



How to sanitize all disks in ONTAP 9.6 and later

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Applies to

- ONTAP 9.6 and later
- [Disk sanitization](#)
- Maintenance Mode

Description

This guide will describes how to sanitize all of the attached disks in ONTAP 9.6 and later.

WARNING:

- This procedure will wipe all data on an HA pair
- There is no recovery procedure following this process
- Do not turn off power to the node, disrupt the storage connectivity, or remove target disks while sanitizing