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# Tutorial: BwUniCluster 3.0/HoreKa Modules

In this tutorial we will learn about modules and how to utilize them on the BwUniCluster or HoreKa.

## 1. What are modules?

Modules are means by which the user can access and use the software installed on the BwUniCluster or HoreKa such as widely used compilers and software. In order to use a specific program or software (e.g. OpenFOAM) the user has to load the corresponding module during their session. It is an excellent concept that allows the users to immediately load and use any version of OpenFOAM that is currently installed (currently 15 versions from 3 vendors in April 2024 on the bwUniCluster). User do not need to do any installation!

## 2. How to find and load specific module?

You can view the list of all available modules using the following command:

```
$> module av
```

or

```
$> module spider openfoam
```

The modules can be then loaded by using the following command:

```
$> module load [name of the module]
```

For example:

```
$> module load cae/openfoam/v2112
```

The compiler then generates the following response:

////////////////////////////////////  
*Don't forget to initialize OpenFOAM with:*

```
source $FOAM_INIT
```

*or simply:*

foamInit

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