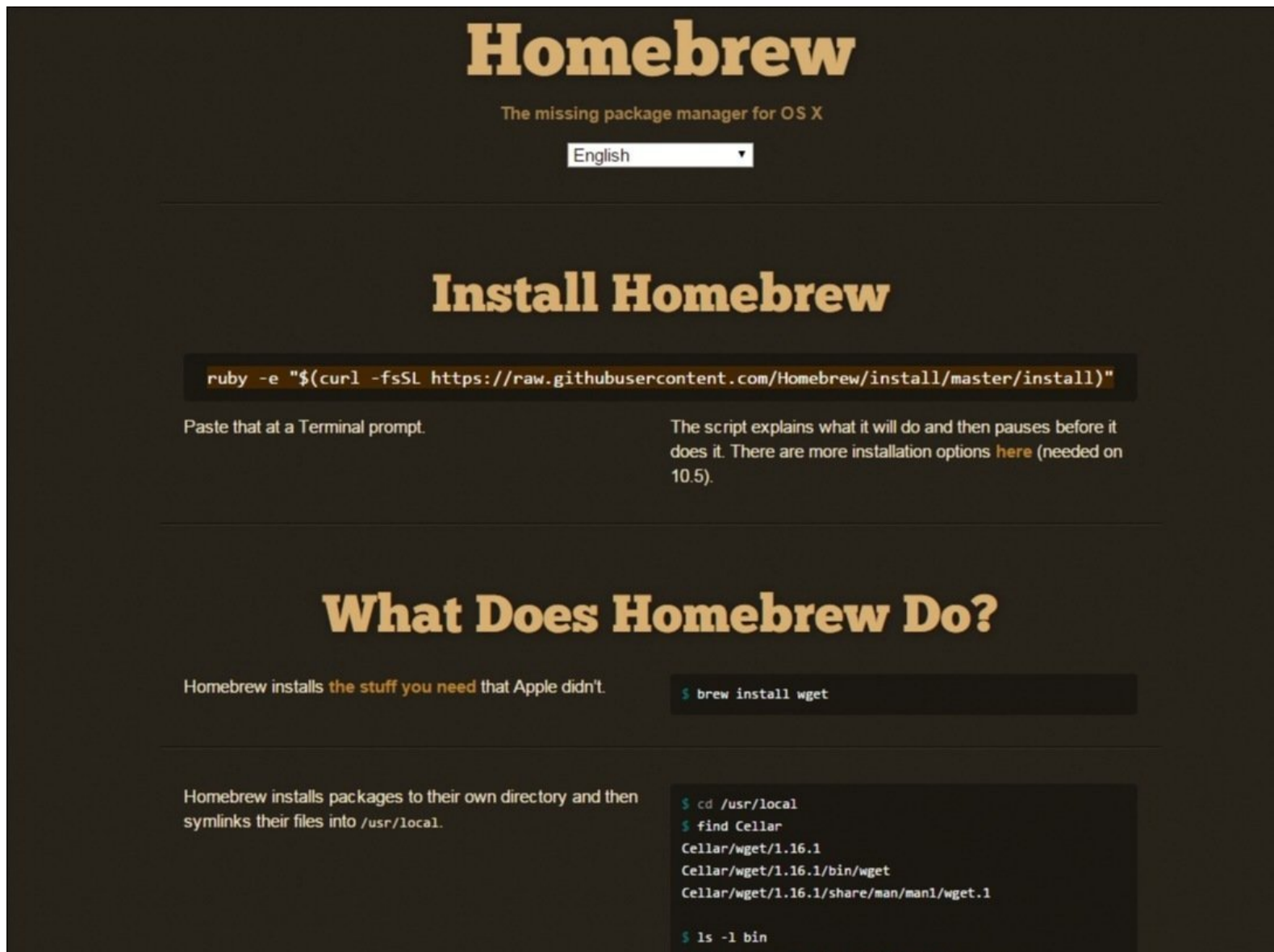


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Homebrew (Mac OS X only)

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The screenshot shows the Homebrew website with a dark background and orange text. At the top, the word "Homebrew" is in a large, bold, orange font, followed by the tagline "The missing package manager for OS X". Below this is a language selector dropdown menu set to "English". The main heading "Install Homebrew" is in a large, bold, orange font. Underneath, a terminal command is displayed in a dark box: `ruby -e "$(curl -fsSL https://raw.githubusercontent.com/Homebrew/install/master/install)"`. To the left of the command, it says "Paste that at a Terminal prompt." To the right, it says "The script explains what it will do and then pauses before it does it. There are more installation options [here](#) (needed on 10.5)." Below this, the heading "What Does Homebrew Do?" is in a large, bold, orange font. Underneath, it says "Homebrew installs [the stuff you need](#) that Apple didn't." To the right, a terminal snippet shows the command `$ brew install wget`. Below this, it says "Homebrew installs packages to their own directory and then symlinks their files into `/usr/local`." To the right, a terminal snippet shows the output of `find Cellar` and `ls -l bin`.

Homebrew
The missing package manager for OS X

English

Install Homebrew

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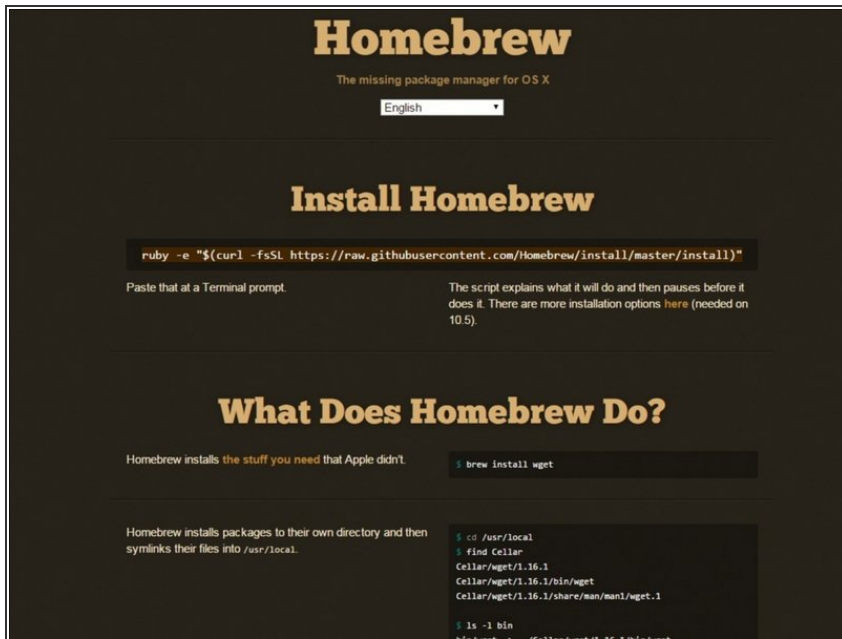
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$ brew install wget
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Homebrew installs packages to their own directory and then symlinks their files into `/usr/local`.

```
$ cd /usr/local
$ find Cellar
Cellar/wget/1.16.1
Cellar/wget/1.16.1/bin/wget
Cellar/wget/1.16.1/share/man/man1/wget.1

$ ls -l bin
lrwxrwxrwx 1 root wheel 16 Jul 16 11:11 bin/wget -> /usr/local/Cellar/wget/1.16.1/bin/wget
```

Step 1 — Homebrew (Mac OS X only)



- Head over to the homebrew official website: <http://brew.sh/>

Step 2 — Install Homebrew



- Their usual install method is to paste some stuff into the terminal. As of time of writing this guide, the command looks like:
- `ruby -e "$(curl -fsSL https://raw.githubusercontent.com/Homebrew/install/master/install)"`
- Open the terminal, and paste this text in and hit enter. Homebrew should now install.