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### **PowerShell Get-Help on command 'Get-SmbWitnessClient'**

**PS C:\Users\wahid> Get-Help Get-SmbWitnessClient**

#### NAME

Get-SmbWitnessClient

#### SYNOPSIS

Retrieves information about the SMB clients connected to the SMB witness servers in a cluster.

#### SYNTAX

```
Get-SmbWitnessClient [[-ClientName] <String[]>] [-AsJob] [-CimSession  
<CimSession[]>] [-Flags {Invalid | NetworkName | ShareName | MultiChannel}]  
[-State {Unknown | Connected | Registered | RequestedNotifications | Cancelled  
| Disconnected}] [-ThrottleLimit <Int32>] [<CommonParameters>]
```

#### DESCRIPTION

The Get-SmbWitnessClient cmdlet retrieves information about Server Message Block (SMB) witness client registrations with SMB witness servers in a failover cluster. SMB witness clients can register for notification for multiple resources in the failover cluster, so there may be multiple entries for the same SMB witness client.

## PARAMETERS

-AsJob [<SwitchParameter>]

Runs the cmdlet as a background job. Use this parameter to run commands that take a long time to complete.

-CimSession <CimSession[]>

Runs the cmdlet in a remote session or on a remote computer. Enter a computer name or a session object, such as the output of a `New-CimSession` (<https://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/p/?LinkId=227967>) or

`[Get-CimSession](https://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/p/?LinkId=227966)cmdlet.`

The default is the current session on the local computer.

-ClientName <String[]>

Specifies one or more SMB clients by name.

-Flags <Flags[]>

Specifies an array of flags.

-State <State[]>

Specifies that the output is filtered based on the state of the SMB witness client registrations with SMB witness servers in a failover cluster. The acceptable values for this parameter are:

- Connected

- Registered

- RequestedNotifications

- Cancelled

- Disconnected

- Unknown

-ThrottleLimit <Int32>

Specifies the maximum number of concurrent operations that can be established to run the cmdlet. If this parameter is omitted or a value of `0` is entered, then Windows PowerShell calculates an optimum throttle limit for the cmdlet based on the number of CIM cmdlets that are running on the computer. The throttle limit applies only to the current cmdlet, not to the session or to the computer.

<CommonParameters>

This cmdlet supports the common parameters: Verbose, Debug, ErrorAction, ErrorVariable, WarningAction, WarningVariable, OutBuffer, PipelineVariable, and OutVariable. For more information, see about\_CommonParameters (<https://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/?LinkID=113216>).

Example 1: Get information about all the SMB clients for the witness servers in a cluster

```
PS C:\> Get-SmbWitnessClient
```

Client Computer Name	Witness Node Name	File Server Node Name
Network Name	Share Name	
Server01	FileServer1	FileServer2
FSCluster	Share	
Server02	FileServer2	FileServer1
FSCluster	Share	
Server02	FileServer2	FileServer1
FSCluster		

This example retrieves information about the all of the SMB clients connected to the SMB witness servers in a cluster.

----- Example 2: Get information about a named SMB client -----

```
PS C:\>Get-SmbWitnessClient -ClientName "Server01"
```

Client Computer Name	Witness Node Name	File Server Node Name
Network Name	Share Name	
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Server01	FileServer1	FileServer2
FSCluster	Share	

This example retrieves information about the SMB client named Server01 connected to the SMB witness servers in a cluster.

#### REMARKS

To see the examples, type: "get-help Get-SmbWitnessClient -examples".

For more information, type: "get-help Get-SmbWitnessClient -detailed".

For technical information, type: "get-help Get-SmbWitnessClient -full".

For online help, type: "get-help Get-SmbWitnessClient -online"