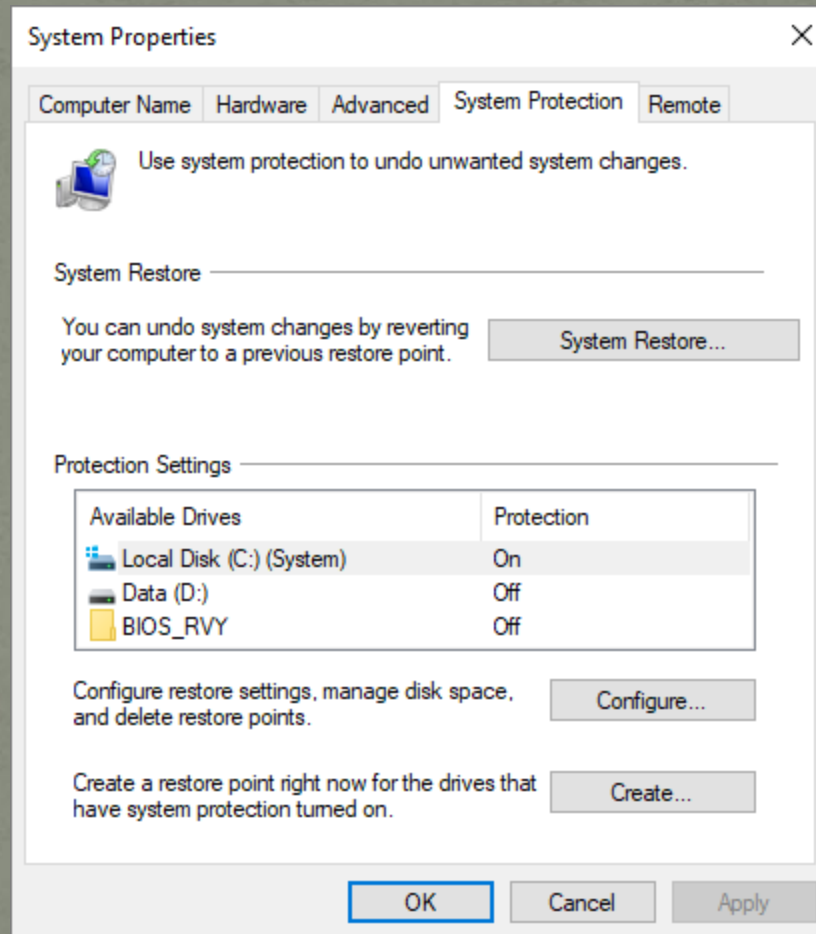


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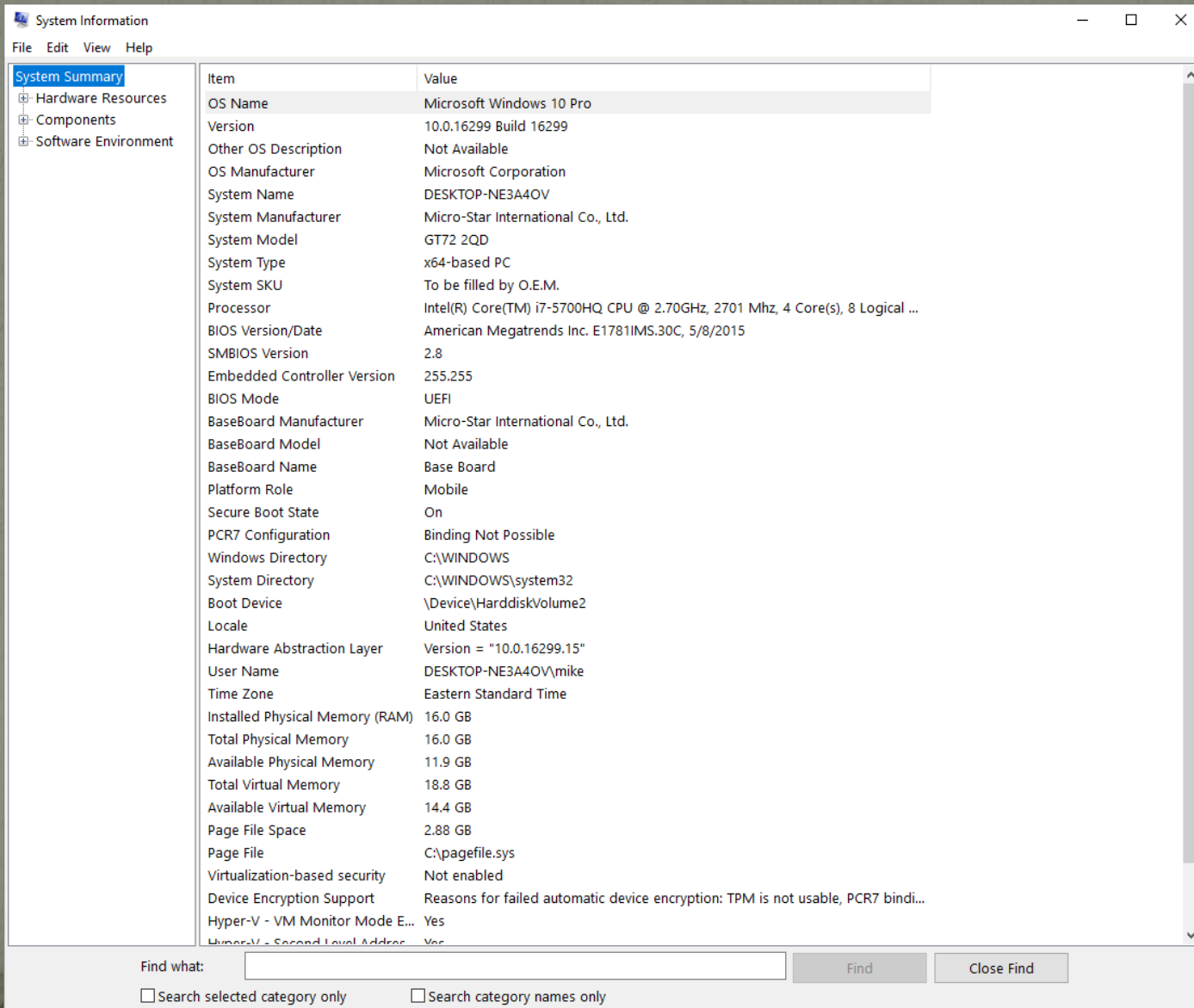
# Step 1

## Create a Restore Point



# Step 2

## Check your System Information



The screenshot shows the Windows System Information application window. The window title is "System Information" and it has a menu bar with "File", "Edit", "View", and "Help". On the left side, there is a tree view with "System Summary" selected, and other options like "Hardware Resources", "Components", and "Software Environment". The main area displays a list of system information items and their values.

Item	Value
OS Name	Microsoft Windows 10 Pro
Version	10.0.16299 Build 16299
Other OS Description	Not Available
OS Manufacturer	Microsoft Corporation
System Name	DESKTOP-NE3A4OV
System Manufacturer	Micro-Star International Co., Ltd.
System Model	GT72 2QD
System Type	x64-based PC
System SKU	To be filled by O.E.M.
Processor	Intel(R) Core(TM) i7-5700HQ CPU @ 2.70GHz, 2701 Mhz, 4 Core(s), 8 Logical ...
BIOS Version/Date	American Megatrends Inc. E1781IMS.30C, 5/8/2015
SMBIOS Version	2.8
Embedded Controller Version	255.255
BIOS Mode	UEFI
BaseBoard Manufacturer	Micro-Star International Co., Ltd.
BaseBoard Model	Not Available
BaseBoard Name	Base Board
Platform Role	Mobile
Secure Boot State	On
PCR7 Configuration	Binding Not Possible
Windows Directory	C:\WINDOWS
System Directory	C:\WINDOWS\system32
Boot Device	\Device\HarddiskVolume2
Locale	United States
Hardware Abstraction Layer	Version = "10.0.16299.15"
User Name	DESKTOP-NE3A4OV\mike
Time Zone	Eastern Standard Time
Installed Physical Memory (RAM)	16.0 GB
Total Physical Memory	16.0 GB
Available Physical Memory	11.9 GB
Total Virtual Memory	18.8 GB
Available Virtual Memory	14.4 GB
Page File Space	2.88 GB
Page File	C:\pagefile.sys
Virtualization-based security	Not enabled
Device Encryption Support	Reasons for failed automatic device encryption: TPM is not usable, PCR7 bindi...
Hyper-V - VM Monitor Mode E...	Yes
Hyper-V - Second Level Addr...	Yes

At the bottom of the window, there is a search bar with the text "Find what:" and a search button labeled "Find". There is also a "Close Find" button. Below the search bar, there are two checkboxes: "Search selected category only" and "Search category names only".

# Step 3


## Check Disk Space

Local Disk (C:) Properties

Security Previous Versions Quota  
General Tools Hardware Sharing

Type: Local Disk  
File system: NTFS

Used space:	153,755,357,184 bytes	143 GB
Free space:	100,847,779,840 bytes	93.9 GB
Capacity:	254,603,137,024 bytes	237 GB



Drive C: [Disk Cleanup](#)

Compress this drive to save disk space  
 Allow files on this drive to have contents indexed in addition to file properties

OK Cancel Apply

# Step 4

## Scan for Viruses

The screenshot shows a Windows File Explorer window titled "Downloads" with the "Application Tools" ribbon selected. The ribbon includes tabs for File, Home, Share, View, and Manage. The ribbon contains various icons for file management operations such as Pin to Quick access, Copy, Paste, Cut, Copy path, Paste shortcut, Move to, Copy to, Delete, Rename, New folder, Easy access, New item, Properties, Open, Select all, Select none, and Invert selection. The address bar shows the path "This PC > Downloads" and a search box labeled "Search Downloads".

The main pane displays a table of files:

Name	Date modified	Type	Size
FileZilla_3.29.0_win64-setup.exe	11/11/2017 7:43 PM	Application	7,731 KB
FileZilla_3.28.0_win64-setup.exe	10/3/2017 10:55 PM	Application	7,721 KB

The "FileZilla\_3.28.0\_win64-setup.exe" file is selected, and a context menu is open over it. The menu items are:

- Open
- Run as administrator
- Troubleshoot compatibility
- Pin to Start
- 7-Zip >
- CRC SHA >
- Edit with Notepad++
- Scan FileZilla\_3.28.0\_win64-setup.exe
- Share
- Give access to >
- Pin to taskbar
- Scan with Malwarebytes Anti-Malware
- Restore previous versions
- Send to >
- Cut
- Copy
- Create shortcut
- Delete
- Rename
- Properties

The status bar at the bottom left shows "2 items | 1 item selected 7.53 MB".

# Step 5

## Install Your Software

The screenshot displays the LMMS 1.1.3 software interface. The main window is titled "AngryLlama-NewFangled - LMMS 1.1.3". The interface includes a menu bar (Project, Edit, Tools, Help), a toolbar, and a status bar showing tempo (135 BPM), time signature (4/4), and CPU usage. The "My projects" sidebar on the left lists various project files, with "AngryLlama-NewFangled.mmpz" selected. The main workspace is divided into several panels:

- Song Editor:** Shows a piano roll with tracks for Main Beat, Bass Line, Melody, and Claps. The Main Beat track is active, and the piano roll shows a sequence of notes.
- Beat+Bassline Editor:** Shows a piano roll for the Main Beat, with tracks for bassdrum04.ogg, hihat\_closed04.ogg, and shaker01.ogg. Each track has volume and pan controls.
- FX-Mixer:** Shows a mixer with 16 channels (Nasster, RX-1 to RX-15). The right side of the mixer has an "EFFECTS CHAIN" section with controls for "WID DECAY GATE", "Plate2x2", and "Fast Lookahead Limiter".
- Project notes:** A window titled "Project notes" showing the title "New Fangled" by Paul Giblock (AngryLlama). The notes describe a short demo that introduced dead-notes into the 302, activated on bar 5.

The End