

1. To disable the entire thread 4

For example: You need to delete node-4 (thread-4) from the cluster, then use the following:

```
alter database disable thread 4;
```

Note: To just disable the thread, you only need the above step. Rest of the below steps are optional.

2. Find out which group belongs to Thread 4

```
set linesize 200
column member format a50
select
    b.thread#,
    a.group#,
    a.member,
    b.bytes/1024/1024 as Size_in_MB,
    b.status
--    b.archived as "Is it Archived?",
--    b.Sequence#,
--    to_char(b.first_time, 'Mon-DD-YY HH24:Mi:SS') as Log_Switch_Time
from
    v$logfile a,
    v$log b
where
    a.group#=b.group#
    and
    b.thread#=&thread
order by 1;
```

3. Flush out the groups from thread you want to delete

```
ALTER SYSTEM ARCHIVE LOG GROUP 7;
ALTER SYSTEM ARCHIVE LOG GROUP 8;
```

4. How to drop the redo logfiles that are associated with the group/thread you want to delete?

```
ALTER DATABASE DROP LOGFILE GROUP 7;
ALTER DATABASE DROP LOGFILE GROUP 8;
```

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