

# View related backups and clones in the Topology page

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When you are preparing to back up or clone a resource, you can view a graphical representation of all backups and clones on the primary and secondary storage. In the Topology page, you can see all of the backups and clones that are available for the selected resource or resource group. You can view the details of those backups and clones, and then select them to perform data protection operations.

#### About this task

You can review the following icons in the Manage Copies view to determine whether the backups and clones are available on the primary or secondary storage (Mirror copies or Vault copies).



displays the number of backups and clones that are available on the primary storage.

displays the number of backups and clones that are mirrored on the secondary storage using SnapMirror technology.



Clones of a backup of a version-flexible mirror on a mirror-vault type volume are displayed in the topology view but the mirror backup count in the topology view does not include the version-flexible backup.

displays the number of backups and clones that are replicated on the secondary storage using SnapVault technology.

- The number of backups displayed includes the backups deleted from the secondary storage. For example, if you have created 6 backups using a policy to retain only 4 backups, the number of backups displayed are 6.
- If you have upgraded from SnapCenter 1.1, the clones on the secondary (mirror or vault) are not displayed under Mirror copies or Vault copies in the Topology page. All the clones created using SnapCenter 1.1 are displayed under the Local copies in SnapCenter 3.0.



Clones of a backup of a version-flexible mirror on a mirror-vault type volume are displayed in the topology view but the mirror backup count in the topology view does not include the version-flexible backup.

#### **Steps**

- 1. In the left navigation pane, click **Resources**, and then select the appropriate plug-in from the list.
- 2. In the Resources page, either select the resource or resource group from the View drop-down list.
- 3. Select the resource either from the resource details view or from the resource group details view.

If the resource is protected, the topology page of the selected resource is displayed.

4. Review the Summary card to see a summary of the number of backups and clones available on the primary and secondary storage.

The Summary Card section displays the total number of backups and clones. For Oracle database only, the Summary Card section also displays the total number of log backups.

Clicking the refresh button starts a query of the storage to display an accurate count.

5. In the Manage Copies view, click **Backups** or **Clones** from the primary or secondary storage to see details of a backup or clone.

The details of the backups and clones are displayed in a table format.

6. Select the backup from the table, and then click the data protection icons to perform restore, clone, rename, and delete operations.



You cannot rename or delete backups that are on the secondary storage system.

If you are using SnapCenter Custom Plug-ins, you cannot rename the backups that are on the primary storage system.

- If you select a backup of an Oracle resource or resource group, you can also perform mount and unmount operations.
- If you have selected a log backup of an Oracle resource or resource group, you can perform rename, mount, unmount, and delete operations.
- If you are using SnapCenter Plug-ins Package for Linux and have cataloged the backup using Oracle Recovery Manager (RMAN), you cannot rename those cataloged backups.
- 7. If you want to delete a clone, then select the clone from the table and click 👚 to delete the clone.

### Example showing backups and clones on the primary storage



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