

How to install Deepin Linux

Deepin Linux is an excellent distribution. So why not experience it on your computer? Deepin has a variety of high-quality layouts / interfaces and great software.

If you want a good looking distribution, learn how to install Deepin Linux through the following article.

Step 1: Create bootable USB

Create a bootable USB to install Deepin. Download the ISO file [here](#). You can use any USB bootable software. Also, make sure the USB can accommodate at least 8GB. Wait for the ISO file to download before proceeding.

Picture 1 of How to install Deepin Linux

Download the Deepin installation file

Step 2: Enter BIOS

Reboot into BIOS, go to the boot sequence and set up USB boot first.

Common keys for BIOS are usually **Esc**, **Del**, **F2** or **F12** .

Step 3: Save changes and reboot

If you are using a UEFI based system, then while using Windows hold the **Shift** key , click **Restart** and select **UEFI Firmware Settings** . Then change the boot order from there. Make sure Secure Boot is turned off.

Step 4: Install Deepin

Picture 2 of How to install Deepin Linux

Select Install Deepin

At the boot menu, select **Install Deepin** and wait until it is booted.

You do not need to select "**Deepin Failsafe**" unless you need to.

In the menu, if you are installing on a laptop, connect the machine to a power source.

Step 5: Select the default language

When booting, choose your system language and click **Next**.

The default language is usually English or Chinese.

If running on a virtual machine, you will receive a message recommending to install it on the real machine to improve software performance and operation.

Step 6: Create a user account with the name and password of your choice

Picture 3 of How to install Deepin Linux

Create a user account with the name and password of your choice

Computer name of your choice. If you don't enter anything, the computer name will be generated based on your name.

The first letter of the name must be lowercase.

Step 7: Select the drive or partition to install Deepin

If you want dual boot configuration, select a partition next to the Windows partition or installed operating system.

Be careful not to install on the EFI partition.

You can create partitions using Linux live media, the installed OS partition editor, or the **Advanced** section to edit the partition.

1. To perform a single boot configuration, select the installed operating system partition.
2. The computer needs at least 16GB of storage space to install.
3. You will need to have enough storage space for a swap partition.

Step 8: Double-check the drive or partition to install

Click **Continue** at the warning.

Be sure to carefully read the part of the drive or partition you are installing.

Step 9: Wait for the installation to finish

Let the installation take place. This usually takes about 15-25 minutes depending on the system speed.

During the installation, a slideshow showing Deepin's features will be played.

Picture 4 of How to install Deepin Linux

Step 10: Reboot

When done, you can now reboot.

If that fails, you can try installing it again.

If the reinstallation does not resolve the problem, the system may not be compatible with Deepin. Deepin requires a computer with at least 2GB of RAM, a 64-bit system, and a 2010 model or higher.

Step 11: Boot into BIOS

Boot into BIOS and change the boot order to boot from the hard drive first.

Step 12: Save changes and reboot

Step 13: Sign in to Deepin

Picture 5 of How to install Deepin Linux

Log in to Deepin

Step 14: Experience Deepin Linux

Picture 6 of How to install Deepin Linux

Now you can experience Deepin's desktop and features!

Deepin is quite heavy on processor, so it can slow down the computer.

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