Setting Up Hadoop on Ubuntu: A Step-by-Step Guide

Introduction:

Hadoop is a powerful framework for distributed data storage and processing, and setting it up on your own system can be a valuable skill. In this guide, we'll walk you through the process of installing and configuring Hadoop on an Ubuntu machine, step by step.

Prerequisites:

Before we dive into the installation process, make sure you have the following prerequisites in place:

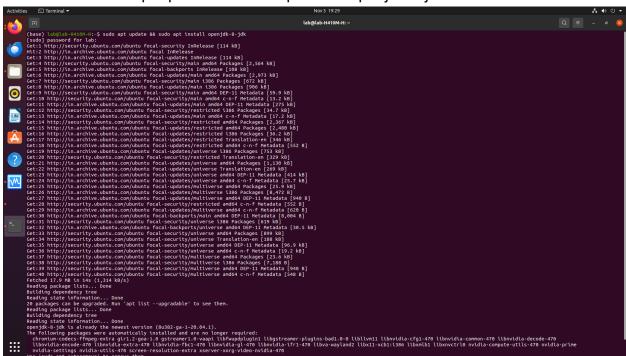
An Ubuntu system

Basic familiarity with the Linux command line

Step 1: Installing Java Development Kit

The first step in setting up Hadoop is to ensure you have the right Java version installed. Hive, a key component of the Hadoop ecosystem, requires Java 8. Here's how you can install it:

Command: - sudo apt update && sudo apt install openidk-8-jdk



Step 2: Verifying the Java Version

After installing Java, it's a good practice to check the installed version using: Command:- java -version

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(base) lab@lab-H410M-H:~$ java -version openjdk version "11.0.20.1" 2023-08-24 OpenJDK Runtime Environment (build 11.0.20.1+1-post-Ubuntu-Oubuntu120.04) OpenJDK 64-Bit Server VM (build 11.0.20.1+1-post-Ubuntu-Oubuntu120.04, mixed mode, sharing)
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Step 3: Installing SSH

SSH is essential for secure communication in a Hadoop cluster. Install it with:

Command: - sudo apt install ssh

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(base) lab@lab-H410M-H:~$ sudo apt install ssh
Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree
Reading state information... Done
ssh is already the newest version (1:8.2p1-4ubuntu0.9).
0 upgraded, 0 newly installed, 0 to remove and 9 not upgraded.
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Step 4: Creating the Hadoop User

All Hadoop components run under a dedicated user. Create the 'hadoop' user: Command:- sudo adduser hadoop

Step 5: Switching to the Hadoop User

Switch to the newly created 'hadoop' user:

Command:- su - hadoop

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hadoop@lab-H410M-H:~$ su - hadoop
Password:
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Step 6: Configuring SSH for Passwordless Access

To enable passwordless SSH access for 'hadoop', generate an SSH key pair: Command:- ssh-keygen -t rsa

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hadoop@lab-H410M-H:~$ ssh-keygen -t rsa
Generating public/private rsa key pair.
Enter file in which to save the key (/home/hadoop/.ssh/id_rsa):
/home/hadoop/.ssh/id_rsa already exists.
Overwrite (y/n)? y
Enter passphrase (empty for no passphrase):
Enter same passphrase again:
Your identification has been saved in /home/hadoop/.ssh/id rsa
Your public key has been saved in /home/hadoop/.ssh/id_rsa.pub
The key fingerprint is:
SHA256:QFiStVePBlSTWiKbSJc09GjNDBvsJ1rAyiUCLqPB/WQ hadoop@lab-H410M-H
The key's randomart image is:
+---[RSA 3072]--
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|+= * E*+*+0 .
000 =.*00.
     + oS
+----[SHA256]----+
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Step 7: Setting Permissions for SSH

Set permissions for the generated public keys:

Command:- cat ~/.ssh/id_rsa.pub >> ~/.ssh/authorized_keys

chmod 640 ~/.ssh/authorized keys

Step 8: Testing SSH to localhost

Test the SSH setup by connecting to localhost:

Command: ssh localhost

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hadoop@lab-H410M-H:~$ ssh localhost
Welcome to Ubuntu 20.04.6 LTS (GNU/Linux 5.15.0-88-generic x86_64)

* Documentation: https://help.ubuntu.com

* Management: https://landscape.canonical.com

* Support: https://ubuntu.com/advantage

Expanded Security Maintenance for Applications is not enabled.

9 updates can be applied immediately.

8 of these updates are standard security updates.
To see these additional updates run: apt list --upgradable

9 additional security updates can be applied with ESM Apps.
Learn more about enabling ESM Apps service at https://ubuntu.com/esm

Your Hardware Enablement Stack (HWE) is supported until April 2025.
Last login: Thu Nov 2_18:14:28 2023 from 127.0.0.1
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Step 9: Switch Back to the Hadoop User

After successful SSH testing, switch back to the 'hadoop' user: Command:- su - hadoop

Step 10: Installing Hadoop

Download and install Hadoop 3.3.6

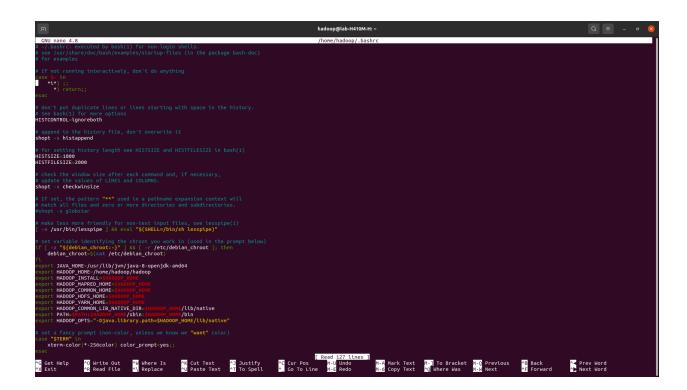
Command: wget

https://dlcdn.apache.org/hadoop/common/hadoop-3.3.6/hadoop-3.3.6.tar.gz

tar -xvzf hadoop-3.3.6.tar.gz

mv hadoop-3.3.6 hadoop

- In next step we need to configure Hadoop and Java Environment Variables on our system. Open the ~/.bashrc file in your favorite text editor. Here we are nano editor, to pasting the code we use ctrl+shift+v for saving the file ctrl+x and ctrl+y, then hit enter: nano ~/.bashrc
- We need to append below lines to the file.
 export JAVA_HOME=/usr/lib/jvm/java-8-openjdk-amd64
 export HADOOP_HOME=/home/hadoop/hadoop
 export HADOOP_INSTALL=\$HADOOP_HOME
 export HADOOP_MAPRED_HOME=\$HADOOP_HOME
 export HADOOP_COMMON_HOME=\$HADOOP_HOME
 export HADOOP_HDFS_HOME=\$HADOOP_HOME
 export HADOOP_YARN_HOME=\$HADOOP_HOME
 export HADOOP_COMMON_LIB_NATIVE_DIR=\$HADOOP_HOME/lib/native
 export PATH=\$PATH:\$HADOOP_HOME/sbin:\$HADOOP_HOME/bin
 export HADOOP_OPTS="-Djava.library.path=\$HADOOP_HOME/lib/native"



Step 11: Configuring Environment Variables

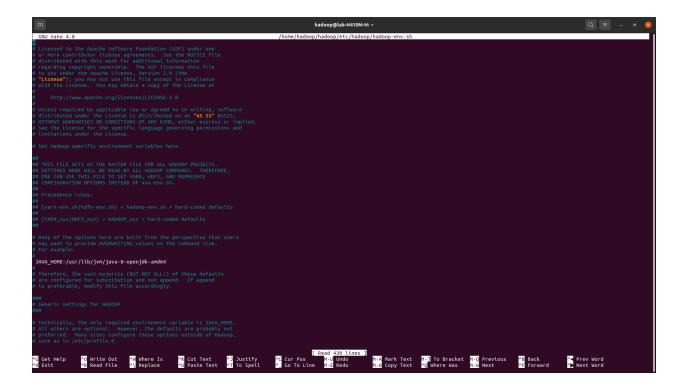
Edit the ~/.bashrc file to configure Java and Hadoop environment variables:

Command:- nano ~/.bashrc

Add the following lines and then run:

Command:- source ~/.bashrc

- - nano \$HADOOP HOME/etc/hadoop/hadoop-env.sh
- In the above Configuration file we need to edit the following command : JAVA HOME=/usr/lib/jvm/java-8-openjdk-amd64



Step 12: Configuring Hadoop

Create Namenode and Datanode directories and edit Hadoop configuration files. Ensure you set the correct values according to your system.

Firstly we need to configure Hadoop and also we need to create Namenode and Datanode directories inside the user directory.

cd hadoop/

mkdir -p ~/hadoopdata/hdfs/{namenode,datanode}

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hadoop@lab-H410M-H:~$ cd hadoop/
hadoop@lab-H410M-H:~/hadoop$ mkdir -p ~/hadoopdata/hdfs/{namenode,datanode}
hadoop@lab-H410M-H:~/hadoop$
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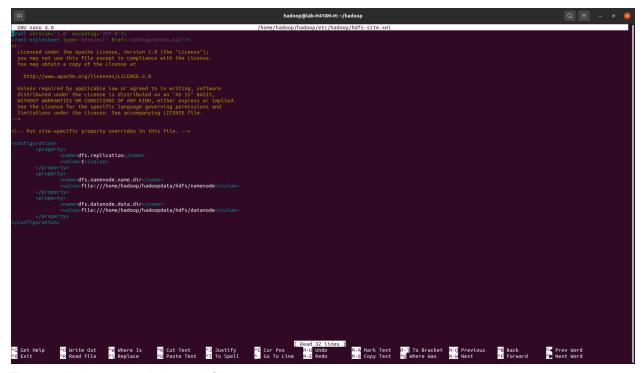
 Now, next edit core-site.xml file and update with your system hostname: nano \$HADOOP_HOME/etc/hadoop/core-site.xml

Also, we change the following names as per our system hostname:



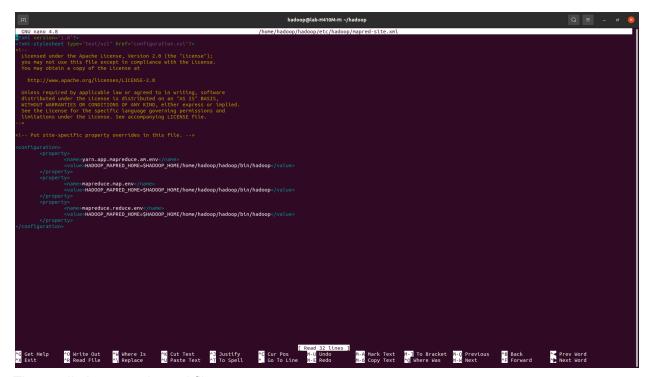
 Then, edit the hdfs-site.xml file: nano \$HADOOP_HOME/etc/hadoop/hdfs-site.xml

Change the NameNode and DataNode directory paths as shown below:



Then, edit the mapred-site.xml file:
 nano \$HADOOP_HOME/etc/hadoop/mapred-site.xml

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Make the following changes:
<configuration>
     cproperty>
           <name>yarn.app.mapreduce.am.env</name>
<value>HADOOP MAPRED HOME=$HADOOP HOME/home/hadoop/bin/had
oop</value>
     </property>
     cproperty>
           <name>mapreduce.map.env</name>
<value>HADOOP_MAPRED_HOME=$HADOOP_HOME/home/hadoop/bin/had
oop</value>
     property>
           <name>mapreduce.reduce.env</name>
<value>HADOOP_MAPRED_HOME=$HADOOP_HOME/home/hadoop/bin/had
oop</value>
     </configuration>
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 Then, edit the yarn-site.xml file: nano \$HADOOP_HOME/etc/hadoop/yarn-site.xml



Step 13: Starting the Hadoop Cluster

Format the Hadoop Namenode and start the Hadoop cluster:

Command:- hdfs namenode -format Start-all.sh

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hadoop@lab-H410M-H:~/hadoop$ start-all.sh
WARNING: Attempting to start all Apache Hadoop daemons as hadoop in 10 seconds.
WARNING: This is not a recommended production deployment configuration.
WARNING: Use CTRL-C to abort.
Starting namenodes on [localhost]
Starting datanodes
Starting secondary namenodes [lab-H410M-H]
Starting resourcemanager
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hadoop@lab-H410M-H:~/hadoop$ jps
9120 SecondaryNameNode
10052 Jps
9383 ResourceManager
8698 NameNode
9563 NodeManager
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Step 14: Accessing Hadoop Services

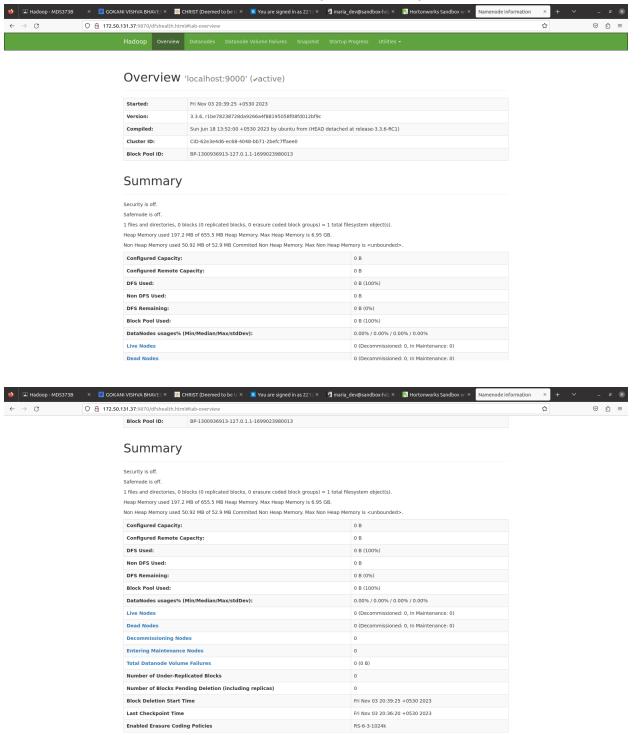
Access the Hadoop Namenode and Resource Manager using your server's IP address.

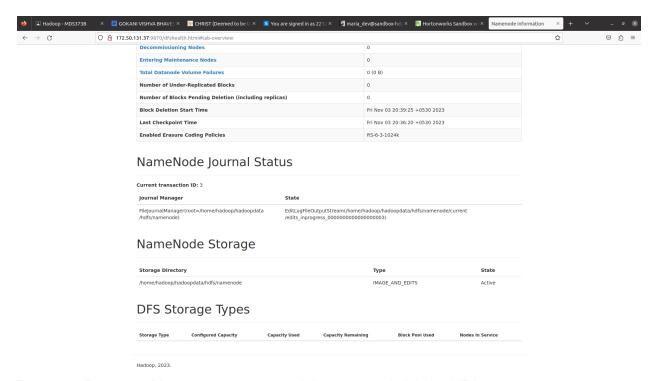
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(base) lab@lab-H410M-H:~$ sudo apt install net-tools
[sudo] password for lab:
Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree
Reading state information... Done
net-tools is already the newest version (1.60+git20180626.aebd88e-1ubuntu1).
0 upgraded, 0 newly installed, 0 to remove and 9 not upgraded.
(base) lab@lab-H410M-H:~$
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Then run ifconfig command to know our ip address: Ifconfig

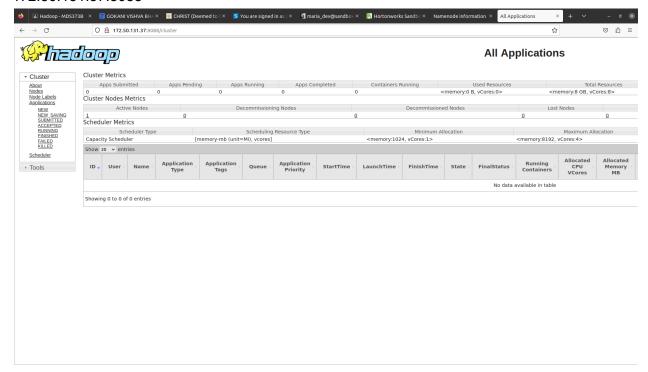
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(base) lab@lab-H410M-H:~$ ifconfig
enp2s0: flags=4163<UP,BROADCAST,RUNNING,MULTICAST> mtu 1500
       inet 172.50.131.37 netmask 255.255.255.0 broadcast 172.50.131.255
       inet6 fe80::b7e3:a6b4:6bbc:ed9 prefixlen 64 scopeid 0x20<link>
       ether 18:c0:4d:b7:fb:01 txqueuelen 1000 (Ethernet)
       RX packets 645654 bytes 881514367 (881.5 MB)
       RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
       TX packets 212519 bytes 49582061 (49.5 MB)
       TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0
lo: flags=73<UP,LOOPBACK,RUNNING> mtu 65536
       inet 127.0.0.1 netmask 255.0.0.0
       inet6 :: 1 prefixlen 128 scopeid 0x10<host>
       loop txqueuelen 1000 (Local Loopback)
       RX packets 117316 bytes 15767558 (15.7 MB)
       RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
       TX packets 117316 bytes 15767558 (15.7 MB)
       TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0
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So, in new tab enter 172.50.131.37:9870 we will get the following output:





To access Resource Manage, open your web browser and visit the URL http://your-server-ip:8088. You should see the following screen: 172.50.131.37:8088



Step 15: Verifying the Hadoop Cluster

After setting up Hadoop, create directories and put some files in the HDFS filesystem to verify its functionality.

At this point, the Hadoop cluster is installed and configured. Next, we will create some directories in the HDFS filesystem to test the Hadoop.

Let's create some directories in the HDFS filesystem using the following command:

hdfs dfs -mkdir /test1 hdfs dfs -mkdir /logs

Next, run the following command to list the above directory: hdfs dfs -ls /

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hadoop@lab-H410M-H:~/hadoop$ hdfs dfs -ls /
Found 2 items
drwxr-xr-x - hadoop supergroup 0 2023-11-03 20:54 /logs
drwxr-xr-x - hadoop supergroup 0 2023-11-03 20:54 /test1
hadoop@lab-H410M-H:~/hadoop$
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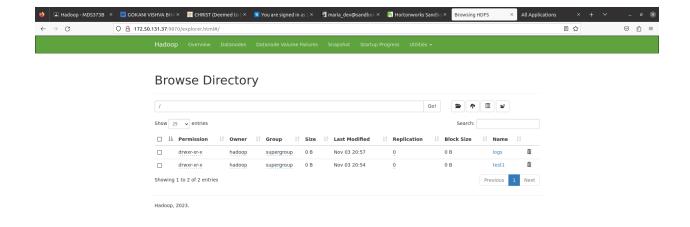
Also, put some files to hadoop file system. For the example, putting log files from host machine to hadoop file system. hdfs dfs -put /var/log/* /logs/

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To verify the above files and directories. Go to the web interface, click on the Utilities => Browse the file system. We should see your directories which you have created earlier in the following screen:



Step 16: Stopping Hadoop

To stop the Hadoop services, use the following command.

Command:- stop-all.sh

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hadoop@lab-H410M-H:~/hadoop$ stop-all.sh
WARNING: Stopping all Apache Hadoop daemons as hadoop in 10 seconds.
WARNING: Use CTRL-C to abort.
Stopping namenodes on [localhost]
Stopping datanodes
Stopping secondary namenodes [lab-H410M-H]
Stopping nodemanagers
Stopping resourcemanager
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