

How to Lay Down a New JVM On a Big Data Cluster

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In a Hadoop cluster there are many moving parts and a cast of supporting characters. It is not as visual and spectacular as producing an action packed Hollywood movie with a host of A-list actors and beautiful models, however, if the director is out for a period of time, most likely the movie to be made will suffer from a lack of purpose and vision and certainly cant possibly win an Oscar or two.

Working on a project with a small POC, it was discovered that the existing JVM was over two years old. That in itself caused a number of extremely inexplicable errors in the Hadoop system that the only possible way to eliminate the root causes is through laying down a new JVM. It is a job for the faint hearted, but it is an excellent way to understand the technology stack. Big Data means parallel distributed data computation. The corollary to this is Big Data has distributed systems administration. What once was a monolithic operation on a single systems container, it is routine to have dozens of machines. For scalability of systems administration, Puppet and Chef can automate the processes to make the Linux systems administration far less prone for human error and accelerate the deployment process. At time of writing of this paper, a state-of-art deployment tool known as Ansible has been available for general release.

The focus of this write up is to illustrate in detail the number of steps required rather than using a admin automation tool. The starting point of this exercise is at a zero state of entropy where all the Linux daemons are down. This is a permissible state, since the Linux cluster itself is a small development platform. For a larger Linux cluster, much more coordination and a smaller window of deployment would be necessary.

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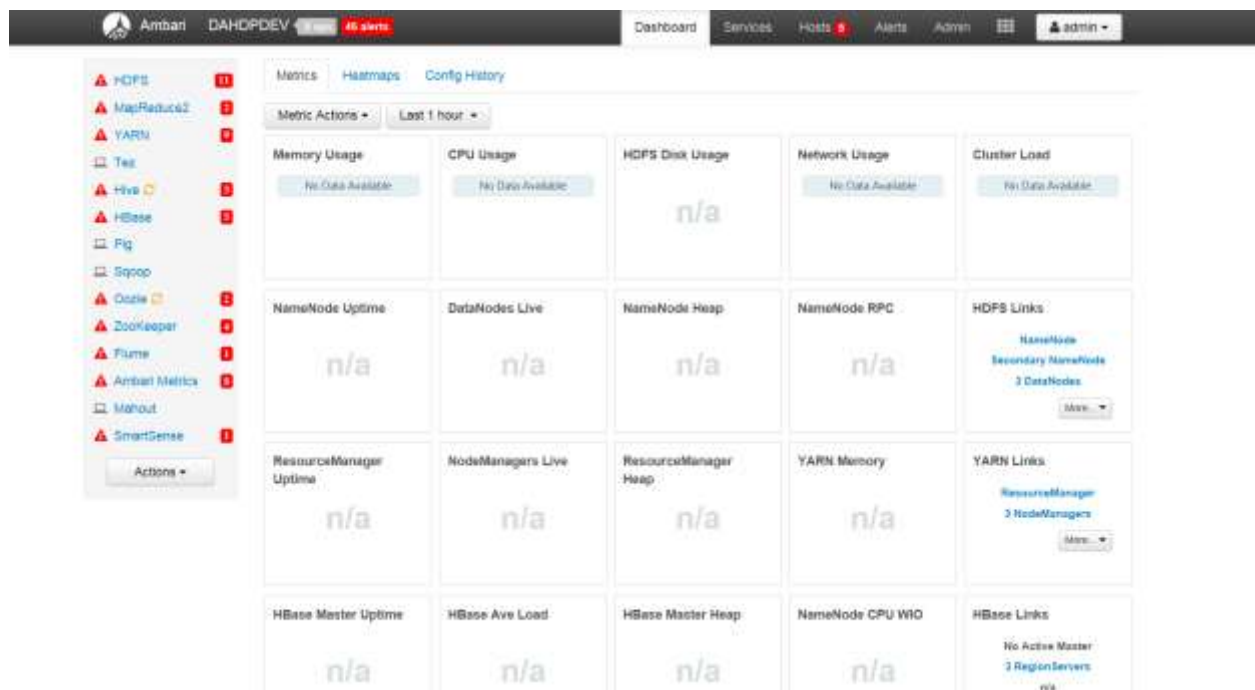
5 Linux instances running Red Hat Enterprise release 6 64 bit

2 Name Nodes, 3 Data Nodes

Remainder of the Hadoop artifacts(refer to the subsequent screenshots)

Hadoop distro – HortonWorks HDP 2.3.2.0

The next page will dive right into the Linux cluster. After the initial login and password, this is the main screen showing the cluster.



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Before creating this document, the entire cluster has been brought down to a ground zero state. This is mandatory, since the Java JVM is the foundation for the Hadoop Big Data services and ecosystem relies upon. This is obvious since the components are written in Java. Over the years, Oracle has continued a long standing effort to enhance the Java packages. In the process of doing so, some of the Java classes and methods have been deprecated. As the authorship and participants in the Apache Open Source group have made software changes using the newest JRE/JDK, the users of the Hadoop system need to upgrade their JRE/JDK systems as well.

Getting back to the main screen, many of the smaller graphs have a n/a. This is because the various Linux daemons representing the Hadoop services have been stopped. The next set of screenshots will lay down the newest JVM/JRE.

The source of the JVM/JRE is none of than Oracle.

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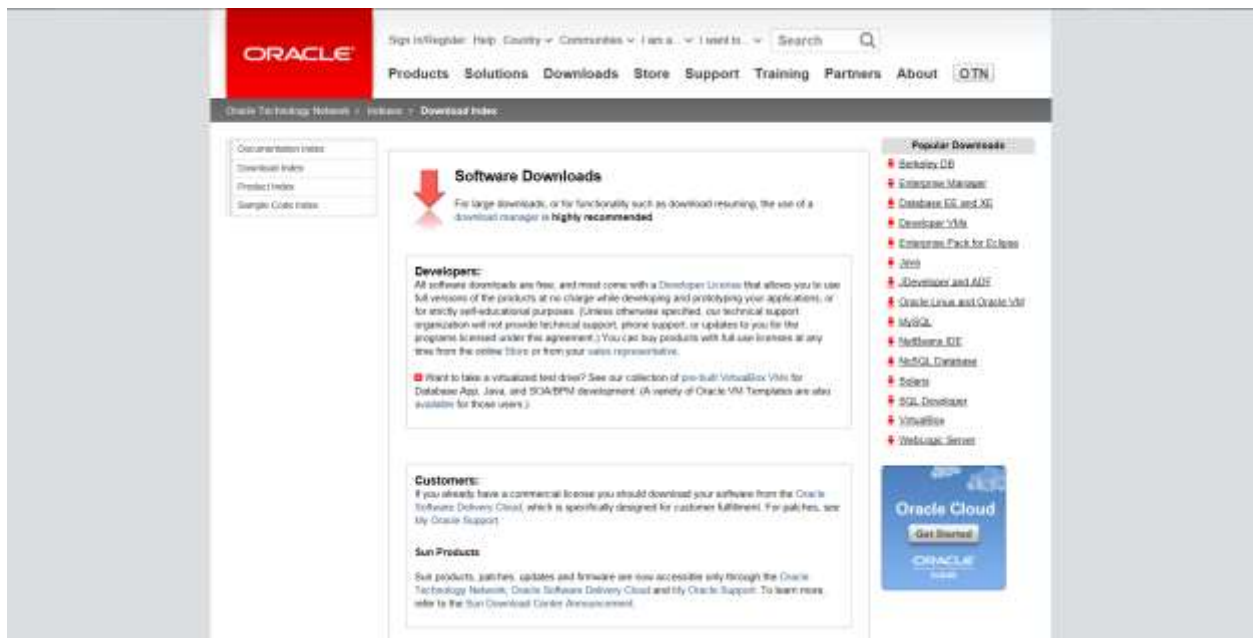
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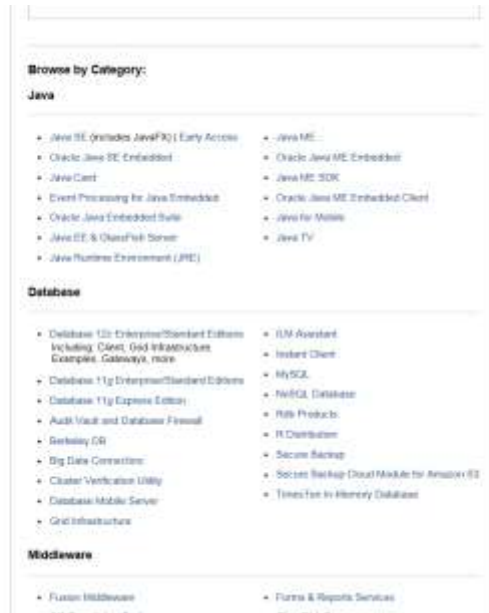
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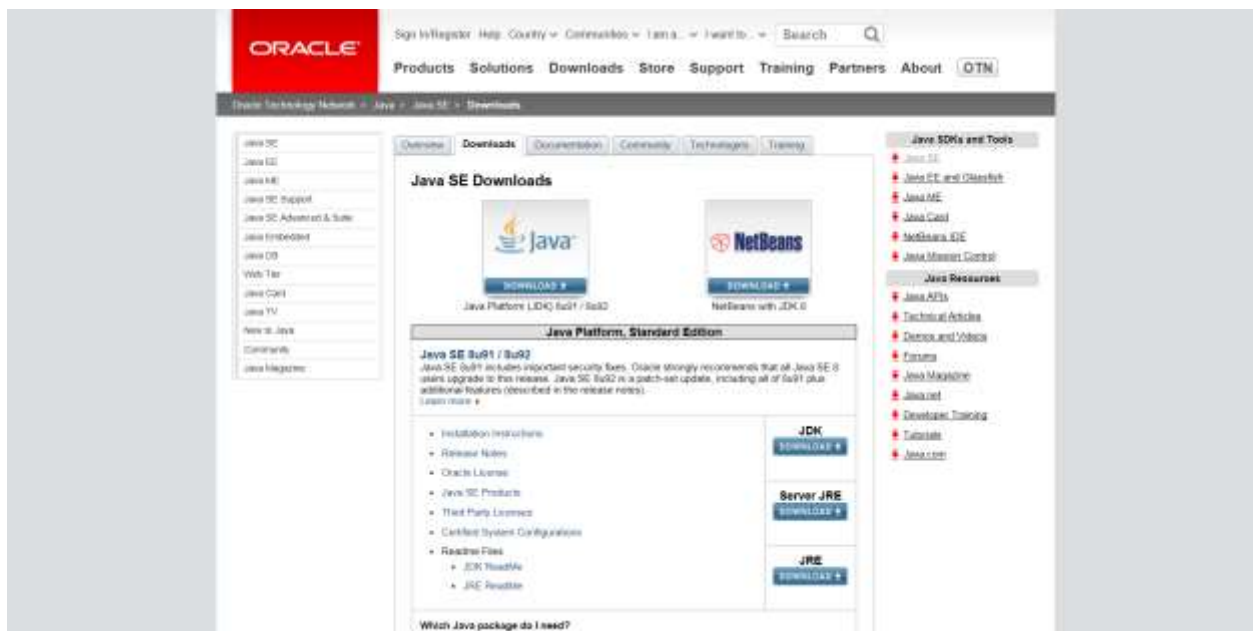
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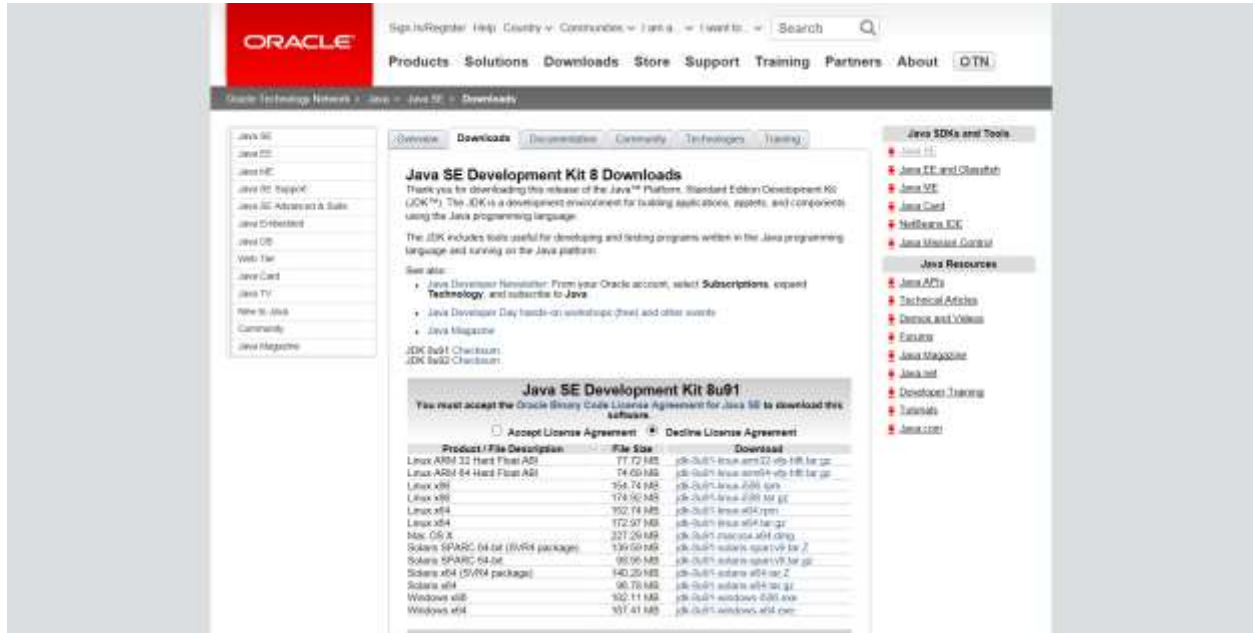


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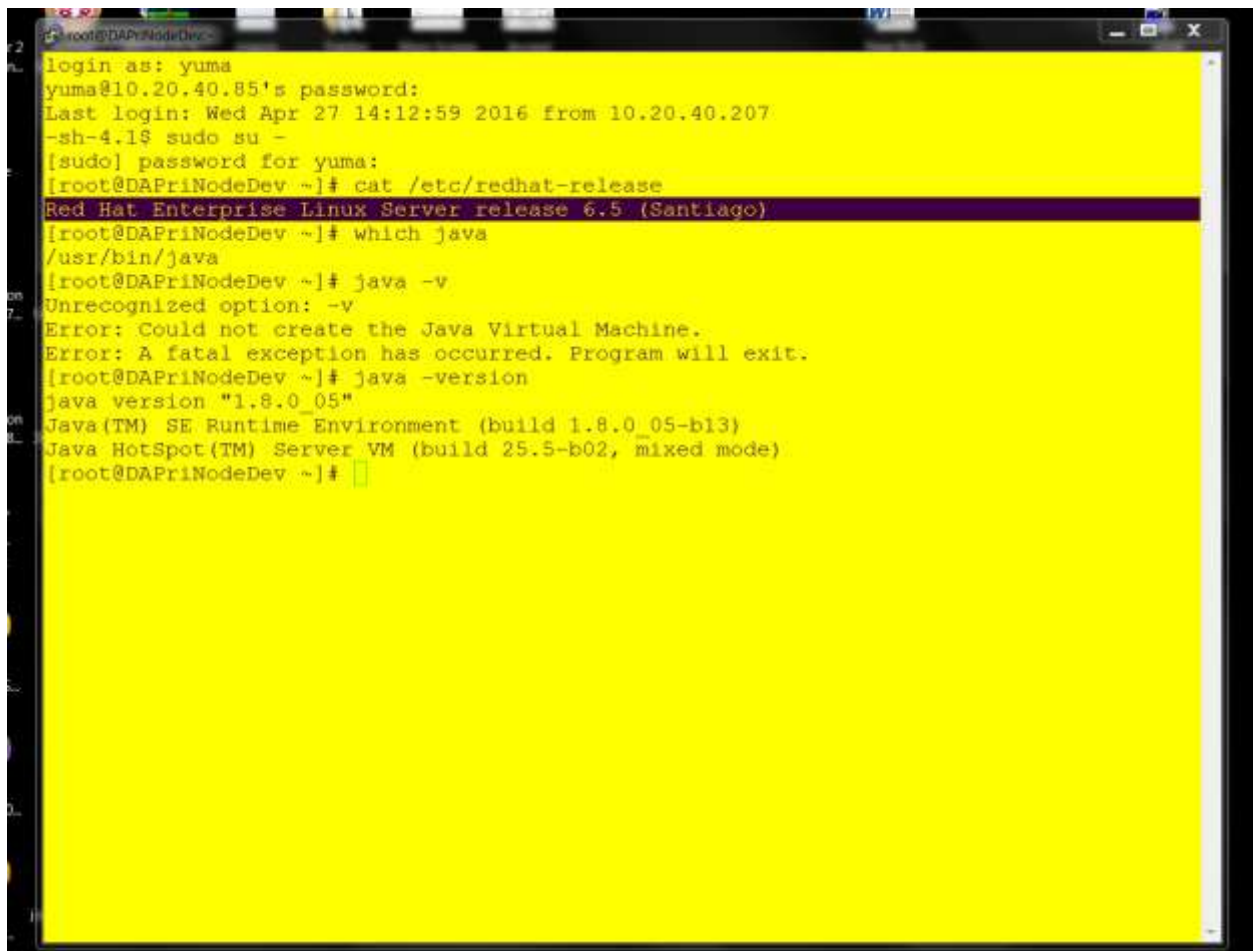


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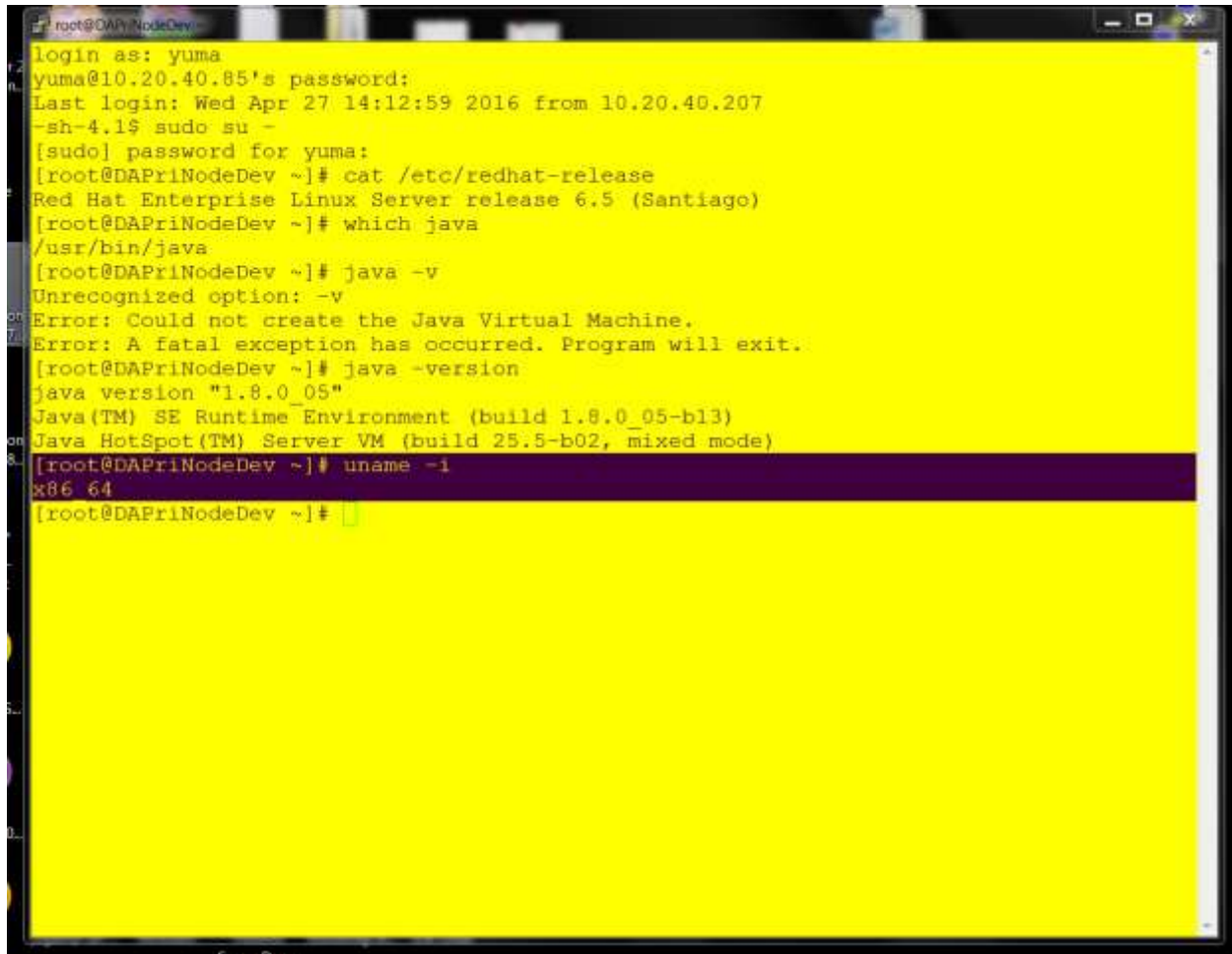
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acceptance. We need to narrow down the scope of JDK offerings by OS and by word size. Since the Linux cluster is a specific type of OS, note that the target machine is Red Hat Linux Enterprise 6.5(Santiago). Run the command from the Primary Name Node At the command prompt, enter `cat /etc/redhat-release`.

A terminal window titled 'root@DAPriNodeDev' with a yellow background. The user 'yuma' logs in from IP 10.20.40.85. The user runs 'sudo su -' to become root. The root user runs 'cat /etc/redhat-release', which outputs 'Red Hat Enterprise Linux Server release 6.5 (Santiago)'. Then, the root user runs 'which java', which outputs '/usr/bin/java'. Next, the root user runs 'java -v', which outputs an error: 'Unrecognized option: -v. Error: Could not create the Java Virtual Machine. Error: A fatal exception has occurred. Program will exit.' Finally, the root user runs 'java -version', which outputs 'java version "1.8.0_05"', 'Java(TM) SE Runtime Environment (build 1.8.0_05-b13)', and 'Java HotSpot(TM) Server VM (build 25.5-b02, mixed mode)'.

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yuma@10.20.40.85's password:
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~sh-4.1$ sudo su -
[sudo] password for yuma:
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[root@DAPriNodeDev ~]#
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Getting back to the task at hand, the RHE accepts and processes rpm files. To make sure that there is a 64 bit CPU, run from the putty session a uname -I command. See below:

A terminal window with a yellow background and black text. The window title is 'root@DAPriNodeDev'. The text shows a login sequence for user 'yuma' at IP '10.20.40.85'. The user runs 'sudo su -' and then 'cat /etc/redhat-release', which outputs 'Red Hat Enterprise Linux Server release 6.5 (Santiago)'. Next, 'which java' outputs '/usr/bin/java'. Then, 'java -v' results in an error: 'Unrecognized option: -v' and 'Error: Could not create the Java Virtual Machine. Error: A fatal exception has occurred. Program will exit.'. Finally, 'java -version' outputs 'java version "1.8.0_05"', 'Java(TM) SE Runtime Environment (build 1.8.0_05-b13)', and 'Java HotSpot(TM) Server VM (build 25.5-b02, mixed mode)'. The last command shown is 'uname -i', which outputs 'x86_64'. The prompt '[root@DAPriNodeDev ~]#' is visible at the end of the line.

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x86_64
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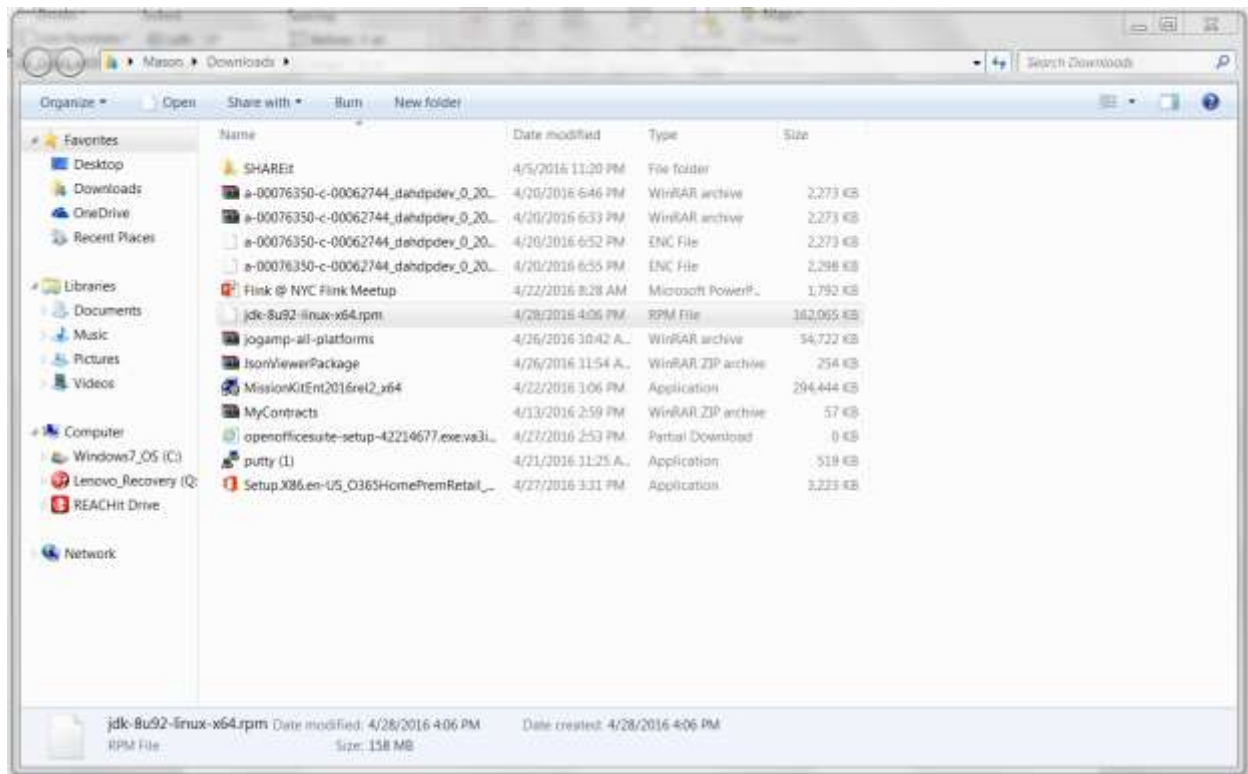
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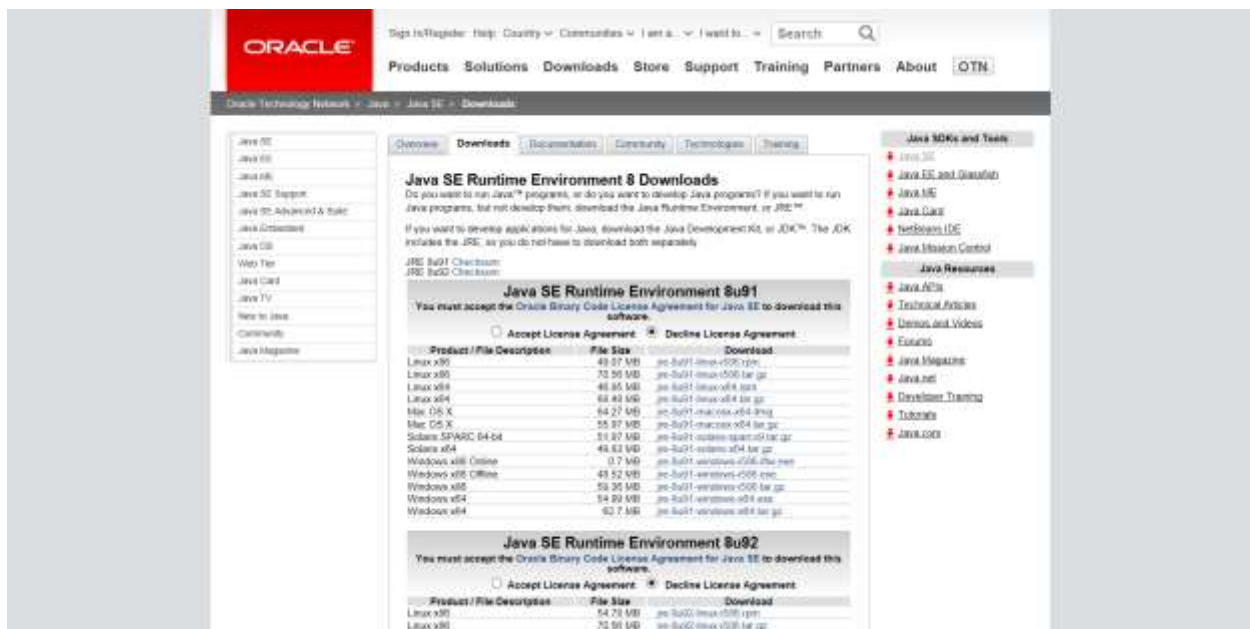


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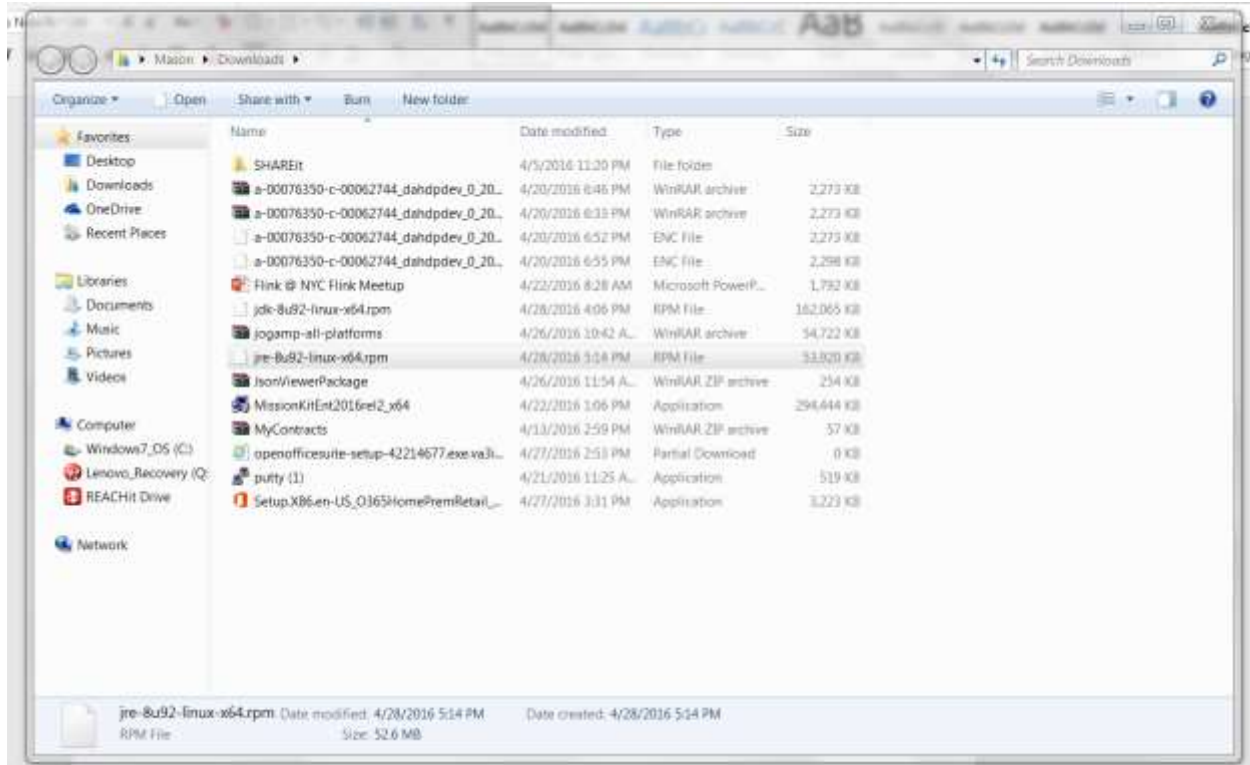
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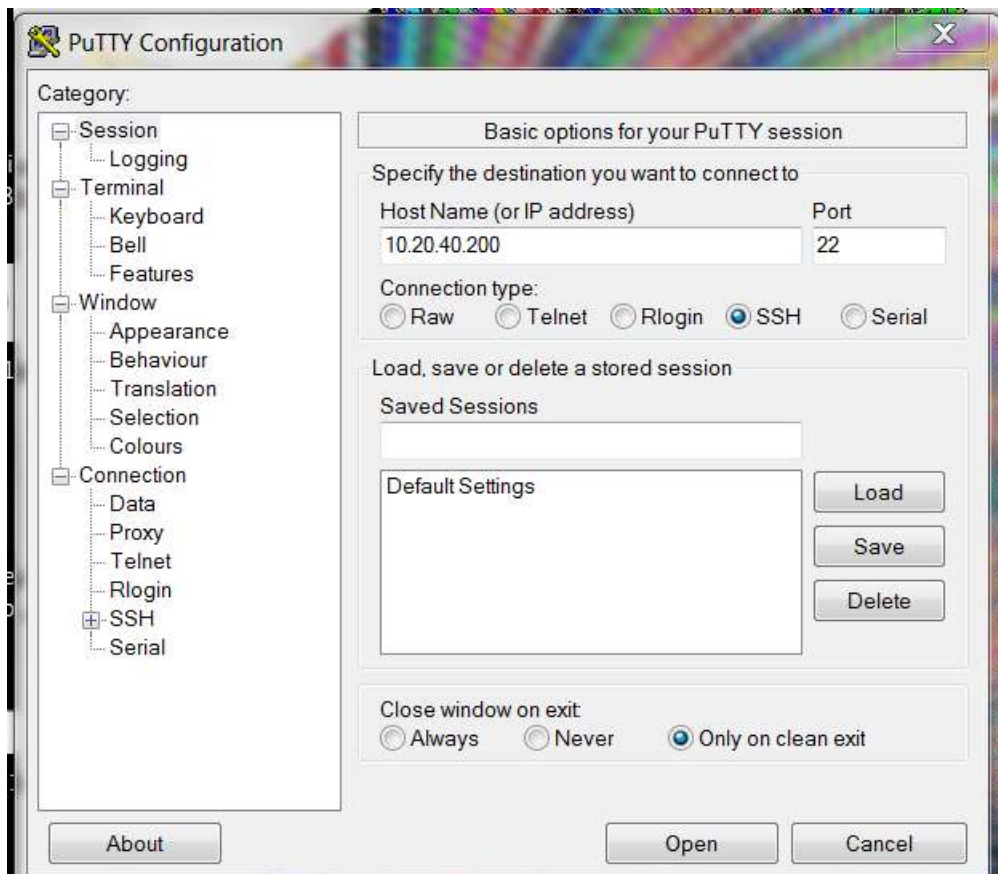
Just to make sure we have the second Linux rpm file, hover the mouse over the bottom of this page and click on the middle button Open folder.



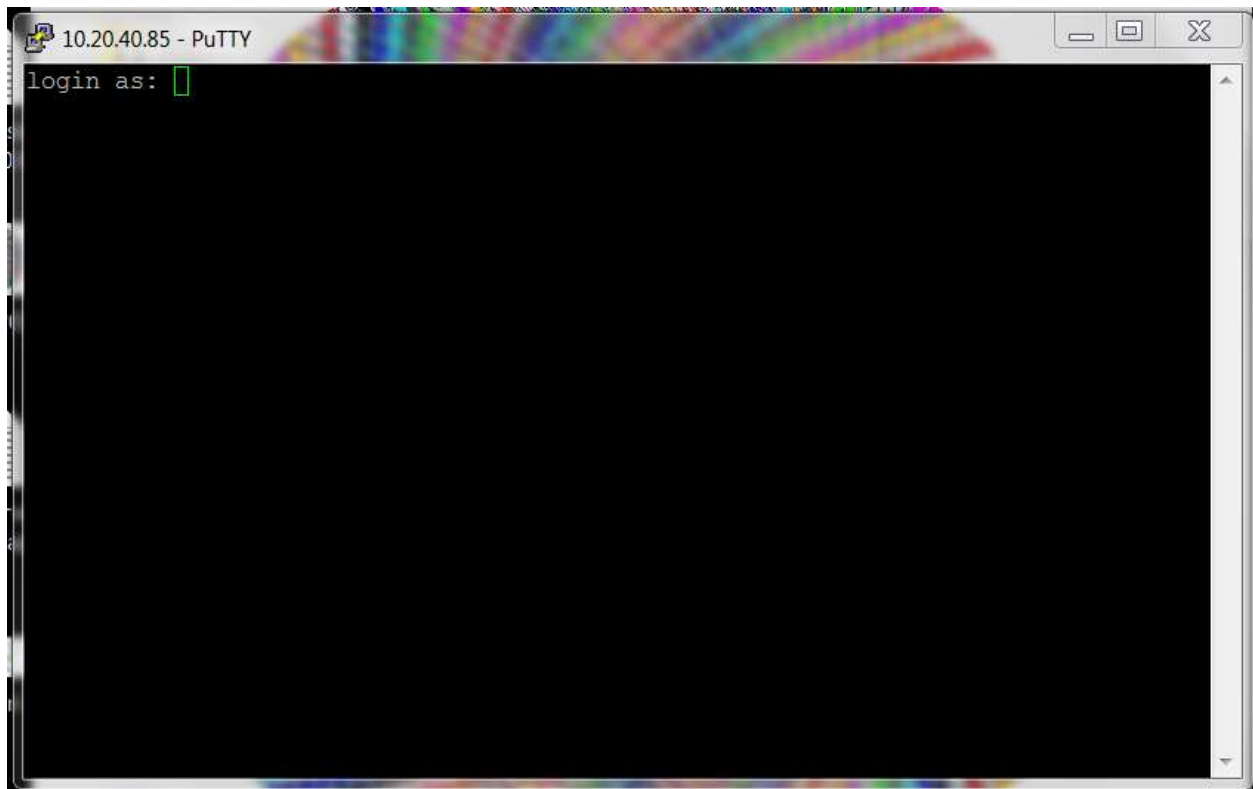
Now we have to switch gears and insure the Linux cluster has Java environment variables set up properly. Since a putty session is already open on one of the Linux instances, we will now turn our attention to this.

There are several variables which need to be validated and changed – JRE_HOME, JAVA_HOME and CLASSPATH. This must be done on all 5 Linux instances. The profile bash script needs to be adjusted. Also, to execute these commands and to insure that the Java artifacts are installed correctly, root privileges are mandatory.

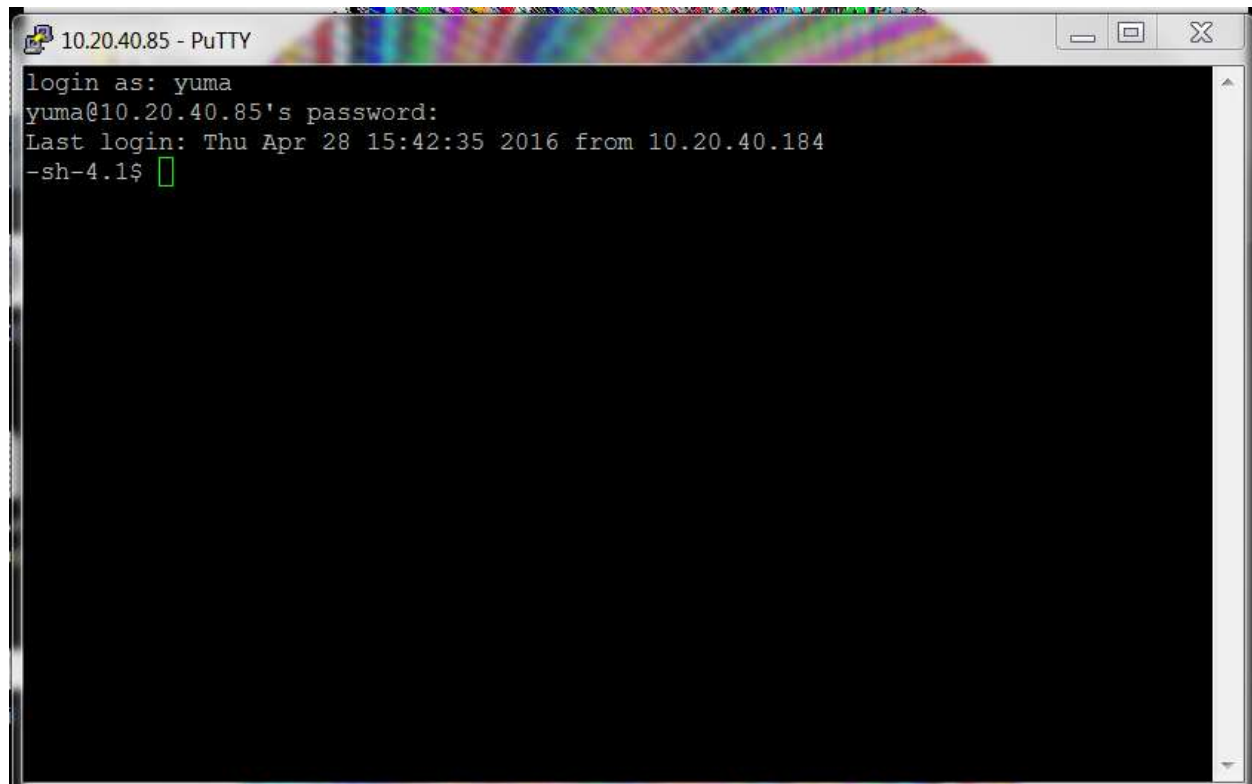
We will focus on the primary Name Node, login in to Linux instance with the Windows Putty utility, place the Class C IP 4 address in the text box, hit enter:



Hover the mouse over the button labeled Open at the bottom of this utility, then click enter on the screen:




There not much to this, your Linux administrator will have set this access to the Linux environment. Type in your login id. Then hit enter.



```
10.20.40.85 - PuTTY
login as: yuma
yuma@10.20.40.85's password:
Last login: Thu Apr 28 15:42:35 2016 from 10.20.40.184
-sh-4.1$
```

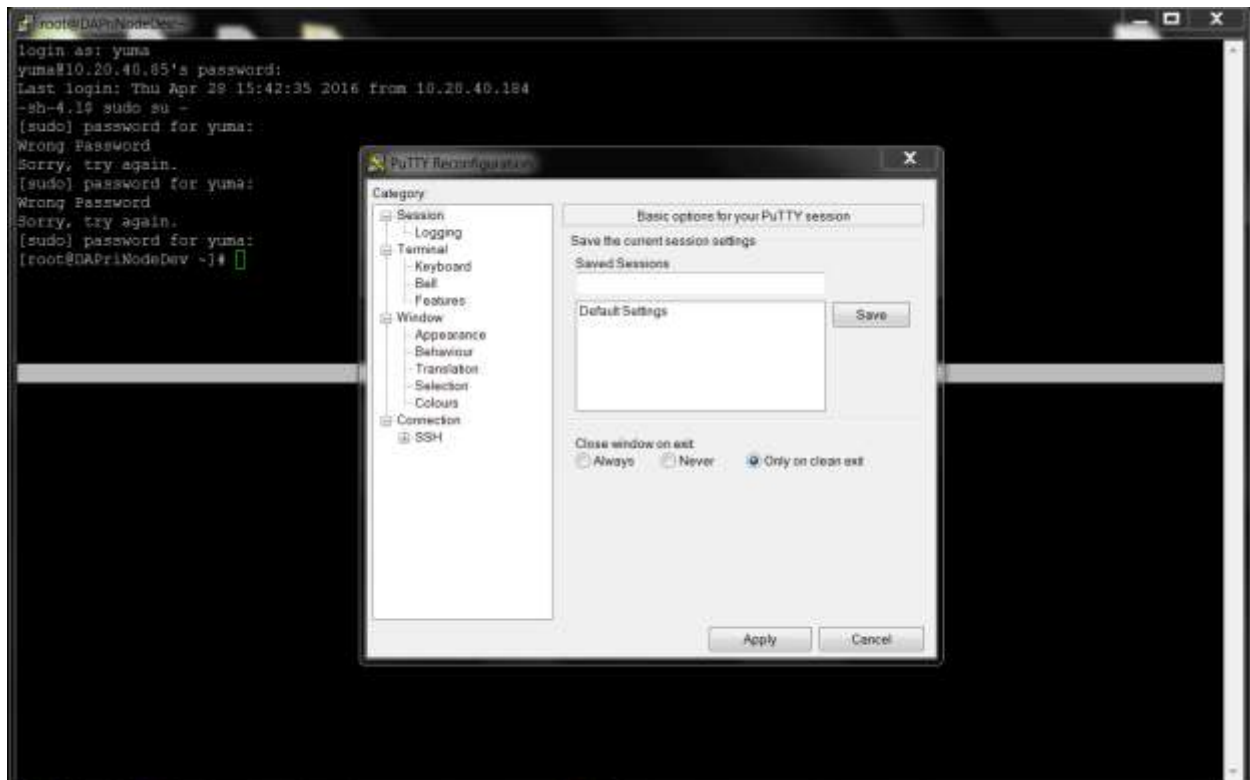
As mentioned earlier, the JVM changes must be executed with root privileges. From the prompt, type `sudo su -` Then hit the enter key.

A terminal window titled 'root@DAPriNodeDev' showing a login session for user 'yuma'. The user enters their password, and the system displays 'Last login: Thu Apr 28 15:42:35 2016 from 10.20.40.184'. The user then runs '~\$-4.1\$ sudo su -'. The system prompts for the password three times, each time displaying 'Wrong Password' and 'Sorry, try again.'. On the third attempt, the password is correct, and the prompt changes to '[root@DAPriNodeDev ~]#', indicating a successful switch to root privileges.

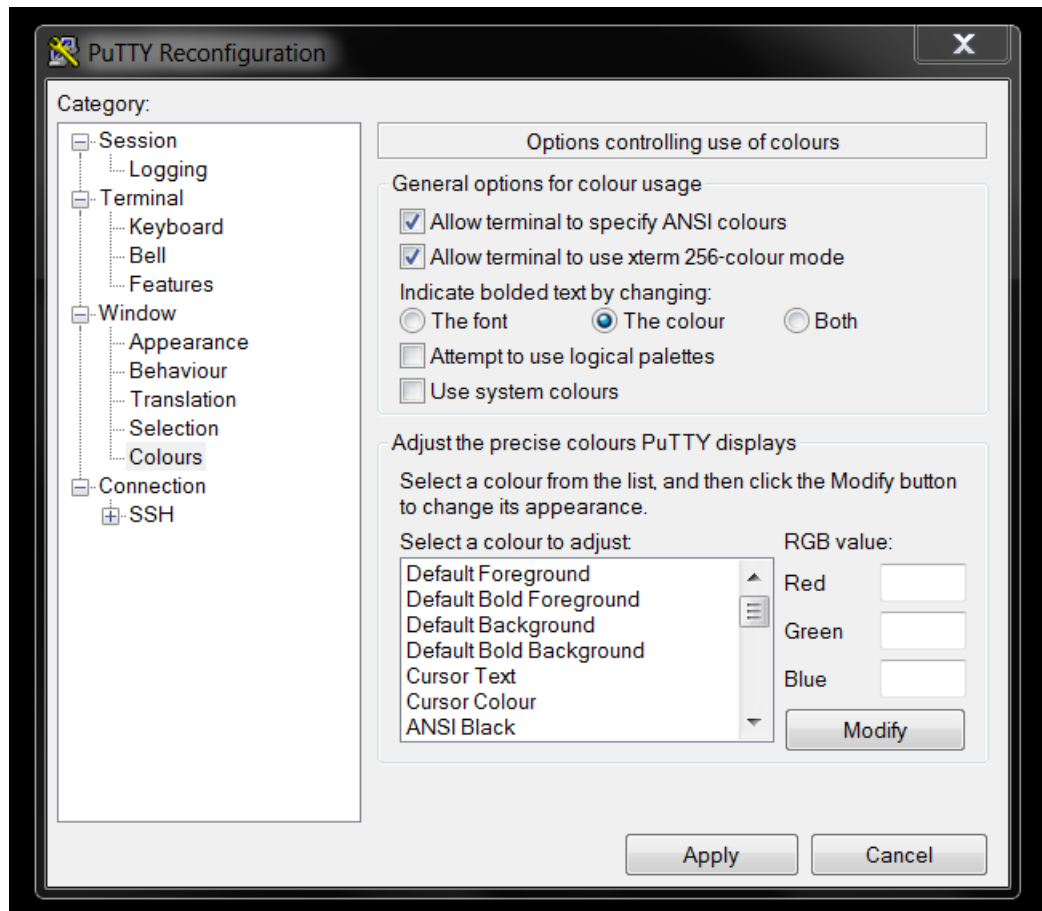
```
root@DAPriNodeDev
login as: yuma
yuma@10.20.40.85's password:
Last login: Thu Apr 28 15:42:35 2016 from 10.20.40.184
~$-4.1$ sudo su -
[sudo] password for yuma:
Wrong Password
Sorry, try again.
[sudo] password for yuma:
Wrong Password
Sorry, try again.
[sudo] password for yuma:
[root@DAPriNodeDev ~]#
```

Despite several attempts of getting the right password, the third time worked. The key thing to note is that before the prompt, there is a [root], indicating this login is now signed in as root.

To pretty this session, Putty has a nice feature. Move the mouse along the top of the Putty window bar. Next right click the mouse and a drop down menu appears. Scroll past half way down, there will be an option Change Settings... Left click on this entry. The resultant window look like this:

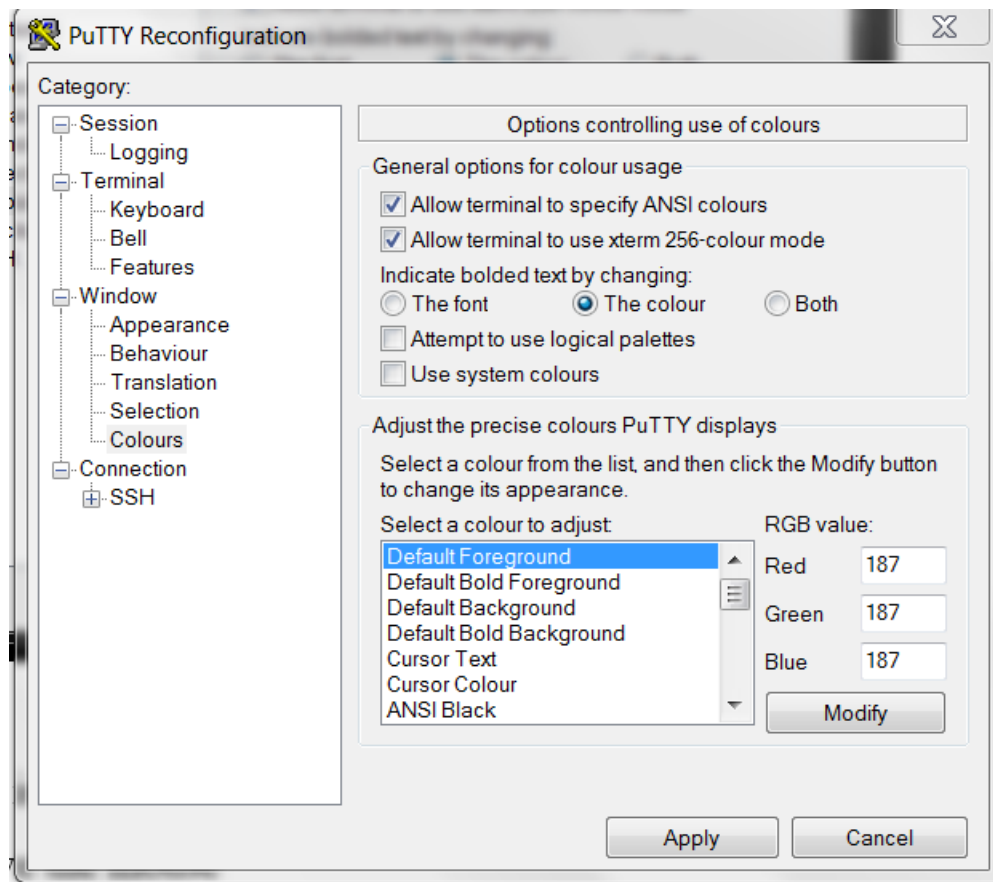


It looks very familiar. This is original screen in Putty. Under Category, look past halfway down this column for Colours. Click on this entry.

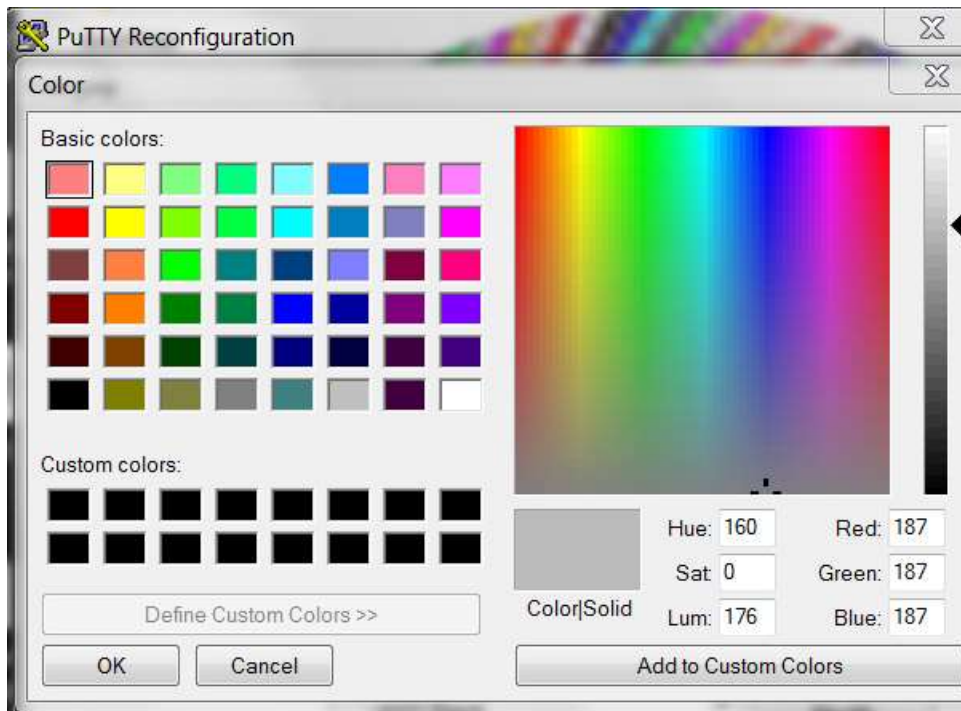


The plan is to have a yellow background with dark blue letters.

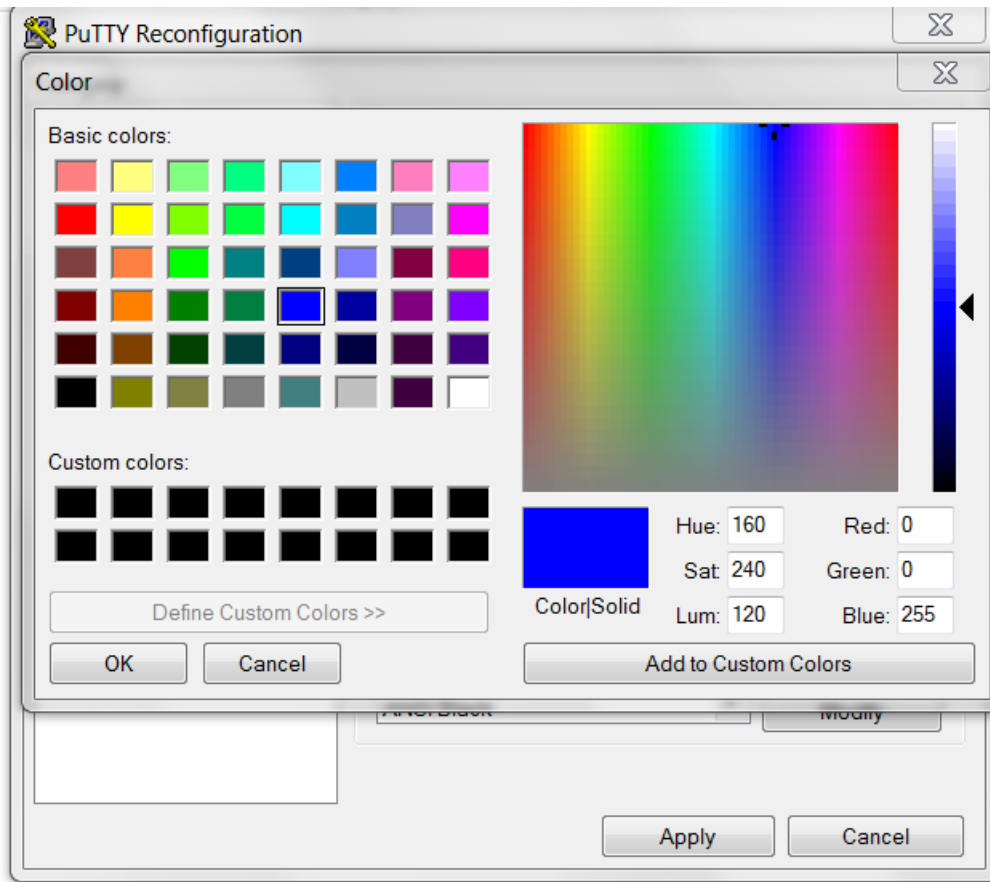
First move the mouse to the top entry in the box entitled Select a colour to adjust. With the mouse click on the entry which says Default foreground.



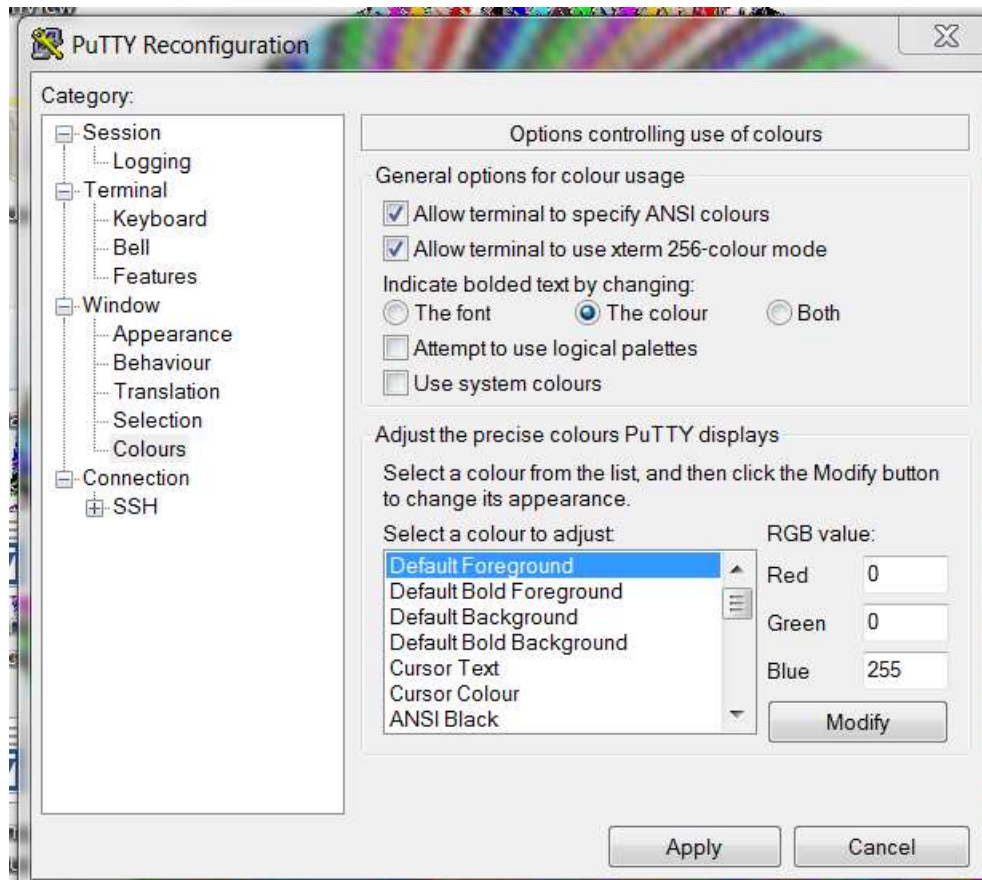
You will see a 187 in 3 textboxes, ignore these and click on the button labeled Modify.



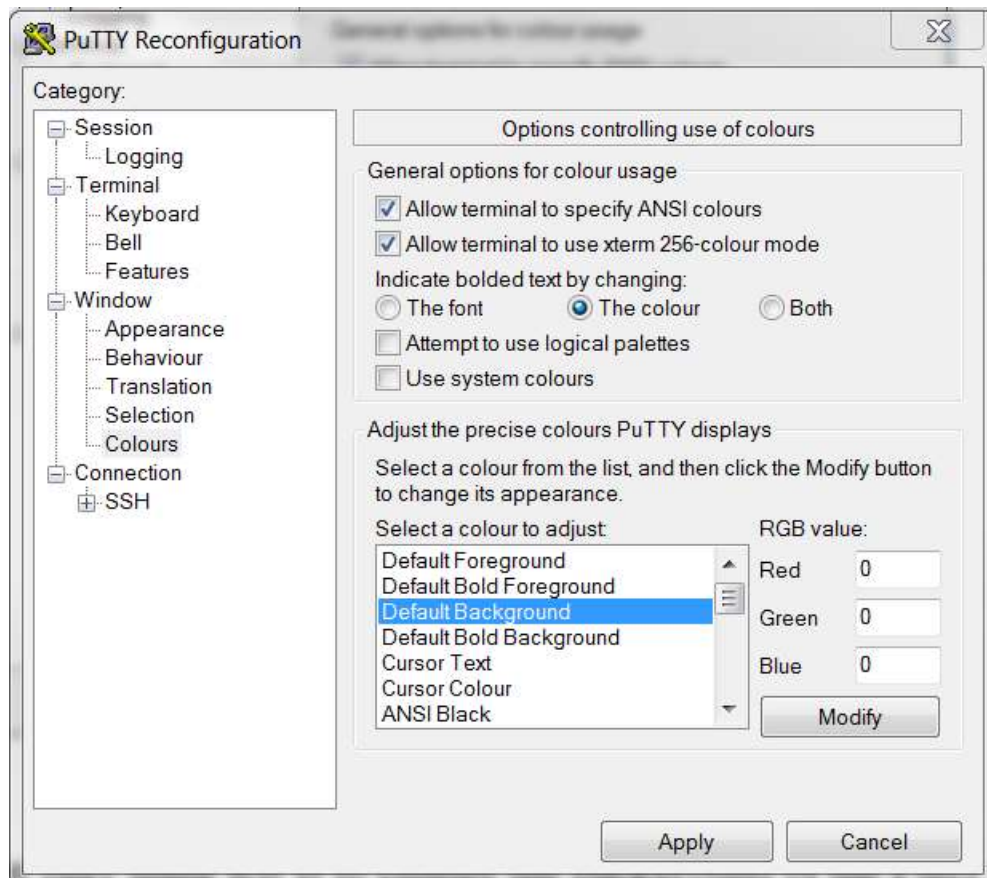
Note that the color rectangle default is a light gray above the word Color/Solid. Now move the mouse and hover over the color closest to blue and click on the selection.



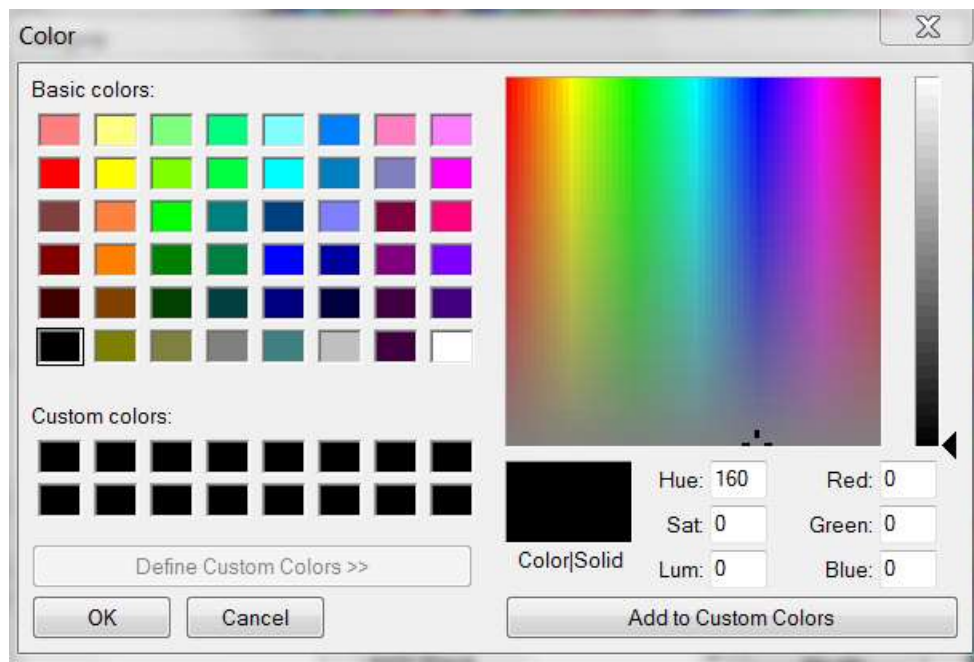
Now hover the mouse and click on the button OK.



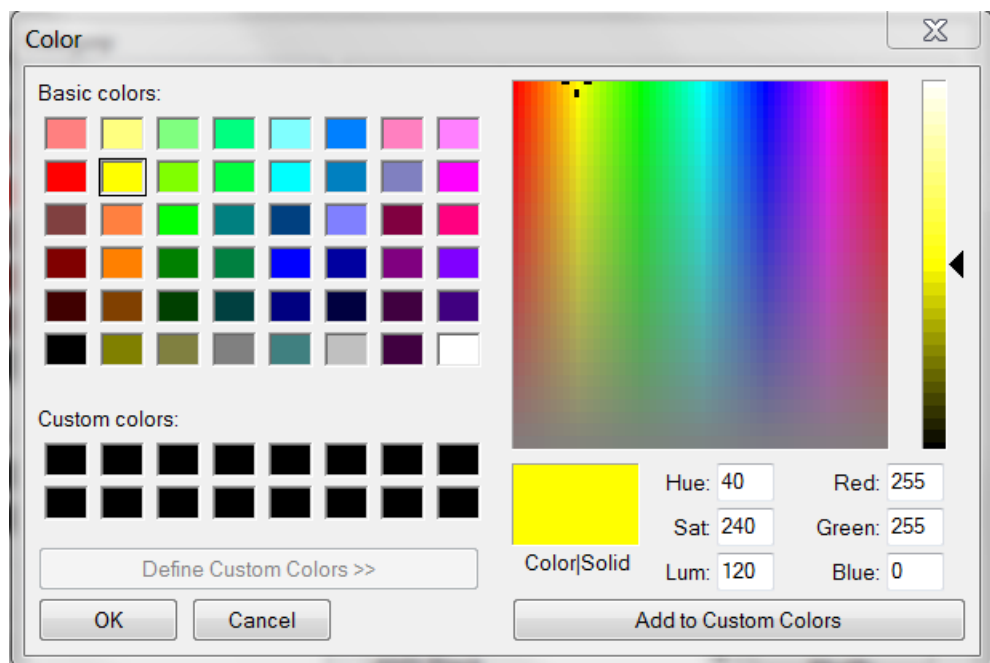
The only thing left is to change the background of the Putty screen.
Move the mouse to the entry Default background, click this entry.



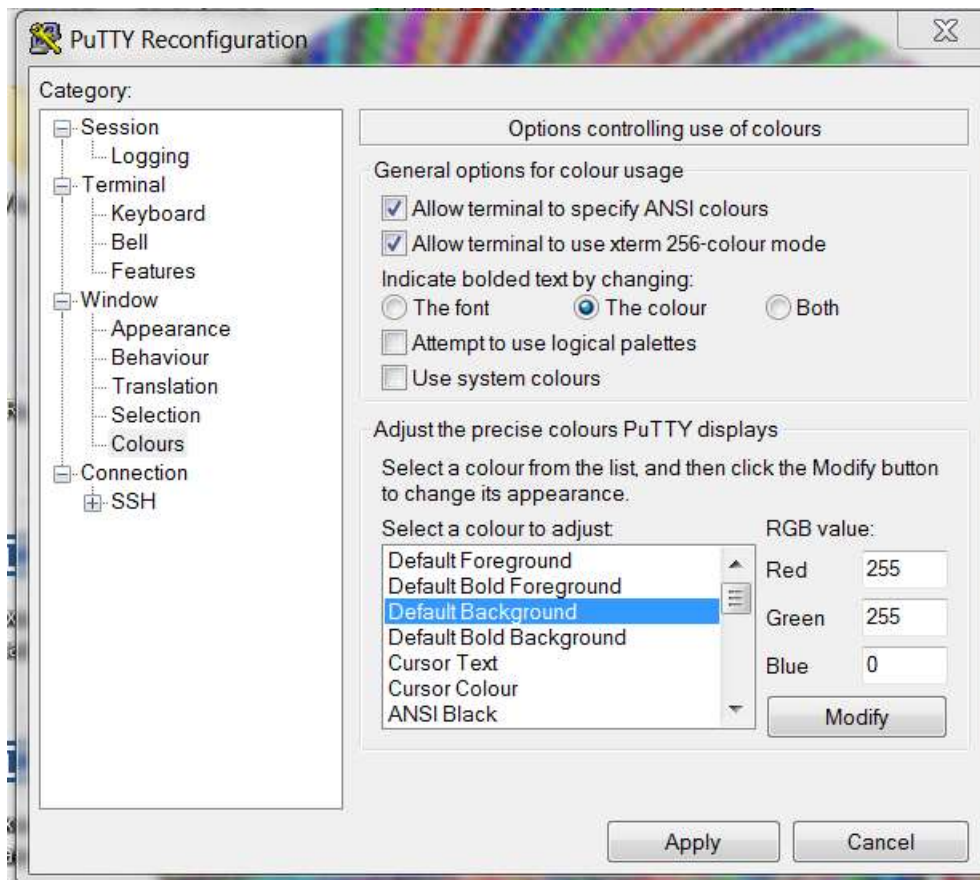
We will pick yellow, hover the mouse over the button Modify, then click on this entry.



Now hover the mouse over the color square yellow; click on this color square.



Notice that the rectangle labeled Color/Solid has now changed to yellow.
Now close out this dialog box – hover the mouse over the button OK,
click on it.



Last step, hover the mouse over the button entitled Apply, then click on it.

```
root@DAFPrNodeDev:~#  
login as: yuma  
yuma@10.20.40.85's password:  
Last login: Thu Apr 28 15:42:35 2016 from 10.20.40.184  
-sh-4.1$ sudo su -  
[sudo] password for yuma:  
Wrong Password  
Sorry, try again.  
[sudo] password for yuma:  
Wrong Password  
Sorry, try again.  
[sudo] password for yuma:  
[root@DAFPrNodeDev ~]#
```

Now we are working with bright lights.

Because Linux comes in a variety of distros as the number of scripting languages, it important to know the specific distro – the syntax varies ever so slightly, so commands which may look convincing on paper, may not necessarily work for the technology stack. Typically a man page ought to illuminate any discrepancies. Just type *man the name of the command*, e.g., *man iostat*.

From the command line of the Putty window, type clear and then hit enter. Next, we need to find out where the actual Java jdk is parked. Every system has its own quirks. Execute a command which java. Execute another command whereis java. In both cases, hit the enter key.



```
root@DAPriNodeDev:~# whereis java
java: /usr/bin/java /etc/java /usr/lib/java /usr/share/java /opt/jdk1.8.0_85/bin/java
root@DAPriNodeDev ~)# which java
/usr/bin/java
root@DAPriNodeDev ~)#
```

There are several more commands to help piece the puzzle here. Since there was another group which had development access to this Linux cluster, we need to find out where Java resides and whether there are symbolic links. From the command line, issue/type the following:
ls -lah /usr/bin/java. /usr/bin/java is the resultant response from the previous Linux command which java.

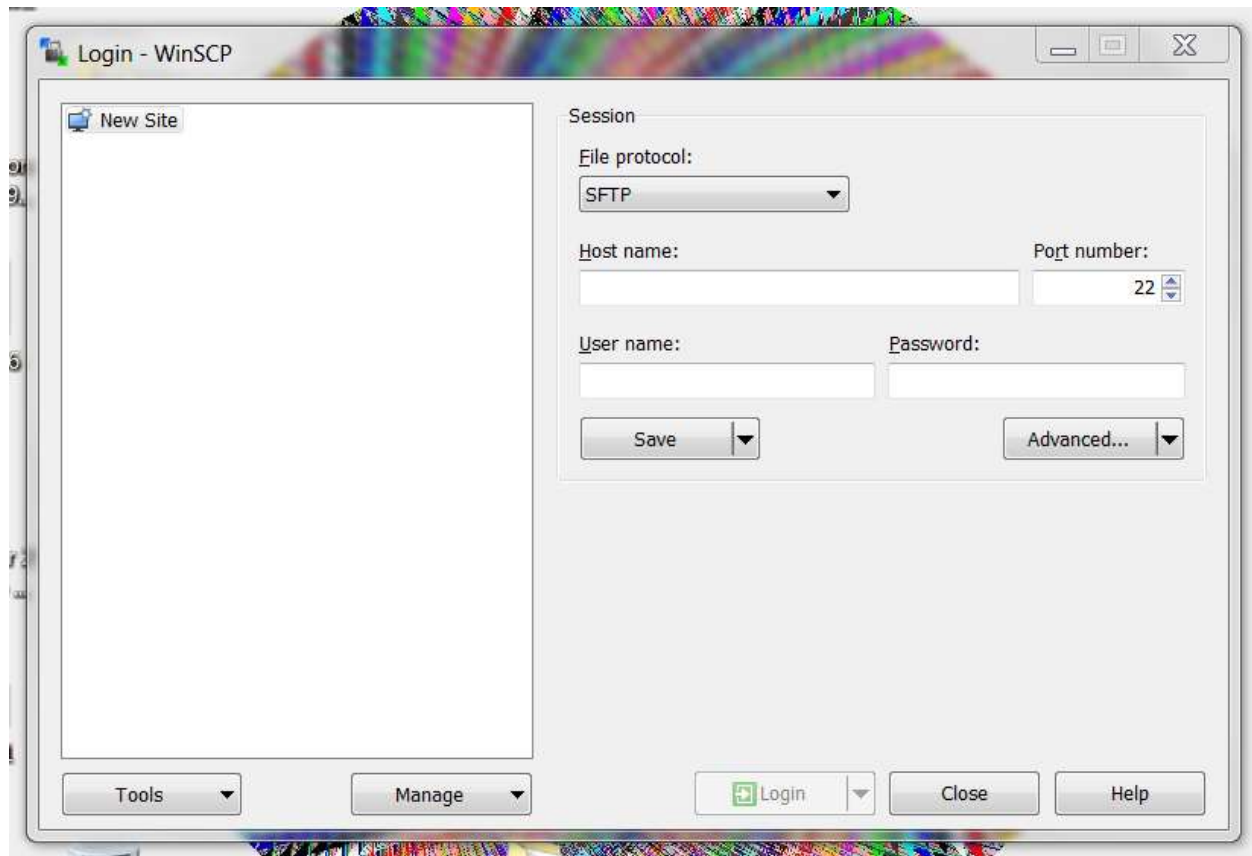
```
root@DAFriNodeDev:~#
login as: yuma
yuma@10.20.40.85's password:
Last login: Fri Apr 29 11:17:37 2016 from 10.20.40.203
~sh-4.1$ sudo su -
[sudo] password for yuma:
Wrong Password

Sorry, try again.
[sudo] password for yuma:
Wrong Password

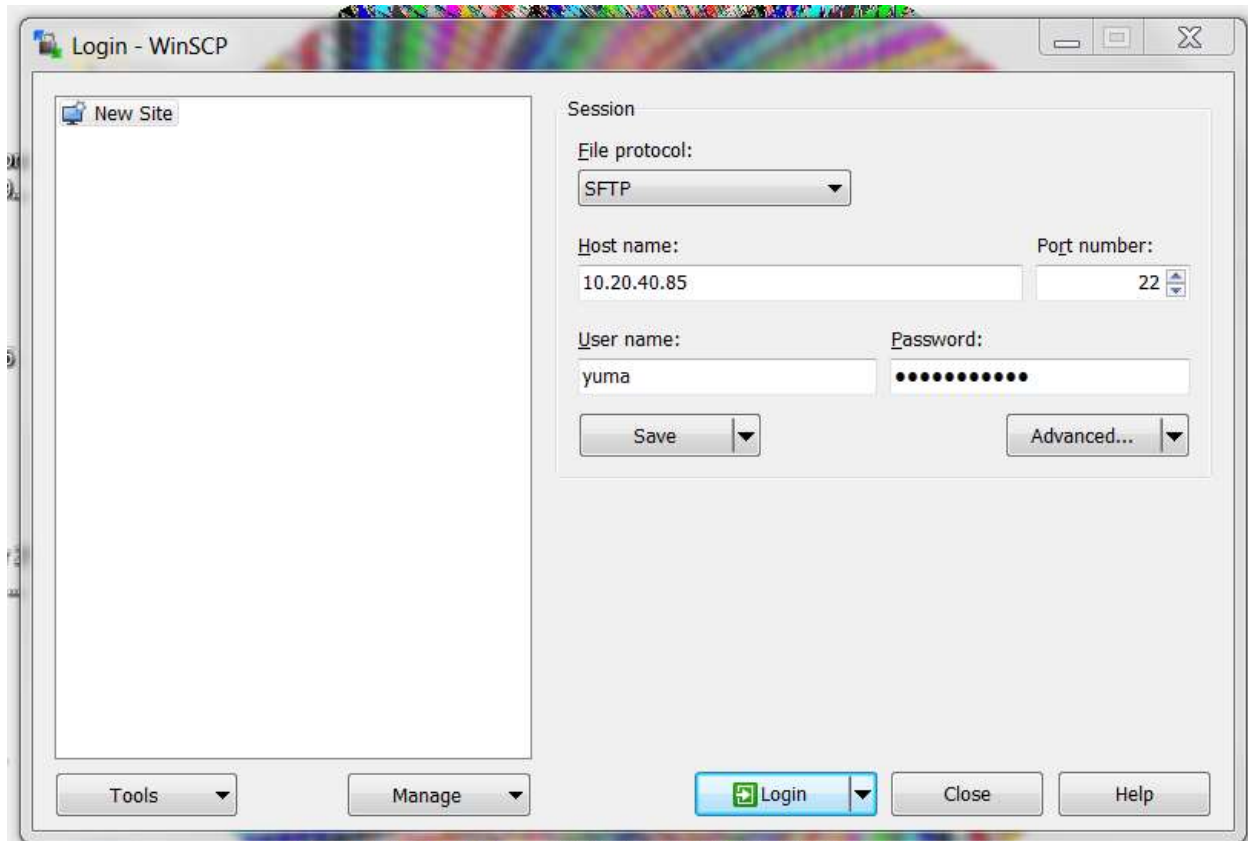
Sorry, try again.
[sudo] password for yuma:
[root@DAFriNodeDev ~]# whereis java
java: /usr/bin/java /etc/java /usr/lib/java /usr/share/java /opt/jdk1.0.0_05/bin/java
[root@DAFriNodeDev ~]# which java
/usr/bin/java
[root@DAFriNodeDev ~]# ^C
[root@DAFriNodeDev ~]# ls -lah /usr/bin/java
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 22 Jun 25 2014 ->
[root@DAFriNodeDev ~]#
```

Notice that /usr/bin/java points to /etc/alternatives/java. We need a little more gumshoe effort. Now type `cd /etc/alternatives`, hit enter. Then type `ls -l`, hit enter.

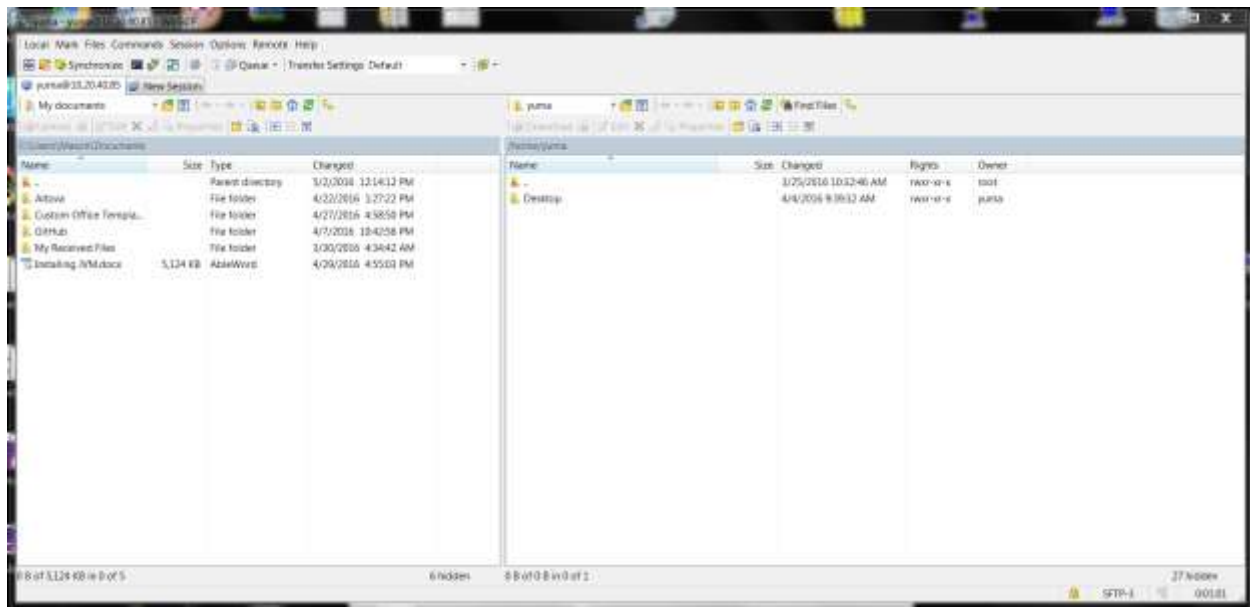
```
root@DAPriNodeDev/etc/alternatives#  
login as: yuma  
yuma@10.20.40.85's password:  
Last login: Fri Apr 29 11:17:37 2016 from 10.20.40.203  
-sh-4.1$ sudo su -  
[sudo] password for yuma:  
Wrong Password  
  
Sorry, try again.  
[sudo] password for yuma:  
Wrong Password  
Sorry, try again.  
[sudo] password for yuma:  
[root@DAPriNodeDev ~]# whereis java  
java: /usr/bin/java /etc/java /usr/lib/java /usr/share/java /opt/jdk1.8.0_05/bin/java  
[root@DAPriNodeDev ~]# which java  
/usr/bin/java  
[root@DAPriNodeDev ~]# "C"  
[root@DAPriNodeDev ~]# ls -lah /usr/bin/java  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 22 Jun 25 2014 /usr/bin/java -> /etc/alternatives/java  
[root@DAPriNodeDev ~]# cd /etc/alternatives  
[root@DAPriNodeDev alternatives]# ls -l  
total 0  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 34 Dec 9 11:28 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/share/java/classpath-jaf.jar  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 23 Jun 11 2014 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/share/java/classpath-mail-1.3.3-mmm-librt.jar  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 15 Jun 11 2014 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/share/java/classpath-nls.jar  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 31 Jun 11 2014 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/share/man/man1/condex.1.gz  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 14 Jun 11 2014 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/bin/wodim  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 30 Jun 11 2014 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/share/man/man1/wodim.1.gz  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 14 Jun 11 2014 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/bin/wodim  
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lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 31 Jun 11 2014 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/share/man/man1/wodim.1.gz  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 19 Jun 11 2014 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/bin/wodim  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 21 Jun 11 2014 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/share/java/classpath-jaf.jar  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 20 Jun 11 2014 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/share/java/classpath-jaf.jar  
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lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 25 Jun 25 2014 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/share/java/classpath-jaf.jar  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 52 Dec 9 11:28 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/share/java/classpath-mail-1.3.3-mmm-librt.jar  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 32 Dec 9 11:28 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/share/java/libgcj-4.4.7.jar  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 33 Dec 9 11:28 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/share/java/nss/jni-jmx.jar  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 26 Dec 9 11:28 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/lib/jvm/jre-1.9.0-gcj  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 34 Dec 9 11:28 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/lib/jvm-exports/jre-1.9.0-gcj  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 37 Aug 12 2014 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/lib/jvm/jre-1.8.0-openjdk.x86_64  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 45 Aug 12 2014 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/lib/jvm-exports/jre-1.8.0-openjdk.x86_64  
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 37 Aug 12 2014 /usr/sbin/jre-> /usr/lib/jvm/jre-1.7.0-openjdk.x86_64
```



Now type in the Linux host IP address, the designated login and password assigned to you. Hove the mouse over the button entitled Login, click on it.

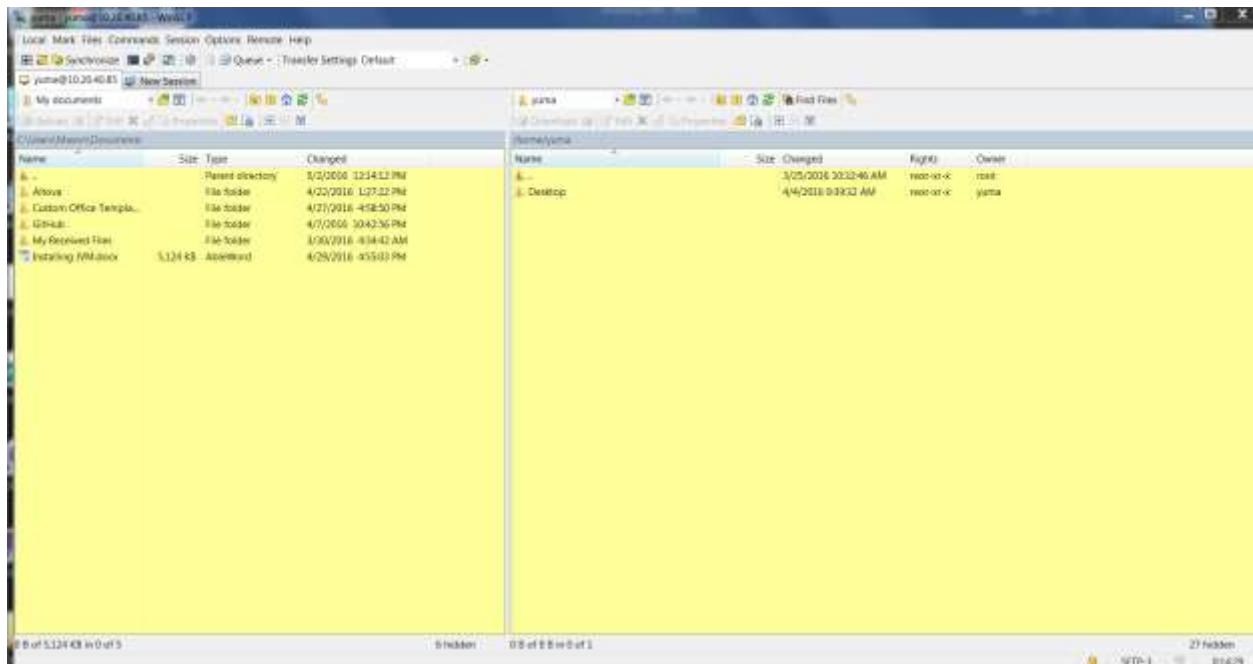


What you see next is the main screen of WinSCP. This is undoubtedly one of the best tools for cross platform work between Windows and Linux. Others tout FileZilla, so it is really a matter of practicality and features. Refer to the next screen.

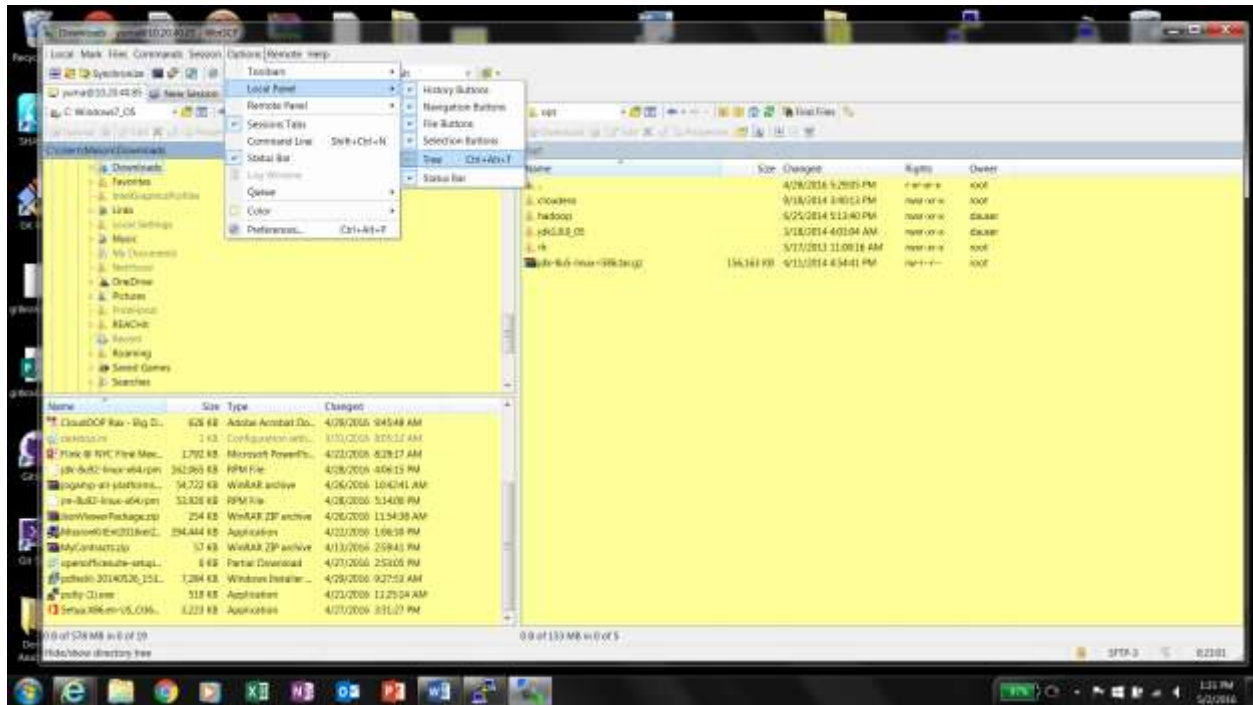


On the left panel is the local Windows file system and on the right is the Linux instance. We will make the screen is little more colorful.

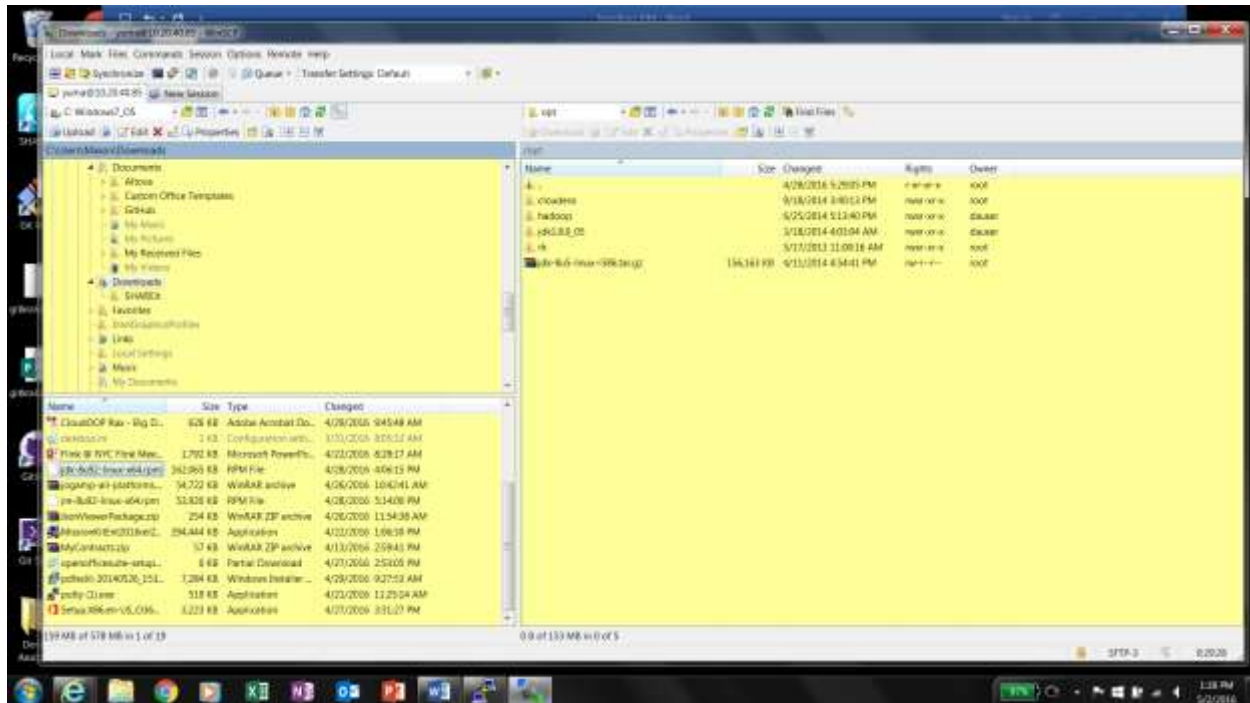
Navigate to the top, locate the word Options, click on it so that the drop down list appears, scroll to the near the bottom of this list, select the option Colors, scroll the mouse to the far right until the color palette appears, select the small color square and then click on top of it.



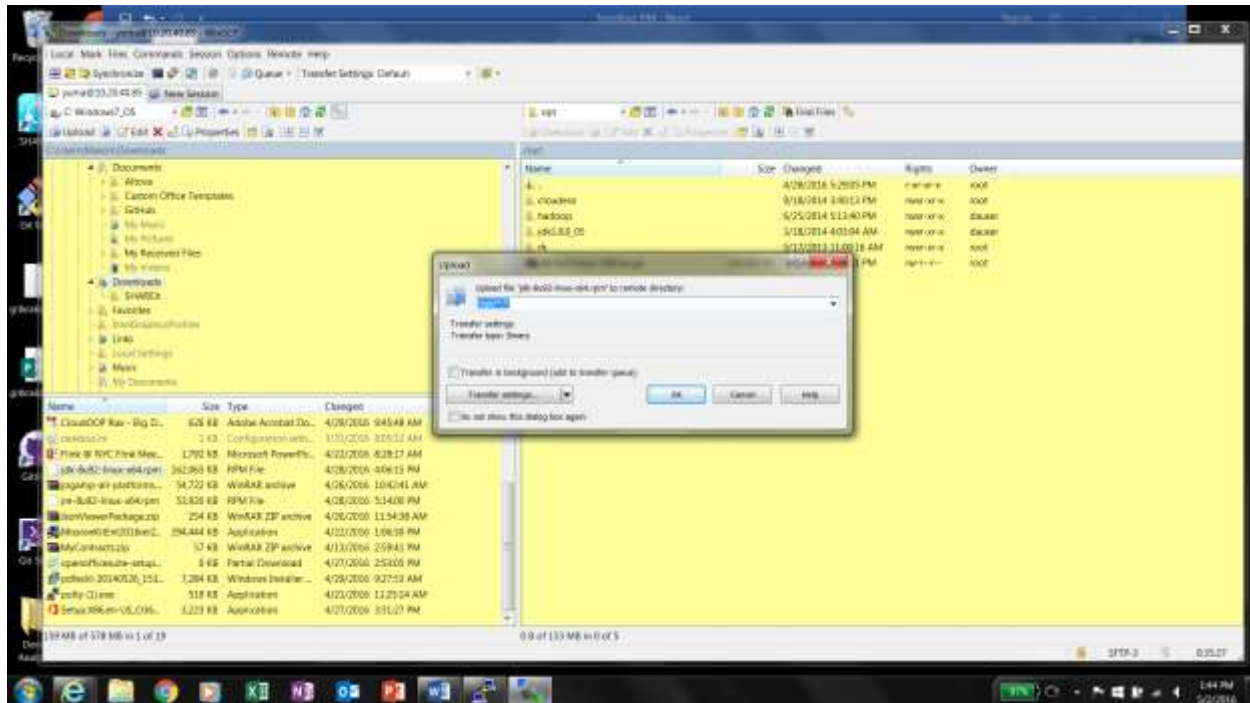
To assist locating the two .rpm files already downloaded from the Oracle Web site, hover the mouse near the top of the WinSCP window, locate the word Options, click on it to open the dropdown list. Locate the option Local Panel, move the mouse to the far right until another dropdown list appears, hover the mouse until it is on top of the entry Tree, then click on this. Notice the left panel is now split into two sub panes.



Now locate the rpm file for the jdk. In the lower right sub pane, highlight this entry.



Make sure that the remote(Linux) directory is where the new jdk is to be parked. In this exercise, the new jdk will be parked under the /opt directory on the remote Linux instance. Now hover the mouse over the local jdk.....rpm file entry. Next, right click on this entry and a drop down list will appear. Look for the option Upload. Then click on it.

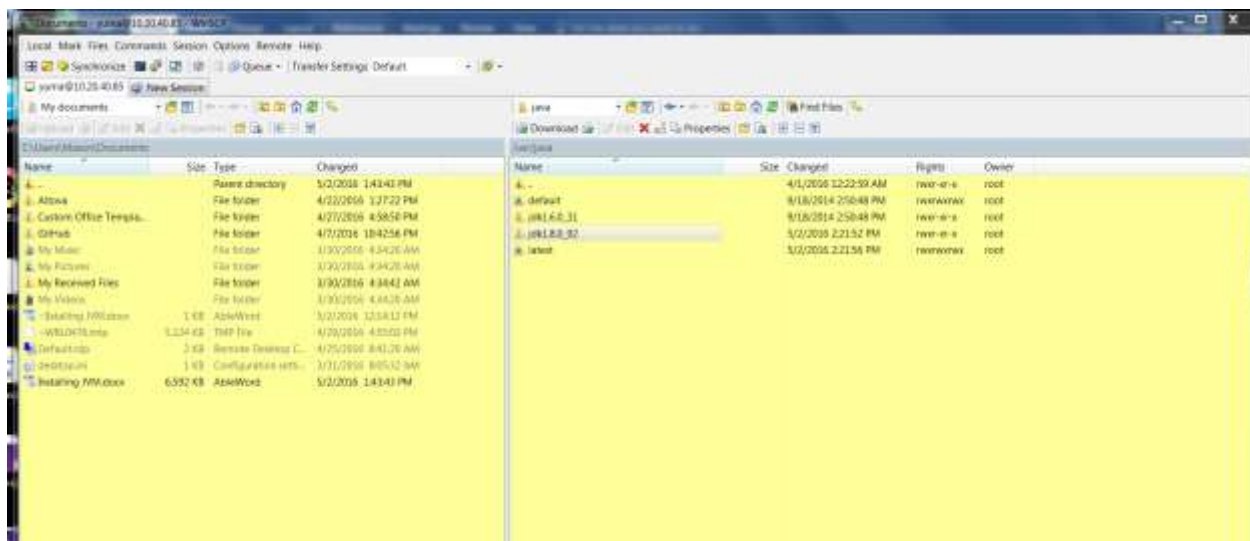


In case the permissions becomes a roadblock, go back to the remote machine and execute from the command line, `chmod 755 /opt -R`. Replace `/opt` with the name of the remote directory of where the `jdk...rpm` will be landing. If this does not work, navigate to the `/tmp` directory. Then Upload the rpm file.

Next from the command line, execute `rpm -ivh jdk.1.8.0_92.rpm`.

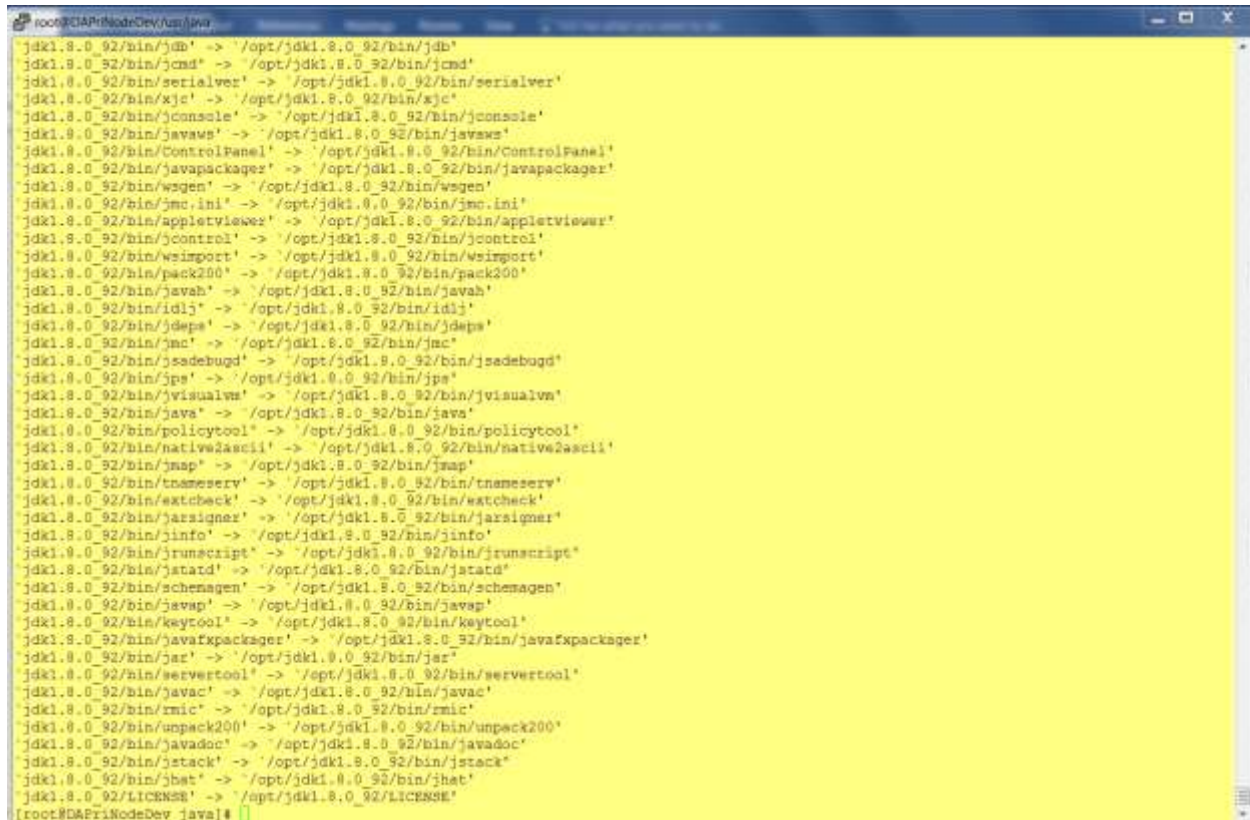
```
[root@DAFrrNodeDev opt]# rpm -ivh jdk-8u92-linux-x64.rpm
Preparing...                               [100%]
1:jdk1.8.0_92                             [100%]
Unpacking JAR files...
  tools.jar...
  plugin.jar...
  javaws.jar...
  deploy.jar...
  rt.jar...
  jse.jar...
  charsets.jar...
  localdata.jar...
[root@DAFrrNodeDev opt]#
```

Where is the newest jdk ??? Though the command was executed in the /opt directory, the installation unpacked all the binaries into /usr/java. We ran `whereis java` and which java earlier, that gave us a clue where it would be.



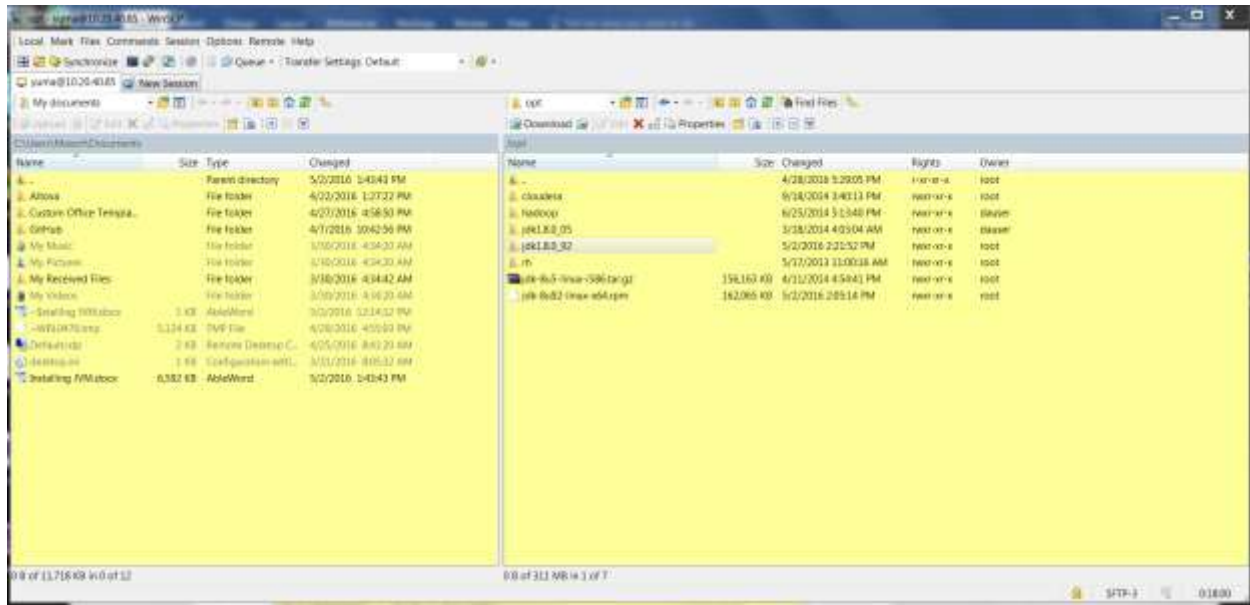
Next we need to copy everything in this latest jdk from /usr/java to

/opt. Execute the command `cp -avr jdk1.8.0_92 /opt`. The screen below is the results of the tail end of this execution.



```
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jdb' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jdb'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jcmd' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jcmd'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/serialver' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/serialver'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/xjc' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/xjc'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jconsole' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jconsole'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/javaws' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/javaws'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/ControlPanel' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/ControlPanel'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/javapackager' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/javapackager'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/wsgen' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/wsgen'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jmc.ini' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jmc.ini'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/appletviewer' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/appletviewer'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jcontrol' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jcontrol'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/wsimport' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/wsimport'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/pack200' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/pack200'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/javah' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/javah'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/ldlj' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/ldlj'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jdeps' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jdeps'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jmc' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jmc'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jsadebugd' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jsadebugd'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jps' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jps'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jvisualvm' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jvisualvm'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/java' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/java'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/policytool' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/policytool'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/native2ascii' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/native2ascii'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jmap' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jmap'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/tnameserv' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/tnameserv'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/watchcheck' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/watchcheck'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jarsigner' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jarsigner'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jinfo' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jinfo'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jrunscript' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jrunscript'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jatad' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jatad'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/schemagen' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/schemagen'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/javap' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/javap'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/keytool' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/keytool'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/javafxpackager' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/javafxpackager'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jar' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jar'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/servertool' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/servertool'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/javac' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/javac'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/rmic' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/rmic'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/unpack200' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/unpack200'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/javadoc' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/javadoc'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jstack' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jstack'
jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jhat' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/jhat'
jdk1.8.0_92/LICENSE' -> '/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/LICENSE'
[root@DAFriNodeDev java]#
```

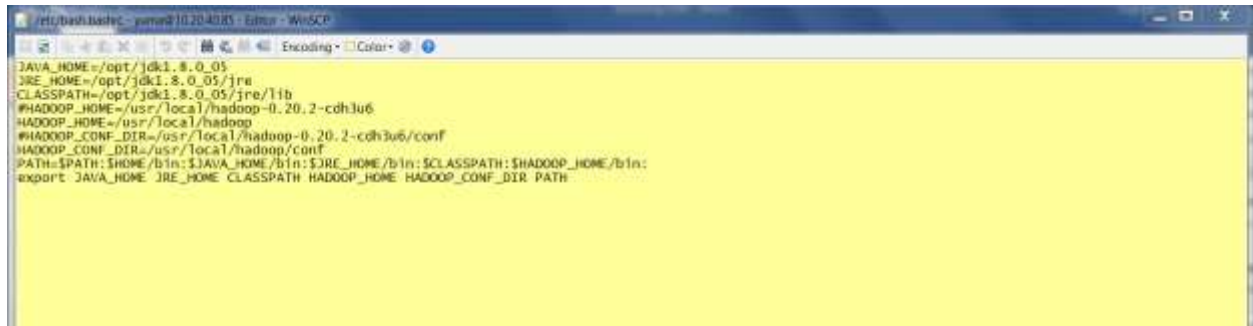
Go back to the WinSCP to validate the jdk folder transfer.



We have just installed the latest jdk on the remote Linux instance.

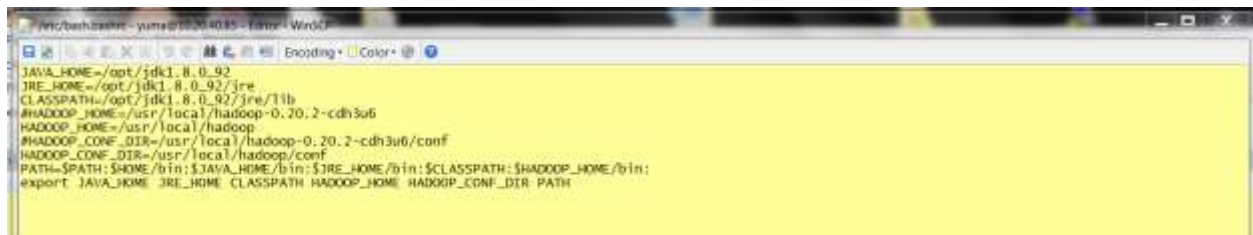
We now have to fix the Java environment variables. Going back to active WinSCP session, navigate to the remote panel(right side), click on the left most forward slash. It is located just above the Name column. The file listing will exhibit all the folders in the / directory. Locate the etc folder and click on it.

Now switch back to WinSCP, click on the entry bash.bashrc.



```
/etc/bash.bashrc - yuma@10.20.40.85 - Editor - WinSCP
JAVA_HOME=/opt/jdk1.8.0_05
JRE_HOME=/opt/jdk1.8.0_05/jre
CLASSPATH=/opt/jdk1.8.0_05/jre/lib
#HADOOP_HOME=/usr/local/hadoop-0.20.2-cdh3u6
HADOOP_HOME=/usr/local/hadoop
#HADOOP_CONF_DIR=/usr/local/hadoop-0.20.2-cdh3u6/conf
HADOOP_CONF_DIR=/usr/local/hadoop/conf
PATH=$PATH:$HOME/bin:$JAVA_HOME/bin:$JRE_HOME/bin:$CLASSPATH:$HADOOP_HOME/bin:
export JAVA_HOME JRE_HOME CLASSPATH HADOOP_HOME HADOOP_CONF_DIR PATH
```

Notice it has all the well Java environment variables we need to change.



```
/etc/bash.bashrc - yuma@10.20.40.85 - Editor - WinSCP
JAVA_HOME=/opt/jdk1.8.0_92
JRE_HOME=/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/jre
CLASSPATH=/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/jre/lib
#HADOOP_HOME=/usr/local/hadoop-0.20.2-cdh3u6
HADOOP_HOME=/usr/local/hadoop
#HADOOP_CONF_DIR=/usr/local/hadoop-0.20.2-cdh3u6/conf
HADOOP_CONF_DIR=/usr/local/hadoop/conf
PATH=$PATH:$HOME/bin:$JAVA_HOME/bin:$JRE_HOME/bin:$CLASSPATH:$HADOOP_HOME/bin:
export JAVA_HOME JRE_HOME CLASSPATH HADOOP_HOME HADOOP_CONF_DIR PATH
```

So the JAVA_HOME, JRE_HOME and CLASSPATH have been changed. Don't forget, click on the little floppy disk icon in the NW corner of this windows to save the changes made to this file.

Go to the Putty screen and validate the text line changes. If the edits can not be made in WinSCP, drop back to vi, then use cat to validate changes.

```
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 848 Oct 16 2013 ret
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 643 Oct 16 2013 rhn-migrate-classic-to-rhsm
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 600 Oct 16 2013 rhsmcertd
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 601 Oct 16 2013 rhsm-icon
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 1189 May 17 2013 scl.bash
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 6744 Oct 16 2013 subscription-manager
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 340 Oct 16 2013 subscription-manager-gui
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 10082 Dec 12 2013 yum.bash
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 8031 Feb 3 2014 yum-utils.bash
[root@DAFriNodeDev etc]# ls -l | grep bash.
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 408 Oct 7 2014 bash.bashrc
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 408 May 2 15:17 bash.bashrc.05022016
-rwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Aug 12 2014 bash_completion.d
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 2681 Aug 20 2013 bashrc
[root@DAFriNodeDev etc]# vi bash.bashrc
[root@DAFriNodeDev etc]# cat bash.bashrc
JAVA_HOME=/opt/jdk1.8.0_92
JRE_HOME=/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/jre
CLASSPATH=/opt/jdk1.8.0_92/lib
#HADOOP_HOME=/usr/local/hadoop-0.20.2-cdh3u6
HADOOP_HOME=/usr/local/hadoop
#HADOOP_CONF_DIR=/usr/local/hadoop-0.20.2-cdh3u6/conf
HADOOP_CONF_DIR=/usr/local/hadoop/conf
PATH=$PATH:$HOME/bin:$JAVA_HOME/bin:$JRE_HOME/bin:$CLASSPATH:$HADOOP_HOME/bin:
export JAVA_HOME JRE_HOME CLASSPATH HADOOP_HOME HADOOP_CONF_DIR PATH
[root@DAFriNodeDev etc]#
```

Earlier in the paper, we have to look for /etc/alternatives for a symbolic link. The existing symbolic link points to the old JVM _05. We need to have the java symbolic link point to the new one we just installed in the /opt directory.

First execute a `ls -l java` to verify the symbolic link.

Next run a `unlink java` command. This is the command to remove the actual link. Run another `ls -l java` command to make sure the link is removed. Next we will create a new java link. Execute a

`ln -s /opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/java java`. This command creates a new symbolic link to the newly installed jdk accomplished earlier in this endeavor. Last, run another `ls -l java` to insure the new symbolic link is there. See the screenshot below.


```

1 root root 33 May 2 14:21 keytool -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/keytool
1 root root 40 May 2 14:21 keytool.1 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/man/man1/keytool.1
1 root root 38 May 2 14:21 native2ascii -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/native2ascii
1 root root 45 May 2 14:21 native2ascii.1 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/man/man1/native2ascii.1
1 root root 30 May 2 14:21 orbd -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/orbd
1 root root 37 May 2 14:21 orbd.1 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/man/man1/orbd.1
1 root root 33 May 2 14:21 pack200 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/pack200
1 root root 40 May 2 14:21 pack200.1 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/man/man1/pack200.1
1 root root 36 May 2 14:21 policytool -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/policytool
1 root root 43 May 2 14:21 policytool.1 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/man/man1/policytool.1
1 root root 30 May 2 14:21 rmic -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/rmic
1 root root 37 May 2 14:21 rmic.1 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/man/man1/rmic.1
1 root root 30 May 2 14:21 rmid -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/rmid
1 root root 37 May 2 14:21 rmid.1 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/man/man1/rmid.1
1 root root 37 May 2 14:21 rmiregistry -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/rmiregistry
1 root root 44 May 2 14:21 rmiregistry.1 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/man/man1/rmiregistry.1
1 root root 35 May 2 14:21 schemagen -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/schemagen
1 root root 42 May 2 14:21 schemagen.1 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/man/man1/schemagen.1
1 root root 35 May 2 14:21 serialver -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/serialver
1 root root 42 May 2 14:21 serialver.1 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/man/man1/serialver.1
1 root root 36 May 2 14:21 servertool -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/servertool
1 root root 43 May 2 14:21 servertool.1 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/man/man1/servertool.1
1 root root 35 May 2 14:21 tnameserv -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/tnameserv
1 root root 42 May 2 14:21 tnameserv.1 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/man/man1/tnameserv.1
1 root root 35 May 2 14:21 unpack200 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/unpack200
1 root root 42 May 2 14:21 unpack200.1 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/man/man1/unpack200.1
1 root root 31 May 2 14:21 wsgen -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/wsgen
1 root root 38 May 2 14:21 wsgen.1 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/man/man1/wsgen.1
1 root root 34 May 2 14:21 wsimport -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/wsimport
1 root root 41 May 2 14:21 wsimport.1 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/man/man1/wsimport.1
1 root root 28 May 2 14:21 xjc -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/xjc
1 root root 36 May 2 14:21 xjc.1 -> /usr/java/jdk1.8.0_92/man/man1/xjc.1

[root@DAFriNodeDev alternatives]# ls -l java
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 25 Jun 25 2014 [redacted] -> [redacted]
[root@DAFriNodeDev alternatives]# ln -s java -> /opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/java
-bash: /opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/java: text file busy
[root@DAFriNodeDev alternatives]# ln -s /opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/java java
ln: creating symbolic link 'java': File exists
[root@DAFriNodeDev alternatives]# unlink java
[root@DAFriNodeDev alternatives]# ls -l java
ls: cannot access java: No such file or directory
[root@DAFriNodeDev alternatives]# ln -s /opt/jdk1.8.0_92/bin/java java
[root@DAFriNodeDev alternatives]# ls -l java
lrwxrwxrwx. 1 root root 25 May 2 16:22 [redacted] -> [redacted]
[root@DAFriNodeDev alternatives]#

```