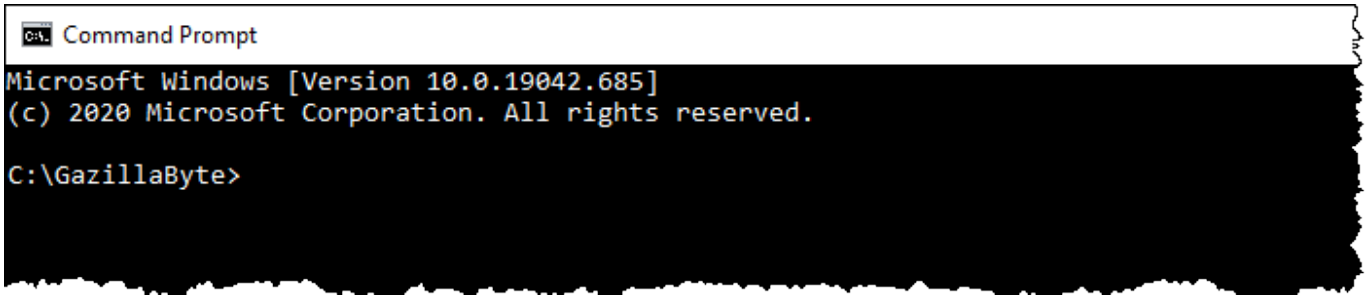
# Opening Windows Command Line Prompt

Programs can be executed in Windows Command Line in standard or Administrator mode.

There are several ways to open a Command Line Prompt depending on your computer setup and/or preferences.

## Opening A Command Line Prompt



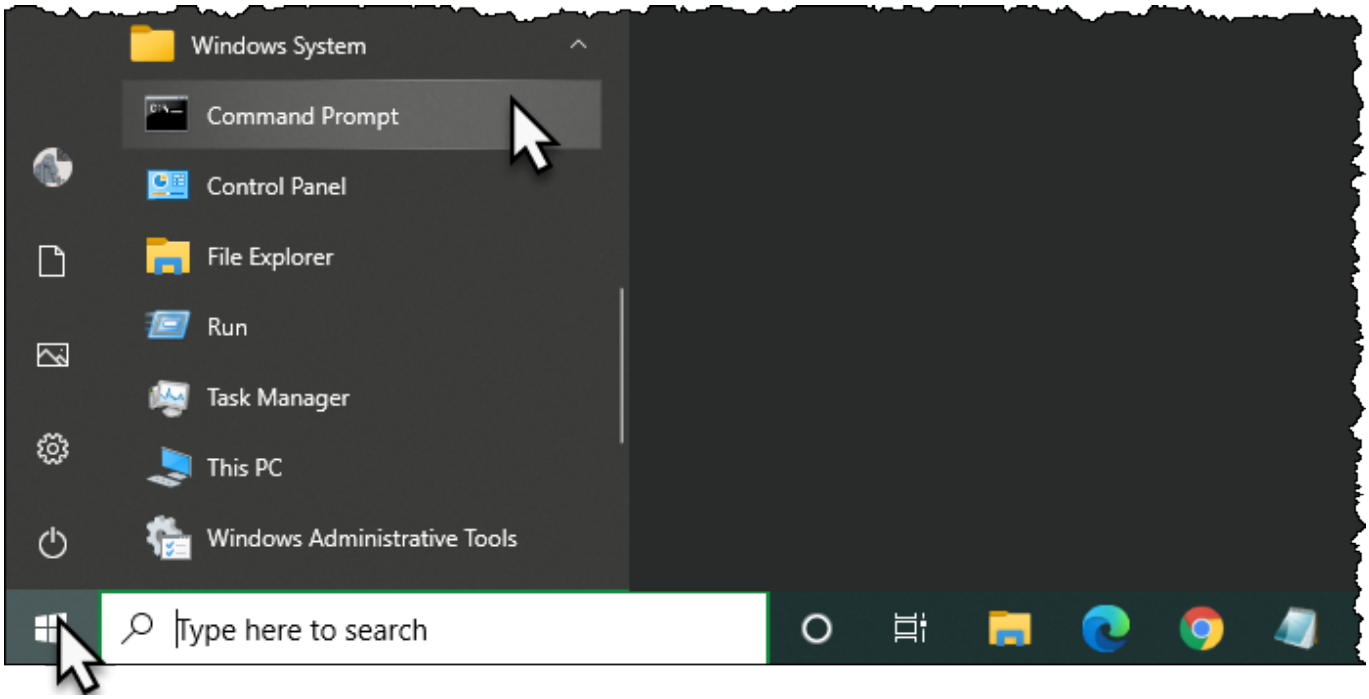

## Open Command Prompt By The Start Menu

Click Start.

Scroll down and expand the `Windows System` folder.

Click `Command Prompt`

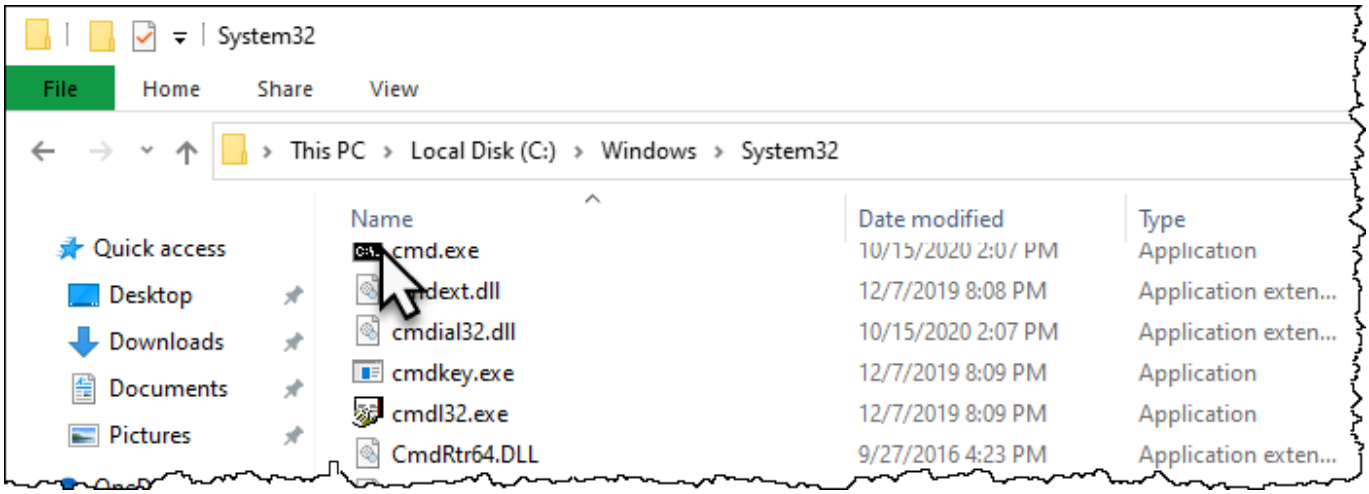
To open with administrative privileges, right-click Command Prompt and choose `Run as administrator`.



## Open Command Prompt from File Explorer

Open File Explorer, and then navigate to the C:\Windows\System32 folder.

Double-click the `cmd.exe` file or right-click the file and choose `Run as administrator`.

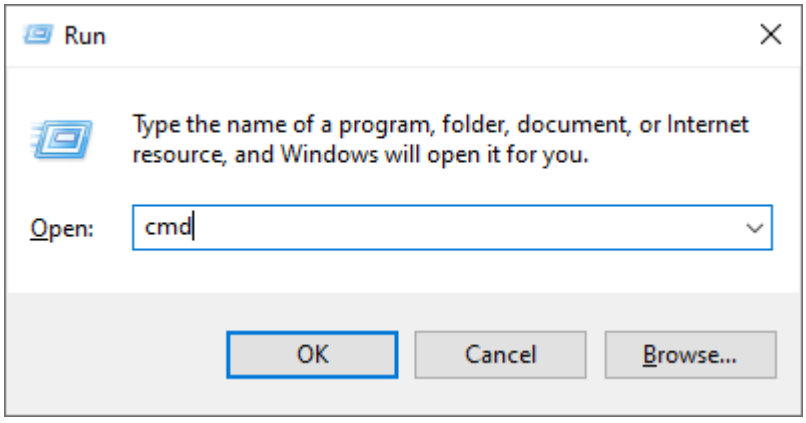



## Open Command Prompt from the Run Box

Press Windows+R to open “Run” box.

Type `cmd` and then click OK to open a standard Command Prompt.

Type `cmd` and then press `Ctrl+Shift+Enter` to open an administrator Command Prompt.




## Open Command Prompt from the File Explorer Address Bar

In File Explorer, click in the address bar to select it.

Type `cmd` into the address bar and hit Enter.




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