

# ConfigChecker - Install Guide

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## 1. Installation

Installation of ConfigChecker is very easy. Just follow these steps:

- Create a new directory wherever you want
- Unzip the contents of *configchecker.zip* into this new directory
- Ensure that the environment variable `JAVA_HOME` points to an existing **JRE 1.4.x** directory (e.g. `c:/programs/java1.4/jre`)
- Generate a shell script that enables invocation of ConfigChecker from any directory (see below)

To learn about how to start ConfigChecker see Usage.

## 2. Start Script Shell Generator

There is a little utility program bundled with ConfigChecker called *Start Script Shell Generator*. The purpose of this tool is to generate a shell script (according to the current operating system) that allows to run ConfigChecker from everywhere in the system without being forced to change the current path or explicitly specify a classpath or modify any environment variables.

To use it just run:

```
java -jar pf-sssgen.jar -f configchecker.jar
```

(under Windows you also can use the *sssgen.bat* instead)

This generates a *run.bat* or *run.sh* depending on the operating system.

To get help about the start parameters of *Start Script Shell Generator* just call it without any parameter.