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i Starting July of 2021, IS&T has migrated to a new version of Sophos called **Sophos Central**. MIT users have until the summer of 2022 before the old version will stop receiving updates. This page references the new version of Sophos. You can see documentation for legacy Sophos [here](#) and download the newest version of Sophos [here](#).

w You may need install curl before attempting to install Sophos Central if it is not already installed.

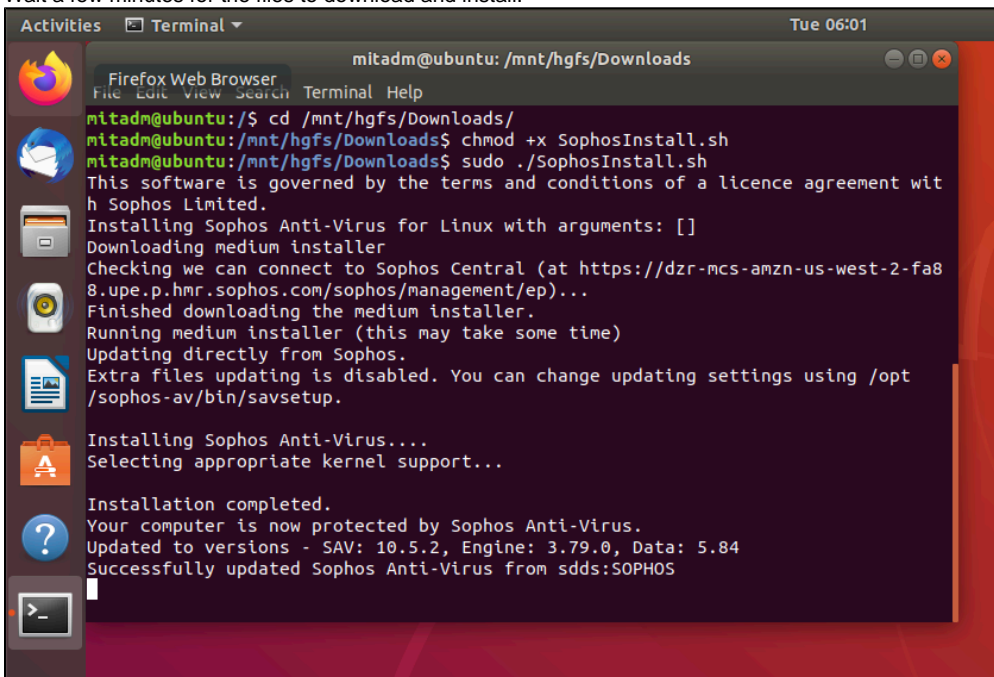
1. Download the Sophos Central install script from the [MIT Software Grid](#). Verify that your computer's operating system meets the [requirements for this product](#).
2. Change to the Downloads directory.
3. Change the file permissions to include "execute":

```
chmod +x SophosInstall.sh
```

4. Run the installer with elevated privileges:

```
sudo ./SophosInstall.sh
```

5. Wait a few minutes for the files to download and install.



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mitadm@ubuntu: /mnt/hgfs/Downloads
Firefox Web Browser
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
mitadm@ubuntu:/$ cd /mnt/hgfs/Downloads/
mitadm@ubuntu:/mnt/hgfs/Downloads$ chmod +x SophosInstall.sh
mitadm@ubuntu:/mnt/hgfs/Downloads$ sudo ./SophosInstall.sh
This software is governed by the terms and conditions of a licence agreement with Sophos Limited.
Installing Sophos Anti-Virus for Linux with arguments: []
Downloading medium installer
Checking we can connect to Sophos Central (at https://dzt-mcs-amzn-us-west-2-fa88.upe.p.hmr.sophos.com/sophos/management/ep)...
Finished downloading the medium installer.
Running medium installer (this may take some time)
Updating directly from Sophos.
Extra files updating is disabled. You can change updating settings using /opt/sophos-av/bin/savsetup.
Installing Sophos Anti-Virus....
Selecting appropriate kernel support...
Installation completed.
Your computer is now protected by Sophos Anti-Virus.
Updated to versions - SAV: 10.5.2, Engine: 3.79.0, Data: 5.84
Successfully updated Sophos Anti-Virus from sdds:SOPHOS
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6. Congrats. Sophos Central is now installed.