

How to Reinstall apache2 properly in Debian/Ubuntu

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If you have issues with apache2 and you want to reinstall it but you are getting errors, then here it is the solution for you.

i had an issue with apache, when i tried to start it i got this error message.

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/etc/init.d/apache2 start.: 45: Can't open /etc/apache2/envvars
```

i need to remove it completely. To do that i will use this command :

```
sudo apt-get remove --purge apache2 apache2-utils
```

 This command will completely remove all apache2 configuration files and directories.

- Reinstall again apache using the normal command `sudo apt-get install apache2`

check your apache2

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dpkg -l | grep apache2
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