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Managing disks

When you need to update the Disk Qualification Package

The Disk Qualification Package (DQP) adds full support for newly qualified drives. Before you update drive firmware or add new drive types or sizes to a cluster, you must update the DQP. A best practice is to also update the DQP regularly; for example, every quarter or semi-annually.

You need to download and install the DQP in the following situations:

• Whenever you add a new drive type or size to the node

For example, if you already have 1-TB drives and add 2-TB drives, you need to check for the latest DQP update.

- · Whenever you update the disk firmware
- Whenever newer disk firmware or DQP files are available
- Whenever you upgrade to a new version of ONTAP.

The DQP is not updated as part of an ONTAP upgrade.

Related information

NetApp Downloads: Disk Qualification Package

NetApp Downloads: Disk Drive Firmware

How hot spare disks work

A hot spare disk is a disk that is assigned to a storage system and is ready for use, but is not in use by a RAID group and does not hold any data.

If a disk failure occurs within a RAID group, the hot spare disk is automatically assigned to the RAID group to replace the failed disks. The data of the failed disk is reconstructed on the hot spare replacement disk in the background from the RAID parity disk. The reconstruction activity is logged in the /etc/message file and an AutoSupport message is sent.

If the available hot spare disk is not the same size as the failed disk, a disk of the next larger size is chosen and then downsized to match the size of the disk that it is replacing.

How low spare warnings can help you manage your spare disks

By default, warnings are issued to the console and logs if you have fewer than one hot spare drive that matches the attributes of each drive in your storage system. You can change the threshold value for these warning messages to ensure that your system adheres to best practices.

You should set the min_spare_count RAID option to 2 to ensure that you always have the minimum recommended number of spare disks. You can use the storage raid-options modify -node nodename -name option name -value 2 to set the option.

Display disk and partition ownership

You can view disk ownership to determine which node controls the storage. You can also view the partition ownership on systems that use shared disks.

Steps

1. Display the ownership of physical disks using the storage disk show -ownership command:

			Owner	DR Home	Home ID	Owner ID	DR
Home ID	Reserver	Pool					
1.0.0	aggr0_2	node2	node2	-	2014941509	2014941509	_
201494150	9 Pool0						
1.0.1	aggr0_2	node2	node2	-	2014941509	2014941509	-
201494150	9 Pool0						
1.0.2	aggr0_1	node1	node1	-	2014941219	2014941219	-
201494121	9 Pool0						
1.0.3	_	node1	node1	_	2014941219	2014941219	-
201494121	.9 Pool0						

2. If you have a system that uses shared disks, display the partition ownership using the storage disk show -partition-ownership command:

cluster::>	> storage	disk show -	partition-ow Root	nership	Data	
Container	Containe	er				
Disk A	Aggregate	Root Owner	Owner ID	Data Owner	Owner ID	Owner
1.0.0 -	-	node1	1886742616	node1	1886742616	node1
1.0.1 -	-	node1	1886742616	node1	1886742616	node1
1.0.2 - 1886742657	-	node2	1886742657	node2	1886742657	node2
1.0.3 - 1886742657	-	node2	1886742657	node2	1886742657	node2
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Manually assign ownership of partitioned disks

Manually assign ownership of partitioned disks overview

You can set the ownership of the container disk or the partitions manually or by using auto-assignment—just as you do for unpartitioned disks.



If a container disk fails in a half-populated shelf and is replaced, ONTAP will not auto-assign ownership. In this case, any assignment of new disks will need to be done manually. To make auto-assign work on half-populated shelves, place disks equally on lower half and 6 on far right bays to begin with. That is, 6 disks from bays 0-5 and 6 disks from bays 18-23. After the container disk is assigned in an ADP-configured system, ONTAP's software will handle any partitioning and partition assignments that are required, without user intervention.

Manually assign disks with root-data partitioning

For root-data partitioning there are three owned entities (the container disk and the two partitions) collectively owned by the HA pair.

About this task

The container disk and the two partitions do not all need to be owned by the same node in the HA pair as long as they are all owned by one of the nodes in the HA pair. However, when you use a partition in an aggregate, it must be owned by the same node that owns the aggregate.

Steps

1. Display the current ownership for the partitioned disk:

storage disk show -disk $disk_name$ -partition-ownership

2. Set the CLI privilege level to advanced:

```
set -privilege advanced
```

3. Enter the appropriate command, depending on which ownership entity you want to assign ownership for:

If you want to assign ownership for the	Use this command
Container disk	storage disk assign -disk disk_name -owner owner_name
Data partition	storage disk assign -disk disk_name -owner owner_name -data true
Root partition	storage disk assign -disk disk_name -owner owner_name -root true

If any of the ownership entities are already owned, then you must include the -force option.

Manually assign disks with root-data-data partitioning

For root-data-data partitioning there are four owned entities (the container disk and the three partitions) collectively owned by the HA pair.

About this task

Root-data-data partitioning creates one small partition as the root partition and two larger, equally sized partitions for data.

Parameters must be used in the disk assign command to assign the proper partition of a root-data-data partitioned disk. You cannot use these parameters with disks that are part of a storage pool. The default value is false.

- The [-data1 [true]] parameter assigns the data1 partition of a root-data1-data2 partitioned disk.
- The [-data2 [true]] parameter assigns the data2 partition of a root-data1-data2 partitioned disk.

Steps

1. Display the current ownership for the partitioned disk:

```
storage disk show -disk disk name -partition-ownership
```

2. Set the CLI privilege level to advanced:

```
set -privilege advanced
```

3. Enter the appropriate command, depending on which ownership entity you want to assign ownership for:

Container disk	storage disk assign -disk disk_name -owner owner_name
Data1 partition	storage disk assign -disk disk_name -owner owner_name-data1 true
Data2 partition	storage disk assign -disk disk_name -owner owner_name-data2 true
Root partition	storage disk assign -disk disk_name -owner owner_name -root true

If any of the ownership entities are already owned, then you must include the -force option.

Additional root-data partitioning management options

Beginning with ONTAP 9.2, a new root-data partitioning option is available from the Boot Menu that provides additional management features for disks that are configured for root-data partitioning.

The following management features are available under the Boot Menu Option 9.

• Unpartition all disks and remove their ownership information

This option is useful if your system is configured for root-data partitioning and you need to reinitialize it with a different configuration.

· Clean configuration and initialize node with partitioned disks

This option is useful for the following:

- Your system is not configured for root-data partitioning and you would like to configure it for root-data partitioning
- Your system is incorrectly configured for root-data partitioning and you need to correct it
- You have an AFF platform or a FAS platform with only SSDs attached that is configured for the previous version of root-data partitioning and you want to upgrade it to the newer version of root-data partitioning to gain increased storage efficiency
- · Clean configuration and initialize node with whole disks

This option is useful if you need to:

- Unpartition existing partitions
- Remove local disk ownership
- · Reinitialize your system with whole disks using RAID-DP

Configure automatic assignment of disk ownership

You can configure ONTAP to automatically assign disk ownership according to a disk's stack, shelf, or bay. If configured, automatic disk ownership assignments occur 10 minutes after system initialization and every five minutes during normal system operation.

What you'll need

- · Your system must adhere to the requirements for automatic disk ownership.
- If you have multiple stacks or shelves that must have different ownership, one disk must have been manually assigned on each stack or shelf so that automatic ownership assignment works on each stack or shelf.
- Use the bay autoassign-policy only for entry level platforms. If you try to use the bay autoassign-policy for a non-entry level platform, it will fail.

About this task

The behavior of the default automatic assignment policy depends on the system model. For entry level models, the default policy is equivalent to the bay policy. For all other systems, it is equivalent to the stack policy.

Steps

1. Configure automatic disk assignment:

```
storage disk option modify -autoassign-policy autoassign_policy -node
node_name
```

- $^{\circ}$ Use stack as the $autoassign_policy$ to configure automatic ownership at the stack or loop level.
- Use shelf as the autoassign policy to configure automatic ownership at the shelf level.
- Use bay as the autoassign policy to configure automatic ownership at the bay level.
- 2. Verify the automatic assignment settings for the disks:

storage disk option show

cluster1::> s	torage disk opti	on show		
Node	BKg. FW. Upd.	Auto Copy	Auto Assign	Auto Assign Policy
				1.6.1.
cluster1-1	on	on	on	default
cluster1-2	on	on	on	default

Which disk autoassignment policy to use

You can typically use the default autoassignment policy, which is equivalent to the stack policy for most systems, and to the bay policy for entry-level systems (AFF A2xx, FAS2xxx). However, for some configurations, you might need to change the

autoassignment policy.

You must select the appropriate autoassignment based on your configuration:

If you are using	Then use this autoassignment policy
Stand-alone entry-level system	stack
Entry-level systems in an HA configuration with a single, shared shelf	bay
Entry-level systems in an HA configuration with one stack of two or more shelves	shelf
MetroCluster configurations with one stack per node, two or more shelves	shelf
All other configurations	stack

Remove a failed disk

A disk that is completely failed is no longer counted by ONTAP as a usable disk, and you can immediately disconnect the disk from the disk shelf. However, you should leave a partially failed disk connected long enough for the Rapid RAID Recovery process to complete.

About this task

If you are removing a disk because it has failed or because it is producing excessive error messages, you should not use the disk again in this or any other storage system.

Steps

1. Find the disk ID of the failed disk:

```
storage disk show -broken
```

If the disk does not appear in the list of failed disks, it might be partially failed, with a Rapid RAID Recovery in process. In this case, you should wait until the disk is present in the list of failed disks (which means that the Rapid RAID Recovery process is complete) before removing the disk.

2. Determine the physical location of the disk you want to remove:

```
storage disk set-led -action on -disk disk name 2
```

The fault LED on the face of the disk is lit.

3. Remove the disk from the disk shelf, following the instructions in the hardware guide for your disk shelf model.

Remove ownership from a disk

ONTAP writes disk ownership information to the disk. Before you remove a spare disk or its shelf from a node, you should remove its ownership information so that it can be properly integrated into another node.

What you'll need

The disk you want to remove ownership from must meet the following requirements:

· It must be a spare disk.

You cannot remove ownership from a disk that is being used in an aggregate.

- It cannot be in the maintenance center.
- · It cannot be undergoing sanitization.
- · It cannot be failed.

It is not necessary to remove ownership from a failed disk.

About this task

If you have automatic disk assignment enabled, ONTAP could automatically reassign ownership before you remove the disk from the node. For this reason, you disable automatic ownership assignment until the disk is removed, and then reenable it.

Steps

1. If disk ownership automatic assignment is on, turn it off:

```
storage disk option modify -node node name -autoassign off
```

- 2. If needed, repeat the previous step for the node's HA partner.
- 3. Remove the software ownership information from the disk:

```
storage disk removeowner disk name
```

To remove ownership information from multiple disks, use a comma-separated list:

```
storage disk removeowner sys1:0a.23,sys1:0a.24,sys1:0a.25
```

4. If the disk is partitioned for root-data partitioning, remove ownership from the partitions by entering both of the following commands:

```
storage disk removeowner -disk disk_name -root true storage disk removeowner -disk disk_name -data true
```

Both partitions are no longer owned by any node.

5. If you turned off disk ownership automatic assignment previously, turn it on after the disk has been removed or reassigned:

```
storage disk option modify -node node name -autoassign on
```

6. If needed, repeat the previous step for the node's HA partner.

Disk sanitization

Disk sanitization overview

Disk sanitization is the process of physically obliterating data by overwriting disks or SSDs with specified byte patterns or random data so that recovery of the original data becomes impossible. Using the sanitization process ensures that no one can recover the data on the disks.

This functionality is available through the nodeshell in all ONTAP 9 releases, and starting with ONTAP 9.6 in maintenance mode.

The disk sanitization process uses three successive default or user-specified byte overwrite patterns for up to seven cycles per operation. The random overwrite pattern is repeated for each cycle.

Depending on the disk capacity, the patterns, and the number of cycles, the process can take several hours. Sanitization runs in the background. You can start, stop, and display the status of the sanitization process. The sanitization process contains two phases:

1. Formatting phase

The operation performed for the formatting phase depends on the class of disk being sanitized, as shown in the following table:

Disk class	Formatting phase
Capacity HDDs	Skipped
Performance HDDs	SCSI format operation
SSDs	SCSI sanitize operation

2. Pattern overwrite phase

The specified overwrite patterns are repeated for the specified number of cycles.

When the sanitization process is complete, the specified disks are in a sanitized state. They are not returned to spare status automatically. You must return the sanitized disks to the spare pool before the newly sanitized disks are available to be added to another aggregate.

When disk sanitization cannot be performed

Disk sanitization is not supported for all disk types. In addition, there are circumstances in which disk sanitization cannot be performed.

• It is not supported on all SSD part numbers.

For information about which SSD part numbers support disk sanitization, see the Hardware Universe.

• It is not supported in takeover mode for systems in an HA pair.

- It cannot be performed on disks that were failed due to readability or writability problems.
- It does not perform its formatting phase on ATA drives.
- If you are using the random pattern, it cannot be performed on more than 100 disks at one time.
- It is not supported on array LUNs.
- If you sanitize both SES disks in the same ESH shelf at the same time, you see errors on the console about access to that shelf, and shelf warnings are not reported for the duration of the sanitization.

However, data access to that shelf is not interrupted.

What happens if disk sanitization is interrupted

If disk sanitization is interrupted by user intervention or an unexpected event such as a power outage, ONTAP takes action to return the disks that were being sanitized to a known state, but you must also take action before the sanitization process can finish.

Disk sanitization is a long-running operation. If the sanitization process is interrupted by power failure, system panic, or manual intervention, the sanitization process must be repeated from the beginning. The disk is not designated as sanitized.

If the formatting phase of disk sanitization is interrupted, ONTAP must recover any disks that were corrupted by the interruption. After a system reboot and once every hour, ONTAP checks for any sanitization target disk that did not complete the formatting phase of its sanitization. If any such disks are found, ONTAP recovers them. The recovery method depends on the type of the disk. After a disk is recovered, you can rerun the sanitization process on that disk; for HDDs, you can use the -s option to specify that the formatting phase is not repeated again.

Tips for creating and backing up aggregates containing data to be sanitized

If you are creating or backing up aggregates to contain data that might need to be sanitized, following some simple guidelines will reduce the time it takes to sanitize your data.

- · Make sure your aggregates containing sensitive data are not larger than they need to be.
 - If they are larger than needed, sanitization requires more time, disk space, and bandwidth.
- When you back up aggregates containing sensitive data, avoid backing them up to aggregates that also contain large amounts of nonsensitive data.

This reduces the resources required to move nonsensitive data before sanitizing sensitive data.

Sanitize a disk

Sanitizing a disk allows you to remove data from a disk or a set of disks on decommissioned or inoperable systems so that the data can never be recovered.

Two methods are available to sanitize disks:

Using maintenance mode commands in ONTAP 9.6 and later releases.

• Using nodeshell commands in all ONTAP 9 releases.

Maintenance mode method

Starting with ONTAP 9.6, you can perform disk sanitization in maintenance mode.

What you'll need

• The disks cannot be self-encrypting disks (SED).

You must use the storage encryption disk sanitize command to sanitize an SED.

Encryption of data at rest

Steps

- 1. Boot into maintenance mode.
- 2. If the disks you want to sanitize are partitioned, unpartition each disk:

```
disk unpartition disk name
```

3. Sanitize the specified disks:

```
disk sanitize start [-p pattern1|-r [-p pattern2|-r [-p pattern3|-r]]] [-c cycle count] disk list
```



Do not turn off power to the node, disrupt the storage connectivity, or remove target disks while sanitizing. If sanitizing is interrupted during the formatting phase, the formatting phase must be restarted and allowed to finish before the disks are sanitized and ready to be returned to the spare pool. If you need to abort the sanitization process, you can do so by using the disk sanitize abort command. If the specified disks are undergoing the formatting phase of sanitization, the abort does not occur until the phase is complete.

-p pattern1 -p pattern2 -p pattern3 specifies a cycle of one to three user-defined hex byte overwrite patterns that can be applied in succession to the disks being sanitized. The default pattern is three passes, using 0x55 for the first pass, 0xaa for the second pass, and 0x3c for the third pass.

-r replaces a patterned overwrite with a random overwrite for any or all of the passes.

-c cycle_count specifies the number of times that the specified overwrite patterns are applied. The default value is one cycle. The maximum value is seven cycles.

disk list specifies a space-separated list of the IDs of the spare disks to be sanitized.

4. If desired, check the status of the disk sanitization process:

```
disk sanitize status [disk list]
```

5. After the sanitization process is complete, return the disks to spare status for each disk:

```
disk sanitize release disk_name
```

6. Exit maintenance mode.

Nodeshell method

When disk sanitization is enabled using nodeshell commands, it disables some low-level ONTAP commands. After disk sanitization is enabled on a node, it cannot be disabled.

What you'll need

• The disks must be spare disks; they must be owned by a node, but not used in an aggregate.

If the disks are partitioned, neither partition can be in use in an aggregate.

• The disks cannot be self-encrypting disks (SED).

You must use the storage encryption disk sanitize command to sanitize an SED.

Encryption of data at rest

The disks cannot be part of a storage pool.

Steps

1. Enter the nodeshell for the node that owns the disks you want to sanitize:

```
system node run -node node_name
```

Enable disk sanitization:

```
options licensed feature.disk sanitization.enable on
```

You are asked to confirm the command because it is irreversible.

3. Switch to the nodeshell advanced privilege level:

```
priv set advanced
```

4. If the disks you want to sanitize are partitioned, unpartition each disk:

```
disk unpartition disk_name
```

5. Sanitize the specified disks:

```
disk sanitize start [-p pattern1|-r [-p pattern2|-r [-p pattern3|-r]]] [-c cycle_count] disk_list
```



Do not turn off power to the node, disrupt the storage connectivity, or remove target disks while sanitizing. If sanitizing is interrupted during the formatting phase, the formatting phase must be restarted and allowed to finish before the disks are sanitized and ready to be returned to the spare pool.

If you need to abort the sanitization process, you can do so by using the disk sanitize abort command. If the specified disks are undergoing the formatting phase of sanitization, the abort does not occur until the phase is complete.

-p pattern1 -p pattern2 -p pattern3 specifies a cycle of one to three user-defined hex byte overwrite patterns that can be applied in succession to the disks being sanitized. The default pattern is three passes, using 0x55 for the first pass, 0xaa for the second pass, and 0x3c for the third pass.

- -r replaces a patterned overwrite with a random overwrite for any or all of the passes.
- -c cycle count specifies the number of times that the specified overwrite patterns are applied.

The default value is one cycle. The maximum value is seven cycles.

disk list specifies a space-separated list of the IDs of the spare disks to be sanitized.

6. If you want to check the status of the disk sanitization process:

```
disk sanitize status [disk list]
```

7. After the sanitization process is complete, return the disks to spare status:

```
disk sanitize release disk_name
```

8. Return to the nodeshell admin privilege level:

```
priv set admin
```

9. Return to the ONTAP CLI:

exit

10. Determine whether all of the disks were returned to spare status:

storage aggregate show-spare-disks

If	Then
All of the sanitized disks are listed as spares	You are done. The disks are sanitized and in spare status.
Some of the sanitized disks are not listed as spares	Complete the following steps: a. Enter advanced privilege mode:
	set -privilege advanced
	b. Assign the unassigned sanitized disks to the appropriate node for each disk:
	storage disk assign -disk disk_name -owner node_name
	c. Return the disks to spare status for each disk:
	storage disk unfail -disk disk_name -s -q
	d. Return to administrative mode: +set -privilege admin

Result

The specified disks are sanitized and designated as hot spares. The serial numbers of the sanitized disks are

Set up an active-passive configuration on nodes using rootdata partitioning

When an HA pair is configured to use root-data partitioning by the factory, ownership of the data partitions is split between both nodes in the pair, for use in an active-active configuration. If you want to use the HA pair in an active-passive configuration, you must update partition ownership before creating your data aggregate.

What you'll need

- You should have decided which node will be the active node and which node will be the passive node.
- Storage failover must be configured on the HA pair.

About this task

This task is performed on two nodes: Node A and Node B.

All commands are input at the clustershell.

This procedure is designed for nodes for which no data aggregate has been created from the partitioned disks.

Steps

1. View the current ownership of the data partitions:

```
storage aggregate show-spare-disks
```

You can see that half of the data partitions are owned by one node and half are owned by the other node. All of the data partitions should be spare.

cluster1::> storage aggrega	te show-	spare-disks	
Original Owner: cluster1-01 Pool0 Partitioned Spares			
_			Local
Local			Data
Root Physical Disk Usable Size	Туре	RPM Checksum	Usable
1.0.0 0B 828.0GB	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
1.0.1 73.89GB 828.0GB	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
1.0.5	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB

0B 828.0GB			
1.0.6	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
0B 828.0GB			
1.0.10	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
0B 828.0GB			
1.0.11	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
0B 828.0GB			
Original Owner: cluster1-0	02		
Pool0			
Partitioned Spares			
1			Local
Local			
			Data
Root Physical			
Disk	Type	RPM Checksum	Usable
Usable Size			
1.0.2	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
0B 828.0GB			
1.0.3	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
1.0.3	BSAS BSAS		753.8GB 753.8GB
1.0.3 0B 828.0GB			
1.0.3 0B 828.0GB 1.0.4		7200 block	
1.0.3 0B 828.0GB 1.0.4 0B 828.0GB	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
1.0.3 0B 828.0GB 1.0.4 0B 828.0GB 1.0.7	BSAS BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
1.0.3 OB 828.0GB 1.0.4 OB 828.0GB 1.0.7 OB 828.0GB	BSAS BSAS	7200 block 7200 block	753.8GB 753.8GB
1.0.3 0B 828.0GB 1.0.4 0B 828.0GB 1.0.7 0B 828.0GB 1.0.8	BSAS BSAS BSAS	7200 block 7200 block 7200 block	753.8GB 753.8GB
1.0.3 OB 828.0GB 1.0.4 OB 828.0GB 1.0.7 OB 828.0GB 1.0.8 73.89GB 828.0GB	BSAS BSAS BSAS	7200 block 7200 block 7200 block	753.8GB 753.8GB 753.8GB

2. Enter the advanced privilege level:

set advanced

3. For each data partition owned by the node that will be the passive node, assign it to the active node:

storage disk assign -force -data true -owner active_node_name -disk disk_name

You do not need to include the partition as part of the disk name.

You would enter a command similar to the following example for each data partition you need to reassign:

storage disk assign -force -data true -owner cluster1-01 -disk 1.0.3

4. Confirm that all of the partitions are assigned to the active node.

cluster1::*> storage aggre	gate show	-spare-	-disks	
Original Owner: cluster1-01	1			
Pool0				
Partitioned Spares				
				Local
Local				
Root Physical				Data
Disk	Type	RPM	Checksum	Usable
Jsable Size	-21-			
1.0.0	DCAC	7200	block	753.8GB
0B 828.0GB	DOAD	7200	DIOCK	755.095
1.0.1	BSAS	7200	block	753.8GB
73.89GB 828.0GB	20110	, 200		, 33 : 03D
1.0.2	BSAS	7200	block	753.8GB
DB 828.0GB				
1.0.3	BSAS	7200	block	753.8GB
)B 828.0GB				
1.0.4	BSAS	7200	block	753.8GB
B 828.0GB				
1.0.5	BSAS	7200	block	753.8GB
B 828.0GB				
1.0.6	BSAS	7200	block	753.8GB
B 828.0GB				
1.0.7	BSAS	7200	block	753.8GB
)B 828.0GB				
1.0.8	BSAS	7200	block	753.8GB
)B 828.0GB	DCZC	7000	1-11-	752 000
1.0.9 B 828.0GB	BSAS	/200	block	753.8GB
1.0.10	BSAS	7200	block	753.8GB
B 828.0GB	DOMO	7200	DIOCK	/JJ.0GB
1.0.11	BSAS	7200	block	753.8GB
B 828.0GB	20110	, 200		, 33 : 03D
riginal Owner: cluster1-02	2			
Pool0				
Partitioned Spares				
				Local
Local				
				Data
Root Physical				

Disk	Type	RPM Checksum	Usable
Usable Size			
1.0.8	BSAS	7200 block	0B
73.89GB 828.0GB			
13 entries were dis	splayed.		

Note that cluster1-02 still owns a spare root partition.

5. Return to administrative privilege:

```
set admin
```

6. Create your data aggregate, leaving at least one data partition as spare:

```
storage aggregate create new\_aggr\_name -diskcount number\_of\_partitions -node active\_node\_name
```

The data aggregate is created and is owned by the active node.

Set up an active-passive configuration on nodes using rootdata-data partitioning

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This procedure is designed for nodes for which no data aggregate has been created from the partitioned disks.

Steps

1. View the current ownership of the data partitions:

```
storage aggregate show-spare-disks -original-owner passive_node_name -fields local-usable-data1-size, local-usable-data2-size
```

You should see that half of the data partitions are owned by one node and half are owned by the other node. All of the data partitions should be spare.

2. Enter the advanced privilege level:

set advanced

- 3. For each data1 partition owned by the node that will be the passive node, assign it to the active node: storage disk assign -force -data1 -owner active_node_name -disk disk_name
 You do not need to include the partition as part of the disk name
- 4. For each data2 partition owned by the node that will be the passive node, assign it to the active node:

 storage disk assign -force -data2 -owner active_node_name -disk disk_name

 You do not need to include the partition as part of the disk name
- 5. Confirm that all of the partitions are assigned to the active node:

storage aggregate show-spare-disks

cluster1::*> storage aggrega	ate show-	-spare-disks	
Original Owner: cluster1-01 Pool0			
Partitioned Spares			Local
Local			Hocai
D 1 D1 1 1			Data
Root Physical Disk	Тупе	RPM Checksum	Ilsahle
Usable Size	турс	KIN CHECKSum	OSabie
1.0.0 0B 828.0GB	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
1.0.1	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
73.89GB 828.0GB			
1.0.2	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
0B 828.0GB			
1.0.3 0B 828.0GB	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
1.0.4	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
0B 828.0GB			
1.0.5	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
0B 828.0GB			
1.0.6	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
0B 828.0GB 1.0.7	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
0B 828.0GB	20110	. 2 0 0 2 2 0 0 11	. 33 . 332

1.0.8	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
0B 828.0GB			
1.0.9	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
0B 828.0GB			
1.0.10	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
0B 828.0GB	D 0 7 0		752 000
1.0.11 0B 828.0GB	BSAS	7200 block	753.8GB
UB 020.UGB			
Original Owner: cluster1-02			
Pool0			
Partitioned Spares			
			Local
Local			
Doot Dhygiaal			Data
Root Physical Disk	Tune	RPM Checksum	IIsabla
Usable Size	туре	KIM CHECKSUM	USADIE
1.0.8	BSAS	7200 block	0В
73.89GB 828.0GB			
13 entries were displayed.			
Note that cluster1 02 still owns a spare red	A mandition		

Note that cluster1-02 still owns a spare root partition.

6. Return to administrative privilege:

set admin

7. Create your data aggregate, leaving at least one data partition as spare:

storage aggregate create new_aggr_name -diskcount $number_of_partitions$ -node $active_node_name$

The data aggregate is created and is owned by the active node.

8. Alternatively, you can use ONTAP's recommend aggregate layout which includes best practices for RAID group layout and spare counts:

storage aggregate auto-provision

Commands for managing disks

You can use the storage disk and storage aggregate commands to manage your disks.

If you want to	Use this command
Display a list of spare disks, including partitioned disks, by owner	storage aggregate show-spare-disks
Display the disk RAID type, current usage, and RAID group by aggregate	storage aggregate show-status
Display the RAID type, current usage, aggregate, and RAID group, including spares, for physical disks	storage disk show -raid
Display a list of failed disks	storage disk show -broken
Display the pre-cluster (nodescope) drive name for a disk	storage disk show -primary-paths (advanced)
Illuminate the LED for a particular disk or shelf	storage disk set-led
Display the checksum type for a specific disk	storage disk show -fields checksum-compatibility
Display the checksum type for all spare disks	storage disk show -fields checksum- compatibility -container-type spare
Display disk connectivity and placement information	storage disk show -fields disk,primary- port,secondary-name,secondary- port,shelf,bay
Display the pre-cluster disk names for specific disks	storage disk show -disk diskname -fields diskpathnames
Display the list of disks in the maintenance center	storage disk show -maintenance
Display SSD wear life	storage disk show -ssd-wear
Unpartition a shared disk	storage disk unpartition (available at diagnostic level)
Zero all non-zeroed disks	storage disk zerospares
Stop an ongoing sanitization process on one or more specified disks	system node run -node nodename -command disk sanitize
Display storage encryption disk information	storage encryption disk show

Retrieve authentication keys from all linked key management servers	security key-manager restore

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Commands for displaying space usage information

You use the storage aggregate and volume commands to see how space is being used in your aggregates and volumes and their Snapshot copies.

To display information about	Use this command
Aggregates, including details about used and available space percentages, Snapshot reserve size, and other space usage information	storage aggregate show storage aggregate show-space -fields snap-size-total, used-including-snapshot-reserve
How disks and RAID groups are used in an aggregate, and RAID status	storage aggregate show-status
The amount of disk space that would be reclaimed if you deleted a specific Snapshot copy	volume snapshot compute-reclaimable
The amount of space used by a volume	volume show -fields size, used, available, percent-used volume show-space
The amount of space used by a volume in the containing aggregate	volume show-footprint

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Commands for displaying information about storage shelves

You use the storage shelf show command to display configuration and error information for your disk shelves.

If you want to display	Use this command
General information about shelf configuration and hardware status	storage shelf show

If you want to display	Use this command
Detailed information for a specific shelf, including stack ID	storage shelf show -shelf
Unresolved, customer actionable, errors by shelf	storage shelf show -errors
Bay information	storage shelf show -bay
Connectivity information	storage shelf show -connectivity
Cooling information, including temperature sensors and cooling fans	storage shelf show -cooling
Information about I/O modules	storage shelf show -module
Port information	storage shelf show -port
Power information, including PSUs (power supply units), current sensors, and voltage sensors	storage shelf show -power

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