

IBM Cloud Foundry Migration Runtime Install

Setup and installation of IBM Cloud Foundry Migration Runtime is done with a [Helm-based Operator](#). Total installation time takes about 30 to 40 minutes.

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Important Before installing IBM Cloud Foundry Migration Runtime, review the [Prerequisites guide](#).

What is installed?

IBM Cloud Foundry Migration Runtime uses the following namespaces (OpenShift projects). By default, these namespaces start with the prefix `cfmr`.

Namespace	Purpose
cfmr	Contains Cloud Foundry system components
cfmr-cf-operator	Operator for managing the system deployed to cfmr
cfmr-eirini	Contains user applications deployed by the system installed in cfmr
cfmr-operator	Contains the operator for collectively deploying and managing the install of components for CFMR, such as Ingress, UI, CF-Operator, and Eirini, while adhering to IBM best practices for product installation (for example, use of UBI images, OLM lifecycle)
cfmr-ui	Cloud Foundry Migration Runtime UI components

Running an install



Create a directory to save cases to a local directory and export CFMR_VERSION

```
$ mkdir /tmp/cases
$ export CFMR_VERSION=<cfmr version, e.g. 1.0.0>
```



Download case bundle

```
$ cloudctl case save \
  --case ibm-cfmr-case \
  --version "${CFMR_VERSION}" \
  --repo https://raw.githubusercontent.com/IBM/cloud-pak/master/repo/case \
  --outputdir /tmp/cases
```



Verify the case, dependency cases and images csv has been downloaded under the /tmp/cases directory.

Unpack case bundle

Unpack case bundle to access files

```
$ tar -xvzf /tmp/cases/ibm-cfmr-"${CFMR_VERSION}".tgz
$ cd /tmp/cases/ibm-cfmr/
```



Accept license agreement

Prior to installation, you must review and accept the license: <http://ibm.biz/cfmr-license>

Once accepted, set the license flag `license.accept` to `true` in the custom resource file `cfmr.ibm.com_<version>_ibmcfmrprod_cr.yaml`, located at `./ibm-cfmr/inventory/cfmrOperator/files`:

```
spec:
  license:
    accept: true
```



Point to entitled registry

Update the custom resource file `cfmr.ibm.com_<version>_ibmcfmrprod_cr.yaml` to use the name of the IBM Entitled Container Fulfillment Registry secret that was created as part of the





```
spec:
  global:
    image:
      # Needs to be updated
      pullSecret: "<pull_secret_name>"
```

Set default certificates for routes creation

Use the cluster's default certificates as the certificates for CFMR's routes. This can be found in namespace `openshift-ingress`.

```
$ oc get secrets -n openshift-ingress
```

NAME	TYPE	DATA	AGE
...			
router-certs-default	kubernetes.io/tls	2	2d21h
...			



Update custom resource file `cfmr.ibm.com_<version>_ibmcfmrprod_cr.yaml` to use the name of the default certificate.

```
spec:
  features:
    customCertNamespace: "openshift-ingress"
    customCertSecret: "router-certs-default"
```



If there are custom certificates generated and point to that certificate's name and location.

Set SCC for operator

This chart requires adding `restricted`, `cluster-admin`, `self-provisioner` policy to service account `*-ibm-cfmr-serviceaccount` in the namespace that IBM Cloud Foundry Migration Runtime installs from. This service account is created for you, so you can ignore any **Warning: Service account not found** messages. Note that `CUSTOM_RESOURCE_NAME` is the name `metadata.name` of your custom resource file `cfmr.ibm.com_<version>_ibmcfmrprod_cr.yaml`.

```
$ export CUSTOM_RESOURCE_NAME=<custom_resource_name>
$ oc adm policy add-scc-to-user restricted system:serviceaccount:cfmr-operator:"$
$ oc adm policy add-cluster-role-to-user cluster-admin system:serviceaccount:cfmr
$ oc adm policy add-cluster-role-to-user self-provisioner system:serviceaccount:c
```





Deploy an operator and custom resource:

```
# Update and deploy the Operator Custom Resource Definition and resources.
$ export PULL_SECRET=<pull_secret_name> # entitled registry pull secret
$ oc apply -f inventory/cfmrOperatorSetup/files/op-cli/cfmr.ibm.com_ibmcfmrprods_
$ sed -e 's|REPLACE_SECRET|${PULL_SECRET}|g' inventory/cfmrOperatorSetup/files/op
$ oc apply -f inventory/cfmrOperatorSetup/files/op-cli/role.yaml
$ oc apply -f inventory/cfmrOperatorSetup/files/op-cli/role_binding.yaml
$ oc apply -f inventory/cfmrOperatorSetup/files/op-cli/operator.yaml

# Set values in, then create the CFMR Custom Resource
$ oc apply -f inventory/cfmrOperator/files/cfmr.ibm.com_<version>_ibmcfmrprod_cr.
```



Wait until the deployment process is complete. Upon completion, a message similar to Welcome to your new deployment of KubeCF is displayed, along with details of the deployment.

Verify Install

Check to see if you can access the CFMR UI `https://cfmr-ui.<my_domain>`

```
# Fetch CFMR UI url.
$ oc get routes -n cfmr-ui --no-headers | awk '{print $2}'
```



Check to see if you can access the CFMR API endpoint

```
$ oc get routes -n cfmr --no-headers | awk '{print $2}'
api.<my_domain>
$ cf api api.<my_domain>
```



Or if you've provided a custom domain `features.customDomain`, check to see if you can access the UI and API using that.

```
$ curl https://cfmr-ui.<custom_domain>
$ cf api api.<custom_domain>
```



Installing in an air-gapped cluster

This operator can be installed in an on-line or air-gapped cluster through either of the following install paths :





The following are required to air-gap installation.

- `helm` [Helm \(v3\) CLI to assist with air-gapping installations](#)
- `helm push` [Helm push plugin to assist with air-gapping installations](#)

Configure Air-Gapped OpenShift Cluster With a Bastion

Prepare Bastion Host

- Logon to the bastion machine
- Verify that the bastion machine has access
 - to public internet (to download CASE and images)
 - a target image registry (where the images will be mirrored)
 - a target OpenShift cluster to install the operator

All the following steps should be run from the bastion machine

Set environment variables

Export the `TARGET_REGISTRY`, `TARGET_REGISTRY_USER` and `TARGET_REGISTRY_SECRET` environment variable with the location of the private registry and it's username/password.

```
$ export TARGET_REGISTRY_USER=<registry user>
$ export TARGET_REGISTRY_SECRET=<registry secret>
$ export TARGET_REGISTRY=<my.private-registry.org>
```



(Optional) The OpenShift image registry isn't recommended due to limitations such as lack of support for fat manifest. Quay.io enterprise is an opensource alternative. To use the image registry anyways:

1. Expose the OpenShift image registry externally

```
$ oc patch configs.imageregistry.operator.openshift.io/cluster --patch '{"spec":
```



2. Set the environment variable of the target registry.

```
$ export TARGET_REGISTRY=$(oc get route default-route -n openshift-image-registry
```





done so previously

```
$ export TARGET_NAMESPACE=cfmr-operator
$ oc new-project "${TARGET_NAMESPACE}"
```



Create auth secret for the source image registry

```
$ cloudctl case launch \
  --case /tmp/cases/ibm-cfmr-"${CFMR_VERSION}".tgz \
  --namespace "${TARGET_NAMESPACE}" \
  --inventory cfmrOperatorSetup \
  --action configure-creds-airgap \
  --args "--registry cp.icr.io --user iamapikey --pass <entitlement_key>"
```



Create auth secret for target image registry

```
$ cloudctl case launch \
  --case /tmp/cases/ibm-cfmr-"${CFMR_VERSION}".tgz \
  --namespace "${TARGET_NAMESPACE}" \
  --inventory cfmrOperatorSetup \
  --action configure-creds-airgap \
  --args "--registry "${TARGET_REGISTRY}" --user "${TARGET_REGISTRY_USER}" --pa
```



The credentials are now saved to `~/.airgap/secrets/<registry-name>.json`

Set the path of the target registry

If using OpenShift image registry, set the project to load the images to:

```
$ export TARGET_REGISTRY="${TARGET_REGISTRY}/cfmr"
```



Mirror Images

In this step, images from saved CASE (ibm-cfmr-"\${CFMR_VERSION}"-images.csv) are copied to target registry in the air-gapped environment.

```
$ cloudctl case launch \
  --case /tmp/cases/ibm-cfmr-"${CFMR_VERSION}".tgz \
  --namespace "${TARGET_NAMESPACE}" \
  --inventory cfmrOperatorSetup \
  --action mirror-images \
  --args "--registry $TARGET_REGISTRY --inputDir /tmp/cases"
```



> Configure Cluster for Air-gapping



- creates a global image pull secret for the target registry (skipped if target registry is unauthenticated)
- creates a imagesourcecontentpolicy

WARNING:

- Cluster resources must adjust to the new pull secret, which can temporarily limit the usability of the cluster. Authorization credentials are stored in \$HOME/.airgap/secrets and /tmp/airgap* to support this action
- Applying imagesourcecontentpolicy causes cluster nodes to recycle.

```
$ cloudctl case launch \
  --case /tmp/cases/ibm-cfmr-"${CFMR_VERSION}".tgz \
  --namespace "${TARGET_NAMESPACE}" \
  --inventory cfmrOperatorSetup \
  --action configure-cluster-airgap \
  --args "--registry "${TARGET_REGISTRY}" --inputDir /tmp/cases"
```



(Optional) If you are using an insecure registry, you must add the local registry to the cluster insecureRegistries list.

```
$ oc patch image.config.openshift.io/cluster --type=merge -p '{"spec":{"registryS
```



Configure Helm Repository

Prepare a private helm chart repository on the OpenShift cluster that can be used during installation.

Locate chartmuseum helm chart in /tmp/cases/charts folder. Should be named chartmuseum-3.1.0.tgz.

Initialize helm chart repository on the cluster

```
$ cloudctl case launch \
  --case /tmp/cases/ibm-cfmr-"${CFMR_VERSION}".tgz \
  --namespace "${TARGET_NAMESPACE}" \
  --inventory cfmrOperatorSetup \
  --action init-helm-repository \
  --args "-chartmuseum chartmuseum-3.1.0.tgz"
```



After helm repo is initialized, helm repository URL and username/password are created





```
[INFO] username = admin
[INFO] password = feb92d0ebc038522f407c4642a4acf14
```

Load Helm Repository

Loads helm charts for quarks, kubecf, and console in defaults charts /tmp/cases/charts into helm repository.

Export helm repo URL and credentials.

```
$ export HELM_REPO_URL=<private-helm-repo URL e.g. http://private-helm-repo-chart
$ export HELM_REPO_USERNAME=<e.g. admin>
$ export HELM_REPO_PASSWORD=<e.g. feb92d0ebc038522f407c4642a4acf14>
```



Load helm charts into helm repository

```
$ cloudctl case launch \
  --case /tmp/cases/ibm-cfmr- "${CFMR_VERSION}" .tgz \
  --namespace "${TARGET_NAMESPACE}" \
  --inventory cfmrOperatorSetup \
  --action load-helm-repository \
  --args "-u "${HELM_REPO_USERNAME}" -p "${HELM_REPO_PASSWORD}" --url "${HELM_REPO_URL}"
```



Once complete, this should list loaded charts. This will be used in the custom resource during installation.

Update your Custom Resource file `cfmr.ibm.com_<version>_ibmcfmrprod_cr.yaml` to use the helm repository.

```
spec:
  features:
    chartRepository: "http://private-helm-repo-chartmuseum-private-helm-repo.mycl
    chartRepositoryName: "private-helm-repo"
```



In Air-Gapped OpenShift Cluster Without a Bastion

Prepare a portable device

Prepare a portable device (such as laptop) that can be used to download the case and images and can be carried into the air-gapped environment

- Verify that the portable device has access
 - to public internet (to download CASE and images)
 - a target image registry (where the images will be mirrored)





All the following steps should be run from the portable device

Configure Registry Auth

See instructions from previous [Configure Registry Auth](#) section

Set environment variables

See instructions from previous [Set environment variables](#) section

Mirror Images

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Configure Cluster for Air-gapping

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