

Nine Crons Were Running. I Thought It Was Four.

Configuration records can drift from running agents. Compare the actual jobs, model and access settings with the approved configuration, and retain the differences.

HINTS, TIPS & TRICKS

- Read live configuration instead of trusting deployment notes.
- Treat a model switch as a reviewable change.
- Verify that recovery identifiers still refer to running processes.

OPERATOR CHECKLIST

1. List active jobs and owners
2. Capture current model and access scope
3. Compare approved and observed state
4. Assign each discrepancy a resolution
5. Verify stop and recovery references

COPY-READY PROMPT

Audit [agent system] read-only. Compare active jobs, model, permissions and recovery identifiers with the approved record. Return evidence, discrepancies, impact and proposed corrections. Request the required authority before making changes.

SOURCE & PROVENANCE

Article claims: The edition describes undocumented scheduled jobs and other configuration mismatches discovered after a platform migration.

Guidance: This guide adapts the live-state comparison method. Historical provider claims and counts describe that incident, not current service behavior.

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