

# **Project 1**ONOS and Mininet Installation

Environment Setup & Basic Operation

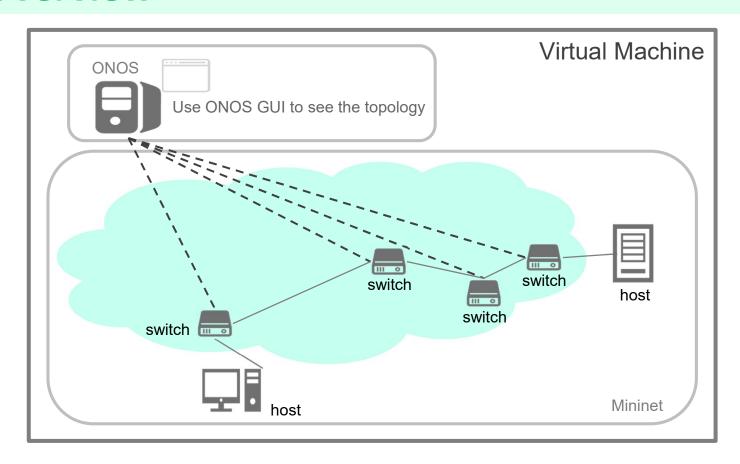
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# **Overview**





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#### **VirtualBox & ONOS & Mininet**

# **Environment Setup**



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# **Virtualbox Installation**

- Oracle VM VirtualBox:
  - ✓ a free and open-source hosted hypervisor
  - developed by Oracle Corporation
- Environment
  - Ubuntu Desktop 16.04
  - Min Hardware settings
    - 2 Cores
    - 8GB RAM
    - 20GB HDD
- ☐ For more installation detail, please refer to:
  - SDN\_Environment\_Setup.pdf



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## Bazel, ONOS, Mininet and OVS Installation

- Bazel: free SW tool for "automation of building and testing of SW".
- ☐ **Mininet**: An instant virtual network on your computer
- ☐ Open vSwitch (OVS): a multilayer software switch licensed under the open source Apache 2 license.
- ☐ Open Network Operating System (ONOS): open source network controller for SDN
- ☐ Installation:
  - Use TA-provided *env\_setup.sh*









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#### ☐ Start ONOS in localhost

```
demo@SDN-NFV:~/onos$ bazel run onos-local -- clean debug
INFO: Analyzed target //:onos-local (0 packages loaded, 0 targets configured).
INFO: Found 1 target...
Target //:onos-local_current-jdk up-to-date:
 bazel-bin/onos-runner_current-jdk
INFO: Elapsed time: 0.486s, Critical Path: 0.00s
INFO: 0 processes.
INFO: Build completed successfully, 1 total action
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Killing ONOS server...
Using JDK in /tmp/onos-2.2.0-jdk...
Running clean installation...
Host [localhost]:8101 not found in /home/demo/.ssh/known_hosts
Creating local cluster configs for IP 127.0.0.1...
Waiting for karaf.log
Mar 01, 2020 5:21:31 PM org.apache.karaf.main.Main launch
```

```
ConfigurationEvent: pid=org.onosproject.net.intent.impl.IntentCleanup) | OpenFlowRuleProvider | 203 - org.onosproject.onos-provider | 203 - org.onosproject.onos-provider | 203 - org.onosproject.onos-provides | 203 - org.on
```



☐ Bring up another new terminal and enter ONOS CLI

demo@SDN-NFV:~/onos\$ onos localhost

```
demo@SDN-NFV:~/onos$ tools/test/bin/onos localhost
Welcome to Open Network Operating System (ONOS)!

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Documentation: wiki.onosproject.org
Tutorials: tutorials.onosproject.org
Mailing lists: lists.onosproject.org

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Hit '<tab>' for a list of available commands
and '[cmd] --help' for help on a specific command.
Hit '<ctrl-d>' or type 'logout' to exit ONOS session.

demo@root >
```

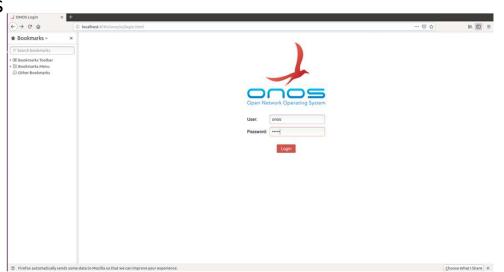
demo@root > logout

# exit onos cli



## **ONOS Web GUI**

- Open web browser (e.g. Firefox)
  - visit <a href="http://localhost:8181/onos/ui">http://localhost:8181/onos/ui</a>
    - User/Password: onos/rocks



- ONOS GUI tutorial
  - https://wiki.onosproject.org/display/ONOS/Basic+ONOS+Tutorial#Basic ONOSTutorial-ONOSGraphicalUserInterface



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#### **Activate basic ONOS APPs (Via ONOS CLI)**

#### ■ Via ONOS CLI

```
# Show activated apps only
 onos> apps -a -s
demo@root > apps -a -s
   9 org.onosproject.optical-model
                                                Optical Network Model
                                        2.2.0
                                                                       Initially activated Apps
  10 org.onosproject.drivers
                                        2.2.0
                                                Default Drivers
  90 org.onosproject.hostprovider
                                        2.2.0
                                                Host Location Provider
  91 org.onosproject.lldpprovider
                                        2.2.0
                                                LLDP Link Provider
  92 org.onosproject.openflow-base
                                        2.2.0
                                                OpenFlow Base Provider
  93 org.onosproject.openflow
                                        2.2.0
                                                OpenFlow Provider Suite
  103 org.onosproject.gui2
                                        2.2.0
                                                 ONOS GUI2
 onos> app activate <name>
                                                  # activate onos app
 onos> app deactivate <name>
                                                  # deactivate onos app
demo@root > app activate org.onosproject.openflow
Activated org.onosproject.openflow
demo@root > app activate org.onosproject.fwd
Activated org.onosproject.fwd
```

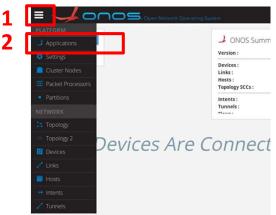
Note: Use the following command to get more usage information

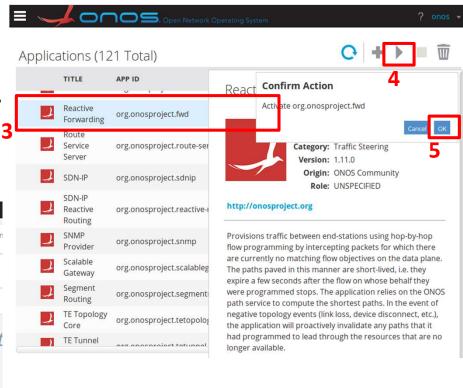
```
onos> app --help # display command help message
```



## **Activate basic ONOS APPs (Via ONOS GUI)**

- Via ONOS GUI
  - 1. Click ■
  - 2. Choose "Applications"
  - 3. Choose "Reactive Forwarding"
  - 4. Click ▶
  - 5. Click "OK"





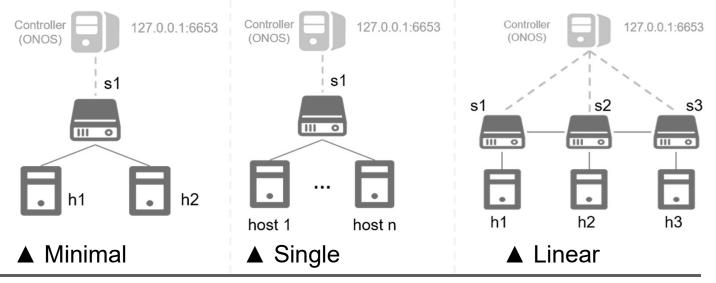


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## **Built-in topologies in Mininet**

- ☐ Five Built-in topologies:
  - Minimal
    - Also called "Default"
  - Single
  - Linear
  - Torus
  - Tree





#### **Create Built-in Linear Topology**

Create a linear topology

```
$ sudo mn --topo=linear,3 --controller=remote,127.0.0.1:6653
```

- "--controller" adds remote controller
- "--topo" specifies the topology

```
*** Creating network

*** Adding controller

*** Adding hosts:
h1 h2 h3

*** Adding switches:
s1 s2 s3

*** Adding links:
(h1, s1) (h2, s2) (h3, s3) (s2, s1) (s3, s2)

*** Configuring hosts
h1 h2 h3

*** Starting controller
c0

*** Starting 3 switches
s1 s2 s3 ...

*** Starting CLI:
mininet> 

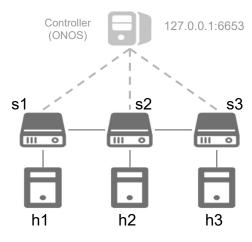
### Adding links:

### Adding links:

### Starting links:

### Starting CLI:

#### Starting CLI:
```



mininet> exit # exit mininet cli



#### **Clear Your Experiment Environment**

■ Note:

Make sure to clean up the environment of Mininet after every time you exit Mininet CLI

\$ sudo mn -c #clean and exit

■ A "cleanup" command to get rid of junk (interfaces, processes, files in /tmp, etc.) which might be left around by Mininet or Linux



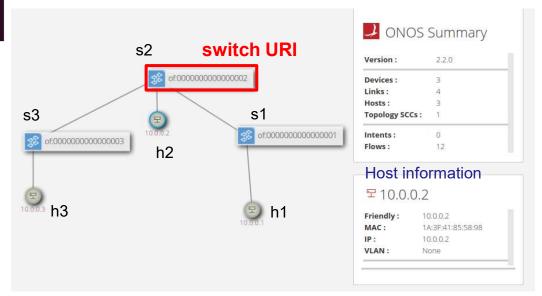
#### Make hosts appear in ONOS GUI

1. First, use "pingall" in the Mininet CLI

mininet> pingall # ping between all hosts

```
*** Ping: testing ping reachability
h1 -> h2 h3
h2 -> h1 h3
h3 -> h1 h2
*** Results: 0% dropped (6/6 received)
```

- 2. Hotkeys on GUI
  - "h" to show hosts
  - "I" to show switch URI





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#### Create a custom topology

1. Specify topology in Python script

```
from mininet.topo import Topo

class MyTopo( Topo ):
    def __init__( self ):
        Topo.__init__( self )

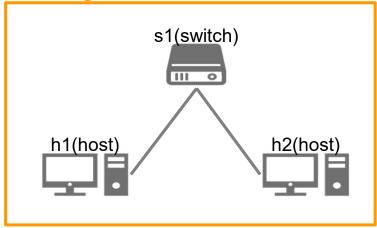
    # Add hosts
    h1 = self.addHost( 'h1' )
    h2 = self.addHost( 'h2' )

# Add switches
    s1 = self.addSwitch( 's1' )

# Add links
    self.addLink( h1, s1 )
    self.addLink( h2, s1 )

topos = { 'mytopo': MyTopo }
```

#### Single switch with two hosts



2. Run Mininet with options "custom" and "topo"

```
$ sudo mn --custom=sample.py --topo=mytopo \
--controller=remote,ip=127.0.0.1,port=6653
```



#### **Topology Dictionary**

☐ Recall: create a custom topology specified in sameple.py

```
$ sudo mn --custom=sample.py --topo=mytopo \
    --controller=remote,ip=127.0.0.1,port=6653
```

Need to define a topology dictionary in the sample.py





- Topo Name can be passed to option "--topo"
- Topo Constructor may be subclasses, constructors or functions



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  - Part 2: Create a Custom Topology (50%)
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#### **Part 1: Answer Questions**

#### **Activate ONOS APPs**

- 1. When ONOS activates "org.onosproject.openflow," what are the APPs which it also activates?
- 2. As topology in p.22, can H1 ping H2 successfully? Why or why not?

Hint: Please refer to the reference "Basic ONOS Tutorial" attached at the end of slide

#### Observe listening port

- 3. Which TCP port the controller listens for the OpenFlow connection request from the switch?
- 4. In question 3, which APP enables the controller to listen on the TCP port?

Hint: Observation of network connection

- 1. bring up and enter a new terminal
- 2. deactivate/activate apps and use "netstat" in the new terminal to observe network connections

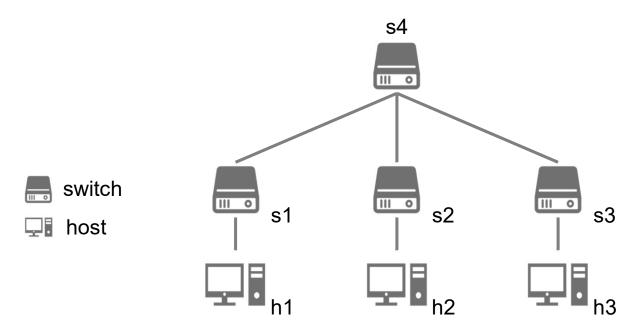
\$ netstat -nlpt

#show only listening TCP sockets



#### **Part 2: Create a Custom Topology**

■ Write a Python script to build the following topology:



☐ Hand in the Python script you write in this part



## Naming Conventions for part 2

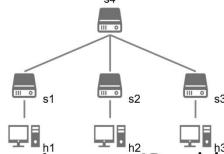
- Naming conventions in your python script
  - a. Name of Python script: project1\_part2\_<studentID>.py
  - b. Name of topology class: Project1\_Topo\_<studentID>
  - c. Name of dictionary's key: topo\_part2\_<studentID>
- Command to execute your script:

```
$ sudo mn --custom=project1_part2_<studentID>.py \
   --topo=topo_part2_<studentID> \
   --controller=remote,ip=127.0.0.1:6653
```



#### Part 3: Statically Assign Hosts IP Address In Mininet (I)

☐ Reuse the topology in part 2



■ By default, Mininet automatically assigns an IP address and a subnet mask to each interface of each host (i.e. 10.0.0.1/8, 10.0.0.2/8, 10.0.0.3/8)

```
mininet> dump

<Host h1: h1-eth0:10.0.0.1 pid=11188>

<Host h2: h2-eth0:10.0.0.2 pid=11190>

mininet> h1 ifconfig

h1-eth0 Link encap:Ethernet HWaddr ae:c2:c4:b8:d3:ac

inet addr:10.0.0.1 Bcast:10.255.255.255 Mask:255.0.0.0

inet6 addr: fe80::acc2:c4ff:feb8:d3ac/64 Scope:Link
```



#### Part 3: Statically Assign Hosts IP Address In Mininet (II)

- Format for manual assignment of host IP address:
  - **■** 192.168.0.<host\_number>
  - netmask 255.255.255.224

Host	IP Address
h1	192.168.0.1
h2	192.168.0.2

☐ Take screenshots of the result of the Mininet command "dump" and "pingall"

- ☐ Hand in the Python script you've edited
- ☐ Remember to activate "org.onosproject.fwd" before "pingall"



## **Naming Conventions for part 3**

- Naming conventions in your python script
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  - b. Name of topology class: Project1\_Topo\_<studentID>
  - c. Name of dictionary's key: topo\_part3\_<studentID>
- Command to execute your script:

```
$ sudo mn --custom=project1_part3_<studentID>.py \
   --topo=topo_part3_<studentID> \
   --controller=remote,ip=127.0.0.1:6653
```



#### **Report & Python script**

## **About Submission**



#### **Submission**

- ☐ Files
  - Two Python scripts:
    - project1\_part2\_<studentID>.py
    - project1\_part3\_<studentID>.py
  - A report: project1\_<studentID>.pdf
    - 1. Part 1: Answers to those four questions
    - 2. Part 2: Take screenshots and explain what you've done
    - 3. Part 3: Take screenshots and explain what you've done
    - 4. What you've learned or solved
- Submission
  - Zip Python scripts and the report into a zip file
    - Named: project1\_<studentID>.zip
  - Wrong file name or format will result in 10 points deduction



Q & A

# Thank you



#### Reference

- 1. Basic ONOS Tutorial
  - https://wiki.onosproject.org/display/ONOS/Basic+ONOS+Tutorial
- 2. Introduction to Mininet
  - https://github.com/mininet/mininet/wiki/Introduction-to-Mininet
- 3. Mininet Python API
  - http://mininet.org/api/annotated.html
- 4. Manpage for Linux command
  - netstat
    - http://manpages.ubuntu.com/manpages/trusty/man8/netstat.8.html
  - mn
    - http://manpages.ubuntu.com/manpages/bionic/man1/mn.1.html



#### **Appendix: Network Topology for Mininet Emulation**

- Mininet employs lightweight virtualization features in the Linux kernel, including process groups, CPU bandwidth isolation, and network namespaces
- An emulated host in Mininet is a group of user-level processes moved into a network namespace

