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What Is Gridinsoft Anti-Malware? Features, Safety, and Use Cases

Gridinsoft Anti-Malware is a Windows security app for detecting malware, removing unwanted programs, reviewing suspicious changes, and adding optional real-time protection.

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Gridinsoft Anti-Malware is a Windows security application for finding and removing malware, potentially unwanted programs, adware, browser hijackers, and other suspicious software. It combines on-demand scanning with optional protection for web traffic, running programs, and removable devices.

01 What Gridinsoft Anti-Malware does

- **Scans the PC:** Quick, Standard, Full, and Custom scans cover different locations and troubleshooting needs.
- **Removes unwanted software:** detected items can be quarantined for review or removed after confirmation.
- **Checks active behavior:** Suspicious Activity Shield monitors programs for actions associated with malware.
- **Filters dangerous connections:** Internet Security can warn about known malicious pages and download sources.
- **Checks removable storage:** USB Device Control helps inspect connected drives before untrusted files are opened.
- **Repairs selected settings:** recovery tools can restore browser and Windows network settings changed by unwanted software.

02 Is Gridinsoft Anti-Malware safe and legitimate?

The legitimate installer is published by Gridinsoft and should be downloaded from the official Gridinsoft website. Verify the publisher shown by Windows before approving installation. Do not use modified installers, “free keys,” cracks, or downloads from third-party software sites; those files cannot be trusted merely because they use the Gridinsoft name.

Like any security product, Gridinsoft can occasionally classify a trusted item incorrectly. Quarantine an uncertain detection first and follow the false-positive review process instead of creating a broad permanent exclusion.

03 When the product is useful

- Your browser redirects, displays unexpected ads, or has unknown extensions.
- Windows shows unfamiliar startup entries, processes, scheduled tasks, or security exclusions.
- You need to inspect a suspicious download, folder, disk, or USB drive.
- You want an additional on-demand scan after another security product reports a problem.
- You removed an infection and want to check for remaining files or changed settings.

04 Can it run with another antivirus?

An on-demand scan can often be used as a second opinion, but two products performing real-time filtering at the same time may conflict or slow the PC. Keep Microsoft Defender or another antivirus enabled unless the relevant vendor instructions say otherwise. If you enable Gridinsoft real-time modules, check both products for duplicate web, behavior, and removable-device protection.

05 Free trial and paid protection

Gridinsoft Anti-Malware is a commercial product with a limited evaluation period. The current trial length, available features, and license terms are shown in the app and on the official product page. A legitimate trial does not require a cracked installer or an unofficial activation key.

06 How to evaluate it safely

1. Download the installer through the official installation guide.
2. Start with the trial guide.
3. Update the Threat List and run the scan type that matches your situation.
4. Review detections before deleting or excluding files.

5. Use the scanning guide if you are unsure which scan to choose.

07 Important limitation

No antivirus can guarantee complete protection. Safe results still depend on current threat data, Windows and browser updates, reliable backups, and careful handling of downloads and warnings.

NEED MORE HELP?

We are here when the guide is not enough.

Visit the Gridinsoft Support Center for current product guidance or submit a support request with the details of your case.

Open this guide online at support.gridinsoft.com