

# VEX Robotics V5

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## Vex Quick Start

1. [Pair the V5 Controller with the Brain](#)
2. [Tank Drive on V5 Controller](#)

## VEX Robotics V5 Resources

1. Vex Robotics <http://www.vexrobotics.com>
2. Vex V5 Stem Library  
<https://kb.vex.com/hc/en-us/categories/360002333191-V5>
3. Vex Forums <http://www.vexforum.com>

## VEX V5 Getting Started Programming

There are two programming IDE's.

**VEXcode 5** is very versatile. You can program with Blocks, Python and C++. Blocks programming is a good place to get started and test your robot.

**VEXcode 5 Pro** has more advanced features. It uses C++ only.

We are going to start with **VEXcode 5**.

All of these links are from <https://kb.vex.com/hc/en-us/categories/360002333191-V5>

1. Get Started with Your VEX V5 System Bundle  
<https://kb.vex.com/hc/en-us/articles/360061110971-Get-Started-with-Your-VEX-V5-System-Bundle>
  2. Update the firmware (VEXos) on the Vex Brain  
<https://kb.vex.com/hc/en-us/articles/360047646811-Get-Started-with-VEXcode-V5-Firmware>
  3. Download and install VEXcode v5 on Windows  
<https://kb.vex.com/hc/en-us/articles/360035953791-Installing-VEXcode-V5-on-Windows>
1. Go to <https://kb.vex.com/hc/en-us/categories/360002333191-V5>
  2. Go to **VEXcode V5**.
  4. Start programming your VEX!

## Vex Robotics Resources

- CS-STEM Network Carnegie Mellon Robotics Academy <https://www.cs2n.org>
- Vex EDR Curriculum, includes introduction to AutoDesk Inventor  
<https://curriculum.vexrobotics.com/>
- AutoDesk Inventor Tutorial: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1qZL494b2qE>
- College Competitions <https://www.robotevents.com/robot-competitions/college-competition>
- Current Competition Resources:  
<https://www.vexrobotics.com/vexedr/competition/vrc-current-game>
- Download the Autodesk VEX Kit of Parts  
<https://www.autodesk.com/education/competitions-and-events/vex/recommended-software>
- Future Engineers of MJC Resource Page <http://peterseny.faculty.mjc.edu/femjc.html>
- Vex Robotics Wiki <https://vexwiki.org/>