# <u>Lab Exercise 10 – Installation of</u> <u>Terraform for Windows</u>

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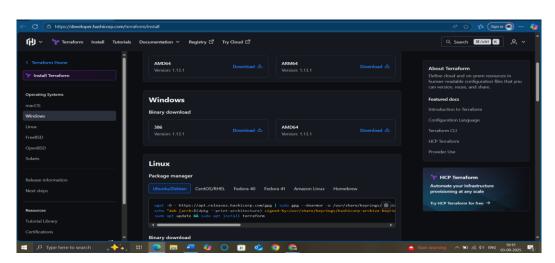
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Installing Terraform on Windows requires you to download the correct Terraform package, unpack, and execute it via the <u>CLI</u>. Follow the instructions below to ensure you do not miss any steps.

#### Download Terraform File for Windows

To find the latest version of Terraform for Windows:

- 1. Browse to the **Download Terraform** page.
- 2. Select the Windows tab under the **Operating System** heading. The latest version is preselected.

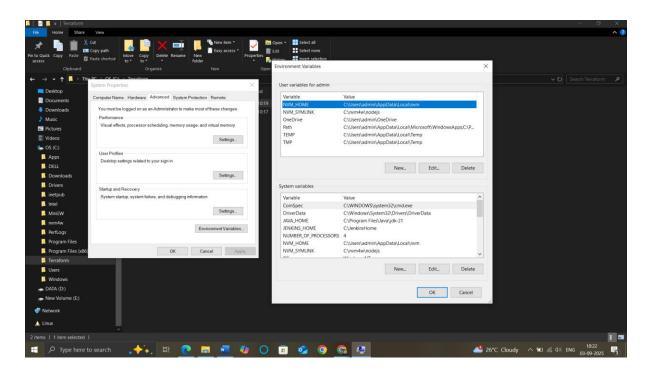


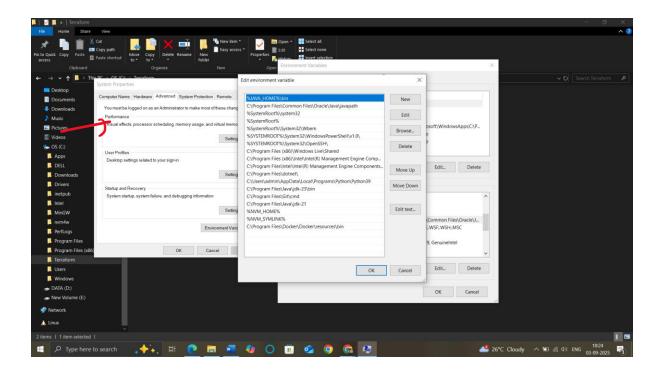
- 3. Choose the binary to download. Select 386 for 32-bit systems or <u>AMD64</u> for 64-bit systems. Choose the download location for the zip file if the download does not start automatically.
- 4. Unzip the downloaded file. For example, use the *C*:\terraform path. Remember this location so you can add the path to the environment variables.

### Add Terraform Path to System Environment Variables

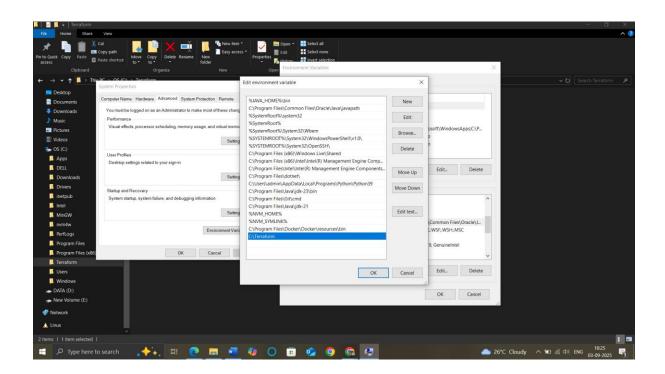
To add the Terraform executable to the system's global path:

- 1. Open the start menu, start typing *environment* and click **Edit system environment variables**. The System Properties window opens.
- 2. Click the **Environment Variables...** button.
- 3. Select the **Path variable** in the System variables section to add terraform for all accounts. Alternatively, select **Path** in the **User variables** section to add terraform for the currently logged-in user only. Click **Edit** once you select a Path.





4. Click **New** in the edit window and enter the location of the Terraform folder.



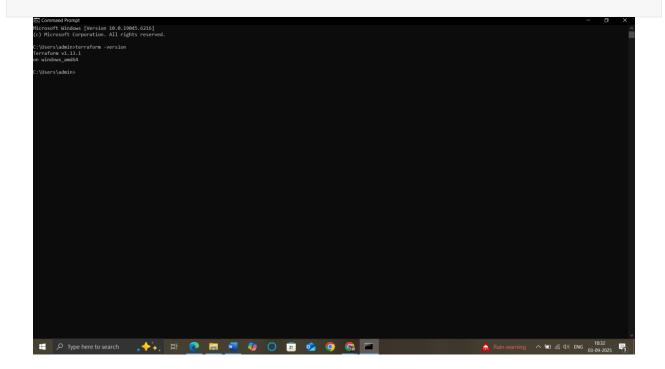
5. Click  $\mathbf{OK}$  on all windows to apply the changes.

## Verify Windows Terraform Installation

To check the Terraform global path configuration:

- 1. Open a new command-prompt window.
- 2. Enter the command to check the Terraform version: terraform -version

#### terraform -version



The output shows the Terraform version you downloaded and installed on your Windows machine.