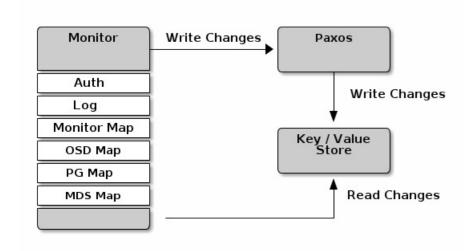
### MONITOR CONFIG REFERENCE

Understanding how to configure a Ceph Monitor is an important part of building a reliable Ceph Storage Cluster. All Ceph Storage Clusters have at least one monitor. A monitor configuration usually remains fairly consistent, but you can add, remove or replace a monitor in a cluster. See Adding/Removing a Monitor and Add/Remove a Monitor (ceph-deploy) for details.

### **BACKGROUND**

Ceph Monitors maintain a "master copy" of the cluster map, which means a Ceph Client can determine the location of all Ceph Monitors, Ceph OSD Daemons, and Ceph Metadata Servers just by connecting to one Ceph Monitor and retrieving a current cluster map. Before Ceph Clients can read from or write to Ceph OSD Daemons or Ceph Metadata Servers, they must connect to a Ceph Monitor first. With a current copy of the cluster map and the CRUSH algorithm, a Ceph Client can compute the location for any object. The ability to compute object locations allows a Ceph Client to talk directly to Ceph OSD Daemons, which is a very important aspect of Ceph's high scalability and performance. See Scalability and High Availability for additional details.

The primary role of the Ceph Monitor is to maintain a master copy of the cluster map. Ceph Monitors also provide authentication and logging services. Ceph Monitors write all changes in the monitor services to a single Paxos instance, and Paxos writes the changes to a key/value store for strong consistency. Ceph Monitors can query the most recent version of the cluster map during sync operations. Ceph Monitors leverage the key/value store's snapshots and iterators (using leveldb) to perform store-wide synchronization.



Deprecated since version version: 0.58

In Ceph versions 0.58 and earlier, Ceph Monitors use a Paxos instance for each service and store the map as a file.

# **CLUSTER MAPS**

The cluster map is a composite of maps, including the monitor map, the OSD map, the placement group map and the metadata server map. The cluster map tracks a number of important things: which processes are in the Ceph Storage Cluster; which processes that are in the Ceph Storage Cluster are up and running or down; whether, the placement groups are active or inactive, and clean or in some other state; and, other details that reflect the current state of the cluster such as the total amount of storage space, and the amount of storage used.

When there is a significant change in the state of the cluster-e.g., a Ceph OSD Daemon goes down, a placement group falls into a degraded state, etc.-the cluster map gets updated to reflect the current state of the cluster. Additionally, the Ceph Monitor also maintains a history of the prior states of the cluster. The monitor map, OSD map, placement group map and metadata server map each maintain a history of their map versions. We call each version an "epoch."

When operating your Ceph Storage Cluster, keeping track of these states is an important part of your system administration duties. See Monitoring a Cluster and Monitoring OSDs and PGs for additional details.

### MONITOR QUORUM

Our Configuring ceph section provides a trivial Ceph configuration file that provides for one monitor in the test cluster. A cluster will run fine with a single monitor; however, a single monitor is a single-point-of-failure. To ensure high availability

in a production Ceph Storage Cluster, you should run Ceph with multiple monitors so that the failure of a single monitor **WILL NOT** bring down your entire cluster.

When a Ceph Storage Cluster runs multiple Ceph Monitors for high availability, Ceph Monitors use Paxos to establish consensus about the master cluster map. A consensus requires a majority of monitors running to establish a quorum for consensus about the cluster map (e.g., 1; 2 out of 3; 3 out of 5; 4 out of 6; etc.).

mon force quorum join

Description: Force monitor to join quorum even if it has been previously removed from the map

Type: Boolean Default: False

#### CONSISTENCY

When you add monitor settings to your Ceph configuration file, you need to be aware of some of the architectural aspects of Ceph Monitors. **Ceph imposes strict consistency requirements** for a Ceph monitor when discovering another Ceph Monitor within the cluster. Whereas, Ceph Clients and other Ceph daemons use the Ceph configuration file to discover monitors, monitors discover each other using the monitor map (monmap), not the Ceph configuration file.

A Ceph Monitor always refers to the local copy of the monmap when discovering other Ceph Monitors in the Ceph Storage Cluster. Using the monmap instead of the Ceph configuration file avoids errors that could break the cluster (e.g., typos in ceph.conf when specifying a monitor address or port). Since monitors use monmaps for discovery and they share monmaps with clients and other Ceph daemons, **the monmap provides monitors with a strict guarantee that their consensus is valid.** 

Strict consistency also applies to updates to the monmap. As with any other updates on the Ceph Monitor, changes to the monmap always run through a distributed consensus algorithm called Paxos. The Ceph Monitors must agree on each update to the monmap, such as adding or removing a Ceph Monitor, to ensure that each monitor in the quorum has the same version of the monmap. Updates to the monmap are incremental so that Ceph Monitors have the latest agreed upon version, and a set of previous versions. Maintaining a history enables a Ceph Monitor that has an older version of the monmap to catch up with the current state of the Ceph Storage Cluster.

If Ceph Monitors discovered each other through the Ceph configuration file instead of through the monmap, it would introduce additional risks because the Ceph configuration files are not updated and distributed automatically. Ceph Monitors might inadvertently use an older Ceph configuration file, fail to recognize a Ceph Monitor, fall out of a quorum, or develop a situation where Paxos is not able to determine the current state of the system accurately.

### **BOOTSTRAPPING MONITORS**

In most configuration and deployment cases, tools that deploy Ceph may help bootstrap the Ceph Monitors by generating a monitor map for you (e.g., ceph-deploy, etc). A Ceph Monitor requires a few explicit settings:

- **Filesystem ID**: The fsid is the unique identifier for your object store. Since you can run multiple clusters on the same hardware, you must specify the unique ID of the object store when bootstrapping a monitor. Deployment tools usually do this for you (e.g., ceph-deploy can call a tool like uuidgen), but you may specify the fsid manually too.
- **Monitor ID**: A monitor ID is a unique ID assigned to each monitor within the cluster. It is an alphanumeric value, and by convention the identifier usually follows an alphabetical increment (e.g., a, b, etc.). This can be set in a Ceph configuration file (e.g., [mon.a], [mon.b], etc.), by a deployment tool, or using the ceph commandline.
- **Keys**: The monitor must have secret keys. A deployment tool such as ceph-deploy usually does this for you, but you may perform this step manually too. See Monitor Keyrings for details.

For additional details on bootstrapping, see Bootstrapping a Monitor.

## **CONFIGURING MONITORS**

To apply configuration settings to the entire cluster, enter the configuration settings under [global]. To apply configuration settings to all monitors in your cluster, enter the configuration settings under [mon]. To apply configuration settings to specific monitors, specify the monitor instance (e.g., [mon.a]). By convention, monitor instance names use alpha notation.

[global]			
[mon]			
[mon.a]			

```
[mon.b]
[mon.c]
```

#### MINIMUM CONFIGURATION

The bare minimum monitor settings for a Ceph monitor via the Ceph configuration file include a hostname and a monitor address for each monitor. You can configure these under [mon] or under the entry for a specific monitor.

```
[mon]
    mon host = hostname1,hostname2,hostname3
    mon addr = 10.0.0.10:6789,10.0.0.11:6789,10.0.0.12:6789
```

```
[mon.a]
    host = hostname1
    mon addr = 10.0.0.10:6789
```

See the Network Configuration Reference for details.

**Note:** This minimum configuration for monitors assumes that a deployment tool generates the fsid and the mon. key for you.

Once you deploy a Ceph cluster, you **SHOULD NOT** change the IP address of the monitors. However, if you decide to change the monitor's IP address, you must follow a specific procedure. See Changing a Monitor's IP Address for details.

Monitors can also be found by clients using DNS SRV records. See Monitor lookup through DNS for details.

### **CLUSTER ID**

Each Ceph Storage Cluster has a unique identifier (fsid). If specified, it usually appears under the [global] section of the configuration file. Deployment tools usually generate the fsid and store it in the monitor map, so the value may not appear in a configuration file. The fsid makes it possible to run daemons for multiple clusters on the same hardware.

fsid

**Description:** The cluster ID. One per cluster.

Type: UUID Required: Yes.

**Default:** N/A. May be generated by a deployment tool if not specified.

**Note:** Do not set this value if you use a deployment tool that does it for you.

### **INITIAL MEMBERS**

We recommend running a production Ceph Storage Cluster with at least three Ceph Monitors to ensure high availability. When you run multiple monitors, you may specify the initial monitors that must be members of the cluster in order to establish a quorum. This may reduce the time it takes for your cluster to come online.

```
[mon]
    mon initial members = a,b,c
```

mon initial members

Description: The IDs of initial monitors in a cluster during startup. If specified, Ceph requires an odd number of

monitors to form an initial quorum (e.g., 3).

Type: String
Default: None

Note: A majority of monitors in your cluster must be able to reach each other in order to establish a quorum. You can

decrease the initial number of monitors to establish a quorum with this setting.

#### DATA

Ceph provides a default path where Ceph Monitors store data. For optimal performance in a production Ceph Storage Cluster, we recommend running Ceph Monitors on separate hosts and drives from Ceph OSD Daemons. As leveldb is using mmap() for writing the data, Ceph Monitors flush their data from memory to disk very often, which can interfere with Ceph OSD Daemon workloads if the data store is co-located with the OSD Daemons.

In Ceph versions 0.58 and earlier, Ceph Monitors store their data in files. This approach allows users to inspect monitor data with common tools like ls and cat. However, it doesn't provide strong consistency.

In Ceph versions 0.59 and later, Ceph Monitors store their data as key/value pairs. Ceph Monitors require ACID transactions. Using a data store prevents recovering Ceph Monitors from running corrupted versions through Paxos, and it enables multiple modification operations in one single atomic batch, among other advantages.

Generally, we do not recommend changing the default data location. If you modify the default location, we recommend that you make it uniform across Ceph Monitors by setting it in the [mon] section of the configuration file.

mon data

**Description:** The monitor's data location.

Type: String

**Default:** /var/lib/ceph/mon/\$cluster-\$id

mon data size warn

Description: Issue a HEALTH WARN in cluster log when the monitor's data store goes over 15GB.

**Type:** Integer

**Default:** 15\*1024\*1024\*1024\*

mon data avail warn

**Description:** Issue a HEALTH\_WARN in cluster log when the available disk space of monitor's data store is lower or

equal to this percentage.

Type: Integer Default: 30

mon data avail crit

Description: Issue a HEALTH ERR in cluster log when the available disk space of monitor's data store is lower or equal

to this percentage.

Type: Integer
Default: 5

mon warn on cache pools without hit sets

**Description:** Issue a HEALTH\_WARN in cluster log if a cache pool does not have the hitset type set set. See hit set type

for more details.

Type: Boolean Default: True

mon warn on crush straw calc version zero

Description: Issue a HEALTH WARN in cluster log if the CRUSH's straw calc version is zero. See CRUSH map

tunables for details.

Type: Boolean Default: True

mon warn on legacy crush tunables

Description: Issue a HEALTH WARN in cluster log if CRUSH tunables are too old (older than

mon\_min\_crush\_required\_version)

Type: Boolean Default: True

mon crush min required version

**Description:** The minimum tunable profile version required by the cluster. See CRUSH map tunables for details.

Type: String
Default: firefly

mon warn on osd down out interval zero

**Description:** Issue a HEALTH WARN in cluster log if mon osd down out interval is zero. Having this option set to

zero on the leader acts much like the noout flag. It's hard to figure out what's going wrong with clusters

witout the noout flag set but acting like that just the same, so we report a warning in this case.

Type: Boolean Default: True

mon cache target full warn ratio

Description: Position between pool's cache target full and target max object where we start warning

Type: Float 0.66

mon health data update interval

Description: How often (in seconds) the monitor in quorum shares its health status with its peers. (negative number

disables it)

Type: Float Default: 60

mon health to clog

**Description:** Enable sending health summary to cluster log periodically.

Type: Boolean Default: True

mon health to clog tick interval

Description: How often (in seconds) the monitor send health summary to cluster log (a non-positive number disables

it). If current health summary is empty or identical to the last time, monitor will not send it to cluster

log.

Type: Integer Default: 3600

mon health to clog interval

Description: How often (in seconds) the monitor send health summary to cluster log (a non-positive number disables

it). Monitor will always send the summary to cluster log no matter if the summary changes or not.

Type: Integer 60

### STORAGE CAPACITY

When a Ceph Storage Cluster gets close to its maximum capacity (i.e., mon osd full ratio), Ceph prevents you from writing to or reading from Ceph OSD Daemons as a safety measure to prevent data loss. Therefore, letting a production Ceph Storage Cluster approach its full ratio is not a good practice, because it sacrifices high availability. The default full ratio is .95, or 95% of capacity. This a very aggressive setting for a test cluster with a small number of OSDs.

**Tip:** When monitoring your cluster, be alert to warnings related to the nearfull ratio. This means that a failure of some OSDs could result in a temporary service disruption if one or more OSDs fails. Consider adding more OSDs to increase storage capacity.

A common scenario for test clusters involves a system administrator removing a Ceph OSD Daemon from the Ceph Storage Cluster to watch the cluster rebalance; then, removing another Ceph OSD Daemon, and so on until the Ceph Storage Cluster eventually reaches the full ratio and locks up. We recommend a bit of capacity planning even with a test cluster. Planning enables you to gauge how much spare capacity you will need in order to maintain high availability. Ideally, you want to plan for a series of Ceph OSD Daemon failures where the cluster can recover to an active + clean state without replacing those Ceph

OSD Daemons immediately. You can run a cluster in an active + degraded state, but this is not ideal for normal operating conditions.

The following diagram depicts a simplistic Ceph Storage Cluster containing 33 Ceph Nodes with one Ceph OSD Daemon per host, each Ceph OSD Daemon reading from and writing to a 3TB drive. So this exemplary Ceph Storage Cluster has a maximum actual capacity of 99TB. With a mon osd full ratio of 0.95, if the Ceph Storage Cluster falls to 5TB of remaining capacity, the cluster will not allow Ceph Clients to read and write data. So the Ceph Storage Cluster's operating capacity is 95TB, not 99TB.

Rack 1	Rack 2	Rack 3	Rack 4	Rack 5	Rack 6
OSD 1	OSD 7	OSD 13	OSD 19	OSD 25	OSD 31
OSD 2	OSD 8	OSD 14	OSD 20	OSD 26	OSD 32
OSD 3	OSD 9	OSD 15	OSD 21	OSD 27	OSD 33
OSD 4	OSD 10	OSD 16	OSD 22	OSD 28	Spare
OSD 5	OSD 11	OSD 17	OSD 23	OSD 29	Spare
OSD 6	OSD 12	OSD 18	OSD 24	OSD 30	Spare

It is normal in such a cluster for one or two OSDs to fail. A less frequent but reasonable scenario involves a rack's router or power supply failing, which brings down multiple OSDs simultaneously (e.g., OSDs 7-12). In such a scenario, you should still strive for a cluster that can remain operational and achieve an active + clean state-even if that means adding a few hosts with additional OSDs in short order. If your capacity utilization is too high, you may not lose data, but you could still sacrifice data availability while resolving an outage within a failure domain if capacity utilization of the cluster exceeds the full ratio. For this reason, we recommend at least some rough capacity planning.

Identify two numbers for your cluster:

- 1. The number of OSDs.
- 2. The total capacity of the cluster

If you divide the total capacity of your cluster by the number of OSDs in your cluster, you will find the mean average capacity of an OSD within your cluster. Consider multiplying that number by the number of OSDs you expect will fail simultaneously during normal operations (a relatively small number). Finally multiply the capacity of the cluster by the full ratio to arrive at a maximum operating capacity; then, subtract the number of amount of data from the OSDs you expect to fail to arrive at a reasonable full ratio. Repeat the foregoing process with a higher number of OSD failures (e.g., a rack of OSDs) to arrive at a reasonable number for a near full ratio.

```
[global]

mon osd full ratio = .80
mon osd backfillfull ratio = .75
mon osd nearfull ratio = .70
```

mon osd full ratio

**Description:** The percentage of disk space used before an OSD is considered full.

Type: Float Pefault: .95

mon osd backfillfull ratio

**Description:** The percentage of disk space used before an OSD is considered too full to backfill.

Type: Float Pefault: .90

mon osd nearfull ratio

**Description:** The percentage of disk space used before an OSD is considered nearfull.

Type: Float Default: .85

**Tip:** If some OSDs are nearfull, but others have plenty of capacity, you may have a problem with the CRUSH weight for the nearfull OSDs.

#### **HEARTBEAT**

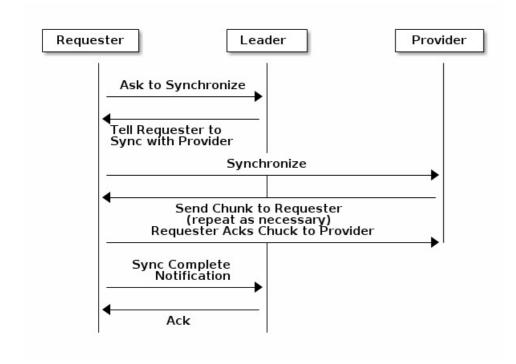
Ceph monitors know about the cluster by requiring reports from each OSD, and by receiving reports from OSDs about the status of their neighboring OSDs. Ceph provides reasonable default settings for monitor/OSD interaction; however, you may modify them as needed. See Monitor/OSD Interaction for details.

#### MONITOR STORE SYNCHRONIZATION

When you run a production cluster with multiple monitors (recommended), each monitor checks to see if a neighboring monitor has a more recent version of the cluster map (e.g., a map in a neighboring monitor with one or more epoch numbers higher than the most current epoch in the map of the instant monitor). Periodically, one monitor in the cluster may fall behind the other monitors to the point where it must leave the quorum, synchronize to retrieve the most current information about the cluster, and then rejoin the quorum. For the purposes of synchronization, monitors may assume one of three roles:

- 1. **Leader**: The *Leader* is the first monitor to achieve the most recent Paxos version of the cluster map.
- 2. **Provider**: The *Provider* is a monitor that has the most recent version of the cluster map, but wasn't the first to achieve the most recent version.
- 3. **Requester:** A *Requester* is a monitor that has fallen behind the leader and must synchronize in order to retrieve the most recent information about the cluster before it can rejoin the quorum.

These roles enable a leader to delegate synchronization duties to a provider, which prevents synchronization requests from overloading the leader-improving performance. In the following diagram, the requester has learned that it has fallen behind the other monitors. The requester asks the leader to synchronize, and the leader tells the requester to synchronize with a provider.



Synchronization always occurs when a new monitor joins the cluster. During runtime operations, monitors may receive updates to the cluster map at different times. This means the leader and provider roles may migrate from one monitor to another. If this happens while synchronizing (e.g., a provider falls behind the leader), the provider can terminate synchronization with a requester.

Once synchronization is complete, Ceph requires trimming across the cluster. Trimming requires that the placement groups are active + clean.

mon sync trim timeout

**Description:** 

Type: Double Default: 30.0

mon sync heartbeat timeout

**Description:** 

Type: Double Default: 30.0

mon sync heartbeat interval

**Description:** 

Type: Double Default: 5.0

mon sync backoff timeout

**Description:** 

Type: Double Default: 30.0

mon sync timeout

Description: Number of seconds the monitor will wait for the next update message from its sync provider before it

gives up and bootstrap again.

Type: Double Default: 60.0

mon sync max retries

**Description:** 

Type: Integer Default: 5

mon sync max payload size

**Description:** The maximum size for a sync payload (in bytes).

**Type:** 32-bit Integer **Default:** 1045676

paxos max join drift

Description: The maximum Paxos iterations before we must first sync the monitor data stores. When a monitor finds

that its peer is too far ahead of it, it will first sync with data stores before moving on.

Type: Integer Default: 10

paxos stash full interval

**Description:** How often (in commits) to stash a full copy of the PaxosService state. Current this setting only affects

mds, mon, auth and mgr PaxosServices.

Type: Integer Default: 25

paxos propose interval

**Description:** Gather updates for this time interval before proposing a map update.

Type: Double Default: 1.0

paxos min

**Description:** The minimum number of paxos states to keep around

Type: Integer Default: 500

paxos min wait

Description: The minimum amount of time to gather updates after a period of inactivity.

Type: Double Default: 0.05

paxos trim min

**Description:** Number of extra proposals tolerated before trimming

Type: Integer 250

paxos trim max

**Description:** The maximum number of extra proposals to trim at a time

Type: Integer Default: 500

paxos service trim min

**Description:** The minimum amount of versions to trigger a trim (0 disables it)

Type: Integer Default: 250

paxos service trim max

**Description:** The maximum amount of versions to trim during a single proposal (0 disables it)

Type: Integer Default: 500

mon max log epochs

**Description:** The maximum amount of log epochs to trim during a single proposal

Type: Integer Default: 500

mon max pgmap epochs

**Description:** The maximum amount of pgmap epochs to trim during a single proposal

Type: Integer Default: 500

mon mds force trim to

**Description:** Force monitor to trim mdsmaps to this point (0 disables it. dangerous, use with care)

Type: Integer Default: 0

mon osd force trim to

**Description:** Force monitor to trim osdmaps to this point, even if there is PGs not clean at the specified epoch (0

disables it. dangerous, use with care)

Type: Integer
Default: 0

mon osd cache size

**Description:** The size of osdmaps cache, not to rely on underlying store's cache

Type: Integer Default: 10

mon election timeout

**Description:** On election proposer, maximum waiting time for all ACKs in seconds.

Type: Float Default: 5

**Description:** The length (in seconds) of the lease on the monitor's versions.

Type: Float 5

mon lease renew interval factor

**Description:** mon lease \* mon lease renew interval factor will be the interval for the Leader to renew the other

monitor's leases. The factor should be less than 1.0.

Type: Float 0.6

mon lease ack timeout factor

Description: The Leader will wait mon lease \* mon lease ack timeout factor for the Providers to acknowledge

the lease extension.

Type: Float 2.0

mon accept timeout factor

**Description:** The Leader will wait mon lease \* mon accept timeout factor for the Requester(s) to accept a Paxos

update. It is also used during the Paxos recovery phase for similar purposes.

Type: Float 2.0

mon min osdmap epochs

**Description:** Minimum number of OSD map epochs to keep at all times.

**Type:** 32-bit Integer

Default: 500

mon max pgmap epochs

**Description:** Maximum number of PG map epochs the monitor should keep.

**Type:** 32-bit Integer

Default: 500

mon max log epochs

**Description:** Maximum number of Log epochs the monitor should keep.

**Type:** 32-bit Integer

**Default:** 500

#### **CLOCK**

Ceph daemons pass critical messages to each other, which must be processed before daemons reach a timeout threshold. If the clocks in Ceph monitors are not synchronized, it can lead to a number of anomalies. For example:

- Daemons ignoring received messages (e.g., timestamps outdated)
- Timeouts triggered too soon/late when a message wasn't received in time.

See Monitor Store Synchronization for details.

**Tip:** You SHOULD install NTP on your Ceph monitor hosts to ensure that the monitor cluster operates with synchronized clocks.

Clock drift may still be noticeable with NTP even though the discrepancy is not yet harmful. Ceph's clock drift / clock skew warnings may get triggered even though NTP maintains a reasonable level of synchronization. Increasing your clock drift may be tolerable under such circumstances; however, a number of factors such as workload, network latency, configuring overrides to default timeouts and the Monitor Store Synchronization settings may influence the level of acceptable clock drift without compromising Paxos guarantees.

Ceph provides the following tunable options to allow you to find acceptable values.

**Description:** How much to offset the system clock. See Clock.cc for details.

Type: Double Default: 0

Deprecated since version 0.58.

mon tick interval

**Description:** A monitor's tick interval in seconds.

**Type:** 32-bit Integer

**Default:** 5

mon clock drift allowed

**Description:** The clock drift in seconds allowed between monitors.

Type: Float .050

mon clock drift warn backoff

**Description:** Exponential backoff for clock drift warnings

Type: Float
Default: 5

mon timecheck interval

**Description:** The time check interval (clock drift check) in seconds for the Leader.

Type: Float 300.0

mon timecheck skew interval

Description: The time check interval (clock drift check) in seconds when in presence of a skew in seconds for the

Leader.

Type: Float 30.0

CLIENT

mon client hunt interval

**Description:** The client will try a new monitor every N seconds until it establishes a connection.

Type: Double Default: 3.0

mon client ping interval

**Description:** The client will ping the monitor every N seconds.

Type: Double Default: 10.0

mon client max log entries per message

Description: The maximum number of log entries a monitor will generate per client message.

Type: Integer Default: 1000

mon client bytes

**Description:** The amount of client message data allowed in memory (in bytes).

**Type:** 64-bit Integer Unsigned

**Default:** 100ul << 20

# **POOL SETTINGS**

Since version v0.94 there is support for pool flags which allow or disallow changes to be made to pools.

Monitors can also disallow removal of pools if configured that way.

mon allow pool delete

**Description:** If the monitors should allow pools to be removed. Regardless of what the pool flags say.

Type: Boolean Default: false

osd pool default flag hashpspool

**Description:** Set the hashpspool flag on new pools

Type: Boolean Default: true

osd pool default flag nodelete

**Description:** Set the nodelete flag on new pools. Prevents allow pool removal with this flag in any way.

Type: Boolean Boolean false

osd pool default flag nopgchange

Description: Set the nopgchange flag on new pools. Does not allow the number of PGs to be changed for a pool.

Type: Boolean Default: false

osd pool default flag nosizechange

**Description:** Set the nosizechange flag on new pools. Does not allow the size to be changed of pool.

**Type:** Boolean **Default:** false

For more information about the pool flags see Pool values.

## **MISCELLANEOUS**

mon max osd

**Description:** The maximum number of OSDs allowed in the cluster.

**Type:** 32-bit Integer

**Default:** 10000

mon globalid prealloc

**Description:** The number of global IDs to pre-allocate for clients and daemons in the cluster.

**Type:** 32-bit Integer

**Default:** 100

mon subscribe interval

Description: The refresh interval (in seconds) for subscriptions. The subscription mechanism enables obtaining the

cluster maps and log information.

Type: Double Default: 86400

mon stat smooth intervals

**Description:** Ceph will smooth statistics over the last N PG maps.

Type: Integer Default: 2

mon probe timeout

**Description:** Number of seconds the monitor will wait to find peers before bootstrapping.

Type: Double Default: 2.0

mon daemon bytes

**Description:** The message memory cap for metadata server and OSD messages (in bytes).

**Type:** 64-bit Integer Unsigned

**Default:** 400ul << 20

mon max log entries per event

**Description:** The maximum number of log entries per event.

Type: Integer Default: 4096

mon osd prime pg temp

**Description:** Enables or disable priming the PGMap with the previous OSDs when an out OSD comes back into the

cluster. With the true setting the clients will continue to use the previous OSDs until the newly in OSDs

as that PG peered.

Type: Boolean Default: true

mon osd prime pg temp max time

Description: How much time in seconds the monitor should spend trying to prime the PGMap when an out OSD

comes back into the cluster.

Type: Float 0.5

mon osd prime pg temp max time estimate

Description: Maximum estimate of time spent on each PG before we prime all PGs in parallel.

Type: Float 0.25

mon osd allow primary affinity

**Description:** allow primary affinity to be set in the osdmap.

Type: Boolean Default: False

mon osd pool ec fast read

Description: Whether turn on fast read on the pool or not. It will be used as the default setting of newly created

erasure pools if fast read is not specified at create time.

Type: Boolean

Default: False

mon mds skip sanity

Description: Skip safety assertions on FSMap (in case of bugs where we want to continue anyway). Monitor

terminates if the FSMap sanity check fails, but we can disable it by enabling this option.

Type: Boolean Default: False

mon max mdsmap epochs

**Description:** The maximum amount of mdsmap epochs to trim during a single proposal.

Type: Integer Default: 500

mon config key max entry size

**Description:** The maximum size of config-key entry (in bytes)

Type: Integer 4096

mon scrub interval

Description: How often (in seconds) the monitor scrub its store by comparing the stored checksums with the

computed ones of all the stored keys.

Type: Integer 3600\*24

mon scrub max keys

**Description:** The maximum number of keys to scrub each time.

Type: Integer Default: 100

mon compact on start

**Description:** Compact the database used as Ceph Monitor store on ceph-mon start. A manual compaction helps to

shrink the monitor database and improve the performance of it if the regular compaction fails to work.

Type: Boolean

Default: False

mon compact on bootstrap

Description: Compact the database used as Ceph Monitor store on on bootstrap. Monitor starts probing each other

for creating a quorum after bootstrap. If it times out before joining the quorum, it will start over and

bootstrap itself again.

Type: Boolean Default: False

mon compact on trim

**Description:** Compact a certain prefix (including paxos) when we trim its old states.

Type: Boolean Default: True

mon cpu threads

**Description:** Number of threads for performing CPU intensive work on monitor.

Type: Boolean Default: True

mon osd mapping pgs per chunk

Description: We calculate the mapping from placement group to OSDs in chunks. This option specifies the number of

placement groups per chunk.

Type: Integer Default: 4096

mon osd max split count

Description: Largest number of PGs per "involved" OSD to let split create. When we increase the pg num of a pool,

the placement groups will be splitted on all OSDs serving that pool. We want to avoid extreme

multipliers on PG splits.

Type: Integer Default: 300

mon session timeout

**Description:** Monitor will terminate inactive sessions stay idle over this time limit.

**Type:** Integer

**Default:** 300