

Smoking Poly Linux Installation

Version 0.2.0 quick-start guide for Linux and WSL users.

Before You Start

- Use a modern Linux distribution such as Ubuntu 22.04+, Debian 12+, or equivalent.
- Keep the bot in one stable folder, for example ~/smoking-poly/.
- If you use WSL, remember that localhost access works on the same machine, but LAN access may require extra Windows port forwarding.

Install and Launch

1. Download the latest Linux tar.gz release.
2. Create a folder such as ~/smoking-poly.
3. Extract directly into that folder with: `tar -xzf SmokingPoly-v0.2.0-linux.tar.gz -C ~/smoking-poly --strip-components=1`
4. Run: `cd ~/smoking-poly && chmod +x SmokingPoly start.sh && ./start.sh`
5. Open <http://127.0.0.1:5000/dashboard> in your browser.

First Run Setup

Copy .env.example to .env if the file is not created yet.

The app stores runtime data in the local data/ folder beside the Linux binary.

Start with Paper Trading enabled until wallet, activation, and API settings are confirmed.

Live Trading Activation

1. Buy the live license using the correct POLY_FUNDER wallet in Whop.
2. Save your Polymarket wallet credentials in Settings.
3. Wait for the automatic activation refresh, or press Check Activation.
4. Only disable Paper Trading after the dashboard shows the license as Active.

WSL Note

If the bot is running in WSL, the same computer can use <http://127.0.0.1:5000/dashboard> immediately.

Other PCs on the LAN usually need Windows port forwarding because WSL2 runs behind a virtual network.