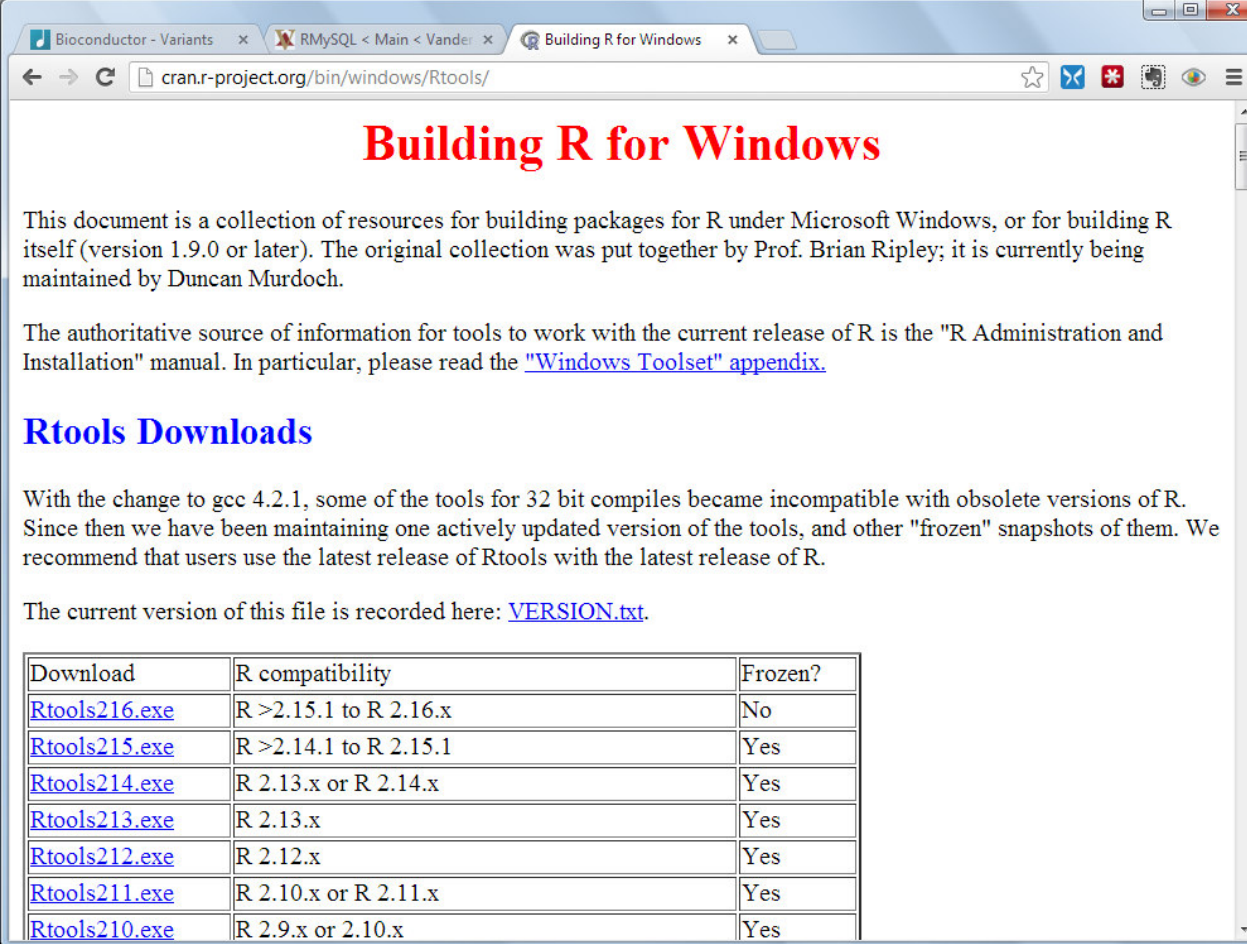


Rtools installation

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Download Rtools from <http://cran.r-project.org/bin/windows/Rtools/>



Building R for Windows

This document is a collection of resources for building packages for R under Microsoft Windows, or for building R itself (version 1.9.0 or later). The original collection was put together by Prof. Brian Ripley; it is currently being maintained by Duncan Murdoch.

The authoritative source of information for tools to work with the current release of R is the "R Administration and Installation" manual. In particular, please read the ["Windows Toolset" appendix](#).

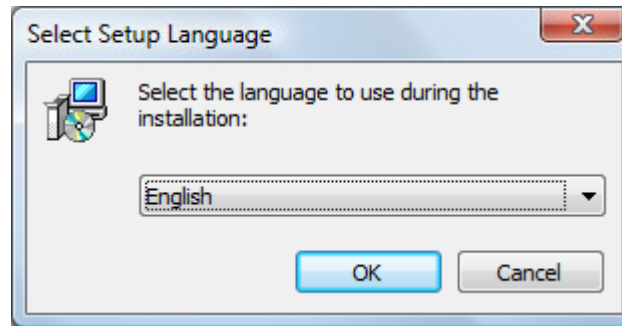
Rtools Downloads

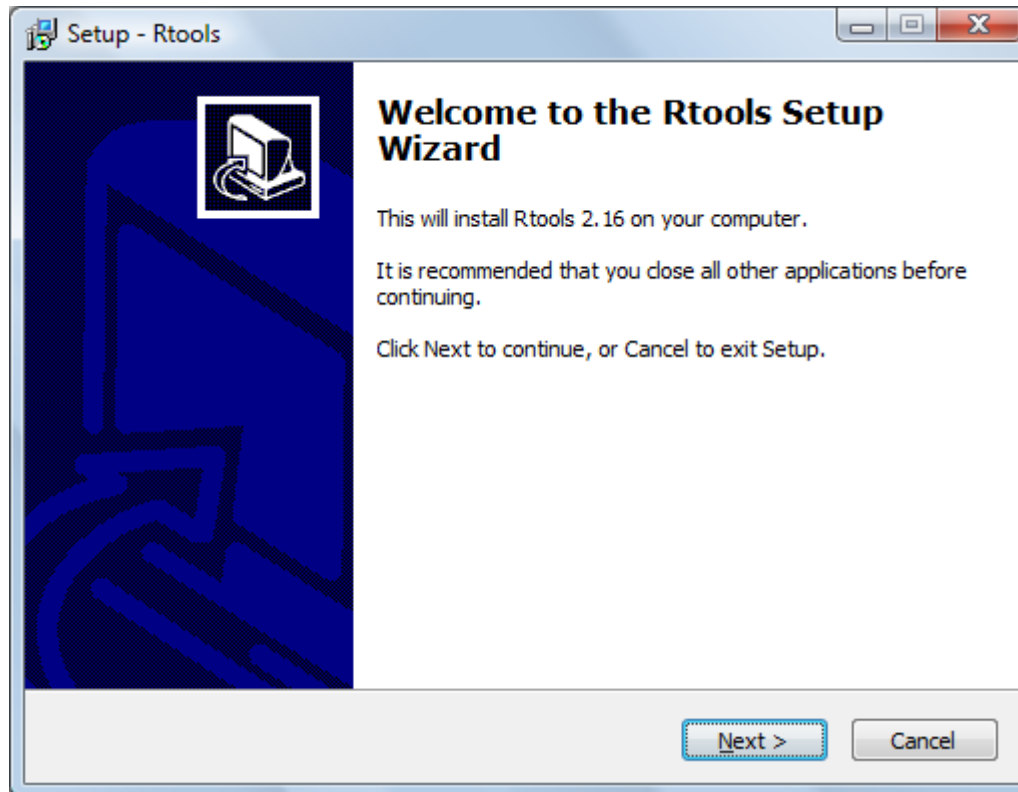
With the change to gcc 4.2.1, some of the tools for 32 bit compiles became incompatible with obsolete versions of R. Since then we have been maintaining one actively updated version of the tools, and other "frozen" snapshots of them. We recommend that users use the latest release of Rtools with the latest release of R.

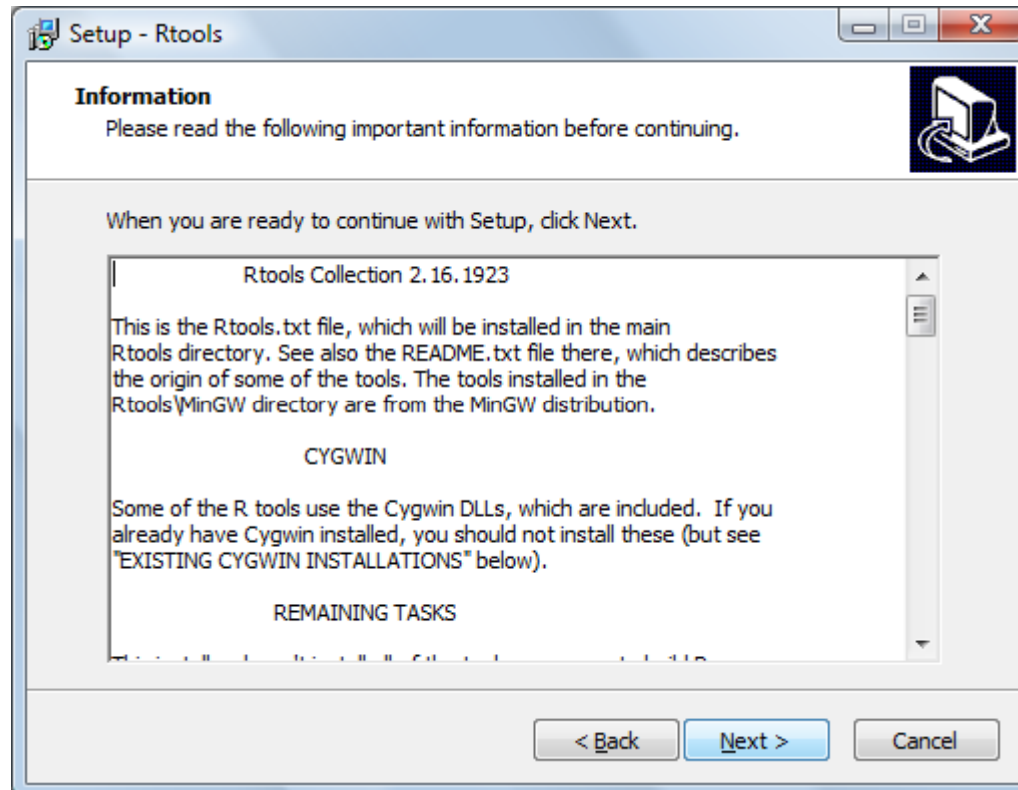
The current version of this file is recorded here: [VERSION.txt](#).

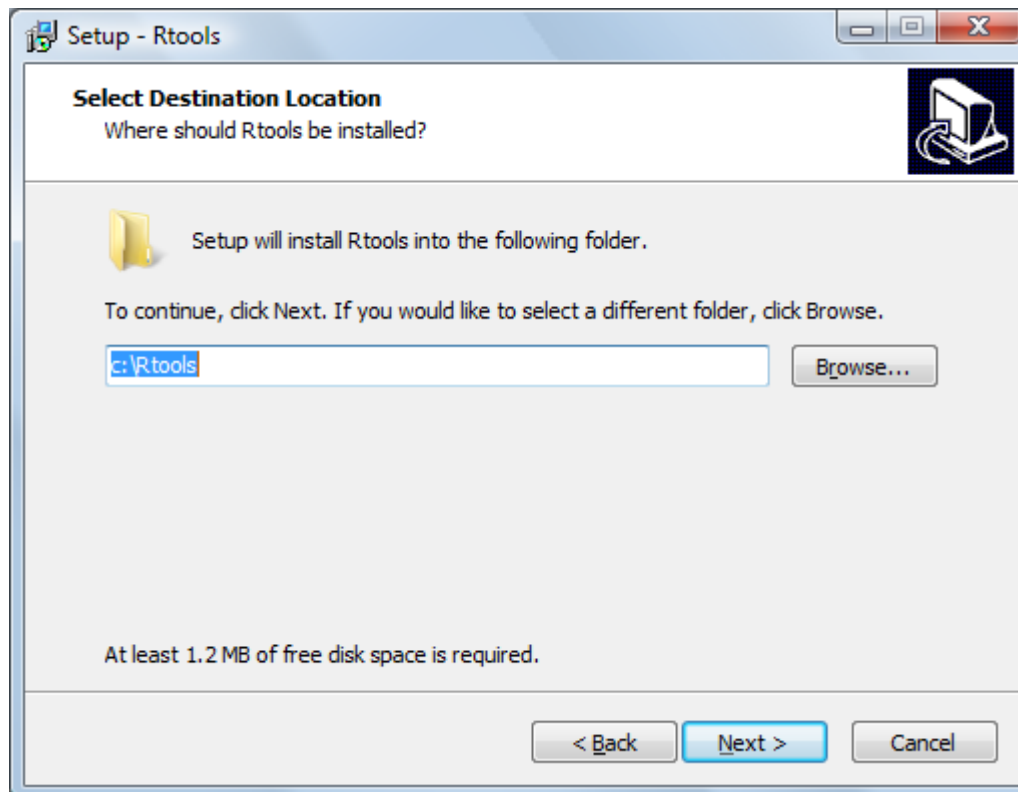
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Rtools213.exe	R 2.13.x	Yes
Rtools212.exe	R 2.12.x	Yes
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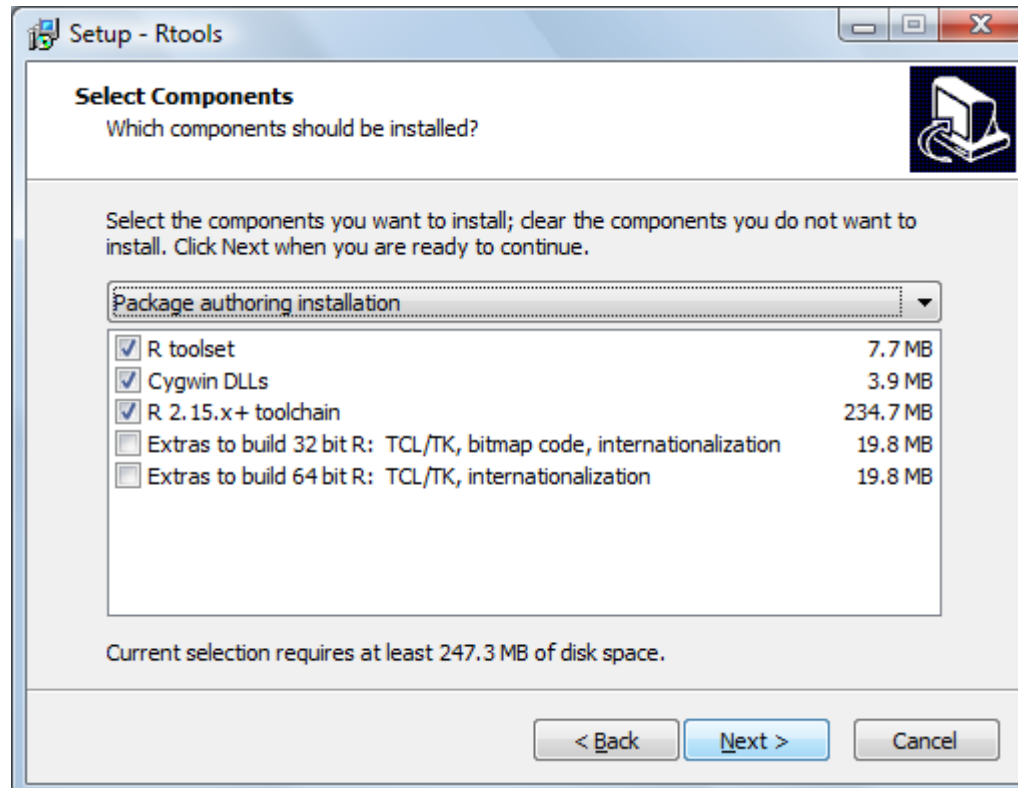
Double click installer to start the installation of Rtools



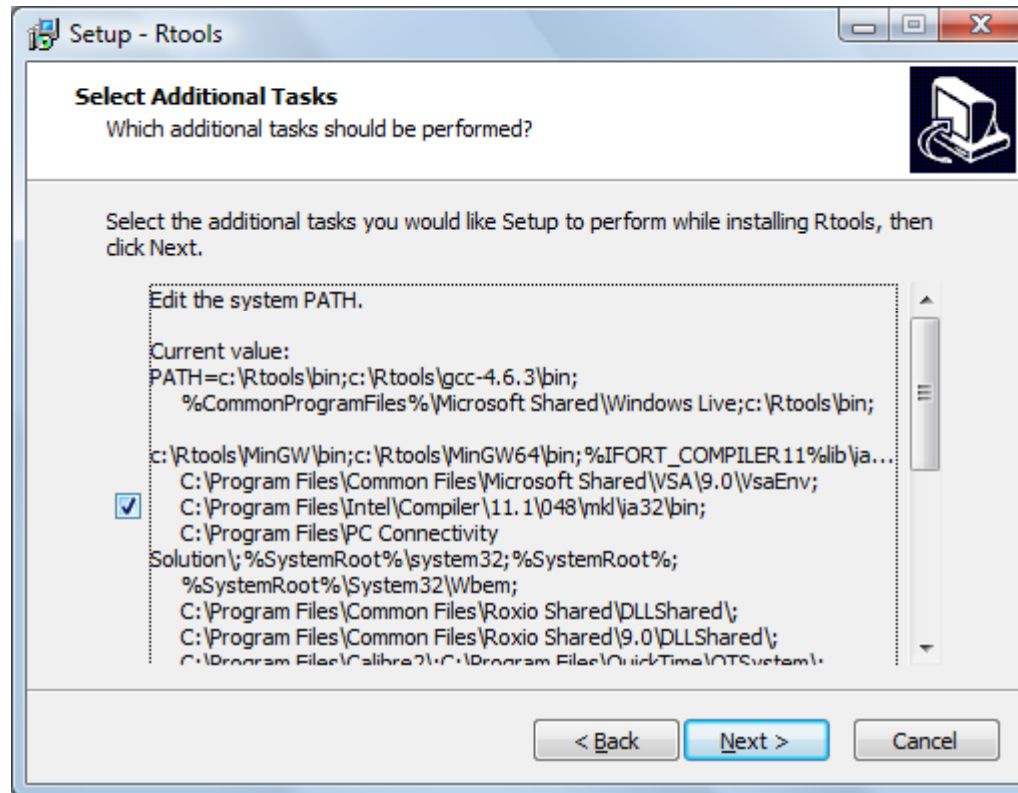


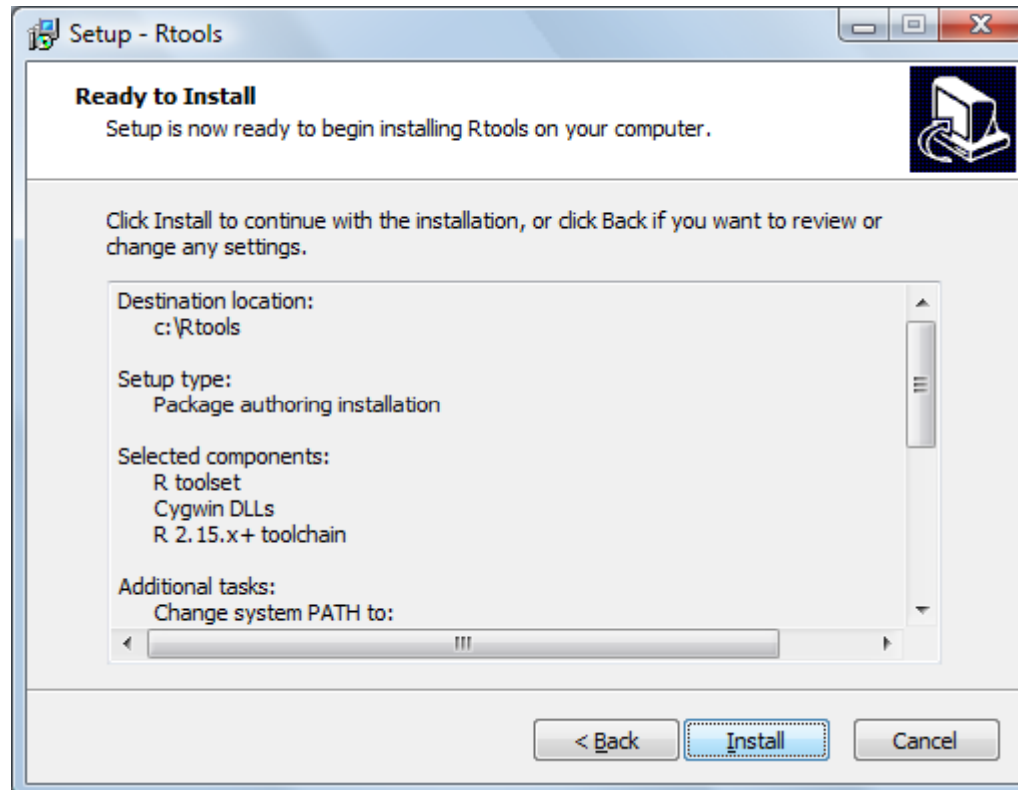


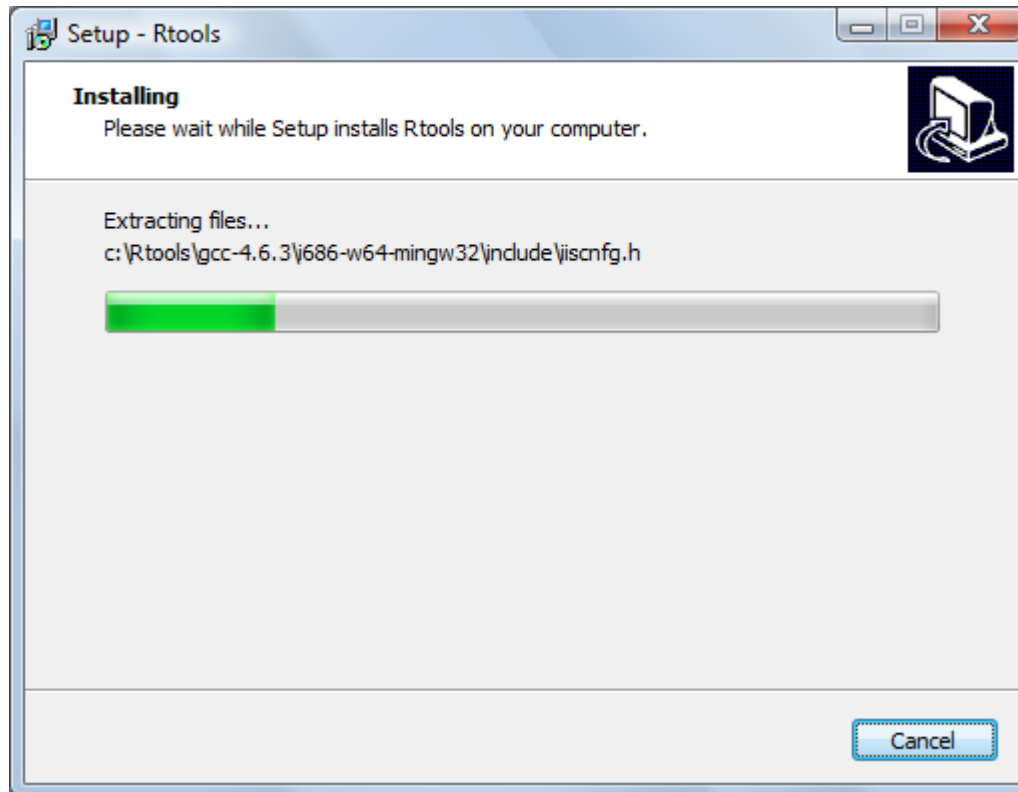


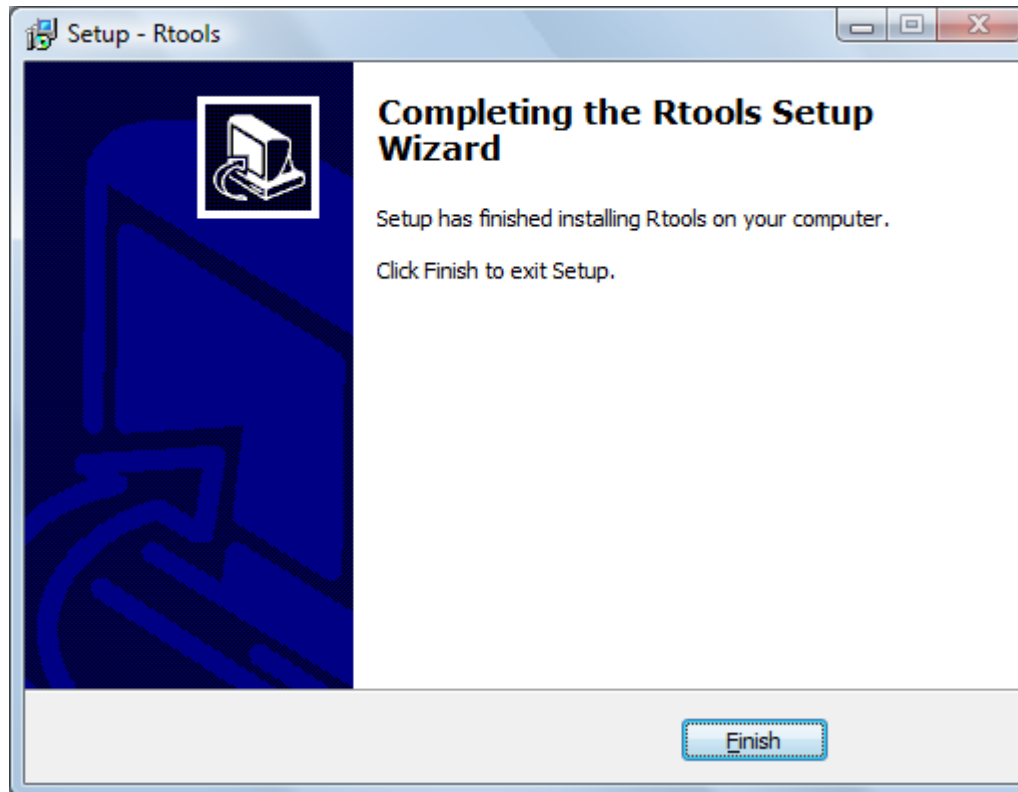


*Check the option of editing system PATH. Default is un-checked.

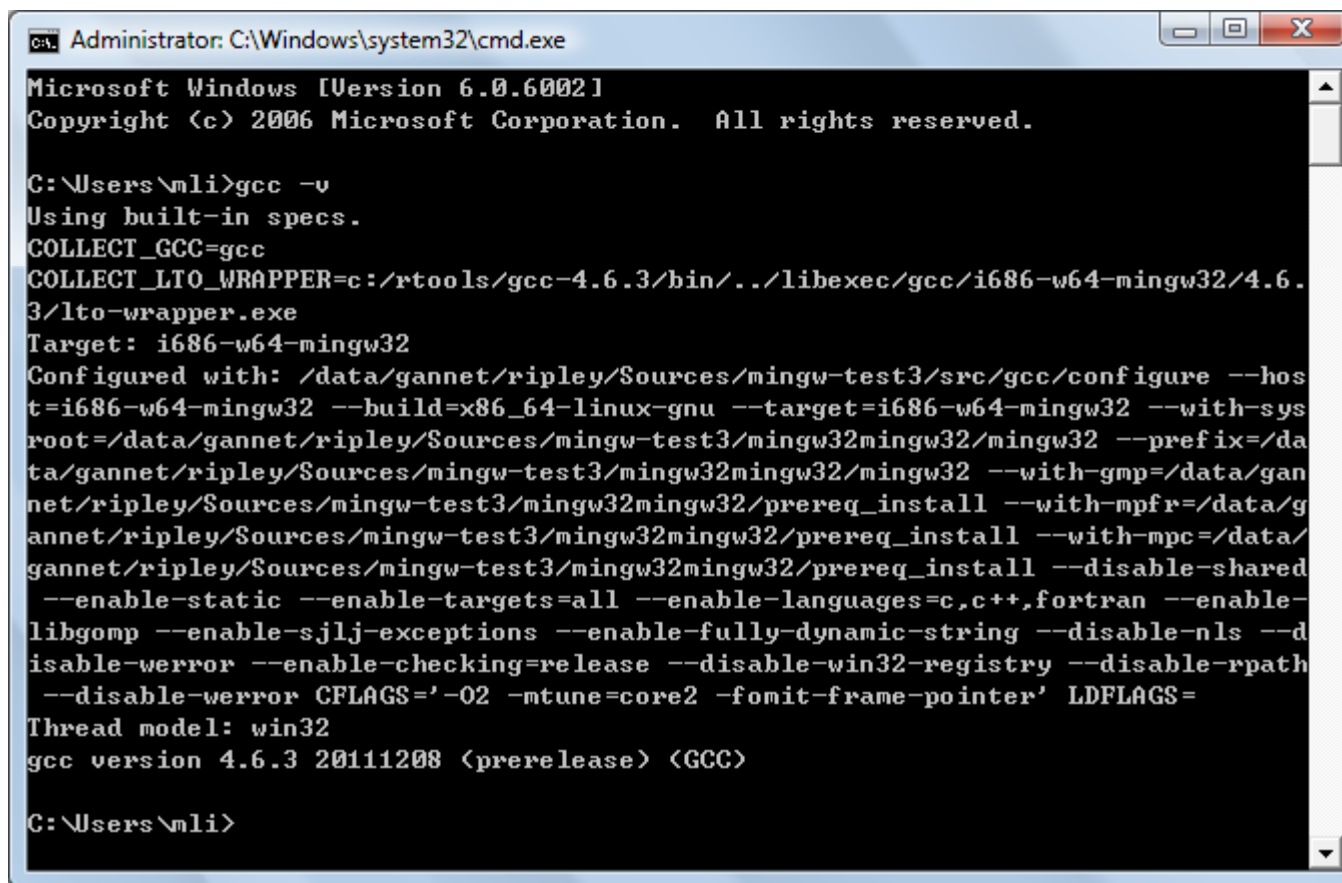








Open a command line window and make sure gcc can be found from anywhere.



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Administrator: C:\Windows\system32\cmd.exe
Microsoft Windows [Version 6.0.6002]
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C:\Users\mli>gcc -v
Using built-in specs.
COLLECT_GCC=gcc
COLLECT_LTO_WRAPPER=c:/rtools/gcc-4.6.3/bin/./libexec/gcc/i686-w64-mingw32/4.6.3/lto-wrapper.exe
Target: i686-w64-mingw32
Configured with: /data/gannet/ripley/Sources/mingw-test3/src/gcc/configure --host=i686-w64-mingw32 --build=x86_64-linux-gnu --target=i686-w64-mingw32 --with-sysroot=/data/gannet/ripley/Sources/mingw-test3/mingw32mingw32/mingw32 --prefix=/data/gannet/ripley/Sources/mingw-test3/mingw32mingw32/mingw32 --with-gmp=/data/gannet/ripley/Sources/mingw-test3/mingw32mingw32/prereq_install --with-mpfr=/data/gannet/ripley/Sources/mingw-test3/mingw32mingw32/prereq_install --with-mpc=/data/gannet/ripley/Sources/mingw-test3/mingw32mingw32/prereq_install --disable-shared --enable-static --enable-targets=all --enable-languages=c,c++,fortran --enable-libgomp --enable-sjlj-exceptions --enable-fully-dynamic-string --disable-nls --disable-werror --enable-checking=release --disable-win32-registry --disable-rpath --disable-werror CFLAGS='-O2 -mtune=core2 -fomit-frame-pointer' LDFLAGS=
Thread model: win32
gcc version 4.6.3 20111208 (prerelease) (GCC)

C:\Users\mli>
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- Now you should be able to install R packages from source if their source contain C/C++/Fortran code.
- See my other slides for examples.