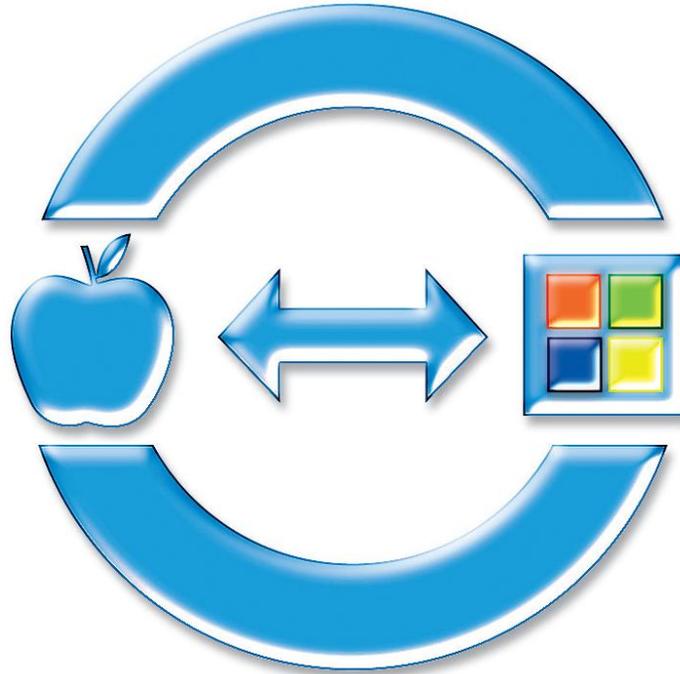


Getting Started Manual



**Don't Get Caught
With a File
You Can't Open**

MacLinkPlus[®] 16
DELUXE

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Introduction

MacLinkPlus Deluxe is a utility that helps you use and access files regardless of what format they are in or where they came from.

This guide will show you how to:

- Install MacLinkPlus Deluxe
- Translate word processing, spreadsheet, database or graphic files
- View files even if you don't have the program that created them
- Decompress archived files and decode attachments you receive via e-mail
- Send documents to your iPod

Where else can I get help?

For more detailed product information consult the MacLinkPlus Deluxe "Help File". In the "Help File" you can find more detailed information on:

- Working with problem files
- MacLinkPlus Deluxe preferences and translation settings
- File recognition and workarounds for unsupported file formats

System Requirements

- Mac OS 10.2 or higher
- 30 MB hard disk space for installation

Installation Questions

1. How do I install MacLinkPlus Deluxe?

Insert the MacLinkPlus Deluxe CD and double-click on the installer. Alternatively, if you downloaded the MacLinkPlus Deluxe installer, double click on the installer after opening the disk image you downloaded.

2. Where is my registration number and activation key?

This information can be found in one of the following locations, the MacLinkPlus Deluxe CD sleeve, invoice from DataViz, or an e-mail from DataViz confirming your order. If you purchased directly from DataViz or registered your software with DataViz in the past, you can find this information at:

<http://www.dataviz.com/keys>

3. Will my new version of MacLinkPlus Deluxe replace the old version on my system?

Yes, if you have not renamed or moved your old MacLinkPlus Deluxe folder.

Translating Files

*word processing, spreadsheet,
database or graphic files*

MacLinkPlus Deluxe Application Method:

1. Drag the file you wish to translate over the MacLinkPlus Deluxe icon
2. (or simply double-click on the MacLinkPlus Deluxe application icon.)
3. Click “Add” to select additional files to translate, if needed. You can also drag files into the MacLinkPlus Deluxe window.
4. In MacLinkPlus Deluxe highlight the file(s) you want to translate.
5. Click “Translate”. You can find the translated file in the Destination Folder. To open the Destination Folder, click on the hyperlink next to the Destination Folder.

Control-click Method:

1. Control-click on the file.
2. In the MacLinkPlus Deluxe contextual menu, select “Translate” and select the format (Mac or PC) that you wish to translate the file into.

Viewing Files

text or graphic files

MacLinkPlus Deluxe Application Method:

1. Launch the MacLinkPlus Deluxe application.
2. Click “Add” and select the file you want to view or drag and drop the file over the MacLinkPlus Deluxe application.
3. In MacLinkPlus Deluxe highlight the file you want to view.
4. Click “View”.

Control-click Method:

1. Control-click on the file.
2. In the MacLinkPlus Deluxe contextual menu, select “Quick Preview”.

Decompressing Files

decompress or decode

MacLinkPlus Deluxe Application Method:

1. Launch the MacLinkPlus Deluxe application.
2. Click “Add” and select the file you want to decompress or drag and drop the file over the MacLinkPlus Deluxe application.
3. In MacLinkPlus Deluxe, click the disclosure triangle to show the files compressed in the archive.
4. Highlight the file you want to decompress/decode.
5. Click “Decompress” or “Decode”. You can find the decompressed file(s) in the Destination Folder. To open the Destination Folder, click on the hyperlink next to the Destination Folder button.

Send to iPod

MacLinkPlus Deluxe can extract the text from your Word Processing documents and send these to your iPod as Notes for reading on the go. To use this feature, follow the steps outlined below:

1. Connect your iPod to your Mac and enable it for disk use.
 - a. To enable your iPod for disk use
 - b. Connect your iPod to your Mac
 - c. Open iTunes
 - d. Click on the iPod icon in the bottom portion of the iTunes window
 - e. Check the preference to enable disk use
2. Add a word processing file to MacLinkPlus Deluxe
3. Highlight the file and click the "Send to iPod" button

Notes:

The Notes feature is only available on iPods with a dock connector and notes support.

Features Supported

MacLinkPlus Deluxe will support the features listed when the program being translated to supports the feature.

Character Attributes:

- Bold
- Italics
- Outline
- Shadow
- Underline
- Double Underline
- Word Underline
- Dotted Underline
- Wave Underline
- Subscript
- Superscript
- Hidden Text
- Small Caps
- All Caps
- Strikethrough
- Text Color
- Background Colors
- Foreground Shading

Document Attributes:

- Margins*
- Page Setup*
- Mirror*
- Headers*
- Footers*

Spreadsheet Attributes:

- Row Heights
- Column Widths
- Split Panes
- Print Area*
- Embedded Objects*
- 3D*

Other Attributes:

- Numbering & Bullets
- Footnotes*
- Endnotes*
- Hard Page Breaks
- Date & Time Stamping
- Page Number*
- Newspaper Columns
- Parallel Columns
- Extended Columns
- Style Sheets
- Tables*
- Absolutely Positioned Objects**
- Hyperlinks

*These attributes are not supported when translating from the Microsoft Excel 2007 format.

** Absolutely Positioned Objects are not supported in Microsoft Excel or Word 2007 formats.

Translator List

The following is a complete list of the translators supported in MacLinkPlus. All translators are read and write, unless otherwise specified.

Word Processing:

PC:

Ami Pro 1.2, 2.0, 3.x
AppleWorks 5.0
ClarisWorks 1.0, 3.0, 4.0, 5.0
DCA/RFT
MS Word DOS through version 6.0
MS Word for Windows 1.x, 2.0, 6.0, 95, 97, 2000, XP 2002, 2003, 2007
MS Works for Windows 2.0, 3.0, 4.5, 95
Multimate 4.0
Professional Write 2.0
RTF
Text
WordPerfect DOS 5.0, 5.1, 6.0
WordPerfect Windows 6.0- 12, 13(X3)
WordPerfect Works 2.0, 2.1
WordStar 5.0, 6.0, 7.0

Mac :

AppleWorks 5.0
AppleWorks 6.0 (read only)
ClarisWorks 1.0, 2.x, 3.0, 4.0, 5.0
FrameMaker MIF 3.0
MacWrite II
MacWrite Pro 1.0, 1.5
MS Word 4.0, 5.x, 6.0, 98, 2001, X, 2004
MS Works 3.0, 4.0
Nisus Writer 3.0, 4.0
RTF
Text
WordPerfect 2.x, 3.x
WriteNow 3.0, 4.0 (read only)
AppleWorks (Apple II) 2.1, 3.0, GS

Spreadsheet:

PC:

AppleWorks 5.0
ClarisWorks 1.0, 3.0, 4.0, 5.0
Excel 2.x, 3.0, 4.0, 5.0, 95, 97, 2000, XP 2002, 2003, 2007
Lotus 1-2-3 (WK3, WK4, 97, 98, Millennium 9.5)
MS Works for Windows 3.0, 4.0, 4.5, 95
Quattro Pro (DOS) 4.0
Quattro Pro (Windows) 1.0, 5.0, 6.0, 7.0, 8.0
Quattro Pro (Windows) 9.0 (read only)
SYLK (read only)

Mac:

AppleWorks 5.0
AppleWorks 6.0 (read only)
ClarisWorks 1.0, 2.x, 3.0, 4.0, 5.0
Excel 2.0, 3.0, 4.0, 5.0, 98, 2001, X, 2004
MS Works 2.0, 3.0, 4.0
SYLK (read only)
AppleWorks (Apple II) 2.1, 3.0

Database:

PC:

ClarisWorks 1.x, 3.x, 4.0
Comma Separated Values (write only)
dBase III, IV (DBF)
FoxBASE/FoxPro
MS Works for Windows 2.0, 3.0, 4.5, 95
Tab Text (write only)
WordPerfect Works 2.0

Mac:

ClarisWorks 1.0, 2.x, 3.0, 4.0
Comma Separated Values (write only)
FoxBASE/FoxPro
MS Works 2.0, 3.0, 4.0
Tab Text (write only)
AppleWorks (Apple II) 2.1, 3.0

Graphics:

GIF
JPEG
JPEG 2000, JP2
PC Paintbrush, PCX
Photoshop, PSD
PICT/PICT 2
PNG

Compression / Encoding:

Compact Pro, .cpt
MacBinary
Gzip
TAR

Other

PDF (read only)

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