

Windows 10 DNS Setup

Video tutorial

Watch this video tutorial to learn how to deploy SafeDNS on a Windows-based PC with static IP without the installation of any software

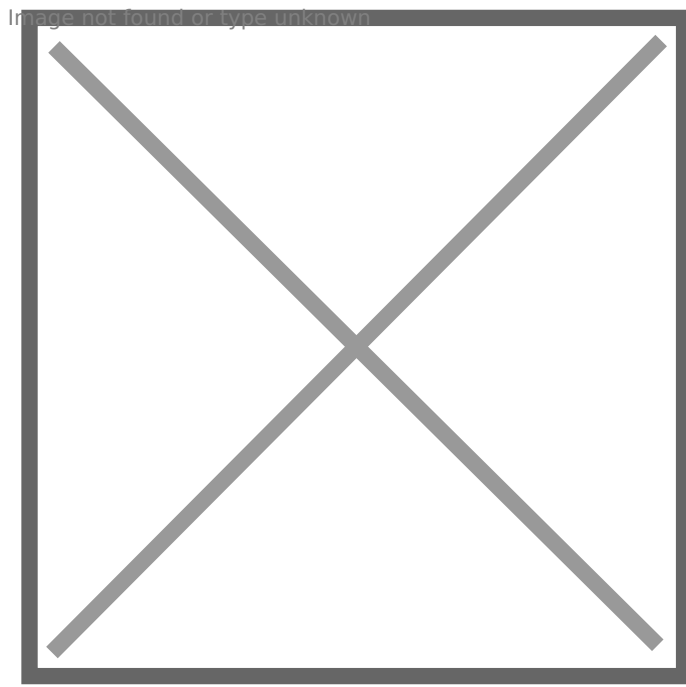
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Step-by-step guide

1. Navigate to the SafeDNS **Dashboard > Settings** and copy your IP address in the "**Enter an IP-address or DynDNS**" box. Click "**Add**".

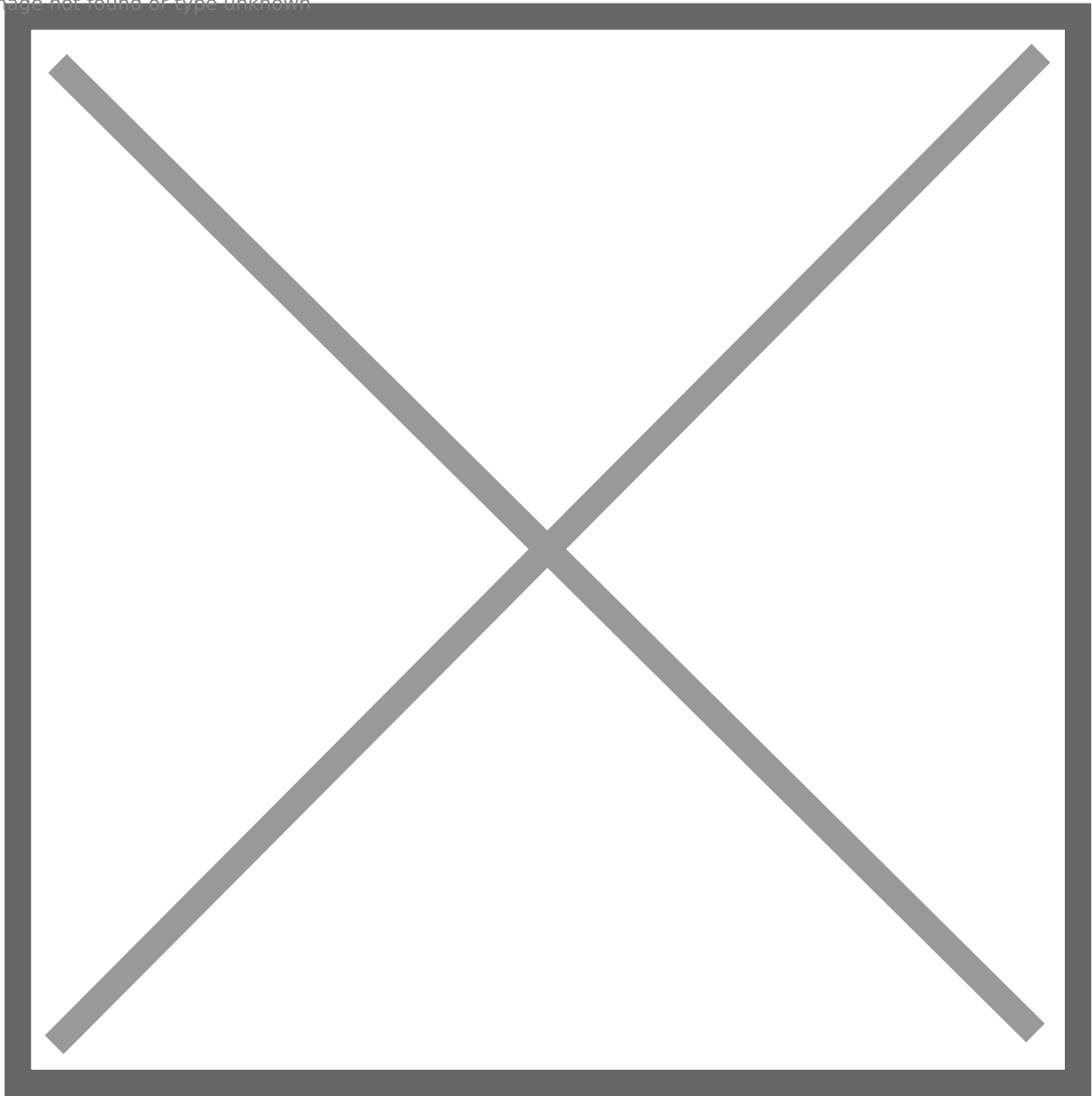
The screenshot shows the SafeDNS dashboard with the 'Settings' tab selected. The left sidebar contains a menu with 'Main', 'User administration', 'Settings', 'Devices', 'Policy', 'Schedule', and 'Advanced'. 'Settings' is highlighted with a red arrow and the number '1'. 'Devices' is also highlighted with a red arrow and the number '2'. The main content area shows the 'Devices' tab with a table of DNS servers and a section for adding IP addresses or DynDNS. The table lists the user's IP address (redacted), IPv4 DNS-servers addresses (195.46.39.39, 195.46.39.40), and IPv6 DNS-servers addresses (2001:67c:2778::3939, 2001:67c:2778::3940). A red arrow points to the 'Your IP address' field with the text 'Copy ip address'. Below the table, there is a section for adding IP addresses or DynDNS. It includes a text input field labeled 'Enter an IP-address or DynDNS', a dropdown menu labeled 'Default', a 'Comment' field, and 'Add' and 'Edit as List' buttons. A red arrow points to the text input field with the text 'Past ip address'. Another red arrow points to the 'Default' dropdown menu with the text 'Select filtering policy'. At the bottom, there is a search bar for 'IP address or DynDNS' and a table with columns for 'IP address/DynDNS', 'Policy', and 'Comment'. The table is currently empty.

2. From the Taskbar pane, **right-click** on the Wi-Fi (or LAN) icon and select **Open Network and Sharing Center**:



3. Select **Change adapter settings**.

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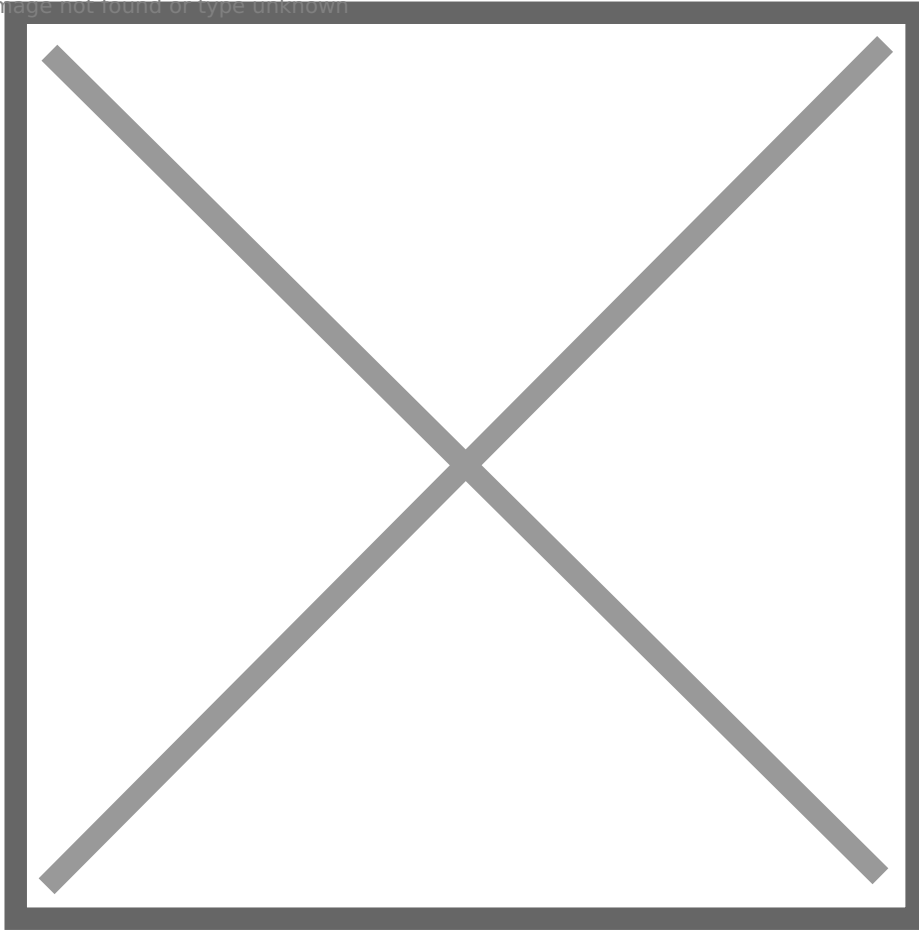
4. **Right-click** on the current internet connection, and select **Properties**. If the system shows the security notification, click Yes.

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5. We recommend disabling **Internet Protocol Version 6**. This will simplify the installation process and will have no effect on the quality of your internet connection. After that, select **Internet Protocol Version 4**, and click on **Properties**.

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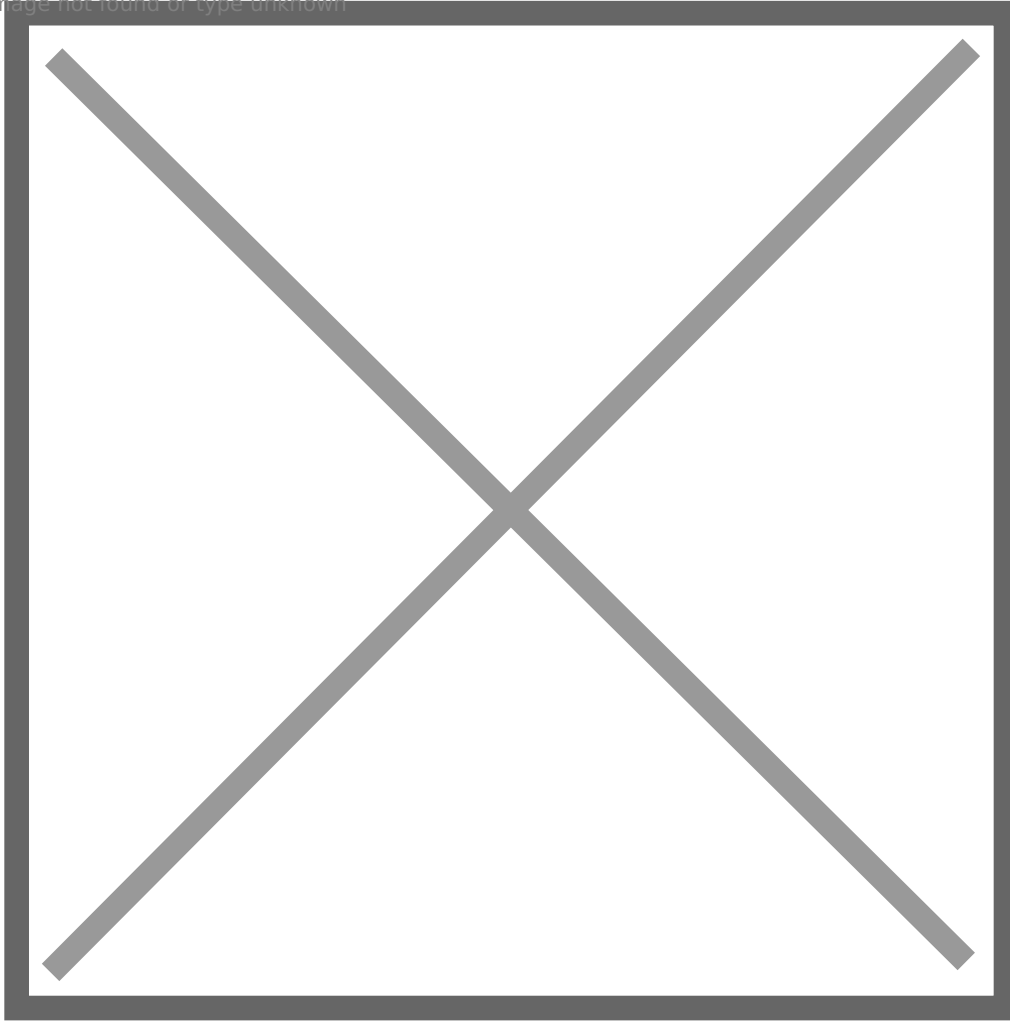


6. Select the option **Use the following DNS server addresses**, enter the following SafeDNS addresses:

Preferred DNS server: 195.46.39.39

Alternate DNS server: 195.46.39.40

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7. Click the **OK** button to save your settings, and **Close** the network properties window.

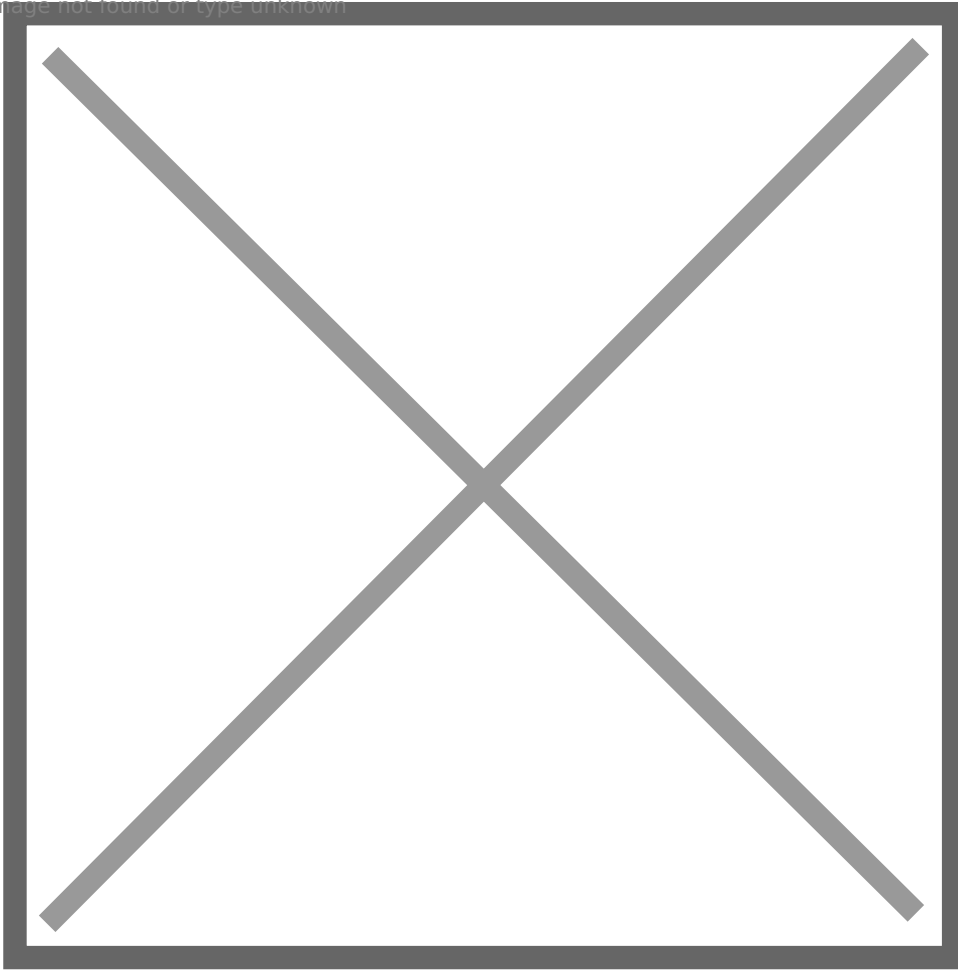
You have successfully configured the SafeDNS for Windows 10.

Troubleshooting

Please note that Windows may still be using the addresses saved in the local DNS cache. It is recommended to clean it using the following steps:

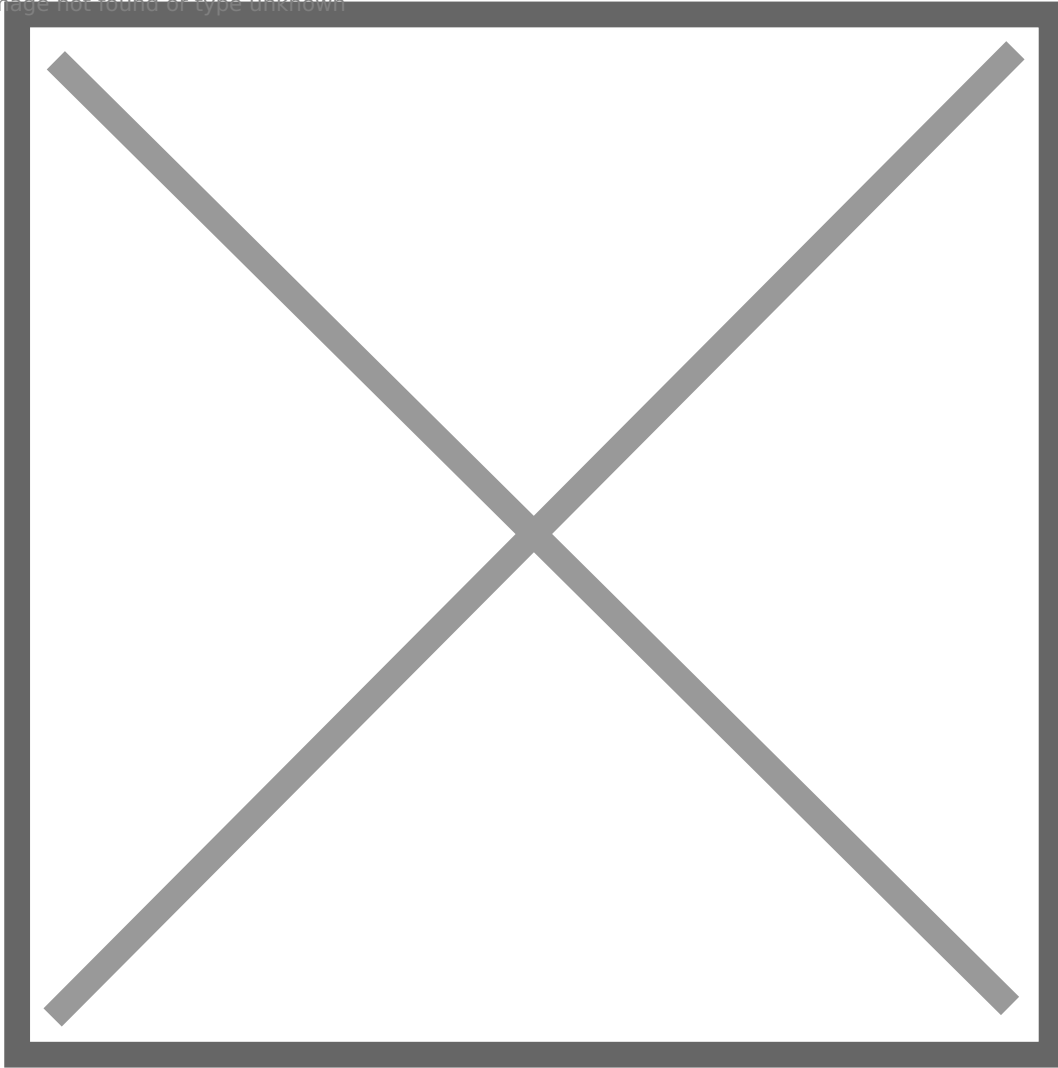
1. Press "**Start**"
2. Search for "**cmd**" and open the suggested application

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3. Enter and run the following command in the opened window **ipconfig /flushdns**

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[Learn more about how to clear DNS cache.](#)

Please note that settings take 5-7 minutes to apply.
Stats and filtering status update every 10 minutes.

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