

Clone SAP HANA database backups using PowerShell cmdlets

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The clone workflow includes planning, performing the clone operation, and monitoring the operation.

You must have prepared the PowerShell environment to execute the PowerShell cmdlets.

The information regarding the parameters that can be used with the cmdlet and their descriptions can be obtained by running *Get-Help command_name*. Alternatively, you can also refer to the SnapCenter Software Cmdlet Reference Guide.

Steps

1. Initiate a connection session with the SnapCenter Server for a specified user by using the Open-SmConnection cmdlet.

```
Open-SmConnection -SMSbaseurl https:\\snapctr.demo.netapp.com:8146/
```

2. Retrieve the backups to perform the clone operation by using the Get-SmBackup cmdlet.

This example shows that two backups are available for cloning:

3. Initiate a clone operation from an existing backup and specify the NFS export IP addresses on which the cloned volumes are exported.

This example shows that the backup to be cloned has an NFSExportIPs address of 10.232.206.169:

```
New-SmClone -AppPluginCode hana -BackupName scsccorel_sccore_test_com_hana_H73_scsccorel_06-07-2017_02.54.29.3817 -Resources @{"Host"="scsccorel.sccore.test.com";"Uid"="H73"} -CloneToInstance shivscc4.sccore.test.com -mountcommand 'mount 10.232.206.169:%hana73data_Clone /hana83data' -preclonecreatecommands '/home/scripts/scpre_clone.sh' -postclonecreatecommands '/home/scripts/scpost_clone.sh'
```



If NFSExportIPs is not specified, the default is exported to the clone target host.

4. Verify that the backups were cloned successfully by using the Get-SmCloneReport cmdlet to view the clone job details.

You can view details such as clone ID, start date and time, end date and time.

```
PS C:\> Get-SmCloneReport -JobId 186
   SmCloneId
                     : 1
   SmJobId
                     : 186
                    : 8/3/2015 2:43:02 PM
   StartDateTime
                     : 8/3/2015 2:44:08 PM
   EndDateTime
   Duration
                     : 00:01:06.6760000
   Status
                     : Completed
   ProtectionGroupName : Draper
   SmProtectionGroupId: 4
   PolicyName
                     : OnDemand Clone
   SmPolicyId
                     : 4
   BackupPolicyName
                     : OnDemand Full Log
   SmBackupPolicyId
                     : 1
   CloneHostName
                     : SCSPR0054212005.mycompany.com
   CloneHostId
                     : Draper clone 08-03-2015 14.43.53
   CloneName
   SourceResources
                     : {Don, Betty, Bobby, Sally}
   ClonedResources : {Don DRAPER, Betty DRAPER, Bobby DRAPER,
Sally DRAPER}
   SmJobError
```

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