



Getting Started

System Requirements

For Windows, Mac, and Linux: Java is required the run I2P. Download it here.

For Android:

Android comes with a Java virtual machine as part of the platform, which I2P for Android uses. Therefore it is not necessary to install Java to use I2P for Android

Debian and Ubuntu:

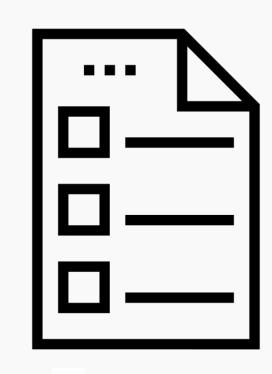
On Debian and Ubuntu when using a .deb package to install, the system will automatically install and configure a Java environment for you.



1. Download the Software

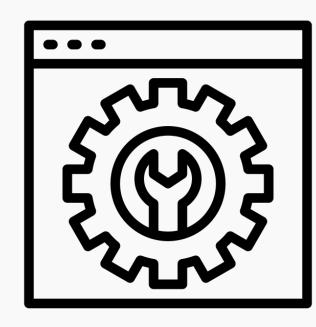
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Windows, Mac and Linux users will need to download and install Java as well.



2. Follow the Installation Instructions

A detailed installation guide will walk you through both the Java and I2P install process.



3. Configure your Browser

To access I2P sites, you will need to make a few configurations to your browser.

The project has Privacy Add-Ons and a Windows profile that work with Firefox. If you prefer to manually configure your browser, instructions are included for Chrome, Internet Explorer and more.

Download I2P















I2P for Windows







Installation Requirements

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Download Java

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Go to java.com to download.



Installation Guide

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Firefox Chrome

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DMG Bundle (BETA)

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Additional Resources

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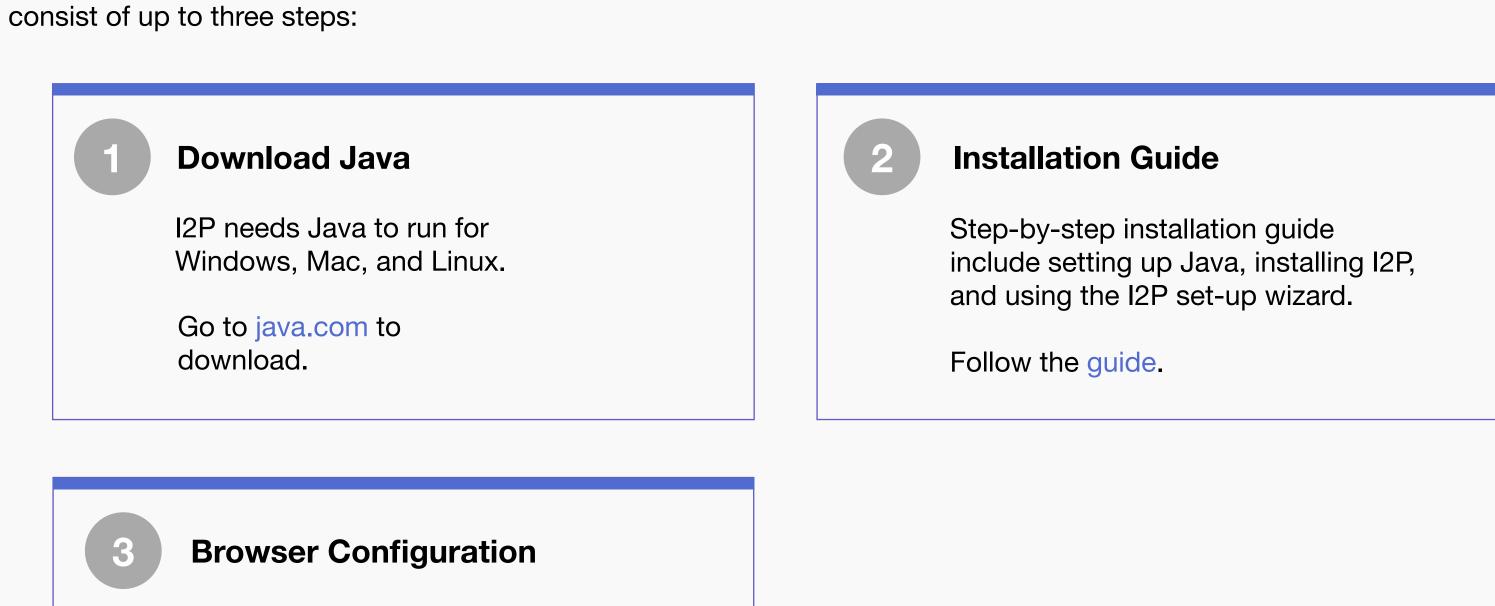
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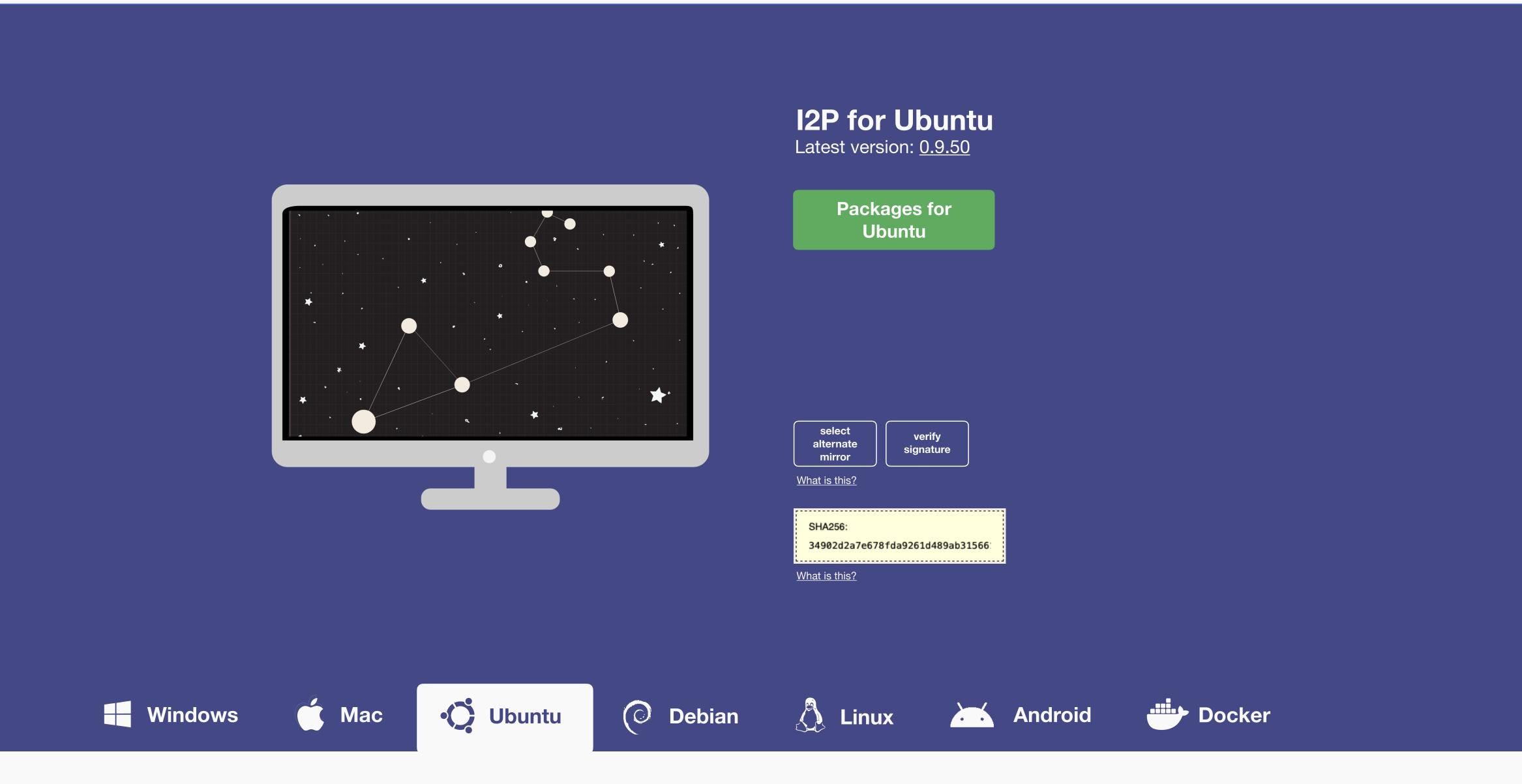


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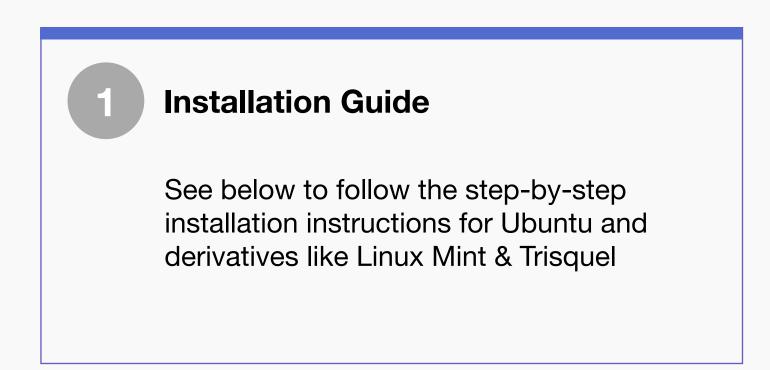
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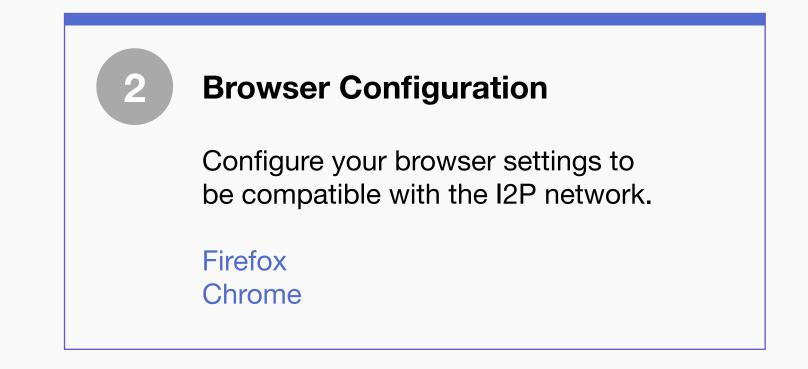
I2P is available in the official repositories for Ubuntu Bionic and later. However, Ubuntu Bionic (LTS) distributions will have older I2P versions. If you are not running the latest Ubuntu release, use our Launchpad to ensure you're running the latest I2P version.

On Ubuntu when using a .deb package to install, the system will automatically install and configure a Java environment for you.

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Instructions for Ubuntu and derivatives like Linux Mint & Trisquel

Adding the PPA via the command line and installing I2P

- 1. Open a terminal and enter:
 - sudo apt-add-repository ppa:i2p-maintainers/i2p
- 2. This command will add the PPA to /etc/apt/sources.list.d and fetch the gpg key that the repository has been signed with. The GPG key ensures that the packages have not been tampered with since being built.
- 3. Notify your package manager of the new PPA by entering: sudo apt-get update
- 4. This command will retrieve the latest list of software from each repository that is enabled on your system, including the I2P PPA that was added with the earlier command.
- 5. You are now ready to install I2P! sudo apt-get install i2p

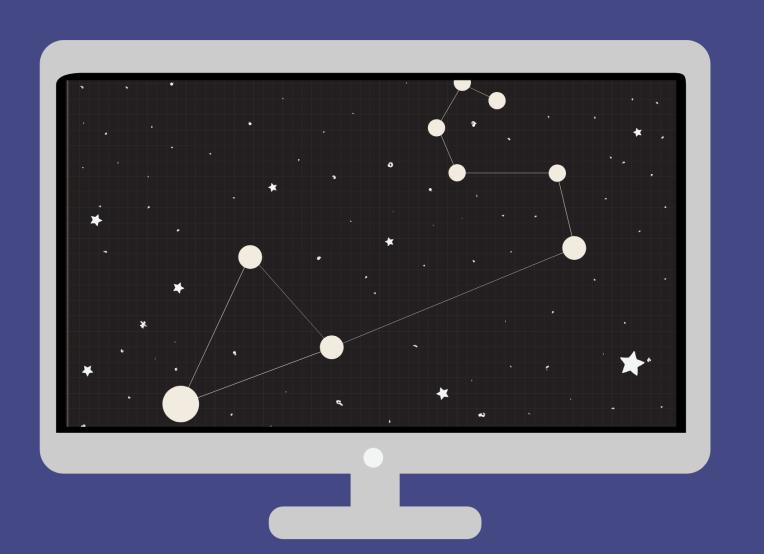
Adding the PPA Using Synaptic

- 1. Open Synaptic (System -> Administration -> Synaptic Package Manager).
- 2. Once Synaptic opens, select *Repositories* from the *Settings* menu.
- 3. Click the *Other Sources* tab and click *Add*. Paste ppa:i2p-maintainers/i2p into the APT-line field and click Add Source. Click the Close button then Reload.
- 4. In the Quick Filter box, type in i2p and press enter. When i2p is returned in the results list, right click i2p and select Mark for Installation. After doing so you may see a Mark additional required changes? popup. If so, click Mark then Apply.

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I2P for Debian

Latest version: 0.9.50

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Packages for Debian



SHA256: 34902d2a7e678fda9261d489ab31566

What is this?

















Debian

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Installation Guide

See below to follow the step-by-step installation instructions for Debian.



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Instructions for Debian

Currently supported architectures: amd64, i386, armhf, arm64, powerpc, ppc64el, s390x

Note: The steps below should be performed with root access (i.e., switching user to root with su or by prefixing each command with sudo).

1. Ensure that apt-transport-https and curl are installed.

sudo apt-get update sudo apt-get install apt-transport-https curl

2. Check which version of Debian you are using on this page at the Debian wiki and verify with /etc/debian_version on your system. Then, for all Current Debian distributions run the following command to create /etc/apt/sources.list.d/i2p.list.

echo "deb [signed-by=/usr/share/keyrings/i2p-archive-keyring.asc] https://deb.i2p2.de/ \$(lsb_release -sc) main" \ sudo tee /etc/apt/sources.list.d/i2p.list

3. Download the key used to sign the repository:

curl -o i2p-archive-keyring.asc https://geti2p.net/_static/i2p-debian-repo.key.asc

4. Check the fingerprint and owner of the key without importing anything:

sudo mv ~/i2p-archive-keyring.asc /usr/share/keyrings

5. Notify your package manager of the new repository by entering

sudo apt-get update

This command will retrieve the latest list of software from every repository enabled on your system, including the I2P repository added in step 1.

6. You are now ready to install I2P! Installing the i2p-keyring package will ensure that you receive updates to the repository's GPG key.

sudo apt-get install i2p i2p-keyring

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Keep instructions on page. "See below for instructions"







Windows









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Docker

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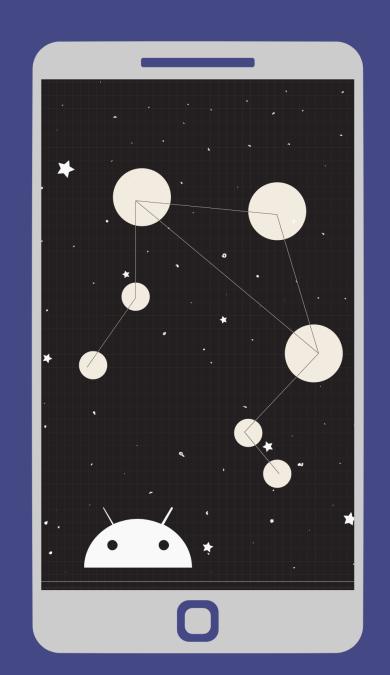
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System Requirements

Requires Android 4.0 (Ice Cream Sandwich) or higher. If you earlier installed I2P, unfortunately this release fixes some IPC issues which will force you to uninstall your current installation before installing this.

512 MB RAM minimum; 1 GB recommended. The releases are not compatible with each other, as they have different signatures. Uninstall them completely before installing any other version. The apk's from download.i2p2.de are signed by idk.

Additional Resources

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Get to know the I2P software here.

Installation Guide

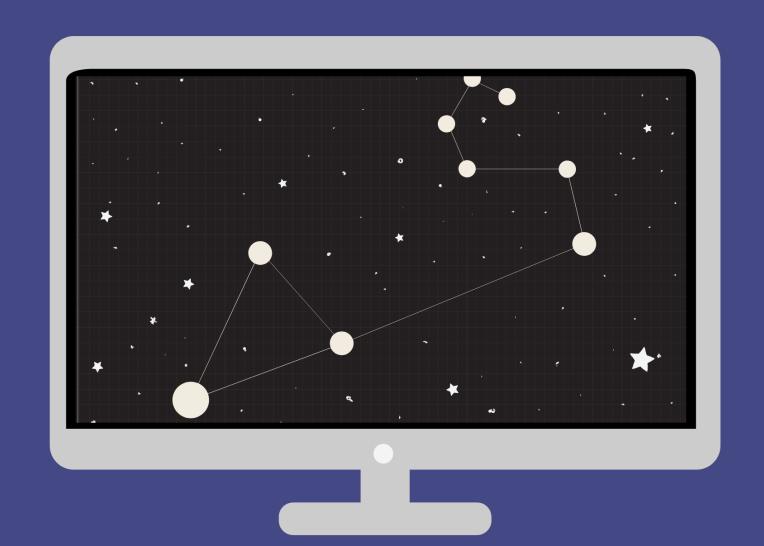
Follow the step-by-step installation guide.



Browser Set-Up

These browsers work best in Android: Privacy Browser by F-Droid Privacy Browser by Stoutner





I2P for Docker

Latest version: 0.9.50

Get it at DockerHub

You may retrieve the image by running the 'docker pull' command:

docker pull geti2p/i2p

SHA256: 34902d2a7e678fda9261d489ab31566:

What is this?

















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Requires Docker to be installed on any host system.

For Windows and OSX go to https://www.docker.com/ products/docker-desktop

Additional Resources

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Advanced Installation Instructions

Docker instructions for those that are curious about composing Docker containers together.

Link coming soon! Instructions

Browser Configuration

Configure your browser settings to be compatible with the I2P network:

Firefox Chrome Internet Explorer

For a pure Docker webflow:

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xhost + local:docker
    docker run -it --rm \
      --net=host \
      -e DISPLAY=unix$(DISPLAY) \
      -v /tmp/.X11-unix:/tmp/.X11-unix \
     geti2p/i2p.firefox firefox --profile /src/
build/profile
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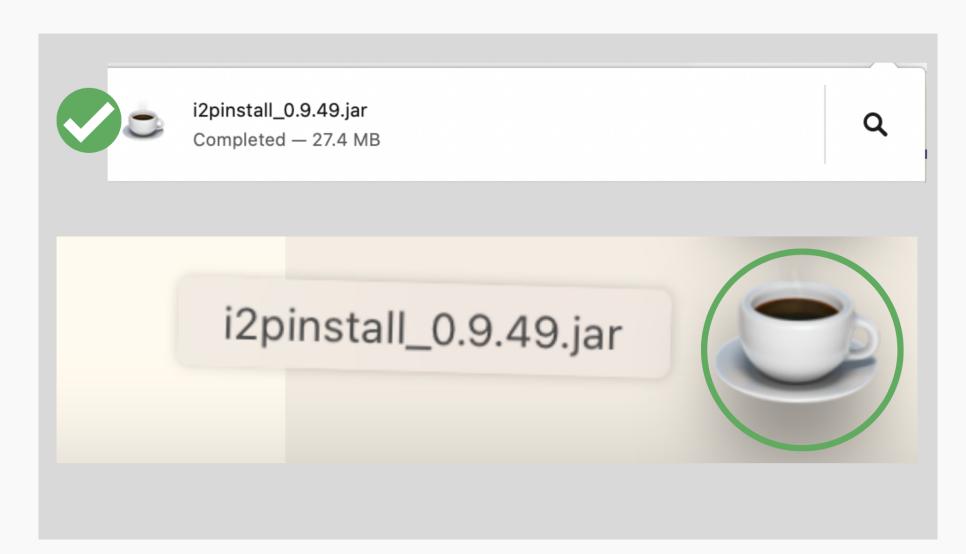


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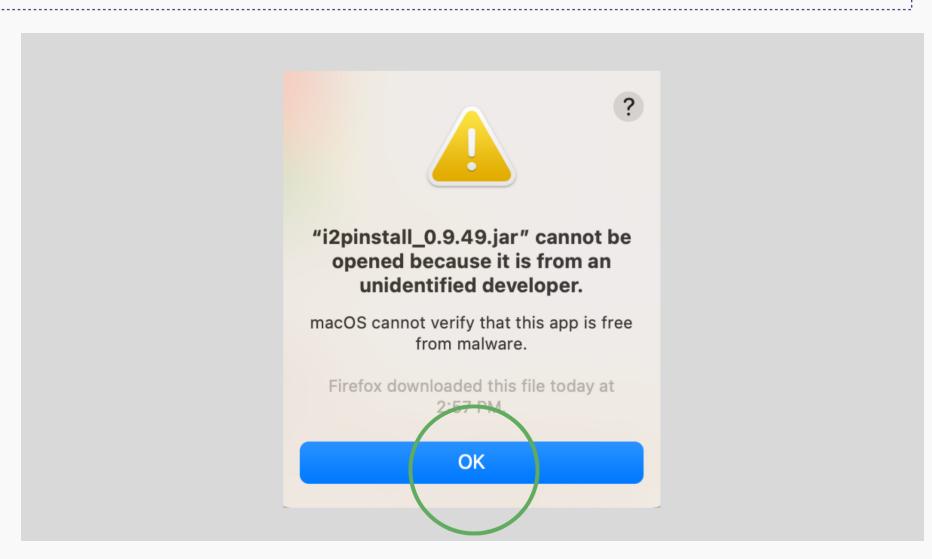
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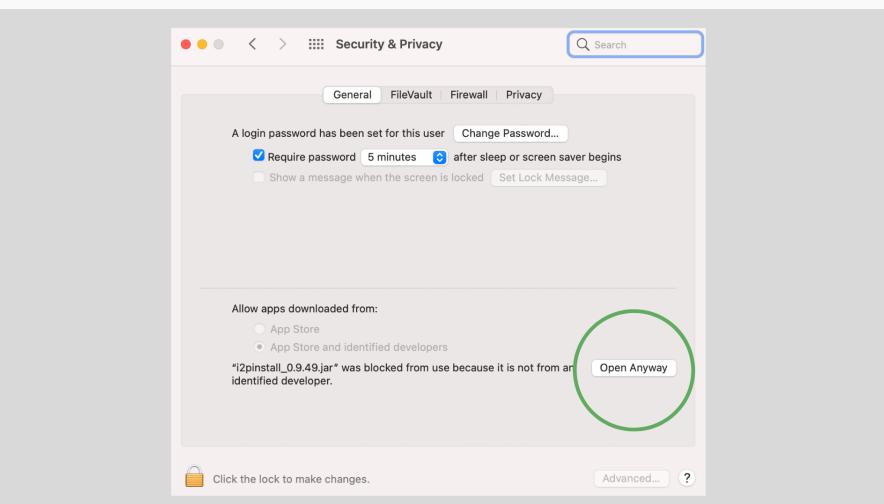
- Download and install Java if you have not already. Step by step installation instructions for Java can be found here.
- Open the .jar file. Notice the coffee cup icon, which means it can be opened since Java is installed.



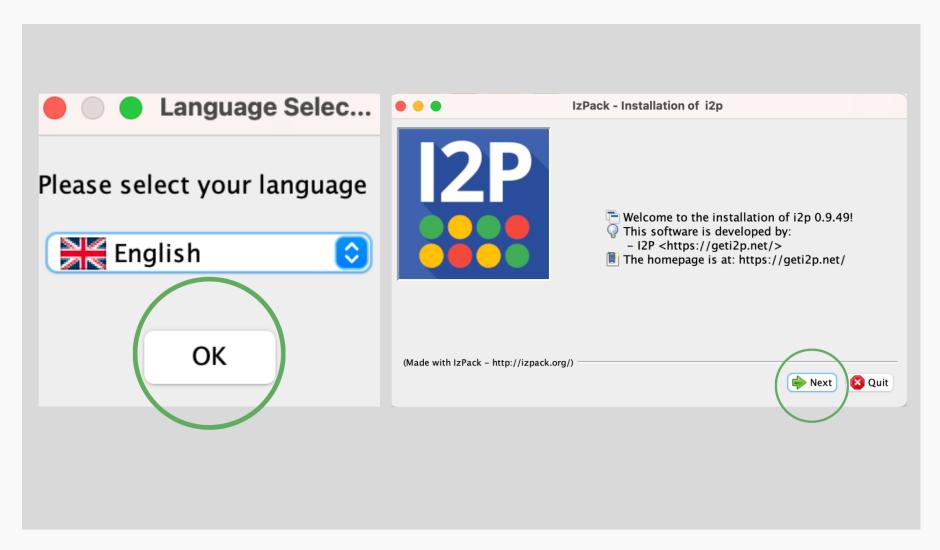
3 Mac will ask you to allow permissions to open the file.

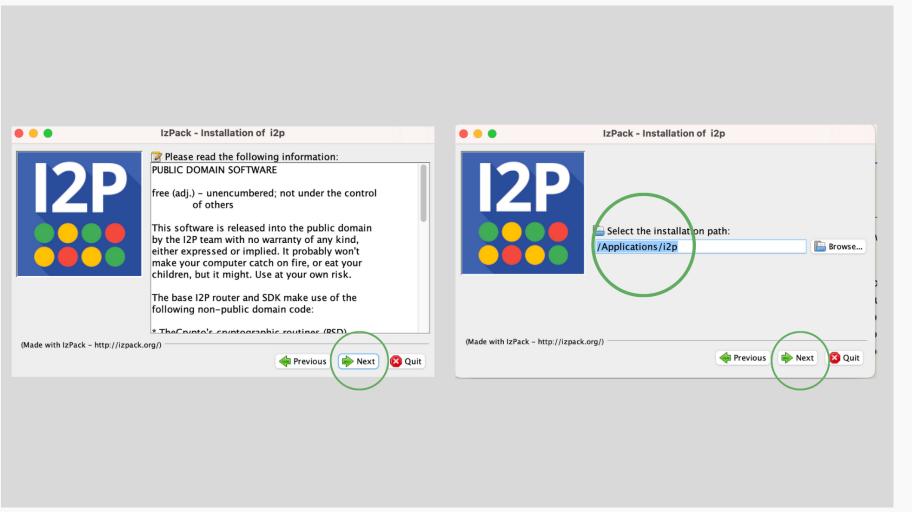
Tool Tip: Since the I2P software is not from the app store, Apple lets us know that. The message warns us that the developer is not known, but we can go ahead and click okay. The I2P software is open source, and we can see who maintains it and active development. Once we get comfortable, we might even want to help them out!

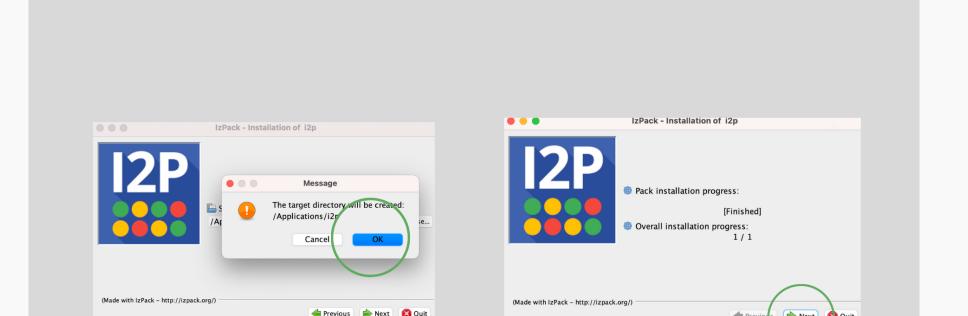




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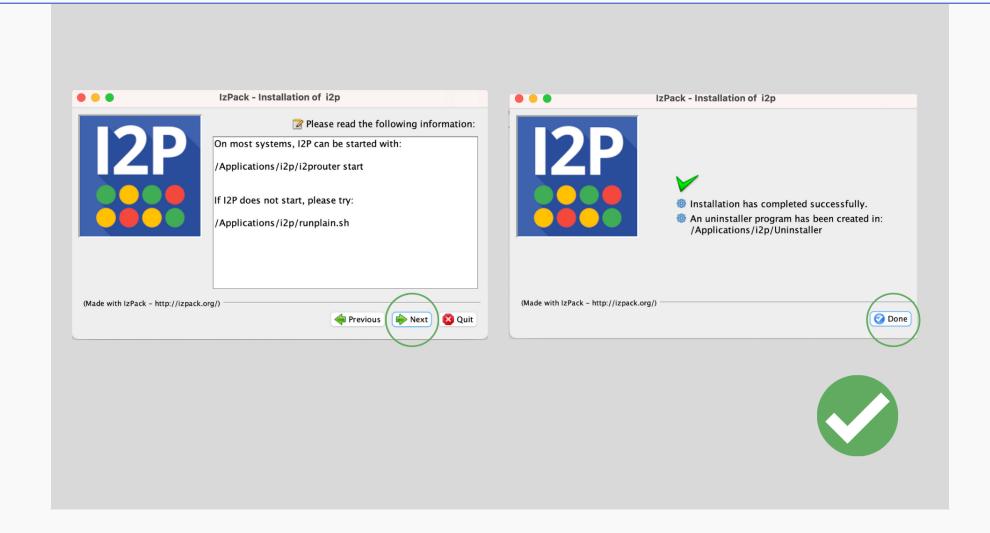






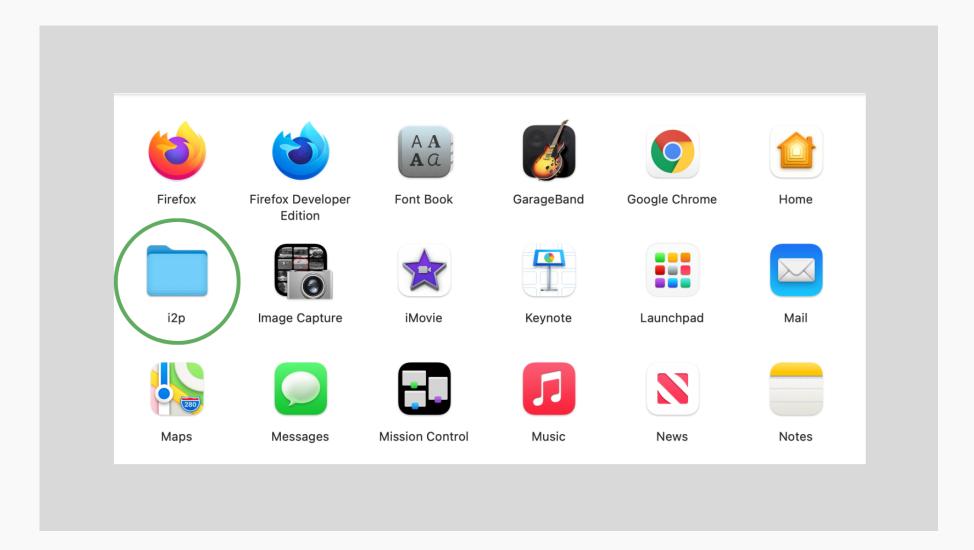


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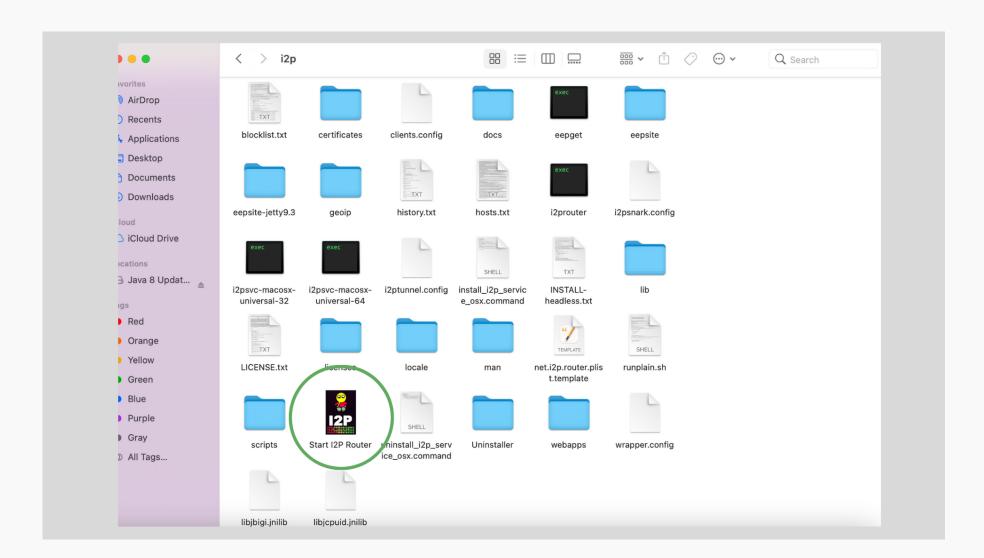


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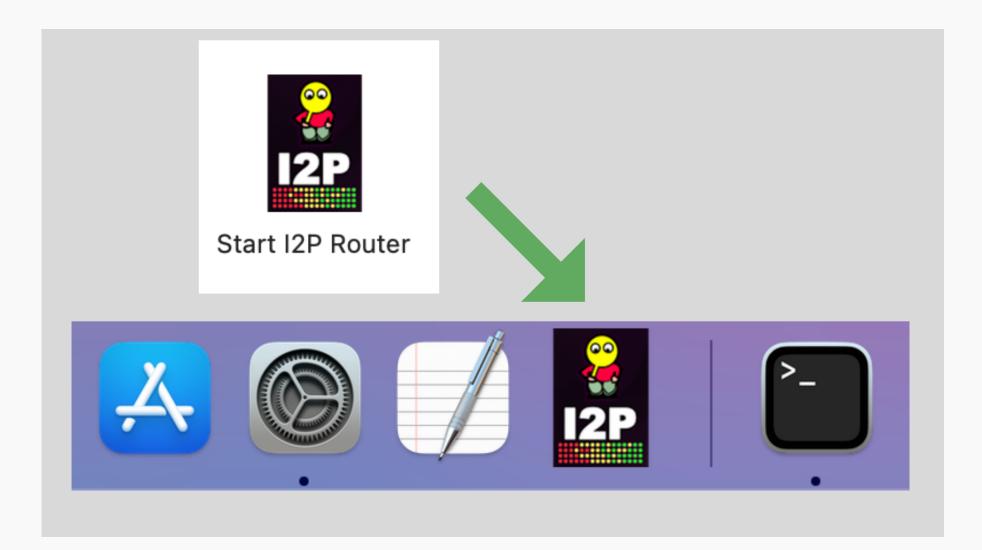
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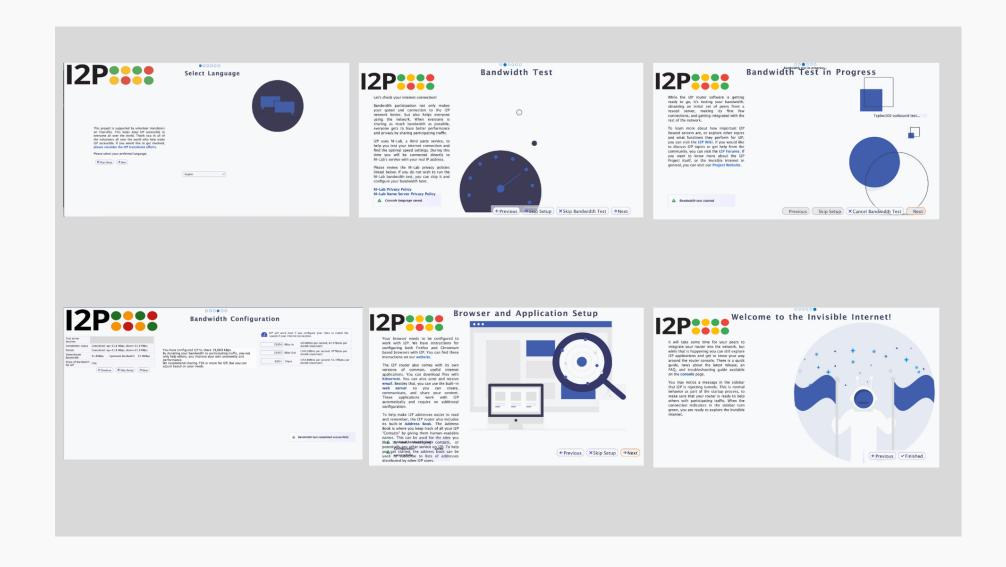


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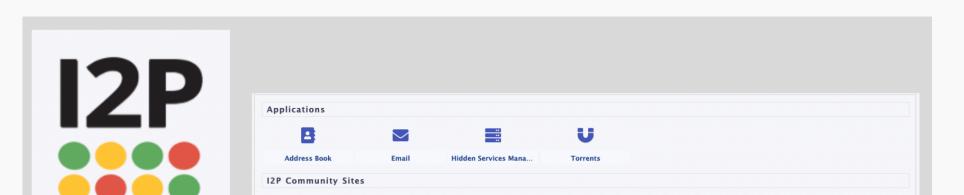


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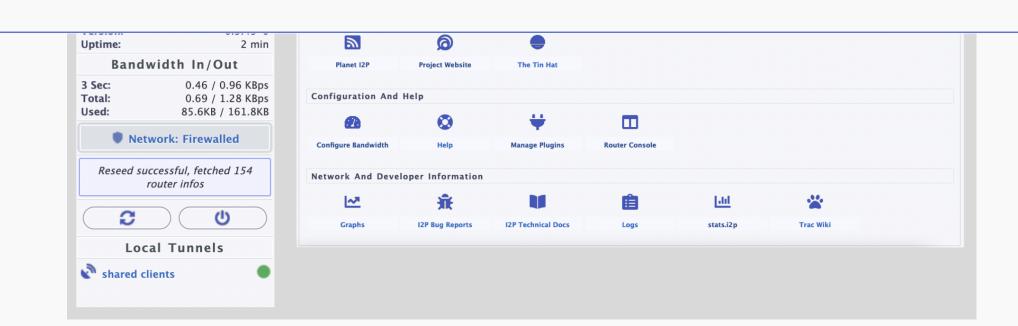


2 The router console will look like this:





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You've completed the installation process! You must configure your browser in order to use I2P. Choose your browser below for instructions.

Firefox Chrome

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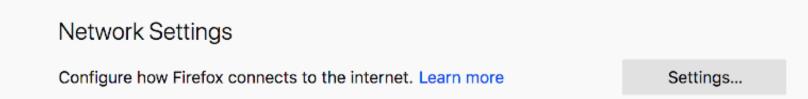


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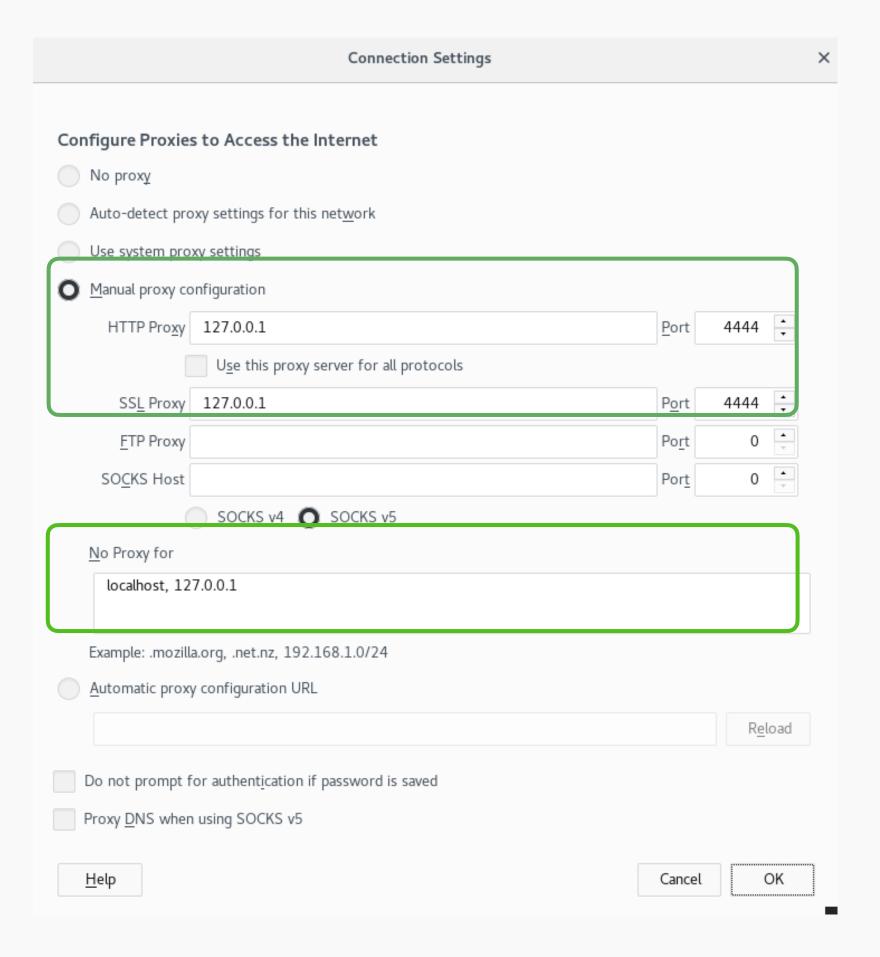
Configuring Your I2P Network Connections

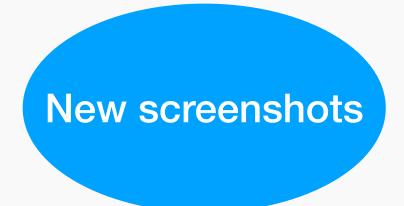
Browser Configuration for Firefox 57 and above

From the Menu button in the top right, select *Preferences*. Scroll down until you see the *Network* Proxy section, as shown in the screenshot below. Click on Settings

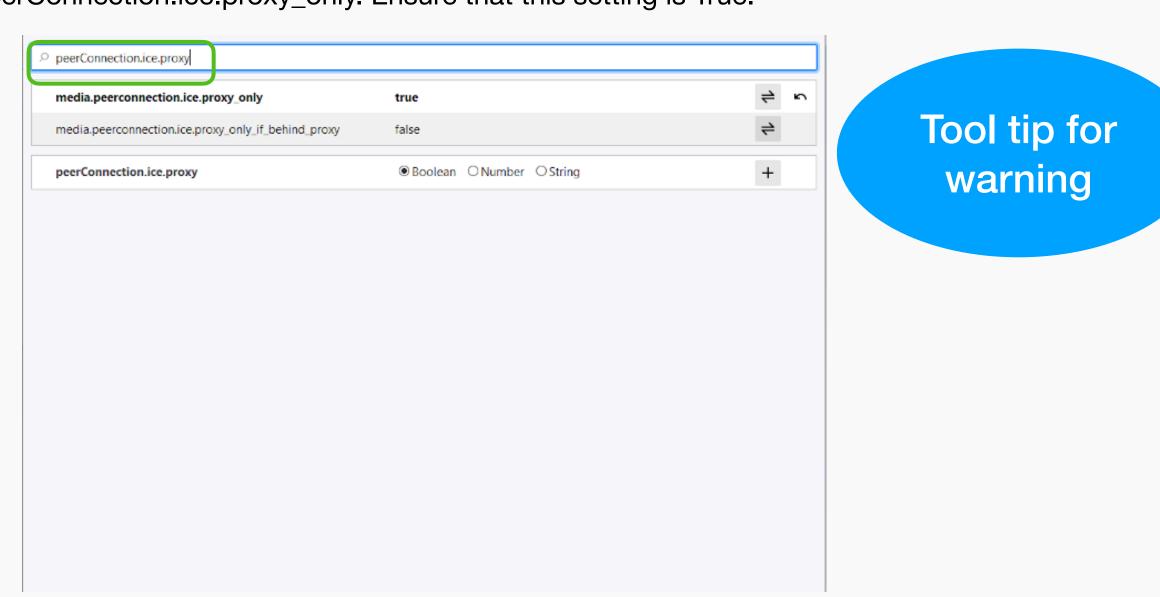


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Finally, go to the address about:config and find the property media.peerConnection.ice.proxy_only. Ensure that this setting is True.



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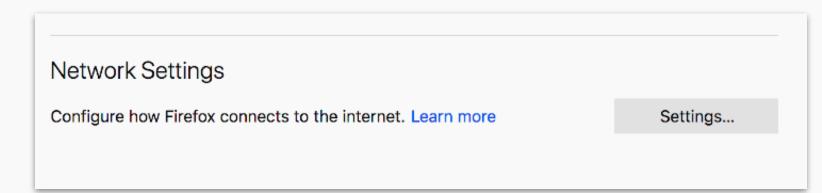
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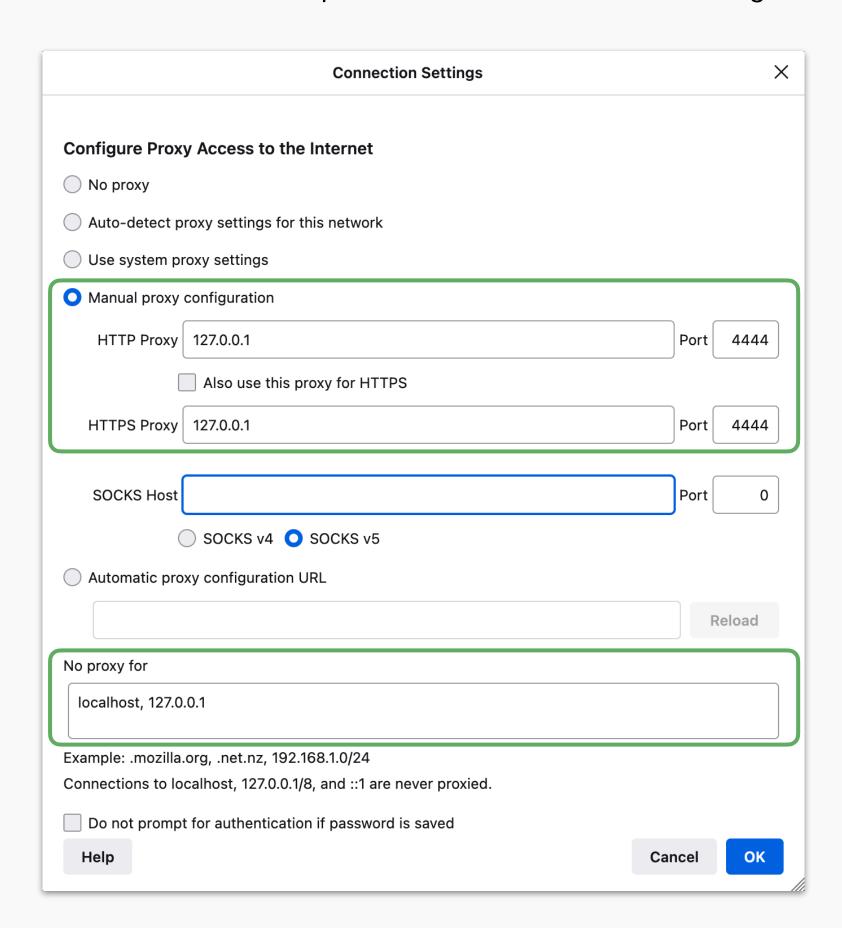
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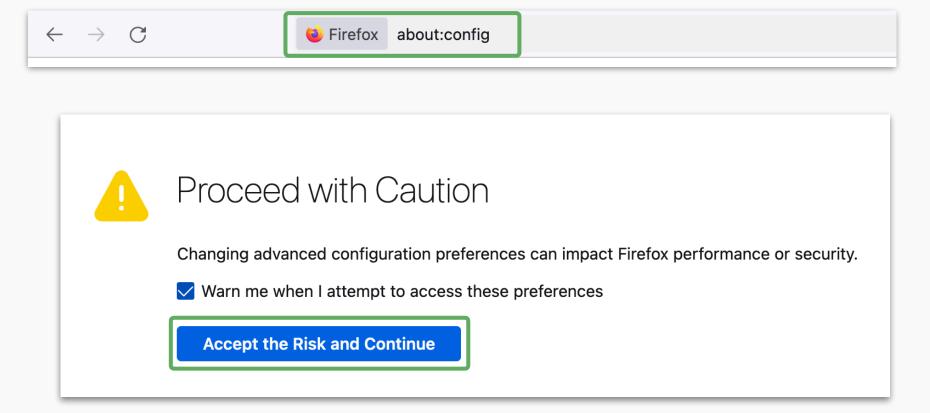


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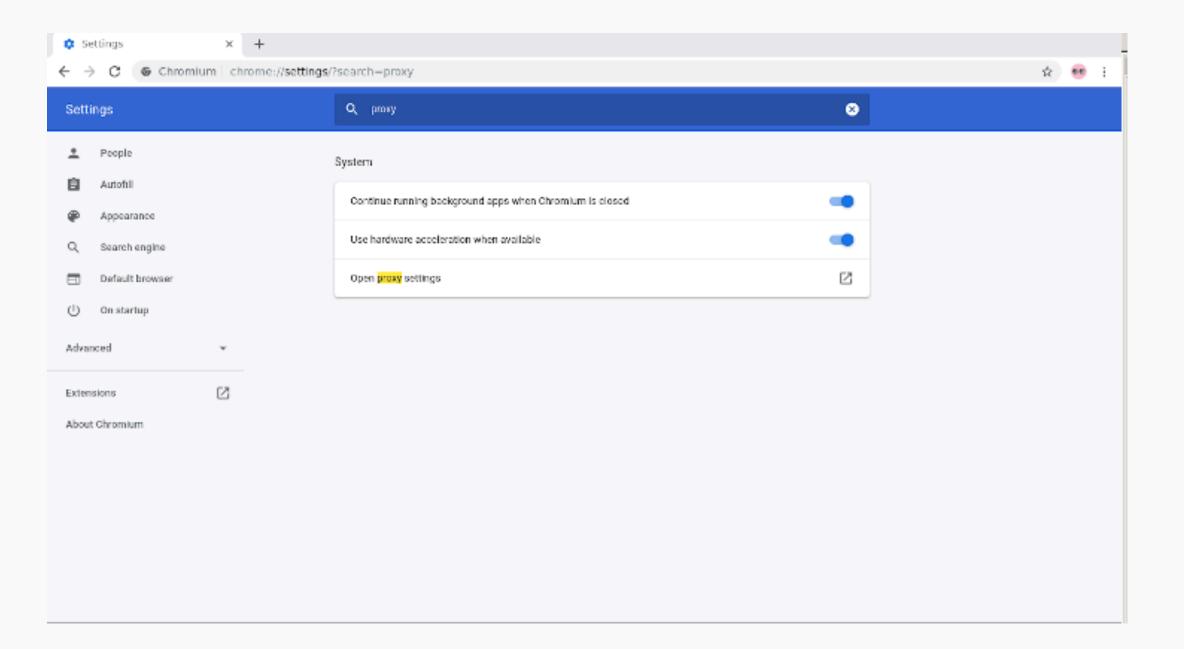


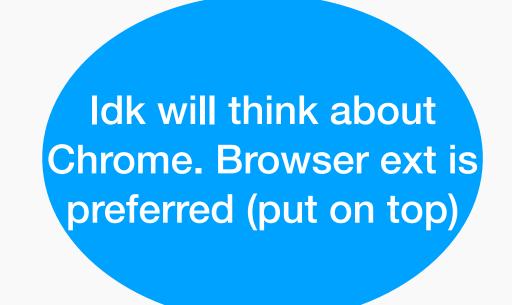
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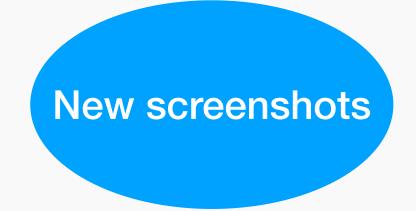
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Browser Configuration for Chrome

Chromium-Based Browsers like Chrome have slightly different places for their proxy settings depending on variant and platform. These instructions may be slightly different in Brave or Iridium, for instance. From the Main menu, navigate to the Settings, and search for the menu item. Clicking it will open the right settings for your platform.









Experimental, Extension-Based Configuration

An experimental, partially-automated configuration process for Chrome is available. In order to configure it, create a new *Profile* especially for your I2P browsing, separate from the default profile. Then install this *Extension* in your newly-created profile. This profile is now configured to use I2P. Highly detailed instructions are available at the homepage.

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