

The Avira Protection Cloud: More muscle, less weight

Every day, new threats emerge, giving your Antivirus more and more to block. Professional Security 2013 meets the challenge by working smarter, not harder.

We have moved malware analysis to the cloud, providing your Antivirus with instant updates and regaining power for other tasks.

New integrations and improvements

1. Advanced Protection through Avira Protection Cloud (APC) and ProActiv

The APC is going to be released only for the paid products (same as ProActiv). After each installation, and then once a week, there will be a Quick System Scan performed automatically - the Avira Protection Cloud is being used in order to improve the detection.

There is a new menu entry under “General”, called “Advanced protection”. Here you can find the settings that were previously under *Realtime Protection > ProActiv*.

A new change for ProActiv is that the uploading of files is automatically enabled if the feature is activated. There is no confirmation for the participation in the ProActiv Community (it is included in the feature transparently).

2. Product updates

The new version of Avira Professional Security does not include anymore the feature “Product update” and “Restart settings”, which were previously set in the menu *Avira Control Center > Extras > enable Expert mode > PC protection > Update*

The feature “Product update” is now fully integrated in the new Avira Professional Security, therefore all product updates will be performed by default as soon as a new release of the product is available. A required restart of the computer will be announced in time.

