

Install the DWA drivers on MacOS 11.0 Big Sur

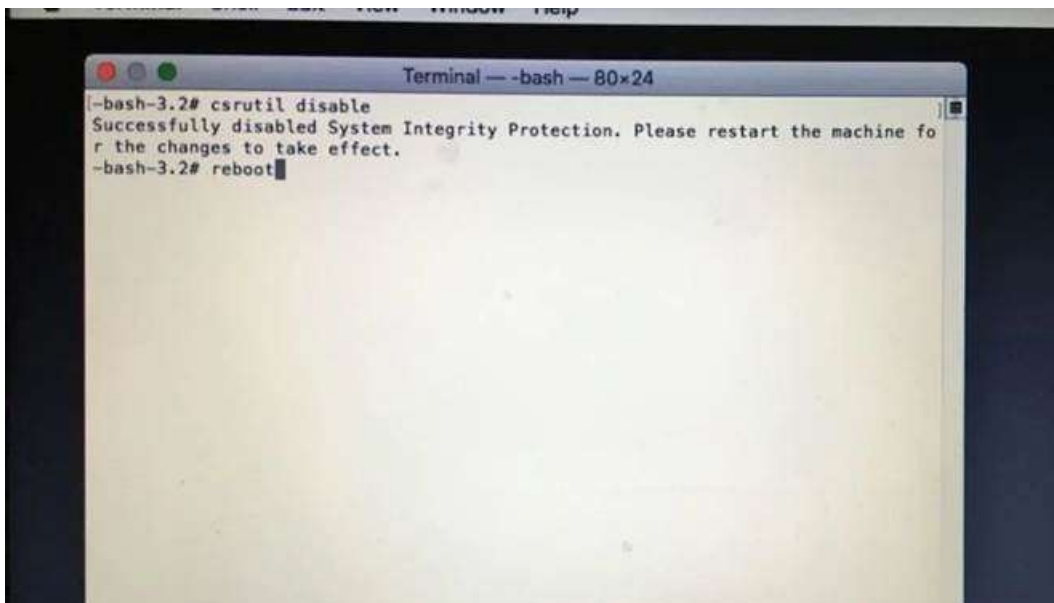
1. Get into recovery mode.

Hold "**Command + R**" at power on Mac until the loading option shows

2. Disable the SIP(System Integrity Protection)

Click Utilities, select Terminal.

Type "**csrutil disable**" and press enter, then reboot the mac to let this take effect.



3. Give the APP authority in order to installed on Mac.

Open terminal and type this command "**sudo spctl --master-disable**"

4. Disable Gatekeeper to allow the APP authority to install DWA driver on MacOS

From the Apple menu, open the "**System Preferences**" application.

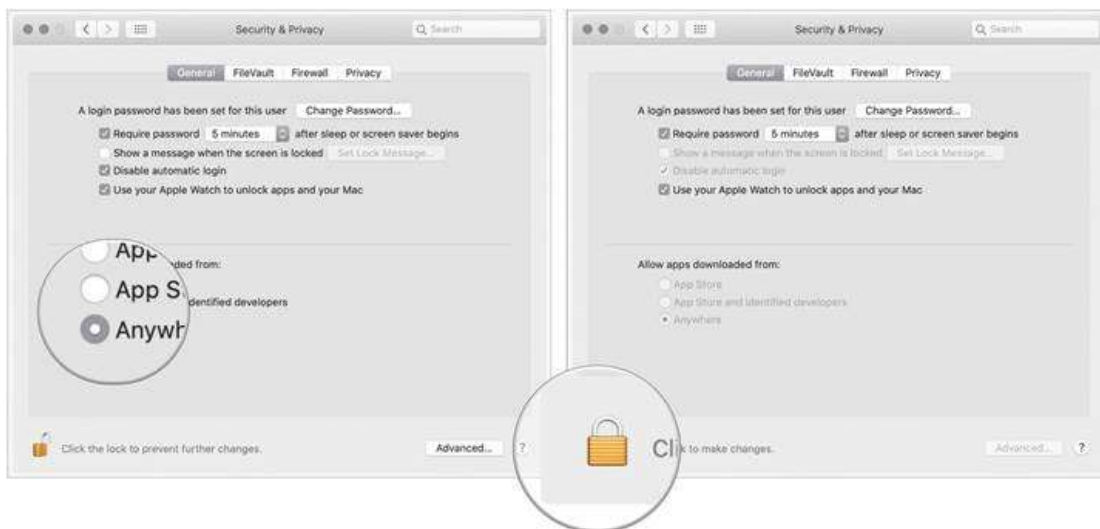
Click on **Security & Privacy** > General tab.

If the **lock** in the left-hand corner is locked, click on it, then enter your Mac's username and password. This may not be required.

Click "**Anywhere**" under "Allow applications downloaded from:".

Click the **lock** in the left-hand corner to return it to its locked state.

Close "**System Preferences**".



5. Install the DWA driver again, macOS will display error, but DWA can work now, except WPA3 support.

Test with macOS version:11.0.1 Big Sur			
Model	Hardware Version	Driver Version	Test Result
DWA-121	B1	5.0.9b6	Failed to install the driver. However, WPA2 can be connected, but WPA3 cannot be connected.
DWA-131	E1	5.0.9b9	Failed to install the driver. However, WPA2 can be connected, but WPA3 cannot be connected.
DWA-171	C1	5.0.9b9	Failed to install the driver. However, WPA2 can be connected, but WPA3 cannot be connected.
DWA-172	A1	5.0.9b7	Failed to install the driver. However, WPA2 can be connected, but WPA3 cannot be connected.
DWA-181	A1	5.0.9b7	Failed to install the driver. However, WPA2 can be connected, but WPA3 cannot be connected.
DWA-182	D1	5.0.9b9	Failed to install the driver. However, WPA2 can be connected, but WPA3 cannot be connected.
DWA-123	D1	5.0.9.b9	Failed to install the driver. However, WPA2 can be connected, but WPA3 cannot be connected.

6. Reference:

<https://www.imore.com/how-turn-system-integrity-protection-macos>

[https://www.hendrix.edu/HelpDesk/Computers and Devices/Mac Computers/Disabling and Enabling Gatekeeper for Mac OS X/](https://www.hendrix.edu/HelpDesk/Computers%20and%20Devices/Mac%20Computers/Disabling%20and%20Enabling%20Gatekeeper%20for%20Mac%20OS%20X/)