**Detailed ProfitTrailer + ProfitTrailer Feeder Noob Setup Guide**

**1. Create Some Accounts!**

Create an account at [Coinbase](https://www.coinbase.com/join/596e0bae9fb680020742d903) (NOW WITH $10 FREE!)

Create an account at one or more of the following 3 supported exchanges:

[Bittrex](https://bittrex.com/) – **0.25% Fees**  
[Poloniex](https://poloniex.com/) – **0.25% Fees**  
[Binance](https://www.binance.com/?ref=11615560) – **0.05% Fees** **MUCH LOWER & No Dust** (If you buy some BNB to pay fees)

* Create and verify your accounts and set up 2FA protection.
* Go to settings / API keys.
* Create **TWO API** keys with all options enabled, except “withdraw”. Each one will also have a SECRET key with them. **IMPORTANT: On Bittrex, make a copy of your secret keys as these will be hidden permanently.**

#### 2. Buy Your ProfitTrailer License!

* Go here: [Buy License](https://profittrailer.com/pt/CryptoGnome/)
* Purchase your ProfitTrailer license.
* At check out you will be asked to enter your API key. Enter the first API key you created at Bittrex/Poloniex/Binance. **(Not your secret key – never give these away)**.
* Send BTC from your wallet to the given wallet address.
  + If you bought BTC on Coinbase, log into [GDAX](https://www.gdax.com/) and deposit your BTC from Coinbase Wallet to GDAX wallet then withdraw from GDAX wallet to the given ProfitTrailer Checkout wallet. This will avoid the high BTC transaction fees!
* Wait for the PT email with your license.

#### 3. Buy Your ProfitTrailer Feeder License!

* Go here: [Buy License](https://cryptoprofitbot.com/?ref=CryptoGnome)
* Purchase your ProfitTrailer Feeder license.
* Send BTC from your wallet to the given wallet address.
  + If you bought BTC on Coinbase, log into [GDAX](https://www.gdax.com/) and deposit your BTC from Coinbase Wallet to GDAX wallet then withdraw from GDAX wallet to the given ProfitTrailer Feeder Checkout wallet. This will avoid the high BTC transaction fees!
* Wait for the payment to go through and then join the [PTF Discord](https://discord.gg/tXPPPx4) and post your order number in #pt-feeder-license-queries and wait for an admin to pm you your PTF license number.
* Talk to the [PTF Telegram Bot](https://web.telegram.org/#/im?p=@ptfeederlicensebot) to activate your API keys for PTF.

#### 4. Buy A Windows VPS!

#### You NEED a Windows VPS so that the bot runs 24/7 reliably and has a super-fast internet and super-low latency (ping) to snipe those trades!

* Go here: [Buy VPS](https://billing.virmach.com/aff.php?aff=3389)
* Purchase the correct VPS
  + 1 PT = SSD2G
  + 1 PT + 1 PTF = SSD4G
  + 2 PT = SSD4G
  + 2 PT + 1 PTF = SSD8G
  + 2 PT + 2 PTF = SSD8G
* Any location will work
* Pay and wait for email with log in details

**5. Setup the VPS!**

* Log into the VPS
* Open Google Chrome
* Install [Java 8 JRE](http://download.oracle.com/otn-pub/java/jdk/8u151-b12/e758a0de34e24606bca991d704f6dcbf/jre-8u151-windows-x64.exe)
* Install [Nodepad++](https://notepad-plus-plus.org/repository/7.x/7.5.4/npp.7.5.4.Installer.x64.exe)
* **Install** [**Microsoft .NET Core**](https://download.microsoft.com/download/2/9/3/293BC432-348C-4D1C-B628-5AC8AB7FA162/dotnet-sdk-2.1.3-win-gs-x64.exe) **Needed For PTF**

**6. Setup ProfitTrailer and ProfitTrailer Feeder!**

**If you already have ProfitTrailer Please close it and move the folder elsewhere as it is best to start fresh!**

* Download the latest release of [ProfitTrailer.zip](https://github.com/taniman/profit-trailer/releases) and [CryptoGnome’s PTF Setup](https://github.com/CryptoGnome/Profit-Trailer-Settings/releases) to your desktop
* Unzip the files
* Open up the application.properties file in the ProfitTrailer folder in Notepad++.
* Update these settings:

trading.exchange = THE EXHANGE YOU ARE USING e.g. BITTREX

default\_apiKey = THE FIRST API KEY YOU CREATED

default\_apiSecret = THE FIRST SECRET KEY YOU CREATED

trading\_apiKey = THE SECOND API KEY YOU CREATED

trading\_apiSecret = THE SECOND SECRET KEY YOU CREATED

server.password = PASSWORD HERE

* Click save
* Now open your pairs.properties in the ProfitTrailer folder in Notepad++
* Update this setting:
* **WARNING** THE BOT WILL START TRADING AND SELL ANYTHING THAT CAN BE SOLD

ALL\_trading\_enabled = **true**

* Click save
* Open up the application.properties file in the ProfitTrailer folder in Notepad++.
* Update these settings:

trading.exchange = THE EXHANGE YOU ARE USING e.g. BITTREX

default\_apiKey = THE FIRST API KEY YOU CREATED

default\_apiSecret = THE FIRST SECRET KEY YOU CREATED

trading\_apiKey = THE SECOND API KEY YOU CREATED

trading\_apiSecret = THE SECOND SECRET KEY YOU CREATED

server.password = PASSWORD HERE

* Click save
* Now open your hostsettings.txt file in the ProfitTrailer Feeder Config folder in Notepad++
* Update this setting:

**For the pairs location only fillout one of these and it should look something like “C:\\Users\\root\\Desktop\\ProfitTrailer\\trading”**

"TrexPairsLocation": "",

"PoloPairsLocation": "",

"BinancePairsLocation": "",

"HostName": "PT Feeder", LEAVE THIS

"LicenseKey": "", Your PTF License Key Here

* Click save
* Please read through the [ProfitTrailer Feeder Wiki](https://github.com/mehtadone/PTFeeder/wiki) and [Profit Trailer Wiki](https://wiki.profittrailer.io/doku.php/start) to see what you think you should change to get started as we do not like it if you use these settings without changing anything! Now you are ready to go!

**6. Getting ProfitTrailer + ProfitTrailer Feeder Running!**

* Double click the ProfitTrailer.cmd file that you will find in your ProfitTrailer files. Then wait for it to fully load and have a heartbeat. Double click the pt-feeder.bat file that you will find in your ProfitTrailer Feeder files. Wait 10 min and then go to <http://localhost:8081/monitoring>
* This is where you will find your dashboard, and where you can monitor your bot.