

Installing Docker

Windows / Mac OSX

The easiest way to install Docker on Mac or Windows is to install [Docker Toolbox](#).

This will install VirtualBox with a small Linux VM with Docker called a Docker Machine.

It also install Kitematic (Alpha), which is a user interface which wraps around your Docker Machine.

Docker Machine

By default, your Docker Machine VM will automatically mount your C:\Users folder on Windows, or the /Users folder on OSX.

This allows you to have a shared space between your host and your Docker Machine without opening up the root directory of your file system.

Linux

Depending on [which flavor of Linux](#) you run, your installation instructions may vary.

Simply follow the guides above to get Docker running in your environment and start playing around with containers.