



Rebooting a grid node

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Rebooting a grid node

You can reboot a grid node from the Grid Manager or from the node's command shell.

About this task

When you reboot a grid node, the node shuts down and restarts. All services are restarted automatically.

If you plan to reboot Storage Nodes, note the following:

- If an ILM rule specifies an ingest behavior of Dual commit or the rule specifies Balanced and it is not possible to immediately create all required copies, StorageGRID immediately commits any newly ingested objects to two Storage Nodes on the same site and evaluates ILM later. If you want to reboot two or more Storage Nodes on a given site, you might not be able to access these objects for the duration of the reboot.
- To ensure you can access all objects while a Storage Node is rebooting, stop ingesting objects at a site for approximately one hour before rebooting the node.

Related information

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- [Rebooting a grid node from the command shell](#)

Rebooting a grid node from the Grid Manager

Rebooting a grid node from the Grid Manager issues the `reboot` command on the target node.

What you'll need

- You must be signed in to the Grid Manager using a supported browser.
- You must have the Maintenance or Root Access permission.
- You must have the provisioning passphrase.

Steps

1. Select **Nodes**.
2. Select the grid node you want to reboot.
3. Select the **Tasks** tab.

DC3-S3 (Storage Node)

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Reboot

Reboot shuts down and restarts the node.

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4. Click **Reboot**.

A confirmation dialog box appears.

Reboot Node DC3-S3

Reboot shuts down and restarts a node, based on where the node is installed:

- Rebooting a VMware node reboots the virtual machine.
- Rebooting a Linux node reboots the container.
- Rebooting a StorageGRID Appliance node reboots the compute controller.

If you are ready to reboot this node, enter the provisioning passphrase and click OK.

Provisioning Passphrase

[Cancel](#)[OK](#)

If you are rebooting the primary Admin Node, the confirmation dialog box reminds you that your browser's connection to the Grid Manager will be lost temporarily when services are stopped.

5. Enter the provisioning passphrase, and click **OK**.

6. Wait for the node to reboot.

It might take some time for services to shut down.

When the node is rebooting, the gray icon (Administratively Down) appears on the left side of the Nodes page. When all services have started again, the icon changes back to its original color.

Rebooting a grid node from the command shell

If you need to monitor the reboot operation more closely or if you are unable to access the Grid Manager, you can log into the grid node and run the Server Manager reboot command from the command shell.

What you'll need

- You must have the `Passwords.txt` file.

Steps

1. Log in to the grid node:

- a. Enter the following command: `ssh admin@grid_node_IP`
- b. Enter the password listed in the `Passwords.txt` file.
- c. Enter the following command to switch to root: `su -`
- d. Enter the password listed in the `Passwords.txt` file.

When you are logged in as root, the prompt changes from `$` to `#`.

2. Optionally, stop services: `service servermanager stop`

Stopping services is an optional, but recommended step. Services can take up to 15 minutes to shut down, and you might want to log in to the system remotely to monitor the shutdown process before you reboot the node in the next step.

3. Reboot the grid node: `reboot`

4. Log out of the command shell: `exit`

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