



KNOWLEDGE BASE

TOPIC: Installing the GECS Agent for Linux

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INSTALLING THE GECS AGENT FOR LINUX FROM THE TAR FILE

A. Login as the root user.

B. Enter: `cd /`

C. `mkdir /gecs-tar`

D. `cd /gecs-tar`

E. Copy or ftp the tar file to `/gecs-tar` (as binary)

F. `tar -xvf geCS-4.01-x86-linux-nnnnnn.tar`

(*nnnnnn* is the 6 digit number in the file name)

G. `cd GECS`

H. `rpm -i GECS-4.01-1.i386.rpm` (redhat systems)

or

`alien -i -k ./GECS-4.01-1.i386.rpm` (for debian Linux-Corel)

To start the agent, enter:

`gecsagt -n agentname`

To see the usage screen and optional parameters, enter:

`gecsagt /?`