

Steps for installing converter on Linux

A) Install ruby

- Open a terminal window. It may also be referred to as a "shell" or "bash shell" in the menus. On Ubuntu, go to *Applications -> Accessories -> Terminal*.
- Run the command **which ruby**.
- If you see a path such as */usr/bin/ruby*, Ruby is installed. If you don't see any response or get an error message, Ruby is not installed.
- To verify that you have a current version of Ruby, run the command **ruby -v**.
- Compare the version number returned with the version number on <http://www.ruby-lang.org/en/downloads/>.
- If ruby is not installed or you are running a version that is too old, install ruby using the following command:

```
$sudo apt-get install ruby
```

Note : For distributions other than Ubuntu, if your distribution doesn't provide a tool like [apt-get](#) then you can use a site such as [RPMFind](#) to find Ruby packages. Be sure to look for the *irb*, *ri* and *rdoc* packages as well, but depending on how the [RPM package](#) was built it may already include these programs.

B) Install ruby gems

```
$sudo apt-get install rubygems1.8
```

C) Install mupdf

- Download both the source and thirdparty file from <http://code.google.com/p/mupdf/downloads/list?q=source>
- Change directory to ximera/mupdf

```
$cd mupdf
```

```
$make prefix=/usr/local install
```

D) Run slice

- slice requires pngcrush, pdftk and imagemagick packages to be installed

```
$sudo apt-get install pngcrush  
$sudo apt-get install pdftk  
$sudo apt-get install imagemagick
```

- run slice :
\$ ruby slice.rb <pdf_name>