

# How to reset Windows 10 to its original state

How to reset Windows 10 to the original state to help Windows 10 work like the original, without common mistakes, or infected with viruses .... How to reset Win 10 will be guided by TipsMake below.

Right on its operating system, Windows 10 already provides the **Reset Win 10** feature . With this feature, you only need a few quick steps to bring the operating system you are using to look like new without having to install it via disk, via USB or having to reinstall the driver.



## Instructions to reset Windows 10 to the original state like at the beginning of installation

### *Benefits of resetting Windows 10 to its original state*

As mentioned above, resetting Windows 10 helps the computer return to its original state like when we have just finished installing Windows, all the software or applications you previously installed will be lost and replaced by the system. operating system and available applications.

### *Why Reset Windows 10 to its original state?*

There are many reasons why you are forced to reset the computer back to its original state instead of reinstalling Windows such as:

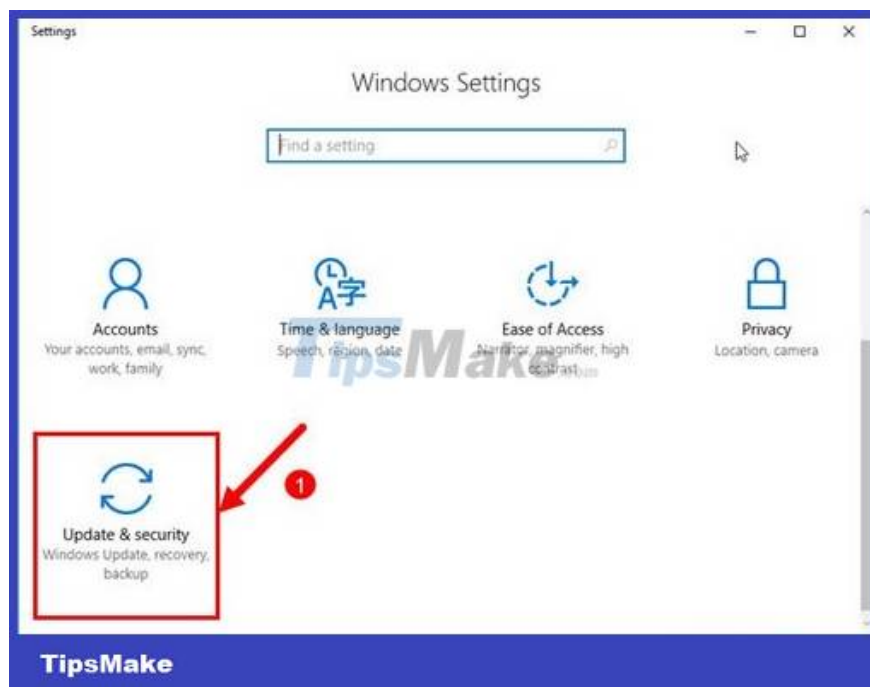
- The computer is faulty.
- Installing too many software makes the computer slow down.
- Due to long time not cleaning garbage.
- The computer is infected with a virus, malicious code that damages system files.
- Unable to remove all tools or applications.
- The computer is infected with Adware and has many ads on when opening the browser.

### ***Benefits of resetting Windows 10***

- Easy to do, even if you have no computer knowledge.
- There are not enough support tools such as USB rescue or Hiren's BootCD rescue disk.
- Fewer errors during recovery.

### ***How to reset Windows 10 to its original state***

**Step 1:** To reset Windows 10, first click **Start** and select **Settings** or press the **Windows + I** key combination to enter **the Setting app** . Here you click **Update & Security** .



### **Instructions to reset Windows 10, reset Windows 10 to use it more smoothly**

**Step 2:** In the list on the left, you click **Recovery** , in the **Reset this PC** section , click **Get Started**

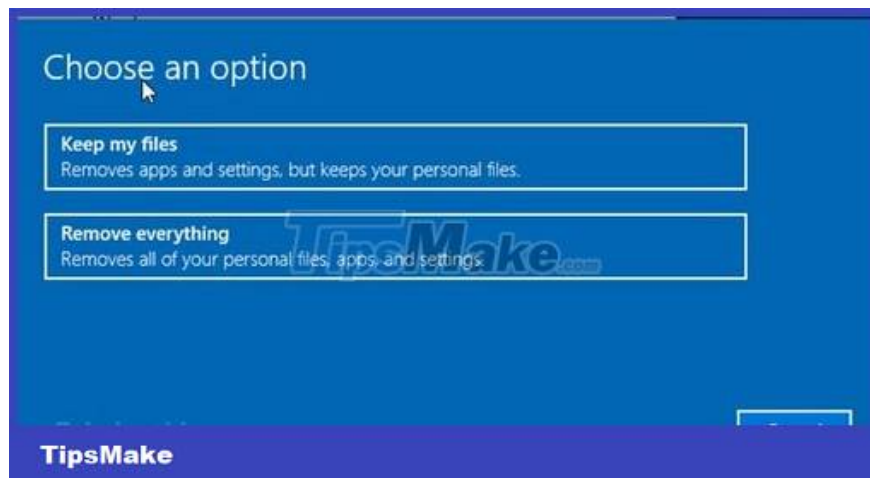


**Step 3:** A new window will appear. There will be 2 options here: **Keep my files** and **Remove everything**

**Keep my files :** This option deletes all applications and software you have installed on your computer, but will keep the files in the user folder (by default, that folder is in the CUsers\_username path).

**Remove everything :** This option means that you agree to delete all applications, software, clean the windows installation partition or the entire hard drive as new (select this only if you want to) reset Windows 10 back to the original).

Depending on your needs, you can choose 1 of 2 options, here Taimienphi will give 2 cases for you to easily implement.

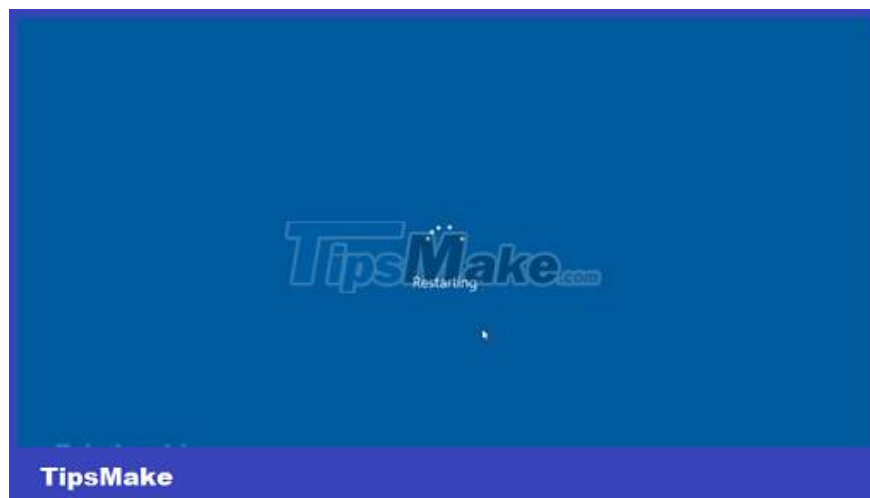
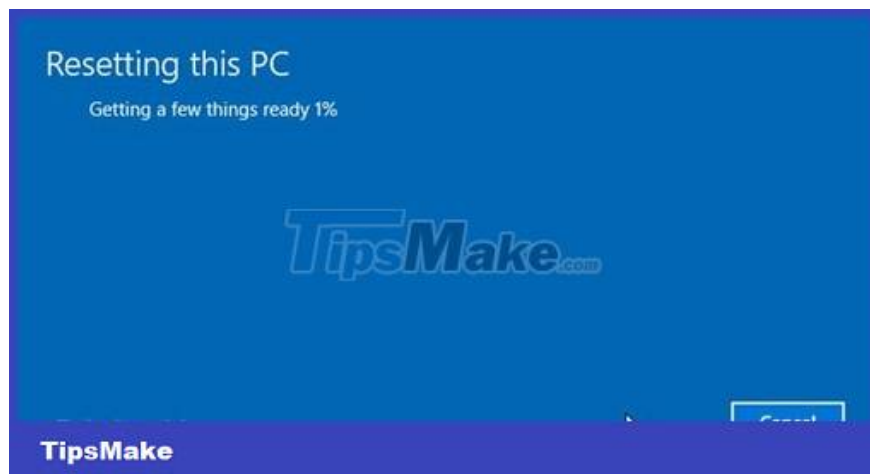


**Case 1 :** Select **Keep my files** , a notification window appears, click **Reset** to start the Reset process on Windows 10.

**Note:** After clicking reset, the computer will restart. You will not be able to go back to the previous steps,



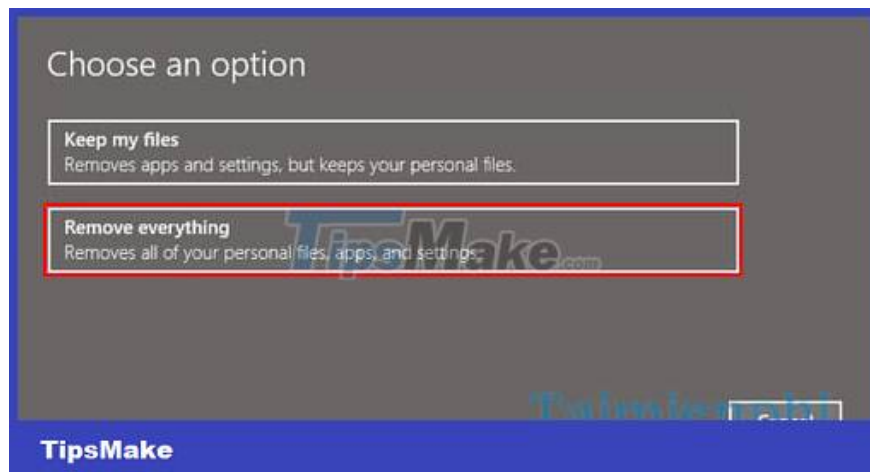
The computer starts to reboot and starts the Windows 10 reset process



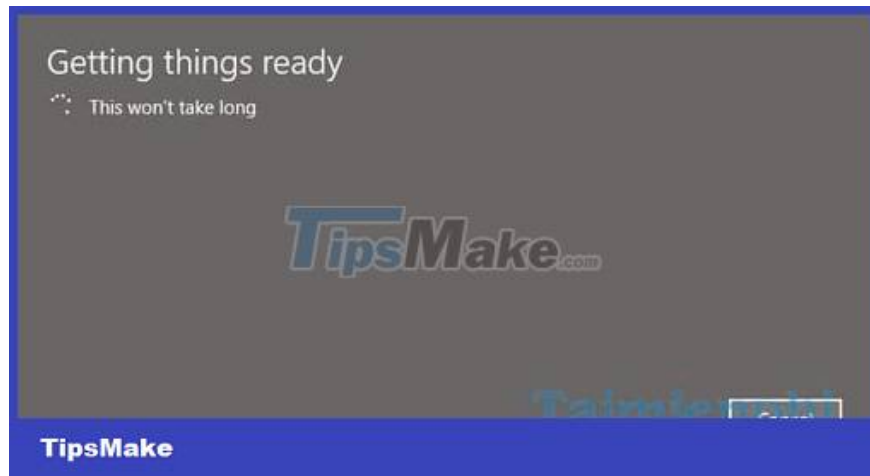


After the reset process is successful, the device will be automatically re-entered into the original operating system.

**Case 2 :** Select **Remove everything** , to clean Windows and return Windows operating system to a new state.



Wait a moment for the system to launch the process.



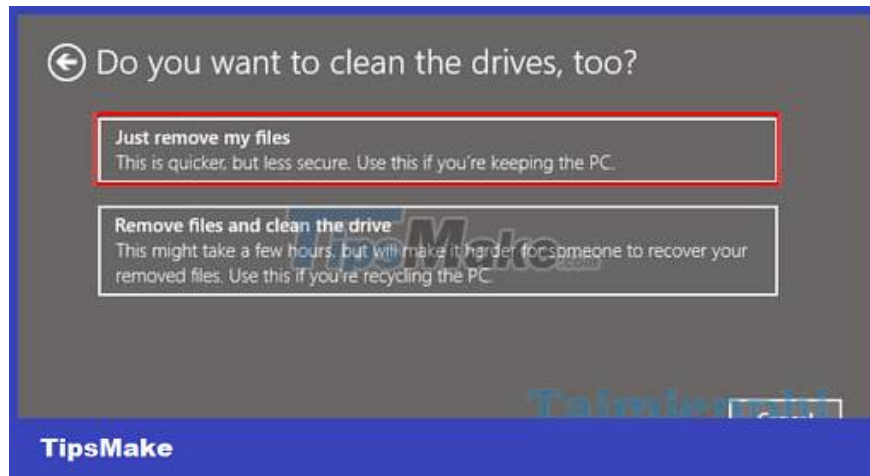
The next interface you select **Only the drive where Windows is installed** , which means that the resetting process of Windows 10 will erase everything in the hard drive partition containing the Windows 10 operating system. Absolutely do not select **All drives** , because it will delete it. all other drives and it will be very difficult to recover data.



**A new window interface appears and there are also 2 choices for you:**

**Just remove my file :** This option helps you delete quickly, which means that after deleting you can still use data recovery software to restore it, similar to the Quick Format USB option.

**Remove files and clean the drive :** Wipe data and it is very difficult for you to recover data, the downside of this option is that the deletion time will be quite long. This method is only useful in the case that after resetting the device you will sell or give it to someone else, but if you still use it, you don't need to choose this option to waste time.



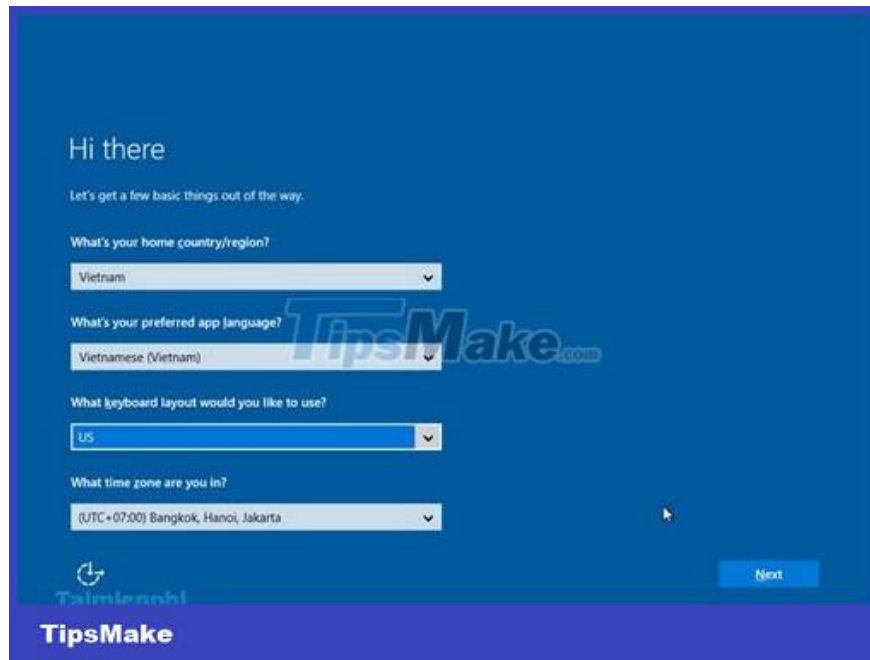
A message in the next window with the content as shown below, click the **Reset** button to perform the process of restoring the computer to a new state. Windows will restart and take a certain amount of time depending on your computer configuration to reset the system.



The computer after the reset process, you will need to perform a few steps to reset Windows 10 before using it as with a new operating system.

**The installation steps after resetting Windows 10 are as follows:**

Select language and time zone

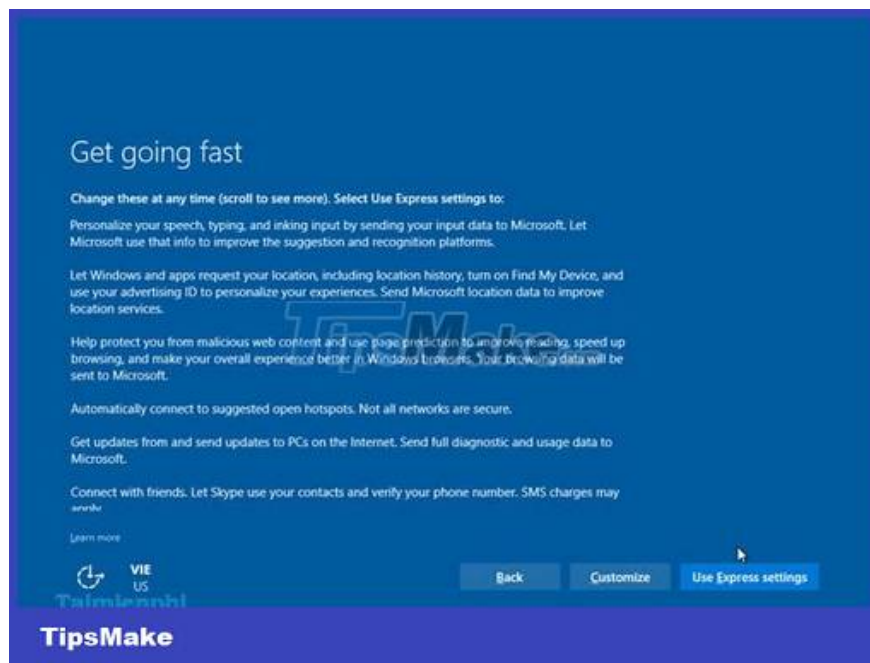


This step you can skip and edit the time after the installation is complete, how to adjust the time in win 10 or adjust 24h in windows 10 is quite simple, just like how it is done on other versions of windows.

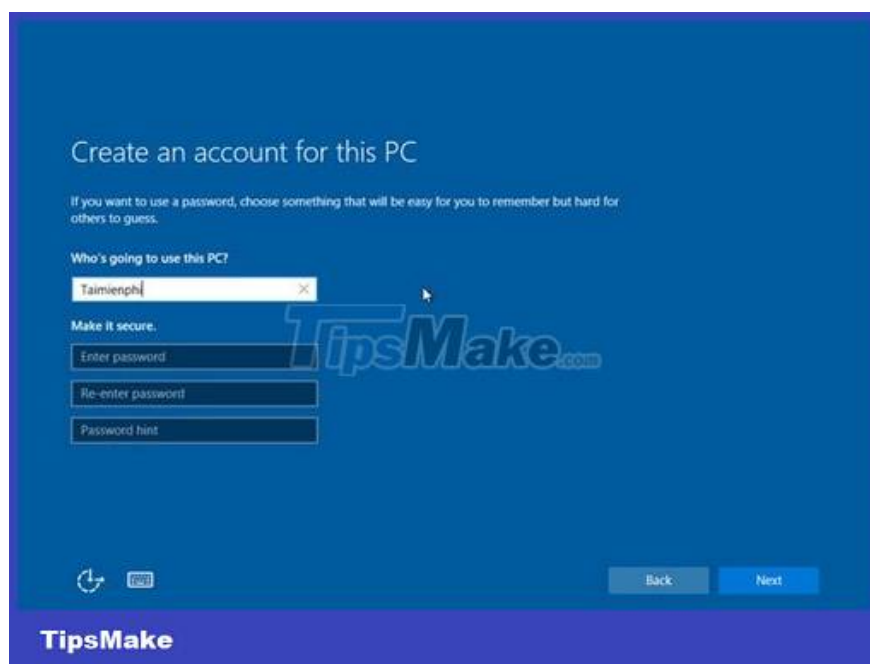
Click **Accept** to agree to the terms of use



Click **Use Express Settings**



Enter **User** name , then click **Next** to finish



With just a few simple steps right in Windows, you can return the operating system on your computer to its default state with the Reset Windows 10 feature. You can also refer to how to activate it. 180-day license on Windows 10.

The reset of Win 10 is not always as convenient as many of you think, some of you have encountered the error of resetting Win 10, and had to reinstall Windows 10 when you couldn't find a fix, Taimienphi has summarized how to fix the error that does not reset. Win 10 in recent tips, if you are facing this situation, please refer to how to fix **Win 10 reset error** here. If you are using Windows 11, please refer to this article for effective reset.

**See also: How to Reset Windows 11**

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There are many ways to install Windows 10 on users' computers, you can use DVD discs, create USB install windows 10 . and Most of today, readers often **create usb to install windows 10** to install and fix Windows 10 errors because USB is compact and very convenient.

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