# ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND MACHINE LEARNING

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# Running llama3 model on ubuntu

Llama 3, Meta's latest open-source AI model, represents a major leap in scalable AI innovation. Built with flexibility and performance in mind, Llama 3 is designed to handle various AI tasks, from natural language processing to interactive chat models, making it a powerful tool for developers, researchers, and AI enthusiasts alike. In this guide, we'll walk you through the steps to set up and run Llama 3 on a Linux system. Whether you're an experienced AI developer or new to machine learning, this step-by-step guide will help you get up and running, even on modest hardware.

## **Prerequisites**

Before we get started, let's ensure your system meets the necessary hardware and software requirements to run Llama 3 efficiently. Here's what you'll need:

- **GPU:** An Nvidia GPU with at least 8GB of VRAM (12GB or more is recommended for better performance, especially with larger models).
- Operating System: Ubuntu 20.04 or a similar Linux distribution.
- **Python:** Version 3.8 or newer.
- **CUDA drivers:** Ensure that Nvidia's CUDA toolkit is properly installed and configured on your machine.

## **Step 1: Update Your System**

Before starting the installation process, it is recommended to update your system to ensure all packages are up to date. Run the following command in the terminal:

sudo apt update && sudo apt upgrade -y

This command updates the package list and installs the latest software updates on your system.

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sudo apt update

[sudo] password for step:

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Get:3 http://in.archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu focal-backports InRelease [128 kB]

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Then install curl by running the following command:

sudo apt install curl

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Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree
Reading state information... Done
The following packages were automatically installed and are no longer required:
    gir1.2-goa-1.0 libfwupdplugin1 libxmlb1
Use 'sudo apt autoremove' to remove them.
The following NEW packages will be installed:
    curl
0 upgraded, 1 newly installed, 0 to remove and 11 not upgraded.
Need to get 162 kB of archives.
After this operation, 414 kB of additional disk space will be used.
Get:1 http://in.archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu focal-updates/main amd64 curl amd64 7.68.0-1ubuntu2.25 [162 kB]
Fetched 162 kB in 1s (186 kB/s)
Selecting previously unselected package curl.
(Reading database ... 189316 files and directories currently installed.)
Preparing to unpack .../curl_7.68.0-1ubuntu2.25_amd64.deb ...
Unpacking curl (7.68.0-1ubuntu2.25) ...
Setting up curl (7.68.0-1ubuntu2.25) ...
Processing triggers for man-db (2.9.1-1) ...
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#### Step 2: Download the Ollama installation package

Next, download the Ollama installation package for Linux from the official website by running the following command:

curl -fsSL https://ollama.com/install.sh | sh

#### **Step 3: Verify the Installation**

After installing Ollama, it's time to verify that everything is working correctly. Run the following command to check the version of Ollama:

#### ollama --version

# **Step 4: Running Ollama with Llama 3.3**

To run Ollama with the Llama 3.3 model, you can execute a command like the following:

## ollama run llama3

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pulling manifest
Error: pull model manifest: file does not exist
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ollama version is 0.9.5
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pulling manifest
 Error: pull model manifest: file does not exist
               p-HP-ProDesk-400-G5-SFF:~$ ollama pull llama3
step@step-HP-ProDesk-400-Gs
pulling manifest
pulling 6a0746a1ec1a: 100%
pulling 4fa551d4f938: 100%
pulling 8ab4849b038c: 100%
pulling 977073ffcc6c: 100%
pulling 3f8eb4da87fa: 100%
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writing manifest
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  >> what is ai
A great question!
Artificial Intelligence (AI) refers to the development of computer systems that can perform tasks that would typically require human
intelligence, such as:
    **Learning**: AI systems can learn from data and improve their performance over time.

**Reasoning**: AI systems can draw conclusions based on given information and make decisions.

**Problem-solving**: AI systems can find solutions to complex problems.

**Perception**: AI systems can interpret and understand sensory information, such as images, speech, or text.
AI systems use various techniques, including:
       *Machine learning**: AI systems learn from data and improve their performance over time.
     **Deep learning**: A subset of machine learning that uses neural networks to analyze complex data.

**Natural language processing (NLP)**: AI systems can understand, generate, and process human language.

**Computer vision**: AI systems can interpret and understand visual information from images or videos.
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