

**Aim** – Install Jenkins on Windows.

## Theory –

### What is Jenkins?

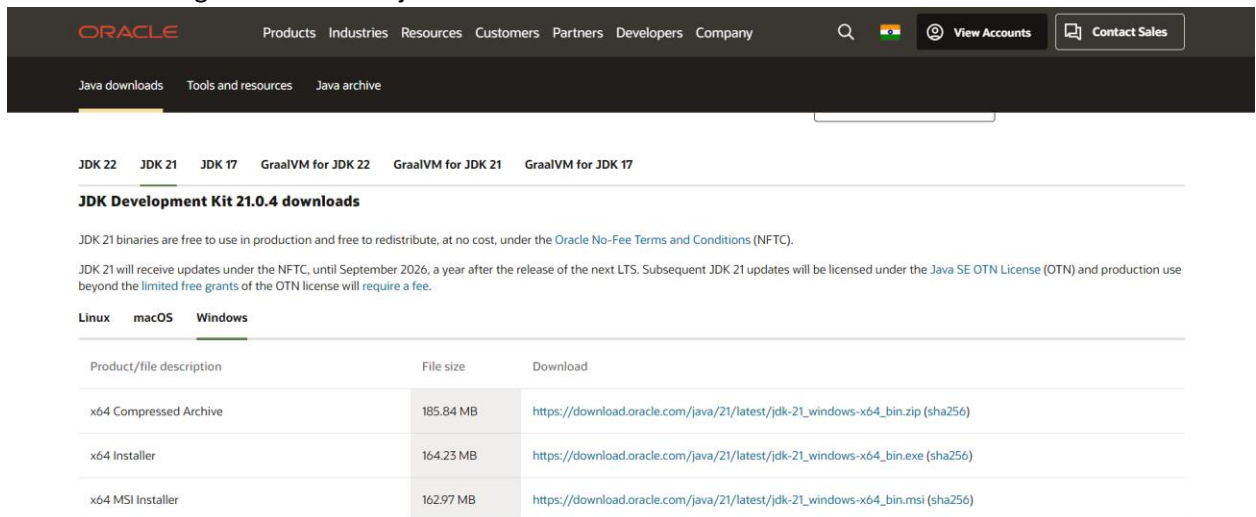
Jenkins is an open-source automation server that facilitates continuous integration and continuous delivery (CI/CD) in software development. It allows developers to automate various stages of the software development lifecycle, including building, testing, and deploying applications.

### Key Features of Jenkins:

- **Automation:** Automates repetitive tasks in the development process.
- **Plugin Architecture:** Extensible through a rich ecosystem of plugins.
- **Cross-Platform:** Runs on various operating systems including Windows, macOS, and Linux.
- **Web Interface:** Provides a web-based user interface to configure and monitor jobs.

## Steps –

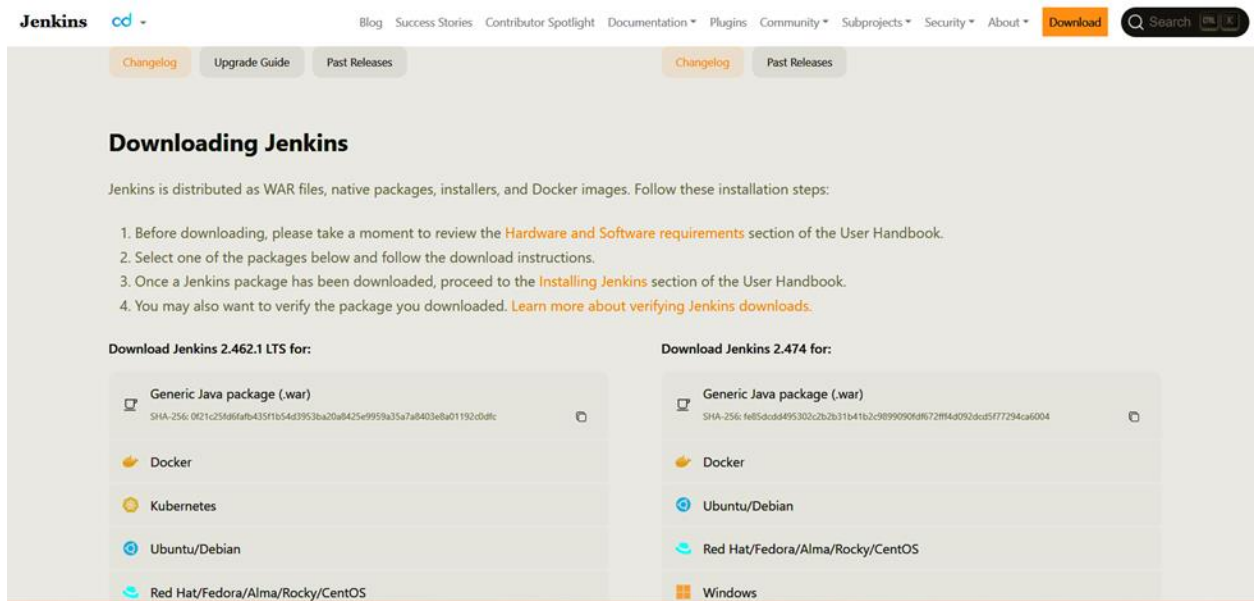
1. Install Java Development Kit (JDK). Download it from Oracle JDK Download Page and verify it installation using the command “java --version”. JDK 17 or 21 is recommended.



The screenshot shows the Oracle JDK 21.0.4 download page. The page has a dark header with the Oracle logo and navigation links: Products, Industries, Resources, Customers, Partners, Developers, and Company. There are also search, language, and account buttons. Below the header, there are tabs for Java downloads, Tools and resources, and Java archive. The main content area is titled "JDK Development Kit 21.0.4 downloads" and includes a table of download links for different operating systems and architectures.

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x64 Compressed Archive	185.84 MB	<a href="https://download.oracle.com/java/21/latest/jdk-21_windows-x64_bin.zip">https://download.oracle.com/java/21/latest/jdk-21_windows-x64_bin.zip</a> (sha256)
x64 Installer	164.23 MB	<a href="https://download.oracle.com/java/21/latest/jdk-21_windows-x64_bin.exe">https://download.oracle.com/java/21/latest/jdk-21_windows-x64_bin.exe</a> (sha256)
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2. Visit the Jenkins Download Page. Under the "Generic Java package (.war)" section, click on the link to download the Jenkins WAR file.



3. Move to the directory where "jenkins.war" file is installed.
4. Open a Command Prompt and run Jenkins using the following command "java -jar jenkins.war".

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Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.22631.4112]
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D:\Jenkins>java -jar jenkins.war
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5. Open a web browser and navigate to "http://localhost:8080".
6. On first access, Jenkins will prompt you to unlock it. Retrieve the unlock key from the file secrets/initialAdminPassword. This file is located in the Jenkins home directory, which defaults to C:\Users\<YourUsername>\.jenkins if not specified otherwise.



7. Paste the copied password into the Jenkins setup page to unlock Jenkins.
8. Follow the setup wizard to install suggested plugins and create the first admin user.

Getting Started

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Git	SSH Build Agents	Matrix Authorization Strategy	PAM Authentication	** - required dependency
LDAP	Email Extension	Mailer	Dark Theme	

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9. Create first Admin User for future use.

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## Create First Admin User

Username

Password

Confirm password

Full name


E-mail address

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Skip and continue as admin

Save and Continue


## 10. Use Jenkins.


 **Jenkins**


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Dashboard >

+ New Item

 Build History

 Manage Jenkins

 My Views

Build Queue

No builds in the queue.

Build Executor Status

1 Idle

2 Idle


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

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