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# Red Hat Enterprise Linux Release 9.2 Manual Pages on 'ostree-create-usb.1' command

## \$ man ostree-create-usb.1

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#### NAME

ostree-create-usb - Put the given refs on an external drive for P2P

distribution.

## SYNOPSIS

ostree create-usb [OPTIONS...] {MOUNT-PATH} {COLLECTION-ID REF}

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[COLLECTION-ID REF...]

#### DESCRIPTION

This command creates a repository in MOUNT-PATH and pulls the given REF(s) into it so they can be found and pulled from (perhaps by another computer that's offline). See ostree-find-remotes(1) for more information on P2P distribution. In order for ostree to pull refs from a mounted filesystem (such as a USB drive) the repo must be in a standard location. Specifically, subdirectories of .ostree/repos.d are checked, then .ostree/repo, ostree/repo, and var/lib/flatpak/repo are checked. By default ostree create-usb uses .ostree/repo, but if you specify another location using --destination-repo a symbolic link will be created for you in .ostree/repos.d. This command will regenerate the summary file in the destination repo so that it stays accurate, so you shouldn't try to use summary

signatures in the destination repo. This shouldn't be a concern because

clients that support pulling from USB mounts use signed per-repo and

per-commit metadata instead of summary signatures.

#### OPTIONS

--disable-fsync

Do not invoke fsync().

--destination-repo=DEST

Create the repository in DEST under MOUNT-PATH, rather than the

default location.

--commit=COMMIT

Pull COMMIT instead of whatever REF points to. This can only be

used if a single ref is specified.

## EXAMPLE

ostree --repo=/var/lib/flatpak/repo create-usb

/run/media/mwleeds/f6d04c7a-60f6-4ba3-bb96-0f40498675be

com.exampleos.Apps app/org.kde.Khangman/x86\_64/stable

com.exampleos.Apps ostree-metadata com.exampleos.Apps appstream/x86\_64

5 metadata, 213 content objects imported; 1 KiB transferred in 1 seconds

Copied 3/3 refs successfully from ?/var/lib/flatpak/repo? to ?.ostree/repo? repository in

?/run/media/mwleeds/f6d04c7a-60f6-4ba3-bb96-0f40498675be?.

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