

Install PiCluster on Arch Linux

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Description

This is a guide for installing PiCluster on Arch Linux.

Prepare the Environment

- Make sure the system is up to date:

```
pacman -Syu
```

- Install prerequisites:

```
pacman -S docker git nodejs npm
```

- Start and enable docker at boot:

```
systemctl enable docker
systemctl start docker
```

Install PiCluster

- Download the latest PiCluster version from GitHub:

```
git clone https://github.com/piclust/piclust.git /opt/piclust
cd /opt/piclust
```

- Create a config from the example config file:

```
cp config-example.json config.json
```

- Edit the config.json file:

```
vi config.json
```

- And edit the config file to suit your environment:
NOTE: Use the web_connect key to the value of the host systems IP address. Otherwise you will get connection errors while starting the agent.

```
{
  "token": "45FG9A23DE12045E20BB854AC",
  "docker": "/opt/piclust/docker",
```

```

"server_port": "3000",
"agent_port": "3001",
"layout": [
  {"node": "192.168.1.191", "mysql": "-p 3306:3306", "nginx": "-p 80:80"},
  {"node": "192.168.1.192", "openvpn": "-p 1194:1194"}],
"hb": [
  {"node": "192.168.1.191", "mysql": "3306", "nginx": "80"},
  {"node": "192.168.1.192", "openvpn": "1194"}
],
"vip": [
  {"node": "192.168.1.191", "vip_eth_device": "eth0", "slave": "192.168.1.192", "vip_ping_time": "10000"},
  {"node": "192.168.1.192", "vip_eth_device": "eth0", "slave": "192.168.1.191", "vip_ping_time": "15000"}
],
"commandlist": [{
  "SystemUpdate": "pacman -Syu --yes"
}],
"vip_ip": "192.168.1.202",
"autostart_containers": "enabled",
"rsyslog_logfile": "/var/log/syslog",
"rsyslog_host": "192.168.1.202",
"automatic_heartbeat": "enabled",
"heartbeat_interval": "300000",
"syslog": "dmesg",
"web_username": "admin",
"web_password": "admin",
"web_connect": "192.168.1.190",
"web_port": "3003"
}

```

- Install and run server:

```

cd /opt/picluster/server
npm install

```

- Install and run agent:

```

cd ../agent
npm install

```

- Install and run web console:

```

cd ../web
npm install

```

- Exit back into root shell:

```

exit

```

Init with pm2

- Install pm2:

```

pacman -S pm2

```

- Install the pm2 systemd init script as the picluster user:

```
pm2 startup systemd
```

- Export the picluster config filepath environment variable:

```
export PICCLUSTER_CONFIG='/opt/picluster/config.json'
```

- Start the server, agent, and webconsole scripts:

```
pm2 start /opt/picluster/server/server.js  
pm2 start /opt/picluster/agent/agent.js  
pm2 start /opt/picluster/web/webconsole.js
```

- Save the pm2 session to restart at boot:

```
pm2 save
```

Resources

- <https://github.com/picluster/picluster>

History

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