



## How to configure and enable remote shell (rsh) access on a storage system

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### Applies to

- Data ONTAP 8.2 7-Mode
- Data ONTAP 8.1 7-Mode
- Data ONTAP 8 7-Mode
- Data ONTAP 7 and earlier

### Description

- This KB is about how to configure and enable remote shell (rsh) access on a storage system.
- Error message appears when a wrong entry is used in the `hosts.equiv` file while setting up rsh access.

- **Error message:** `Permission denied` Configure and enable remote shell (rsh) access on the storage system
- This is because the client's username was not set in the `/etc/hosts.equiv` file, or the `/etc/hosts.equiv` file is case-sensitive.