



Setting the Time and Timezone Using NTP Service

Use the **timedatectl** command on the Host VM to perform following operations to sync the time between the host and the docker:

- Displaying the Current Date and Time: **timedatectl**
- Changing the Current Time: **timedatectl set-time HH:MM:SS**
- Changing the Current Date: **timedatectl set-time YYYY-MM-DD**
- Listing the Time Zone: **timedatectl list-timezones**
- Changing the Time Zone: **timedatectl set-timezone time_zone**
- Enabling NTP Service: **timedatectl set-ntp yes**

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[root@iot-fnd ~]# timedatectl
  Local time: Tue 2018-08-28 07:18:37 PDT
  Universal time: Tue 2018-08-28 14:18:37 UTC
    RTC time: Tue 2018-08-28 14:18:37
    Time zone: America/Los_Angeles (PDT, -0700)
  NTP enabled: yes
NTP synchronized: yes
  RTC in local TZ: no
    DST active: yes
  Last DST change: DST began at
                   Sun 2018-03-11 01:59:59 PST
                   Sun 2018-03-11 03:00:00 PDT
  Next DST change: DST ends (the clock jumps one hour backwards) at
                   Sun 2018-11-04 01:59:59 PDT
                   Sun 2018-11-04 01:00:00 PST
[root@iot-fnd ~]#
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