

前言

本来我觉得没必要写这篇教程的，因为关于安装floodlight，mininet构建数据中心拓扑的教程网上就有，何必再写这篇，这是因为我在复现的过程中，发现一些floodlight更新过程中带来的问题，一言以蔽之，就是floodlight在更新，而教程太老了。这篇教程其实就是我实现实验过程中遇到问题和解决问题的总结。

背景

Mininet 采用轻量级的虚拟化技术，基于 Mininet 研究者能够在笔记本电脑上搭建自定义拓扑的 SDN 网络，并对 SDN 相关的创新设计进行测试和验证。一旦验证成功，就能在实际环境中进行部署。基于 Mininet 构建的仿真测试能够评估多数据中心网络应用设计的效果，为真实数据中心网络应用开发提供参考。

安装前准备工作

(1) Linux：Ubuntu14.04版本 这里提供镜像，各种版本都有

<http://pan.baidu.com/s/1skKN5CT>

(2) 安装JDK，Ant 提供命令行

```
sudo apt-get install build-essential default-jdk ant python-dev
```

(3) 安装git 提供命令行

```
sudo apt-get install git
```

安装Floodlight

下载源

(1) 从Github下载并编译Floodlight，提供命令行

```
git clone git://github.com/floodlight/floodlight.git
```

(2) git下载速度慢的，可以选择从github上直接下载，然后解压，或者也可以从网盘下载，然后拷进虚拟机即可

<http://pan.baidu.com/s/1qYe2s8k>

编译安装

```
cd floodlight
```

```
ant
```

直接编译会出现如下错误，看到如下报错信息

```
lyx@ubuntu:~/floodlight$ ant
Buildfile: /home/lyx/floodlight/build.xml
[taskdef] Could not load definitions from resource tasks.properties. It could
not be found.

init:
[mkdir] Created dir: /home/lyx/floodlight/target/bin
[mkdir] Created dir: /home/lyx/floodlight/target/bin-test
[mkdir] Created dir: /home/lyx/floodlight/target/lib
[mkdir] Created dir: /home/lyx/floodlight/target/test

compile:
[javac] Compiling 538 source files to /home/lyx/floodlight/target/bin
[javac] javac: invalid target release: 1.8
[javac] Usage: javac <options> <source files>
[javac] use -help for a list of possible options

BUILD FAILED
/home/lyx/floodlight/build.xml:145: Compile failed; see the compiler error output
for details.

Total time: 1 second
```

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BUILD FAILED
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for details.

Total time: 1 second
```

我们发现报错信息提示jdk版本需要1.8，我们看下我们的jdk版本

```
lyx@ubuntu:~/floodlight$ java -version
java version "1.7.0_121"
OpenJDK Runtime Environment (IcedTea 2.6.8) (7u121-2.6.8-1ubuntu0.14.04.3)
OpenJDK 64-Bit Server VM (build 24.121-b00, mixed mode)
```

发现是1.7的，这是因为之前的安装jdk的命令，安装的是default-jdk，而ubuntu14.04的默认jdk是1.7，为什么会出这个问题？

因为本文参照的教程在成稿时，floodlight不是现在1.2的版本，jdk的需求在1.7以下，所以没有问题，所以我们现在需要安装jdk1.8

(1) 源码包准备：

首先到官网下载jdk，<http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/downloads/jdk8-downloads-2133151.html>，下载jdk-8u121-linux-x64.tar.gz

Java SE Development Kit 8u121

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Linux ARM 32 Hard Float ABI	77.86 MB	jdk-8u121-linux-arm32-vfp-hflt.tar.gz
Linux ARM 64 Hard Float ABI	74.83 MB	jdk-8u121-linux-arm64-vfp-hflt.tar.gz
Linux x86	162.41 MB	jdk-8u121-linux-i586.rpm
Linux x86	177.13 MB	jdk-8u121-linux-i586.tar.gz
Linux x64	159.96 MB	jdk-8u121-linux-x64.rpm
Linux x64	174.76 MB	jdk-8u121-linux-x64.tar.gz
Mac OS X	223.21 MB	jdk-8u121-macosx-x64.dmg
Solaris SPARC 64-bit	139.64 MB	jdk-8u121-solaris-sparcv9.tar.Z
Solaris SPARC 64-bit	99.07 MB	jdk-8u121-solaris-sparcv9.tar.gz
Solaris x64	140.42 MB	jdk-8u121-solaris-x64.tar.Z
Solaris x64	96.9 MB	jdk-8u121-solaris-x64.tar.gz
Windows x86	189.36 MB	jdk-8u121-windows-i586.exe
Windows x64	195.51 MB	jdk-8u121-windows-x64.exe



(2) 解压源码包

通过终端在/usr/local目录下新建java文件夹，命令行：

```
sudo mkdir /usr/local/java
```

然后将下载到压缩包拷贝到java文件夹中，命令行：

进入jdk源码包所在目录

```
sudo cp jdk-8u121-linux-x64.tar.gz /usr/local/java
```

然后进入java目录，命令行：

```
cd /usr/local/java
```

解压压缩包，命令行：

```
sudo tar xvf jdk-8u121-linux-x64.tar.gz
```

然后可以把压缩包删除，命令行：

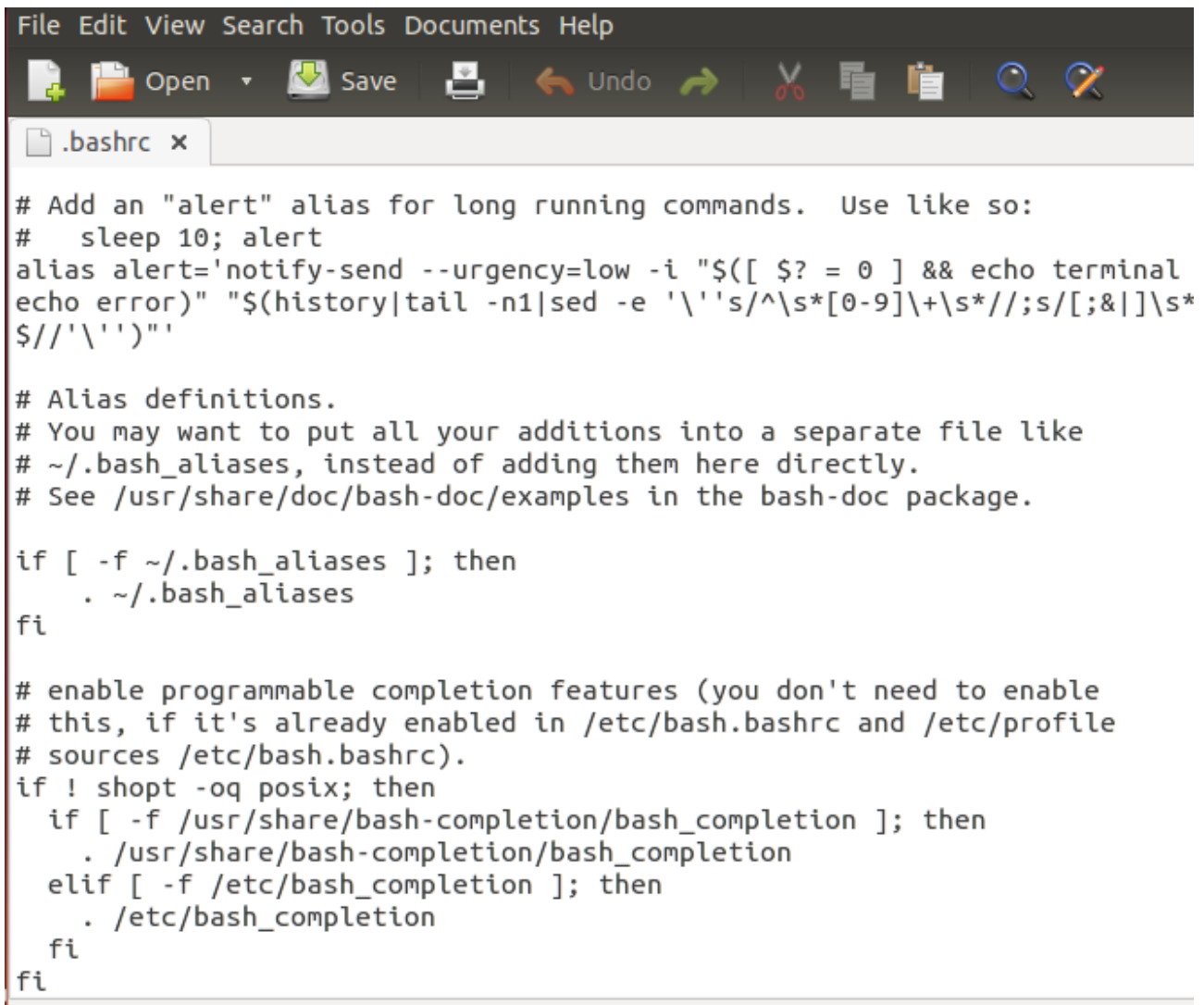
```
sudo rm jdk-8u121-linux-x64.tar.gz
```

(3) 设置jdk环境变量

这里采用全局设置方法，它是所有用户的共用的环境变量

```
$sudo gedit ~/.bashrc
```

如下图所示：



```
File Edit View Search Tools Documents Help
Open Save Undo
.bashrc x
# Add an "alert" alias for long running commands.  Use like so:
#   sleep 10; alert
alias alert='notify-send --urgency=low -i "$([ $? = 0 ] && echo terminal
echo error)" "${history|tail -n1|sed -e '\''s/^\s*[0-9]\+\s*//;s/[;&|]\s*
$//'\`'}"'

# Alias definitions.
# You may want to put all your additions into a separate file like
# ~/.bash_aliases, instead of adding them here directly.
# See /usr/share/doc/bash-doc/examples in the bash-doc package.

if [ -f ~/.bash_aliases ]; then
    . ~/.bash_aliases
fi

# enable programmable completion features (you don't need to enable
# this, if it's already enabled in /etc/bash.bashrc and /etc/profile
# sources /etc/bash.bashrc).
if ! shopt -oq posix; then
    if [ -f /usr/share/bash-completion/bash_completion ]; then
        . /usr/share/bash-completion/bash_completion
    elif [ -f /etc/bash_completion ]; then
        . /etc/bash_completion
    fi
fi
```

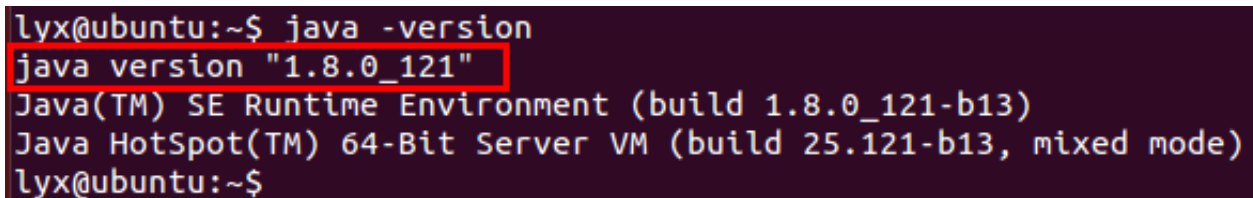
打开之后在末尾添加

```
export JAVA_HOME=/usr/local/java/jdk1.8.0_121
```

```
export JRE_HOME=JAVA_HOME/jreexportCLASSPATH =.:
```

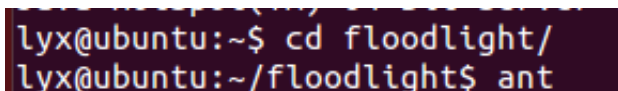
```
{JAVA_HOME}/lib:JRE_HOME/libexportPATH ={JAVA_HOME}/bin:$PATH
```

重启后我们可以发现jdk已经更新到1.8版本了



```
lyx@ubuntu:~$ java -version
java version "1.8.0_121"
Java(TM) SE Runtime Environment (build 1.8.0_121-b13)
Java HotSpot(TM) 64-Bit Server VM (build 25.121-b13, mixed mode)
lyx@ubuntu:~$
```

然后编译



```
lyx@ubuntu:~$ cd floodlight/
lyx@ubuntu:~/floodlight$ ant
```

编译成功


```

compile:
  [javac] Compiling 538 source files to /home/lyx/floodlight/target/bin
  [javac] Note: Some input files use or override a deprecated API.
  [javac] Note: Recompile with -Xlint:deprecation for details.
  [javac] Note: Some input files use unchecked or unsafe operations.
  [javac] Note: Recompile with -Xlint:unchecked for details.
  [copy] Copying 8 files to /home/lyx/floodlight/target/bin
  [copy] Copied 4 empty directories to 1 empty directory under /home/lyx/floodlight/target/bin

compile-test:
  [javac] Compiling 87 source files to /home/lyx/floodlight/target/bin-test

dist:
  [echo] Setting Floodlight version: 1.2-SNAPSHOT
  [echo] Setting Floodlight name: floodlight
  [jar] Building jar: /home/lyx/floodlight/target/floodlight.jar
  [jar] Building jar: /home/lyx/floodlight/target/floodlight-test.jar

BUILD SUCCESSFUL
Total time: 58 seconds

```

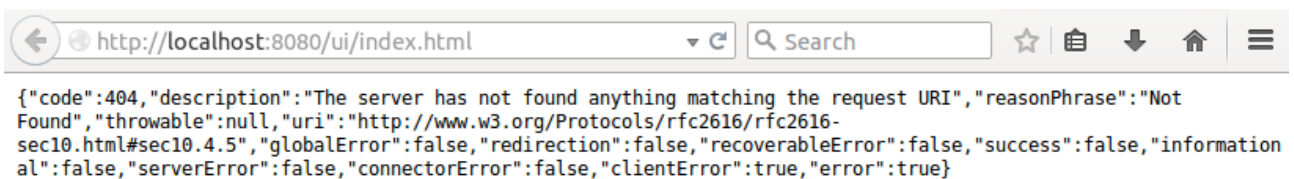
然后启动floodlight，通过命令行

```
java -jar target/floodlight.jar
```

启动后，通过浏览器访问floodlight的管理界面，

<http://localhost:8080/ui/index.html>

结果出现下面的问题



```

{"code":404,"description":"The server has not found anything matching the request URI","reasonPhrase":"Not Found","throwable":null,"uri":"http://www.w3.org/Protocols/rfc2616/rfc2616-sec10.html#sec10.4.5","globalError":false,"redirection":false,"recoverableError":false,"success":false,"informational":false,"serverError":false,"connectorError":false,"clientError":true,"error":true}

```

通过查资料发现，似乎是最新的版本的问题，有两个方法解决（但其实目前只能算一种），一种需要通过git Submodule命令进行一系列的设置，通过命令行（这边稍微解释下git Submodule命令，git Submodule 是一个很好的多项目使用共同类库的工具，他允许类库项目做为repository,子项目做为一个单独的git项目存在父项目中，子项目可以有自己的独立的commit，push，pull。而父项目以Submodule的形式包含子项目，父项目可以指定子项目header，父项目中会的提交信息包含Submodule的信息，再clone父项目的时候可以把Submodule初始化。）

但是这种方法虽然可以访问管理界面，但是并不能和mininet进行交互，具体原因不明，所以目前为止还是乖乖用旧版本

```
git pull origin master
```

```
git submodule init
```

```
git submodule update
```

```
ant
```

```

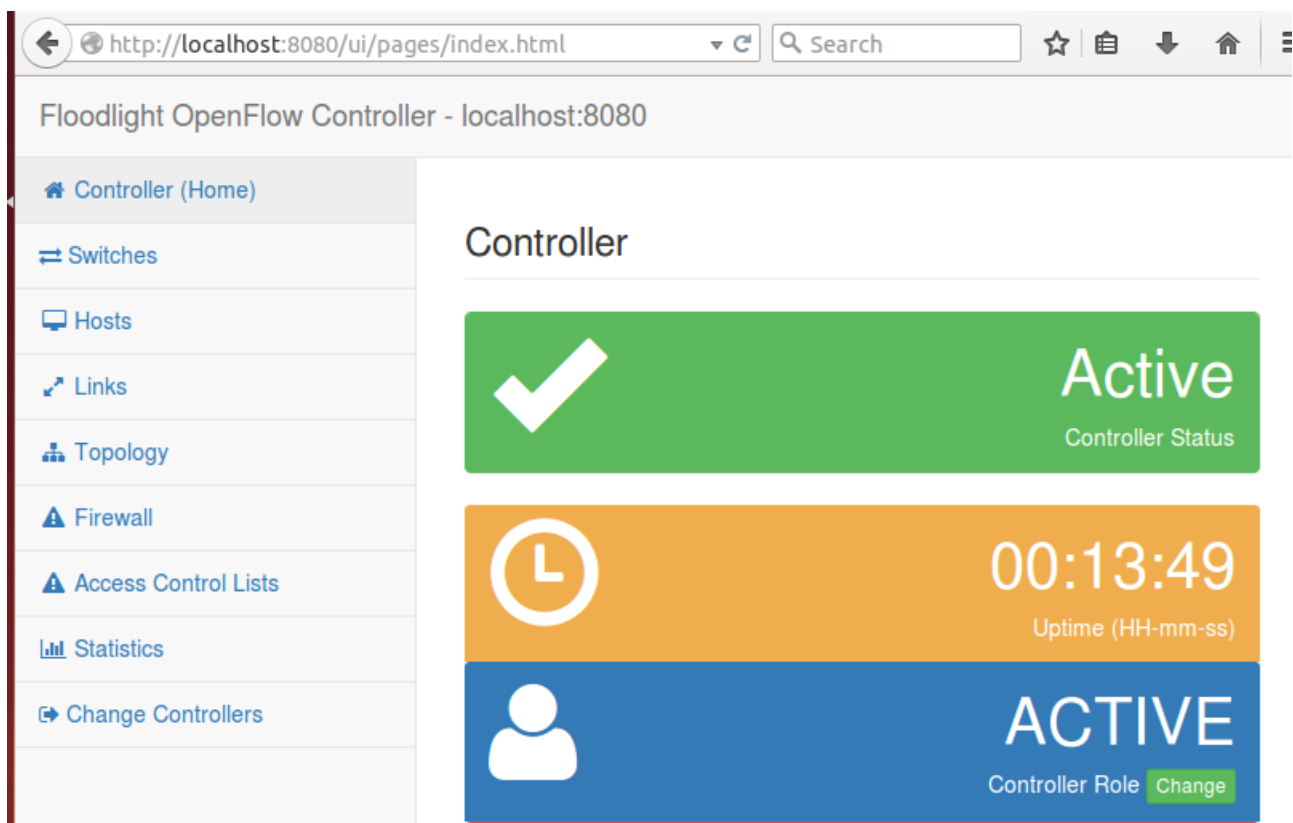
^Clyx@ubuntu:~/floodlight$ git pull origin master
From git://github.com/floodlight/floodlight
 * branch          master      -> FETCH_HEAD
Already up-to-date.
lyx@ubuntu:~/floodlight$ git submodule init
Submodule 'src/main/resources/web' (https://github.com/floodlight/floodlight-web
ui) registered for path 'src/main/resources/web'
lyx@ubuntu:~/floodlight$ git submodule update
Cloning into 'src/main/resources/web'...
remote: Counting objects: 1314, done.
remote: Total 1314 (delta 0), reused 0 (delta 0), pack-reused 1314
Receiving objects: 100% (1314/1314), 3.70 MiB | 114.00 KiB/s, done.
Resolving deltas: 100% (353/353), done.
Checking connectivity... done.
Submodule path 'src/main/resources/web': checked out '580bf06fd86bb7ff270019447f
023f9d98e431d9'
lyx@ubuntu:~/floodlight$ ant

```

编译完后启动floodlight

`java -jar target/floodlight.jar`

再通过<http://localhost:8080/ui/index.html>访问floodlight的管理界面，发现可以顺利访问



另一种，就是目前为止有效的就是下载0.91版本，即旧版本没有问题，下载地址为

<http://www.projectfloodlight.org/download/>

the [Installation Guide](#). The source code repository is available on [GitHub](#).

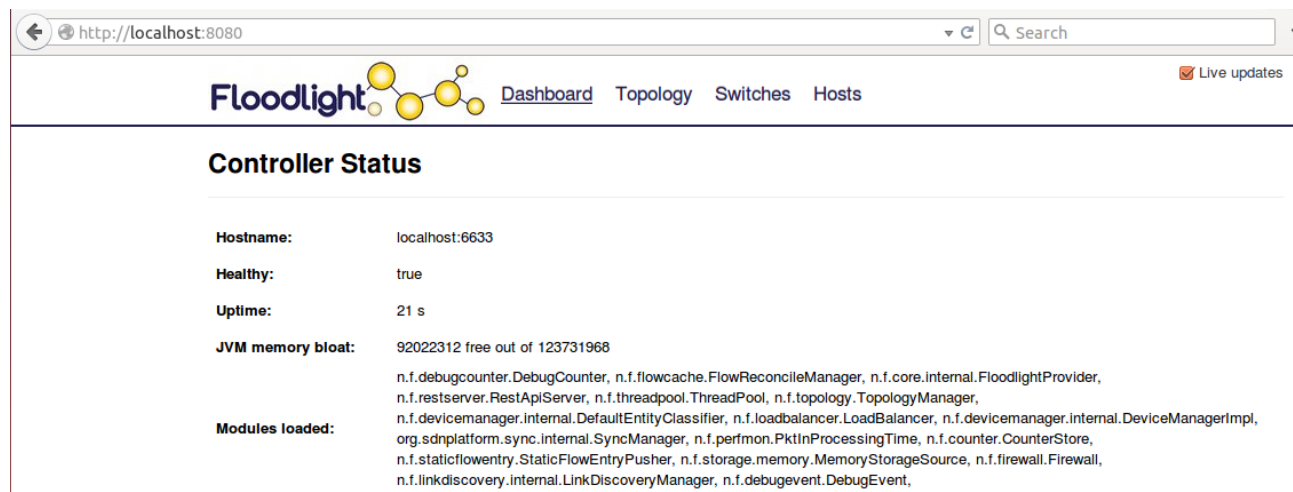
	Source	Release Notes
Nightly	.zip	N/A
Version 1.2	.gz , .zip	1.2 Release Notes
Version 1.1	.gz , .zip	1.1 Release Notes
Version 1.0	.gz , .zip	1.0 Release Notes
Version 0.91	.gz , .zip	0.91 Release Notes
Version 0.90	.gz , .zip	0.90 Release Notes
Version 0.85	.gz , .zip	0.85 Release Notes

然后解压编译

ant

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The screenshot shows the Floodlight web interface in a browser. The address bar displays 'http://localhost:8080'. The page has a navigation bar with 'Dashboard', 'Topology', 'Switches', and 'Hosts'. The 'Dashboard' tab is active. Below the navigation bar, the 'Controller Status' section is visible. It displays the following information:

- Hostname:** localhost:6633
- Healthy:** true
- Uptime:** 21 s
- JVM memory bloat:** 92022312 free out of 123731968
- Modules loaded:** n.f.debugcounter.DebugCounter, n.f.flowcache.FlowReconcileManager, n.f.core.internal.FloodlightProvider, n.f.restserver.RestApiServer, n.f.threadpool.ThreadPool, n.f.topology.TopologyManager, n.f.devicemanager.internal.DefaultEntityClassifier, n.f.loadbalancer.LoadBalancer, n.f.devicemanager.internal.DeviceManagerImpl, org.sdnplatform.sync.internal.SyncManager, n.f.perfmon.PktInProcessingTime, n.f.counter.CounterStore, n.f.staticflowentry.StaticFlowEntryPusher, n.f.storage.memory.MemoryStorageSource, n.f.firewall.Firewall, n.f.linkdiscovery.internal.LinkDiscoveryManager, n.f.debugevent.DebugEvent,

安装mininet

安装完控制器后，我们就需要安装mininet构建拓扑结构了，命令行如下

sudo apt-get install mininet

接着需要构建网络拓扑的脚本fattree.py，

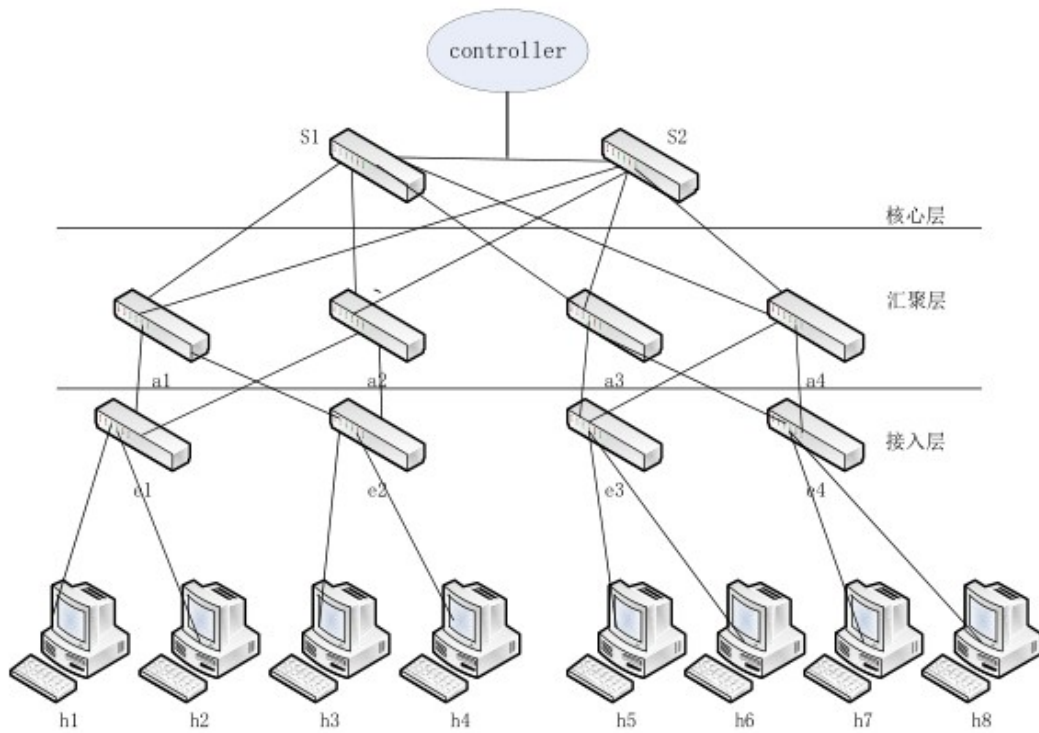


图3 基于两个数据中心的网络拓扑

资源如下

<http://pan.baidu.com/s/1c20519Q>

完成后只需要用mininet执行脚本即可

`sudo mn -custom /home/lyx/fattree.py -topo mytopo -`

`controller=remote,ip=218.193.113.249,port=6633 -switch ovsk,protocols=OpenFlow10`

请根据实际情况将ip为floodlight所在服务器的ip，添加protocols参数指定OpenFlow协议版本。

mn为mininet启动命令。

-mac指定虚拟主机的mac地址顺序编号，若不带此参数则随机编号

-controller指定of交换机的控制器

-switch指定虚拟交换机的类型，ovsk表示虚拟交换机为ovs Kernel mode

-custom指定自定义拓扑文件

-topo指定加载拓扑的名字

执行过程如下图所示：


```

lyx@ubuntu:~/mininet$ sudo mn --custom /home/lyx/mininet/fattree.py --topo mytopo --controller=remote,ip=192.168.186.137,port=6633 --switch ovsk,protocols=OpenFlow10
*** Creating network
*** Adding controller
*** Adding hosts:
h1 h2 h3 h4 h5 h6 h7 h8
*** Adding switches:
S1 S2 a3 a4 a5 a6 e7 e8 e9 e10
*** Adding links:
(S1, a3) (S1, a4) (S1, a5) (S1, a6) (S2, a3) (S2, a4) (S2, a5) (S2, a6) (a3, e7) (a3, e8) (a4, e7) (a4, e8) (a5, e9) (a5, e10) (a6, e9) (a6, e10) (e7, h1) (e7, h2) (e8, h3) (e8, h4) (e9, h5) (e9, h6) (e10, h7) (e10, h8)
*** Configuring hosts
h1 h2 h3 h4 h5 h6 h7 h8
*** Starting controller
*** Starting 10 switches
S1 S2 a3 a4 a5 a6 e7 e8 e9 e10
*** Starting CLI:

```

```

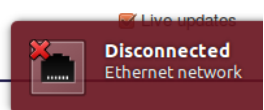
lyx@ubuntu: ~
lyx@ubuntu:~$ sudo mn --custom /home/lyx/fattree.py --topo mytopo --controller=remote,ip=218.193.113.249,port=6633 --switch ovsk,protocols=OpenFlow10
[sudo] password for lyx:
*** Creating network
*** Adding controller
*** Adding hosts:
h1 h2 h3 h4 h5 h6 h7 h8
*** Adding switches:
S1 S2 a3 a4 a5 a6 e7 e8 e9 e10
*** Adding links:
(S1, a3) (S1, a4) (S1, a5) (S1, a6) (S2, a3) (S2, a4) (S2, a5) (S2, a6) (a3, e7) (a3, e8) (a4, e7) (a4, e8) (a5, e9) (a5, e10) (a6, e9) (a6, e10) (e7, h1) (e7, h2) (e8, h3) (e8, h4) (e9, h5) (e9, h6) (e10, h7) (e10, h8)
*** Configuring hosts
h1 h2 h3 h4 h5 h6 h7 h8
*** Starting controller
*** Starting 10 switches
S1 S2 a3 a4 a5 a6 e7 e8 e9 e10
*** Starting CLI:
mininet>

```



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Switches (10)



DPID	IP Address	Vendor	Packets	Bytes	Flows	Connected Since
00:00:00:00:00:00:01	/218.193.113.249:54095	Nicira, Inc.	0	0	0	4/6/2017, 5:15:57 AM
00:00:00:00:00:00:02	/218.193.113.249:54096	Nicira, Inc.	0	0	0	4/6/2017, 5:15:57 AM
00:00:00:00:00:00:03	/218.193.113.249:54097	Nicira, Inc.	0	0	0	4/6/2017, 5:15:58 AM
00:00:00:00:00:00:04	/218.193.113.249:54101	Nicira, Inc.	0	0	0	4/6/2017, 5:16:00 AM
00:00:00:00:00:00:05	/218.193.113.249:54099	Nicira, Inc.	0	0	0	4/6/2017, 5:15:59 AM
00:00:00:00:00:00:07	/218.193.113.249:54102	Nicira, Inc.	0	0	0	4/6/2017, 5:16:00 AM
00:00:00:00:00:00:06	/218.193.113.249:54105	Nicira, Inc.	0	0	0	4/6/2017, 5:16:04 AM
00:00:00:00:00:00:08	/218.193.113.249:54103	Nicira, Inc.	0	0	0	4/6/2017, 5:16:03 AM
00:00:00:00:00:00:09	/218.193.113.249:54108	Nicira, Inc.	0	0	0	4/6/2017, 5:16:03 AM
00:00:00:00:00:00:0a	/218.193.113.249:54107	Nicira, Inc.	0	0	0	4/6/2017, 5:16:01 AM

要求：

在 Mininet 命令行操作界面通过 iperf 命令对 h1 和 h2，h1 和 h3，h1 和 h5 主机间带宽性能进行分析（也可通过编写测试脚本实现全自动化测试），包括发送速率与接收速率。

实验步骤：

（1）同一交换机内部的主机间连通性及通信带宽测试，在h1和h2之间进行ping操作。

```
mininet> iperf h1 h2
*** Iperf: testing TCP bandwidth between h1 and h2
*** Results: ['6.97 Gbits/sec', '6.98 Gbits/sec']
```

（2）相同汇聚交换机下不同机架的主机间测试，在h1和h3之间进行ping操作。

```
mininet> iperf h1 h3
*** Iperf: testing TCP bandwidth between h1 and h3
*** Results: ['1.58 Gbits/sec', '1.59 Gbits/sec']
```

（3）相同核心交换机不同汇聚交换机下的主机间测试，在h1和h5之间进行ping操作。

```
mininet> iperf h1 h5
*** Iperf: testing TCP bandwidth between h1 and h5
*** Results: ['4.21 Gbits/sec', '4.22 Gbits/sec']
```

参考材料

<http://www.sdnlab.com/2909.html>

<http://www.linuxidc.com/Linux/2015-01/112030.htm>

<https://floodlight.atlassian.net/wiki/spaces/floodlightcontroller/pages/8650780/Floodlight+VM>

<https://segmentfault.com/a/1190000003076028>