

How to Get Mathematica

Purpose

The objective of this document is to provide information on how to get access to Mathematica, for both faculty and students, for at-home use. The desktop application is available to faculty while Mathematica Online is available to students.

For use on a USD device, please contact ITS (help@sandiego.edu).

Step 1. Create an account

- A. Go to <http://user.wolfram.com> and click "Create Account"
- B. Fill out the form using your @sandiego.edu email and click "Create Wolfram ID"
- C. Check your email and click the link to validate your Wolfram ID

Step 2 (Faculty). Request access to the product

[Fill out this form](#) to request a home-use license from Wolfram.

Step 2 (Student). Request access to Mathematica Online

- A. Students may request a Mathematica Online license by completing the Mathematica Online Form from USD's [Available Software Page](#)
- B. After receiving confirmation, go to [Mathematica Online](#) and sign in

Additional Resources

USD ITS Helpdesk:

<http://sandiego.edu/help> or 619-260-7900

Mathematica Tutorials:

[Hands-on Start to Mathematica](#) (live webinars or recorded videos)

Join live via chat-hosted webinar or use pre-recorded versions. Hands-On Start to Wolfram Mathematica teaches you the basics—how to create your first notebook, calculations, visualizations, interactive examples, and more.

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[Hands-on Start to Wolfram Mathematica and Programming with the Wolfram Language](#) (book)

Learn Mathematica at your own pace from authors with 50+ years of combined

Mathematica experience—with hands-on examples, end-of-chapter exercises, and authors' tips that introduce you to the breadth of Mathematica with a focus on ease of use.

[Mathematica & Wolfram Language Fast Introduction for Math Students](#) (tutorial)

Use this tutorial to learn about solving math problems in the Wolfram Language—from basic arithmetic to integral calculus and beyond.

[Mathematica & Wolfram Language Fast Introduction for Programmers](#) (tutorial)

Use this tutorial to get up to speed with the foundations of the Wolfram Language. It will give you what you need to read and understand almost any Wolfram Language code and to get started doing Wolfram Language programming yourself.

[How To Topics](#)

Access step-by-step instructions ranging from how to create animations to basic syntax information.

[Mathematica Resources](#)

Browse Wolfram's large collection of learning materials and support resources like the Wolfram Blog and Community.

Teaching with Mathematica:

[Mathematica for Teaching and Education](#)—Free video course

Learn how to make your classroom dynamic with interactive models, explore computation and visualization capabilities in Mathematica that make it useful for teaching practically any subject at any level, and get best-practice suggestions for course integration.

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[How To Create a Lecture Slideshow](#)—Video tutorial

Learn how to create a slideshow for class that shows a mixture of graphics, calculations, and nicely formatted text, with live calculations or animations.

[Wolfram Demonstrations Project](#)

Download pre-built, open-code examples from a daily-growing collection of interactive visualizations, spanning a remarkable range of topics.

[Wolfram Training Education Courses](#)

Access on-demand and live courses on Mathematica, SystemModeler, and other Wolfram technologies.

[WolframU](#) (courses and tutorials)

Multiple pre-built courses and training courses for using and learning the Wolfram Language.

Research with Mathematica:

[Wolfram Data Repository](#)

A public resource that hosts an expanding collection of computable datasets, curated and structured to be suitable for immediate use in computation, visualization, analysis and more.

[Wolfram Function Repository](#)

A public resource that hosts an expanding collection of contributed standalone functions suitable for immediate use in any Wolfram Language computation.

[Field-Specific Applications](#)

Learn what areas of Mathematica are useful for specific fields.