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You may also access this EULA at: samsung.com/us/Legal/SamsungLegal-EULAGEAR
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⚠️ **Warning:** Situations that could cause injury to yourself or others.

❗️ **Caution:** Situations that could cause damage to your device or other equipment.

🔔 **Notice:** Notes, usage tips, or additional information.
Device layout

Front

- Touchscreen
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### Buttons

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Make sure the Gear’s microphone is not obstructed when you are speaking into it while charging.

Do not allow children or animals to chew or suck the device. Do not disassemble, modify, or repair your device. Magnetic stripe cards, including credit cards, phone cards, passbooks, and boarding passes, may be damaged by magnetic fields.
Wireless charger dock

Wireless charging surface

LED indicator

USB charger port

Make sure the Gear’s microphone is not obstructed when you are speaking into it while charging.
Battery

Charging the battery

Charge the battery before using it for the first time or when it sits unused for extended periods.

⚠️ Use only charging devices and batteries approved by Samsung. Samsung accessories are designed for your device to maximize battery life. Using other accessories may invalidate your warranty and may cause damage.

1. Connect the USB cable to the USB charger head. Then, connect the other end of the USB cable to the wireless charger dock.

⚠️ Prevent the USB charger port and the small end of the charger from coming into contact with conductive materials, such as liquids, dust, metal powders, and pencil leads.
2 Plug the USB charger head into an electric socket.

3 Place the Gear into the wireless charger dock.

4 After fully charging your Gear, disconnect it from the wireless charger dock. Unplug the charger from the wireless charger dock, and then unplug the charger from the electric socket.
Checking the charging status

When you connect the Gear and the wireless charger dock, the wireless charger dock’s LED indicator flashes certain colors to indicate the battery level.

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When a wireless charger dock error occurs, the LED indicator flashes red. Disconnect the Gear from the wireless charger dock and reconnect them. If the error occurs again, contact a Samsung Service Center for service support.

The LED indicator may work differently depending on the Gear.
Reducing the battery consumption

Your Gear provides various options that help you conserve battery power.

- When you are not using the Gear, switch to sleep mode by covering the screen with your palm.
- Activate power saving mode.
- Close unnecessary apps.
- Deactivate the Bluetooth® feature when not in use.
- Deactivate the Wi-Fi feature when not in use.
- Decrease the screen brightness.
- Deactivate the watch always on feature.
- Deactivate the voice wake-up feature in S Voice™.
- Customize the notification settings in the Samsung Gear app on the connected smartphone.
Battery charging tips and precautions

• If there are obstructions between the Gear and the wireless charger dock, the Gear may not charge properly.

• Prevent the Gear and the wireless charger from coming into contact with sweat, liquids, or dust.

• If the battery is completely discharged, the Gear cannot be turned on immediately after being connected to the charger. Allow a depleted battery to charge for a few minutes before turning on the Gear.

• If you use multiple apps at once, the battery will drain quickly. To avoid losing power during a data transfer, always use these apps after fully charging the battery.

• Using a power source other than the charger, such as a computer, may result in a slower charging speed due to a lower electric current.

• If the Gear is being charged with other devices using a multi-charger, charging may take longer.

• The Gear can be used while it is charging, but it may take longer to fully charge the battery.

• If the Gear receives an unstable power supply while charging, the touchscreen may not function. If this happens, immediately disconnect the Gear from the wireless charger dock and leave the device aside until another power connection can be found.

• While charging, the Gear may heat up. This is normal and should not affect the Gear’s lifespan or performance. If the battery feels hot to the touch during this charging process, remove the Gear from the charger and allow it to cool down before restarting the charging process, or call 1-800-SAMSUNG (726-7864) to receive technical support.

• If the Gear is not charging properly, take the Gear to a Samsung Service Center.

• Avoid using a bent or damaged USB cable.
Wearing the Gear

Putting on the Gear

1  Open the buckle and place the strap around your wrist.

2  Fit the strap to your wrist, insert the pin into an adjustment hole, and then secure the buckle to close it.
The information gathered from this device, S Health, or related software is not intended for use in the diagnosis of disease or other conditions, or in the cure, mitigation, treatment or prevention of disease.

The accuracy of the information and data provided by this device and its related software, including heart rate readings, may be affected by factors such as environmental conditions, skin condition, specific activity performed while using/wearing the device, settings of the device, user configuration/user-provided information, placement of the sensor on the body, and other end-user interactions. For more information on proper wear and use, see samsung.com/us/heartratesensor.

If you feel discomfort while using the device, stop using it and remove it from your wrist. If your device becomes hot to the touch, please remove it until it cools.

To measure your heart rate more accurately with the Gear, wear the Gear firmly around your lower arm just above the wrist. Refer to “Wearing the Gear” on page 11 for details.
Maintaining Water and Dust Resistance

Water-resistant and dustproof based on IP68 rating, which tests submersion up to 5.0 feet for up to 30 minutes.

This device is rated IP68 using the Ingress Protection rating system.

Your device has been tested in a controlled environment and shown to be water and dust resistant in certain circumstances (meets requirements of classification IP68 as described by the international standard IEC 60529 - Degrees of Protection provided by Enclosures [IP Code]; test conditions: 15-35°C, 86-106 kPa, 5.0 feet, for 30 minutes). Despite this classification, your device is not impervious to water damage in any situation. It is important that all compartments are closed tightly.

Follow these tips carefully to prevent damage to the device.

• Whenever your device gets wet, dry it thoroughly with a clean, soft cloth.

• Do not expose the device to salt water or ionized water, or to water over 5.0 feet deep for more than 30 minutes. If your device is exposed to fresh water, dry it thoroughly with a clean, soft cloth. If the device is exposed to any liquid other than fresh water, rinse the device with fresh water immediately and dry it thoroughly with a clean, soft cloth. Failure to rinse the device in fresh water and dry it as instructed may cause the device to suffer from operability or cosmetic issues.

• Do not expose the device to water at high pressure.

• If the device is dropped or receives an impact, the water and dust resistant features of the device may be damaged.

• The touchscreen and other features may not work properly if the device is used in water or in other liquids.
Strap tips and precautions

• Be cautious when wearing the Gear. If you have sensitive skin or fasten the Gear too tightly, you may feel some discomfort.

• Some people may experience discomfort when wearing the Gear for prolonged periods.

• Do not expose the straps to very wet conditions. Wet straps can cause skin irritations. Dry the straps first. If you experience skin irritation when wearing the device, stop wearing the device and consult a physician.

• The Gear and the strap have passed the hazardous materials test and meet international safety standards.
Replacing the strap

Detach the strap from the Gear to replace it with a new one.

1. Slide the strap’s spring bar inwards.
2 Insert one end of the spring bar into the lug, slide the spring bar inwards, and connect the strap.
Turning the Gear on and off

1. Press and hold the **Power** button for a few seconds to turn on the Gear.
   - When you turn on the Gear for the first time or reset it, a pop-up window displays. Follow the prompts to download and install the Samsung Gear app on your smartphone.

2. To turn off the Gear, press and hold the **Power** button, and then tap **Power off**.
Connecting the Gear to a Smartphone

You should connect your Gear to your smartphone once before using the Gear. To connect your Gear to a smartphone, install the Samsung Gear app on the smartphone. Launch Galaxy Apps or visit apps.samsung.com/gear from your smartphone to download it. For non-Samsung devices, download the Samsung Gear app from the Google Play store.

Compatible with Android 4.4 and later with 1.5GB RAM. Some features may not be available. For best compatibility, connect with compatible Samsung Galaxy devices.

1. Turn on the Gear.

2. On the smartphone Apps screen, tap Samsung Gear.
   - If necessary, update the Samsung Gear app to the latest version.

3. Tap Connect to gear.

4. When the Bluetooth pairing request window displays, confirm the passkeys displayed on your Gear and smartphone match, and then tap OK.

5. Follow the prompts to complete the connection.
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When the devices are connected, a tutorial displays on the Gear’s screen. Follow the prompts to learn the Gear’s basic controls.

- Connection methods and screenshots may vary depending on your device and software version.
- You cannot install the Samsung Gear app on smartphones that do not support Gear syncing. Ensure that your smartphone is compatible with a Gear.
- Supported smartphones and features may vary depending on your region, service provider, and device manufacturer. Visit samsung.com and search for your Gear device’s support page to view a list of compatible smartphones.
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**Connecting the Gear to a new smartphone**

When you connect the Gear to another smartphone, the Gear automatically resets and all data is removed from its memory. Make sure you back up any important data stored on your Gear.

1. Back up your Gear’s data on your smartphone.
   - On your smartphone, open the Apps screen and tap *Samsung Gear > Settings > Back up and restore > Back up data*.

2. End the connection between your Gear and smartphone. Refer to “Disconnecting the Gear” on page 125 for more information.

3. Connect your Gear to another smartphone.

   A new Gear device cannot connect to a target smartphone that is already paired with another Gear.
Activating the device

Once you have connected your Gear to your smartphone, you will need to activate calling on your Gear.

▶ After pairing, your Gear will attempt to make a call, follow the prompts to activate your Gear.

⚠️ If you experience any difficulty activating your device, contact your Service provider.
Remote connection

You can remotely connect the Gear to your smartphone when a Bluetooth connection is not available. With this connection, you can still receive notifications from your smartphone. This feature is automatically activated when you connect to your smartphone using Bluetooth for the first time.

- If this feature is not turned on, on your smartphone, open the Apps screen, tap Samsung Gear > Settings > Gear Connection, and then tap the Remote connection switch.

Turning the screen on and off

- To turn on the screen, rotate the bezel, or press the Home button or the Back button.
- To turn off the screen, cover it with your palm. Also, the screen will turn off if the Gear is not used for a specified period.
- You can also turn on the screen using a gesture.
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Using the bezel

Rotate the bezel to easily control the Gear’s various functions.

Scrolling through screens

Rotate the bezel to view other screens. On the Watch screen, rotate the bezel left to view notifications.
Selecting an item

Rotate the bezel to highlight the item you want to select and then tap the item. When you rotate the bezel, the highlight indicator moves in the same direction.
**Adjusting the input value**

Rotate the bezel to adjust the volume or brightness.

- On the status panel, tap **Brightness** and adjust the brightness by rotating the bezel.
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**Touchscreen**

The Gear may not recognize touch inputs close to the edges of the screen, which are outside of the touch input area.

**Tapping**

Tap with your finger to open an app, select a menu item, press a displayed button, or enter a character using the keyboard.

Touch-screens respond best to a light touch from the pad of your finger or a capacitive stylus. Using excessive force or a metallic object when pressing on the touch-screen may damage the tempered glass surface and void the warranty. For more information, please refer to the “Samsung Limited Warranty” on page v.
Press and hold

Press and hold the screen for two or more seconds to access the Edit mode or to view available options.
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Dragging

To move an item, press and hold it and drag it to the target position.
Swiping

Swipe to the left or right to view other panels.
Navigating the screen

Switching between the Watch and Apps screen

1. On the Watch screen, press the **Home** button to open the Apps screen.

2. When you are not on the Watch screen, press the **Home** button to return to the Watch screen.
Returning to the previous screen

Press the Back button. You can also swipe down from the top edge of the screen.
Home screen

Introduction

The Home screen can have multiple panels. The Watch screen is the starting point for the Home screen. Rotate the bezel to view items on the screen, such as notifications and widgets.

Notifications

Widgets

Add widgets

Available widgets, notifications, and their arrangement may vary depending on the software version.
Notifications panel

Stay up to date with events, notifications, and messages from your smartphone.

When you receive a notification, it displays at the top of the screen and disappears after a few seconds and the Gear vibrates.

Viewing incoming notifications

- Tap the notification screen. You can view the notification’s detail.
Viewing other notifications

1. Tap the number at the bottom of the panel.
   - You can view other notifications received from the same app.

2. Rotate the bezel left to view notifications received from other apps.

Deleting notifications

Delete a notification by swiping upward from the bottom edge of the screen while viewing a notification.
Blocking notifications

1. Select a notification from the app you want to block.

2. Tap the notification to view the details.

3. Tap More options, rotate the bezel to Block app and tap Block app.
   - The Gear no longer receives notifications from the app.

You can block notifications from specific apps on the Gear. When you have not received any notifications on your Gear, block notifications using your smartphone. On your smartphone, open the Apps screen, tap Samsung Gear > Notifications > Manage notifications.
Watch screen

View the current time. You can also check the battery life, the date, your step count, and more. Options vary dependent on which screen is visible.

Press the Home button to open the Watch screen when you are not on the Watch screen.
Changing the watch face

- Press and hold the Watch screen, then rotate the bezel to select a watch face.
  - You can also customize the watch by tapping Stylize.

You can also change the Gear’s watch face on your smartphone.

- On the smartphone, open the Apps screen, tap Samsung Gear > Watch faces.
Widgets

You can add widgets to the Home screen. Widgets are small apps that offer limited functionality to provide information and convenient access. You can use the following widgets by default.

- Shortcuts
- Weather
- Schedule
- Step tracker
- Heart rate tracker
- News Briefing
- World clock
- 24-hour activity tracker
- Music player
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Adding widget
You can add more widgets on the Home screen.

▶ Tap + Add and select a widget. The selected widget displays in a new panel.

Removing widgets
▶ Press and hold a widget and then tap − Delete.
Status panel

This panel allows you to view the current status and configure basic settings.

- On the Watch screen, swipe downward from the top edge of the screen.
# Indicator icons

Indicator icons display at the top of the screen. The icons listed in this table are most common.

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<td><img src="image" alt="Signal strength icon" /></td>
<td><strong>Signal strength</strong>: Cellular network signal strength.</td>
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<td><img src="image" alt="Airplane mode icon" /></td>
<td><strong>Airplane mode</strong>: Airplane mode is enabled.</td>
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<td><img src="image" alt="Bluetooth connected icon" /></td>
<td><strong>Bluetooth connected</strong>: Bluetooth is connected.</td>
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<td><img src="img" alt="Wi-Fi" /></td>
<td><strong>Wi-Fi connected</strong>: Wi-Fi is connected.</td>
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<tr>
<td><img src="img" alt="Battery" /></td>
<td><strong>Battery full</strong>: Battery is fully charged.</td>
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### Playing music

You can play music saved on the Gear or smartphone.

- On the status panel, tap 🎵 **Music Player**.

### Call forwarding

You can forward your calls to your Gear.

- On the status panel, tap ☎️ **Call forwarding**, and tap the check by **I agree**.
Airplane mode

Airplane mode disconnects your device from all networks and turns off connectivity features, such as phone calls and Wi-Fi.

- On the status panel, tap **Airplane mode**.
  - The **Airplane mode** icon displays at the top of the Watch screen.

Do not disturb mode

You can set the Gear not to vibrate and turn off the screen when a notification is received, except for alarms.

- On the status panel, tap **Do not disturb**.
  - The **Do not disturb** icon displays at the top of the Watch screen.

Adjusting the brightness

You can adjust the Gear’s display brightness to suit the environment.

- On the status panel, tap **Brightness** and adjust the brightness by rotating the bezel.
Apps screen

The Apps screen displays icons for all apps.

1. On the Watch screen, press the Home button to go to the Apps screen.

2. To view other panels, rotate the bezel. You can also tap Apps screen or swipe the screen to the left or right.
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Opening apps

On the Apps screen, tap an app icon to open the app.

- To open an app from the list of recently used apps, tap **Recent apps** on the Apps screen and select the recent app window.

Closing apps

1. On the Apps screen, tap **Recent apps**.

2. Rotate the bezel to highlight the app you want to close, and tap the X.

3. Tap **Close all** to close all running apps.
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Moving items

On the Apps screen, press and hold the screen, press and hold an app and then drag it to the desired location.

- You can also arrange the Gear’s apps on your smartphone. Refer to “Reordering apps” on page 128 in the Samsung Gear app for more information.

Installing apps

You can purchase and download apps specially designed for the Gear. To use this feature, your Gear and smartphone must be connected.

On the Apps screen, tap + Get more apps.

- The Samsung Gear Apps store automatically launches on your smartphone. From the store, you can browse and download apps.

Uninstalling apps

You can only uninstall the downloaded Gear apps on your smartphone. Refer to “Uninstalling apps” on page 128 in the Samsung Gear app for more information.
Setting the screen lock

Setting a screen lock code
Prevent others from accessing your Gear when you are not wearing it.
If you set the screen lock feature, the Gear requires an unlock code whenever unlocking it.

PIN
On the Apps screen, tap Settings > Screen lock > Screen lock > PIN.
- A PIN consists of numbers only. Enter four numbers, and then enter the PIN again to verify it.

Unlocking the Gear
When you are not wearing the Gear, turn on the screen and enter the unlock code.
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Entering text

Introduction

A text input screen displays automatically when you are able to enter text. Select an emoticon or text template to enter a message. You can also use voice input or the keyboard to type texts.

The screen layout may be different depending on the app you launch.
Using the voice input

1  Tap **Microphone** and speak the message you want to enter. Tap ✉ when you are finished.

2  Tap **More options > Language** to change the language.
• This feature is not supported in some languages.

• When the Gear is connected to a smartphone using Bluetooth, the language settings applied on the smartphone are applied to the Gear.

• **Tips for better voice recognition**
  - Speak clearly.
  - Speak in quiet places.
  - Do not use offensive or slang words.
  - Avoid speaking in dialectal accents.
  - The Gear may not recognize your commands or may perform unwanted commands depending on your surroundings or how you speak.
Using the keyboard

A key has three or four characters. To enter a character:

- Tap the corresponding key repeatedly until the desired character displays.
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Changing the input mode

 Rotate the bezel to change the input mode.
  - You can switch between character mode, number mode, and punctuation mode.

Adding input languages

1. Switch to number mode or punctuation mode.

2. Then, tap 📘 Settings > Select input languages and select a language to add.
  - You can use up to two languages.
  - You can also add more languages from the Settings screen. Refer to “Using the keyboard” on page 51 for more information.

Changing the input language

 Slide the space key left or right.
Screen capture

Capture a screenshot while using the Gear.

▶ Press and hold the Home button and swipe your finger to the right across the screen.
  • You can view captured images in Gallery.

⚠️ It is not possible to capture a screenshot while using some apps and features.
Updating the Gear

The Gear can be updated to the latest software.

Updating over the air

The Gear can be directly updated to the latest software by the firmware over-the-air (FOTA) service.

1  Tap Samsung gear on the Apps screen of the smartphone.

2  Tap Settings.

3  Tap About gear > Update gear software > Update now to install the latest software on your smartphone.

4  Read the displayed information and tap OK.
   •  The Gear copies the updated software from your smartphone and restarts.

To automatically check for available updates, tap the Auto check for updates switch to activate it.
Applications

Messages

Introduction
View messages and reply to or call the sender using the Gear.

Viewing messages

1 Tap Messages on the Apps screen.

2 Scroll through the message list, and then select a contact to view your conversations.
   • To view a message on your smartphone, tap More options > Show on phone.
   • To reply to a message, tap ✔️ Reply and enter your message.
Sending messages

1  Tap **Messages** on the Apps screen.

2  Tap **More options** > **New message**.

3  Add recipients and tap **Next**.

4  Enter text using one of available methods.
   - Messages are automatically sent to the recipients.
   - If you type texts using voice input or the keyboard, tap ✉️ **Send** to send the message.
Applications

Phone

Introduction

Depending on your Call settings, you can use your Gear S2 to initiate outgoing calls, answer calls, and to complete conversations.

Receiving calls

Answering a call

- Drag ✅ Answer to the right to answer a call.

The call feature will automatically launch on your smartphone if you are connected to a smartphone. Use your smartphone to have a conversation. If you are in standalone mode, you can answer the call on your Gear S2.

- If the voice control feature is activated, say “Answer” to answer the call.
Applications

Rejecting a call
Reject an incoming call and send a rejection message to the caller.

- Drag Reject to the left to reject a call. To send a message when rejecting an incoming call, swipe upward from the bottom edge of the screen.
  - If the voice control feature is activated, say “Reject” to reject the call.

Missed calls
If a call is missed, a notification displays on the screen.

- On the Watch screen, rotate the bezel left to view missed call notifications, or tap Phone on the Apps screen to view missed calls.
Making calls

- Tap **Phone** on the Apps screen.

Use one of the following methods:

- Tap **Keypad**, enter a number using the keypad, and then tap **Phone**.
- Tap **Contacts**, select a contact, and then tap **Dial** or select a phone number.
- Scroll through the log list, select a log entry, and then tap **Dial**.
S Health

Introduction

S Health™ helps you manage your wellness and fitness. Set fitness goals and regularly record and check your progress.

When the Gear is synced with a compatible S Health app, you can use additional features. The additional features include checking your heart rate logs individually, and more.

The accuracy of the heart rate sensor may be diminished depending on skin condition, or measurement conditions and surroundings. Take heart rate measurements when you are seated and relaxed.

- Tap S Health on the Apps screen. Tap Start when running this app for the first time or after performing a data reset.
## Wearing the Gear correctly

When measuring your heart rate, wear the Gear snugly on your arm above your wrist as shown in the following figure. Do not fasten the Gear too tightly.

This device, S Health, and related software is not intended for use in the diagnosis of disease or other conditions, or in the cure, mitigation, treatment or prevention of disease.

Do not look directly at the heart rate sensor’s lights. Doing so may impair your vision.
24-hour activity tracker

Your Gear can monitor and record your activities during the day and encourage you to stay healthy.

1. Tap **S Health** on the Apps screen.

- **Healthy activity**: Indicates whether you are walking or running. If you have made more than 100 steps per minute for at least 10 consecutive minutes, the Gear encourages you to keep going.
- **Light activity**: Indicates the time you spend doing light activity, but not doing hard exercise.
- **Inactive time**: Indicates the time you spend not walking or moving at all. If you sat idle for 50 minutes or more, the Gear prompts you to move more.
2  Tap the screen and rotate the bezel to view the details of your activity log.
Applications

Steps tracker

The Gear counts the number of steps you have taken and measures the distance traveled.

1. Tap **S Health** on the Apps screen.

2. Rotate the bezel right and open the steps tracker panel.

3. Tap the screen to view a graph of your step count records. Rotate the bezel to view records by day.
Applications

Exercise tracker

Record your exercise information and calories burned using S Health’s exercise feature.

When your Gear and smartphone are connected, this feature uses your smartphone’s location information.

Measured distance may differ from the actual distance due to uneven strides, walking in place, and pacing around.
Exercising with the Gear

1. Tap S Health on the Apps screen.

2. Rotate the bezel right and open the exercise tracker screen.

3. Tap Options and select the type of exercise you want to monitor.

4. Tap OK to allow this app to use your current location while exercising.
   - Your location information sharing preference is saved as the default.

5. Rotate the bezel right to select a target type.

6. Tap the target value.

7. Rotate the bezel to set the target and tap Set.

8. Tap Start to start monitoring your exercise. Your heart rate measurement begins.
Applications

9 Start exercising when the measurement is completed.
   • When you rotate the bezel you can view exercise information, such as calories burned and current speed.
   • Rotate the bezel left to listen to music using a Bluetooth headset.

10 Tap the screen and tap Pause > Stop. Rotate the bezel to view your exercise information.
Heart rate tracker

Measure and record your heart rate.

To measure your heart rate more accurately with the Gear, wear the Gear firmly around your lower arm just above the wrist.

This device, S Health, and related software is not intended for use in the diagnosis of disease or other conditions, or in the cure, mitigation, treatment or prevention of disease.
Applications

**Measuring your heart rate**

1. Tap **S Health** on the Apps screen.

2. Rotate the bezel right and open the heart rate tracker screen.

3. Tap the screen to begin measuring your heart rate.
   - After a moment, your current heart rate displays on the screen.

4. Tap **Tag** to select a status tag for your measured heart rate.
   - The Gear displays information about your heart rate in relation to your selected tag.
5 Tap the screen to view a graph of your records. Rotate the bezel to view records by day.
Applications

Tracking your heart rate

The Gear can automatically measure and track your heart rate. Your Gear measures your heart rate at regular intervals.

This feature may not function properly while you are moving.

To activate or deactivate this feature, tap S Health on the Apps screen, and then rotate the bezel right and open the settings screen, tap Options > Auto HR and select a frequency level.
Applications

**Water tracker**

Record and track how many glasses of water you drink.

1. Tap **S Health** on the Apps screen.

2. Rotate the bezel right and open the water tracker screen.

3. Tap **Add** when you drink a glass of water.
   - If you accidentally added an incorrect value, you can fix it in the S Health app on your smartphone.

4. Tap the screen to view a graph of your records. Rotate the bezel to view records by day.
Caffeine tracker

Record and track how many cups of coffee you drink.

1. Tap **S Health** on the Apps screen.

2. Rotate the bezel right and open the caffeine tracker screen.
3 Tap **Add** when you drink a cup of coffee.

- If you accidentally added an incorrect value, you can fix it in the S Health app on your smartphone.

4 Tap the screen to view a graph of your records. Rotate the bezel to view records by day.

**Additional information**

Only your most recent activity records are stored. You can view previous data on the smartphone where the S Health app is installed.
Nike+ Running

Nike+ Running records your exercising by tracking your distance, pace, and time. Check your monthly records and compare them with your friends.

Starting Running

You must download and install Nike+ Running on the smartphone to use this app on the Gear.

1. On the Gear Apps screen, tap Running.
   - The smartphone displays a screen that prompts you to download and install Nike+ Running.

2. On the smartphone follow the prompts to install Nike+ Running.

3. Launch Nike+ Running, tap Get started > Running, enter your email address and password, and then tap Log in > Done.
Starting to exercise

1 On the Apps screen, tap **Running**.

2 Tap 🏃 Run.

3 Set your music, heart rate measurement, and encouragement preferences for your activity.

4 When you are finished, the Gear displays the Running main screen and starts to record your exercise.
   - Rotate the bezel left to view music playback controls while exercising.
   - Rotate the bezel right to view your current location on a map.

5 When you are finished exercising, tap the screen and tap ⏹️ Pause > 🕒 Stop > ✅ OK.
   - Rotate the bezel left on the Running main screen to view your exercise records for this month.
   - Rotate the bezel right on the Running main screen to compare your exercise records with friends. You can add your friends to compete with them.
Schedule

View the events scheduled on the smartphone.

1  Tap Schedule on the Apps screen.

2  Tap anywhere on the monthly calendar.
   •  The current day's events list displays.

3  Rotate the bezel right to view upcoming events.
Applications

S Voice

Introduction
Perform various tasks simply by speaking.

Make sure the Gear’s microphone is not obstructed when you are speaking into it.

Setting a wake-up command
You can launch S Voice using your own wake-up command. You can only use this feature when your Gear’s screen is turned on.

▶ When launching S Voice for the first time, tap ✓ OK > Start and set your own wake-up command.

  • To change the wake-up command, tap More options, rotate the bezel to Change wake-up command > ✓ OK, and then tap Start and follow the prompts.
Using S Voice

1  Say the preset wake-up command or tap **S Voice** on the Apps screen.
   - When **S Voice** launches, the Gear begins voice recognition.

2  Say a voice command.
   - If the Gear recognizes the command, the Gear performs the corresponding action.
   - Tap **Microphone** to repeat a voice command or say a different command.
Tips for better voice recognition
• Speak clearly.
• Speak in quiet places.
• Do not use offensive or slang words.
• Avoid speaking in dialectal accents.

The Gear may not recognize your commands or may perform unwanted commands depending on your surroundings or how you speak.

Setting the language

- On the Apps screen, tap \textit{S Voice > More options > Language}, and then select a language.

The selected language is applied to \textit{S Voice} only, not to the language displayed on the Gear.
Weather

View weather information on the Gear for locations set on the smartphone when the devices are connected.

1  Tap **Weather** on the Apps screen.

2  Tap the screen and rotate the bezel to view the current day’s weather information.

3  Rotate the bezel right to add other cities’ weather information.

When your Gear and smartphone are connected, this feature uses your smartphone’s location information.
Applications

Alarm

Setting alarms

1. Tap **Alarm** on the Apps screen.

2. Tap **Add alarm**.
   - If you have a saved alarm, tap **Add** on the alarm list.

3. Set the alarm time by tapping an option and rotating the bezel, and then tap **Next**.

4. Select the days for the alarm to repeat and tap **Save**.
   - The saved alarm is added to the alarms list.
   - From the alarms list, tap **Off** to activate the alarm or tap **On** to deactivate the alarm.
Applications

Stopping alarms

- Drag \( \times \) Stop to the right to stop an alarm. If you want to use the snooze function, drag \( \ddot{z} \) Snooze to the left to repeat the alarm after 5 minutes.

Deleting alarms

- In the alarms list, press and hold an alarm, and then tap Delete.

Timer

1. Tap Timer on the Apps screen.

2. Tap an increment of time, and rotate the bezel to set the duration, and then tap Start.

3. Drag \( \times \) Stop to the right when the timer goes off.
Applications

Stopwatch

1 Tap **Stopwatch** on the Apps screen.

2 Tap **Start** to time an event.
   - Tap **Lap** to record lap times while timing an event.

3 Tap **Stop** to stop timing.
   - Tap **Resume** to restart the timing.
   - Tap **Reset** to clear lap times.
   - Swipe upwards from the bottom edge of the screen to view the stopwatch log.
Add cities

1. Tap World clock on the Apps screen.

2. Tap Add city to add a city to your World clock.

3. Tap a location on the map, or All cities to search for the city you want to add.

4. Tap the city to add it to your World clock.
   - To add more cities, tap Add.
Remove Cities

1. Tap World clock on the Apps screen.

2. Tap More options by the city you want to remove.

3. Tap Delete, and select the city again.

4. Tap Delete to confirm.

Bloomberg

View the latest articles, article summaries, and stock indexes from Bloomberg.

1. Tap Bloomberg on the Apps screen.

2. Select a category and view the article summaries or stock indexes. Tap More options > Show on phone to read the full article or view details for the index on your smartphone.
Applications

CNN

Read the latest articles from CNN on your Gear.

1. Tap **CNN** on the Apps screen.

2. Rotate the bezel to select a category.

3. Scroll up or down in the article list and tap an article to read it.
   - Tap **Download** to read the full article.

ESPN

View up to date scores for your favorites sports teams. You must have the ESPN companion for Gear app installed on your smartphone to use this app.

- Tap **ESPN** on the Apps screen, and your favorite teams highlights will display.
Applications

**News Briefing**

Create and access your personalized magazines.

▶ Tap **News briefing** on the Apps screen, and turn the bezel to search through trending articles.

**Music Player**

**Introduction**

Listen to music saved on the Gear and on the smartphone.
Applications

Playing music

- Tap **Music player** on the Apps screen.

- **Tap** and hold to rewind
- **Skip to the previous file**
- **Pause and resume playback**
- **Adjust the volume**
- **Skip to the next file**
- **Tap and hold to fast-forward**
- **Open the playlist**
- **Access additional options**

*Over the horizon*
Playing music on your smartphone

When you select a smartphone to play music from, you can control playback of the music with your Gear. The music plays on your smartphone.

1. Tap **Music player**.

2. Tap **More options**, rotate the bezel to **Play music from**, and then tap **Play music from**.
   - The music plays on your smartphone and the Gear displays the music controller screen.

Importing music

Import music saved in your device to your Gear.

1. On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap **Samsung gear**.

2. Tap **Send content to gear**.

3. Tap **Select tracks**.

4. Select files and tap **Done**.
To sync music in your smartphone with your Gear:

1. Open the Apps screen of the smartphone and tap **Samsung gear > Send content to gear**.

2. Tap the **Auto sync** switch under **Music**, tap **Playlists to sync**, and then select playlists to export to the Gear.
   - The selected playlists synchronizes while the Gear is charging.

### Samsung Milk Music

Samsung Milk Music is a streaming radio service that offers a simple way to find the music that is right for you. With a library of over 13 million songs and 200+ stations, the interactive dial makes it easy to skim through stations, to find the perfect soundtrack for the moment.

- Tap **Samsung Milk Music** on the Apps screen to start listening to music.
Applications

Gallery

Introduction
View and manage images stored on the Gear.

Viewing images
1  Tap Gallery on the Apps screen.

2  Rotate the bezel to scroll through the image list and select an image.

Zooming in or out
• While viewing an image, double-tap the image to zoom in or out.
Applications

Deleting images

1. Tap **Gallery** on the Apps screen.

2. Tap an image.

3. Press and hold an image to delete.

4. Tap **Delete**, and then tap the **checkmark** to confirm.

5. Rotate the bezel and select any images you want to delete.

6. Tap **More options**, rotate the bezel to **Delete**, and then tap **Delete**.
Applications

Importing and exporting images

Exporting images to your smartphone

1. Tap Gallery on the Apps screen.

2. Tap an image.

3. Press and hold the image to export.

4. Rotate the bezel and select any images to export.

5. Tap More options, rotate the bezel to Send to phone, and then tap Send to phone.
Importing images from your smartphone

1. On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear.

2. Tap Send content to gear.

3. Tap Select photos.

4. Select files and tap Done.

To sync images in your smartphone with your Gear:

1. Open the Apps screen of the smartphone and tap Samsung gear > Send content to gear.

2. Tap the Auto sync switch under Photo, tap Albums to sync, and then select albums to import to the Gear.
   - The selected albums are synchronized while the Gear is charging.
Manage buddies on your Gear. You can select buddies from contacts saved in your smartphone. If you select a contact as a buddy, you can quickly initiate calls or send messages from the Gear.

1. Tap **Buddy** on the Apps screen.

2. Select a buddy and initiate a call or send a message.

**Adding buddies**

- Rotate the bezel to **Add to list** and tap **Add to list**. Then, on your smartphone, select contacts you want to add.
Email

View emails received on the smartphone and reply to them.

Reading emails

1. On the Apps screen, tap Email.

2. Select an email to open the email screen.
   - To view an email on the smartphone, tap More options > Show on phone.
   - To reply to a message, tap Reply and enter your message.

You may not be able to reply to emails depending on the smartphone that you connect to the Gear.
Find My Phone

If you misplace the smartphone, the Gear can help you find it.

1. Tap **Find my phone** on the Apps screen.

2. Tap **Start**.
   - The smartphone emits sounds and turns on the screen.

3. Drag **Stop** outside the large circle on the smartphone, or tap **Stop** on the Gear.
Maps

Find your location on the map, search for locations, and view location information for various places.

► On the Apps screen, tap Maps.

• Tap 📍 **My location** to view your current location.

• Tap the screen and then tap 🔍 **Search** to search for a location.

• Tap 🗺 **Route** to search for a route. If you want to view the detailed route, download the suggested app on your smartphone.
Voice Memo

Introduction
Use this app to record or play voice memos.

Recording voice memos

1. Tap Voice memo on the Apps screen.

2. Tap Record to start recording. Speak into the microphone.

3. Tap Pause to pause recording.
Applications

4 Tap **Stop** to finish recording.

- The voice memo is saved on the Gear and the smartphone simultaneously.
- To save the voice memo only on the Gear, on the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap **Samsung gear > Settings > Individual app settings > Voice memo > Auto transfer interval**, and then set the interval.
**Applications**

**Saving as a text memo**

While voice recording, the Gear recognizes the voice memo and changes into text and then saves it.

- To change the recognition language, tap **More options**, rotate the bezel to **Language**, and then tap **Language**.

- To deactivate the feature, tap **More options**, rotate the bezel to **Speech-to-text**, and then tap **Speech-to-text**.
Settings

Introduction

Customize settings for functions and apps. You can make your Gear more personalized by configuring various setting options.

- Tap Settings on the Apps screen.
Display

Change the display settings.

- On the Settings screen, tap **Display**.
  - **Watch faces**: Select a watch type.
  - **Watch always on**: Set the Gear to display a watch when the screen is turned off.
  - **Notification indicator**: Set the Gear to display notifications when the screen is turned off.
  - **Brightness**: Adjust the brightness for the display.
  - **Screen timeout**: Choose an interval of time before the screen turns off.
  - **Font**: Change the font type and size.
Sound

Change the sound settings.

Sound mode

Set the sound mode for the device.

On the Settings screen, tap **Sound > Sound mode**.

- **Sound**: Turn the sound feature on or off.
- **Vibrate**: Use vibration for notifications.
- **Mute**: Mute all sounds.

Volume

Adjust the volume level of your device.

On the Settings screen, tap **Sound > Volume**, and tap + or -, or move the swivel to adjust the volume.
**Vibration**

Configure the settings for vibrations.

- On the Settings screen, tap **Sound > Vibration**.
  - **Intensity**: Adjust the intensity of the vibration notification.
  - **Long buzz**: Increase the duration of the vibration.
  - **Call**: Vibrate for incoming calls.
  - **Notifications**: Vibrate for new notifications.

**Ringtones**

Select a ringtone for your device.

- On the Settings screen, tap **Sound > Ringtones**, and tap to select a ringtone.

**Touch sounds**

Make sound while touching options on the screen.

- On the Settings screen, tap **Sound > Touch sounds** to enable.
Device

Change the Gear’s keys and motion settings.

On the Settings screen, tap Device.

- **Double press home key**: Select an action to perform.
- **Wake-up gesture**: Set the Gear to turn on the screen when you raise your wrist.
- **Auto open apps**: Focusing on an icon in the Apps screen will open the app automatically.
- **Date and time**: Set the date and time.
Settings

Call

Change the call feature settings.

- On the Settings screen, tap **Call**.

  - **Call forwarding**: Set your calls to automatically forward directly to your gear.
  - **Outgoing number**: Display your gear’s outgoing number.
  - **Voice answer**: Set the Gear to answer or reject calls using voice commands.
  - **Voice privacy**: Prevent the volume from exceeding a certain level to maintain privacy on the call.
  - **Voicemail**: Access and customize your voicemail.
  - **Call block list**: View and edit your call block list.
Change the message feature settings.

- On the Settings screen, tap Messages.
  - **Emergency alerts**: Tap Alert types to customize which alerts you want to receive. Tap Alert reminder to set the frequency.
  - **Spam filters**: Set your spam numbers and messages.
Connections

Bluetooth

Use Bluetooth to exchange data or media files with other Bluetooth-enabled devices.

On the Settings screen, tap Connections > Bluetooth.

- **Bluetooth**: Turn the Bluetooth feature on or off.
- **BT headset**: Search for Bluetooth headsets and connect them to the Gear.

The headset can be only used when playing music on the Gear.
Mobile networks
Control your device's access to networks and mobile data service.

► On the Settings screen, tap Connections > Mobile networks.
  • Gear network: Customize when to use the Mobile networks feature.
  • Mobile data: Enable mobile data.
  • Data roaming: Enable data roaming.
  • Roaming network: Customize network options for roaming.

Wi-Fi
Activate the Wi-Fi feature to connect to a Wi-Fi network.

► On the Settings screen, tap Connections > Wi-Fi, and then tap the Wi-Fi switch to activate it.
Connecting to a Wi-Fi network
This feature is available when the Gear is not connected to the smartphone through Bluetooth.

1. On the Settings screen, tap Connections > Wi-Fi, and then tap the Wi-Fi switch to activate it.

2. Tap Wi-Fi networks > Scan.

3. Select a network from the Wi-Fi networks list.
   • Networks that require a password display a lock icon.

4. Tap Connect.

Once the Gear connects to a Wi-Fi network, the Gear reconnects to that network each time it is available without requiring a password. To prevent the Gear connecting to the network automatically, select the network and then tap Forget.
The Gear allows you to use the built-in technology to make payments and buy tickets for transportation or events after downloading and configuring the required apps.

- On the Settings screen, tap **Connections > NFC**.
  - **NFC**: Activate the NFC feature to link your Gear to your credit or debit card.
  - **Tap and pay**: Set the default payment app for mobile payments.
Making payments with the NFC feature

Before you can use the NFC feature to make payments, you must register for the mobile payment service. To register or get more information about the service, contact your service provider.

1. On the Settings screen, tap **Connections > NFC** and then tap the **NFC** switch to activate it.

2. Touch the NFC antenna area at the top of the Gear's touchscreen to the NFC card reader.
   - To set the default payment app, open the settings screen and tap **Connections > NFC > Tap and pay**, and then select an app.

The payment services list may not include all available payment apps.
**Settings**

**Alerts**

Receive alerts when disconnected from Bluetooth.

▶ On the Settings screen, tap **Connections > Alerts** to enable or disable this option.

**Airplane mode**

Airplane mode disconnects your device from all networks and turns off connectivity features, such as phone calls and Wi-Fi.

▶ On the Settings screen, tap **Connections > Airplane mode** to enable or disable this option.
Settings

Data usage

Set the Gear to monitor your mobile data usage.

▶ On the Settings screen, tap Connections > Data usage.

- **Mobile data**: Enable mobile data.
- **Data usage limit**: Your mobile data connection will be turned off when the specified time limit is reached.
- **Data usage cycle**: Choose a time period for data usage.
- **Start date**: Select a date to start viewing the data usage.
- **Usage details**: View your data usage.
Settings

Location
Some apps may require location services to be turned on for full functionality.

1  On the Settings screen, tap Connections > Location.

2  Tap Location again to enable, and select a mode.
   • GPS & wireless networks: Use GPS and wireless networks.
   • Wireless networks: Use wireless networks only.
   • GPS: Use GPS only.

Screen lock
Set the Gear to use the screen lock feature when you are not wearing it.

On the Settings screen, tap Screen lock.
   • Screen lock: Activate or deactivate the screen lock feature.
   • Help: View help information for using the screen lock feature.
Accessibility services are special features that make using the device easier for those with certain physical disabilities.

Vision

On the Settings screen, tap **Accessibility** > **Vision** and select a mode.

- **Screen reader**: This feature uses TalkBack, which reads aloud the names of items you tap. You can also rotate the bezel to hear the names of items on screen, such as apps on the Apps screen.

- **Dark screen**: Keep the screen turned off at all times.

- **Zoom**: Magnify the screen.

- **Grayscale**: Change all colors to gray.

- **Negative colors**: Reverse the display of colors from white text on a black background to black text on a white background.
Hearing

- On the Settings screen, tap Accessibility > Hearing and select a mode.
  - Turn off all sounds: For privacy turn off all notifications and audio.
  - Mono audio: Switch audio from stereo to mono for use with one earphone.

Add shortcut

Press and hold the Home key for accessibility settings.

- On the Settings screen, tap Accessibility > Add shortcut and follow the prompts to set your shortcut.

Direct access

Triple tap the screen with two fingers for the screen reader.

- On the Settings screen, tap Accessibility > Direct access to enable.
Input

Default keyboard
Select a default keyboard type for text input.

On the Settings screen, tap Input > Default keyboard.

Keyboard settings
Change the Samsung keyboard settings.

On the Settings screen, tap Input > Keyboard settings > Samsung keyboard.

- **English (US)**: Choose the keyboard layout.
- **Select input languages**: Select languages for text input.
- **Check for updates**: Set the Gear to check for and download the latest version of the Samsung keyboard.
- **Smart typing**:
  - **Predictive text**: Activate predictive text mode to predict English words based on your input and display word suggestions.
  - **Auto replace**: Set the Gear to correct misspelled and incomplete words by tapping the space bar.
Settings

- **Auto capitalize**: Set the Gear to automatically capitalize the first character after a final punctuation mark, such as a period, question mark, or exclamation mark.

- **Auto spacing**: Set the Gear to automatically insert a space between words.

- **Auto punctuate**: Set the Gear to insert a period when you double-tap the space bar.

  **Key-tap feedback:**
  
  - **Sound**: Set the Gear to make sounds when you tap a key.
  
  - **Vibration**: Set the Gear to vibrate when you tap a key.

  **Reset settings**: Reset the Samsung keyboard settings.
Power saving

Activate power saving mode to save battery power by limiting the Gear’s functions.

- Displays colors on the screen as gray tones.
- Deactivates features, excluding phone, messages, and notifications.
- Deactivates the Wi-Fi feature.
- Limits the performance of the Gear’s CPU.

1. On the Settings screen, tap **Power saving** > **OK** or press the **Power** key and tap **Power saving** > **OK**.

2. Tap **OFF** > **OK** to deactivate this mode.
View the Gear’s information.

- On the Settings screen, tap **Gear info**.
  - **About device**: Access information about the Gear.
  - **Reset gear**:
    - **Light reset**: Delete data except media files and personal data.
    - **Factory reset**: Reset settings to the factory default values and delete all data.
  - **Debugging**: Activate or deactivate USB debugging mode when developing apps for the Gear.
Samsung Gear App

Introduction

To connect your Gear to a smartphone, install the Samsung Gear app on the smartphone. Launch Galaxy Apps or visit apps.samsung.com/gear from your smartphone to download it. For non-Samsung devices, download the Samsung Gear app from the Google Play store.

Using the Samsung gear app, you can customize your Gear’s settings.

- Tap Samsung gear on the Apps screen of the smartphone.
  - If it is the first time connecting your Gear and smartphone, refer to “Connecting a new Gear” on page 125 for more information.

Some features may not be available depending on the type of connected smartphone.
Samsung Gear App

Connecting a new Gear
If you are currently using another Gear, you can disconnect it from the smartphone and connect a new one.

1. On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear.

2. Tap More > Connect new gear and then select a new Gear.

Disconnecting the Gear

1. On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear.

2. Tap More > Disconnect. The Gear disconnects from your smartphone.
   • Tap More > Connect to reconnect the Gear.
Watch faces

You can change the type of watch to display on the Watch screen.

1. On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear > Watch faces and select a desired watch type. The watch face you selected is applied on the Watch screen.

2. Tap Stylize to select background and items to display on the watch face.
Notifications

Change settings for the notification feature. Stay up to date with a variety of events, such as new messages received on the smartphone.

On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear > Notifications, tap the switch to activate it, and then activate items.

- **Manage notifications**: Select apps on the smartphone to send notifications to the Gear.
- **Limit notifications**: Set the Gear to block all notifications, except for alarms, that are received when the smartphone’s screen is turned on.
- **Turn on screen**: Set the Gear to turn on the screen when the notification is received.
- **Auto show details**: Set the Gear to show details for notifications when they are received.
- **Notification indicator**: Show a yellow indicator on the watch face when there are unread notifications.
- **Smart relay**: Set the smartphone to display notification information that displays on the Gear when you pick up the smartphone.

- This feature is only available when the Gear’s screen is turned on.
- Some smartphones do not support this feature.
- The smartphone must be unlocked to view details when the screen is locked.
Apps layout

Customize the Gear’s Apps screen. You can select and rearrange apps.

▶ On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap **Samsung gear > Apps layout**.

Uninstalling apps

▶ Tap **Uninstall** and select apps to remove from the Gear.

Reordering apps

▶ Tap **Reorder** next to an app and drag it up or down to another position.
Send content to Gear

Transfer saved audio or image files from your smartphone to your Gear.

- On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap **Samsung gear > Send content to gear**.
  - **Select tracks**: Select audio files and manually send them from the smartphone to the Gear.
  - **Auto sync**: Set the device to sync audio files with the Gear while the Gear is charging.
  - **Playlists to sync**: Select a playlist to sync with the Gear.
  - **Select photos**: Select images and manually send them from the smartphone to the Gear.
  - **Auto sync**: Set the device to sync images with the Gear while the Gear is charging.
  - **Albums to sync**: Select an image folder to sync with the Gear.

When the Gear does not have enough available memory, it deletes files that you have not set as your favorites in order from oldest to newest.
Settings

Text templates
Edit or add templates used for replying to messages.

1. On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap **Samsung gear > Settings > Quick messages**.

2. Tap **General messages** or **Call-reject messages**.

3. Select a template to edit.
   - To create additional templates, enter text in the input field and then tap **Add**.

4. Edit the template and tap **Save**.
Individual app settings

Customize app settings for your Gear S2 on your smartphone.

1. On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear > Settings > Individual app settings.

2. Tap an app to customize its settings.
   - **Buddy**: Add up to 11 contacts to quickly send messages using your Gear S2.
   - **Email**: Add email accounts and customize settings for email on your Gear S2.
   - **Voice memo**: Transfer voice memos between your Gear and smartphone.
   - **Weather**: Set your city and unit preferences for the Weather app.
Samsung Gear App

**Auto update downloaded apps**

Customize your preferences for downloaded updates for Gear apps.

*On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear > Settings > Auto update downloaded apps, and select an option:*

- **Turn off**: Do not automatically update apps.
- **Via Wi-Fi only**: Only update apps when connected to a Wi-Fi network.
- **Whenever available**: Update anytime. Data charges may apply.

**App update notifications**

Receive notifications about available updates for the apps you have downloaded.

*On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear > Settings > App update notifications to enable or disable this option.*
Samsung Gear App

Double press Home key
Set an action to perform when you press the Gear’s Home key twice.

- On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear > Settings > Double press home key, and then select an option.

Gear connection
Customize your Gear’s wireless connection settings.

- On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear > Settings > Gear connection.
  - **Remote connection**: Set the Gear to remotely connect to the smartphone when a Bluetooth connection between the devices is not available.
  - **Sync Wi-Fi profiles**: Set the device to sync the list of saved Wi-Fi networks with your Gear.
Send SOS messages

In an emergency situation, quickly press the Gear’s Home key three times. The device sends messages to your primary contacts. The messages include your location information. You can also send sound recordings along with the message to the recipients.

1. On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear > Settings > Send SOS messages, and then tap the switch to activate it.

2. Follow the prompts to add primary contacts.

Some smartphones do not support this feature.
Adding primary contacts

1. On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear > Settings > Send SOS messages > Send messages to.

2. Tap Add > Create contact and enter contact information or tap Select from contacts to add an existing contact as a primary contact.

Back up and restore

Back up the stored data on the Gear or restore backup data.

- On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear > Settings > Back up and restore > Back up data or Restore data.

Call forwarding

Forward your calls from your smartphone, to your Gear S2.

1. On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear > Settings > Call forwarding.

2. Tap the checkbox to accept the notice, and tap OK.
About gear
Access information about the Gear.

- On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap **Samsung gear > Settings > About gear.**
  - **Update gear software:** Update the Gear to the latest software.
  - **Gear storage:** View your Gear’s memory information.

![Bell icon]
The actual available capacity of the internal memory is less than the specified capacity because the operating system and default apps occupy part of the memory. The available capacity may change when you update the device.

  - **Legal information:** View the legal information for the Gear.
  - **Unknown sources:** Set the Gear to allow the installation of apps from unknown sources.
  - **Device name:** Change the Gear’s name.

Application version
View version information of the Samsung Gear app.

- On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap **Samsung gear > Settings > App version.**
Find My Gear

Remotely control your Gear when it is lost or misplaced.

- **Reactivation lock**: Set the Gear to require your Samsung account information after the device was reset. This prevents others from reactivating your device if it is lost or stolen.

- **Control remotely**:
  - **Locate gear**: Remotely find your Gear. The gear vibrates and the screen turns on.
  - **Lock gear**: Remotely lock the Gear to prevent unauthorized access. This feature can be activated when the Bluetooth connection between the Gear and smartphone ends while a remote connection is activated.
  - **Reset gear**: Remotely delete all personal information stored in the Gear. After the Gear is reset, you cannot restore the information or use the Find My Gear feature.
Finding your Gear
If you misplace the Gear, find it with this feature.

1. On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear > Find my gear.

2. Tap Search.
   - The Gear vibrates and the screen turns on. Drag Stop to the right on the Gear, or tap Stop on the smartphone.

 Reactivation Lock
Use your Samsung account to stop anyone from reactivating your Gear without your permission.

1. On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear > Find my gear.

2. Tap Reactivation lock and tap On/Off to enable or disable this feature.

You should remove your Google Account before shipping your device to Samsung or any other service provider for service and before resetting the device to factory settings. If your paired device is running Android 5.1 or later your smartphone does not have the Reactivation lock setting.
Samsung Gear Apps

You can download apps for your Gear from Samsung gear apps.

1. On the Apps screen of the smartphone, tap Samsung gear > Samsung gear apps.

2. Browse by category and select an app to download.