

Academic Quick Start

A guide for students and educators to get started!

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Downloading the Software

Step 1

Click the download button from the [Academic Quick Start](#) page for the software you need.

- [Tableau Desktop](#) is the software you use to connect to data and analyze through a drag and drop experience.
- [Tableau Prep](#) is a data preparation software that allows you to combine and clean your data.
- Please review the [technical specifications](#) to ensure your device meets the minimum requirement before you proceed.

Step 2

Click the “View the current version” button at the top of the [Tableau Desktop Product Download](#) page or the [Tableau Prep Builder Product Download](#) page.



Step 3

Login or create an account to access the download file. This account will give you access to content on the [Tableau website](#) such as future product releases, product webinars and other learning resources and events.

We recommend that you use your **school email**, **school name** for “Organization” and **Student or Professor/Teacher** for your “Job Role” for the information you input. This will allow our Academic Team to keep you informed about program updates such as events or webinars that we design specifically for our students and instructors. If this is of interest to you, please ensure that you tick, “Yes, I would like to receive marketing communications...”.

Download Files

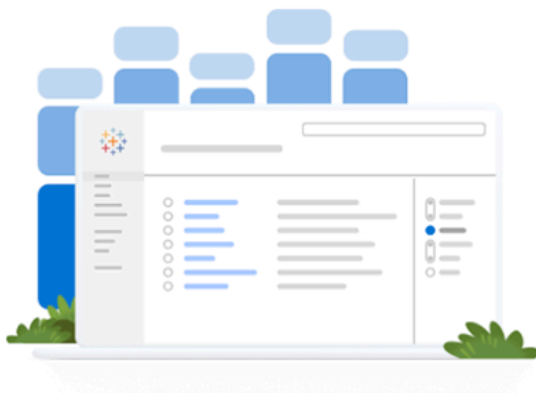
Already have a Tableau.com account?

Log in to download your files

LOG IN NOW →

INCLUDED WITH YOUR TABLEAU.COM ACCOUNT

- ✓ The latest product updates
- ✓ Access to personalized content
- ✓ Single-click access to gated content
- ✓ Explore your My Tableau page for more



Need an account?

Download your files by creating a Tableau.com account with the form below. You'll also gain one-click access to everything from site-wide gated content and future product updates to personalized offerings like the Tableau Blueprint Assessment and much more.

First Name Leah	Last Name Raven
Business E-mail leah.raven@sampleuni.edu	Organization Sample University
Company Size 1 - 20 employees	Department Other
Job Role Student	
Country/Region Germany	
Phone (e.g. 01512 3456789)	

- Yes, I would like to receive marketing communications regarding Salesforce products, services, and events. I can unsubscribe at any time.

By registering, you confirm that you agree to the processing of your personal data by Salesforce as described in the [Privacy Statement](#).

CREATE MY ACCOUNT

Step 4

Once you login, you should see the below page. Select the download link under “Download Files” that is relevant to your operating system. If you are having any challenges, please take another look at the [tech specs](#) page to ensure your computer meets the minimum requirements for the software.

PRODUCT RELEASE AND DOWNLOAD

Tableau Desktop 2024.2.2

[DOWNLOAD TABLEAU DESKTOP 2024.2.2](#)

Starting in September, 2023, fixed defects can be found on this site. Additional defect information is available <https://issues.salesforce.com/#f{sfcategoryfull}=Tableau>.

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Resolved Issues

ISSUE ID	DESCRIPTION
15999400	W-15999400 Incorrect data is shown while using Salesforce datasource, when custom SQL Query contains objects/fields
16188708	W-16188708 The REST API Publish (specifically, append) call is failing when a 128-bit decimal type is used in the .hyper

Download Files

Windows

- [TableauDesktop-64bit-2024-2-2.exe \(607 MB\)](#)

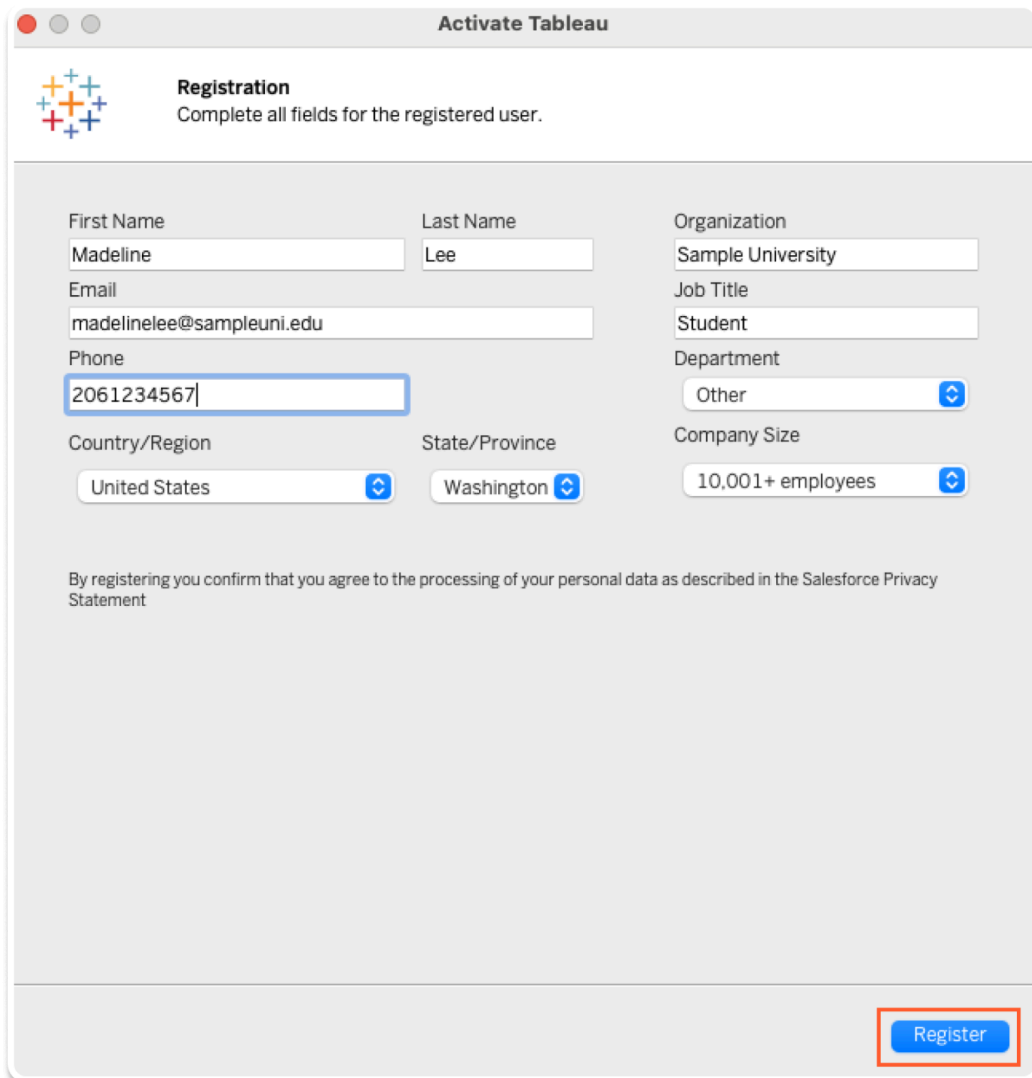
Mac

- Mac (Intel) [TableauDesktop-2024-2-2.dmg \(730 MB\)](#)
- Mac (Apple Silicon) [TableauDesktop-2024-2-2-arm64.dmg \(713 MB\)](#)

Activating the Software

Step 1

After installing the software, open Tableau Desktop or Prep Builder to start the activation. When you first open the software, you will be prompted to register the product. Use your **school email**, **school name** under “Organization” and **Student or Professor/Teacher** for “Job Title”.



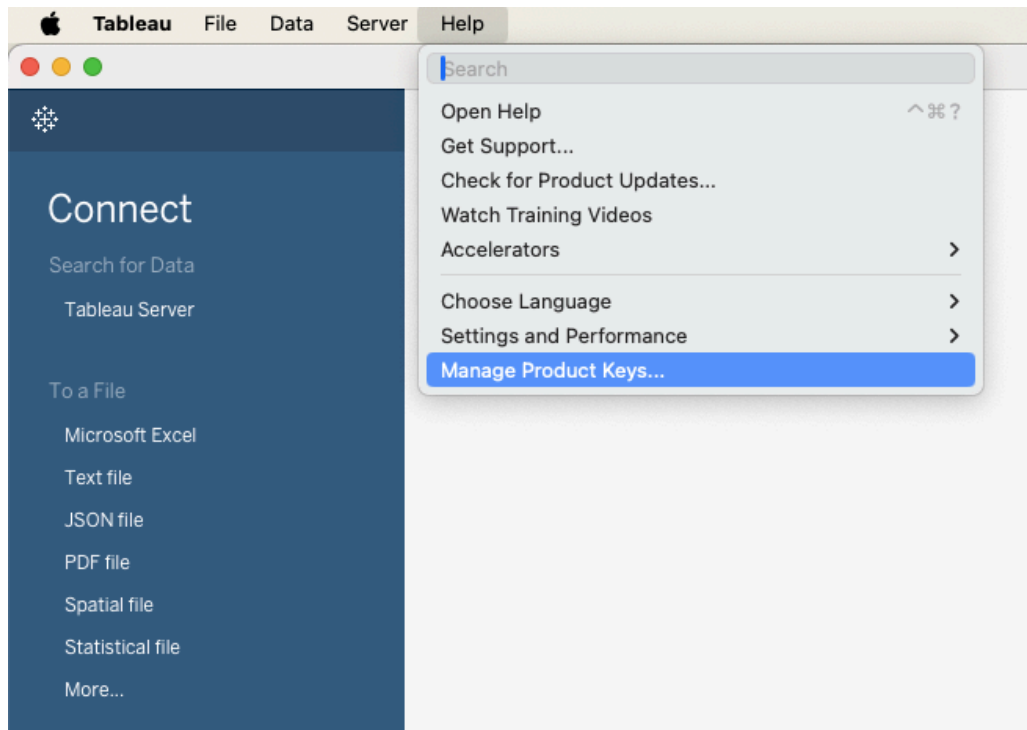
The screenshot shows a registration window titled "Activate Tableau". The window contains a registration form with the following fields and values:

Field	Value
First Name	Madeline
Last Name	Lee
Organization	Sample University
Email	madelinelee@sampleuni.edu
Job Title	Student
Phone	2061234567
Department	Other
Country/Region	United States
State/Province	Washington
Company Size	10,001+ employees

Below the form, there is a checkbox for "By registering you confirm that you agree to the processing of your personal data as described in the Salesforce Privacy Statement". At the bottom right of the window, there is a blue "Register" button, which is highlighted with a red box in the image.

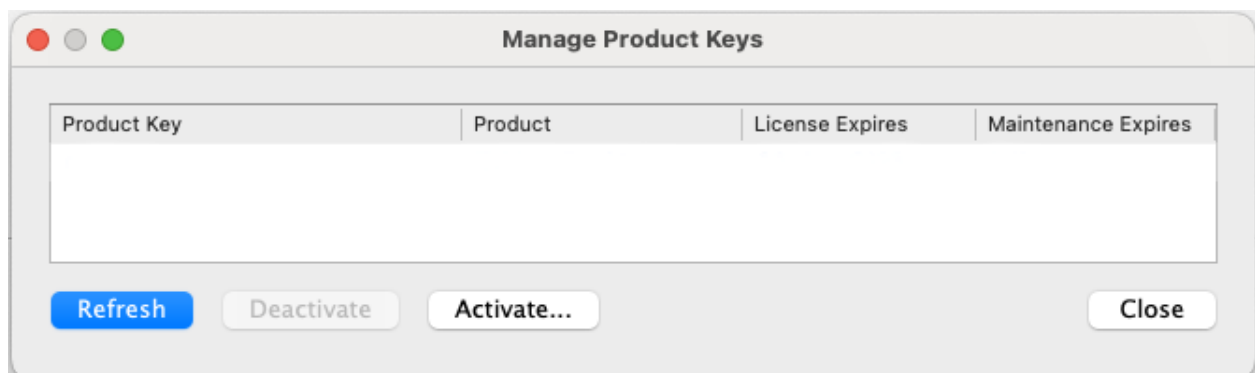
Step 2

Click the “Help” tab at the top of your screen and click “Manage Product Keys”.



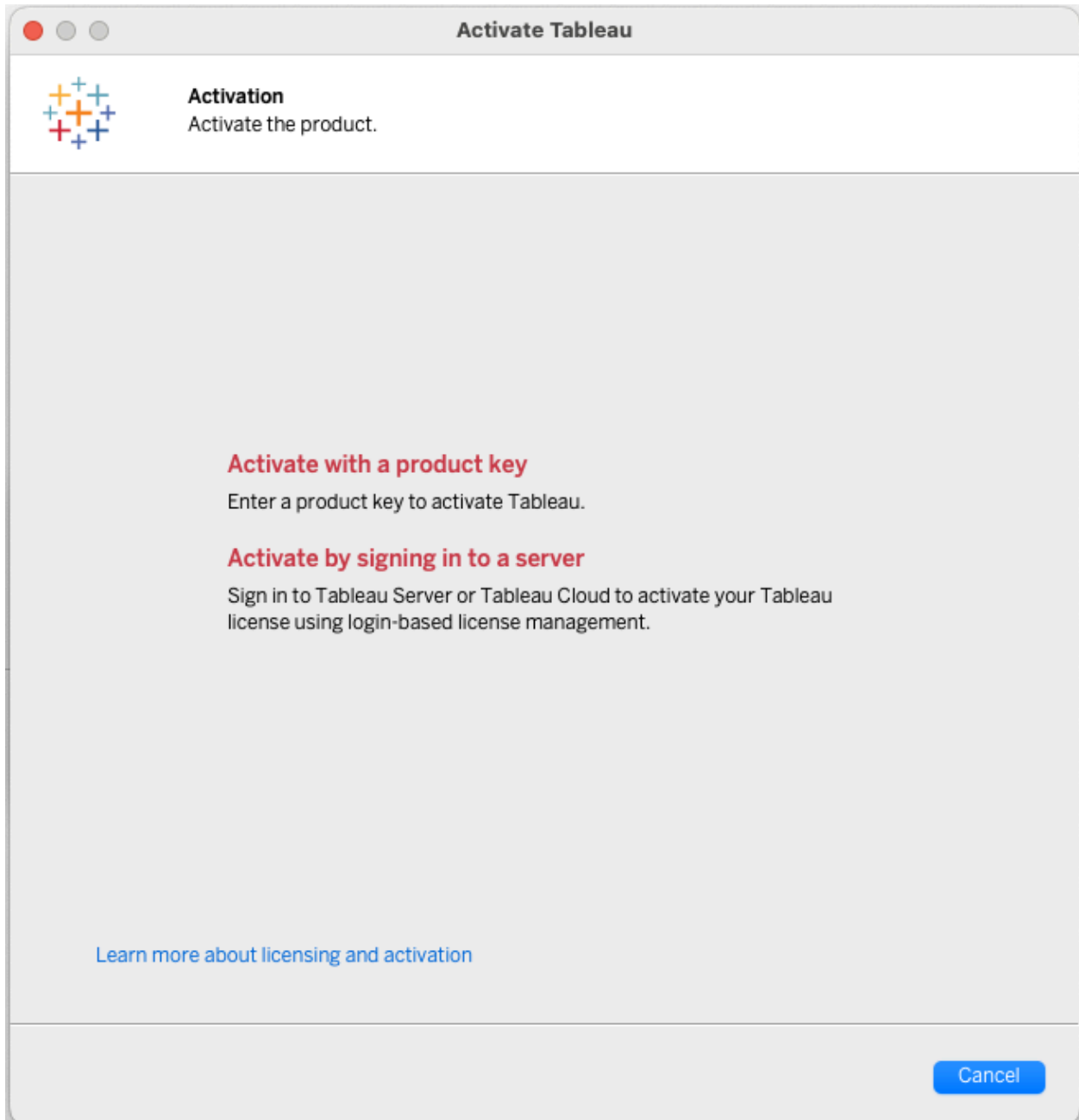
Step 3

The product key window will pop up. Click “Activate”.



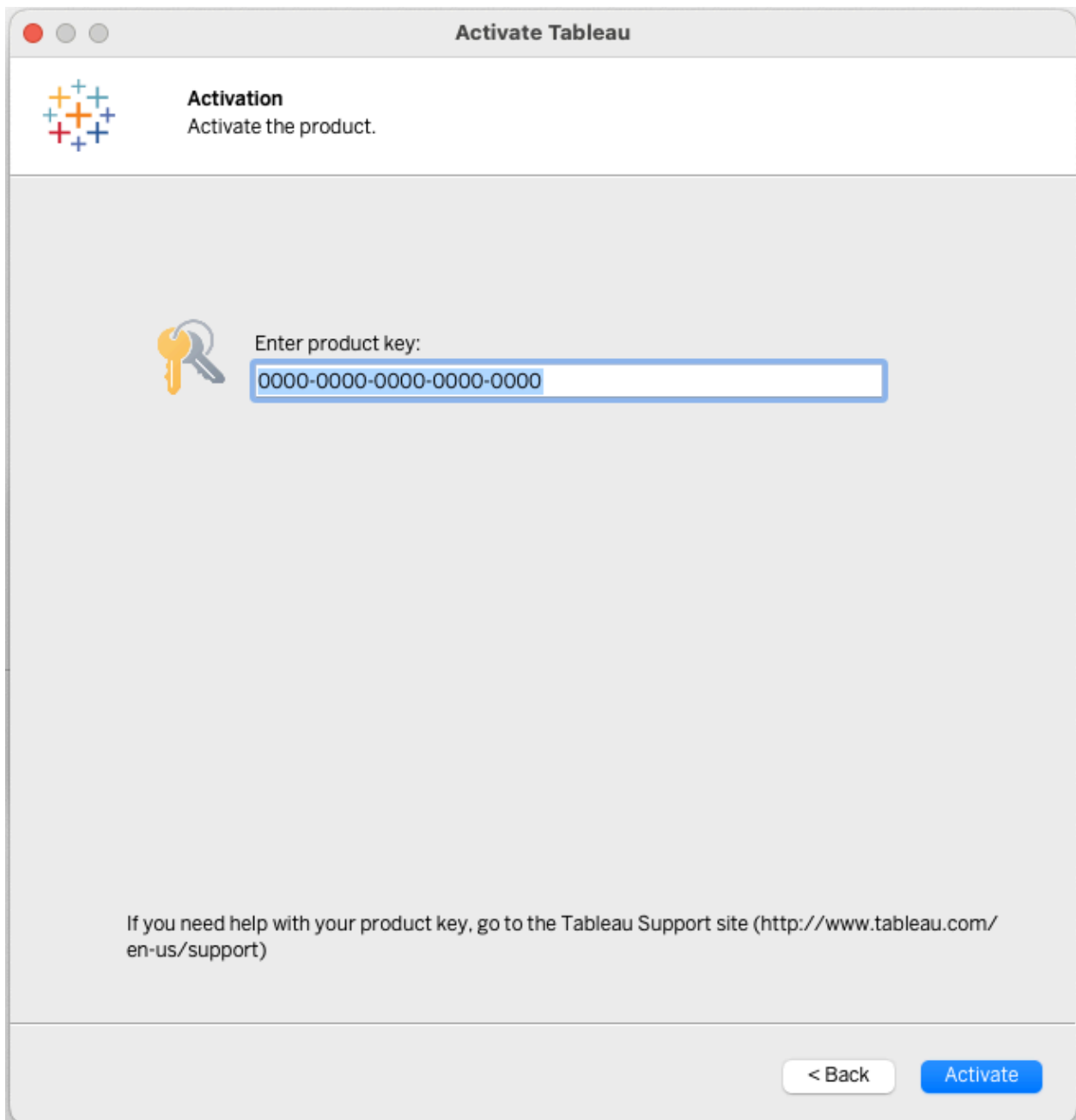
Step 4

Select “Activate with a product key”.



Step 5

Copy and paste the product key in your email or the email forwarded by your instructor and activate to start vizzing!



The screenshot shows a window titled "Activate Tableau". In the top left corner, there is a Tableau logo (a cluster of colored plus signs) and the text "Activation" followed by "Activate the product." Below this, there is a key icon and a text prompt "Enter product key:". A text input field contains the placeholder text "0000-0000-0000-0000-0000". At the bottom of the window, there is a link for help: "If you need help with your product key, go to the Tableau Support site (<http://www.tableau.com/en-us/support>)". At the bottom right, there are two buttons: "< Back" and "Activate".

Learning Resources

- [Tableau Free Training Videos](#)
 - View our free training videos to get an overview of how our software works.
- [Tableau Webinars](#)
 - Join any of our free webinars to learn more about how companies are analyzing their data with Tableau.
- [Tableau Academic Programs on Tableau Public](#)
 - Check out some sample vizzes with datasets to practice and explore.
- [Tableau Community Projects](#)
 - Practice your skills with sample data sets and exercises organized by our user community!
- [Tableau User Groups](#)
 - Join a local community or groups that are of interest to you to learn and network with peers or working professionals.
- [Other Learning Resources](#)
 - We curated other links that may be helpful as you start your learning journey.

Teaching Resources

- [Tableau for Teaching Curriculum](#)
 - Access curriculum & assignments curated for you to seamlessly incorporate Tableau into your classroom.
 - Looking for more detailed information?
 - Check out [this help article](#) to better understand what is included in the curriculum we provide.
 - Check out [this helpful guide](#) on what content is right for your class.
- [Tableau for Teaching licensing & software for the classroom](#)
 - This article provides information on our license types and software for you to determine what makes sense for your classroom.
- [Academic Success Stories](#)
 - Hear from your peers about their experience in incorporating Tableau into their classrooms.
- [Tableau Support for Academic Instructors](#)
 - Check out this article for how to troubleshoot or get help from our team!
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