

Set Up and Install Visual Studio on Windows

Before you begin installing Visual Studio:

1. Check the system requirements. These requirements help you know whether your computer supports Visual Studio 2017.
2. Apply the latest Windows updates. These updates ensure that your computer has both the latest security updates and the required system components for Visual Studio.
3. Reboot. The reboot ensures that any pending installs or updates don't hinder the Visual Studio install.
4. Free up space. Remove unneeded files and applications from your System Drive for example, running the Disk Cleanup app.

Install:

1. Download the Visual Studio from the following link


https://visualstudio.microsoft.com/downloads/?utm_medium=microsoft&utm_source=docs.microsoft.com&utm_campaign=button+cta&utm_content=download+vs2017

Visual Studio 2017

Full-featured integrated development environment (IDE) for Android, iOS, Windows, web, and cloud


Community

Powerful IDE, free for students, open-source contributors, and individuals

Free download 


Professional

Professional IDE best suited to small teams

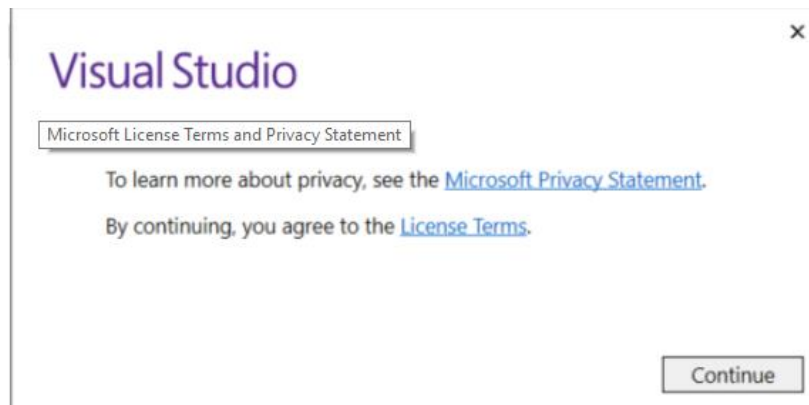
Free trial 

Enterprise

Scalable, end-to-end solution for teams of any size

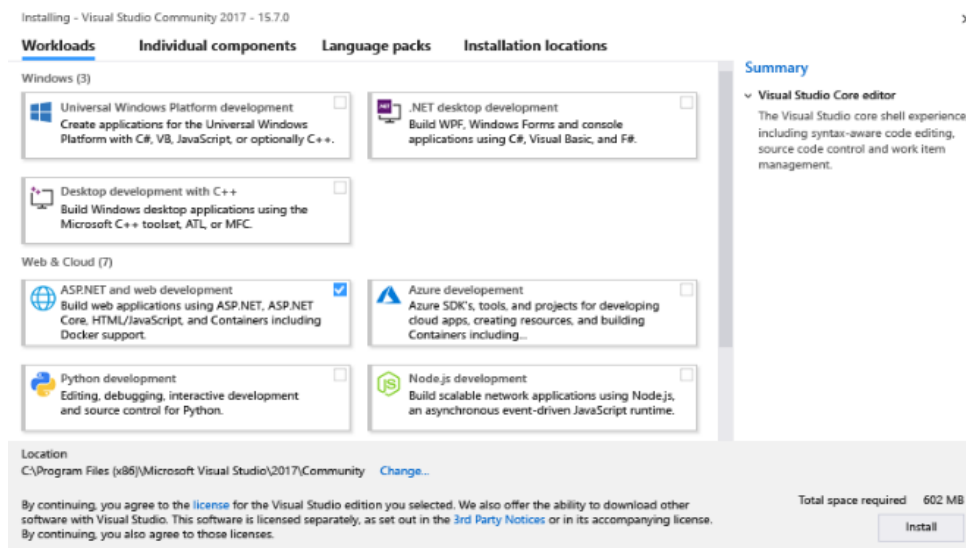
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2. Select the Community Edition
3. Install the Visual Studio Installer:
 - From your **Downloads** folder, double-click the bootstrapper **vs_community.exe** for Visual Studio Community
 - If you receive a User Account Control notice, click **Yes**.
 - Acknowledge the Microsoft License Terms and the Microsoft Privacy Statement. Click **Continue**.



4. Select Workloads

- Find the workload you want in the **Installing Visual Studio** screen.
- Choose the
 - ✓ Universal Windows Platform development
 - ✓ .Net desktop development
 - ✓ Asp.Net and Web development
 - ✓ Azure development



- After you select the workload(s), click **Install**.
- After the new workloads and components are installed, click **Launch**