



System Configuration and Services

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This page provides information on system services and scripts based on the default DPU OS (i.e., Ubuntu).

First Boot After BFB Installation

During the first boot, the cloud-init service configures the system based on the data provided in the following files:

- `/var/lib/cloud/seed/nocloud-net/network-config` – network interface configuration
- `/var/lib/cloud/seed/nocloud-net/user-data` – default users and commands to run on the first boot

RDMA and ConnectX Driver Initialization

RDMA and NVIDIA® ConnectX® drivers are loaded upon boot by the `openibd.service`.

Note

The `mlx5_core` kernel module is loaded automatically by the kernel as a registered device driver.

One of the kernel modules loaded by the `openibd.service`, `ib_umad`, triggers modprobe rule from `/etc/modprobe.d/mlnx-bf.conf` file that runs the `/sbin/mlnx_bf_configure` script. See [Default Ports and OVS Configuration](#) for more information.

Firewall Configuration

The BFB image includes the following firewall configuration (enabled by default):

```
$ cat /etc/iptables/rules.v4

*mangle
:PREROUTING ACCEPT [45:3582]
:INPUT ACCEPT [45:3582]
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:FORWARD ACCEPT [0:0]
:OUTPUT ACCEPT [36:4600]
:POSTROUTING ACCEPT [36:4600]
:KUBE-IPTABLES-HINT - [0:0]
:KUBE-KUBELET-CANARY - [0:0]
COMMIT
*filter
:INPUT ACCEPT [41:3374]
:FORWARD ACCEPT [0:0]
:OUTPUT ACCEPT [32:3672]
:DOCKER-USER - [0:0]
:KUBE-FIREWALL - [0:0]
:KUBE-KUBELET-CANARY - [0:0]
:LOGGING - [0:0]
:POSTROUTING - [0:0]
:PREROUTING - [0:0]
-A INPUT -j KUBE-FIREWALL
-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --dport 111 -j REJECT --reject-with icmp-port-unreachable
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 111 -j REJECT --reject-with icmp-port-unreachable
-A INPUT -i lo -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -d 127.0.0.0/8 -m mark --mark 0xb -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j DROP
-A INPUT -m mark --mark 0xb -m state --state RELATED,ESTABLISHED -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp ! --dport 22 ! --tcp-flags FIN,SYN,RST,ACK SYN -m mark --mark 0xb -m state --state NEW -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j DROP
-A INPUT -f -m mark --mark 0xb -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j DROP
-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --tcp-flags FIN,SYN,RST,PSH,ACK,URG FIN,SYN,RST,PSH,ACK,URG -m mark --mark 0xb -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j DROP
-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --tcp-flags FIN,SYN,RST,PSH,ACK,URG NONE -m mark --mark 0xb -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j DROP
-A INPUT -m mark --mark 0xb -m state --state INVALID -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j DROP
-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --tcp-flags RST RST -m mark --mark 0xb -m hashlimit --hashlimit-above 2/sec --hashlimit-burst 2 --hashlimit-mode srcip --hashlimit-name hashlimit_0 --hashlimit-htable-expire 30000 -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j DROP
-A INPUT -p tcp -m mark --mark 0xb -m state --state NEW -m hashlimit --hashlimit-above 50/sec --hashlimit-burst 50 --hashlimit-mode srcip --hashlimit-name hashlimit_1 --hashlimit-htable-expire 30000 -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j DROP
-A INPUT -p tcp -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW -m hashlimit --hashlimit-above 60/sec --hashlimit-burst 20 --hashlimit-mode srcip --hashlimit-name hashlimit_2 --hashlimit-htable-expire 30000 -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j DROP
-A INPUT -m mark --mark 0xb -m recent --rcheck --seconds 86400 --name portscan --mask 255.255.255.255 --rsource -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j DROP
-A INPUT -m mark --mark 0xb -m recent --remove --name portscan --mask 255.255.255.255 --rsource -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES

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-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --dport 22 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW -m recent --set --name
DEFAULT --mask 255.255.255.255 --rsource -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES
-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --dport 22 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW -m recent --update --
seconds 60 --hitcount 50 --name DEFAULT --mask 255.255.255.255 --rsource -m comment --comment
MD_IPTABLES -j DROP

-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --dport 443 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW -m recent --set --
name DEFAULT --mask 255.255.255.255 --rsource -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES
-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --dport 443 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW -m recent --update --
seconds 60 --hitcount 10 --name DEFAULT --mask 255.255.255.255 --rsource -m comment --comment
MD_IPTABLES -j DROP

-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 161 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW -m recent --set --
name DEFAULT --mask 255.255.255.255 --rsource -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 161 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW -m recent --update
--seconds 60 --hitcount 100 --name DEFAULT --mask 255.255.255.255 --rsource -m comment --comment
MD_IPTABLES -j DROP

-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --dport 22 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --dport 443 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --dport 179 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 68 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 122 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 161 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 6306 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 69 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 389 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --dport 389 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 1812:1813 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate
NEW,ESTABLISHED -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 49 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --dport 49 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --sport 53 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT

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-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --sport 53 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 500 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 4500 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 1293 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --dport 1293 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 1707 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --dport 1707 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -i lo -p udp -m udp --dport 3786 -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m comment --
comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -i lo -p udp -m udp --dport 33000 -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m comment --
comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p icmp -m mark --mark 0xb -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --sport 5353 --dport 5353 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate
NEW,ESTABLISHED -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 33434:33523 -m mark --mark 0xb -m comment --comment
MD_IPTABLES -j REJECT --reject-with icmp-port-unreachable
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 123 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 514 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 67 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --dport 60102 -m mark --mark 0xb -m conntrack --ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED -m
comment --comment "MD_IPTABLES: Feature HA port" -j ACCEPT
-A INPUT -m mark --mark 0xb -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j LOGGING
-A FORWARD -j DOCKER-USER
-A OUTPUT -o oob_net0 -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j ACCEPT
-A DOCKER-USER -j RETURN

-A LOGGING -m mark --mark 0xb -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j NFLOG --nflog-prefix
"IPTables-Dropped: " --nflog-group 3
-A LOGGING -m mark --mark 0xb -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j DROP
-A PREROUTING -i oob_net0 -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j MARK --set-xmark 0xb/0xffffffff
-A PREROUTING -p tcp -m tcpmss ! --mss 536:65535 -m tcp ! --dport 22 -m mark --mark 0xb -m
conntrack --ctstate NEW -m comment --comment MD_IPTABLES -j DROP
COMMIT
*nat

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```
:PREROUTING ACCEPT [1:320]
:INPUT ACCEPT [1:320]
:OUTPUT ACCEPT [8:556]
:POSTROUTING ACCEPT [8:556]
:KUBE-KUBELET-CANARY - [0:0]
:KUBE-MARK-DROP - [0:0]
:KUBE-MARK-MASQ - [0:0]
:KUBE-POSTROUTING - [0:0]
-A POSTROUTING -m comment --comment "kubernetes postrouting rules" -j KUBE-POSTROUTING
-A KUBE-MARK-DROP -j MARK --set-xmark 0x8000/0x8000
-A KUBE-MARK-MASQ -j MARK --set-xmark 0x4000/0x4000
-A KUBE-POSTROUTING -m mark ! --mark 0x4000/0x4000 -j RETURN
-A KUBE-POSTROUTING -j MARK --set-xmark 0x4000/0x0
-A KUBE-POSTROUTING -m comment --comment "kubernetes service traffic requiring SNAT" -j
MASQUERADE --random-fully
COMMIT
```

This configuration is provided by the `bf-release` package and is installed during the first boot of the Ubuntu OS after the BFB installation using the `cloud-init` service and the `/var/lib/cloud/seed/nocloud-net/user-data` configuration file.

To disable this default firewall configuration after OS is UP, run:

```
$ rm -f /etc/iptables/rules.v4
$ iptables -F
```

To disable this default firewall configuration during the BFB installation, use `bf.cfg` with the following command in the `bfb_modify_os` function:

```
bfb_modify_os()
{
    perl -ni -e "if(/^write_files:\/..\/^users/) {next unless m{^users}; print} else {print}"
    /mnt/var/lib/cloud/seed/nocloud-net/user-data
}
```

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