

Enabling Anonymous Connections to the VeriCoin Network using Tor

Tor is a protocol allowing for online anonymity by directing network connections through a network composed of over five thousand relays. The Vidalia software allows for connections via a built in SOCKS proxy.

VeriCoin was built from the ground up to support Tor connections. Using this guide, you can enable Tor for your own VeriCoin wallet.

Step 1: Download the Tor proxy software

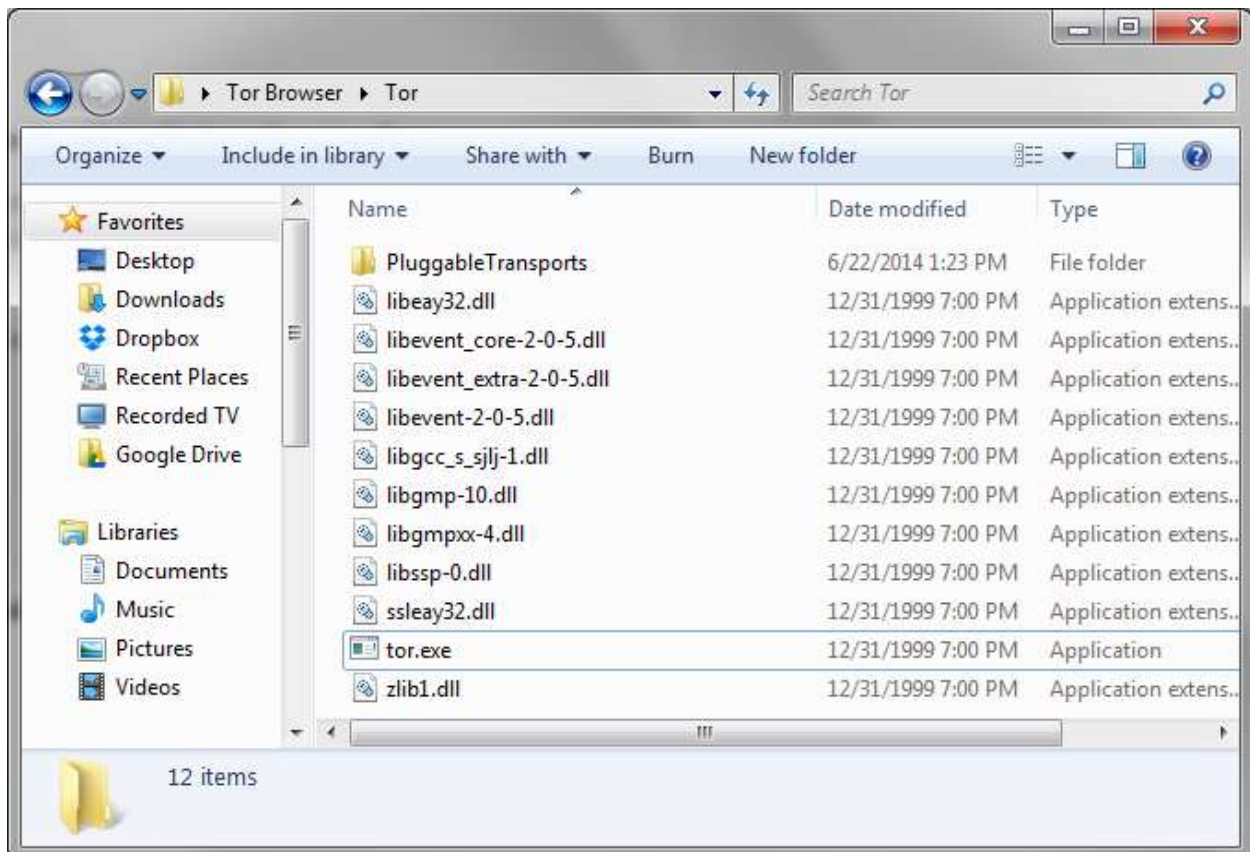
Mac OS X – Follow the instructions here: <https://www.torproject.org/docs/tor-doc-osx.html.en> then skip to step 5.

Linux – http://www.vericoin.info/downloads/tor_linux.zip

Windows - http://www.vericoin.info/downloads/tor_vrc.zip

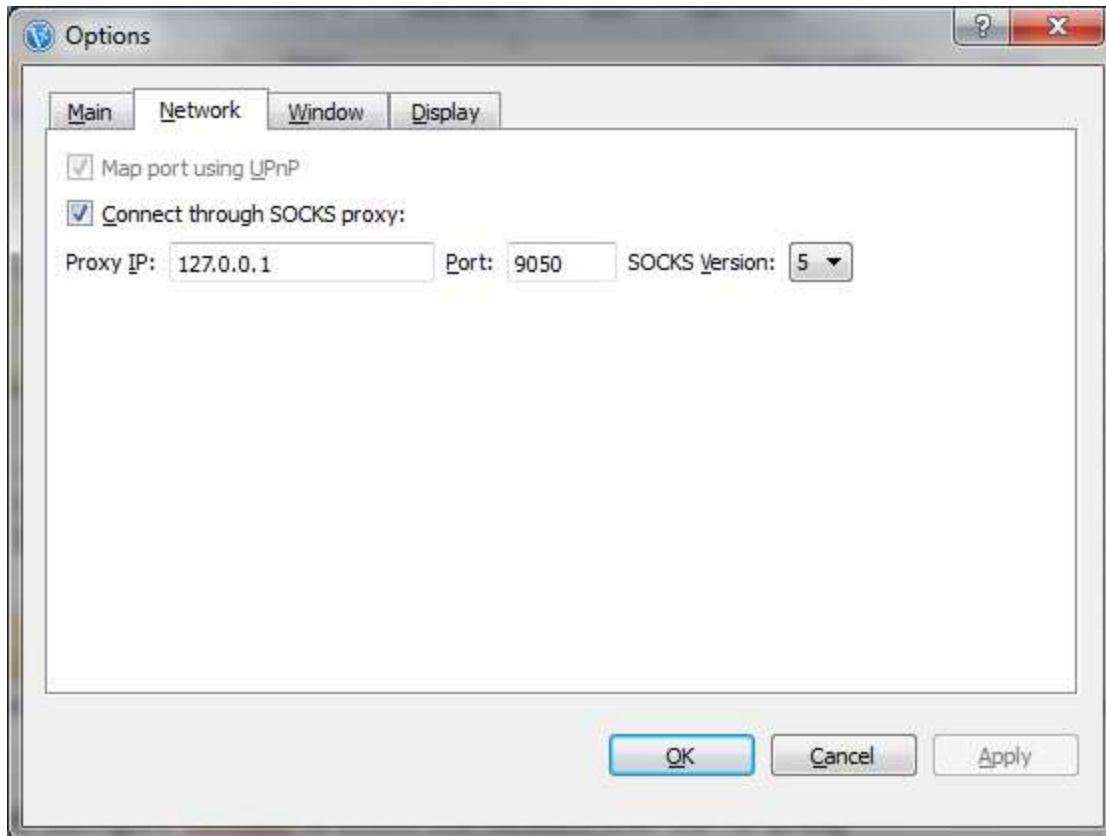
Step 2: Unzip the software into an easily accessible folder.

Step 3: Run tor.exe



Step 5: Configure VeriCoin to access the network over the Tor proxy

Go to Settings->Options->Network and fill in "Proxy IP:" with 127.0.0.1 and "Port:" with 9050.



Step 6: You're done! Restart the VeriCoin client and enjoy anonymous connections to the VeriCoin network