

Installing Python, Pygame, and other Packages on Windows

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Python For python on windows I like installing python using the Anaconda package, because you get tons of important scientific packages automatically loaded.

<https://www.continuum.io/downloads>

Other Packages For installing uninstalled packages on Windows, the most reliable method I've found is to use the unofficial binaries found here:

<http://www.lfd.uci.edu/~gohlke/pythonlibs/>

These are “wheel” files which are installed with `pip`. `pip` comes with the Anaconda package. Run a command prompt, `cd` to the Anaconda directory, and run:

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pip install packagename.whl
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Packages you may want to consider:

- pygame
- pymunk
- box2d
- pyglet