

Hello planner, hello architect, hello planning team

Thank you for your support in developing our new BIM plugin. With your help we were able to develop our BETA version into a marketable plugin that is tailored to your requirements.

The new BIM plugin is available free of charge for the Archicad versions 23 & 24, both for Windows and Mac.

1. Installation

In the following we will guide you through the installation process. After you have downloaded our plugin, you will see two messages which you should resolve as follows:

Step 1

When the following Windows message appears, please click on „More info“.



Step 2

Now you see that you can still run the application. Please select „Run anyway“.

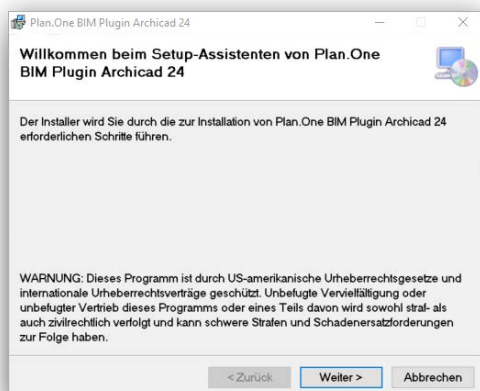


For your information:

With a current Windows update, software manufacturers are asked to license their products in the Microsoft Store. Otherwise this message of the Windows Defender SmartScreen is displayed. Together with our partner, „Werkbank IT GmbH“, a leading agency for the development of BIM software solutions, we have developed a plugin that meets the highest security criteria. The licensing process of software products can take up to several months. However, we do not want to keep you waiting for our new plugin that long. We are confident that you will not see this message in future updates.

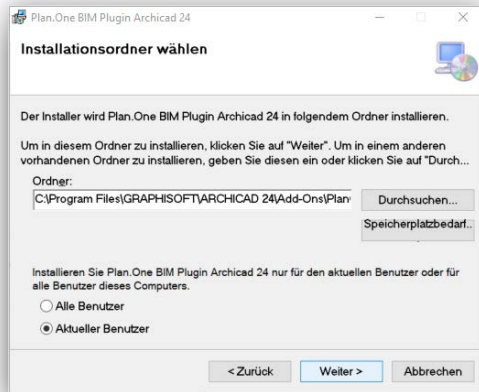
Step 3

Click on „Next“ to start the installation with the setup assistant. (The installation process is introduced to you by the version Archicad 24 which is also valid for version 23.)



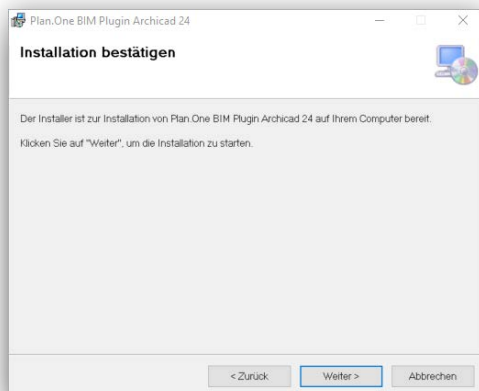
Step 4

Select an installation path and confirm by clicking “Next”.



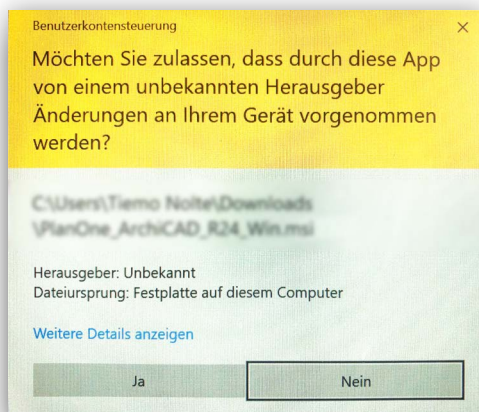
Step 5

Confirm with „Next“ to start the installation.



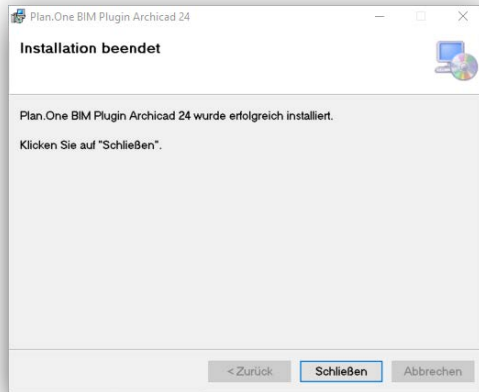
Step 6

To start the installation on your Windows computer, please click on „Yes“. The installation of the plugin can take up to 3 minutes.



Step 7

Done! Please click on „Close“ and start your planning software.



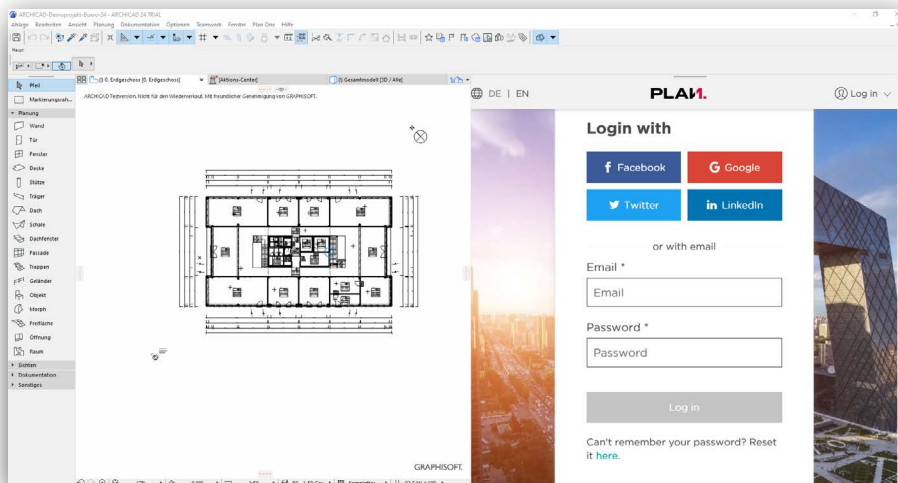
2. The application

In this version you have several options for integrating product information into your projects. We take care to follow your usual workflows and the terms that Archicad provides.

To integrate a product, please proceed as follows:

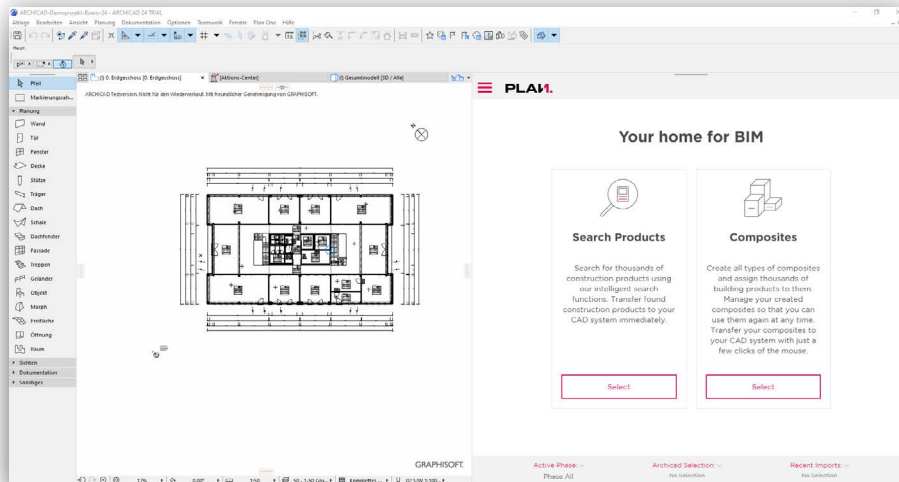
Step 1

You can now find our application in the menu bar under „Plan.One“. After clicking on Plan.One, a browser window opens. Now log in with your user account. If you don't have an account yet, you can register now for free. In addition to the use of the plugin, registration gives you immediate access to further planning data such as BIM models, CAD files, tendertexts, etc. and you can easily document the use of individual products in your planning with the help of our watch list.

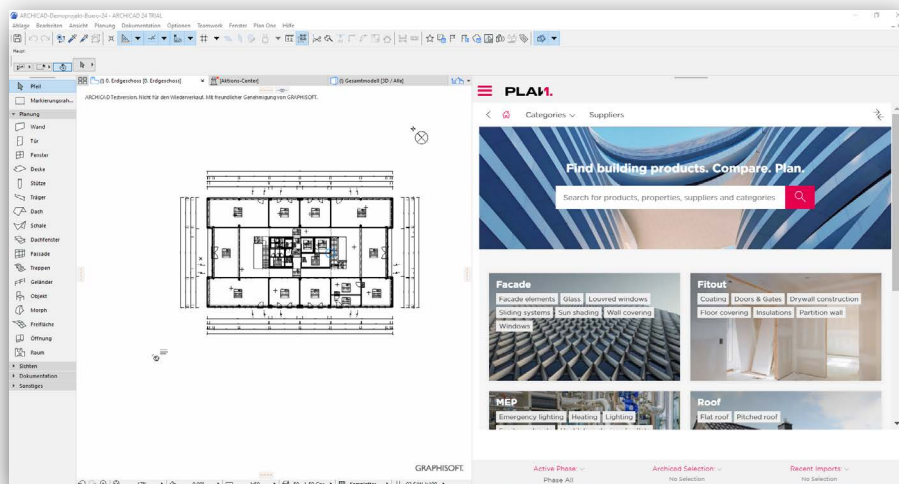


Step 2

To find a suitable product, select the product search now.

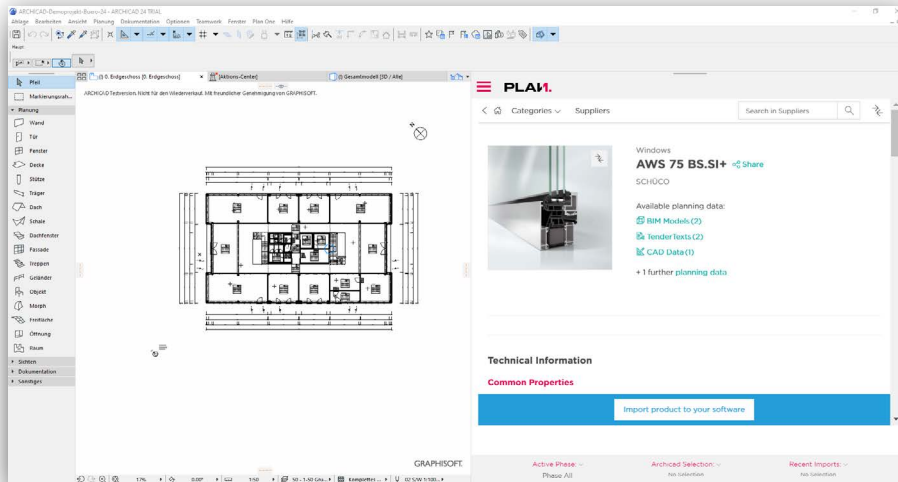


You can find suitable products quickly and easily using the search bar and our categories.



Step 3

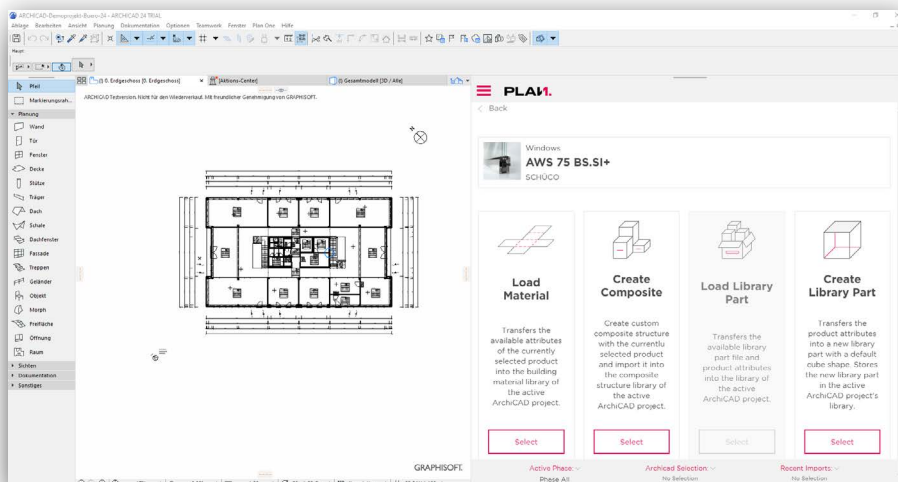
If you have found a product you want to integrate, please click on „Import product“.



Step 4 (Transfer into your project)

You currently have four options for transferring data to your project.

- As material: You will find the transferred product with all its properties in your material library.
- Create components as layer system, so that e.g. a facade construction with several layers with different thicknesses can be supplemented and extended as desired.
- If a library part is stored on Plan.One by the manufacturer, you can select it and transfer it directly to the project.
- You can create a new library part. You are free to choose the type (column, window, etc.). The selected type defines how the object behaves in ArchiCAD. Then you adjust the geometry according to your needs, the type parameters are those of the selected product.



Do you have any questions or comments?

With our [tutorials](#) you can easily learn how to use our plugin.

For further questions or feedback please contact us. We are always working on optimizing our service for you to simplify your daily planning routine.



Contact us now.

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Legal notice

Please note that we reserve the right to analyze user interactions to optimize our solution. Registration is required to use the Plan.One plugin.

As a registered user you agree to our terms of use and privacy policy guidelines in current version agree

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