

## Managing URL aliases

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## Managing dashboard URL aliases

Cloudera Data Visualization enables you to manage all your URL aliases on one page. You can view, edit, delete, and copy the short URLs.

### About this task



**Note:** You need administrative privileges to manage URL aliases.

You can find the following features on the Managing dashboard URL aliases interface:

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- Using the Show function, you can adjust the number of entries that appear on the page.
- Using the Search box, you can search among the listed short URLs by alias, dashboard title, or app title.
- The first column of the list contains the URL aliases. You can open them in a separate browser tab.
- The Details column provides information on parameters and usage in emails. The email icon is displayed if the alias was created through the email modal or the alias was sent out in an email.
- Views shows you the number of views of a particular short URL.
- Last Viewed provides information on when an alias was last viewed.
- The Dashboard/App column shows you the ID and title of the dashboard or app. You can open it by clicking on the name.
- # of Aliases shows you how many aliases the dashboard or the app has.
- Created gives you the creation date of the alias.
- Last Updated provides information on when an alias was last edited.
- Created By shows who created the alias.
- You can use the Pencil icon to edit the short URL. For more information, see *Editing dashboard URL aliases*.
- You can use the Copy icon to copy the short URL to the clipboard.
- You can use the Trash can icon to delete the selected short URL.

### Related Information

[Editing dashboard URL aliases](#)

## Editing dashboard URL aliases

Cloudera Data Visualization enables you to edit a URL alias after you created it.

### About this task



**Note:** You need administrative privileges to create and edit URL aliases.

### Procedure

1. Click the Gear icon on the main navigation bar to open the Administration menu and select Manage URL Aliases.  
The Manage Dashboard URL Aliases interface opens.
2. Identify the URL alias that you want to edit and click the pencil icon at the end of the row.  
The Set the URL Alias to a dashboard or an app modal window appears.

### 3. Edit the URL alias details as needed.

You can update the following information:

#### URL Alias

This field contains the generated short URL. You can customize the end of the link.

#### Type

You can set whether the URL alias points to a dashboard or an app.



**Note:** The subsequent fields depend on the type option selected.

#### Associated Dashboard / App

The text field is pre-filled, the dashboard or app associated with the URL alias. You can switch to a different dashboard or app, if needed.

#### Sheet / Menu Tab

This text field depends on the Associated Dashboard / App field. If there are more sheets on the selected dashboard or the selected app contains several tabs, you can switch between these and select which is associated with the URL alias.

#### Current Dashboard / App Parameters

The text field is pre-filled with previously saved parameters, if the alias has been saved with parameters. Otherwise, the text area is empty.

Set the URL Alias to a dashboard or an app

URL Alias  
https://cdv-new.viz-team-cdpdc-4.cc-os.cloudera.com/arc/short/ cereal-report

Type: ☒ Dashboard ☐ App

Associated Dashboard  
Cereal Comparisons (id: 78)

Sheet  
Sheet 1 (Dashboard id: 1)

Current Dashboard Parameters  

```
param.cereal_name.include_nulls: true
param.calories.start: 50
param.calories.end: 160
param.calories.include_nulls: true
scope:
[{"scopeType":"global","isAppScope":false,"filterName":"cereal_name","filterId":2654},
{"scopeType":"global","isAppScope":false,"filterName":"calories","filterId":2655}]
```

☒ Keep the current parameters

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Set the URL Alias to a dashboard or an app

URL Alias  
https://cdv-new.viz-team-cdpdc-4.cc-os.cloudera.com/arc/short/ threats

Type: ☐ Dashboard ☒ App

Associated App  
Threats (id: 119)

Menu Tab  
Global Threats (Dashboard id: 35)

Current App Parameters  

```
initialapp: 35
param.country.data: 'ARE'
param.country.exclude: in
param.threat.data: 'malicious_ip'
param.threat.exclude: in
scope:
[{"scopeType":"global","isAppScope":false,"filterName":"country","filterId":2222},
{"scopeType":"global","isAppScope":false,"filterName":"threat","filterId":2223}]
```

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### 4. Select the Keep the current parameters checkbox if you want the listed parameters assigned to the URL alias and the associated dashboard / app.

If you do not select the checkbox, the parameters will be overwritten, and only the sheet or initial app parameters will be kept.

### 5. Click VIEW if you want to check the dashboard / app the URL alias belongs to.

6. Click SUBMIT.