# Installing the AWS CLI for Ubuntu 22.04

Installing and updating the AWS CLI for Linux is fairly easy and adequate documentation is already provided on the aws documents section. The article given below demonstrates the process of installing AWS CLI on Linux

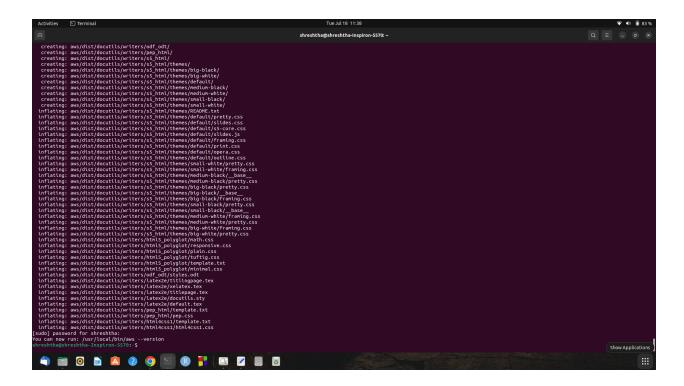
### Step 1) Run the command to download the installation files

(The command given below contains the link to installing AWS CLI from the official amazon website as of 2023 and the link is subject hence it is recommended to check the link before installation)

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curl "https://awscli.amazonaws.com/awscli-exe-linux-x86_64.zip" -o "awscliv2.zip" unzip awscliv2.zip sudo ./aws/install
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During the installation, the prompt will ask you to enter your password and then the installation will be completed and you will be greeted with a message similar to this



### Step 2) Verifying the install

In order to verify the install on a linux based system, please download the GNUPG available at the site <a href="https://www.gnupg.org/download/index.html">https://www.gnupg.org/download/index.html</a> after download, please extract the folder.

Go into your terminal and type

I prefer the nano text editor because it is compatible with Ubuntu and also because it is the text editor that I am the most comfortable with. Please feel free to substitute the editor of your choice

sudo nano test.txt

• After that, an editor pane should open and copy and paste the following text into the file

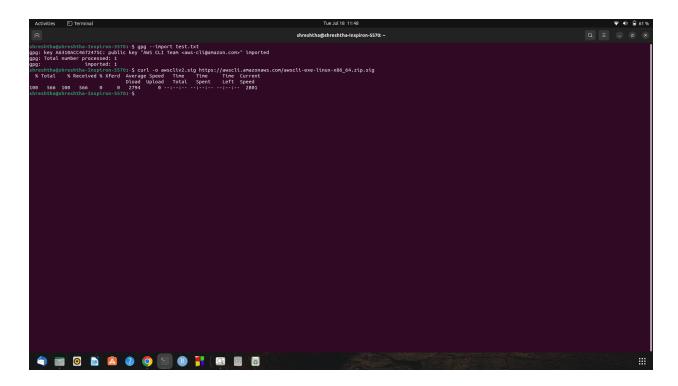
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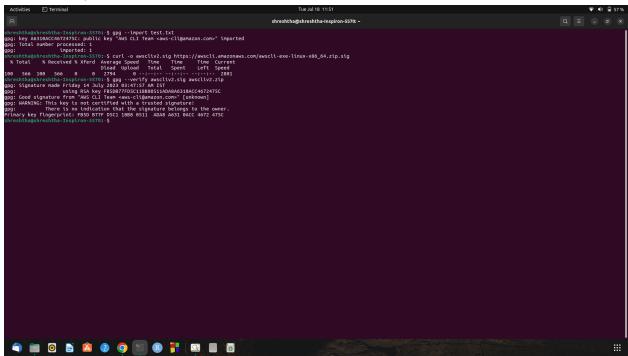
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When you are done pasting the text in the file, save and exit the editor. The next step is to verify the downloaded signature using the command and installing the AWS CLI signature file for the downloaded package

gpg --import test.txt curl -o awscliv2.sig https://awscli.amazonaws.com/awscli-exe-linux-x86\_64.zip.sig



After the download of the signature, the next step is to verify the signatures using the gpg command. If everything goes well, you should end up with output like this( warnings are usually not a matter of concern here.)



After successful verification, next step is to unzip our downloaded files using the command

## Step 3) Installing and unzipping the CLI

unzip awscliv2.zip

After that, install via the sudo
sudo ./aws/install

## Step 4) Confirming the installation

You can confirm the installation using

aws --version

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Thus the AWS CLI has been installed successfully, the CLI can now be configured and is ready to use