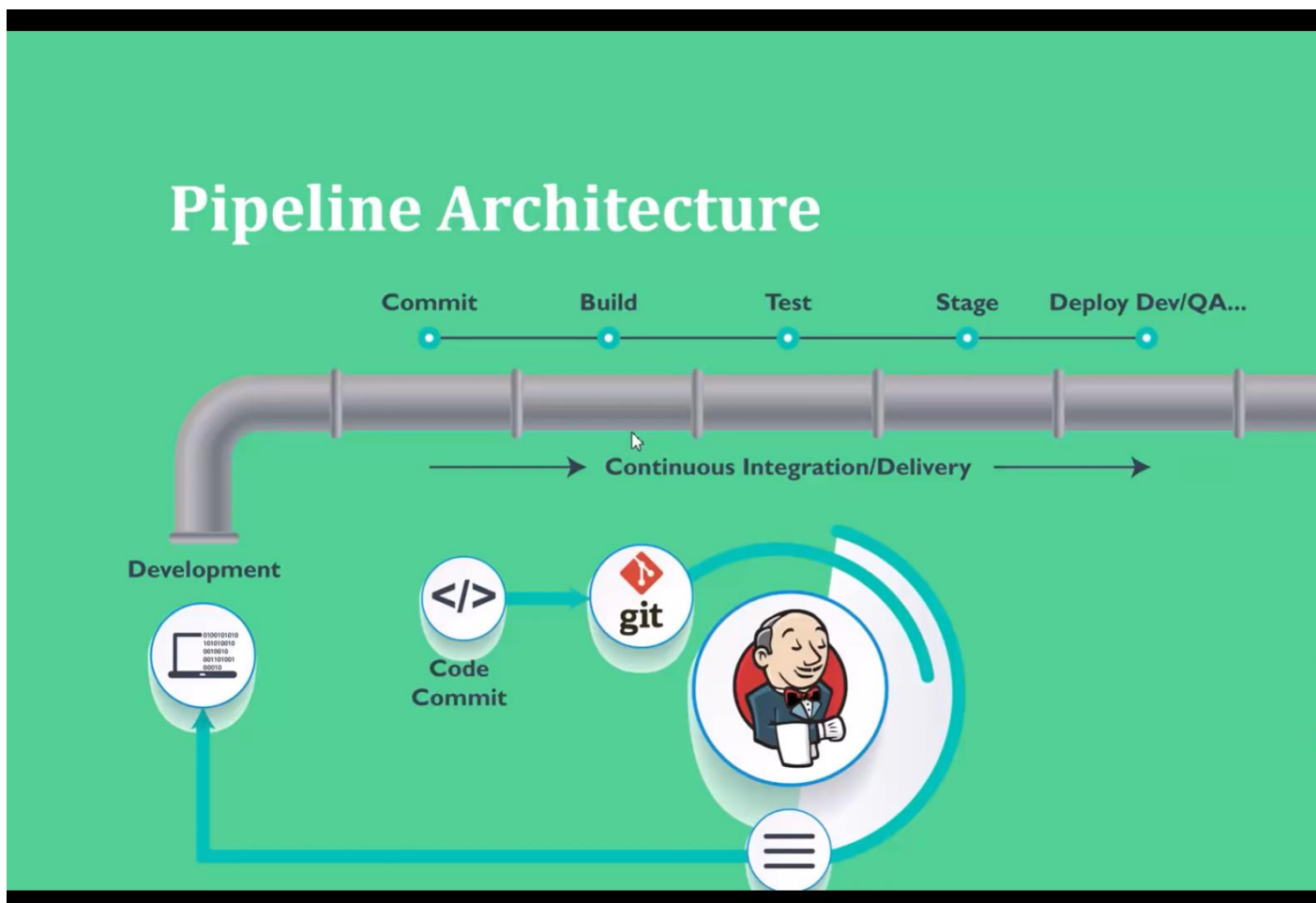


JENKINS

Jenkins is a Java-based open-source automation platform with plugins designed for continuous integration. It is used to continually create and test software projects, making it easier for developers and DevOps engineers to integrate changes to the project and for consumers to get a new build.

PIPELINE



- ➔ There is an external trigger that starts the pipeline.
- ➔ The latest code gets fetched from the source code repository.
- ➔ Then the code gets compiled, built, and packaged.
- ➔ Bunch of tests get run.
- ➔ Then, the compiled output gets published somewhere.
- ➔ Then, if we do continuous delivery, it gets deployed to live servers.
- ➔ The final output is some sort of notification to say whether the build is succeeded or not.

All the features in the pipeline comes from the plugins. We cannot do this with plain installation of Jenkins.

In Jenkins, all the plugins come from a central online catalog, which also gets used for installation and ongoing updates, which includes both feature updates and to add new functionality to the plugins, but also security fixes if there are any vulnerabilities in the plugins.

If we want to use some functionality available already in another plugin, we can just import the dependency on that plugin.

Due to this, we ended up with a huge dependency graph where we only installed 5-6 plugins but ended up with 50-60 that are deployed or with these interrelated dependencies.

INSTALLATION

Basic steps –

1. Install Java Development Kit (JDK) (minimum jdk version 11 required) -

x64 Installer

159.94 MB

<https://www.oracle.com/java/technologies/download>

2. Set the Path for the Environmental Variable for JDK

Download and run Jenkins

3. [Download Jenkins Generic Java package \(.war\)](#)
4. Open up a terminal in the download directory
5. Run `java -jar jenkins.war --httpPort=8080`
6. Browse to `http://localhost:8080`
7. Follow the instructions to complete the installation

When the installation is complete, you can start putting Jenkins to work!

[Continue to "Create your first Pipeline"](#)

1. Initialize the jenkins.war file with the command `"java -jar jenkins.war"` and install it.

```

Select C:\Windows\System32\cmd.exe - java -jar jenkins.war

CC:\Users\smitkuma>setx /m JAVA_HOME "C:\Program Files\Java\jdk-17";
ERROR: Access to the registry path is denied.

CC:\Users\smitkuma>java -jar jenkins.war
Running from: C:\Users\smitkuma\jenkins.war
webroot: C:\Users\smitkuma\jenkins\war
22023-04-05 11:00:49.383+0000 [id=1] INFO winstone.Logger#logInternal: Beginning extraction from war file
22023-04-05 11:00:55.345+0000 [id=1] WARNING o.e.j.s.handler.ContextHandler#setContextPath: Empty contextPath
22023-04-05 11:00:55.429+0000 [id=1] INFO org.eclipse.jetty.server.Server#doStart: jetty-10.0.13; built: 2022-12-07T20:13:20.13Z
aac084c766d; jvm 17.0.6+9-LTS-190
22023-04-05 11:00:56.185+0000 [id=1] INFO o.e.j.w.StandardDescriptorProcessor#visitServlet: NO JSP Support for /, did not find o
22023-04-05 11:00:56.289+0000 [id=1] INFO o.e.j.s.s.DefaultSessionIdManager#doStart: Session workerName=node0
22023-04-05 11:00:56.944+0000 [id=1] INFO hudson.WebAppMain#contextInitialized: Jenkins home directory: C:\Users\smitkuma\jenk
22023-04-05 11:00:57.180+0000 [id=1] INFO o.e.j.s.handler.ContextHandler#doStart: Started w.@418c020b{Jenkins v2.397/,file:///
LLE}{C:\Users\smitkuma\jenkins\war}
22023-04-05 11:00:57.239+0000 [id=1] INFO o.e.j.server.AbstractConnector#doStart: Started ServerConnector@432038ec{HTTP/1.1, (ht
22023-04-05 11:00:57.258+0000 [id=1] INFO org.eclipse.jetty.server.Server#doStart: Started Server@78641d23{STARTING}[10.0.13,sto
22023-04-05 11:00:57.260+0000 [id=29] INFO winstone.Logger#logInternal: Winstone Servlet Engine running: controlPort=disabled
22023-04-05 11:00:57.501+0000 [id=35] INFO jenkins.InitReactorRunner$1#onAttained: Started initialization
22023-04-05 11:00:57.516+0000 [id=33] INFO jenkins.InitReactorRunner$1#onAttained: Listed all plugins
22023-04-05 11:00:58.572+0000 [id=48] INFO jenkins.InitReactorRunner$1#onAttained: Prepared all plugins
22023-04-05 11:00:58.578+0000 [id=35] INFO jenkins.InitReactorRunner$1#onAttained: Started all plugins
22023-04-05 11:00:58.586+0000 [id=35] INFO jenkins.InitReactorRunner$1#onAttained: Augmented all extensions
22023-04-05 11:00:58.830+0000 [id=42] INFO jenkins.InitReactorRunner$1#onAttained: System config loaded
22023-04-05 11:00:58.831+0000 [id=48] INFO jenkins.InitReactorRunner$1#onAttained: System config adapted
22023-04-05 11:00:58.832+0000 [id=33] INFO jenkins.InitReactorRunner$1#onAttained: Loaded all jobs
22023-04-05 11:00:58.833+0000 [id=33] INFO jenkins.InitReactorRunner$1#onAttained: Configuration for all jobs updated
22023-04-05 11:00:58.869+0000 [id=61] INFO hudson.util.Retrier#start: Attempt #1 to do the action check updates server
22023-04-05 11:00:59.307+0000 [id=48] INFO jenkins.install.SetupWizard#init:

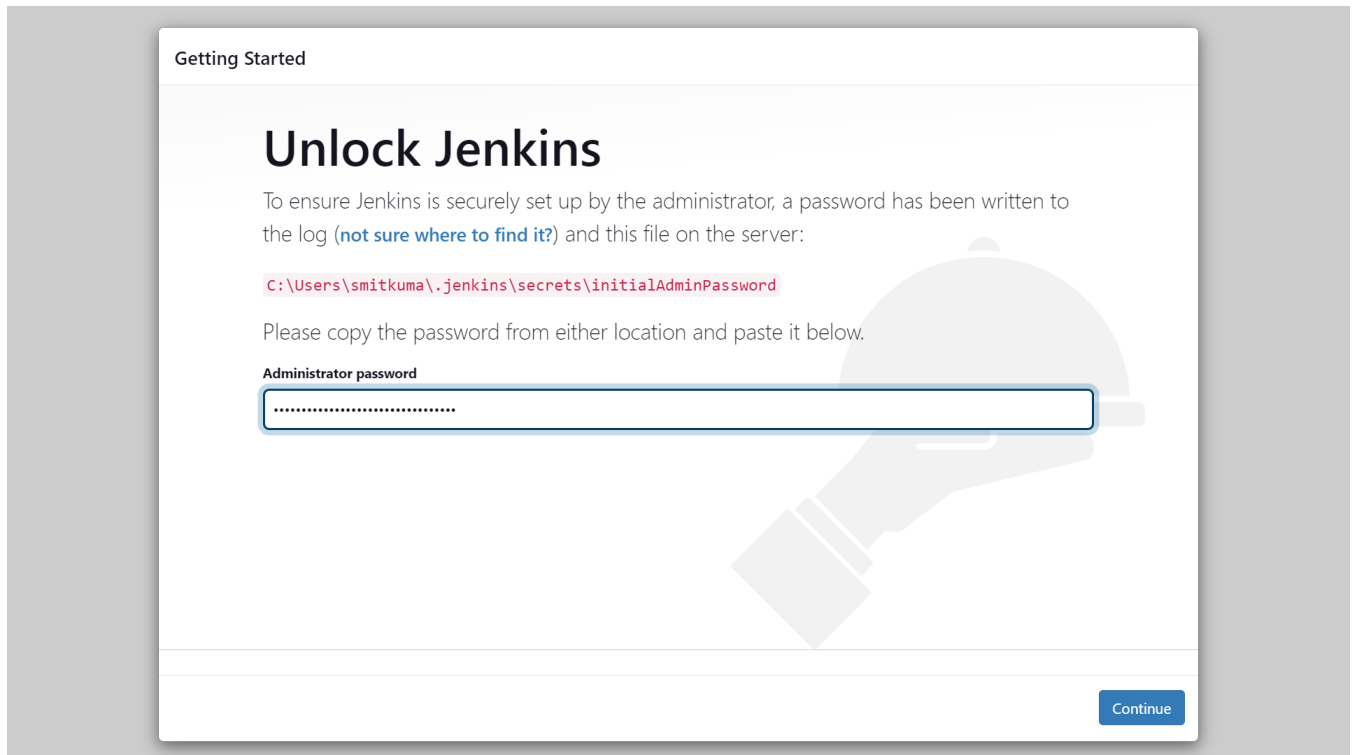
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Jenkins initial setup is required. An admin user has been created and a password generated.
Please use the following password to proceed to installation:

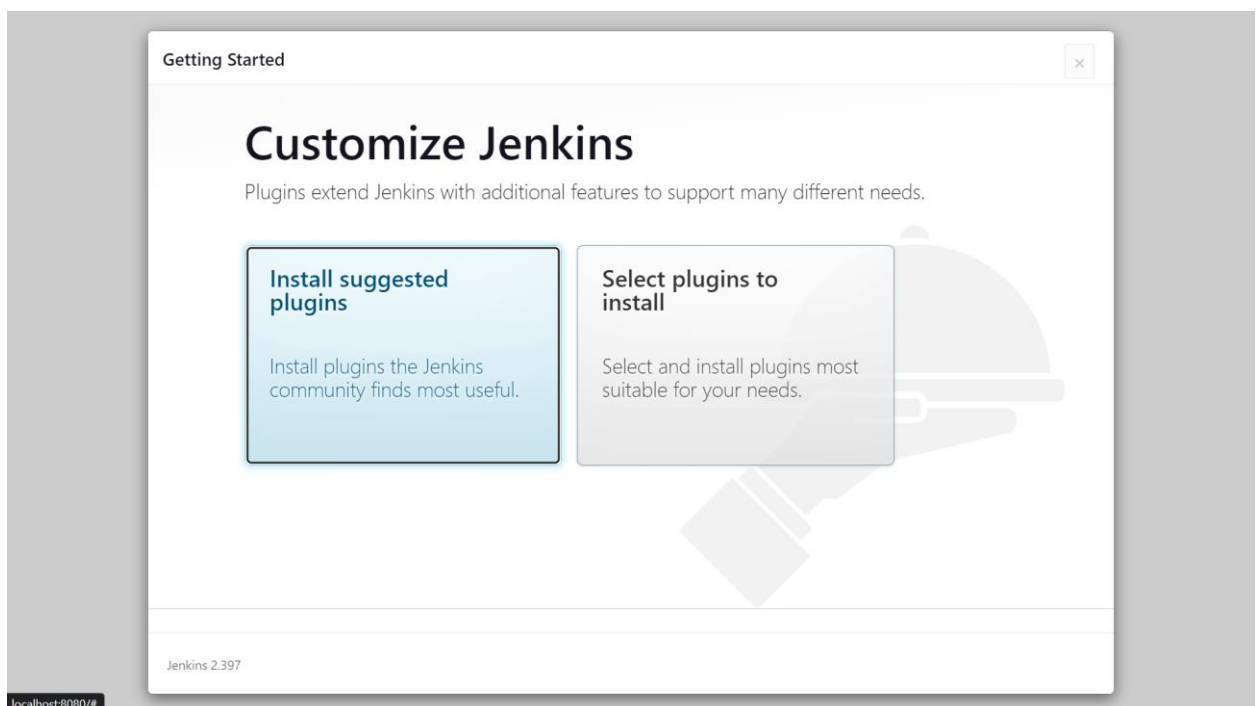
99adec0721c1d494793e56f336e668821

```

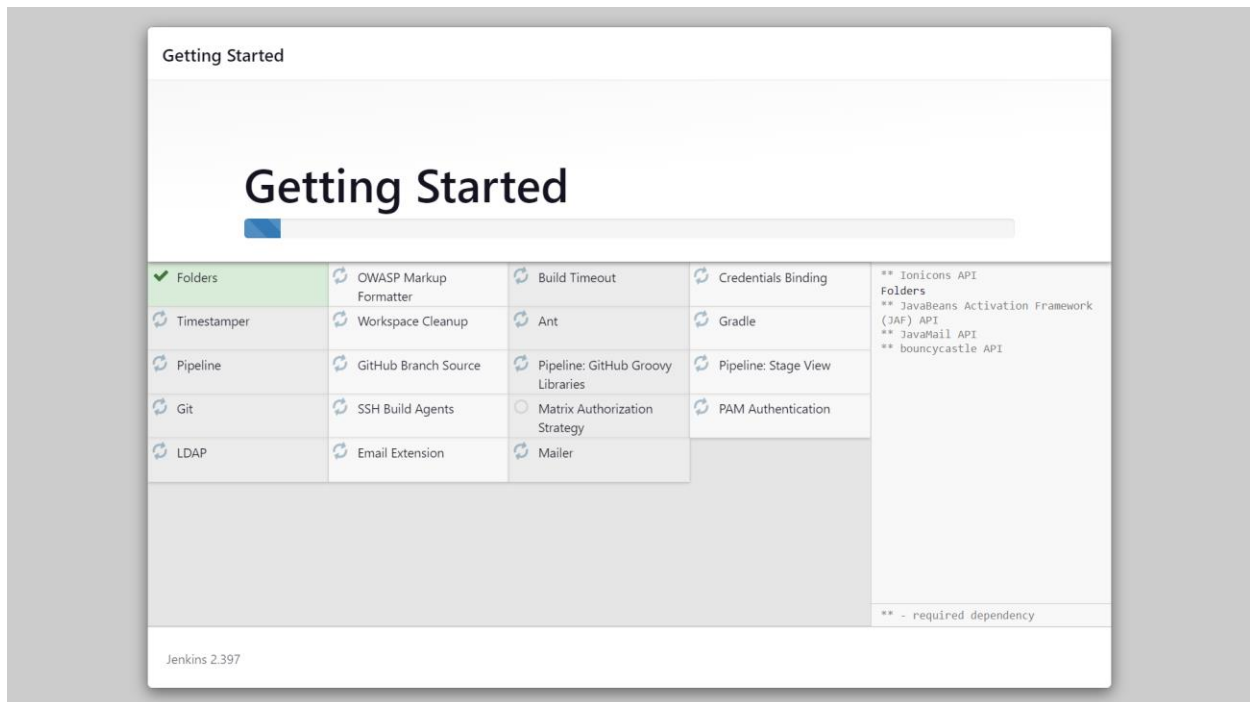
2. Make sure you copy paste the admin password which has been generated-
99adec0721c1d494793e56f336e668821 (This may also be found at:
C:\Users\smitkuma\jenkins\secrets\initialAdminPassword)
3. To use Jenkins run <https://localhost:8080> (the default port) and enter the key obtained after installing Jenkins as shown above to unlock Jenkins. Save this key this is our admin password.



4. Select the required plugins and initiate your jenkins profile



5. Now it will take few minutes to install the plugins.



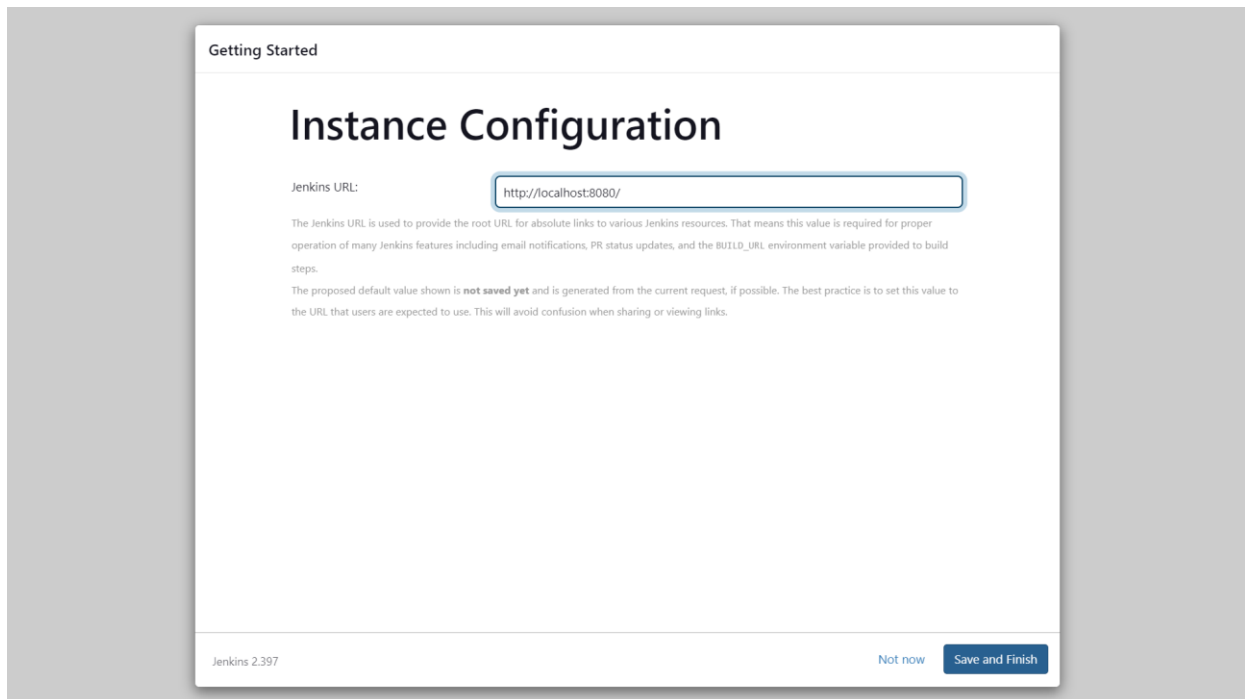
- Now we can create a personal profile or login as admin – give a simple password which you can remember ex: Password@123

The image shows the 'Create First Admin User' form in Jenkins 2.397. The form is titled 'Create First Admin User' and contains several input fields for user information. The fields are labeled as follows:

- Username: smita
- Password: (masked with dots)
- Confirm password: (masked with dots)
- Full name: Smita B Kumar
- E-mail address: smita.a.kumar@capgemini.com

At the bottom of the form, there are two buttons: 'Skip and continue as admin' and 'Save and Continue'.

7. We can change the instance if needed at this step



The screenshot shows the 'Getting Started' section of the Jenkins configuration page. The main heading is 'Instance Configuration'. Below it, there is a label 'Jenkins URL:' followed by a text input field containing 'http://localhost:8080/'. A detailed explanation of the Jenkins URL is provided: 'The Jenkins URL is used to provide the root URL for absolute links to various Jenkins resources. That means this value is required for proper operation of many Jenkins features including email notifications, PR status updates, and the BUILD_URL environment variable provided to build steps. The proposed default value shown is **not saved yet** and is generated from the current request, if possible. The best practice is to set this value to the URL that users are expected to use. This will avoid confusion when sharing or viewing links.' At the bottom left, it says 'Jenkins 2.397'. At the bottom right, there are two buttons: 'Not now' and 'Save and Finish'.

Getting Started

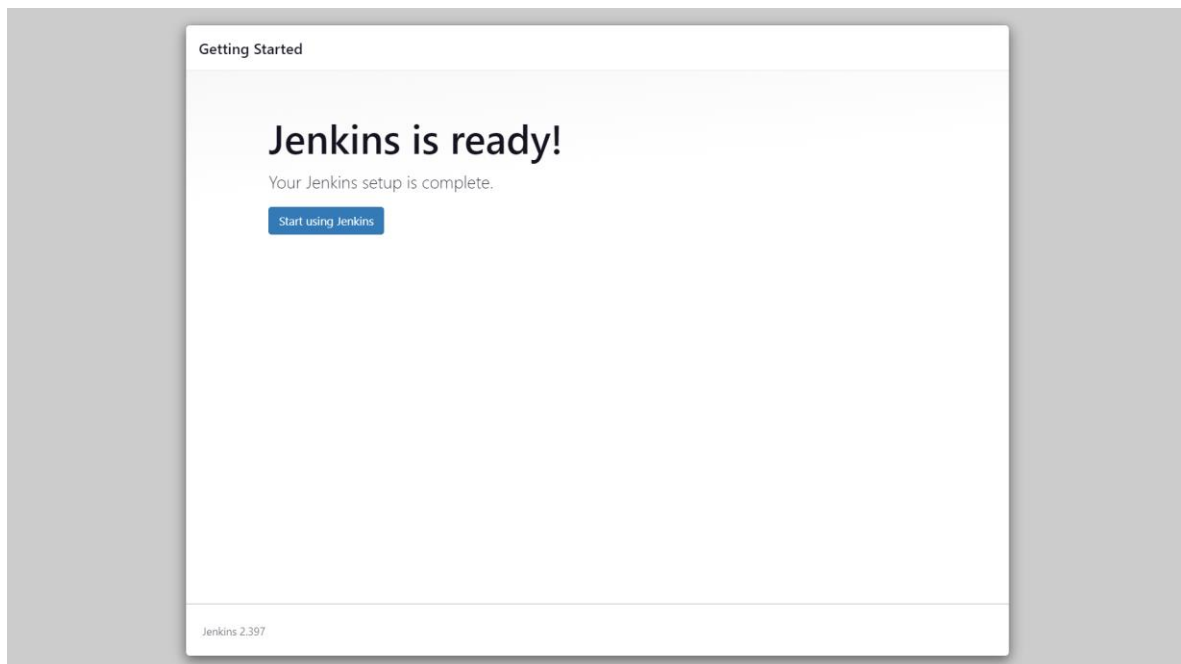
Instance Configuration


Jenkins URL:

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Jenkins 2.397 Not now Save and Finish

8. Jenkins is installed successfully.



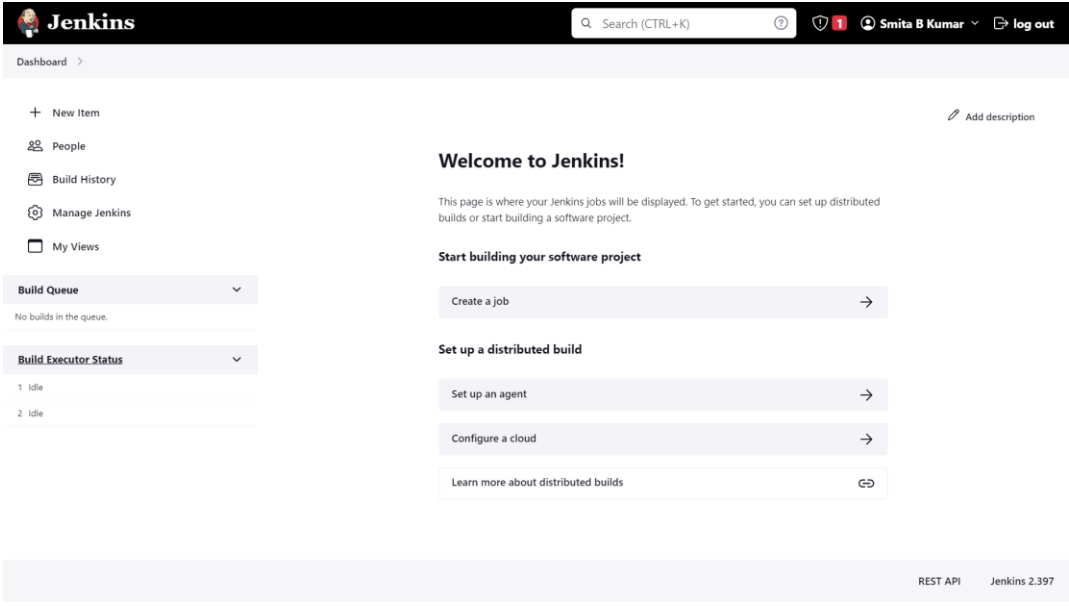


Welcome to Jenkins!

☒ Keep me signed in

[Sign in](#)

9. Now we can create a job my following these steps and cloning any project.



The screenshot shows the Jenkins Dashboard. At the top is a black header with the Jenkins logo, a search bar, and user information (Smita B Kumar) with a 'log out' link. Below the header is a 'Dashboard' breadcrumb. On the left is a sidebar with links: '+ New Item', 'People', 'Build History', 'Manage Jenkins', and 'My Views'. Below these are two expandable sections: 'Build Queue' (showing 'No builds in the queue') and 'Build Executor Status' (showing two idle executors). The main content area has a 'Welcome to Jenkins!' message, followed by instructions on how to get started. It includes a section 'Start building your software project' with a 'Create a job' button, and a section 'Set up a distributed build' with buttons for 'Set up an agent', 'Configure a cloud', and a link to 'Learn more about distributed builds'. At the bottom right, there are links for 'REST API' and 'Jenkins 2.397'.

10. Now Click on **Manage Jenkins-> Tool -> Script the Java Home Path & Maven Home Path** and repository URL and the project will be ready to build.

Dashboard > Manage Jenkins

+ New Item

People

Build History

Manage Jenkins

My Views

Build Queue

No builds in the queue.

Build Executor Status

1 Idle

2 Idle

Manage Jenkins

Search settings

New version of Jenkins (2.399) is available for [download](#) ([changelog](#)).

Or Upgrade Automatically

Building on the built-in node can be a security issue. You should set up distributed builds. See [the documentation](#).

Set up agent

Set up cloud

Dismiss

System Configuration



System

Configure global settings and paths.



Tools

Configure tools, their locations and automatic installers.



Plugins

Add, remove, disable or enable plugins that can extend the functionality of Jenkins.



Nodes and Clouds

Add, remove, control and monitor the various nodes that Jenkins runs jobs on.



Install as Windows Service

Installs Jenkins as a Windows service to this system, so that Jenkins starts automatically when

localhost:8080/manage/configureTools

Dashboard > Manage Jenkins > Tools

Use default maven global settings

JDK

JDK installations

List of JDK installations on this system

Add JDK

JDK

Name

JAVA_HOME

JAVA_HOME

C:\Program Files\Java\jdk-17\

☐ Install automatically

Add JDK

Git installations

Save

Apply

Dashboard > Manage Jenkins > Tools

Maven

Maven installations

List of Maven installations on this system

[Add Maven](#)

≡ Maven

Name

MAVEN_HOME

MAVEN_HOME

C:\Program Files\apache-maven-3.6.2\

☐ Install automatically ?

[Add Maven](#)

[Save](#) [Apply](#)

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Dashboard > Manage Jenkins > Tools

Git installations

≡ Git

Name

Default

Path to Git executable ?


C:\Program Files\Git

☐ Install automatically ?





[Add Git](#)

[Save](#) [Apply](#)

Create a new job


**Jenkins**


Search (CTRL+K)


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Dashboard

+ New Item

 People

 Build History

 Manage Jenkins

 My Views

Build Queue

No builds in the queue.

Build Executor Status

1 Idle

2 Idle

Add description

Welcome to Jenkins!

This page is where your Jenkins jobs will be displayed. To get started, you can set up distributed builds or start building a software project.

Start building your software project

Create a job

Set up a distributed build

Set up an agent


Configure a cloud

Learn more about distributed builds





localhost:8080/newJob

Enter the name - **spring-boot-demo-pipeline**

Select Pipeline

**Jenkins**

Search (CTRL+K)


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Dashboard


Enter an item name


spring-boot-demo-pipeline


Required field


**Freestyle project**
This is the central feature of Jenkins. Jenkins will build your project, combining any SCM with any build system, and this can be even used for something other than software build.

**Pipeline**
Orchestrates long-running activities that can span multiple build agents. Suitable for building pipelines (formerly known as workflows) and/or organizing complex activities that do not easily fit in free-style job type.

**Multi-configuration project**
Suitable for projects that need a large number of different configurations, such as testing on multiple environments, platform-specific builds, etc.

**Folder**
Creates a container that stores nested items in it. Useful for grouping things together. Unlike view, which is just a filter, a folder creates a separate namespace, so you can have multiple things of the same name as long as they are in different folders.

**Multibranch Pipeline**
Creates a set of Pipeline projects according to detected branches in one SCM repository.

**Organization Folder**
Creates a set of multibranch project subfolders by scanning for repositories.

OK

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Configure

Pipeline

Definition

Pipeline script

```
1= pipeline {
2=   agent any
3=
4=   tools {
5=     // Install the Maven version configured as "M3" and add it to the path.
6=     maven "M3"
7=   }
8=
9=   stages {
10=    stage("Build") {
11=      steps {
12=        // Get some code from a GitHub repository
13=        git 'https://github.com/abhishhektora07/ems.git'
14=
15=        // Run Maven on this agent.
16=        sh "mvn -Dmaven.test.failure.ignore=true clean package"
17=      }
18=    }
19=  }
20=}
```

Groovy script defining this Pipeline. Use the [Pipeline Syntax](#) link for details. (from [Pipeline: Groovy](#))

Save Apply

Jenkins

Dashboard

+ New Item

People

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Build Queue

Build Executor Status

S	W	Name	Last Success	Last Failure	Last Duration
✓	☁	springboot-demo-pipeline	19 min #9	1 day 2 hr #7	0.51 sec

Icon: S M L

Icon legend

Atom feed for all

Atom feed for failures

Atom feed for just latest builds

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Dashboard > groceryapp > #15

```
[INFO] Tests run: 1, Failures: 0, Errors: 0, Skipped: 0
[INFO]
[INFO]
[INFO] --- maven-jar-plugin:3.2.2:jar (default-jar) @ devcom ---
[INFO] Building jar: C:\Users\uditya\.jenkins\workspace\groceryapp\target\groceryapp.jar
[INFO]
[INFO] --- spring-boot-maven-plugin:2.7.3:repackage (repackage) @ devcom ---
[INFO] Replacing main artifact with repackaged archive
[INFO]
[INFO] --- maven-install-plugin:2.5.2:install (default-install) @ devcom ---
[INFO] Installing C:\Users\uditya\.jenkins\workspace\groceryapp\target\groceryapp.jar to C:\Users\uditya\.m2\repository\com\devcom\devcom\0.0.1-SNAPSHOT\devcom-0.0.1-SNAPSHOT.jar
[INFO] Installing C:\Users\uditya\.jenkins\workspace\groceryapp\pom.xml to C:\Users\uditya\.m2\repository\com\devcom\devcom\0.0.1-SNAPSHOT\devcom-0.0.1-SNAPSHOT.pom
[INFO] -----
[INFO] BUILD SUCCESS
[INFO] -----
[INFO] Total time: 57.111 s
[INFO] Finished at: 2022-12-30T11:54:40+05:30
[INFO] -----
[groceryapp] $ docker build -t uditya21/groceryapp --pull=true C:\Users\uditya\.jenkins\workspace\groceryapp
#1 [internal] load build definition from Dockerfile
#1 sha256:fc5fa2d9ce3b88c830d82c2b577a62190f7823d21f20fb804956ea21a2b4021b
#1 transferring dockerfile: 161B 0.0s done
#1 DONE 0.2s

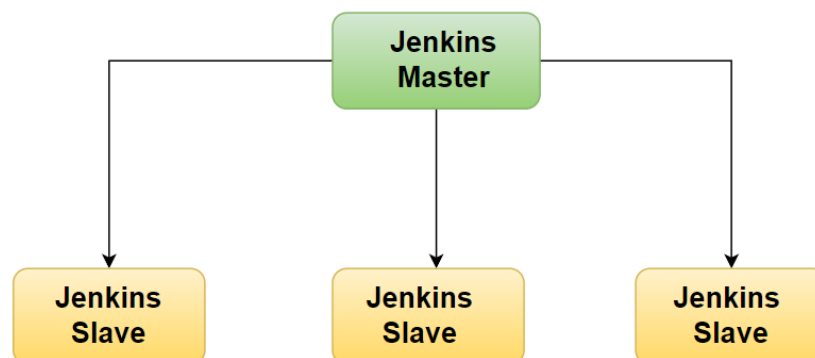
#2 [internal] load .dockerignore
```

ARCHITECTURE

- ➔ Developers commit changes to the source code, found in the repository.
- ➔ The Jenkins CI server checks the repository at regular intervals and pulls any newly available code.
- ➔ The Build Server builds the code into an executable file. In case the build fails, feedback is sent to the developers.
- ➔ Jenkins deploys the build application to the test server. If the test fails, the developers are alerted.
- ➔ If the code is error-free, the tested application is deployed on the production server.

The files can contain different code and be very large, requiring multiple builds. However, a single Jenkins server cannot handle multiple files and builds simultaneously; for that, a distributed Jenkins architecture is necessary.

The Workload of the Jenkins Master will be distributed to the Slave



➔ Jenkins Master

The Jenkins master is in charge of scheduling the jobs, assigning slaves, and sending builds to slaves to execute the jobs. It'll also keep track of the slave state (offline or online) and retrieve the build result responses from slaves and display them on the console output.

➔ Jenkins Slave

It runs on the remote server. The Jenkins server follows the requests of the Jenkins master and is compatible with all operating systems. Building jobs dispatched by the master are executed by the slave. Also, the project can be configured to choose a specific slave machine.

