

Hadoop HDFS Operations using CLI

Interacting with HDFS using command line interface.

All the important commands can be accessed using

1. `hdfs dfs -help`
2. To check summary of filesystem

`hdfs fsck /`

```
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ hdfs fsck /
Connecting to namenode via http://localhost:9870/fsck?ugi=hadoop&
FSCK started by hadoop (auth:SIMPLE) from /127.0.0.1 for path / a

Status: HEALTHY
  Number of data-nodes:  1
  Number of racks:      1
  Total dirs:           3
  Total symlinks:       0

Replicated Blocks:
  Total size:           0 B
  Total files:          0
  Total blocks (validated): 0
  Minimally replicated blocks: 0
  Over-replicated blocks: 0
  Under-replicated blocks: 0
  Mis-replicated blocks: 0
  Default replication factor: 1
  Average block replication: 0.0
  Missing blocks:       0
  Corrupt blocks:       0
  Missing replicas:     0

Erasure Coded Block Groups:
  Total size:           0 B
  Total files:          0
  Total block groups (validated): 0
  Minimally erasure-coded block groups: 0
  Over-erasure-coded block groups: 0
  Under-erasure-coded block groups: 0
  Unsatisfactory placement block groups: 0
  Average block group size: 0.0
  Missing block groups: 0
  Corrupt block groups: 0
  Missing internal blocks: 0
```

3. To create and list directories

```
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ hdfs dfs -mkdir -p ~/test
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ hdfs dfs -ls ~/
Found 1 items
drwxr-xr-x  - hadoop supergroup          0 2020-12-08 16:54 /home/hadoop/test
hadoop@ubuntu:~$
```

4. To remove directory

```
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ hdfs dfs -rm -r ~/test/
Deleted /home/hadoop/test
hadoop@ubuntu:~$
```

5. To create empty file

```
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ clear
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ hdfs dfs -touchz ~/sample.txt
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ hdfs dfs -ls ~/
Found 1 items
-rw-r--r-- 1 hadoop supergroup 0 2020-12-08 17:04 /home/hadoop/sample.txt
hadoop@ubuntu:~$
```

6. To append text into file

```
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ hdfs dfs -appendToFile - ~/sample.txt
I am writing to this file and excited to learn about
how hdfs file system works.hadoop@ubuntu:~$
```

7. To get size and read from file.

```
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ hdfs dfs -du -s ~/sample.txt
80 80 /home/hadoop/sample.txt
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ hdfs dfs -cat ~/sample.txt
I am writing to this file and excited to learn about
how hdfs file system works.hadoop@ubuntu:~$
```

8. Copying file from local system into hdfs directory

```
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ hdfs dfs -copyFromLocal host.txt ~/
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ hdfs dfs -ls ~/
Found 2 items
-rw-r--r-- 1 hadoop supergroup 40 2020-12-08 18:40 /home/hadoop/host.txt
-rw-r--r-- 1 hadoop supergroup 80 2020-12-08 18:33 /home/hadoop/sample.txt
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ vim readme.md
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ hdfs dfs -ls ~/
Found 2 items
-rw-r--r-- 1 hadoop supergroup 40 2020-12-08 18:40 /home/hadoop/host.txt
-rw-r--r-- 1 hadoop supergroup 80 2020-12-08 18:33 /home/hadoop/sample.txt
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ hdfs dfs -put readme.md ~/
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ hdfs dfs -ls ~/
Found 3 items
-rw-r--r-- 1 hadoop supergroup 40 2020-12-08 18:40 /home/hadoop/host.txt
-rw-r--r-- 1 hadoop supergroup 20 2020-12-08 18:43 /home/hadoop/readme.md
-rw-r--r-- 1 hadoop supergroup 80 2020-12-08 18:33 /home/hadoop/sample.txt
```

9. Copy from hdfs to local directory

```
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ hdfs dfs -copyToLocal ~/readme.md ~/
copyToLocal: `/home/hadoop/readme.md': File exists
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ hdfs dfs -copyToLocal ~/readme.md ~/sample/
hadoop@ubuntu:~$ cd sample
hadoop@ubuntu:~/sample$ ls
readme.md
hadoop@ubuntu:~/sample$ hdfs dfs -get ~/readme.md ~/sample/
get: `/home/hadoop/sample/readme.md': File exists
hadoop@ubuntu:~/sample$ hdfs dfs -get ~/host.txt ~/sample/
hadoop@ubuntu:~/sample$ ls
host.txt  readme.md
```

10. To move file

```
hadoop@ubuntu:~/sample$ hdfs dfs -mv ~/host.txt ~/test/
hadoop@ubuntu:~/sample$ hdfs dfs -ls ~/test/
Found 1 items
-rw-r--r-- 1 hadoop supergroup 40 2020-12-08 18:40 /home/hadoop/test/host.txt
```