Installing Hadoop

# Download CentOS 7 64-bit Operating System

The minimal install media si sufficient for our purposes and will be what is assumed throughout. If you want to directly interact with the console, then you will want to use an install that includes either the Gnome or KDE GUI environment.

# During install of CentOS

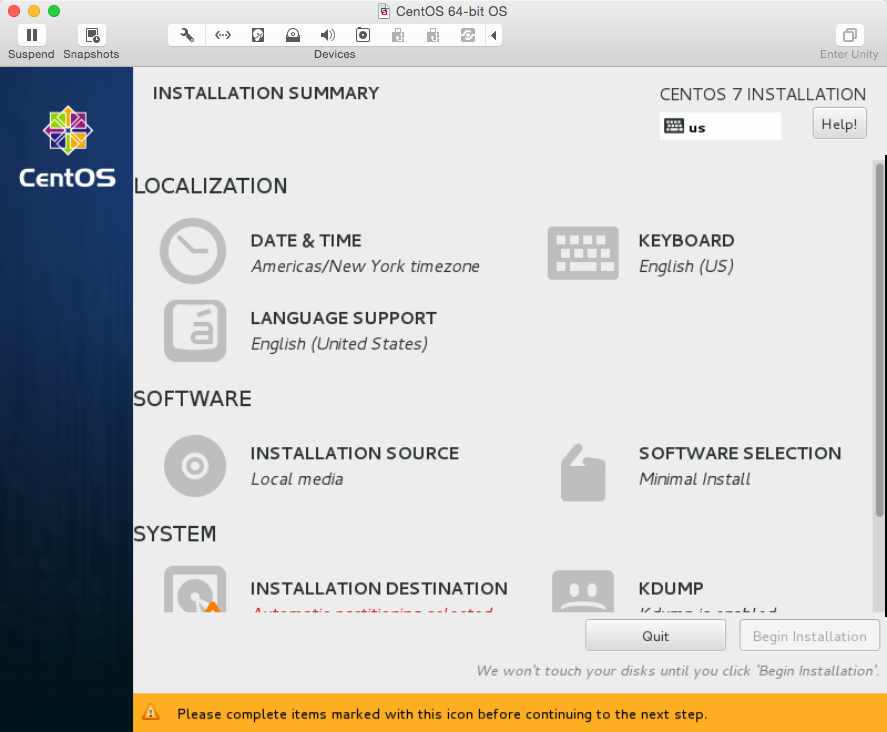
**On the Installation Summary Page**

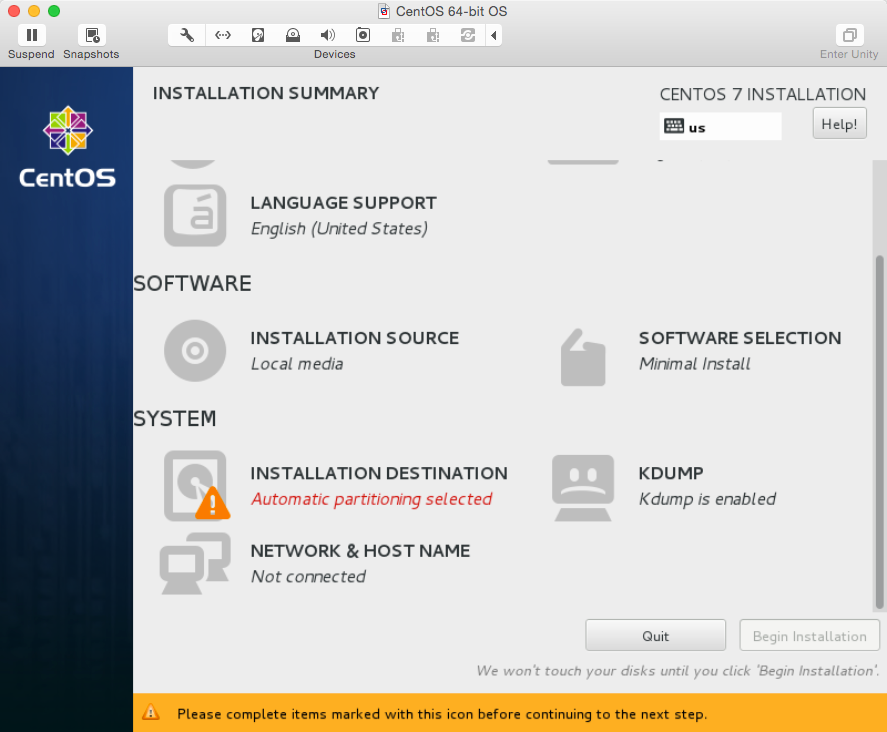
1. Turn on networking under Network & Host Name
2. Turn on ntp under Date & Time
3. Select an Installation Destination

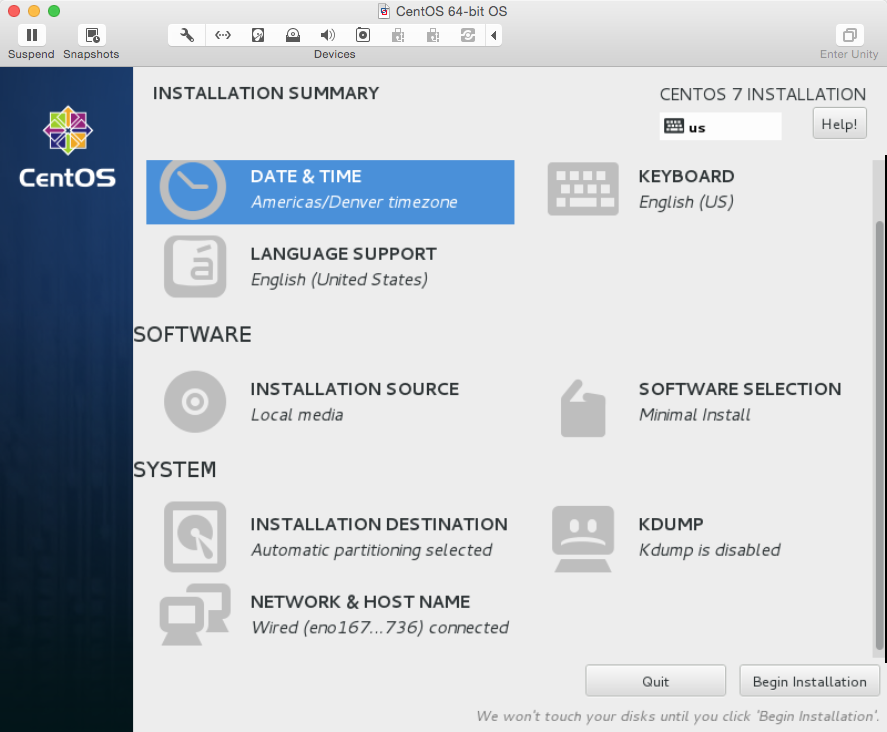
1. Note the Software Selection, which should be Minimal Install

1. Disable kdump (Optional)

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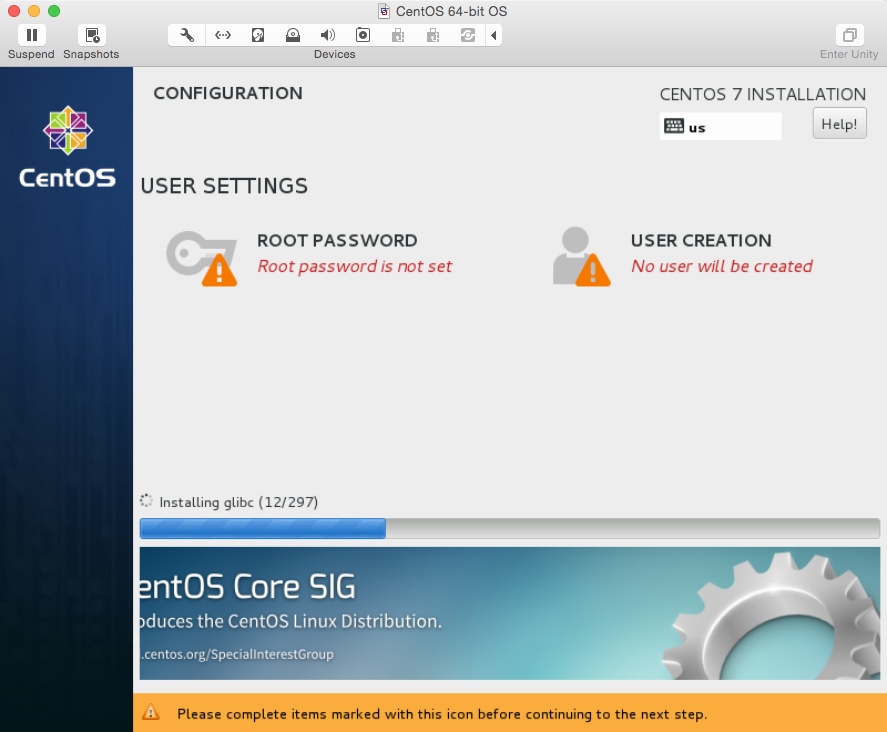






**On the Configuration page**

1. Set a root password
2. Create a user for yourself

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# Login to Server

Login into VM console using the user credentials you created during the OS install. At this point you have access to the server through the VM console. You may continue to work from here. However, you may be better served by gaining access to the server secure shell, which is invoked using an ssh client.

If you wish to use a remote shell to login to your server

First, find the IP address of your virtual machine

1. Login to the VM console
2. Find the IP address of the virtual machine

# ip addr

* + 1. You should first see the IP address of the so called loopback device 127.0.0.1
    2. Second you should see a private IP address like 192.168.x.y or 172.a.c.b, or 10.r.s.t, where a, b, c, r, s, t, x, and y are numbers from 0-255.
    3. See the example below. The IP address for the server is highlighted in yellow. It is 10.2.2.133.

[dhart@localhost ~]$ ip addr

1: lo: <LOOPBACK,UP,LOWER\_UP> mtu 65536 qdisc noqueue state UNKNOWN

link/loopback 00:00:00:00:00:00 brd 00:00:00:00:00:00

inet 127.0.0.1/8 scope host lo

valid\_lft forever preferred\_lft forever

inet6 ::1/128 scope host

valid\_lft forever preferred\_lft forever

2: eno16777736: <BROADCAST,MULTICAST,UP,LOWER\_UP> mtu 1500 qdisc pfifo\_fast state UP qlen 1000

link/ether 00:0c:29:1a:4b:2e brd ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff

inet 10.2.2.133/24 brd 10.2.2.255 scope global dynamic eno16777736

valid\_lft 980sec preferred\_lft 980sec

inet6 fe80::20c:29ff:fe1a:4b2e/64 scope link

valid\_lft forever preferred\_lft forever

[dhart@localhost ~]$

***Remember the IP address***

Next, open ssh client software, such as Putty on Window. Alternatives on Windows include the Bitvise SSH client as well as the ssh client that is installed as part of Cygwin. An ssh client is also available to you if you are using the GitHub software. Finally, you could use MobaXterm. MobaXterm provides an ssh client and provides the functionality to run X applications over ssh. Meaning you can run the Linux GUI applications on your Windows computer. If you installed the minimal install CentOS system, then the X windows system was NOT installed.

If you are using OS X, the the ssh client software is part of the operating system. You can use it from the terminal prompt. If you are interested in running X over ssh on OS X, see the XQuartz project.

The basic format of the ssh command is

# ssh <IP addr>,

So, for example, to access the server at 10.2.2.133 you woule enter

# ssh 10.2.2.133

This assumes that you are logging into the server with the same userid. If you need to login as another user then you need to add a parameter to your ssh command. The form of the command is

# ssh –l <userid> <IP addr>,

and

# ssh –l doug 10.2.2.133

will login to the server 10.2.2.133 with userid doug.

# Install OS Updates

Become root and install updates using the yum utility

# su

# yum update

# Prepare to install Java

The Linux utility wget is used to download files from the Internet. It is not part of the minimal CentOS install. The following steps will will download and install the wget utility.

Become root (if needed)

# su

Determine what package contains wget

# yum provides wget

[root@localhost dhart]# su -

Last login: Mon Aug 17 19:57:16 MDT 2015 from 10.2.2.1 on pts/1

[root@localhost ~]# yum provides wget

Loaded plugins: fastestmirror

Loading mirror speeds from cached hostfile

\* base: centos.mirrors.tds.net

\* extras: mirrors.chkhosting.com

\* updates: bay.uchicago.edu

**wget**-1.14-10.el7\_0.1.x86\_64 : A utility for retrieving files using the HTTP or FTP protocols

Repo : base

To install wget use the yum command with the install option

# yum install wget

# Download Java

Become root (if necessary)

Download and install Java in the /opt directory.

# cd /opt

# wget --no-cookies --no-check-certificate --header "Cookie: gpw\_e24=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.oracle.com%2F; oraclelicense=accept-securebackup-cookie" http://download.oracle.com/otn-pub/java/jdk/8u60-b27/jdk-8u60-linux-x64.tar.gz

# tar xzf jdk-8u60-linux-x64.tar.gz

After performing the steps above and then listing the contents of the directory you should see something like this –

[root@localhost opt]# ls -la

total 177000

drwxr-xr-x. 3 root root 56 Aug 18 11:54 .

dr-xr-xr-x. 17 root root 4096 Aug 17 18:58 ..

drwxr-xr-x. 8 10 143 4096 Aug 4 13:32 jdk1.8.0\_60

-rw-r--r--. 1 root root 181238643 Aug 6 17:32 jdk-8u60-linux-x64.tar.gz

# Install Java using Alternatives

Alternatives is a tool for managing version control of software applications, like java which changes update frequently.

# cd /opt/jdk1.8.0\_60/  
# alternatives --install /usr/bin/java java /opt/jdk1.8.0\_60/bin/java 2  
# alternatives --config java

[root@localhost jdk1.8.0\_60]# alternatives --install /usr/bin/java java /opt/jdk1.8.0\_60/bin/java 2

[root@localhost jdk1.8.0\_60]# alternatives --config java

There is 1 program that provides 'java'.

  Selection    Command

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\*+ 1           /opt/jdk1.8.0\_51/bin/java

Enter to keep the current selection[+], or type selection number:

[root@localhost jdk1.8.0\_60]#

# alternatives --install /usr/bin/jar jar /opt/jdk1.8.0\_60/bin/jar 2  
# alternatives --install /usr/bin/javac javac /opt/jdk1.8.0\_60/bin/javac 2  
# alternatives --set jar /opt/jdk1.8.0\_60/bin/jar  
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# Create the Hadoop User

Linux is a multiuser operating system. Administering the system requires that you remain aware of what user you are. At present you should have both a personal userid and a root id. The root id is what gives you administrative privileges for your machine.

The switch user or su command is what allows you to switch your role from one user to another. The exit command will return you to userid you where before you executed the su command. You may have noticed that sometimes su is executed with a “-” and sometimes without the dash. When you use the dash with su you will move the the the home directory for that user. Additionally, any configurations that exist in the .bashrc file for that user will be executed.

Become root (if needed)

# su -

# useradd hadoop  
# passwd hadoop

When prompted for a password for the hadoop user you will need to select one. The password for my hadoop user is hadoop. If this was a installation for deployment, then it would need to be more secure. But I do not want to take on password management at this time.

Become the hadoop user and create the ability for password-less login using ssh-keygen

# su - hadoop  
$ ssh-keygen -t rsa  
$ cat ~/.ssh/id\_rsa.pub >> ~/.ssh/authorized\_keys  
$ chmod 0600 ~/.ssh/authorized\_keys

[root@localhost jdk1.8.0\_60]# useradd hadoop

[root@localhost jdk1.8.0\_60]# passwd hadoop

Changing password for user hadoop.

New password:

BAD PASSWORD: The password is shorter than 8 characters

Retype new password:

passwd: all authentication tokens updated successfully.

[root@localhost jdk1.8.0\_60]# su - hadoop

[hadoop@localhost ~]$ ssh-keygen -t rsa

Generating public/private rsa key pair.

Enter file in which to save the key (/home/hadoop/.ssh/id\_rsa):

Created directory '/home/hadoop/.ssh'.

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:

26:e5:ef:5f:ec:d1:45:f2:4f:3a:3c:08:6e:5d:57:38 hadoop@localhost.localdomain

The key's randomart image is:

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[hadoop@localhost ~]$ cat ~/.ssh/id\_rsa.pub >> ~/.ssh/authorized\_keys

[hadoop@localhost ~]$ chmod 0600 ~/.ssh/authorized\_keys

Make sure that he password-less login works correctly for the hadoop user.

# ssh localhost

# exit

# Editing Text Files on your Server

Up until now it has not been necessary to edit text files on your server. In what follows it will be necessary to edit various configuration files. Since we are working with a server without a graphical user interface the text editors that we will use may seem archaic compared to what you have seen. However, they have the benefit of low network overhead making it possible to work on servers anywhere on the Internet.

The vi, or vim, editor is a text editor that has been part of Unix and Linux for a very long time. It is now part of the operating system install. It is invoked with the “vi” command followed by the name of the file. This editor is somewhat cryptic in its interface, in that no information about commands for interacting with the editor are displayed. However, it is a quite powerful editor.

A second choice is the nano editor. It provides basic text editing functionality which will be sufficient for our purposes. It, however, is not installed along with the operating system. It must be downloaded and installed. This is easily done with the yum update command. First we will determine what package contains the nano editor and then install it. Software installation must be done as root so first execute su to become root

# su

# yum provides nano

The output from yum provides nano indicates that nano exists in its own package. So to execute

# yum install nano

to install the editor.

# Configure Environment Variables for the Hadoop user

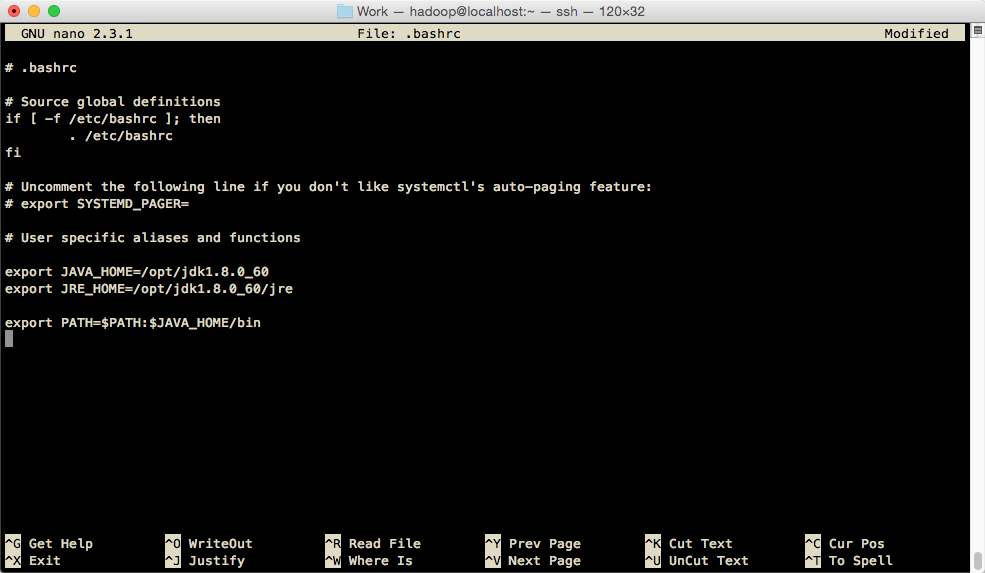
Add environment variables to .bashrc for the hadoop user.

export JAVA\_HOME=/opt/jdk1.8.0\_60

export JRE\_HOME=/opt/jdk1.8.0\_60/jre

export PATH=$PATH:$JAVA\_HOME/bin

The image below shows what my .bashrc file looks like after putting these three lines in it.



Finally cause the changes in the .bashrc to be executed. (You only need to do this when you make changes to your .bashrc file. The contents of the .bashrc file are execute whenever you login to it

# source .bashrc

You can check to see that your PATH is configured correctly by executing the printenv command

# printenv PATH

My output looks like

[hadoop@localhost ~]$ nano .bashrc

[hadoop@localhost ~]$ source .bashrc

[hadoop@localhost ~]$ printenv PATH

/usr/local/bin:/usr/bin:/usr/local/sbin:/usr/sbin:/home/hadoop/.local/bin:/home/hadoop/bin:/opt/jdk1.8.0\_60/bin:/opt/jdk1.8.0\_60/bin

[hadoop@localhost ~]$