

# 12 quick and simple ways to take screenshots of Acer computers

Taking a screenshot of the computer screen on an Acer laptop may not sound important, but it plays a big role in everyday life. After all, screenshots are very useful and convenient when you want to share information with friends and loved ones.

You can use the screen capture tool to capture a specific moment of the video or a photo that cannot be copied. That is very useful when some of those video or photo sharing platforms lock the sharing mode or are not captured.

Captured screenshots can also be shared with others and used for a variety of purposes, from entertainment to work. Here are a few ways to take screenshots of Acer laptops.

## Take screenshots of Acer laptops without software

### Using the PrtSc . key

The world's most popular way to take a screenshot of a computer screen is to use the "Print Screen" key on the keyboard. It is usually labeled "PrtScn" (or something like this) and is located in the top row, middle, or near the Function keys. This is also how to **capture Dell laptop screen** or **HP laptop screen** or other brands.



This way will help you record your entire Acer computer screen. It will be saved in the clipboard and you just need to paste (CTRL+V) into the software or chat windows to share with everyone. In some cases it will be

captured with the Fn key, which is the key near the Windows key.

## Capture software windows separately with PrtSc + Alt . keys

This is the way you use to capture the necessary software window separately, you may not need to capture the whole screen because there is a lot of data that you do not want to share with others. You just need to click on the software window and then select the PrtSc + Alt key to get a screenshot of that window.



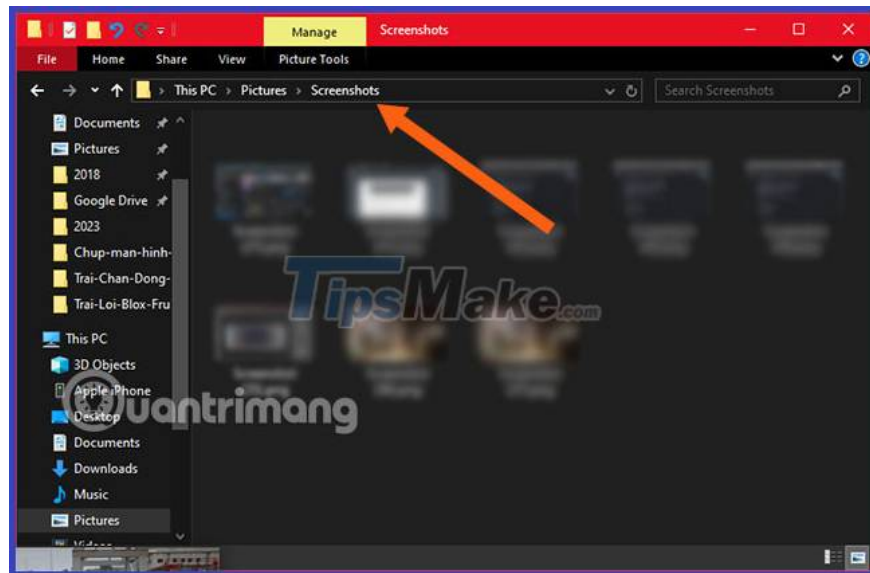
And the way to share is similar to taking a picture with just the PrtSc key, you just need to paste it into the chat frame, message board, photo editors like **Photoshop** to edit or share to other sharers.

## Take a snapshot of the computer screen with the PrtSc + Windows key

Another way for you to shoot with the PrtSc key is to press with the Windows key. This will help you to record a continuous screen shot after a faint flash. The image will be saved in the folder below.



Go to This PC > Pictures > Screenshots. Here will contain images taken from some screen capture software and also images taken from the above shooting method.



## Press the key combination **Shift + Windows + WILL**

With this key combination, you will be able to take a screenshot with a free frame. Just select this key combination and left-click, then drag the frame to the area of the screen you want to capture.



In addition, you will have tools, besides freehand capture such as circle the image, capture only windows and full screen. When you have finished taking a picture, click on the pop-up window displayed in the lower right corner of the screen to go to the window to edit the previously captured image.

## Use the **Game Bar** to take screenshots

Press the Windows + G key combination to bring up the Game Bar's drivers. And you will get a tool that helps you not only to take screenshots, but also to record the screen. Click the camera icon on the See my captures button to take a screenshot, which will be a full-screen image as if you took it with just the PrtSc key.



If you don't see the Game Bar driver displayed, select the search icon and type there Xbox Game Bar. Next you can choose Pin to Start or Pin to taskbar to pin it to the taskbar or to the Start menu.

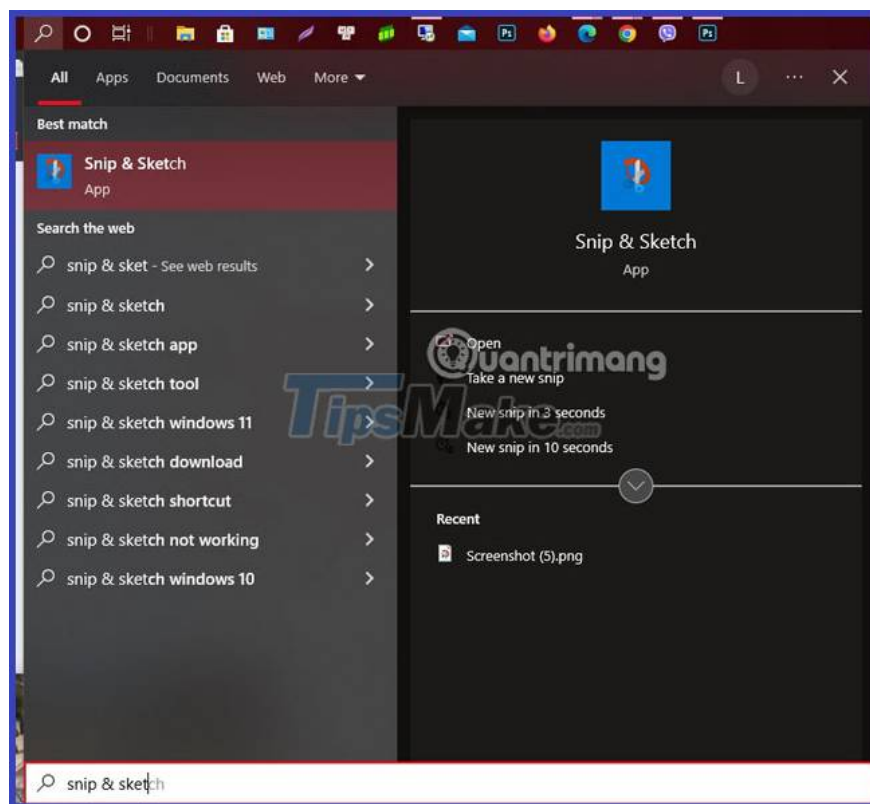


After taking a picture or recording a video, select See my captures and in this folder you will see the recorded photos and videos. You will have options such as changing the file name, sharing to Twitter, deleting that file.



## Using the Snip & Sketch tool

Search in the search bar, search for the keyword Snip & Sketch software to open the screen capture and editing software. In the right pane, you will also see an option to shoot now, take a shot after 3 seconds and 10 seconds.

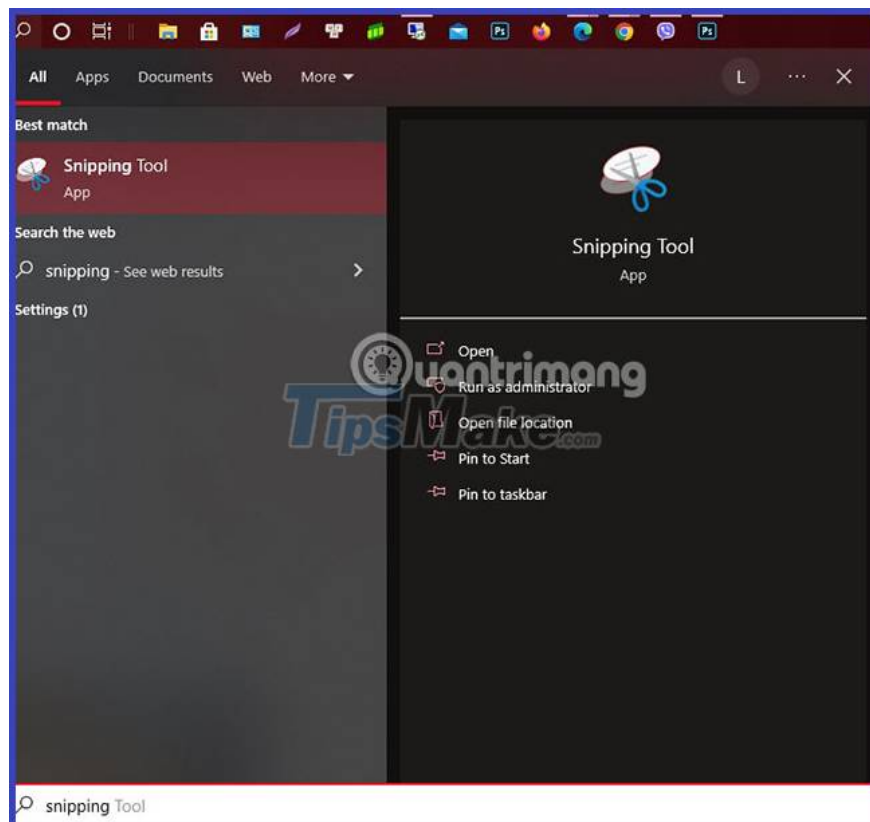


After opening the Snip & Sketch window, select the New icon in the upper left corner to take a new picture. When the photo is taken, your image will appear right in this window with basic and appropriate photo editing tools.



## Shoot with the Snipping Tool

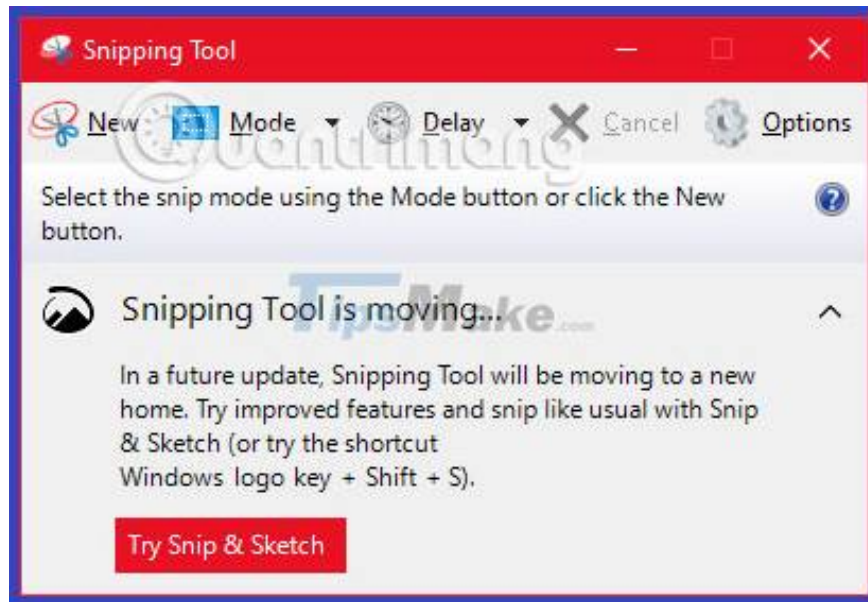
Similar to the Snip & Sketch tool above, find the Snip & Sketch keyword in the toolbar and choose to open the Snipping Tool.



With the Snipping Tool, select New to take a picture, next to the Mode button for players to use. In Mode include it is:

1. **Free-Form Snip:** Capture by circling, circling or in any shape you want.
2. **Rectangular Snip:** Shoot with a square or rectangular frame.
3. **Windows Snip:** Capture the software window separately.
4. **Full-screen Snip:** Capture the entire screen.

Delay will be the timeline for the player to choose to capture after a few seconds.



## Take screenshots of Acer computers with 3rd party software

### Lightshot

Lightshot is a free screen capture tool designed for quick social sharing. When you use Lightshot on Windows 10, it replaces the Print Screen function and provides more editing features. This will be a powerful tool to help you edit photos and share on many social networks.

### Greenshot

This is also another free tool that allows you to edit and customize screenshots, as well as the option to capture entire web pages. Greenshot provides many basic photo editing tools, helping players to quickly edit with basic photo editing needs.

### ScreenRec

ScreenRec is a free Windows recording tool that allows you to capture and share videos and screenshots. It also provides tools to annotate your recordings and screenshots, and instantly generates a link that you can share with others so they can view them.

## Snagit

Snagit is a screen capture tool that allows you to create animated GIFs, take full-page screenshots, and many other photo editing tools. However, you will have to pay a fee to be able to use Snagit's tools simply. Before deciding to buy, you will be able to try the free version for 30 days, any pictures you take on your screen will be watermarked.

## ScreenCast-O-Matic

ScreenCast-O-Matic is a web-based video editor and screen sharing tool for recording your screen activities. It also has the ability to take screenshots, you just need to sign up for a free account. You can also upgrade to a premium account to unlock advanced features, starting at \$4 a month.

Above are a few ways to take screenshots of Acer laptops, you can choose depending on whether you want to take a simple picture or want to have an image editor immediately when you take a screenshot.

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