# **Puppet Installation Guide**

**Installation Notes** 

# edureka!

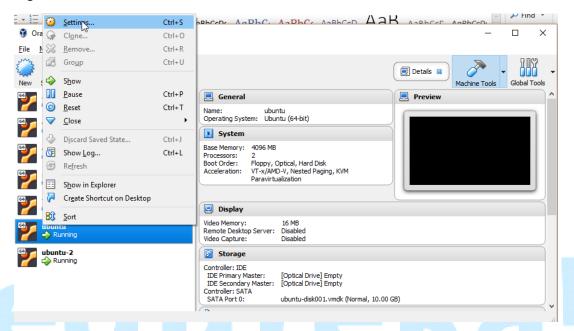


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### Prerequisite:

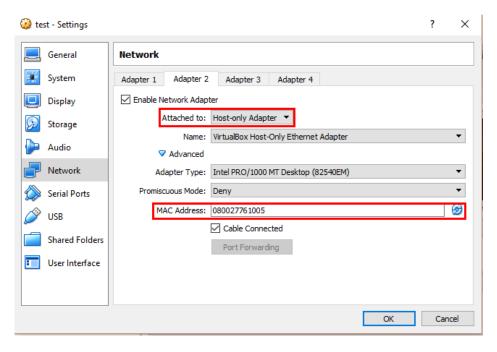
Setup the Virtual machines before installing Puppet.

Step 1: Right click on the Machine and switch to Network tab



Step 2: Add 2<sup>nd</sup> adapter in the virtual machine settings and set it to Host-only Adapter

Note: Remember to change the MAC addresses of all the subsequent cloned machines for both the adapters.



Step 3: Now, for every machine, edit the interfaces file in the network folder to make the IP address static

Different address for different machine

Syntax: sudo vi /etc/network/interfaces

And add the following code to it:

auto enp0s8
iface enp0s8 inet static
address <ip address>

edureka@edureka1:~\$ sudo vi /etc/network/interfaces

```
# interfaces(5) file used by ifup(8) and ifdown(8)
auto lo
iface lo inet loopback
auto enp0s8
iface enp0s8 inet static
address 192.168.56.101
```

**Step 4:** Instal ntp ntpdate packages to sync date and time on your servers

Syntax: sudo apt update
sudo apt install -y ntp ntpdate
sudo ntpdate -u 0.ubuntu.pool.ntp.org

## **Installing Puppet:**

Note: All the commands in this installation are run as root.

Syntax: sudo su

#### Setup hosts file on Machines:

**Step 1:** On the master edit the host file and add the IP address of the master itself in the **hosts** file naming it puppet

Step 2: On the Agent machines add the master IP as puppet and the Agent's IP address as puppet-agent

Syntax: nano /etc/hosts

127.0.0.1	localhost
127.0.1.1	edureka-1
192.168.56.101	puppet
192.168.56.102	puppet-agent

#### **Adding Puppet Repo on Machines:**

Follow these steps on both the master and the slave machines

Puppet uses port 8140 to communicate through ssl. Open the port using ufw command

Syntax: ufw enable ufw allow 8140

```
root@edureka:/home/edureka# ufw enable
Firewall is active and enabled on system startup
root@edureka:/home/edureka# ufw allow 8140
Rules updated
Rules updated (v6)
```

Add the puppet6 repository on all the machines

```
Syntax: apt update

wget <a href="https://apt.puppetlabs.com/puppet6-release-bionic.deb">https://apt.puppetlabs.com/puppet6-release-bionic.deb</a>
dpkg -i puppet6-release-bionic.deb
apt update
```

#### **Installing Puppet Server**

On the master machine run the following

#### Syntax: apt install -y puppetserver

```
root@edureka:/home/edureka# apt install -y puppetserver
Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree
Reading state information... Done
The following additional packages will be installed:
    ca-certificates-java java-common openjdk-8-jre-headless puppet-agent
Suggested packages:
    default-jre fonts-dejavu-extra fonts-ipafont-gothic fonts-ipafont-mincho fonts-wqy-microhei fonts-wqy-zenhei
The following NEW packages will be installed:
    ca-certificates-java java-common openjdk-8-jre-headless puppet-agent puppetserver
0 upgraded, 5 newly installed, 0 to remove and 564 not upgraded.
Need to get 124 MB of archives.
```

After the installation, change the memory allocation for Puppet server. The Default setting is 2GB.
 Set it 1 GB or 512 MB according to the memory allocated to your VM
 Open the default puppet server file and change the following line

#### Syntax: vi /etc/default/puppetserver

```
# Modify this if you'd like to change the memory allocation, enable JMX, etc
JAVA_ARGS="-Xms2g -Xmx2g -Djruby.logger.class=com.puppetlabs.jruby_utils.jruby.Slf4jLogger"
```

```
# Modify this if you'd like to change the memory allocation, enable JMX, etc
JAVA_ARGS="-Xms512m -Xmx512m -Djruby.logger.class=com.puppetlabs.jruby_utils.jruby.Slf4jLogger"
```

• Edit the puppet.conf file and add the following lines to it

Syntax: vi /etc/puppetlabs/puppet/puppet.conf

```
[main]
certname = puppet
server = puppet
environment = production
runinterval = 15m
```

• Now, setup the puppetserver certificate

Syntax:/opt/puppetlabs/bin/puppetserver ca setup root@edureka:/home/edureka# /opt/puppetlabs/bin/puppetserver ca setup Generation succeeded. Find your files in /etc/puppetlabs/puppet/ssl/ca

• Start and enable the puppet server

Syntax: systemctl start puppetserver systemctl enable puppetserver

```
root@edureka:/home/edureka# systemctl start puppetserver
root@edureka:/home/edureka# systemctl enable puppetserver
Synchronizing state of puppetserver.service with SysV service script with /lib/systemd/systemd-sysv-install.
Executing: /lib/systemd/systemd-sysv-install enable puppetserver
```

#### **Setting up Agent Nodes**

Install Puppet Agent

```
Syntax: apt install -y puppet-agent
```

```
root@edureka:/home/edureka# apt install -y puppet-agent
Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree
Reading state information... Done
The following NEW packages will be installed:
   puppet-agent
0 upgraded, 1 newly installed, 0 to remove and 564 not upgraded.
Need to get 18.8 MB of archives.
After this operation, 110 MB of additional disk space will be used.
```

• Edit the puppet.conf file on agent machine and add the following lines to it

Syntax: vi /etc/puppetlabs/puppet/puppet.conf

```
[main]
certname = puppetagent
server = puppet
environment = production
runinterval = 15m
```

Start and enable the puppet server on the agent machine

Syntax: /opt/puppetlabs/bin/puppet resource service puppet ensure=running enable=true

```
root@edureka:/home/edureka# /opt/puppetlabs/bin/puppet resource service puppet ensure=running enable=true
Notice: /Service[puppet]/ensure: ensure changed 'stopped' to 'running'
service { 'puppet':
    ensure => 'running',
    enable => 'true',
}
```

Running the puppet service on the agents will generate send the certificate for authentication on the master server

#### **Signing the Certificate**

First list all the certificates left for signing on the master machine

Syntax: /opt/puppetlabs/bin/puppetserver ca list

You can choose to either individually sign the certificates all sign them all together

Syntax: /opt/puppetlabs/bin/puppetserver ca sign <certName>
or
/opt/puppetlabs/bin/puppetserver ca sign –all

```
root@edureka:/home/edureka# /opt/puppetlabs/bin/puppetserver ca list
Requested Certificates:
puppetagent (SHA256) 52:F6:64:78:D1:9A:AB:4A:FD:C0:50:AF:E0:97:BA:0B:4C:56:B4:B4:9D:13:58:39:A2:BE:8D:50:8B:F7:3A:7B
root@edureka:/home/edureka# /opt/puppetlabs/bin/puppetserver ca sign --all
Successfully signed certificate request for puppetagent
```

To verify open the agent and use the test command

Syntax: /opt/puppetlabs/bin/puppet agent –test

```
root@edureka:/home/edureka# /opt/puppetlabs/bin/puppet agent --test
Info: csr_attributes file loading from /etc/puppetlabs/puppet/csr_attributes.yaml
Info: Creating a new SSL certificate request for puppetagent
Info: Certificate Request fingerprint (SHA256): 52:F6:64:78:D1:9A:AB:4A:FD:C0:50:AF:8
B:F7:3A:7B
Info: Downloaded certificate for puppetagent from puppet
Info: Using configured environment 'production'
Info: Retrieving pluginfacts
Info: Retrieving plugin
Info: Retrieving locales
Info: Caching catalog for puppetagent
Info: Applying configuration version '1559121079'
Notice: Applied catalog in 0.02 seconds
```

