# NATIONAL INSTRUMENTS SOFTWARE DOWNLOAD, INSTALL AND ACTIVATE

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### LabVIEW and all National Instruments software

LabVIEW is an integrated development environment designed specifically for engineers and scientists to accelerate productivity, helping them reducing development times and translating ideas into reality.

LabVIEW has different toolkit and modules can help your project and your teaching. Take a look on the Software Included in NI Academic Site License document.

Are you looking for another NI Software? Please refer to the Download Academic Software

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# 1. Where you can find NI software

a.  National Instruments provides an hard copy of all the software to each Academic Institution that has an active Academic Site License (ASL). Staff members can refer to their ASL administrator to have the support (DVDs or USB stick).

b.  Software can be also downloaded from ni.com, surfing on the Download Academic Software document. This option is highly recommended for students.

c.  Download the software you need, choosing the best option in the list.

    If you're going to use a specific NI hardware (like myDAQ or myRIO), you can directly download the related bundle. Have a look on the small note at the end of the page.



    If not, you should download LabVIEW (32 bit version) and modules and toolkit you're looking for. You can find the most popular on *Popular Software Add-Ons for LabVIEW* tab.
    For example:
    1.  *LabVIEW Development System 32-Bit: English*
    2.  *LabVIEW MathScript RT Module*
    3.  *Other modules and toolkits*

d.  Looking for LabVIEW Communication?
    Please refer to http://www.ni.com/labview-communications/

e.  Then find the proper driver for your hardware on ni.com.

## 2. Get an activation code (for Staff members)

Activation codes are managed locally by your IT department. Please refer to your ASL administrator for any request. If you don't know who is, please contact your NI Sales Representative.
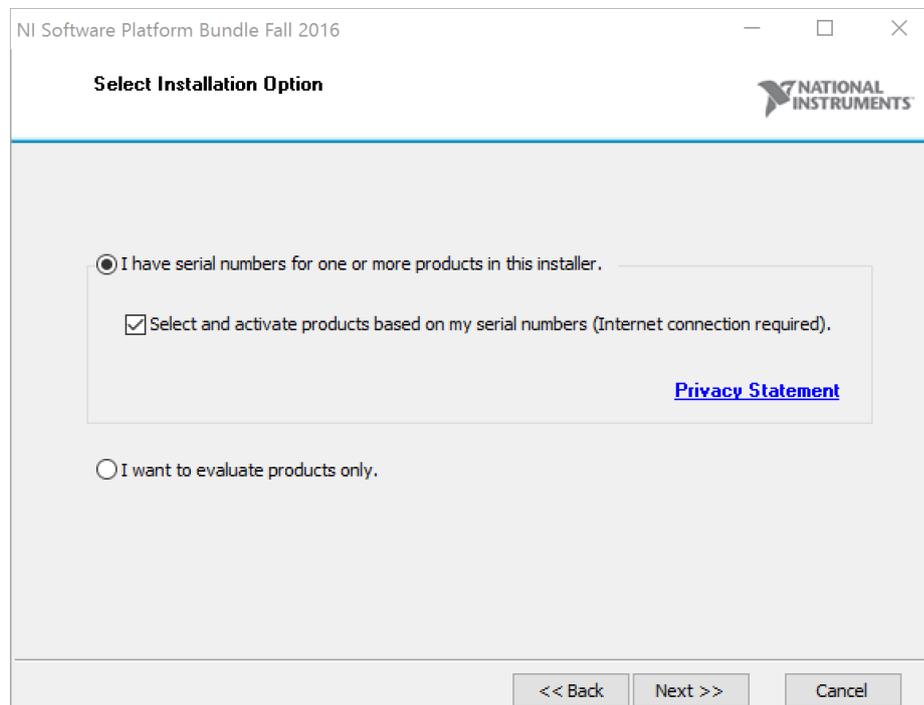
## 3. Get an activation code (for Students)

Students have access to National Instruments Student Installation option.
University ASL administrator can provide you the right procedure to get the software active. Please refer to your Professor or surf on your Delphi webpage.
See differences between LabVIEW Student option on ni.com.

## 3. Install and activate

a. Run Setup.exe to start the installation process. If you download LabVIEW and Add-Ons from the web, it is usually located in «local drive»\National Instruments Downloads
b. If you have more than one installer, please remember the right installation order
   1. LabVIEW
   2. Toolkit and modules (eg. LabVIEW Mathscript RT Module, or myRIO Toolkit)
   3. Drivers (eg. ElvisMX)
c. Press Next and select *I have serial numbers for one or more products in this installer*

d. Add your serial number (Internet connection required) and press Next.



e. Select the software you would install. Press Next Accept all the agreements and press Next.
f. You should associate your software with your myNI account (Internet connection required).



g. Press Next and begin your installation process.

Please refer to the NI Technical support in your local NI branch if you need assistance.