

How to set up a proxy server in Internet Explorer

Please keep in mind that [Internet Explorer is an outdated web browser](#). Instead, switch to a browser that's still receiving regular updates and support, such as [Avast Secure Browser](#), Chrome, Edge, Firefox, or Safari.

Though since quite a few people and companies still use Internet Explorer (IE), you should know how to set things up when necessary.

As with other browsers, IE defaults to using your Windows proxy configurations. Here's how to set your proxy up from within IE.

1. Open the IE toolbar and select **Internet Options**.
2. Open the **Connections** tab.
3. Select **LAN Settings**.
4. Check the "Use a proxy server for your LAN" box.



5. When prompted, enter the proxy server name and port number.
6. Click **OK** to save your settings.