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Answer

Once you have ordered and received a license for the Parallel Computing Toolbox from IS&T's Software Distribution team you may need to take further steps to complete the configuration of your cluster.

http://ist.mit.edu/matlab/all

Purchase of the PCT toolbox from MIT allows limited parallel processing on a single machine (up to 12 computational engines on a multicore desktop). To extend parallel processing beyond this requires that you purchase a MATLAB® Distributed Computing Server license directly from the Mathworks.

Please contact our Mathworks representative Tim Mathieu (Tim.Mathieu@mathworks.com) for ordering and pricing information.

Installation instructions:

- Current Matlab release: http://www.mathworks.com/support/product/DM/installation/ver_current/instructions/mdce_install.pdf
- Older Matlab releases: http://www.mathworks.com/support/product/DM/installation/oldversions.html