Connecting to a Wireless Network

Windows XP

To search for and connect to a wireless network:

1. Right-click the wireless network connection icon in your taskbar, as shown in Figure 1, and then click View Available Wireless Networks.

2. The Wireless Network Connection dialog box appears, as shown in Figure 1. If no networks appear, click Refresh Network List in the upper-left corner.
3. Choose a network by clicking on its name, and then click Connect.

Windows Vista

To connect to a wireless network in Windows Vista, follow these steps:

1. Click Start, and then click Connect to.
2. Click the wireless network to which you want to connect, and then click Connect.

Windows 7

To view and connect to available wireless networks

1. Open Connect to a Network by clicking the network icon ( or ) in the notification area.

2. In the list of available wireless networks, click a network, and then click Connect.
Mac OS X

1. Choose Apple menu > System Preferences, and then click Network.

2. Click Wi-Fi in the network connection services list and choose a wireless network from the Network Name pop-up menu. Enter the password for the network if necessary.

If Wi-Fi isn’t in the list of network services, click Add (+) at the bottom of the list, choose Wi-Fi from the Interface pop-up menu, give the service a name, and then click Create.

Select “Show Wi-Fi status in menu bar” to display the Wi-Fi status icon. You can use the Wi-Fi icon in the menu bar to choose your network from the list and connect to it.