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Me personally like WampServer over the others, as its clean and tidy, on Add-on doesn't exist anymore....

So here is a quick guide on how to do this in easy steps:

1): download all the software needed:

[WampServer](#)

[XDebug](#)

You need the release that matches the PHP version you're using.

[WinCacheGrind](#)

If you're not on Windows you can use:

[KCacheGrind](#)

2):

a): Install WampServer.

b): Place the Xdebug.dll in the PHP versions ext folder:

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example:

C:\wampbin\php\php5.2.5\ext\php_xdebug-2.0.3-5.2.5.dll

c): Open php.ini; the easiest way is via the WampServer toolbar icon.

d): Search for extensions, add the xdebug info and save it, if you don't v them bits.

Make sure you use the full address, as wouldn't work otherwise.

[You can find a full list of different tools within Xdebug here](#)

I've made an extra folder for my xdebug's profiling files in the root of W WinCacheGrind, default is /tmp.

e): Restart WampServer by exiting it.

f): To check if this is working, you can make this file and open it from th xdebug settings within it.

You should also find in the WampServer extensions from the toolbar icon

g): Install WinCacheGrind, within its options set the newly made folder; will have one file that is replaced by the new one, you can set a unique countless profiling files for each page loaded.

If all that is done ok, you should now be able to profile a PHP system