

FreeBSD Administration - Support #652

Install Atom on FreeBSD

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Target version:	FreeBSD 9	Spent time:	1.00 hour

Description

This is a guide on installing the Atom editor on FreeBSD 9.

NOTE: I currently am unable to install Atom on FreeBSD due to dependency failures.

Prepare the Environment

- Make sure the system is up to date:

```
pkg update && pkg upgrade
```

- Install portmaster:

```
pkg install portmaster  
pkg2ng
```

- Install nodejs and npm:

```
pkg install node npm libgnome-keyring gmake
```

Install Atom

NOTE: Atom must be built as a non-root user

```
su - user
```

- Ensure that gyp uses Python 2:

```
npm config set python /usr/local/bin/python2 -g
```

- Clone Atom from GitHub:

```
git clone https://github.com/atom/atom  
cd atom
```

- Checkout the latest Atom release:

```
git fetch -p  
git checkout $(git describe --tags `git rev-list --tags --max-count=1`)
```

- Build the application in a temporary directory:

```
script/build
```

- Install the application:

```
sudo script/grunt install
```

Resources

- <https://github.com/atom/atom/blob/master/docs/build-instructions/freebsd.md>
- <https://github.com/atom/atom/issues/2599>

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