**Find more information on Jenkins slaves here:**

[**https://wiki.jenkins.io/display/JENKINS/Distributed+builds**](https://wiki.jenkins.io/display/JENKINS/Distributed+builds)

**They were run on the slave node:**

**sudo yum -y install git java-1.8.0-openjdk**

**sudo useradd -d /var/lib/jenkins jenkins**

**ssh-keygen**

**As ssh-keygen prompts you, just hit enter for each one to select the defaults.**

**Next, read the file with the *public* key and copy its contents to your clipboard:**

**cat /home/user/.ssh/id\_rsa.pub**

**Now we've got to make a .ssh directory for the *jenkins* user, and create an autorized\_keys file in there:**

**sudo mkdir /var/lib/jenkins/.ssh**

**sudo vi /var/lib/jenkins/.ssh/authorized\_keys**

**Paste the contents of id\_rsa.pub into authorized\_keys and save the file.**

**We created the directory and file with sudo, and *jenkins* is who needs to actually own it. Lets' fix that:**

**sudo chown -R jenkins:jenkins /var/lib/jenkins/.ssh**

**Now, we the contents of the file with *private* key:**

**cat /home/user/.ssh/id\_rsa**

**Copy the contents of id\_rsa (the private key) so that you can paste them into Jenkins as a credential. Finish setting up the slave by adding it via the Jenkins UI.**