Overview

The Hadoop Documentation provides the information you need to get started using Hadoop, the Hadoop Distributed File System (HDFS), and Hadoop on Demand (HOD).

Begin with the [Hadoop Quick Start](#) which shows you how to set up a single-node Hadoop installation. Then move on to the [Hadoop Cluster Setup](#) to learn how to set up a multi-node Hadoop installation. Once your Hadoop installation is in place, try out the [Hadoop Map/Reduce Tutorial](#).

If you have more questions, you can ask on the [Hadoop Core Mailing Lists](#) or browse the [Mailing List Archives](#).