

1) To install testrpc the following command USED TO do it

2. `npm install -g ethereumjs-testrpc`

3. However the above command is now replaced with
`npm install -g ganache-cli`

4 . Testrpc gets downloaded on windows version .But it will have its limitations for mac and linux versions.

5. If it is rightly installed , you will get a message say (x number of packages have been successfully installed).

6. Just test by entering testrpc on your command prompt.

7. If everything looks good, you will receive 10 public and private keys which you can use it for test purpose.

8. Kindly save those keys on your notepad so that they would be useful to you when you work on a smart contract/blockchain

Linux and Mac users have their limitations as your admin encryption prevents the file from downloading through the command.

In case the above installation doesn't work add a prefix "sudo" for a successful installation

`sudo npm install -g ganache-cli`