WORKING REMOTELY USING CITRIX REMOTE DESKTOP - WINDOWS

Overview

Citrix Remote Desktop allows you to use any Internet-connected PC, Macintosh or tablet device as if it were a computer attached to the firm’s network. It gives access to the firm’s standard applications such as Office, iManage and Finance systems. It also allows you to access share drives such as your G drive.

Citrix Remote Desktop is secured using an app on your mobile device (also known as ‘Okta Verify’).

If you already have the Okta Verify app on your smartphone then please refer to the section on Connect to Citrix Remote Desktop (subsequent connections) on page 5.

Connect to Citrix Remote Desktop for the first time


2. Under the Remote Desktop heading, choose the relevant link.
You should arrive at the **Set up multifactor authentication** web page. Click **Setup**.

On the Setup Okta Verify page, select whether you want to install Okta Verify on an Apple iOS or Android device.

Download the Okta Verify app on your mobile device from the Apple AppStore or Google Play Store.

Once you have downloaded the Okta Verify app, click **Next**.
6  Open Okta Verify on your mobile device and tap **Add Account**.

7  Using your mobile device, scan the barcode on screen.

8  Once the barcode has been scanned it will create your account and a code will be generated. The progress bar at the top indicates the code will be valid for 60 seconds before it changes.
9 On your computer from the Setup Okta Verify screen, click **Next**.

![Setup Okta Verify screen](image)

10 Enter the code displayed in the app and click **Verify**.

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11 The following screen will appear. Click on the **Windows 10 Remote Desktop** icon to log into the remote desktop.

![Remote Desktop screen](image)
12 The Windows desktop will open. You can access the applications from the Start menu and FIRM Shortcuts folder.

13 To log off tap Start and Shut down.
Connect to Citrix Remote Desktop (subsequent connections)

The process above only applies to the first time you connect to Citrix Remote Desktop. After the initial setup, the process is quicker.

1. From the firm’s web site [https://www.squirepattonboggs.com](https://www.squirepattonboggs.com) click the Login link.

2. Click the link for the Remote Desktop session you require.

3. Enter your Username (email address) and Password, then click Sign In.

4. Open Okta Verify on your smartphone to generate a passcode. Enter this code and click Verify.

5. Launch the remote desktop session.
Differences between Citrix Remote Desktop and your normal desktop or laptop PC

- Documents and data files should be saved to iManage or to a network drive. **Files saved on the C:\ drive will be deleted when you disconnect from Citrix Remote Desktop.**
- Windows Search is not available to search email.
- If you have Outlook email archives (PSTs) mounted on your normal computer, these are **not** mounted on Citrix Remote Desktop.
- The default printer from the machine you’re using to connect to Citrix Remote Desktop is available to print to from within the remote desktop session.
- If your remote desktop session is inactive for more than three hours, you will be logged off and any unsaved work may be lost.
- Applications (such as Outlook, Word and Internet Explorer) do not launch automatically when you log on to a Citrix Remote Desktop session: you will need to launch any applications you require manually.