

Install Cuda 6.5 with Nvidia Quadro K2100M Graphics in Ubuntu 12.04

Step 1: download the cuda installer from the [official website](#). Select Linux x86, choose [Ubuntu 12.04 DEB*](#) . You could also download the [installation guide](#) from the website, but basically this tutorial is enough.

Download the Cuda .deb installer for ubuntu (much simpler than .run installer) , because the .Deb file will **automatically uninstall the previous Nvidia driver and automatically install the dependencies**.

Step 2: run the installation commands (Note: symbol # means explanation, symbol \$ means the commands in the terminal, following the same.)

```
$ sudo dpkg -i cuda-repo-ubuntu1204_6.5-14_amd64.deb
$ sudo apt-get update
$ sudo apt-get install cuda
```

Step 3: Environment Setup:

-----**ADD LIBRARY**-----

go to the folder contains the configure files

```
$ cd /etc/ld.so.conf.d/
```

add your own library path

```
$ sudo nano filename.conf
```

add the path of the library inside the filename.conf file

for example:

```
# # Add nvidia-340 path
```

```
# # $ /usr/lib/nvidia-340
```

```
# # Add cuda-6.5 path
```

```
# # $ /usr/local/cuda-6.5/lib64
```

then reload the configure file to active the created configure file.

```
$ sudo ldconfig
```

-----**Add PATH**-----

open the .bashrc file

```
$ cd ~
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```
$ sudo .bashrc
```

Add the path like the following format, to the end of files

```
export PATH=/usr/local/cuda-6.5/bin:$PATH
```

save changes and restart your computer.

Step 4: Install Cuda samples to verify your installation

```
# copy the cuda samples to your home directory <dir>, in my case, /home/jiang/  
$ cuda-install-samples-6.5.sh <dir>
```

```
# check your driver version  
$ cat /proc/driver/nvidia/version
```

```
# check CUDA TOOLKIT version  
$ nvcc -V
```

```
# then go to the sample directory and build the samples  
$ cd ~/NVIDIA_CUDA-6.5_Samples  
$ make
```

you will see the following info:

```
....  
Finished building CUDA samples  
\$jiang@Cansen-HP:~\$
```

Step 5. Run samples

```
# go to release folder and run deviceQuery  
$ cd ~/NVIDIA_CUDA-6.5_Samples/bin/linux/release/  
$ ./deviceQuery
```

if you see the error

```
$ sudo ./deviceQuery  
• ./deviceQuery Starting...  
•  
• CUDA Device Query (Runtime API) version (CUDART static linking)  
•  
• FATAL: Module nvidia_uvm not found.  
• cudaGetDeviceCount returned 30  
• -> unknown error  
• Result = FAIL
```

[Solution is here:](#)

```
$ sudo update-alternatives --config x86_64-linux-gnu_gl_conf
```

| Selection | Path | Priority | Status |
|-----------|---|----------|-------------|
| 0 | /usr/lib/nvidia-331/ld.so.conf | 8604 | auto mode |
| * 1 | /usr/lib/nvidia-331-prime/ld.so.conf | 8603 | manual mode |
| 2 | /usr/lib/nvidia-331/ld.so.conf | 8604 | manual mode |
| 3 | /usr/lib/x86_64-linux-gnu/mesa/ld.so.conf | 500 | manual mode |

basically, the solution here you need to change the status to be **prime**.

run again the command, you will see:

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```
jiang@Cansen-HP:~/NVIDIA_CUDA-6.5_Samples/bin$ ./x86_64/linux/release/deviceQuery
```

```
./x86_64/linux/release/deviceQuery Starting...
```

CUDA Device Query (Runtime API) version (CUDART static linking)

Detected 1 CUDA Capable device(s)

Device 0: "Quadro K2100M"

CUDA Driver Version / Runtime Version 6.5 / 6.5
CUDA Capability Major/Minor version number: 3.0
Total amount of global memory: 2048 MBytes (2147287040 bytes)
(3) Multiprocessors, (192) CUDA Cores/MP: 576 CUDA Cores
GPU Clock rate: 667 MHz (0.67 GHz)
Memory Clock rate: 1504 Mhz
Memory Bus Width: 128-bit
L2 Cache Size: 262144 bytes
Maximum Texture Dimension Size (x,y,z) 1D=(65536), 2D=(65536, 65536), 3D=(4096, 4096, 4096)
Maximum Layered 1D Texture Size, (num) layers 1D=(16384), 2048 layers
Maximum Layered 2D Texture Size, (num) layers 2D=(16384, 16384), 2048 layers
Total amount of constant memory: 65536 bytes
Total amount of shared memory per block: 49152 bytes
Total number of registers available per block: 65536
Warp size: 32
Maximum number of threads per multiprocessor: 2048
Maximum number of threads per block: 1024
Max dimension size of a thread block (x,y,z): (1024, 1024, 64)
Max dimension size of a grid size (x,y,z): (2147483647, 65535, 65535)
Maximum memory pitch: 2147483647 bytes
Texture alignment: 512 bytes
Concurrent copy and kernel execution: Yes with 1 copy engine(s)
Run time limit on kernels: No
Integrated GPU sharing Host Memory: No
Support host page-locked memory mapping: Yes
Alignment requirement for Surfaces: Yes
Device has ECC support: Disabled
Device supports Unified Addressing (UVA): Yes
Device PCI Bus ID / PCI location ID: 1 / 0
Compute Mode:
 < Default (multiple host threads can use ::cudaSetDevice() with device simultaneously) >

deviceQuery, CUDA Driver = CUDART, CUDA Driver Version = 6.5, CUDA Runtime Version = 6.5,
NumDevs = 1, Device0 = Quadro K2100M

Result = PASS

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then run the bandwidthTest program to ensure the system and the cuda-capable device are able to
communicate correctly.

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```
jiang@Cansen-HP:~/NVIDIA_CUDA-6.5_Samples/bin/x86_64/linux/release$ ./bandwidthTest
[CUDA Bandwidth Test] - Starting...
Running on...
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Device 0: Quadro K2100M
Quick Mode
```

```
Host to Device Bandwidth, 1 Device(s)
```

```
PINNED Memory Transfers
```

| Transfer Size (Bytes) | Bandwidth(MB/s) |
|-----------------------|-----------------|
| 33554432 | 10288.9 |

```
Device to Host Bandwidth, 1 Device(s)
```

```
PINNED Memory Transfers
```

| Transfer Size (Bytes) | Bandwidth(MB/s) |
|-----------------------|-----------------|
| 33554432 | 10292.5 |

```
Device to Device Bandwidth, 1 Device(s)
```

```
PINNED Memory Transfers
```

| Transfer Size (Bytes) | Bandwidth(MB/s) |
|-----------------------|-----------------|
| 33554432 | 35606.4 |

```
Result = PASS
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```
jiang@Cansen-HP:~/NVIDIA_CUDA-6.5_Samples/bin/x86_64/linux/release$
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Congrats! Everything is DONE now!