- ▶ 4. Create a backup copy of the primary rbd/test block device. Export the entire rbd/test image to a file called /mnt/export.dat. Copy the export.dat file to the secondary cluster.
 - 4.1. In the primary cluster, run the cephadm shell using the --mount argument to bind mount the /home/admin/rbd-export/ directory.

```
[root@clienta ~]# cephadm shell --mount /home/admin/rbd-export/
...output omitted...
[ceph: root@clienta /]#
```

4.2. Export the entire rbd/test image to a file called /mnt/export.dat. Exit the cephadm shell.

```
[ceph: root@clienta /]# rbd export rbd/test /mnt/export.dat
Exporting image: 100% complete...done.
[ceph: root@clienta /]# exit
exit
[root@clienta ~]$
```

4.3. Copy the export.dat file to the secondary cluster in the /home/admin/rbd-import/ directory.

```
[root@clienta ~]# rsync -avP /home/admin/rbd-export/export.dat \
serverf:/home/admin/rbd-import
...output omitted...
```

- ▶ 5. In the secondary cluster, import the /mnt/export.dat file containing the exported rbd/ test RBD image into the secondary cluster. Confirm that the import was successful by mapping the imported image to a block device, mounting it, and inspecting its contents.
 - 5.1. Exit the current cepdadm shell. Use sudo to run the cephadm shell with the --mount argument to bind mount the /home/admin/rbd-import/ directory.

```
[ceph: root@serverf /]# exit
[admin@serverf ~]$ sudo cephadm shell --mount /home/admin/rbd-import/
[ceph: root@serverf /]#
```

5.2. List the contents of the backup cluster's empty rbd pool. Use the rbd import command to import the RBD image contained in the /mnt/export.dat file into the backup cluster, referring to it as rbd/test.

```
[ceph: root@serverf /]# rbd --pool rbd ls
[ceph: root@serverf /]# rbd import /mnt/export.dat rbd/test
Importing image: 100% complete...done.
[ceph: root@serverf /]# rbd du --pool rbd test
NAME PROVISIONED USED
test 128 MiB 32 MiB
```

5.3. Exit the cephadm shell, and then switch to the root user. Map the backup cluster's imported RBD image and mount the file system it contains. Confirm that its contents are the same as those originally created on the primary cluster's RBD image.