

How to install the US – International keyboard in Windows Vista.

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Windows Mail

Welcome Center

Windows Media Center

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Windows Photo Gallery

Windows Movie Maker

Microsoft Visual C++ 2005 Express Edition

Microsoft Visual Basic 2005

All Programs

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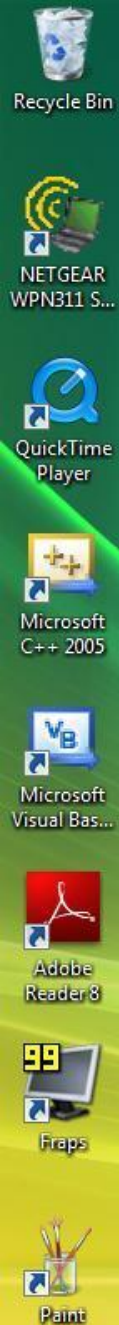
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- Recent Items
- Computer
- Network
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- Control Panel**
- Default Customization
- Help and Support



To add the U.S. International keyboard setting in Windows Vista first open the control panel located on the right side of the start menu



Default Customize the appearance and functionality of your computer, add or remove programs, and set up network connections and user accounts.



Control Panel

Control Panel Home
Classic View

- System and Maintenance**
Get started with Windows
Back up your computer
- Security**
Check for updates
Check this computer's security status
Allow a program through Windows Firewall
- Network and Internet**
View network status and tasks
Set up file sharing
- Hardware and Sound**
Play CDs or other media automatically
Printer
Mouse
- Programs**
Uninstall a program
Change startup programs
- User Accounts and Family Safety**
Set up parental controls for any user
Add or remove user accounts
- Appearance and Personalization**
Change desktop background
Customize colors
Adjust screen resolution
- Clock, Language, and Region**
[Change keyboards or other input methods](#)
- Ease of Access**
Let Windows suggest settings
Optimize visual display
- Additional Options**

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Secondly, click on the "Change Keyboards or other input methods" option located beneath the "Clock, Language, and Region" option.

Regional and Language Options

Formats | Location | Keyboards and Languages | Administrative

Keyboards and other input languages

To change your keyboard or input language, click **Change keyboards...**

Change keyboards...

[How do I change the keyboard layout for the Welcome screen?](#)

Next, click on the change keyboards button.

[How can I install additional languages?](#)

OK Cancel Apply

Search

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Obama denies wife t...
MSNBC N... Thu Aug 23

Families of GIs killed...
MSNBC N... Thu Aug 23

Al-Qaida reportedly ...
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Debate grows over T...
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Regional and Language Options

Text Services and Input Languages

General | **Language Bar** | Advanced Key Settings

Default input language
Select one of the installed input languages to use as the default for all input fields.

English (United States) - US

Installed services
Select the services that you want for each input language shown in the list. Use the Add and Remove buttons to modify this list.

- EN English (United States)
 - Keyboard
 - US

Next, click the Add button.

Add...
Remove
Properties...
Move Up
Move Down

OK Cancel Apply

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Add Input Language

Select the language to add using the checkboxes below.

- English (Malaysia)
- English (New Zealand)
- English (Republic of the Philippines)
- English (Singapore)
- English (South Africa)
- English (Trinidad and Tobago)
- English (United Kingdom)
- English (United States)
 - Keyboard
 - United States-Dvorak
 - United States-Dvorak for left hand
 - United States-Dvorak for right hand
 - United States-International
 - US (Default)**
 - US English Table for IBM Arabic 238_L
 - Show More...
- English (Zimbabwe)
- Estonian (Estonia)

Next, select
United States-International.

OK Cancel Preview...

OK Cancel Apply

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MSNBC N... Tue Aug 28

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MSNBC N... Mon Aug 27

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Uganda truck crash k...
MSNBC N... Mon Aug 27

10 held over Russian...
MSNBC N... Mon Aug 27

Four people found de...
MSNBC N... Mon Aug 27

Bad credit tops terro...
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OK Cancel Preview...

Then, click OK.

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Buttons: Add..., Remove, Properties..., Move Up, Move Down

Finally, click the Apply button.

Buttons: OK, Cancel, Apply

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Contaminated baby c...
MSNBC N... Thu Aug 23

Dean could revive ov...
MSNBC N... Thu Aug 23

Iraq to become more...
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Maintenance

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Now you can switch between keyboard layouts by clicking the keyboard button on the task bar and selecting the layout that you want.



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Show the Language bar

How to use the US – International keyboard

Once your keyboard is international, it's pretty much the same as a normal US keyboard, but there are some added features. There are actually 2 ways to make special German characters.

- **Option One:**

Press the SHIFT key and type a quotation mark ("). Now just simply type a small a, and it will be umlauted.

SHIFT plus " (release) a = ä

SHIFT plus " (release) o = ö

SHIFT plus " (release) u = ü

SHIFT plus " (release) SPACEBAR = "

RightALT + s = ß

RightALT + 5 = €

LeftALT + 0132 (on keypad) = „

SHIFT plus " (release) A = Ä

SHIFT plus " (release) O = Ö

SHIFT plus " (release) U = Ü

- **Option Two:**

RightALT + q = ä

RightALT + p = ö

RightALT + y = ü

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