

Setup self hosted Chocolatey Repository/Proxy on Linux

To host a local repository for [Chocolatey](#) either as server for self-hosted packages or as proxy server for any NuGet server/the official chocolatey repository server we use Solartype Nexus3: [sonatype.com - Nexus3](#)



Currently not working because of an missing Key-File from Sonatype, this guide is partially outdated. Newer versions require Java13 for running. The only way to install sonatype-nexus-repository-manager is by downloading the .deb file manually from [repo.sonatype.com](#).

Therefore that Nexus3 required Java 8 it's recommended to use a Ubuntu Server (in this case 24) because Ubuntu still serves Java 8 from the official repository which Debian doesn't.

Installation

1. Download Ubuntu Server from here: [ubuntu.com/download/server](#) and install your machine.
2. Install Java8:

```
sudo apt install openjdk-8-jdk
```

3. Add Sonatype's APT repository to sources lists:

```
wget -P /etc/apt/sources.list.d/  
https://repo.sonatype.com/repository/community-hosted/deb/sonatype-  
community.list
```

4. Add the repositories key:

```
nano sonatype-apt-repo.key
```

And paste the following content:

```
-----BEGIN PGP PUBLIC KEY BLOCK-----  
  
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```

```
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=1ghU
-----END PGP PUBLIC KEY BLOCK-----
```

5. Then update the repositories:

```
sudo apt update
```

6. And install Nexus3:

```
sudo apt install nexus-repository-manager
```

7. When everything was successful, enter the webservice with `http://<ip>:8081/`
8. The password for admin is located under `/opt/sonatype/sonatype-work/nexus3/admin.password` after entering the password, it's forced to be changed.

```
cat /opt/sonatype/sonatype-work/nexus3/admin.password
```

The installation of Nexus is now finished!

Setup Repository

NuGet Proxy

To add a new NuGet (Chocolatey) repository proxy add a new nuget (proxy). To proxy the official Chocolatey repository add the following URL as URL:

```
https://community.chocolatey.org/api/v2/
```

Finally save the proxy repository.

NuGet Hosted

If the repository should also host packages locally add a new nuget (hosted).



This section will be extended later.

NuGet Group

To make the proxy-repository and all local hosted packages available through one URL, add a nuget-group on the repository tab. Then add both nuget-proxy and nuget-hosted to the group.

Sourced from:

- github.com/sonatype-nexus-community
- [howtoforge.com - install Nexus3 on Ubuntu22](https://howtoforge.com/install-Nexus3-on-Ubuntu22)
- [stackoverflow.com - Nexus serve up chocolatey](https://stackoverflow.com)

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