



# Installation of Visual Studio

I started installing the Visual Studio IDE by watching the [video](#) on the YouTube.

After watching the video, I decided to install the 2019 version on my computer, because it is the latest, most stable version of this program. Two months ago, a preview version bearing the year 2022 arrived. But, I decided not to start using this version yet.

I started my installation process on the [official Visual Studio website](#).

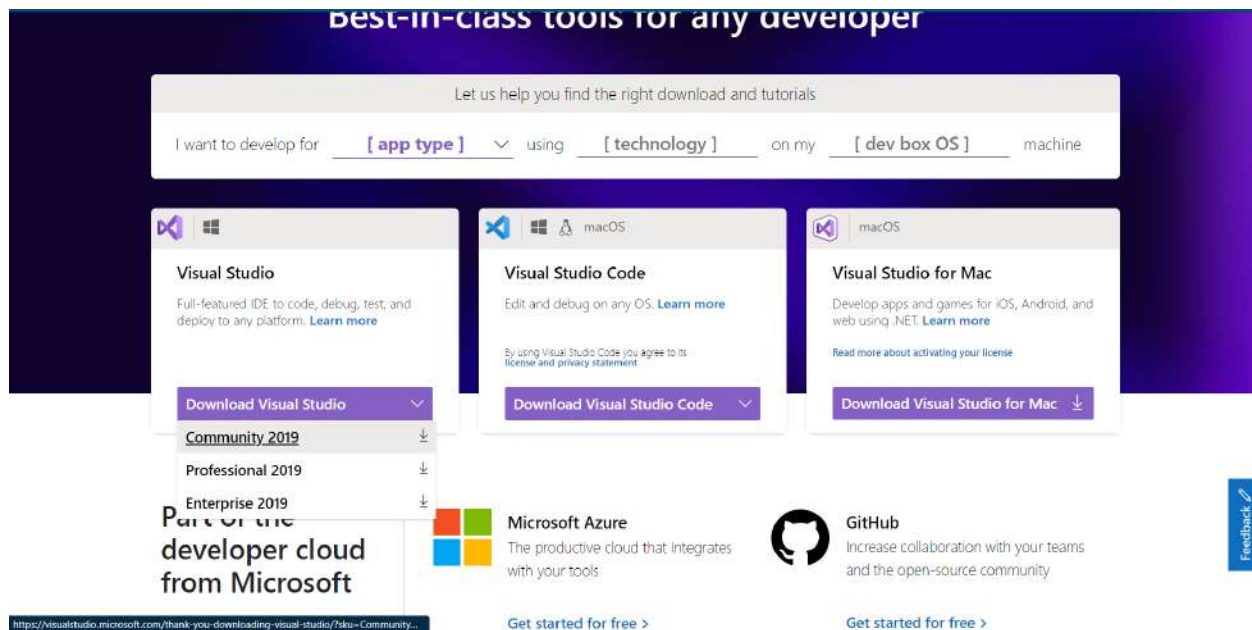


Figure 1

There are several possible Visual Studio downloads on the site. I opted for the Community version, which is available for free, for non-commercial use.

After downloading the installation file, run it and, if necessary, enter the administrator password.

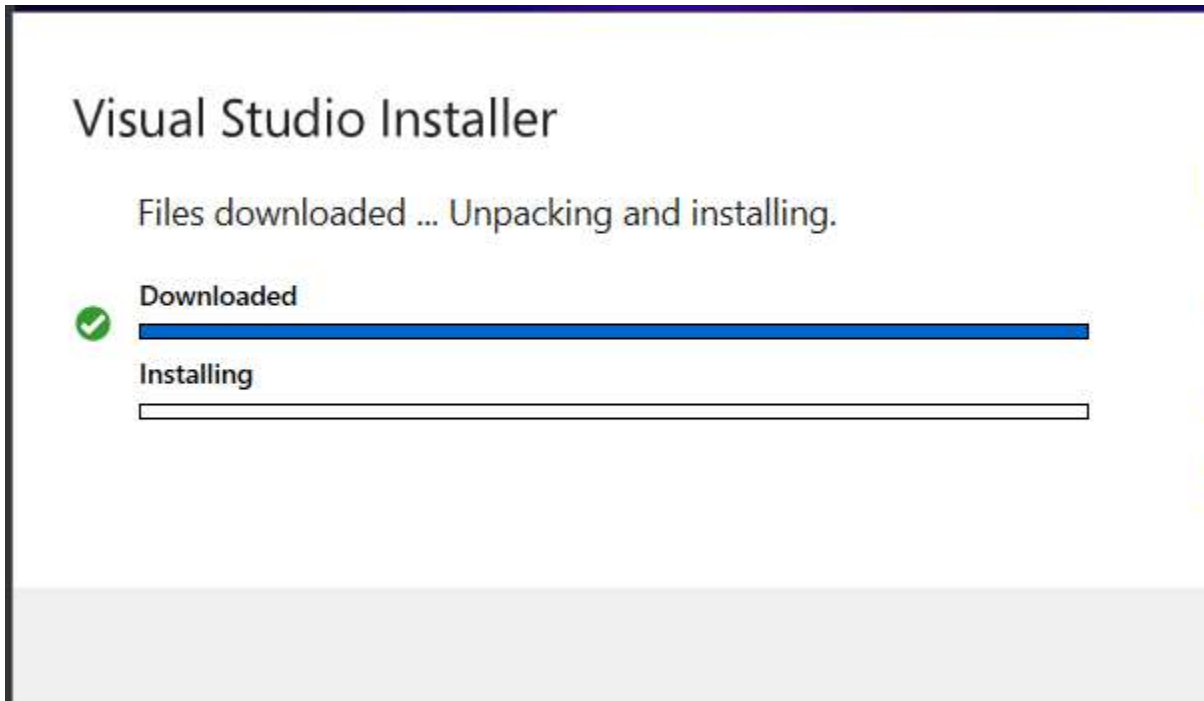


Figure 2

After starting Visual Studio, we need to decide which Workloads to install in our Visual Studio.

There are several options if you want to develop web applications in [ASP.NET] (<http://asp.NET>) install Workloads for ASP.NET, and so on.

I opted for .Net desktop development because I need Visual Studio to develop desktop applications. These Workloads consume about 6.50 Gb of disk space.

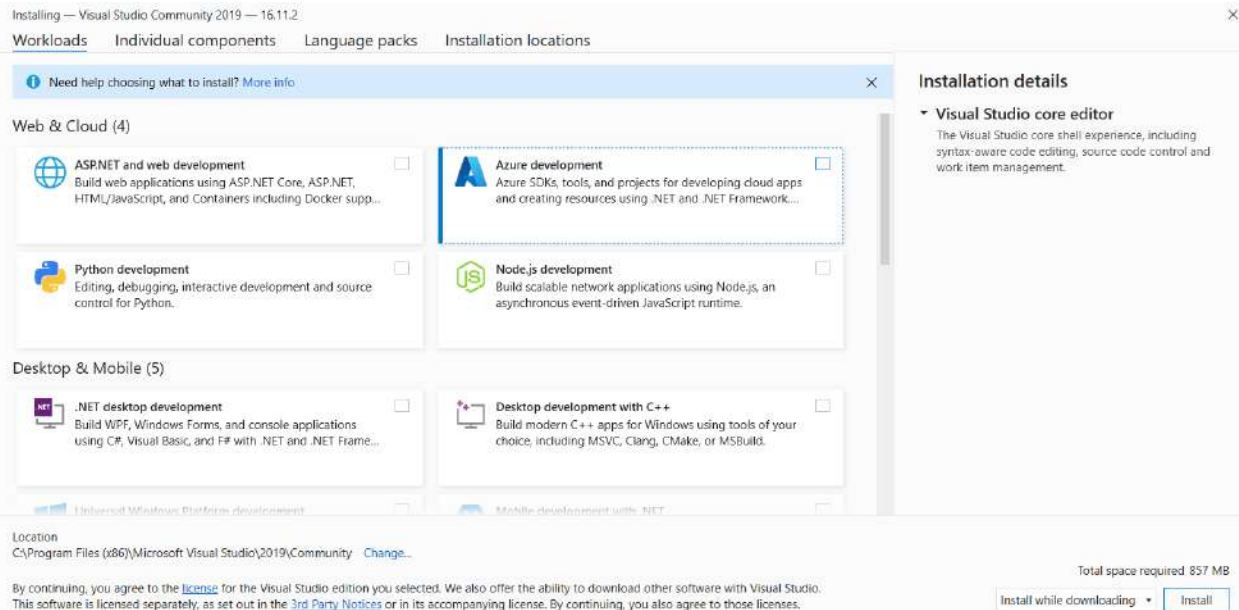


Figure 3

And then comes the most boring part. Waiting.

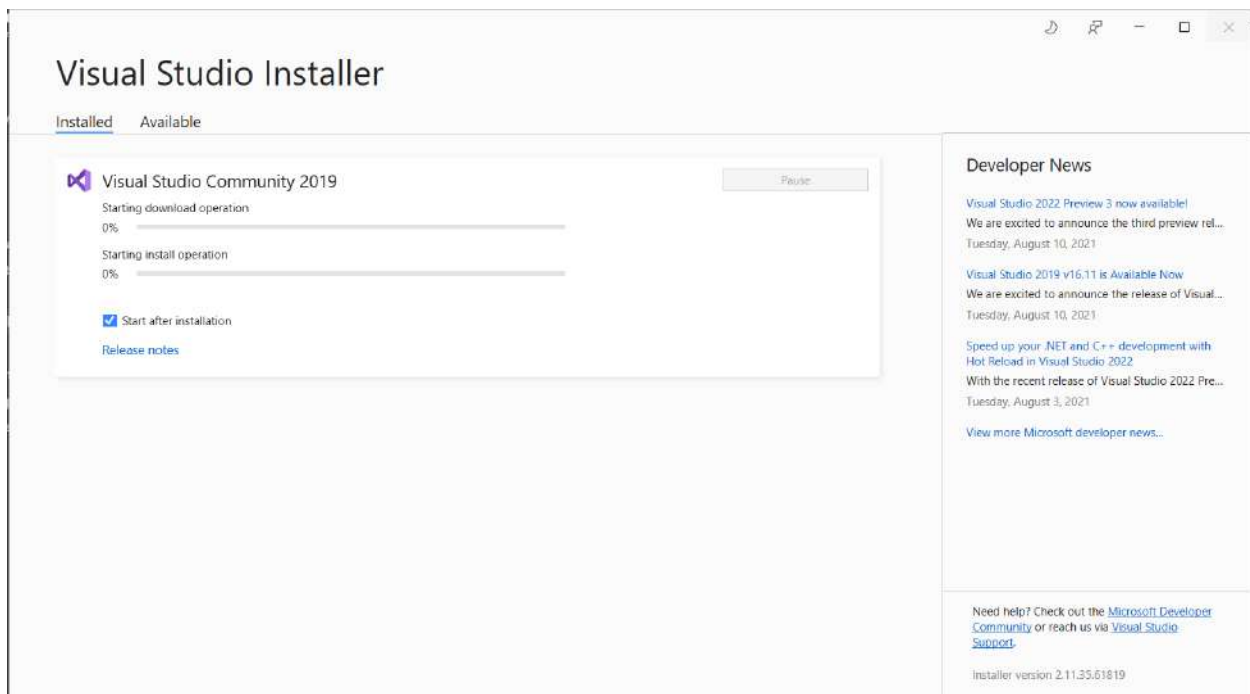


Figure 4

When we have all the components installed in about 10 minutes, a window will be waiting for us, asking us to log in with our Microsoft account, we can use a

business/school or personal account.

And Voila. We have installed Visual Studio on our computer.

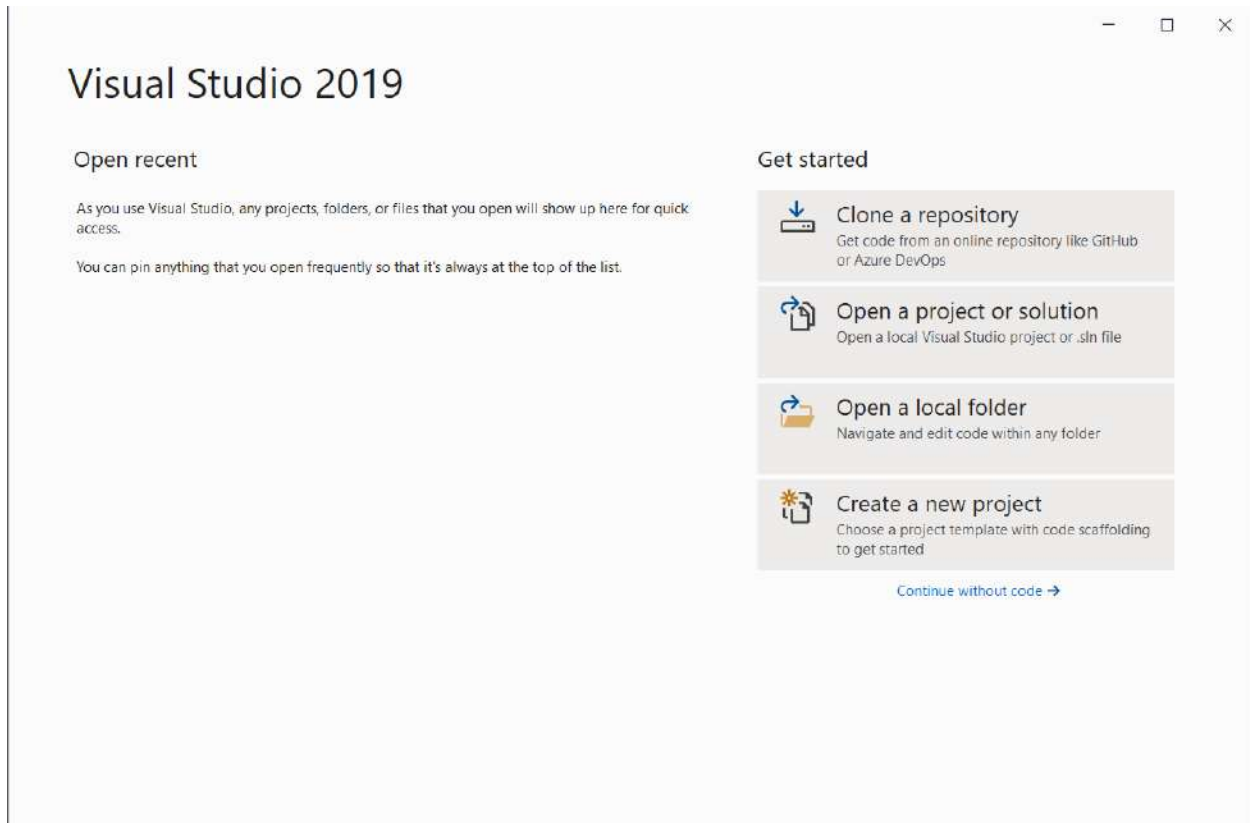


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