

ALOHA Load-Balancer

Alohactl command line

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Alohactl2 is a command line utility dedicated to manage Load Balancing configuration.

Syntax

```
alohactl2 [ -S <scope> | -T <transactionid> ] <command> [ param ]* [ --<attribut> <value> | --reset-<attribut> ]*
```

Exit codes

- Global errors

1 syntax error/unknown option.
2 missing scope.
3 missing transaction id.
4 missing transaction id or scope.

- Normal errors

20 transaction does not exist.
21 defaults does not exist.
22 object does not exist.
23 object already exists.
24 mandatory parameter not set.
25 invalid parameter value.

- Lock error

100 api is locked, retry later.

- Apply errors

101 invalid configuration (original is restored).
102 new configuration apply failure (original is restored, and re-applied).

- Transaction management errors

110 corrupted transaction
111 unable to create transaction.
112 unable to create transacton module context.
113 unable to prepare commit
114 unable to backup config to try a commit
115 unable to install new config

- Critical errors

- 120 unable to restore original configuration.
- 121 unable apply original restored configuration.
- 122 Unable to save configuration on flash or sync on a peer.

Global commands

- Set and unset global api lock. Used to protect configuration during manual configuration updates or to remove dead locks.
 - `alohactl2 global-lock`
 - `alohactl2 global-unlock`

Should be used by administrator only.

- Save configuration on flash.
 - `alohactl2 global-save`

Entire configuration is saved (no scope limitation available).

- Force remote peer to save its configuration on flash.
 - `alohactl2 global-remote-save`

Entire configuration is saved (no scope limitation available).

- Push and apply local configuration on remote peer.
 - `alohactl2 global-push`

All 14 and 17 services configuration is pushed and apply (no scope limitation available).

- Returns alohactl version.
 - `alohactl2 version`

Definitions

- Scope

Configuration scope provides cloisoning: working on a scope you cannot read or modify configuration of other scopes.

- Transaction

Transaction allow multiple configuration changes in one atomic operation (see begin/commit).

Transaction management commands

- List all available transactions.
- `alohactl2 transaction-list`

Should be used only by administrator.

- Cancel all existing transactions.
- `alohactl2 transaction-flush`

Should be used by administrator only.

- Begins a new transaction on : current configuration is duplicate and used as working context for next operations in the transaction.
- `alohact -S <scope> transaction-begin`

If succeed it returns the transactionid on standard output and exit code 0.

- Delete working context identified by .
- `alohactl2 -T <transactionid> transaction-cancel`
- Re-creates working context from current configuration. Re-plays all update actions recorded on transaction identified by on newly re-created context. If re-play is successful: configuration is locked, validate, applied and finally unlocked. If error occurs during locked phase, it processes a configuration rollback and lock is removed.
- `alohactl2 -T <transactionid> transaction-commit`

L7 module commands

All those commands need a to be applied on a working context, or a to be directly and atomically applied on configuration (processing an implicit transaction-begin and transaction-commit).

Supported L7 objects are farm, server, service and listener. To see details of role, options and attributes of each object please refer to api objects documentation.

L7 farm object commands

- Create a new farm named in current scope using options and attributes values specified in an optional template, completed by options and attributes values specified on command line.
- `alohactl2 [-T <transactionid> | -S <scope>] l7-farm-create <name> [<template>] [--<attribut> <value> | --reset-<attribut>]*`
- Create a new farm named in current scope using options and attributes values of farm named , completed by options and attributes values specified on command line.
- `alohactl2 [-T <transactionid> | -S <scope>] l7-farm-clone <name> <source name> [--<attribut> <value> | --reset-<attribut>]*`
- Update options and attributes values specified in command line of farm named present in current scope.

- `alohactl2 [-T <transactionid> | -S <scope>] l7-farm-update <name> [--<attribut> <value> | --reset-<attribut>]*`
- Delete the farm named present in current scope and sub-objects of this farm (as servers).
- `alohactl2 [-T <transactionid> | -S <scope>] l7-farm-delete <name>`
- Returns attributs values on stdout of farm named :

one attribut per line: + for a configured attribut,
or - if default is used,
or ? if attribut is configured but value is not supported by current api version.

```
alohactl2 [ -T <transactionid> | -S <scope> ] l7-farm-show <name>
```

- List on stdout all names of farms present in current scope.
- `alohactl2 [-T <transactionid> | -S <scope>] l7-farm-list`
- Delete all farms of current scope and sub-objects (as servers).
- `alohactl2 [-T <transactionid> | -S <scope>] l7-farm-flush`

L7 server object commands

- Create a new server named in farm named of current scope using options and attributs values specified in an optional template, completed by options and attributs values specified on command line.
- `alohactl2 [-T <transactionid> | -S <scope>] l7-server-create <farm name> <name> [<template>] [--<attribut> <value> | --reset-<attribut>]*`
- Create a new server named in farm named of current scope using options and attributs values of server named present in farm , completed by options and attributs values specified on command line. If is not specified, it considers equals to .
- `alohactl2 [-T <transactionid> | -S <scope>] l7-server-clone <farm name> <name> <source name> [<source farm name>] [--<attribut> <value> | --reset-<attribut>]*`
- Update options and attributs values specified in command line of server named present in farm named of current scope.
- `alohactl2 [-T <transactionid> | -S <scope>] l7-server-update <farm name> <name> [--<attribut> <value> | --reset-<attribut>]*`
- Delete the server named present in farm named of current scope.
- `alohactl2 [-T <transactionid> | -S <scope>] l7-server-delete <farm name> <name>`
- Returns attributs values on stdout of server named present in farm named :

one attribut per line: + for a configured attribut,
or - if default is used,
or ? if attribut is configured but value is not supported by current api version.

```
alohactl2 [ -T <transactionid> | -S <scope> ] l7-server-show <farm name> <name>
```

- List on stdout all names of servers present in farm named of current scope.
- `alohactl2 [-T <transactionid> | -S <scope>] l7-server-list <farm name>`
- Delete all servers present in farm named of current scope.
- `alohactl2 [-T <transactionid> | -S <scope>] l7-server-flush <farm name>`

L7 service object commands

- Create a new service named in current scope using options and attributs values specified in an optional template, completed by options and attributs values specified on command line.

```
alohactl2 [ -T | -S ] l7-service-create [ ] [ -- | --reset- ]*
```

- Create a new service named in current scope using options and attributs values of service named , completed by options and attributs values specified on command line.

```
alohactl2 [ -T | -S ] l7-service-clone [ -- | --reset- ]*
```

- Update options and attributs values specified in command line of service named present in current scope.

```
alohactl2 [ -T | -S ] l7-service-update [ -- | --reset- ]*
```

- Delete the service named present in current scope and sub-objects of this service (as servers).

```
alohactl2 [ -T | -S ] l7-service-delete
```

- Returns attributs values on stdout of service named :

one attribut per line: + for a configured attribut,
or - if default is used,
or ? if attribut is configured but value is not supported by current api version.

```
alohactl2 [ -T | -S ] l7-service-show
```

- List on stdout all names of services present in current scope.

```
alohactl2 [ -T | -S ] l7-service-list
```

- Delete all services of current scope and sub-objects (as listeners).

```
alohactl2 [ -T | -S ] l7-service-flush
```

L7 listener object commands

- Create a new listener named in service named of current scope using options and attributs values specified in an optional template, completed by options and attributs values specified on command line.

```
alohactl2 [ -T | -S ] l7-listener-create [ ] [ -- | --reset- ]*
```

- Create a new listener named in service named of current scope using options and attributs values of listener named present in service , completed by options and attributs values specified on command line. If is not specified, it considers equals to .

```
alohactl2 [ -T | -S ] l7-listener-clone [ ] [ -- | --reset- ]*
```

- Update options and attributs values specified in command line of listener named present in service named of current scope.

```
alohactl2 [ -T | -S ] l7-listener-update [ -- | --reset- ]*
```

- Delete the listener named present in service named of current scope.

```
alohactl2 [ -T | -S ] l7-listener-delete
```

- Returns attributs values on stdout of listener named present in service named .

one attribut per line: + for a configured attribut,
or - if default is used,
or ? if attribut is configured but value is not supported by current api version.

```
alohactl2 [ -T | -S ] l7-listener-show
```

- List on stdout all names of listeners present in service named of current scope.

```
alohactl2 [ -T | -S ] l7-listener-list
```

- Delete all listeners present in service named of current scope.

```
alohactl2 [ -T | -S ] l7-listener-flush
```

L4 module commands

All those commands need a to be applied on a working context, or a to be directly and atomically applied on configuration (processing an implicit transaction-begin and transaction-commit).

Supported L4 objects are farm and server. To see details of role, options and attributs of each object please refer to api objects documentation.

L4 farm object commands

- Create a new farm named in current scope using options and attributs values specified in an optional template, completed by options and attributs values specified on command line.

`alohactl2 [-T | -S] l7-farm-create [] [-- | --reset-]*`

- Create a new farm named in current scope using options and attributes values of farm named , completed by options and attributes values specified on command line.

`alohactl2 [-T | -S] l7-farm-clone [-- | --reset-]*`

- Update options and attributes values specified in command line of farm named present in current scope.

`alohactl2 [-T | -S] l7-farm-update [-- | --reset-]*`

- Delete the farm named present in current scope and sub-objects of this farm (as servers).

`alohactl2 [-T | -S] l7-farm-delete`

- Returns options and attributes values on stdout of farm named :

one attribute per line: + for a configured attribute,
or - if default is used,
or ? if attribute is configured but value is not supported by current api version.

`alohactl2 [-T | -S] l7-farm-show`

- List on stdout all names of farms present in current scope.

`alohactl2 [-T | -S] l7-farm-list`

- Delete all farms of current scope and sub-objects (as servers).

`alohactl2 [-T | -S] l7-farm-flush`

L4 server object commands

- Create a new server named in farm named of current scope using options and attributes values specified in an optional template, completed by options and attributes values specified on command line. `alohactl2 [-T | -S] l7-server-create [] [-- | --reset-]*`
- Create a new server named in farm named of current scope using options and attributes values of server named present in farm , completed by options and attributes values specified on command line. If is not specified, it considers equals to . `alohactl2 [-T | -S] l7-server-clone [] [-- | --reset-]*`
- Update options and attributes values specified in command line of server named present in farm named of current scope.

`alohactl2 [-T | -S] l7-server-update [-- | --reset-]*`

- Delete the server named present in farm named of current scope.

alohactl2 [-T | -S] l7-server-delete

- Returns options and attributes values on stdout of server named present in farm named :

one attribute per line: + for a configured attribute,

or - if default is used,

or ? if attribute is configured but value is not supported by current api version.

alohactl2 [-T | -S] l7-server-show

- List on stdout all names of servers present in farm named of current scope.

alohactl2 [-T | -S] l7-server-list

- Delete all servers present in farm named of current scope.

alohactl2 [-T | -S] l7-server-flush