In Django, every web app you want to create is called a project; and a project is a sum of applications. An application is a set of code files relying on the MVT pattern.

Whether you are on Windows or Linux, just get a terminal or a **cmd** prompt and navigate to the place you want your project to be created, then use this code −

$ django-admin startproject myproject

This will create a "myproject" folder with the following structure −

myproject/

manage.py

myproject/

\_\_init\_\_.py

settings.py

urls.py

wsgi.py

The Project Structure

The “myproject” folder is just your project container, it actually contains two elements −

* **manage.py** − This file is kind of your project local django-admin for interacting with your project via command line (start the development server, sync db...). To get a full list of command accessible via manage.py you can use the code −

$ python manage.py help

**The “myproject” subfolder** − This folder is the actual python package of your project. It contains four files −

* **\_\_init\_\_.py** − Just for python, treat this folder as package.
* **settings.py** − As the name indicates, your project settings.
* **urls.py** − All links of your project and the function to call. A kind of ToC of your project.
* **wsgi.py** − If you need to deploy your project over WSGI.