

Once you have the correct access then you use an SSH client, free to download, I use Bitvise, to log in to our Virtual server.

Address: csci305.cs.montana.edu

Use your Netid and password to gain access.

Once in the server you will want to create a directory in your home drive called Fortran (or whatever language we are using that week).

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$mkdir fortran
```

Then change to that directory:

```
$cd fortran
```

Then create a file using a text editor that you like, xemacs, emacs, vi, or I use nano

```
$nano firstFortran.f
```

Write your first fortran project and save the project according to whichever text editor you choose to use.

To Compile the project:

```
$gfortran firstFortran.f
```

If there are no errors you will just get another command prompt.

To run the program you will use:

```
$/a.out
```

If you want to use another name besides a.out you will use the following compile command:

```
$gfortran firstFortran.f -o firstRun
```

Then if you do a ls (folder listing) you will see the file firstRun which is an executable, to execute do the same as a.out above:

```
$/firstRun
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