



Cannot offline volume due to "volume busy"

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Applies to

- ONTAP 9
- NDMP
- Volume offline

Issue

- Volume offline is fails with the following:

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vol offline: Error offlining volume "VSERVER:VOLNAME". Unable to set
volume attributes for
volume "VOLNAME" on Vserver "VSERVER". Reason: Volume busy.
```

- In EMS you could also see:

```
[wafl.offline.volref.msg:notice]: 'dump' prevents 'offline' of 'volume  
VOLNAME'.
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