

# CLIQ

## The SAN/iQ Command-Line Interface

### User Manual

#### Overview

The SAN/iQ command-line interface (CLI) is built upon the SAN/iQ API released with version 8.x. Develop your own automation, scripting and management using the CLI.

- For instructions about using the CLI, see the Syntax section, immediately following this introduction.
- The section on Global Parameters describes functionality that applies to the entire CLI and includes commands to customize global operations.

#### System Requirements

Windows Server 2003 SP1

Windows Server 2003 R2

Windows Server 2008 R2

Windows XP SP2

Windows Vista

10 MB available space

#### Installing the CLI

Install the CLI from the HP LeftHand Management DVD. The installation wizard automatically installs the command-line software to the following default location in Windows:

C:\Program Files\ LeftHand Networks\CLI

and sets the environment variable.

#### Sample Scripts

You can obtain sample scripts from the HP LeftHand Networks web site at

<http://www.lefthandnetworks.com/home.aspx>

#### On-Node CLI

The CLI is installed on storage nodes and can be accessed by SSH.

- Log in to the on-node CLI using the node IP address and the designated port 16022.
- If logging in from a command line, you must type the following command:

```
ssh -p 16022 -l <user> <NSM-IP>
```

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# Syntax

CLIQ is the command-line interface (CLI) for the HP LeftHand Storage Solution. The CLI specifies parameters in the form parameter=<parameter> (specification), rather than dictating a particular order (positional) notation.

## Parameter ordering

Ordering of parameters is not specified. Any order will do. For example:

```
cliq deleteVolume volumeName=theVolume userName=user passWord=secret  
login=10.1.2.3
```

is equivalent to

```
cliq deleteVolume login=10.1.2.3 passWord=secret userName=user  
volumeName=theVolume
```

The method parameter may be optionally specified as "method=<command>":

```
cliq userName=user passWord=secret login=10.1.2.3 volumeName=theVolume  
method=deleteVolume
```

## Case sensitivity

All commands and parameter names are case-insensitive. "createVolume" is the same as "CreateVolume" is the same as "CREATEVOLUME". In some cases, parameter values, while not sensitive, are case significant as the system will preserve the case specified. For example, the description parameter value in the createVolume command will preserve the case specified by the caller, and impose this on the newly created volume.

## True/False

Any parameter that indicates true/false, may be specified as "0|1" or "true|false".

## Command abbreviation

There is no command or parameter abbreviation in the CLI when scripted. All commands and parameter names must be fully specified. This is to prevent ambiguity in legacy scripts if new commands or parameters are added.

## OS error code integration

The CLI will map error codes to reasonable OS status codes (status in Linux, ERRORLEVEL in DOS). Since these are limited to 0..255, some of the OS errors may have less granularity than the API error codes.

## Composite commands

Some commands take multiple elements for the parameter value. In this case, the parameter is interpreted as an delimiter-separated ordered list. For example:

```
volumeName=volume1;volume2  
login=10.0.1.2;10.1.2.3;10.2.3.4
```

If a parameter contains fewer elements in the list than needed for the composite command, the last one in the list will be repeated. There must be at least one element in the list, if it's required.

## Size specification

When volume sizes or thresholds are specified, the format is <size><units>, where units are:

- MB - megabytes ( $2^{20}$ )
- GB - gigabytes ( $2^{30}$ )
- TB - terabytes ( $2^{40}$ )

There is no default for size units - the units must be specified.

These are defined as International System of Units (SI) for file storage (popular use).

See: <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Megabyte>

Some values may be specified as either a size or percentage, for example, reserveQuota. The units will determine how this is interpreted. For example:

- 10MB=1,048,576 bytes
- 10GB=10,737,418,240 bytes
- 10%=1/10 of the current volume size

## Password prompt

When credentials are required in the CLI, you may not want to display the password by typing the "password=" parameter. If the username parameter is specified without the password parameter,

you will be prompted interactively for the password. This password will not be displayed.

```
cliq getGroupInfo login=10.0.1.2 username=admin  
password: *****
```

## Key file

Instead of specifying username/password parameters, you may choose to specify an encrypted key file which contains the credentials.

This file can be kept in a secure location, or otherwise access-controlled. To create this file, use the createKey command.

```
cliq createKey login=10.0.1.2 username=admin password=secret keyfile=key.dat  
cliq getGroupInfo login=10.0.1.2 keyfile=key.dat
```

## DNS names

You can also specify managers as a host name, provided they can be resolved by DNS:

```
cliq getGroupInfo login=Exchange-1 username=admin password=secret
```

## Storage Node CLI

When commands are executed on the storage nodes (via SSH), no authentication parameters are required:

```
getGroupInfo
```

## Integrated command shell

The CLIQ command line has an integrated shell that's executed by default when connecting directly to a storage node, or running cliq.exe without any parameters:

```
>cliq  
SAN/iQ Command Line Interface, v8.1 (type exit to quit)  
(C) Copyright 2007-2009 Hewlett-Packard Development Company, L.P.
```

```
CLIQ>
```

The integrated shell supports rich command line editing features specific to the HP LeftHand API. The following editing keys are supported:

Key	Meaning
LEFT	Moves the cursor one space to the left.
RIGHT	Moves the cursor one space to the right.
BACKSPACE	Deletes the character under the cursor and moves it to the left.
DELETE	Deletes the character under the cursor.
UP	Recalls the previous command entered.
DOWN	Recalls the first command entered.
HOME	Moves the cursor to the beginning of the line.
END	Moves the cursor to the end of the line.
ESCAPE	Clears the current command line.

INSERT      Toggles between insert mode (the default) and overwrite mode.  
TAB        Completes the command.

## Global parameters

### **timeToWait=<milliseconds>**

Some commands may take a long time to complete. The default is to wait until the command completes or fails. This parameter allows you to specify a maximum wait time for completion. If this time is exceeded, the CLI returns CliqOperationTimedOut.

### **prompt=<true | false>**

Some potentially destructive commands prompt before proceeding. This default behavior can be turned off by specifying prompt=false.

### **output=<XML | Normal>**

In the default case, the CLI returns information to standard output, formatted in a way that's easy to read rather than easy to parse. The XML setting returns all output information as an XML document, allowing easier parsing of the result. There is no guarantee that newer versions of the API will preserve the same formatting in the default case. It is strongly discouraged to use this form of the CLI programmatically. If the output needs to be parsed, the XML variant is preferred.

### **separator=<c>**

Some CLI parameters comprise parameters for multiple operations. For example, the snapshotVolumes command allows the caller to specify simultaneous snapshotting of multiple volumes. In this scenario, some parameters specify an ordered list that apply to each snapshot in succession. For example:

```
description="This applies to snapshot1;This applies to snapshot2"
```

The default separator character is a semicolon (';'). This can be overridden with the separator parameter in the event that the default separator is in the body of a parameter.

```
description="This applies to snapshot1;This applies to snapshot2"
```

### **inputFile=<file>**

This takes all command input from a file containing XML input.

## **Commands**

The following section lists the commands supported

## **addVirtualManager**

This command adds a virtual manager to a group.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq addVirtualManager login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **assignVolume**

This command assigns a volume to a server. This assignment sets the access to a volume, based on host iqn(s).

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume

Optional Parameters:

### **namePrefix**

A prefix string for newly created objects. A unique number value will be concatenated to this prefix to guarantee name uniqueness.

### **accessRights**

The access rights to the volume

- r - read-only
- w - write-only
- rw - read-write (default)

### **initiator**

A semicolon delimited string of host IQN's. If this is not specified, the IQN of the local server is used (this parameter is required if run on a storage node).

### **vipLoadBalance**

Use VIP load balancing for this host. This can be one of:

- 0
- 1 - default

### **exclusiveAccess**

Remove any previous server access rights to this volume. This can be one of:

- 0
- 1 - default

**Example Command:**

```
cliq assignVolume volumeName=TheVolume initiator=iqn.1991-05.com.microsoft:w-
gregorio.corp.lefthandnetworks.com login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin
passWord=secret
```

## **assignVolumeChap**

This command assigns a volume to a server. This assignment sets the access to a volume, using CHAP authentication.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume

### **targetSecret**

The CHAP target secret for the volume.

Optional Parameters:

### **namePrefix**

A prefix string for newly created objects. A unique number value will be concatenated to this prefix to guarantee name uniqueness.

### **accessRights**

The access rights to the volume

- r - read-only
- w - write-only
- rw - read-write (default)

### **chapName**

The CHAP name for the volume. If this is not specified, the IQN of the local server is used (this parameter is required if run on a storage node).

### **initiatorSecret**

The CHAP initiator secret for the volume.

## **vipLoadBalance**

Use VIP load balancing for this host. This can be one of:

- 0
- 1 - default

## **exclusiveAccess**

Remove any previous server access rights to this volume. This can be one of:

- 0
- 1 - default

**Example Command:**

```
cliq assignVolumeChap volumeName=TheVolume targetSecret=HolyHandGrenade  
login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **cacheCredentials**

This command caches the management group credentials and IP addresses in the registry.

Availability: Windows

Required Parameters:

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **groupName**

The name of the group

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq cacheCredentials groupName=TheGroup userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **cancelRemoteSnapshot**

This command cancels a remote snapshot.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes. This is the login information for the remote group containing the specified snapshot.

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **snapshotName**

The name of the remote snapshot

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq cancelRemoteSnapshot snapshotName=snapshot0 login=10.0.1.2  
userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **clearCredentials**

This command removes the management group credentials from the cache.

Availability: Windows

Required Parameters:

### **groupName**

The name of the group

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq cacheCredentials groupName=TheGroup
```

## **cloneSnapshot**

This command creates one or more SmartClone volumes from a SAN/iQ snapshot. These SmartClone volumes have all the functionality of normal volumes.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **snapshotName**

The name of a snapshot for the SmartClone volumes.

### **volumeName**

The name of the SmartClone volume, or volumes to create from the snapshot

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq cloneSnapshot snapshotName=Snapshot1 volumeName=MyClone1;MyClone2  
login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **configureRaid**

This command reconfigures the RAID setting on a storage node.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable name of a storage node

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the node

### **passWord**

The password for the node

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **configuration**

The RAID type to set. The possible RAID levels are reported in the getNsmlInfo call.

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq configureRaid configuration="RAID10" login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **connectVolume**

This command connects an already present array volume to an application server host.

Availability: Windows

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq connectVolume volumeName=MyVolume login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **convertSnapshotTempSpace**

This command converts snapshot temporary space to a volume.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume created from the conversion

### **snapshotName**

The name of the snapshot

Example Command:

```
cliq convertSnapshotTempSpace snapshotName=MySnapshot volumeName>NewVolume  
login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **createAdminGroup**

This command creates an administrative group.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **adminGroupName**

The administrative group name

Optional Parameters:

### **description**

Optional description for the administrative group

### **adminUserName**

Specifies the users that this group comprises

### **permissions**

Permissions for the group. This is a character sequence specifying the allowable permissions in the following order: Password,Group,Network,Node,Report

For each group, the allowable permissions are:

- r, read-only
- w, read-write
- f, full-access

For example:

- permissions=ffffr specifies full access for password, group, network and node, and read-only access for reports
- permissions=rrrfr specifies read-only access for password, group, network and reports, and full access for node

*Note: if this is not specified, the permissions are set to rrrrr*

**Example Command:**

```
cliq createAdminGroup login=10.0.1.3 userName=admin passWord=secret  
description="My shiny new group" adminGroupName=PowerUsers  
adminUserName=user1;user2 permissions=fffffr
```

## **createAdminUser**

This command creates an administrative user.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **adminUserName**

The administrative user name

### **adminPassWord**

The password for the administrative user

Optional Parameters:

### **description**

Optional description for the administrative user

### **adminGroupName**

Specifies a group that comprises this user

Example Command:

```
cliq createAdminUser login=10.0.1.3 userName=admin passWord=secret  
description="My shiny new user" adminUserName=user adminPassWord=secret
```

## **createCluster**

This command creates a cluster in a management group.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **clusterName**

The name of the cluster

### **node**

The host names of the nodes the cluster comprises

Optional Parameters:

### **description**

Optional description for the cluster

### **useVip**

Should virtual IP (VIP) addressing be used? This can be one of:

- 0
- 1 - default, if one or more VIPs are specified

### **vip**

A delimited list of virtual IP address and subnet mask

*Note: since each VIP contains two parameters, IP address and subnet mask, both must be specified in order, even if empty*

Example Command:

```
cliq createCluster login=10.0.1.3 clusterName=TheCluster userName=admin
passWord=secret description="My shiny new cluster" useVip=1 node=10.1.2.4
vip=10.1.2.99;255.255.0.0;;150.215.017.009;255.255.240.0;
```

## **createGroup**

This command creates a new management group. This command may take several minutes to complete.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **node**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable name of one or more storage nodes

### **groupName**

The name of the group

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the new management group

### **passWord**

The password for the new management group

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq createGroup groupName=TheGroup node=10.1.2.3;10.1.2.4 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **createKey**

This command creates an encrypted key file that can be used to specify credentials instead of username/password.

Availability: Windows

Required Parameters:

### **keyFile**

The name for the key file to be created

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq createKey login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret keyFile=c:.key
```

## **createRemoteAssociation**

This command creates a remote group-to-primary group association. This association is done automatically when a remote snapshot is created, so this command is not usually needed.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **remote**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more remote node

### **remoteUserName**

The authentication user name for the remote group

### **remotePassWord**

The password for the remote group

### **remoteKeyFile**

The encrypted key file for the remote group (this is specified instead of the remoteusername and remotepassword parameters)

### **primaryBandwidth**

The remote copy bandwidth to the primary group (this is at the group level)

- <n>Kb, n Kilobits/sec (1000 Bits/second)
- <n>Mb, n Megabits/sec (1000 Kilobits/second)
- <n>Gb, n Gigabits/sec (1000 Megabits/second)

### **remoteBandwidth**

The remote copy bandwidth to the remote group (this is at the group level)

- <n>Kb, n Kilobits/sec (1000 Bits/second)
- <n>Mb, n Megabits/sec (1000 Kilobits/second)
- <n>Gb, n Gigabits/sec (1000 Megabits/second)

Optional Parameters:

**none**

Example Command:

```
cliq createRemoteAssociation login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret  
remote=10.0.1.3 remoteUserName=admin remotePassWord=secret  
primaryBandwidth=10Mb remoteBandwidth=10Mb
```

## **createRemoteSnapshot**

This command creates a remote snapshot of one or more SAN/iQ volumes.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **remote**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more remote node

### **remoteUserName**

The authentication user name for the remote group

### **remotePassWord**

The password for the remote group

### **remoteKeyFile**

The encrypted key file for the remote group (this is specified instead of the remoteusername and remotepassword parameters)

### **primarySnapshot**

The name of the local snapshot to remote copy

### **remoteCluster**

The name of the remote cluster to host the remote volume

"This is not required if the remoteVolume already exists

### **remoteVolume**

The name of the remote volume to host the snapshot

"If this does not exist it is created automatically; if it does exist it must be a remote volume (MakeRemote)

### **remoteSnapshot**

The name of the remote snapshot to create

#### Optional Parameters:

##### **description**

The description of the remote snapshot

##### **primaryBandwidth**

The remote copy bandwidth to the primary group (this is at the group level)

- <n>Kb, n Kilobits/sec (1000 Bits/second)
- <n>Mb, n Megabits/sec (1000 Kilobits/second)
- <n>Gb, n Gigabits/sec (1000 Megabits/second)

##### **remoteBandwidth**

The remote copy bandwidth to the remote group (this is at the group level)

- <n>Kb, n Kilobits/sec (1000 Bits/second)
- <n>Mb, n Megabits/sec (1000 Kilobits/second)
- <n>Gb, n Gigabits/sec (1000 Megabits/second)

#### Example Command:

```
cliq createRemoteSnapshot primarySnapshot=Snapshot0 remoteSnapshot=Snapshot0  
remoteVolume=Volume0 description="Exchange DB-1" login=10.1.2.3  
userName=admin passWord=secret remote=10.1.2.4 remoteUserName=admin  
remotePassWord=secret
```

## **createSite**

This command creates a site in a multi-site SAN.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **siteName**

The name of the site

Optional Parameters:

### **description**

Description for the site

### **primary**

This site is the primary site. This can be one of:

- 0
- 1 - default

Example Command:

```
cliq createSite siteName=Headquarters login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **createSnapshot**

This command creates a snapshot of one or more SAN/iQ volumes.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **volumeName**

A delimited list of volumes to snapshot

### **snapshotName**

A delimited list of snapshot names

Optional Parameters:

### **description**

A delimited list of snapshot descriptions

### **inheritAccess**

- 0 - the snapshot(s) will not inherit the volume list, authentication group, ACL relationships of the original volume (default)
- 1 - the snapshot(s) will inherit the volume list, authentication group, ACL relationships of the original volume

Example Command:

```
cliq createSnapshot volumeName=volume0;volume1  
snapshotName=snapshot0;snapshot1 login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **createVolume**

This command creates a SAN volume without connecting to a host.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume

### **clusterName**

The name of the cluster to contain the volume

### **size**

The size of the volume, with units specified:

- <n>MB, n Megabytes (1024 Kilobytes)
- <n>GB, n Gigabytes (1024 Megabytes)
- <n>TB, n Terabytes (1024 Gigabytes)

Optional Parameters:

### **description**

A description for the volume created

### **replication**

The replication level for the volume (1|2|3|4)

### **minReplication**

The minimum replication allowed for the volume before it goes offline (1|2|3|4). Note: the minReplication value must be equal to or less than the replication value on the volume.

### **checkSum**

- 0 - the volume does not use checksums

- 1 - the volume uses checksums

### **thinProvision**

- 0 - the volume does not use thin-provisioning
- 1 - The volume is thin-provisioned (in a thinly provisioned volume, reserve may be < length)

### **initialQuota**

The initial quota for the volume, as a percentage or size - the volume resets to this initial size when a snapshot is taken

### **reserveQuota**

The reserve quota for the volume, as a percentage or size - this is the size guaranteed to be available for this volume, regardless of space allocated to other objects in the system

### **scratchQuota**

The scratch quota for the volume, as a percentage or size - this is the size guaranteed to be available for snapshots of this volume, regardless of space allocated to other objects in the system

### **stridePages**

This is the initial stride setting for the volume - this must be a power of 2 (1,2,4,8)

**WARNING:** Enabling checksums or using an initialQuota or stridePages value other than the default may impact application server performance. minReplication values of 3 and 4 are experimental and have not been fully regression tested. Use at your own risk.

Example Command:

```
cliq createVolume volumeName=MyVolume clusterName=TheCluster size=100GB
description="Exchange DB-1" login=10.0.1.2;10.0.1.3 username=admin
password=secret
```

## **deleteAdminGroup**

This command deletes an administrative group.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **adminGroupName**

The administrative group name

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq deleteAdminGroup login=10.0.1.3 userName=admin passWord=secret  
adminGroupName=PowerUsers
```

## **deleteAdminUser**

This command deletes an administrative user.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **adminUserName**

The administrative user name

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq deleteAdminUser login=10.0.1.3 userName=admin passWord=secret  
adminUserName=user
```

## **deleteCluster**

This command deletes a cluster, removing all storage nodes.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **clusterName**

The name of the cluster

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq deleteCluster clusterName=TheCluster login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **deleteGroup**

This command deletes a management group, removing all storage nodes.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **groupName**

The name of the group

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq deleteGroup groupName=TheGroup login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **deleteRemoteAssociation**

This command deletes a remote group-to-primary group association.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **remote**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more remote node

### **remoteUserName**

The authentication user name for the remote group

### **remotePassWord**

The password for the remote group

### **remoteKeyFile**

The encrypted key file for the remote group (this is specified instead of the remoteusername and remotepassword parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq deleteRemoteAssociation login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret  
remote=10.0.1.3 remoteUserName=admin remotePassWord=secret
```

## **deleteSite**

This command deletes a site in a multi-site SAN.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **siteName**

The name of the site

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq deleteSite siteName=Headquarters login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **deleteSnapshot**

This command deletes a snapshot.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **snapshotName**

The name of the snapshot

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq deleteSnapshot snapshotName=Snapshot0 login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **deleteSnapshotTempSpace**

This command deletes the snapshot temporary space.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **snapshotName**

The name of the snapshot

Example Command:

```
cliq deleteSnapshotTempSpace snapshotName=TheSnapshot login=10.1.2.3  
userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **deleteVirtualManager**

This command deletes a virtual manager from a group.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq deleteVirtualManager login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **deleteVolume**

This command forcibly deletes a SAN volume without disconnecting from the host.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq deleteVolume volumeName=MyVolume login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **disconnectLocalVolume**

This command disconnects a SAN volume from the host.

Availability: Windows

Required Parameters:

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume from the host perspective

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq disconnectLocalVolume volumeName=z:
```

## **discoverTcp**

This command discovers storage nodes and management groups on the network, using TCP.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **node**

One or more IP addresses or DNS-resolvable names to attempt to find

Optional Parameters:

### **groupOrder**

Return storage nodes ordered by group membership. This can be one of:

- 0 - default
- 1

### **receivePort**

The TCP port to receive the discovery packets (defaults to an unused port if unspecified)

### **waitForData**

The number of milliseconds to wait for the discovery info (defaults to 3000 if unspecified)

Example Command:

```
cliq discoverTCP groupOrder=1 node=10.1.2.3;10.1.2.4
```

## **discoverUpd**

This command discovers storage nodes and management groups on the network, using UDP.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **ipMask**

An IP address mask for UDP discovery

### **ipSubnet**

An IP address subnet for UDP discovery

Optional Parameters:

### **groupOrder**

Return storage nodes ordered by group membership. This can be one of:

- 0 - default
- 1

### **receivePort**

The UDP port to receive the discovery packets (defaults to an unused port if unspecified)

### **waitForData**

The number of milliseconds to wait for the discovery info (defaults to 3000 if unspecified)

Example Command:

```
cliq discoverUpd ipMask=255.255.240.0 ipSubnet=10.0.0.0
```

## **getClusterInfo**

This command returns information about a cluster.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **clusterName**

The name of the cluster. If this is not specified, all clusters in the group are returned

### **searchDepth**

Which objects to inspect

- 1 - Clusters only
- 2 - Clusters and volumes
- 3 - Clusters, volumes and snapshots
- 4 - Clusters, volumes, snapshots and remote snapshots (default)

### **verbose**

How much information to return

- 0 - Get summary information only (better performance)
- 1 - Get all information (better information - default)

Example Command:

```
cliq getClusterInfo clusterName=Cluster0 login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **getGroupInfo**

This command returns information about a management group.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **searchDepth**

Which objects to inspect

- 1 - Groups only
- 2 - Groups and clusters
- 3 - Groups, clusters and volumes
- 4 - Groups, clusters, volumes and snapshots
- 5 - Groups, clusters, volumes, snapshots and remote snapshots (default)

### **verbose**

How much information to return

- 0 - Get summary information only (better performance)
- 1 - Get all information (better information - default)

Example Command:

```
cliq getGroupInfo login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **getLocalVolumes**

This command returns information about connected volumes hosted by the SAN/iQ array.

Availability: Windows

Required Parameters:

**none**

Optional Parameters:

**none**

Example Command:

```
cliq getLocalVolumes
```

## **getNsInfo**

This command returns information about a storage node.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable name of a storage node

### **userNmae**

The authentication user name for the node

### **passWord**

The password for the node

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq getNsInfo login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **getPerformanceStats**

This command returns performance monitoring statistics.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable name of a storage node

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the node

### **passWord**

The password for the node

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **interval**

The interval in between counter sampling in milliseconds. Defaults to 6000.

*Note: because the internal sampling frequency is 6 seconds, it's not recommended to set this value less than 6000*

Example Command:

```
cliq getPerformanceStats login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **getRemoteSnapshotInfo**

This command returns information about remote snapshots.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **snapshotName**

The name of the snapshot. If this is not specified, all remote snapshots in the group are returned

Optional Parameters:

### **snapshotName**

The name of the snapshot. If this is not specified, all remote snapshots in the group are returned

### **verbose**

How much information to return

- 0 - Get summary information only (better performance)
- 1 - Get all information (better information - default)

Example Command:

```
cliq getRemoteSnapshotInfo snapshotName=snapshot0 login=10.1.2.3  
userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **getScsiInfo**

This command returns SCSI inquiry information about a locally connected volume.

Availability: Windows

Required Parameters:

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume as mounted on the host.

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq getScsiInfo volumeName=z:
```

## **getSiteInfo**

This command returns site information on multi-site SANs.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **siteName**

The name of the site. If this is not specified, all sites in this group are returned.

Example Command:

```
cliq getSiteInfo siteName=TheSite login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **getSnapshotInfo**

This command returns information about a snapshot.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **snapshotName**

The name of the snapshot. If this is not specified, all snapshots in the group are returned

### **searchDepth**

Which objects to inspect

- 1 - Snapshots only
- 2 - Snapshots and remote snapshots (default)

### **verbose**

How much information to return

- 0 - Get summary information only (better performance)
- 1 - Get all information (better information - default)

Example Command:

```
cliq getSnapshotInfo snapshotName=snapshot0 login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **getSystemInfo**

This command returns version information about the API, and other dependent libraries.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

**none**

Optional Parameters:

**none**

Example Command:

```
cliq getSystemInfo
```

## **getVolumeInfo**

This command returns information about a volume.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume. If this is not specified, all volumes in the group are returned

### **searchDepth**

Which objects to inspect

- 1 - Volumes only
- 2 - Volumes and snapshots
- 3 - Volumes, snapshots and remote snapshots (default)

### **verbose**

How much information to return

- 0 - Get summary information only (better performance)
- 1 - Get all information (better information - default)

Example Command:

```
cliq getVolumeInfo volumeName=volume0 login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **help**

This command returns information about the currently supported API command set.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

**none**

Optional Parameters:

**command**

A specific command for more detailed help information

*Note: if help is specified with no parameters, a list of possible return codes is returned*

Example Command:

```
cliq help command=getSystemInfo
```

## **makePrimary**

This command promotes a remote volume to a primary production volume.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq makePrimary login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin passWord=secret  
volumeName="TheVolume"
```

## **makeRemote**

This command demotes a primary volume to a remote snapshot target.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume

### **snapshotName**

The name of the snapshot to be taken when the volume is converted

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq makePrimary login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin passWord=secret  
volumeName="TheVolume" snapshotName="TheSnapshot"
```

## **modifyAdminGroup**

This command modifies an administrative group.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **adminGroupName**

The administrative group name

Optional Parameters:

### **adminUserName**

A list of one or more administrative users this group comprises

### **description**

Optional description for the administrative group

### **permissions**

Permissions for the group. This is a character sequence specifying the allowable permissions in the following order: Password,Group,Network,Node,Report

For each group, the allowable permissions are:

- r, read-only
- w, read-write
- f, full-access

For example:

- permissions=ffffr specifies full access for password, group, network and node, and read-only access for reports
- permissions=rrrfr specifies read-only access for password, group, network and reports, and full access for node

*Note: if this is not specified, the permissions are set to rrrrr*

**Example Command:**

```
cliq modifyAdminGroup login=10.0.1.3 userName=admin passWord=secret  
description="My shiny new group" adminGroupName=PowerUsers  
adminUserName=user1;user2 permissions=fffffr
```

## **modifyAdminUser**

This command modifies an administrative user.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **adminUserName**

The administrative user name

Optional Parameters:

### **description**

Optional description for the administrative user

### **adminPassWord**

The password for the administrative user

Example Command:

```
cliq modifyAdminUser login=10.0.1.3 userName=admin passWord=secret  
description="My shiny new user" adminUserName=user adminPassWord=secret
```

## **modifyCluster**

This command changes settings on a cluster.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **clusterName**

The name of the cluster

Optional Parameters:

### **newName**

The new name for the cluster

### **description**

Optional description for the cluster

### **useVip**

Should virtual IP (VIP) addressing be used? This can be one of:

- 0
- 1 - default, if one or more VIPs are specified

### **node**

The host names of the nodes the cluster comprises

### **vip**

A delimited list of virtual IP address and subnet mask

*Note: since each VIP contains two parameters, IP address and subnet mask, both must be specified in order, even if empty*

Example Command:

```
cliq modifyCluster clusterName=TheCluster login=10.0.1.3 userName=admin  
passWord=secret description="My shiny new cluster" useVip=1 node=10.1.2.4  
vip=10.1.2.99;255.255.0.0;;150.215.017.009;255.255.240.0;
```

## **modifyGroup**

This command changes settings on a management group.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **node**

Specify the storage nodes that the group comprises

### **bandwidthPriority**

The manager bandwidth

- <n>Kb, n Kilobits/sec (1000 Bits/second)
- <n>Mb, n Megabits/sec (1000 Kilobits/second)
- <n>Gb, n Gigabits/sec (1000 Megabits/second)

### **customerName**

Customer name

### **supportId**

Support ID provided by HP LeftHand Networks

### **contactName**

Contact name

### **postalAddress**

Postal address

### **cityName**

Postal city

**stateName**

Postal state

**countryName**

Postal country

**postalCode**

Postal code

**telephoneNumber**

Contact telephone number

**emailAddress**

Contact email address

**Example Command:**

```
cliq modifyGroup login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret  
node=10.0.1.2;10.0.1.3
```

## **modifyRemoteAssociation**

This command modifies a previously created remote volume association.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **remote**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more remote node

### **remoteUserName**

The authentication user name for the remote group

### **remotePassWord**

The password for the remote group

### **remoteKeyFile**

The encrypted key file for the remote group (this is specified instead of the remoteusername and remotepassword parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **primaryBandwidth**

The remote copy bandwidth to the primary group (this is at the group level)

- <n>Kb, n Kilobits/sec (1000 Bits/second)
- <n>Mb, n Megabits/sec (1000 Kilobits/second)
- <n>Gb, n Gigabits/sec (1000 Megabits/second)

### **remoteBandwidth**

The remote copy bandwidth to the remote group (this is at the group level)

- <n>Kb, n Kilobits/sec (1000 Bits/second)
- <n>Mb, n Megabits/sec (1000 Kilobits/second)
- <n>Gb, n Gigabits/sec (1000 Megabits/second)

**Example Command:**

```
cliq modifyRemoteAssociation login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret  
remote=10.0.1.3 remoteUserName=admin remotePassWord=secret  
remoteBandwidth=10Mb
```

## **modifySite**

This command modifies a site in a multi-site SAN.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **siteName**

The name of the site

Optional Parameters:

### **node**

Specify the nodes that this site comprises

### **description**

Description for the site

### **primary**

- 0 - this is not the primary site
- 1 - this is the primary site

Example Command:

```
cliq modifySite siteName=TheSite description="My Site" login=10.0.1.2
userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **modifySnapshot**

This command modifies snapshot settings.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **snapshotName**

The name of the snapshot to modify

Optional Parameters:

### **description**

A description for the volume created

### **scratchQuota**

The scratch quota for the snapshot, as a percentage or size - this is the size guaranteed to be available this snapshot, regardless of space allocated to other objects in the system

### **autogrowPages**

The amount to grow the volume when it is thin-provisioned and new pages must be added

**WARNING:** Using an autogrowPages value other than the default may have unanticipated impacts on application performance.

Example Command:

```
cliq modifySnapshot description="New Description" login=10.0.1.2  
userName=admin passWord=secret snapshotName=TheSnapshot
```

## **modifyVolume**

This command modifies volume settings.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume to modify

Optional Parameters:

### **description**

A description for the volume created

### **replication**

The replication level for the volume (1|2|3|4)

### **minReplication**

The minimum replication allowed for the volume before it goes offline (1|2|3|4). Note: the minReplication value must be equal to or less than the replication value on the volume.

### **checkSum**

- 0 - the volume does not use checksums
- 1 - the volume uses checksums

### **thinProvision**

- 0 - The volume is not thin-provisioned
- 1 - The volume is thin-provisioned (in a thinly provisioned volume, reserve may be < length)

### **initialQuota**

The initial quota for the volume, as a percentage or size - the volume resets to this initial size when a snapshot is taken

### **reserveQuota**

The reserve quota for the volume, as a percentage or size - this is the size guaranteed to be available for this volume, regardless of space allocated to other objects in the system

### **scratchQuota**

The scratch quota for the volume, as a percentage or size - this is the size guaranteed to be available for snapshots of this volume, regardless of space allocated to other objects in the system

### **stridePages**

This is the initial stride setting for the volume - this must be a power of 2 (1,2,4,8)

### **autogrowPages**

The amount to grow the volume when it is thin-provisioned and new pages must be added

### **clusterName**

The name of the cluster - changing this migrates the volume to another cluster

### **size**

The size of the volume

### **friendlyName**

This is an optional field used internally

**WARNING:** Enabling checksums or using an initialQuota, stridePages or autogrowPages value other than the default may impact application server performance. minReplication values of 3 and 4 are experimental and have not been fully regression tested. Use at your own risk.

### **Example Command:**

```
cliq modifyVolume description="New Description" login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin  
passWord=secret volumeName=TheVolume
```

## **provisionVolume**

This command creates a volume and connects it to the host.

Availability: Windows

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **clusterName**

The name of the cluster for the volume

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume

### **size**

The size of the volume, with units specified:

- <n>MB, n Megabytes (1024 Kilobytes)
- <n>GB, n Gigabytes (1024 Megabytes)
- <n>TB, n Terabytes (1024 Gigabytes)

Optional Parameters:

### **description**

A description for the volume created

### **replication**

The replication level for the volume (1|2|3|4)

### **minReplication**

The minimum replication allowed for the volume before it goes offline (1|2|3|4). Note: the minReplication value must be equal to or less than the replication value on the volume.

### **checkSum**

- 0 - the volume does not use checksums

- 1 - the volume uses checksums

### **thinProvision**

- 0 - The volume is not thin-provisioned
- 1 - The volume is thin-provisioned (in a thinly provisioned volume, reserve may be < length)

### **initialQuota**

The initial quota for the volume, as a percentage or size - the volume resets to this initial size when a snapshot is taken

### **reserveQuota**

The reserve quota for the volume, as a percentage or size - this is the size guaranteed to be available for this volume, regardless of space allocated to other objects in the system

### **scratchQuota**

The scratch quota for the volume, as a percentage or size - this is the size guaranteed to be available for snapshots of this volume, regardless of space allocated to other objects in the system

### **mountPoint**

The drive letter or mount point on the host for the volume (LUN will be uninitialized if not specified)

### **stridePages**

This is the initial stride setting for the volume - this must be a power of 2 (1,2,4,8...)

### **namePrefix**

A prefix string for newly created objects. A unique number value will be concatenated to this prefix to guarantee name uniqueness.

### **vipLoadBalance**

Use VIP load balancing for this host. This can be one of:

- 0
- 1 - default

**WARNING:** Enabling checksums or using an initialQuota or stridePages value other than the default may impact application server performance. minReplication values of 3 and 4 are experimental and have not been fully regression tested. Use at your own risk.

### **Example Command:**

```
cliq provisionVolume clusterName=TheCluster volumeName=TheVolume
description>NewVolume size=100GB mountPoint=z: login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin
passWord=secret
```

## **rebalanceVip**

This command rebalances the connections to a volume when using a virtual IP address.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq rebalanceVip volumeName=MyVolume login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **removeVolume**

This command disconnects a SAN volume from the host, then deletes it. If the volume cannot be disconnected (because it's in use, or for any other reason), it will not be deleted.

Availability: Windows

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq removeVolume volumeName=z: login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **resetSession**

This command resets the iSCSI session associated with a volume. Some initiators will attempt to reconnect after the reset.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume

Optional Parameters:

### **initiator**

A semicolon delimited string of host IQN's. If this is not specified, all sessions for all connected hosts will be reset.

Example Command:

```
cliq resetSession volumeName=MyVolume login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **rollbackSnapshot**

This command rolls back a snapshot. WARNING: The rollbackSnapshot command will replace the original volume with a new one based on the contents of the snapshot and delete any snapshots created prior to snapshot which is being rolled back.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **volumeName**

The name of the new volume

### **snapshotName**

The name of the snapshot

Optional Parameters:

### **description**

A description for the volume created

Example Command:

```
cliq rollbackSnapshot volumeName=TheVolume snapshotName=TheSnapshot  
login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **runDiagnostic**

This command runs one or all storage node diagnostics.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable name of a storage node

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the node

### **passWord**

The password for the node

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **diagnosticName**

The name of the diagnostic to run (if unspecified, all diagnostics are listed; if "\*" is specified, all are run)

Example Command:

```
cliq runDiagnostic login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret  
diagnosticName=healthCheck
```

## **setGossipList**

This command sets the gossip list on a storage node. In the normal case, the gossip list is managed by the SAN/iQ agent. This is a backup mechanism that the API provides for imposing this if it's set incorrectly.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **node**

A list of IP addresses for the managers in the group

Example Command:

```
cliq setGossipList login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret  
node=10.0.1.3;10.0.1.4
```

## **shutdownGroup**

This command forces a soft shutdown of a management group.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq shutdownGroup login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **shutdownNsm**

This command shuts down a storage node.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable name of a storage node

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the node

### **passWord**

The password for the node

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **action**

The operation to perform. This can be one of:

- "Shutdown" - powers off the storage node
- "Restart" - reboots the storage node
- "Cancel" - cancels a restart or shutdown if pending

Optional Parameters:

### **delay**

The number of minutes to delay prior to shutdown or restart (defaults to 0)

Example Command:

```
cliq shutdownNsm action=Restart delay=10 login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **startManager**

This command starts the manager on a storage node.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq startManager login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **startVirtualManager**

This command starts a virtual manager on a storage node.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq startVirtualManager login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **stopManager**

This command stops the manager on a storage node.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq stopManager login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **stopVirtualManager**

This command stops a virtual manager on a storage node.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq stopVirtualManager login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **testCredentials**

This command tests the login credentials for a management group.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **groupName**

The name of the group (this is specified instead of the username, password and keyfile parameters if credentials are cached)

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq testCredentials login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## **unassignVolume**

This command disassociates a volume from all servers.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

### **volumeName**

The name of the volume

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq unassignVolume volumeName=TheVolume login=10.0.1.2 userName=admin  
passWord=secret  
Required Parameters:
```

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable name of a storage node

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the node

### **passWord**

The password for the node

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **run**

The utility and parameters to execute on the storage node - if this parameter is missing, a list of possible commands is returned

**Example Command:**

```
cliq utility run=ping -c 10 10.3.2.1" login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin  
passWord=secret
```

## **vssSnapshot**

This command snapshots volumes using the VSS requestor client (Windows only).

Availability: Windows (2003, 2008 only)

Required Parameters:

### **none**

Optional Parameters:

#### **volumeName**

The list of volumes to snapshot

#### **persistent**

Is the snapshot persistent? This can be one of:

- 0 - default
- 1

#### **transportable**

Is the snapshot transportable? This can be one of:

- 0 - default
- 1

#### **backupDoc**

The name of the backup document file

#### **writerInfo**

Display information about VSS writers. This can be one of:

- status - writer status
- metadataSummary - summary of the VSS writers
- metadataDetail - detailed information on the VSS writers

#### **shadowInfo**

Display information about VSS shadow copies. This can be one of:

- all - show information on all shadow copies
- <shadow Set GUID> - show information on shadow copies belonging to this shadow set
- <shadow Copy GUID> - show information on this shadow copy

#### **deleteShadowCopies**

Delete VSS shadow copies. This can be one of:

- all - delete all shadow copies
- <volume> - delete the oldest shadow copy of this volume
- <shadow Set GUID> - delete all shadow copies in this shadow set

- <shadow Copy GUID> - delete the shadow copy with this id

### **excludeWriters**

List of writer GUIDs to exclude from the shadow copy

### **includeWriters**

List of writer GUIDs to include in the shadow copy - if the writer is found to not participate in the snapshot, no snapshot will be taken

### **runCommand**

Custom command executed after shadow creation, import or between break and make-it-write

### **importShadow**

Transportable VSS snapshot import

### **mountShadow**

Expose the shadow copy as a mount point or drive letter - the format of this is  
mountShadow="**<GUID>;<mountOrDrive>**"

### **breakShadowCopies**

Break the shadow copy set

#### **Example Command:**

```
cliq vssSnapshot volumeName=y:;z:  
cliq vssSnapshot volumeName=c:f: includeWriters=afbab4a2-367d-4d15-a586-  
71dbb18f8485
```

*Note: in the second example, we are validating that the registry writer participates in the snapshot. If it does not, the command will return CliqNothingDone. You can discover the GUIDs for writers by running "cliq vssSnapshot writerInfo=status".*

## **waitForAlert**

This command waits for an alert message.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **node**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable name of a storage node

Optional Parameters:

### **receivePort**

The UDP port to receive the discovery packets (defaults to an unused port if unspecified)

### **waitForData**

The number of milliseconds to wait for an alert (defaults to 60000 if unspecified)

Example Command:

```
cliq waitForAlert node=10.1.2.3
```

## **waitForUpdate**

This command will block on a change to the state in the management group.

Availability: Windows, SAN/iQ

Required Parameters:

### **login**

The IP address or DNS-resolvable names of one or more storage nodes

### **userName**

The authentication user name for the group

### **passWord**

The password for the group

### **keyFile**

The encrypted key file (this is specified instead of the username and password parameters)

Optional Parameters:

### **none**

Example Command:

```
cliq waitForUpdate login=10.1.2.3 userName=admin passWord=secret
```

## Return Codes

**0** CliqSuccess

Everything succeeded normally.

**1** CliqNothingDone

Operation has succeeded, but nothing was done (the system was already in the requested state).

**2** CliqOperationPending

Operation has not failed, but is not yet complete. The "handle" parameter contains a value that can be used to query and cancel the operation.

**3** CliqOperationAbandoned

Operation was intentionally cancelled or abandoned.

**4** CliqNothingFound

Nothing was found.

**128** CliqUnexpected

An unexpected error has occurred.

**129** CliqXmlError

The XML given is not well-formed.

**130** CliqParameterFormat

The parameter is not specified correctly.

**131** CliqParameterRepeat

A parameter is repeated.

**132** CliqMissingMethod

The command method is missing.

**133** CliqMissingParameter

One or more expected parameters are missing.

**134** CliqUnrecognizedCommand

This command is unrecognized.

- 135** CliqUnrecognizedParameter  
This parameter is unrecognized.
- 136** CliqIncompatibleParameters  
Two or more parameters supplied are incompatible with each other.
- 137** CliqNotYetImplemented  
This is a legal command - we just haven't done it yet.
- 138** CliqNoMemory  
Out of memory.
- 139** CliqVolumeNotFound  
Could not find the requested volume.
- 140** CliqVolumeInUse  
The requested volume is in use.
- 141** CliqVolumeInitFailure  
Volume initialization failed.
- 142** CliqUnrecognizedVolume  
The volume is an unrecognized type.
- 143** CliqOperationFailed  
General SAN/iQ error - the operation failed.
- 144** CliqCredentialsFailed  
The supplied credentials are incorrect.
- 145** CliqInvalidParameter  
Invalid parameter.
- 146** CliqObjectNotFound  
Object not found.
- 147** CliqConnectionFailure  
Failed to connect to the API server.

- 148** CliqNotEnoughSpace  
Not enough space to complete the command.
- 149** CliqNoManager  
Could not find a manager.
- 150** CliqSocketError  
Network socket error.
- 151** CliqOperationTimedOut  
Operation exceeded the specified timeout.
- 152** CliqNoPlatformSupport  
This operating system type does not support the operation.
- 153** CliqIncorrectOsVersion  
This operating system version does not support the operation.
- 154** CliqUtilityNotFound  
The utility command requested was not found.
- 155** CliqUtilityNotAllowed  
The utility command requested is not in the allowed list.
- 156** CliqUtilityIllegalParameter  
The utility command contains unsupported parameters or redirection.
- 157** CliqUtilityFailed  
The utility command executed, but returned a non-zero status code.
- 158** CliqNodeNotFound  
The specified storage node can't be found.
- 159** CliqIllegalUsername  
The username must be 3..40 characters, starting with a letter.
- 160** CliqIllegalPassword  
The password must be 5..40 characters, not / or :.

- 161** CliqFileError  
General file error.
- 162** CliqMissingInitiator  
No iSCSI initiator found.
- 163** CliqInitiatorStopped  
The iSCSI initiator is not running.
- 164** CliqSanIqTooOld  
The version of SAN/iQ software must be upgraded.
- 165** CliqDefaultAdmin  
You cannot delete, modify permissions, or remove the last user from the default administration group.
- 166** CliqVssProviderNotInstalled  
The HP LeftHand VSS Provider is not installed.
- 167** CliqVssProviderNotRunning  
The HP LeftHand VSS Provider is not running.