ABC4GSD: User Manual

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Summary

This document is meant to provide a users of the ABC4GSD system a manual intended to be a compendium to the thesis. This supplemental material provides guidance on how to install both the server and the client side of the ABC4GSD system.

The material herein included describes step-by-step the installation performed on the crest server and on a OsX 10.8 machine.

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1 Installation: Server Side

The following section contains the step-by-step description of the installation that was performed on the crest server¹. The operative system

¹crest server: 46.22.129.68

installed on such machine at the time of installation was an Ubuntu 11.04 (GNU/Linux 2.6.38-8-generic-pae i686). The version of the server tested is 130925-ABC-ROUTER-DEALER.tar.

Required packages

The installation was missing some essential packages which are required but may already be present on a clean installation. The following commands are meant to install such essential packages.

```
1  | sudo apt-get install build-essential
    sudo apt-get install autotools-dev
3  | sudo apt-get install uuid-dev
    sudo apt-get install python-dev
```

Listing 1: Required packages

ZeroMQ

The communication between the server and the clients is mediated by the ZeroMQ² library.

```
wget http://download.zeromq.org/zeromq-2.1.11.tar.gz
tar -zxvf zeromq-2.1.11.tar.gz
cd zeromq-2.1.11/
    ./configure
    make && sudo make install
```

Listing 2: 0mq

```
wget --no-check-certificate
    https://pypi.python.org/packages/source/p/pyzmq/pyzmq-13.0.2.tar.gz
tar -zxvf pyzmq-13.0.2.tar.gz
cd pyzmq-13.0.2/
python setup.py configure
sudo python setup.py install
```

Listing 3: 0mq bindings for Python

Test

Below, a brief test run also providing a usage example is shown.

```
2http://zeromq.org/
```

Listing 4: Test

Final notes

The installation herein described does not provide details regarding the git repository that needs to be available for the artifacts to be stored. It has been avoided as the server runs even without, and also because it does not necessarily have to be deployed on the same machine.

Furthermore, depending on the version of the server utilized, the version of the 0mq library, and the Python bindings, it might be necessary to update the instances of XREQ to DEALER and XREP to ROUTER for XREQ and XREP are deprecated in the later version of with 0mq version 3.2.

2 Installation: Client Side

The following section contains the step-by-step description of the installation that was performed on a MacBook Pro. The operative system installed on such machine at the time of installation was an OsX.10.8.5. The version of the client tested is 130925-ABC-ClientPy.tar.gz. Tested with zeromq-2.1.11.tar.gz³. Several ways exist to install this combination of software seem to exist; however, the one which I found easier and working always is the one through brew and is hereafter described. It is important to note that the version of the java bindings of 0mq need to be the one provided.

³For manual installation of zeromq-2.1.11.tar.gz, the package can be downloaded from http://download.zeromq.org/.

Required packages

You will need the software below. However, for their installation you should refer to online guides.

- java 6,
- python 2.7,
- xcode,
- command line tools⁴.

On top of the above, the following are requirements for the installation. The following commands are meant to install essential packages, which you might already have.

Listing 5: Brew installation

```
brew install autoconf automake brew install libtool
brew install pkg-config
```

Listing 6: Required packages

ZeroMQ

The communication between the server and the clients is mediated by the ZeroMQ⁵ library. Download and unpack the zeromq-2.1.11 package.

```
cd zeromq-2.1.11
./autogen.sh
./configure
make && sudo make install
```

Listing 7: 0mq version 2.1.11.

The python bindings can be downloaded at https://pypi.python.org/packages/source/p/pyzmq/pyzmq-13.0.2.tar.gz. After downloading follow as below.

 $^{^4\}mathrm{Either}$ from the preferences of xCode or, with Maverick, from the command line with <code>xcode-select -install</code>

⁵http://zeromq.org/

```
tar -zxvf pyzmq-13.0.2.tar.gz cd pyzmq-13.0.2 python setup.py configure sudo python setup.py install
```

Listing 8: 0mq bindings for Python (version 13.0.2).

For the java bindings you need to use the package provided jzmq.tar.gz. Follow the instructions below.

```
tar -zxvf jzmq.tar.gz
cd jzmq/jzmq/
./autogen.sh
./configure
make && sudo make install
```

Listing 9: 0mq bindings for Java.

Test

Below, a brief test run also providing a usage example is shown. From outside the python bindings folder run the following. If no errors are shown, everything is good to go.

```
1 python import zmq
```

Listing 10: Test

After that, test the middleware by executing the following:

```
cd ABC\ v3/
python _LoaderClient.py
killall python
```

Listing 11: Test

Final notes

The installation herein described does not provide details regarding the installation of git, which needs to be available for the artifacts to be stored/retrieved. It has been avoided as the client runs even without.

Furthermore, depending on the version of the client utilized, the version of the 0mq library, and the Python bindings, it might be necessary to update in the file library/client/Queue.py the instances of XREQ to DEALER and XREP to ROUTER for XREQ and XREP are deprecated in the later version of with 0mq version 3.2.