



Avira Top test ratings and certifications 2016



In 2015 AV-Test had already certified Avira Antivirus Pro for its outstanding usability and repair performance.

In 2016 Avira built upon this, receiving a certification in every test and achieving the maximum score several times for Protection, Performance, and Usability – for Windows (8, 8.1, 10) and Android.

Avira has also scooped the AV-Test Top Product award twice. In



AV-Test's endurance test, Avira Antivirus Pro proved that no other suite is better at cleaning and repairing systems as well as restoring infected files. This won the Avira security suite the BEST REPAIR 2016 AWARD. In the fierce battle to determine

which is the world's best protection package for computer and smartphone users, Avira continued to secure an excellent ranking once again in 2016.

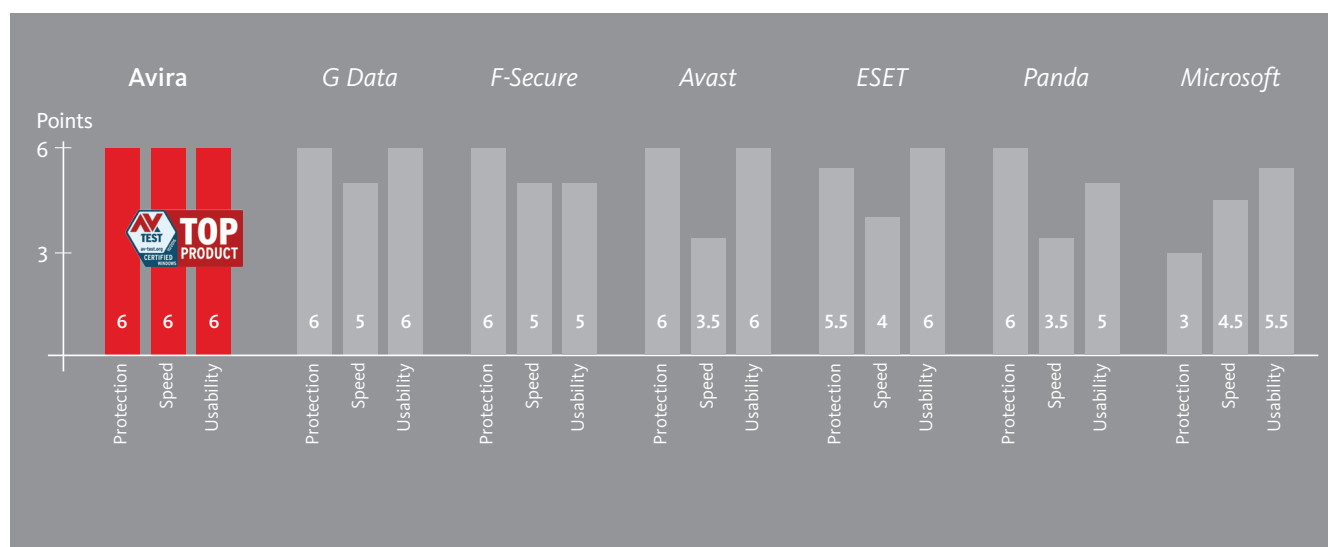
"Avira Antivirus Pro proved itself to be a great helper in the event of a successful malware attack, and won't leave users standing in the rain if they've been locked outside their files because they've become infected."

Andreas Marx, CEO AV-TEST GmbH



AV-TEST 10/2016: Antivirus Windows 10

Maximum score: 18 points (3 x 6) | Categories: Protection, Speed, Usability





Avira Antivirus Pro won the AV-Comparatives **Product of the Year** award. The Viennese testers recognized the consistently high level of performance which the product showed across all categories.



In its Summary Report 2016
AV-Comparatives gave Avira further Annual Awards:

- **File Detection:** GOLD
- **Best Overall Speed:** GOLD
- **Real-World Protection:** SILVER
- **Malware Removal:** SILVER



AV-Comparatives: Annual Awards Summary Report 2016

	File Detection	Performance	Real-World Protection	Malware Removal	File Detection	Performance	Real-World Protection
	March	May	February - June	March - September	September	October	July - November
Avira	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
Bitdefender	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
Kaspersky	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
ThreatTrack	***	***	***	**	***	**	***
Tencent	***	**	**	***	***	***	***
ESET	***	***	**	**	**	***	***
Emisoft	***	***	**	**	***	***	**
F-Secure	***	***	**	**	***	**	**
Avast	**	***	**	**	**	***	***
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QuickHeal	***	***	*	**	***	***	*
Lavasoft	***	**	**	**	***	*	***
eScan	***	***	*	**	***	**	*
BullGuard	***	***	*	**	***	**	*
Fortinet	**	**	*	**	***	**	*
McAfee	**	**	*	—	***	***	*
Trend Micro	**	*	**	**	**	*	**
Sophos	*	**	*	**	**	*	*
Microsoft	*	*	*	**	tested	*	*

Ranking key: * = Standard | ** = Advanced | *** = Advanced*

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Avira delivered an outstanding performance in the monthly AV-Comparatives tests, with Avira's *Antivirus Pro* security package achieving the top result five times in a row in the **Real-World Protection Test: A 100% detection rate**. In the same time between July and November 2016, Avira secured one of the highest rankings with a detection rate of 99.9%.

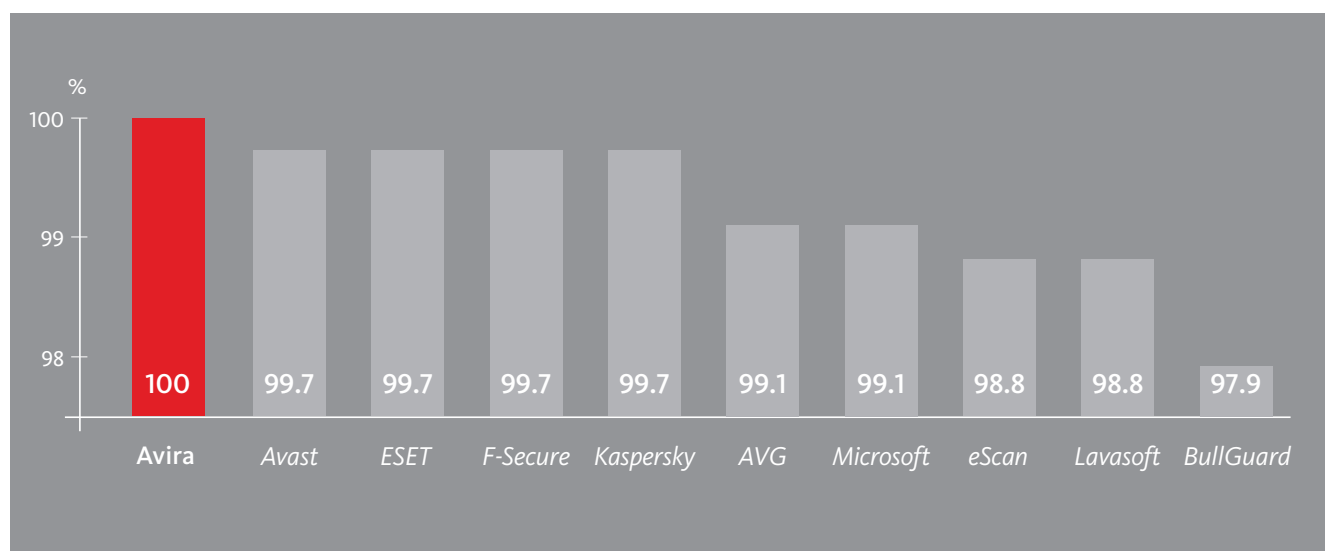
In the File Detection Test, in March 2016 Avira grabbed first place (together with Kaspersky, a total of 19 candidates were put through their paces). For its detection rate of 99.9%, Avira was given the Advanced+ award. And in September Avira continued to hold the top spot – with a detection rate of 99.9% once again.

In April and October 2016 AV-Comparatives tested the impact of antivirus software on PC performance in its Performance Test. Both times, Avira won the highest Advanced+ award.

And in the Malware Removal Test, the testers certified Avira's reliability in removing malicious software.



AV-Comparatives 11/2016
Real-World Protection Test



Avira is a founder member of the ITSMIG e.V. association and the only vendor of antivirus software which has signed up to the voluntary agreement to fulfill the principles of the “IT Security made in Germany” initiative. As a member, Avira is committed to meet specific principles, including:

- Exclusively offer trustworthy IT security solutions
- Offer solutions which do not contain non-declared backdoors
- Conduct all the company's IT security research and development in Germany
- Eliminate vulnerabilities or avoidance methods for access control systems as fast as possible once detected
- Comply with German data protection law



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