

1. Sign up for DataBricks Community Edition (free—if it asks for a credit card, you've picked the wrong version):

<https://accounts.cloud.databricks.com/registration.html#signup/community>

2. Log in to DataBricks

<https://community.cloud.databricks.com>

3. Choose Clusters, then Create Cluster. It will take a minute or two to spin up.
4. Go to home, then create notebook. Give it a name, and choose R.
5. Here are some commands to test that you're up and running:

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sparkR.session()
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library(SparkR)
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```
di amondsDF <- read.df("/databricks-datasets/Rdatasets/data-001/csv/ggplot2/diamonds.csv",
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                        source = "csv", header="true", inferSchema = "true")
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head(di amondsDF)
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