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Chapter

Veritas Access integration with NetBackup

This chapter includes the following topics:

- About Veritas Access
- About Veritas Access as a NetBackup client
- About Veritas Access as backup storage for NetBackup
- Use cases for long-term data retention

About Veritas Access

Veritas Access is a software-defined scale-out network-attached storage (NAS) solution for unstructured data that works on commodity hardware. Veritas Access provides resiliency, multi-protocol access, and data movement to and from the public and private cloud based on policies. You can reduce your storage costs by using low-cost disks and by storing infrequently accessed data in the cloud.

About Veritas Access as a NetBackup client

Veritas Access is integrated with Veritas NetBackup so that a NetBackup administrator can back up your Veritas Access file systems to NetBackup master or media servers and retain the data as per your company policy. Once data is backed up, a storage administrator can delete unwanted data from Veritas Access. The NetBackup master and media servers that run on separate computers from Veritas Access are licensed separately from Veritas Access.

You configure NetBackup domain information using any one of the following interfaces:

Command-line interface (CLI) The Veritas Access command-line interface has a dedicated Backup> menu. From the Backup > menu, register the NetBackup client with the NetBackup domain. Information is saved in the bp.conf file.

GUI

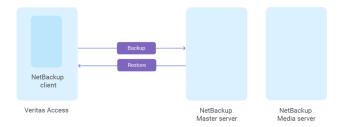
Settings > NetBackup Configuration

See the Online Help for how to configure NetBackup using the GUI.

 RESTful APIs See the Veritas Access RESTful API Guide.

Consolidating storage reduces the administrative overhead of backing up and restoring many separate file systems. Critical file data can be backed up and restored through the NetBackup client on Veritas Access.

Figure 1-1 Backing up Veritas Access using NetBackup



If Veritas Access is configured with IPv6 addresses, you have to configure IPv6 support for the NetBackup host as well.

Perform the following steps to configure IPv6 support for the NetBackup host:

- Set the IP ADDRESS FAMILY option in the NetBackup bp.conf file for the host to AF_UNSPEC.
 - # bpsetconfig IP ADDRESS FAMILY = AF UNSPEC
- You can view the current setting by executing the bpgetconfig command.
 - # bpgetconfig IP ADDRESS FAMILY = AF UNSPEC
- Restart the services after making this change.

About Veritas Access as backup storage for NetBackup

This document describes how Veritas Access fulfills the needs of NetBackup customers looking for a cost-effective solution for moving away from tape backups, yet retain the backed-up data for the long term.

NetBackup is an enterprise-class heterogeneous backup and recovery application. It provides cross-platform backup functionality to a large variety of Windows, UNIX. and Linux operating systems.

Veritas Access is based on the rock-solid and industry-proven Veritas CFS stack. It offers an AWS-compatible S3 protocol as object storage for NetBackup.

Veritas Access is integrated with OpenDedup. OpenDedup is OpenSource software that lets you deduplicate your data to on-premises or cloud storage. OpenDedup installs on top of a NetBackup media server or Veritas Access; it performs data deduplication and stores deduplicated data on Veritas Access over S3.

Use cases for long-term data retention

The following are the use cases for long-term data retention (LTR) using Veritas Access:

Use Case: Veritas Access with Veritas Data Deduplication

- Veritas Data Deduplication technology is installed on top of Veritas Access and integrates with NetBackup. It catalogs and organizes incoming deduplicated backup data and stores it on Veritas Access storage.
- Primary backup data is deduplicated by MSDP and stored on the NetBackup server
- The same deduplicated data is sent to Veritas Access for long term retention purpose using SLPs through duplication jobs.

See "Configuring a Veritas Data Deduplication storage unit on NetBackup" on page 26.

NetBackup infrastructure

NetBackup stream

NetBackup NetBackup NetBackup Media server deduplication pool

NetBackup Storage life-cycle deduplication pool

NetBackup NetBackup Media server Media server

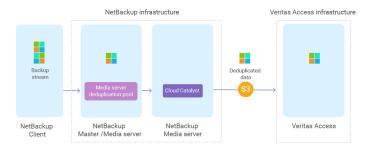
Figure 1-2 Veritas Access with Veritas Data Deduplication

Use Case: Veritas Access with CloudCatalyst

- Primary backup data is deduplicated by MSDP and stored on the NetBackup server.
- The same deduplicated data is moved to Veritas Access through SLP using CloudCatalyst.

See "Configure Veritas Access as a cloud storage server on NetBackup server using CloudCatalyst" on page 80.

Figure 1-3 Primary backup data deduplicated by MSDP and stored on the NetBackup server



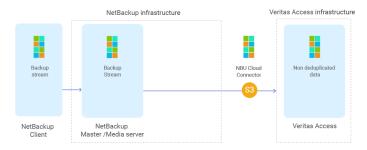
Use Case: Veritas Access as an S3 connector

 Backup data is stored in non-deduplicated format on the NetBackup server as primary backup. The same primary backup data is moved to Veritas Access through SLP over the Veritas Access S3 protocol.

Or

 Primary backup data is deduplicated by MSDP and stored on the NetBackup server. The deduplicated data is rehydrated and then moved to Veritas Access through SLP over the Veritas Access S3 protocol. See "Creating an S3 bucket on Veritas Access for storing deduplicated backup data from NetBackup" on page 78.

Figure 1-4 Backup data stored in non-deduplicated format on the NetBackup server as primary backup

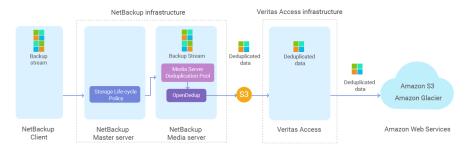


Use Case: OpenStorage Technology (OST) and OpenDedup hosted on a NetBackup master and/or media server

 OST and OpenDedup hosted on a NetBackup master and/or media server sends deduplicated backup data to Veritas Access over the S3 protocol. Veritas Access can move this data to supported public or private clouds, based on the LTR policy configured.

See "Backing up deduplicated data (OpenDedup and NetBackup) using the S3 protocol to Veritas Access" on page 48.

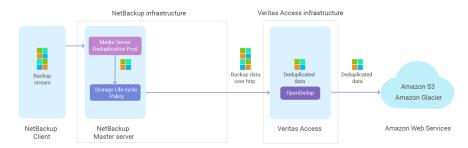
Figure 1-5 OST and OpenDedup hosted on a NetBackup master and/or media server



Use Case: OST hosted on a NetBackup master and/or media server

 OST hosted on a NetBackup master and/or media server sends backup data to OpenDedup hosted on Veritas Access, which deduplicates the data and sends this data over the S3 protocol to Veritas Access. Veritas Access moves this deduplicated data to AWS S3 or Glacier. See "Backing up data (NetBackup) and deduplicating the data (OpenDedup) on Veritas Access" on page 49.

Figure 1-6 OST hosted on a NetBackup master and/or media server



Chapter 2

System requirements

This chapter includes the following topics:

- Supported configurations and versions for NetBackup with Veritas Data Deduplication
- System requirements for OpenDedup installation
- Supported configurations and versions for NetBackup with OpenDedup
- Supported configurations and versions for NetBackup with CloudCatalyst

Supported configurations and versions for NetBackup with Veritas Data Deduplication

Table 2-1 Supported versions

Veritas Access	Veritas NetBackup servers
7.4.2	8.1.1 and later versions
	(Linux only)

System requirements for OpenDedup installation

The system requirements for OpenDedup installation are:

- 64GB of base memory + 256MB RAM per TB of unique storage
- 200 MB/s local disk speed
- 2K IOPS of disk (local or attached) for the /opt directory
- 0 .2 % of local disk of logical storage

0.2% of local disk storage of unique data

Expected performance of the system based on the above parameters:

■ 120 MB/s per CPU core

Supported configurations and versions for NetBackup with OpenDedup

Table 2-2 Supported versions

OpenDedup	Veritas Access	Veritas NetBackup servers	оѕт
7.4.2	7.4.2	7.7.3, 8.0, 8.1, 8.1.1 (Linux only)	2.2.9

Download links:

Veritas Access: Veritas Access 7.4.2 DVD

OpenDedup:

https://sort.veritas.com/public/patchcentral/Linux/7.4/access/ access-rhel7 x86 64-7.4.2sdfs.tar.gz

OpenStorage Technology (OST):

https://sort.veritas.com/public/patchcentral/Linux/7.4/access/ access-rhel7_x86_64-7.4.2ost.tar.gz

Supported configurations and versions for NetBackup with CloudCatalyst

Table 2-3 Supported versions

Veritas Access	Veritas NetBackup servers
7.4.2	8.1, 8.1.1
	(Linux only)

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Cloudprovider.xml version 2.3.1 supports Veritas Access.

https://www.veritas.com/support/en US/article.000125094

Update the mappings file.

Unix/Linux: http://www.veritas.com/docs/000025759

Note: If you want to configure CloudCatalyst, it needs to be recognized by the master server. You have to prepare the CloudCatalyst and media servers with NetBackup certificates. See the NetBackup documentatio for more details.

Note: NetBackup 8.1 does not have the Veritas Access S3 cloud provider support. Hence, the Cloud Configuration Package needs to be updated for listing the Veritas Access S3 server in the list of cloud storage providers. The details for updating the Cloud Configuration Package are available at:

https://www.veritas.com/support/en_US/article.000125094

https://www.veritas.com/support/en_US/article.100015983

Chapter 3

Configuring Veritas Data Deduplication with Veritas Access

This chapter includes the following topics:

- About Veritas Data Deduplication
- Add-on license for using Veritas Data Deduplication
- Benefits of using Veritas Data Deduplication with Veritas Access
- Configuring Veritas Data Deduplication using the GUI
- Configuring Veritas Data Deduplication using the Veritas Access command-line interface (CLI)
- Configuring a Veritas Data Deduplication storage unit on NetBackup
- Configuring global deduplication using the Veritas Data Deduplication storage server across the domain

About Veritas Data Deduplication

Veritas Access is integrated with a duplication engine which is based on Media Server Deduplication Pool (MSDP) technology for storing backup data. The storage server component of Veritas Data Deduplication runs on the Veritas Access nodes with high availability in active/passive mode. The deduplication plug-in of the NetBackup media server does segmentation and finger printing of the backup data and sends the deduplicated data to Veritas Access. The Veritas Data Deduplication storage server stores and manages the deduplicated data. The deduplication storage

server provides high availability to protect against storage, node, and network failures. It supports client direct as well as media server deduplication configurations.

All storage that is provisioned for Veritas Data Deduplication is displayed as a single storage pool on NetBackup.

Note: The Veritas Data Deduplication feature is not supported on the Oracle Linux platform.

Note: To use the Veritas Data Deduplication service, you need to get an add-on license. The deduplication functionality is licensed separately and is generated based on your requirement.

See "Add-on license for using Veritas Data Deduplication" on page 17.

Add-on license for using Veritas Data **Deduplication**

In addition to the base license, you can also procure an add-on license to use the Veritas Data Deduplication service. The deduplication functionality is licensed separately and is generated based on your requirement. The add-on deduplication license is applied when the base license key is present and is associated with both capacity and time period. The validity of the add-on license may be different from the base license.

The add-on license can also be purchased together with the base Veritas Access license. The new license includes the base license (Per-TB) along with the deduplication license.

If you already have a valid Veritas Access license, and you want to upgrade to Veritas Access 7.4.2, you can procure the add-on deduplication license, or you can purchase the combined license with the Per-TB license along with deduplication.

You can install your license key using the Veritas Access command-line interface or the Veritas Access GUI.

Note: Even if you have installed the add-on deduplication license, the licensing reports display only the base licensing information. All the functionalities are also with respect to the base key only.

If you have installed either the add-on deduplication license or the combined base license with deduplication, you can see the information on the deduplication license using the following command that displays all the valid licenses installed on your system.

/sbin/slic/vxlicrep

Benefits of using Veritas Data Deduplication with **Veritas Access**

- Capability of writing the deduplicated data from the media server to Veritas Access.
- Support global deduplication across media servers within the same domain and across different NetBackup domains.
- The storage server component resides directly on the Veritas Access nodes with high availability in active/passive mode to protect against storage, node, and network failures.

Configuring Veritas Data Deduplication using the GUI

To configure Veritas Data Deduplication

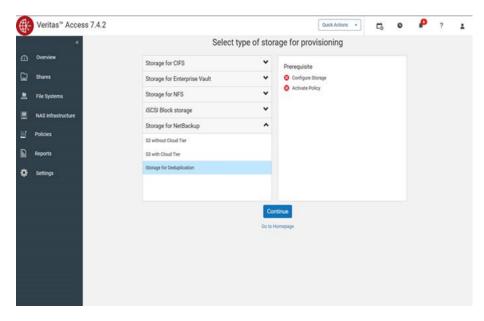
Prerequisites:

Configure storage.

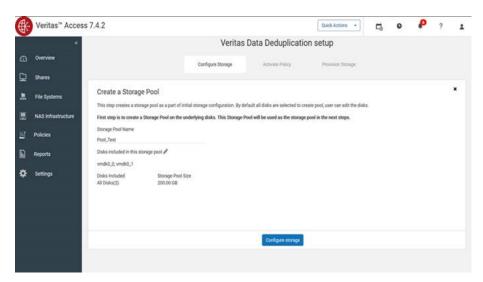
Start the deduplication service.

Activate the Veritas Deduplication policy.

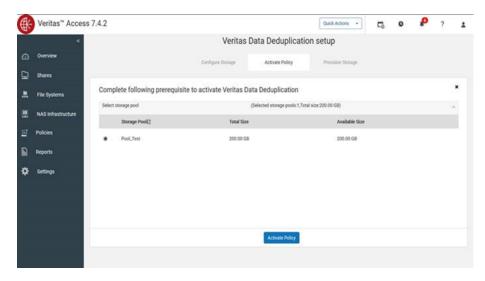
Quick Actions: Go to Provision Storage > Storage for NetBackup > Storage for Deduplication, and then click Continue.



3 Click the Configure Storage tab and specify the storage options.



Click the Activate Policy tab, select the Veritas Data Deduplication policy, and then click Activate Policy.

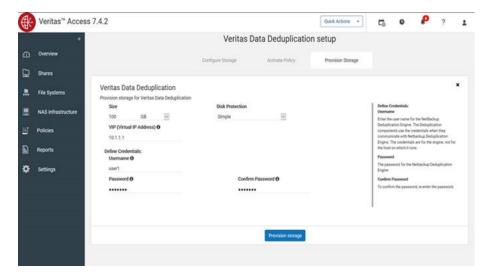


5 Click the **Provision Storage** tab, specify the storage options, enter the user name and password for the service.

You are required to enter the following fields:

- Size: Specify the size of the file system. Veritas recommends that you grow the deduplication storage pool to a maximum supported size of 960 TiB.
- Data Protection: Specify the type of the file system (simple/stripped/mirrored/erasure coded).
- Virtual IP address: The virtual IP that you want to use to configure the Veritas Data Deduplication server. This IP should not be the console IP, replication IP, NetBackup client IP, or the loadbalancer IP. If you use any of these IPs to configure deduplication, storage provisioning fails. Run the Network> ipaddress show command from the Access command-line interface to find an available virtual IP address. Or navigate to NAS Infrastructure > Nodes in the Access GUI, and click on the node name to see the virtual IP address. If a virtual IP is not available to configure the Veritas Data Deduplication
- server, you should add at least one virtual IP to the cluster using the Access command-line interface. Username and password: Credentials with which the Veritas Data
- Deduplication server gets configured. The same credentials are required later to add the Veritas Data Deduplication server to NetBackup.

Click Provision storage.



- **6** View the **Recent Activity** panel for the status of the task.
- 7 After storage provisioning is done, click **Finish**.

Configuring Veritas Data Deduplication using the Veritas Access command-line interface (CLI)

This section describes how you can configure Veritas Data Deduplication using the Veritas Access command-line interface.

You can use the dedupe> config command to configure the deduplication storage server using the given set of file systems and IP address.

Prerequisites:

- The file system should be already created and the IP should be online before you start deduplication. The file system is used to store the deduplicated data and its metadata. The deduplication storage server uses the specified IP address to receive the backup data from NetBackup.
- Modify the following tunables:

```
/sys/kernel/mm/transparent hugepage/khugepaged/defrag is set to "0"
/sys/kernel/mm/transparent hugepage/defrag is set to "always madvise
[never]"
```

Set the following values in the /etc/sysctl.conf file:

```
kernel.numa balancing = 0
vm.overcommit memory = 2
vm.min free kbytes = 2097152
vm.max map count = 262144
vm.overcommit ratio = 90
```

To configure the deduplication storage server

To configure the deduplication storage server, enter the following:

```
dedupe > config filesystem1 [, filesystem2,...] IP username
```

Where:

Specifies the file system names. filesvstem1.

filesystem2,...

ΙP Specifies the interface IP.

Specifies the user name. username

You are prompted to enter your password. After you specify your password, Veritas Data Deduplication is configured.

Note: You have to use the same password when you configure the storage server on NetBackup.

Note: If you want to configure deduplication with an IPv6 IP, you are required to have an FQDN entry which resolves to the specific IP. The FQDN should be resolvable on both Veritas Access and NetBackup. You can either have a DNS entry or you can add an entry in the /etc/hosts file on all the nodes to resolve the FQDN to a specific IP.

Note: If you have to reconfigure deduplication, you are required to provide the first file system which has the dedupe directory inside the /vx/fsname/ directory using the same user name and password that you used when you initially configured deduplication.

To start the deduplication storage server

The storage server is started on the node on which the virtual IP, which you specified in the dedupe> config command is online.

To start the deduplication storage server, enter the following:

```
dedupe> start
```

The deduplication storage server should be already configured before you start the deduplication storage server.

To display information the deduplication storage server

To display information about the deduplication storage server, enter the following:

```
dedupe> show
```

The information includes the file system(s) being used, the IP, and the cluster node on which the server is running.

To display the deduplication storage server statistics

To display the deduplication storage server statistics, enter the following:

```
dedupe> stats
```

The information includes details like total storage size, free storage, and deduplication ratio. The deduplication storage server should be online for this operation.

To show the status of the deduplication storage server

To show the status of the deduplication storage server, enter the following:

```
dedupe> status
```

The information includes whether the server is running and the cluster node on which the server is running.

To stop the deduplication storage server

To stop the deduplication storage server, enter the following:

```
dedupe> stop
```

The deduplication storage server must be configured and running. If any backup job is running when the server is stopped, the job aborts with an error.

To increase the storage capacity of the deduplication storage server

To increase the storage capacity of the deduplication storage server to the given size, enter the following:

```
dedupe> grow size
```

The deduplication storage server should be online for this operation.

To add a new user to the deduplication storage server

To add a new user to the deduplication storage server, enter the following:

```
dedupe> adduser username
```

The user name that is mentioned here is the NetBackup media server user name which you use later to configure the storage server on the NetBackup server.

To show the list of users of the deduplication storage server

To show the list of users of the deduplication storage server, enter the following:

```
dedupe> listuser
```

To unconfigure the deduplication storage server

To unconfigure the deduplication storage server, enter the following:

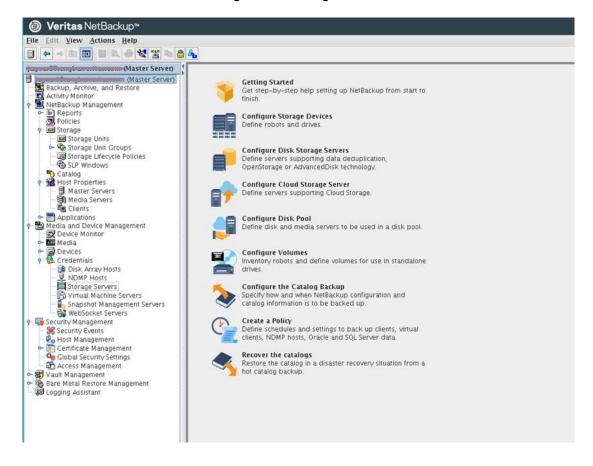
```
dedupe> unconfig
```

The file system(s) and the deduplicated data stored on it are not destroyed. See the dedupe man page for more information.

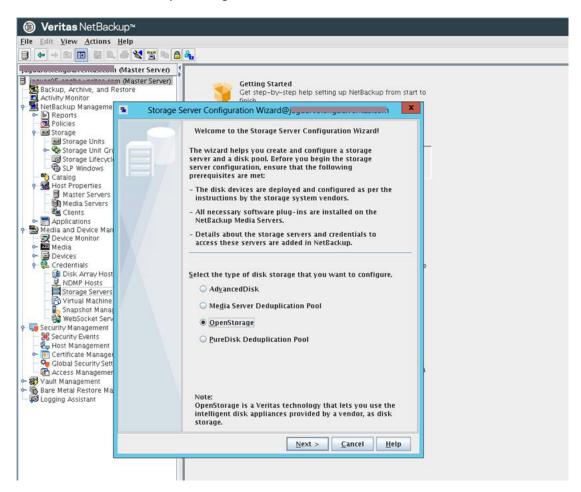
Configuring a Veritas Data Deduplication storage unit on NetBackup

To create a storage server on NetBackup

- Log on to the NetBackup master server from the Java console.
- Select Configure Disk Storage Servers.



The **Welcome to Storage Server Configuration** wizard appears. Select OpenStorage. Click Next.

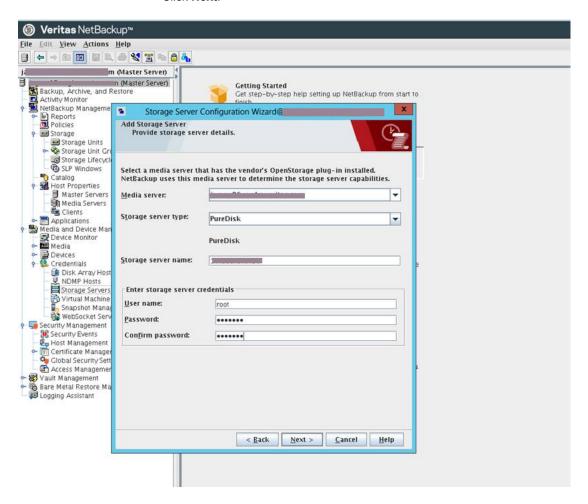


- In the **Add Storage Server** form, enter the required information.
 - Select the media server from the **Media server** drop-down box.
 - Enter the storage server type as **PureDisk**.
 - Enter the IP address of the storage server configured on the Veritas Access cluster.

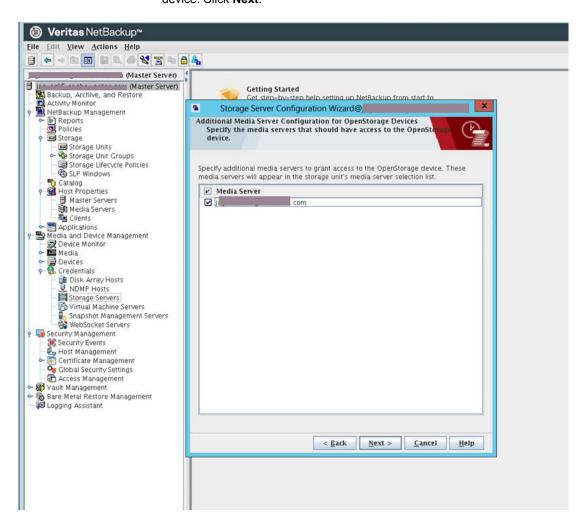
Note: Before you enter the IP address, run the dedupe> show command on the Veritas Access command-line interface to get the IP address of the storage server. If you want to use a host name for the storage server instead of an IP address, ensure that it is resolvable to the IP address configured for the deduplication storage server with DNS.

Enter your credentials that you created when you configured Veritas Data Deduplication.

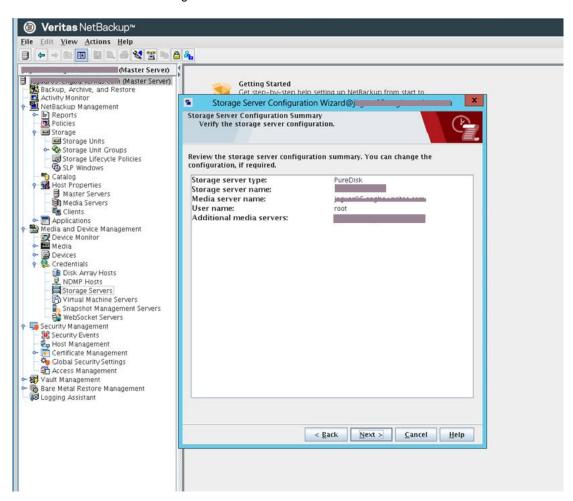
Click Next.



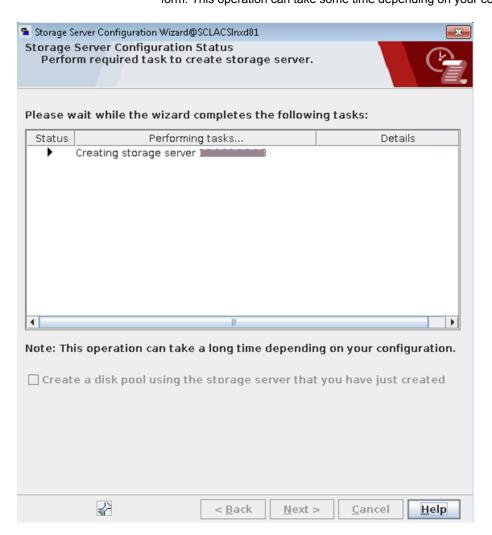
In the Additional Media Server Configuration for OpenStorage Devices form, specify the media servers that should have access to the OpenStorage device. Click Next.

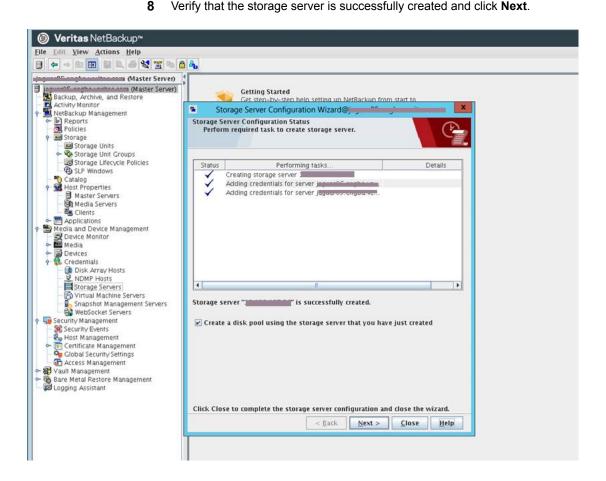


In the Storage Server Configuration Summary form, verify the storage server configuration. Click Next.



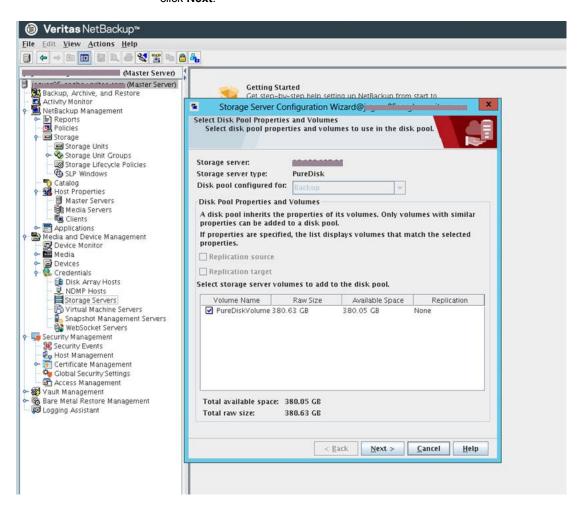
7 Check the status of the tasks in the Storage Server Configuration Status form. This operation can take some time depending on your configuration.



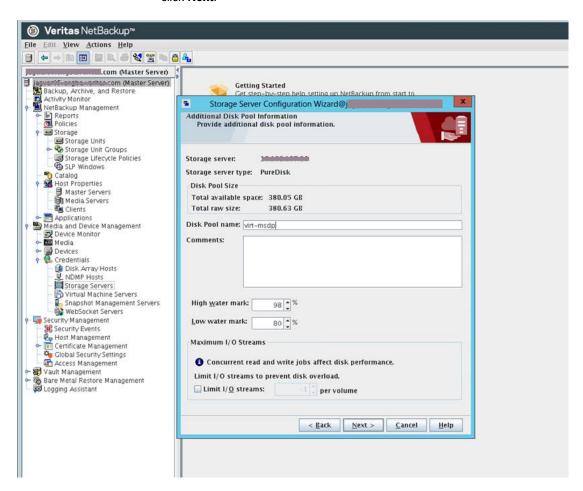


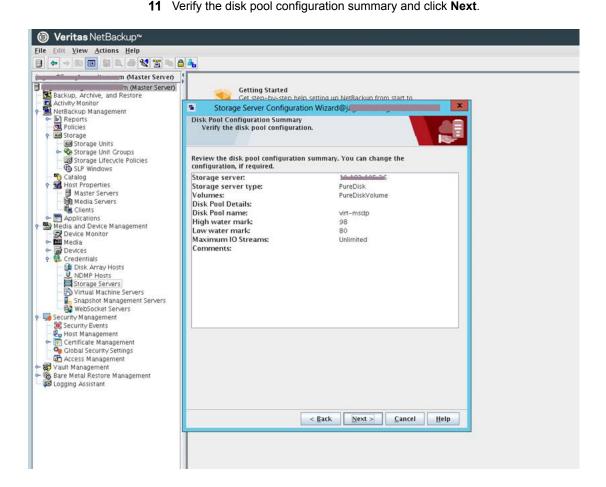
9 The **Select Disk Pool Properties and Volumes** form lists all the volumes.

Select the storage server volumes that you want to add to the disk pool and click Next.



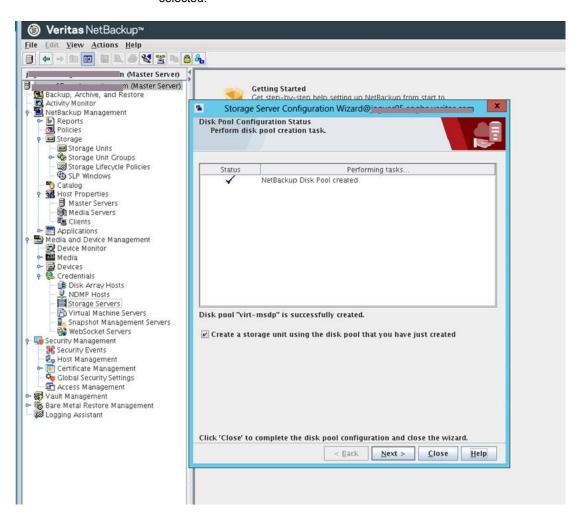
10 In the Additional Disk Pool Information form, enter the disk pool name and click Next.





12 In the Disk Pool Configuration Status form, create a disk pool.

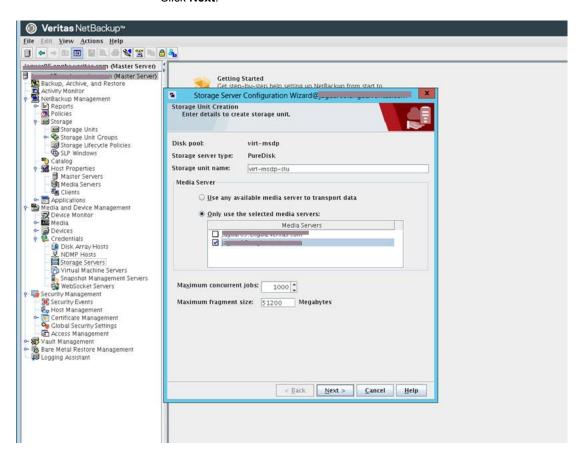
Verify that the disk pool is created successfully. Make sure that the Create a storage unit using the disk pool that you have just created check box is selected.



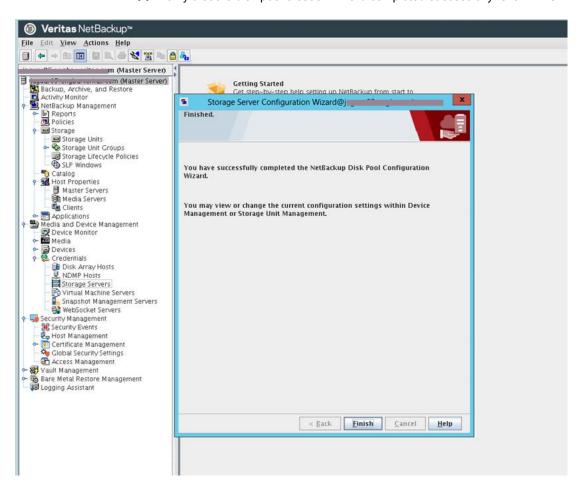
13 In the Storage Unit Creation wizard, enter the storage unit name. Select Only use the selected media servers. Select the media server in the list and update the maximum concurrent jobs field as per the NetBackup recommendations.

Refer to the Veritas NetBackup product documentation for more details.

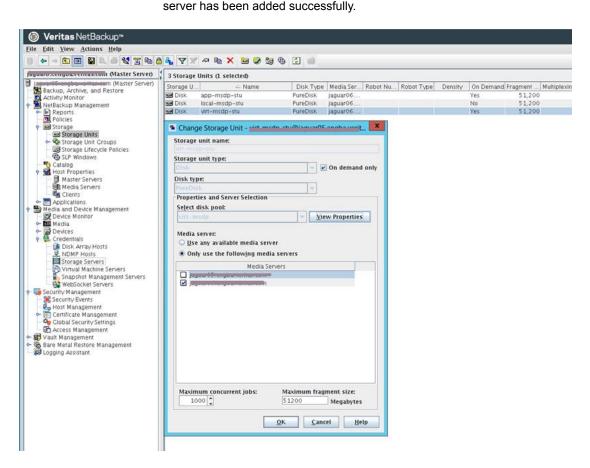
Click Next.



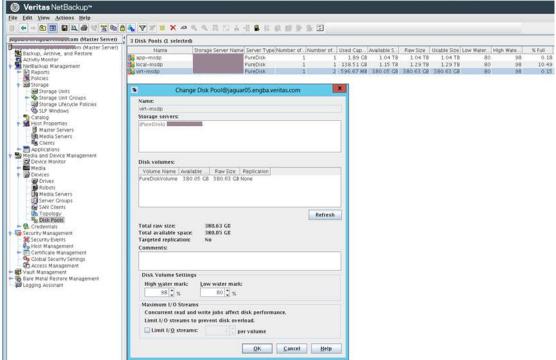
14 Verify that the disk pool creation wizard completed successfully. Click **Finish**.



15 Go to NetBackup Management > Storage Units and verify that the storage







Configuring global deduplication using the Veritas Data Deduplication storage server across the domain

Veritas Access supports the configuration of multiple Logical Storage Units (LSU) with Veritas Data Deduplication. Using the global deduplication feature, multiple NetBackup domains can access the Veritas Data Deduplication storage server in Veritas Access. By default, only one NetBackup domain is preconfigured with the Veritas Data Deduplication storage server. To configure multiple domains, you need to create a new user for each domain. Different NetBackup domains require a different Veritas Data Deduplication user. A specific user can access data only from the domain to which the user has been added.

To add a new user to the deduplication storage server, enter the following:

dedupe> adduser username

Where *username* is the user name of the second domain user.

The command should be run on the Veritas Access cluster.

After a new user name is added to the storage server in Veritas Access, you can use the credentials of the new user to add a STU on NetBackup in the new domain. Any backups taken from the new domain are visible only to the new user. The NetBackup domain can access the catalog and data of the user. When you configure Auto Image Replication and add the storage target, use the Veritas Data Deduplication user name used by the target NetBackup domain.

To show the list of users of the deduplication storage server, enter the following:

dedupe> listuser

The command should be run on the Veritas Access cluster.

Note: You are required to use the IP address of the Veritas Data Deduplication host that was previously configured with the first domain in the Add Storage Server form when you provide the details of the storage server.

Chapter 4

Migrating the NetBackup images from existing storage to Veritas Data Deduplication storage

This chapter includes the following topics:

Migrating the NetBackup image from OpenDedup/CloudCatalyst/S3 to Veritas
 Data Deduplication storage

Migrating the NetBackup image from OpenDedup/CloudCatalyst/S3 to Veritas Data Deduplication storage

You can migrate the backup images from the OpenDedup/CloudCatalyst/S3 Storage Unit (STU) to the Veritas Data Deduplication STU.

Note: Veritas recommends using the Veritas Data Deduplication feature rather than using OpenDedup. However, OpenDedup is supported for backward compatibility.

Table 4-1

When OpenDedup is configured as the To migrate the NetBackup images from the secondary/LTR storage in the NetBackup SLP OpenDedup STU to the Veritas Data Deduplication STU when OpenDedup is configured as secondary storage in the NetBackup SLP When OpenDedup is configured as the To migrate the NetBackup images from the primary storage in the NetBackup policy OpenDedup STU to the Veritas Data Deduplication STU when OpenDedup is configured as the primary storage in the NetBackup policy When CloudCatalyst is configured as the To migrate the NetBackup images from the secondary/LTR storage in the NetBackup CloudCatalyst STU to the Veritas Data policy Deduplication STU when CloudCatalyst is configured as the secondary storage in the NetBackup SLP When CloudCatalyst is configured as the To migrate the NetBackup images from the primary storage in the NetBackup policy CloudCatalyst STU to the Veritas Data Deduplication STU when CloudCatalyst is configured as the primary storage in the NetBackup policy When S3 is configured as the primary storage To migrate the NetBackup images from the S3 STU to the Veritas Data Deduplication in the NetBackup policy STU when S3 is configured as the primary storage in the NetBackup policy

To migrate the NetBackup images from the OpenDedup STU to the Veritas Data Deduplication STU when OpenDedup is configured as secondary storage in the NetBackup SLP

- 1 Configure the Veritas Data Deduplication STU.
- Change the SLP to point to the Veritas Data Deduplication STU instead of the OpenDedup STU so that the new images get duplicated on the Veritas Data Deduplication STU.
- Go to the **NetBackup Management > Catalog** and select the **Action** as Duplicate from the drop-down menu.
- In the NetBackup Management > Catalog, right-click on the image that is stored on the OpenDedup STU and that you want to duplicate on the Veritas Data Deduplication STU. Select **Duplicate**.
- In the pop-up window that appears, select the Veritas Data Deduplication STU and click OK.

In the confirmation screen, click **OK** to start duplication.

You can check the progress of the image duplication in the **NetBackup Activity** Monitor.

7 After duplication is complete, expire the backup image stored on the OpenDedup STU.

You can duplicate the images stored on the OpenDedup STU to the Veritas Data Deduplication STU by using the following NetBackup commands:

Get the list of images stored on the OpenDedup STU.

```
/usr/openv/netbackup/bin/admincmd/bpimmedia -stype OpenDedupe
| grep ^IMAGE |awk {'print $3'}
```

Start duplication to the Veritas Data Deduplication STU.

```
/usr/openv/netbackup/bin/admincmd/bpduplicate -dstunit
<ACCESS MSDP STU NAME> -pt Standard -backupid <backup image id>
```

To migrate the NetBackup images from the OpenDedup STU to the Veritas Data Deduplication STU when OpenDedup is configured as the primary storage in the NetBackup policy

- 1 Configure the Veritas Data Deduplication STU.
- 2 Change the SLP to point to the Veritas Data Deduplication STU instead of the OpenDedup STU so that the new images get created on the Veritas Data Deduplication STU.
- 3 Go to the **NetBackup Management** > **Catalog** and select the **Action** as **Duplicate** from the drop-down menu.
- In the **NetBackup Management > Catalog**, right-click on the image that is stored on the OpenDedup STU and that you want to duplicate on the Veritas Data Deduplication STU. Select **Duplicate**.
- 5 In the pop-up window that appears, select the Veritas Data Deduplication STU and click OK.
- In the confirmation screen, click **OK** to start duplication.
 - You can check the progress of the image duplication in the NetBackup Activity Monitor.
- 7 After duplication is complete, expire the backup image stored on the OpenDedup STU.

To migrate the NetBackup images from the CloudCatalyst STU to the Veritas Data Deduplication STU when CloudCatalyst is configured as the secondary storage in the NetBackup SLP

- 1 Configure the Veritas Data Deduplication STU.
- 2 Change the SLP to point to the Veritas Data Deduplication STU instead of the CloudCatalyst STU so that the new images get duplicated on the Veritas Data Deduplication STU.
- 3 As optimized duplication from CloudCatalyst to Veritas Data Deduplication is not supported, the administrator is required to add the RESUME ORIG DUP ON OPT DUP FAIL = TRUE flag in the /usr/openv/netbackup/bp.conf file of both the master and media server.
- 4 Go to the **NetBackup Management > Catalog** and select the **Action** as Duplicate from the drop-down menu.
- In the **NetBackup Management > Catalog**, right-click on the image that is stored on the CloudCatalyst STU and that you want to duplicate on the Veritas Data Deduplication STU. Select **Duplicate**.
- 6 In the pop-up window that appears, select the Veritas Data Deduplication STU and click OK.
- In the confirmation screen, click **OK** to start duplication. You can check the progress of the image duplication in the NetBackup Activity Monitor.
- After the completion of duplication, the status of the duplication job appears as The requested operation was partially successful. In the job detail status, some error messages appear that are expected.
- After duplication is complete, expire the backup image stored on the CloudCatalyst STU.

To migrate the NetBackup images from the CloudCatalyst STU to the Veritas Data Deduplication STU when CloudCatalyst is configured as the primary storage in the NetBackup policy

- Configure the Veritas Data Deduplication STU.
- Change the SLP to point to the Veritas Data Deduplication STU instead of the CloudCatalyst STU so that the new images get created on the Veritas Data Deduplication STU.
- As optimized duplication from CloudCatalyst to Veritas Data Deduplication is not supported, the administrator is required to add the RESUME ORIG DUP ON OPT DUP FAIL = TRUE flag in the /usr/openv/netbackup/bp.conf file of both the master and media server.

- Go to the **NetBackup Management** > **Catalog** and select the **Action** as Duplicate from the drop-down menu.
- 5 In the **NetBackup Management > Catalog**, right-click on the image that is stored on the CloudCatalyst STU and that you want to duplicate on the Veritas Data Deduplication STU. Select **Duplicate**.
- 6 In the pop-up window that appears, select the Veritas Data Deduplication STU and click OK.
- 7 In the confirmation screen, click **OK** to start duplication.
 - You can check the progress of the image duplication in the NetBackup Activity Monitor.
- After the completion of duplication, the status of the duplication job appears as The requested operation was partially successful. In the job detail status, some error messages appear that are expected.
- After duplication is complete, expire the backup image stored on the CloudCatalyst STU.

To migrate the NetBackup images from the S3 STU to the Veritas Data Deduplication STU when S3 is configured as the primary storage in the NetBackup policy

- 1 Configure the Veritas Data Deduplication STU.
- 2 Change the SLP to point to the Veritas Data Deduplication STU instead of the S3 STU so that the new images get created on the Veritas Data Deduplication STU.
- Go to the NetBackup Management > Catalog and select the Action as **Duplicate** from the drop-down menu.
- 4 In the **NetBackup Management > Catalog**, right-click on the image that is stored on the S3 STU and that you want to duplicate on the Veritas Data Deduplication STU. Select **Duplicate**.
- In the pop-up window that appears, select the Veritas Data Deduplication STU and click OK.
- In the confirmation screen, click **OK** to start duplication. You can check the progress of the image duplication in the NetBackup Activity Monitor.
- After duplication is complete, expire the backup image stored on the S3 STU. 7

Chapter 5

Configuring Veritas Access backup over S3 with OpenDedup and NetBackup

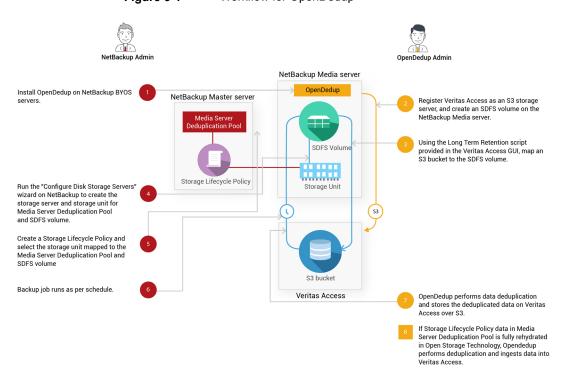
This chapter includes the following topics:

- Workflow for OpenDedup
- Backing up deduplicated data (OpenDedup and NetBackup) using the S3 protocol to Veritas Access
- Backing up data (NetBackup) and deduplicating the data (OpenDedup) on Veritas Access
- Creating an S3 bucket on Veritas Access for storing deduplicated backup data from NetBackup
- Creating a Media Server Deduplication Pool (MSDP) for primary backup using NetBackup
- Creating an OST disk pool and STU in the NetBackup console
- Setting up multiple NetBackup media servers in the same domain
- Setting up multiple SDFS volumes on a NetBackup media server

Workflow for OpenDedup

Figure 5-1 illustrates the workflow for OpenDedup for Veritas Access.

Figure 5-1 Workflow for OpenDedup



Backing up deduplicated data (OpenDedup and NetBackup) using the S3 protocol to Veritas Access

SDFS is an inline deduplication-based file system.

To download and install the OST and SDFS rpms

On a standard NetBackup master and/or media server, run the following commands to install sdfs:

```
# wget https://sort.veritas.com/public/patchcentral/Linux/7.4/access/
access-rhel7 x86 64-7.4.2sdfs.tar.gz
# tar -zxvf access-rhel7 x86 64-7.4.2sdfs.tar.gz
# cd roms/
# rpm -ivh sdfs-7.4.2.0-1.x86_64.rpm
```

2 Run the following commands to install OST.

```
# wget https://sort.veritas.com/public/patchcentral/Linux/7.4/access/
access-rhel7 x86 64-7.4.2ost.tar.gz
# tar -zxvf access-rhel7 x86 64-7.4.2ost.tar.gz
# cd rpms/
# tar -zxvf access-rhel-Patch7.4.2.0ost.tar.gz
# cd dist/
# ./media-install.sh
```

3 Restart the NetBackup service on the NetBackup media server.

```
# /etc/init.d/netbackup stop
# /etc/init.d/netbackup start
```

Backing up data (NetBackup) and deduplicating the data (OpenDedup) on Veritas Access

SDFS is an inline deduplication-based file system.

To download and install the OST

On a standard NetBackup master and/or media server, run the following commands to install the OST:

```
# wget https://sort.veritas.com/public/patchcentral/Linux/7.4/access
/access-rhel7 x86 64-Patch-7.4.2ost.tar.gz
# tar -zxvf access-rhel7_x86_64-Patch-7.4.2ost.tar.gz
# cd rpms/
# tar -zxvf access-rhel-Patch-7.4.2.0.tar.gz
# cd dist/
# ./media-install.sh
```

Creating an S3 bucket on Veritas Access for storing deduplicated backup data from NetBackup

To create an S3 bucket on Veritas Access for storing deduplicated backup data from NetBackup

Log on to the Veritas Access GUI as the master user using the following URL:

https://Veritas Access Management console IP:14161/.

You can obtain the Veritas Access Management console IP by logging on to the Veritas Access command-line interface using the su - master command on the Veritas Access cluster.

2 Create a storage pool for the S3 buckets.

Click **NAS Infrastructure** in the GUI navigation on the left.

Select the disks that you want to use for the S3 bucket, and click the Add to Storage Pool button to invoke the wizard for storage pool creation.

Follow the steps in the wizard for creating a new storage pool or adding the disks to an existing pool.

Click Settings > User Management > Configure Active Directory to configure AD.

Enter the required information, such as the **DNS Domain**, **DNS Name Servers**, AD Domain, AD Domain Controller, and the AD Admin and Password.

Click **Settings > S3 Management** to configure and enable the S3 server.

Edit the default parameters that are required for the S3 server, such as the storage pool name, underlying S3 bucket layout, and the default size of the bucket.

- 5 Double-click **S3 Server Status** to start the S3 server.
- Log out from the GUI, and log in again as an AD user.

Note: Log in using the *domainname\\username* format.

Click on the **Create keys** button to generate the access key and the secret key for the Veritas Access S3 bucket.

Save the access key and secret key in a safe location, as Veritas Access does not allow retrieval of keys after initial creation.

Log out from the GUI, and log on again as the master user.

8 Registration of supported public cloud service is optional, and is only required in case you need to add an AWS cloud as a storage tier. Without this, backups are stored locally in Veritas Access S3 buckets.

Click Settings > Cloud Storage Registration > Add Cloud Subscription to register the supported public or private cloud service.

Enter information for the cloud service provider, name of subscription, access key, and secret key.

9 Activate the long-term data retention (LTR) policies.

Click Policies > LTR Policy.

Click Activate for either the LTR On-Premises + Cloud policy or the LTR On-Premises policy and provide the storage pool when prompted.

10 Provision the NetBackup bucket using the policy.

Under Quick Actions, click Provision Storage. Select S3 Storage for NetBackup and click Next.

Provide the bucket size, underlying layout of the bucket, the access key, and the secret key of the Veritas Access S3 server generated as the AD user in step 6.

If you selected the LTR On-Premises + Cloud policy, add information such as which data should be moved to the AWS cloud tier, AWS region, cloud tier type (S3/Glacier), and when the data movement to the cloud should occur.

11 Monitor the progress of the task under **Recent Activity**.

Make a note of the scale-out file system name that was used for the bucket creation.

12 Click File Systems.

For the scale-out file system that is created, ensure that the S3 Bucket column displays **Yes** to indicate that the S3 bucket is enabled.

You may need to wait for some time for this change to be reflected in the GUI.

- 13 Right-click the ellipses (additional options), and click Configure LTR Script.
- **14** A pop-up window appears with the following options:

Do you want to Run the LTR script?

Do you want to Download the LTR script?

Select the Do you want to Run the LTR script? option if OpenDedup is hosted on Veritas Access. You will be prompted to enter you access key. Enter the access key and click **Next**. Wait for the task to be completed. The rest of the configuration steps are done automatically.

After the configuration is completed successfully, the output message shows the IP address and the port number on which the OpenDedup volume is mounted on Veritas Access. The IP address and port number are required later during OST configuration.

Note: This operation creates/expands a new file system named odd cache fs to store the OpenDedup cache data. The default size of this file system is 24 GB. Veritas recommends that you expand the file system to the required size. See the OpenDedup documentation for more details.

Note: The Configure LTR script randomly chooses a virtual IP from the available Veritas Access virtual IPs. If you are using Veritas Access in mixed mode having both IPv4 and IPv6 addresses, you may need to update virtual IP address used by OpenDedup using the network> IP addr modify command from the Veritas Access command-line interface. If your NetBackup server is running on IPv4, make sure that OpenDedup uses the Veritas Access IPv4 virtual IP. If your NeBackup server is running on IPv6, make sure that OpenDedup uses the Veritas Access IPv6 virtual IP.

Go to step 21.

Name	Status	Start Time	End Time
Configuring LTR on Veritas Access cluster.	Success	2017-12-13 11:18:58	2017-12-13 11:21:06
♦ Provision storage for long term retention	Success	2017-12-11 12:08:30	2017-12-11 12:10:25
+ Provision storage for long term retention	Success	2017-12-11 11:54:00	2017-12-11 11:55:55
◆ Configuring LTR on Veritas Access cluster.	Success	2017-12-08 11:13:19	2017-12-08 11:15:23
Provision storage for long term retention	Success	2017-12-08 11:04:22	2017-12-08 11:06:58
Configuring LTR on Veritas Access cluster.	Success	2017-12-06 18:18:14	2017-12-06 18:20:18
Provision storage for long term retention	Success	2017-12-06 18:10:12	2017-12-06 18:12:07
Run full discovery	Success	2017-12-06 16:03:06	2017-12-06 16:05:00
Output: ACCESS odd SUCCESS V-493-10		reated successfully and mounted on 10.2	200 105 215 6442

Command executed: NAS_OUTPUT=json /opt/VRTSnas/clish/bin/clish-u master-c "opendedup volume create S3fs1512711321 10GB OGFmzjFhYWQ5N2VkYWJ 4f97

ef4c-ee84-4fad-ba2d-cca73828c145s3bucket*

- Select the **Do you want to Download the LTR script?** option if OpenDedup is hosted on the NetBackup master and/or media server. Click Next. Wait for the task to be completed.
- 15 Copy the LTR script to the host where OpenDedup is installed. It can be the host where the NetBackup media server is installed.

16 Run the downloaded LTR script. The LTR script requires the Veritas Access S3 keys (access and secret key) as arguments that were generated as the AD user.

The LTR script creates the OpenDedup file system and prompts for the entry in the /etc/hosts file for the bucket to IP address mapping.

Output of LTR script execution:

```
[root@host1 ~]# sh LTRscript <fsname/volname> <bucketname>.sh
<Access key> <Secret Key>
______
```

Insert the below details in /etc/hosts file 10.100.100.1 4f459a2d-736e-4be5-9c5a-f821fbc198fds3bucket.s3.access ______

Attempting to create SDFS volume ...

Volume [S3fs1497356186] created with a capacity of [10.00GB] check [/etc/sdfs/S3fs1497356186-volume-cfg.xml] for configuration details if you need to change anything

Note: The volume name highlighted above and its equivalent .xml file are used to mount and update the SDFS volume parameters in later steps.

17 Add the IP associated with the virtual hosted-style bucket name (generated from the LTR script) in the /etc/hosts file on the media server.

Note: The Configure LTR script randomly choose a virtual IP from the available Veritas Access virtual IPs. If you are using Veritas Access in mixed mode having both IPv4 and IPv6 addresses, you may need to update the /etc/hosts entries. If your NetBackup server is running on IPv4, make sure that the /etc/hosts entry has IPv4 Veritas Access virtual IP. If your NeBackup server is running on IPv6, make sure that the /etc/hosts entry has IPv6 Veritas Access virtual IP. Alternatively, you can also modify the virtual IP on a Veritas Access cluster to an IPv4 or IPv6 address using the network> ip addr modify command from the Veritas Access command-line interface and add the modified IP to the /etc/hosts file.

18 Mount the SDFS volume under /opendedupe/volumes/ on the host where OpenDedup is installed.

```
# mkdir /opendedupe/volumes/filesystem name
```

```
# mount -t sdfs filesystem name /opendedupe/volumes/filesystem name
```

The mount command mounts a bucket on the Veritas Access cluster or the NetBackup media server.

Note: After mounting the SDFS volume, it starts listening on a specific port, usually starting from 6442.

You can find the port information using the mount command.

Example:

```
[root@host1 ~]# mount | grep opendedupe
sdfs:/etc/sdfs/S3fs1497346133-volume-cfg.xml:6443 on
/opendedupe/volumes/S3fs1497346133 type fuse
(rw, nosuid, nodev, allow other, allow other)
sdfs:/etc/sdfs/S3fs1497258807-volume-cfg.xml:6442 on
/opendedupe/volumes/pool1 type fuse
(rw, nosuid, nodev, allow other, allow other)
```

19 Update the /etc/rc.local script with the following:

```
/scripts/mount-opendedupe.sh || exit 1
exit 0
```

20 Create the mount-opendedupe.sh script and /scripts directory.

```
cat mount-opendedupe.sh
!/bin/sh
mount -t sdfs <volume name> /opendedupe/volumes/<volume name>
```

21 Execute the following commands:

```
chmod +x /scripts/mount-opendedupe.sh
chmod +x /etc/rc.d/rc.local
```

22 Update the URL tag in the /etc/sdfs/ostconfig.xml present on the NetBackup media server based on the following two cases:

Use case 1: OpenDedup on a NetBackup server

```
<URL>
http://localhost:6442/
</URL>
```

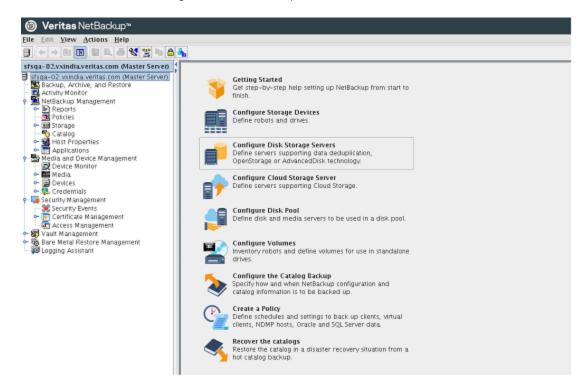
Use case 2: OpenDedup on Veritas Access

```
http://<IP address that was specified in step 14>:<port number that
                                         was specified in step 14>/
</URL>
```

Creating a Media Server Deduplication Pool (MSDP) for primary backup using NetBackup

To create an MSDP disk pool and storage unit (STU) in the NetBackup console

Log on to the NetBackup master server from the Java console.



2 Select Media Server Deduplication Pool.



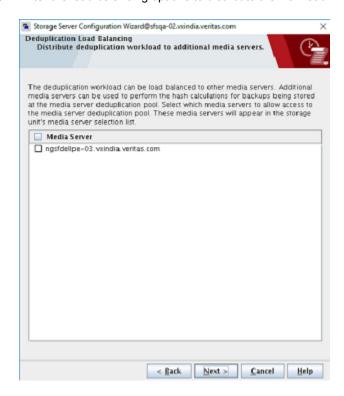
3 Enter the user name, password, and other required details.



Enter the storage path for MSDP.



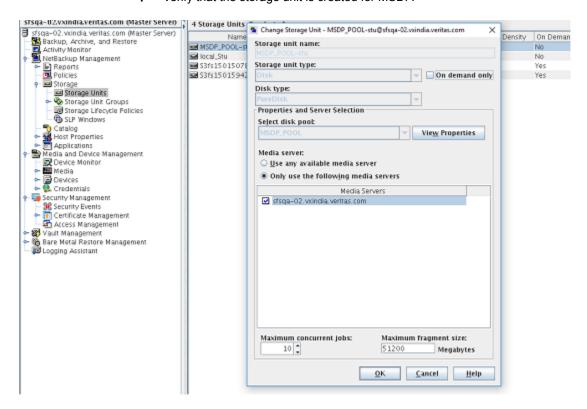
5 Enter the load balancing options to distribute the workload.



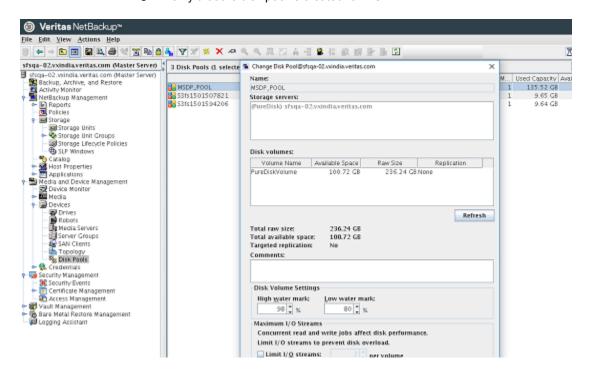
6 Verify the storage server configuration summary.



7 Verify that the storage unit is created for MSDP.



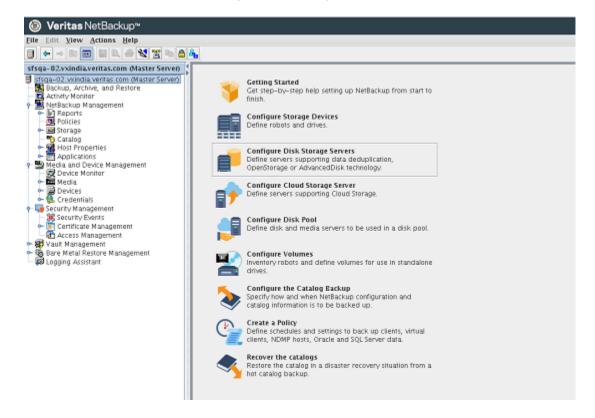
Verify that the disk pool is created for MSDP.



Creating an OST disk pool and STU in the NetBackup console

To create an OpenStorage Technology (OST) disk pool and storage unit (STU) in the NetBackup console

- 1 Log on to the NetBackup master server from the Java console.
- Select Configure Disk Storage Servers.



3 Select the OpenStorage option from the Select the type of disk storage that you want to configure section of the dialog.

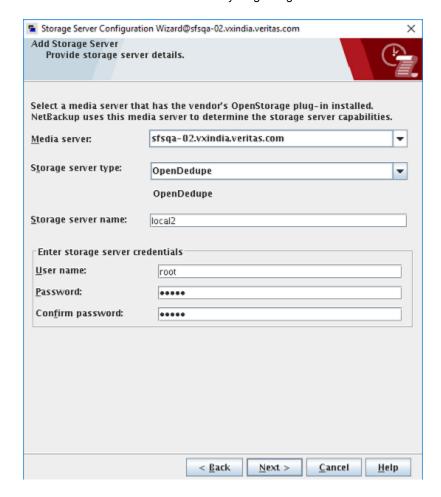


- Add the following options to the **Storage Server Details**:
 - Storage server type: OpenDedupe

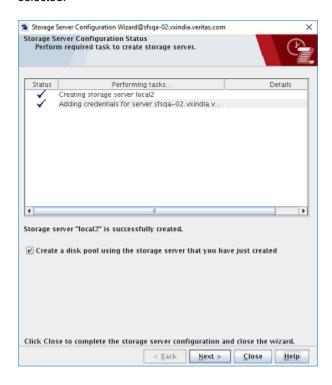
Note: The Storage server type field is case-sensitive. OpenDedupe has to be entered exactly as shown in the screen shot.

Storage Server name: The name in the <NAME></NAME> tag in the /etc/sdfs/ostconfig.xml file. This is local by default.

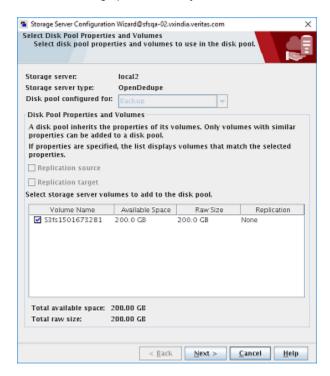
- **Username**: Anything can go in this field. It is not used.
- Password/Confirm Password: Anything can go in this field as well.



5 Finish supplying entries for the storage configuration wizard and make sure Create a disk pool using the storage server that you just created is selected.



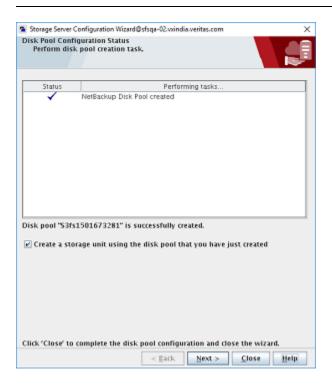
Select the storage pool that was just created.

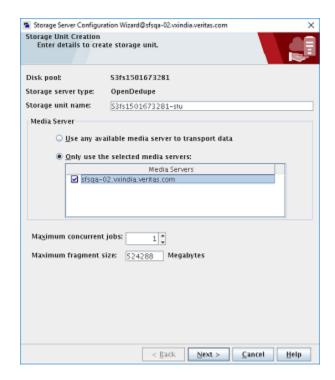


- 7 Add a disk pool name.
- Finish the wizard entries and select Create a storage unit using the disk pool that you just created.

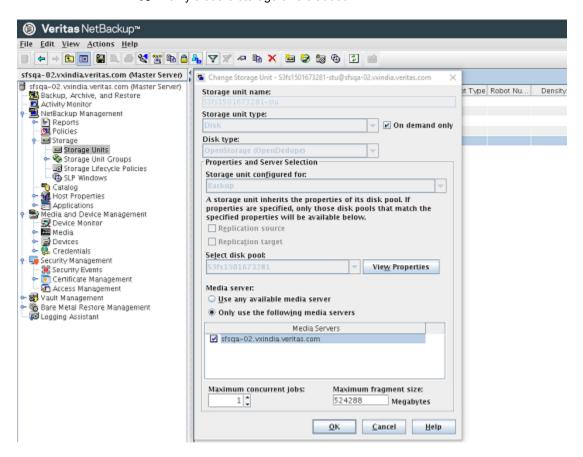
9 In the Storage Unit Creation page, select Only use the selected media servers and select the media server that the storage was created on. For maximum concurrent jobs, select 8.

Note: If you plan to run concurrent jobs for this STU, increase the Maximum concurrent jobs count to the desired value.

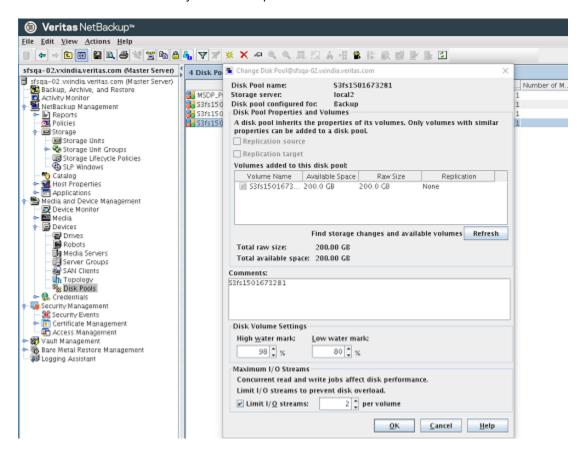




10 Verify that the storage unit is added.



11 Verify that the disk pool is added.



Setting up multiple NetBackup media servers in the same domain

To set up the OST connector on multiple NetBackup media servers in the same domain, additional steps must be taken on each NetBackup media server before adding the storage pools in NetBackup.

To set up multiple NetBackup media servers in the same domain

- Follow the instructions for setting up the OST connector on each media server that uses the OST connector.
 - See "Backing up deduplicated data (OpenDedup and NetBackup) using the S3 protocol to Veritas Access" on page 48.
- 2 Edit /etc/sdfs/ostconfig.xml and change the <name> tag to something unique in the NetBackup domain, such as the host name with an incremented number, for example:

```
<NAME>hostname-0</NAME>
```

Follow the instructions in the "Creating an OST disk pool and STU in the NetBackup console" section and use the name in the <NAME> tag as the Storage Server name.

See "Creating an OST disk pool and STU in the NetBackup console" on page 64.

See "Backing up deduplicated data (OpenDedup and NetBackup) using the S3 protocol to Veritas Access" on page 48.

Setting up multiple SDFS volumes on a NetBackup media server

The OST connector supports multiple SDFS volumes on the same media server. but additional steps are required to support this configuration.

To set up multiple SDFS volumes on a NetBackup media server

Follow the instructions for setting up the OST connector on each NetBackup media server that uses the OST connector.

See "Backing up deduplicated data (OpenDedup and NetBackup) using the S3 protocol to Veritas Access" on page 48.

Edit the /etc/sdfs/ostconfig.xml and add a new <CONNECTION> tag inside of the <CONNECTIONS> tag for the new volume.

Add a name that is unique to the <NAME> tag and specify the new volume name in the <LSU NAME> tag (pool1).

In the new <CONNECTION> tag, add the port number identified by running the mount command to the <URL> tag (http://localhost:6443/) as shown in the example output.

```
[root@host1 ~] # mount | grep opendedupe
sdfs:/etc/sdfs/S3fs1497346133-volume-cfg.xml:6443 on
/opendedupe/volumes/S3fs1497346133 type fuse
(rw, nosuid, nodev, allow other, allow other)
sdfs:/etc/sdfs/S3fs1497258807-volume-cfg.xml:6442 on
/opendedupe/volumes/pool1 type fuse
(rw, nosuid, nodev, allow other, allow other)
```

The following is a complete example of an ostconfig.xml file with two volumes.

```
<!-- This is the config file for the OST connector for opendedup and Netbackup -->
<CONNECTIONS>
<CONNECTION>
<!--NAME is the local server name that you will reference within Netbackup -->
<NAME>
local
</NAME>
<LSU NAME>
svol4
</LSU NAME>
<URL>
http://localhost:6442/
<!--PASSWD - The password of the volume if one is required for this sdfs volume -->
<PASSWD>admin</PASSWD>
<SERVER SHARE PATH>
A SUBDIRECTORY UNDER THE MOUNT PATH
</SERVER SHARE PATH>
-->
</CONNECTION>
<!-- Below is the new volume-->
<CONNECTION>
<!--NAME is the local server name that you will reference within Netbackup -->
<NAME>
```

```
hostname0
</NAME>
<LSU NAME>
svol10
</LSU NAME>
<URL>
http://localhost:6443/
</URL>
<!--PASSWD - The password of the volume if one is required for this sdfs volume -->
<PASSWD>admin</PASSWD>
<!--
<SERVER_SHARE_PATH>
A SUBDIRECTORY UNDER THE MOUNT PATH
</SERVER SHARE PATH>
-->
</CONNECTION>
</CONNECTIONS>
```

Chapter 6

Configuring Veritas Access as a cloud storage server with NetBackup CloudCatalyst

This chapter includes the following topics:

- Creating an S3 bucket on Veritas Access for storing deduplicated backup data from NetBackup
- Configure Veritas Access as a cloud storage server on NetBackup server using CloudCatalyst
- Enabling SSL on Veritas Access

Creating an S3 bucket on Veritas Access for storing deduplicated backup data from NetBackup

To create an S3 bucket on Veritas Access for storing deduplicated backup data from NetBackup

Log on to the Veritas Access GUI as the master user using the following URL:

https://Veritas Access Management console IP:14161/.

You can obtain the Veritas Access Management console IP by logging on to the Veritas Access command-line interface using the su - master command on the Veritas Access cluster.

2 Create a storage pool for the S3 buckets.

Click **NAS Infrastructure** in the GUI navigation on the left.

Select the disks that you want to use for the S3 bucket, and click the Add to Storage Pool button to invoke the wizard for storage pool creation.

Follow the steps in the wizard for creating a new storage pool or adding the disks to an existing pool.

Click Settings > User Management > Configure Active Directory to configure AD.

Enter the required information, such as the **DNS Domain**, **DNS Name Servers**, AD Domain, AD Domain Controller, and the AD Admin and Password.

Click **Settings > S3 Management** to configure and enable the S3 server.

Edit the default parameters that are required for the S3 server, such as the storage pool name, underlying S3 bucket layout, and the default size of the bucket.

If you want to enable SSL, See "Enabling SSL on Veritas Access" on page 97.

- Click the button in front of S3 Server Status to start the S3 server.
- Log out from the GUI, and log in again as an AD user.

Click on the **Create keys** button to generate the access key and the secret key for the Veritas Access S3 bucket.

Save the access key and secret key in a safe location, as Veritas Access does not allow retrieval of keys after initial creation.

Note: Log in using the *domainname\\username* format.

Log out from the GUI, and log in again as the master user.

- 8 Registration of supported public cloud service is optional, and is only required in case you need to add an AWS cloud as a storage tier. Without this, backups are stored locally in Veritas Access S3 buckets.
 - Click Settings > Cloud Storage Registration > Add Cloud Subscription to register the supported public cloud service.
 - Enter information for the cloud service provider, name of subscription, access key, and secret key.
- 9 Activate the long-term data retention (LTR) policies.
 - Click Policies > LTR Policy.

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- Click Activate for either the LTR On-Premises + Cloud policy or the LTR **On-Premises** policy and provide the storage pool when prompted.
- **10** Provision the NetBackup bucket using the policy.
 - Under Quick Actions, click Provision Storage. Select S3 Storage for NetBackup and click Next.

Provide the bucket size, underlying layout of the bucket, the access key, and the secret key of the Veritas Access S3 server generated as the AD user in step 6.

If you selected the LTR On-Premises + Cloud policy, add information such as which data should be moved to the AWS cloud tier, AWS region, cloud tier type (S3/Glacier), and when the data movement to the cloud should occur.

11 Monitor the progress of the task under **Recent Activity**.

Make a note of the scale-out file system name that was used for the bucket creation.

12 Click File Systems.

For the scale-out file system that is created, ensure that the S3 Bucket column displays **Yes** to indicate that the S3 bucket is enabled.

You may need to wait for some time for this change to be reflected in the GUI.

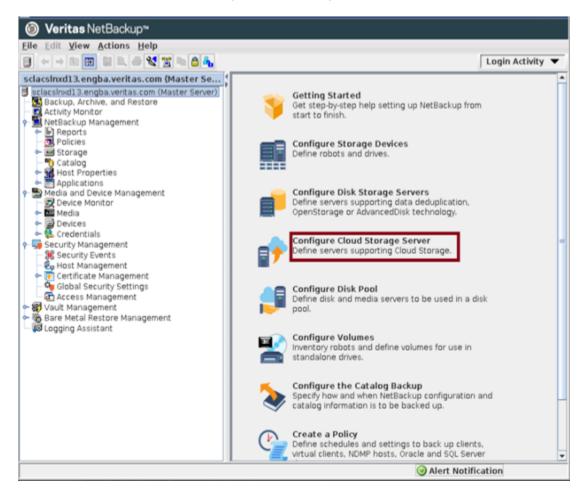
Creating a Media Server Deduplication Pool (MSDP) for primary backup using NetBackup

To create a Media Server Deduplication Pool (MSDP) for primary backup using NetBackup, See "Creating a Media Server Deduplication Pool (MSDP) for primary backup using NetBackup" on page 56.

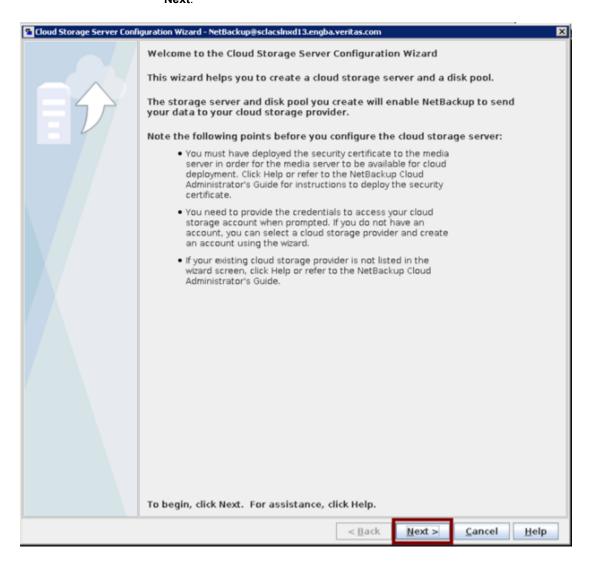
Configure Veritas Access as a cloud storage server on NetBackup server using CloudCatalyst

To configure the Veritas Access cluster as a cloud storage server and create an OpenStorage Technology (OST) disk pool and storage unit (STU) from the NetBackup console

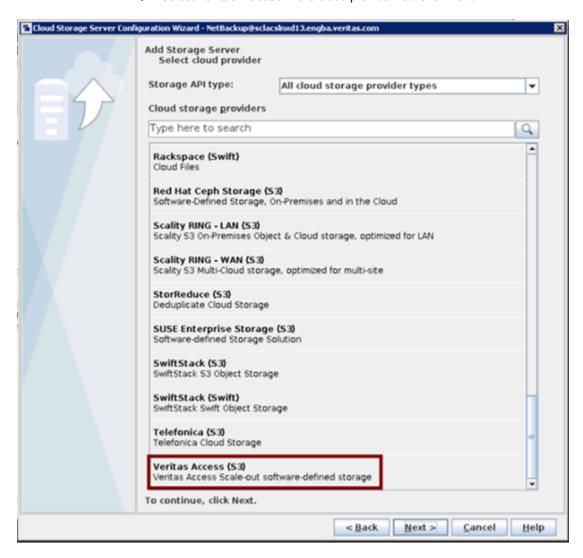
- Log on to the NetBackup master server from the Java console.
- 2 Select Configure Cloud Storage Servers.



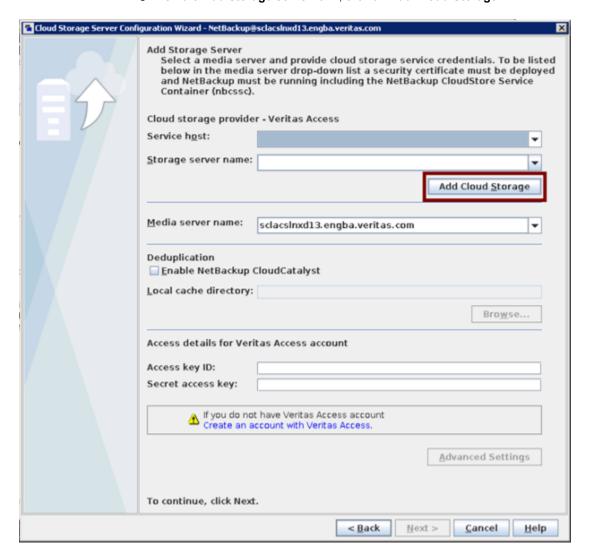
3 The Welcome to cloud storage server configuration wizard appears. Click Next.



Select **Veritas Access** in the cloud provider list. Click **Next**.



On the Add storage server form, click on Add Cloud Storage.



In the **Add cloud storage** wizard, enter the required information.

Service host: s3.<veritas access cluster name>

HTTP port: 8143

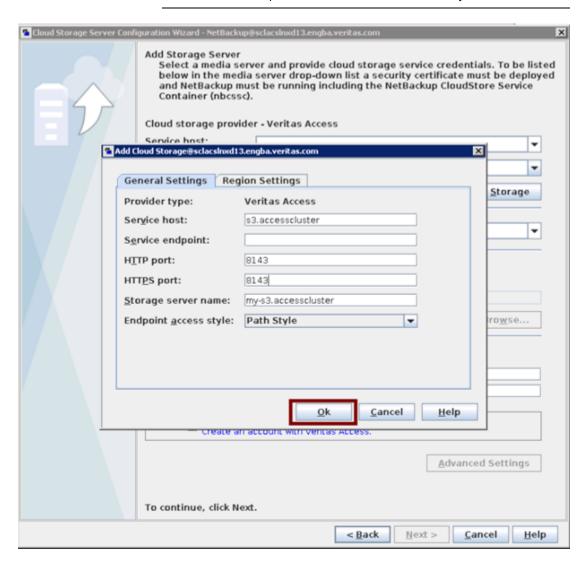
HTTPS port: 8143

Storage server Name: Any string or any auto-generated name.

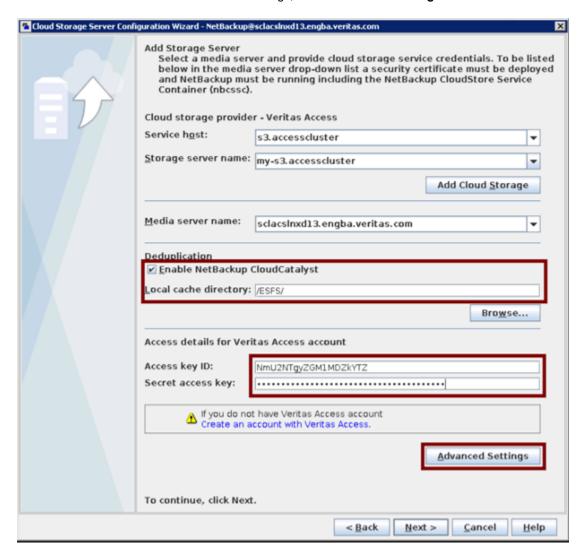
For example, my-s3.<veritas access cluster name>

Click Ok.

Note: If DNS is not configured, you have to add an entry in the /etc/hosts file on the NetBackup master server and the CloudCatalyst media server.



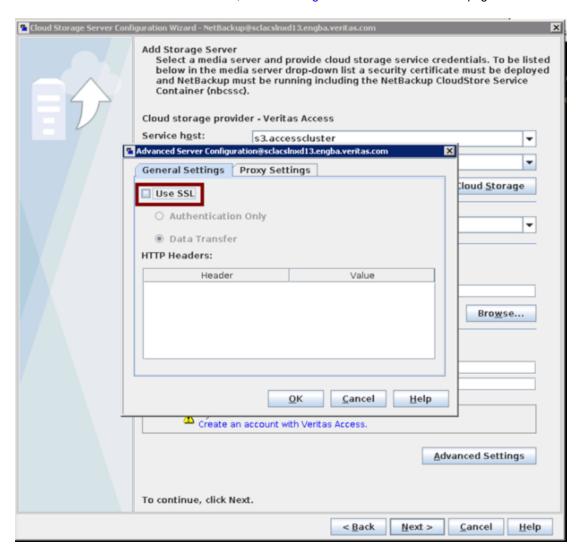
Select Media server from the Media server name drop-down box. Select the Enable NetBackup CloudCatalyst check box if you want to store the deduplicated MSDP backup data on Veritas Access's ObjectAccess bucket. Specify the path of the local cache directory for CloudCatalyst. Enter the access key and secret key using which you created the bucket is on Veritas Access. For SSL-related settings, click on Advance Settings.



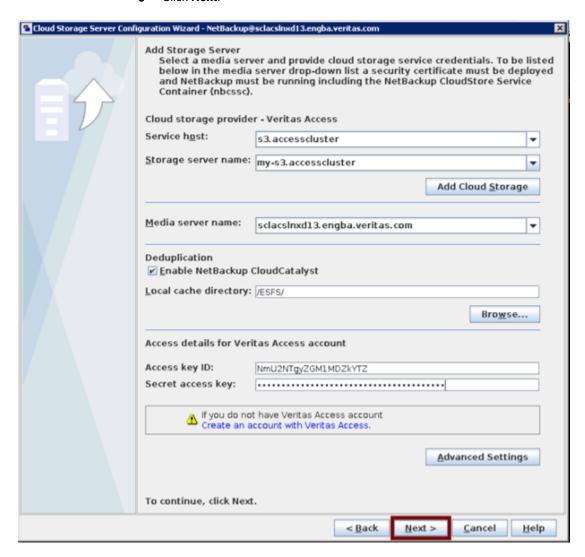
clear the Use SSL check box and click Ok.

8 If the Veritas Access ObjectAccess server is configured with No SSL, then

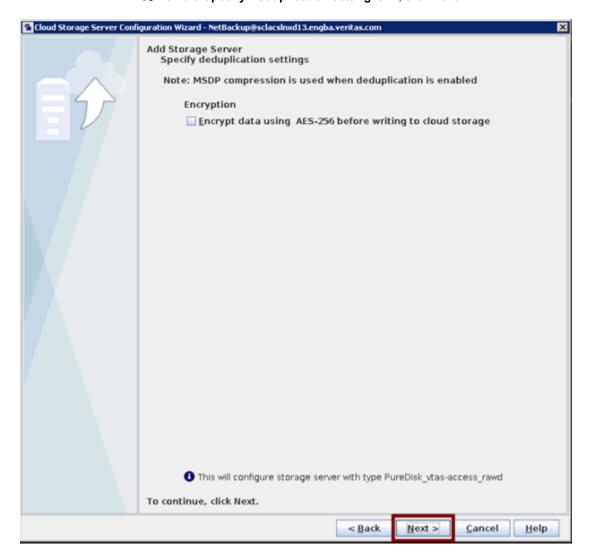
To enable SSL, See "Enabling SSL on Veritas Access" on page 97.



Click Next. 9

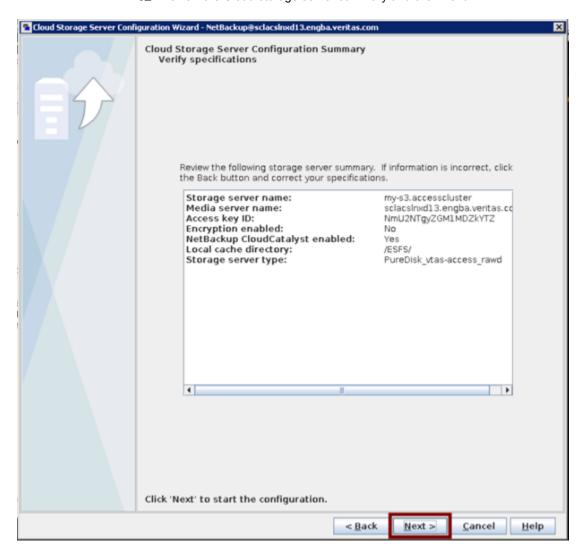


10 On the Specify Deduplication setting form, click Next

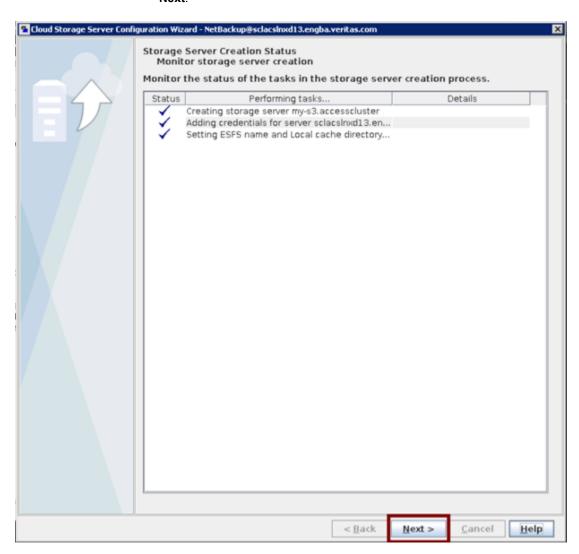


11 Messages related to setting the encryption appear. Click Yes.

12 Review the Cloud storage server summary and click **Next**.

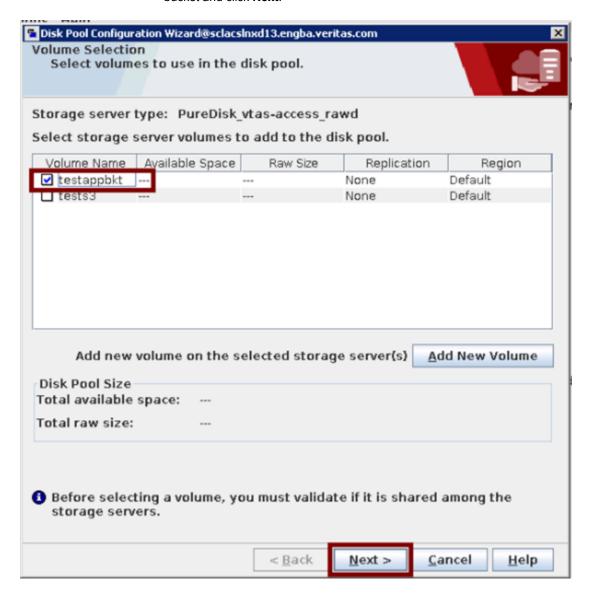


13 Check the status of the tasks in the storage server creation process. Click Next.

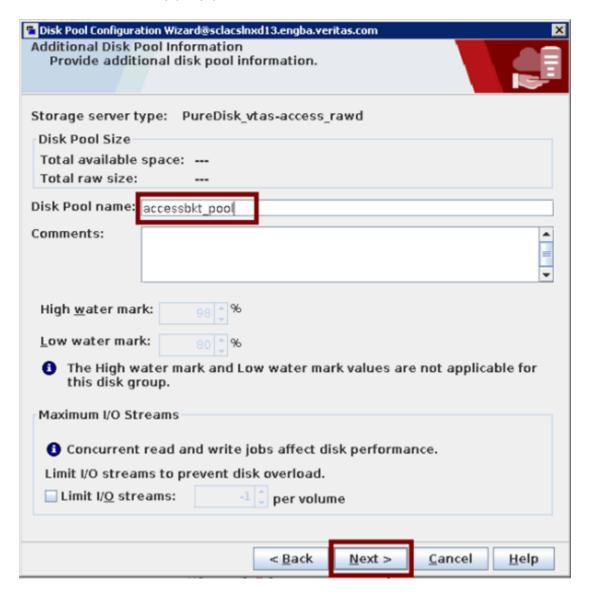


14 Verify that the storage server is successfully created and click **Next**.

15 The **Volume selection to use in disk pool** form lists all the buckets that are created by a user on the Veritas Access cluster as a volume. If the bucket is not created from Veritas Access, then click on **Add volume** and specify the bucket name. After bucket creation, the bucket is listed as a volume. Select a bucket and click Next.



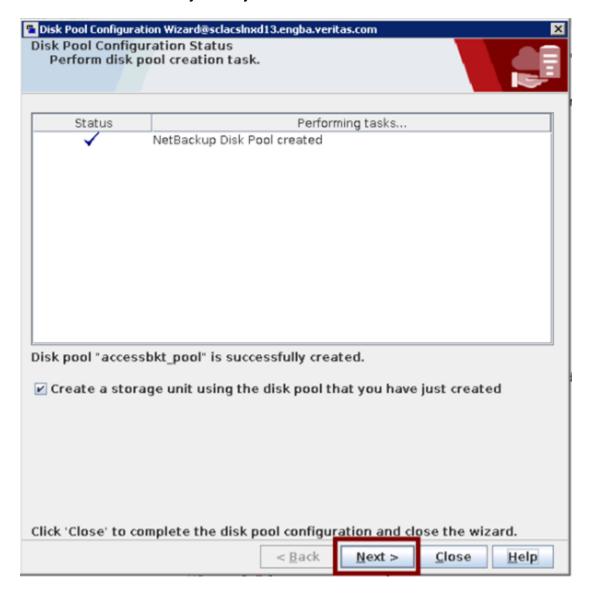
16 In the Additional disk pool information form, enter the disk pool name and click Next.



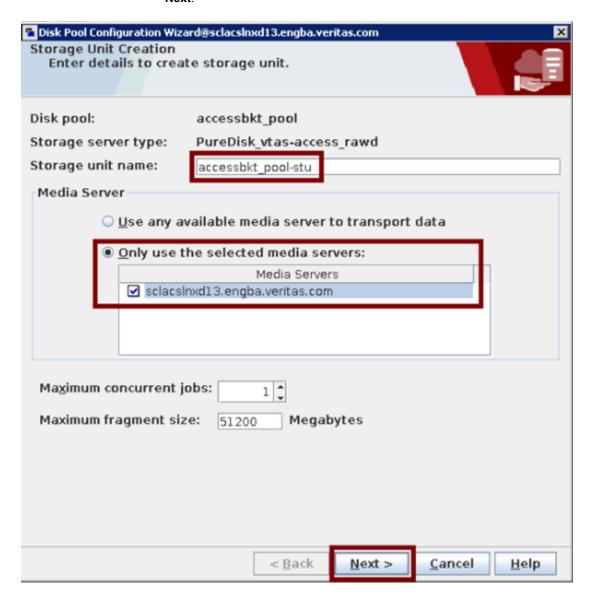
17 Review the disk pool configuration summary and click **Next**.



18 In the **Disk pool creation status** form, verify that the disk pool is created successfully. Make sure that the Create a storage unit using the disk pool that you have just created check box is selected.



19 In the Storage unit creation wizard, enter the storage unit name. Click Only use the selected media servers. Select the media server in the list and click Next.



20 Verify that the disk pool creation wizard completes successfully. Click Finish.



Enabling SSL on Veritas Access

To enable SSL on Veritas Access using the Veritas Access GUI

- 1 Log on to the Veritas Access GUI and click on **Settings** > **S3 Management**.
- 2 Click the Edit button at the top.
- 3 Click Yes under the Enable SSL button. This automatically creates a certificate on Veritas Access in the /shared/ptgwy/cacert.pem directory.

To enable SSL on Veritas Access using the Veritas Access command-line interface

Enable SSL on Veritas Access.

```
Objectaccess > set ssl enabled yes
Objectaccess > server stop
Objectaccess > server start
```

To copy the certificate to NetBackup

Go to the bash prompt of the cluster node and copy the following content from the /shared/ptgwy/cacert.pem file and append it to the /usr/openv/netbackup/db/cloud/cacert.pem on the NetBackup master and media servers.

----BEGIN CERTIFICATE----

MIIDjTCCAnWgAwIBAgIJANFjuMEdS0LRMA0GCSqGSIb3DQEBCwUAMF0xCzAJBqNV BAYTAlVTMRMwEQYDVQQIDApDYWxpZm9ybmlhMRAwDgYDVQQKDAdWZXJpdGFzMQ8w DQYDVQQLDAZBY2N1c3MxFjAUBqNVBAMMDXMzLm5idTq3Mi1hcHAwHhcNMTqwMTAz MTAwODAxWhcNMjEwMTAyMTAwODAxWjBdMQswCQYDVQQGEwJVUzETMBEGA1UECAwK Q2FsaWZvcm5pYTEQMA4GA1UECgwHVmVyaXRhczEPMA0GA1UECwwGQWNjZXNzMRYw FAYDVQQDDA1zMy5uYnU4NzItYXBwMIIBIjANBqkqhkiG9w0BAQEFAAOCAQ8AMIIB CqKCAQEAl+XkH9Buzz2KRYsoBbKxOExq2fRDhfTb1lplleiMN/1cryvMkquEFkFk kjuTsi3lnuj0Sc5/FimzfnclXyvI9uWAB07wdxwjKFBlg0GvxSa/obQ/SMG8fEHL qY1/baJKPoz7xvg+QJd/3A1ZJqLvA1i7DEErVuUyNrtjxKnPNIKzzRhBg9M5+HPp b4ZOXUnFWU9w4CI1JBvYTBQ5X2wtGx9cLtHb9fF9XTv2SqWUUroGDc2DYlgo8j2n AsTWzk+mJw12wRcE00FoBlYhOCNJlXkl4n4VSKbTUdCMkm6Ej5Yf+AIAbLiQNFqv Sralc5TFMHjUUg5dgBPizCLTmuQz8QIDAQABo1AwTjAdBgNVHQ4EFgQUgBpm7gK1 q/M/3+Y0st8m2EMzulgwHwYDVR0jBBgwFoAUgBpm7gK1q/M/3+Y0st8m2EMzulgw DAYDVR0TBAUwAwEB/zANBqkqhkiG9w0BAQsFAAOCAQEAcw4QIfXiuJMY/6BGBVAA dnrRG11+hczHfbQVeDV9ApijEe/qiIx8QLL9fDx8MqsdIIHcqfuv5mzAQLzwa+tH 7USIqBfxfEytnKBuAYbYyOfXKJDUIAaWFjcM0rOP1z+Dv6zf7B65Mv3aKD1rENFT UqPBphLACAU9CzLidJkoE3izOaZbiys/r24yRR8X/Pugsxy7VESN6WSqzYg0jdSf iCJKqLEdOYcE85NhW8eaCsfqCkxoskTqu1Nnf4j01MYP5d+4U8uAEc/uLrndD3Rn n7MB0EeciPqqWZQWNLjyQNNZ/F58wlyTtHv48VM1ZXhIJBhjUwFZAEAq43R5n67o Pw==

----END CERTIFICATE----

Stop and start the services on the master using the following commands in the 2 /usr/openv/netbackup/bin directory.

```
# bp.kill_all -f -v
# bp.start all
```

3 Log into the media server. Stop and start the services on the media server using the following commands:

```
# bp.kill all -f -v
# bp.start_all
```

Chapter

Configuring backup and restore using NetBackup policies

This chapter includes the following topics:

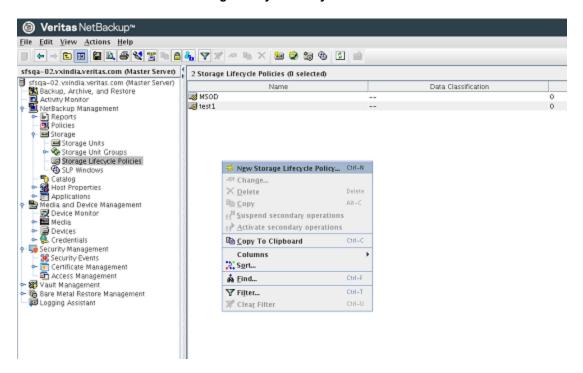
- Storage Lifecycle Policies
- Backup and restore
- Running a backup policy manually
- Restoring backed up files

Storage Lifecycle Policies

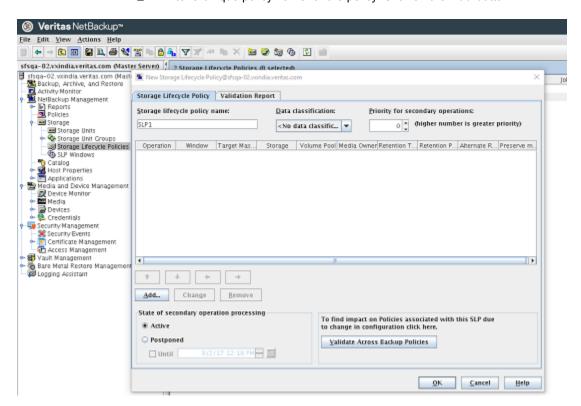
You can create Storage Lifecycle Policies (SLP).

To create Storage Lifecycle Policies

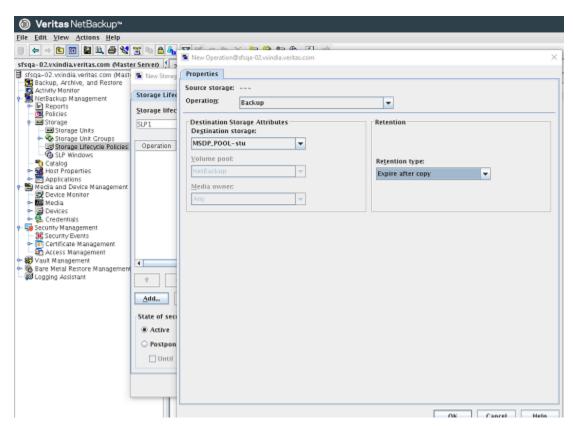
Click Storage > Storage Lifecycle Policies on the NetBackup console. Select New Storage Lifecycle Policy.



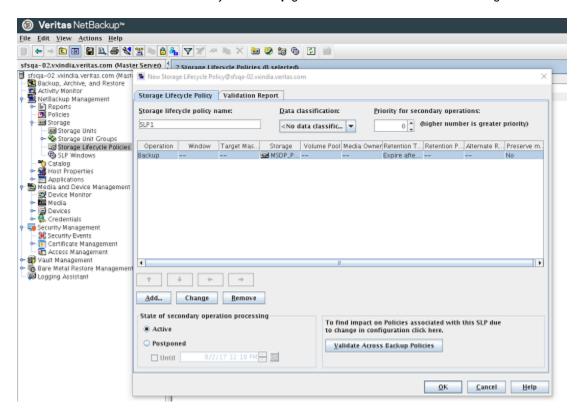
Enter a unique policy name for the policy. Click on the **Add** button.



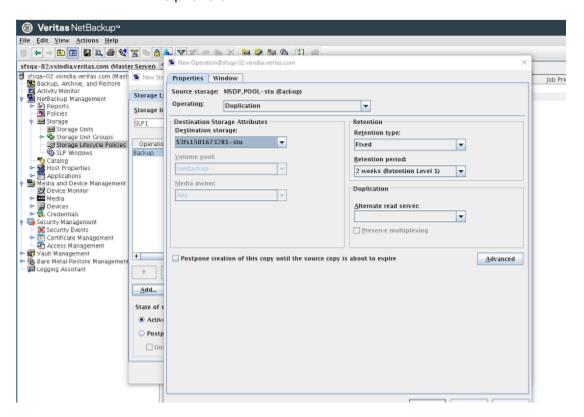
3 Select **Operation** as **Backup**, and set the destination pool to the MSDP pool that was created. Choose the **Retention type** based on your requirement.



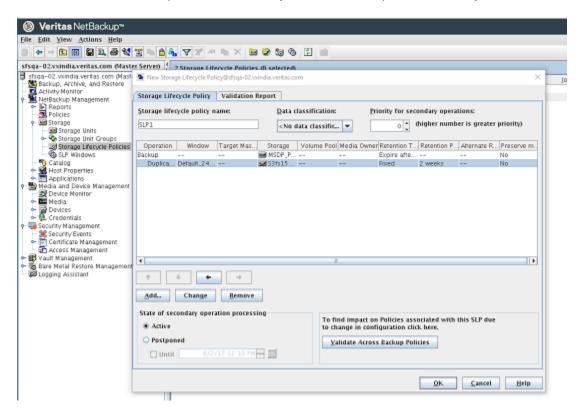
A new entry for **Backup** gets added. Click on the **Add** button again.



5 Select **Operation** as **Deduplication** and set the destination tier to the OST storage unit that was created. Choose the **Retention type** based on your requirement.



Both entries for SLP appear in the Storage Lifecycle Policy tab. The first operation is for **Backup** and the second operation is for **Duplication**.



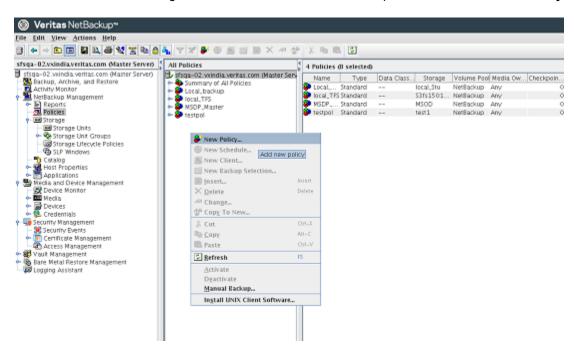
Backup and restore

After you complete the configurations, perform the following steps for backup and restore.

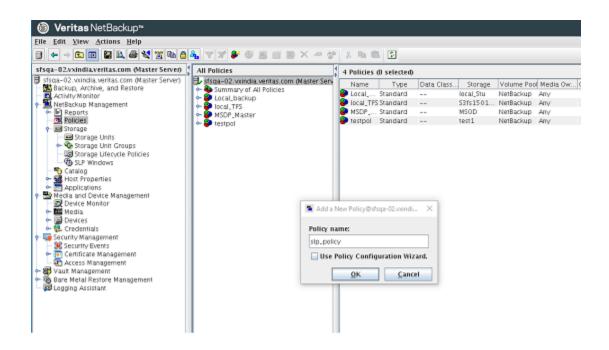
Policy creation

To create policies

Right-click on **Policies** within the NetBackup console and click on **New Policy**.

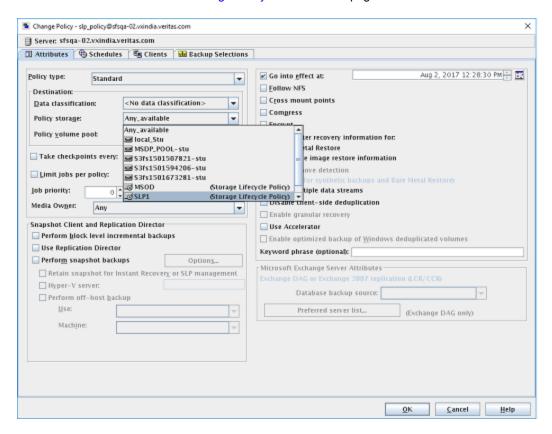


- 2 Provide the following information for policy creation.
 - Policy name
 - From the **Attributes** tab, select the appropriate storage unit under **Policy** storage.

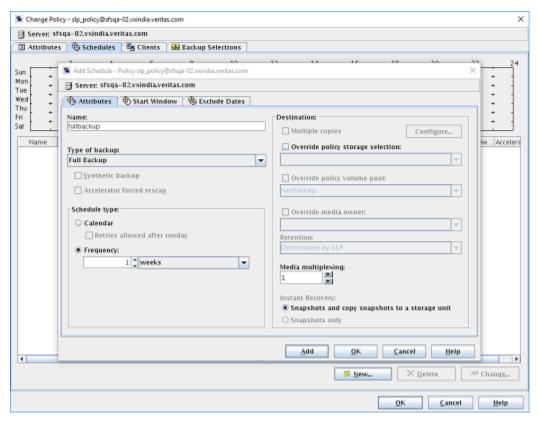


3 Under Policy storage, enter the name of the Storage Lifecycle Policy that was created.

See "Storage Lifecycle Policies" on page 101.

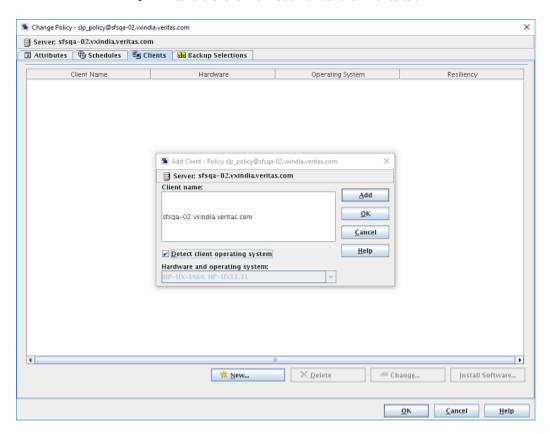


Enter the attribute information as per your requirement.

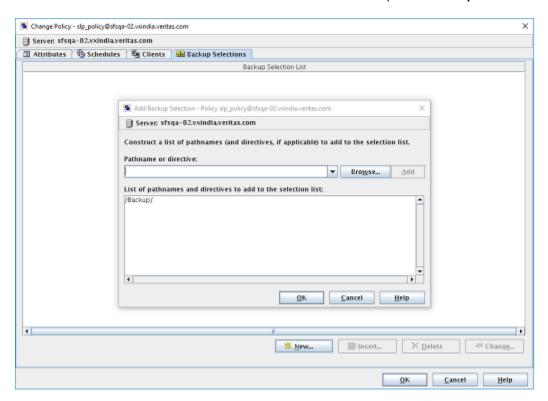


5 Under the Schedule tab, enter the name of the schedule. For example, fullbackup.

6 Enter the client information under the Clients tab.



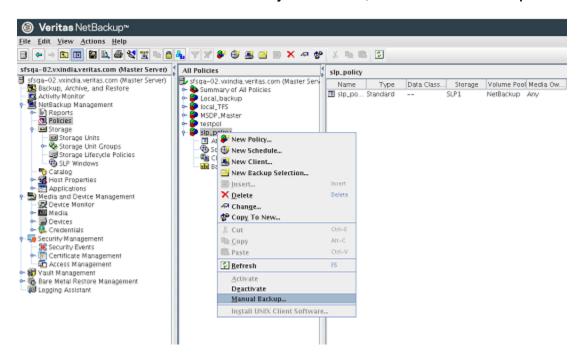
Select the folders that need to be backed up under **Backup Selections**.



Running a backup policy manually

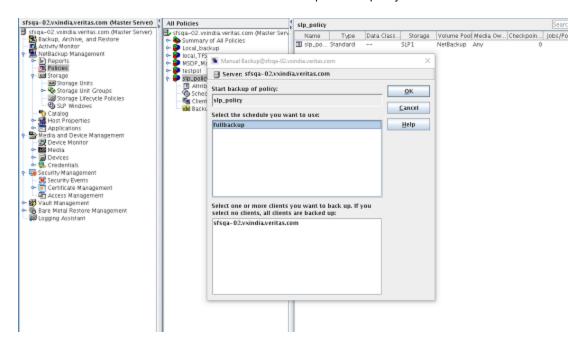
To run a backup policy manually

Once the policy is created, right-click on the name of the policy that you want to run under Summary of All Policies, and click on Manual Backup.

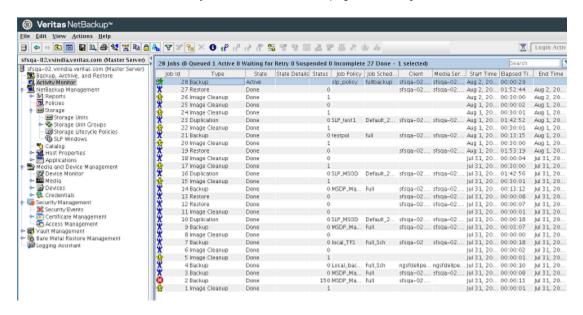


2 Select the schedule that you want to use and click **OK**.

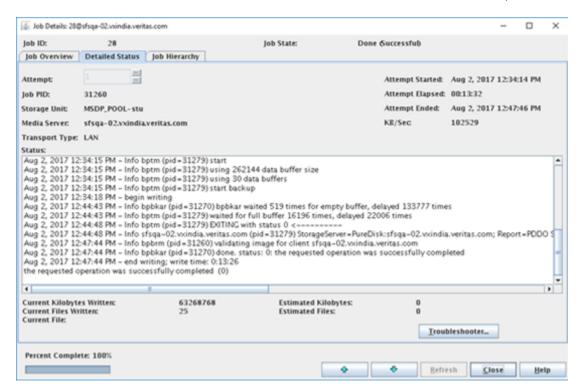
This starts the manual backup with the policy.



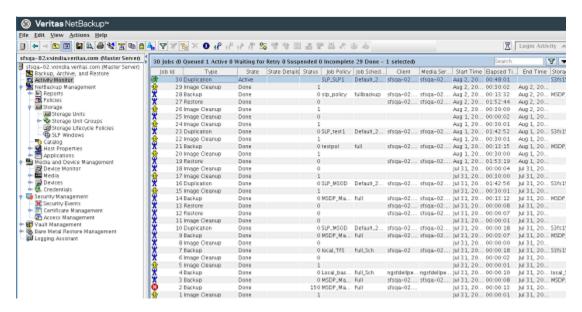
3 To verify the status of the backup, go to **Activity Monitor**.



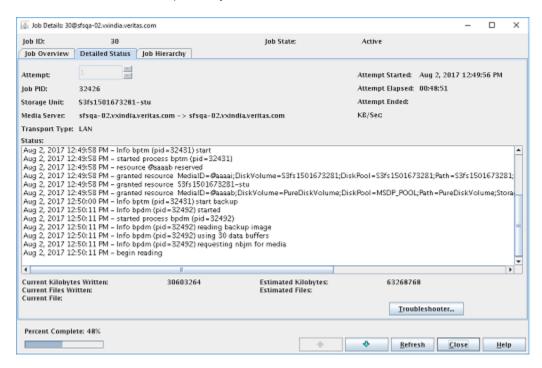
4 Select the appropriate job from the displayed jobs and click on the **Detailed** status tab in the new window to check on the status of the backup.



5 Once the above backup job is complete, a new duplication job is automatically triggered.



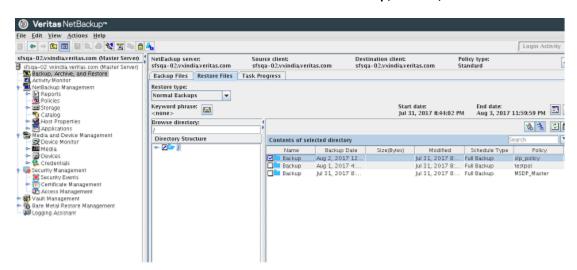
6 Click on that job and then select detailed status to check the status of the duplication job.



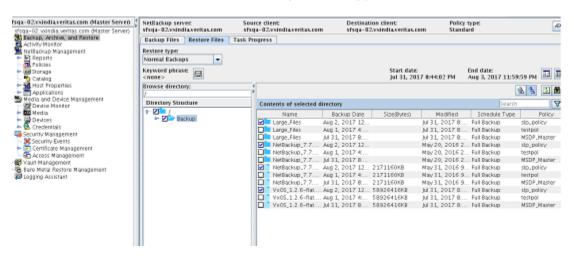
Restoring backed up files

To restore backed up files

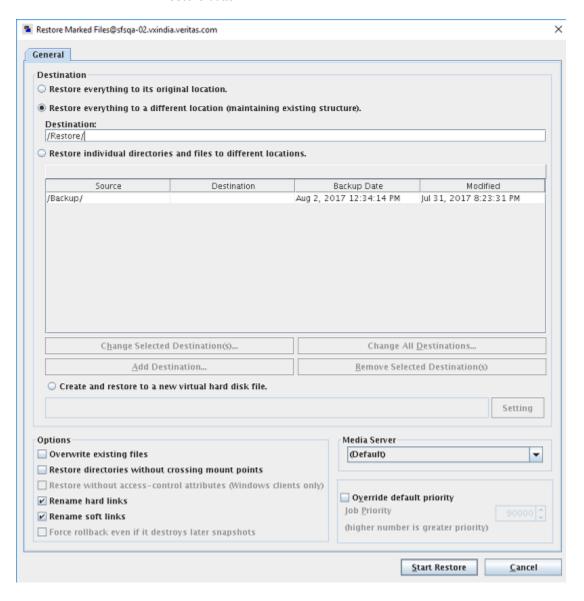
- 1 Create a directory where you want to restore the backed-up files.
- 2 Go to the Restore Files tab under Backup, Archive, Restore.



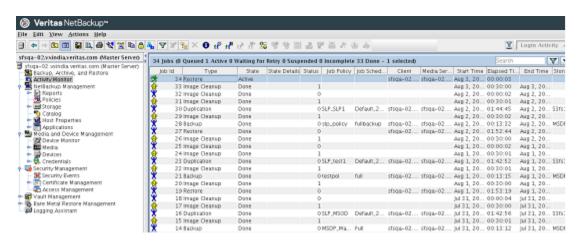
3 Go to the browse directory and select the appropriate files to restore and click Restore. The backup to be restored can reside either on NetBackup or on Veritas Access depending on the Storage Lifecycle Policy that is set. Hence, the restore location changes accordingly.



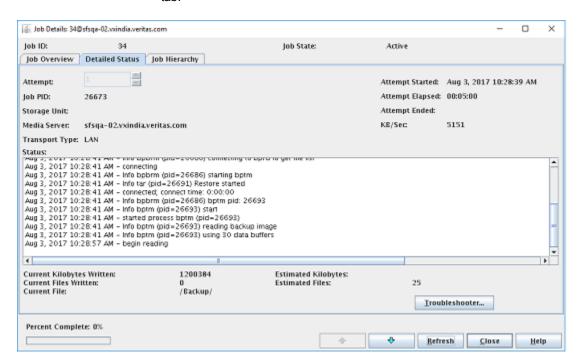
Enter the location where the files should be restored, and click on the Start Restore button.



To view the progress of the restore operation, click Yes on the Restore Initiated window.



You can view the progress of the restore operation under the **Detailed Status** tab.



Chapter 8

Configuring Veritas Access with the NetBackup client

This chapter includes the following topics:

- Prerequisites for configuring the NetBackup client
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Prerequisites for configuring the NetBackup client

Before configuring the NetBackup client for Veritas Access, you must have completed the following:

- You must have a NetBackup master server external to your Veritas Access cluster. The NetBackup administrator configures the NetBackup master server. See the *Veritas NetBackup* product documentation for more information.
- Add the valid licenses on the NetBackup master server.
- Make sure that host names of the master server and the NetBackup client installed on Veritas Access can be resolved and the reverse lookup is working.

About the NetBackup Snapshot Client

A snapshot is a point-in-time, read-only, disk-based copy of a client volume. After the snapshot is created, NetBackup backs up data from the snapshot, not directly from the client's primary or original volume. Users and client operations can access the primary data without interruption while data on the snapshot volume is backed up. The contents of the snapshot volume are cataloged as if the backup was produced directly from the primary volume. After the backup is complete, the snapshot-based backup image on storage media is indistinguishable from a traditional, non-snapshot backup.

About NetBackup snapshot methods

NetBackup can create different types of snapshots. Each snapshot type that you configure in NetBackup is called a snapshot method. Snapshot methods enable NetBackup to create snapshots within the storage stack (such as the file system) where the data resides. When the data resides in a file system, NetBackup can use a file system method, depending on the client operating system and the file system type.

You select the snapshot method in the backup policy as explained in the Veritas NetBackup Snapshot Client Administrator's Guide.

Note: When using Veritas Access with NetBackup, select the VXFS Checkpoint snapshot method. The checkpoint feature is not supported on a scale-out file system.

Enabling or disabling the NetBackup SAN client

You can enable or disable the NetBackup SAN client on Veritas Access. The NetBackup SAN client should only be enabled on Veritas Access if the required licenses are installed on the NetBackup Master Server. If you do not have the required license for the NetBackup SAN client, then you must disable the SAN client on Veritas Access. Otherwise, the Veritas Access backup service fails to start.

To enable or disable the NetBackup SAN client

To enable or disable the NetBackup SAN client, enter the following:

Backup> netbackup sanclient enable | disable

Enables the NetBackup SAN client. enable

disable Disables the NetBackup SAN client.

Backup> netbackup sanclient enable Success.

Workflow for configuring Veritas Access for **NetBackup**

To back up your data with NetBackup, you must register the installed and configured NetBackup master server with Veritas Access.

To configure NetBackup for Veritas Access, perform the following tasks in the order shown:

Make sure that the See "Prerequisites for configuring the NetBackup client"

prerequisites are met. on page 124.

Register the NetBackup See "Registering a NetBackup master server or adding an

master server. optional media server" on page 126.

See "Displaying the status of NetBackup services" Display the current status of

the NetBackup client. on page 131.

Registering a NetBackup master server or adding an optional media server

Reset the values for the NetBackup master server.	See "Registering a NetBackup master server or adding an optional media server" on page 126.
Display the current status of the NetBackup client.	See "Displaying the status of NetBackup services" on page 131.
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Registering a NetBackup master server or adding an optional media server

You register the NetBackup master server so that it can communicate with Veritas Access. If necessary, you can reset the values of the NetBackup master server to its default configurations. You can optionally add a media server.

The NetBackup master server can be the NetBackup media server, but it is not mandatory that the NetBackup master server be the NetBackup media server. In production environments, the NetBackup media server is separate from the

See the backup netbackup (1) man page for detailed examples.

To register the NetBackup master server with Veritas Access

Register the NetBackup master server with Veritas Access.

Backup> netbackup master-server set server

To reset the value for the NetBackup master server

Reset the value for the NetBackup master server.

Backup> netbackup master-server reset

To add an optional NetBackup media server

Add an optional NetBackup media server.

If the NetBackup master server is also acting as a NetBackup media server, then add the NetBackup media server using the NetBackup master server hostname.

For example:

NetBackup master server.

Backup> netbackup media-sever add FQDN of master server

To delete an already configured NetBackup media server

Delete an already configured NetBackup media server.

Backup> netbackup media-server delete server

Displaying the excluded files from backup

To display the entries in the excluded list from backup

Display the entries in the excluded list from backup.

Backup> netbackup exclude list show [policy] [schedule]

policy Lists the excluded entries by specifying a NetBackup policy.

schedule If a NetBackup policy schedule is specified, then the excluded list

entries for the specified NetBackup policy and NetBackup policy

schedule are displayed.

Backup> netbackup exclude_list show

Pattern	Policy	Schedule
hosts	-	-
iscsid.conf	-	-
iscsid.conf	NBU_access12	-
/vx/fs100/as*	policy	-
/vx/fs100/*mp3	policy	-
/vx/fs200/bs*	policy2	sched

The hyphens in the command output indicate that no values have been entered.

Displaying the included and excluded files for backups

You can specify a policy pattern that lets you specify which files to include or exclude from NetBackup backups. For example, you can specify that only .gif files are backed up, and .iso files are excluded. You can then display those files.

See the backup netbackup (1) man page for detailed examples.

To display files included or excluded for backups

Display the files that are included or excluded for backups.

For included files:

Backup> netbackup include list show [policy] [schedule]

For excluded files:

Backup> netbackup exclude_list show [policy] [schedule]

Adding or deleting patterns to the list of files in backups

You can add or delete specified patterns to or from the files that you want to include or exclude from NetBackup backups. For example, you can create a backup policy with different patterns such that only .gif files are backed up and .iso files are excluded.

See the backup netbackup (1) man page for detailed examples.

To add or delete the given pattern to the list of files included for backup

Add the specified pattern to the files that are included for backup.

For adding specified patterns to included files:

Backup > netbackup include list add pattern [policy] [schedule]

For deleting specified patterns from included files:

Backup > netbackup include list delete pattern [policy] [schedule]

To add or delete a given pattern to the list of files excluded from backup

Add a given pattern to the list of files that are excluded from backup.

For adding a given pattern to excluded files:

Backup> netbackup exclude list add pattern [policy] [schedule]

For deleting the given pattern from excluded files:

Backup> netbackup exclude_list delete pattern [policy] [schedule]

Configuring or resetting the virtual IP address used by NetBackup

You can configure or reset the virtual IP address of NetBackup. This address is a highly-available virtual IP address in the cluster.

Note: Configure the virtual IP address using the Backup> virtual-ip set command so that it is different from all of the virtual IP addresses, including the console server IP address and the physical IP addresses that are used to install Veritas Access. Use the Network> ip addr show command to display the currently assigned virtual IP addresses on Veritas Access.

See the backup virtual-ip(1) man page for detailed examples.

To configure or reset the virtual IP address used by NetBackup

Configure the virtual IP address of NetBackup on Veritas Access.

```
Backup> virtual-ip set ipaddr [device]
```

2 Reset the virtual IP address of NetBackup on Veritas Access.

```
Backup> virtual-ip reset
```

See "Configuring the virtual name of NetBackup" on page 130.

Configuring the virtual name of NetBackup

You can either configure the virtual name for the NetBackup master server, or you can reset the value to its default or unconfigured state.

See the backup virtual-name (1) man page for detailed examples.

To set or reset the NetBackup virtual name

Set or reset the NetBackup virtual name.

For setting the virtual name:

```
Backup> virtual-name set name
```

For resetting the virtual name:

```
Backup> virtual-name reset
```

Make sure that name can be resolved through DNS, and its IP address can be resolved back to name through the DNS reverse lookup. Also, make sure that name resolves to an IP address that is configured by using the Backup> virtual-ip command.

See "Configuring or resetting the virtual IP address used by NetBackup" on page 130.

Displaying the status of NetBackup services

Use the backup commands to display the status of the NetBackup services.

See the following man pages for detailed examples:

- backup show(1)
- backup status(1)
- backup start(1)
- backup stop(1)

To display NetBackup services

Display the current NetBackup services.

```
Backup> show
```

If the settings were configured while the backup and the restore services were online, they may not be in use by Veritas Access. To display all of the configured settings, first run the Backup> stop command, then run the Backup> start command.

To display the status of backup services

Display the status of backup services.

```
Backup> status
```

If the NetBackup server is started and online, then Backup> status displays any on-going backup or restore jobs.

To start or stop backup services

Start the backup services.

```
Backup> start [nodename]
```

You can also change the status of a virtual IP address to online after it has been configured using the Backup> virtual-ip command. This command applies to any currently active node in the cluster that handles backup and restore jobs.

See "Configuring or resetting the virtual IP address used by NetBackup" on page 130.

Stop the backup services.

```
Backup> stop
```

You can also change the status of a virtual IP address to offline after it has been configured using the Backup> virtual-ip command.

See "Configuring or resetting the virtual IP address used by NetBackup" on page 130.

Configuring backup operations using NetBackup or other third-party backup applications

You can backup Veritas Access using NetBackup client capability, or backup applications from other third-party companies that use the standard NFS mount to backup over the network.

For information on NetBackup, refer to the Veritas NetBackup product documentation set.

The Backup commands configure the local NetBackup installation of Veritas Access to use an external NetBackup master server or media server. When NetBackup is installed on Veritas Access, it acts as a NetBackup client to perform IP-based backups of Veritas Access file systems.

Note: A new public IP address, not an IP address that is currently used, is required for configuring the NetBackup client. Use the Backup> virtual-ip and Backup> virtual-name commands to configure the NetBackup client.

Performing a backup or restore of a Veritas Access file system over a NetBackup SAN client

You can perform a backup or restore of a Veritas Access file system over a NetBackup SAN client. A NetBackup SAN client is a NetBackup client for which Fibre Transport services are activated.

Backup and restore operations are done on the NetBackup master server by a NetBackup administrator using the NetBackup Administration Console. If the NetBackup master server can connect to the NetBackup client on Veritas Access, the NetBackup master server starts the backup or restore operations.

Before performing a backup or restoration of a Veritas Access file system over a NetBackup SAN client, do the following:

- Verify that the virtual IP address is online.
- Verify that the NetBackup client state is online.
- Configure the Fibre Transport media server. See the Veritas NetBackup SAN client and Fibre Transport Guide for more information on configuring the NetBackup Fibre Transport media server.

See the backup (1) man page for detailed examples.

To perform a backup of a file system over a NetBackup SAN client

Check the status of the NetBackup client.

```
Backup> status
```

2 Enable the SAN client from the CLI.

```
Backup> netbackup sanclient enable
```

3 Verify if the SAN client has been enabled or not from the CLI.

```
Backup> status
```

Using the NetBackup Administration Console, start a backup operation.

To perform a restore of a file system over a NetBackup SAN client

Check the status of the NetBackup client.

Backup> status

- 2 Using the NetBackup Administration Console, start a restore operation.
- Check the status of the NetBackup client.

Backup> status

Performing a backup or restore of a snapshot

Using the NetBackup Administration Console, a NetBackup administrator can perform a backup or restore of a snapshot.

Veritas Access as a NetBackup client supports the VxFS Checkpoint snapshot method. See the Veritas NetBackup Snapshot Client Administrator's Guide for more information on configuring snapshot policies.

To perform a backup of a snapshot

Using the NetBackup Administration Console, start a snapshot backup. The snapshot triggered by the NetBackup job can be seen from the CLI.

Storage> snapshot list

To perform a restore of a snapshot

- Using the NetBackup Administration Console, navigate to Backup, Archive, and Restore.
- 2 Click the Restore Files tab.
- 3 Click the **Restore** option.
- Specify the directory location for performing the restore operation.

/vx/name of file system/Restores

Installing or uninstalling the NetBackup client

The NetBackup master server version should be higher or equal to the NetBackup client version. To upgrade the NetBackup client, uninstall the currently installed version of the NetBackup client and then install the specified version of the

NetBackup client. The uninstall command runs on all the nodes of the Veritas Access cluster.

Veritas Access supports two major versions of the NetBackup client, version 7.7 and 8.0. By default, Veritas Access comes with the 8.0 version of the NetBackup client.

See the backup (1) man page for detailed examples.

To install the NetBackup client

Display the currently installed version of the NetBackup client.

```
Backup> show
```

2 Install the specified NetBackup client.

```
Backup> install version [URL]
```

You must specify the version of the NetBackup client that you want to install. If you do not specify a URL, the Backup> install command has the information on the file system for the location it needs. Specify the major release version (8.0 or 7.7) as the second parameter. You can specify the NetBackup package minor release or patches (7.7.1 for a 7.7 major release) as the third parameter to install.

If the base NetBackup client version is 7.7.

```
Backup install 7.7 scp://support@192.168.2.10:/home/NetBackup 7.7
CLIENTS2.tar.gz
```

If the base NetBackup client version is 8.0.

```
Backup install 8.0 scp://support@192.168.2.10:/home/NetBackup 8.0
CLIENTS2.tar.gz
```

If there are minor releases or patches from the NetBackup client.

```
Backup install 7.7 scp://support@192.168.2.10:/home/NetBackup 7.7.1
CLIENTS2.tar.gz
```

```
Backup install 7.7 scp://support@192.168.2.10:/home/NetBackup 7.7.2
CLIENTS2.tar.gz
```

For example, consider that the NetBackup client binaries are placed on the following host:

```
192.168.2.10
```

```
Backup install 7.7 scp://support@192.168.2.10:/home/NetBackup 7.7.3
CLIENTS2.tar.gz
```

Where 192.168.2.10 is the host IP address on which the NetBackup client packages are placed.

```
NetBackup 7.7.3 CLIENTS2.tar.gz
```

This is the NetBackup client package.

3 Double check if the Red Hat compatible NetBackup client is available in this package.

```
support:
system user and specify password when prompted.
```

Verify that the specified NetBackup client is installed.

```
Backup> show
```

To uninstall the NetBackup client

Display the currently installed version of the NetBackup client.

```
Backup> show
```

2 Uninstall the existing version of the NetBackup client.

```
Backup> uninstall
```

3 Display the current running version of the NetBackup client.

```
Backup> show
```

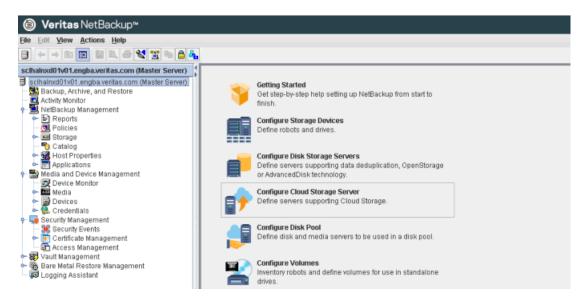
4 Verify that the NetBackup client is not installed.

```
Backup> show
```

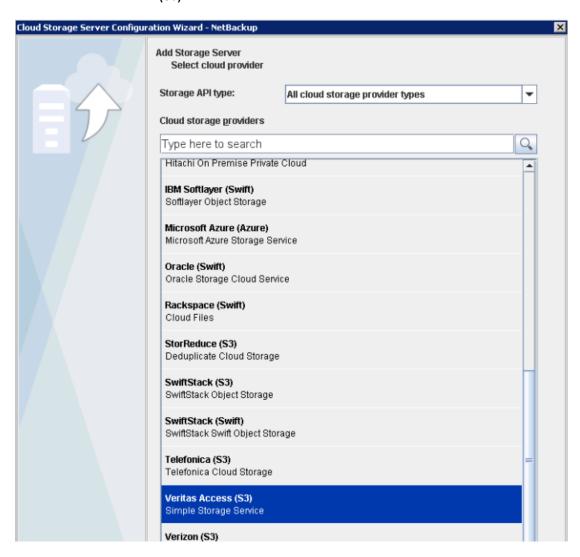
Configuring Veritas Access for NetBackup cloud storage

To configure Veritas Access for NetBackup cloud storage

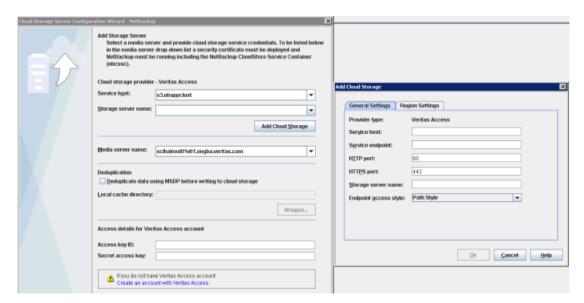
Log on to the NetBackup Console and select Configure Cloud Storage Server.



2 From the Cloud Storage Server Configuration wizard, select Veritas Access (S3).



3 Add the required information such as Service host, Service endpoint, HTTP/HTTPS port, Access key ID, Secret access key, and follow the rest of the wizard prompts.



Chapter 9

Troubleshooting

This chapter includes the following topics:

- Unmounting the SDFS volume before restarting Veritas Access or the NetBackup media server
- Upgrading SDFS from earlier versions to 7.4.2
- Log locations for troubleshooting
- Changing log levels
- Additional resources
- Generating Veritas Access S3 server keys using the helper script
- OpenDedup tuning recommendations

Unmounting the SDFS volume before restarting Veritas Access or the NetBackup media server

Before restarting Veritas Access or the NetBackup media server, create a backup copy of the SDFS volume and unmount the SDFS volume.

To perform a clean unmount of the SDFS volume

- Create a backup copy of the SDFS volume .xml file in the /etc/sdfs directory.
- Unmount the SDFS volume and wait for the <code>jsvc</code> process to exit before restarting Veritas Access.
- In case of OpenDedup on Veritas Access, use the following command to offline the OpenDedup volume:

```
# opendedup volume offline <vol name>
```

Where vol_name is the OpenDepdup volume.

Upgrading SDFS from earlier versions to 7.4.2

- If you are an existing customer and have taken backup with an SDFS version earlier than 7.3.1.2, you have to set the dist-layout parameter to false in the extended config volume.xml file before mounting the SDFS volume.
- If you are an existing customer and have taken backup with SDFS 7.3.1.2 and later versions without setting the dist-layout parameter to false, and if there is a problem with restore, you have to unmount the SDFS volume, set the retry-layout parameter to true in the volume.xml file and remount the SDFS volume before you start restore.

Note: The default value of the dist-layout parameter is true.

If you are a new customer, no modification is required.

Sample from the volume.log file:

```
<extended-config allow-sync="false"</pre>
block-size="30 MB"
data-appendix=".data"
delete-unclaimed="true"
disableDNSBucket="false"
dist-layout="true"
retry-layout="true"
glacier-archive-days="0"
io-threads="16"
local-cache-size="10 GB"
map-cache-size="200"
read-speed="0"
refresh-blobs="false"
```

```
retry-layout="true"
simple-metadata="true"
simple-s3="true"
sync-check-schedule="4 59 23 * * ?"
sync-files="true"
upload-thread-sleep-time="10000"
use-basic-signer="true"
write-speed="0">
```

Log locations for troubleshooting

OpenDedup logs

- /opt/VRTSnas/log/odd.log
- /opt/VRTSnas/log/odd-vcs.log

Veritas Access S3 logs

- /opt/VRTSnas/log/portald.log
- /opt/VRTSnas/log/portald access.log

SDFS logs

SDFS creates its logs under

/var/logs/sdfs/<volume-name>-volume-cfg.xml.log. Errors can be identified in this log file.

OST plug-in logs

The OpenDedup OST plug-in log can be found in /tmp/logs/opendedup.log.

NetBackup logs

Pertinent OST-related errors and logging are trapped in the bptm log. NetBackup logging for bptm can be enabled by creating the bptm logging directory:

mkdir /usr/openv/netbackup/logs/bptm

Veritas Access support debug information upload command

CLISH> support debuginfo upload path

Changing log levels

The logging framework for SDFS is updated to log4j2. For SDFS 7.4.1 and later releases, changing the log levels using the volume.xml is not effective. You have to update the /etc/sdfs/log4j2.xml file.

To change the log level:

- Edit the /etc/sdfs/log4j2.xml file.
- Go to the Loggers section.
- Search for Logger name="sdfs"
- Set the level to an appropriate parameter.

For example:

```
<Loggers>
<Logger name="sdfs" additivity="false" level="debug">
<appender-ref ref="sdfsLog" />
```

The following log levels are available:

- trace
- debug
- info
- warn
- error
- fatal

You can find more details about the log42.xml parameters at https://logging.apache.org/log4j/log4j-2.2/manual/configuration.html.

Additional resources

See the following documentation for more information on Veritas Access, OpenDedup, and Veritas NetBackup:

- Veritas Access Installation Guide for the supported NetBackup clients and the OpenDedup ports.
- Veritas Access Troubleshooting Guide for setting the NetBackup client log levels and debugging options.
- Veritas NetBackup product documentation on the SORT website.

OpenDedup product documentation on the OpenDedup website.

Generating Veritas Access S3 server keys using the helper script

Create the access and the secret keys using the Veritas Access helper script in case you do not want to use the Active directory Domain user to create and own the buckets. This is an alternative way to get the Veritas Access S3 server credential keys.

- Location of the helper script: /opt/VRTSnas/scripts/utils/objectaccess/objectaccess client.py
- The Veritas Access helper script can be used from any client system that has Python installed.
- To run the script, your S3 client needs to have the argparse and requests Python modules.
 - If these modules are missing, install both these modules using pip or easy install.
- Add the ADMIN URL name in your /etc/hosts file. where the ADMIN URL is admin.<cluster name> and the port is 8144. This url should point to the Veritas Access management console IP address.
- Create the access and the secret key using the Veritas Access helper script by providing the user name, password, and ADMIN URL (check the online Help of the Veritas Access helper script for all of the provided operations like list key and delete key).

Create a secret key:

```
clus 01:~ # ./objectaccess client.py --create key
--server admin.clus:8144 --username localuser1 --password root123
--insecure
```

: localuser1 UserName

AccessKeyId : Y2FkODU2NTU2MjVhYzV

: Active Status

: ODk0YzQxMDhkMmRjM2M5OTUzNjI5OWIzMDgyNzY SecretAccessKey

The <localuser1> is the local user created on both the Veritas Access cluster nodes with same unique ID.

List a secret key for the specified user:

```
clus 01:~ # ./objectaccess client.py --list key --server
admin.clus:8144 --username localuser2 --password root123 --insecure
```

Delete a secret key for the specified user:

```
clus 01:~ # ./objectaccess client.py --delete key
ZTkyNDdjZTViM2EyMWZ --server admin.clus:8144 --username localuser2
--password root123 --insecure
```

If the object server is enabled without the SSL option, you need to add the --insecure option.

```
clus 01 ~# ./objectaccess_client.py --server
admin.clus:8144 --username <uname> --create_key --insecure
```

OpenDedup tuning recommendations

OpenDedup has a flexible design that works for small users as well as large data enterprises. You can tune OpenDedup as per your requirements to serve your use case. Veritas recommends that you perform the following tuning before you start using the LTR solution.

Table 9-1 XML tags

XML parameter	Value
max-open-files	200
write-threads	32
io-threads	64 (within extended config)
map-cache-size	1024
local-cache-size	500 GB (as per your local cache)
sync-on-write	false
refresh-blobs	true (only to be set when Glacier cloud tier is used)
glacier-archive-days	30 (only to be set when Glacier cloud tier is being used)
sync-files	true (within extended config)
chunk-size	40960
hash-type	VARIABLE_MD5

Table 9-1 XML tags (continued)

XML parameter	Value
max-file-writebuffers	80

On the media server for the ODD-on-Media_Server use case:

```
# echo "* hard nofile 65535" >> /etc/security/limits.conf
# echo "* soft nofile 65535" >> /etc/security/limits.conf
# exit
```

Based on the system workload, ensure that the number of portal threads are increased (on Veritas Access):

```
/opt/VRTSnas/conf/portald.conf >> cf max s3 threads
```

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