Sophos Anti-Virus and Endpoint Control Installation for Windows 8

**Please note:** This installation does not work on Windows RT (e.g. the new Surface tablet). This installation procedure works only on Windows 8 32/64-bit on PC or Macintosh computers.

Step 1: Open a web browser (Internet Explorer, Firefox, Chrome, etc).

Step 2: Enter https://sitelicense.arizona.edu/sophos/ in the address bar.

Step 3: Click the link marked Windows 2000/XP/2003/Vista/Win7.

Step 4: Click the link marked Sophos_PreConfig.exe.

Step 5: Click the button marked Run.

Step 6: Sophos will now download.

Step 7: When Sophos has completed downloading, a message stating that the program was blocked from running will appear. Click the More info link.
Step 8: The window will change slightly. Click **Run anyway**.

![Windows protected your PC](image1)

Step 9: Windows will switch to the Desktop view and present a prompt to allow the program to make changes to the computer. Click **Yes**.

![User Account Control](image2)

Step 10: Sophos will install without any further user intervention. Please allow Sophos 10 minutes to install and update before attempting the next steps. Once Sophos has updated, installation is complete.
Accessing Sophos Anti-Virus and Endpoint Control

Sophos may be accessed either through the taskbar icon shown in the Desktop view or through the Sophos Endpoint Security and Control application in the panel view.

To access Sophos through the taskbar

Step 1: Right-click the Sophos shield icon in the task tray. Please note that the task tray icons may need to be expanded by clicking the small arrow-up icon before the Sophos icon shows up.

Step 2: Click Open Sophos Endpoint Security and Control.

Step 3: Click the Yes button on the User Account Control screen.
Step 4: Sophos Endpoint Security and Control opens.

To access Sophos through the panel view

Step 1: Click the Sophos Endpoint Security and Control icon in the panel.

Step 2: Windows switches to the Desktop view and opens the Sophos control panel.