

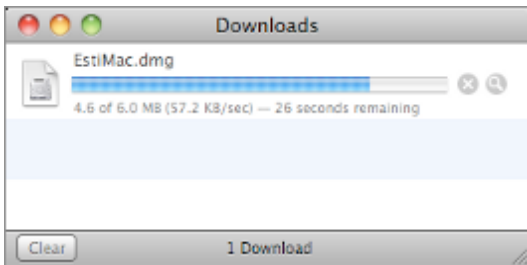
How To Install EstiMac

This guide describes how to download and install EstiMac from the www.estimac.com web site. Follow these instructions either to download EstiMac for evaluation before purchasing or to download an update over a previous installation.

Normal Downloading

Use your web browser (Safari, Firefox, Chrome, etc) to go to www.estimac.com and click on the round green download arrow at the top right corner of the page. Click the arrow just once. The download should start after a short delay.

In some browsers a window will appear...



When the download is finished you may need to double-click EstiMac-Install.dmg to open the download.

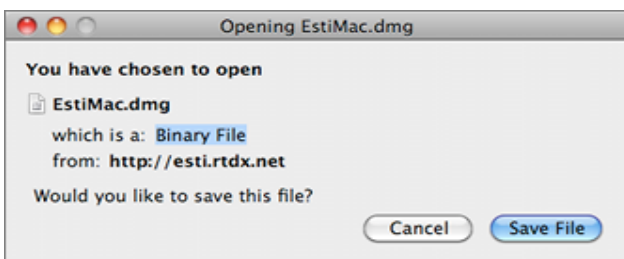
In other browsers the download may be shown in a progress indicator button at the top right or bottom of the browser window, rather than in a popup box.

The download should take less than a minute if you have a reasonable internet connection speed.

When it is finished you may need to click on the download indicator button and select EstiMac-Install.dmg to open it. If prompted, select keep, open or save.

Alternative Downloading

You may be prompted to select an application or action. If so, select 'Open with DiskImageMounter.app'. Alternatively you may be prompted with something like...



Some stages of the installation may be performed automatically on some combinations of browsers and computers.

EstiMac Updates

If you already have EstiMac installed and you're downloading an update, it's important to make sure EstiMac is not running before you start.

If you have an EstiMac project open, use the EstiMac / Quit menu to fully quit the application. Don't just close the project windows as this still leaves EstiMac running in the background.

If you can see the EstiMac icon in the dock at the bottom or side or your desktop, right-click or control-click it. If you see a Quit option, click it.

If you're updating, your previous projects, data and settings will be retained.

Standard User Accounts

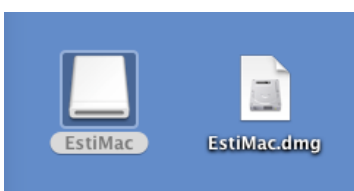
If you're using a standard (non-administrator) user account you'll be prompted at various stages to 'Authenticate' and / or enter an administrator user name and password.

If you don't know this information you'll need to ask an administrator to do the EstiMac installation.

In this case click 'Save File'.

When the 'Save As' dialog box opens, select 'Desktop' from the 'Places' or 'Favourites' group in the left side panel then click 'Save'.

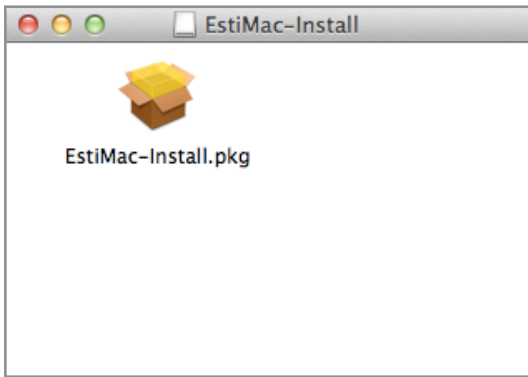
An 'EstiMac-Install.dmg' icon will appear on your desktop (you may need to move or minimise other windows to see it).



Double-click the 'EstiMac-Install.dmg' icon and an 'EstiMac-Install' mounted drive icon will appear.

An 'EstiMac-Install' window should also appear (see following section). If it doesn't, double-click the 'EstiMac-Install' drive icon.

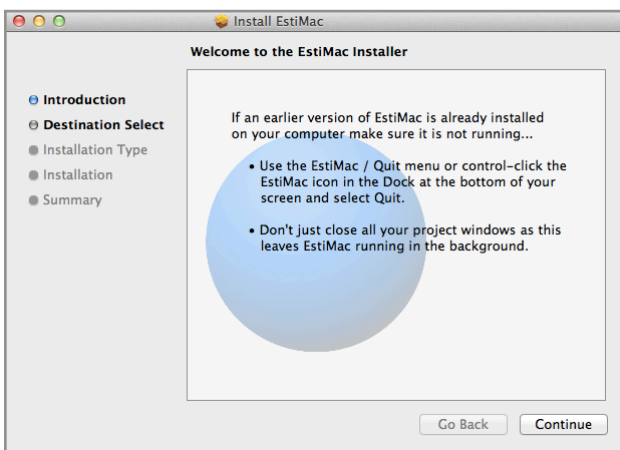
Installing The Application



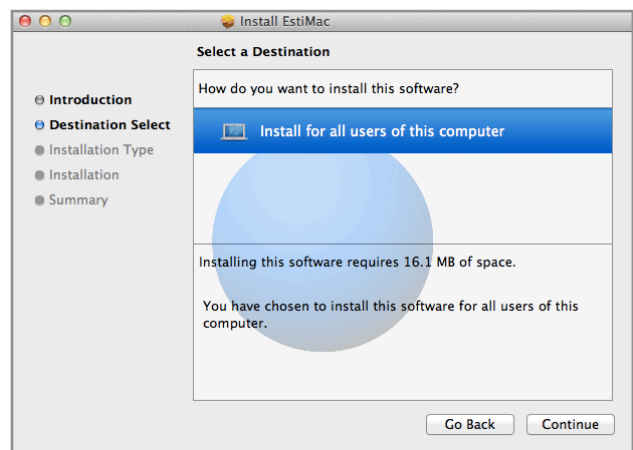
Once the download has finished and been opened, you should see an 'EstiMac-Install' window like this.

The window may open behind the browser, so you may have to move or minimise the browser before you can see it. Alternatively, click the Finder icon (smiley face) at the left side of the Dock at the bottom of your screen. This will make the window visible.

Double-click the EstiMac-Install.pkg icon and the installation sequence will begin...

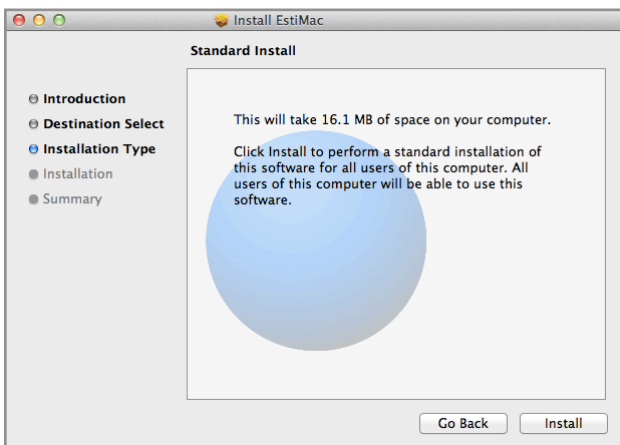


Step 1... click 'Continue'.



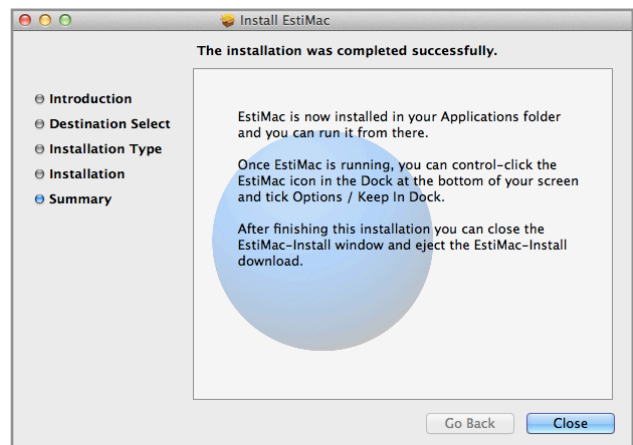
Step 2... click 'Continue' again.

You may not see this step. If you do, you may need to click 'Install for all users of this computer' before you can click 'Continue'



Step 3... click 'Install'.

If prompted, enter your name and password or an administrator's name and password.



Step 4... click 'Close'.

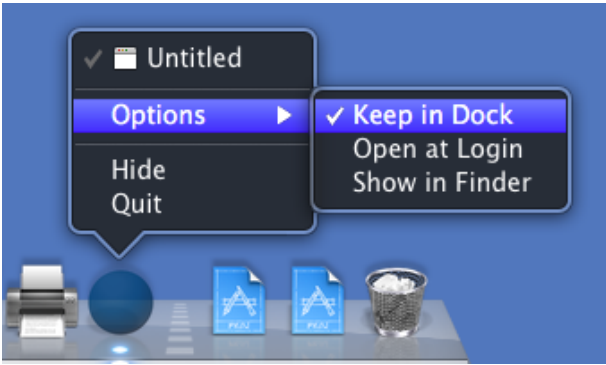
After the installation has finished a Finder window should open showing your Applications folder. Find the 'EstiMac' icon and double-click it to open the application. Until you open EstiMac for the first time the icon may appear as a grey 'warning' sign.

The first time you open EstiMac you may see a warning...

"EstiMac" is an application which was downloaded from the internet.

Click 'Open' to confirm. Don't worry, we're good guys!

Keeping EstiMac in The Dock



When EstiMac is open, its icon will be included in the Dock at the bottom of your desktop.

If you have just installed EstiMac for the first time you'll probably want to keep it in the Dock to make it easier to open next time. Right-click or control-click the EstiMac icon and select 'Options' then 'Keep in Dock'.

Tidying Up

Now you've finished the installation you can tidy up...

- Close the 'EstiMac-Install' window if it is still open.
- On your desktop, right-click or control-click any 'EstiMac-Install' mounted drive icons and select 'Eject'. If you have any 'EstiMac-Install.dmg' icons, right-click or control-click them and select 'Move to Trash'.
- In Mac Finder, eject any 'EstiMac-Install' mounted drives in the 'Devices' section of the left side panel.

Demo Mode

If you've installed EstiMac for the first time it will initially start in 'Demo Mode' and automatically open an example project. You'll be able to do everything except save changes.

If you're a new user we can offer a free one month trial so that you can fully evaluate the software and check it meets your requirements.

To start the free trial you'll need to tell us your 'Computer ID' which you can find by running EstiMac, clicking the EstiMac / Preferences menu and selecting System. Email the 'Computer ID' to contact@estimac.com and we'll send you a corresponding 'Access Code' which will unlock the software for the trial period.