

Installing Matlab

Installing software Matlab on your home computer

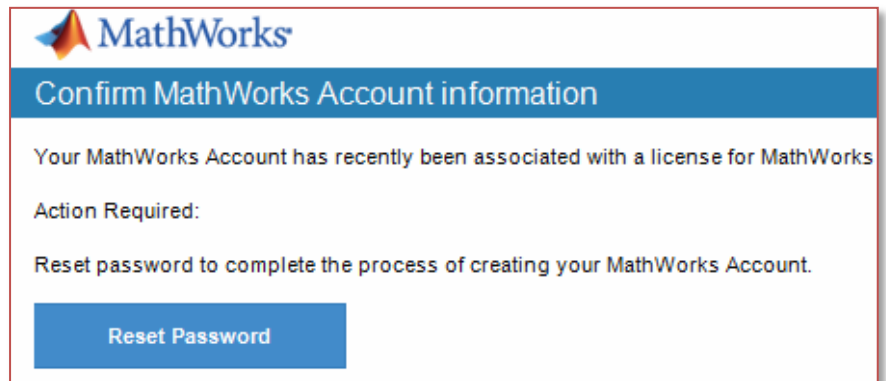
Please request a Matlab account from the [IT Service Desk](#) if you wish to use this software at home. This installation process may vary for each operating system.

Activate your MathWorks account

Once the Service Desk at Sheffield Hallam have created an account for you, you will receive an email from MathWorks to reset your password.

1. Open the email from MathWorks on your home computer.

2. Click 'Reset Password'.
You will be directed to the MathWorks website.



The screenshot shows an email from MathWorks with the subject "Confirm MathWorks Account information". The body text states: "Your MathWorks Account has recently been associated with a license for MathWorks". Under "Action Required:", it says "Reset password to complete the process of creating your MathWorks Account." There is a blue button labeled "Reset Password".

3. Please create a new password.

The password must be between 8-50 characters, at least 1 upper and lower case letter and at least 1 number.

4. Once you have changed your password, you will be able to log into your account.

Your username is your student email address in the name format (e.g `jeff.hallam@student.shu.ac.uk`, not `b7654321@my.shu.ac.uk`)



The screenshot shows the MathWorks sign-in page titled "Sign in to your MathWorks Account". It has a form with "Email Address or User ID:" containing the text "Jeff.Hallam@student.shu.ac.uk" and "Password:" with masked characters. There is a "Forgot Password?" link and a checked checkbox for "Keep me signed in". A blue "Sign In" button is at the bottom.

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Installing the Software

Following log in to your new account, you will be directed to your account page. You should see a product under 'My Software'

1. Click the blue arrow to access the download links.



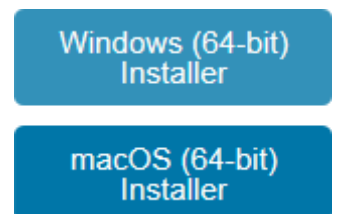
The version we currently use on campus is the R2018a. We would recommend downloading this version.

2. Click 'R2018a'



3. Please click the button that corresponds with your operating system.

The installer will begin downloading

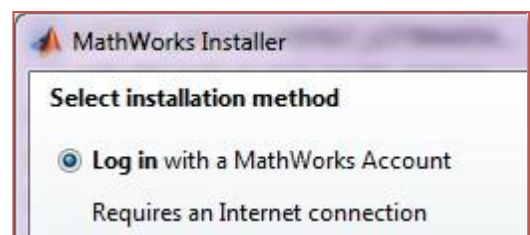


4. When the installer has finished downloading, you will be asked whether you'd like to run or save. Please click 'Save'

5. Once saved, click 'Open'

The installer is a zip file which will now begin unzipping on your PC. Once complete, the installer will open.

6. Please select 'Log in with a MathWorks Account' on the installer.



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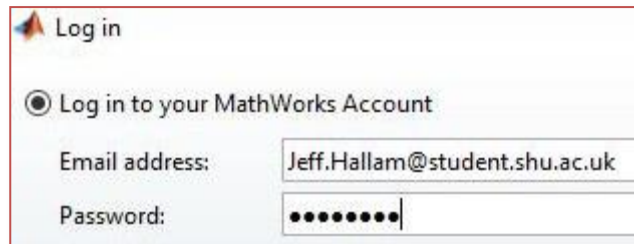
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7. Click 'Next'

You will be presented with a Licence Agreement. Please ensure this is read and understood. Non-compliance with the terms could lead to the removal of your entitlement and you would be personally liable for other consequences.

8. If you are satisfied with the terms of the agreement, please accept it and click 'Next'

9. Enter your MathWorks account information and click 'Next'



Log in

Log in to your MathWorks Account

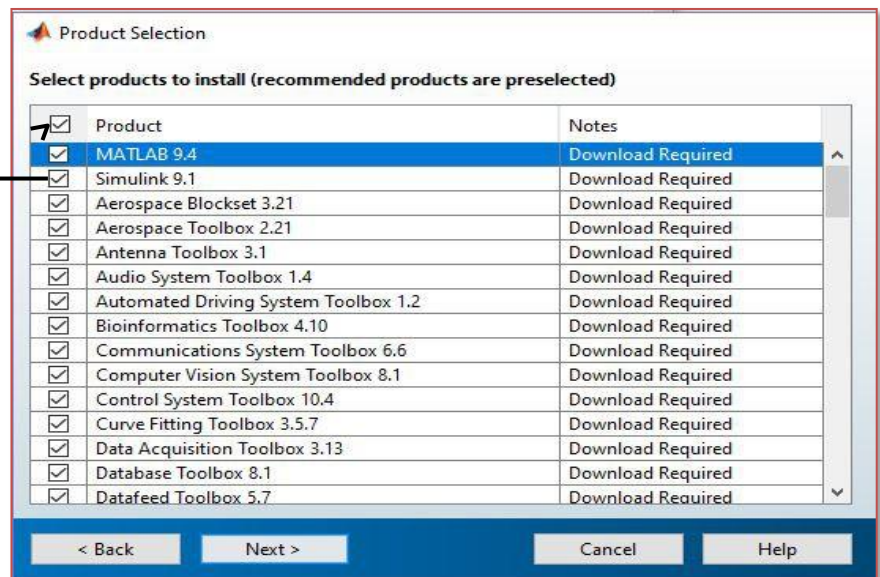
Email address: Jeff.Hallam@student.shu.ac.uk

Password: ●●●●●●●●

10. On screen '**License selection**', leave the selection on 'Select a license'; the information for your licence should already appear here. Click 'Next'

11. On screen '**Folder Selection**', you can also leave this on default unless you'd prefer to save to a different location. Click 'Next'

12. You will now see a series of tick boxes. We would recommend that you use the check box to 'select all'. This will ensure that you are running the same version as on SHU computers. Click 'Next'



Product Selection

Select products to install (recommended products are preselected)

Product	Notes
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Product	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MATLAB 9.4	Download Required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Simulink 9.1	Download Required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aerospace Blockset 3.21	Download Required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aerospace Toolbox 2.21	Download Required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Antenna Toolbox 3.1	Download Required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Audio System Toolbox 1.4	Download Required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Automated Driving System Toolbox 1.2	Download Required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bioinformatics Toolbox 4.10	Download Required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Communications System Toolbox 6.6	Download Required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Computer Vision System Toolbox 8.1	Download Required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Control System Toolbox 10.4	Download Required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Curve Fitting Toolbox 3.5.7	Download Required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Data Acquisition Toolbox 3.13	Download Required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Database Toolbox 8.1	Download Required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Datafeed Toolbox 5.7	Download Required

< Back Next > Cancel Help

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Please note, the application can take a long time to install when installing all plug ins. Ensure you are on a stable internet connection.

13. On screen '**Installation Options**', the selection is optional. Click 'Next'

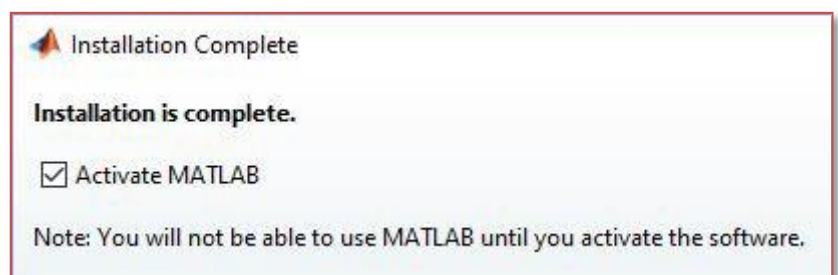
14. You will now see a '**Confirmation Screen**' that will confirm your account, licence number and installation information. If you are happy the details are correct, click 'Install'.

Matlab will begin to install. You can follow the progress on the installer. Please note, it is common for the installer to get stuck, you may have to restart the process if this gets stuck for too long.



Once installation is complete, you will be asked to activate.

Activating involves confirming your details as the sole user of Matlab. This is a requirement for using the software.



Once activated, you will be able to use the Matlab Application.

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Installing the security update

For this version, there is an update available for a security patch and bug fixes. We would strongly recommend you install this update to protect your PC and ensure highest functionality. The installation links can be found on [Matlab Downloads](#) page.

1. Select the installation button that corresponds with your operating system.

Windows (64-bit)
Installer

macOS (64-bit)
Installer

2. Click 'Save'

3. Click 'Run'

The update setup will open

4. Click 'Next'

You will be asked for to save in, the update is approximately 4.3gb so please ensure you have enough storage space.



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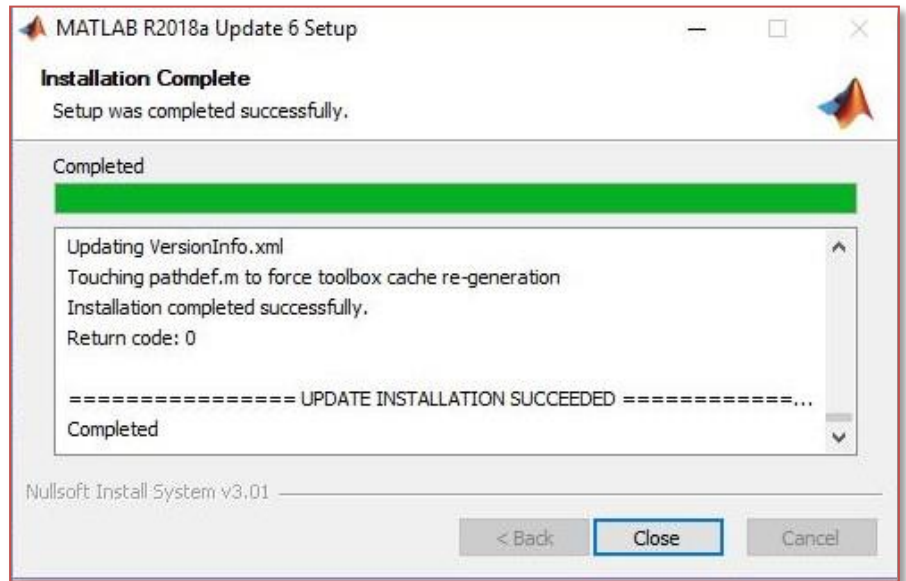
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5. Click 'Install'

Once the update is complete, you will see the following window.

6. Click 'Close'



Matlab is now fully activated, updated and ready to use.

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