

Installing on Windows

- [Download the Anaconda installer.](#)
- Double click the installer to launch.

NOTE: To prevent permission errors, do not launch the installer from the [Favorites folder](#).

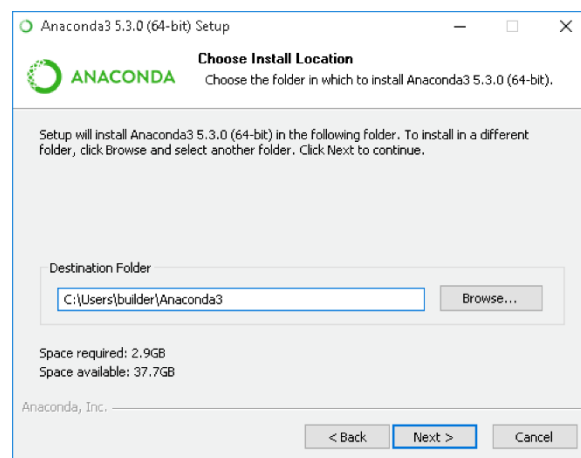
NOTE: If you encounter issues during installation, temporarily disable your anti-virus software during install, then re-enable it after the installation concludes.

NOTE: Install with administrator permissions. For this purpose, right click on the install file and select Run As Administrator.

Click Next.

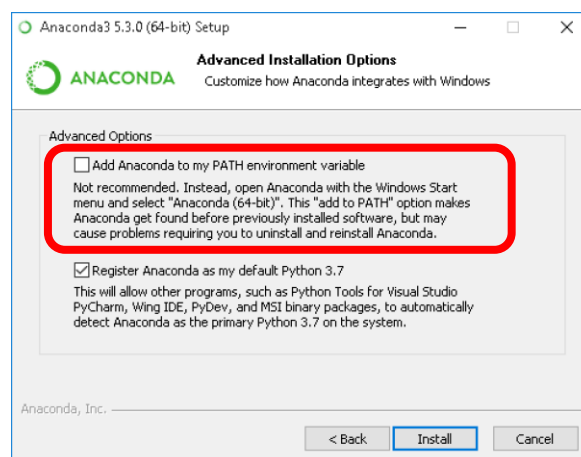
- Select an install all users (which requires Windows Administrator privileges) and click Next.
- Select a destination folder to install Anaconda and click the Next button.

NOTE: Install Anaconda to a directory path that does not contain spaces or unicode (Persian, etc) characters.



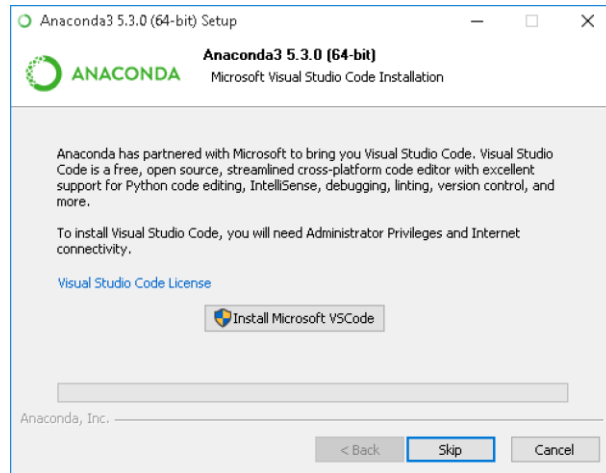
- Choose to add Anaconda to your PATH environment variable.

Check this box

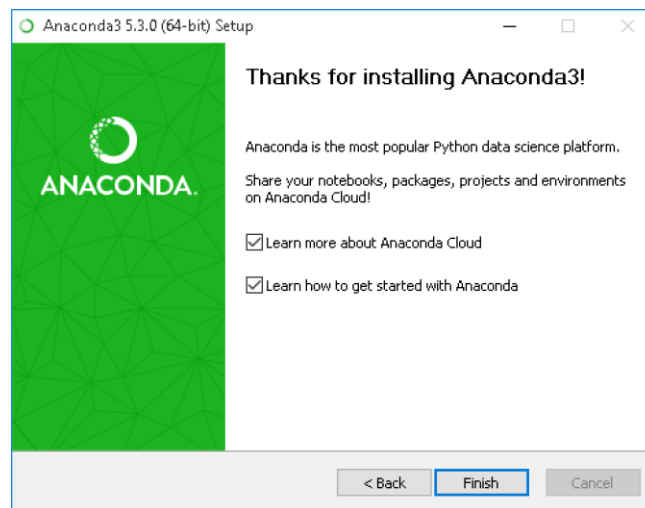


- Choose whether to register Anaconda as your default Python. Unless you plan on installing and running multiple versions of Anaconda, or multiple versions of Python, accept the default and leave this box checked.
- Click the Install button. If you want to watch the packages Anaconda is installing, click Show Details.
- Click the Next button.

- Optional: To [install VS Code](#), click the Install Microsoft VS Code button. After the install completes click the Next button. (It is not required to install VSCode)



- Or to install Anaconda without VS Code, click the Skip button.
NOTE: Installing VS Code with the Anaconda installer requires an internet connection. Offline users may be able to find an offline VS Code installer from Microsoft.
- After a successful installation you will see the “Thanks for installing Anaconda3” dialog box:



- After your install is complete, verify it by opening Anaconda Navigator, a program that is included with Anaconda: from your Windows Start menu, select the shortcut Anaconda Navigator. If Navigator opens, you have successfully installed Anaconda. If not, check that you completed each step above, then see our Help page.

For PyCharm installing on Windows devices, after following install steps, when you arrive this window, select your proper windows launcher (32/64 bit). Then select the .py checkbox.

