



Renaming a cluster in MetroCluster configurations

ONTAP MetroCluster

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Renaming a cluster in a MetroCluster configuration involves making the changes, and then verifying on both the local and remote clusters that the change took effect correctly.

Steps

1. View the cluster names using the

metrocluster node show

command:

```
cluster_1::*> metrocluster node show
DR                               Configuration  DR
Group Cluster Node              State        Mirroring Mode
-----
1      cluster_1
      node_A_1      configured   enabled    normal
      node_A_2      configured   enabled    normal
      cluster_2
      node_B_1      configured   enabled    normal
      node_B_2      configured   enabled    normal
4 entries were displayed.
```

2. Rename the cluster:

cluster identity modify -name new_name

In the following example, the `cluster_1` cluster is renamed `cluster_A`:

```
cluster_1::*> cluster identity modify -name cluster_A
```

3. Verify on the local cluster that the renamed cluster is running normally:

metrocluster node show

In the following example, the newly renamed `cluster_A` is running normally:

```
cluster_A::*> metrocluster node show
```

DR	Configuration	DR
Group Cluster Node	State	Mirroring Mode
1	cluster_A	
	node_A_1	configured enabled normal
	node_A_2	configured enabled normal
	cluster_2	
	node_B_1	configured enabled normal
	node_B_2	configured enabled normal

4 entries were displayed.

4. Rename the remote cluster:

```
cluster peer modify-local-name -name cluster_2 -new-name cluster_B
```

In the following example, `cluster_2` is renamed `cluster_B`:

```
cluster_2::> cluster peer modify-local-name -name cluster_2 -new-name
cluster_B
```

5. Verify on the remote cluster that the local cluster was renamed and is running normally:

```
metrocluster node show
```

In the following example, the newly renamed `cluster_B` is running normally:

```
cluster_B::*> metrocluster node show
```

DR	Configuration	DR
Group Cluster Node	State	Mirroring Mode
1	cluster_B	
	node_B_1	configured enabled normal
	node_B_2	configured enabled normal
	cluster_A	
	node_A_1	configured enabled normal
	node_A_2	configured enabled normal

4 entries were displayed.

6. Repeat these steps for each cluster that you want to rename.

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