

Support And Documentation: Where can I find documentation?

1. <http://support.brightcomputing.com/manuals> is where the main documentation for Bright Cluster Manager is at, in the form of manuals.

Manuals for Bright Cluster Manager up to version 6.1 are:

- An Administrator Manual which is intended for system administrators
- A User Manual which is intended for end-users that will be using a Bright cluster for running jobs

For Bright Cluster Manager versions 7.0, 7.1, 7.2, and 7.3, the manuals are:

- The Administrator Manual which is intended for system administrators
- The User Manual which is intended for end-users that will be using a Bright cluster for running jobs
- The Installation Manual which describes installation procedures.
- The Cloudbursting Manual describes how to deploy the cloud capabilities of the cluster.
- The OpenStack Deployment Manual describes how to deploy OpenStack with Bright Cluster Manager.
- The Hadoop Deployment Manual describes how to deploy Hadoop with Bright Cluster Manager.
- The UCS Deployment Manual describes how to deploy the Cisco UCS server with Bright Cluster Manager.
- The Developer Manual has useful information for developers who would like to program with Bright Cluster Manager.
- The Machine Learning Manual (7.3+ only) describes how to get going with the machine learning packages that are provided with Bright Cluster Manual.

2. The [Bright Cluster Manager Knowledge Base](http://kb.brightcomputing.com) (<http://kb.brightcomputing.com>) is an online collection of faqs, knowledge, tips, background information, and recipes that are not a part of the manuals or reference documentation.

3. Documentation for programmers can also be found in BCM6 and later on the head node in the following locations:

- The JSON reference documentation (`file:///cm/local/docs/cmd/json/`).
- The SOAP reference documentation (`file:///cm/local/apps/cmd/etc/htdocs/`)
- The python API reference documentation (`file:///cm/local/docs/cmd/python/index.html`).

An introduction to the python API is in Bright Cluster Manager:

- in v6.1, in the Administrator Manual in an appendix

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- in v7.0+, in the Developer Manual

4. Technical training video modules on using Bright Cluster Manager are available at <http://www.brightcomputing.com/training-videos>

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