



# Red Hat Data Grid 7.3

## Data Grid Operator Quickstart

Data Grid Documentation





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## Abstract

Store and retrieve data on Data Grid clusters with the Data Grid Operator.

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The Data Grid Operator provides operational intelligence and reduces management complexity for deploying Data Grid clusters on OpenShift.

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## 1. STORING AND RETRIEVING DATA ON DATA GRID CLUSTERS

### Prerequisites

- Complete the procedures to create a Red Hat Data Grid cluster with the Data Grid Operator and then retrieve credentials for the application user. See the following topics in the Data Grid documentation:
  - [Spinning Up Data Grid Clusters](#)
  - [Retrieving Cluster Credentials](#)

### Procedure

1. Expose the Data Grid service for external access.

```
$ oc expose svc example-rhdg
```

2. Create local variables for the public route and credentials.

- a. Export the host for the public route to a local variable.

```
$ export DATAGRID_HOST=$(oc get route example-rhdg -o jsonpath="{.spec.host}")
```

- b. Export the generated password from the secret to a local variable.

```
$ export PASS=$(oc get secret example-rhdg-app-generated-secret -o jsonpath="{.data.password}" | base64 --decode)
```

3. Store some data through the HTTP endpoint.

```
$ curl -v \  
-X POST \  
-u developer:${PASS} \  
-H 'Content-type: text/plain' \  
-d 'test-value' \  
${DATAGRID_HOST}/rest/default/test-key  
...  
< HTTP/1.1 200 OK
```

4. Retrieve the data from the Data Grid cluster.

```
$ curl -v \  
-u developer:${PASS} \  
${DATAGRID_HOST}/rest/default/test-key
```

...  
< HTTP/1.1 200 OK  
...  
test-value