



12.12.5 Install Tomcat

The OpenClinica software uses the [Apache Tomcat](#) Java application server.

1. The current directory on your system should be `/usr/local/oc/install`. If it is not, make it the current directory by running:

```
cd /usr/local/oc/install
```

2. Install Tomcat by running the following:

```
tar -zxvf apache-tomcat-*  
mv apache-tomcat-6.0.32 /usr/local/  
ln -s /usr/local/apache-tomcat-6.0.32 /usr/local/tomcat  
/usr/sbin/adduser tomcat
```

3. Move the web apps provided with Tomcat that are not needed by OpenClinica to another location by running:

```
mkdir /usr/local/tomcat/oldwebapps  
mv /usr/local/tomcat/webapps/* /usr/local/tomcat/oldwebapps
```

Tomcat is now installed.

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