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Abstract

Hot Rod .NET/C# clients allow C# runtime applications to connect and interact with remote Data Grid clusters.

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RED HAT DATA GRID

Data Grid is a high-performance, distributed in-memory data store.

Schemaless data structure

Flexibility to store different objects as key-value pairs.

Grid-based data storage

Designed to distribute and replicate data across clusters.

Elastic scaling

Dynamically adjust the number of nodes to meet demand without service disruption.

Data interoperability

Store, retrieve, and query data in the grid from different endpoints.

DATA GRID DOCUMENTATION

Documentation for Data Grid is available on the Red Hat customer portal.

- [Data Grid 8.4 Documentation](#)
- [Data Grid 8.4 Component Details](#)
- [Supported Configurations for Data Grid 8.4](#)
- [Data Grid 8 Feature Support](#)
- [Data Grid Deprecated Features and Functionality](#)

DATA GRID DOWNLOADS

Access the [Data Grid Software Downloads](#) on the Red Hat customer portal.



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CHAPTER 1. INSTALLING AND CONFIGURING THE HOT ROD .NET/C# CLIENT

Install the Hot Rod .NET/C# client on Microsoft Windows systems where you use .NET Framework to interact with Data Grid clusters via the **RemoteCache** API.

1.1. INSTALLING HOT ROD .NET/C# CLIENTS

Data Grid provides an installation package to install the Hot Rod .NET/C# client on Windows.

Prerequisites

- Any operating system on which Microsoft supports the .NET Framework
- .NET Framework 4.6.2 or later
- Windows Visual Studio 2015 or later

Procedure

1. Download **redhat-datagrid-<version>-hotrod-dotnet-client.msi** from the [Data Grid Software Downloads](#).
2. Launch the MSI installer for the Hot Rod .NET/C# client and follow the interactive wizard through the installation process.

1.2. CONFIGURATION AND REMOTE CACHE MANAGER APIS

Use the **ConfigurationBuilder** API to configure Hot Rod .NET/C# client connections and the **RemoteCacheManager** API to obtain and configure remote caches.

Basic configuration

```
using Infinispan.HotRod;
using Infinispan.HotRod.Config;
using System;
using System.Collections.Generic;
using System.Linq;
using System.Text;
using System.Threading.Tasks;
namespace simpleapp
{
    class Program
    {
        static void Main(string[] args)
        {
            ConfigurationBuilder builder = new ConfigurationBuilder();
            // Connect to a server at localhost with the default port.
            builder.AddServer()
                .Host(args.Length > 1 ? args[0] : "127.0.0.1")
                .Port(args.Length > 2 ? int.Parse(args[1]) : 11222);
            Configuration config = builder.Build();
            // Create and start a RemoteCacheManager to interact with caches.
            RemoteCacheManager remoteManager = new RemoteCacheManager(config);
        }
    }
}
```

```

        remoteManager.Start();
        IRemoteCache<string,string> cache=remoteManager.GetCache<string, string>();
        cache.Put("key", "value");
        Console.WriteLine("key = {0}", cache.Get("key"));
        remoteManager.Stop();
    }
}
}

```

Authentication

```

ConfigurationBuilder builder = new ConfigurationBuilder();
// Add a server with specific connection timeouts
builder.AddServer().Host("127.0.0.1").Port(11222).ConnectionTimeout(90000).SocketTimeout(900);
// ConfigurationBuilder has fluent interface, options can be appended in chain.
// Enabling authentication with server name "node0",
// sasl mech "PLAIN", user "supervisor", password "aPassword", security realm "aRealm"
builder.Security().Authentication().Enable().ServerFQDN("node0")
    .SaslMechanism("PLAIN").SetupCallback("supervisor", "aPassword", "aRealm");
Configuration c = conf.Build();

```

Encryption

```

ConfigurationBuilder builder = new ConfigurationBuilder();
builder.AddServer().Host("127.0.0.1").Port(11222);
// Get configuration builder for encryption
SslConfigurationBuilder sslBuilder = conf.Ssl();
// Enable encryption and provide client certificate
sslBuilder.Enable().ClientCertificateFile("clientCertFilename");
// Provide server cert if server needs to be verified
sslBuilder.ServerCAFile("serverCertFilename");
Configuration c = conf.Build();

```

Cross-site failover

```

ConfigurationBuilder builder = new ConfigurationBuilder();
builder.AddServer().Host("127.0.0.1").Port(11222);
// Configure a remote cluster and node when using cross-site failover.
builder.AddCluster("nyc").AddClusterNode("192.0.2.0", 11322);

```

Near caching

```

ConfigurationBuilder builder = new ConfigurationBuilder();
builder.AddServer().Host("127.0.0.1").Port(11222);
// Enable near-caching for the client.
builder.NearCache().Mode(NearCacheMode.INVALIDATED).MaxEntries(10);

```