

Deployment

Heroku

This is the easiest configuration + deployment option. [Heroku](#) has full support for Sinatra applications. Deploying to Heroku is simply a matter of pushing to a remote git repository.

Steps to deploy to Heroku:

- Create an [account](#) if you don't have one
- Download and install [Heroku toolbelt](#)
- Make sure you have a [Gemfile](#). Otherwise, you can create one and install the [sinatra](#) gem using [bundler](#).
- Make a config.ru in the root-directory
- Create the app on heroku
- Push to it

1. Install [bundler](#) if you haven't yet (`gem install bundler`). Create a [Gemfile](#) using `bundle init`. Modify your [Gemfile](#) to look like:

```
source 'http://rubygems.org'

gem 'sinatra'
```

Run [bundle](#) to install the gem.

It is possible to specify a specific Ruby version on your Gemfile. For more information, check [this](#).

2. Here is an example config.ru file that does two things. First, it requires your main app file, whatever it's called. In the example, it will look for [myapp.rb](#). Second, run your application. If you're subclassing, use the subclass's name, otherwise use Sinatra::Application.

```
require "myapp"

run Sinatra::Application
```

3. Create the app and push to it

From the root directory of the application, run these commands:

```
$ heroku create <app-name> # This will add heroku as a remote
$ git push heroku master
```

For more details see [this](#).