



Module Checklist

Build Automation & CI/CD with Jenkins

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Demo Projects	
Java Maven Project	https://gitlab.com/nanuchi/java-maven-app
Jenkins Shared Library	https://gitlab.com/nanuchi/jenkins-shared-library

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Introduction to Build Automation

- ☐ Watched video

Install Jenkins

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- ☐ **Demo executed**
 - ☐ Created a Server (Droplet) on DigitalOcean
 - ☐ Configured Firewall Rules to open port 22 and port 8080 for our new server
 - ☐ Installed Docker on DigitalOcean Droplet
 - ☐ Started Jenkins Docker container with named volume
 - ☐ Initialized Jenkins

Useful Links:

- Jenkins Docker Image: <https://hub.docker.com/r/jenkins/jenkins>

Useful Commands:

```
docker run -p 8080:8080 -p 50000:50000 -d -v
jenkins_home:/var/jenkins_home jenkins/jenkins:lts
docker volume inspect jenkins_home

# print the initialisation password
cat
/var/snap/docker/common/var-lib-docker/volumes/jenkins_home/
_data/secrets/initialAdminPassword
```

Jenkins UI Tour

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Install Build Tools

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- ☐ **Demo executed**
 - ☐ Configured Plugin for Maven
 - ☐ Installed npm and node in Jenkins container

Useful Links:

- Node Installation for Linux distributions: <https://github.com/nodesource/distributions>
- Jenkins Plugins: <https://plugins.jenkins.io/>

Useful Commands:

```
# enter container as root
docker exec -u 0 -it a3f305b0b63f bash

# check with Linux distro container is running
cat /etc/issue

apt update
apt install curl

curl -sL https://deb.nodesource.com/setup_10.x -o nodesource_setup.sh
bash nodesource_setup.sh
apt install nodejs

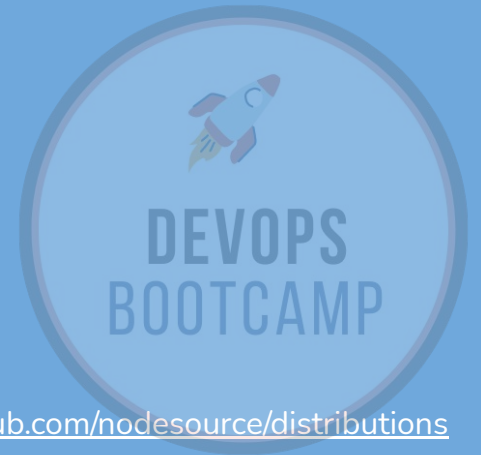
nodejs -v
npm -v
```

Jenkins Basics Demo

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- ☐ **Demo executed - create a simple Freestyle Job**
 - ☐ Configured Git Repository to checkout the code from
 - ☐ Configured Job to run tests and build Java Application

Useful Links:

- Java-maven-app (master): <https://gitlab.com/nanuchi/java-maven-app>
- Java-maven-app: <https://gitlab.com/nanuchi/java-maven-app/-/tree/jenkins-jobs>



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Docker in Jenkins

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- ☐ **Demo executed - push Image to DockerHub Repository**
 - ☐ Made Docker available in Jenkins container (mount docker runtime inside container as a volume)
 - ☐ Fixed permissions on docker.sock
 - ☐ Configured Job to build Docker Image
 - ☐ Configured Job to push Image to DockerHub
 - ☐ Prerequisite: Account on DockerHub
 - ☐ Created a repository on DockerHub
 - ☐ Created Credentials for DockerHub in Jenkins UI
 - ☐ Tag Docker Image with your DockerHub repository, login and push to repository
- ☐ **Demo executed - push Image to Nexus Repository**
 - ☐ Configured “insecure-registries” on Droplet server (daemon.json file)
 - ☐ Fixed permission for docker.sock again after restart of Jenkins container
 - ☐ Created Credentials for Nexus in Jenkins UI
 - ☐ Tag Docker Image with your Nexus host and repository, login and push to repository

Useful Links:

- Java-maven-app: <https://gitlab.com/nanuchi/java-maven-app/-/tree/jenkins-jobs>



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Docker in Jenkins

Useful Commands:

```
# create jenkins container with mounted docker
docker run -p 8080:8080 -p 50000:50000 -d -v jenkins_home:/var/jenkins_home -v
/var/run/docker.sock:/var/run/docker.sock -v $(which docker):/usr/bin/docker jenkins/jenkins:lts

# enter as root and modify docker.sock permission
docker exec -u 0 -it 0c73a1692b75 bash
chmod 666 /var/run/docker.run

# edit or create /etc/docker/daemon.json ON THE HOST
vim /etc/docker/daemon.json
{
  "insecure-registries" : ["167.99.248.163:8083"]
}

# restart docker
systemctl restart docker

# start container again
docker start 0c73a1692b75

# enter as root and modify docker.sock permission
docker exec -u 0 -it 0c73a1692b75 bash
chmod 666 /var/run/docker.run
```

Freestyle to Pipeline Job

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Introduction to Pipeline Job

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- ☐ Demo executed - create a basic Pipeline Job
 - ☐ Configured Git Repository
 - ☐ Created a valid Jenkinsfile with required fields

Useful Links:

- Java-maven-app: <https://gitlab.com/nanuchi/java-maven-app/-/tree/jenkins-jobs>

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Jenkinsfile Syntax

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- ☐ **Demo executed**
 - ☐ Used Post attribute
 - ☐ Defined a Condition
 - ☐ Used an environment variable
 - ☐ Used Tools Attribute
 - ☐ Used a Parameter
 - ☐ Used an external Groovy Script
 - ☐ Used an Input Parameter



Useful Links:

- List available environment variables: <http://<your-ip-of-jenkins>:8080/env-vars.html>
- Pipeline Syntax: <https://www.jenkins.io/doc/book/pipeline/syntax/>
- Jenkinsfile & Groovy example: <https://gitlab.com/nanuchi/java-maven-app/-/tree/jenkins-jobs/Jenkinsfile-syntax>

Create full Pipeline

- ☐ Watched video
- ☐ **Demo executed - create a full Pipeline Job**
 - ☐ Build Jar
 - ☐ Build Docker Image
 - ☐ Push to private Repository DockerHub

Useful Links:

- Jenkinsfile & Groovy example: <https://gitlab.com/nanuchi/java-maven-app/-/tree/jenkins-jobs/Jenkinsfile-simple-pipeline>

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Introduction to Multibranch Job

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- ☐ **Demo executed**
 - ☐ Added branch based logic in Jenkinsfile



Wrap Up Jenkins Jobs

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Credentials in Jenkins

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Jenkins Shared Library

- ☐ Watched video
- ☐ **Demo executed**
 - ☐ Created Shared Library Project/Repository
 - ☐ Made Shared Library globally available in Jenkins
 - ☐ Used Shared Library in Jenkinsfile
 - ☐ Used Parameters in Shared Library
 - ☐ Extracted logic into Groovy Classes
 - ☐ Define Shared Library in Jenkinsfile directly (project scoped)

Useful Links:

- Java-maven-app:
<https://gitlab.com/nanuchi/java-maven-app/-/tree/jenkins-shared-lib>
- Jenkins-shared-library: <https://gitlab.com/nanuchi/jenkins-shared-library>

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Trigger Jenkins Jobs - Webhooks

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- ☐ Demo executed



Versioning your application - Part I

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- ☐ Demo executed: Increment version locally with maven build tool
- ☐ Demo executed: Increment version in Jenkins Pipeline
 - ☐ Configured Jenkinsfile to increment version
 - ☐ Adjusted Dockerfile file
 - ☐ Executed Jenkins Pipeline

Useful Links:

- Maven Build-Helper Plugin:
<https://www.mojohaus.org/build-helper-maven-plugin/parse-version-mojo.html>
- Java-maven-app:
<https://gitlab.com/nanuchi/java-maven-app/-/tree/jenkins-jobs/Jenkinsfile-version-increment>

Versioning your application - Part II

- ☐ Watched video
- ☐ Demo executed: Commit version upgrade from Jenkins to Git
- ☐ Demo executed: Ignore Jenkins Commit from Triggering Pipeline

Useful Links:

- Java-maven-app:
<https://gitlab.com/nanuchi/java-maven-app/-/tree/jenkins-jobs/Jenkinsfile-version-increment>

More Resources...

Best practices

Pipeline Script/Jenkinsfile related best practices:

- Use Pipeline as Code: Store your Jenkinsfile in Git Repository (instead of inline script in Jenkins). Good for history, working in a team etc.
- Call your Pipeline Script the default name: Jenkinsfile
- Non-Setup work should occur within a stage block. Makes your builds easier to visualize, debug etc.
- Make sure to put `#!/usr/bin/env groovy` at the top of the file so that IDEs, GitHub diffs, etc properly detect the language and do syntax highlighting for you.
- Input Parameter: input shouldn't be done within a node block. It's recommended to use timeout for the input step in order to avoid waiting for an infinite amount of time, and also control structures (try/catch/finally).

Other best practices:

- Use Automatic versioning
- Store common pipeline code in a Shared Library, so that it can be used by other projects/teams
- Best practices and how to put it to practice:
<https://www.lambdatest.com/blog/jenkins-best-practices/>

