

Reference to Monitor the DC-DR  
Synchronization for Standard Edition  
Database.

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## Archive Transfer from DC-Server.

### Archive Transfer Job:

Cronjob "resync.sh" has been scheduled for every 15 minutes as discussed from node1:

```
[oracle@standbyscripts]$ crontab -l
00 23 * * * /backup/rman_backup/rman_scripts/_db_backup.sh
00 02 * * * /home/oracle/script/schemabackup.sh
*/15 * * * * /backup/standby/standbyscripts/resync.sh
```

### Monitor the transfer of archive logs to Dr Server:

Transfer of archive logs to DR server can be verified using log file "resync.log" located in directory:  
/backup/standby/standbylogs/

## Management of configuration in DR server:

**Note:** All steps are preformed on DR server (drptech-cbs-pdb) until explicitly specified.

### Monitor the redo log apply job in DR server:

Archive apply to DR server is maintained by script "recover.sh" located in directory:  
/archive/standbyscripts

The apply process can be verified by the using logfile "recovery\_log\_file.log" located in  
directroy: /archive/standbylogs/

```
tail -f recovery_log_file.log
```

**Note:** The script has been scheduled for every 15 minutes in a hour.

**Ora errors like listed below on log file are normal.**

```
Specify log: {<RET>=suggested | filename | AUTO | CANCEL}
```

```
ORA-00308: cannot open archived log
```

```
 '/archive/prabhudr/prabhudr_1_13_914539656.arc'
```

```
ORA-27037: unable to obtain file status
```

```
Linux-x86_64 Error: 2: No such file or directory
```

```
Additional information: 3
```

```
ORA-00279: change 1248932 generated at 06/15/2016 20:10:10 needed for  
thread 1
```

```
ORA-00289: suggestion : /archive/prabhudr/prabhudb_1_18_914539656.arc
```

```
ORA-00280: change 1248932 for thread 1 is in sequence #18
```

```
ORA-00278: log file '/archive/prabhudr/prabhudb_1_17_914539656.arc' no  
longer
```

```
needed for this recovery
```

## Verify the apply of archive log in DR server:

Go to directroy:

```
cd /archive/standbyscripts/
```

execute the following command to verify the sync status:

```
./open_recover checkstatus
```

## Output should be like

```
[oracle          standbyscripts]$ ./open_recover checkstatus
#####
##### Checking Status #####
#####

Archive Applied
-----
Archive Applied from node1: 12671
Archive Applied from node2: 15740
#####
```

Crosscheck the archive log with each node:

e.g (on Second Node)

```
SQL> sqlplus / as sysdba
```

```
SQL> archive log list;
```

Database log mode	Archive Mode
Automatic archival	Enabled
Archive destination	
	/u01/app/grid/acfsmounts/acfsbackup_arch/archive
Oldest online log sequence	15740
Next log sequence to archive	15741
Current log sequence	15741

**Note:** The **Oldest online log sequence** and **Archive Applied from node2** have same value i.e 15740 implies the DC-DR is in **sync**. With the current log switch frequency if the difference between **The Oldest online log sequence** and **Archive Applied from node2** is more than 5 then there may be gap in archive log sequence between DC and DR.

## Open Database in read only mode.

The database can't be accessed until it is opened in read only mode. So to access the database open it in read only mode by disabling the recovery process describe as below.

### Open the log file for the operation (Optional)

```
cd /archive/standbylogs/  
tail -f open_readonly.log
```

### Execute the command:

```
Go to directroy:  
cd /archive/standbyscripts/  
./open_recover openreadonly
```

e.g.

```
[oracle@                ]$ cd /archive/standbyscripts/  
[oracle@                standbyscripts]$ hostname  
  
[oracle@                standbyscripts]$ ./open_recover openreadonly  
[oracle@                standbyscripts]$
```

### Check the status of database:

```
sqlplus / as sysdba
```

```
SQL> select name, open_mode, database_role from v$database;
```

NAME	OPEN_MODE	DATABASE_ROLE
-----	-----	-----
	READ ONLY	PHYSICAL STANDBY

Using the following tnsnames entry to connect to standby database when opened in read only mode.

```
=  
  
(DESCRIPTION =  
  
  (ADDRESS = (PROTOCOL = TCP) (HOST =  
              ) (PORT =      ) )  
  
  (CONNECT_DATA =  
  
    (SERVER = DEDICATED)  
  
    (SERVICE_NAME =      )  
  
  )  
  
)
```

### Start the recovery and disable readonly mode of database:

Whenever the database is opened in readonly mode using the command “./open\_recover openreadonly” the database should be set in recovery mode using the following command.

#### Open the log file for the operation (Optional)

```
cd /archive/standbylogs/  
tail -f start_recovery.log
```

#### Execute the command:

Go to directory:

```
cd /archive/standbyscripts/  
./open_recover startrecovery
```

e.g

```
[oracle@standbyscripts]$ hostname
```

```
[oracle@standbyscripts]$ ./open_recover startrecovery
```

```
[oracle@standbyscripts]$ crontab -l
```