

How to Install Bitdefender on Another Device: (Re)install, Transfer or Protect Extra Devices

Want to install Bitdefender on another device? Whether you reset your current device and now you want to install Bitdefender again on the same device, if you switched devices, or if you simply want to protect additional devices, here you will find a step-by-step guide. Installing protection on all the devices covered by your subscription is the next best thing you can do after choosing Bitdefender for protection. It's about staying safe in an unsafe world. And the best way you can do this is to secure your devices faster than hackers can attack them.

VIDEO – How to install Bitdefender on another device

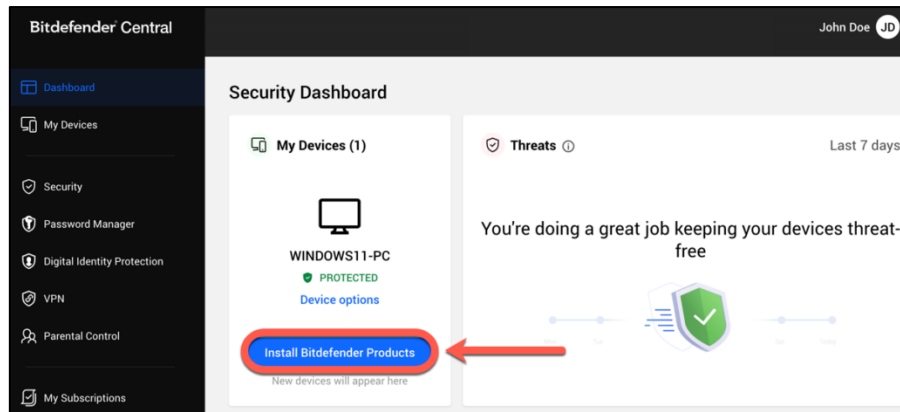


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I have multiple devices. How do I install Bitdefender on another device?

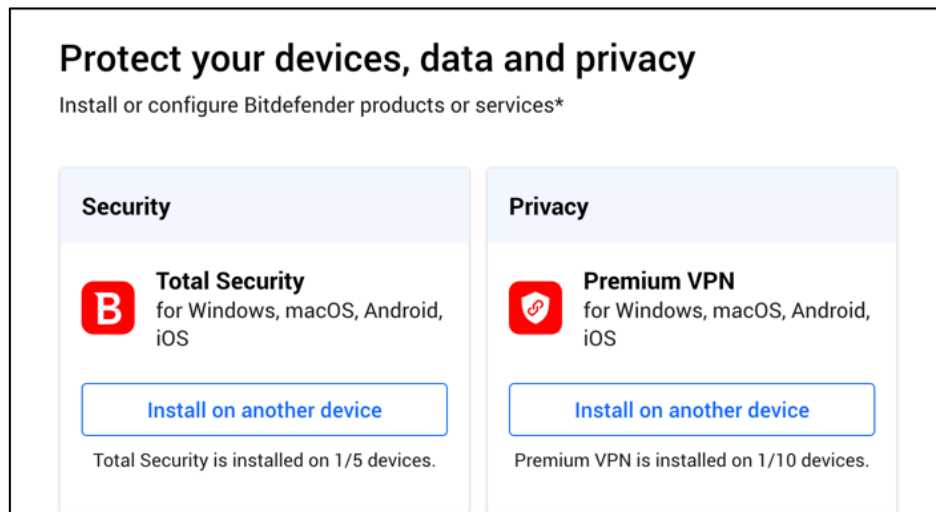
Subscriptions come with a limited number of slots to protect either Windows PCs, Macs, smartphones & tablets running Android, iOS, or all of these operating systems. If your Bitdefender subscription covers more device; device, you can use your user account to protect additional devices.

1. Go to <https://central.bitdefender.com> and sign in to your Bitdefender user account.
2. On the Bitdefender Central homepage, click the **Install Bitdefender Products** button.

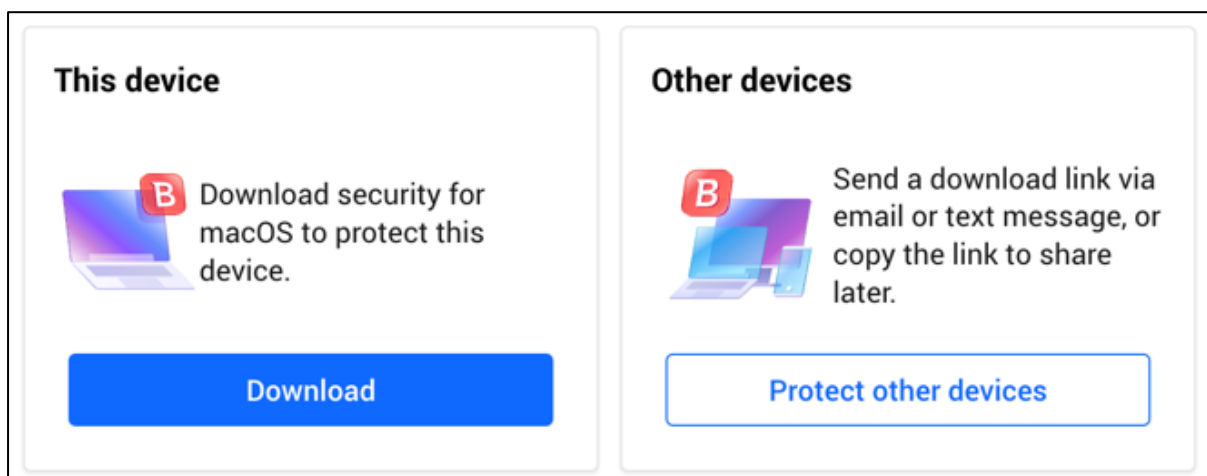


3. A window will appear, showing your Bitdefender subscription products. In this window, click the **Install on another device** button next to the desired application (Security, VPN, etc.).

- **Note:** Check the application's description to make sure it is compatible with the device you want to protect.



4. You'll see two options: **Download** or **Protect other devices**.



A. Click **Download** to install Bitdefender on your current device, as long as it's compatible. Then, follow the instructions displayed on the screen to finish the installation. For detailed installation instructions with pictures, refer to the following links:

- How to install Bitdefender on [Windows](#) | [Mac](#) | [Android](#) | [iOS](#)

B. Click **Protect other devices** to send the download link to another device via QR code, e-mail or direct message.

Important! If you send the download link to another device where Bitdefender was previously installed, you must uninstall Bitdefender before starting the installation. Otherwise, login will be required.

- How to uninstall Bitdefender on [Windows](#) | [Mac](#) | [Android](#) | [iOS](#)
- **QR code:** Use your smartphone's or tablet's camera to scan the QR code.
- **Copy link:** Copy the download link to your clipboard and share it through a direct message.
- **Email link:** Enter a valid email address to send the link to any devices.

Download & Install

Send a download link to another device or scan the QR code to continue with the installation.



QR code
Open your camera app and point it steadily towards the QR code.

Copy link
Copy the download link and share it in a direct message.

 <https://central.bitdefender.com> **Copy**

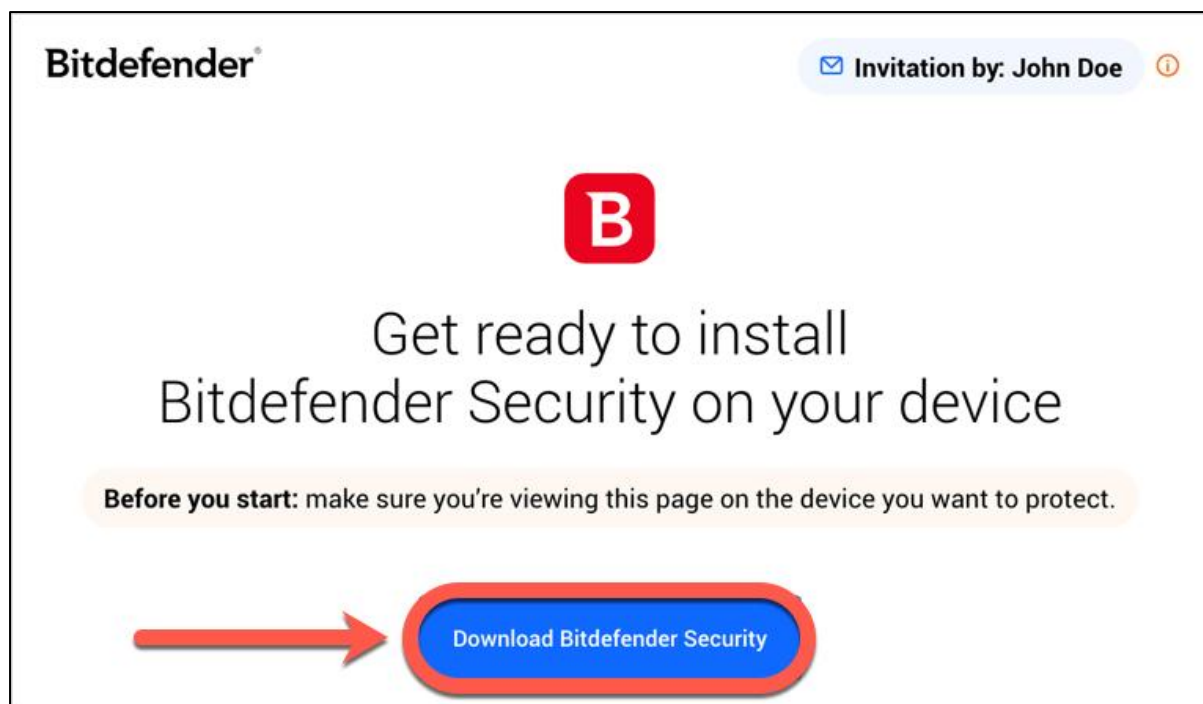
Email link
Enter an email address to send a message with the download link.

 **Send**

Open the link on the device you wish to protect and click **Download Bitdefender [app name]** to install Bitdefender. The download link expires after 24 hours, but you can generate a new one from your Bitdefender Central account if needed.

For detailed installation instructions with pictures, refer to the following links:

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I have reset my device. How do I reinstall Bitdefender on the same device?

If you are forced by circumstances to format or reset your operating system and then reinstall Bitdefender on the same device, it will not count as a second device from a license point of view.

Simply follow these installation instructions with pictures to install Bitdefender again:

- How to install Bitdefender on [Windows](#) | [Mac](#) | [Android](#) | [iOS](#)

I changed my device. How do I transfer Bitdefender to a new device?

1. Firstly, if the old device is no longer in use, remove it from your Bitdefender account to free up its slot. Follow the instructions in our guide – [How to remove a device from your Bitdefender Central account](#).

2. After that, follow these installation instructions with pictures to protect the new device:

- How to install Bitdefender on [Windows](#) | [Mac](#) | [Android](#) | [iOS](#)

After completing the steps in this guide, Bitdefender will be installed on the other device.