

RunDeck Backups

Adapted from here: <https://docs.rundeck.com/docs/administration/maintenance/backup.html>

We will use the rd tool to access the RunDeck API and export the project job list.

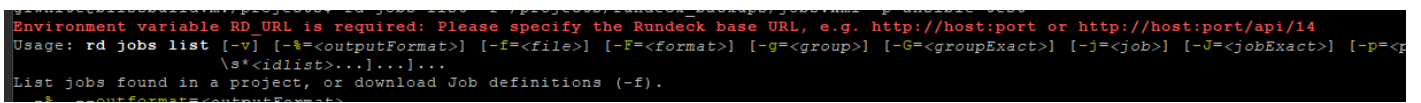
We will be backing things up to this folder:

```
/projects/rundeck_backups
```

1. Execute this, to export the project and job list:

```
rd jobs list -f /projects/rundeck_backups/jobs.xml -p ansible-test
```

If the above command returns this error, you need to set the environment variable:



```
Environment variable RD_URL is required: Please specify the Rundeck base URL, e.g. http://host:port or http://host:port/api/14
Usage: rd jobs list [-v] [-%=<outputFormat>] [-f=<file>] [-F=<format>] [-g=<group>] [-G=<groupExact>] [-j=<job>] [-J=<jobExact>] [-p=<g
\s*<idlist>...]....].
List jobs found in a project, or download Job definitions (-f).
```

If so, set this variable:

```
export RD_URL=http://192.168.1.200:4440
```

2. Stop the server:

```
sudo systemctl stop rundeckd.service
```

3. Backup the database:

```
sudo cp -r /var/lib/rundeck/data /projects/rundeck_backups/data/
```

4. Copy the logs:

```
sudo cp -r /var/lib/rundeck/logs /projects/rundeck_backups/logs/
```

5. Start the server:

```
sudo systemctl start rundeckd.service
```

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