

 MacBook

Welcome to your MacBook

Let's begin. Press the power button or lift the lid to start up your MacBook, and Setup Assistant guides you through a few simple steps to get you up and running. It walks you through connecting to your Wi-Fi network and creating a user account. And it can transfer your documents, photos, music, and more to your new MacBook from another Mac or PC.

You can sign in with your Apple ID in Setup Assistant. This sets up your account in the App Store and the iTunes Store, and in apps like Messages and FaceTime. It also sets up iCloud, so apps such as Mail, Contacts, Calendar, and Safari all have your latest information. If you don't have an Apple ID, you can create one in Setup Assistant.



USB-C

Charge MacBook and connect external storage or an external display



Dual microphones



Headphone



FaceTime camera

Power button

Force Touch trackpad

Get to know your desktop

Your MacBook desktop lets you find everything and do anything. Keep the apps you use most in the Dock at the bottom of the screen. Open System Preferences to customize your desktop and other settings. Click the Finder icon to get to all your files and folders.

The menu bar at the top provides useful information about your MacBook. To check the status of your wireless Internet connection, click the Wi-Fi icon. Siri is always ready to help you find information, locate files, and accomplish a variety of tasks on your Mac just by using your voice.



Control your Mac with Multi-Touch gestures

You can do a lot on your MacBook using simple gestures on the trackpad. And with built-in pressure-sensing capabilities, the trackpad can distinguish between a light click and a deep press for an entirely new level of interactivity. To learn more, choose System Preferences in the Dock, and then click Trackpad.



- **Click**
Press anywhere on the trackpad.
- **Secondary click (right click)**
Click with two fingers to open shortcut menus.
- **Force click**
Click and then press deeper to look up more information—on a word to see its definition, on an address to see a preview of a map, and more.
- ↕ **Two-finger scroll**
Brush two fingers along the trackpad to scroll up, down, or sideways.

Back up your data

You can wirelessly back up your MacBook using Time Machine with an AirPort Time Capsule (sold separately). Open System Preferences and click the Time Machine icon to get started.

An important note

Please read this document and the safety information in the *MacBook Info* guide carefully before you first use your computer.

Learn more

To view the *MacBook Essentials* guide in iBooks, open iBooks, then search for "MacBook Essentials" in the iBooks Store. You can also find information, watch demos, and learn about MacBook features at www.apple.com/macbook.

Help

You can find answers to your questions, as well as instructions and troubleshooting information, in Mac Help. Click the Finder icon, click Help in the menu bar, and choose Mac Help or "Get to know your Mac."

macOS Utilities

If you have a problem with your MacBook, macOS Utilities can help you restore your software and data from a Time Machine backup or reinstall macOS and Apple apps. If your MacBook detects a problem, open macOS Utilities by restarting your computer while holding down the Command and R keys.

Support

For comprehensive support information, go to www.apple.com/support/macbook. Or to contact Apple, go to support.apple.com/contact.

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