

Quartus Installation Instructions

(Last Updated for Quartus II Web Edition v9.1 sp2)

The student version of the Quartus software can be obtained directly from the Altera web site (www.altera.com). The process for successfully installing Quartus is performed in the following manner:

1. Go to <https://www.altera.com/download/software/quartus-ii-we/9.1>. Note: If this site is not working, download the file from our class software/docs page at the URL http://mil.ufl.edu/3701/software/91sp2_quartus_free.exe and skips steps 1 a) – 1 c).
 - a) Select 91_quartus_free.exe (unless you are using Linux).
 - b) Create an account, sign-in, or select one-time access.
 - c) If the download is blocked by your firewall or your browser settings, you will be taken back to the screen in step 2. Remove the block and repeat the previous step. I suggest that you “always allow pop-ups from this site.” You might need to select “Download your file now.” Allow the installation of the “Download Manager.” If the download is successful, close the download window and then go back to the Altera window. (This window will now say something like “Thank you for downloading.”)
2. This large file is 1.4 GB. Depending on your connection speed, this may take some time. Wired on campus (not wireless), this took me about 10 minutes. With a typical DSL connection in Gainesville, it might take about 60 minutes. With a typical cable model in Gainesville, it might take about 25 minutes.)
3. After the Quartus software has finished downloading, run this .exe installation file to install the Quartus software. I suggest that you use all the default responses.
4. Run Quartus. (Select the icon on the desktop labeled “Quartus II 9.1sp2 Web Edition” or go to “Start | All Programs | Altera | Quartus II 9.1sp2 Web Edition | Quartus II 9.1sp2 Web Edition.”)

You are now ready to go through **our** Quartus tutorial. Alternately (although I do **not** recommend it), you can get help in Quartus itself by selecting “Help | Tutorial” and select the “Design Entry” module tutorial. Good luck!