A. Installing Prerequisites

1. Download and install the latest [Node.js](https://nodejs.org/en/) from its web site.
2. Download and install the latest [Git](https://git-scm.com/) from its web site.
3. Open your favorite console application (Terminal, Command Prompt etc.), run the following command and wait for it to finish:
4. npm install -g bower
5. Run the following command and wait for it to finish:
6. npm install -g gulp

Now you are ready to install the Fuse.

B. Installing Fuse

1. Unzip the zip file that you have downloaded from Themeforest. Inside the zip file, you will find the Skeleton Project **(Fuse-1.x.x.zip)** along with the Demo Project **(Fuse-1.x.x-demo.zip)**, PSD designs and a readme file.
2. For this documentation, we will be using the Skeleton Project which is the exact same template minus the demo content so you don't have to clean up the demo content.
3. Extract the contents of the zip file **(Fuse-1.x.x.zip)** into a folder that you will work within. For this documentation, we will refer that as "*your work folder*".
4. Open your favorite console application (Terminal, Command Prompt etc.), navigate into your work folder, run the following command and wait for it to finish:
5. npm install

This command will install all the required Node.js modules into the **node\_modules** directory inside your work folder.

**Note:** Installing Node.js packages may throw a lot of warnings and errors along the way. As long as the process finishes without any error notes such as "Killed", you will be fine.

1. Run the following command and wait it for to finish:
2. bower install

This command will install all the required bower packages into the **bower\_components** directory inside your work folder.

And now, you are ready to run the Fuse for the first time.

C. Running Fuse

1. While still in your work folder, run the following command in the console application:
2. gulp serve

And that's it. Gulp will take care everything and start the Fuse. Your default browser will be opened automatically, and you will be able to navigate through the template.

For more information about gulp commands, check the Working with Fuse section.

npm install -g gulp

npm install

gulp

gulp dev

