backup.

# Recovering a Database

Understand the recovery options available for recovering a database.

- 1. In the Web Console, click the **Database** tab, then select a database from the list.
- 2. On the Database Information page, click **Recover**.
- 3. On the Recover Database page, select any of the following recovery options:

**Recover Full Database to the specified Backup:** Select the existing backup from which you want to recover the database

**Recover Full Database to the Latest:** Select this option to recover the database from the last known good state, with the least possible data loss.

**Recover Full Database to the specified Timestamp:** Specify the timestamp to recover the database.

**Recover Full Database to the System Change Number (SCN):** Specify the SCN of the backup from which you want to recover the database.

- Specify and confirm the Backup Encryption Password.
- 5. Click the **Activity** tab to check the job status.

When the job completes successfully, the database is recovered as per the specified recovery options.

## **Deleting Backups**

Delete older, obsolete level 0, level 1 and long term backups.

For level 0 and level 1 backups, the recovery window defined in the Backup Configuration determines when the backup is obsolete. The ranges are as follows:

- Backup to disk: between 1 and 14 days
- Backup to the Oracle Object Storage: between 1 and 31 days



For Long Term backups to the Oracle Object Storage, view the Backup Report for a database to determine when the backup is obsolete. To delete Long Term Backup, the Database Resource ID or Database name and the Backup Report are required.

Follow these steps to delete database backups:

Display a list of all backup reports.

```
# odacli list-backupreports
```

2. Obtain the Database ID and type of backup.

```
# odacli describe-backupreport -i Backup Report ID
```

3. To delete obsolete level 0 and level 1 backups, use the Database ID or Database Name to delete the backup.

```
# odacli delete-backup -i20576eb1-bc32-4e34-bf97-fda0b60ca15b
```

**4.** To delete Long Term backups, use the Backup Report and a JSON file to delete the backup.

In the following example, the JSON input file for the backup report is backupreport.json.

```
# odacli delete-backup -i 20576ebl-bc32-4e34-bf97-fda0b60ca15b -br back-upreport.json
```

#### **Related Topics**

odacli Backup and Recovery Commands
 Use the odacli backup and recover commands to backup to and restore from Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Object Storage or disk.

## Deleting a Backup Policy

Use the Web Console to delete a database backup policy.

- 1. Click the **Database** tab in the Web Console.
- 2. Click **Backup Policy** in the left navigation to display a list of backup policies.
- 3. Expand the **Actions** menu for a backup policy, then click **Delete**. Click **Yes** to confirm that you want to delete the backup policy.

A link to the job appears. When the job completes successfully, the backup policy is deleted.

## Using the CLI to Backup, Restore, and Recover

Use the command-line interface to create a database backup policy.

Preparing for Database Backup to Disk
 Use the command-line interface to create a policy to backup a database to the
 Oracle Fast Recovery Area (FRA) of a disk.



Preparing for Database Backup to NFS Location

Use the command-line interface to create a policy to backup a database to an External FRA (NFS Location).

Preparing for Database Backup to Oracle Cloud

Create a backup configuration to backup a database to Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Object Storage.

Backing Up a Database with the CLI

Create a level 0, level 1, or LongTerm database backup with the command-line interface.

Recovering a Database with the CLI

Recover the database to the system using a Backup Report, point-in-time recovery (PITR), a system change number (SCN), or from the latest backup time.

Restoring a Database with the CLI

Restore a database to a system from Oracle Object Storage using a Backup Report and the command-line interface.

## Preparing for Database Backup to Disk

Use the command-line interface to create a policy to backup a database to the Oracle Fast Recovery Area (FRA) of a disk.

You can create a backup policy using the Web Console or the command-line interface. Most of the backup and recovery commands enable you to provide either a resource name or resource ID to identify the database.

Backup to disk or the **Backup to Internal FRA** option in the Web Console, requires a lot of disk space (up to two to three times the size of the database).

Follow these steps to create a backup policy through the command-line interface:

1. Create a BackupConfig object (backup configuration) using the command odacli create-backupconfig.

The backup configuration defines the backup, including the location where you want to store the backups and the recovery window.

The following example creates a backup configuration named mkgldailydiskwith a backup to disk and a 1 day recovery window.

```
# odacli create-backupconfig -d Disk -n mkgldailydisk -w 1
```

2. Check the job status.

```
# odacli list-jobs
```

When the job completes successfully, the backup configuration is ready.

**3.** (Optional) Update an existing database to attach the backup configuration to the database using the ID or Name.

When you attach the backup configuration to a database, the dcs-agent schedules daily automatic backups for the database.



The following example uses the Database Resource ID and Backup Configuration ID:

```
# odacli update-database -i d3c4d8f6-5eb7-4f9e-ab27-7bdd5013ac90
-bi 9d942e0a-ba00-4cbc-9bfb-0de83ed279e5 -bp
```

The following example uses the Database Resource Name, mydb and the Backup Configuration Name, mydb:

```
# odacli update-database -in mydb -bin mybcfg -bp
```

You can create manual backups or scheduled backups to disk.

## Preparing for Database Backup to NFS Location

Use the command-line interface to create a policy to backup a database to an External FRA (NFS Location).

You can create a backup policy using the Web Console or the command-line interface. Most of the backup and recovery commands enable you to provide either a resource name or resource ID to identify the database.

Backup to NFS location or the **Backup to External FRA** option in the Web Console, requires creation of an NFS mount point.

Follow these steps to create a backup policy through the command-line interface:

 Create a BackupConfig object (backup configuration) using the command odacli create-backupconfig.

The backup configuration defines the backup, including the location where you want to store the backups and the recovery window.

The following example creates a backup configuration named mkgldailydiskwith a backup to disk and a 1 day recovery window.

```
# odacli create-backupconfig -d NFS -n mkgldailynfs -c
absolute-path-to-parent-directory-for-NFS-destination -w 1
```

2. Check the job status.

```
# odacli list-jobs
```

When the job completes successfully, the backup configuration is ready.

**3.** (Optional) Update an existing database to attach the backup configuration to the database using the ID or Name.

When you attach the backup configuration to a database, the dcs-agent schedules daily automatic backups for the database.

The following example uses the Database Resource ID and Backup Configuration ID:

```
# odacli update-database -i d3c4d8f6-5eb7-4f9e-ab27-7bdd5013ac90 -bi 9d942e0a-ba00-4cbc-9bfb-0de83ed279e5 -bp
```



The following example uses the Database Resource Name, mydb and the Backup Configuration Name, mydb:

```
# odacli update-database -in mydb -bin mybcfg -bp
```

You can create manual backups or scheduled backups to disk.

#### **Related Topics**

Creating a Mount Point for NFS Backup Location
 Create a mount point for the Network File System (NFS) location, to set up the NFS backup and recovery option.

## Preparing for Database Backup to Oracle Cloud

Create a backup configuration to backup a database to Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Object Storage.

Before you can backup to Oracle Object Storage, you must sign up for an Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Object Storage account and know your Oracle Object Storage credentials. When you create an Oracle ObjectStoreSwift object, the command creates and stores the credential details in the system and stores the password in an encrypted Oracle wallet. The Oracle wallet contains your tenant name, user name, and defines the end point URL.

Go to the Oracle Store to sign up for Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Object Storage.

 Create an Oracle ObjectStoreSwift object using the command create-objectstoreswift. If you already have an Oracle wallet for Oracle Database Appliance, skip to Step 2.

```
# odacli create-objectstoreswift -e swift end point URL -n Object Store Swift name [-p] swiftpass-word -t Object Store tenant name -u Object Store user name
```

#### For example:

```
# odacli create-objectstoreswift -e https://swiftobjectstorage.rl.oracleiaas.com/vl -n ossnl -t myten-
ant -u user.name@example.com -p
```

The output includes an objectstoreswift Resource ID to identify an ObjectStoreSwift credential.

2. Create a BackupConfig object (backup configuration) using the command odacli create-backupconfig.

The backup configuration defines the backup, including the location (container) where you want to store the backups, the recovery window, and the credentials that are defined in your encrypted Oracle wallet.

The following example creates a backup configuration named  $hr_7d_cloud$ with a backup to the <code>ObjectStore</code>. The following backup parameters are defined: the container is  $hr_bucket$ , crosscheck is not enabled, the recovery window is 7 days, and the <code>ObjectStoreSwift</code> Resource ID is provided, which attaches the Oracle Wallet and credentials to the backup configuration.

```
# odacli create-backupconfig -n hr_7d_cloud -d ObjectStore -w 7 -o
b974f006-5503-4949-ab6c-6f1a56e4ac37 -c hr_bucket -no-cr
```





If the ObjectstoreSwift Object was not created with valid credentials, then creating the backup configuration will fail.

3. Check the job status.

```
# odacli list-jobs
```

When the job completes successfully, the backup configuration is ready. When you create a new database, you have the option to associate the database with a backup configuration.

(Optional) Update an existing database to attach the backup configuration to the database.

When you attach the backup configuration to a database, the dcs-agent schedules daily automatic backups for the database.

```
# odacli update-database -i e3c4d8f6-5eb7-4f9e-ab27-7bdd5013ac10 -bi
7d942e0a-ba00-4cbc-9bfb-0de83ed279e5 -bp
```

You can create manual backups outside of scheduled backups, view backup reports, or disable automatic backups.

## Backing Up a Database with the CLI

Create a level 0, level 1, or LongTerm database backup with the command-line interface.

You can create a database backup in the Web Console or with the command-line interface. When you attach a backup configuration file to a database, the dcs-agent automatically schedules daily backups for the database. The day and time are based on the Oracle Database Appliance time zone. The AutoSchedule triggers a level 0 Backup every Sunday and a level 1 the other 6 days of the week. Use the command odacli update-schedule to disable or change the scheduled backup time.

To create a Long Term database backup, or a level 0 or level 1 backup outside of the automatic backups, use the command odacli create-backup.



To recover a database, there must be a level 0 backup taken, so that the backup report contains information about the base backup. Restoring a database to the same system with a different DB Name and DB Unique Name or to another system does not always require a long term database backup report. You can use archivelog, or level 0, or level 1 backup reports as well. If you use the archivelog backup report, a prior database backup must exist. To restore a database to another system, you must have a long term database backup in Oracle Object Storage.

Verify that a backup configuration file is associated with the database.

2. Create a single backup, outside of the automatic backups, by using the command odacli create-backup.

Use the Database Resource ID to identify the database to backup, specify the type of backup, and use a tag to create a name for the backup. You can use up to 30 alphanumeric characters for the backup name tag. If you do not select a backup type (level 0, level 1, or LongTerm), a level 1 backup is performed. For example, create a level 0 backup named 2018Jan02\_HRLevel0 for resource ID 20576eb1-bc32-4e34-bf97-fda0b60ca15b

```
# odacli create-backup -i20576eb1-bc32-4e34-bf97-fda0b60ca15b -bt Regu-
lar-L0 -t 2018Jan02_HRLevel0
```

When the job finishes, a backup report is generated for the backup. The report contains all of the metadata required to recover a database.

3. (Optional) Display a list of backup reports.

```
# odacli list-backupreports
```

(Optional) Display a list of all scheduled backups.

```
# odacli list-schedules
```

#### **Related Topics**

odacli Backup and Recovery Commands

Use the odacli backup and recover commands to backup to and restore from Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Object Storage or disk.

## Recovering a Database with the CLI

Recover the database to the system using a Backup Report, point-in-time recovery (PITR), a system change number (SCN), or from the latest backup time.

Recovering a database in Oracle Database Appliance is a full RMAN database recovery.

Recovering from a backup report requires JSON input for the backup report.

 Display a list of backup reports and locate the latest Backup Report for the database and save the Backup Report ID.

```
# odacli list-backupreports
```

Use the Backup Report ID to display the details of the Backup Report. Determine how you want to recover the database: PITR, SCN, or Latest and locate the needed information in the Backup Report.

```
# odacli describe-backupreport -i 2d82460c-d648-4e75-8c7d-72cc90bc442a{
    "id" : "2d82460c-d648-4e75-8c7d-72cc90bc442a",
    "dbResId" : "b5fc646e-01a6-4c8b-8286-7633346c4329",
    "tag" : null,
    "dbId" : "2717054291",
    "dbName" : "ExampleDB",
    "dbUniqueName" : "ExampleDBu",
    "backupType" : "REGULAR-L1",
    "keepDays" : null,
```



```
"backupLocation" : "https://swiftobjectstorage.example.com/v1/dbaasimage/backupbucket",
  "cfBackupHandle" : "c-2717054291-20180108-04"
  "spfBackupHandle" : "c-2717054291-20180108-04"
  "pitrTimeStamp" : "January 08, 2018 12:43:14 PM UTC",
  "pitrSCN" : "1175058",
  "resetLogsTimeStamp": "January 08, 2018 09:55:34 AM UTC",
  "resetLogsSCN" : "1112268",
  "oraHomeVersion": "12.2.0.1.170814 (26723265, 26609817)",
  "sqlPatches" : "25811364,26609817",
  "backupLogLoc": "https://swiftobjectstorage.example.com/v1/dbaasimage/backupbucket/system_namec1n1/
rmanlog/ExampleDBu/2717054291/2018-01-08/rman_backup_2018-01-08_12-42-41.0545.log",
  "tdeWalletLoc" : null,
  "dbConfigLoc" : "https://swiftobjectstorage.example.com/v1/dbaasimage/backupbucket/system_namec1n1/
dbconfig/ExampleDBu/2717054291/2018-01-08/DBCON-
FIG_TAG20180108T124407_2018-01-08_12-44-07.0533.tar.gz",
  "name" : "Backup_Report_ExampleDB",
  "createTime" : "January 08, 2018 12:42:08 PM UTC",
  "state" : {
    "status" : "CONFIGURED"
  "updatedTime" : "January 08, 2018 12:44:12 PM UTC",
  "backupReportLogDetail": "https://swiftobjectstorage.example.com/v1/dbaasimage/backupbucket/sys-
tem_namecln1/
rmandetaillogreport/ExampleDBu/2717054291/2018-01-08/rman_list_back-
up_detail_2018-01-08_12-44-04.0362.log",
  "dbInfo" : {
    "dbClass" : "OLTP",
    "dbType" : "RAC",
    "dbShape" : "odb1",
    "dbEdition" : "EE",
    "dbStorage" : "ASM"
  "dbDataSize" : "1542M",
  "dbRedoSize" : "16403M"
```

To recover from a backup report, based on PITR, identify the database ID and the backup report for recovery.

In the following example, the JSON input file for the backup report is backupreport.json.

```
# odacli recover-database -i b5fc646e-01a6-4c8b-8286-7633346c4 -br back-
upreport.json -p
```

**4.** To recover based on PITR, identify the database ID and the date and time stamp for recovery.

```
# odacli recover-database -i b5fc646e-01a6-4c8b-8286-7633346c4 -t PITR -
r 01/08/2018 12:57:33 -p
```

5. To recover based on SCN, identify the database ID and the SCN number.

```
\# odacli recover-database -i b5fc646e-01a6-4c8b-8286-7633346c4 -t SCN -s 392375947
```

**6.** To recover based on the latest backup, identify the database ID and use the Latest option.

```
# odacli recover-database -i b5fc646e-01a6-4c8b-8286-7633346c4 -t Lat-
est -p
```



7. Validate that the job completed. You can track the job in the Activity tab in the Web Console, or run the command odacli describe-job with the job ID.

```
# odacli describe-job -ijobId
```

When the job completes successfully, the recovery is complete.

#### **Related Topics**

odacli Backup and Recovery Commands
 Use the odacli backup and recover commands to backup to and restore from Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Object Storage or disk.

## Restoring a Database with the CLI

Restore a database to a system from Oracle Object Storage using a Backup Report and the command-line interface.

When you restore a database, environment and validation checks and setup tasks are performed. Restoring a database requires a number of tasks and configuration details, such as creating database storage, Oracle Home, recreating the control file, registering the database, and establishing RMAN restore and recovery. An Oracle Database Appliance backup report is generated for each backup and contains the metadata required to restore a database. The report is designed to help you to quickly and efficiently restore a database.

You can restore a database from one appliance to another appliance, or to the same appliance when the source database is deleted:

- To restore to a different system, copy the backup report generated by the command odacli create-backup to the other machine's \bin folder and use the command odacli irestore-database with the backup report.
- To restore to the same system, delete the source database and use the backup report generated by the command odacli create-backup.

To restore a database to another system, you must have a database backup report in Oracle Object Storage, valid credentials in an Oracle wallet (ObjectStoreSwift), the Swift Object Store credential ID, and the SYS user password. Follow these steps to restore a database using the command-line (CLI):

1. Display a list of backup reports and locate the latest Backup Report in Oracle Object Storage for the database and save the Backup Report ID.

```
# odacli list-backupreports
```

2. Use the Backup Report ID to display the details of the Backup Report.

```
# odacli describe-backupreport -i 2d82460c-d648-4e75-8c7d-72cc90bc442a {
    "id": "2d82460c-d648-4e75-8c7d-72cc90bc442a",
    "dbResId": "b5fc646e-01a6-4c8b-8286-7633346c4329",
    "tag": null,
    "dbTd": "2717054291",
    "dbName": "ExampleDB",
    "dbUniqueName": "ExampleDBu",
    "backupType": "REGULAR-L1",
    "keepDays": null,
    "backupLocation": "https://swiftobjectstorage.example.com/v1/dbaasimage/backupbucket",
    "cfBackupHandle": "c-2717054291-20180108-04",
    "spfBackupHandle": "c-2717054291-20180108-04",
```



```
"pitrTimeStamp" : "January 08, 2018 12:43:14 PM UTC",
     "pitrSCN" : "1175058",
     "resetLogsTimeStamp" : "January 08, 2018 09:55:34 AM UTC",
      "resetLogsSCN" : "1112268",
      "oraHomeVersion": "12.2.0.1.170814 (26723265, 26609817)",
     "sqlPatches": "25811364,26609817",
     \verb|"backupLogLoc"|: "https://swiftobjectstorage.example.com/v1/dbaasimage/backupbucket/system\_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system_namecln1/system
rmanlog/ExampleDBu/2717054291/2018-01-08/rman_backup_2018-01-08_12-42-41.0545.log",
      "dbConfigLoc": "https://swiftobjectstorage.example.com/v1/dbaasimage/backupbucket/system_namec1n1/
dbconfig/ExampleDBu/2717054291/2018-01-08/DBCON-
FIG TAG20180108T124407 2018-01-08 12-44-07.0533.tar.gz",
     "name" : "Backup_Report_ExampleDB",
      "createTime" : "January 08, 2018 12:42:08 PM UTC",
     "state" : {
          "status" : "CONFIGURED"
     "updatedTime" : "January 08, 2018 12:44:12 PM UTC",
     "backupReportLogDetail" : "https://swiftobjectstorage.example.com/v1/dbaasimage/backupbucket/sys-
rmandetaillogreport/ExampleDBu/2717054291/2018-01-08/rman_list_back-
up_detail_2018-01-08_12-44-04.0362.log",
      "dbInfo" : {
          "dbClass" : "OLTP",
           "dbType" : "RAC",
          "dbShape" : "odb1",
           "dbEdition" : "EE",
          "dbStorage" : "ASM"
      "dbDataSize" : "1542M",
     "dbRedoSize" : "16403M"
```

3. (Optional) If you need to generate a new backup report, use the command odacli create-backup.

```
# odacli create-backup
```

4. Locate the Swift Object Store credential ID for the database backup.

```
# odacli list-objectstoreswifts
```

- 5. Save the backup report as a JSON file in a folder in the \bin directory on the appliance. For example, backupreport.json.
- Restore the database to the system using the JSON file in the command odacli irestore-database.

Run the command, then enter the SYS user password when prompted.

```
# odacli irestore-database -r backupreport.json -oid Object Store ID -m
```

7. Validate that the job completed. You can track the job in the Activity tab in the Web Console, or run the command odacli describe-job with the job ID.

```
# odacli describe-job -ijobId
```

#### **Related Topics**

odacli Backup and Recovery Commands
 Use the odacli backup and recover commands to backup to and restore from Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Object Storage or disk.



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# Managing Oracle Database Appliance KVM Virtualization

Review the concepts and procedures for Oracle Database Appliance Virtualized Platform.

About KVM Virtualization

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Beginning with Oracle Database Appliance 12.1.2.11.0, the required RPMs are included in the Oracle Database Appliance patch bundle. When you upgrade to Oracle Database Appliance 12.1.2.12.0 or later, the Oracle Linux KVM hypervisor is installed as part of the Oracle Linux kernel and uses CPU extensions (HVM) for virtualization. The Linux KVM is a Type II hypervisor, which means that it is one layer above the operating system. When you run your Linux applications in a virtualized environment, you can isolate your database from your applications. One of the advantages to isolating the applications is that you can update your Oracle Database without impacting the applications, which enables you to deploy both the database and application on the same system to create a Solution-in-a-Box.

The following are limitations with using KVM:

- All virtual machines (VM), or guests, are Oracle Linux operating systems and only Linux applications are supported in the KVM.
- You cannot deploy an Oracle Database in the KVM. Oracle Databases must run on the base Oracle Linux operating system.
- KVM on Oracle Linux does not support hard partitioning. This means that all enabled cores/sockets on Oracle Database Appliance are licensed for databases and applications running on the appliance using the appropriate licensing metric for the database edition and application. Using KVM does not limit licensing, capacity on demand for Oracle Database Appliance still applies.

See Also:

For more about Oracle Linux KVM on Oracle Database Appliance, see the KVM series in the Oracle Database Appliance blog at https://blogs.oracle.com/oda/kvm.

# Oracle Database Appliance Command-Line Interface

The command-line interface has different classes of tools to manage Oracle Database Appliance.

#### About Oracle Database Appliance Command-Line Interface

Three classes of tools are available to perform deployment, lifecycle management, and system administration on Oracle Database Appliance.

#### Managing ODACLI Privileges and Security with SUDO

Oracle Appliance Manager command-line utility requires root system privileges for most administration actions. You may want to use SUDO as part of your system auditing and security policy.

#### Configure Command

Use the configure and update commands to configure the appliance.

#### odacli Apply Patch and Update Commands

Use the commands odacli update and apply patch to apply patches and update the appliance.

#### odacli Appliance Commands

Use the odacli appliance commands to perform lifecycle activities for the appliance.

#### odacli Backup and Recovery Commands

Use the odacli backup and recover commands to backup to and restore from Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Object Storage or disk.

#### odacli CPU Core Commands

Use the CPU Core commands to enable CPU cores and display current and historical CPU core configurations.

#### odacli Database Commands

Use the odacli database commands to perform database lifecycle operations.

#### odacli DBHome Commands

Use the odacli DBHome commands to manage database Home operations.

#### odacli Database Storage Commands

Use the Database Storage commands to list, describe, create, and delete Oracle database storage.

#### odacli Job Commands

Use the odacli list-jobs and odacli describe-job commands to display job details.

#### odacli Network Commands

Use the odacli network commands to list and describe network interfaces.

#### Log Commands

Use the odacli log commands to specify the options to collect and delete logs.

#### odacli Oracle Auto Service Request Commands

Use the Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) commands to configure, update, test, and delete Oracle ASR on the system.

#### odacli OS Commands

Use the  $odacli \ OS$  commands to list and update operating system (OS) parameters.

#### odacli validate-storagetopology

Use the odacli validate-storagetopology command to check the cable connections between the system controllers and the storage shelf, as well as the cable connection to the storage expansion shelf (if one is installed).

#### odaadmcli Hardware Monitoring Commands

Use the hardware monitoring commands to display hardware configurations.

#### odaadmcli Storage Commands

Use the odaadmcli storage commands to perform storage diagnostics.

#### odacli-adm set-credential

Use the odacli-adm set-credential command to change the oda-admin user credentials.

# About Oracle Database Appliance Command-Line Interface

Three classes of tools are available to perform deployment, lifecycle management, and system administration on Oracle Database Appliance.

The command-line interface (CLI) is an alternative to Oracle Database Appliance Web Console for some appliance configuration and patching tasks, database management, and job activity.

Oracle Database Appliance uses a role-based command-line interface. Use the odacli commands to perform lifecycle management tasks and the odaadmcli commands to perform storage and hardware monitoring maintenance. Many tasks related to managing Oracle Databases are also required with databases on Oracle Database Appliance. Tasks common to Oracle Database generally are described in the Oracle Database documentation library. However, to simplify tasks, use the Oracle Database Appliance command-line interface. The odacli and odaadmcliutilities combine the capabilities of the SYS database administrator role and the operating system Superuser (root user). Always perform administrative tasks using the Oracle Database Appliance Web Console or CLI utilities.

The following classes of commands are available:

- Deployment and Configuration: Use the deployment and configuration commands as part of the initial deployment of the appliance and to configure CPU cores.
- Lifecycle management: Use odacli commands to perform database and system
  administration tasks for the appliance. The odacli commands are the primary interface to perform life cycle activities for the appliance.
- Administration: Use odaadmcli commands to perform hardware administration tasks for the appliance. The odaadmcli commands are the interface for infrequent administration activities needed to manage appliance hardware components, storage, and VLAN.

You can perform the following deployment and configuration tasks:



- Configure the first network in the appliance
- Unzip and copy the Oracle Database Appliance software to the correct locations
- Set the number of CPU Cores for the system

You can perform the following appliance lifecycle tasks with odacli commands:

- Create and describe the appliance
- Create, list, describe, and delete databases
- Create, list, describe, and delete Oracle Database Homes
- Create, list, and describe the networks
- List and describe the jobs

You can perform the following appliance administration tasks with odaadmcli commands:

- · Show storage, disks, diskgroups, and controllers
- Display storage diagnostics for disks and NVM Express (NVMes)
- Locate disks
- Show server, memory, processor, power, cooling, and network details

Depending on your version of Oracle Appliance Manager and your hardware, some of the odacli commands may not be available to you. To see which commands are supported on your version of Oracle Appliance Manager and your hardware, run the odacli help command: odacli -h.

#### **Command-Line Interface Syntax**

The command-line interface commands and parameters are case-sensitive.

An odacli or odaadmclicommand uses the following command syntax:

```
odacli command [options]
```

- command is an action you want to perform on the appliance. For example: odacli list-networks or odacli describe-jobs.
- options are optional parts of the odacli command. Options can consist of one or more options that extend the use of the odacli command carried out on an object. Options include additional information about the action that you want to perform on the object. Option names are preceded with a dash. Some options require the name of an object for the command to perform the action that you want to carry out. If an option is preceded with an \* (asterisk), this information is required to submit the command. When appending -j to the odacli command, the output is returned in JSON format. The help option (-h) is an option that is available with almost all commands. When you include the -h option, you can obtain additional information about the command that you want to perform.

#### Example 13-1 Command-Line Interface Syntax

```
# odacli create-database -h
Usage: create-database [options]
Options:
```



```
* --adminpassword, -m
      Password for SYS, SYSTEM and PDB Admin
 --backupconfigid, -bi
      Backup Config ID
 --cdb, -c
      Create Container Database (Inverse option: --no-cdb/-no-c)
 --characterset, -cs
      Character Set (default:AL32UTF8)
                                           Default: AL32UTF8
 --databaseUniqueName, -u
      database unique name
 --dbclass, -cl
      Database Class EE: OLTP/DSS/IMDB, SE: OLTP
                                                   Default: OLTP
 --dbconsole, -co
      Enable Database Console (Inverse option: --no-dbconsole/-no-co)
 --dbhomeid, -dh
      Database Home ID (Use Existing DB Home)
 --dblanguage, -l
      Datbase Language (default:AMERICAN) Default: AMERICAN
* --dbname, -n
      Database Name
 --dbshape, -s
      Database Shape{odb1s,odb1,odb2,etc.}
                                               Default: odb1
 --dbstorage, -r
      Database Storage {ACFS|ASM}
                                      Default: ACFS
 --dbterritory, -dt
                                                 Default: AMERICA
      Database Territory (default:AMERICA)
 --dbtype, -y
      Database Type: SI Default: SI
 --help, -h
      get help
 --instanceonly, -io
      Create Instance Only (For Standby)
 --json, -j
      json output
 --nlscharacterset, -ns
      NLS Character Set (default:AL16UTF16) Default: AL16UTF16
  --no-cdb, -no-c
   Won't create Container Database (Inverse option: --cdb/-c)
   --no-dbconsole, -no-co
   Disable Database Console (Inverse option: --dbconsole/-co)
 --pdbadmin, -d
      Pluggable Database Admin User
 --pdbname, -p
      Pluggable Database Name
 --version, -v
      Database Version
```

#### **Oracle Database Appliance Manager Command-Line Interface Help**

Run the  $\,$ -h  $\,$ command to see the usage information for all commands available for your Oracle Database Appliance. For example:

odacli -h



Run odacli command -h or odacliadm command -h to see detailed help about a specific command. For example, to see detailed help for the odacli describe-dbhome command, use the following:

odacli describe-dbhome -h

## Managing ODACLI Privileges and Security with SUDO

Oracle Appliance Manager command-line utility requires root system privileges for most administration actions. You may want to use SUDO as part of your system auditing and security policy.

For most tasks, Oracle recommends that you log in as root to use the Oracle Appliance Manager command-line interface on Oracle Database Appliance. If you are not logged in as root, then you cannot carry out most actions on the appliance. For example, if you are not logged in as root, then you can view storage information, but you cannot modify the storage.

#### **Allowing Root User Access Using SUDO**

In environments where system administration is handled by a different group than database administration, or where security is a significant concern, you may want to limit access to the root user account and password. SUDO enables system administrators to grant certain users (or groups of users) the ability to run commands as root, while logging all commands and arguments as part of your security and compliance protocol.

A SUDO security policy is configured by using the file /etc/sudoers. Within the sudoers file, you can configure groups of users and sets of commands to simplify and audit server administration with SUDO commands.



#### **Caution:**

Configuring SUDO to allow a user to perform any operation is equivalent to giving that user root privileges. Consider carefully if this is appropriate for your security needs.



#### See Also:

The SUDO man pages for more information about configuring and using SUDO:

http://www.sudo.ws/sudo.html



# Example 13-2 SUDO Example 1: Allow a User to Perform Any ODACLI Operation

This example shows how to configure SUDO to enable a user to perform any ODACLI operation. You do this by adding lines to the commands section in the <code>/etc/sudoers</code> file:

```
## The commands section may have other options added to it.
##
Cmnd_Alias ODACLI_CMDS=/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli *
jdoe ALL = ODACLI_CMDS
```

In this example, the user name is <code>jdoe</code>. The file parameter setting <code>ALL= ODACLI\_CMDS</code> grants the user <code>jdoe</code> permission to run all <code>odacli</code> commands that are defined by the command alias <code>ODACLI\_CMDS</code>. After configuration, you can copy one <code>sudoers</code> file to multiple hosts. You can also create different rules on each host.



Before database creation, you must set up user equivalency with SSH for the root user on each server. If you do not set up user equivalency and configure SSH on each server, then you are prompted to provide the root password for each server during database creation.

After you configure the sudoer file with the user, the user jdoe can run the set of odacli commands configured with the command alias <code>ODACLI\_CMDS</code>. For example:

```
odacli create-database --dbname newdb -m
Password for SYS,SYSTEM and PDB Admin:

Job details

ID: 1bc31577-f910-4d3f-b6ff-8e3fccd30141

Description: Database service creation with db name: newdb
Status: Created
Created: November 30, 2018 9:23:57 AM PST
Message:

Task Name Start Time End Time Status
```



#### Example 13-3 SUDO Example 2: Allow a User to Perform Only Selected ODA-CLI Operations

To configure SUDO to allow a user to perform only selected ODACLI operations, add lines to the commands section in the /etc/sudoers file as follows:

```
## DCS commands for oracle user
Cmnd_Alias DCSCMDS = /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli describe-appliance
oracle ALL= DCSCMDS
```

\$ sudo /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli describe-appliance

#### Appliance Information

\_\_\_\_\_\_

ID: a977bb04-6cf0-4c07-8e0c-91a8c7e7ebb8

Platform: OdaliteL

Data Disk Count: 6 CPU Core Count: 20

Created: October 24, 2017 6:51:52 AM HDT

#### System Information

-----

Name: rwsodal001 Domain Name: example.com Time Zone: America/Adak

DB Edition: EE

DNS Servers: 10.200.76.198 10.200.76.199 192.0.2.254

NTP Servers: 10.200.0.1 10.200.0.2

#### Disk Group Information

DG Name	Redundancy	Percentage
Data	Normal	90
Reco	Normal	10

In this example, the user <code>jdoe2</code> tries to run the <code>sudo odacli list-databases</code> command, which is not part of the set of commands that is configured for that user. SUDO prevents <code>jdoe2</code> from running the command.

[jdoe2@servernode1 ~]\$ sudo /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli list-databases

Sorry, user jdoe2 is not allowed to execute '/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli list-databases' as root on servernodel.

## **Configure Command**

Use the configure and update commands to configure the appliance.

configure-firstnet

Use the command configure-firstnet to configure the first network in the appliance after racking and connecting the power and network cables.



## configure-firstnet

Use the command configure-firstnet to configure the first network in the appliance after racking and connecting the power and network cables.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli/configure-firstnet

#### **Syntax**

# configure-firstnet

#### **Usage Notes**

This command ensures that the system is available in the network, enabling you to manage the deployment through the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console.

- Bonded network configuration: Bonded dual-ported interface. With the bonded configuration, you can only enable one of the interfaces. The bonded configuration supports VLANs. The bonded network configuration uses btbond1. Default setting.
- Non-bonded network configuration: Two separate physical network interfaces, this
  configuration does not support VLANs. The non-bonded network configuration
  uses em2 and em3 as public interfaces.
- To change a non-bonded network configuration to a bonded configuration, run the Oracle Database Appliance Cleanup Script and redeploy the appliance.

#### Example 13-4 Configuring the First Network as a Bonded Network

Configure the first network to use a btbond1 interface without configuring DHCP. Complete the IP address, netmask address, and gateway address.

Values that you need to provide are shown in *italic font*, with the exception of the net1 gateway address; the program obtains the gateway IP address. The program derives this gateway address using the network information you provided for the other IP addresses. Accept this value, unless your network administrator provides an alternative gateway address that is different from the default that the appliance command-line interface detects.

The following is an example of the command on a single node platform:

```
# configure-firstnet
```

```
Select the Interface to configure the network on (btbond1): btbond1 Configure DHCP on btbond1 (yes/no): no
INFO: You have chosen Static configuration
Enter the IP address to configure: 10.1.10.2
Enter the Netmask address to configure: 255.255.255.0
Enter the Gateway address to configure: 10.1.10.1
INFO: Plumbing the IPs now
INFO: Restarting the network
Shutting down interface btbond1: bonding: btbond1: Removing slave em2. bonding: btbond1: releasing active interface em2 bonding: btbond1: making interface em3 the new active one.
```



```
bonding: btbond1: Removing slave em3.
bonding: btbond1: releasing active interface em3
:::::::::
```

#### Example 13-5 Configuring the First Network as a Non-Bonded Network

The following is an example of a non-bonded configuration. For a non-bonded configuration, answer  ${\tt no}$  to using a bonding public interface.

```
# configure-firstnet
Using bonding public interface (yes/no) [yes]: no
INFO: Breaking the bonding on btbond1
INFO: remove bonding module: rmmod bonding
INFO: remove slave setup in /etc/sysconfig/network-scripts/ifcfg-em2
INFO: remove slave setup in /etc/sysconfig/network-scripts/ifcfg-em3
INFO: Restarting the network
Shutting down interface eml:
                                                              OK ]
                                                                  ]
Shutting down interface plp1:
                                                              OK
Shutting down interface plp2:
                                                                 ]
                                                              OK
Shutting down loopback interface:
                                                           Γ
                                                             OK
Bringing up loopback interface:
                                                           [
                                                              OK
Bringing up interface eml:
                                                           Γ
                                                             OK
                                                                  1
Bringing up interface em2:
                                                              OK ]
Bringing up interface em3:
                                                           [
                                                             OK 1
Bringing up interface plp1: Determining if ip address 192.168.16.24 is al-
ready in use for device plp1...
                                                           [ OK ]
Bringing up interface plp2: Determining if ip address 192.168.17.24 is al-
ready in use for device plp2...
                                                           [ OK ]
INFO: Restarting the network
Select the Interface to configure the network on (em2 em3) [em2]:
Configure DHCP on em2 (yes/no) [no]:
INFO: You have chosen Static configuration
Enter the IP address to configure : 10.1.10.2
Enter the Netmask address to configure : 255.255.255.0
Enter the Gateway address to configure[10.1.10.1] :
INFO: Plumbing the IPs now
/usr/share/system-config-network/netconfpkg/NCHostsList.py:100: Depreca-
tionWarning: BaseException.message has been deprecated as of Python 2.6
 badlines.append((num, value_exception.message))
/usr/share/system-config-network/netconfpkg/NCHostsList.py:105: Depreca-
tionWarning: BaseException.message has been deprecated as of Python 2.6
  """ % (value_exception.message, num)
/usr/share/system-config-network/netconfpkg/NCProfileList.py:142: Depreca-
tionWarning: BaseException.message has been deprecated as of Python 2.6
 self.error = e.message
INFO: Restarting the network
Shutting down interface eml:
                                                             OK ]
Shutting down interface em2:
                                                              OK
                                                                  ]
Shutting down interface em3:
                                                           [
                                                              OK
                                                                  ]
Shutting down interface plp1:
                                                              OK ]
                                                           [
Shutting down interface p1p2:
                                                           [
                                                             OK
                                                                 ]
Shutting down loopback interface:
                                                           [
                                                              OK
                                                                  ]
Bringing up loopback interface:
                                                             OK ]
```



```
Bringing up interface em1: [ OK ]
Bringing up interface em2: Determining if ip address 10.1.10.2 is already in use for device em2...

[ OK ]
Bringing up interface em3: [ OK ]
Bringing up interface plp1: Determining if ip address 192.0.2.24 is already in use for device plp1...

[ OK ]
Bringing up interface plp2: Determining if ip address 192.0.2.25 is already in use for device plp2...

[ OK ]
```

## odacli Apply Patch and Update Commands

Use the commands odacli update and apply patch to apply patches and update the appliance.

#### · odacli describe-component

Use the odacli describe-component command to display the installed version and the latest available version for each component.

#### odacli describe-latestpatch

Use the odacli describe-latestpatch command to display a list of the latest supported patch versions for each component.

#### · odacli create-prepatchreport

Use the odacli create-prepatchreport command to run pre-checks for patching.

#### odacli describe-prepatchreport

Use the  $odacli\ describe-prepatchreport\ command\ to\ display\ the\ precheck\ report,$  with a list of pre-checks run with status and comments.

#### odacli update-agentconfig-parameters

Use the odacli update-agentconfig-parameters command to modify configuration variables used by the appliance.

#### odacli list-agentconfig-parameters

Use the odacli list-agentconfig-parameters command to list configuration variables used by the appliance.

#### odacli list-availablepatches

Use the odacli list-available patches command to display all available patches for Oracle Database Appliance.

#### odacli list-prepatchreports

Use the odacli list-prepatchreports command to display all pre-check reports, with a list of pre-checks run with status and comments.

#### odacli delete-prepatchreport

Use the odacli delete-prepatchreport command to delete any pre-check report.

#### · odacli update-dbhome

Use the odacli update-dbhome command to update a specific RDBMS Home to the latest patch bundle version.

#### odacli update-dcsagent

Use the odacli update-dcsagent command to update the agent.

#### odacli update-repository

Use the odacli update-repository command to update the repository with the new Oracle Database Appliance software.

#### odacli update-server

Use the odacli update-server command to update the operating system, firmware, Oracle Appliance Kit, Oracle Clusterware, and all other infrastructure components.

#### odacli update-storage

Use the odacli update-storage command to update the storage.

## odacli describe-component

Use the odacli describe-component command to display the installed version and the latest available version for each component.

If there are multiple DB Homes installed in Oracle Database Appliance, then the output will display the version details for each of the installed homes. You can use this command to check the component version after applying a patch.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli describe-component [-d][-j][-h][-s][-v]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
dbhomes, -d	(Optional) Lists the database home versions and available versions.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
local	(Optional) Describes the components for the local node. Use to display details on the local node of multi-node high availability (HA) systems. This option is not needed to display component details on single node systems.
node, -v	(Optional) Describes the components for a specific node on multi-node high availability (HA) systems. This option is not needed to display component details on single node systems. {0 1}
server, -s	(Optional) Lists the server components and versions and the available versions to which you can patch them.



#### **Usage Notes**

Use the odacli describe-component command to get component details. On a multi-node environment, the command provides details across all nodes. Use the --node or --local option to get component details for a specific node.

#### **Example 13-6 Displaying Patch Details for Components**

```
# odacli describe-component
System Version
18.5.0.0.0
System node Name
node1
Local System Version
_____
18.5.0.0.0
                                       Installed Version
                                                          Available
Component
Version
_____
OAK
                                        18.5.0.0.0
                                                             up-to-
date
GΙ
                                        18.5.0.0.190115
                                                              up-to-
date
DB
                                        18.5.0.0.190115
                                                              up-to-
date
DCSAGENT
                                        18.5.0.0.0
                                                              up-to-
date
ILOM
                                        4.0.4.21.r126801
                                                              up-to-
date
BIOS
                                        41040100
                                                              up-to-
date
OS
                                        6.10
                                                              up-to-
date
                                        13.00.00.00
FIRMWARECONTROLLER
                                                              up-to-
date
                                        0306
FIRMWAREEXPANDER
                                                              up-to-
date
FIRMWAREDISK {
[ c0d0,c0d1 ]
                                        0112
                                                              up-to-
```



```
date
[ cld0,cld1,cld2,cld3,cld4,cld5,cld6,
                                         A07G
                                                               up-to-
c1d7,c1d8,c1d9,c1d10,c1d11,c1d12,c1d13,
c1d14,c2d0,c2d1,c2d2,c2d3,c2d4,c2d5,
c2d6,c2d7,c2d8,c2d9,c2d10,c2d11,c2d12,
c2d13,c2d14 ]
[ cld15,cld16,cld17,cld18,cld19,cld20,
                                         A902
                                                               up-to-
date
c1d21,c1d22,c1d23,c2d15,c2d16,c2d17,
c2d18,c2d19,c2d20,c2d21,c2d22,c2d23 ]
System node Name
node2
Local System Version
18.5.0.0.0
                                        Installed Version Available
Component
Version
OAK
                                          18.5.0.0.0
                                                       up-to-
date
GI
                                          18.5.0.0.190115
                                                               up-to-
date
DB
                                          18.5.0.0.190115
                                                               up-to-
date
DCSAGENT
                                          18.5.0.0.0
                                                               up-to-
date
                                          4.0.4.21.r126801
ILOM
                                                               up-to-
date
BIOS
                                          41040100
                                                               up-to-
date
OS
                                          6.10
                                                               up-to-
date
                                          13.00.00.00
FIRMWARECONTROLLER
                                                               up-to-
date
```



```
FIRMWAREEXPANDER
                                        0306
                                                             up-to-
date
FIRMWAREDISK {
[ c0d0,c0d1 ]
                                        0112
                                                             up-to-
date
[ c1d0,c1d1,c1d2,c1d3,c1d4,c1d5,c1d6,
                                        A07G
                                                             not-availa-
c1d7,c1d8,c1d9,c1d10,c1d11,c1d12,c1d13,
c1d14,c2d0,c2d1,c2d2,c2d3,c2d4,c2d5,
c2d6,c2d7,c2d8,c2d9,c2d10,c2d11,c2d12,
c2d13,c2d14 ]
[ cld15,cld16,cld17,cld18,cld19,cld20,
                                        A902
                                                             not-availa-
ble
c1d21,c1d22,c1d23,c2d15,c2d16,c2d17,
c2d18,c2d19,c2d20,c2d21,c2d22,c2d23 ]
}
Example 13-7 List DB Home Details
# odacli describe-component -d
System Version
_____
18.5.0.0.0
System node Name
_____
node1
Local System Version
18.5.0.0.0
Component
                                       Installed Version
                                                         Available
Version
_____
                                        18.5.0.0.190115 up-to-
date
System node Name
node2
Local System Version
```



18.5.0.0.0

Component	Installed Version	Available
Version		
DB	18.5.0.0.190115	up-to-date

#### **Example 13-8** List the Server Components and Versions

# odacli describe-component -s System Version		
18.5.0.0.0		
System node Name		
node1		
Local System Version		
18.5.0.0.0		
Component Version	Installed Version	
OAK date	18.5.0.0.0	up-to-
GI date	18.5.0.0.190115	up-to-
ILOM date	4.0.4.21.r126801	up-to-
BIOS date	41040100	up-to-
OS date	6.10	up-to-
System node Name		
node2		
Local System Version		
18.5.0.0.0		
Component Version	Installed Version	Available

18.5.0.0.0



OAK

up-to-

date		
GI date	18.5.0.0.190115	up-to-
ILOM date	4.0.4.21.r126801	up-to-
BIOS date	41040100	up-to-
OS	6.10	up-to-date

# odacli describe-latestpatch

Use the odacli describe-latestpatch command to display a list of the latest supported patch versions for each component.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli describe-latestpatch [-h]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.

#### **Example 13-9 Listing the Latest Supported Versions**

# odacli describe-latestpatch

componentType	availableVersion
gi	18.5.0.0.190115
db	18.5.0.0.190115
db	12.2.0.1.190115
oak	18.5.0.0.0
ilom	4.0.4.21.r126801
bios	41040100
OS	6.10



## odacli create-prepatchreport

Use the odacli create-prepatchreport command to run pre-checks for patching.

Patching pre-checks help identify and remedy any problems before attempting to patch, and ensure all components are ready for updates.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli create-prepatchreport -v -s

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
dbhome, -d	(Optional) Specifies the database home component for running the pre-checks.
dbhomeid, -i	(Optional) Specifies the IDs of the database homes for running the pre-checks.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
local, -l	(Optional) Runs patch pre-checks only on the local node.
node, -n	(Optional) Runs patch pre-checks on specified nodes.
server, -s	(Optional) Specify this option to run the patch pre-checks for the server components.
version, -v	(Optional) Specifies the version for running the pre-checks.

#### **Usage Notes**

Use the odacli create-prepatchreport command to generate a pre-check report. Use the --node or --local option to run the patch pre-checks on specific nodes or the local node.

#### Example 13-10 Creating Pre-Check Report

```
# odacli create-prepatchreport -v 18.5 -s

Job details

ID: e54ff307-84d1-40e4-b604-4b3e47f315de

Description: Run pre-checks for patching

Status: Created

Created: May 18, 2018 6:14:18 AM GMT

Message:

Task Name Start Time End Time Status
```



## odacli describe-prepatchreport

Use the odacli describe-prepatchreport command to display the pre-check report, with a list of pre-checks run with status and comments.

Patching pre-checks help identify and remedy any problems before attempting to patch, and ensure all components are ready for updates.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli describe-prepatchreport -i

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
jobid, -i	Specifies the Job ID for the pre-check report.

#### **Usage Notes**

Use the odacli describe-prepatchreport command to display the pre-check report.

## Example 13-11 Displaying the Patch Pre-Checks Report

```
# odacli describe-prepatchreport -i 39efleeb-70d3-47ad-b3f5-48960ca0607b
Patch pre-check report
                Job ID: 39ef1eeb-70d3-47ad-b3f5-48960ca0607b
           Description: Pre-Check report for patching [GI, ILOM, OS]
                Status: COMPLETED
                Result: One or more pre-checks failed for [GI]
 Node Name
node n1
Pre-Check
                             Status
                                        Com-
ments
Validate patching tag Success
                                         Validated patching tag:
12.2.1.2.0
Is patch location available Success
                                          Patch location is availa-
Verify OS patch
                                          There are no packages availa-
                              Success
ble
                                          for an up-
```



date		
ILOM Validate patching tag	Success	Validated patching tag:
12.2.1.2.0		
Is patch location available ble	Success	Patch location is availa-
Checking Ilom patch Version sions	Success	Successfully verified the ver-
Patch location validation tion	Success	Successfully validated loca-
Is clusterware running ning	Success	Clusterware is run-
Validate patching tag 12.2.1.2.0	Success	Validated patching tag:
Validate available space u01	Success	Validated free space under /
Is system provisioned sioned	Success	Verified system is provi-
Validate minimum agent version rent	Success	GI patching enabled in cur-
sion		DCSAGENT ver-
Validate GI patch metadata	Failed	Internal error encoun-
tered:		patchmetadata for
10 0 1 0 0		
12.2.1.2.0		missing target version for
GI.		
	Success	missing target version for Patch location is availa-
GI. Is patch location available	Success Failed	
GI. Is patch location available ble Patch location validation tered:		Patch location is availa-
GI. Is patch location available ble Patch location validation tered: tion Patch verification		Patch location is availa- Internal error encoun-
GI. Is patch location available ble Patch location validation tered: tion Patch verification Unable	Failed	Patch location is availa- Internal error encoun- specified loca-
GI. Is patch location available ble Patch location validation tered: tion Patch verification	Failed	Patch location is availa- Internal error encoun- specified loca- Internal error encountered: to get patch number on
GI. Is patch location available ble Patch location validation tered: tion Patch verification Unable node Opatch updation	Failed	Patch location is availa- Internal error encoun- specified loca- Internal error encountered:
GI. Is patch location available ble Patch location validation tered: tion Patch verification Unable node Opatch updation opatch in	Failed Failed	Patch location is availa- Internal error encoun- specified loca- Internal error encountered: to get patch number on n1.
GI. Is patch location available ble Patch location validation tered: tion Patch verification Unable node Opatch updation	Failed Failed	Patch location is availa- Internal error encoun- specified loca- Internal error encountered: to get patch number on n1. Successfully updated the GiHome /u01/app/12.2.0.1/grid
GI. Is patch location available ble Patch location validation tered: tion Patch verification Unable node Opatch updation opatch in	Failed Failed	Patch location is availa- Internal error encoun- specified loca- Internal error encountered: to get patch number on n1. Successfully updated the
GI. Is patch location available ble Patch location validation tered:  tion Patch verification Unable node  Opatch updation opatch in  on Patch conflict check	Failed Failed Success	Patch location is availa- Internal error encoun- specified loca- Internal error encountered: to get patch number on n1. Successfully updated the GiHome /u01/app/12.2.0.1/grid node n1

## Example 13-12 Example of a Successful Patch Pre-Checks Report

# odacli describe-prepatchreport -i aec9373c-96aa-43ce-9aae-8091ec9cd4eb
Patch pre-check report



------

Job ID: aec9373c-96aa-43ce-9aae-8091ec9cd4eb Description: Pre-Check report for patching [DB]

Status: COMPLETED

Result: All pre-checks succeeded

Node Name

node1

Pre-Check Status Com-

ments

\_\_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_DR\_\_

Validate patching tag Success Validated patching tag:

12.2.1.2.0

Validate available space Success Validated free space re-

quired

under /

u01

Is system provisioned Success Verified system is provi-

sioned

Is patch location available Success Patch location is availa-

ble

Validate minimum agent version Success Validated minimum agent ver-

sion

Verify DBHome patch tag Success Verified DB Home patch

tag

Is GI upgraded Success Validated GI is upgrad-

ed

Patch location validation Success Successfully validated loca-

tion

Patch verification Success Patch 26710464 not applied on

DB

home

Is patch rollback required Success No DB patch is required to

rollback

Opatch updation Success Successfully updated the

opatch in

DbHome

Patch conflict check Success No patch conflicts found on

**DBHome** 

## odacli update-agentconfig-parameters

Use the odacli update-agentconfig-parameters command to modify configuration variables used by the appliance.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli



## **Syntax**

odacli update-agentconfig-parameters

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
append, -a	(Optional) Appends the parameter values. For example, -n p1 -v v1 -n p2 -v v2 -a. The default is false.
comment, -c	(Optional) Specifies the comment for the parameter.
description, -d	(Optional) Specifies the description of the parameter.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
name, -n	Specifies the name of the parameter. Provide multiple parameter values in the format -n p1 -v v1 -n p2 -v v2.
reset, -r	Resets the parameter to the default value. For example: -n p1 -n p2 -r. The default is false.
update, -u	Replaces the parameter with the specified value. For example: -n p1 -v v1 -n p2 -v v2 -u. The default is false.
value, -v	Specifies the value of the parameter. Provide multiple parameter values in the format -n p1 -v v1 -n p2 -v v2.

## **Usage Notes**

Use the odacli update-agentconfig-parameters command to modify configuration variables used by the appliance. The supported configuration parameters are <code>HttpsProxyHost</code>, <code>HttpsProxyPort</code>, and <code>OSPatchRepos</code>.

Multiple values can be specified. For High-Availability models, the command sets the parameter values on both nodes in the cluster.

## **Example 13-13 Setting Multiple Parameters**

```
# odacli update-agentconfig-parameters -n HttpsProxyPort -v 80 -d "Http
proxy port"
-n HttpsProxyPort -v 80 -d "Https proxy port" -u

update-agentconfig-parameters -n HttpsProxyPort -n HttpProxyPort -r

update-agentconfig-parameters -n HttpsProxyHost -v 90 -a
```



update-agentconfig-parameters -n OSPatchRepos -v

## **Related Topics**

Configuring Agent Proxy Settings for Object Store Access
 If the Object Store IP address is accessible through proxy setup only from the Oracle Database Appliance server, then define the proxy setting for the agent, so that the agent can access the Object Store.

## odacli list-agentconfig-parameters

Use the odacli list-agentconfig-parameters command to list configuration variables used by the appliance.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

### **Syntax**

odacli list-agentconfig-parameters [-h] [-j] [-n]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
name, -n	Specifies the name of the parameter.

## **Usage Notes**

Use the odacli list-agentconfig-parameters command to list configuration variables used by the appliance.

## **Example 13-14 Example Command**

./odacli list-agentconfig-parameters -n HttpProxyPort

Name	Value	Description	Updated				
HttpProxy	Port Http	proxy server p	oort June	24,	2018	4:14:10	AM
	list-agento	onfiq-paramete	ers				



Name	Value	Description	Updated	
HttpProxyHo	st Http p	roxy server ho	st June 24, 20	18 4:14:10 AM UTC
HttpProxyPo	rt Http p	roxy server po	rt June 24, 2	018 4:14:10 AM
HttpsProxyH UTC	ost Https	proxy server	host June 24,	2018 4:14:10 AM
HttpsProxyP UTC	ort Https	proxy server p	ort June 24, 2	018 4:14:10 AM
OSPatchRepo	s Repo list	for OS patchi	ng June 24, 201	8 4:14:10 AM UTC

## **Related Topics**

Configuring Agent Proxy Settings for Object Store Access
 If the Object Store IP address is accessible through proxy setup only from the Oracle Database Appliance server, then define the proxy setting for the agent, so that the agent can access the Object Store.

# odacli list-availablepatches

Use the  $odacli\ list-available$  patches command to display all available patches for Oracle Database Appliance.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli list-availablepatches [-h] [-j]

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.

## **Usage Notes**

Use the odacli list-available patches command to display all available patches for Oracle Database Appliance.



## Example 13-15 Displaying All Patch Pre-Checks Reports

## odacli list-prepatchreports

Use the odacli list-prepatchreports command to display all pre-check reports, with a list of pre-checks run with status and comments.

Patching pre-checks help identify and remedy any problems before attempting to patch, and ensure all components are ready for updates.

#### File Path

/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli list-prepatchreports [-h] [-j]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.

## **Usage Notes**

Use the odacli list-prepatchreports command to display all pre-check reports.

## Example 13-16 Displaying All Patch Pre-Checks Reports



f3b9c7c1-3061-4577-848d-645669d71f72 Patch pre-checks for [OS, ILOM, GI]
May 16, 2018 7:00:56 PM PDT Running

# odacli delete-prepatchreport

Use the  $odacli\ delete-prepatchreport\ command\ to\ delete\ any\ pre-check\ report.$ 

## File Path

/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

odacli delete-prepatchreport -i Report ID

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
Report ID	Describes the ID of the report to be deleted.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

#### **Usage Notes**

Use the odacli delete-prepatchreport command to delete pre-check reports.

## Example 13-17 Deleting A Patch Pre-Checks Report

# odacli delete-prepatchreport -i 741f635b-7c75-4832-8813-782367f1e6fd

## odacli update-dbhome

Use the odacli update-dbhome command to update a specific RDBMS Home to the latest patch bundle version.

#### File Path

/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

odacli update-dbhome -i dbhomeid -v version [-j] [-h] [-v]

Parameter	Description
dbhomeid, -i	Defines the Oracle Database Home to update.



Parameter	Description
help-h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
precheck, -p	Analyzes the patch.
version, -v	Defines the Oracle Database Appliance version to update. For example, 12.2.1.1.

## **Usage Notes**

- The update-dbhome command applies the latest release update (RU) for Oracle Database home.
- To be updated with the latest patches, the database must be running.
- Only databases in the Configured status are updated. Use the odacli list-database command to see a list of configured databases. Databases in any other status are skipped during the update.

## **Example 13-18 Updating an Oracle Database Home**

To apply the latest patch bundle to update an Oracle Database:

```
# odacli update-dbhome -i ad6c7326-e460-411e-94df-230dedbef743 -v 18.5.0.0.0
```

## odacli update-dcsagent

Use the odacli update-dcsagent command to update the agent.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

```
odacli update dcsagent -v version [-j] [-h]
```

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
version, -v	Defines the Oracle Database Appliance version after update.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

#### **Usage Notes**

The update desagent command updates the desagent to the RPM package that is located in the *location* and restarts the desagent. After the update is applied, the



agent automatically restarts. It will take a few minutes to reconnect to the dcs-agent. Wait until the agent shuts down and completes restarting before performing any tasks.



Before updating the agent, ensure that you do not have any jobs running or pending during the update window.

## **Example 13-19 Updating the Agent**

To update the dcs-agent to version 18.5:

```
# odacli update-dcsagent -v 18.5
{
   "jobId" : "77e454d3-eb68-4130-a247-7633f8d6192b",
   "status" : "Created",
   "message" : null,
   "reports" : [],
   "createTimestamp" : "March 18, 2019 14:09:24 PM CST",
   "description" : "DcsAgent patching",
   "updatedTime" : "March 18, 2019 14:09:24 PM CST"
}
```

## odacli update-repository

Use the odacli update-repository command to update the repository with the new Oracle Database Appliance software.

#### **Prerequisites**

Before updating the repository, you must upload the Oracle Database Appliance software to the appliance. If the patch contains more than one zip file, then extract and concatenate the zip files before updating the repository.

The following is an example of the steps to get the files from My Oracle Support, extract, and concatenate the files:



The file names in the examples might not reflect actual file names.

1. (Optional) Create a temporary directory in the /u01 directory. You will upload your Oracle Database Appliance software to this directory before adding the files to the update repository. You can use the existing /tmp directory, but it might not have sufficient space for the zip files. It is a good practice to clean the /tmpdir directory after you update the repository.

/u01/tmpdir



2. Download the Oracle Database Appliance software files from My Oracle Support, then upload the files to a temporary location in the /u01 directory in Oracle Database Appliance. For example:

```
p26433721_122110_Linux-x86-64_1of2.zip and p26433721_122110_Linux-x86-64_2of2.zip
```

3. If the patch contains more than one zip file, then extract the zip files and concatenate the files into a single zip file. For example, a file named oda-sm-12.2.1.1.0-171031-server.zip before updating the repository.

```
When inflated, the files are named oda-sm-12.2.1.1.0-171031-serv-er_lof2.zippart and oda-sm-12.2.1.1.0-171031-server_2of2.zippart
```

```
# cat oda-sm-12.2.1.1.0-171031-server_lof2.zippart oda-
sm-12.2.1.1.0-171031-server_2of2.zippart > oda-sm-12.2.1.1.0-171031-
server.zip
```

4. Concatenate the zip files into a single zip file. For example, a file named oda-sm-12.2.1.1.0-171031-server.zip.

```
# cat oda-sm-12.2.1.1.0-171031-server_lof2.zippart oda-
sm-12.2.1.1.0-171031-server_2of2.zippart > oda-sm-12.2.1.1.0-171031-
server.zip
```

The file is named oda-sm-12.2.1.1.0-171031-server.zip

5. Use the concatenated zip file to update the repository

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

To unpack and copy the patch bundle to the correct locations in the file system:

```
odacli update-repository -f filename [-j] [-h]
```

Parameter	Description
filename, -f	Defines the zip filename of patch bundle or RDBMS clones downloaded from My Oracle Support. Provide a comma-separated list of absolute file paths of the end user and patch bundles.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
help,-h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.



#### **Usage Notes**

- Before updating the repository, ensure that you do not have any jobs running or pending during the update window.
- Upload the patches to dom0 on Node0. On multi-node systems, the DCS-Agent copies the patch to Node1 and updates the patch repository on both nodes.

#### Example 13-20 Updating the Repository

The server patch zip file is located in the /u01/tmpdir directory. The following example updates the repository with the latest server patch and then lists the job to verify that the update is successful:

## odacli update-server

Use the odacli update-server command to update the operating system, firmware, Oracle Appliance Kit, Oracle Clusterware, and all other infrastructure components.

#### File Path

/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

```
odacli update-server -v version [-j] [-h]
```

Parameter	Description
precheck, -p	Analyzes the patch.
version, -v	Defines the version to update.
local,-1	Updates the server on the local node of multi-node high availability (HA) systems. This option is not needed for single-node systems.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.



#### **Usage Notes**

The update-server command applies the patches to various infrastructure components and Oracle Clusterware.

After the update is applied, the agent automatically restarts. It will take a few minutes to reconnect to the server. Wait until the agent shuts down and completes restarting before performing any tasks. Allow at least two (2) minutes before running the next command.



Before updating the server, ensure that you do not have any jobs running or pending during the update window.

## **Example 13-21 Updating the Server**

Run the odacli update-server command to update the server to 18.5.0.0.0. On a multinode HA system, you must run the command on both nodes to update the server version.

```
# odacli update-server -v 18.5.0.0.0
{
   "jobId" : "6f27a29a-959f-44el-b984-7473e3c918ad",
   "status" : "Created",
   "message" : "Success of Server Update may trigger reboot of node after
4-5 minutes.
Please wait till node restart",
   "reports" : [ ],
   "createTimestamp" : "March 18, 2019 14:13:45 PM CST",
   "resourceList" : [ ],
   "description" : "Server Patching",
   "updatedTime" : "March 18, 2019 14:13:45 PM CST"
}
```

## odacli update-storage

Use the odacli update-storage command to update the storage.

#### File Path

/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

odacli update-storage -v version [-h] [-j] [-r]



#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
version, -v	Defines the version to update.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
rolling, -r	(Optional) Enables to patch shared disks in rolling fashion without stopping Oracle Clusterware. The shared disks must be online.

#### **Usage Notes**

## **Example 13-22 Updating the Storage**

# odacli update-storage -v 18.5.0.0

# odacli Appliance Commands

Use the odacli appliance commands to perform lifecycle activities for the appliance.

- odacli create-appliance
  - Use the odacli create-appliance command in a JSON file format to provision Oracle Database Appliance.
- odacli describe-appliance
  - Use the odacli describe-appliance command to display appliance details.
- odacli describe-system
  - Use the odacli describe-system command to display details about components installed on the system.
- odacli list-featuretracking
  - Use the odacli list-featuretracking command to display the latest feature tracking report.

## odacli create-appliance

Use the odacli create-appliance command in a JSON file format to provision Oracle Database Appliance.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

To view help for the odacli create-appliance command:

odacli create-appliance -r requestjson [-j] [-h]





The odacli create-appliance command only supports a JavaScript Object Notation (JSON) file format. An example JSON files and a readme are available in an appendix in this document and in the <code>/opt/oracle/dcs/sample</code> directory.

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description	
requestjson,-r	JSON input for appliance creation.	
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.	
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.	

# odacli describe-appliance

Use the odacli describe-appliance command to display appliance details.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

odacli describe-appliance [-d|-no-d][-j][-h]

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
details, -d	(Optional) Displays the agent CLI build details.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.
no-details, -no-d	(Optional) Displays no detailed information. Use this flag if you do not want to display details.

## **Example 13-23 Displaying Appliance Details**

# odacli describe-appliance -d

Appliance Information

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ID: 78e9a6b8-c4f8-42b2-9e72-7d23c2636544

Platform: OdaliteL
Data Disk Count: 6
CPU Core Count: 20

Created: March 18, 2019 5:14:41 AM EST



System Information

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Name: rwsoda6f002

Domain Name: example.com
Time Zone: America/New\_York

DB Edition: EE

DNS Servers: 10.204.32.1

NTP Servers: 10.68.0.41 10.68.0.42

Disk Group Information

DG Name	Redundancy	Percentage

Data High 80 Reco High 20

# odacli describe-system

Use the odacli describe-system command to display details about components installed on the system.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

To list jobs and view job details and status:

odacli describe-system [-h] [-b] [-d] [-j]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.
help,-h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
bom, -b	(Optional) Displays the bill of materials for the installed components on the appliance.
details,-d	(Optional) Display on the command-line, the details of all installed components on the appliance.

## **Usage Notes**

Do not provide both options -b and -d at the same time, in the command.

Example 13-24 Example Command to View the Bill of Materials from the Command Line for Bare Metal Deployments

# odacli describe-system -b

ODA Components Information



Component Name Comonent Details \_\_\_\_\_\_ Name : rwsoda6m003 NODE Domain Name : Time Stamp : July 29, 2018 7:00:12 PM UTC RPMS Installed RPMS : acl-2.2.49-7.el6\_9.1.x86\_64, aide-0.14-11.el6.x86\_64, alsa-lib-1.1.0-4.el6.x86\_64, at-3.1.10-49.el6.x86\_64, atk-1.30.0-1.el6.x86\_64, attr-2.4.44-7.el6.x86\_64, audit-2.4.5-6.el6.x86\_64, auditlibs-2.4.5-6.el6.x86\_64, audit-libs-python-2.4.5-6.el6.x86\_64, augeaslibs-1.0.0-10.el6.x86\_64, authconfig-6.1.12-23.el6.x86\_64, avahilibs-0.6.25-17.el6.x86\_64, b43openfwwf-5.2-10.el6.noarch, basesystem-10.0-4.0.1.el6.noarch, bash-4.1.2-48.el6.x86\_64, bc-1.06.95-1.el6.x86\_64, bindlibs-9.8.2-0.62.rc1.el6\_9.5.x86\_64, bindutils-9.8.2-0.62.rc1.el6\_9.5.x86\_64, binutils-2.20.51.0.2-5.47.el6\_9.1.x86\_64, biosdevname-0.7.2-1.el6.x86\_64, bridgeutils-1.2-10.el6.x86\_64, busybox-1.15.1-21.el6\_6.x86\_64, bzip2-1.0.5-7.el6\_0.x86\_64, bzip2libs-1.0.5-7.el6\_0.x86\_64, ca-certificates-2017.2.14-65.0.1.el6\_9.noarch, cairo-1.8.8-6.el6\_6.x86\_64,

celt051-0.5.1.3-0.el6.x86\_64,

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checkpoli-

cy-2.0.22-1.el6.x86_64,	chkcon-
fig-1.3.49.5-1.el6.x86_64,	
ppl-0.15.7-1.2.el6.x86_64,	cloog-
cap1-1.10-1.x86_64,	compat-lib-
+-33-3.2.3-69.el6.x86_64,	compat-libstdc+
line5-5.2-17.1.el6.x86_64,	compat-read-
+-4.8.2-16.el6.x86_64,	compat-sap-c+
Kit-0.4.1-6.el6.x86_64,	Console-
libs-0.4.1-6.el6.x86_64,	ConsoleKit-
x11-0.4.1-6.el6.x86_64,	ConsoleKit-
tils-8.4-46.0.1.el6.x86_64,	coreu-
libs-8.4-46.0.1.el6.x86_64,	coreutils-
1100 0.1-10.0.1.610.800_04,	cpio-2.10-13.el6.x86_64, cpp-4.4.7-18.el6.x86_64, cpupoweru-
tils-1.3-2.el6.x86_64,	cpu-
speed-1.5-22.0.1.el6.x86_64,	crack-
lib-2.8.16-4.el6.x86_64,	
dicts-2.8.16-4.el6.x86_64,	cracklib-
crash-7.1.4-1.0.1.el6_7.x86_64,	
crda-3.13_2015.10.22-3.el6.x86_64,	
po-0.9.9-27.el6_9.noarch,	createre-
nie-1.4.4-16.el6_8.2.x86_64,	cro-
cron-1.4.4-16.el6_8.2.x86_64,	cronie-ana-
luks-1.2.0-11.el6.x86_64,	crontabs-1.10-33.el6.noarch, cryptsetup-
libs-1.2.0-11.el6.x86_64,	cryptsetup-luks-
libs-1.4.2-78.el6_9.x86_64,	cups-
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# odacli list-featuretracking

Use the odacli list-featuretracking command to display the latest feature tracking report.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

Use the  $odacli\ list-feature tracking\ command\ to\ display\ the\ latest\ feature\ tracking\ report.$ 

odacli list-featuretracking [-h] [-j]

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

# Example 13-25 Example Command to View the Features Report from the Command Line

# odacli list-featuretracking

DCS Feature Tracking Report

Last collection date: 10/26/18 15:35

Report version: 1.0

-----

DCS Feature Usage Summary

			Currently
Detected Feature	l Total	Last Usage	Used
Usages		Time	osca
Object S	 Store		 TRUE
12	12 10/26/18	15:35	
Automatic Service Request (ASR)			FALSE
0	12		
Storage	Expansion Sh	elf	FALSE
0	12		

DCS High Water Mark Statistics



Measured Feature Name High Water Mark Category Maximum usage of CPU 8.12 DCS Agent 437.12 Maximum usage of Memory DCS Agent Maximum number of threads DCS Agent Maximum number of open file descriptors DCS Agent Maximum number of Databases Database Maximum number of EE Databases Database Maximum number of SE Databases Maximum number of CDBs Database Maximum number of non-CDBs Database Maximum number of RAC Databases Database Maximum number of RAC One Databases Database Maximum number of Single Instance Databases Database Maximum number of PDBs Database Maximum number of Datafiles Database Maximum number of Database Homes Database Maximum number of Flashback Databases Database Maximum size of a Database 6.40 Database Minimum Database version 18.0.0.0.0 Database Maximum Database version 18.0.0.0.0 Database Maximum number of Backups Database Maximum number of NFS Backups Database Maximum number of Object Store Backups Database Maximum number of Disk Backups Database Maximum number of Regular-LO Backups Database Maximum number of Regular-L1 Backups Database Maximum number of ArchiveLog Backups Database



Maximum number of Longterm Backups Database Maximum interval between Database Backups 0 Day(s), 01:01:06 Database Maximum number of Object Store tenants Object Store Maximum number of enabled CPU cores Maximum number of disks Storage Maximum number of ASM Disks Groups Storage 11.46 Maximum size of ASM Disk Groups Storage 1.70 Maximum usage of ASM Disk Groups Storage Maximum number of ASM Disks Groups with redundancy 'NORMAL' Storage Maximum number of ASM Disks Groups with redundancy 'HIGH' Storage Maximum number of ASM Disks Groups with redundancy 'EXTERN' Storage Maximum number of ASM Disks Groups with redundancy 'FLEX' Storage Maximum ASM Disk Groups compatibility 18.0.0.0.0 Storage Minimum ASM Disk Groups compatibility 18.0.0.0.0 Storage Maximum number of non-ACFS file systems Storage 98.31 Maximum size of non-ACFS file systems Storage Maximum usage of non-ACFS file systems 82.71 Storage Maximum number of ACFS file systems Storage Maximum size of ACFS file systems 5.00 Storage 12.19 Maximum usage of ACFS file systems Storage

# odacli Backup and Recovery Commands

Use the odacli backup and recover commands to backup to and restore from Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Object Storage or disk.

#### Topics:

odacli create-backup

Use the command odacli create-backup to create a Level 0, Level 1, archivelog, or Longterm backup.

odacli create-backupconfig

Use the command odacli create-backupconfig to create a backup configuration.

#### odacli create-objectstoreswift

Use the command odacli create-objectstoreswift to create and store the Oracle credential details required to backup to Oracle Object Store.

#### odacli delete-backup

Use the command odacli delete-backup to delete backups.

#### odacli delete-backupconfig

Use the command odacli delete-backupconfig to delete a backup configuration.

#### odacli delete-objectstoreswift

Use the command odacli delete-objectstoreswift to delete the credentials for the ObjectStore account.

#### odacli describe-backupreport

Use the command odacli describe-backupreport to display details of a specific backup report.

#### odacli describe-schedule

Use the command odacli describe-schedule to display details for a specific schedule.

#### odacli irestore-database

Use the command odacli irestore-database to restore a database from one system to other system from ObjectStore based on a LongTerm BackupReport.

## odacli list-backupreports

Use the command odacli list-backupreports to display a list of all backup reports.

## odacli list-backupconfigs

Use the command odacli list-backupconfig to list all backup configurations.

#### odacli list-objectstoreswifts

Use the command odacli list-objectstoreswifts to display a list of credentials for the ObjectStore account.

#### odacli list-schedules

Use the command odacli list-schedules to display a list of the scheduled backups.

## odacli recover-database

Use the odacli recover-database command to recover or restore a database from backup.

## odacli update-backupconfig

Use the command odacli update-backupconfig to update a backup configuration.

#### odacli update-database

Use the command odacli update-database to associate a backup configuration to a database.

#### odacli update-objectstoreswift

Use the command  ${\tt odacli}$  update-objectstoreswift to change the credentials for the ObjectStore account.



## odacli update-schedule

Use the command odacli update-schedule to update the schedule for a database, or to disable the database backup schedule.

# odacli create-backup

Use the command odacli create-backup to create a Level 0, Level 1, archivelog, or Longterm backup.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli create-backup -iDatabase Resource ID [-bt] [-c] [-h] [-j] [-k] [-t]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
backupType, -bt {Regular-L0 Regu-lar-L1 Longterm archivelog}	Defines the type of backup. The options are not case sensitive.
component, -c {Database}	(Optional) Defines the component. Database is the only supported option.
dbid,-i	Defines the Database Resource ID.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
keepDays, -k	Defines the Keep Days. For Longterm Backup Type only.
tag, -t	Defines the name of the backup. A tag is alphanumeric, up to 30 characters. Required for Longterm Backup Type.

#### **Usage Notes**

- Use the command odacli create-backup for a specified Database Resource ID and provide a tag for the backup name. Use up to 30 alphanumeric characters for the backup name tag. Three types of backups are available:
  - Level 0: An RMAN incremental backup that backs up all data blocks in the data files being backed up. An incremental backup at level 0 is identical in content to a full backup, but unlike a full backup, the level 0 backup is part of an incremental backup strategy.
  - Level 1: An RMAN incremental backup that includes only those blocks that have been changed since the "parent" backup was taken. A parent backup can be either a level 0 or a level 1 backup. If you do not select a backup type (level 0, level 1, or LongTerm), a level 1 backup is performed.
  - Longterm: Longterm backups are only available when backing up to Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Object Storage (Oracle Object Storage).



- Archivelog: This option is used to perform backup of all archivelogs not yet backed up to the backup destination, such as Internal FRA, External FRA (NFS location), or Object Store.
- This command creates a Backup Report with a Resource ID. To get the ID, use
  the command odacli describe-job -i job\_id-j and look for the resourceId attribute in resourceList.

## Example 13-26 Create a Manual Database Backup

Create a long term backup that is kept for 90 days and named q12018HR.

# odacli create-backup -i <code>Database Resource ID</code> -bt <code>Longterm -c database -k 90 -t q12018HR</code>

## Example 13-27 Create a Level 0 Database Backup

Create a Level O backup named 2017Dec22ProductionLevelO for resource ID 20576eb1-bc32-4e34-bf97-fda0b60ca15b

# odacli create-backup -i20576eb1-bc32-4e34-bf97-fda0b60ca15b -bt Regular-L0 -t 2017Dec22ProductionLevel0

## odacli create-backupconfig

Use the command odacli create-backupconfig to create a backup configuration.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli create-backupconfig -n backup configuration name -d backup destination{Disk|ObjectStore|NFS|None} [-c] [-cr] [-h] [-j] [-no-cr] [-o][-w]

Parameter	Description
backupdestination, -d {Disk Object-Store NFS None}	Defines the backup destination. The options are not case sensitive.
container, -c	(Optional) Defines the object store container.
crosscheck, -cr	(Optional) Enable crosscheck.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
name, -n	Defines the backup configuration name.
no-crosscheck, -no-cr	(Optional) Disable crosscheck.



Parameter	Description
objectstoreswiftId, -o	(Optional) Defines the swift object store credential ID.
recoverywindow, -wDisk: {1-14}   ObjectStore: {1-31}	(Optional) Defines the Recovery Window in days. {1-14} days for Disk and {1-31} days for Object Storage in the cloud.

#### **Usage Notes**

- The recovery window that is defined in the backup configuration determines when backups are considered obsolete. The following are guidelines:
  - Disk: 1-14 days
  - Object Storage: 1-31 days

## **Example 13-28 Create a Backup Configuration for Disk**

Create a backup configuration named production that backs up to disk with a 14 day recovery window.

# odacli create-backupconfig -d Disk -n production -w 14

#### **Example 13-29 Create a Backup Configuration for NFS Location**

Create a backup configuration named production that backs up to NFS with a 2 day recovery window.

odacli create-backupconfig -d NFS -n NfsPolicy1 -c /tmp/Nfsbackps -w 2

## odacli create-objectstoreswift

Use the command odacli create-objectstoreswift to create and store the Oracle credential details required to backup to Oracle Object Store.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

# odacli create-objectstoreswift -e swift end point URL [-h] [-j] -n Object Store Swift name [-p] swiftpassword -t Object Store tenant name -u Object Store user name

Parameter	Description
endpointurl, -e	Defines the swift end point URL.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.



Parameter	Description
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
name, -n	Defines the Object Store Swift name.
swiftpassword, -p	(Optional) Defines the Object Store Swift password.
tenantname, -t	Defines the Object Store Swift tenant name.
username, -u	Defines the Object Store Swift user name.

## **Usage Notes**

The command creates and stores the Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Object Storage credential details in the system and stores the password in an encrypted Oracle wallet. You can attach the credentials to one or more backup configurations.

The credentials are validated during the command odacli create-backupconfig with objectstore as the destination. The credentials are not validated against endpoint URL and tenancy.

## odacli delete-backup

Use the command odacli delete-backup to delete backups.

### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

odacli delete-backup -iDatabase Resource ID [-br] [-h] [-j]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
backupreport, -br	(Optional) Defines the backup report. To delete a Long Term backup, use a JSON input file for the backupreport.
dbid, -i	Defines the Database Resource Identifier (ID). To delete a level 0 or level 1 backup, use the database resource ID.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.

#### **Usage Notes**

Delete older, obsolete level 0 and level 1 backups with the Database Resource ID. The recovery window that is defined in the backup configuration determines when backups are considered obsolete.



- Delete long term backups from Oracle Object Storage by using a JSON file with the --backupreport option.
- To locate the database ID, view the databases in the Web Console or use the command odacli list-databases.

## Example 13-30 Delete a Level 0 or Level 1 Backup

# odacli delete-backup -i20576eb1-bc32-4e34-bf97-fda0b60ca15b

## **Example 13-31** Delete a Long Term Backup Report

Delete a Long Term backup using a JSON input file for the Backup Report. In this example, backupreport.json is the JSON input for the backupreport.

# odacli delete-backup -i 20576eb1-bc32-4e34-bf97-fda0b60ca15b -br backu-preport.json

## odacli delete-backupconfig

Use the command odacli delete-backupconfig to delete a backup configuration.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

odacli delete-backupconfig -i backup configuration id [-h] [-j]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
id, -i	Defines the Backup Config identifier (ID).
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.

#### **Usage Notes**

You cannot delete a backup configuration if it is attached to a database.

#### **Example 13-32 Deleting a Backup Configuration**

Delete a backup configuration named production that backs up to disk with a 14 day recovery window.

# odacli delete-backupconfig -d Disk -n production -w 14



# odacli delete-objectstoreswift

Use the command  ${\tt odacli}$   ${\tt delete-objectstoreswift}$  to delete the credentials for the ObjectStore account.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

# odacli delete-objectstoreswift [-h] [-j] -i Object Store Swift id

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
objectstoreswiftid, -i	Defines the Object Store Swift identifier (ID).

#### **Usage Notes**

You cannot delete the Object Store credentials if they are attached to a backup configuration.

## **Example 13-33** Deleting the Oracle Object Store Credentials

# odacli delete-objectstoreswift -i Object Store Swift id

## odacli describe-backupreport

Use the command odacli describe-backupreport to display details of a specific backup report.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli describe-backupreport [-h] [-j] [-i]

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.



Parameter	Description
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
id, -i	Defines the backup report ID.

## Example 13-34 Display Details of a Specific Backup Report

```
odacli describe-backupreport -i 2d82460c-d648-4e75-8c7d-72cc90bc442a
  "id" : "2d82460c-d648-4e75-8c7d-72cc90bc442a",
  "dbResId" : "b5fc646e-01a6-4c8b-8286-7633346c4329",
  "tag" : null,
  "dbId" : "2717054291",
  "dbName" : "ExampleDB",
  "dbUniqueName" : "ExampleDBu",
  "backupType" : "REGULAR-L1",
  "keepDays" : null,
  "backupLocation" : "https://swiftobjectstorage.example.com/v1/dbaasimage/
backupbucket",
  "cfBackupHandle" : "c-2717054291-20180108-04",
  "spfBackupHandle" : "c-2717054291-20180108-04",
  "pitrTimeStamp" : "January 08, 2018 12:43:14 PM UTC",
  "pitrSCN" : "1175058",
  "resetLogsTimeStamp": "January 08, 2018 09:55:34 AM UTC",
  "resetLogsSCN" : "1112268",
  "oraHomeVersion": "12.2.0.1.170814 (26723265, 26609817)",
  "sqlPatches": "25811364,26609817",
  "backupLogLoc" : "https://swiftobjectstorage.example.com/v1/dbaasimage/
backupbucket/scaoda702cln1/rmanlog/ExampleDBu/2717054291/2018-01-08/
rman_backup_2018-01-08_12-42-41.0545.log",
  "tdeWalletLoc" : null,
  "dbConfigLoc" : "https://swiftobjectstorage.example.com/v1/dbaasimage/
backupbucket/scaoda702cln1/dbconfig/ExampleDBu/2717054291/2018-01-08/DBCON-
FIG_TAG20180108T124407_2018-01-08_12-44-07.0533.tar.gz",
  "name" : "Backup_Report_ExampleDB",
  "createTime" : "January 08, 2018 12:42:08 PM UTC",
  "state" : {
    "status" : "CONFIGURED"
  },
  "updatedTime" : "January 08, 2018 12:44:12 PM UTC",
  "backupReportLogDetail" : "https://swiftobjectstorage.example.com/v1/
dbaasimage/backupbucket/scaoda702c1n1/rmandetaillogreport/ExampleDBu/
2717054291/2018-01-08/rman_list_back-
up_detail_2018-01-08_12-44-04.0362.log",
  "dbInfo" : {
    "dbClass" : "OLTP",
    "dbType" : "RAC",
    "dbShape" : "odb1",
    "dbEdition" : "EE",
    "dbStorage" : "ASM"
  "dbDataSize" : "1542M",
```



```
"dbRedoSize" : "16403M" }
```

## odacli describe-schedule

Use the command odacli describe-schedule to display details for a specific schedule.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

```
# odacli describe-schedule [-h] [-j] [-i]
```

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
scheduleid, -id	Defines the schedule with an identifier (ID).

## Example 13-35 Display Schedule Details

# odacli describe-schedule -i scheduleid

## odacli irestore-database

Use the command odacli irestore-database to restore a database from one system to other system from ObjectStore based on a LongTerm BackupReport.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

```
odacli irestore-database -iDatabase Resource ID [-bp] [-r] [-cl] [-co] [-s] [-dr] [-y] [-h] [-j] [-cl] [-oid] [-tp] [-tf] [-bl] [-rDBID]
```

Parameter	Description
backupPassword(s),-bp	(Optional) Defines the RMAN password for recovery.
-	You can provide more than one password, but the pass-
	words must be separated by a comma(,).



Parameter	Description
backupReport, -r	JSON input for a backup report.
dbClass,-cl {EE: OLTP/DSS/IMDB, SE: OLTP}	(Optional) Defines the Database class.
dbConsoleEnable, -co	(Optional) Enables the Database Console.
dbShape, -s {odb1,odb2, and so on}	(Optional) Defines the database shape.
dbStorage, -dr {ACFS ASM}	(Optional) Defines the database storage. Database Storage {ACFS ASM} (non case-sensitive). The default is ASM.
dbType, -y	(Optional) Defines the type of database. The default is single instance (SI).
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
noOfRmanChannels, -c	(Optional) Defines the number of RMAN channels (parallelism) Default: SE Edition: 1, Other Enterprise Editions: 5
objectStoreId, -oid	Defines the Swift Object Store credential ID
sysPassword, -m	Defines the password for the SYS user.
tdePassword, -tp	(Optional) Defines the password for the TDE Wallet.
tdefilesLocation, -tf	(Optional) Identifies the TDE Wallet location in Object-store.
backuplocation, -bl	(Optional) Specifies the NFS or local directory path where backups are available.
dbRedundancy, -rd	Specifies the database redundancy value, that is, {HIGH MIRROR}. To specify the dbRedundancy option, at least one disk group of FLEX redundancy must exist, and dbStorage must be ASM, and the dbVersion or dbHomeVersion must later than 12.1.
	If the disk group redundancy is FLEX, then the default dbRedundancy value is MIRROR.
	The precedence logic for setting the dbRedundancy is:
	<ol> <li>dbRedundancy that is specified in the irestore- database command.</li> </ol>
	2. dbRedundancy in the backup report
	3. If the disk group redundancy is FLEX, then the default dbRedundancy value is MIRROR.
-rDBID	Enables target database to run in the same system as source database.

## **Usage Notes**

- The command odacli irestore-database restores a database to a system using the Backup Report of a long term backup that is in the Oracle Object Store. You can restore a database from one appliance to another appliance, or to the same appliance after the source database is deleted.
- An Oracle wallet (ObjectStoreSwift credentials) must be created to access the backups in Oracle Object Store. This command performs the environment checks,



validation checks, and tasks needed to restore a database to an Oracle Database Appliance system.

## Example 13-36 Restoring a Database to the Same System

Run the command odacli irestore-database with the backup report. Enter the SYS user password when prompted.

# odacli irestore-database -r backupreport.json -oid Object Store ID -m

## Example 13-37 Restoring a Database to a Different System

To restore to a different system, copy the backup report to the other machine's \bin folder (or provide the complete path to the backup report), then run the command odacli irestore-database with the backup report. Enter the SYS user password when prompted.

# odacli irestore-database -r backupreport.json -oid Object Store ID -m

## odacli list-backupreports

Use the command odacli list-backupreports to display a list of all backup reports.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

# odacli list-backupreports [-h] [-j]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.

#### **Usage Notes**

Displays a list of all database backup reports generated from the command odacli create-backup.

#### Example 13-38 Display a List of all Backup Reports

# odacli list-backupreports



# odacli list-backupconfigs

Use the command odacli list-backupconfig to list all backup configurations.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

odacli list-backupconfig [-h] [-j]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.

## Example 13-39 Displaying a List of Backup Configuration

Display a list of backup configurations.

# odacli list-backupconfig -d Disk -n production -w 14

# odacli list-objectstoreswifts

Use the command  $odacli\ list-objectstoreswifts$  to display a list of credentials for the ObjectStore account.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

# odacli list-objectstoreswifts [-h] [-j]

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.



## Example 13-40 Displaying a List of ObjectStore Swift Credentials

# odacli list-objectstoreswifts

## odacli list-schedules

Use the command odacli list-schedules to display a list of the scheduled back-ups.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

### **Syntax**

# odacli list-schedules [-h] [-j]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.

## **Usage Notes**

The command lists all of the schedules in the system, including database backup schedules and some internal maintenance schedules.

#### Example 13-41 Display a List of Scheduled Database Backups

Display a list of all scheduled database backups and details.

# odacli list-schedules

## odacli recover-database

Use the odacli recover-database command to recover or restore a database from backup.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

```
odacli recover-database -iDatabase Resource ID [-br] [-i] [-h] [-j] [-r] [-t] [-p] [-s] [-in]
```



#### **Parameters**

Description
(Optional) JSON input for a backup report.
Defines the Database Name.
Defines the Database Resource ID.
(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
(Optional) Defines the date and time of the backup. The Recovery Timestamp (in format mm/dd/yyyy hh:mm:ss) is required when the recovery is a point in time recovery (PITR).
(Optional) Defines the recovery type. Do not provide the recovery type if you define the Backup Report.
(Optional) Defines the password for recovery. You can provide more than one password, but the passwords must be within single quote separated by comma(,).
(Optional) Defines the SCN recovery type. Required when the RecoveryType is SCN.

## **Usage Notes**

Recovers a database to the latest, a point in time recovery (PITR), or System Change Number (SCN) as input. You can also recover a database from a Backup Report provided as JSON input file.

This command performs various environment and validation checks in order to attempt to ensure that recovery of database is successful. If backups are in ObjectStore, the RMAN recovery passwords are needed to recover the database. This includes RMAN restore and recovery.

This command always performs a full RMAN database restore and recovery. This command is most useful when there is a complete database loss or when the majority of the database files are lost. If you do not require a full RMAN restore, you can perform a manual recovery. For example, a single data file loss or control file loss.

#### Example 13-42 Recovering a Database to a Point-in-Time

# odacli recover-database -i b5fc646e-01a6-4c8b-8286-7633346c4 -t PITR -r 11/08/2017 12:57:33 -p

#### Example 13-43 Recovering a Database to the Latest

# odacli recover-database -i b5fc646e-01a6-4c8b-8286-7633346c4 -t Latest -p

#### Example 13-44 Recovering a Database to an SCN

# odacli recover-database -i b5fc646e-01a6-4c8b-8286-7633346c4 -t SCN -s 392375947



# odacli update-backupconfig

Use the command odacli update-backupconfig to update a backup configuration.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

```
odacli update-backupconfig -n backup configuration name -d backup destination{Disk|ObjectStore|None} [-c] [-cr] [-h] [-j] [-no-cr] [-o][-w]
```

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description	
backupdestination, -d{Disk ObjectStore  None}	Defines the backup destination. The options are not case sensitive	
container, -c	(Optional) Defines the object store container.	
crosscheck, -cr	(Optional) Enable Crosscheck.	
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.	
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.	
name, -n	Defines the backup configuration name.	
no-crosscheck, -no-cr	(Optional) Disable crosscheck.	
objectstoreswiftId, -o	(Optional) Defines the swift object store credential ID.	
recoverywindow, -w	(Optional) Defines the Recovery Window in	
Disk: {1-14}	days. {1-14} days for Disk and {1-30} days for	
ObjectStore: {1-30}	Object store.	

## **Usage Notes**

- The recovery window that is defined in the backup configuration determines when backups are considered obsolete. The following are guidelines:
  - Disk: 1-14 days
  - ObjectStore in Casper: 1-30 days

## **Example 13-45** Revise a Backup Configuration for Disk

Create a backup configuration named production that backs up to disk with a 14 day recovery window.

# odacli update-backupconfig -d Disk -n production -w 14



# odacli update-database

Use the command odacli update-database to associate a backup configuration to a database.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli update-database [-bi] [-i] [-h] [-j] [-bp] [-in] [-id] [-lb]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
backupconfigid, -bi	(Optional) Defines the Backup Config ID.
backupconfign, -bin	(Optional) Defines the Backup Config Name.
dbid,-i	Defines the Database Resource ID.
dbName, -in	Defines the Database Name.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
bkuppassword, -bp	(Optional) Defines the RMAN backup encryption password.
databaseid, -id	(Optional) Defines the database identifier stored in database file headers.
levelzerobackupday, -lb	(Optional) Specifies the Level zero Backup Day. For example, Monday Tuesday Wednes- day Sunday

#### **Usage Notes**

For backup to the Oracle Object Store, you can set an RMAN backup password. The password is encrypted and stored in an Oracle wallet. The password is used when using the command odacli create-backup to create a database backup.

#### **Example 13-46** Associating a Backup Configuration with a Database

 $\mbox{\#}$  odacli update-database  $\mbox{-i}$  database resource ID -bi backup configuration ID



#### Example 13-47 Updating an Existing Database Using the Resource ID

Update an existing database to attach the backup configuration to the database using the Database Resource ID.

```
# odacli update-database -i d3c4d8f6-5eb7-4f9e-ab27-7bdd5013ac90 -bi 9d942e0a-ba00-4cbc-9bfb-0de83ed279e5 -bp
```

#### Example 13-48 Updating an Existing Database Using the Resource Name

Update an existing database to attach the backup configuration to the database using the Database Resource Name.

In the following example, the Database Resource Name is mydb:

```
# odacli update-database -in mydb -bi 9d942e0a-ba00-4cbc-9bfb-0de83ed279e5
-bp
```

In the following example, the Database Resource Name is mydb and the backup configuration name is mybcfg:

```
# odacli update-database -in mydb -bin mybcfg -bp
```

## odacli update-objectstoreswift

Use the command odacli update-objectstoreswift to change the credentials for the ObjectStore account.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

# odacli update-objectstoreswift [-h] [-j] -i Object Store Swift id [-p]
swift password [-u] Object Store user name

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
objectstoreswiftid, -i	Defines the Object Store Swift identifier (ID).
swiftpassword, -p	(Optional) Defines the Object Store Swift password.
username, -u	(Optional) Defines the Object Store Swift user name.



#### **Usage Notes**

Use this command to update the password when it is changed for an ObjectStore account. The command updates the Oracle ObjectStore credential details in the system and stores the password in an encrypted Oracle wallet.

The credentials are validated during the command odacli update-backupconfig with objectstore as the destination. The credentials are not validated against endpoint URL and tenancy.

#### Example 13-49 Changing the Oracle Casper ObjectStore Password

# odacli update-objectstoreswift -i Object Store Swift id -p swift password

#### **Example 13-50** Changing the Oracle ObjectStore User Name

 $\sharp$  odacli update-objectstoreswift -i Object Store Swift id -u Object Store user name

## odacli update-schedule

Use the command odacli update-schedule to update the schedule for a database, or to disable the database backup schedule.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

# odacli update-schedule [-x] [-t] [-d] [-e] [-h] [-j] [-id]

Parameter	Description
cronExpression, -x	(Optional) Defines the date and time for the update.
description, -t	(Optional) Provides a description for the update schedule.
disable, -d	(Optional) Disables the schedule.
enable, -e	(Optional) Enables a disabled schedule.
help,-h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
scheduleid, -id	Defines the schedule with an identifier (ID).



#### **Usage Notes**

Backups incur overhead on the system. When possible, do not schedule backups to run when users are trying to access data.

Use a utility, such as www.croncronmaker.com, to generate a valid cron expression.

#### **Example 13-51 Change What Time the Backup Occurs**

Edit the cron expression to change the time of scheduled backups for a given schedule ID.

# odacli update-schedule -i scheduleid -x "0 0 13 1/1 \* ? \*" -e

#### Example 13-52 Disable Scheduled Database Backups

# odacli update-schedule -i scheduleid -d

## odacli CPU Core Commands

Use the CPU Core commands to enable CPU cores and display current and historical CPU core configurations.

odacli list-cpucores

Use the odacli list-cpucores command lists the history of core configuration changes in the system.

odacli describe-cpucore

Use the odacli describe-cpucore command to display the current core configuration and the modification date and time.

update-cpucore

Use the odacli update-cpucore command to enable the number of CPU cores in the system.

## odacli list-cpucores

Use the  $odacli\ list$ -cpucores command lists the history of core configuration changes in the system.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli list-cpucores [-h]

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.



#### Example 13-53 Displaying a List of Cores

# odacli list-cpucores

Node	Cores	Modified	Job Status
0	10	July 22, 2016 12:06:08 PM SGT	Configured
0	8	July 25, 2016 9:39:59 AM SGT	Configured

# odacli describe-cpucore

Use the odacli describe-cpucore command to display the current core configuration and the modification date and time.

#### File Path

/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli describe-cpucore [-h]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

#### **Example 13-54** Displaying the Current Core Configuration

# odacli describe-cpucore

Node	Cores	Modified					Job Status
0	8	July 25,	2016	9:39:59	AM	SGT	Configured

# update-cpucore

Use the  ${\tt odacli}$  update-cpucore command to enable the number of CPU cores in the system.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli update-cpucore -c cores [-h]



#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
cores, -c	Defines the number of cores to be enabled in the system.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

#### **Usage Notes**

- The number of cores you enable must be a multiple of 2.
- After the initial configuration, you cannot reduce the number of cores. You can only increase the number of cores.

#### **Example 13-55 Enabling CPU Cores**

The following command enables 8 CPU cores.

```
# odacli update-cpucore -c 8

{
"jobId" : "2807f6ae-3ba5-48a5-8941-b8b365d89d24",
"status" : "Created",
"message" : null,
"reports" : [],
"createTimestamp" : 1469410799194,
"description" : "CPU cores service update",
"updatedTime" : 1469410799194
}
```

# odacli Database Commands

Use the odacli database commands to perform database lifecycle operations.

odacli list-databases

Use the odacli list-databases command to list all databases on the appliance.

odacli describe-database

Use the odacli describe-database command to display database details.

odacli create-database

Use the odacli create-database command to create a new database.

odacli clone-database

Use the  $odacli\ clone-database\ command\ to\ clone\ a\ new\ database\ from\ a\ source\ database.$ 

· odacli modify-database

Use the odacli modify-database command to move a database from one database home to another database home of same base version.



odacli register-database

Use the odacli register-database command to register a migrated database with the appliance.

odacli upgrade-database

Use the odacli upgrade-database command to upgrade a database from a supported release.

odacli delete-database

Use the odacli delete-database command to delete a database.

## odacli list-databases

Use the odacli list-databases command to list all databases on the appliance.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

To display a list of all databases:

```
odacli list-databases [-h]
```

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

#### Example 13-56 Displaying a List of Databases

Display a list of databases:

# odacli list-databases

ID			DB Name	DB Version	CDB	
ad6c732	6-e460-	411e-94df	-230dedbef743	rdb121a	18.5.0.0.0	true
fb4d02f3-2413-47ca-8584-a768e23ec2e7			-a768e23ec2e7	ee12db	18.5.0.0.0	false
(Continued)						
Class Shape Storage Status						
OLTP	odb1	ACFS	Configured			
IMDB	odb1	ASM	Configured			

## odacli describe-database

Use the odacli describe-database command to display database details.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli



#### **Syntax**

#### To display database details:

```
odacli describe-database -i dbid [-h] [-j]
```

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description	
dbid, -i	Identifies the database home identifier (ID) to display.	
	Use the odacli list-databases command to obtain the dbid.	
json, -j		
	(Optional) Displays JSON output.	
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.	

#### Example 13-57 Displaying Database Details

Display information for database named ac48e0d2-a7b0-4ffd-a27e-f8e42b028c5f:

# odacli describe-database -i ac48e0d2-a7b0-4ffd-a27e-f8e42b028c5f

Database details

-----

ID: ac48e0d2-a7b0-4ffd-a27e-f8e42b028c5f

Description: rdb1
DB Name: rdb1

DB Version: 18.5.0.0.0

DBID: 1339792271

CDB: true

PDB Name: r1pdb1

PDB Admin User Name: pdbadmin

Class: OLTP Shape: odb2 Storage: ASM

 ${\tt CharacterSet: DbCharacterSet(characterSet=AL32UTF8, nlsCharacter-Pal32UTF8, nlsCharacter-Pal32UTF$ 

set=AL16UTF16, dbTerritory=AMERICA, dbLanguage=AMERICAN)

Home ID: fe87f30c-b810-45d1-8b96-13996ad7a255

Console Enabled: true

Created: March 18, 2019, 2016 6:21:14 PM

## odacli create-database

Use the odacli create-database command to create a new database.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli



#### **Syntax**

odacli create-database -n  $database\_name$  -m -cs characterset -cl  $\{OLTP|DSS|IMDB\}$ 

- -1 dblanguage -s dbshape -r {ACFS|ASM} -dt dbterritory
- -y dbtype -ns nationalscharacterset -d pdbadmin -p pdbname -v version [-u databaseUniqueName] [-dh Database Home ID] [-c|-no-c] [-co|-no-co] [-bi backupconfigid] [-io] [-j] [-h] [-rd]

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Parameter	Description
adminpassword, -m	Defines the password for SYS, SYSTEM, and PDB Admin. Use this option to specify the password interactively. When using this option, do not enter the password in the command-line.
backupconfigid, -bi	(Optional) Defines the backup configuration identifier for future use.
cdb, -c	(Optional) Creates the database as a container database. Use the $-c$ flag to create a container database and use the $-no-c$ flag to create a non-CDB database. The default is $-no-c$ .
characterset, -cs	Defines the character set. The default is AL32UTF8.
databaseUniqueName, -u	(Optional) Defines a unique name for the database.
dbclass, -cl {OLTP DSS  IMDB}	Defines the database class. The default is OLTP. The options are as follows:
	<ul><li>Enterprise Edition: OLTP, DSS, or IMDB.</li><li>Standard Edition: OLTP</li></ul>
dbconsole, -co	(Optional) Enables the Database Console. Use the $-no-co$ flag to disable the Database Console. If not selected, the default is no database console.
dbhomeid, -dh	(Optional) Identifies the existing Database Home ID.
dblanguage, -l	Defines the database language. The default language is AMERICAN.
dbname, -n	Defines the name given to the new database (dbname.)
dbshape, -s	Identifies the database shape (template) and determines the total memory allocated to the database. For example, odb1 and odb2. The default is odb1. You cannot specify the database shape when you create a instance-only database.
dbstorage, -r{ACFS   ASM}	Defines the Database Storage, either Oracle ACFS or Oracle ASM. The default value is Oracle ASM.
dbterritory, -dt	Defines the database territory. The default territory is AMERICA.
dbtype, -y [SI]	Defines the database type. The default database type is SI.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.



Parameter	Description
instanceonly, -io	(Optional) Creates a database instance, password file and also the underlying Oracle ACFS mount point. You can use the instance as an auxiliary instance for RMAN duplicate.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.
nationalscharacterset, - ns	Defines the NLS National Character Set. The default is AL16UTF16.
no-cdb, -no-c	(Optional) Creates a database that is <i>not</i> a container database. Use this flag when you want to create a non-CDB database. Use the -c flag to create a container database.
no-dbconsole, -no-co	(Optional) Disables Database Console. Use the -co flag to enable Database Console.
pdbadmin, -d	Defines the Pluggable Database (PDB) Admin User.
pdbname, -p	Defines the Pluggable Database (PDB) name. The default value is pdb1.
version, -v	Defines the database bundle patch number. To install the latest bundle patch for a release, specify the release version.
	To specify a specific supported bundle, use the 5 digit format. For example, 12.1.0.2.170814 or 11.2.0.4.170814.
dbRedundancy, -rd	Specifies the database redundancy value, that is, {HIGH   MIRROR}. To specify the dbRedundancy option, at least one disk group of FLEX redundancy must exist, and dbStorage must be ASM, and the dbVersion or dbHomeVersion must later than 12.1.

#### **Usage Notes**

- If the disk group redundancy is FLEX, then the default dbRedundancy value is MIR-ROR
- · Flash cache is disabled by default.
- You cannot mix Oracle Database Standard Edition and Enterprise Edition databases on the same appliance.
- Use the --cdb or --no-cdb flag to indicate whether or not the database is a container database. When neither flag is specified, the default database created is a non-CDB database.
- When --dbhomeid is not provided, the create-database command creates a new Oracle Database Home.
- When --dbhomeid is provided, the create-database command creates the database using the existing Oracle Home. Use the odacli list-dbhomes command to obtain the dbhomeid.
- When you use the command to create an instance-only database, then you cannot specify the database shape (template).
- When you specify both the --version and the--dbhomeid, the version is ignored and the database is created against the existing database home.



- Oracle Database 12.1 or later is supported on both Oracle Automatic Storage Management (Oracle ASM) and Oracle ASM Cluster file system (ACFS). The default is Oracle ASM.
- Oracle Database 11.2 is only supported on Oracle ACFS.
- When databases are created in Oracle ACFS, each database is configured with its own Oracle ACFS file system for the datafiles and uses the following naming convention: /u02/app/db user/oradata/db unique name. The default size of this mount point is 100 GB.

#### Note:

Oracle recommends not sharing the mount point across different databases.

- Online logs are stored in the /u03/app/db user/redo/ directory.
- Oracle Fast Recovery Area (FRA) is located in the /u03/app/db user/ fast\_recovery\_area directory.
- Use the following option to specify the adminpassword:
  - Interactive mode: Use the -m option and enter the password when prompted.
- For the version, you can specify the database version, either 18.5.0.0, 12.2.0.1, 12.1.0.2 or 11.2.0.4, or you can use a 5 digit format to specify a specific patch bundle version. If you use the database version without specifying the bundle patch number, the latest bundle patch is used. The following values are supported:
  - 18.5.0.0
  - 12.2.0.1
  - 12.2.0.1.171017
  - 12.2.0.1.170814
  - 12.1.0.2
  - 12.1.0.2.171017
  - 12.1.0.2.170718
  - **–** 12.1.0.2.170418
  - 12.1.0.2.161018
  - 12.1.0.2.160719
  - 12.1.0.2.160419
  - 11.2.0.4
  - 11.2.0.4.171017
  - 11.2.0.4.170718
  - 11.2.0.4.170418
  - 11.2.0.4.161018
  - 11.2.0.4.160719





Oracle Database 11.2.0.4.160419 is not supported. Attempts to create an Oracle Database 11.2 against an 11.2.0.4.160419 database home will fail.

#### **Example 13-58** Creating a Database in Interactive Mode

This example creates a 18.5.0.0.0 OLTP container database named hrdb with shape odb2 and enables you to provide the password interactively.



To provide a password interactively, use the -m option, but do not provide the password until prompted.

```
# odacli create-database -n hrdb -c -m -cl OLTP -s odb2 -p pdb1
Password for SYS,SYSTEM and PDB Admin:
{
    "jobId" : "f12485f2-dcbe-4ddf-aeel-de24d37037b6",
    "status" : "Created",
    "message" : null,
    "reports" : [ ],
    "createTimestamp" : "March 18, 2019 03:54:03 AM EDT",
    "description" : "Database service creation with db name: hrdb",
    "updatedTime" : "March 18, 2019 03:54:03 AM EDT"
}
```

#### Example 13-59 Creating a Database Against a Different Version

Either of the following statements creates a database against a home with Oracle Database Bundle (170718) applied:

```
\# odacli create-database -m -n hrmsdb1 -v 12.1.0.2 \# odacli create-database -m -n hrmsdb2 -v 12.1.0.2.170718
```

The following statement creates a new database against a home with Oracle Database Bundle patch 170814:

```
# odacli create-database -m -n hrmsdb3 -v 12.1.0.2.170814
```

## odacli clone-database

Use the  $odacli\ clone-database\ command\ to\ clone\ a\ new\ database\ from\ a\ source\ database.$ 

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli clone-database [-u] [-n] [-s] [-y|SI|RAC|RACONE] [-j] [-from] [-m] [-p] [-h]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
databaseUniqueName, -u	(Optional) Defines a unique name for the database. If thedatabaseUniqueName option is not provided, then the name of the database is set to thedbname value.
dbname, -n	Defines the name given to the new database (dbname.)
dbshape, -s	Identifies the database shape (template) and determines the total memory allocated to the database. For example, odb1 and odb2. The default is odb1.
dbtype, -y [SI]	Defines the database type. The default database type is SI.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.
sourcedbname, -from	Specifies the name of the source database
syspassword, -m	Specifies the password for the SYS user.
tdepassword, -p	Specifies the password for the source TDE Wallet.

#### **Usage Notes**

- The source database must be up and running.
- The source database must use Oracle ACFS storage.
- The source database must not be a multitenant container database (CDB)

#### Example 13-60 Cloning a Database

The following example creates a clone database snap1 from source database acfsdb1.

# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli clone-database -n snapl -u snaplu -f acfsdbl - hm password



#### **Related Topics**

Cloning a Database
 Create a database from an existing Oracle ACFS database.

# odacli modify-database

Use the odacli modify-database command to move a database from one database home to another database home of same base version.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli modify-database [-i] [-n] [-h] [-j]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
databaseid,-i	Defines the Database ID.
destdbhomeid, -n	Defines the database ID of the destination database home.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.

#### Example 13-61 Modifying a Database

# ./odacli modify-database -i database\_ID -dh destination\_database\_home\_ID

# odacli register-database

Use the odacli register-database command to register a migrated database with the appliance.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli register-database -c {OLTP|DSS|IMDB} -s dbshape -t dbtypeSI -o hostname -sn servicename -p syspassword[-bi backupconfigid] [-co|-no-co] [-h][-j]



#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
backupconfigid, -bi	(Optional) Defines the backup configuration identifier for future use.
dbclass, -c {OLTP DSS IMDB}	Defines the database class. The database class setting determines the database SGA memory and instance PGA memory configuration. The options are as follows:
	<ul><li>Enterprise Edition: OLTP, DSS, or IMDB.</li><li>Standard Edition: OLTP</li></ul>
dbconsole, -co	(Optional) Enables the Database Console. Use the -no-coflag to disable the Database Console. If not selected, the default is no Da- tabase Console.
dbshape, -s	Identifies the database shape (template) and determines the total memory allocated to the database. For example, odb1 and odb2. The default is odb1.
dbtype, -t [SI]	Defines the type of database. The database type is Single Instance. The default is SI.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
hostname, -o	Defines the host name. Default: local host name
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.
no-dbconsole, -no-co	(Optional) Disables Database Console. Use the -coflag to enable Database Console.
servicename, -sn	Defines the Database Service Name. Using this service name, the EZCONNECT String is derived for connecting to the database. For example, hostname:port/servicename.
	The Port number is the port configured for the listener, as part of the deployment.
syspassword, -p	Defines the proxy user password for SYS.

#### **Usage Notes**



It is a good practice to use Easy Connect (EZCONNECT) to test the database connectivity before registering the database. Log in as the  ${\tt sys}$  user and enter the following command:

sqlplus sys/password@//hostname:1521/service name



- The migrated database is registered with the listener configured during the provisioning of the appliance. The migrated database must be in read-write or read-only mode for the registration to succeed.
- The register-database command validates the datafile and log file locations and moves the controlfile and spfile to the correct locations.
- The following are the minimum compatible parameters set, based on the database version:

Oracle Database 18c : 18.3.0.0Oracle Database 12c : 12.1.0.2

Oracle Database 11 g: 11.2.0.4

• Some init.ora parameters are set, or reset, as part of the registration. Review the parameter changes before and after registration.

The following are examples of changes implemented as part of registration:

- The memory\_target is reset.
- The sga\_target/pga\_aggregate\_target/log\_buffer/inmemory\_size is configured based on the database class and database shape settings used during registration.
- The registration process sets, or resets, the recommended appliance-specific parameters.
- The database being registered must use Oracle Managed Files and the file location must match the DATA Location, REDO Location and RECO Location of the odacli describe-dbstorage command.
- As part of the registration process, the database is registered with Oracle Clusterware. Depending on the database role, the database is registered as Primary or Standby database with Oracle Clusterware.
- If you are registering the database as a standby database, then open the database in **read-only** mode before executing the odacli register-database command.

#### Example 13-62 Registering a Migrated Database

The following is the syntax to register a single instance OLTP database that is using shape odb1.

```
odacli register-database -c OLTP -s odb1 -sn crmdb.example.com -p
Password for SYS:
{
   "jobId" : "317b430f-ad5f-42ae-bb07-13f053d266e2",
   "status" : "Created",
   "message" : null,
   "reports" : [ ],
   "createTimestamp" : "March 18, 2019 05:55:49 AM EDT",
   "description" : "Database service registration with db service name:
crmdb.example.com",
   "updatedTime" : "March 18, 2019 05:55:49 AM EDT"
}
rpandrap: ]# odacli describe-job -i "317b430f-ad5f-42ae-bb07-13f053d266e2"
Job details
```



-----

ID: 317b430f-ad5f-42ae-bb07-13f053d266e2

Description: Database service registration with db service

name: crmdb.example.com

Status: Success

Created: March 18, 2019 5:55:49 AM EDT

Message:

Task Name	Start Time
restore control file move spfile to right location register DB with clusterware reset db parameters Running DataPatch	March 18, 2019 5:55:49 AM EDT March 18, 2019 5:56:08 AM EDT March 18, 2019 5:56:13 AM EDT March 18, 2019 5:57:05 AM EDT March 18, 2019 5:57:36 AM EDT
(Continued) End Time	Status
March 18, 2019 5:56:08 AM EDT March 18, 2019 5:56:13 AM EDT March 18, 2019 5:57:05 AM EDT March 18, 2019 5:57:36 AM EDT March 18, 2019 5:57:49 AM EDT	Success Success Success Success Success

# odacli upgrade-database

Use the  ${\tt odacli}\ {\tt upgrade-database}$  command to upgrade a database from a supported release.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

#### To upgrade an Oracle Database:

odacli upgrade-database -i Comma separated list of database ids -from source dbhome id -to destination dbhome id [-j] [-h]

Parameter	Description
databaseids, -i	(Optional) Defines the Database IDs to upgrade. You can use a comma separated list of database IDs.
destDbHomeId, -to	The DB HOME ID of the destination database home.
sourceDbHomeId, -from	The DB HOME ID of the source database home.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.



#### **Usage Notes**

You have the following options for defining the databases to upgrade:

- When you define a single database ID, only the database of the source database home is upgraded.
- When you define more than one database ID, only those databases of the source database home are upgraded.
- When you do not define a database ID, all of the databases under the source database home are upgraded.

You can upgrade databases of the following releases:

- Oracle Database 12.2 to 18c
- Oracle Database 12.1 to 18c
- Oracle Database 11c to 18c
- Oracle Database 12.1 to 12.2
- Oracle Database 11c to 12.2
- Oracle Database 11c to 12.1

#### Example 13-63 Upgrading an Oracle Database

In this example, a single database is upgraded. Use the command odacli list-databases to display the database ID, then use the command odacli upgrade-databases to upgrade the 11.2.0.4 database. After the upgrade is complete, you can run the command odacli list-databases again to verify the upgrade.

```
# odacli list-databases
                                 DB Name DB Version CDB
_____
                                 ______
ad6c7326-e460-411e-94df-230dedbef743 rdb121a 11.2.0.4 true
fb4d02f3-2413-47ca-8584-a768e23ec2e7 ee12db 12.1.0.2 false
(Continued)
Class Shape Storage Status
OLTP odb1 ACFS Configured
IMDB odb1 ASM Configured
# odacli upgrade-database -i ad6c7326-e460-411e-94df-230dedbef743 -from fa4321f5-0543-477d-
bb54-a429dcc8ee8d -to d752df28-ecdd-4af4-9454-38085ea17f8b
  "jobId": "1bbe8boe-acb0-4296--9c8b-473b69da0c18",
  "status" : "Created",
  "message" : null,
  "reports" : [ ],
  "createTimestamp" : "October 24, 2017 03:54:03 AM EDT",
  "description": "Database service upgrade with db ids: [ad6c7326-e460-411e-94df-230ded-
bef743]",
  "updatedTime" : "October 24, 2017 03:54:03 AM EDT"
# odacli list-databases
ID
                                 DB Name DB Version CDB
                                 -----
ad6c7326-e460-411e-94df-230dedbef743 rdb121a 12.1.0.2 true
```



fb4d02f	3-2413-470	ca-8584-a7	68e23ec2e7	ee12db	12.1.0.2	false
(Continu	ued) Shape	Storage	Status			
OLTP IMDB	odb1 odb1	ACFS ASM	Configure Configure			
TMDB	Oubl	ASM	Configure	J		

#### **Related Topics**

About Upgrading to a Different Database Home
 Understand how to upgrade to a different database home using either the Web Console or odacli commands.

## odacli delete-database

Use the odacli delete-database command to delete a database.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

#### To delete a database:

odacli delete-database -i dbid [-h] [-j]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
dbid, -i	Identifies the database home identifier (ID) to display.
	Use the odacli list-databases command to obtain the dbid.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.

#### Usage



The delete-database command deletes the database, the file system, and the underlying advm volumes assigned to the database. For example, deleting a database named hrdb also deletes the file system /u02/app/oracle/oradata/hrdb. Do not keep any other files on this database file location.

#### Example 13-64 Deleting a Database Named hrmsdb

In this example we want to delete a database named hrmsdb. Before we can delete the database, we need to know the database home identifier (*dbid*). This example shows



how to run the odacli list-databases command to list the databases and their associated *dbid*, then how to delete database hrmsdb.

# odacli list-databases

ID			DB Name	DB Version	CDB	
Class						
a3f4a6c0-	a0c9-4c79	-bad7-898afcf9de46	hrmsdb	12.1.0.2	true	OLTP
7e28bf52-	1a09-49fd	-9391-841838d2c42f	crmdb	12.1.0.2	false	OLTP
(continue	d)					
Shape	Storage	Status				

odb1 ACFS Configured odb1 ACFS Configured

# odacli delete-database -i a3f4a6c0-a0c9-4c79-bad7-898afcf9de46

# odacli DBHome Commands

Use the odacli DBHome commands to manage database Home operations.

#### odacli list-dbhomes

Use the odacli list-dbhomes command to display a list of Oracle Home directories.

#### odacli describe-dbhome

Use the odacli describe-dbhome command to display Oracle Database Home details.

#### odacli create-dbhome

Use the  ${\tt odacli}$  create-dbhome command to create an Oracle Database Home.

#### · odacli delete-dbhome

Use the  $odacli\ delete-dbhome$  command to delete database home that is not associated with a database.

## odacli list-dbhomes

Use the odacli list-dbhomes command to display a list of Oracle Home directories.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

To display a list of Oracle Home directories:

```
odacli list-dbhomes [-h] [-j]
```



#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help,-h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json,-j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.

#### **Example 13-65** Displaying a List of Oracle Home Directories

Run the following command to display a list of Oracle Home directories:

# odacli list-dbhomes

ID	Name	DB Version
b727bf80-c99e-4846-ac1f-28a81a725df6	OraDB12102_home1	12.1.0.2
(continued) Home Location		
/u01/app/orauser/product/12.1.0.2/dbl	nome_1	

## odacli describe-dbhome

Use the odacli describe-dbhome command to display Oracle Database Home details.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

To display details about Oracle Database Home:

odacli describe-dbhome -i dbhomeid [-h] [-j] [-v]

Parameter	Description
-i dbhomeid	Identifies the database home ID. Use the odacli list-dbhomes command to get the dbhomeid.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
-vdbversion	(Optional) Identifies the Database Home Version. Use the odacli list-dbhomes -v command to get the <i>dbversion</i> .



#### **Example 13-66 Displaying Oracle Database Home Details**

The following output is an example of using the display Oracle Database Home details command:

# odacli describe-dbhome -i b727bf80-c99e-4846-ac1f-28a81a725df6

DB Home details

\_\_\_\_\_\_

ID: b727bf80-c99e-4846-ac1f-28a81a725df6
Name: OraDB12102\_home1

Version: 12.1.0.2

Home Location: /u01/app/orauser/product/12.1.0.2/dbhome\_1

Created: Jun 2, 2016 10:19:23 AM

### odacli create-dbhome

Use the odacli create-dbhome command to create an Oracle Database Home.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

To create an Oracle Database Home:

odacli create-dbhome -v version [-j] [-h]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description	
-v version number	Defines the database bundle patch number.	
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.	
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.	

#### **Usage Notes**

For the version number, you can specify the database version, either 18.5.0.0, 12.2.0.1, 12.1.0.2 or 11.2.0.4, or you can use a 5 digit format to specify a specific patch bundle version. For example, 12.1.0.2.161018. If you use the database version without specifying the bundle patch number, then the latest bundle patch is used.

The following values are supported:

- 18.5.0.0
- 12.2.0.1
- 12.2.0.1.170814
- 12.1.0.2
- 12.1.0.2.170718



- 12.1.0.2.170418
- 12.1.0.2.161018
- 12.1.0.2.160719
- 12.1.0.2.160419
- 11.2.0.4
- 11.2.0.4.170718
- 11.2.0.4.170418
- 11.2.0.4.161018
- 11.2.0.4.160719



Oracle Database 11.2.0.4.160419 is not supported. Attempts to create an Oracle Database 11.2 against an 11.2.0.4.160419 database home will fail.

#### Example 13-67 Creating an Oracle Database Home

The following example creates an Oracle Database Home version 18.5.0.0.190115.

# odacli create-dbhome -v 18.5.0.0.190115

## odacli delete-dbhome

Use the odacli delete-dbhome command to delete database home that is not associated with a database.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli delete-dbhome -i [-h]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
id, -i	Identifies the database home using a database identifier (ID).
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

#### **Usage Notes**

Use the odacli list-dbhomes command to locate the identifier.



- To delete, or uninstall, a database home (dbhome), there must not be any associated databases in the dbhome.
- Use the odacli delete-database command to delete an existing database.

#### Example 13-68 Deleting an Empty Database Home

# odacli delete-dbhome -i 0ce547ca-3df2-4178-a7e6-eefa613aeab4

# odacli Database Storage Commands

Use the Database Storage commands to list, describe, create, and delete Oracle database storage.

#### odacli list-dbstorages

Use the odacli list-dbstorages command to display a list of all of the database storage configured in the appliance.

#### odacli describe-dbstorage

Use the odacli describe-dbstorage command to display storage configuration details.

#### odacli create-dbstorage

Use the odacli create-dbstorage command to create the file system for database migrations.

#### odacli delete-dbstorage

Use the odacli delete-dbstorage command to delete database storage that is not associated with a database.

#### odacli describe-dgstorage

Use the  $\mbox{odacli}$  describe-dgstorages command to display the disk group information.

#### odacli list-dgstorages

Use the odacli list-dgstorages command to display the disk group information.

## odacli list-dbstorages

Use the odacli list-dbstorages command to display a list of all of the database storage configured in the appliance.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

# odacli list-dbstorages [-h]



#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

#### **Usage Notes**

This command displays a list of all of the filesystems that are configured with the create-database command and the create-dbstorage command.

#### Example 13-69 Displaying a List of all Database Storage

# odacli list-dbstorages

ID Type	DBUnique	Name	Status
9fe39332-cc1a-4b4b-8393-165524a6ef6b	Acfs	rdb121a	Configured
4f2a1b59-ca66-4d80-951c-425ab7b0acae	Asm	ee12db	Configured
0266edac-c729-4539-861f-3f3d543be9e4	Acfs	db12SE	Configured

# odacli describe-dbstorage

Use the odacli describe-dbstorage command to display storage configuration details.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli describe-dbstorage -i [-j] [-h]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
id, -i	Identifies the database storage.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

#### **Usage Notes**

- Use the odacli list-dbstorages command to get the database storage identifier (ID).
- The DATA Location corresponds to the init.ora parameter db\_create\_file\_dest.



- RECO Location corresponds to the init.ora parameter db\_recovery\_file\_dest
- REDO Location corresponds to the init.ora parameter db\_create\_online\_log\_dest\_1

#### **Example 13-70 Displaying Database Oracle ACFS Storage Details**

The following example displays Oracle ASM Cluster file system (ACFS) storage details:

#### **Example 13-71 Displaying Database Oracle ASM Storage Details**

The following example displays Oracle Automatic Storage Management (Oracle ASM) storage details:



# odacli create-dbstorage

Use the odacli create-dbstorage command to create the file system for database migrations.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli create-dbstorage -n dbname -s dataSize -u databaseUniqueName -r [ASM ACFS] [-h]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
dbname, -n	Defines the name of the database.
dataSize, -s	(Optional) Defines the size, in gigabytes (GB), of the filesystem for storing database files and temp files. The default is: 100 GB The minimum size is 10 GB. When entering the size, do not include GB. For example, for 50 GB, use 50.
databaseUniqueName, -u	(Optional) Defines a unique name for the database. Specify only if the database unique name is different than the database name. The command creates the following mount point: /u02/app/oracle/oradata/dbunique name
dbstorage, -r [ASM ACFS]	(Optional) Defines the type of database storage, either ASM or ACFS. When you select ASM, the command only creates the supporting directory structure for storing non-database files. The default is: ASM
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

#### **Usage Notes**

- The odacli create-dbstorage command registers the storage metadata with the Appliance Manager.
- Oracle Database is supported on both Oracle Automatic Storage Management (Oracle ASM) and Oracle ASM Cluster file system (ACFS). The default is Oracle ASM.
- When you create ACFS database storage, the command creates a separate ACFS file system and creates the directory structure for other database files, such as archives and online logs.
- When you create ASM database storage, the command only creates the corresponding directories for non-database files.



#### **Example 13-72 Creating Database Storage**

The following statement creates 50 GB ACFS database storage for the APPSDB database.

```
# odacli create-dbstorage -n APPSDB -s 50 -r ACFS
{
    "jobId" : "fc6bf8fd-60c2-44f3-b8b7-efd0e9a2149f",
    "status" : "Created",
    "message" : null,
    "reports" : [ ],
    "createTimestamp" : "August 09, 2016 06:19:35 AM WSST",
    "description" : "Database storage service creation with db name:
APPSDB",
    "updatedTime" : "August 09, 2016 06:19:35 AM WSST"
}
```

## odacli delete-dbstorage

Use the odacli delete-dbstorage command to delete database storage that is not associated with a database.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli delete-dbstorage -i [-h]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
id, -i	Identifies the database storage using a database identifier (ID).
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

#### **Usage Notes**

- You can only use the delete-dbstorage when the storage is not associated with any databases.
- Use the delete-database command to delete an existing database.
- Use the list-dbstorages command to locate the identifier.

#### Example 13-73 Deleting Empty Database Storage

# odacli delete-dbstorage -i 9fe39332-cc1a-4b4b-8393-165524a6ef6b



# odacli describe-dgstorage

Use the odacli describe-dgstorages command to display the disk group information.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli describe-dgstorage -d diskgroup -h

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
diskgroup, -d	Specifies the disk group for which information is displayed.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

#### **Usage Notes**

This command displays the storage information for all the databases backed by a disk group, for each disk group present in the system.

#### **Example 13-74 Displaying Disk Group Storage**

```
# odacli list-dgstorages -r redundancy
Diskgroup storage details

-----
Diskgroup: DATA

Redundancy: extern|normal|high|flex
Physical Free Space: wGB
Physical Total Space: xGB
```

Database Unique Name: rdbx

Location: /u02/app/test/test1/rdbx

Used Space: dGB (acfsutil.total -

acfsutil.freespace)



```
Free Space: dGB (acfsutil.freespace)
                Database Unique Name: rdby
                                    Location: +DATA/rdby
                                    Used Space: zGB (v$asm_file.bytes)
                                    Free Space: xGB
                                                      (PhyFree/redundancy)
                                    Physical Space: vGB(v$asm_diskgroup.to-
tal_mb)
                                    Physical Used : wGB (v$asm_file.space)
                                    Physical Free : uGB(v$asm_dis-
kgroup.free_mb)
                                    Physical Reserved : uGB(Lookup Table)
Diskgroup: RECO
                  Redundancy: normal|high|flex
                  Physical Free Space: wGB
                  Physical Total Space: xGB
                  Database Unique Name: rdbx
                                    Location: /u02/app/test/fast_recov-
ery_area
                                    Used Space: dGB (acfsutil.total -
acfsutil.freespace)
                                    Free Space: dGB (acfsutil.freespace)
                Database Unique Name: rdby
                                    Location: +DATA/rdby
                                    Used Space: zGB (v$asm_file.bytes)
                                    Free Space: xGB
                                                      (PhyFree/redundancy)
                                    Physical Space: vGB(v$asm_diskgroup.to-
tal_mb)
                                    Physical Used : wGB (v$asm_file.space)
                                    Physical Free : uGB(v$asm_dis-
```

kgroup.free\_mb)

Physical Reserved : uGB(Lookup Table)

## odacli list-dgstorages

Use the odacli list-dastorages command to display the disk group information.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli list-dgstorages -r redundancy -h

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
redundancy, -r	Specifies the disk group redundancy.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

#### **Usage Notes**

- The command displays the storage-related information for all the disk groups present in the system.
- The redundancy option is valid only for FLEX disk groups. For all disk groups that
  are not FLEX, logical free space is calculated using the redundancy obtained from
  v\$asm\_diskgroup rather than the CLI option.
- Redundancy option can take the values EXTERN | NORMAL | HIGH. Use any of these options to specify the redundancy for FLEX disk groups.
- In the example below, Physical Total Space is the total space in the disk group. (V\$ASM\_DISKGROUP.total\_mb) Physical Reserved Space is the reserved space required to handle disk failures. Physical Free Space is the free space in the disk group. (V\$ASM\_DISKGROUP.free\_mb) Logical Free Space is the logical free space in the diskgroup. (V\$ASM\_DISKGROUP.free\_mb / redundancy)

This command displays the storage information for all the databases backed by a disk group, for each disk group present in the system.

#### **Example 13-75 Displaying Disk Group Storage**

# # odacli list-dgstorages -r redundancy Diskgroup Redundancy Physical Total Space Physical Reserved Space Physical Free Space Logical Free Space DATA FLEX xGB yGB



	zGB					uGB
REDO yGB		HIGH		xGB		
	zGB					uGB
RECO yGB zGB		NORMAL	xGB		uGB	

## odacli Job Commands

Use the  $odacli\ list-jobs\ and\ odacli\ describe-job\ commands\ to\ display\ job\ details.$ 

#### odacli list-jobs

Use the odacli list-jobs command to display a list of jobs, including the job IDs, status, and the job created date and time stamp.

#### odacli describe-job

Use the odacli describe-job command to display details about a specific job, including the job ID, status, tasks, and the job created date and time stamp.

odacli list-scheduled-executions

# odacli list-jobs

Use the odacli list-jobs command to display a list of jobs, including the job IDs, status, and the job created date and time stamp.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

To list jobs and view job details and status:

odacli list-jobs 
$$[-j]$$
  $[-h]$   $[-o]$   $[-f]$   $[-t]$   $[-hd]$   $[-tl]$   $[-k]$   $[-s]$ 

Parameter	Description		
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.		
help,-h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.		



Parameter	Description
for, -o	(Optional) Describes a job created on a specific date. In the format $YYYY-MM-DD$ , such as $2018-01-01$ .
	Example:
	# odacli list-jobs -o 2018-08-09
from, -f	(Optional) Describes a job created since a specific date. In the format YYYY-MM-DD or YYYY-MM-DD HH:mm:ss, such as 2018-01-01 or 2018-01-01 01:00:00. Examples:
	# odacli list-jobs -f 2018-08-27
	# odacli list-jobs -f "2018-08-27 03:00:00"
head, -hd	(Optional) Describes the maximum number of older jobs to be displayed, values can be 1 to 200.  Example:
	odacli list-jobs -hd 10
to, -t	(Optional) Describes a job created ahead of a specific date. In the format YYYY-MM-DD or YYYY-MM-DD HH:mm:ss, such as 2018-01-01 or 2018-01-01 01:00:00.
	Example:
	# odacli list-jobs -t 2018-08-07
tail,-tl	(Optional) Describes the maximum number of latest jobs to be displayed, values can be 1 to 200.
	Example:
	# odacli list-jobs -tl 10
keyword, -k	(Optional) Specifies the keyword that the job description contains.
	Example:
	# odacli list-jobs -k OraDB



Parameter	Description
status, -s	(Optional) Specifies the status of the job, such as Created, Scheduled, Running, Failure, Success, InternalError.  Example:
	# odacli list-jobs -s Failure

#### Example 13-76 Displaying a List of Jobs

To display a list of jobs:

```
# odacli list-jobs
```

ID	Description	Created
a6084067-72a1-4625-bea7-efd 10:19:23 AM	Provisioning service	creation Jun 2, 2018
(Continued) Status		
Success		

#### Example 13-77 Displaying Specified Number of Older Jobs

To display a specified number of older jobs:

```
# odacli list-jobs -hd 5
ID Description Created Status
--- ---
643c6186-a667-43d7-847f-d756a96fa072 Create detailed Backup Report
August 5, 2018 12:36:26 AM UTC Success
f29cb82c-6150-487d-aaff-52d65f6ab972 Create recovery-pitr : time
'08/05/2018 07:16:12'
for db : igIyoz August 5, 2018 1:01:39 AM UTC Success
cfe19337-ab2f-4ef3-85b5-24601ba31be2 Create detailed Backup Report
August 5, 2018 1:17:46 AM UTC Success
3749b5e2-240e-4df5-b3c1-32d345243b25 Create detailed Backup Report
August 5, 2018 2:01:07 AM UTC Success
64828852-bb16-4f06-aca9-4bdf9fe7b6f2 Create regular-5 Backup with TAG-iD5UNjBZ8HN2FYL
for Db:igIyoz August 5, 2018 2:14:19 AM UTC Success
```

#### Example 13-78 Displaying Jobs in a Date Range

To display jobs created within a time frame:

```
\# ./odacli list-jobs -f 2018-08-07 -t 2018-08-08 ID Description Created Status
```



1fc5ef97-a9db-49b2-9664-7c551bd005f4 Authentication key update for test\_user August 7, 2018 12:56:58 AM UTC Success e24f86cf-bb2e-4ebe-84e0-da5cedb27ad4 Provisioning service creation August 7, 2018 1:00:54 AM UTC Success 7f67efd6-cce5-47b4-8dc4-fdb732491f99 CPU cores service update August 7, 2018 1:41:05 AM UTC Success 0ae9a312-bac8-43be-8a64-5a12c24c2a02 SSH keys update August 7, 2018 1:42:59 AM UTC Success af41fdc1-87ff-46cd-bc41-26615e115ae7 SSH key delete August 7, 2018 1:44:56 AM UTC Success 79e4cbb0-b474-48ab-9e04-d3d602bc0ed2 DcsCli patching August 7, 2018 1:50:18 AM UTC Success edd55e7d-f81f-4a10-942d-1121aef0bff3 DcsCli patching August 7, 2018 1:50:32 AM UTC Success acc22c60-3476-4566-8faa-4d36b116eded create backup config:aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa August 7, 2018 2:01:46 AM UTC Success d89efedf-9110-429a-a3b2-ccd6a53f8564 Database Home OraDB12201\_home2 creation with version :12.2.0.1 August 7, 2018 2:36:05 AM UTC Success 2a5532ae-41fa-47c2-bc90-010a5f26d6b2 Database service creation with db name: my122 August 7, 2018 3:52:38 AM UTC Success c4e533e9-c596-478f-92db-2f11f1384075 Discover Components : all August 7, 2018 4:07:09 AM UTC Success 149e89b5-27d3-4c7c-9c03-f029ca3dd495 Discover Components: all August 7, 2018 4:08:45 AM UTC Success 21d4c37b-49ad-48dd-a1db-1f25d9288312 Database Home OraDB11204\_home1 creation with version :11.2.0.4 August 7, 2018 4:19:32 AM UTC Success b61dbbca-edc1-4a4a-9db2-82b0bdcb64e6 Database service deletion with db name: myTestDb with id : 6400c81d-5837-480c-b4a1-7c01591ee144 August 7, 2018 4:24:50 AM UTC Success d4a104df-5796-4e37-9173-82f0e263d642 create backup config:bkfgd August 7, 2018 4:28:54 AM UTC Success a121d40b-f33b-47a4-8fc6-4e3b84173f44 Database service creation with db name: my112 August 7, 2018 6:51:13 PM UTC Success 42dd661f-9ba0-4877-ace9-39d3f212c071 Discover Components: all August 7, 2018 7:12:56 PM UTC Success 2f648f5a-c9c5-42ec-adb0-98cf6497c89e Discover System Components : system August 8, 2018 3:28:12 AM UTC Success a5755f43-509d-4d4c-b7ef-9f99660c4de7 DB Home Patching: Home Id is 97df26b3-42f2-4189-805b-82d1b38737d0 August 8, 2018 3:52:08 AM UTC Success 79b0e697-065f-4630-a524-8d072a4e139a Database Home OraDB12102 home1 creation with version :12.1.0.2 August 8, 2018 4:34:30 AM UTC Success 112b75bc-3512-4c28-a479-3e0317eb0dc4 Database service creation with db name: mynew121 August 8, 2018 8:02:51 AM UTC Failure 09f56fb0-le91-4b02-a9b8-5add11a8da32 Database service creation with db name: my121a August 8, 2018 9:13:01 AM UTC Success 5633ded9-07ea-4bf9-9533-31eb65789fe7 Database service deletion with db name: mynew121 with id: 24be4362-16c8-476f-903a-f6f2ef59f5e4 August 8, 2018 9:24:31 AM UTC Success 458dlc45-02dc-456c-ae88-5da613faaa66 Database service creation with db name: mynew121 August 8, 2018 9:27:31 AM UTC Success f178f378-a9d7-4d5c-b6f5-6f62ea4e05bb Database service deletion with db name: myTestDb with id : ef50387b-0c62-4446-b210-f8d070e2a043 August 8, 2018 9:40:43 AM UTC Success

7fab740f-a711-466a-ba6d-dd5643374c28 Database service deletion with db

```
name: myTestDb with id : 6632a083-558a-4eb4-8c2b-af0710179980 August 8, 2018 9:41:04 AM UTC Success 3121529d-2b9d-4bbe-bf58-996c2cf46996 Database service creation with db name: mydss August 8, 2018 9:42:06 AM UTC Success 3d0a9261-19d7-42bb-8b92-00fcc4f8c41e Discover Components : db August 8, 2018 10:17:22 AM UTC Success
```

## odacli describe-job

Use the odacli describe-job command to display details about a specific job, including the job ID, status, tasks, and the job created date and time stamp.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

To view a specific job, status, and tasks:

```
odacli describe-job -i jobid [-j] [-h]
```

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
jobid, -i <i>jobid</i>	Identifies the job. To get the job identifier (jobid), run the list-jobs command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

#### Example 13-79 Displaying Details for a Job

To display details of a specific job with jobid 02df22c8-c21f-4162-8265-97f7826c243a:

# odacli describe-job -i 02df22c8-c21f-4162-8265-97f7826c243a

## odacli list-scheduled-executions

Use the command odacli list-scheduled-executions to display a list of jobs that were executed.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli list-scheduled-executions [-j] [-h]



#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.

## Example 13-80 Displaying a List of Scheduled and Executed Jobs

Display a list of scheduled tasks, the status, and the date and time that the task was executed. In the following example, three (3) scheduled tasks were executed. One task, Schedule ID 04b5750c-0d13-42cf-aba3-85416e8edafb, was executed twice.

To learn more about a scheduled backup, run the command odacli list-schedules. The output displays the ID, name, description, and schedule for each task.

```
# odacli list-schedules
ID
                                        Name
Description
d136cc72-4a80-4ab8-9f1e-120b995b2794 metastore maintenance
                                                                    in-
ternal metastore maintenance
04b5750c-0d13-42cf-aba3-85416e8edafb AgentState metastore cleanup in-
ternal agentstateentry metastore maintenance
7ee1e2aa-80a8-4297-97f7-365b84bcce4d backupreport maintenance
                                                                    back-
up reports deletion
(Continued)
CronExpression
                              Disabled
0 0 0 1/1 * ? *
                              true
```

false

false



0 0 0 1/1 \* ? \*

0 0 0 1/3 \* ? \*

## odacli Network Commands

Use the odacli network commands to list and describe network interfaces.

## odacli list-networks

Use the odacli list-networks command to display networks.

#### odacli describe-network

Use the odacli describe-network command to display the details of a specific network.

## odacli create-network

Use the odacli create-network command to create a network.

#### odacli update-network

Use the odacli update-network command to update an existing network configuration.

#### odacli delete-network

Use the command odacli delete-network to delete a network.

## odacli describe-networkinterface

Use the odacli describe-networkinterface command to display the details of any network interface.

## odacli list-networkinterfaces

Use the odacli list-networkinterfaces command to display network interfaces.

## odacli list-networks

Use the odacli list-networks command to display networks.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

odacli list-networks [-j] [-h]

Parameter	Description
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
nodeNumber, -u	(Optional) Displays the network interface information for the specified node. By default, the node number is always the first node (Node0).



## Example 13-81 Displaying a List of Networks

Use the odacli list-networks command to display a list of networks:

## odacli describe-network

Use the odacli describe-network command to display the details of a specific network.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

To display the details of a specific network:

odacli describe-network -i id [-j][-u][-h]

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
id, -i	Identifies the network ID. Use the odacli list-networks command to obtain the id.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
nodeNumber, -u	(Optional) Displays the network interface information for the specified node. By default, the node number is always the first node (Node0).

## **Example 13-82 Displaying Network Details**

Enter the following command to display the details of network ID 93c07043-3002-494a-8fa0-f3ae932fb4c5:

# odacli describe-network -i 93c07043-3002-494a-8fa0-f3ae932fb4c5 -u 1

Network details

-----

ID: 93c07043-3002-494a-8fa0-f3ae932fb4c5

Name: Private-network

NIC: ibbond0 InterfaceType: BOND



IP Address: 192.168.16.25
Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.0

Gateway: VlanId:

Type: Private Default: false

Created: November 18, 2018 10:54:16 PM PST

## odacli create-network

Use the odacli create-network command to create a network.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

```
odacli create-network [-d|-no-d] -n interface -p ipaddress -w {Public|Private|Dataguard|Backup|Other} -s subnetmask -g gateway[-h] [-j] VLAN [-p]
```

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
defaultnetwork, -d	Identifies the default network.
gateway,-g	Defines the network gateway. The gateway is required for the default network.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
interface, -n	Defines the name of the network interface.
ipaddress, -p	Defines the network IP address.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.
networktype, -w	Defines the type of network. Options are: {Public Private Dataguard Backup Other}
no-defaultnetwork, no-d	Identifies a network as not the default network. Usedefault-networkd to identify a default network.
subnetmask, -s	Defines the Network Subnet Mask.
VLAN, -p	Add VLAN as a new network.

## **Usage Notes**

Use this command to create an additional network not done in create-appliance.

You are only allowed to create a network on the bond interface.



## Example 13-83 Creating a Network

The following example creates a new network, sfpbond1, with IP address 192.0.2.15. The network is an additional network that uses subnet mask 255.255.255.0 and is not a default network.

```
\# odacli create-network -n sfpbond1 -p 192.0.2.15 -w Backup -s 255.255.255.0 -no-d
```

## Example 13-84 Creating a VLAN Network

```
odacli create-network -u 0 -n btbond1 -t VLAN -p 192.0.2.1 -m vlan123 -w Database -s 255.255.255.0 -g 192.0.2.1 -v 123 odacli create-network -u 1 -n btbond1 -t VLAN -p 192.0.2.1 -m vlan123 -w Database -s 255.255.255.0 -g 192.0.2.1 -v 123
```

## odacli update-network

Use the odacli update-network command to update an existing network configuration.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

## To update a network:

```
odacli update-network -i id [-p IP address]
[-w [Public|Dataguard|Backup|Other]] [-s network subnet mask]
[-g network gateway] [-j] [-h]
```

### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
id, -i	Defines the network identity.
gateway,-g	(Optional) Defines the network gateway.
ipaddress,-p	(Optional) Defines the network IP address.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.
networktype, -w [Public Da-taguard Backup Other]	(Optional) Defines the type of network.
subnetmask, -s	(Optional) Defines the Network Subnet Mask.
help,-h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## **Usage Notes**

You cannot modify the Public and Private-interfaces after the system is deployed.



The system has both SFP+ and 10GBaseT bonded pairs, which means that one of them is used for the public, and you can configure the other after deployment if you want additional connectivity. For example, if you want a backup network.

## Example 13-85 Updating a Network

The following example updates network ID 192.0.0.2 and designates the network as a backup network:

```
# odacli update-network -i 192.0.0.2 -w Backup
```

## odacli delete-network

Use the command odacli delete-network to delete a network.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

To delete a network:

```
odacli delete-network -i id [-j] [-h]
```

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
id, -i	Defines the network identity.
json,-j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## **Usage Notes**

You cannot delete the Public-network or Private-network after the system is deployed.

## Example 13-86 Deleting a Network

The following example deletes a backup network with a network ID of 55db39db-d95c-42c5-abbd-b88eb99b83ec.

```
# odacli delete-network -i 55db39db-d95c-42c5-abbd-b88eb99b83ec
```

```
"jobId" : "c26d217e-419b-4a91-8680-7b06bcfe9828",
"status" : "Running",
"message" : null,
"reports" : [ {
    "taskId" : "TaskSequential_137",
    "taskName" : "deleting network",
    "taskResult" : "Running",
    "startTime" : "March 18, 2019 23:14:32 PM EDT",
```



```
"endTime" : "March 18, 2019 23:14:32 PM EDT",
 "status" : "Running",
 "taskDescription" : null,
 "parentTaskId" : "TaskSequential_135",
 "jobId" : "c26d217e-419b-4a91-8680-7b06bcfe9828",
 "tags" : [ ],
 "reportLevel" : "Info",
 "updatedTime" : "March 18, 2019 23:14:32 PM EDT"
"taskId" : "TaskZJsonRpcExt_142",
 "taskName" : "Setting up Network",
 "taskResult" : "Network setup success",
 "startTime" : "March 18, 2019 23:14:32 PM EDT",
 "endTime" : "March 18, 2019 23:14:32 PM EDT",
 "status" : "Success",
 "taskDescription" : null,
 "parentTaskId" : "TaskParallel_141",
 "jobId" : "c26d217e-419b-4a91-8680-7b06bcfe9828",
 "tags" : [ ],
 "reportLevel" : "Info",
 "updatedTime" : "March 18, 2019 23:14:32 PM EDT" } ],
"createTimestamp" : "March 18, 2019 23:14:32 PM EDT",
"description" : "Network service delete",
"updatedTime" : "March 18, 2019 23:14:32 PM EDT"
```

## odacli describe-networkinterface

Use the odacli describe-networkinterface command to display the details of any network interface.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

### **Syntax**

To display the details of a specific network interface:

```
odacli describe-networkinterface -i id [-j][-h][-u]
```

Parameter	Description	
id, -i	Identifies the network interface ID. Use the odacli list-networks command to obtain the id.	
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.	
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.	
nodeNumber, -u	(Optional) Displays the network interface information for the specified node. By default, the node number is always the first node (Node0).	



## **Usage Notes**

By default, this command always displays the network interface description of the first node (Node0). To display the description of another node, specify the node number option (-u).

## Example 13-87 Displaying Network Details

Enter the following command to display the details of network interface with ID fe1bf0a7-f56e-44cd-9a84-f374c0aa4b61:

```
# /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli describe-networkinterface
-i felbf0a7-f56e-44cd-9a84-f374c0aa4b61 -u 1
```

## Network Interface details

\_\_\_\_\_

ID: fe1bf0a7-f56e-44cd-9a84-f374c0aa4b61

Name: eth2
NIC: eth2
Type: PHYSICAL
Members: eth2

Slave Interface: true

Created: October 16, 2018 1:16:59 PM PDT

## odacli list-networkinterfaces

Use the odacli list-networkinterfaces command to display network interfaces.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

odacli list-networkinterfaces [-j] [-h] [-u]

Parameter	Description	
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.	
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.	
nodeNumber, -u	(Optional) Displays the network interface information for the specified node. By default, the node number is always the first node (Node0).	



## Example 13-88 Displaying a List of Network Interfaces

Use the odacli list-networkinterfaces command to display a list of network interfaces:

# odacli list	-networkinterfaces -u 1	Name	
NIC	Туре		
d5907a23-1c5d	-48c7-8d47-2c188ed43ddd BOND	bond0	
4f7ea558-9a43 bond1	-42a9-8e08-6bfdf3a33229 BOND	bond1	
743ced8d-bbe5eth0	-4987-b316-5fdf95d5e60b PHYSICAL	eth0	
a4121f9e-e694 eth1	-4852-a521-44efc6ef3fde PHYSICAL	eth1	
c62c5f04-aa93	-4783-a3a7-275bf9fab2d9 PHYSICAL	eth2	
bda21dad-5c1c	-4073-89e5-798b8fce8533	eth3	
0141f1ac-5c34	-4393-8b99-76094b6f795c	ib0	
e8cb138a-087f	-4739-bb8d-90b1d903aeb6	ib1	
a31cfd63-fb90	-4cbb-a2fb-382c5e33983b OND	ibbond0	ib-

# Log Commands

Use the odacli log commands to specify the options to collect and delete logs.

## odaadmcli manage diagcollect

Use the odaadmcli manage diagcollect command to collect diagnostic logs for Oracle Database Appliance components.

## odacli list-logspaceusage

Use the odacli list-logspaceusage command to display the log file usage.

## odacli create-logcleanjob

Use the odacli create-logcleanjob command to create a job to purge log files for a specified time period.

## odacli list-logcleanjobs

Use the odacli list-logcleanjobs command to list the jobs to purge log files.

#### odacli describe-logcleanjob

Use the odacli describe-logcleanjobcommandto describe a log cleanup job.

## odacli create-auto-logclean-policy

Use the odacli create-auto-logclean-policy command to create a policy for a job to automatically purge log files for a specified time period when certain criteria are met.



odacli list-auto-logclean-policy
 Use the odacli list-auto-logclean-policy command to list the jobs to
 purge log files.

## odaadmcli manage diagcollect

Use the odaadmcli manage diagcollect command to collect diagnostic logs for Oracle Database Appliance components.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli

## **Syntax**

To collect diagnostic logs for components:

odaadmcli manage diagcollect [-h] [--dataMask] [--dataSanitize]

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
dataMask	(Optional) Masks sensitive data. The default is No.
dataSanitize	(Optional) Sanitizes (redacts) sensitive data. The default is No.

## **Usage Notes**

The following types of sensitive information can be redacted using the --dataMask or the --dataSanitize option:

- Host names
- IP addresses
- Database names
- Tablespace names
- Service names
- Ports
- Operating System user names

For example, when the --dataMask option is used, all instances of a sensitive name such as a database name called "payrolldb" are replaced with "\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*" in the TFA collection.

For example, when the --dataSanitize option is used, all instances of a sensitive name such as a database name called "payrolldb" are replaced with another string, such as "oCjlN7F8P", in the TFA collection.



## **Example 13-89 Masking Sensitive Data in Log Collection**

```
# odaadmcli manage diagcollect --dataMask
invoke /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/diagcollector.py
DataMask is set as 1
Datasanitize is set as 0
Current TFA version is: 183000
```

## odacli list-logspaceusage

Use the odacli list-logspaceusage command to display the log file usage.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

To list jobs and view job details and status:

```
odacli list-logspaceusage [-c] [-h]
```

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
components, -c	Describes the list of components delimited by comma. The values can be gi database dcs. For example,gi,dcs.
help,-h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## Example 13-90 Displaying a List of Logs

To display log file space usage for a list of components:

```
odacli list-logspaceusage
Timestamp: July 25, 2018 7:31:39 PM UTC

Component Size(MB) Partition LogUsagePercentage PartitionFreePercentage

dcs 477.00 /dev/mapper/VolGroupSys-LogVolOpt 0.79
81.00

gi 1863.68 /dev/mapper/VolGroupSys-LogVolU01 1.85
86.00
```



# odacli create-logcleanjob

Use the odacli create-logcleanjob command to create a job to purge log files for a specified time period.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

To list jobs and view job details and status:

odacli create-logcleanjob [-h] [-c] [-o] [-u]

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
components, -c	(Optional) Specifies the list of components, separated by comma. The values are gi   database   dcs For example, gi, dcs.
olderthan, -o	(Optional) Cleans logs older than specified time interval. Default is 30 if it is not specified.
unit, -u	(Optional) Unit for theolderthan parameter. Default is Day if it is not specified.

## **Example 13-91 Creating Jobs to Purge Logs**

To create jobs to purge logs:

# odacli create-logcleanjob
Job details

-----

ID: e03d90b5-41dd-45e0-8b7a-1480d6d7f86f

Description: log file cleanup

Status: Created

Created: July 25, 2018 8:06:56 PM UTC

Message:

Task Name Start Time End Time Status



-----

-----

# ./odacli describe-job -i e03d90b5-41dd-45e0-8b7a-1480d6d7f86f

Job details

-----

ID: e03d90b5-41dd-45e0-8b7a-1480d6d7f86f

Description: log file cleanup

Status: Success

Created: July 25, 2018 8:06:56 PM UTC

Message:

Clean DCS logs July 25, 2018 8:06:56 PM UTC July 25, 2018 8:06:56 PM UTC Success

# odacli list-logcleanjobs

Use the odacli list-logcleanjobs command to list the jobs to purge log files.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

To list jobs and view job details and status:

odacli list-logcleanjobs [-h]

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.



## **Example 13-92 Listing Jobs to Purge Logs**

To list jobs to purge logs:

## odacli describe-logcleanjob

Use the odacli describe-logcleanjobcommandto describe a log cleanup job.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

To list jobs and view job details and status:

odacli describe-logcleanjob [-h]

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
jobid,-i	Displays the summary of the log cleanup with the specified job ID.

## Example 13-93 Displaying Log Cleanup Jobs

To display log cleanup jobs:



ly 25, 2018 8:06:56 PM UTC

e03d90b5-41dd-45e0-8b7a-1480d6d7f86f 0 0 bytes gi /u01/app/12.2.0.1/grid July 25, 2018 8:06:59 PM UTC

## odacli create-auto-logclean-policy

Use the odacli create-auto-logclean-policy command to create a policy for a job to automatically purge log files for a specified time period when certain criteria are met.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

To list jobs and view job details and status:

odacli create-auto-logclean-policy [-h] [-c] [-u] [-uMB] [-f] [-uP-er]

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
components, -c	(Optional) Specifies the list of components, separated by comma. The values are gi   database   dcs For example, gi   dcs.
olderthan, -o	(Optional) Cleans logs older than specified time interval. Default is 30 if it is not specified.
olderThanUnit, -u	(Optional) Unit for theolderthan parameter. Default is Day if it is not specified.
freeSpaceBelowPercentage,-f	Starts purge when free disk space is below the specified number of percentage of the to- tal partition size. Valid range is 20-50. Default is 20.
usageOverMB, -uMB	Starts purge when log usage is over the specified number of MB. Valid range is 10%-50% of partition size.
usageOverPercentage, -uPer	Starts purge when log usage is over the specified number of percentage of total partition space. Valid range is 10-50.

## **Example 13-94 Creating Automatic Jobs to Purge Logs**

To create a policy for automatic jobs to purge logs:

# odacli create-auto-logclean-policy -c 'dcs' -o 30 -uPer 30
Component UsageOverPercentage freeSpaceBelowPercentage UsageOverMB Older-



Than	OlderThanUnit				
dcs		30		20	
0	30		Day		
			-		

## odacli list-auto-logclean-policy

Use the odacli list-auto-logclean-policy command to list the jobs to purge log files.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

To list jobs and view job details and status:

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
components, -c	(Optional) Specifies the list of components, separated by comma. The values are gi   database   dcs For example, gi, dcs.

## **Example 13-95** Listing Jobs to Purge Logs

To list jobs to purge logs:

# odacli list-auto-logclean-policy
Component UsageOverPercentage freeSpaceBelowPercentage UsageOverMB OlderThan OlderThanUnit

gi	40		20
0	60	Day	
database	40		20
0	60	Day	
dcs	30		20
0	30	Day	20



# odacli Oracle Auto Service Request Commands

Use the Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) commands to configure, update, test, and delete Oracle ASR on the system.

- odacli configure-asr
- odacli update-asr
- odacli describe-asr
- odacli test-asr
- · odacli delete-asr

## odacli configure-asr

Use the odacli configure-asr command to configure Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) after deploying the appliance.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

odacli configure-asr -u username -a asrpassword [-r proxyserver] [-t proxyport]
[-y proxyuser] [-ppwd proxypassword] [-s snmpversion] -i[asrip] -e [internal external] [-j] [-h]

Parameter	Description
asrip, -i	(Optional) Identifies the external Oracle ASR Manager IP address.
asrpassword, -a	Defines the My Oracle Support password associated with the user name. Use this option to specify the password interactively. When using this option, do not enter the password in the command-line.
asrtype, -e {internal   external}	Defines the Oracle ASR Configuration Type. The default is internal.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.
proxypassword, -ppwd	(Optional) Defines the proxy user password.
proxyport, -t	(Optional) Defines the proxy server port.
proxyserver, -r	(Optional) Defines the Proxy Server Address.
proxyuser, -y	(Optional) Defines the proxy user name needed to authenticate the proxy server.



Parameter	Description
snmpversion, -s [V2 V3]	(Optional) Defines Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) Version 2 or SNMP Version 3. The default is V3.
username, -u	Defines the Oracle ASR user name. The user name is the My Oracle Support user name under which the server is registered.

## **Usage Notes**

All log files for Oracle ASR are located in the  $\var/opt/asrmanager/log/$  directory.

To configure an external Oracle ASR Manager, you must define the Oracle ASR Configuration Type as external (-e external). For example, odacli configure-asr -e external -i 198.51.100.1

## Example 13-96 Configuring Oracle ASR with a Proxy Server

This example configures Oracle ASR for user name scott.tiger@example.com. A proxy server, www-proxy.example.com, and port 80 are defined.

## Example 13-97 Configuring an External Oracle ASR

This example configures Oracle Database Appliance to use an external Oracle ASR instance at IP address 10.20.30.40.

```
# odacli configure-asr --asrip 10.20.30.40 --asrtype External
{
   "jobId" : "ea054a2f-d18d-4253-83bc-b57434e3598e",
   "status" : "Created",
   "message" : "Please run the script '/tmp/activateExternalAssets.pl' on
the ASRManager host once the current job is successful.",
   "reports" : [ ],
   "createTimestamp" : "November 20, 2016 22:12:34 PM EST",
   "description" : "Configure ASR",
```



```
"updatedTime" : "November 20, 2016 22:12:34 PM EST" }
```

When the job completes successfully, run the /tmp/activateExternalAssets.pl script on the Oracle ASR Manager host.

## odacli update-asr

Use the odacli update-asr command to make changes to Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) configuration details after deploying the appliance.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

```
update-asr -u username -a asrpassword [-r proxyserver] [-t proxyport] [-
y proxyuser [-ppwd proxypassword] [-s snmpversion] -i[asrip] -e [internal|
external] [-j] [-h]
```

Parameter	Description
asrip,-i	(Optional) Identifies the external Oracle ASR Manager IP address.
asrpassword, -a	Defines the My Oracle Support password associated with the user name. Use this option to specify the password interactively. When using this option, do not enter the password in the command-line.
asrtype, -e [internal   external]	Defines the Oracle ASR Configuration Type. The default is internal.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output.
proxypassword, -ppwd	(Optional) Defines the proxy user password.
proxyport, -t	(Optional) Defines the proxy server port.
proxyserver, -r	(Optional) Defines the Proxy Server Address.
proxyuser, -y	(Optional) Defines the proxy user name needed to authenticate the proxy server.
snmpversion, -s [v2 v3]	(Optional) Defines Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) Version 2 or SNMP Version 3. The default is v2.
username, -u	Defines the Oracle ASR user name. The user name is the My Oracle Support user name under which the server is registered.



## **Usage Notes**

- Enter the password during Oracle ASR configuration.
- All log files for Oracle ASR are located in the /var/opt/asrmanager/log/ directory.
- You cannot use the update-asr command to change the Oracle ASR type. For example, from internal to external. To change the Oracle ASR type, delete the existing configuration using the odacli delete-asr and then re-configure Oracle ASR using the odacli configure-asr command.
- To configure an external Oracle ASR Manager, you must define the Oracle ASR Configuration Type as external (-e external). For example, odacli update-asr -e external -i 198.51.100.1

## Example 13-98 Updating Oracle ASR with a New Proxy Server

This example updates Oracle ASR for user name scott.tiger@example.com. The password is not defined in the command-line. You are prompted to enter the password during configuration. The proxy server is updated to www-proxy2.example.com.

## odacli describe-asr

Use the odacli describe-asr command to display Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) configuration details.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

describe-asr [-h]



## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## Example 13-99 Displaying Oracle ASR Details

# odacli describe-asr

ASR details

\_\_\_\_\_

ID: e841d74a-687b-4e87-9548-1baa2090d48e Name: UserName: scott.tiger@example.com ProvyServerName: www-proxy.example.com

ProxyPort: 80 ProxyUserName: SnmpVersion: V3 State: N/A

Created: July 15, 2016 8:53:54 AM PST Updated: July 15, 2016 8:53:54 AM PST

## odacli test-asr

Use the odacli test-asr command to test the Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) configuration.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

# odacli test-asr [-h]

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## **Usage Notes**

This command internally invokes the SNMP test trap by invoking  $\slash$ SP/alertmgmt/rules/1 testrule=true.

## **Example 13-100** Testing the Oracle ASR Configuration

# odacli test-asr

Job details



```
ID: ec6783f4-551d-4686-ab1b-22e2d9e59c98

Description: Test ASR

Status: Created

Created: July 25, 2016 9:03:15 AM SGT

Message:

Task Name Start Time End Time

Status
```

## odacli delete-asr

Use the odacli delete-asr command to remove the Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) configuration from the system.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

```
# odacli delete-asr [-h]
```

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## Example 13-101 Deleting Oracle ASR From the System

```
# odacli delete-asr
{
"jobId" : "5d70bd17-ec4a-48da-8196-1364105db99d",
"status" : "Running",
"message" : null,
"reports" : [],
"createTimestamp" : 1469409622451,
"description" : "Delete ASR",
"updatedTime" : 1469409622458
}
```

# odacli OS Commands

Use the odacli OS commands to list and update operating system (OS) parameters.

## odacli list-osconfigurations

Use the command odacli list-osconfigurations to display the current HugePage and memlock values and view suggested values based on the total available space.

## odacli update-osconfigurations

Use the command  ${\tt odacli}$  update-osconfigurations to update the Huge-Page and memlock values.

## odacli list-osconfigurations

Use the command odacli list-osconfigurations to display the current Huge-Page and memlock values and view suggested values based on the total available space.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

odacli list-osconfigurations [-h] [-j]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description	
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.	
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.	

## **Usage Notes**

The command displays the configured values for HugePage and memlock from the /etc/sysctl.conf and /etc/security/limits.conffiles. Based on the total available space, suggested values are calculated for the parameters.

# **Example 13-102** Displaying a List of Configured and Suggested Memlock and HugePage Configurations

# odacli list-osconfigurations

Parameter Value	User	ConfiguredValue	Suggested-
Memlock	grid	295971180KB	289034355KB
Memlock	oracle	295971180KB	289034355KB
HugeSpace	default	101430MB	101161MB



## odacli update-osconfigurations

Use the command odacli update-osconfigurations to update the HugePage and memlock values.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

## **Syntax**

odacli update-osconfigurations [-h] [-hs] [-j] [-m]

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
hugespace, -hs	(Optional) Updates the HugePage value.
json, -j	(Optional) Displays JSON output. The default is false.
memlock, -m	(Optional) Updates the memlock value.

## **Usage Notes**

The command updates memlock in the /etc/security/limits.conffile and Huge-Page in the /etc/sysctl.conf file with the suggested values.

You can update memlock or hugepage. If no option is provided, then both parameters are updated to the suggested values.

# Example 13-103 Updating the HugePage and Memlock Parameters to the Suggested Values

```
odacli update-osconfigurations
"jobId" : "954cf7a5-9cad-451c-8820-3140a716af26",
"status" : "Created",
"message" : "Successfully submitted a request to configure OS \,
parameters."
"reports" : [ ],
"createTimestamp" : "February 06, 2018 00:03:51 AM MST",
"resourceList" : [ ],
"description" : "Configuring OS Parameter",
"updatedTime" : "February 06, 2018 00:03:51 AM MST"
[root@rwsoda6s002 ~]# odacli describe-job -i
"954cf7a5-9cad-451c-8820-3140a716af26"
Job details
ID: 954cf7a5-9cad-451c-8820-3140a716af26
Description: Configuring OS Parameter
Status: Success
Created: February 6, 2018 12:03:51 AM MST
Message:
Task Name
                      Start Time
                                                          End Time
Status
```



Setting up memlock. February 6, 2018 12:03:51 AM MST February 6, 2018 12:03:51 AM MST Success
Setting up HugeSpace February 6, 2018 12:03:51 AM MST February 6, 2018 12:03:51 AM MST Success

# odacli validate-storagetopology

Use the odacli validate-storagetopology command to check the cable connections between the system controllers and the storage shelf, as well as the cable connection to the storage expansion shelf (if one is installed).

Oracle recommends that you run the <code>odacli validate-storagetopology</code> command before deploying the system to ensure that the cabling is correct. This will avoid and prevent problems during deployment due to incorrect or missing cable connections. If the cabling is not correct, you will see errors in your output.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odacli

#### **Syntax**

odacli validate-storagetopology [-h]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help,-h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

# odaadmcli Hardware Monitoring Commands

Use the hardware monitoring commands to display hardware configurations.

- odaadmcli show cooling
  - Use the odaadmcli show cooling command to show cooling details.
- odaadmcli show env\_hw
  - Use the odaadmcli show env\_hw command to display information about the environment and hardware.
- odaadmcli show fs
  - Use the odaadmcli show fs command to display filesystem details.
- odaadmcli show memory
  - Use the odaadmcli show memory command to display memory details.
- · odaadmcli show network
  - Use the odaadmcli show network command to show network details.
- odaadmcli show power
  - Use the odaadmcli show power command to display power supply details.
- · odaadmcli show processor
  - Use the odaadmcli show processor command to display processor details.



## odaadmcli show server

Use the odaadmcli show server command to display server details.

## odaadmcli show cooling

Use the odaadmcli show cooling command to show cooling details.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli

## **Syntax**

## To show cooling details:

odaadmcli show cooling [-h]

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help,-h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## odaadmcli show env\_hw

Use the odaadmcli show env\_hw command to display information about the environment and hardware.

### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli

## **Syntax**

To display environment and hardware details:

odaadmcli show env\_hw [-h]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## Example 13-104 Displaying Environment and Hardware Details

To display the hardware details, enter the command odaadmcli show env\_hw. The results show a bare metal Oracle Database Appliance system.

# odaadmcli show env\_hw

BM ODA\_Lite X7-2 Medium



## odaadmcli show fs

Use the odaadmcli show fs command to display filesystem details.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli

## **Syntax**

To display filesystem details:

```
odaadmcli show fs [-h]
```

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help,-h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## Example 13-105 Displaying Filesystem Details

```
# odaadmcli show fs
```

Type	Total Space	Free Space	Total DG Space	Free DG Space
ext3	30237M	7763M	-	-
ext3	484M	416M	-	_
ext3	60475M	38149M	-	_
ext3	100793M	22060M	-	-
acfs	102400M	102158M	4894016M	2418668M
acfs	102400M	100501M	4894016M	2418668M
acfs	102400M	100601M	4894016M	2418668M

```
Diskgroup Mount Point
/
/boot
/opt
```

/u01

(Continued)

DATA /u02/app/oracle/oradata/ACFSDB1
DATA /u02/app/oracle/oradata/ACFSDB2
DATA /u02/app/oracle/oradata/EE12NCDB

## odaadmcli show memory

Use the odaadmcli show memory command to display memory details.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli



## **Syntax**

## To show memory details:

odaadmcli show memory [-h]

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## **Example 13-106 Display Memory Details**

# odaadmcli show memory

NAME DIMM_0	HEALTH OK	HEALT	H_DETAILS	PART_NO. 3A4K40BB1-CRC	SERIAL_NO. 00CE01154602EADA96
DIMM_11	OK	-		3A4K40BB1-CRC	00CE01154602EADADA
DIMM_3	OK	-		3A4K40BB1-CRC	00CE01154602EADBC7
DIMM_8	OK	-		3A4K40BB1-CRC	00CE01154602EADBA0
	7.				
(Continu	.ed)				
LOCATION	MANUFAC	TURER	MEMORY_SIZ	E CURR_CLK_SPEED	ECC_Errors
P0/D0	Samsung		32 GB	2400 MHz	0
P0/D1	Samsung		32 GB	2400 MHz	0
PO/D3	Samsung		32 GB	2400 MHz	0
P0/D8	Samsung		32 GB	2400 MHz	0

## odaadmcli show network

Use the odaadmcli show network command to show network details.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli

## **Syntax**

To show network details:

odaadmcli show network [-h]

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.



## **Example 13-107** Showing Network Details

<pre># odaadmcli show</pre>	network		
NAME	HEALTH HEALTH_D	DETAILS LOCATION PART_N	O MANUFACTUR-
ER			
Ethernet_NIC_0	OK -	NETO X540	INTEL
Ethernet_NIC_1	OK -	NET1 X540	INTEL
Ethernet_NIC_2		NET2 X540	INTEL
Ethernet_NIC_3		NET3 X540	INTEL
(Continued)			
MAC_ADDRESS	LINK_DETECTED	DIE_TEMP	
00:10:e0:95:98:ec	yes (em1)	61.250 degree C	
00:10:e0:95:98:ed	l yes (em2)	61.250 degree C	
90:e2:ba:ae:1e:ad	no (em4)	_	
90:e2:ba:ae:1e:ac	no (em3)	-	

# odaadmcli show power

Use the odaadmcli show power command to display power supply details.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli

## **Syntax**

Run this command on the master node, to display power supply details on Oracle Database Appliance High-Availability (HA) models:

```
odaadmcli show power [-h]
```

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help,-h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## Example 13-108 Displaying Power Supply Details

# odaadmcli show power

NAME Power_Supply	HEALTH 7_0 OK	HEALTH_DETAILS -	PART_NO. 7079395		AL_NO. Z+1514CE056G
(Continued)					
LOCATION	INPUT_POWER	OUTPUT_POWER	INLET_TEMP		EXHAUST_TEMP
PS0	Present	112 watts	28.000 degre	e C	34.938 degree C



# odaadmcli show processor

Use the odaadmcli show processor command to display processor details.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli

## **Syntax**

To show processor details:

odaadmcli show processor [-h]

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## Example 13-109 Displaying Processor Details

```
# odaadmcli show processor
```

```
NAME HEALTH HEALTH_DETAILS PART_NO. LOCATION MODEL
CPU_0 OK - 060F P0 (CPU 0) Intel(R) Xeon(R) CPU
E5-2630

(Continued)
MAX_CLK_SPEED TOTAL_CORES ENABLED_CORES
2.200 GHz 10 10
```

## odaadmcli show server

Use the odaadmcli show server command to display server details.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli

## **Syntax**

To show server details:

odaadmcli show server [-h]

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.



## Example 13-110 Displaying Server Details

# odaadmcli show server

Power State : On Open Problems : 0

Model: ORACLE SERVER X7-2

Type : Rack Mount
Part Number : 7320190
Serial Number : 1605NM10JJ
Primary OS : Not Available
ILOM Address : 10.209.8.215

ILOM MAC Address : 00:10:E0:95:98:F0

Description: Oracle Database Appliance X7-2 Small 1606NM1s02

Locator Light : Off

Actual Power Consumption: 135 watts
Ambient Temperature: 24.250 degree C
Open Problems Report: System is healthy

# odaadmcli Storage Commands

Use the odaadmcli storage commands to perform storage diagnostics.

odaadmcli expand storage

Use the odaadmcli expand storage command to expand storage.

odaadmcli show disk

Use the odaadmcli show disk command to display the status of a single disk or of all disks on the system.

odaadmcli show diskgroup

Use the odaadmcli show diskgroup command to list configured diskgroups or display a specific diskgroup configuration.

odaadmcli show controller

Use the odaadmcli show controller command to display details of the controller.

odaadmcli show raidsyncstatus

Use the odaadmcli show raidsyncstatus command to display the RAID SYNC status.

· odaadmcli show storage

Use the odaadmcli show storage command to show the storage controllers, expanders, and disks.

odaadmcli stordiag

Use the odaadmcli stordiag command to collect detailed information for each disk or NVMe.

odaadmcli power disk

Use the odaadmcli power disk command to power a disk on or off.



## odaadmcli expand storage

Use the odaadmcli expand storage command to expand storage.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli

## **Syntax**

odaadmcli expand storage -ndisk number of disks to be added -enclosure  $\{0/1\}$  [-h]

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
enclosure {0 1}	Defines the JBOD or shelf number. The base storage shelf is 0. The storage expansion shelf is 1.
	This option is only available for multi-node platforms. It is not supported on Oracle Database Appliance X7-2S and X7-2M single node platforms.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.
-ndisk	Defines the number of disks to be added in the enclosure.

## **Usage Notes**

On high-availability (HA) Oracle Database Appliance hardware models, run the command only on the master node.

Various storage options are available. On multi-node platforms, the base storage is SSD and you can choose to add either SSD or HDD disks. When adding a storage expansion shelf, all disks must be the same type (you cannot combine SSD and HDD disks).



In addition to reviewing the expand storage command, it is important to follow the procedures for adding storage. Cabling validation and disk placement is important. In some cases, you must move disks to different slots to successfully expand storage.



## odaadmcli show disk

Use the odaadmcli show disk command to display the status of a single disk or of all disks on the system.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli

## **Syntax**

To display the status of all disks on the system:

```
odaadmcli show disk [-h]
```

To display the status of a single disk:

```
odaadmcli show disk disk_name [-h]
```

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
disk_name	(Optional) Define the disk resource name. The resource name format is $pd_{03}$ .
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## Example 13-111 Displaying the Status of All Disks

To display the status of all the disks on the system:

## Example 13-112 Displaying the Status of a Single Disk

To display the status of a disk named pd\_00:

```
# odaadmcli show disk pd_00
The Resource is : pd_00
ActionTimeout : 1500
ActivePath : /dev/nvme0n1
  AsmDiskList : |data_00||reco_00|
AutoDiscovery : 1
AutoDiscoveryHi : |data:80:NVD||reco:20:NVD|
CheckInterval : 300
ColNum : 0
CriticalWarning : 0
DependListOpr : add
```



```
Dependency: |0|
DiskId : 360025380144d5332
DiskType : NVD
Enabled: 1
ExpNum : 19
HbaPortNum : 10
IState : 0
Initialized: 0
IsConfigDepende : false
ModelNum : MS1PC2DD3ORA3.2T
MonitorFlag : 1
MultiPathList : |/dev/nvme0n1|
Name: pd_00
NewPartAddr : 0
OSUserType : |userType:Multiuser|
PlatformName : X7_1_LITE_S
PrevState : Invalid
PrevUsrDevName :
SectorSize : 512
SerialNum : S2LHNAAH000001
Size : 3200631791616
SlotNum : 0
SmartDiskWarnin: 0
SmartTemperatur: 37
State : Online
StateChangeTs: 1465263789
StateDetails : Good
TotalSectors : 6251233968
TypeName: 0
UsrDevName: NVD_S00_S2LHNAAH101026
VendorName : Samsung
gid : 0
mode : 660
uid : 0
```

## odaadmcli show diskgroup

Use the odaadmcli show diskgroup command to list configured diskgroups or display a specific diskgroup configuration.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli

#### **Syntax**

To list configured diskgroups:

```
odaadmcli show diskgroup [-h]
```

## To display DATA configurations:

```
odaadmcli show diskgroup [DATA] [-h]
```

## To display RECO configurations:

odaadmcli show diskgroup [RECO] [-h]

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
DATA	(Optional) Displays the DATA diskgroup configurations.
RECO	(Optional) Displays the RECO diskgroup configurations.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## **Example 13-113** Listing All Diskgroups

# odaadmcli show diskgroup

DiskGroups

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DATA

RECO

## **Example 13-114 Displaying DATA Configurations**

# odaadmcli show diskgroup DATA

ASM_DISK	PATH	DISK	STATE	STATE_DETAILS
data_00	/dev/NVD_S00_S2LHNAAH101026p1	pd_00	ONLINE	Good
data_01	/dev/NVD_S01_S2LHNAAH101008p1	pd_01	ONLINE	Good

## odaadmcli show controller

Use the odaadmcli show controller command to display details of the controller.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli

## **Syntax**

To display details of the controller:

odaadmcli show controller id [-h]

Parameter	Description
controller_id, id	Defines the controller.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.



## **Example 13-115** Showing Controller Details

```
# odaadmcli show controller 1
Controller [1] information:
        sun-controller-id = nvme:1b:00.00
        sun-id = nvme:1b:00.00
        sun-controller-manufacturer = Samsung
       pci-vendor-id = 0x0000144d
        sun-controller-model = 0xa821
       pci-device-id = 0x0000a821
       sun-controller-type = NVMe
        sun-card-manufacturer = Sun Microsystems
       pci-subvendor-id = 0x0000108e
        sun-card-model = 0xa803
       pci-subdevice-id = 0x0000a803
       pci-address = 1b:00.0
        sun-version-firmware = KPYA7R3Q
        sun-serial-number = S2LHNAAH101008
        sun-product-name = MS1PC2DD3ORA3.2T
       pci-slot-number = 11
       nvme-power-control = 1
        sun-nac-name = /SYS/DBP/NVME1
```

## odaadmcli show raidsyncstatus

Use the odaadmcli show raidsyncstatus command to display the RAID SYNC status.

### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli

## **Syntax**

To display the status of RAID SYNC:

```
odaadmcli show raidsyncstatus [-h]
```

## **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## Example 13-116 Displaying the RAID SYNC Status

To display the RAID SYNC details and status:

```
# odaadmcli show raidsyncstatus
```

```
Raid Type Raid Device Raid Status maintainPdFailHistory Rebuildrate H/W Raid /dev/sda Optimal ON 30%
```



## odaadmcli show storage

Use the odaadmcli show storage command to show the storage controllers, expanders, and disks.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli

### **Syntax**

To display the storage controllers, expanders, and disks:

```
odaadmcli show storage [-h]
```

To show storage errors:

```
odaadmcli show storage -errors [-h]
```

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
errors	(Optional) Shows storage errors.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## **Example 13-117 Displaying Storage Devices**

The following example displays details about the storage devices on an appliance.

```
# odaadmcli show storage
==== BEGIN STORAGE DUMP ======
Host Description: Oracle Corporation: ORACLE SERVER X6-2
Total number of controllers: 2
    Id = 0
    Pci Slot = 10
    Serial Num = S2LHNAAH101026
    Vendor = Samsung
   Model = MS1PC2DD3ORA3.2T
   FwVers = KPYA7R3Q
   strId = nvme:19:00.00
      Pci Address = 19:00.0
      Id = 1
      Pci Slot = 11
      Serial Num = S2LHNAAH101008
      Vendor = Samsung
    Model = MS1PC2DD3ORA3.2T
    FwVers = KPYA7R3Q
     strId = nvme:1b:00.00
  Pci Address = 1b:00.0
```

```
Total number of expanders: 0

Total number of PDs: 2

/dev/nvme0nl Samsung NVD 3200gb slot: 0 pci : 19
/dev/nvmelnl Samsung NVD 3200gb slot: 1 pci : 1

==== END STORAGE DUMP =========
```

## odaadmcli stordiag

Use the odaadmcli stordiag command to collect detailed information for each disk or NVMe.

#### File Path

\$ORACLE HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli

#### **Syntax**

To collect storage diagnostics for disks and NVM Express (NVMe):

```
odaadmcli stordiag n [-h]
```

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
-n disk_name	Defines the disk resource name. The resource name format is $pd_{03}$ .
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

### Example 13-118 Displaying NVMe Details

To display detailed information for NVMe pd\_00:

```
# odaadmcli stordiag pd_00
```

## odaadmcli power disk

Use the odaadmcli power disk command to power a disk on or off.

## File Path

\$ORACLE\_HOME/opt/oracle/dcs/bin/odaadmcli

#### **Syntax**

To power a disk on or off:

```
odaadmcli power disk {on|off|status} disk_name [-h]
```



### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
disk_name	Defines the disk resource name. The resource name format is pd_[03].
{on off status}	Power on a disk, power off a disk, display status.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.

## Example 13-119 Powering a Disk Off

This example shows how to power off a disk.

```
# odaadmcli power disk off pd_00
Disk 'pd_00' is already part of ASM
Are you sure you want to power OFF the disk?: 'pd_00'?
[yes/no]:
yes
Powered OFF pd_00
```

### Example 13-120 Checking the Disk Status

This example shows how to get the status of disk pd\_00.

```
# odaadmcli power disk status pd_00
The disk is powered ON
```

## odacli-adm set-credential

Use the odacli-adm set-credential command to change the oda-admin user credentials.

#### **Syntax**

To reset the oda-admin user credentials in interactive mode:

```
odacli-adm set-credential --password --username username [-j] [-h]
```

#### **Parameters**

Parameter	Description
password, -p	Agent password. The Agent password is needed to access the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console.
username, -u	User name required to access the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console. The default user name is oda-admin.
json, -j	
	(Optional) Displays JSON output.
help, -h	(Optional) Displays help for using the command.



## **Usage Notes**

Only root user can reset the  ${\tt oda-admin}$  user credentials.

## Example 13-121 Resetting the oda-admin Password in Interactive Mode

To reset the oda-admin user password to a new password in interactive mode:

# odacli-adm set-credential --password --username oda-admin
Agent password: password



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# Configuring and Using Oracle Auto Service Request (ASR)

Configure and use Oracle ASR to automatically generate a service request for specific hardware faults.

## Topics:

- Configuring Oracle ASR in the Web Console
   Use the Web Console to configure Oracle ASR.
- Testing Oracle ASR
   Use the odacli test-asr command to confirm that your Oracle ASR configuration is working.
- Managing an Oracle ASR Configuration
   Use the command-line to review an existing configuration, make changes to a configuration, or delete a configuration.
- Additional Resources for Oracle ASR

  Refer to these sections for more information about Oracle ASR.

## Configuring Oracle ASR in the Web Console

Use the Web Console to configure Oracle ASR.

- About Configuring Oracle ASR
   Configure Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) to automatically generate
   service requests for specific hardware faults.
- Configuring Internal Oracle ASR
   Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to configure Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) in Oracle Database Appliance.
- Registering with External Oracle ASR Manager
   Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to register Oracle Database Appliance with an existing Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) Manager.

## **About Configuring Oracle ASR**

Configure Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) to automatically generate service requests for specific hardware faults.

Oracle ASR is a secure support feature that can improve system availability through expedited diagnostics and priority service request handling. You can configure Oracle ASR on Oracle Database Appliance to use its own ASR Manager (internal Oracle ASR) or use Oracle ASR Manager configured on another server in the same network as your appliance (external Oracle ASR). If you already have Oracle ASR Manager configured in your environment, you can register Oracle Database Appliance with your existing Oracle ASR Manager.

## Note:

With an internal Oracle ASR Manager, an alert is not sent when the server goes down. If a critical event occurs on Oracle Database Appliance with an external Oracle ASR Manager, then an alert can still be sent to Oracle.

You can configure Oracle ASR as part of deploying the appliance, or you can use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console or command-line interface to configure or edit an Oracle ASR after deployment.

You need the following items to support Oracle ASR:

- Oracle Database Appliance hardware must be associated with a Support Identifier (SI) in My Oracle Support.
- If a proxy server is required for Internet access to Oracle, then you must also provide the name of the proxy server. You can optionally configure Oracle ASR to use Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) Version 2 or SNMP Version 3.
- To configure an internal Oracle ASR Manager, you need a My Oracle Support account user name (e-mail address) and password associated with the My Oracle Support account under which the server is registered.
- To register with an external Oracle ASR Manager, you need the IP address of the Oracle ASR Manager.

## **Related Topics**

- Configuring Internal Oracle ASR
   Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to configure Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) in Oracle Database Appliance.
- Configuring External Oracle ASR
   Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to register Oracle Database Appliance with an existing Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) Manager.
- odacli configure-asr

## Configuring Internal Oracle ASR

Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to configure Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) in Oracle Database Appliance.

You can register with an internal Oracle ASR Manager at any time, or edit an existing registration. Before configuring, verify that the Oracle Database Appliance hardware is associated with a Support Identifier (SI) in My Oracle Support.

You need the following information to configure Oracle ASR:

- The e-mail address associated with the My Oracle Support account under which the server is registered
- The password associated with the My Oracle Support account under which the server is registered
- If a proxy server is required for Internet access to Oracle, then you must also provide the name of the proxy server
- 1. Open a browser and enter the following URL to launch the Web Console:



https://ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html

- 2. Login as oda-admin.
- Click the Appliance tab.
- 4. Click the Oracle ASR menu.
- If Oracle ASR is already configured,
- 6. Click Configure ASR.
- 7. Select Internal from the ASR Type menu.
- 8. In the ASR User Name field, enter e-mail address associated with the My Oracle Support account under which the server is registered.
- In the Password field, enter the password associated with the My Oracle Support account under which the server is registered.
- 10. Select V2 or V3 from the SNMP Version menu.
- 11. (Optional) If you are using an HTTP Proxy for upload to Oracle ASR, complete the following:
  - a. HTTP Proxy used for Upload to ASR: Select Yes.
  - Proxy User Name: If you are using a proxy for upload, enter the proxy user name.
  - c. Proxy Port: If you are using a proxy for upload, enter the proxy port.
  - d. (Optional) HTTP Proxy Requires Authentication: If you are using a proxy for upload, select Yes if you require authentication. If you do not require authentication, select No.
  - e. (Optional) Proxy Password: If you are using a proxy for upload and require authentication, enter the proxy password.
- 12. Click Create.

## Registering with External Oracle ASR Manager

Use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to register Oracle Database Appliance with an existing Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) Manager.

You can register with an external Oracle ASR Manager at any time.

Before configuring, verify that the Oracle Database Appliance hardware is associated with a Support Identifier (SI) in My Oracle Support.

To configure Oracle ASR, you need the IP Address for the Oracle ASR Manager:

1. Open a browser and enter the following URL to launch the Web Console:

https://ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html

- 2. Login as oda-admin.
- 3. Click the Appliance tab.
- 4. Click the Oracle ASR menu.
- 5. If Oracle ASR is already configured,
- 6. Click Configure ASR.



- 7. Select **External** from the ASR Type menu.
- 8. Enter the IP Address for the Oracle ASR Manager in the ASR Manager IP field.
- 9. Select **V2** or **V3** from the SNMP Version menu.
- 10. Click Create.

## **Testing Oracle ASR**

Use the odacli test-asr command to confirm that your Oracle ASR configuration is working.

The command internally invokes the SNMP test trap by invoking /SP/alertmgmt/rules/1 testrule=true. Attempting to test the configuration outside of the odacli test-asr command might not provide the expected test result.

- 1. Log in as root user.
- 2. Run the odacli test-asr command.

 If the results are not as expected, use the odacli show-asr command to review your Oracle ASR configuration.

## Managing an Oracle ASR Configuration

Use the command-line to review an existing configuration, make changes to a configuration, or delete a configuration.

You can view and edit the configuration details, but you cannot change the Oracle ASR type. For example, from internal to external. To change the Oracle ASR type, delete the existing configuration and then re-configure Oracle ASR.

All log files for Oracle ASR are located in the  $\/\$ var/opt/asrmanager/log/ directory.

 To display Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) configuration details, use the odacli describe-asr command.

```
# odacli describe-asr
ASR details
```



ID: e841d74a-687b-4e87-9548-1baa2090d48e
Name: UserName: scott.tiger@example.com
ProvyServerName: www-proxy.example.com
ProxyPort: 80
ProxyUserName:
SnmpVersion: V3
State: N/A
Created: July 15, 2017 8:53:54 AM PST
Updated: July 15, 2017 8:53:54 AM PST

- 2. (Optional) To make changes to Oracle ASR configuration details after deploying the appliance, use the odacli update-asr command.
- (Optional) To remove the Oracle ASR configuration from the system, use the odacli delete-asrcommand.

```
# odacli delete-asr
{
"jobId" : "5d70bd17-ec4a-48da-8196-1364105db99d",
"status" : "Running",
"message" : null,
"reports" : [],
"createTimestamp" : 1469409622451,
"description" : "Delete ASR",
"updatedTime" : 1469409622458
}
```

#### **Related Topics**

odacli Oracle Auto Service Request Commands
Use the Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) commands to configure, update, test, and delete Oracle ASR on the system.

## Additional Resources for Oracle ASR

Refer to these sections for more information about Oracle ASR.

Oracle ASR product page:

http://www.oracle.com/asr

- Oracle Database Appliance products qualified for Oracle ASR:
  - Oracle ASR Qualified Oracle Database Appliance Products
  - IMPORTANT: Oracle ASR Qualifed Product and Fault Rule Coverage Supplement (Doc ID 2142295.1)
- Oracle ASR user documentation:

http://docs.oracle.com/cd/E37710\_01/index.htm



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## Troubleshooting Oracle Database Appliance

Understand tools you can use to validate changes and troubleshoot Oracle Database Appliance problems.

- Viewing Component Information on the Appliance
   View details of all the components installed on the appliance, and the RPM drift information.
- Errors When Logging into the Web Console
   If you have problems logging into the Web Console, then it may be due to your browser or credentials.
- Errors when re-imaging Oracle Database Appliance
   Understand how to troubleshoot errors that occur when re-imaging Oracle Database Appliance.
- Using the Oracle ORAchk Health Check Tool
   Use the ORAchk Health Check Tool to audit configuration settings and check system health.
- About Trace File Analyzer Collector
   Trace File Analyzer (TFA) Collector simplifies diagnostic data collection on Oracle
   Grid Infrastructure and Oracle Real Application Clusters systems.
- Running Trace File Analyzer (TFA) Collector Commands
   Understand the installed location of tfactl and the options for the command.
- Running the Disk Diagnostic Tool
   Use the Disk Diagnostic Tool to help identify the cause of disk problems.
- Running the Oracle Database Appliance Hardware Monitoring Tool
   The Oracle Database Appliance Hardware Monitoring Tool displays the status of
   different hardware components in Oracle Database Appliance server.
- Configuring a Trusted SSL Certificate for Oracle Database Appliance
   The Web Console and DCS Controller use SSL-based HTTPS protocol for secure
   communication. Understand the implications of this added security and the options
   to configure SSL certificates.
- Disabling the Web Console
   You can also disable the Web Console. Disabling the Web Console means you
   can only manage your appliance through the command-line interface.
- Preparing Log Files for Oracle Support Services
   If necessary, use the command odaadmcli manage diagcollect to collect diagnostic files to send to Oracle Support Services.

## Viewing Component Information on the Appliance

View details of all the components installed on the appliance, and the RPM drift information.

#### Viewing the Bill of Materials in the Web Console

Use the Appliance tab in the Web Console to view information about your deployment and the installed components. The Advanced Information tab displays information about the following components:

- Grid Infrastructure Version, and the home directory
- Database Version, Home location, and Edition
- Location and details about the databases configured
- All patches applied to the appliance
- Firmware Controller and Disks
- ILOM information
- BIOS version
- List of RPMs

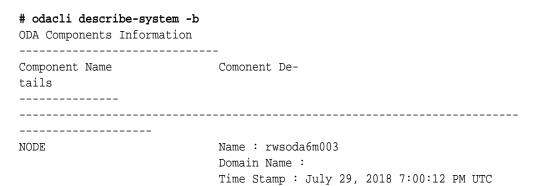
In the List of RPMs section, click **Show** and then click **RPM Drift** to view the differences between the RPMs installed on the appliance, and the RPMs shipped in the latest Oracle Database Appliance Patch Bundle Update release.

Click **Download** to save the components report. You can use this report to help diagnose any deployment issues.

### Viewing the Bill of Materials from the Command Line

The bill of materials is also available through the command line for bare metal and virtualized platforms deployments. The information about the installed components is collected according to a set schedule, and stored in the location <code>/opt/oracle/dcs/Inventory/</code> for bare metal deployments and in the <code>/opt/oracle/oak/Inventory/</code> directory for virtualized platforms. The file is stored in the format <code>oda\_bom\_Time-Stamp.json</code>. Use the command <code>describe-system</code> to view the bill of materials on the command line. See the <code>Oracle Database Command-Line Interface</code> chapter for command options and usage notes.

## Example 15-1 Example Command to View the Bill of Materials from the Command Line for Bare Metal Deployments





```
Installed RPMS : acl-2.2.49-7.el6_9.1.x86_64,
RPMS
                                                aide-0.14-11.el6.x86_64,
                                                alsa-lib-1.1.0-4.el6.x86_64,
                                                at-3.1.10-49.el6.x86_64,
                                                atk-1.30.0-1.el6.x86_64,
                                                attr-2.4.44-7.el6.x86_64,
                                                audit-2.4.5-6.el6.x86_64,
                                                audit-
libs-2.4.5-6.el6.x86_64,
                                                audit-libs-py-
thon-2.4.5-6.el6.x86_64,
                                                augeas-
libs-1.0.0-10.el6.x86_64,
                                                authcon-
fig-6.1.12-23.el6.x86_64,
                                                avahi-
libs-0.6.25-17.el6.x86 64,
                                                b43-
openfwwf-5.2-10.el6.noarch,
                                                basesys-
tem-10.0-4.0.1.el6.noarch,
                                                bash-4.1.2-48.el6.x86_64,
                                                bc-1.06.95-1.el6.x86_64,
                                                bind-
libs-9.8.2-0.62.rc1.el6_9.5.x86_64,
                                                bind-
utils-9.8.2-0.62.rc1.el6_9.5.x86_64,
                                                binu-
tils-2.20.51.0.2-5.47.el6_9.1.x86_64,
                                                biosdev-
name-0.7.2-1.el6.x86_64,
                                                bridge-
utils-1.2-10.el6.x86_64,
                                                busy-
box-1.15.1-21.el6_6.x86_64,
                                                bzip2-1.0.5-7.el6_0.x86_64,
                                                bzip2-
libs-1.0.5-7.el6_0.x86_64,
                                                ca-certifi-
cates-2017.2.14-65.0.1.el6_9.noarch,
                                                cairo-1.8.8-6.el6_6.x86_64,
celt051-0.5.1.3-0.el6.x86_64,
                                                checkpoli-
cy-2.0.22-1.el6.x86_64,
                                                chkcon-
fig-1.3.49.5-1.el6.x86_64,
                                                cloog-
ppl-0.15.7-1.2.el6.x86_64,
                                                compat-lib-
cap1-1.10-1.x86_64,
                                                compat-libstdc+
+-33-3.2.3-69.el6.x86_64,
```



```
compat-read-
line5-5.2-17.1.el6.x86_64,
                                                 compat-sap-c+
+-4.8.2-16.el6.x86_64,
                                                 Console-
Kit-0.4.1-6.el6.x86_64,
                                                 ConsoleKit-
libs-0.4.1-6.el6.x86_64,
                                                 ConsoleKit-
x11-0.4.1-6.el6.x86_64,
                                                 coreu-
tils-8.4-46.0.1.el6.x86_64,
                                                 coreutils-
libs-8.4-46.0.1.el6.x86_64,
                                                 cpio-2.10-13.el6.x86_64,
                                                 cpp-4.4.7-18.el6.x86_64,
                                                 cpupoweru-
tils-1.3-2.el6.x86_64,
                                                 cpu-
speed-1.5-22.0.1.el6.x86_64,
                                                 crack-
lib-2.8.16-4.el6.x86_64,
                                                 cracklib-
dicts-2.8.16-4.el6.x86_64,
crash-7.1.4-1.0.1.el6_7.x86_64,
crda-3.13_2015.10.22-3.el6.x86_64,
                                                 createre-
po-0.9.9-27.el6_9.noarch,
                                                 cro-
nie-1.4.4-16.el6_8.2.x86_64,
                                                 cronie-ana-
cron-1.4.4-16.el6_8.2.x86_64,
                                                 crontabs-1.10-33.el6.noarch,
                                                 cryptsetup-
luks-1.2.0-11.el6.x86_64,
                                                 cryptsetup-luks-
libs-1.2.0-11.el6.x86_64,
                                                 cups-
libs-1.4.2-78.el6_9.x86_64,
. . . .
. . . .
```

Example 15-2 Example Command to View the Bill of Materials from the Command Line for Virtualized Platforms

# oakcli describe-system -b

## Example 15-3 Example Command to View the Bill of Materials Report from the Stored Location

```
# /opt/oracle/dcs/Inventory/
total 264
-rw-r--r- 1 root root 83550 Apr 26 05:41 oda bom 2018-04-26 05-41-36.json
```

## Errors When Logging into the Web Console

If you have problems logging into the Web Console, then it may be due to your browser or credentials.



Oracle Database Appliance uses self-signed certificates. Your browser determines how you log into the Web Console. Depending on the browser and browser version, you may receive a warning or error that the certificate is invalid or not trusted because it is self-signed, or that the connection is not private. Ensure that you accept the self-signed certificate for the agent and Web Console.

Follow these steps to log into the Web Console:

- 1. Open a browser window.
- 2. Go to the following URL: https://ODA-host-ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html
- Get the security certificate (or certificate), confirm the security exception, and add an exception.
- 4. Log in with your Oracle Database Appliance credentials.
  - If you have not already set the <code>oda-admin</code> password, then a message is displayed, advising you to change the default password to comply with your system security requirements.
- 5. If you have not added an exception for the agent security certificate, then a message about accepting agent certificate is displayed.
- 6. Using a different tab in your browser, go to the following URL: https://ODA-host-ip-address:7070/login
- Get the security certificate (or certificate), confirm the security exception, and add an exception.
- 8. Refresh the Web Console URL: https://ODA-host-ip-address:7093/mgmt/index.html

#### **Related Topics**

http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/indexes/products/browser-policy-2859268.html

## Errors when re-imaging Oracle Database Appliance

Understand how to troubleshoot errors that occur when re-imaging Oracle Database Appliance.



If re-imaging Oracle Database Appliance fails, with old header issues such as errors in storage discovery, or in running GI root scripts, or disk group RECO creation, then use the force mode with cleanup.pl.

```
# perl cleanup.pl -f
```

To ensure that re-imaging is successful, remove the old headers from the storage disks by running the secure erase tool. Verify that the OAK/ASM headers are removed.

```
# cleanup.pl -erasedata
# cleanup.pl -checkHeader
```

Retry the re-imaging operation.

## **Related Topics**

Re-imaging Oracle Database Appliance
 Bare metal operating system re-imaging installs Oracle Database Appliance operating system software on the local (boot) drive.

## Using the Oracle ORAchk Health Check Tool

Use the ORAchk Health Check Tool to audit configuration settings and check system health.

Oracle ORAchk Health Check Tool performs proactive heath checks for the Oracle software stack and scans for known problems.

Oracle ORAchk Health Check Tool audits important configuration settings for Oracle RAC two-node deployments in the following categories:

- Operating system kernel parameters and packages
- Oracle Database
- Database parameters, and other database configuration settings
- Oracle Grid Infrastructure, which includes Oracle Clusterware and Oracle Automatic Storage Management

ORAchk is aware of the entire system. It checks the configuration to indicate if best practices are being followed.



For more information about ORAchk, see My Oracle Support note 1268927.2, "ORAchk Health Checks for the Oracle Stack" at https://support.oracle.com/rs?type=doc&id=1268927.2



## Note:

Before running ORAchk, check for the latest version of ORAchk, and download and install it.

## Running ORAchk on Oracle Database Appliance 18.5 Baremetal Systems for New Installation

When you install Oracle Database Appliance 18.5, the ORAchk RPMs are installed in the directory /opt/oracle.SupportTools/orachk/. You can verify that ORAchk is installed by running the following command:

```
[root@oak bin]# rpm -q orachk
orachk-18.3.0_20180808-2.x86_64
```

If an older version of ORAchk exists, then copy the latest version of orachk that you downloaded from My Oracle Support into the <code>/opt/oracle.SupportTools/orachk/ directory</code>, and run the following command:

```
orachk -upgrade
```

The command upgrades your orachk utility to the latest version.

To run orachk, use the following command:

#### [root@oak bin]# orachk

```
This computer is for [S]ingle instance database or part of a [C]luster to run

RAC database [S|C] [C]: S

orachk did not find the inventory location on oak from environment. Does oak

have Oracle software installed [y/n][n]? n

...

Detailed report (html) -
/opt/oracle.SupportTools/orachk/orachk_oak_091918_182425/
orachk_oak_091918_182
425.html

UPLOAD [if required] -
/opt/oracle.SupportTools/orachk/orachk_oak_091918_182425.zip
```

## Running ORAchk on Oracle Database Appliance Baremetal Systems for Releases Earlier than 18.5

- 1. Open the command-line interface as root.
- 2. Navigate to the ORAchk tool in the /suptools directory.

/u01/app/12.2.0.1/grid/suptools/orachk



### 3. Run the utility.

./orachk

When all checks are finished, a detailed report is available. The output displays the location of the report in an HTML format and the location of a zip file if you want to upload the report.

Review the Oracle Database Appliance Assessment Report and system health and troubleshoot any issues that are identified.

The report includes a summary and filters that enable you to focus on specific areas. For example, you can choose the filter to show failed checks only, show checks with a Fail, Warning, Info, or Pass status, or any combination.

## **About Trace File Analyzer Collector**

Trace File Analyzer (TFA) Collector simplifies diagnostic data collection on Oracle Grid Infrastructure and Oracle Real Application Clusters systems.

TFA behaves in a similar manner to the ion utility packaged with Oracle Clusterware. Both tools collect and package diagnostic data. However, TFA is much more powerful than ion, because TFA centralizes and automates the collection of diagnostic information.

TFA provides the following key benefits and options:

- Encapsulation of diagnostic data collection for all Oracle Grid Infrastructure and Oracle RAC components on all cluster nodes into a single command, which you run from a single node
- Option to "trim" diagnostic files during data collection to reduce data upload size
- Options to isolate diagnostic data collection to a given time period, and to a particular product component, such as Oracle ASM, RDBMS, or Oracle Clusterware
- Centralization of collected diagnostic output to a single node in Oracle Database Appliance, if desired
- On-Demand Scans of all log and trace files for conditions indicating a problem
- Real-Time Scan Alert Logs for conditions indicating a problem (for example, Database Alert Logs, Oracle ASM Alert Logs, and Oracle Clusterware Alert Logs)



Refer to My Oracle Support note 1513912.1 "TFA Collector - Tool for Enhanced Diagnostic Gathering" for more information. https://support.oracle.com/rs?type=doc&id=1513912.1



## Running Trace File Analyzer (TFA) Collector Commands

Understand the installed location of tfactl and the options for the command.

#### **About Using tfactl to Collect Diagnostic Information**

Trace File Analyzer (TFA) Collector is installed in the directory /opt/oracle/tfa/tfa\_home, The command line utility for TFA, tfactl can be invoked from the directory /opt/oracle/tfa/tfa\_home/bin/tfactl.

Use the following command to run tfact1:

```
/opt/oracle/tfa/tfa_home/bin/tfactl diagcollect -ips|-oda|-odalite|-dcs|-
odabackup|
-odapatching|-odadataguard|-odaprovisioning|-odaconfig|-odasystem|-odastor-
age|-database|
-asm|-crsclient|-dbclient|-dbwlm|-tns|-rhp|-procinfo|-afd|-crs|-cha|-wls|
-emagent|-oms|-ocm|-emplugins|-em|-acfs|-install|-cfgtools|-os|-ashhtml|-
ashtext|
-awrhtml|-awrtext -mask -sanitize
```

Table 15-1 Command Options for tfactl Tool

Option	Description
-h	(Optional) Describes all the options for this command.
-ips	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the specified component.
-oda	(Optional) Use this option to view the logs for the entire Appliance.
-odalite	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the odalite component.
-dcs	(Optional) Use this option to view the DCS log files.
-odabackup	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the backup components for the Appliance.
-odapatching	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for patching components of the Appliance.
-odadataguard	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for Oracle Data Guard component of the Appliance.
-odaprovisioning	(Optional) Use this option to view provisioning logs for the Appliance.
-odaconfig	(Optional) Use this option to view configuration-related diagnostic logs.
-odasystem	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the specified component.



Table 15-1 (Cont.) Command Options for tfactl Tool

Option	Description
-odastorage	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the Appliance storage.
-database	(Optional) Use this option to view database-related log files.
-asm	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the Appliance.
-crsclient	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the Appliance.
-dbclient	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the Appliance.
-dbwlm	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the specified component.
-tns	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for TNS.
-rhp	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for Rapid Home Provisioning.
-afd	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for Oracle ASM Filter Driver.
-crs	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for Oracle Clusterware.
-cha	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the Cluster Health Monitor.
-wls	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for Oracle WebLogic Server.
-emagent	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the Oracle Enterprise Manager agent.
-oms	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the Oracle Enterprise Manager Management Service.
-ocm	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the specified component.
-emplugins	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for Oracle Enterprise Manager plugins.
-em	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for Oracle Enterprise Manager deployment.
-acfs	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for Oracle ACFS storage.
-install	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for installation.
-cfgtools	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the configuration tools.
-os	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the operating system.



Table 15-1 (Cont.) Command Options for tfactl Tool

Option	Description
-ashhtml	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the specified component.
-ashtext	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the Appliance.
-awrhtml	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the Appliance.
-awrtext	(Optional) Use this option to view the diagnostic logs for the specified component.
-mask	(Optional) Use this option to choose to mask sensitive data in the log collection.
-sanitize	(Optional) Use this option to choose to sanitize (redact) sensitive data in the log collection.

### **Usage Notes**

You can use Trace File Collector (the tfact1 command) to collect all log files for the Oracle Database Appliance components.

The following types of sensitive information can be redacted using the <code>-mask</code> or the <code>-sanitize</code> option:

- Host names
- IP addresses
- Database names
- Tablespace names
- Service names
- Ports
- Operating System user names

For example, when the <code>-mask</code> option is used, all instances of a sensitive name such as a database name called "payrolldb" are replaced with "\*\*\*\*\*\*\*" in the TFA collection.

For example, when the <code>-sanitize</code> option is used, all instances of a sensitive name such as a database name called "payrolldb" are replaced with another string, such as "oCjlN7F8P", in the TFA collection.

## Running the Disk Diagnostic Tool

Use the Disk Diagnostic Tool to help identify the cause of disk problems.

The tool produces a list of 14 disk checks for each node. To display details, where n represents the disk resource name, enter the following command:

# odaadmcli stordiag n



For example, to display detailed information for NVMe pd\_00:

```
# odaadmcli stordiag pd_00
```

## Running the Oracle Database Appliance Hardware Monitoring Tool

The Oracle Database Appliance Hardware Monitoring Tool displays the status of different hardware components in Oracle Database Appliance server.

The tool is implemented with the Trace File Analyzer collector. Use the tool both on bare-metal and on virtualized systems. The Oracle Database Appliance Hardware Monitoring Tool reports information only for the node on which you run the command. The information it displays in the output depend on the component that you select to review.

#### **Bare Metal Platform**

You can see the list of monitored components by running the command odaadmclishow -h

To see information about specific components, use the command syntax odaadmcli show component, where component is the hardware component that you want to query. For example, the command odaadmcli show power shows information specifically about the Oracle Database Appliance power supply:

#### Virtualized Platform

You can see the list of monitored components by running the command oakcli show -h

To see information about specific components, use the command syntax <code>oakcli</code> show <code>component</code>, where <code>component</code> is the hardware component that you want to query. For example, the command <code>oakcli</code> show <code>power</code> shows information specifically about the Oracle Database Appliance power supply:

```
# oakcli show power

NAME HEALTH HEALTH DETAILS PART_NO. SERIAL_NO.

Power Supply_0 OK - 7047410 476856F+1242CE0020

Power Supply_1 OK - 7047410 476856F+1242CE004J

(Continued)
```



LOCATION	INPUT	POWER OUTPUT	POWER INLET TEMP	EXHAUST TEMP
PS0	Present	88 watts	31.250 degree C	34.188 degree C
PS1	Present	66 watts	31.250 degree C	34.188 degree C



Oracle Database Appliance Server Hardware Monitoring Tool is enabled during initial startup of ODA\_BASE on Oracle Database Appliance Virtualized Platform. When it starts, the tool collects base statistics for about 5 minutes. During this time, the tool displays the message "Gathering Statistics..." message.

# Configuring a Trusted SSL Certificate for Oracle Database Appliance

The Web Console and DCS Controller use SSL-based HTTPS protocol for secure communication. Understand the implications of this added security and the options to configure SSL certificates.

The Web Console provides an added layer of security using certificates and encryption, when an administrator interacts with the appliance. Encryption of data ensures that:

- Data is sent to the intended recipient, and not to any malicious third-party.
- When data is exchanged between the server and the browser, data interception cannot occur nor can the data be edited.

When you connect to the Web Console through HTTPS, the DCS Controller presents your browser with a certificate to verify the identity of appliance. If the web browser finds that the certificate is not from a trusted Certificate Authority (CA), then the browser assumes it has encountered an untrusted source, and generates a security alert message. The security alert dialog boxes display because Web Console security is enabled through HTTPS and SSL, but you have not secured your Web tier properly with a trusted matching certificate from a Certificate Authority. It is possible to purchase commercial certificates from a Certificate Authority or create your own and register them with a Certificate Authority. However, the server and browser certificates must use the same public certificate key and trusted certificate to avoid the error message produced by the browser.

There are three options to configure your certificates:

- Create your own key and Java keystore, ensure it is signed by a Certificate Authority (CA) and then import it for use.
- Package an existing Privacy Enhanced Mail (PEM) format key and certificates in a new Java keystore.
- Convert an existing PKCS or PFX keystore to a Java keystore and configure it for the Web Console.





For Oracle Database Appliance High-Availability hardware models, run the configuration steps on **both** nodes.

The following topics explain how to configure these options:

- Option 1: Creating a Key and Java Keystore and Importing a Trusted Certificate
  Use keytool, a key and certificate management utility, to create a keystore and a
  signing request.
- Option 2: Packaging an Existing PEM-format Key and Certificates in a New Java Keystore
  - Use the OpenSSL tool to package Privacy Enhanced Mail (PEM) files in a PKCS keystore.
- Option 3: Converting an Existing PKCS or PFX Keystore to a Java Keystore
  If you have an existing PKCS or PFX keystore for your server's domain, convert it
  to a Java keystore.
- Configuring the DCS Server to Use Custom Keystore
   After packaging or converting your keystore into Java keystore, configure the DCS server to use your keystore.
- Configuring the DCS Agent for Custom Certificate
   After you import the certificate into the keystore, configure the DCS agent to use the same certificate.

## Option 1: Creating a Key and Java Keystore and Importing a Trusted Certificate

Use keytool, a key and certificate management utility, to create a keystore and a signing request.

1. Create the keystore:

```
keytool -genkeypair -alias your.domain.com -storetype jks -keystore your.domain.com.jks -validity 366 -keyslg RSA -keysize 4096
```

- 2. The command prompts you for identifying data:
  - 1. What is your first and last name? your.domain.com
  - 2. What is the name of your organizational unit? yourunit
  - 3. What is the name of your organization? yourorg
  - 4. What is the name of your City or Locality? yourcity
  - 5. What is the name of your State or Province? yourstate
  - 6. What is the two-letter country code for this unit? US
- 3. Create the certificate signing request (CSR):

keytool -certreq -alias your.domain.com -file your.domain.com.csr -keystore your.domain.com.jks -ext san=dns:your.domain.com

4. Request a Certificate Authority (CA) signed certificate:



- a. In the directory where you ran Step 1 above, locate the file your.domain.com.csr.
- **b.** Submit the file to your Certificate Authority (CA).

Details vary from one CA to another. Typically, you submit your request through a website; then the CA contacts you to verify your identity. CAs can send signed reply files in a variety of formats, and CAs use a variety of names for those formats. The CA's reply must be in PEM or PKCS#7 format.

- c. There may be a waiting period for the CA's reply.
- Import the CA's reply. The CA's reply will provide one PKCS file or multiple PEM files.
  - a. Copy the CA's files into the directory where you created the keystore in Step 1 above.
  - **b.** Use keytool to export the certificate from the keystore:

```
keytool -exportcert -alias your.domain.com -file /opt/oracle/dcs/
conf/keystore-cert.crt
-keystore your.domain.name.jks
```

6. Use keytool to import the keystore certificate and the CA reply files:

```
keytool -importcert -trustcacerts -alias your.domain.com
-file /opt/oracle/dcs/conf/keystore-cert.crt -keystore /opt/oracle/dcs/
conf/dcs-ca-certs
```

To import PKCS file, run the command:

```
keytool -importcert -trustcacerts -alias your.domain.com -file
CAreply.pkcs -keystore /opt/oracle/dcs/conf/dcs-ca-certs
```

CAreply.pkcs is the name of the PKCS file provided by the CA and your.do-main.com is the complete domain name of your server.

If the CA sent PEM files, then there may be one file, but most often there are two or three. Import the files to your keystore with commands in the order shown below, after substituting your values:

```
keytool -importcert -alias root -file root.cert.pem -keystore /opt/
oracle/dcs/conf/dcs-ca-certs -trustcacerts
keytool -importcert -alias intermediate -file intermedi-
ate.cert.pem /opt/oracle/dcs/conf/dcs-ca-certs -trustcacerts
keytool -importcert -alias intermediat2 -file intermedi-
at2.cert.pem /opt/oracle/dcs/conf/dcs-ca-certs -trustcacerts
keytool -importcert -alias your.domain.com -file server.cert.pem /opt/
oracle/dcs/conf/dcs-ca-certs -trustcacerts
```

root.cert.pem is the name of the root certificate file and intermediate.cert.pem is the name of the intermediate certificate file. The root and intermediate files link the CA's signature to a widely trusted root certificate that is known to web browsers. Most, but not all, CA replies include roots and intermediates. serv-



er.cert.pem is the name of the server certificate file. The file links your domain name with your public key and the CA's signature.

## Option 2: Packaging an Existing PEM-format Key and Certificates in a New Java Keystore

Use the OpenSSL tool to package Privacy Enhanced Mail (PEM) files in a PKCS keystore.

If you have an existing private key and certificates for your server's domain in PEM format, importing them into a Java keystore requires the OpenSSL tool. OpenSSL can package the PEM files in a PKCS keystore. Java keytool can then convert the PKCS keystore to a Java keystore.

- 1. Install OpenSSL.
- Copy your private key, server certificate, and intermediate certificate into one directory.
- **3.** Package the key and certificates into a PKCS keystore as follows:

```
openssl pkcs12 -export -in server.cert.pem -inkey private.key.pem -cert-file intermediate.cert.pem -name "your.domain.com" -out your.domain.com.p12
```

server.cert.pem is the name of the server certificate file, your.domain.com is the complete domain name of your server, private.key.pem is the private counterpart to the public key in server.cert.pem, and intermediate.cert.pem is the name of the intermediate certificate file.

Convert the resulting PKCS keystore file, your.domain.com.p12 into a Java keystore.

## Option 3: Converting an Existing PKCS or PFX Keystore to a Java Keystore

If you have an existing PKCS or PFX keystore for your server's domain, convert it to a Java keystore.

Run the command:

```
keytool -importkeystore -srckeystore your.domain.com.p12 -srcstoretype PKCS12 -destkeystore /opt/oracle/dcs/conf/dcs-ca-certs -deststoretype jks
```

your.domain.com.p12 is the existing keystore file and your.domain.com is the complete domain name of your server.

2. Configure the DCS server as explained in the topic *Configuring the DCS Server to Use Custom Keystore*.



## Configuring the DCS Server to Use Custom Keystore

After packaging or converting your keystore into Java keystore, configure the DCS server to use your keystore.

1. Login to the appliance.

```
ssh -l root oda-host-name
```

2. Generate the obfuscated keystore password:

```
java -cp /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/dcs-controller-n.n.n.-SNAPSHOT.jar
  org.eclipse.jetty.util.security.Password keystore-password
```

#### For example:

```
[root@oda]# java -cp /opt/oracle/dcs/bin/dcs-controler-SNAPSHOT.jar
org.eclipse.jetty.util.security.Password test
12:46:33.858 [main] DEBUG org.eclipse.jetty.util.log
- Logging to Logger[org.eclipse.jetty.util.log] via org.eclipse.jet-
ty.util.log.Slf4jLog
12:46:33.867 [main] INFO org.eclipse.jetty.util.log
- Logging initialized @239ms to org.eclipse.jetty.util.log.Slf4jLog
test
OBF:1z0flvu9lvv11z0f
MD5:098f6bcd462ld373cade4e832627b4f6
[root@scaoda7s001 conf]#
```

Copy the password that starts with OBF:.

3. Update the DCS controller configuration file.

```
cd /opt/oracle/dcs/conf
```

Update the following parameters in dcs-controller.json:

```
"keyStorePath": "keystore-directory-path/your.domain.com.jks"
"trustStorePath": /opt/oracle/dcs/conf/dcs-ca-certs
"keyStorePassword": "obfuscated keystorepassword"
"certAlias": "your.domain.com"
```

4. Restart the DCS Controller.

```
initctl stop initdcscontroller
initctl start initdcscontroller
```

**5.** Access the Web Console at https://oda-host-name:7093/mgmt/index.html.



## Configuring the DCS Agent for Custom Certificate

After you import the certificate into the keystore, configure the DCS agent to use the same certificate.

1. Update the DCS agent configuration file:

```
cd /opt/oracle/dcs/conf
```

Update the following parameters in the dcs-agent. json file:

```
"keyStorePath": "keystore-directory-path/your.domain.com.jks"
"trustStorePath": /opt/oracle/dcs/conf/dcs-ca-certs
"keyStorePassword": "obfuscated keystorepassword"
"certAlias": "your.domain.com"
```

2. Restart the DCS agent:

```
initctl stop initdcsagent
initctl start initdcsagent
```

- **3.** Access the agent at https://oda-host-name:7070.
- 4. Update the CLI certificates.

```
cp -f /opt/oracle/dcs/conf/dcs-ca-certs
/opt/oracle/dcs/dcscli/dcs-ca-certs
```

5. Update the DCS command-line configuration files:

```
[root@]# cd /opt/oracle/dcs/dcscli
```

Update the following parameters in dcscli-adm.conf and dcscli.conf:

```
TrustStorePath=/opt/oracle/dcs/conf/dcs-ca-certs
TrustStorePassword=keystore password
```

## Disabling the Web Console

You can also disable the Web Console. Disabling the Web Console means you can only manage your appliance through the command-line interface.

1. Log in to the appliance:

```
ssh -l root oda-host-name
```

2. Stop the DCS controller. For HA systems, run the command on both nodes.

```
initctl stop initdcscontroller
```



## Preparing Log Files for Oracle Support Services

If necessary, use the command odaadmcli manage diagcollect to collect diagnostic files to send to Oracle Support Services.

Use the Bill Of Materials report saved in the /opt/oracle/dcs/Inventory/ directory, to enable Oracle Support to help troubleshoot errors, if necessary.

If you have a system fault that requires help from Oracle Support Services, then you may need to provide log records to help Oracle support diagnose your issue.

You can use Trace File Collector (the tfact1 command) to collect all log files for the Oracle Database Appliance components.

You can also collect log file information by running the command odaadmcli manage diagcollect. This command consolidates information from log files stored on Oracle Database Appliance into a single log file for use by Oracle Support Services. The location of the file is specified in the command output.

The following is an example of collecting log file information.

```
# odaadmcli manage diagcollect --dataMask --dataSanitize
Current TFA version is:183000
Current TFA supports dataMask or dataSanitize options.
DataMask is as true
DataSanitize is as true
Only collect dcslogs is as false
TFACTL command is: /opt/oracle/tfa/tfa_home/bin/tfactl
Data mask is set.
Running command: /opt/oracle/tfa/tfa_home/bin/tfactl diagcollect -mask -
last 12h
Please wait for several minutes for the collection to complete.
Command return status code is 0
Logs are being collected to:
/opt/oracle/tfa/tfa_home/repository/collec-
tion_Mon_Sep_10_21_56_53_GMT_2018_node_all/
rwsoda6m006.tfa_Mon_Sep_10_21_56_53_GMT_2018.zip
```



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# Oracle Database Appliance Software Configuration Defaults

Oracle Database Appliance software configuration defaults.

- Directory Paths for Oracle Database Appliance
   Locate the storage and mount configuration file paths for Oracle Database Appliance.
- Location of Log Files
   Log files are available for actions performed in the command-line interface and
   Web Console and are useful when you need to track and debug jobs.
- Oracle Groups and User Configurations for Oracle Database Appliance
  Review the groups and default users when you use the Web Console to deploy
  the appliance. All passwords are set to the Master password that you define during
  deployment.

## **Directory Paths for Oracle Database Appliance**

Locate the storage and mount configuration file paths for Oracle Database Appliance.

Oracle homes on Oracle Database Appliance follow Optimal Flexible Architecture guidelines.

**Directory Paths for Oracle Database Appliance** 

Item Directory Path			
Grid home	/u01/app/release-specific_name/gi owner		
Grid base	/u01/app/gi owner		
Oracle home	<pre>/u01/app/rdbms owner/product/ rdbms_version/dbhome_home_se- quence_number</pre>		
Oracle base	/u01/app/rdbms owner		
Oracle Inventory	/u01/app/oraInventory		

## **Location of Log Files**

Log files are available for actions performed in the command-line interface and Web Console and are useful when you need to track and debug jobs.

You can also use the Oracle Appliance Manager Web Console to view job activity, including the tasks that make up the job. The status of each task appears in the Web Console and you can drill down to get greater details.

If you log a Service Request, upload all of the logs in the  $\protect\operatorname{\mathsf{Nopt/oracle/dcs/log}}$  directory.

#### **Patching Log Files**

All patching-related information is logged in the dcs-agent log file at /opt/oracle/dcs/log/dcs-agent.log.

## **DCS Agent Log Directories**

Agent-specific activities are logged in the dcs-agent log.

The DCS Agent, controller, and command-line interface output appears in the /opt/oracle/dcs/log/dcs-agent.log file.

If an error occurs in the command-line interface layer, then the output will show in the /opt/oracle/dcs/log/dcscli.log file first.

#### **Storage Logs**

Storage-related activity is logged in the oakd log file.

/opt/oracle/oak/log/hostname/oak/oakd.log

For example, /opt/oracle/oak/log/myhost/oak/oakd.log

Use the odaadmcli manage diagcollect command to collect diagnostic logs for storage components. The files are saved in the oakdiag log file.

/opt/oracle/oak/log/hostname/oakdiag/file name.tar.gz

For example, /opt/oracle/oak/log/myhost/oakdiag/oakStorage-my-host-20161120\_2217.tar.gz

#### **Database Logs**

Online logs are stored in the /u03/app/db user/redo/ directory.

Oracle Fast Recovery Area (FRA) is located in the /u03/app/db user/fast\_recovery\_area directory.

Database alert logs are stored in the location <code>\$ORACLE\_BASE/diag/rdbms/data-base\_unique\_name</code>.

### Oracle Auto Service Request (Oracle ASR) Log Files

All log files for Oracle ASR are located in the /var/opt/asrmanager/log/ directory.



# Oracle Groups and User Configurations for Oracle Database Appliance

Review the groups and default users when you use the Web Console to deploy the appliance. All passwords are set to the Master password that you define during deployment.

**Default Operating System Groups and User Configurations** 

Table A-1 Default Operating System Groups and Users Configuration for Oracle Database Appliance

Groups and Users	Default Value
Oracle Grid Infrastructure installation owner	grid, UID 1001
Oracle Database installation owner	oracle, UID 1000
Oracle Database system administrator	sys
Oracle Database generic administrator	system
Oracle Inventory system privileges group	oinstall, GID 1001
Oracle ASM Administrators system privileges	asmadmin, GID 1004
Oracle ASM Users system privileges	asmdba, GID 1006
Oracle ASM Operator system privileges	asmoper, GID 1005
Oracle Database Administrators system privileges	dba, GID 1003
Oracle Database Operator system privileges	dbaoper, GID 1002

#### **Oracle Groups and User Configurations**

You can use the Web Console or the odacli create-appliance command and a JSON file to deploy the appliance. The following configurations are supported:

- 2 Users with 6 groups (operating system role separation)
- Single User with 6 groups (no operating system role separation)
- Single user with 2 groups (no operating system role separation)

You can customize groupname, username, and UID.



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## Oracle Database Appliance Storage Defaults

Review this section to understand Oracle Database Appliance storage architecture and options and how to determine usable storage.

- Determining Usable Disk Capacity on Oracle Database Appliance for X6-2S, X6-2M, and X6-2L

Review the usable disk capacity available for Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S, X6-2M, and X6-2L and how capacity is derived.

## About Oracle Database Appliance Storage

Use Oracle Automatic Storage Management (Oracle ASM) or Oracle Automatic Storage Management Cluster File System (Oracle ACFS) for database files storage.

Database file systems are used exclusively for storing database files, and they include a DATA file system for database data files and a RECO file system for storing archive files and backups. Oracle Database Appliance supports Oracle ACFS and Oracle ASM database file storage. You determine the type of database storage when you create the database.

#### **About Oracle ASM Database Storage**

With Oracle ASM, database data files are stored in DATA diskgroup. Redo and archive files are in RECO diskgroup.

#### **About Oracle ACFS Database Storage**

With Oracle ACFS, an Oracle ACFS file system is created from DATA diskgroup for each database to store data files, and an Oracle ACFS file system is created from RECO diskgroup for redo and fast recovery area for all databases.

- About Database File Storage
   Understand how database file storage is configured for Oracle Database Appliance X6-2.
- Oracle ACFS Mount Points and Storage Space
   Review Oracle ASM Cluster file system (ACFS) mount points for Oracle Database
   Appliance.
- Displaying Mounted Disk Details
   Use the Oracle Automatic Storage Management 1sdg command to display mounted disk groups and their information for Oracle Database Appliance.

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### **About Oracle ASM Database Storage**

With Oracle ASM, database datafiles are stored in DATA diskgroup. Redo and archive files are in RECO diskgroup.

Reserved storage is the amount of Oracle Automatic Storage Management (Oracle ASM) storage required to maintain redundancy in the event of a disk failure. If you use the reserve storage capacity, then the system continues to run, and it is protected through Oracle ASM mirroring. However, in the event of a second disk failure, the system is then running in a non-protected and degraded mode. In this event, you must replace disks immediately.

#### **About Oracle ACFS Database Storage**

With Oracle ACFS, an Oracle ACFS file system is created from DATA diskgroup for each database to store datafiles, and an Oracle ACFS file system is created from RE-CO diskgroup for redo and fast recovery area for all databases.

### **Storage Configuration Options**

When Oracle Database Appliance X6-2 is deployed, you can select one of the following configuration options to divide the storage capacity between DATA diskgroup and RECO diskgroup:

- External: Storage capacity is split between 80% for DATA and 20% for RECO.
- Internal: Storage capacity is split between 40% for DATA and 60% for RECO.
- Custom: Storage capacity is configurable from 10% to 90% for DATA and the remainder for RECO.

When you configure Oracle Database Appliance to use Custom data storage, the amount of usable storage is determined by the percentage configured for DATA.

You can run the lsdg command to determine the usable storage on the DATA disk group.

## Oracle ACFS Mount Points and Storage Space

Review Oracle ASM Cluster file system (ACFS) mount points for Oracle Database Appliance.

If you select Oracle Automatic Storage Management (Oracle ASM) for database storage when you create a database, then an Oracle ASM Cluster file system (ACFS) is not created. All files are in an Oracle ASM diskgroup.



If you select Oracle ACFS for database storage, then each database has its own Oracle ACFS mount point:

- DATA diskgroup: /u02/app/oracleuser/oradata/db\_name
- RECO diskgroup: /u03/app/oracleuser.

With Oracle ACFS, the following are created:

- A 100G ACFS is created from +DATA diskgroup for each database. This Oracle ACFS automatically extends the space on demand.
- A common Oracle ACFS with 25% of +RECO diskgroup is created with auto extension on. This file system is used for fast recovery area and redo logs for all databases.

Table B-1 Oracle ACFS Mount Points and Related Oracle ASM Disk Groups and Volume Information

File System	Oracle ASM Disk Group	Oracle ASM Dynamic Volume	Mount Point
DATA	+DATA	/dev/asm/dat <i>dbname-nnn</i> For example: /dev/asm/dato-dacn-123	/u02/app/oracleuser/oradata/dbname  For example: /u02/app/example/oradata/odacn
RECO	+RECO	/dev/asm/reco- <i>nn</i>	/u03/app/oracleuser This mount point is shared by all databases for fast_recovery_area and redo logs.
			For fast_recovery_area, the path is: /u03/app/oracleuser/fast_recovery_area/db_name
			For redo logs, the path is: /u03/app/ oracleuser/redo/db_name

### **Example B-1** Oracle ACFS Storage Space

When the Oracle ACFS file systems are created, they do not initially consume all of the storage in the appliance. Space is preserved for additional repositories, or in some cases, database files stored directly in Oracle ASM. You can check for available storage space in your file systems by running the operating system command  $\mathtt{df}_{-k}$  as shown in the following example.

# df -k					
Filesystem	1K-blocks	Used	Available	Use%	
Mounted on					
/dev/mapper/VolGroupSys-LogVolRoot	30963708	14203568	15187276	49%	/
tmpfs	65952292	647800	65304492		
1% /dev/shm					
/dev/sda1	495844	43872	426372	10%	/
boot					
/dev/mapper/VolGroupSys-LogVolOpt	61927420	18594420	40187272	32%	/
opt					
/dev/mapper/VolGroupSys-LogVolU01	103212320	49621560	48347880	51%	/
u01					
/dev/asm/reco-62	76546048	1469676	75076372		



2%	/u03/app/oracle			
/dev/asm/datrdb2-268		104857600	3872368	100985232
4%	/u02/app/oracle/oradata/rdb2			
/dev/asm/datndb11-268		104857600	247160	104610440
1%	/u02/app/oracle/oradata/ndb11	-		
/dev/asm/datndb12-268		104857600	247160	104610440
1%	/u02/app/oracle/oradata/ndb12	2		

## Displaying Mounted Disk Details

Use the Oracle Automatic Storage Management lsdg command to display mounted disk groups and their information for Oracle Database Appliance.

To display information about a specific disk group, specify the disk group in the command.

- 1. Log in as a grid user.
- 2. Run the Oracle Automatic Storage Management 1sdg command.

## **Example B-2** Determining Storage on the DATA Disk Group

# Determining Usable Disk Capacity on Oracle Database Appliance for X6-2S, X6-2M, and X6-2L

Review the usable disk capacity available for Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S, X6-2M, and X6-2L and how capacity is derived.

Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S, X6-2M, and X6-2L use 3.2 TB raw NVMe flash Solid-State Drives. The usable data capacity in the following tables varies because it is derived by converting terabytes reported in decimal (based on 1 kilobyte equals 1,000 bytes) into terabytes reported in binary (based on 1 kilobyte equals 1,024 bytes) and splitting the usable capacity into Oracle Automatic Storage Management (Oracle ASM) disk groups.

In summary, each NVMe SSD usable storage is approximately 2.91TB. This is calculated by the storage usable capacity of the drive converted to TB. 3.2 TB divided by  $1.024^4$ = 2.91TB.

#### Usable Disk Capacity on Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S and X6-2M

The following table provides the approximate amount of usable space for the Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S and X6-2M.



Table B-2 Usable Disk Capacity on Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S and X6-2M

Description	Sizing for X6-2S and X6-2M with 2 NVMe Drives	Sizing for X6-2S and X6-2M with 4 NVMe Drives
Number of NVMe Drives	2	4
Total Usable Space	5.8TB	11.6TB
Total Usable Normal (Double Mirror) Oracle ASM Redundancy	2.9TB	5.8TB
DATA Disk Group (90% Usable)	2.6TB	5.2TB
RECO Disk Group (10% Usable)	0.3TB	0.6TB
Total Usable High (Triple Mirror) Oracle ASM Redundancy	NA. Triple mirroring is not applicable for the X6-2S and X6-2M.	3.9TB
DATA Disk Group (90% usable)	NA. Triple mirroring is not applicable for the X6-2S and X6-2M.	3.5TB
RECO Disk Group (10% usable)	NA. Triple mirroring is not applicable for the X6-2S and X6-2M.	0.4TB
	·	·

#### Usable Disk Capacity on Oracle Database Appliance X6-2L

Based on the calculations of the capacity of the storage drives and including the reserved space for redundancy, the following table reflects the approximate usable storage of the Oracle Database Appliance X6-2L.

Table B-3 Usable Storage on Oracle Database Appliance X6-2L

Description	Sizing for X6-2L with 6 NVMe Drives	Sizing for X6-2L with 9 NVMe Drives
Number of NVMe Drives	6	9
Total Usable Space	17.4TB	26.1TB
Reserved Space Normal Redundancy	2.9TB	2.9TB
Total Usable Normal (Double Mirror) Oracle ASM Redundancy	7.2TB	11.6TB
DATA Disk Group (90% usable)	6.5TB	10.4TB
RECO Disk Group (10% usable)	0.7TB	1.2TB
Reserved Space High Redundancy	5.8TB	5.8TB
Total Usable High (Triple Mirror) Oracle ASM Redundancy	3.8TB	6.8TB
DATA Disk Group (90% usable)	3.4TB	6.1TB
RECO Disk Group (10% usable)	0.4TB	0.7TB

The Reserved Space values represent the amount of storage required to maintain full redundancy in case of disk failure.

## **Oracle ASM Calculations**

When Oracle ASM calculates usable Free Space, it determines the amount of space to reserve in the case of a disk failure. For Oracle Database Appliance X6-2S or



X6-2M with 2 or 4 NVMe drives, this reserved space is not required. When you query Oracle ASM or Oracle Database Appliance commands to view the amount of storage available, the usable\_File\_MB value may report a negative number.

**Table B-4 Oracle ASM Calculations** 

Number of Drives	Redundancy	Total_MB	Free_MB	Req_mir_free _MB	Usa- ble_file_MB	Name
2	NORMAL	4894016	4893372	0	1220644	RECO/
4	NORMAL	1231176	1230996	610468	305150	RECO/

Note:

Note: 1TB = MB divided by  $1024^2$ 

The following table describes how capacity terms are defined by Oracle ASM and Oracle Database Appliance.

**Table B-5 Definition of Terminology** 

Term	Oracle ASM Definition	Oracle Database Appliance Definition
Total_MB	Size of the disk group in MB	Total usable storage. For example, for 2 NVMe drives, total usable storage is 5.8TB.
Free_MB	Free space in the disk group in MB, without regard to redundancy.	Total usable storage after formatting to Oracle ASM disk groups. For example, for 2 NVMe drives, total usable storage is 5.8TB.
Req_mir_free_MB	Amount of space that must be available in the disk group to restore full redundancy after the worst failure that can be tolerated by the disk group.	Total usable storage after formatting to Oracle ASM disk groups. For example, for 2 NVMe drives, total usable storage is 5.8TB.
Usable_file_MB	Amount of free space, adjusted for mirroring, that is available for new files.	Total usable space taking into consideration the mirroring level. Oracle ASM also calculates the amount of space required.



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## Creating an Appliance Using JSON File

Understand the process to create an appliance using the command odacli create-appliance and view an example JSON file.

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## **Loading and Saving Appliance Configurations**

You can load a saved JSON file and use it to configure your appliance, and save an existing configuration as a JSON file from the Web Console.

### Using a Saved Configuration to Create a New Appliance in the Web Console

You can load a saved configuration from your client machine, and create a new appliance.

- 1. Log into the Web Console.
- 2. In the Create Appliance page, click Browse next to Load Configuration.
- Select the JSON file from the local machine, being used to access the Web Console.
- **4.** The appliance configuration values from the JSON file are populated in the fields on the Create Appliance page.
- Make any changes required, and submit the request to create the appliance Note that for security requirements, you must enter passwords manually.

### Saving an Appliance Configuration from the Web Console

You can save an appliance configuration and use it to create another appliance.

- Log into the Web Console.
- 2. If you have already configured your appliance, then in the Create Appliance page, click **Save Configuration**.

3. The configuration is saved as a JSON file on the local machine, being used to access the Web Console.

## Readme for the Command odacli create-appliance

If you want to create the appliance outside of the Web Console, then review the readme file for details on how to create a JSON file to use with the command-line interface.

You can use the command odacli create-appliance and a JSON file that includes your appliance configuration settings to deploy the appliance instead of using the Web Console.



It is important to review the readme and the examples carefully before creating your JSON file. If you do not enter your network and Oracle ILOM information correctly based on your setup, you will lose network access to both the host and Oracle ILOM.

#### Readme

The readme is located in the <code>/opt/oracle/dcs/sample</code> directory. Review the readme carefully along with the provided JSON example files. Create a JSON file with the necessary changes based on your environment and requirements.

# Example JSON Files to Create a Single Node Appliance with the CLI

Follow these JSON file examples to create a JSON file to deploy a single node appliance with the command odacli create-appliance.

Use the example JSON files and the information located in the readme as a template to create a file for your environment. Examples and the readme are located in the /opt/oracle/dcs/sample directory.



If you do not enter your network and Oracle ILOM information correctly based on your setup, then network access is lost to both the host and Oracle ILOM.

When using the example to create your JSON file, change the definitions to match your environment. The password must meet password requirements.



## Example C-1 JSON File to Create a Single Node Oracle Database Appliance with Role Separation

The following is an example of a JSON file that creates a single node appliance on Oracle Database Appliance X7-2S or X7-2M. The example uses role separation.

```
"instance" : {
  "name" : "odambox",
  "instanceBaseName" : "odambox-c",
  "dbEdition" : "EE",
  "timeZone" : "UTC",
  "ntpServers" : ["10.0.3.14"],
  "dnsServers" : ["10.0.4.10","10.0.4.11","10.0.4.12"],
  "domainName" : "example.com",
  "isRoleSeparated" : true,
  "osUserGroup" : {
    "groups" : [ {
      "groupId" : 1001,
      "groupName" : "oinstall",
      "groupRole" : "oinstall"
    }, {
      "groupId" : 1002,
      "groupName" : "dbaoper",
      "groupRole" : "dbaoper"
      "groupId" : 1003,
      "groupName" : "dba",
      "groupRole" : "dba"
    }, {
      "groupId" : 1004,
      "groupName" : "asmadmin",
      "groupRole" : "asmadmin"
    }, {
      "groupId" : 1005,
      "groupName" : "asmoper",
      "groupRole" : "asmoper"
    }, {
      "groupId" : 1006,
      "groupName" : "asmdba",
      "groupRole" : "asmdba"
    } ],
    "users" : [ {
      "userId" : 1000,
      "userName" : "oracle",
      "userRole" : "oracleUser"
      "userId" : 1001,
      "userName" : "grid",
      "userRole" : "gridUser"
    } ]
"nodes" : [ {
  "nodeNumber" : "0",
```



```
"nodeName" : "odambox",
  "network" : [ {
     "nicName" : "btbond1",
     "ipAddress" : "10.0.1.11",
     "subNetMask" : "255.255.240.0",
     "gateway" : "10.0.0.1",
     "networkType" : [ "Public" ],
     "isDefaultNetwork" : true
   },
  ],
  "ilom" : {
    "ilomName":"odambox-c",
    "ipAddress": "10.0.2.10",
    "subNetMask": "255.255.240.0",
    "gateway": "10.0.0.1"
  }
} ],
"grid" : {
  "diskGroup" : [ {
    "diskGroupName" : "DATA",
    "redundancy" : "NORMAL",
    "diskPercentage" :80
 }, {
    "diskGroupName" : "RECO",
    "redundancy" : "NORMAL",
    "diskPercentage" :20
 } ],
"scan" : {
   "scanName": "odambox-scan",
   "ipAddresses":[
  "10.0.1.11"
  ]
 },
"vip":[
  {
  "nodeNumber": "0",
  "vipName": "odambox-vip",
  "ipAddress":"10.0.1.11"
  }
 ],
  "language" : "en",
  "enableAFD":"TRUE"
},
"database" : {
  "dbName" : "myTestDb",
  "databaseUniqueName": "myTestDb_sealkj",
  "dbEdition" : "EE",
  "dbVersion" : "12.2.0.1",
  "dbHomeId":null,
  "instanceOnly" : false,
  "isCdb" : true,
  "pdBName" : "pdb1",
  "pdbAdminuserName" : "pdbuser",
  "enableTDE":true,
  "adminPassword" : "password",
```

```
"dbType" : "SI",
  "dbTargetNodeNumber" : null,
  "dbClass" : "OLTP",
  "dbShape" : "odb1",
  "dbStorage" : "ACFS",
  "dbCharacterSet" : {
    "characterSet" : "AL32UTF8",
    "nlsCharacterset" : "AL16UTF16",
    "dbTerritory" : "AMERICA",
    "dbLanguage" : "AMERICAN"
  },
  "dbConsoleEnable" : false,
  "backupConfigId":null,
  "rmanBkupPassword": null
},
"asr" :{
  "asrType": "INTERNAL",
  "userName": "john.smith@example.com",
  "password": "password",
  "proxyServerName": "www-proxy.example.com",
  "proxyPort": "80",
  "proxyUserName":"proxy-user",
  "proxyPassword":"proxy-password",
  "snmpVersion": "v2"
```

## Example C-2 JSON File to Create a Single Node Oracle Database Appliance without Role Separation

The following is an example of a JSON file that creates an Oracle Database Appliance without using role separation. This example creates two groups (oinstall and dba) and one user ("oracle").

```
"instance" : {
  "name" : "odambox",
  "instanceBaseName" : "odambox-c",
  "dbEdition" : "EE",
  "timeZone" : "UTC",
  "ntpServers" : ["10.0.3.14"],
  "dnsServers" : ["10.0.4.10","10.0.4.11","10.0.4.12"],
  "domainName" : "example.com",
  "isRoleSeparated" : false,
  "osUserGroup" : {
    "groups" : [ {
      "groupId" : 1001,
      "groupName" : "oinstall",
      "groupRole" : "oinstall"
      "groupId" : 1002,
      "groupName" : "dba",
      "groupRole" : "dba"
    } ],
   "users" : [ {
```



}

```
"userId" : 1000,
      "userName" : "oracle",
      "userRole" : "oracleUser"
    } ]
},
"nodes" : [ {
  "nodeNumber" : "0",
  "nodeName" : "odambox",
  "network" : [ {
     "nicName" : "btbond1",
     "ipAddress" : "10.0.1.11",
     "subNetMask" : "255.255.240.0",
     "gateway" : "10.0.0.1",
     "networkType" : [ "Public" ],
     "isDefaultNetwork" : true
    },
  ],
  "ilom" : {
    "ilomName":"odambox-c",
    "ipAddress":"10.0.2.10",
    "subNetMask": "255.255.240.0",
    "gateway":"10.0.0.1"
} ],
"grid" : {
  "diskGroup" : [ {
    "diskGroupName" : "DATA",
    "redundancy" : "NORMAL",
    "diskPercentage" :80
  }, {
    "diskGroupName" : "RECO",
    "redundancy" : "NORMAL",
    "diskPercentage" :20
  } ],
"scan" : {
   "scanName": "odambox-scan",
   "ipAddresses":[
  "10.0.1.11"
  ]
  },
"vip":[
  "nodeNumber":"0",
  "vipName": "odambox-vip",
  "ipAddress":"10.0.1.11"
  ],
  "language" : "en",
  "enableAFD":"TRUE"
},
"database" : {
  "dbName" : "myTestDb",
  "databaseUniqueName": "myTestDb_sealkj",
  "dbEdition" : "EE",
```

```
"dbVersion" : "12.2.0.1",
    "dbHomeId":null,
    "instanceOnly" : false,
    "isCdb" : true,
    "pdBName" : "pdb1",
    "pdbAdminuserName" : "pdbuser",
    "enableTDE":true,
    "adminPassword" : "password",
    "dbType" : "SI",
    "dbTargetNodeNumber" : null,
    "dbClass" : "OLTP",
    "dbShape" : "odb1",
    "dbStorage" : "ACFS",
    "dbCharacterSet" : {
      "characterSet" : "AL32UTF8",
      "nlsCharacterset" : "AL16UTF16",
      "dbTerritory" : "AMERICA",
      "dbLanguage" : "AMERICAN"
    },
    "dbConsoleEnable" : false,
    "backupConfigId":null,
    "rmanBkupPassword": null
  },
  "asr" :{
    "asrType": "INTERNAL",
    "userName": "john.smith@example.com",
    "password": "password",
    "proxyServerName": "www-proxy.example.com",
    "proxyPort": "80",
    "proxyUserName": "proxy-user",
    "proxyPassword": "proxy-password",
    "snmpVersion": "v2"
}
```

# Example JSON File to Create a Multi-Node Appliance with the CLI

Follow the JSON file example to create a JSON file to deploy a multi-node appliance with the command odacli create-appliance.

Use the example JSON files and the information located in the readme as a template to create a file for your environment. Examples and the readme are located in the /opt/oracle/dcs/sample directory.

## Note:

It is important to review the readme and the examples carefully before creating your JSON file. If you do not enter your network and Oracle ILOM information correctly based on your setup, then network access is lost to both the host and Oracle ILOM.

## Example C-3 JSON File to Create a Multi-Node Oracle Database Appliance with Role Separation

The following is an example of a JSON file that creates a multi-node appliance on Oracle Database Appliance X7-2-HA bare metal platform. The example uses role separation. When using the example to create your JSON file, change the definitions to match your environment. The password must meet password requirements.

```
"instance":{
   "name": "odahabox",
   "instanceBaseName": "odahabox",
   "dbEdition": "EE",
   "timeZone": "UTC",
   "ntpServers" : ["10.0.3.14"],
   "dnsServers" : ["10.0.4.10","10.0.4.11","10.0.4.12"],
   "domainName": "example.com",
   "isRoleSeparated":true,
   "osUserGroup":{
      "groups":[
            "groupId":1001,
            "groupName": "oinstall",
            "groupRole":"oinstall"
            "groupId":1002,
            "groupName": "dbaoper",
            "groupRole": "dbaoper"
            "groupId":1003,
            "groupName": "dba",
            "groupRole": "dba"
            "groupId":1004,
            "groupName": "asmadmin",
            "groupRole": "asmadmin"
            "groupId":1005,
            "groupName": "asmoper",
            "groupRole": "asmoper"
            "groupId":1006,
            "groupName": "asmdba",
            "groupRole": "asmdba"
      ],
      "users":[
            "userId":101,
            "userName": "grid",
```



```
"userRole": "gridUser"
            "userId":102,
            "userName": "oracle",
            "userRole": "oracleUser"
      ]
   "objectStoreCredentials":null
},
"nodes":[
   {
      "nodeNumber": "0",
      "nodeName": "odahaboxc1n2",
      "network":[
         {
            "nicName": "btbond1",
            "ipAddress": "10.31.98.133",
            "subNetMask": "255.255.240.0",
            "gateway": "10.31.96.1",
            "networkType":[
                "Public"
            "isDefaultNetwork":true
      ],
      "ilom":{
         "ilomName": "odahabox2-c",
         "ipAddress": "10.31.16.140",
         "subNetMask": "255.255.240.0",
         "gateway":"10.31.16.1"
      "nodeNumber": "1",
      "nodeName": "odahaboxc1n1",
      "network":[
            "nicName": "btbond1",
            "ipAddress": "10.31.98.132",
            "subNetMask": "255.255.240.0",
            "gateway": "10.31.96.1",
            "networkType":[
                "Public"
            "isDefaultNetwork":true
      ],
      "ilom":{
         "ilomName": "odahabox1-c",
         "ipAddress": "10.31.16.139",
         "subNetMask": "255.255.240.0",
         "gateway": "10.31.16.1"
```

```
],
"grid":{
   "diskGroup":[
         "diskGroupName": "DATA",
         "redundancy": "HIGH",
         "diskPercentage":80
         "diskGroupName": "RECO",
         "redundancy": "HIGH",
         "diskPercentage":20
      },
         "diskGroupName": "REDO",
         "redundancy": "HIGH",
         "diskPercentage":null
   ],
   "scan":{
      "scanName": "odahaboxc1-scan",
      "ipAddresses":[
         "10.31.98.182",
         "10.31.98.183"
      ]
   },
   "vip":[
         "nodeNumber": "0",
         "vipName": "odahaboxc1n2-vip",
         "ipAddress":"10.31.98.159"
      },
         "nodeNumber": "1",
         "vipName": "odahaboxcln1-vip",
         "ipAddress":"10.31.98.158"
   ],
   "language": "en",
   "enableAFD": "TRUE"
"database":{
   "dbName": "myTestDb",
   "databaseUniqueName":"myTestDb_sea1kj",
   "dbVersion": "12.2.0.1",
   "dbHomeId":null,
   "instanceOnly":false,
   "isCdb":true,
   "pdBName": "pdb1",
   "pdbAdminuserName": "pdbuser",
   "enableTDE":true,
   "adminPassword": "password",
   "dbType": "RAC",
   "dbTargetNodeNumber":null,
```

```
"dbClass":"OLTP",
  "dbShape":"odb1",
  "dbStorage":"ACFS",
  "dbCharacterSet":{
        "characterSet":"AL32UTF8",
        "nlsCharacterset":"AL16UTF16",
        "dbTerritory":"AMERICAN"
        "dbLanguage":"AMERICAN"
    },
        "dbConsoleEnable":false,
        "backupConfigId":null
},
    "asr":null
}
```



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# Database Shapes for Oracle Database Appliance

Use the information in this appendix to select database shapes, or templates, for your planned databases.

- About Database Shapes
   Review this information to help determine the database shape to use.
- OLTP Database Shapes
   Use Oracle Database Appliance OLTP Database Shapes if your database work-load is primarily online transaction processing (OLTP).
- In-Memory Database Shapes
  Use Oracle Database Appliance In-Memory (IMDB) database shapes if your database workload can fit in memory, and can benefit from in-memory performance capabilities.
- DSS Database Shapes
   Use DSS database shapes if your database workload is primarily decision support services (DSS) or data warehousing.

## **About Database Shapes**

Review this information to help determine the database shape to use.

Oracle Database Appliance shapes define databases with parameters selected specifically to optimize performance on Oracle Database Appliance. In addition, these shapes help you to set up appropriate instance caging and to acquire an appropriate license.

Oracle Database Appliance enables you to consolidate many databases into a single system. Consolidation can minimize idle resources, maximize efficiency, and lower costs. By using instance caging in conjunction with Oracle Database Resource Manager (the Resource Manager), you can provide desired levels of service across multiple instances on a single Oracle Database Appliance.

Oracle Database Appliance shapes are already tuned for the size of each database instance workload. They are designed to run on a specific number of cores. Caging ensures that each database workload is restricted to the set of cores allocated by the shape, enabling multiple databases to run concurrently with no performance degradation, up to the capacity of Oracle Database Appliance. You can select database shape sizes larger than your current needs to provide for planned growth, which you accommodate later by adjusting System Global Area (SGA) and Program Global Area (PGA) sizes as well as the number of cores.

The Oracle Appliance Manager Configurator refers to the database sizing shapes as *classes* of databases.

Oracle strongly recommends that you use the Oracle Database Appliance shapes, because they implement best practices and are configured specifically for Oracle Database Appliance.

### **Choosing a Database Shape**

Database shapes are configured specifically for the type of database workload that you want to carry out on your databases on Oracle Database Appliance. Choose the shape that best matches the common workload your databases perform (OLTP, DSS, In-Memory).

The database sizing tables provide shape names and sizing based on the number of CPUs and memory attributes for each type of database workload.

Identify the shape type that is appropriate to your database workload and hardware:

- Use Oracle Database Appliance OLTP Database Shapes if your database workload is primarily online transaction processing (OLTP).
- Use Oracle Database Appliance DSS database shapes if your database workload is primarily decision support services (DSS) or data warehousing.
- Use Oracle Database Appliance In-Memory (IMDB) database shapes if your database workload can fit in memory, and can benefit from in-memory performance capabilities.

Use the database shape tables to help select the best shapes for your databases. When using these tables remember that:

- The information in the tables assumes that you are creating disk backups. The information in the tables assume that you are creating local disk backups. Consider the space requirements for your database and the policy for local disk backups versus external backups. Typically, external backups have more space available for the database than local backups.
- The log file size assumes three (3) REDO log groups for each instance with a log switch every 15 minutes when the system is running at full capacity.

## **OLTP Database Shapes**

Use Oracle Database Appliance OLTP Database Shapes if your database workload is primarily online transaction processing (OLTP).

Table D-1 Oracle Database Appliance OLTP Database Shape Sizes

Shape	CPU Cores	SGA (GB)	PGA (GB)	Processes	Redo log file size (GB)	Log buffer (MB)
odb1s	1	2	1	200	1	16
odb1	1	4	2	200	1	16
odb2	2	8	4	400	1	16



Table D-1 (Cont.) Oracle Database Appliance OLTP Database Shape Sizes

Shape	CPU Cores	SGA (GB)	PGA (GB)	Processes	Redo log file size (GB)	Log buffer (MB)
odb4	4	16	8	800	1	32
odb6	6	24	12	1200	2	64
odb08	8	32	16	1600	2	64
odb10	10	40	20	2000	2	64
odb12 (X6-2M and X6-2L only)	12	48	24	2400	4	64
odb16 (X6-2M and X6-2L only)	16	64	32	3200	4	64
odb20 (X6-2M and X6-2L only)	20	80	40	4000	4	64

## **In-Memory Database Shapes**

Use Oracle Database Appliance In-Memory (IMDB) database shapes if your database workload can fit in memory, and can benefit from in-memory performance capabilities.

Table D-2 Oracle Database Appliance In-Memory Database Shape Size

Shape	CPU Cores	SGA (GB)	PGA (GB)	In-Mem- ory (GB)	Processes	Redo log file size (GB)	Log buf- fer (MB)
odb1s	1	2	1	1	200	1	16
odb1	1	4	2	2	200	1	16
odb2	2	8	4	4	400	1	16
odb4	4	16	8	8	800	1	32
odb6	6	24	12	12	1200	2	64
odb08	8	32	16	16	1600	2	64
odb10	10	40	20	20	2000	2	64
odb12 (X6-2M and X6-2L only)	12	48	24	24	2400	4	64
odb20 (X6-2M and X6-2L only)	20	80	40	40	4000	4	64



## **DSS Database Shapes**

Use DSS database shapes if your database workload is primarily decision support services (DSS) or data warehousing.

Table D-3 Oracle Database Appliance DSS Database Shape Sizes

Shape	CPU Cores	SGA (GB)	PGA (GB)	Processes	Redo log file size (GB)	Log buffer (MB)
odb1s	1	1	2	200	1	16
odb1	1	2	4	200	1	16
odb2	2	4	8	400	1	16
odb4	4	8	16	800	1	32
odb6	6	12	24	1200	2	64
odb8	8	16	32	1600	2	64
odb10	10	20	40	2000	2	64
odb12 (X6-2M and X6-2L only)	12	24	48	2400	4	64
odb20 (X6-2M and X6-2L only)	20	40	80	4000	4	64



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