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Unable to load macOS Mojave

A common problem that users report cannot download macOS version 10.14. When downloading, they will see the error message saying ' **macOS Mojave download has failed** ' (Cannot download macOS Mojave) or ' **Installation of macOS could not continue. Installation requires downloading important content. Không thể tải xuống nội dung quan trọng. Hãy thử lại sau.** '(Cannot continue to install macOS. This installation requires downloading important content but cannot download this content now, please try again later).



There are several reasons why you encounter this problem as too many people download this operating system at the same time. In this case, try downloading again later or you can check the status of the Apple server directly to make sure everything is fine.

The reason for not being able to download macOS Mojave is because you don't have enough storage space on your Mac. Therefore, check the available space by opening the **Apple** menu, clicking **About This Mac** , selecting **Storage** and then checking the capacity on the hard drive. You need at least 12.5GB of space to upgrade to macOS Mojave version. If you are using OS X Yosemite version or below, you need 18.5GB.

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You also need to switch Wi-Fi to a wired network to ensure uninterrupted Internet connection. If you still have problems downloading macOS Mojave, try finding the partially downloaded macOS files and the file named **Install macOS 10.14** on the hard drive, delete them then restart the Mac and download it again.

If the above does not solve the problem when downloading macOS Mojave, open the **App Store** , click **View My Account** and see something in the **Unfinished Downloads** section, delete them and try to log out of the **Store** to see if this has started reactivate the download process or not.

Problems installing macOS Mojave

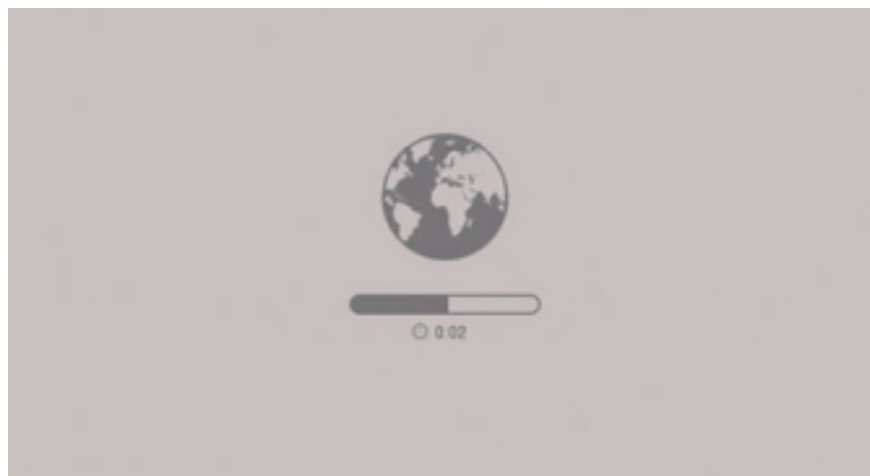
If you have trouble installing macOS Mojave, you first need to check that the running Mac is compatible with macOS Mojave. Here is a list of compatible Macs.



1. MacBook (early 2015 or newer)
2. MacBook Air (Mid-2012 or newer)
3. MacBook Pro (Mid-2012 or newer)
4. Mini Mac (End of 2012 or later)
5. iMac (End of 2012 or newer)
6. iMac Pro (2017)
7. Mac Pro (End of 2013, model between 2010 and mid-2012 with Metal-capable CPU)

If your Mac is compatible and has completed the macOS Mojave download process, but you don't see the installation message, search the Mac application folder to find a file called **Install macOS 10.14** , double-click this file to start installation.

If you have problems installing macOS Mojave due to low disk space, restart your Mac and press **Ctrl + R** while it starts to access the **Recover** menu. Select **Disk boot** to boot as usual, then delete the file you no longer use.



If you have difficulty releasing the disk space, find the **Time Machine** file to hide and delete it because this file takes up a large amount of space. After freeing up enough space, try installing again.

If near the end of the macOS Mojave installation process, you see an error message, restart the Mac and press **Command + Options + R** on the keyboard during boot to activate the recovery system via the Internet. You can

also press **Shift + Option + Command + R**.

macOS Mojave does not install from an external drive

Some users have reported that Mojave could not be installed from an external hard drive and returned to the previous macOS version. They think the reason is because of using an external hard drive connected to a Mac via a USB-C adapter. So try plugging it directly into Thunderbolt 3 port or try another adapter. You can also try installing High Sierra (previous version of macOS) on the external drive first, then upgrading to Mojave.

Bluetooth does not work on MacOS Mojave

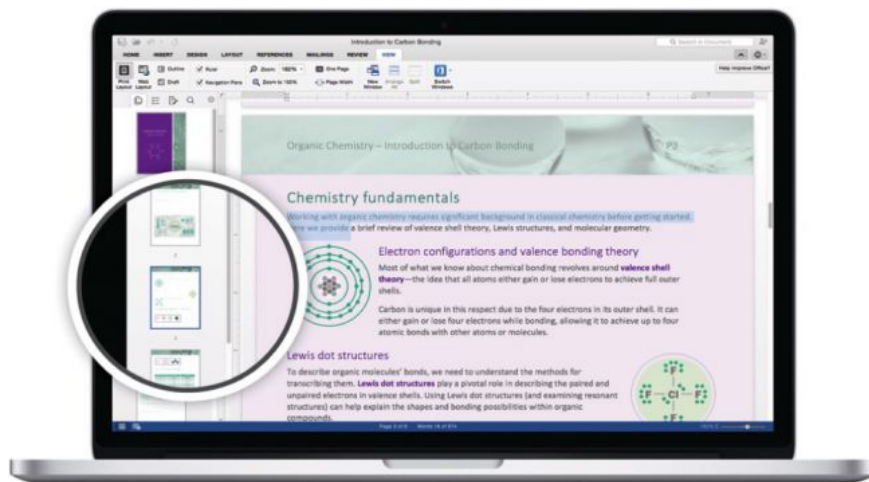


Some people who have encountered Bluetooth problems do not work when Mac runs macOS Mojave. To fix this problem, open the **Finder** and then click **Go** on the menu, then select **Go to Folder .** , type / **Library / Preferences .** From here you will see a file called **com.apple.Bluetooth.plist** , select it and reboot your Mac and try reconnecting to the Bluetooth device.

Mac cannot boot after installing macOS 10.14 Mojave

If after installing macOS Mojave, but the Mac cannot boot, try restarting the Mac and holding down the **Command , Option , P** and **R** keys to reset NVRAM. When in **Safe Mode** , run **Disk Utility** to try to fix macOS Mojave boot problem.

Mac runs slowly after installing macOS 10.14 Mojave



A common error when upgrading to macOS Mojave is that some applications no longer work. This is a normal problem when you use older programs. If the application does not work in macOS 10.14 Mojave, you should check and install the latest version of these applications on its website. In case the software is too old and not compatible with Mojave operating system, you should consider buying a newer version or find alternative applications.

MacOS Mojave operating system prioritizes the use of 64-bit applications, so you should use the 64-bit version of the application on this operating system. However, you can still run 32 bit applications but it will appear a warning saying that this application is not optimized for Mac running macOS Mojave.

To check if the application you have installed is 32 bit or 64 bit, go to the Apple menu and select **About This Mac** , click on **System Report** , then on the left menu, click **Applications** . You should see a 64-bit recording column, find the **No** write application to upgrade to a 64-bit version if possible or find alternative applications if there is no 64-bit version available.

Battery problems with Mac running MacOS Mojave



Many users find that MacBook battery life is shorter than when installing macOS Mojave. You can check the cause of this problem by opening the **Finder** , accessing **Applications > Utilities > Activity Monitor > Energy** .

You will see a graph showing the energy level of the programs used. If you see any applications that consume a lot of energy, check if it is possible to update it or uninstall and use alternative software.

In addition, you should turn off location services, do not use animations and graphics effects when not needed to extend battery life. You can refer to the article [8 ways to save battery for MacBook](#).

I wish you all success!

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