



VeriMark™ Access User Manual for Windows

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Introduction



VeriMark™ Access is a value-added application for the VeriMark™ NFC+ Security Key, allowing users to sign in to Windows without typing a desktop password. It enables desktop owners or administrators to control access by managing which VeriMark™ NFC+ Security Keys are authorized to log in.

VeriMark™ Access operates independently, without requiring integration with Windows Entra ID or any identity provider (IdP), making it ideal for individual users and small business environments. The VeriMark™ NFC+ Security Key and its recovery options support both online and offline login scenarios.

With VeriMark™ Access, computer owners or administrators can easily manage who can access a computer, providing an extra layer of security and flexibility—especially useful in environments where multiple users share the same device.

INSTALL

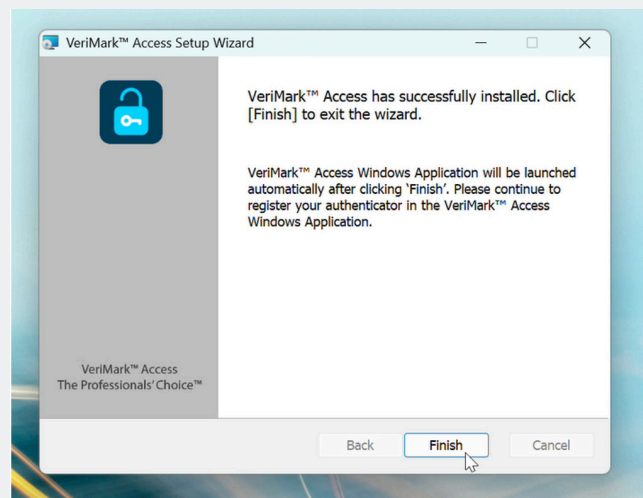
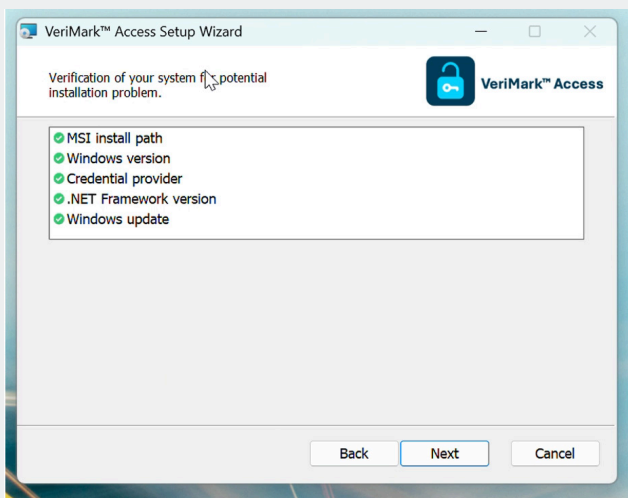
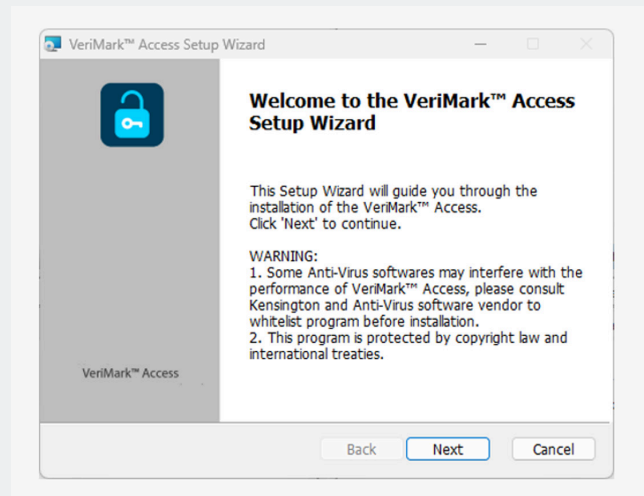
1.1 Download Link: Supported Operating Systems:
Windows 10/11 (x64)

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*ARM-based CPU laptops are not supported by VeriMark™ Access at this time.

1.2 Verify Install Environment: On the right is the checklist, and if you encounter any issues, you can refer to the following descriptions to verify your environment:

- MSI install path: The installation path must be a local path.
- Windows version: Windows 10 version 1809 above and Windows 11.
- Credential provider: You previously installed similar software that was not completely removed. Please check the following path for any remaining files.
 - regedit.msc:
 - Computer\HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows\CurrentVersion\Authentication\Credential Provider Filters
 - There must be only {DDC0EED2-ADBE-40b6-A217-EDE16A79A0DE} (Default) before installation. After installation, you must have {206CF19D-6951-41EF-BC90-01C04A30AB7A} (VeriMark™ Access) and
 - {DDC0EED2-ADBE-40B6-A217-EDE16A79A0DE} (Default).
 - If there are any other Credential Providers present, please delete them.
- .Net Framework version: Must be the v4.7.2 or later.
- Windows update: There should be no pending update prompt above the Windows shutdown key icon. If the environment check is satisfied, the installation can proceed.



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Register VeriMark™ NFC+ Security Key



Enroll your VeriMark™ NFC+ Security Key

Connect your key to the USB port in your computer.



GET STARTED

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Once the installation is complete, opening VeriMark™ Access will display this screen.

Authentication Required

Please enter your PC account password to verify your identity.



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Password

NEXT

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Please enter your computer account password. Note that if you have not previously set a password for your computer, you must do so first. Otherwise, you will not be able to verify your computer, and the registration process cannot proceed.

Confirm your identity

Enter your VeriMark™ NFC+ Security Key PIN



PIN

Enter PIN

NEXT

3

Please insert the VeriMark™ NFC+ Security Key into the computer. Once the computer reads it, you will be prompted to enter the PIN code for the VeriMark™ NFC+ Security Key. If you have not set a PIN before, VeriMark™ Access will guide you through the setup process. Please create a 6–8 digit PIN for your VeriMark™ NFC+ Security Key.

Touch your VeriMark™ NFC+ Security Key to enroll...



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After entering the PIN, please click “NEXT.” VeriMark™ Access will prompt you to touch the VeriMark™ NFC+ Security Key when it starts blinking.

At this point, the registration of the VeriMark™ NFC+ Security Key is complete.

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VeriMark™ Companion



VeriMark™ Companion

Please download the VeriMark™ Companion APP to link your phone to VeriMark™ Access service and authenticate using a single use security code.



NEXT

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In addition to using the VeriMark™ NFC+ Security Key as a login method, VeriMark™ Access also provides VeriMark™ Companion and backup codes as alternative security measures. Once the VeriMark™ NFC+ Security Key registration is complete, the screen will switch to the mobile binding registration page. Scan the QR code to download the app for your mobile operating system.

Register Your Phone

Open your VeriMark™ Companion APP, tap " " to scan below QR code



NEXT

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After the download is complete, click "NEXT" on VeriMark™ Access. You will see another QR code. Open VeriMark™ Companion and tap the scan button in the bottom right corner to scan the QR code.

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VeriMark™ Companion



Paired Computers



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VeriMark™ Access 838868

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After scanning with VeriMark™ Companion, you should see your computer's device name and username appear in the "Paired Computers" section.

Input Security Code from your phone

Input 8-digit numbers shown on your phone and press "OK"



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Security Code

BACK

OK

QR CODE WILL EXPIRE WITHIN 141 SECOND(S)

DESKTOP-4BV9PSR



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Security Code

0499-9898

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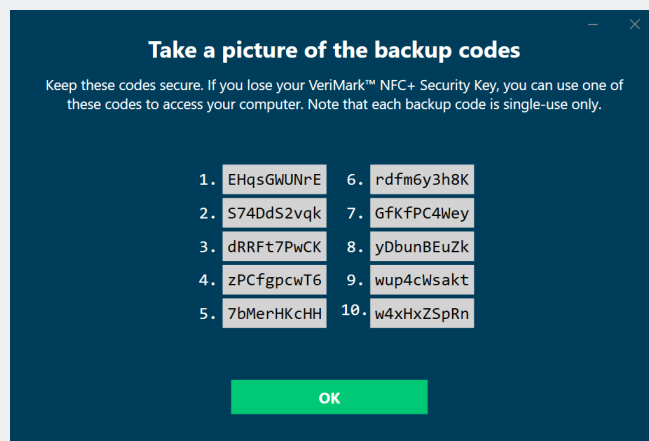
Click "NEXT" on VeriMark™ Access. The screen will prompt you to enter the security code displayed in VeriMark™ Companion. In VeriMark™ Companion, select your paired computer/account, and you will see a security code. Enter this code into VeriMark™ Access. Once the verification is complete, the process is finished.

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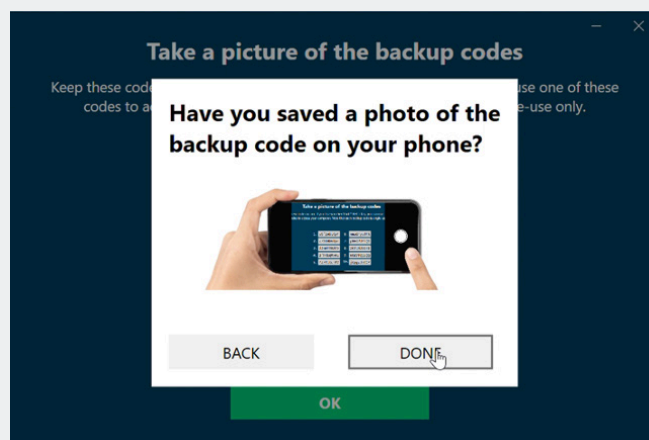
Backup Code



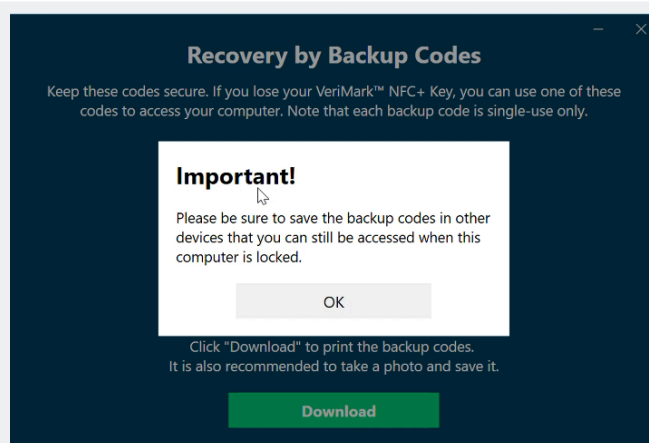
After the mobile binding is complete, the screen will display 10 backup codes. Please take a photo of them or download and save these codes to another device for future use.



VeriMark™ Access will guide you to take a photo and automatically save and download the backup codes. Please ensure you store the file on a device other than this computer.



A file containing the codes will be available for download.



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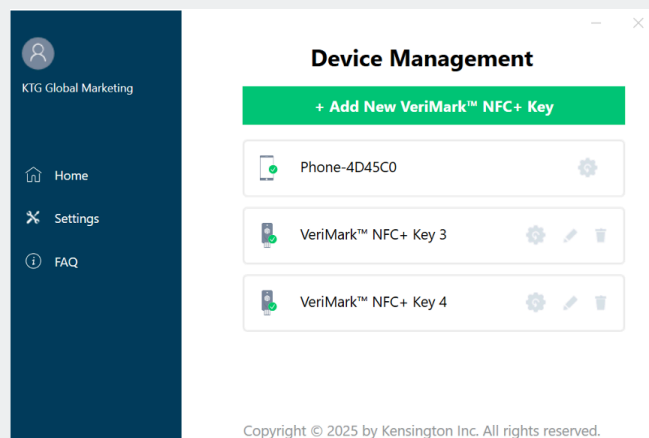
Backup Code (Cont.)



You can print it or save it securely on another device to ensure you can access it in an emergency.

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VeriMark™ Access Backup Code_2
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S74DdS2vqk
dRRFt7PwCK
zPCfgpcwT6
7bMerHKcHH
rdfm6y3h8K
GfKfPC4Wey
yDbun8EuZk
wup4cWsaKt
w4xHxZSpRn
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Ln 9, Col 11 135 characters Plain text 100% Unix (LF) UTF-8
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Once all the bindings are complete, you will see the following screen. You can also click “Add New VeriMark™ NFC+ Key” at the top to register additional VeriMark™ NFC+ Security Keys.



VeriMark™ Access setup is complete — experience the full potential of your VeriMark™ NFC+ Security Key.



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