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# The best antivirus software for Windows 10?

**Which is the best antivirus software? AV-TEST has checked the most common brands of antivirus software for private users running Windows 10.**

According to recent figures, there is an average 350.000 new items of malware and potentially unwanted applications appearing every single day. Up-to-date antivirus software is therefore a must!

The independent AV-TEST research institute has checked the most common brands of antivirus software for private users running Windows 10 this spring. The results can be found [here \(https://www.av-test.org/en/antivirus/home-windows/\)](https://www.av-test.org/en/antivirus/home-windows/) .

Please note however that tests like these should always be treated with caution. **Much more important than your choice of product is that you keep it up-to-date!**

Further information on protection provided by anti-virus software can be found [here \(https://www.ebas.ch/en/2-monitoring-with-antivirus-software-and-firewall/\)](https://www.ebas.ch/en/2-monitoring-with-antivirus-software-and-firewall/) .