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# Manage UNIX group users

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# Manage UNIX group users

# Name-services unix-groups svm.uuid unix\_group.name users endpoint overview

#### Overview

You can use this API to retrieve, add or delete UNIX users for an SVM's UNIX group.

## Retrieving UNIX users from an SVM's UNIX group

The UNIX group users GET endpoint retrieves UNIX users of the specified UNIX group and the SVM.

### **Examples**

Retrieving all users from the group 'pcuser'

```
# The API:
/api/name-services/unix-groups/{svm.uuid}/{unix group.name}/users
# The call:
curl -X GET "https://<mgmt-ip>/api/name-services/unix-groups/f06686a2-
c901-11eb-94b4-0050568e9f2c/pcuser/users" -H "accept:
application/hal+json"
# The response:
 "records": [
 "svm": {
    "uuid": "f06686a2-c901-11eb-94b4-0050568e9f2c",
    "name": "svm1"
  },
 "unix group": {
    "name": "pcuser"
 },
  "name": "user1",
 " links": {
    "self": {
      "href": "/api/name-services/unix-groups/f06686a2-c901-11eb-94b4-
0050568e9f2c/pcuser/users/user1"
 }
}
"num records": 1,
" links": {
"self": {
   "href": "/api/name-services/unix-groups/f06686a2-c901-11eb-94b4-
0050568e9f2c/pcuser/users/?fields=*"
}
```

Retrieving user 'user1' from the group 'pcuser'

```
# The API:
/api/name-services/unix-groups/{svm.uuid}/{unix group.name}/users/{name}
# The call:
curl -X GET "https://<mgmt-ip>/api/name-services/unix-groups/f06686a2-
c901-11eb-94b4-0050568e9f2c/pcuser/users/user1" -H "accept:
application/hal+json"
# The response:
 "svm": {
"uuid": "f06686a2-c901-11eb-94b4-0050568e9f2c",
"name": "svm1"
} ,
"unix group": {
"name": "pcuser"
},
"name": "user1",
" links": {
"self": {
   "href": "/api/name-services/unix-groups/f06686a2-c901-11eb-94b4-
0050568e9f2c/pcuser/users/user1"
}
}
}
```

## Adding users to a UNIX group

The UNIX group users POST endpoint adds UNIX users to the specified UNIX group and the SVM. Multiple users can be added in a single call using the "records" parameter.

## **Examples**

Adding a single user to the group 'group1'

```
# The API:
/api/name-services/unix-groups/{svm.uuid}/{unix_group.name}/users

# The call:
curl -X POST "https://<mgmt-ip>/api/name-services/unix-groups/179d3c85-
7053-11e8-b9b8-005056b41bd1/group1/users" -H "accept:
application/hal+json" -H "Content-Type: application/json" -d '{ "name":
"user4" }'
```

#### Adding multiple users to the group 'group1' in a single REST call

```
# The API:
/api/name-services/unix-groups/{svm.uuid}/{unix_group.name}/users

# The call:
curl -X POST "https://<mgmt-ip>/api/name-services/unix-groups/179d3c85-
7053-11e8-b9b8-005056b41bd1/group1/users" -H "accept:
application/hal+json" -H "Content-Type: application/json" -d '{ "records":
[{"name":"user1"}, {"name":"user2"}, {"name":"user3"}]}'
```

### Deleting a user from a group of a specific SVM

#### Example

Delete the user 'user1' from group 'group1' in SVM 'vs1'

```
= The API:
/api/name-services/unix-groups/{svm.uuid}/{unix group.name}/users/\{name}
= The call:
[[ID78634ac1471a80fbe7514085fda963f6]]
= Retrieve users for a UNIX group and SVM
[.api-doc-operation .api-doc-operation-get] #GET# [.api-doc-code-
block]#`/name-services/unix-groups/{svm.uuid}/{unix group.name}/users`#
*Introduced In:* 9.10
Retrieves users for the specified UNIX group and SVM.
== Related ONTAP commands
* `vserver services name-service unix-group show`
== Parameters
[cols=5*, options=header]
```

```
|===
Name
|Type
|In
|Required
|Description
|unix_group.name
|string
|path
|True
a|UNIX group name.
|name
|string
query
|False
a|Filter by name
|svm.uuid
|string
|path
|True
a|UUID of the SVM to which this object belongs.
|fields
|array[string]
query
|False
a|Specify the fields to return.
|max records
|integer
query
|False
a|Limit the number of records returned.
|return records
|boolean
query
|False
```

```
a|The default is true for GET calls. When set to false, only the number
of records is returned.
* Default value: 1
|return timeout
|integer
query
|False
a|The number of seconds to allow the call to execute before returning.
When iterating over a collection, the default is 15 seconds. ONTAP
returns earlier if either max records or the end of the collection is
reached.
* Default value: 1
* Max value: 120
* Min value: 0
|order by
|array[string]
query
|False
a | Order results by specified fields and optional [asc|desc] direction.
Default direction is 'asc' for ascending.
|===
== Response
```

#### Status: 200, Ok

```
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description

|_links
|link:#_links[_links]
a|
|num_records
|integer
a|Number of UNIX user records in a given SVM and group.
```

```
records
|array[link:#unix group_users[unix_group_users]]
|===
.Example response
[%collapsible%closed]
[source, json, subs=+macros]
 " links": {
   "next": {
     "href": "/api/resourcelink"
   },
    "self": {
      "href": "/api/resourcelink"
   }
  },
  "num records": 1,
  "records": {
    " links": {
      "self": {
        "href": "/api/resourcelink"
     }
    },
    "records": {
    "svm": {
     " links": {
       "self": {
          "href": "/api/resourcelink"
      "name": "svm1",
      "uuid": "02c9e252-41be-11e9-81d5-00a0986138f7"
 }
}
== Error
```

```
[cols=3*, options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
error
|link:#error[error]
a|
|===
.Example error
[%collapsible%closed]
[source, json, subs=+macros]
  "error": {
    "arguments": {
      "code": "string",
      "message": "string"
    },
    "code": "4",
    "message": "entry doesn't exist",
    "target": "uuid"
  }
}
====
== Definitions
[.api-def-first-level]
.See Definitions
[%collapsible%closed]
//Start collapsible Definitions block
====
[#href]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
href
[cols=3*, options=header]
|===
|Name
```

```
|Type
|Description
|href
|string
a|
|===
[# links]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
links
[cols=3*, options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
|next
|link:#href[href]
a|
|self
|link:#href[href]
a|
|===
[# links]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
links
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
|self
|link:#href[href]
a|
|===
```

```
[#records]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
records
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
|name
|string
a|UNIX user who belongs to the specified UNIX group and the SVM.
|===
[#svm]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
svm
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
| links
|link:# links[ links]
a|
name
|string
a|The name of the SVM.
luuid
|string
a|The unique identifier of the SVM.
|===
[#unix group]
```

```
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
unix group
[cols=3*, options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
name
|string
a|UNIX group name.
|===
[#unix group users]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
unix group users
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
| links
|link:# links[ links]
a|
name
|string
a|UNIX user who belongs to the specified UNIX group and the SVM.
|records
|array[link:#records[records]]
a|An array of UNIX users specified to add multiple users to a UNIX group
in a single API call.
Not allowed when the `name` property is used.
|skip name validation
|boolean
a \mid Indicates whether or not the validation for the specified UNIX user
names is disabled.
```

```
svm
|link:#svm[svm]
a|
|unix group
|link:#unix group[unix group]
a|
|===
[#error arguments]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
error_arguments
[cols=3*, options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
|code
|string
a|Argument code
|message
|string
a|Message argument
|===
[#error]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
error
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
|arguments
```

```
|array[link:#error_arguments[error_arguments]]
a|Message arguments
code
|string
a|Error code
|message
|string
a|Error message
|target
|string
a|The target parameter that caused the error.
|===
//end collapsible .Definitions block
====
[[IDa5fd241c787c10755d15e586ed07d2d1]]
= Add users to a UNIX group and SVM
[.api-doc-operation .api-doc-operation-post] #POST# [.api-doc-code-
block]#`/name-services/unix-groups/{svm.uuid}/{unix group.name}/users`#
*Introduced In:* 9.9
Adds users to the specified UNIX group and SVM.
== Important notes
* Multiple users can be added in a single call using the "records"
parameter.
* "records" parameter must not be specified when "name" parameter is
specified.
* Specified users are appended to the existing list of users.
* Duplicate users are ignored.
== Related ONTAP commands
```

```
* `vserver services name-service unix-group adduser`
* `vserver services name-service unix-group addusers`
== Parameters
[cols=5*, options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|In
|Required
|Description
|unix group.name
|string
|path
|True
a|UNIX group name.
|return_records
|boolean
query
|False
a|The default is false. If set to true, the records are returned.
* Default value:
|svm.uuid
|string
|path
|True
a|UUID of the SVM to which this object belongs.
|===
== Request Body
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
```

```
|Type
| Description
| links
|link:# links[ links]
name
|string
a|UNIX user who belongs to the specified UNIX group and the SVM.
records
|array[link:#records[records]]
a|An array of UNIX users specified to add multiple users to a UNIX group
in a single API call.
Not allowed when the `name` property is used.
|skip name validation
|boolean
a|Indicates whether or not the validation for the specified UNIX user
names is disabled.
svm
|link:#svm[svm]
a|
|unix group
|link:#unix group[unix group]
a|
|===
.Example request
[%collapsible%closed]
====
[source, json, subs=+macros]
  " links": {
   "self": {
      "href": "/api/resourcelink"
   }
  },
  "records": {
```

Status: 201, Created

```
=== Headers
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
//header
|Name
|Description
|Type
//end header
//start row
|Location
|Useful for tracking the resource location
|string
//end row
//end table
|===
== Error
```

Status: Default

```
ONTAP Error Response Codes

|===
| Error Code | Description
| 262179
```

```
| Invalid arguments in records.
1 3276897
| The specified UNIX group does not exist in the SVM.
1 3277025
| Maximum supported limit of UNIX group membership count reached.
3277051
| Invalid characters in user name. Valid characters are 0-9, A-Z, a-z,
".", " " and "-". Names cannot start with "-".
| 23724066
| User name too long. Maximum supported length is 64 characters.
| 23724142
| "records" field must not be specified when a single user is added.
| 23724143
| SVM UUID, UNIX group name and skip-name-validation are invalid fields
for "records" parameter.
|===
[cols=3*, options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
error
|link:#error[error]
a|
|===
.Example error
[%collapsible%closed]
[source, json, subs=+macros]
  "error": {
    "arguments": {
      "code": "string",
      "message": "string"
```

```
} ,
    "code": "4",
    "message": "entry doesn't exist",
    "target": "uuid"
 }
}
====
== Definitions
[.api-def-first-level]
.See Definitions
[%collapsible%closed]
//Start collapsible Definitions block
====
[#href]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
href
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
|href
|string
a|
|===
[# links]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
links
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
|self
|link:#href[href]
a|
|===
```

```
[#records]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
records
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
Name
|Type
|Description
|name
|string
a|UNIX user who belongs to the specified UNIX group and the SVM.
|===
[#svm]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
svm
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
|_links
|link:#_links[_links]
a|
name
|string
a|The name of the SVM.
|uuid
|string
a|The unique identifier of the SVM.
|===
```

```
[#unix_group]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
unix group
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
|name
|string
a|UNIX group name.
|===
[#unix group users]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
unix group users
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
Type
|Description
| links
|link:# links[ links]
a|
name
|string
a|UNIX user who belongs to the specified UNIX group and the SVM.
records
|array[link:#records[records]]
a|An array of UNIX users specified to add multiple users to a UNIX group
in a single API call.
Not allowed when the `name` property is used.
|skip name validation
|boolean
a|Indicates whether or not the validation for the specified UNIX user
```

```
names is disabled.
svm
|link:#svm[svm]
a|
|unix_group
|link:#unix group[unix group]
a|
|===
[#error_arguments]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
error arguments
[cols=3*,options=header]
Name
|Type
|Description
| code
|string
a|Argument code
|message
|string
a|Message argument
|===
[#error]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
error
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
```

```
|arguments
|array[link:#error arguments[error arguments]]
a|Message arguments
Icode
|string
a|Error code
|message
|string
a|Error message
|target
|string
a|The target parameter that caused the error.
|===
//end collapsible .Definitions block
====
[[ID587df2ed31ac8002450f733331cf318d]]
= Delete a user from a UNIX group
[.api-doc-operation .api-doc-operation-delete] #DELETE# [.api-doc-code-
block] # `/name-services/unix-
groups/{svm.uuid}/{unix group.name}/users/{name}`#
*Introduced In:* 9.9
Deletes a user from the specified UNIX group.
== Related ONTAP commands
* `vserver services name-service unix-group deluser`
== Parameters
[cols=5*, options=header]
```

```
|===
 Name
 |Type
 |In
 |Required
 |Description
 |unix_group.name
 |string
 |path
 |True
 a|UNIX group name.
 name
 |string
 |path
 |True
 a|UNIX user to be deleted from the group.
 |svm.uuid
 |string
 |path
 a|UUID of the SVM to which this object belongs.
 |===
 == Response
Status: 200, Ok
```

== Error

Status: Default

```
ONTAP Error Response Codes

|===
| Error Code | Description

| 3276897
| The specified UNIX group does not exist in the SVM.
```

```
|===
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
error
|link:#error[error]
a|
|===
.Example error
[%collapsible%closed]
[source, json, subs=+macros]
  "error": {
    "arguments": {
      "code": "string",
      "message": "string"
    },
    "code": "4",
    "message": "entry doesn't exist",
    "target": "uuid"
 }
}
====
== Definitions
[.api-def-first-level]
.See Definitions
[%collapsible%closed]
//Start collapsible Definitions block
[#error arguments]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
error_arguments
[cols=3*, options=header]
|===
```

```
Name
|Type
|Description
|code
|string
a|Argument code
|message
|string
a|Message argument
|===
[#error]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
error
[cols=3*, options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
|arguments
|array[link:#error_arguments[error_arguments]]
a|Message arguments
|code
|string
a|Error code
|message
|string
a|Error message
|target
|string
a|The target parameter that caused the error.
```

```
|===
//end collapsible .Definitions block
====
[[IDd7e18706b6ccef90266efde972afd1d4]]
= Retrieve users for a UNIX group and SVM
[.api-doc-operation .api-doc-operation-get] #GET# [.api-doc-code-
block] # `/name-services/unix-
groups/{svm.uuid}/{unix group.name}/users/{name}`#
*Introduced In:* 9.10
Retrieves users for the specified UNIX group and SVM.
== Related ONTAP commands
* `vserver services name-service unix-group show`
== Parameters
[cols=5*, options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|In
|Required
|Description
|unix group.name
|string
|path
|True
a|UNIX group name.
name
|string
|path
|True
a|UNIX user to be retrieved from the group.
```

```
|fields
|array[string]
|query
|False
a|Specify the fields to return.

|svm.uuid
|string
|path
|True
a|UUID of the SVM to which this object belongs.
|===
== Response
```

Status: 200, Ok

```
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
| links
|link:# links[ links]
a l
|name
|string
a|UNIX user who belongs to the specified UNIX group and the SVM.
records
|array[link:#records[records]]
a|An array of UNIX users specified to add multiple users to a UNIX group
in a single API call.
Not allowed when the `name` property is used.
|skip name validation
|boolean
a|Indicates whether or not the validation for the specified UNIX user
```

```
names is disabled.
svm
|link:#svm[svm]
a|
|unix_group
|link:#unix group[unix group]
a|
|===
.Example response
[%collapsible%closed]
[source, json, subs=+macros]
  " links": {
   "self": {
      "href": "/api/resourcelink"
   }
  } ,
  "records": {
  },
  "svm": {
    " links": {
     "self": {
        "href": "/api/resourcelink"
     }
    },
    "name": "svm1",
    "uuid": "02c9e252-41be-11e9-81d5-00a0986138f7"
 }
}
====
== Error
```

Status: Default, Error

```
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
```

```
| Description
error
|link:#error[error]
a|
|===
.Example error
[%collapsible%closed]
[source, json, subs=+macros]
  "error": {
    "arguments": {
      "code": "string",
      "message": "string"
    } ,
    "code": "4",
    "message": "entry doesn't exist",
    "target": "uuid"
 }
}
====
== Definitions
[.api-def-first-level]
.See Definitions
[%collapsible%closed]
//Start collapsible Definitions block
====
[#href]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
href
[cols=3*, options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
|href
|string
a|
```

```
|===
[# links]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
links
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
Iself
|link:#href[href]
a|
|===
[#records]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
records
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
|name
|string
a|UNIX user who belongs to the specified UNIX group and the SVM.
|===
[#svm]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
svm
[cols=3*, options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
```

```
| links
|link:# links[ links]
a|
name
|string
a|The name of the SVM.
|uuid
|string
a|The unique identifier of the SVM.
|===
[#unix group]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
unix_group
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
Name
|Type
|Description
name
|string
a|UNIX group name.
|===
[#error_arguments]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
error arguments
[cols=3*, options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
|code
```

```
|string
a|Argument code
|message
|string
a|Message argument
|===
[#error]
[.api-collapsible-fifth-title]
error
[cols=3*,options=header]
|===
|Name
|Type
|Description
|arguments
|array[link:#error_arguments[error_arguments]]
a|Message arguments
|code
|string
a|Error code
|message
|string
a|Error message
|target
|string
a|The target parameter that caused the error.
|===
//end collapsible .Definitions block
```

:leveloffset: -1

:leveloffset: -1

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