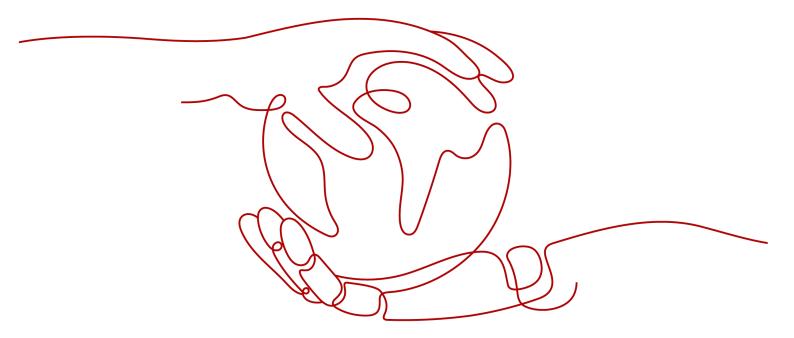
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Creating a Real-Time Migration Task

With DRS, you can migrate data from source to destination in real time. You create a replication instance to connect to both the source and destination databases and configure objects to be migrated. DRS will help you compare metrics and data between source and destination, so you can determine the best time to switch to the destination database while minimizing service downtime.

This section describes how to migrate full+incremental data from an on-premises MySQL database to a Huawei Cloud RDS for MySQL instance through a public network. For more information about real-time migration, see **Migration**Overview.

Operation Process

| Process | Description |
|--|--|
| Preparations | Sign up for a HUAWEI ID, complete real-name authentication, enable Huawei Cloud services, and prepare the database to be migrated, the database connection account, and a network. |
| Step 1: Create a Migration Task | Select the source and destination databases, and create and start a migration task. |
| Step 2: Query Migration Progress | Check the migration progress. |
| Step 3: Compare Migration Items | Create a comparison task to check whether the data in the source database is consistent with that in the destination database. |
| Stopping a Task | After confirming that the data is consistent, cut over workloads and stop the DRS task. |

Preparations

Before creating a real-time migration task, prepare the Huawei account, database to be migrated, database connection account, and network environment by referring to the following steps.

Registering a HUAWEI ID

Prepare a Huawei account, create a user, and grant permissions to the user to use DRS.

- Step 1 Access Huawei Cloud website.
- **Step 2** Click **Sign Up** and follow the instructions to create your account (your HUAWEI ID).
- **Step 3** Select the service agreement and click **Enable**.

The system displays a message indicating that Huawei Cloud services have been enabled.

- **Step 4** Perform real-name authentication.
 - Individual account: Individual Real-Name Authentication
 - Enterprise account: Enterprise Real-Name Authentication
- Step 5 For fine-grained permissions management, create an Identity and Access Management (IAM) user and user group on the IAM console and grant the user specific operation permissions. For details, see Creating a User and Granting Permissions

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Databases

Before creating a real-time migration task, you need to prepare the source and destination databases.

• The source database in this example is an on-premises MySQL database. Prepare the following source database details:

| Item | Example Value | Description |
|-------------------|---------------|----------------------|
| DB engine version | MySQL 5.7 | - |
| IP address | 10.154.217.42 | Enter an IP address. |
| Port | 3306 | - |

 The destination database in this example is a Huawei Cloud RDS for MySQL instance. You need to prepare the database details by referring to Getting Started with RDS for MySQL.

| Item | Example Value | Description |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| Region | AP-Singapore | To reduce network latency, select the region nearest to you. |
| Instance name | rds-mysql | Specify a name that will be easy to identify. |
| DB engine version | MySQL 5.7 | - |
| Instance type | Single | A single instance is used in this example. |
| | | To improve service reliability, select a primary/standby instance. |
| Storage type | Cloud SSD | - |
| AZ | AZ1 | AZ1 is selected in this example. |
| | | To improve service reliability, select the primary/standby instance type and deploy the primary and standby instances in different AZs. |
| Instance class | General-purpose 2 vCPUs 8 GB | - |

Connection Accounts

To ensure a smooth data migration, you are advised to create an independent database account for connecting to the DRS task. In addition, you need to ensure that the account is granted required permissions.

- Source database user
 - a. Log in to the source database.
 - Run the following statement to create database user usersrc:
 CREATE USER 'usersrc'@'%' IDENTIFIED BY 'password';
 - c. Run the following statements to grant permissions to usersrc: GRANT REPLICATION SLAVE, REPLICATION CLIENT ON *.* TO 'usersrc'; GRANT SELECT, SHOW VIEW, EVENT, LOCK TABLES ON *.* TO 'usersrc';
- Destination database user
 - a. Connect to an RDS for MySQL instance through DAS.
 - b. Run the following statement to create database user **usertar**. For details, see **Creating a Database Account Through DAS**.
 - **CREATE USER** 'usertar'@'%' **IDENTIFIED BY** 'password;
 - c. Run the following statement to grant permissions to **usertar**:

GRANT SELECT, CREATE, ALTER, DROP, DELETE, INSERT, UPDATE, INDEX, EVENT, CREATE VIEW, CREATE ROUTINE, TRIGGER **ON** *.* **TO** 'usertar' **WITH GRANT OPTION**:

Network

Before creating a migration task over a public network, you need to apply for an EIP and configure the firewall of your local data center so that the EIP can access the on-premises database.

- **Step 1** Create an EIP for the DRS migration task by referring to **Assigning an EIP**.
- **Step 2** Configure the firewall of the local data center.

Add the EIP created in **Step 1** to the whitelist of the source database to ensure that the source database can access EIP.

Step 3 Configure the IP address whitelist for the on-premises database.

Add the DRS instance EIP to the whitelist of the on-premises database to allow the access from the DRS instance.

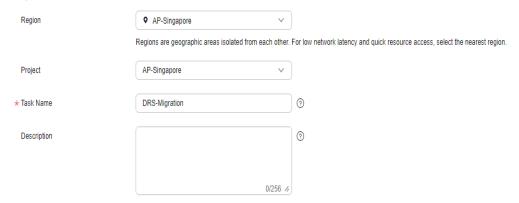
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Step 1: Create a Migration Task

This step describes how to set parameters based on the example values in **Preparations**. For more information about real-time migration, see **Migration Overview**.

- Step 1 Go to the Create Migration Task page.
- **Step 2** Configure basic information as follows:

Figure 1-1 Basic information

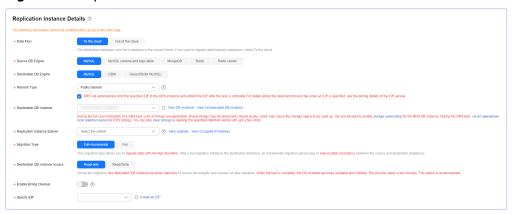


| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|-----------|------------------|--|
| Region | AP-Singapore | The region where the current task is deployed. |
| Project | AP-Singapore | The project corresponds to the current region. |

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|-------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Task Name | DRS- Migration | The name of the migration task. |
| Description | Leave this parameter blank for now. | Task description. |

Step 3 Configure information about the replication instance.

Figure 1-2 Replication instance details



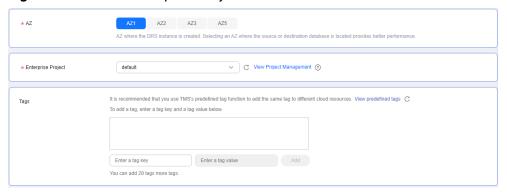
| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|--------------------------|------------------|---|
| Data Flow | To the Cloud | The direction of the migration task. The options are To the cloud and Out of the cloud . |
| | | • To the cloud : The destination database is a Huawei Cloud DB instance and data needs to be transferred to the cloud. |
| | | Out of the cloud: The source database is a Huawei Cloud DB instance and data needs to be transferred out of the cloud. |
| Source DB Engine | MySQL | The DB engine type of the source database. |
| Destination DB Engine | MySQL | The DB engine type of the destination database. |

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------|---|
| Network Type | Public network | The network type of the migration task. VPC: suitable for migrations between cloud databases of the same account in the same region and VPC. Public network: suitable for migrations from on-premises databases or external cloud databases to destination databases. VPN or Direct Connect: suitable for migrations from on-premises databases to cloud databases or between cloud databases across regions using a VPN, Direct Connect, Cloud Connect, VPCEP, or a |
| Destination DB Instance | rds-mysql | VPC peering connection. Select a destination DB instance. The destination DB instance is rds-mysql in Databases . |
| Replication Instance Subnet | Default subnet | The subnet where the migration task is. |
| Migration Type | Full +Incremental | The available options are Full and Full +Incremental. Full: This migration type is suitable for scenarios where services can be interrupted. If you are performing a full migration, do not perform operations on the source database during the migration, or data generated in the source database during the migration will not be synchronized to the destination database. Full+Incremental: This migration type allows you to migrate data without interrupting services. |
| Destination DB Instance Access | Read-only | During the migration, the destination DB instance can be set to read-only or read/write. Read-only: During the migration, the destination database is read-only. After the migration is complete, it restores to the read/write status. This option ensures the integrity and improves the success rate of data migration. Read/Write: During the migration, the destination database can be read and written. |

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|--------------------------|------------------|--|
| Enable Binlog Cleanup | No | Whether to enable the function of quickly clearing binlogs of the destination database. |
| Specify EIP | - | Select an EIP for the DRS instance. In this example, it is the EIP created in Network . |

Step 4 Select an AZ and an enterprise project.

Figure 1-3 AZ and Enterprise Project



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| AZ | AZ1 | Select the AZ where you want to create the DRS task. |
| Enterprise Project | default | If your account is associated with an enterprise project, select the project from the Enterprise Project drop-down list. |
| | | For more details, see Enterprise Management User Guide . |
| Tags | Leave this parameter blank for now. | Tags for the migration task. Adding tags helps you better identify and manage your tasks. |

Step 5 Click Create Now.

Wait for 5 to 10 minutes. If the message "Replication instance created successfully" is displayed, the DRS task is successfully created.

- **Step 6** On the **Configure Source and Destination Databases** page, specify source and destination database details and click **Test Connection** for both the source and destination databases to confirm they have been connected to the DRS instance.
 - 1. In the **Source Database** area, enter the source database details in **Connection Accounts**.

2. Click **Test Connection**.

If the message "Test successful" is displayed, the source database is connected.

- 3. In the **Destination Database** area, enter the destination database details in **Connection Accounts**.
- 4. Click **Test Connection**.

If the message "Test successful" is displayed, the destination database is connected.

5. Click **Next**.

Step 7 On the **Set Task** page, select the objects to be migrated and click **Next**.

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Figure 1-4 Migration Type

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|---|------------------|--|
| Flow Control | No | Whether to set a maximum migration speed of the DRS task. This function is disabled by default. Flow Control is only used during the full migration phase. |
| Migrate Incremental Accounts and Permissions | No | Whether to migrate incremental accounts and permissions during database migration. |
| Migrate Account | No | Whether to migrate users in the source database. |
| Filter DROP DATABASE | No | To reduce the risks involved in a migration, DRS allows you to filter out DROP operations. |
| Migration Object | All | Select objects to be migrated. You can select All, Tables, or Databases as required. |

Step 8 On the **Check Task** page, check the migration task.

• If there are any items that require confirmation, view and confirm the details first before proceeding to the next step.

• If any of the checks fail, review the cause and rectify the fault. After the fault is rectified, click **Check Again**.

If the check success rate reaches 100%, the pre-check is successful.

Step 9 Click Next

- **Step 10** On the **Compare Parameters** page, compare and modify common and performance parameters.
 - If you do not want to compare parameters or the parameters of the source database are the same as those of the destination database, skip this step.
 - If the parameters of the source database are inconsistent with those of the destination database, you can manually change the values of the destination database parameters or click **Use Source Database Value** to make the parameter values of the source and destination database be the same.

Step 11 Click Next

Step 12 On the **Confirm Task** page, specify **Start Time**.

Figure 1-5 Task startup settings



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---|
| Start Time | Start upon task creation | Set Start Time to Start upon task creation or Start at a specified time based on site requirements. The Start at a specified time option is recommended. |
| Send Notifications | Disable | This parameter is optional. After enabled, select an SMN topic. If the task billing is about to start, the status, latency metric, or data of the migration task is abnormal, DRS will send you a notification. |
| Stop Abnormal Tasks After | 14 | Any task in the Abnormal state that has run for longer than the period you set here (in days) will automatically stop. |

- **Step 13** Confirm that the configured information is correct and click **Submit** to submit the task.
- **Step 14** After the migration task is submitted, go to the **Online Migration Management** page to check the task status.

- If the task status is **Starting**, the task has been started.
- By default, DRS retains a task in the Configuration state for three days. After three days, DRS automatically deletes background resources, but the task status remains unchanged. When you reconfigure the task, DRS applies for resources for the task again.

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Step 2: Query Migration Progress

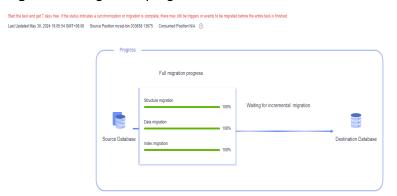
After the migration task is started, you can check the migration progress. DRS shows the migration progress using a progress bar, so you can track the migration progress in real time.

Step 1 On the **Online Migration Management** page, click the target migration task name in the **Task Name/ID** column.

The **Basic Information** page is displayed.

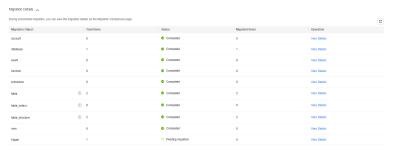
- **Step 2** Choose **Migration Progress** to check the progress and details.
 - **Progress Overview**: When a full migration is complete, the progress of each item reaches 100%. The migration progress is displayed based on the number of migrated objects.

Figure 1-6 Migration progress



• **Migration Details**: If the values of **Total Items** and **Migrated Items** are the same, the object migration is complete.

Figure 1-7 Migration progress details



• Incremental migration delay: After the full migration is complete, you can check the delay of the incremental migration on the **Migration Progress** page.

Delay refers to the delay from when the transaction was submitted to the source database to when it is synchronized to the destination database and executed.

If the delay is 0, the source database is consistent with the destination database, and no new transactions need to be synchronized.

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Step 3: Compare Migration Items

For a full+incremental migration task, when the full migration is complete and the incremental migration delay is 0, you can create a comparison task to check whether the data in the source database is consistent with that in the destination database.

- Object-level comparison: It compares databases, indexes, tables, views, stored procedures and functions, and sorting rules of tables.
- Data-level comparison: It checks the consistency of rows or values in the migration tables.

Object-Level Comparison

You can create an object-level comparison task to check the integrity of database objects.

Step 1 On the **Online Migration Management** page, click the target migration task name in the **Task Name/ID** column.

The **Basic Information** page is displayed.

Step 2 Choose **Migration Comparison**.

The **Migration Comparison** page is displayed.

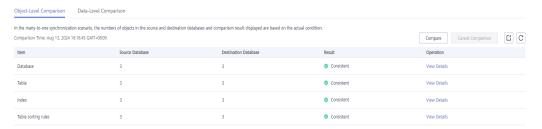
Step 3 Click **Object-Level Comparison**.

The **Object-Level Comparison** page is displayed.

- Step 4 Click Compare.
- **Step 5** After 5 to 10 minutes, click ^ℂ to check the comparison result of each comparison item.

If **Consistent** is displayed in the **Result** column, the object migration is complete.

Figure 1-8 Object-Level Comparison



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Data-Level Comparison

After the database object comparison is complete, you can create a data-level comparison task to check the number of rows or values of the migrated data.

Step 1 On the **Online Migration Management** page, click the target migration task name in the **Task Name/ID** column.

The **Basic Information** page is displayed.

Step 2 Choose **Migration Comparison**.

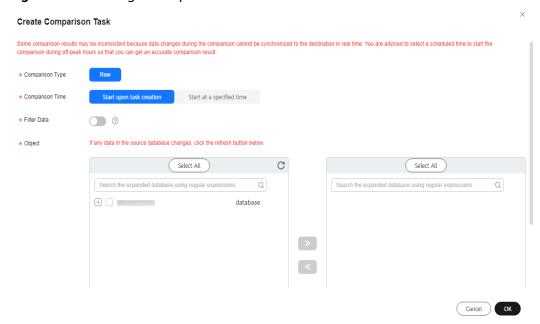
The **Migration Comparison** page is displayed.

Step 3 In the Before You Start pane, click Validate All Rows/Values.

The Create Comparison Task page is displayed.

Step 4 Select a comparison policy and click **OK** to submit the comparison task.

Figure 1-9 Creating a comparison task



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| Comparison Type | Row | The available options are Row and Value. Row comparison: It checks whether the number of rows in a source table is the same as that in the migrated table. Value comparison: It checks whether the data in a source table is consistent with that in the migrated table. |
| Comparison Time | Start upon task creation | The available options are Start upon task creation and Start at a specified time . |
| Filter Data | Disable | Whether to set filtering criteria for comparison objects. After this function is enabled, objects can be compared based on the configured filtering criteria. |
| Object | Select All | Select objects to be compared as needed. |

- **Step 5** Go back to the **Data-Level Comparison** tab.
- **Step 6** Click C to refresh the list. After the comparison task is complete, you can check the comparison result.

If **Consistent** is displayed in the **Result** column, the object data in the source database is consistent with that in the destination database.

Figure 1-10 Row comparison result



----End

Stopping a Task

After confirming that the source and destination data is consistent, you can cut over workloads to the destination database. After workload cutover is successfully completed and applications are running properly, you can stop the migration task.

Step 1 On the **Online Migration Management** page, locate the task and click **Stop** in the **Operation** column.

Step 2 In the displayed dialog box, click **Yes**.

----End

2 Creating a Real-Time Synchronization Task

Real-time synchronization refers to the real-time flow of key service data from source to destination while consistency of data can be ensured.

This section describes how to synchronize full+incremental data from an onpremises MySQL database to a Huawei Cloud RDS for MySQL instance through a public network. For more information about real-time synchronization, see **Synchronization Overview**.

Operation Process

| Process | Description |
|--|--|
| Preparations | Sign up for a HUAWEI ID, complete real-name authentication, enable Huawei Cloud services, and prepare the database to be synchronized, the database connection account, and a network. |
| Step 1: Create a Synchronization Task | Select the source and destination databases, and create and start a synchronization task. |
| Step 2: Query Synchronization Progress | Check the synchronization progress. |
| Step 3: Compare Synchronization Items | Create a comparison task to check whether the data in the source database is consistent with that in the destination database. |
| Stopping a Task | After confirming that the data is consistent, cut over workloads and stop the DRS task. |

Preparations

Before creating a real-time synchronization task, prepare the Huawei account, database to be synchronized, database connection account, and network environment by referring to the following steps.

Registering a HUAWEI ID

Prepare a Huawei account, create a user, and grant permissions to the user to use DRS.

- Step 1 Access Huawei Cloud website.
- **Step 2** Click **Sign Up** and follow the instructions to create your account (your HUAWEI ID).
- **Step 3** Select the service agreement and click **Enable**.

The system displays a message indicating that Huawei Cloud services have been enabled.

- **Step 4** Perform real-name authentication.
 - Individual account: Individual Real-Name Authentication
 - Enterprise account: Enterprise Real-Name Authentication
- Step 5 For fine-grained permissions management, create an Identity and Access Management (IAM) user and user group on the IAM console and grant the user specific operation permissions. For details, see Creating a User and Granting Permissions

----End

Databases

Before creating a real-time synchronization task, you need to prepare the source and destination databases.

• The source database in this example is an on-premises MySQL database. Prepare the following source database details:

| Item | Example Value | Description |
|-------------------|---------------|----------------------|
| DB engine version | MySQL 5.7 | - |
| IP address | 10.154.217.42 | Enter an IP address. |
| Port | 3306 | - |

 The destination database in this example is a Huawei Cloud RDS for MySQL instance. You need to prepare the database details by referring to Getting Started with RDS for MySQL.

| Item | Example Value | Description |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| Region | AP-Singapore | To reduce network latency, select the region nearest to you. |
| Instance name | rds-mysql | Specify a name that will be easy to identify. |
| DB engine version | MySQL 5.7 | - |
| Instance type | Single | A single instance is used in this example. |
| | | To improve service reliability, select a primary/standby instance. |
| Storage type | Cloud SSD | - |
| AZ | AZ1 | AZ1 is selected in this example. |
| | | To improve service reliability, select the primary/standby instance type and deploy the primary and standby instances in different AZs. |
| Instance class | General-purpose 2 vCPUs 8 GB | - |

Connection Accounts

To ensure a smooth data synchronization, you are advised to create an independent database account for connecting to the DRS task. In addition, you need to ensure that the account is granted required permissions.

- Source database user
 - a. Log in to the source database.
 - b. Run the following statement to create database user **usersrc**:
 - **CREATE USER** 'usersrc'@'%' **IDENTIFIED BY** 'password;
 - c. Run the following statements to grant permissions to usersrc: GRANT REPLICATION SLAVE, REPLICATION CLIENT ON *.* TO 'usersrc'; GRANT SELECT, SHOW VIEW, EVENT, LOCK TABLES, ON [Database to be synchronized].* TO 'usersrc';
- Destination database user
 - a. Connect to an RDS for MySQL instance through DAS.
 - b. Run the following statement to create database user **usertar**. For details, see **Creating a Database Account Through DAS**.
 - **CREATE USER** 'usertar'@'%' **IDENTIFIED BY** 'password;
 - c. Run the following statement to grant permissions to **usertar**:

GRANT SELECT, CREATE, DROP, DELETE, INSERT, UPDATE, ALTER, REFERENCES **ON** *.* **TO** 'usertar';

Network

Before creating a synchronization task over a public network, you need to apply for an EIP and configure the firewall of your local data center so that the EIP can access the on-premises database.

- **Step 1** Create an EIP for the DRS synchronization task by referring to **Assigning an EIP**.
- **Step 2** Configure the firewall of the local data center.

Add the EIP created in **Step 1** to the whitelist of the source database to ensure that the source database can access EIP.

Step 3 Configure the IP address whitelist for the on-premises database.

Add the DRS instance EIP to the whitelist of the on-premises database to allow the access from the DRS instance.

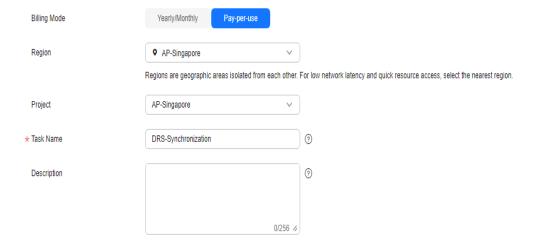
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Step 1: Create a Synchronization Task

This step describes how to set parameters based on the example values in **Preparations**. For more information about real-time synchronization, see **Synchronization Overview**.

- Step 1 Go to the Create Synchronization Task page.
- **Step 2** Configure basic information as follows:

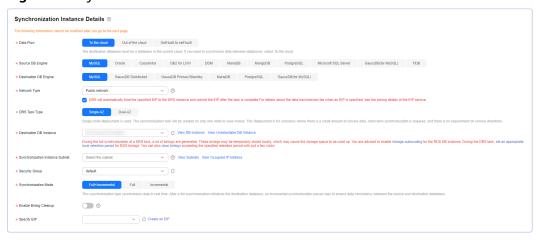
Figure 2-1 Basic information



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|--------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| Billing Mode | Pay-per-use | DRS billing mode. |
| | | Yearly/Monthly: A prepaid billing mode in which you pay for resources before using it. Bills are settled based on the subscription period. |
| | | Pay-per-use billing: A postpaid billing mode. In this mode, you pay for what you used. |
| Region | AP-Singapore | The region where the current task is deployed. |
| Project | AP-Singapore | The project corresponds to the current region. |
| Task Name | DRS- Synchronizati on | The name of the synchronization task. |
| Description | Leave this parameter blank for now. | Task description. |

Step 3 Configure information about the synchronization instance.

Figure 2-2 Synchronization instance details



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|--|----------------------|---|
| Data Flow | To the Cloud | The direction of the synchronization task. The options are To the cloud , Out of the cloud , and Self-built to self-built . |
| | | To the cloud: The destination database is a Huawei Cloud DB instance and data needs to be transferred to the cloud. |
| | | Out of the cloud: The source database is a Huawei Cloud DB instance and data needs to be transferred out of the cloud. |
| | | Self-built to self-built: Neither the source database nor the destination databases is a Huawei Cloud DB instance. |
| Source DB Engine | MySQL | The DB engine type of the source database. |
| Destination DB Engine | MySQL | The DB engine type of the destination database. |
| Network Type | Public network | The network type of the synchronization task. VPC: suitable for synchronizations between cloud databases of the same account in the same region and VPC. |
| | | Public network: suitable for synchronizations from on-premises databases or external cloud databases to destination databases. |
| | | VPN or Direct Connect: suitable for synchronizations from on-premises databases to cloud databases or between cloud databases across regions using a VPN, Direct Connect, Cloud Connect, VPCEP, or a VPC peering connection. |
| DRS Task Type | Single-AZ | Type of the DRS task. The value can be Single-AZ or Dual-AZ . |
| Destination DB Instance | rds-mysql | Select a destination DB instance. The destination DB instance is rds-mysql in Databases . |
| Synchronizati on Instance Subnet | Default subnet | The subnet where the synchronization task is. |
| Synchronizati on Mode | Full +Incremental | The available options are Full, Full +Incremental, and Incremental. |
| Enable Binlog Cleanup | No | Whether to enable the function of quickly clearing binlogs of the destination database. |

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|-------------|------------------|--|
| Specify EIP | - | Select an EIP for the DRS instance. In this example, it is the EIP created in Network . |

Step 4 Select the task specifications and AZ.

Figure 2-3 Specifications and AZ



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|----------------|------------------|--|
| Specifications | Large | DRS instance specifications. Different specifications have different performance upper limits. For details, see Real-Time Synchronization. |
| AZ | AZ1 | Select the AZ where you want to create the DRS task. |

Step 5 Configure an enterprise project and tags.

Figure 2-4 Enterprise Project and Tags



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|-----------------------|------------------|---|
| Enterprise Project | default | If your account is associated with an enterprise project, select the project from the Enterprise Project drop-down list. |
| | | For more details, see Enterprise Management User Guide . |

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|-----------|-------------------------------------|---|
| Tags | Leave this parameter blank for now. | Tags for the synchronization task. Adding tags helps you better identify and manage your tasks. |

Step 6 Click Create Now.

Wait for 5 to 10 minutes. If the message "Synchronization instance created successfully" is displayed, the DRS task is successfully created.

- **Step 7** On the **Configure Source and Destination Databases** page, specify source and destination database details and click **Test Connection** for both the source and destination databases to confirm they have been connected to the DRS instance.
 - 1. In the **Source Database** area, enter the source database details in **Connection Accounts**.
 - 2. Click Test Connection.
 - If the message "Test successful" is displayed, the source database is connected.
 - 3. In the **Destination Database** area, enter the destination database details in **Connection Accounts**.
 - 4. Click **Test Connection**.
 - If the message "Test successful" is displayed, the destination database is connected.
 - 5. Click **Next**.
- **Step 8** On the **Set Synchronization Task** page, select the conflict policy and synchronization objects, and then click **Next**.

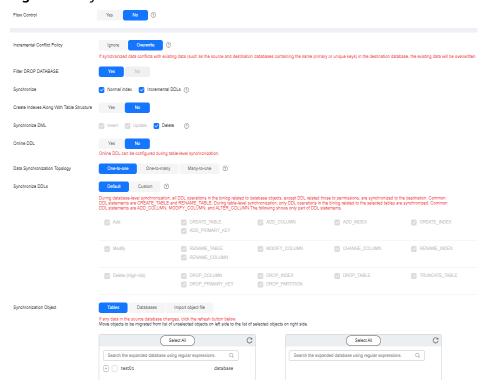


Figure 2-5 Synchronization Mode

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|--|-----------------------------------|--|
| Flow Control | No | Whether to set a maximum synchronization speed of the DRS task. This function is disabled by default. Flow Control is only used during the full synchronization phase. |
| Incremental Conflict Policy | Overwrite | The policy for handling data conflicts during incremental synchronization. By default, conflicts in the full synchronization phase are ignored. |
| Filter DROP DATABASE | No | To reduce the risks involved in a synchronization, DRS allows you to filter out DROP operations. |
| Synchronize | Common index and Incremental DDLs | Select the type of the objects to be synchronized. |
| Create Indexes Along With Table Structure | No | Whether to create indexes along with the table structure in the full synchronization phase. |

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| Synchronize DML | Insert, Update, and Delete | Select the DML operations to be synchronized. By default, all DML operations are selected. |
| Online DDL | No | If table-level synchronization is selected, you can choose whether to synchronize Online DDL. By default, Online DDL is not synchronized. |
| Data Synchronizati on Topology | One-to-one | Data synchronization supports multiple synchronization topologies. You can plan your synchronization instances based on service requirements. For details, see Data Synchronization Topologies. |
| Synchronize DDLs | Default | Select DDL type for incremental synchronization. |
| Synchronizati on Object | Tables | Select objects to be synchronized. You can select All , Tables , or Databases as required. |

Step 9 On the **Process Data** page, set the filtering rules for data processing.

- If data processing is required, select **Data filtering**, **Additional Columns**, or **Processing Columns**. For details about how to configure related rules, see **Processing Data**.
- In this example, data processing is not required. Click **Next**.

Step 10 On the **Check Task** page, check the synchronization task.

- If there are any items that require confirmation, view and confirm the details first before proceeding to the next step.
- If any of the checks fail, review the cause and rectify the fault. After the fault is rectified, click **Check Again**.

If the check success rate reaches 100%, the pre-check is successful.

Step 11 Click Next

Step 12 On the Confirm Task page, specify Start Time.

Figure 2-6 Task startup settings



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| Start Time | Start upon task creation | Set Start Time to Start upon task creation or Start at a specified time based on site requirements. The Start at a specified time option is recommended. |
| Send Notifications | Disable | This parameter is optional. After enabled, select an SMN topic. If the status, latency metric, or data of the synchronization task is abnormal, DRS will send you a notification. |
| Stop Abnormal Tasks After | 14 | Any task in the Abnormal state that has run for longer than the period you set here (in days) will automatically stop. |

- **Step 13** Confirm that the configured information is correct and click **Submit** to submit the task.
- **Step 14** After the synchronization task is submitted, go to the **Data Synchronization Management** page to check the task status.
 - If the task status is **Starting**, the task has been started.
 - By default, DRS retains a task in the Configuration state for three days. After three days, DRS automatically deletes background resources, but the task status remains unchanged. When you reconfigure the task, DRS applies for resources for the task again.

----End

Step 2: Query Synchronization Progress

After the synchronization task is started, you can check the synchronization progress. DRS shows the synchronization progress using a progress bar, so you can track the synchronization progress in real time.

Step 1 On the **Data Synchronization Management** page, click the target synchronization task name in the **Task Name/ID** column.

The **Basic Information** page is displayed.

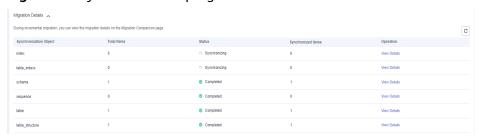
- **Step 2** Choose **Synchronization Progress** to check the progress and details.
 - **Progress**: When the synchronization progress reaches 100%, full synchronization is complete. The synchronization progress is displayed based on the number of synchronized objects.

Figure 2-7 Synchronization progress



• Migration Details: If the values of Total Items and Synchronized Items are the same, the object synchronization is complete.

Figure 2-8 Synchronization progress details



 Incremental synchronization delay: After the full synchronization is complete, you can check the delay of the incremental synchronization on the Synchronization Progress page.

Delay refers to the delay from when the transaction was submitted to the source database to when it is synchronized to the destination database and executed.

If the delay is 0, the source database is consistent with the destination database, and no new transactions need to be synchronized.

----End

Step 3: Compare Synchronization Items

For a full+incremental synchronization task, when the full synchronization is complete and the incremental synchronization delay is 0, you can create a comparison task to check whether the data in the source database is consistent with that in the destination database.

- Object-level comparison: It compares databases, indexes, tables, views, stored procedures and functions, and sorting rules of tables.
- Data-level comparison: It checks the consistency of rows or values in the synchronization tables.

Object-Level Comparison

You can create an object-level comparison task to check the integrity of database objects.

Step 1 On the **Data Synchronization Management** page, click the target synchronization task name in the **Task Name/ID** column.

The **Basic Information** page is displayed.

Step 2 Choose **Synchronization Comparison**.

The **Synchronization Comparison** page is displayed.

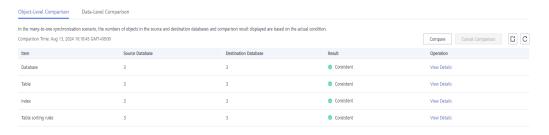
Step 3 Click Object-Level Comparison.

The **Object-Level Comparison** page is displayed.

- **Step 4** Click **Compare**.
- **Step 5** After 5 to 10 minutes, click C to check the comparison result of each comparison item.

If **Consistent** is displayed in the **Result** column, the object synchronization is complete.

Figure 2-9 Object-Level Comparison



----End

Data-Level Comparison

After the database object comparison is complete, you can create a data-level comparison task to check the number of rows or values of the synchronized data.

Step 1 On the **Data Synchronization Management** page, click the target synchronization task name in the **Task Name/ID** column.

The **Basic Information** page is displayed.

Step 2 Choose **Synchronization Comparison**.

The **Synchronization Comparison** page is displayed.

- **Step 3** Click the **Data-Level Comparison** tab.
- Step 4 Click Create Comparison Task.
- **Step 5** Select a comparison policy and click **OK** to submit the comparison task.

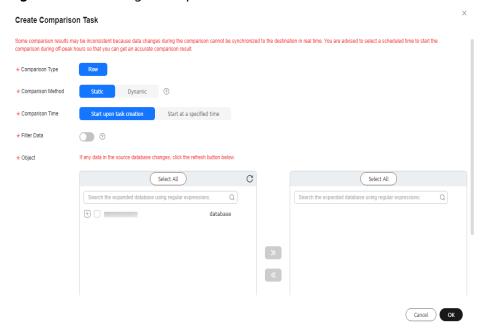


Figure 2-10 Creating a comparison task

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|---|
| Comparison | Row | The available options are Row and Value . |
| Туре | | Row comparison: It checks whether the number of rows in a source table is the same as that in the synchronized table. |
| | | Value comparison: It checks whether the data in a source table is consistent with that in the synchronized table. |
| Comparison Policy | One-to-one | DRS supports one-to-one and many-to-one comparison policies. |
| | | One-to-one: compares the number of rows in a table in the source database with that in the table mapped to the destination database. |
| | | Many-to-one: compares the number of rows in a table in the source database with that in the aggregate table mapped to the destination database. |
| Comparison Time | Start upon task creation | The available options are Start upon task creation and Start at a specified time . |
| Filter Data | Disable | Whether to set filtering criteria for comparison objects. After this function is enabled, objects can be compared based on the configured filtering criteria. |

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|-----------|------------------|--|
| Object | Select All | Select objects to be compared as needed. |

- Step 6 Go back to the Data-Level Comparison tab.
- **Step 7** Click ^C to refresh the list. After the comparison task is complete, you can check the comparison result.

If **Consistent** is displayed in the **Result** column, the object data in the source database is consistent with that in the destination database.

Figure 2-11 Row comparison result



----End

Stopping a Task

After confirming that all data in the source database is synchronized to the destination database, you can stop the synchronization task.

- **Step 1** On the **Data Synchronization Management** page, locate the task and click **Stop** in the **Operation** column.
- **Step 2** In the displayed dialog box, click **Yes**.

----End

3 Creating a Real-Time DR Task

To prevent service interruptions caused by regional faults, DRS provides disaster recovery to ensure service continuity. If the region where the primary instance is located encounters a natural disaster and cannot be connected, you can switch the remote DR instance to the primary instance. To reconnect to the primary instance, you only need to change the connection address on the application side. DRS allows you to perform cross-region real-time synchronization between a primary DB instance and a DR instance during disaster recovery.

This section uses two RDS for MySQL DB instances in different regions as an example to describe how to quickly create a remote single-active DR task through the public network.

Operation Process

| Process | Description | |
|---|--|--|
| Preparations | Sign up for a HUAWEI ID, complete real-name authentication, enable Huawei Cloud services, and prepare the database to be migrated, the database connection account, and a network. | |
| Step 1: Create a DR Task | Select the source and destination databases as required and create a DR task. | |
| Step 2: Query DR Progress | During the disaster recovery, check the DR progress. | |
| Step 3: Compare DR Items | Compare objects and data to be synchronized to ensure data consistency. | |
| Step 4 (Optional): Perform a DR Switchover | Perform a primary/standby switchover for the DR task. | |

Preparations

Before creating a real-time DR task, prepare the Huawei account, database to be migrated, database connection account, and network environment by referring to the following steps.

Registering a HUAWEI ID

Prepare a Huawei account, create a user, and grant permissions to the user to use DRS.

- Step 1 Access Huawei Cloud website.
- **Step 2** Click **Sign Up** and follow the instructions to create your account (your HUAWEI ID).
- **Step 3** Select the service agreement and click **Enable**.

The system displays a message indicating that Huawei Cloud services have been enabled.

- **Step 4** Perform real-name authentication.
 - Individual account: Individual Real-Name Authentication
 - Enterprise account: Enterprise Real-Name Authentication
- Step 5 For fine-grained permissions management, create an Identity and Access Management (IAM) user and user group on the IAM console and grant the user specific operation permissions. For details, see Creating a User and Granting Permissions

----End

Databases

Before creating a real-time DR task, you need to prepare the source and destination databases.

• The source database in this example is an RDS for MySQL instance in the CN-Hong Kong region. For details, see **Buy an RDS for MySQL DB Instance**.

| Item | Example Value | Description |
|-------------------|---------------|--|
| Region | CN-Hong Kong | To reduce network latency, select the region nearest to you. |
| Instance name | rds-DRsrc | Specify a name that will be easy to identify. |
| DB engine version | MySQL 5.7 | - |
| Instance type | Single | A single instance is used in this example. |
| | | To improve service reliability, select a primary/standby instance. |

| Item | Example Value | Description |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| Storage type | Cloud SSD | - |
| AZ | AZ1 | AZ1 is selected in this example. |
| | | To improve service reliability, select the primary/standby instance type and deploy the primary and standby instances in different AZs. |
| Instance class | General-purpose 2 vCPUs 8 GB | - |
| EIP | 10.154.217.42 | Enter an IP address. |

• The destination database in this example is an RDS for MySQL instance in the AP-Singapore region. For details, see **Buy an RDS for MySQL DB Instance**.

| Item | Example Value | Description |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| Region | AP-Singapore | To reduce network latency, select the region nearest to you. |
| Instance name | rds-DRtar | Specify a name that will be easy to identify. |
| DB engine version | MySQL 5.7 | - |
| Instance type | Single | A single instance is used in this example. To improve service reliability, select a primary/standby instance. |
| Storage type | Cloud SSD | - |
| AZ | AZ1 | AZ1 is selected in this example. To improve service reliability, select the primary/standby instance type and deploy the primary and standby instances in different AZs. |
| Instance class | General-purpose 2 vCPUs 8 GB | - |

Connection Accounts

To ensure a smooth data disaster recovery, you are advised to create an independent database account for connecting to the DRS task. In addition, you need to ensure that the account is granted required permissions.

- Source database user
 - Connect to an RDS for MySQL instance through DAS.
 - Run the following statement to create database user usersrc. For details, see Creating a Database Account Through DAS.

CREATE USER 'usersrc'@'%' **IDENTIFIED BY** 'password;

c. Run the following statements to grant permissions to **usersrc**:

GRANT

SELECT,CREATE,ALTER,DROP,DELETE,INSERT,UPDATE,TRIGGER,REFERENC ES,SHOW VIEW,EVENT,INDEX,LOCK TABLES,CREATE VIEW,CREATE ROUTINE,ALTER ROUTINE,CREATE USER,RELOAD,REPLICATION SLAVE,REPLICATION CLIENT ON *.* TO 'usersrc'@'%' WITH GRANT OPTION;

- Destination database user
 - Connect to an RDS for MySQL instance through DAS.
 - Run the following statement to create database user usertar. For details, see Creating a Database Account Through DAS.

CREATE USER 'usertar'@'%' **IDENTIFIED BY** 'password;

c. Run the following statement to grant permissions to **usertar**:

GRANT

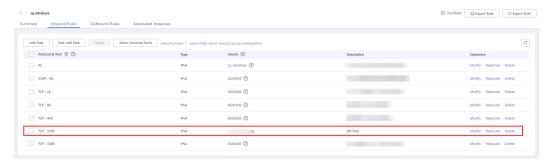
SELECT,CREATE,ALTER,DROP,DELETE,INSERT,UPDATE,TRIGGER,REFERENC ES,SHOW VIEW,EVENT,INDEX,LOCK TABLES,CREATE VIEW,CREATE ROUTINE,ALTER ROUTINE,CREATE USER,RELOAD,REPLICATION SLAVE,REPLICATION CLIENT ON *.* TO 'usertar'@'%' WITH GRANT OPTION;

Network

Before creating a DR task over a public work, you need to apply for an EIP and set security group rules for the source database so that the EIP can access the source database.

- **Step 1** Create an EIP for the DR task by referring to **Assigning an EIP**.
- **Step 2** Configure security group rules for the source database.

Add the EIP in **Step 1** of the DRS instance to the inbound rule of the security group associated with the **source RDS for MySQL database**, select TCP, and set the port number to that of the source database.



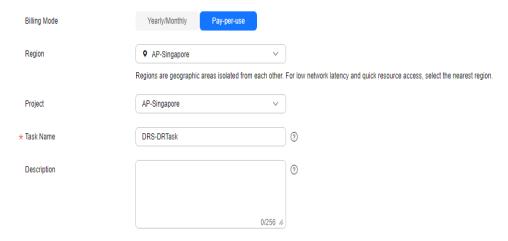
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Step 1: Create a DR Task

This step describes how to set parameters based on the example values in **Preparations**. For more information about real-time disaster recovery, see **DR Overview**.

- **Step 1** Go to the **Create Disaster Recovery Task** page.
- **Step 2** Configure basic information as follows:

Figure 3-1 Basic information



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|--------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| Billing Mode | Pay-per-use | DRS billing mode. |
| | | Yearly/Monthly: A prepaid billing mode in which you pay for resources before using it. Bills are settled based on the subscription period. |
| | | Pay-per-use billing: A postpaid billing mode. In this mode, you pay for what you used. |
| Region | AP-Singapore | The region where the current task is deployed. |
| Project | AP-Singapore | The project corresponds to the current region. |
| Task Name | DRS-DRTask | The name of the DR task. |
| Description | Leave this parameter blank for now. | Task description. |

Step 3 Configure information about the disaster recovery instance.



Figure 3-2 Disaster recovery instance details

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|--|--------------------------|--|
| Disaster Recovery Relationship | Current cloud as standby | The disaster recovery relationship of the DR task. The options are Current cloud as standby and Current cloud as active. |
| | | Current cloud as standby: The DR database is a Huawei Cloud DB instance and data needs to be transferred to the cloud. |
| | | Current cloud as active: The service database is a Huawei Cloud DB instance and data needs to be transferred out of the cloud. |
| Service DB Engine | MySQL | The DB engine type of the service database. |
| DR DB Engine | MySQL | The DB engine type of the DR database. |
| Network Type | Public network | The network type of the DR task. |
| DRS Task Type | Single-AZ | Type of the DRS task. The value can be Single-AZ or Dual-AZ . |
| DR DB | rds-DRtar | Select a DR DB instance. |
| Instance | | The DR DB instance is rds-DRtar in Databases . |
| Disaster Recovery Instance Subnet | Default subnet | The subnet where the DR task is. |
| Destination DB Instance Access | Read-only | During the disaster recovery, set the DR DB instance to the read-only state. |
| Enable Binlog Cleanup | No | Whether to enable the function of quickly clearing binlogs of the DR database. |

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|-------------|------------------|--|
| Specify EIP | - | Select an EIP for the DRS instance. In this example, it is the EIP created in Network . |

Step 4 Select the task specifications and AZ.

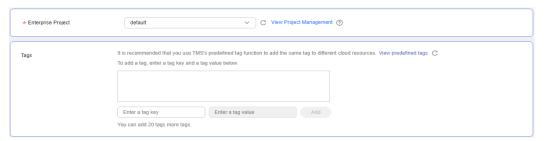
Figure 3-3 Specifications and AZ



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|----------------|------------------|---|
| Specifications | Large | DRS instance specifications. Different specifications have different performance upper limits. For details, see Real-Time DR. |
| AZ | AZ1 | Select the AZ where you want to create the DRS task. |

Step 5 Configure an enterprise project and tags.

Figure 3-4 Enterprise Project and Tags



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|-----------------------|------------------|---|
| Enterprise Project | default | If your account is associated with an enterprise project, select the project from the Enterprise Project drop-down list. |
| | | For more details, see Enterprise Management User Guide . |

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|-----------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Tags | Leave this parameter blank for now. | Tags for the DR task. Adding tags helps you better identify and manage your tasks. |

Step 6 Click Create Now.

Wait for 5 to 10 minutes. If the message "Disaster recovery instance created successfully" is displayed, the DRS task is successfully created.

- **Step 7** On the **Configure Source and Destination Databases** page, specify source and destination database details and click **Test Connection** for both the source and destination databases to confirm they have been connected to the DRS instance.
 - 1. In the **Source Database** area, enter the source database details in **Connection Accounts**.
 - 2. Click **Test Connection**.

If the message "Test successful" is displayed, the source database is connected.

- 3. In the **Destination Database** area, enter the destination database details in **Connection Accounts**.
- 4. Click Test Connection.

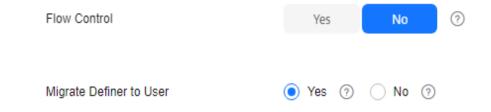
If the message "Test successful" is displayed, the destination database is connected.

5. Click **Next**.

Step 8 On the Configure DR page, specify flow control and click Next.

- Set Flow Control to No.
- Set Migrate Definer to User to Yes.

Figure 3-5 DR settings



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|--------------|------------------|---|
| Flow Control | No | Whether to set a maximum speed for the DR task. This function is disabled by default. |

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|-------------------------------|------------------|---|
| Migrate Definer to User | Yes | Whether to migrate the Definers of all source database objects to the destination database user entered during the connection test. |

Step 9 On the **Check Task** page, check the DR task.

- If there are any items that require confirmation, view and confirm the details first before proceeding to the next step.
- If any of the checks fail, review the cause and rectify the fault. After the fault is rectified, click **Check Again**.

If the check success rate reaches 100%, the pre-check is successful.

Step 10 Click Next

- **Step 11** On the **Compare Parameters** page, compare and modify common and performance parameters.
 - If you do not want to compare parameters or the parameters of the source database are the same as those of the destination database, skip this step.
 - If the parameters of the source database are inconsistent with those of the destination database, you can manually change the values of the destination database parameters or click **Use Source Database Value** to make the parameter values of the source and destination database be the same.

Step 12 Click Next

Step 13 On the **Confirm Task** page, specify **Start Time**.

Figure 3-6 Task startup settings



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|------------|-----------------------------|--|
| Start Time | Start upon task creation | Set Start Time to Start upon task creation or Start at a specified time based on site requirements. The Start at a specified time option is recommended. |

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|---------------------------------|------------------|--|
| Send Notifications | Disable | This parameter is optional. After enabled, select an SMN topic. If the status, latency metric, or data of the DR task is abnormal, DRS will send you a notification. |
| Stop Abnormal Tasks After | 14 | Any task in the Abnormal state that has run for longer than the period you set here (in days) will automatically stop. |

- **Step 14** Confirm that the configured information is correct and click **Submit** to submit the task.
- **Step 15** After the DR task is submitted, go to the **Disaster Recovery Management** page to check the task status.
 - If the task status is **Starting**, the task has been started.
 - By default, DRS retains a task in the Configuration state for three days. After three days, DRS automatically deletes background resources, but the task status remains unchanged. When you reconfigure the task, DRS applies for resources for the task again.

----End

Step 2: Query DR Progress

After the DR task is started, you can check the DR progress. DRS shows the DR progress using a progress bar, so you can track the DR progress in real time.

Step 1 On the **Disaster Recovery Management** page, click the target DR task in the **Task Name/ID** column.

The **Basic Information** page is displayed.

- **Step 2** Choose **Disaster Recovery Progress** to check the progress.
 - When the data initialization is complete, the initialization progress is displayed as 100%.
 - Delay refers to the delay from when the transaction was submitted to the source database to when it is synchronized to the destination database and executed.

When the delay is 0, data is synchronized from the service database to the DR database in real time. You can view more metrics, such as RPO and RTO, on the **Disaster Recovery Monitoring** tab.

Step 3 When the delay of the DR task is 0s, you can use **data comparison** to check whether the data in the service database is consistent with that in the DR database.

----End

Step 3: Compare DR Items

When the task enters the **Disaster recovery in progress** state and the RPO and RTO are 0, you can create a comparison task to check whether the data in the source database is consistent with that in the destination database.

- Object-level comparison: It compares databases, indexes, tables, views, stored procedures and functions, and sorting rules of tables. You are advised to perform an object-level comparison first.
- Data-level comparison: It checks the consistency of rows or values in the migration tables.

Object-Level Comparison

You can create an object-level comparison task to check the integrity of database objects.

Step 1 On the **Disaster Recovery Management** page, click the target DR task in the **Task Name/ID** column.

The **Basic Information** page is displayed.

Step 2 Choose **Disaster Recovery Comparison**.

The **Disaster Recovery Comparison** page is displayed.

Step 3 Click **Object-Level Comparison**.

The **Object-Level Comparison** page is displayed.

- **Step 4** Click **Compare**.
- **Step 5** After 5 to 10 minutes, click ^ℂ to check the comparison result of each comparison item.

If Consistent is displayed in the Result column, the object migration is complete.

Figure 3-7 Object-Level Comparison



----End

Data-Level Comparison

After the database object comparison is complete, you can create a data-level comparison task to check the number of rows or values of the disaster recovery data.

Step 1 On the **Disaster Recovery Management** page, click the target DR task in the **Task Name/ID** column.

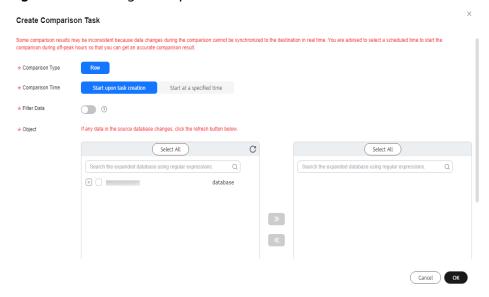
The Basic Information page is displayed.

Step 2 Choose **Disaster Recovery Comparison**.

The **Disaster Recovery Comparison** page is displayed.

- Step 3 Click the Data-Level Comparison tab.
- Step 4 Click Create Comparison Task.
- **Step 5** In the displayed dialog box, select a comparison policy and click **OK**.

Figure 3-8 Creating a comparison task



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|---|
| Comparison Type | Row | The available options are Row and Value. Row comparison: It checks whether the number of rows in a service table is the same as that in the DR table. Value comparison: It checks whether the |
| | | data in a service table is consistent with that in the DR table. |
| Comparison Time | Start upon task creation | The available options are Start upon task creation and Start at a specified time . |
| Filter Data | Disable | Whether to set filtering criteria for comparison objects. After this function is enabled, objects can be compared based on the configured filtering criteria. |

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|-----------|------------------|--|
| Object | Select All | Select objects to be compared as needed. |

- Step 6 Go back to the Data-Level Comparison tab.
- **Step 7** Click C to refresh the list. After the comparison task is complete, you can check the comparison result.

If **Consistent** is displayed in the **Result** column, the object data in the source database is consistent with that in the destination database.

Figure 3-9 Row comparison result



----End

Step 4 (Optional): Perform a DR Switchover

DRS allows you to perform a switchover for a DR task. When a disaster occurs, the DR database can be promoted to the service database to ensure service continuity.

- Before a switchover, services are running properly in the service database and data is synchronized to the DR database in real time. In this case, data cannot be written into the DR database.
- After a switchover, the DR database becomes readable and writable, services can be switched to the DR database, and data cannot be written to the service database.
- **Step 1** On the **Disaster Recovery Management** page, locate the target DR task.
- **Step 2** Click the task name.

The **Basic Information** page is displayed.

- **Step 3** Choose **Disaster Recovery Progress** to check the RPO and RTO.
 - RPO measures the difference between the data in the service database and the data in the DRS instance. When RPO is 0, all the data in the service database has been migrated to the DRS instance.
 - RTO measures the amount of data being transmitted. When RTO is 0, all transactions on the DRS instance have been completed on the DR database.

If both RPO and RTO are 0, data has been completely migrated to the DR database. Then, you can determine whether to perform a switchover.

- Step 4 Choose Disaster Recovery Monitoring.
- **Step 5** A switchover can be performed only when the task status is **Disaster recovery in progress**.
 - Click Promote Current Cloud to promote the current instance to the service database.
 - Click **Demote Current Cloud** to demote the current instance to the DR database.

The DR relationship involves only one primary database. During a primary/secondary switchover, ensure that there is no data written to the database that will be the standby node, and no data will be written to the standby node in the future. The data of the standby node is synchronized only from the primary node. Any other write operations will pollute the data in the standby database, data conflicts occur in the database and cannot be resolved.

----End

4 Creating a Workload Replay Task

A workload replay task simulates the service load of the source database on the destination database so you can evaluate the effectiveness and performance of the destination database. It is typically used in the following scenarios:

- Function testing: By creating a workload replay task, you can evaluate how the service load of the source database runs on the destination database before database migration.
- Peak load testing: By specifying the replay thread and speed, you can simulate
 the peak service load of the source database and analyze the stability of the
 destination database when workloads increase sharply.

This section uses two RDS for MySQL DB instances in different regions as an example to describe how to replay SQL workload files over the public network.

Operation Process

| Process | Description |
|---|--|
| Preparations | Sign up for a HUAWEI ID, complete real-name authentication, enable Huawei Cloud services, and prepare the workload files and the destination database, the database connection account, and a network. |
| Step 1: Create a Workload Replay Task | Select the source and destination databases as required and create a workload replay task. |
| Step 2: Query Replay Progress | During the workload replay, query the progress. |
| Step 3: Check Replay Reporting | After workload replay is complete, check the replay reporting to learn about the execution of each SQL statement. |
| Stopping a Task | After confirming that the workload replay task is no longer used, stop the DRS task. |

Preparations

Before creating a workload replay task, prepare the Huawei account, source and destination databases, database connection accounts, SQL workload files, and network environment by referring to the following steps.

Registering a HUAWEI ID

Prepare a Huawei account, create a user, and grant permissions to the user to use DRS.

- Step 1 Access Huawei Cloud website.
- **Step 2** Click **Sign Up** and follow the instructions to create your account (your HUAWEI ID).
- **Step 3** Select the service agreement and click **Enable**.

The system displays a message indicating that Huawei Cloud services have been enabled.

- **Step 4** Perform real-name authentication.
 - Individual account: Individual Real-Name Authentication
 - Enterprise account: Enterprise Real-Name Authentication
- Step 5 For fine-grained permissions management, create an Identity and Access Management (IAM) user and user group on the IAM console and grant the user specific operation permissions. For details, see Creating a User and Granting Permissions

----End

Databases

Before creating a workload replay task, you need to prepare the source and destination databases.

• The source database in this example is an RDS for MySQL instance in the CN-Hong Kong region. For details, see **Buy an RDS for MySQL DB Instance**.

| Item | Example Value | Description |
|-------------------|---------------|--|
| Region | CN-Hong Kong | To reduce network latency, select the region nearest to you. |
| Instance name | rds-Replaysrc | Specify a name that will be easy to identify. |
| DB engine version | MySQL 5.7 | - |
| Instance type | Single | A single instance is used in this example. |
| | | To improve service reliability, select a primary/standby instance. |

| Item | Example Value | Description |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| Storage type | Cloud SSD | - |
| AZ | AZ1 | AZ1 is selected in this example. |
| | | To improve service reliability, select the primary/standby instance type and deploy the primary and standby instances in different AZs. |
| Instance class | General-purpose 2 vCPUs 8 GB | - |
| EIP | 10.154.217.42 | Enter an IP address. |

• The destination database in this example is an RDS for MySQL instance in the AP-Singapore region. For details, see **Buy an RDS for MySQL DB Instance**.

| Item | Example Value | Description |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| Region | AP-Singapore | To reduce network latency, select the region nearest to you. |
| Instance name | rds-Replaytar | Specify a name that will be easy to identify. |
| DB engine version | MySQL 5.7 | - |
| Instance type | Single | A single instance is used in this example. |
| | | To improve service reliability, select a primary/standby instance. |
| Storage type | Cloud SSD | - |
| AZ | AZ1 | AZ1 is selected in this example. To improve service reliability, select the primary/standby instance type and deploy the primary and standby instances in different AZs. |
| Instance class | General-purpose 2 vCPUs 8 GB | - |

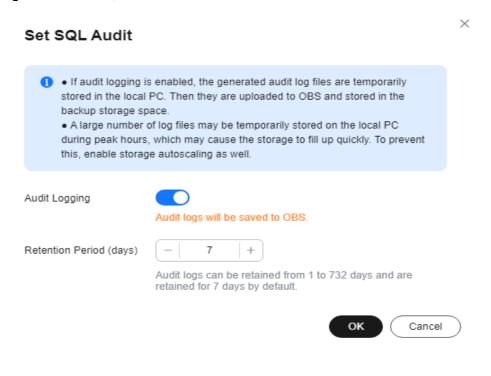
SQL Workload Files

Before creating a task, you need to capture SQL workload files of the source database.

Step 1 Log in to the management console.

- Step 2 Click in the upper left corner of the management console and select CN-Hong Kong.
- **Step 3** Click **Service List**. Under **Databases**, click **Relational Database Service**. The RDS console is displayed.
- **Step 4** On the **Instances** page, click the name of the source DB instance created in **Databases** to go to the **Overview** page.
- **Step 5** In the navigation pane, choose **SQL Audits**. On the displayed page, click **Set SQL Audit** above the list. In the displayed dialog box, configure information as required and click **OK**.
 - Audit Logging: Enable
 - Retention Period (days): 7

Figure 4-1 Set SQL Audit



----End

Connection Accounts

To ensure a smooth workload replay, you are advised to create an independent database account for connecting to the DRS task. It is recommended that the permissions of the destination database user be the same as that of the source database user.

Destination database user

- Step 1 Connect to an RDS for MySQL instance through DAS.
- **Step 2** Run the following statement to create database user **usertar**. For details, see **Creating a Database Account Through DAS**.

CREATE USER 'usertar'@'%' **IDENTIFIED BY** 'password';

Step 3 Run the following statement to grant permissions to **usertar**:

GRANT

SELECT,CREATE,ALTER,DROP,DELETE,INSERT,UPDATE,TRIGGER,REFERENCES,SHOW VIEW,EVENT,INDEX,LOCK TABLES,CREATE VIEW,CREATE ROUTINE,ALTER ROUTINE,CREATE USER,RELOAD,REPLICATION SLAVE,REPLICATION CLIENT ON *.* TO 'usertar'@'%' WITH GRANT OPTION;

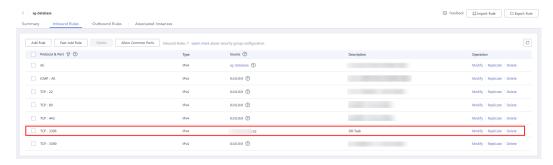
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Network

Before creating a workload replay task over a public work, you need to apply for an EIP and set security group rules for the source database so that the EIP can access the source database.

- **Step 1** Create an EIP for the workload replay task by referring to **Assigning an EIP**.
- **Step 2** Configure security group rules for the source database.

Add the EIP in **Step 1** of the DRS instance to the inbound rule of the security group associated with the **source RDS for MySQL database**, select TCP, and set the port number to that of the source database.



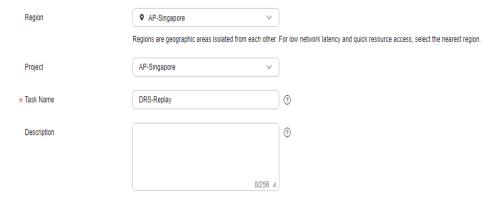
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Step 1: Create a Workload Replay Task

This step describes how to set parameters based on the example values in **Preparations**. For more information about workload replay, see **Replay Overview**.

- Step 1 Go to the Create Workload Replay Task page.
- **Step 2** Configure basic information as follows:

Figure 4-2 Basic information



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|-------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Region | AP-Singapore | The region where the current task is deployed. |
| Project | AP-Singapore | The project corresponds to the current region. |
| Task Name | DRS-Replay | The name of the workload replay task. |
| Description | Leave this parameter blank for now. | Task description. |

Step 3 Configure information about the replay instance.

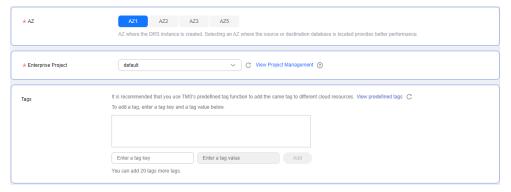
Figure 4-3 Replay instance details



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| Data Flow | Current cloud | The direction of the workload replay task. The options are Current cloud and To the cloud . |
| | | Current cloud: Both the source and destination databases are Huawei Cloud DB instances. |
| | | To the cloud: The destination database is a Huawei Cloud DB instance and data needs to be transferred to the cloud. |
| Source DB Engine | MySQL | The DB engine type of the source database. |
| Workload File Source | Download from Huawei Cloud APIs | Specifies where the workload file in the source database is from. |
| Destination DB Engine | MySQL | The DB engine type of the destination database. |
| Network Type | Public network | The network type of the workload replay task. |
| Destination | rds-Replaytar | Select a destination DB instance. |
| DB Instance | | The destination DB instance is rds-Replaytar in Databases . |
| Replay Instance Subnet | Default subnet | The subnet where the workload replay task is. |
| Specify EIP | - | Select an EIP for the DRS instance. In this example, it is the EIP created in Network. |

Step 4 Select an AZ and an enterprise project.

Figure 4-4 AZ and Enterprise Project



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| AZ | AZ1 | Select the AZ where you want to create the DRS task. |
| Enterprise Project | default | If your account is associated with an enterprise project, select the project from the Enterprise Project drop-down list. |
| | | For more details, see Enterprise Management User Guide . |
| Tags | Leave this parameter blank for now. | Tags for the workload replay task. Adding tags helps you better identify and manage your tasks. |

Step 5 Click Create Now.

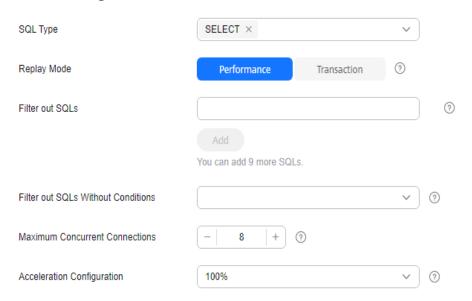
Wait for 5 to 10 minutes. If the message "Replay instance created successfully" is displayed, the DRS task is successfully created.

- **Step 6** On the **Configure Source and Destination Databases** page, specify the source and destination database details.
 - Source database settings
 - Workload File Source: Download from Huawei Cloud APIs
 - DB Instance Name: Select the source DB instance rds-Replaysrc created in Databases.
 - Workload Type: Audit log
 - Time Range: Select the time range for audit logs in SQL Workload Files.
 - Destination database settings
 Enter the connection details about the destination database in Connection Accounts.

Step 7 Configure the task.

Figure 4-5 Task settings

Task Settings



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|--------------------|------------------|---|
| SQL Type | SELECT | Select the SQL type to be replayed to the destination database. The default value is SELECT. The available options are SELECT, INSERT, UPDATE, DELETE, and DDL. |
| Replay Mode | Performance | Mode of the workload replay task. You can select Performance or Transaction . |
| | | In performance mode, you can set how many concurrent connections are allowed. SQL statements are replayed to the destination database based on a set number of connections. The SQL execution sequence in the source database may be different from that in the destination database. The replay performance is better. |
| | | In transaction mode, you cannot set how many concurrent connections are allowed. The number of connections is dynamically adjusted based on the connections in the source database logs to ensure that transaction SQL statements in the same connection of the source database are executed in sequence. |
| Filter out SQLs | - | The system fuzzily matches SQL statements based on the entered condition. |

| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|--|------------------|--|
| Filter out SQLs Without Conditions | - | This option is used to filter out SQL statements of the SELECT, UPDATE, and DELETE types that do not contain conditions. |
| Maximum Concurrent Connections | 8 | The number of replay threads configured for the workload replay task. |
| Acceleration Configuration | 100% | The percentage of the replayed SQLs to the SQLs executed on the source database within the same period. |

- **Step 8** Click **Test Connection** in the **Destination Database** area to test the connection to the destination database. After the connection test is successful, click **Next**.
- **Step 9** On the **Check Task** page, check the workload replay task.
 - If any check fails, review the cause and rectify the fault. After the fault is rectified, click **Check Again**.
 - If all check items are successful, click **Next**.
- **Step 10** On the **Confirm Task** page, specify **Start Time**.

Figure 4-6 Task startup settings



| Parameter | Example Value | Description |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| Start Time | Start upon task creation | Set Start Time to Start upon task creation or Start at a specified time based on site requirements. The Start at a specified time option is recommended. |
| Send Notifications | Disable | This parameter is optional. After enabled, select an SMN topic. If the status, latency metric, or data of the workload replay task is abnormal, DRS will send you a notification. |
| Stop Abnormal Tasks After | 14 | Any task in the Abnormal state that has run for longer than the period you set here (in days) will automatically stop. |

- **Step 11** Confirm that the configured information is correct and click **Submit** to submit the task.
- **Step 12** After the workload replay task is submitted, check the task status or **query the replay progress** on the **Workload Replay Management** page.
 - You can click C in the upper right corner to view the latest task status.
 - By default, DRS retains a task in the Configuration state for three days. After three days, DRS automatically deletes background resources, but the task status remains unchanged. When you reconfigure the task, DRS applies for resources for the task again.

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Step 2: Query Replay Progress

The replay progress displays the SQL execution status during workload replay, helping you learn about the task status.

- **Step 1** On the **Workload Replay Management** page, click the target replay task in the **Task Name/ID** column.
- **Step 2** In the navigation pane, choose **Workload Replay Progress** to check task progress.
 - In the **Workload Replay Progress** area, you can view the task status, start time, total number of SQL statements, and number of replayed SQL statements.
 - In the **Statistics Chart** area, you can view the total number of SQL statements, number of replayed SQL statements, number of abnormal SQL statements, and number of slow SQL statements in a specified period.
 - In the **Abnormal SQLs in Workload Replay** area, you can view the category and number of SQL statements that fail to be replayed.
 - In the **Slow SQLs** area, you can view the original time and replay time required for executing a SQL statement.
 - In the **SQL Execution Progress** are, you can view the SQL statements that are executing in the destination database during replay.
- **Step 3** After workload replay is complete, **check the replay reporting** to learn about the execution of each SQL statement.

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Step 3: Check Replay Reporting

The replay reporting records the execution time curve of each SQL statement replayed in the destination database, number of replayed SQLs, and replay duration.

- **Step 1** On the **Workload Replay Management** page, click the target replay task in the **Task Name/ID** column.
- **Step 2** On the **Replay Reporting** page, check the report details about the current task.
 - In the **Statistics Chart** area, you can view the total number of SQL statements, number of replayed SQL statements, number of abnormal SQL statements, and number of slow SQL statements replayed in the destination database in a specified period.



Figure 4-7 Replay statistics chart

- In the **Slow SQLs** area, you can view the number of SQL statements of each type and the replay duration.
- In the **Abnormal SQLs in Workload Replay** area, you can view the category and number of SQL statements that fail to be replayed.



Figure 4-8 SQLs to be replayed

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Stopping a Task

After confirming that the workload replay task is no longer used, you can stop the DRS task.

- **Step 1** On the **Workload Replay Management** page, locate the task and click **Stop** in the **Operation** column.
- **Step 2** In the displayed dialog box, click **Yes**.

----End

5 Common Tasks

After completing basic preparations such as accounts, permissions, databases, and networks, you can view common practices to better use DRS.

Table 5-1 Common practices

| Scenar | io | Practice | Description |
|------------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
| Creati ng a Task | Real- Time Migra tion | From Other Cloud MySQL to RDS for MySQL | This practice describes how to use DRS to migrate data from a MySQL database on another cloud to a Huawei Cloud RDS for MySQL instance through a public network. |
| | | From Other Cloud MySQL to GaussDB(for MySQL) | This practice describes how to use DRS to migrate data from a MySQL database on another cloud to a Huawei Cloud GaussDB(for MySQL) instance through a public network. |
| | From Other Cloud MongoDB to DDS | This practice describes how to use DRS to migrate data from a MongoDB database on another cloud to a Huawei Cloud DDS instance through a public network. | |
| | | From ECS-hosted MySQL to RDS for MySQL | This practice describes how to use DRS to migrate data from a MySQL database built on an ECS to an RDS for MySQL instance in the same VPC of the same region through a VPC. |
| | | From ECS-hosted MySQL to GaussDB(for MySQL) | This practice describes how to use DRS to migrate data from a MySQL database built on an ECS to a GaussDB(for MySQL) instance in the same VPC of the same region through a VPC. |

| Scenar | io | Practice | Description |
|--------|---|---|--|
| | | From ECS-hosted MongoDB to DDS | This practice describes how to use DRS to migrate data from a MongoDB database built on an ECS to a DDS instance in the same VPC of the same region through a VPC. |
| | | From On-Premises MySQL to RDS for MySQL | This practice describes how to use DRS to migrate data from an on-premises MySQL database to a Huawei Cloud RDS for MySQL instance through a public network. |
| | | From On-Premises MongoDB to DDS | This practice describes how to use DRS to migrate data from an on-premises MongoDB database to a Huawei Cloud DDS instance through a public network. |
| | | From RDS for MySQL to DDM | This practice describes how to use DRS to migrate data from a Huawei Cloud RDS for MySQL instance to a DDM instance in different regions through a VPN. |
| | | From MySQL Schema and Logic Table to DDM | This practice describes how to use DRS to migrate data from MySQL shards and tables to a DDM instance through a public network. |
| | Backu p Migra tion Real- Time Synch roniz ation | Migrating Microsoft SQL Server Backup Data to RDS for SQL Server | This practice describes how to use DRS to restore local Microsoft SQL Server data backups to an RDS for SQL Server instance. DRS supports full backup migration and full+incremental backup migration. |
| | | From Other Cloud PostgreSQL to RDS for PostgreSQL | This practice describes how to use DRS to synchronize data from a PostgreSQL database on another cloud to an RDS for PostgreSQL instance through a public network. |
| | | From ECS-hosted PostgreSQL to RDS for PostgreSQL | This practice describes how to use DRS to synchronize data from a PostgreSQL database built on an ECS to an RDS for PostgreSQL instance through a VPC. |
| | | From On-Premises PostgreSQL to RDS for PostgreSQL | This practice describes how to use DRS to synchronize data from an on-premises PostgreSQL database to an RDS for PostgreSQL instance through a public network. |

| Scenario | | Practice | Description |
|--------------------------------------|--|--|---|
| | | From On-Premises Oracle to GaussDB | This practice describes how to use DRS to create a full+incremental task to continuously synchronize data from an on-premise Oracle database to a GaussDB instance through a public network. |
| | | From On-Premises Oracle to DDM | This practice describes how to use DRS to create a full+incremental task to continuously synchronize data from an on-premise Oracle database to a DDM instance through a public network. |
| | | From RDS for MySQL to Kafka | This practice describes how to use DRS to create an incremental task to synchronize incremental data from an RDS for MySQL instance to a Kafka instance through a VPC. |
| | Real- Time DR | Configuring Remote Single-Active DR for an RDS for MySQL Instance Using DRS | This practice describes how to use DRS to synchronize data from an RDS for MySQL instance in the production center to an RDS for MySQL instance in the DR center through a public network to implement data DR between the primary instance and the DR instance across regions. |
| Quer ying Task Progr ess | Real- Time Migra tion | Querying the Migration Progress | DRS shows the task progress using a progress bar, helping you keep track of the status of a task. |
| | Real- Time Synch roniz ation | Querying the Synchronization Progress | |
| | Real- Time DR | Querying the DR Progress | |
| Comp aring Data | Real- Time Migra tion | Comparing Migration Items | Data comparison allows you to check data consistency between source and destination databases before and after the migration. To minimize the impact on services and shorten the service interruption duration, DRS provides multiple comparison methods. |
| | Real- Time Synch roniz ation | Comparing Synchronization Items | |

| Scenario | | Practice | Description |
|-----------------------|--|------------------------------------|--|
| | Real- Time DR | Comparing DR Items | |
| Mana ging Tasks | Real- Time Migra tion | Migration Task Life Cycle | During the life cycle of a DRS task, you can edit, pause, reset, resume and stop the task, and modify the flow control mode of the task as required. |
| | Real- Time Synch roniz ation | Synchronization Task Life Cycle | |
| | Real- Time DR | DR Task Life Cycle | |

More Information

- Real-Time Migration Overview
- Backup Migration Overview
- Real-Time Synchronization Overview
- Real-Time DR Overview