

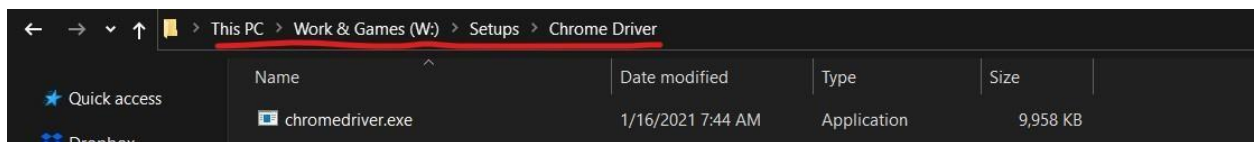
LinkedIn Profile Scraper

Hello, thanks for choosing this program to automatically scrape LinkedIn profiles. This file contains instructions to setup the executable.

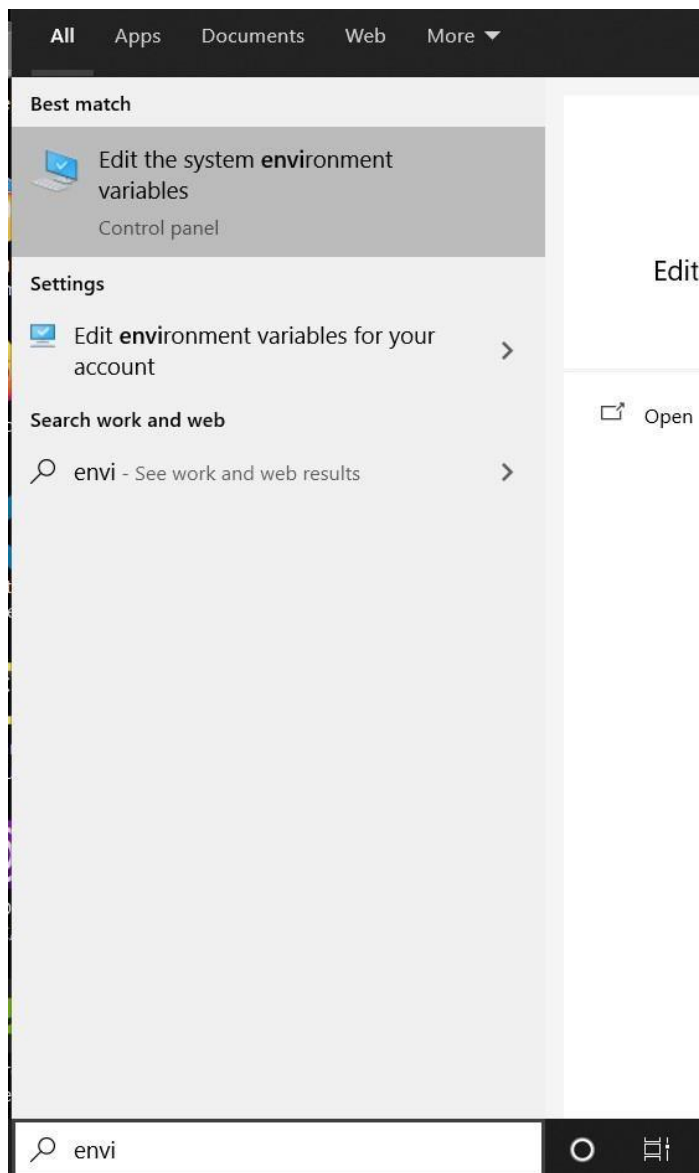
Setting up and running

This program makes use of chromedriver which needs to be added to environmental variables to work. To do so-

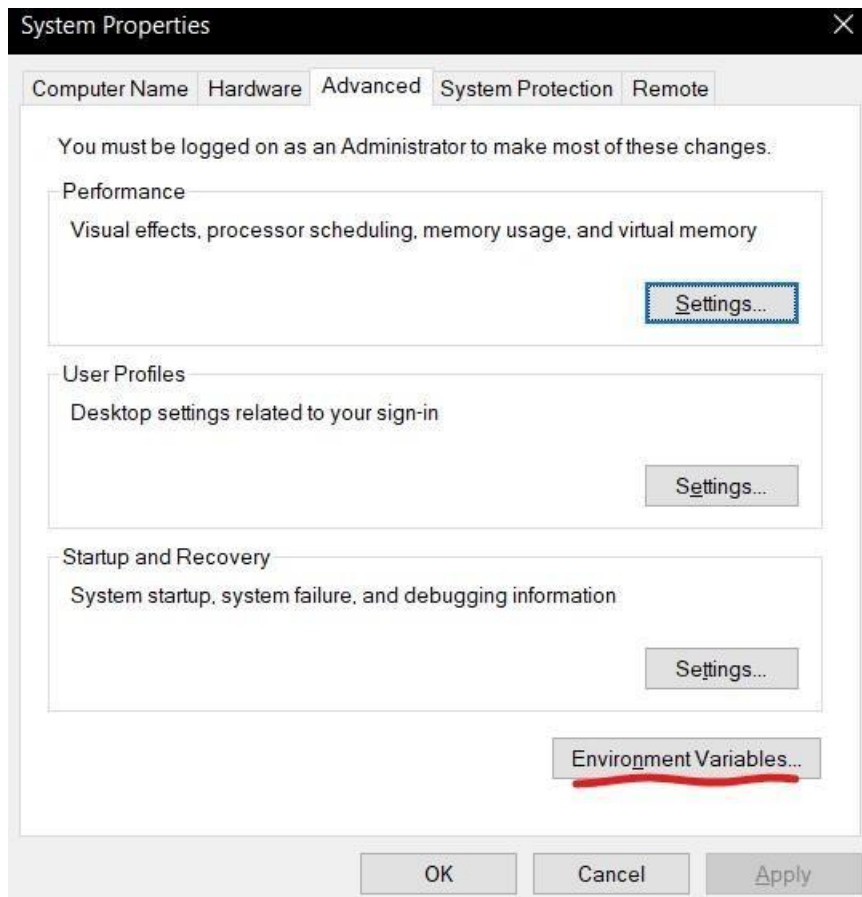
1. The chromedriver executable has already been provided with the program - 'chromedriver.exe'
2. Navigate to the folder containing 'chromedriver.exe' and copy the path by clicking on the underlined part.



3. Search 'environmental variables' on your search bar and select the first option.



4. Click on the 'Environmental Variables' option as highlighted.



For Windows 10:

5. Double click on 'Path' under 'User Variables'.
6. After clicking 'New' add the copied path and append 'chromedriver.exe' to the path from first step. The path would look something like this - "W:\Setups\Chrome Driver\chromedriver.exe". Press 'OK' on all windows.
7. All you need to do now is run 'linkedin_bot.exe' inside the folder 'linkedin_profile_scraper'.

For Windows 7:

5. Single click on 'Path' under 'User Variables'.
6. After clicking 'New' add a semi-colon at the end of the line and paste the copied path and append 'chromedriver.exe' to the path from first step. The path would look something like this (example) - "W:\Setups\Chrome Driver\chromedriver.exe". Press 'OK' on all windows.

7. All you need to do now is run 'linkedin_bot.exe' inside the folder 'linkedin_profile_scraper'.

Features and Limitations

1. The scraper program shows a real time execution of the entries.
2. The password is protected for user discretion.
3. The program automatically sends a connection request if the profile is not in the user connections.
4. Due to automation restrictions, the number of profiles to be scraped is limited to 80.

