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1 Introduction/Scope

This document describes step by step instructions on how to install SignServer on a cluster using Cent OS 4.4 as a platform, but should be quite easy to adjust to other platforms or to run as a single node.

A cluster consist of three different components, one management component, one staging component, and service components (regular nodes in the cluster).

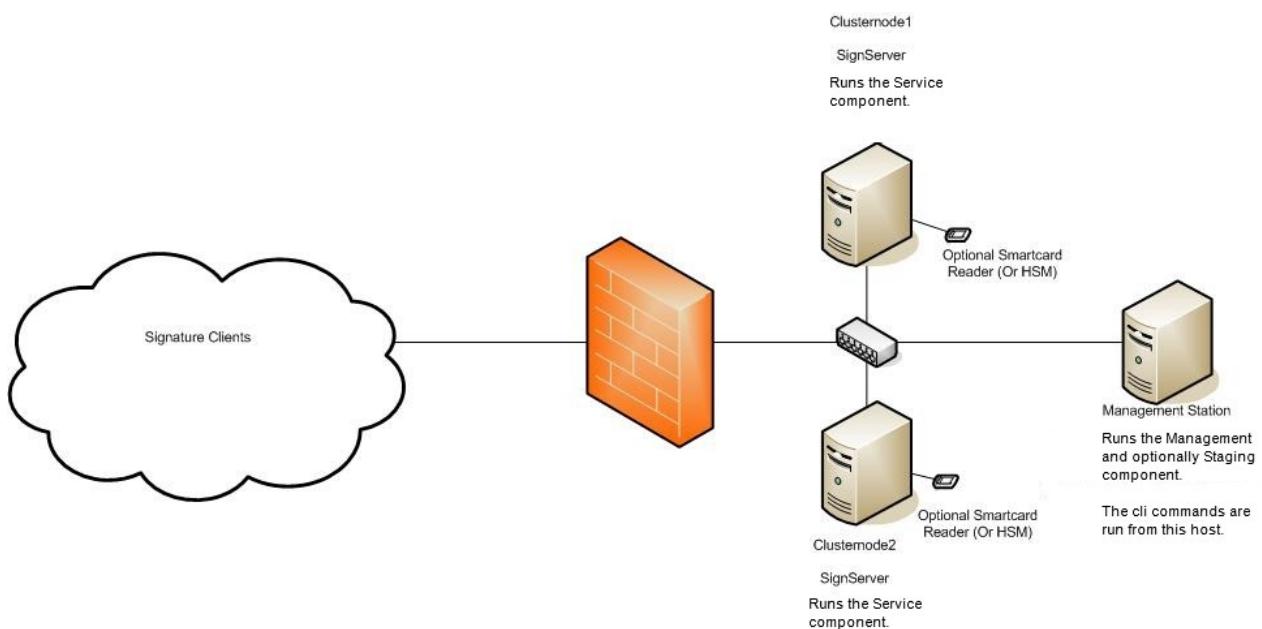
The management component contains a small mysql cluster daemon, managing the mysql. This process doesn't require much performance but cannot be run on a service component running a mysql cluster data node.

The staging component is where the building, deploying and daily operation of the cluster is performed. It requires the installation of the SignServer code. The staging component can be run on either on the same server as the management component or on one of the service components.

A service component runs a Mysql Cluster data node and a JBoss instance and performs the actual service.

In a cluster of two service components is there a requirements of three servers, but the management server don't need any performance and doesn't need to be dedicated for its task.

The installation instructions have been marked on which of the three components it belongs to by a (**MGMT**) for the management component, (**STAGE**) for the stage component and (**SERVICE**) for the service component.



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3 Required Software

```

MySQL-server-5.0.27-0.i386.rpm (SERVICE)
MySQL-Max-5.0.27-0.i386.rpm (SERVICE)
MySQL-client-5.0.27-0.i386.rpm (SERVICE) (MGMT)
MySQL-ndb-management-5.0.27-0.glibc23.i386.rpm (MGMT)
MySQL-ndb-storage-5.0.27-0.glibc23.i386.rpm (SERVICE)
MySQL-ndb-tools-5.0.27-0.glibc23.i386.rpm (MGMT)
perl-HTML-Template-2.7-2.noarch.rpm (MGMT)

mysql-connector-java-3.1.10.tar.gz (SERVICE)
jdk-6-linux-i586.bin (SERVICE)
jce_policy-6.zip (SERVICE)
apache-ant-1.7.0-bin.tar.gz (STAGE)
Jboss-4.2.2-GA.zip (SERVICE)
signserver_2_<version>.zip (STAGE)

```

If you are going to set-up the service with HTTPS you also need the following:
And the files:

1 JKS key store, used as server authentication for HTTPS, in this manual it is called tomcat.jks, Important, since the jks will be used in a cluster it must contain all the IP addresses in multiple 'IP Address' Subject Alternative Name fields. (**SERVICE**)

1 CA certificate on the CA issuing the client certificate, in DER format used for setup of the client authentication. (**SERVICE**)

4 Prerequisites

These instructions prerequisite a standard CentOS 4.4 installation.

5 Installation Instructions

First copy all of the software packages to a location on the server. This location will in the following instructions be called <soft-dir>

5.1 Installation of Java environment (**STAGE**), (**SERVICE**)

```

cp <soft-dir>/jdk-6-linux-i586.bin /opt/
cd /opt
chmod +x jdk-6-linux-i586.bin
./jdk-6-linux-i586.bin (and use all default settings)
ln -s jdk1.6.0 java
rm jdk-6-linux-i586.bin

```

The install the high encryption pack.

```

cp <soft-dir>/jce_policy-6.zip /opt
unzip jce_policy-6.zip
sudo cp jce/*.jar java/jre/lib/security/
rm -rf jce
rm jce_policy-6.zip

```

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5.2 Installation of Ant (java build tool, same as make in c) (**STAGE**)

```
cp <soft-dir>/apache-ant-1.7.0-bin.tar.gz /opt
tar zxf apache-ant-1.7.0-bin.tar.gz
ln -s apache-ant-1.7.0 ant
rm apache-ant-1.7.0-bin.tar.gz
```

5.3 Installation of Jboss (**SERVICE**)

```
sudo adduser jboss
Set an temporary password
sudo passwd -l jboss
```

Install jboss in user jboss home directory

```
cp <softwaredir>/jboss-4.2.2-GA.zip /opt
cd /opt
unzip jboss-4.2.2-GA.zip
ln -s jboss-4.2.2-GA jboss
mkdir jboss/server/default/log
mkdir jboss/server/default/tmp
mkdir jboss/server/default/work
mkdir jboss/server/default/data

cd /opt/jboss/server/default/deploy
rm -rf management
rm -rf jmx-console.war

rm -rf jbossws.sar (JBoss WebService Stack conflicts with SignServer JaxWS
Stack).

cd jboss-web.deployer (jbossweb-tomcat55.sar for jboss-4.0.x)
rm -rf ROOT.war

cd /opt/jboss/server
chown -R jboss.jboss *
```

5.3.1 Install Mysql JDBC drivers

```
cp <softwaredir>/mysql-connector-java-3.1.10.tar.gz /opt
cd /opt
tar zxf mysql-connector-java-3.1.10.tar.gz
rm mysql-connector-java-3.1.10.tar.gz
cp /opt/mysql-connector-java-3.1.10/mysql-connector-java-3.1.10-bin.jar
/opt/jboss/server/default/lib
```

5.3.2 Remove debugging log

Remove debugging log by editing
' /opt/jboss/server/default/conf/log4j.xml '

On line 28 add the following line
<param name='Threshold' value='INFO' />

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5.4 Set the environment (*STAGE*), (*SERVICE*)

Edit the file /etc/profile

Add the following to the end:

On the staging component:

```
export PATH=$PATH:/opt/java/bin:/opt/ant/bin
export ANT_HOME=/opt/ant
export JAVA_HOME=/opt/java
export JBOSS_HOME=/opt/jboss
export SIGNSERVER_HOME=/opt/signserver
```

On a service component:

```
export PATH=$PATH:/opt/java/bin
export JAVA_HOME=/opt/java
export JBOSS_HOME=/opt/jboss
export JBOSS_HOST=<external IP> (Tells Jboss which interface it should bind to jboss
4.2.x + only).
export JAVA_OPTS="-Xms512m -Xmx512m"
export SIGNSERVER_NODEID=<unique name of server> (Can be any name as long as it
is unique)
```

If STAGE and SERVICE is run on the same service must the environment variables be merged.

Then save the file and run

```
. /etc/profile
```

and make sure the settings have been set.

5.5 Set up Mysql Cluster (*SERVICE*), (*MGMT*)

5.5.1 Set up the management node (*MGMT*)

```
rpm -Uvh <softwaredir>/perl-HTML-Template-2.7-2.noarch.rpm
rpm -Uvh <softwaredir>/MySQL-ndb-tools-5.0.27-0.glibc23.i386.rpm
rpm -Uvh <softwaredir>/MySQL-ndb-management-5.0.27-0.glibc23.i386.rpm
rpm -Uvh <softwaredir>/MySQL-client-5.0.27-0.i386.rpm
```

```
mkdir /var/lib/mysql-cluster
cp $SIGNSERVER_HOME/docs/sample-configs/config.ini.cluster /var/lib/mysql-
cluster/config.ini
```

edit the config.ini with

```
vi /var/lib/mysql-cluster/config.ini
```

And change the IP addresses of the management node and service nodes, management node under [ndb_mgmd] and service nodes under [ndbd]

```
cp $SIGNSERVER_HOME/docs/sample-configs/ndb_mgmd.start /etc/init.d/ndb_mgmd
chmod u+x /etc/init.d/ndb_mgmd
cd /etc/rc3.d/
```

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```
ln -s /etc/init.d/ndb_mgmd S57ndb_mgmd
ln -s /etc/init.d/ndb_mgmd K14ndb_mgmd
```

```
cd /etc/rc5.d/
ln -s /etc/init.d/ndb_mgmd S57ndb_mgmd
ln -s /etc/init.d/ndb_mgmd K14ndb_mgmd
```

Start up the management node with
`/etc/init.d/ndb_mgmd`

Then start the console with
`ndb_mgm`
and use the command 'show' to show the current setup.

Then it's time to set up the database on all the service nodes.

5.5.2 Set up a service node (*SERVICE*)

```
rpm -Uhv <softwaredir>/MySQL-server-5.0.27-0.i386.rpm
rpm -Uhv <softwaredir>/MySQL-ndb-storage-5.0.27-0.glibc23.i386.rpm
rpm -Uvh <softwaredir>/MySQL-client-5.0.27-0.i386.rpm
rpm -Uvh <softwaredir>/MySQL-Max-5.0.27-0.i386.rpm
```

```
cp $SIGNSERVER_HOME/docs/sample-configs/my.cnf.cluster /etc/my.cnf
Edit the file with vi /etc/my.cnf
row 47 : bind-address=<the external ip address>
row 161 : ndb-connectstring=<IP address of the mysql cluster mgmt node>
row 164 : ndb-connectstring=<IP address of the mysql cluster mgmt node>
```

Start the ndbd deamon with
`cd /var/lib/mysql-cluster`
`ndbd --initial` (This must only be done once, the --initial creates the database, from thereafter start ndbd with /etc/init.d/ndbd)

```
cp $SIGNSERVER_HOME/docs/sample-configs/ndbd.startup /etc/init.d
chmod u+x /etc/init.d/ndbd
```

```
cd /etc/rc3.d/
ln -s /etc/init.d/ndbd S57ndbd
ln -s /etc/init.d/mysql S58mysql
```

```
ln -s /etc/init.d/ndbd K14ndbd
ln -s /etc/init.d/mysql K15mysql
```

```
cd /etc/rc5.d/
ln -s /etc/init.d/ndbd S57ndbd
ln -s /etc/init.d/mysql S58mysql
```

```
ln -s /etc/init.d/ndbd K14ndbd
ln -s /etc/init.d/mysql K15mysql
```

Restart mysql with
`/etc/init.d/mysql restart`

Set a root mysql password with
`mysqladmin password -u root <password>`

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Start mysql console and log in as mysql user 'root'

Create the signserver database with the command (this must be done on all the service nodes):

```
create database signserver;
```

```
grant all on signserver.* to signserver@localhost identified by '<somepasswd>';
grant all on signserver.* to signserver@<IP of node1> identified by
'<somepasswd>';
grant all on signserver.* to signserver@<IP of node1> identified by
'<somepasswd>';
grant all on signserver.* to signserver@<IP of node2> identified by
'<somepasswd>;
```

5.5.3 Testing that the Mysql Cluster is set up properly

When the ndbd deamon have been started on all the cluster, issue a new 'show' in the ndb_mgm console on the management node, it should show something like:

```
ndb_mgm> show
Cluster Configuration
-----
[ndbd(NDB)] 3 node(s)
id=2    @213.212.2.123  (Version: 5.0.27, Nodegroup: 0)
id=3    @213.212.2.124  (Version: 5.0.27, Nodegroup: 0, Master)
id=4    @213.212.2.125  (Version: 5.0.27, Nodegroup: 0)

[ndb_mgmd(MGM)] 1 node(s)
id=1    @213.212.2.120  (Version: 5.0.27)

[mysqld(API)] 3 node(s)
id=5    @213.212.2.124  (Version: 5.0.27)
id=6    @213.212.2.125  (Version: 5.0.27)
id=7    @213.212.2.123  (Version: 5.0.27)
```

When everything is OK. All ndbd nodes must be started before any of the mysqld daemons will connect.

Tip, if nodes have problems to connect it sometimes helps issuing the command 'PURGE STALE SESSIONS' in the ndb_mgm console.

The test that all service nodes can connect to each other by issuing on all the nodes.

```
mysql -h <nodeip> -D signserver -u signserver -p
```

Then log on to one of the mysql consoles on one of the service nodes and issue the commands:

```
use signserver;
create table ctest ( i INT );
insert into ctest values (1);
```

Then log into the two other nodes mysql consoles and issue:

```
use signserver;
select * from ctest;
```

and check that the '1' have been set.

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5.6 Installation SignServer (*STAGE*)

5.6.1 preinstall SignServer (*STAGE*)

First generate a SSH key on the staging machine that will be used for the scp copying to the other SERVICE servers.

On the STAGING machine do:

```
su - jboss
ssh-keygen -t rsa -b 2048
```

Make sure the /home/jboss/.ssh directory isn't world/group readable as well as the id_rsa file.

The copy the contents of id_rsa.pub to all the other SERVICE servers to a file called /home/jboss/.ssh/authorized_keys and make sure only the jboss user have write access to the .ssh directory and the authorized_keys

Then from the STAGING server connect to all the other (including itself, if it is used as a SERVICE component as well). And accept all the remote keys so they are in the known_hosts file.

If you are going to use HTTPS. Then configure the Java Key Store of the Staging server. (This command must be run as root) ant install (from SIGNSERVER_HOME)

What this task do is removing the old java cacert truststore located at

\$JAVA_HOME/jre/lib/security/cacerts and creating a new on with the specified CA certificate imported. After this, copy the 'cacerts' file to all of the Service nodes into the directory '\$JAVA_HOME/jre/lib/security/' and make sure it is only writeable as root. The reason this cannot be done automatically is that the ant setup cannot write with root privileges.

```
cp <softwaredir>/signserver_<version>.zip /opt
cd /opt
unzip signserver_<version>.zip
ln -s signserver_<version> signserver

cd signserver
cp signserver_build.properties.sample signserver_build.properties
vi signserver_build.properties
```

uncomment the rows and change to:

```
row 20: server.java.target=1.6
row 21: client.java.target=1.6
```

if you aren't using https uncomment:

```
row 50: j2ee.web-nohttps=true
```

If you are using htts do the following unstead:

```
row 56: java.trustpassword=changeit
row 59: java.trustcert=<Path to root ca certificate>
row 62: httpsserver.password=<Password of JKS keystore>
row 66: httpsserver.keystore=<Path to JKS keystore>
```

Next configure the database:

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```

row 98: database.name=mysql
row 110: datasource.mapping=MySQL
row 125: database.url=jdbc:mysql://<IP nod1>,<IP nod2>:3306/signserver
row 133: database.use.mysqlcluster=true
row 138: database.driver=com.mysql.jdbc.Driver
row 146: database.username=signserver
row 151: database.password=<somepasswd>

row 166: deploy.hostname.node1=<IP nod1>
row 167: deploy.hostname.node2=<IP nod2>
row 168: deploy.hostname.node3=<IP nod3>
row 187: deploy.ssh.appsrvhomedir=/opt/jboss

```

Then edit the file /opt/signserver/signserver_cli.properties
and change the rows:

```

row 10: hostname.masternode=<IP of NOD1> (Used as default nod to call for operations that becomes global.)
row 12: hostname.allnodes=<IP of NOD1>;<IP of NOD2>

```

After the build configuration is complete build SignServer with the command:

```
cd /opt/signserver
```

```

ant ant:configure (to configure and to support SSH and SCP calls)
ant
ant deploy

```

5.6.2 Configuration of the SignServer

This section shows an example configuration of a time-stamp server. But you'll probably have to change this to fit your into your application.

For this example you need a time-stamp authority p12 file, or you can use the test key store in src/test/timestamp1.p12

First edit the qs_timestamp_configuration.properties file and set the default policy id, the path to the timestamp p12 file and its password.

Use the signserver cli to upload the configuration file.

```
bin\signserver.sh setproperties qs_timestamp_configuration.properties
```

Then run

```
bin\signserver.sh getconfig 1
```

Or you could use the signers name

```
bin\signserver.sh getconfig timestampSigner
```

And double-check the configuration. (Important, the properties are case sensitive).

Finally run

```
bin\signserver.sh reload 1
```

To activate the configuration and you are all set.

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5.7 Test the installation

5.7.1 The automated test script

This can only be run if the Staging component is the same server as a Service component. (since it calls the jboss instance on localhost)

```
Make sure both the signserver directory are owned by jboss.  
chown -R jboss.jboss /opt/signserver_<version>
```

```
su - jboss  
cd /opt/signserver
```

```
ant test:run
```

A report is generated in /opt/signserver/tmp/bin/junit/reports/html/index.html

5.7.2 The test client

Run the test-client to see that everything is up.

```
cd dist-client  
java -jar timeStampClient.jar "http://localhost:8080/signserver/tsa?signerId=1"
```

The message “TimeStampRequest Validated” should appear once a second.

Also check JBOSS_HOME/server/default/log/server.log that successful messages appear.

6 More Information

More information about the signserver can be found at:

SignServer.org, <http://www.signserver.org>