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QuarkXPress 2027 System Requirements

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macOS

Software

- macOS® 27.x (Golden Gate), macOS® 26.x (Tahoe) and macOS® 15.x (Sequoia)

Hardware

- Apple silicon (M-series) or Intel processor with dual cores or more (Intel-based Macs are supported on macOS 26 and macOS 15 only; macOS 27 requires Apple silicon)
- 8 GB RAM available for QuarkXPress
- 11 GB hard disk space for installation

➡ QuarkXPress 2027 runs natively on Apple silicon. QuarkXPress's PDF export also runs natively on Apple silicon.

➡ Third-party XTensions modules must be built for Apple silicon (Universal or arm64) to load in QuarkXPress on Apple silicon Macs. If an XTensions module doesn't load, contact its developer for an updated version. A single installer (Universal Binary) runs natively on both Apple silicon and Intel-based Macs.

➡ For better performance with long, complex (graphic-heavy) documents, we recommend 16 GB of RAM or more, and an SSD with at least 20 GB of free space for working files and caches. An Apple silicon M-series Pro or Max processor gives the best performance.

Other

- An Internet connection is required.

Windows

Software

- Microsoft® Windows® 11 version 24H2 (64-bit) or later, or Microsoft® Windows® 10 version 22H2 (64-bit)
- Microsoft® Windows Server® 2022 (64-bit)
- Microsoft .NET Framework 4.8 or later (installed automatically if missing)

Hardware

- CPU with dual cores or more
- 8 GB RAM available for QuarkXPress
- 8 GB hard disk space for installation

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Other

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Digital Platform

Browsers for HTML5 Publications

- The latest version of Safari, Chrome, Firefox, Edge, and Opera

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