IBM SPSS Statistics
Version 25

Windows Installation Instructions (Concurrent License)

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Installation instructions

The following instructions are for installing IBM® SPSS® Statistics version 25 using the license type concurrent license. This document is for users who are installing on their desktop computers.

System requirements

To view system requirements, go to http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/prodguid/v1r0/clarity/index.jsp.

Installing

Important: To install, you must be logged on to your computer with administrator privileges.

Running multiple versions and upgrading from a previous release

You do not need to uninstall an old version of IBM SPSS Statistics before installing the new version. Multiple versions can be installed and run on the same machine. However, do not install the new version in the same directory in which a previous version is installed.

Note for IBM SPSS Statistics Developer

If you are installing IBM SPSS Statistics Developer, you can run the product standalone. If you accept the default option to install IBM SPSS Statistics - Essentials for Python, then you have the tools to develop with Python. You can also install IBM SPSS Statistics - Essentials for R to develop with R. It is available from the SPSS Community at https://developer.ibm.com/predictiveanalytics/predictive-extensions/.

Installing from a downloaded file

You must run the installer as administrator:

1. Double-click the file that you downloaded and extract all the files to some location on your computer.
2. Using Windows Explorer, browse to the location where you extracted the files.
3. Right-click *SPSSStatistics.exe* and choose **Run as Administrator**.
4. Follow the instructions that appear on the screen. See "Notes for installation" for any special instructions.

Installing from the DVD/CD

You must run the AutoPlay as administrator:

1. Close the AutoPlay window that automatically appeared when you inserted the DVD/CD into your DVD/CD drive.
2. Using Windows Explorer, browse to the DVD/CD drive.
3. Right-click *SPSSStatistics.exe* in the *Windows* subfolder and choose **Run as Administrator**.
4. On the AutoPlay menu, click the item that you want to install, and then follow the instructions that appear on the screen. See "Notes for installation" for any special instructions.

Notes for installation

This section contains special instructions for this installation.

Assistive technology. JAWS for Windows for IBM SPSS Statistics is automatically enabled. JAWS for Windows is screen reading software for those with visual impairments. If you plan to use JAWS for

Windows, you might also want to copy the supplied dictionary file so JAWS for Windows reads statistical terms correctly. For more information, see the document *Configuring Assistive Technology Software*.

IBM SPSS Statistics - Essentials for Python. You are prompted to install IBM SPSS Statistics - Essentials for Python. Essentials for Python provides you with the tools to develop custom Python applications for use with IBM SPSS Statistics, and to run extension commands that are implemented in the Python language. It includes Python versions 2.7 and 3.4, the IBM SPSS Statistics - Integration Plug-in for Python, and a set of Python extension commands that provide capabilities beyond what is available with built-in SPSS Statistics procedures. For more information, see Integration Plug-in for Python in the Help system. To accept the default option to install IBM SPSS Statistics - Essentials for Python, you must accept the associated license agreement.

Licensing your product

You must run the License Authorization Wizard to license your product.

Using the license authorization wizard

Note: You might be prompted for administrator credentials. Without the correct credentials, you will not be able to run the License Authorization Wizard.

1. To launch the License Authorization Wizard, click **License Product** on the Welcome dialog or choose **License Authorization Wizard** in the Windows Start menu program group for IBM SPSS Statistics. You must run as administrator. Right-click the **License Authorization Wizard** shortcut and choose **Run As Administrator**.
2. Select **Concurrent user license**. When prompted, enter the license manager server name or IP address. This is the IP address or the name of the server on which the network license manager is running. If you have multiple addresses or names, separate them with a tilde (for example, server1~server2~server3). Contact your administrator if you do not have this information.

    Note: Depending on your environment, you may need verify that TCP port 7 is open. The License Authorization Wizard needs to contact the license manager server one time on port 7 to verify it exists.

Checking out/in a commuter license

Network licenses normally require that you are connected to the network to run IBM SPSS Statistics. If your administrator enabled commuter licenses, you can check out a commuter license to use the network license when you are not connected to the network. For example, you may want to run IBM SPSS Statistics on the train when you don't have a network connection. Before disconnecting from your network and catching the train, you could check out a commuter license for a limited amount of time. You will need to reconnect to the network and check the license back in before the time expires. Otherwise, IBM SPSS Statistics will stop working.

Network licenses are enabled and configured by your administrator. If you would like to use this feature and can't, check with your administrator.

Important: Even if you are able to run IBM SPSS Statistics because you are reconnected to the network, be sure to check the license back in. Doing so will allow other users to take advantage of the commuter license.

Check out a license

1. Choose **Commuter License** in the Windows Start menu program group for IBM SPSS Statistics.
2. Select the license that you want to check out.

3. In the Duration box, enter the number of days for which you want to check out the license. There is a limit that your administrator configures.

4. Click **Check Out**.

The commuter license will expire after the number of days specified by **Duration**. You can also manually check the license back in at any time.

You may receive a message in the following format:

`Error while checkout with error code: <code>`

Common codes are as follows.

Code	Meaning
77	All available licenses have been checked out.
1402	Attempt to check out license that has been reserved for another user.

Check in a license

1. Choose **Commuter License** in the Windows Start menu program group for IBM SPSS Statistics.

2. Select the license that you want to check in. License(s) that you checked out are indicated by a check mark.

3. Click **Check In**.

Applying fix packs

To ensure problem-free operation, keep your product at the latest fix pack level. Complete all of the necessary pre-installation and post-installation tasks as described in the fix pack instructions.

Uninstalling

To completely uninstall IBM SPSS Statistics:

1. Use the Windows Control Panel to remove IBM SPSS Statistics.

2. Delete the following folder:
   - `C:\ProgramData\IBM\SPSS\Statistics\<version>`

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