Windows® 7 and USB 3.0 driver for Vig850G

Based on the chipset specification, the Vig850G motherboard requires USB 3.0 drivers to be preloaded in order to use USB keyboard/mouse during Windows® 7 installation. This section is a guide on preloading USB 3.0 drivers and installing Windows® 7.
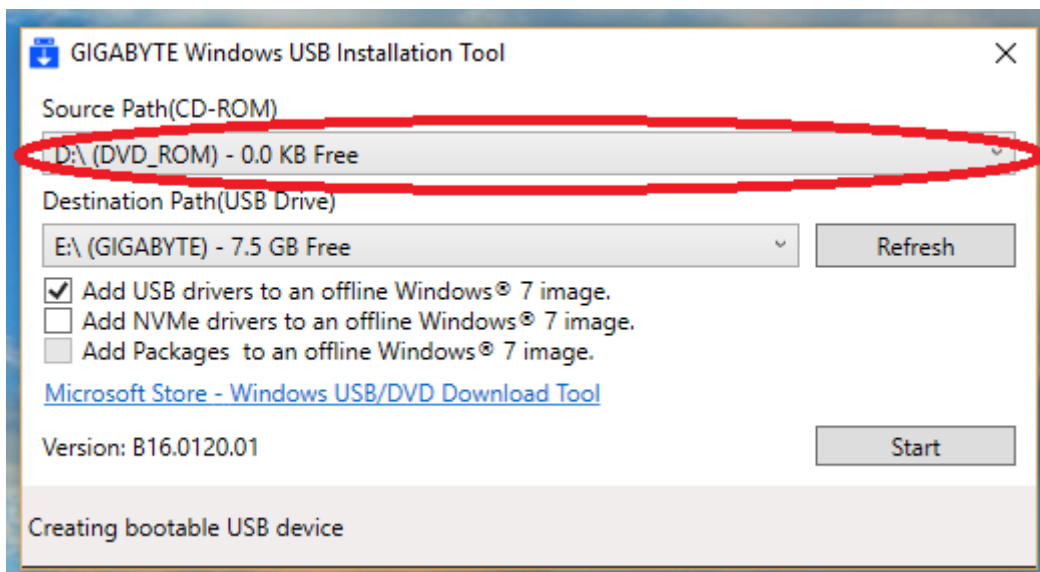
Using Gigabyte Win7 Smart Tool
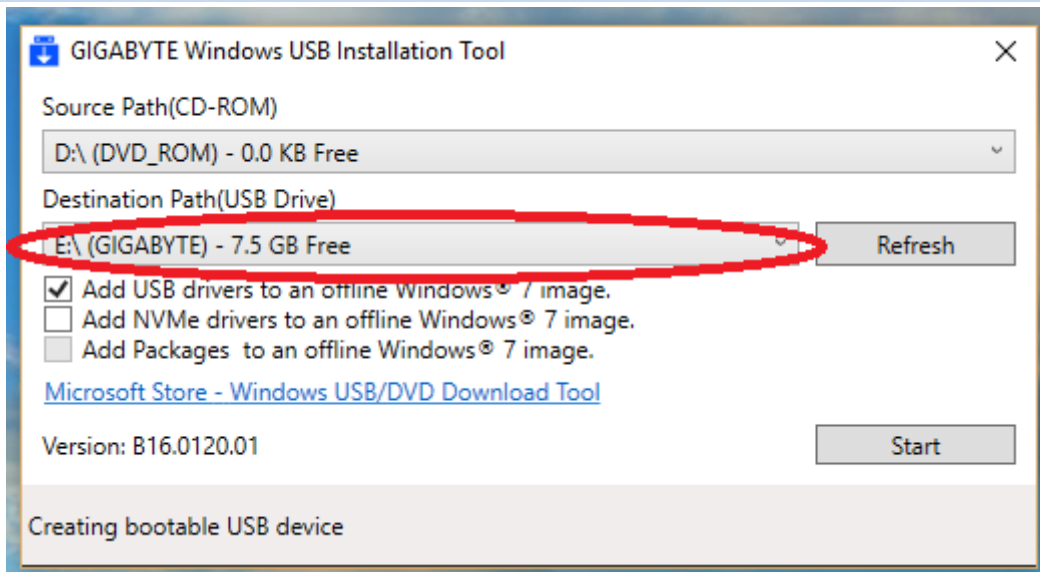Use the Gigabyte Win7 Smart Tool Utility to create a modified Windows® 7 installation source.

Requirement:

- 1 x Gigabyte Win7 Smart Tool B16.0120.1 Utility
- 1 x Windows® 7 installation DVD
- 1 x Working system (PC)
- 1 x SATA ODD
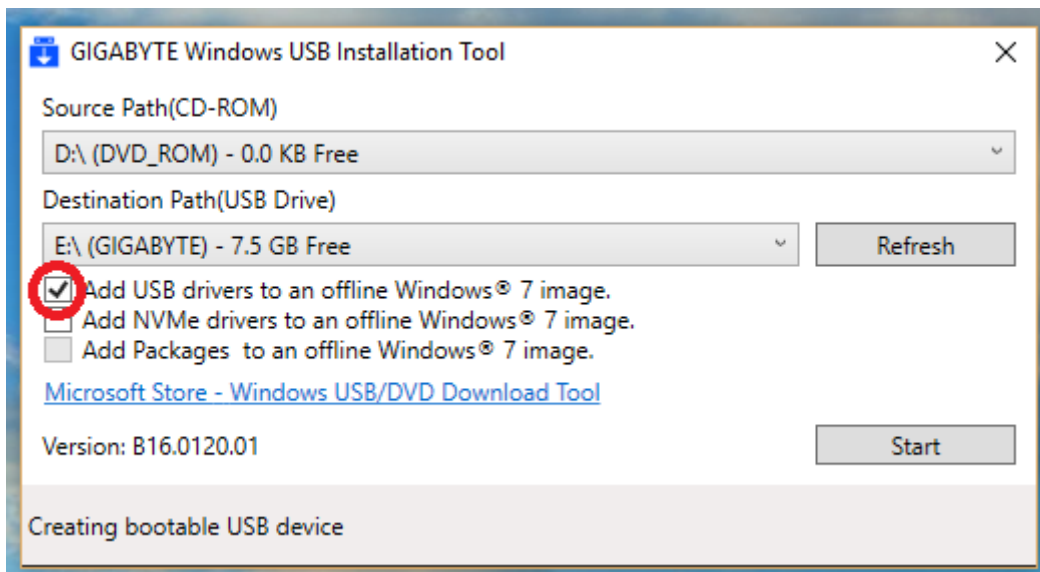- 1 x USB storage device (8 GB min.)

1. Insert the Windows® 7 installation DVD.

2. Launch the Gigabyte Win7 Smart Tool Utility located under Drivers\Windows 7 Installation Guide folder on Driver DVD and FTP link for the drivers and press OK when the Smart Tool Information dialog box appears.

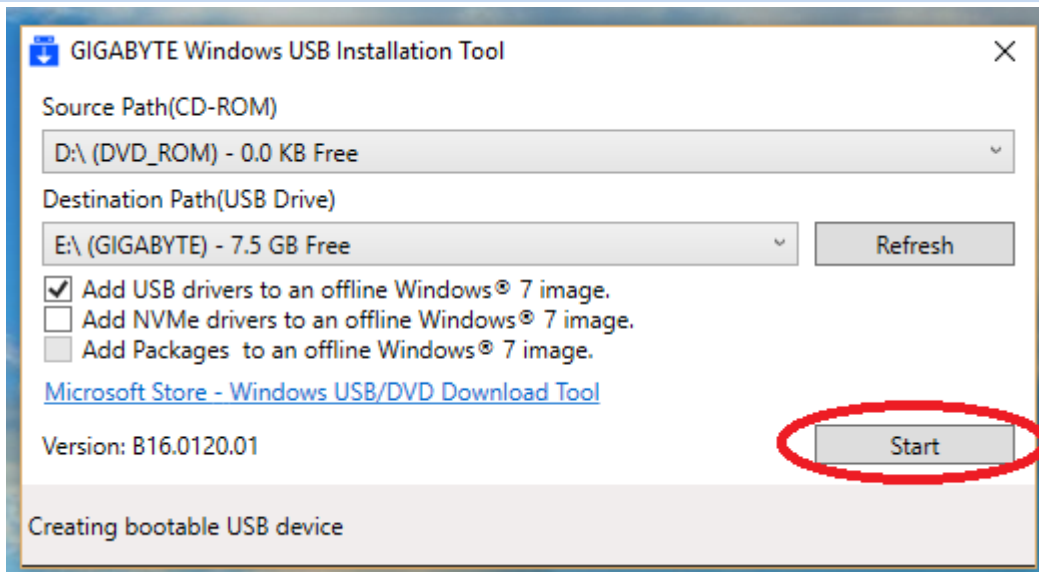3. Choose source folder by selecting it in the dropdown box.

4. Choose the USB storage device to save the Win7 OS.

-Next, check the "Add USB drivers to an offline windows 7 image." To add the USB drivers.

-Next, click "Start" and wait for approximately 15 minutes for the process to finish..

    - Once complete, in the bottom box will say the windows install is ready.

5. Connect the USB storage device with modified Windows® 7 installation files onto your Vig850G series platform.

6. Power on your system and press F12 during POST (Power-On Self Test) to enter the boot screen.

7. Select the USB storage device as the boot device.

8. *The USB 3.0 driver will be loaded automatically during installation start-up.*

        The "Setup is starting..." screen will show up if the USB 3.0 driver is loaded correctly.

9. Follow the onscreen instructions to complete the Windows® 7 installation.