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# Retropie - Not Just For Raspberry Pi

Hello readers,

While the retro gaming world collectively download roms and argue about legality some gamers are wondering whether or not to purchase a raspberry pi 3 to commit to retro gaming.

## It's Linux And Windows Compatible - No Pi Required

What you need is essentially this [link](#). Also worth mentioning that if you are using Linux Mint 18 or any other Ubuntu based installation of Linux these instructions work just fine.

## Or, compile the latest version yourself.

### Make sure everything is up to date

```
sudo apt-get update &&
```

```
sudo apt-get upgrade
```

### Install dependencies

```
sudo apt-get install -y libsdl2-dev libboost-system-dev libboost-filesystem-dev libboost-date-time-dev libboost-locale-dev libfreeimage-dev libfreetype6-dev libeigen3-dev libcurl4-openssl-dev libasound2-dev libgl1-mesa-dev build-essential cmake git
```

### Download the latest source

```
git clone https://github.com/Aloshi/EmulationStation
```

### Compile and install it

```
cd EmulationStation
```

```
git checkout unstable
```

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cmake

Make

sudo make install

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