

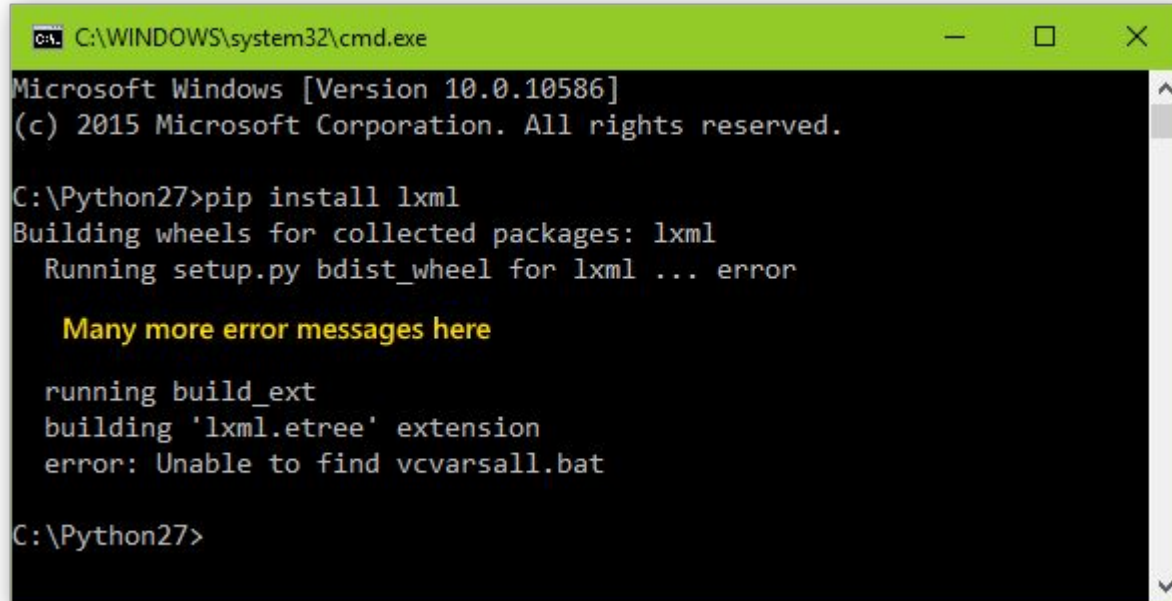


# conda-forge

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# I have a problem...



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C:\WINDOWS\system32\cmd.exe
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.10586]
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C:\Python27>pip install lxml
Building wheels for collected packages: lxml
  Running setup.py bdist_wheel for lxml ... error

  Many more error messages here

  running build_ext
  building 'lxml.etree' extension
  error: Unable to find vcvarsall.bat

C:\Python27>
```

Figure from and real solution to this problem can be found in an excellent blog post: <https://blogs.msdn.microsoft.com/pythonengineering/2016/04/11/unable-to-find-vcvarsall-bat/>

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A method for created **isolated environments** with **all** my dependencies.

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- Cross-platform package manager
- Environment manager
- Open source, BSD license
- Does not require admin/root
- Designed for any software, but with Python-specific enhancements
- Created by Continuum Analytics





# PSA: Some terminology

**conda** : Cross platform platform package and environment manager (BSD)

**Anaconda** : Python distribution using on conda with lots of scientific tools

**Miniconda** : Minimal Python distribution that uses conda, great to 'bootstrap'

**Anaconda Cloud / Anaconda.org** : Place to host and share conda packages, Jupyter notebooks and conda environments.

**Green anaconda** : big snake, non-venomous



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- a community led collection of **recipes**, **build infrastructure** and **packages**.
- 805 packages, 150 contributors
- **open** and **transparent**, meeting notes and discussion on GitHub.
- recipes are stored in GitHub "feedstock" repositories
- builds done on CI systems; Travis CI, Circle CI , AppVeyor
- Packages uploaded to the **conda-forge** channel on Anaconda.org

Install packages using:

```
conda install -c conda-forge altair
```



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<https://conda-forge.github.io/>

packages: <https://anaconda.org/conda-forge>

gitter: <https://gitter.im/conda-forge/conda-forge.github.io>

submit a package: <https://github.com/conda-forge/staged-recipes>

blog post: <https://www.continuum.io/blog/developer-blog/community-conda-forge>

contributors (>100): <https://github.com/orgs/conda-forge/people>

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