

Active Circle

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1. INTRODUCTION TO THE ACTIVE JOB MANAGER

The Active Job Manager is a tool for visualizing and tracking processes within the Active Circle platform.

It centralizes in a **single interface** all current or past activities (jobs) on one or more nodes, thus offering a clear and intuitive overview of the system's state.

THANKS TO THIS TOOL, YOU CAN:

- Monitor in real time the processes executed on each node (archiving, versioning, storage, destaging, copy, duplication, etc.)
- Quickly identify tasks that are in progress, successfully completed, pending, or requiring intervention
- Analyze the activity history to better understand the system's operation and performance
- → The Active Job Manager is therefore an **essential monitoring tool**, designed to facilitate the tracking, analysis and maintenance of your processing flows within Active Circle.

2. ACCESS THE ACTIVE JOB MANAGER



- 1. Open your web browser and access the Active Circle portal by entering your node's IP address in the address bar.
- 2. In the main menu, select the "Active Job Manager" button.
- **3. Log in** with your **usual credentials** (the same as for your Active Circle account).

Note: You must be a **Data Administrator** to access the **Active Job Manager**.

You are now connected to the Active Job Manager and ready to explore the activity of your nodes.

3. DEFINITION OF JOB TYPES

DESTAGING

Making one or more files from a share available in a node's cache.

VERSIONING

Processing of the versioning policy of a share, which manages file versions.

ARCHIVING

Archiving files from a share to tape or the cloud.

STORAGE

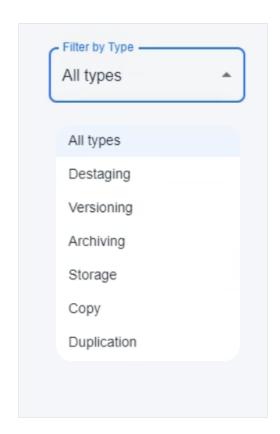
Processing the storage policy of a share, which checks and performs copies of the data to disk if necessary.

COPY

Copying one or more files to a client machine from the Active Circle explorer or the accopy command.

DUPLICATION

Transferring data from one tape to another.



4. JOBS DASHBOARD

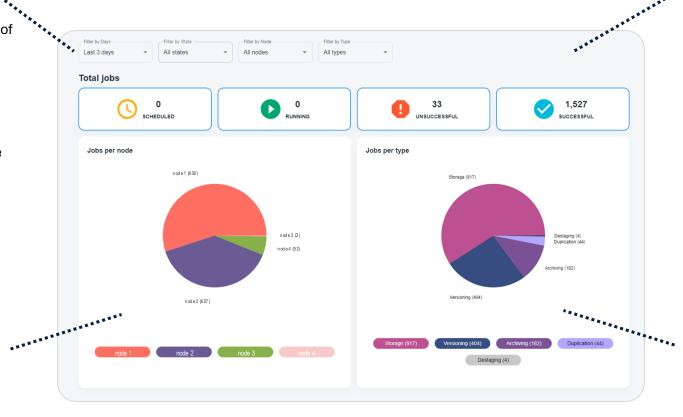
SEARCH FILTERS

These filters allow to refine the display of the jobs:

- **By duration**: by selecting the number of days since the current date (e.g., last 3 days)
- By state: by choosing one or more states (scheduled, ongoing, successful, orfailed jobs)
- By node: by targeting one or more nodes
- By type: by selecting one or more activities (archiving, storage, duplication, etc.)

JOBS PER NODE

- Displays the distribution of jobs by node
- Allows to identify workload or anomalies on a specific node
- Each color corresponds to a node (e.g., node 1, node 2, node 3, node 4...)



SUMMARY INDICATORS

- **SCHEDULED**: number of tasks planned but not yet started
- **RUNNING:** number of tasks currently running
- UNSUCCESSFUL: number of failed tasks
- SUCCESSFUL: total number of successfully completed tasks

These indicators provide a **quick overview** of the system's status.

JOBS PER TYPE

- Displays the distribution of jobs by process type: Storage, Versioning, Archiving, Duplication, Destaging, Copy...
- Allows to analyze the nature of dominant activities and to identify potential workload imbalances

5. JOBS LIST

PURPOSES OF THIS VIEW:

- To provide a **detailed and comprehensive view** of each job executed on the platform.
- To facilitate the rapid diagnosis of errors or interruptions.
- To ensure accurate monitoring of the progress and success of treatments.
- To compare activity between different nodes to detect potential load imbalances.

→ By clicking on an item in the list, a page opens to display the details of the corresponding job.

SEARCH BAR

Job name, usually

NAME

composed of the

unique identifier.

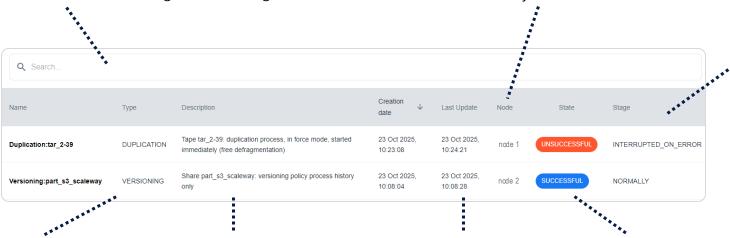
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- Allows to quickly search for a job by its name, type or description.
- Allows to filter a specific task from a large number of results.
- · Provides direct access to key information without having to scroll through the entire list.

NODE

Node on which the job was executed (e.g., node 1, node 2, ...)

 Allows to spotlight the load distribution across the different nodes of the system.



STAGE

Final phase or cause of job interruption.

 Helps to quickly identify anomalies or to confirm the correct execution of the process.

TYPE

Process (e.g.: Duplication, Versioning, Archiving, Storage, etc.)

DESCRIPTION

Details of the process (mode, parameters, versioning, etc.), allowing to **understand the context of the job**.

CREATION DATE / LAST UPDATE

Dates and times of job creation and last update.

 Indicates the execution timeline and facilitates performance monitoring.

STATE

Current state of the job.

- SCHEDULED: planned but not started
- RUNNING: currently running
- SUCCESSFUL: completed successfully
- · UNSUCCESSFUL: failed

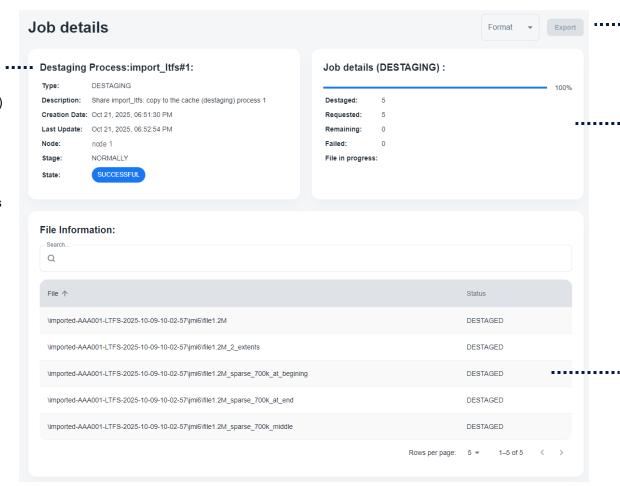
6. JOB DETAILS

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Provides a quick overview of key information regarding the selected job.

- **Type**: the process type (e.g., *DESTAGING*)
- Description: concise description of the task performed (e.g., "Share import_ltfs: copy to the cache (destaging) process 1")
- Creation Date: date and time the job was created
- Last Update: date and time the job was last updated
- Node: node on which the job was executed (e.g., node 1)
- Stage: step or phase of the process (e.g., NORMALLY)
- State: current state of the job (e.g., SUCCESSFUL in green, or UNSUCCESSFUL in red if failed)
- → This information allows to quickly understand the context of the job, its status, and its history.



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Allows to export the job information for later analysis (choice of format: JSON, XML, CSV)

PROGRESS BAR

Displays a visual summary of the job progress. Each job type has **specific details** that are displayed in addition to general information. (here's the example of destaging)

→ This summary allows to follow the progress of the job at a glance and to quickly identify any problems (e.g., failed files).

FILE DETAILS

List the files associated with the job, with specific information for each.

- File: name of the file being processed
- Status: file state (e.g., DESTAGED if processing is complete)



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