

# Download instructions for Unix terminal

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### Mac or Linux

Your operating system comes with a pre-installed Unix command line program that you can find by searching ‘terminal’ in your file explorer/finder.

### Windows

The pre-installed command line program for Windows, the command prompt, is not Unix based. Thus, you will need to install a separate program. Some recommended options are [Git Bash](#) or [PuTTY](#).

### RStudio option

Another terminal option is available within RStudio, which you may already have installed for other data science modules. On the left side, there is a second tab ‘Terminal’. If this tab is not currently available, it can be opened under Tools -> Terminal -> Move Focus to Terminal.

### Example terminal programs



Figure 1. Mac (left) and GitBash (right) terminals



Figure 2. RStudio terminal

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