

MOUNT CEPH FS USING FUSE

Before mounting a Ceph File System in User Space (FUSE), ensure that the client host has a copy of the Ceph configuration file and a keyring with CAPS for the Ceph metadata server.

1. From your client host, copy the Ceph configuration file from the monitor host to the `/etc/ceph` directory.

```
sudo mkdir -p /etc/ceph
sudo scp {user}@{server-machine}:/etc/ceph/ceph.conf /etc/ceph/ceph.conf
```

2. From your client host, copy the Ceph keyring from the monitor host to to the `/etc/ceph` directory.

```
sudo scp {user}@{server-machine}:/etc/ceph/ceph.keyring /etc/ceph/ceph.keyring
```

3. Ensure that the Ceph configuration file and the keyring have appropriate permissions set on your client machine (e.g., `chmod 644`).

For additional details on cephx configuration, see [CEPHX Config Reference](#).

To mount the Ceph file system as a FUSE, you may use the `ceph-fuse` command. For example:

```
sudo mkdir /home/username/cephfs
sudo ceph-fuse -m 192.168.0.1:6789 /home/username/cephfs
```

If you have more than one filesystem, specify which one to mount using the `--client_mds_namespace` command line argument, or add a `client_mds_namespace` setting to your `ceph.conf`.

See [ceph-fuse](#) for additional details.

To automate mounting `ceph-fuse`, you may add an entry to the system [fstab](#). Additionally, `ceph-fuse@.service` and `ceph-fuse.target` systemd units are available. As usual, these unit files declare the default dependencies and recommended execution context for `ceph-fuse`. An example `ceph-fuse` mount on `/mnt` would be:

```
sudo systemctl start ceph-fuse@/mnt.service
```

A persistent mount point can be setup via:

```
sudo systemctl enable ceph-fuse@/mnt.service
```