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Redirection Notice

This page should redirect to [MATLAB Landing Page](#).

You get your MATLAB software by downloading from MathWorks.

Specific [installation instructions](#) are available from Mathworks. An [overview of the activation and installation process](#) is available below.

Students installing on personally owned computers need to use the [Student MATLAB license and activation key](#) that is provided by IS&T Academic Computing. Students should not install the Student MATLAB on MIT owned computers as that violates the license agreement. In the case of students or affiliates using MIT-owned machines, best practice is a concerted effort by your department to comply.

Send email to software-distribution@mit.edu for assistance in accessing MATLAB.

Overview of Activation and Installation Process.

1. Start at [the MathWorks](#)
2. Create and/or log in to your MathWorks account.
3. Click **My Account**.
4. In the License Center (near the bottom of the page) click one of the following:
 - For new MathWorks accounts: **Associate with a License**.
 - For existing MathWorks accounts: **Manage Licenses**.
5. Click **Add License**.
Result: The *Add License* popup appears.
6. Select **Activation Key** and click **Continue**.
 - If prompted, provide [MIT's Activation Key](#)
Result: After a few moments, you should see that you are associated with the MIT license.
7. Choose your release. Select all products or only the modules you'd like to use for download.
Result: The MathWorks Download Agent will appear and you will need to allow it to install MATLAB.
8. Run the installer when the download completes. Select the default options - unless you would like to do otherwise. You will need to log in to your MathWorks account from the installer. You will also see the new license that you associated your account with earlier.
9. Once installation is complete, you will be prompted to activate and the activation process will start. You might need to re-enter the activation key you were given. Once it completes, you will see the option to start MATLAB.

How do I activate my Faculty/Staff MATLAB license for the next academic year?

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