

Ruby

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Installing Ruby

Windows: <http://www.stanford.edu/~ouster/cgi-bin/cs142-spring12/railsInstall.php>

Linux/Mac:

1. `bash -s stable < <(curl -s https://raw.githubusercontent.com/wayneeseguin/rvm/master/binscripts/rvm-installer)`
2. `echo '[[-s "$HOME/.rvm/scripts/rvm"]] && . "$HOME/.rvm/scripts/rvm" # Load RVM function' >> ~/.bash_profile`
3. `source ~/.bash_profile`
4. `rvm install 1.9.2`
5. `rvm use 1.9.2 --default`
6. `gem install rails -v 3.2.1`
7. `gem install sqlite3-ruby`

Running Ruby

- Running from Terminal
 - `ruby program.rb`
- Interactive Ruby (Ruby Shell environment)
 - run any ruby code on the ruby shell, or
 - load a ruby program -- `load 'program.rb'`
- IDEs (Netbeans) -- Windows/Linux/Mac OS X

Ruby Basics

- Scripting Language
- Pure Object Oriented
- Facilities for Meta-programming

Ruby Object Oriented Features

- Class
 - Instance Variables/Methods
 - Class Variables/Methods
- Inheritance
- Modules
- Files
 - `ruby-oop/*.rb`

Iterators, blocks and yield

- defining new control structures with iterators
- blocks
- yield
 - yield more than one value
- Files
 - `ruby-control/*.rb`

Ruby Meta-programming facilities

- create a new program on the fly and execute them
 - `eval`
- adding a method to a class on-the-fly
 - `method_missing`
- adding a method to a module on-the-fly
- `eval` vs. `class_eval`
- Files
 - `ruby-meta-programming/*.rb`

Ruby -- regex and hash

- hash
- regex
- Files
 - ruby-others/*.rb

Questions