

Downloading and Installing Apache Lenya 1.2.x

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1. Download Apache Lenya 1.2.x

The current stable version of Apache Lenya is 1.2.5. This is the recommended version for production use. You will at least need the Java 2 Platform, Standard Edition, version 1.4.2. Please follow the [installation instructions](http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.zip) ([../docs/1_2_x/installation/source_version.html](http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.zip)) .

- Lenya 1.2.5 [Windows binary](http://www.apache.org/dyn/closer.cgi/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.zip) (<http://www.apache.org/dyn/closer.cgi/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.zip>) (ZIP archive) [ASC Signature](http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.zip.asc) (<http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.zip.asc>) [MD5 Checksum](http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.zip.md5) (<http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.zip.md5>)
- Lenya 1.2.5 [Windows source code](http://www.apache.org/dyn/closer.cgi/lenya/SOURCES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-src.zip) (<http://www.apache.org/dyn/closer.cgi/lenya/SOURCES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-src.zip>) (ZIP archive) [ASC Signature](http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/SOURCES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-src.zip.asc) (<http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/SOURCES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-src.zip.asc>) [MD5 Checksum](http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/SOURCES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-src.zip.md5) (<http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/SOURCES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-src.zip.md5>)
- Lenya 1.2.5 [Unix binary](http://www.apache.org/dyn/closer.cgi/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.tar.gz) (<http://www.apache.org/dyn/closer.cgi/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.tar.gz>) (tar.gz archive) [ASC Signature](http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.tar.gz.asc) (<http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.tar.gz.asc>) [MD5 Checksum](http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.tar.gz.md5) (<http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.tar.gz.md5>)
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While the available Windows installer is great to set up Apache Lenya quickly on Windows, some tasks such as [deploying your own publication](http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.zip) ([../docs/1_2_x/how-to/deploy_publication.html](http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.zip)) require you to use the source version at this time. All binary distributions come with a signed MD5 checksum to verify the file integrity. You may want to download a [MD5 check program for windows](http://www.pc-tools.net/win32/md5sums/) (<http://www.pc-tools.net/win32/md5sums/>) (this program has been recommended by the author of PuTTY). The Apache Software Foundation has [more information on ASC Signatures and MD5 checksums](http://people.apache.org/~henkp/cgi-bin/md5.cgi) (<http://people.apache.org/~henkp/cgi-bin/md5.cgi>) .

Download with Subversion

We use [Subversion](http://subversion.tigris.org/) (<http://subversion.tigris.org/>) (SVN for short) as our version control system. The following instructions explain [how to get Apache Lenya via Subversion](http://subversion.tigris.org/) ([subversion.html](http://subversion.tigris.org/)) . This is useful to get bug fixes for the stable 1.2-series, which is in maintenance mode, before they make it into the next release of that series.

Download nightly snapshots

These are automated [nightly snapshots](http://svn.apache.org/snapshots/lenya/) (<http://svn.apache.org/snapshots/lenya/>) (tar.gz archives) of the SVN repository.

2. Install Apache Lenya 1.2.x

Please follow our [installation instructions](http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.zip) ([source_version.html](http://www.apache.org/dist/lenya/BINARIES/apache-lenya-1.2.5-bin.zip)) for the source version. Instructions on how to install the binary version are contained in the distribution packages.

