

Installing the GeoMx NGS Pipeline (DND)

Installing on Linux

Based on different Linux distributions and permissions on the account used to install the software, some commands may need to be run as 'sudo'.

GEOmX NGS PIPELINE (DND) PRE-INSTALLATION ON LINUX

Download and install Docker Engine for Linux following the instructions from Docker website: <https://docs.docker.com/install/linux/docker-ce/ubuntu/>.

INSTALL AND RUN GEOmX NGS PIPELINE (DND) ON LINUX (SINGLE-USER)

These steps allow a single user to quickly install GeoMx NGS Pipeline (DND) on a Linux system. This install can be used on a server, however we recommend using the multiple-user installation in the next section for larger groups using the Pipeline on a server.

Using ssh or local terminal, connect to your Linux server and follow the steps below.

1. **Unpack the DND installer for Linux**, *dnd-1.0.0.156-linux-installer.tar.gz* (or similar) using `tar -xvf file.tar.gz`.
2. **Run** `./install.sh`.
3. **Run** `./dnd_1_0_0/dnd` to test the GeoMx NGS Pipeline (DND) software. Directory name may vary.
4. **Read and accept** the terms.

INSTALL AND RUN GEOMX NGS PIPELINE (DND) ON LINUX (MULTI-USER)

1. To install GeoMx NGS Pipeline (DND) as a shared resource, follow these steps or use **/home/directory** instead of **/var/dnd**:
2. • Run `sudo mkdir -p /var/dnd`
 - Run `sudo groupadd dnd`
 - Run `sudo usermod -a -G dnd $USER`
 - Run `sudo chgrp -R dnd /var/dnd`
 - Run `sudo chmod -R 2775 /var/dnd`
 - Add users to the Pipeline group by using this command: `sudo usermod -a -G dnd {username}` (replace **{username}** with actual username of user you want to give access to the Pipeline folder).
3. **Unzip DND installer for Linux**, `dnd_1.0.0.138_lin_installer.tar.gz` (or similar) in **/var/dnd** using `sudo tar -xvf dnd_1.0.0.138_lin_installer.tar.gz`.
4. **Open** the extracted folder (**/var/dnd**).
5. **Run** `install.sh` and follow the prompts.
6. **Run DND executable** from the **/var/dnd** folder using `sudo ./dnd-cli.sh`
7. Type `y` to read and accept the terms.
8. Wait until GeoMx NGS Pipeline (DND) sets up the environment (it may take some time to pull the image from Docker Hub).
9. Type `q` to exit the CLI.

POST-INSTALLATION STEPS TO SETUP GEOMX NGS PIPELINE (DND) AS A REMOTE PROCESSING SERVER

1. Start GeoMx NGS Pipeline (DND) by calling the help command in terminal: `sudo /var/dnd/start-cli.sh` (shared) or `dnd --help`.
2. The Pipeline process will need to be restarted after the server reboots or you can set it to autostart as a service (see your platform documentation on setting up new services).