



What is the ARP Snapshot option "arw.snap.new.extns.interval.hours"

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Applies to

- ONTAP 9.13.1
- Autonomous Ransomware Protection (ARP) Snapshot

Answer

This option specifies the interval (in hours) between the Anti-ransomware generated snapshot copies for the new extension based detection. A new Anti-ransomware snapshot copy will be created when a new file extension is observed, and the previous snapshot created upon observing a new file extension is older than this specified interval. On a workload that frequently creates new file extensions, this interval helps in controlling the frequency of the snapshot copies created by Anti-ransomware. There is another option `arw.snap.create.interval.hours` which specifies the interval between the Anti-ransomware generated

snapshot copies for the data entropy based detection. The supported values for the -option-value parameter include integers from 24 to 8760. The default value of this option is 48.

Additional Information

For more information about ARP Snapshot options, see [Modify options for automatic Snapshot copies](#)