

# Source pack installation of OpenFOAM. 4.0 into RHL

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## Download v4.0 | Source Pack

The source code of OpenFOAM v4.0 and related third-party software can be downloaded as `tar.gz` compressed archive files:

- <http://download.openfoam.org/source/4-0>
- <http://download.openfoam.org/third-party/4-0>

The archive files download with inconvenient file names, so we recommend following the instructions below where they are unpacked immediately into the source directories, which avoids storing the files themselves.

### Tested Platforms

OpenFOAM is developed and tested on Linux, but should work with other POSIX systems. OpenFOAM-4.0 and ThirdParty-4.0 have been tested on the following Linux distributions:



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# Where should we install?

- If you have a machine only for OpenFOAM, you can upgrade the libraries of the system.

*“Dependent packages required for RHEL 6.5 need updating to newer versions, e.g. Gcc needs upgrading from v4.4 to v4.5+. These upgrades may be available under a RHEL support subscription. If not, then upgrades can be obtained from unofficial repositories using the following instructions: ”*

- If you do not want to upgrade the system casually, the compatible softwares/libraries such as GCC and MPI are built in the local ThirdParty directory.

# Our machine environment

- OS: CentOS 6.5 (64 bit)
- System libraries:
  - GCC 4.4.7
  - cmake 2.6-patch 4
  - Qt 4.6.2
- Target configuration of OpenFOAM
  - Version 4.0
  - Main solvers, parallel processing, paraFoam (ParaView reader)
  - Required later version libraries are built in the project directory (ThirdParty directory).

## Procedure of installation

1. Install the necessary rpm packages.
2. Download the source packages and extract them.
3. Edit the configuration/setting files.
4. Compile the tools/libraries.
5. Allwmake
6. Test (foamInstallationTest)
7. Compile ParaView and its reader.

# Install the rpm packages with yum

- Necessary packages:
  - git, gcc-c++, bison, flex, m4, glibc-devel, glibc-devel.i686, zlib-devel
- As a root, type the yum command:

```
$ yum install gcc gcc-c++ bison flex m4 glibc-devel \  
glibc-devel.i686 zlib-devel
```

# Directory configuration

Red: make by yourself  
Blue: generated later

- Under OpenFOAM-4.0

Allwmake applications/ doc/ <a href="#">platforms/</a> tutorials/
COPYING README.org bin/ etc/ src/ wmake/

- Under ThirdParty-4.0

Allclean	<a href="#">cmake-3.2.1/</a>	makeParaView3
Allwmake	etc/	<a href="#">makeQt</a>
AllwmakeLibccmio	<a href="#">gcc-4.8.5/</a>	<a href="#">mpc-1.0.1/</a>
<a href="#">CGAL-4.8/</a>	<a href="#">gmp-5.1.2/</a>	<a href="#">mpfr-3.1.2/</a>
COPYING	makeCGAL	<a href="#">openmpi-1.10.2/</a>
ParaView-5.0.1/	makeCmake	<a href="#">platforms/</a>
README.html	makeGcc	<a href="#">qt-everywhere-opensource-src-4.8.6/</a>
README.org	makeGperftools	scotch_6.0.3/
<a href="#">boost_1_58_0/</a>	makeLLVM	
<a href="#">build/</a>	makeParaView	

# Download the source packages and extract them

- OpenFOAM main source code:

```
$ git clone git://github.com/OpenFOAM/OpenFOAM-4.x.git  
$ mv OpenFOAM-4.x OpenFOAM-4.0
```

- OpenFOAM ThirdParty:

```
$ git clone git://github.com/OpenFOAM/ThirdParty-4.x.git  
$ mv ThirdParty-4.x ThirdParty-4.0
```

- Compiler (GCC):

```
$ cd ThirdParty-4.0.x  
$ wget https://ftp.gnu.org/gnu/gcc/gcc-4.8.5/ \\  
gcc-4.8.5.tar.gz  
$ tar zxvf gcc-4.8.5.tar.gz
```



# Download the source packages and extract them

- Libraries (gmp, mpfr, mpc)

```
$ wget http://ftp.gnu.org/gnu/gmp/gmp-5.1.2.tar.bz2
$ tar jxvf gmp-5.1.2.tar.bz2
$ wget http://ftp.gnu.org/gnu/mpfr/mpfr-3.1.2.tar.gz
$ tar zxvf mpfr-3.1.2.tar.gz
$ wget http://ftp.gnu.org/gnu/mpc/mpc-1.0.1.tar.gz
$ tar zxvf mpc-1.0.1.tar.gz
```

# Download the source packages and extract them

- OpenMPI:

```
$ wget --no-check-certificate https://www.open-mpi.org/ \
software/ompi/v1.10/downloads/openmpi-1.10.2.tar.gz
$ tar zxvf openmpi-1.10.2.tar.gz
```

- Scotch:

```
$ wget https://gforge.inria.fr/frs/download.php/ \
file/34099/scotch_6.0.3.tar.gz
$ tar zxvf scotch_6.0.3.tar.gz
```

- Boost:

```
$ wget http://sourceforge.net/projects/boost/files/ \
boost/1.58.0/boost_1_58_0.tar.gz
$ tar zxvf boost_1_58_0.tar.gz
```

- CGAL:

```
$ wget https://github.com/CGAL/cgal/releases/download/ \
releases/CGAL-4.8/CGAL-4.8.tar.xz
$ tar Jxvf CGAL-4.8.tar.xz
```

# Download the source packages and extract them

- Cmake:

```
$ wget --no-check-certificate https://cmake.org/files/ \
v3.2/cmake-3.2.1.tar.gz
$ tar zxvf cmake-3.2.1.tar.gz
```

- Qt (qmake)

```
$ wget --no-check-certificate https://download.qt.io/ \
archive/qt/4.8/4.8.6/qt-everywhere-opensource-src-4.8.6.tar.gz
$ tar zxvf qt-everywhere-opensource-src-4.8.6.tar.gz
```

If you do not need ParaView, this package is unnecessary.

# Edit the configuration/setting files

- Edit OpenFOAM-4.0 environment file

```
$ vi ../OpenFOAM-4.0/etc/bashrc
```

```
export WM_PROJECT=OpenFOAM
export WM_PROJECT_VERSION=4.0

# Please set to the appropriate path if the default is not
correct.
#
[ $BASH_SOURCE ] && \
export FOAM_INST_DIR=${BASH_SOURCE%/*/*/*} || \
# export FOAM_INST_DIR=$HOME/$WM_PROJECT
# export FOAM_INST_DIR=~$WM_PROJECT
export FOAM_INST_DIR=/opt/$WM_PROJECT
# export FOAM_INST_DIR=/usr/local/$WM_PROJECT
```

# Edit the configuration/setting files

```
$ vi ../OpenFOAM-4.0/etc/bashrc
```

```
#- Compiler location:  
# WM_COMPILER_TYPE= system | ThirdParty (OpenFOAM)  
export WM_COMPILER_TYPE=ThirdParty  
  
#- Label size:  
# WM_LABEL_SIZE = 32 | 64  
export WM_LABEL_SIZE=64  
  
#- MPI implementation:  
# WM_MPLIB = SYSTEMOPENMPI | OPENMPI | SYSTEMMPI | \  
MPICH | MPICH-GM | HPMPI  
# | MPI | QSMPI | SGIMPI  
export WM_MPLIB=OPENMPI
```

# Edit the configuration/setting files

- Edit OpenFOAM-4.0 compiler/libraries setting file

```
$ vi ../OpenFOAM-4.0/etc/config.sh/compiler
```

```
case "$WM_COMPILER_TYPE" in
OpenFOAM | ThirdParty)

# Default versions of GMP, MPFR and MPC, override as
necessary
    gmp_version=gmp-5.1.2
    mpfr_version=mpfr-3.1.2
    mpc_version=mpc-1.0.1

    case "$WM_COMPILER" in
    Gcc | Gcc48)
        gcc_version=gcc-4.8.5
```

# Edit the configuration/setting files

- Edit ThirdParty-4.0/makeCGAL

```
$ vi makeCGAL
```

```
# Get CGAL, boost and gmp/mpfr versions
. $WM_PROJECT_DIR/etc/config.sh/functions
_foamEval SOURCE_CGAL_VERSIONS_ONLY=yes \
           $($WM_PROJECT_DIR/bin/foamEtcFile config.sh/
CGAL)
_foamSource $($WM_PROJECT_DIR/bin/foamEtcFile config.sh/
compiler)

set -x

cgalPACKAGE=${cgal_version:-CGAL-4.8}
boostPACKAGE=boost_1_58_0
gmpPACKAGE=gmp-5.1.2
mpfrPACKAGE=mpfr-3.1.2
```

# Edit the configuration/setting files

- Edit CGAL

```
$ vi ../OpenFOAM-4.0/etc/config.sh/CGAL
```

```
# Description
#     Setup file for CGAL (& boost) include/libraries.
#     Sourced from OpenFOAM-<VERSION>/etc/bashrc
#-----

boost_version=boost_1_58_0
#cgal_version=cgal-system
cgal_version=CGAL-4.8
```



# Compile the tools/libraries

- Reload the OpenFOAM environment file and compile GCC:

```
$ . /opt/OpenFOAM/OpenFOAM-4.0/etc/bashrc
```

```
Warning in /opt/OpenFOAM/OpenFOAM-4.0/etc/config.sh/  
settings:
```

```
    Cannot find /opt/OpenFOAM/ThirdParty-4.0/platforms/  
linux64/gcc-4.8.5 installation.
```

```
    Please install this compiler version or if you wish to  
use the system compiler,  
    change the 'WM_COMPILER_TYPE' setting to 'system'
```

```
$ ./makeGcc
```

# Compile the tools/libraries

- Build CMake and execute Allwmake :

```
$ ./makeCmake  
$ . /opt/OpenFOAM/OpenFOAM-4.0/etc/bashrc  
$ ./Allwmake
```

- Build OpenFOAM:

```
$ . /opt/OpenFOAM/OpenFOAM-4.0/etc/bashrc  
$ cd /opt/OpenFOAM/OpenFOAM-4.0/  
$ ./Allwmake -j4 # -j4 depending on your machine
```

- After the compiling, check it:

```
$ . /opt/OpenFOAM/OpenFOAM-4.0/etc/bashrc  
$ foamInstallationTest
```

# Compile ParaView and its reader

- Build Qt
  - Shell script for Qt compiling is not included in ThirdParty 4.0.

```
$ cd /opt/OpenFOAM/ThirdParty-4.0
$ cp /opt/OpenFOAM/ThirdParty-3.0.x/makeQt ./
$ cp /opt/OpenFOAM/ThirdParty-3.0.x/etc/tools/QtFunctions \
  ./etc/tools/
$ vi makeQt
```

```
# Description
#       Build script for qt-everywhere-opensource-src
#-----
qtVERSION=4.8.6
qtTYPE=qt-everywhere-opensource-src
```

```
$ ./makeQt
```

# Compile ParaView and its reader

- Compile ParaView 5.0.1

```
$ vi makeParaView
```

```
# Set the path to the Qt-4.5 (or later) qmake if the \
system Qt is older
```

```
QMAKE_PATH="/opt/OpenFOAM/ThirdParty-4.0/ \
platforms/linux64Gcc/qt-4.8.6/bin"
```

```
# Set the path to cmake
```

```
CMAKE_PATH="/opt/OpenFOAM/ThirdParty-4.0/ \
platforms/linux64Gcc/cmake-3.2.1/bin"
```

```
$ ./makeParaView
```

# Compile ParaView and its reader

- Compile ParaView reader

```
$ cd $FOAM_UTILITIES/postProcessing/graphics/PVReaders
$ ./Allwclean
$ ./Allwmake
```

- After the compiling, check a tutorial run (cavity):

```
$ . /opt/OpenFOAM/OpenFOAM-4.0/etc/bashrc
$ mkdir -p $FOAM_RUN
$ run
$ cp -r $FOAM_TUTORIALS/incompressible/icoFoam/ \
cavity/cavity ./
$ cd cavity
$ blockMesh
$ icoFoam
$ paraFoam
```

*Here we go! Enjoy!*