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A Guide on How to Install LaTeX

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1   How to install LaTeX?

To run LaTeX on a machine, four applications are needed:

1. A free TeX distribution for Windows.

   Download and install the latest version of **MikTeX**.
   https://miktex.org/download

2. Tools that handle PostScript files (files with the .PS extension).
   Download and install **Ghostscript** (Ghostscript AGPL Release) and **Ghostview**

   https://pages.cs.wisc.edu/~ghost/

3. The LaTeXcode editor **WinEdit 11.2**

   https://www.winedt.com/download.html

2   Important

- Install the 4 applications in the order. Install WinEdt last and it will find the other programs and self-configure to use them. It will save you a lot of effort and inconvenience.

- You need Adobe Acrobat Reader to view pdf files you will create.