## **Building Caffe2**

This guide builds from source. For alternatives, refer to https://caffe2.ai/docs/getting-started.html

Get latest source from GitHub.

```
git clone --recursive https://github.com/caffe2/caffe2.git
cd caffe2
```

Note that you might need to uninstall existing Eigen and pybind11 packages due to compile-time dependencies when building from source. For this reason, Caffe2 uses git submodules to reference external packages in the third\_party folder. These are downloaded with the –recursive option.

## MacOS X

```
brew install openblas glog gtest automake protobuf leveled lmdb mkdir build && cd build cmake .. -DBLAS=OpenBLAS -DUSE_OPENCV=off make
```

## Ubuntu Ubuntu 14.04 LTS

```
sudo apt-get install libprotobuf-dev protobuf-compiler libatlas-base-dev libgoogle-glog-dev sudo pip install numpy wget http://developer.download.nvidia.com/compute/cuda/repos/ubuntu1404/x86_64/cuda-repo-ubu sudo dpkg -i cuda-repo-ubuntu1404_8.0.44-1_amd64.deb sudo apt-get update sudo apt-get install cuda sudo apt-get install git

CUDNN_URL="http://developer.download.nvidia.com/compute/redist/cudnn/v5.1/cudnn-8.0-linux-x6curl -fsSL ${CUDNN_URL} -0 && sudo tar -xzf cudnn-8.0-linux-x64-v5.1.tgz -C /usr/local && rm cudnn-8.0-linux-x64-v5.1.tgz && sudo ldconfig

mkdir build && cd build cmake ..
```

Ubuntu 16.04 LTS

make

```
sudo apt-get install libprotobuf-dev protobuf-compiler libatlas-base-dev libgoogle-glog-dev sudo pip install numpy wget http://developer.download.nvidia.com/compute/cuda/repos/ubuntu1604/x86_64/cuda-repo-ubu sudo dpkg -i cuda-repo-ubuntu1604_8.0.61-1_amd64.deb sudo apt-get update
```

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sudo apt-get install cuda
sudo apt-get install git
CUDNN_URL="http://developer.download.nvidia.com/compute/redist/cudnn/v5.1/cudnn-8.0-linux-x6
curl -fsSL ${CUDNN_URL} -0 &&
sudo tar -xzf cudnn-8.0-linux-x64-v5.1.tgz -C /usr/local &&
rm cudnn-8.0-linux-x64-v5.1.tgz &&
sudo ldconfig
mkdir build && cd build
cmake ..
make
Python support
```

To use Caffe2 in Python, you need two libraries, future and six.

```
pip install future six
```

To run the tutorials, download additional source from GitHub.

```
git clone --recursive https://github.com/caffe2/tutorials.git caffe2_tutorials
cd caffe2_tutorials
```

You'll also need jupyter (formerly ipython) notebooks and matplotlib, which can be installed on MacOS X with

```
brew install matplotlib --with-python3
pip install jupyter
```