

HOW-TO: LOCATING YOUR COMPUTER SPECS

Have you ever been asked (or wondered) any of these questions?

- What kind of OPERATING SYSTEM do I have?
- How much HARD DRIVE space do I have?
- *How much* RAM do I have?

OPERATING SYSTEM

This is a quick and easy visual guide to determine which Operating System your computer is running. The various Operating System icons shown below are referred to as the "Start Button" and located at the bottom left-hand corner of your screen (**see below*)



HARD DRIVE & RAM

To view the Hard Drive Capacity and amount of RAM installed on your computer, review the following instructions below.

Please note that each section contains steps specific to your Operating System



Windows 10[®] Operating System: HARD DRIVE CAPACITY

1. Click the Start Button located at the bottom left-hand corner of your screen, then select the Gear Icon (*see below)



This will open the Windows Settings section
 2a. Next, click the System option located in the top left-hand corner (*see below)

	Windows	s Settings	
Д	System Display, sound, notifications, power		



3. Click the **Storage** option from the list on the left-hand side of your screen (**see below*)



4. From this section, you can view your computer's Hard Drive Capacity in addition to the amount of space you are currently using (*see below)





Windows 10[®] Operating System: INSTALLED RAM

- 1. Remain on the Windows System section to view the amount of Installed RAM on your computer
- 2. Click the Back Arrow Button located at the top left-hand corner of your screen (*see below)



3. Next, click the About option from the list on the left-hand side of your screen (*see below)



4. Under the **Device Specifications** portion you can view the amount of **Installed RAM** including key System information if needed (**see below*)

Device specifications				
Device name				
Processor	Intel(R) Core(TM) i7-8700K CPU @ 3.70GHz 3.70 GHz			
Installed RAM	64.0 GB			
Device ID				
Product ID				
System type	64-bit operating system, x64-based processor			
Pen and touch	Pen support			
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Windows 8® Operating System: HARD DRIVE CAPACITY

1. Click the File Explorer icon located on your toolbar (*see below)



2. Right-click on your hard drive which should be named Local Disk (C:), then left-click on Properties (*see below)



3. From this window, you can view your computer's Hard Drive Capacity in addition to the amount of space you are currently using (*see below)

Local Disk (C:) Properties
General Tools Hardware Sharing Security Quarts
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Type: Local Disk File system: NTFS
Used space: 73,803,276,288 bytes 68.7 GB
Free space: 53,391,085,568 bytes 49.7 GB
Capacity: 127,194,361,856 bytes 118 GB
Drive C:
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Windows 8[®] Operating System: INSTALLED RAM

1. In the same **File Explorer** window opened in the previous step, right-click on **This PC**, then leftclick on **Properties** (*see below)



2. From this screen you can review the basic information about your computer including the Windows[®] Edition, Processor, Installed RAM, System Type, etc. (**see below*)

Windows edition Windows 8.1 Pro	
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System	
Processor:	Intel(R) Core(TM) i7-4600U CPU @ 2.10GHz 2.70 GHz
Installed memory (RAM):	8.00 GB
System type:	64-bit Operating System, x64-based processor
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Windows 7® Operating System: HARD DRIVE CAPACITY

1. Click the **File Explorer** folder generally located at the bottom left-hand corner of your screen near the Start Button (**see below*)



2. Under Computer, right-click on Local Disk (C:), then left-click on Properties (*see below)



3. From this window, you can view your computer's Hard Drive Capacity in addition to the amount of space you are currently using (*see below)

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Type: Local Disk File system: NTFS	
Used space: 22,096,154,624 bytes 20.5 GB Free space: 57,823,158,272 bytes 53.8 GB	
Capacity: 79,919,312,896 bytes 74.4 GB Drive C:	
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Windows 7[®] Operating System: INSTALLED RAM LOCATION

1. In the same File Explorer window opened in the previous step, right-click on Computer, then left-click on Properties (*see below)

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2. From this screen you can review the basic information about your computer including the Windows[®] Edition, Processor, Installed RAM, System Type, etc. (**see below*)

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	System Processor: Installed memory (RAM): System type:	Intel(R) Core(TM)2 Duo CPU T7500 @ 2. 200 GB 64-bit Operating System	20GHz 2.20 GHz		



Windows XP® Operating System: HARD DRIVE CAPACITY LOCATION

1. Open File Explorer and right-click on Local Disk (C:) under My Computer, then left-click on Properties (*see below)

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2. From this window, you can view your computer's Hard Drive Capacity in addition to the amount of space you are currently using (*see below)

Local Disk (C:) Properties	Ť×
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Type: Local Disk File system: NTFS	
Used space: 16,313,978,880 bytes 15.1 GB	
Free space: 103,709,274,112 bytes 96.5 GB	
Capacity: 120,023,252,992 bytes 111 GB	ne
Compress drive to save disk space Allow Indexing Service to index this disk for fast file search	ing
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Windows XP® Operating System: INSTALLED RAM LOCATION

1. Click the Start Button and right-click on My Computer, then left-click on Properties (*see below)



2. On the General tab in this window you can review basic information about your computer including the System Type, Processor, Installed RAM, etc. (**see below*)

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