

Running XLSTAT the first time (Excel 2007 and 2010)

Enabling the Microsoft Excel macros

Whatever your Excel or XLSTAT version, it is necessary that the Macros security level is set to Medium so that XLSTAT can run. Here is how to proceed:

1. Click the **Office** button on the upper left corner of the Excel window to open the **Office Menu** (Excel 2007) or click the **File** tab (Excel 2010).
2. Click on the **Excel Options** button on the bottom of the Office menu window (Excel 2007) or choose **Excel Options** in the **File** menu (Excel 2010).
3. The **Excel Options** window will appear.
4. Select **Trust Center** in the middle of the menu bar on the left.
5. Click on the **Trust Center Settings...** button on the right of the window.
6. The **Trust Center** window will appear.
7. Select **Macro Settings** in the middle of the menu bar on the left
8. Select the 2nd option for the **Macro Settings**
9. Activate the option **Trust access to the VBA project object model**
10. Click **OK** to close the **Trust center** window
11. Click **OK** to close the **Excel options** window

Updating Excel and installing XLSTAT

It is also recommended that you make sure that your Excel version is up to date. Microsoft publishes free patches on a regular basis that improve the reliability and stability of the software. To upgrade your Excel version, go to:

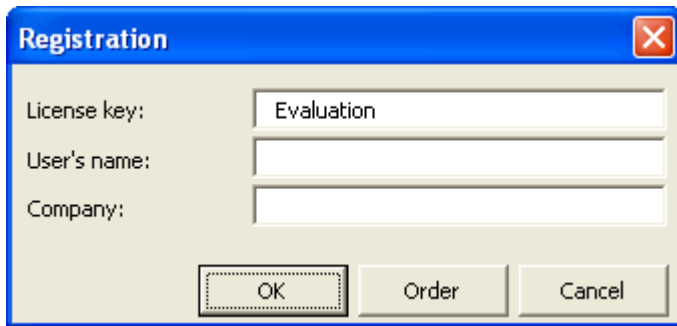
<http://office.microsoft.com/officeupdate> or follow the following [tutorial](#).

To install XLSTAT, you should use an account that has administrator rights on the machine. If there are several accounts on the machine, the administrator should install XLSTAT using the "Custom" option and run XLSTAT once from his account to enter the license key. Further information about the installation can be obtained on this [tutorial](#).

Running XLSTAT

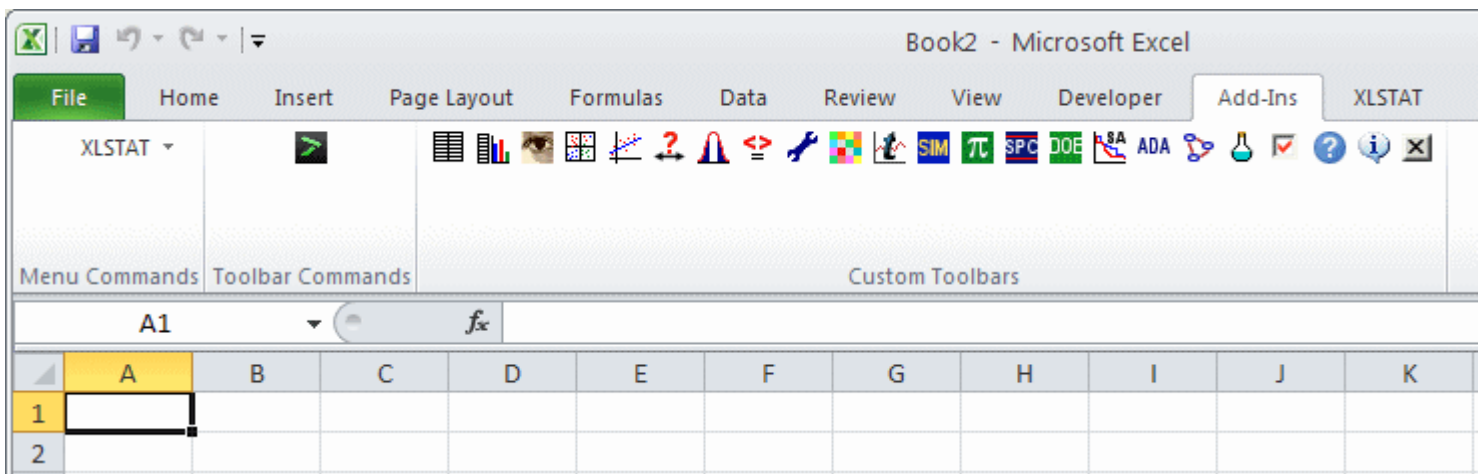
To run XLSTAT for the first time, you can either choose the option to start XLSTAT after the installation procedure, use the **Windows Start / Programs / Addinsoft / XLSTAT** command, use the XLSTAT shortcut on your desktop, or launch Excel, then open the XLSTAT.xla file using the Excel open command.

XLSTAT will then prompt you for your license number (see below). If you do not have one yet (if, for instance, you have only downloaded the trial version of XLSTAT), please enter "Evaluation" and click **OK**.

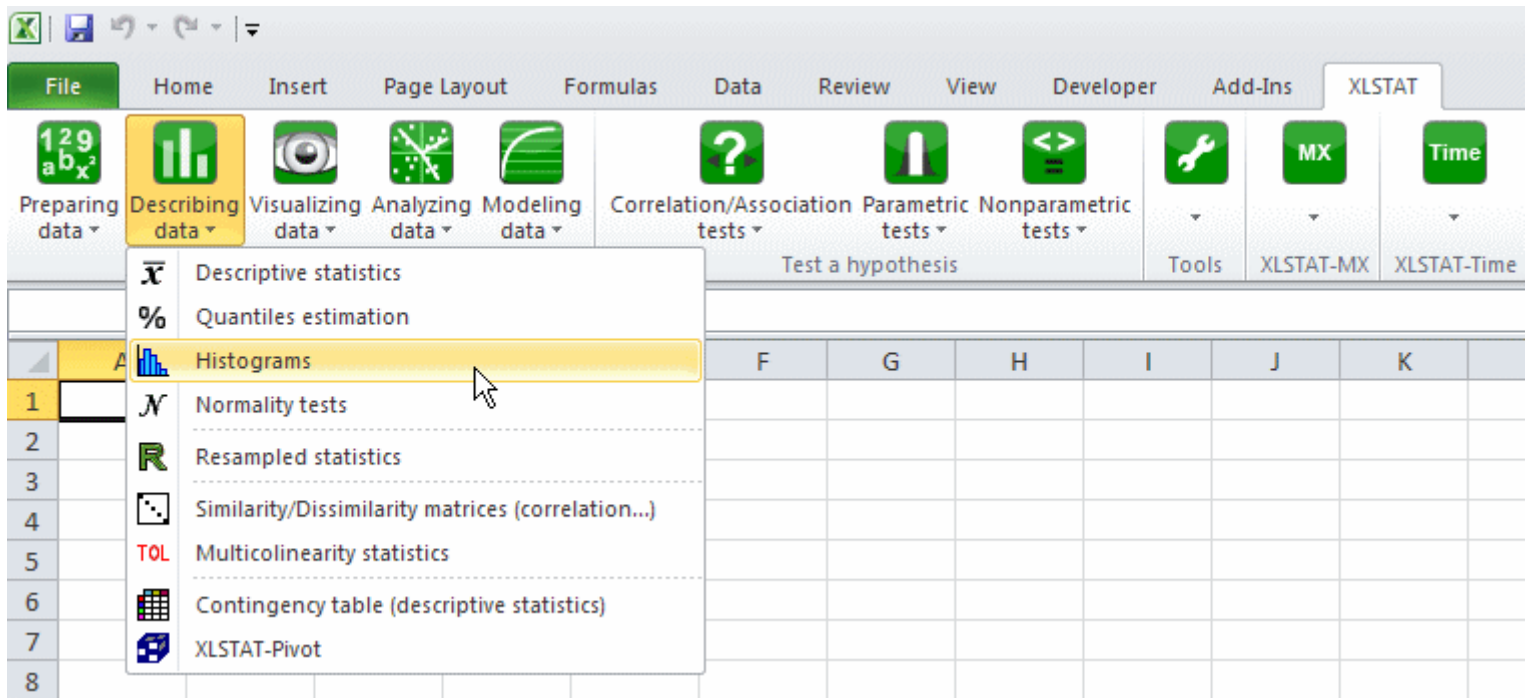


If you are using XLSTAT for the first time, XLSTAT will add a new button  in the Excel Add-ins tab. This button can later be used to open or close XLSTAT from Excel.

After you start XLSTAT, the XLSTAT toolbars and the XLSTAT menu will be added to the Add-ins tab (see image below). The XLSTAT tab is also added.



The XLSTAT toolbars and the XLSTAT tab can be used to access the XLSTAT functions. By clicking on an item of the menu, you activate the dialog box corresponding to the selected function.



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