

Windows 10 Installation and Activation

Additionally, you'll need:

- > Empty USB drive of minimum 8 GB;
- > Another computer with an internet connection and at least Windows 8 or newer installed on it.
- > Fast internet connection
- > Microsoft account

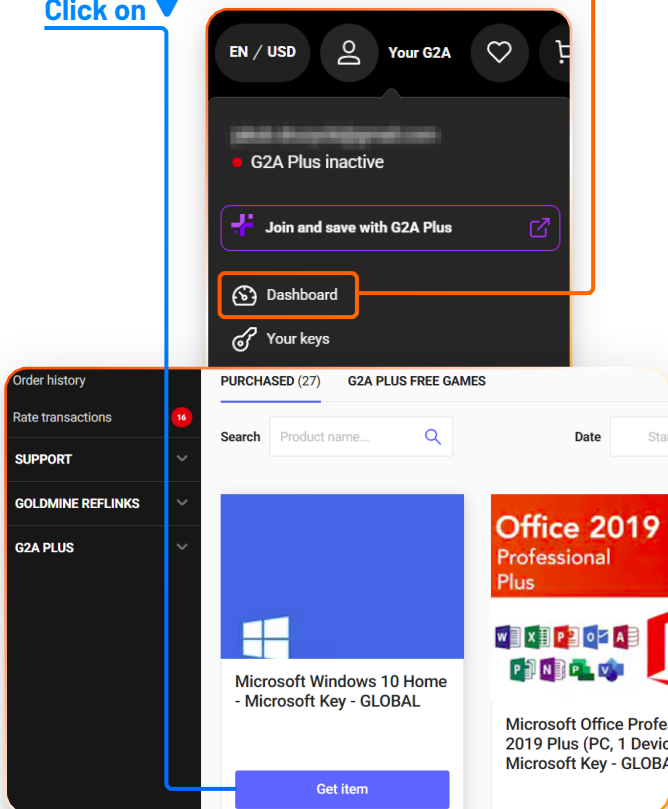
Before you start working with Windows 10, you need to obtain a product key from the G2A.COM platform. In the next step, you will learn how to create a special USB drive with the operating system image. Finally, you will install Windows and activate it.

Step 1

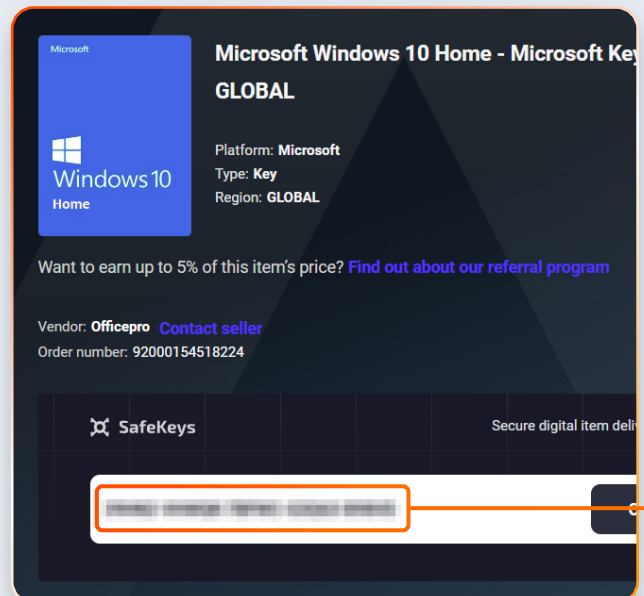
Accessing the Windows key

- 1** After purchasing Windows 10, sign in to your G2A.COM account and **go to** ▼

Click on ▼



- 2** Click on **Display item**. **The Windows 10 key ▼ will be displayed.** Write the key down on a piece of paper or save it on your phone; you will need it during the system installation.



Step 2

Creating a bootable USB drive with Windows 11

1 On a computer with Windows installed, **insert the USB drive** on which you will save the image into the computer and remember which drive letter it was assigned (*usually D, E, or F*).

2 Using this **LINK**, download Microsoft's **Media Creation Tool** and **run it after downloading**

Create Windows 10 installation media

To get started, you will first need to have a license to install Windows 10. You can get a license here. For more information on how to use the tool, see the instructions below.

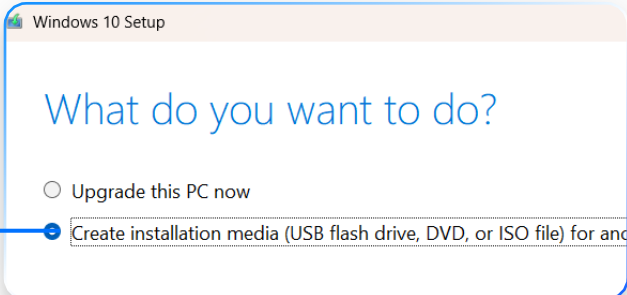
Download Now



MediaCreationTool_22H2.exe

Open file

3 In the next window, click on **Accept**. Then **select** and continue.



4 In the next window, select the language (*the system edition will already be selected*) and the 32-bit or 64-bit system architecture version. Click on **Next**

Select language, architecture, a

Please select from one of the available options to continue.

Language

Edition

Architecture

5 Then **select** and continue. Indicate the **letter of our USB drive** and click on **Next**

Choose which media to use

If you want to install Windows 10 on another partition, you need to create it.

USB flash drive

It needs to be at least 8 GB.

ISO file

You'll need t

Select a USB flash drive

The files on your USB drive will be deleted. To keep these files,

Refresh drive list

Removable drives

D: (New Volume)

6 **The process** of downloading and saving the Windows 10 image to the USB drive **will begin**. Once completed, you will receive the **message**

Downloading Windows 10

Feel free to keep using your PC.

Progress: 1%

Your USB flash drive is ready



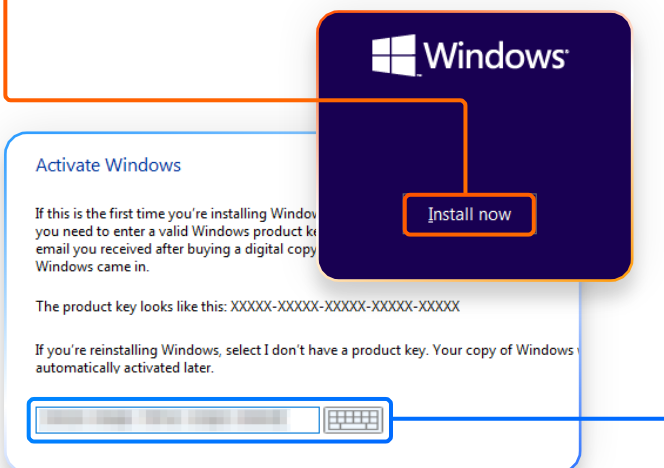
Step 3

Installing Windows 10 from a USB drive

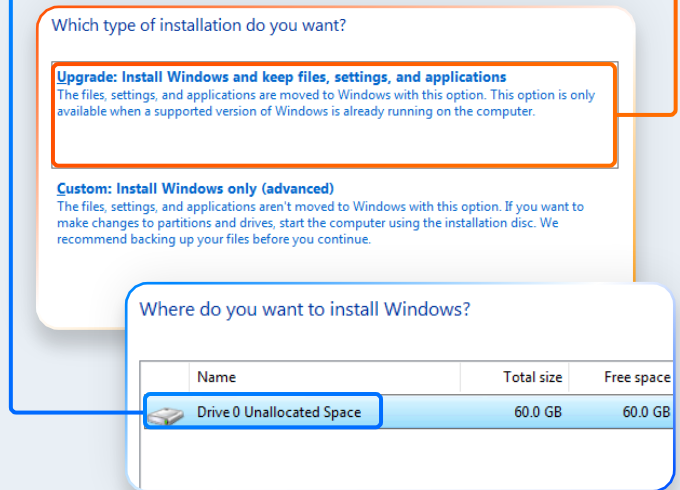
1 On the powered-off computer on which you want to install Windows 10, **connect the USB drive created in the previous step**. Turn on the computer. During startup, the computer should automatically detect the device with Windows 10 and begin the installation process. In the window, **set the basic preferences and continue**.



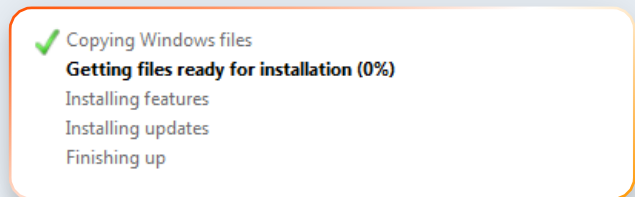
2 Then **click on** . In the **field**, enter the Windows 10 key (*the installer will automatically detect the Windows 10 edition*) and proceed to the next window. Select **I accept the license terms** and continue.



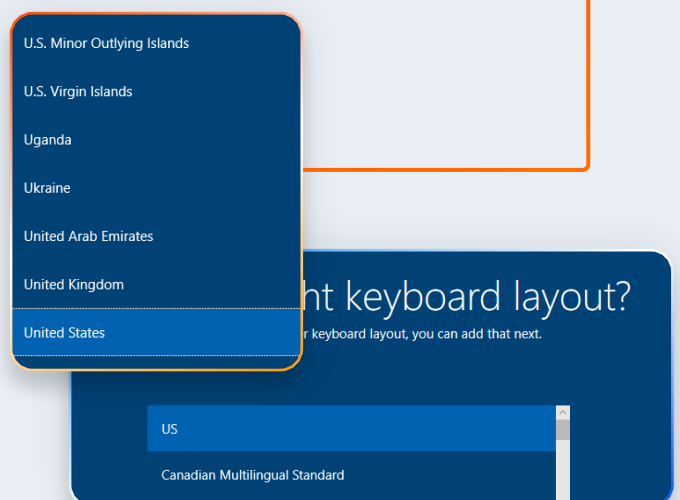
3 **Click on** . Then indicate the letter of the hard drive on which you want to **install the system** and proceed to the next window.



4 The Windows 10 installation process will begin. The computer may restart several times.



5 From the list, **select the region** and click on **Yes**. Then indicate the keyboard layout and continue. Click on **Skip**.



- 6 In the field ▼, enter any computer name and click on **Skip**. Then create a password ▼ that will allow you to sign in to Windows 10. In the next window, confirm it. Click on **Skip**

The image shows two overlapping screenshots from the Windows 10 installation process. The top screenshot is titled "Who's going to use this PC?" and asks "What name do you want to use?". It features a user icon and a text input field. The bottom screenshot is titled "Create a super memorable password" and asks "Make sure to pick something you'll absolutely remember.". It features a user icon and a password input field with a visibility toggle. Orange and blue lines connect the text in the instructions to the corresponding fields in the screenshots.

- 7 The installer will require you to create security questions. From the list ▼, choose a question and in the ▼ field, enter the answer. Click on **Skip**. In the same way, create the next two security questions.

The screenshot shows the "Create security questions for this account" screen. It includes a user icon and two required input fields. The first field is a dropdown menu with the question "What was your first pet's name?". The second field is a text input with the answer "dog". Orange and blue lines connect the text in the instructions to the dropdown and text input fields respectively.

- 8 Leave the default privacy settings and click on **Skip**. Disable the Cortana service (you will be able to enable it later) by selecting **Not now**. **Windows 10 will be installed.**

Need to know

When entering the product key, carefully check that it has been entered correctly. If a message appears stating that the key has already been used, don't worry. Contact the seller on the G2A.COM platform and ask them to resolve the issue.

