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Go is hawt

Installation

Step 1

<http://code.google.com/p/go/downloads/list?q=OpSys-OSX+Type-Installer>

Step 2

```
// hello.go  
package main  
import "fmt"  
  
func main() {  
    fmt.Printf("hello, world\n")  
}
```

Step 3

```
go run hello.go
```

That's it!

Environment

Step 1

```
mkdir -p ~/go/bin
```

```
mkdir -p ~/go/pkg
```

```
mkdir -p ~/go/src
```

Step 2

```
export GOPATH=$HOME/go
```

add this to your .bashrc, .profile, or .vimrc

Step 3

```
mkdir -p $GOPATH/src/  
github.com/your_username
```

Step 4

```
cd $GOPATH/src/github.com/  
your_username  
mkdir hello-go  
cd hello-go  
vim hello-go.go
```

Step 5

```
// hello.go
package main
import "fmt"

func main() {
    fmt.Printf("hello, world\n")
}
```

Step 6

```
go install github.com/  
your_username/hello-go
```

That installs the program as a binary to \$GOPATH/bin/hello-go.

Step 7

\$GOPATH/bin/hello-go

Optionally, add \$GOPATH/bin to your PATH. Then you could just run: hello-go

Enjoy. Start writing Go.

Deploying

[https://github.com/
scottmotte/heroku-go-
hello](https://github.com/scottmotte/heroku-go-hello)

```
git clone https://github.com/scottmotte/heroku-go-hello.git  
cd heroku-go-hello  
heroku create -b https://github.com/kr/heroku-buildpack-go.git  
git push heroku master
```

Iterate and build

```
package main
import "fmt"
func main() {
    var a string = "initial"
    fmt.Println(a)

    var b, c int = 1, 2
    fmt.Println(b, c)

    var e int
    fmt.Println(e)

    f := "short"
    fmt.Println(f)
}
```

```
package main
import "fmt"
func main() {
    fmt.Println("go" + "lang")
    fmt.Println("1+1=", 1+1)
    fmt.Println(true && false)
    fmt.Println(true || false)
}
```

```
package main
import "fmt"
func main() {
    var array [5]int
    fmt.Println(array)

    array[4] = 44
    fmt.Println(array)
    fmt.Println(array[4])

    b := [5]int{1,2,3,4,5}
    fmt.Println(b)

    twoD := [2][3]int{{1,2,3}, {4,5,6}}
    fmt.Println(twoD)
}
```



```
package main
import "fmt"
func main() {
    slice := []string{"dude", "ted", "bill"}
    fmt.Println(slice)

    slice[0] = "newdude"
    fmt.Println(slice)
}
```

```
package main
import "fmt"
func main() {
    a := []string{"1", "2"}
    fmt.Println(a)

    // make(map[key_type]value_type)
    m := map[int]string{1: "one", 2: "two"}
    fmt.Println(m)
}
```

```

package main
import "fmt"
func main() {
    i := 1
    for i<=3 {
        fmt.Println(i)
        i = i + 1
    }

    for j := 5; j <= 12; j++ {
        fmt.Println(j)
    }

    ...

```

```

...
    for {
        fmt.Println("dude")
        if i >= 100 {
            break
        }
        i = i + 1
    }
}

```

```
package main
import "fmt"
//funcs
func plus(a int, b int) int {
    return a + b
}
//multiple return values
func vals() (int, int) {
    return 88, 77
}
...
```

```
...
func main() {
    result := plus(9,3)
    fmt.Println(result)

    a, b := vals()

    fmt.Println(a)
    fmt.Println(b)
}
```

Resources

- <http://golang.org>
- <https://github.com/scottmotte/heroku-go-hello>
- <http://github.com/scottmotte/go-by-example>

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