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Each great journey begins with a humble step. Before we start learning applied SQL, we need to be prepared with a productive environment. In this section, we will see how to do that.

As a prerequisite, you will first need **Microsoft Excel** to be installed on your system for basic analysis and data storage.

Installing PostgreSQL 12

Installing on Windows:

Download the [PostgreSQL](#) and follow the prompts.

Installing on Linux:

You can install PostgreSQL on Ubuntu or Debian Linux via the command line using the following:

```
sudo apt-get install postgresql-12
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Installing on macOS:

Download the [PostgreSQL](#) and follow the prompts.

Installing Python

Installing Python on Windows:

1. Find your desired version on the official installation page of [Python](#).

2. Ensure that you select Python 3.7 from the download page.

3. Ensure that you install the correct architecture for your computer system—that is, either 32-bit or 64-bit. You can find out this information in the **System Properties** window of your OS.

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