

# Guides

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## Contents

The ONOS Guides provide comprehensive information, and are divided into several categories. It is highly recommended that you work through the [Tutorials](#) before taking a look at the ONOS guides to get the most out of the information here.

- [Administrator Guide](#) - How to install, configure, and use ONOS and its applications, and its current use cases
- [Developer Guide](#) - How to develop on and/or contribute to ONOS, and the tools and procedures involved
- [Architecture and Internals Guide](#) - The design and implementation of ONOS, its major subsystems, and sample use cases
- [Javadocs](#) - The ONOS APIs of the latest stable release
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## Conventions used

There are a few conventions that we use throughout these docs.

- Unix shell commands begin with '\$' or for superuser, '#':

```
$ sudo -s
# id
uid=0(root) gid=0(root) groups=0(root)
```

- ONOS CLI commands begin with 'onos>':

```
onos> summary
```

- Both shell and CLI commands are inlined in sentences in monospace font, e.g. `ls` or `topology`.
- File names, directory paths, and keywords are in *italic*.
- User inputs and navigation of web pages are **bold** e.g. **Ctrl-D** and **Browse > Pages**.
- Italic and monospace terms may also be bolded to emphasize them.

Further conventions, if any, are described where relevant.

## Contributing

We try our best to keep this wiki and documentation set up-to-date. Please refer to [Contributing to ONOS Documentation](#) if you're interested in helping out.