

Manage core dumps (cluster administrators only)

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When a node panics, a core dump occurs and the system creates a core dump file that technical support can use to troubleshoot the problem. You can configure or display core dump attributes. You can also save, display, segment, upload, or delete a core dump file.

You can manage core dumps in the following ways:

- · Configuring core dumps and displaying the configuration settings
- · Displaying basic information, the status, and attributes of core dumps

Core dump files and reports are stored in the /mroot/etc/crash/ directory of a node. You can display the directory content by using the system node coredump commands or a web browser.

- Saving the core dump content and uploading the saved file to a specified location or to technical support
 ONTAP prevents you from initiating the saving of a core dump file during a takeover, an aggregate relocation, or a giveback.
- · Deleting core dump files that are no longer needed

Commands for managing core dumps

You use the system node coredump config commands to manage the configuration of core dumps, the system node coredump commands to manage the core dump files, and the system node coredump reports commands to manage application core reports.

If you want to	Use this command
Configure core dumps	system node coredump config modify
Display the configuration settings for core dumps	system node coredump config show
Display basic information about core dumps	system node coredump show
Manually trigger a core dump when you reboot a node	system node reboot with both the -dump and -skip-lif-migration parameters
Manually trigger a core dump when you shut down a node	system node halt with both the -dump and -skip-lif-migration parameters
Save a specified core dump	system node coredump save
Save all unsaved core dumps that are on a specified node	system node coredump save-all

If you want to	Use this command
Generate and send an AutoSupport message with a core dump file you specify	system node autosupport invoke-core-upload The -uri optional parameter specifies an alternate destination for the AutoSupport message.
Display status information about core dumps	system node coredump status
Delete a specified core dump	system node coredump delete
Delete all unsaved core dumps or all saved core files on a node	system node coredump delete-all
Display application core dump reports	system node coredump reports show
Delete an application core dump report	system node coredump reports delete

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