

# **VxFS Commands**

## SETTING UP A FILE SYSTEM

Action	Command Line
Make a VxFS file system	<pre>mkfs -F vxfs [generic_options] [-o vxfs_options] char_device [size]</pre>
Mount a file system	<pre>mount -F vxfs [generic_options] [-o vxfs_options] block_device mount_point</pre>
Unmount a file system	umount mount_point
Determine file system type	fstyp [-v] block_device
Report free blocks/inodes	<pre>df -F vxfs [generic_options] [-o s] mount_point</pre>
Check/repair a file system	<pre>fsck -F vxfs [generic_options] [y Y] [n N] character_device</pre>

#### **ONLINE ADMINISTRATION**

Action	Command Line
Resize a file system	fasdm [-b newsize] [-r raw_device] mount_point
Dump a file system	vxdump [options] mount_point
Restore a file system	vxrestore [options] mount_point
Create a snapshot file system	<pre>mount -F vxfs -o snapof=source block device,[snapsize=size] destination_block_device snap_mount_point</pre>
Create a storage checkpoint	<pre>fsckptadm [-nruv] create ckpt_name mount_point</pre>
List storage checkpoints	<pre>fsckptadm [-clv] list mount_point</pre>
Remove a checkpoint	<pre>fsckptadm [-sv] remove ckpt_name mount_point</pre>
Mount a checkpoint	<pre>mount -F vxfs -o ckpt=ckpt name pseudo device mount_point</pre>
Unmount a checkpoint	umount mount_point
Change checkpoint attributes	<pre>fsckptadm [-sv] set [nodata nomount remove] ckpt_name</pre>
Upgrade the VxFS layout	<pre>vxupgrade [-n new_version] [-r raw_device] mount_point</pre>
Display layout version	vxupgrade mount_point

## DEFRAGMENTING A FILE SYSTEM

Action	Command Line
Report on directory fragmentation	fsadm -D mount_point
Report on extent fragmentation	fsadm -E [-l largesize] mount_point
Defragment directories	fsadm -d mount_point
Defragment extents	fsadm -e mount_point
Reorganize a file system to support files > 2GB	fsadm -o largefiles mount_point

#### INTENT LOGGING, I/O TYPES, AND CACHE ADVISORIES

Action	Command Line
Change default logging behavior	<pre>fsck -F vxfs [generic_options] -o delaylog tmplog nodatainlog blkclear block_device mount_point</pre>
Change how VxFS handles buffered I/O operations	<pre>mount -F vxfs [generic options] -o mincache=closesync direct dsync unbuffered  tmpcache block_device mount_point</pre>
Change how VxFS handles I/O requests for files opened with o_SYNC and o_DSYNC	<pre>mount -F vxfs [generic_options] -o convosync=closesync direct dsync unbuffered  delay block_device mount_point</pre>

## QUICK I/O

Action	Command Line
Enable Quick I/O at mount	mount -F vxfs -o qio mount_point
Disable Quick I/O	mount -F vxfs -o noqio mount_point
Treat a file as a raw character device	filename::cdev:vxfs:
Create a Quick I/O file through a symbolic link	<pre>qiomkfile [-h header_size] [-a] [-s size] [-e -r size] file</pre>
Get Quick I/O statistics	<pre>qiostat [-i interval][-c count] [-1] [-r] file</pre>
Enable cached QIO for all files in a file system	<pre>vxtunefs -s -o qio_cache_enable=1 mnt_point</pre>
Disable cached QIO for a file	qioadmin -S filename=OFF mount_point

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