



Manage UNIX group configurations

ONTAP 9.11.1 REST API reference

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Manage UNIX group configurations

Name-services unix-groups endpoint overview

Overview

You can use this API to display local UNIX group information and to control UNIX group configurations.

Retrieving UNIX group information

The UNIX group GET endpoint retrieves all of the local UNIX groups configurations for data SVMs.

Examples

Retrieving all of the fields for all of the UNIX group configurations

The UNIX group GET endpoint retrieves all of the local UNIX groups configurations for data SVMs.

```
# The API:
/api/name-services/unix-groups

# The call:
curl -X GET "https://<mgmt-ip>/api/name-services/unix-groups?fields=*" -H
"accept: application/hal+json"

# The response:
{
  "records": [
    {
      "svm": {
        "uuid": "b009a9e7-4081-b576-7575-ada21efcaf16",
        "name": "vs1",
        "_links": {
          "self": {
            "href": "/api/svm/svms/b009a9e7-4081-b576-7575-ada21efcaf16"
          }
        }
      },
      "name": "group1",
      "id": 11,
      "users": [
        {
          "name": "user1"
        },
        {
          "name": "user2"
        }
      ]
    }
  ]
}
```

```
    },
    {
      "name": "user3"
    }
  ],
  "_links": {
    "self": {
      "href": "/api/name-services/unix-groups/b009a9e7-4081-b576-7575-ada21efcaf16/group1"
    }
  }
},
{
  "svm": {
    "uuid": "b009a9e7-4081-b576-7575-ada21efcaf16",
    "name": "vs1",
    "_links": {
      "self": {
        "href": "/api/svm/svms/b009a9e7-4081-b576-7575-ada21efcaf16"
      }
    }
  },
  "name": "group2",
  "id": 12,
  "users": [
    {
      "name": "user1"
    },
    {
      "name": "user2"
    }
  ],
  "_links": {
    "self": {
      "href": "/api/name-services/unix-groups/b009a9e7-4081-b576-7575-ada21efcaf16/group2"
    }
  }
},
{
  "svm": {
    "uuid": "b009a9e7-4081-b576-7575-ada21efcad17",
    "name": "vs2",
    "_links": {
      "self": {
        "href": "/api/svm/svms/b009a9e7-4081-b576-7575-ada21efcad17"
      }
    }
  }
}
```

```

    }
  },
  "name": "group1",
  "id": 11,
  "users": [
    {
      "name": "user2"
    },
    {
      "name": "user3"
    }
  ],
  "_links": {
    "self": {
      "href": "/api/name-services/unix-groups/b009a9e7-4081-b576-7575-ada21efcad17/group1"
    }
  }
},
"num_records": 3,
"_links": {
  "self": {
    "href": "/api/name-services/unix-groups?fields=*"
  }
}
}

```

Retrieving all of the UNIX group configurations whose group name is 'group1'.

```

# The API:
/api/name-services/unix-groups

# The call:
curl -X GET "https://<mgmt-ip>/api/name-services/unix-groups?name=group1"
-H "accept: application/hal+json"

# The response:
{
  "records": [
    {
      "svm": {
        "uuid": "b009a9e7-4081-b576-7575-ada21efcaf16",
        "name": "vs1",
        "_links": {
          "self": {
            "href": "/api/svm/svms/b009a9e7-4081-b576-7575-ada21efcaf16"
          }
        }
      },
      "name": "group1",
      "id": 11,
      "_links": {
        "self": {
          "href": "/api/name-services/unix-groups/b009a9e7-4081-b576-7575-ada21efcaf16/group1"
        }
      }
    },
  ],
  "num_records": 1,
  "_links": {
    "self": {
      "href": "/api/name-services/unix-groups?name=group1"
    }
  }
}

```

Creating a UNIX group configuration

The UNIX group POST endpoint creates a UNIX group configuration for the specified SVM.

Example

```
# The API:
/api/name-services/unix-groups

# The call:
curl -X POST "https://<mgmt-ip>/api/name-services/unix-groups" -H "accept:
application/hal+json" -H "Content-Type: application/json" -d '{"svm":
{"uuid": "179d3c85-7053-11e8-b9b8-005056b41bd1"}, "name": "group1", "id":
111}'
```

Updating a UNIX group configuration

The UNIX group PATCH endpoint updates the UNIX group ID of the specified UNIX group and the specified SVM.

Example

Modify the group ID of group1 to 112

```
# The API:
/api/name-services/unix-groups/{svm.uuid}/{name}

# The call:
curl -X PATCH "https://<mgmt-ip>/api/name-services/unix-groups/179d3c85-
7053-11e8-b9b8-005056b41bd1/group1" -H "accept: application/hal+json" -H
"Content-Type: application/json" -d '{"id": 112}'
```

Deleting a UNIX group configuration

The UNIX group DELETE endpoint deletes the specified UNIX group of the specified SVM.

Example

Delete the group 'group1'

```
# The API:
/api/name-services/unix-groups/{svm.uuid}/{name}

# The call:
curl -X DELETE "https://<mgmt-ip>/api/name-services/unix-groups/179d3c85-
7053-11e8-b9b8-005056b41bd1/group1" -H "accept: application/hal+json"
```

Retrieve UNIX groups for all SVMs

GET /name-services/unix-groups

Introduced In: 9.9

Retrieves the UNIX groups for all of the SVMs. UNIX users who are the members of the group are also displayed.

Related ONTAP commands

- `vserver services name-service unix-group show`

Learn more

- [DOC /name-services/unix-groups](#)

Parameters

Name	Type	In	Required	Description
id	integer	query	False	Filter by id
svm.uuid	string	query	False	Filter by svm.uuid
svm.name	string	query	False	Filter by svm.name
users.name	string	query	False	Filter by users.name
name	string	query	False	Filter by name
fields	array[string]	query	False	Specify the fields to return.
max_records	integer	query	False	Limit the number of records returned.
return_records	boolean	query	False	The default is true for GET calls. When set to false, only the number of records is returned. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Default value: 1

Name	Type	In	Required	Description
return_timeout	integer	query	False	<p>The number of seconds to allow the call to execute before returning. When iterating over a collection, the default is 15 seconds. ONTAP returns earlier if either max records or the end of the collection is reached.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Default value: 1 • Max value: 120 • Min value: 0
order_by	array[string]	query	False	Order results by specified fields and optional [asc

Response

Status: 200, Ok

Name	Type	Description
_links	_links	
current_count	integer	Number of UNIX groups and members.
num_records	integer	Number of UNIX group records.
records	array[unix_group]	

Example response

```
{
  "_links": {
    "next": {
      "href": "/api/resourcelink"
    },
    "self": {
      "href": "/api/resourcelink"
    }
  },
  "records": [
    {
      "_links": {
        "self": {
          "href": "/api/resourcelink"
        }
      },
      "name": "string",
      "svm": {
        "_links": {
          "self": {
            "href": "/api/resourcelink"
          }
        },
        "name": "svm1",
        "uuid": "02c9e252-41be-11e9-81d5-00a0986138f7"
      },
      "users": [
        {
          "name": "string"
        }
      ]
    }
  ]
}
```

Error

Status: Default, Error

Name	Type	Description
error	error	

Example error

```
{
  "error": {
    "arguments": [
      {
        "code": "string",
        "message": "string"
      }
    ],
    "code": "4",
    "message": "entry doesn't exist",
    "target": "uuid"
  }
}
```

Definitions

See Definitions

href

Name	Type	Description
href	string	

_links

Name	Type	Description
next	href	
self	href	

_links

Name	Type	Description
self	href	

svm

Name	Type	Description
_links	_links	
name	string	The name of the SVM.
uuid	string	The unique identifier of the SVM.

users

Name	Type	Description
name	string	UNIX user who belongs to the specified UNIX group and the SVM.

unix_group

Name	Type	Description
_links	_links	
id	integer	UNIX group ID of the specified user.
name	string	UNIX group name to be added to the local database.

Name	Type	Description
skip_name_validation	boolean	Indicates whether or not the validation for the specified UNIX group name is disabled.
svm	svm	
users	array[users]	

error_arguments

Name	Type	Description
code	string	Argument code
message	string	Message argument

error

Name	Type	Description
arguments	array[error_arguments]	Message arguments
code	string	Error code
message	string	Error message
target	string	The target parameter that caused the error.

Create a local UNIX group configuration for an SVM

POST `/name-services/unix-groups`

Introduced In: 9.9

Creates the local UNIX group configuration for the specified SVM.

Group name and group ID are mandatory parameters.

Important notes

- The default limit for local UNIX groups and group members is 32768.

Learn more

- [DOC /name-services/unix-groups](#)

Parameters

Name	Type	In	Required	Description
return_records	boolean	query	False	The default is false. If set to true, the records are returned. • Default value:

Request Body

Name	Type	Description
_links	_links	
id	integer	UNIX group ID of the specified user.
name	string	UNIX group name to be added to the local database.
skip_name_validation	boolean	Indicates whether or not the validation for the specified UNIX group name is disabled.
svm	svm	
users	array[users]	

Example request

```
{
  "_links": {
    "self": {
      "href": "/api/resourcelink"
    }
  },
  "name": "string",
  "svm": {
    "_links": {
      "self": {
        "href": "/api/resourcelink"
      }
    },
    "name": "svm1",
    "uuid": "02c9e252-41be-11e9-81d5-00a0986138f7"
  },
  "users": [
    {
      "name": "string"
    }
  ]
}
```

Response

Status: 201, Created

Error

Status: Default

ONTAP Error Response Codes

Error Code	Description
2621706	The specified SVM UUID is incorrect for the specified SVM name.
3277025	Maximum supported limit of UNIX group count reached.

Error Code	Description
3277051	Invalid characters in group name. Valid characters are 0-9, A-Z, a-z, ".", "_", and "-". Names cannot start with "-".
23724067	Group name too long. Maximum supported length is 64 characters.
23724141	Duplicate group ID. Group ID must be unique.

Name	Type	Description
error	error	

Example error

```

{
  "error": {
    "arguments": [
      {
        "code": "string",
        "message": "string"
      }
    ],
    "code": "4",
    "message": "entry doesn't exist",
    "target": "uuid"
  }
}

```

Definitions

See Definitions

href

Name	Type	Description
href	string	

_links

Name	Type	Description
self	href	

svm

Name	Type	Description
_links	_links	
name	string	The name of the SVM.
uuid	string	The unique identifier of the SVM.

users

Name	Type	Description
name	string	UNIX user who belongs to the specified UNIX group and the SVM.

unix_group

Name	Type	Description
_links	_links	
id	integer	UNIX group ID of the specified user.
name	string	UNIX group name to be added to the local database.
skip_name_validation	boolean	Indicates whether or not the validation for the specified UNIX group name is disabled.
svm	svm	
users	array[users]	

error_arguments

Name	Type	Description
code	string	Argument code
message	string	Message argument

error

Name	Type	Description
arguments	array[error_arguments]	Message arguments
code	string	Error code
message	string	Error message
target	string	The target parameter that caused the error.

Delete UNIX group configuration for an SVM

```
DELETE /name-services/unix-groups/{svm.uuid}/{name}
```

Introduced In: 9.9

Deletes a UNIX group configuration for the specified SVM.

Related ONTAP commands

- `vserver services name-service unix-group delete`

Learn more

- [DOC /name-services/unix-groups](#)

Parameters

Name	Type	In	Required	Description
name	string	path	True	UNIX group name.
svm.uuid	string	path	True	UUID of the SVM to which this object belongs.

Response

Status: 200, Ok

Error

Status: Default, Error

Name	Type	Description
error	error	

Example error

```
{
  "error": {
    "arguments": [
      {
        "code": "string",
        "message": "string"
      }
    ],
    "code": "4",
    "message": "entry doesn't exist",
    "target": "uuid"
  }
}
```

Definitions

See Definitions

error_arguments

Name	Type	Description
code	string	Argument code
message	string	Message argument

error

Name	Type	Description
arguments	array[error_arguments]	Message arguments
code	string	Error code
message	string	Error message
target	string	The target parameter that caused the error.

Retrieve UNIX group information for a group and SVM

GET /name-services/unix-groups/{svm.uuid}/{name}

Introduced In: 9.9

Retrieves UNIX group information for the specified group and SVM. UNIX users who are part of this group are also retrieved.

Related ONTAP commands

- `vserver services name-service unix-group show`

Learn more

- [DOC /name-services/unix-groups](#)

Parameters

Name	Type	In	Required	Description
name	string	path	True	UNIX group name.

Name	Type	In	Required	Description
svm.uuid	string	path	True	UUID of the SVM to which this object belongs.
fields	array[string]	query	False	Specify the fields to return.

Response

Status: 200, Ok

Name	Type	Description
_links	_links	
id	integer	UNIX group ID of the specified user.
name	string	UNIX group name to be added to the local database.
skip_name_validation	boolean	Indicates whether or not the validation for the specified UNIX group name is disabled.
svm	svm	
users	array[users]	

Example response

```
{
  "_links": {
    "self": {
      "href": "/api/resourcelink"
    }
  },
  "name": "string",
  "svm": {
    "_links": {
      "self": {
        "href": "/api/resourcelink"
      }
    },
    "name": "svm1",
    "uuid": "02c9e252-41be-11e9-81d5-00a0986138f7"
  },
  "users": [
    {
      "name": "string"
    }
  ]
}
```

Error

Status: Default, Error

Name	Type	Description
error	error	

Example error

```
{
  "error": {
    "arguments": [
      {
        "code": "string",
        "message": "string"
      }
    ],
    "code": "4",
    "message": "entry doesn't exist",
    "target": "uuid"
  }
}
```

Definitions

See Definitions

href

Name	Type	Description
href	string	

_links

Name	Type	Description
self	href	

svm

Name	Type	Description
_links	_links	
name	string	The name of the SVM.
uuid	string	The unique identifier of the SVM.

users

Name	Type	Description
name	string	UNIX user who belongs to the specified UNIX group and the SVM.

error_arguments

Name	Type	Description
code	string	Argument code
message	string	Message argument

error

Name	Type	Description
arguments	array[error_arguments]	Message arguments
code	string	Error code
message	string	Error message

Name	Type	Description
target	string	The target parameter that caused the error.

Update UNIX group information for a group in an SVM

PATCH /name-services/unix-groups/{svm.uuid}/{name}

Introduced In: 9.9

Updates the UNIX group information of the specified group in the specified SVM.

Learn more

- [DOC /name-services/unix-groups](#)

Parameters

Name	Type	In	Required	Description
name	string	path	True	UNIX group name.
svm.uuid	string	path	True	UUID of the SVM to which this object belongs.

Request Body

Name	Type	Description
_links	_links	
id	integer	UNIX group ID of the specified user.
name	string	UNIX group name to be added to the local database.
skip_name_validation	boolean	Indicates whether or not the validation for the specified UNIX group name is disabled.
svm	svm	
users	array[users]	

Example request

```
{
  "_links": {
    "self": {
      "href": "/api/resourcelink"
    }
  },
  "name": "string",
  "svm": {
    "_links": {
      "self": {
        "href": "/api/resourcelink"
      }
    },
    "name": "svm1",
    "uuid": "02c9e252-41be-11e9-81d5-00a0986138f7"
  },
  "users": [
    {
      "name": "string"
    }
  ]
}
```

Response

Status: 200, Ok

Error

Status: Default

ONTAP Error Response Codes

Error Code	Description
23724141	Duplicate group ID. Group ID must be unique.

Name	Type	Description
error	error	

Example error

```
{
  "error": {
    "arguments": [
      {
        "code": "string",
        "message": "string"
      }
    ],
    "code": "4",
    "message": "entry doesn't exist",
    "target": "uuid"
  }
}
```

Definitions

See Definitions

href

Name	Type	Description
href	string	

_links

Name	Type	Description
self	href	

svm

Name	Type	Description
_links	_links	
name	string	The name of the SVM.
uuid	string	The unique identifier of the SVM.

users

Name	Type	Description
name	string	UNIX user who belongs to the specified UNIX group and the SVM.

unix_group

Name	Type	Description
_links	_links	
id	integer	UNIX group ID of the specified user.
name	string	UNIX group name to be added to the local database.
skip_name_validation	boolean	Indicates whether or not the validation for the specified UNIX group name is disabled.
svm	svm	
users	array[users]	

error_arguments

Name	Type	Description
code	string	Argument code
message	string	Message argument

error

Name	Type	Description
arguments	array[error_arguments]	Message arguments
code	string	Error code
message	string	Error message
target	string	The target parameter that caused the error.

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