## ISA ERASURE CODE PLUGIN

The isa plugin encapsulates the ISA library. It only runs on Intel processors.

## CREATE AN ISA PROFILE

To create a new isa erasure code profile:

```
ceph osd erasure-code-profile set {name} \
    plugin=isa \
    technique={reed_sol_van|cauchy} \
    [k={data-chunks}] \
    [m={coding-chunks}] \
    [crush-root={root}] \
    [crush-failure-domain={bucket-type}] \
    [crush-device-class={device-class}] \
    [directory={directory}] \
    [--force]
```

Where:

k={data chunks}

Description: Each object is split in data-chunks parts, each stored on a different OSD.

Type: Integer Required: No.

Default: 7

m={coding-chunks}

**Description:** Compute **coding chunks** for each object and store them on different OSDs. The number of coding

chunks is also the number of OSDs that can be down without losing data.

Type: Integer Required: No.

Default: 3

technique={reed sol van|cauchy}

**Description:** The ISA plugin comes in two Reed Solomon forms. If reed\_sol\_van is set, it is Vandermonde, if cauchy is

set, it is Cauchy.

Type: String Required: No.

**Default:** reed\_sol\_van

crush-root={root}

Description: The name of the crush bucket used for the first step of the CRUSH rule. For intance step take default.

Type: String
Required: No.
Default: default

crush-failure-domain={bucket-type}

**Description:** Ensure that no two chunks are in a bucket with the same failure domain. For instance, if the failure

domain is host no two chunks will be stored on the same host. It is used to create a CRUSH rule step

such as step chooseleaf host.

Type: String
Required: No.
Default: host

crush-device-class={device-class}

**Description:** Restrict placement to devices of a specific class (e.g., ssd or hdd), using the crush device class names

in the CRUSH map.

Type: String Required: No.

**Default:** 

directory={directory}

**Description:** Set the **directory** name from which the erasure code plugin is loaded.

Type: String Required: No.

**Default:** /usr/lib/ceph/erasure-code

--force

**Description:** Override an existing profile by the same name.

Type: String Required: No.