



View and manage cluster jobs

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View and manage cluster jobs

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Overview

You can use this API to view and manipulate jobs. Jobs provide information about asynchronous operations. Some long-running jobs are paused or cancelled by calling a PATCH request. Individual operations indicate if they support PATCH requests on the job. After a job transitions to a terminal state, it is deleted after a default time of 300 seconds. Attempts to call a GET or PATCH request on the job returns a 404 error code After the job has been deleted.

Example

The following examples show how to retrieve and update a job state:

Retrieving job information

```
# The API:
/api/cluster/jobs/{uuid}

# The call:
curl -X GET "https://<mgmt-ip>/api/cluster/jobs/b5145e1d-b53b-11e8-8252-005056bbd8f5" -H "accept: application/json"

# The response:
{
  "uuid": "b5145e1d-b53b-11e8-8252-005056bbd8f5",
  "code": 0,
  "description": "Cluster Backup Job",
  "state": "running",
  "message": "creating_node_backups",
  "_links": {
    "self": {
      "href": "/api/cluster/jobs/b5145e1d-b53b-11e8-8252-005056bbd8f5"
    }
  }
}
```

Updating a job that supports the new state

```
# The API:
/api/cluster/jobs/{uuid}

# The call:
curl -X PATCH "https://<mgmt-ip>/api/cluster/jobs/b5145e1d-b53b-11e8-8252-005056bbd8f5?action=cancel" -H "accept: application/json"
```

Retrieve recent asynchronous jobs

GET /cluster/jobs

Introduced In: 9.6

Retrieves a list of recently running asynchronous jobs. After a job transitions to a failure or success state, it is deleted after a default time of 300 seconds.

Parameters

Name	Type	In	Required	Description
code	integer	query	False	Filter by code
end_time	string	query	False	Filter by end_time
message	string	query	False	Filter by message
uuid	string	query	False	Filter by uuid
svm.name	string	query	False	Filter by svm.name <ul style="list-style-type: none">Introduced in: 9.8
svm.uuid	string	query	False	Filter by svm.uuid <ul style="list-style-type: none">Introduced in: 9.8
description	string	query	False	Filter by description
state	string	query	False	Filter by state

Name	Type	In	Required	Description
error.arguments.message	string	query	False	Filter by error.arguments.message • Introduced in: 9.9
error.arguments.code	string	query	False	Filter by error.arguments.code • Introduced in: 9.9
error.code	string	query	False	Filter by error.code • Introduced in: 9.9
error.message	string	query	False	Filter by error.message • Introduced in: 9.9
start_time	string	query	False	Filter by start_time
node.name	string	query	False	Filter by node.name • Introduced in: 9.11
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. • 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: 15 • 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	
num_records	integer	Number of records
records	array[job]	

Example response

```
{
  "_links": {
    "next": {
      "href": "/api/resourcelink"
    },
    "self": {
      "href": "/api/resourcelink"
    }
  },
  "num_records": 1,
  "records": [
    {
      "_links": {
        "self": {
          "href": "/api/resourcelink"
        }
      },
      "code": 0,
      "description": "App Snapshot Job",
      "end_time": "string",
      "error": {
        "arguments": [
          {
            "code": "string",
            "message": "string"
          }
        ],
        "code": "4",
        "message": "entry doesn't exist"
      },
      "message": "Complete: Successful",
      "node": {
        "name": "string"
      },
      "start_time": "string",
      "state": "string",
      "svm": {
        "_links": {
          "self": {
            "href": "/api/resourcelink"
          }
        },
        "name": "svm1",
        "uuid": "02c9e252-41be-11e9-81d5-00a0986138f7"
      }
    }
  ]
}
```

```
    },
    "uuid": "1cd8a442-86d1-11e0-ae1c-123478563412"
  }
]
}
```

Error

Status: Default, Error

Name	Type	Description
error	returned_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	

error_arguments

Name	Type	Description
code	string	Argument code
message	string	Message argument

error

The error that caused the job to fail. This property is only populated when the job fails and it matches the API response error structure used by all APIs. The message and code match the dedicated message and code properties once the job has failed.

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

node

The node where this job was run

Name	Type	Description
name	string	The name of the node

svm

SVM, applies only to SVM-scoped objects.

Name	Type	Description
_links	_links	
name	string	The name of the SVM. This field cannot be specified in a PATCH method.
uuid	string	The unique identifier of the SVM. This field cannot be specified in a PATCH method.

job

Name	Type	Description
_links	_links	
code	integer	If the state indicates "failure", this is the final error code.
description	string	The description of the job to help identify it independent of the UUID.
end_time	string	The time the job ended.
error	error	The error that caused the job to fail. This property is only populated when the job fails and it matches the API response error structure used by all APIs. The message and code match the dedicated message and code properties once the job has failed.
message	string	A message corresponding to the state of the job providing additional details about the current state.
node	node	The node where this job was run
start_time	string	The time the job started.
state	string	The state of the job.

Name	Type	Description
svm	svm	SVM, applies only to SVM-scoped objects.
uuid	string	

returned_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 details of an asynchronous job

GET /cluster/jobs/{uuid}

Introduced In: 9.6

Retrieves the details of a specific asynchronous job. After a job transitions to a failure or success state, it is deleted after a default time of 300 seconds.

Parameters

Name	Type	In	Required	Description
uuid	string	path	True	Job UUID
fields	array[string]	query	False	Specify the fields to return.

Response

Status: 200, Ok

Name	Type	Description
_links	_links	

Name	Type	Description
code	integer	If the state indicates "failure", this is the final error code.
description	string	The description of the job to help identify it independent of the UUID.
end_time	string	The time the job ended.
error	error	The error that caused the job to fail. This property is only populated when the job fails and it matches the API response error structure used by all APIs. The message and code match the dedicated message and code properties once the job has failed.
message	string	A message corresponding to the state of the job providing additional details about the current state.
node	node	The node where this job was run
start_time	string	The time the job started.
state	string	The state of the job.
svm	svm	SVM, applies only to SVM-scoped objects.
uuid	string	

Example response

```
{
  "_links": {
    "self": {
      "href": "/api/resourcelink"
    }
  },
  "code": 0,
  "description": "App Snapshot Job",
  "end_time": "string",
  "error": {
    "arguments": [
      {
        "code": "string",
        "message": "string"
      }
    ],
    "code": "4",
    "message": "entry doesn't exist"
  },
  "message": "Complete: Successful",
  "node": {
    "name": "string"
  },
  "start_time": "string",
  "state": "string",
  "svm": {
    "_links": {
      "self": {
        "href": "/api/resourcelink"
      }
    },
    "name": "svm1",
    "uuid": "02c9e252-41be-11e9-81d5-00a0986138f7"
  },
  "uuid": "1cd8a442-86d1-11e0-ae1c-123478563412"
}
```

Error

Status: Default, Error

Name	Type	Description
error	returned_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	

error_arguments

Name	Type	Description
code	string	Argument code
message	string	Message argument

error

The error that caused the job to fail. This property is only populated when the job fails and it matches the API response error structure used by all APIs. The message and code match the dedicated message and code properties once the job has failed.

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

node

The node where this job was run

Name	Type	Description
name	string	The name of the node

svm

SVM, applies only to SVM-scoped objects.

Name	Type	Description
_links	_links	
name	string	The name of the SVM. This field cannot be specified in a PATCH method.
uuid	string	The unique identifier of the SVM. This field cannot be specified in a PATCH method.

returned_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.

Update the state of an asynchronous job

PATCH `/cluster/jobs/{uuid}`

Introduced In: 9.6

Updates the state of a specific asynchronous job.

Parameters

Name	Type	In	Required	Description
uuid	string	path	True	Job UUID

Name	Type	In	Required	Description
action	string	query	False	<p>Requests a job to pause, resume, or cancel. Note that not all jobs support these actions. A job can only be resumed if it is in a paused state. After you successfully request a job to be cancelled, the job state changes to either success or failure.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> enum: ["pause", "resume", "cancel"]

Response

Status: 200, Ok

Error

Status: Default

ONTAP Error Response Codes

Error Code	Description
458762	Job is already in a terminal state.
458773	The Job Manager is not initialized.
458771	The specified job is running.
458776	The specified job is not currently running.
458783	This job does not support pause.
458784	This job does not support cancel.

Definitions

See Definitions

error_arguments

Name	Type	Description
code	string	Argument code
message	string	Message argument

returned_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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