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## Build TensorFlow on Windows

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### Requirements:

1. GIT for Windows: <https://git-scm.com/download/win>
2. SWIG: <https://sourceforge.net/projects/swig/files/swigwin/swigwin-3.0.10/>
3. Visual Studio 2015: <https://www.visualstudio.com/downloads/>,  
<https://www.visualstudio.com/vs/older-downloads/>
4. CMake 3.4 or higher: <https://cmake.org/download/>
5. Python 3.5 Anaconda x64: [https://repo.continuum.io/archive/Anaconda3-4.2.0-Windows-x86\\_64.exe](https://repo.continuum.io/archive/Anaconda3-4.2.0-Windows-x86_64.exe)
6. CUDA 8.0: <https://developer.nvidia.com/cuda-downloads>
7. cuDNN v5.1: <https://developer.nvidia.com/cudnn>

### Instructions:

1. Install Cmake and add it to system path.
2. Install CUDA v8.0 (For GPU support only)
3. Extract cuDNN (For GPU Support only)
  - copy all files from bin folder to 'C:\Program Files\NVIDIA GPU Computing Toolkit\CUDA\v8.0\bin'
  - similarly from include to 'C:\Program Files\NVIDIA GPU Computing Toolkit\CUDA\v8.0\include'
  - and 'lib\x64' to 'C:\Program Files\NVIDIA GPU Computing Toolkit\CUDA\v8.0\lib\x64'.
4. Install Anaconda in "C:\tools\", make sure you select Register Anaconda as system path for Python 3.5.
5. Extract SWIG in "C:\tools\" folder.
6. Open command window in the desired folder "D:\Downloads\tensorflow" (Shift+RightClick and Open Command Window here).
7. Enter the following commands

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