Deployment of WordFinder for Windows

Introduction

All instructions herein cover the **deployment of WordFinder for Windows as part of the WordFinder Unlimited dictionary service**. Here you will find information on which application to install, link to download the application, and instructions on how to install it.

System requirements

Windows 7 or later, 64 bits version.
At least 4 GB of RAM.
At least 1 GB free hard disk space. More if either many or large dictionaries are downloaded.

Application

❖ **WordFinder for Windows** – The installer for WordFinder for Windows is an executable NSIS package. The file name is `WordFinder for Windows Setup.exe`.

Download the file

The installation file can be downloaded via the link below:

❖ [DOWNLOAD WordFinder for Windows](#)
Current version when this document was updated: **2.3.2**

Please note that we link to the latest version of the software, so the version number may be higher than the one listed above.

User Scenarios

The users will need either personal accounts (WordFinder IDs) or Microsoft work or school accounts to login to WordFinder for Windows to get access to their dictionaries.
As a first step, the users must select the dictionaries they want to work with. They can access the dictionary page from the settings menu (the cogwheel) in the application. Alternatively the users can login at **https://app.wordfinder.com** and select the dictionaries they want to work with.

Please see the following pages for more information:

[WordFinder Unlimited with Azure AD Federation](#)

[WordFinder Unlimited with Personal Accounts (WordFinder IDs)](#)

[WordFinder Unlimited with SAML Federation](#)

[WordFinder Unlimited with IP Verification](#)

Install WordFinder for Windows

The WordFinder for Windows installer **`WordFinder for Windows Setup.exe`** is an executable NSIS package.

To perform a silent installation, use the switches:
`/S /currentuser`
This option installs the application for the *current user* in this folder:
`C:\Users\%USERNAME%\AppData\Local\Programs\WordFinder for Windows`

or
`/S /allusers`
This option installs the application for *all users* of the computer in this folder:
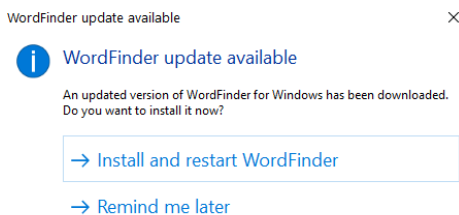`C:\Program Files\WordFinder for Windows`

NOTE: The user must have Read and Execute permissions to the installation folder.

WordFinder for Windows Updates

The default setting is that the application will auto update. **NOTE**: This feature can be deactivated, see under WordFinder settings.

When an update is available, the user will be presented to a message, and can choose to install immediately or later, see picture below.

The update installation file will download to this folder:

`C:\Users\%USERNAME%\AppData\Local\wfdesktop-updater`

WordFinder settings

The settings folder is reserved for storing personal settings for the application, including downloaded dictionaries. It is located here:

```
C:\Users\%USERNAME%\AppData\Roaming\WordFinder
```

IMPORTANT: The user must have Full permissions to the settings folder to be able to create, modify and delete folders, subfolders and files.

Config.json

Various personal user settings such as hotkey preferences and user interface language are stored in the **config.json** file. The settings are written to the file when the user changes personal settings in the application.

customization.json

Settings such as deactivating automatic updates, adding a link to a web page to the applications main menu or deactivating WordFinder Translator can be preconfigured in a separate file, **customization.json**.

Create the file

Create a text file and save it as **customization.json**. The file must be deployed to the users settings folder.

Deactivate automatic updates

Add these lines to **customization.json**:

```
{
        "autoUpdate": false
}
```

Link to a web page via the application's main menu

Add these lines to **customization.json**:

```
{
        "menu_entries": [
                {
                        "title": "My page",
                        "url": "https://my.page.com"
                }
        ]
}
```

Deactivate WordFinder Translator

Add these lines to **customization.json**:

```
{
        "translator": false
}
```

Syntax example

In **customization.json** each element must be separated by a comma, see example below:

```
{
        "autoUpdate": false,
        "menu_entries": [
                {
                        "title": "My page",
                        "url": "https://my.page.com"
                }
        ]
}
```

Azure AD Federation

Setting up a federation using a work or school account backed by Microsoft requires that:

- Your users are stored in the Microsoft Azure AD.
- We get your Tenant ID to be able to identify your users.

Admin Consent

When your account is set up it is recommended that your Global Admin for the Azure AD gives Admin Consent to the use of our applications. **NOTE:** As WordFinder for Windows links to WordFinder Online it's recommended to give Admin Consent to the use of both applications.

Please see the application specific methods below:

- WordFinder Online: Click this link app.wordfinder.com/azurelogin?admin and follow the instructions on the Microsoft sign in page.
- WordFinder for Windows: Shift + Click the **Sign in with Microsoft** button in the **WordFinder for Windows** sign in dialogue and follow the instructions given on the Microsoft sign in page.