

## CEPH-POST-FILE – POST FILES FOR CEPH DEVELOPERS

### SYNOPSIS

**ceph-post-file** [-d *description*] [-u *\*user\**] *file or dir ...*

### DESCRIPTION

**ceph-post-file** will upload files or directories to ceph.com for later analysis by Ceph developers.

Each invocation uploads files or directories to a separate directory with a unique tag. That tag can be passed to a developer or referenced in a bug report (<http://tracker.ceph.com/>). Once the upload completes, the directory is marked non-readable and non-writeable to prevent access or modification by other users.

### WARNING

Basic measures are taken to make posted data be visible only to developers with access to ceph.com infrastructure. However, users should think twice and/or take appropriate precautions before posting potentially sensitive data (for example, logs or data directories that contain Ceph secrets).

### OPTIONS

**-d** *\*description\**, **--description** *\*description\**

Add a short description for the upload. This is a good opportunity to reference a bug number. There is no default value.

**-u** *\*user\**

Set the user metadata for the upload. This defaults to *whoami`@`hostname -f*.

### EXAMPLES

To upload a single log:

```
ceph-post-file /var/log/ceph/ceph-mon.`hostname`.log
```

To upload several directories:

```
ceph-post-file -d 'mon data directories' /var/log/ceph/mon/*
```

### AVAILABILITY

**ceph-post-file** is part of Ceph, a massively scalable, open-source, distributed storage system. Please refer to the Ceph documentation at <http://ceph.com/docs> for more information.

### SEE ALSO

[ceph\(8\)](#), [ceph-debugpack\(8\)](#),