

# RBD-MIRROR – CEPH DAEMON FOR MIRRORING RBD IMAGES

## SYNOPSIS

### **rbd-mirror**

## DESCRIPTION

**rbd-mirror** is a daemon for asynchronous mirroring of RADOS block device (rbd) images among Ceph clusters. It replays changes to images in remote clusters in a local cluster, for disaster recovery.

It connects to remote clusters via the RADOS protocol, relying on default search paths to find `ceph.conf` files, monitor addresses and authentication information for them, i.e. `/etc/ceph/$cluster.conf`, `/etc/ceph/$cluster.keyring`, and `/etc/ceph/$cluster.$name.keyring`, where `$cluster` is the human-friendly name of the cluster, and `$name` is the rados user to connect as, e.g. `client.rbd-mirror`.

## OPTIONS

- c** `ceph.conf`, **--conf**=`ceph.conf`  
Use `ceph.conf` configuration file instead of the default `/etc/ceph/ceph.conf` to determine monitor addresses during startup.
- m** `monaddress[:port]`  
Connect to specified monitor (instead of looking through `ceph.conf`).
- i** `ID`, **--id** `ID`  
Set the ID portion of name for `rbd-mirror`
- n** `TYPE.ID`, **--name** `TYPE.ID`  
Set the rados user name for the gateway (eg. `client.rbd-mirror`)
- cluster** `NAME`  
Set the cluster name (default: `ceph`)
- d**  
Run in foreground, log to `stderr`
- f**  
Run in foreground, log to usual location

## AVAILABILITY

**rbd-mirror** 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

[rbd\(8\)](#)