Source Code

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- **SoftEther VPN Becomes Open Source (1/4/2014)**
- **January 21, 2019**
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Download the latest source code package

The source code packages in .zip and .tar.gz format are available from:

https://www.softether-download.com/

This is the easiest way to obtain the source code of SoftEther VPN.

Build the programs from the source code

To build from the source, see *"BUILD_UNIX.TXT"* or *"BUILD_WINDOWS.TXT"* files in the package, or see the following links.

- How to build SoftEther VPN for Windows
- How to build SoftEther VPN for UNIX (Linux, Mac OS X, FreeBSD and Solaris)

Explore the latest source code tree from GitHub

We use GitHub as the primary official SoftEther VPN repository.

If you are an open-source developer, visit our GitHub repository:

- SoftEther VPN Developer Edition Master Repository
  https://github.com/SoftEtherVPN/SoftEtherVPN/

- SoftEther VPN Stable Edition Repository
  https://github.com/SoftEtherVPN/SoftEtherVPN_Stable/

You can download the up-to-date source-code tree of SoftEther VPN from GitHub. You may make your own fork project from our project.

The download and build instruction is following:

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git clone https://github.com/SoftEtherVPN/SoftEtherVPN_Stable.git
cd SoftEtherVPN
make
make install
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Source Code Contribution

Your contribution to SoftEther VPN Project is much appreciated. Please send patches to us through GitHub.

Read the SoftEther VPN Patch Acceptance Policy in advance.

Dear security experts

If you find a bug or a security vulnerability please kindly inform us about the problem immediately so that we can fix the security problem to protect a lot of users around the world as soon as possible.

Our e-mail address for security reports is: *softether-vpn-security [at] softether.org*

Please note that the above e-mail address is not a technical support inquery address. If you need technical assistance, please visit http://www.softether.org/ and ask your question on the users forum.

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