

# Swift Quickstart

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## 1 Download Swift

The latest stable Swift release is Swift 0.94.1.

1. Download the file from <http://swiftlang.org/packages/swift-0.94.1.tar.gz>.
2. Extract by running "tar xzf swift-0.94.1.tar.gz"
3. Add to PATH by running "export PATH=\$PATH:/path/to/swift-0.94.1/bin"

## 2 Run Swift

Example Swift scripts can be found in the swift-0.94.1/examples directory. Scripts have a .swift file extension. Run the following commands to launch a simple hello world application.

```
cd swift-0.94.1/examples/  
swift hello.swift
```

When you run this application, it should create a file called hello.txt.

More documentation on how to run Swift can be found at <http://www.ci.uchicago.edu/swift/docs/index.php>.