



# Quick-Start Guide for USB Erase

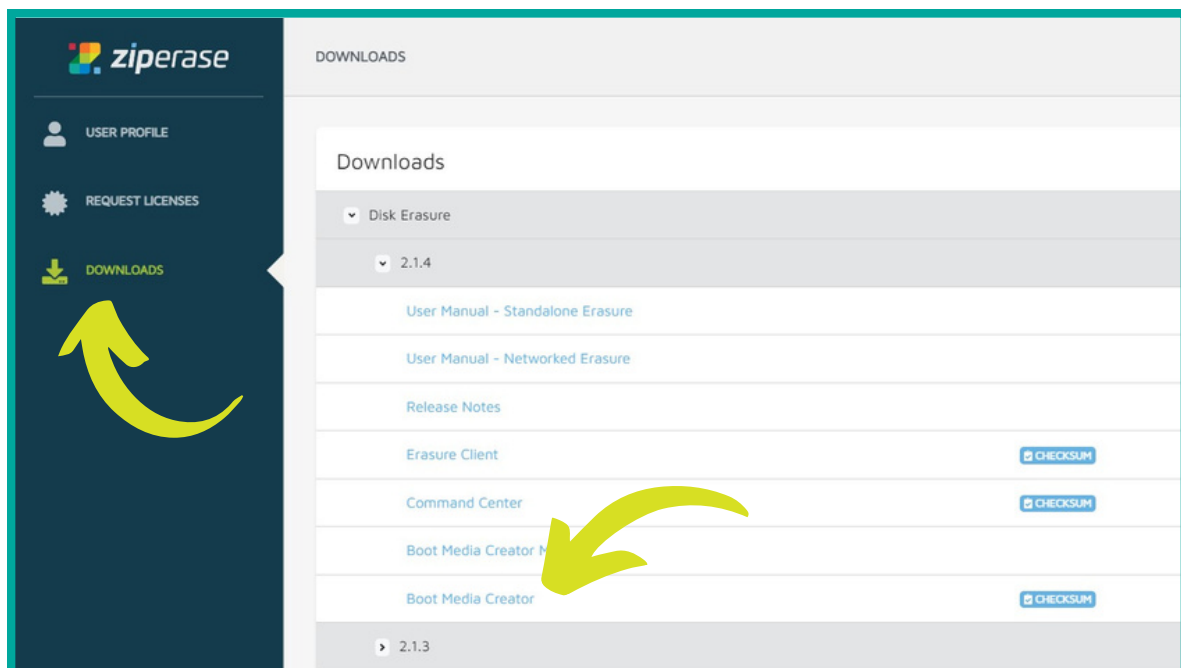
## System Requirements

Component	Specification
Operating System	Microsoft Windows 8 or later
Processor	1GHz 64-bit Intel Compatible
Memory	2GB
Spare Disk Capacity	1GB (each available client version in cache will use ~250MB)
Installation Target	1GB to 2TB USB Drive, with a valid serial number

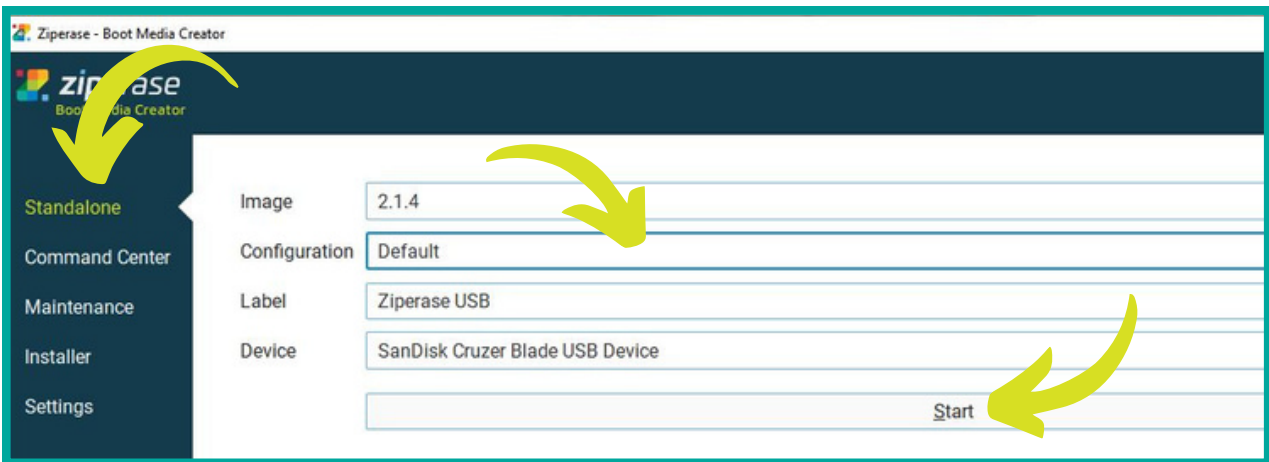
**NOTE: The USB Drive will be completely formatted. Any existing data will be lost!**

## Creating the Bootable USB Drive in 5 easy steps:

1. • Log in to the [Customer Portal](#)  
(We'll send you an email with a link to set up your username and password)
2. • Navigate to the **Downloads** tab  
• Download and install Boot Media Creator

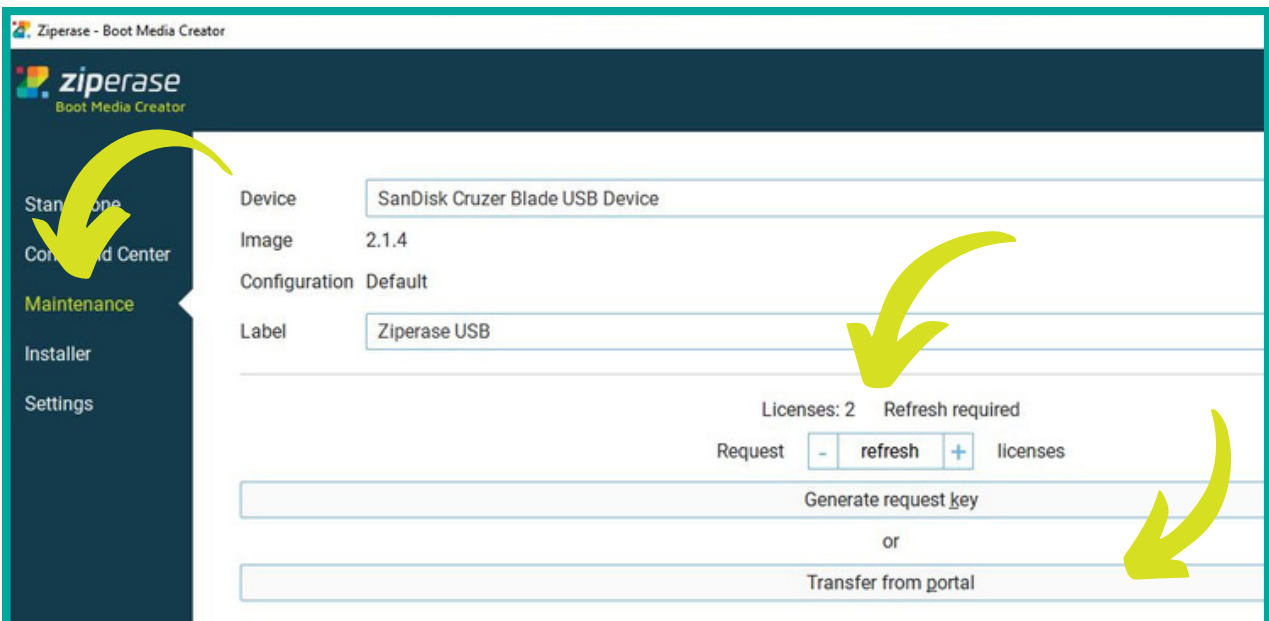


- 3.
- Insert your USB and open Boot Media Creator
  - Navigate to the **Standalone** tab
  - Ensure all fields are filled in, then hit **Start**



It will take a few moments to format the USB and copy the necessary files over.  
You will get a green "All finished" message at the top of the window.

- 4.
- Navigate to the **Maintenance** tab.
  - Select the number of licenses you need with the **+** and **-** buttons
  - Hit **Transfer from portal**



- This will take you to the **Customer Portal** sign in window
- Fill in your login details and hit **Send request**

**Request license expiry refresh**

Username

Password

- The number of licenses and refresh date will appear just above the request box

Ziperase - Boot Media Creator

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Boot Media Creator

Standalone  
Command Center  
Maintenance  
Installer  
Settings

Device

Image

Configuration

Label

Licenses: 8 Refresh in 30 days

Request    licenses

License request successful  
Requested: refresh licences  
New total: Licenses: 8 Refresh in 30 days

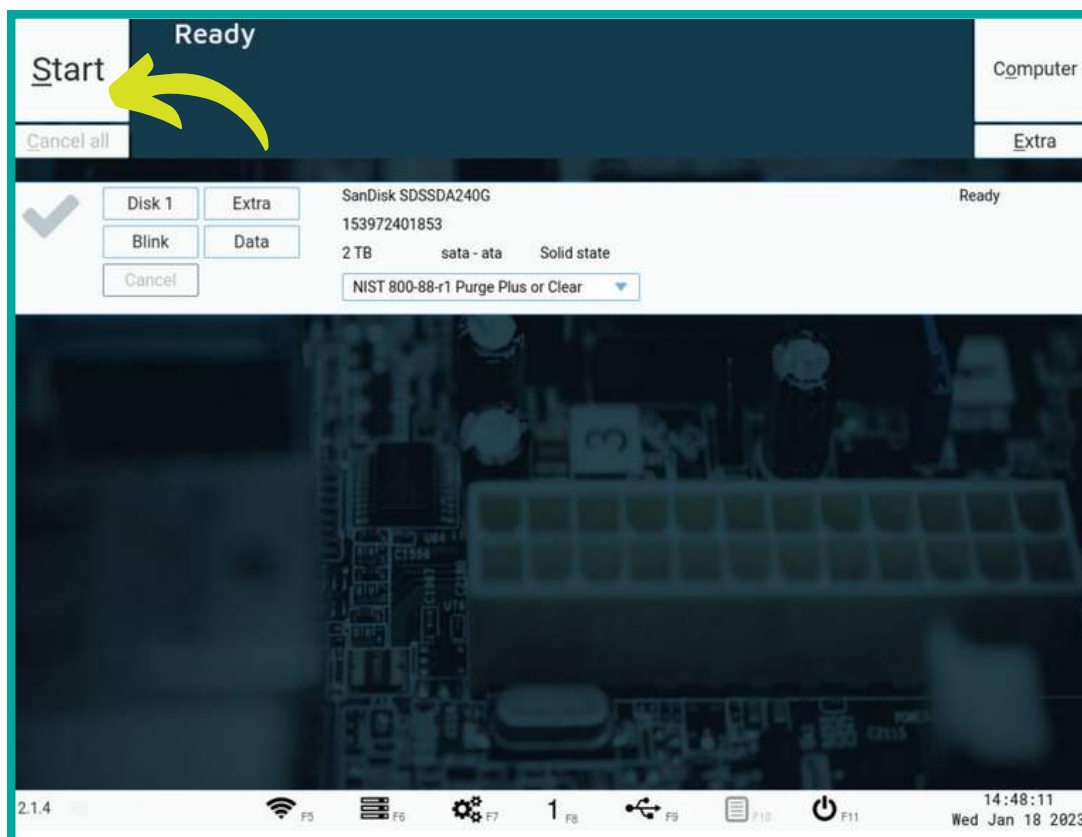
- If internet access is unavailable, you can generate a request key and the response key will be available from the Customer Portal

**That's it, you're all set!**  
**Everything you need is on the USB - software, licensing, configuration, tamper-proof reporting and certification - no network connection required!**

**Next up: How to erase in 5 easy steps.**

## Erasing in 5 Easy Steps:

1. • Insert USB first, then power on the client PC
2. • Enter the BIOS/UEFI setup screen
  - Set USB to #1 in the boot order selection
3. • Save and exit BIOS/UEFI setup screen
  - Boot to the chosen USB device
4. • When you see the initialization screen, hit Start



- As soon as the erasure process has begun you can remove the USB and begin erasure on another client
5. • Download erasure report and certificate onto any USB
    - A summary of the erasure with all system and drive details, and the PDF erasure certificate will appear and be available for download

**For more detailed instructions and to learn about configurations and options available, please refer to the [USB Erase User Guide](#) that can be found on Ziperase [Customer Portal](#)**