

Acer Aspire S7-391

Quick Guide

Product registration

When using your product for the first time, it is recommended that you immediately register it. This will give you access to some useful benefits, such as:

- Faster service from our trained representatives.
- Membership in the Acer community: receive promotions and participate in customer surveys.
- The latest news from Acer.

Hurry and register, as other advantages await you!

How to register

To register your Acer product, please visit **www.acer.com**. Select your country, click **PRODUCT REGISTRATION** and follow the simple instructions.

You will also be asked to register your product during the setup process, or you can double-click the Registration icon on the desktop.

After we receive your product registration, you will be sent a confirmation email with important data that you should keep in a safe place.

Obtaining Acer accessories

We are happy to inform you that Acer's warranty extension program and Notebook accessories are available online. Come and visit our online shop and find what you need at **store.acer.com**.

The Acer store is being progressively rolled out, and, unfortunately may not be available in some regions. Please check back regularly to see when it will be available in your country.

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Model number: _____

Serial number: _____

Date of purchase: _____

Place of purchase: _____

Acer recommends...

Productivity Software

Work Great with Microsoft® Office 2010 - Express your ideas, solve problems and simplify everyday projects with Office 2010.

Photo editing - Easily edit and print your photos with Windows Live Photo Gallery. Then share them on Facebook, YouTube or Windows Live.

Search & Decide with Bing - Find and organize the answers you need using Bing™, so you can make faster, more informed decisions.

First things first

We would like to thank you for making an Acer notebook your choice for meeting your mobile computing needs.

Your guides

To help you use your Acer notebook, we have designed a set of guides:

First off, the **Setup Poster** helps you get started with setting up your computer.

The **Quick Guide** introduces you to the basic features and functions of your new computer.

For more on how your computer can help you to be more productive, please refer to the **Aspire S7 User's Manual**. The **Aspire S7 User's Manual** contains useful information applying to your new computer. It covers basic topics such as using the keyboard and audio, etc.

This guide contains detailed information on such subjects as system utilities, data recovery, expansion options and troubleshooting. In addition it contains warranty information and the general regulations and safety notices for your notebook.

Follow these steps to access it:



- 1 Type "User" from *Start*.
- 2 Click on **Acer User's Manual**.

Your Acer notebook tour

After setting up your computer as illustrated in the setup poster, let us show you around your new Acer notebook.

Screen view



#	Icon	Item	Description
1		Ambient light sensor	Controls the keyboard and monitor backlights.
2		Touchscreen	Displays computer output, supports multi-touch input.
3		Power indicator	Indicates the computer's power status. Blue: The computer is turned on. Amber, slow flash: The computer is in Standby. Amber, fast flash: The computer is entering Hibernate / Deep Sleep.
		Battery indicator	Indicates battery status. Amber: The battery is charging. Blue: The battery is fully charged.
4		Webcam	Web camera for video communication. A light next to the webcam indicates that the webcam is active.

Keyboard view
















#	Icon	Item	Description
1		Keyboard	<p>For entering data into your computer.</p> <p>Caution: Do not use a keyboard protector or similar cover as the keyboard includes ventilation intakes for cooling.</p>
2		Touchpad	<p>Touch-sensitive pointing device.</p> <p>The touchpad and selection buttons form a single surface.</p> <p>Press down firmly on the touchpad surface to perform a left click.</p> <p>Press down firmly on the lower right corner to perform a right click.</p> <p>Swipe the right-hand edge of the touchpad inward to access the charms.</p>

Hotkeys

The computer employs hotkeys or key combinations to access most of the computer's controls like screen brightness and volume output.

To activate hotkeys, press and hold the <Fn> key before pressing the other key(s) in the hotkey combination.

Hotkey	Icon	Function	Description
<Fn> + <Q>		Communication	Enables/disables the computer's communication devices.
<Fn> + <W>		Sleep	Puts the computer in Sleep mode.
<Fn> + <E>		Display toggle	Switches display output between the display screen, external monitor (if connected) and both.
<Fn> + <R>		Screen blank	Turns the display screen backlight off to save power. Press any key to return.
<Fn> + <T>		Touchpad toggle	Turns the internal touchpad on and off.
<Fn> + <Y>		Speaker toggle	Turns the speakers on and off.
<Fn> + <U>		Decrease backlight brightness	Decreases the brightness of the keyboard backlight.
<Fn> + <I>		Increase backlight brightness	Increases the brightness of the keyboard backlight.
<Fn> + <U> + <I>		Backlight toggle	Turns the keyboard backlight on and off. Note: This function is disabled if the light sensor detects a bright environment.
<Fn> + <O>		Rotate screen	Rotates the image displayed on the screen.
<Fn> + <D>		Brightness up	Increases the screen brightness.
<Fn> + <D>		Brightness down	Decreases the screen brightness.

Hotkey	Icon	Function	Description
<Fn> + <Δ>		Volume up	Increases the sound volume.
<Fn> + <▽>		Volume down	Decreases the sound volume.

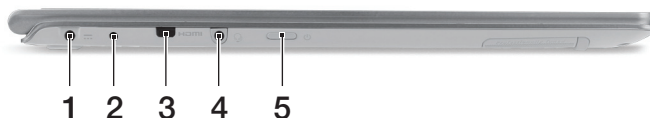
Note: To use Function keys (such as F1, F2 ...) press <Fn> and the corresponding number key. Thus, <Fn> + <1> for <F1> etc. During boot up, press <Fn> + <2> to access the BIOS.





Front view



#	Icon	Item	Description
1		Microphone	Internal microphone for sound recording.




Left view



#	Icon	Item	Description
1		DC-in jack	Connects to an AC adapter.
2		Extended battery securing location	Secures the optional extended battery in place.
3		HDMI Micro port	Supports high-definition digital video connections.
4		Headset/speaker jack	Connects to audio devices (e.g., speakers, headphones) or a headset with microphone.
5		Power button	Turns the computer on and off. Note: Opening the lid will also turn the computer on.

Right view




#	Icon	Item	Description
1		2-in-1 card reader	Accepts one Secure Digital (SD or SDHC) card or MultiMediaCard (MMC). Note: To remove the card, simply pull it from the slot.
2		USB port	Connects to USB devices. <i>If a port is black it is USB 2.0</i>
3		USB port with power-off charging	<i>compatible, if it is blue it is also USB 3.0 compatible (see below).</i>

Information on USB 3.0

- Compatible with USB 3.0 and earlier devices.
- For optimal performance, use USB 3.0-certified devices.
- Defined by the USB 3.0 specification (SuperSpeed USB).
- Supports power-off USB charging, allowing you to charge supported mobile devices while the notebook is switched off.

Base view



#	Icon	Item	Description
1		Battery reset pinhole	Simulates removing and reinstalling the battery <i>Insert a paperclip into the hole and press for four seconds to reset the computer.</i>
2		Speakers	Deliver stereo audio output.

Environment

- Temperature:
 - Operating: 5 °C to 35 °C
 - Non-operating: -20 °C to 65 °C
- Humidity (non-condensing):
 - Operating: 20% to 80%
 - Non-operating: 20% to 80%

Connecting to the Internet

Your computer's wireless connection is turned on by default.

Windows will detect and display a list of available networks during setup. Select your network and enter the password if required.

Otherwise, open Internet Explorer and follow the instructions. Please also refer to your ISP or router documentation.

Acer Instant Connect

Instant Connect ensures a faster connection to any of the networks that your computer connects to most frequently.

Power management

This computer has a built-in power management unit that monitors system activity, such as activity involving one or more of the following devices: keyboard, mouse, hard disk, peripherals connected to the computer, and video memory. If no activity is detected for a period of time, the computer stops some or all of these devices in order to conserve energy.

Acer Green Instant On

The Acer Green Instant On feature allows your computer to wake up from Sleep mode in less than the time it takes to open the lid. When you close the lid, or leave your computer for a while, your computer enters Sleep mode. While the computer is in Sleep mode, the power indicator LED will flash orange.

Open the lid or press any key to wake the computer from Sleep mode.

After a certain amount of time in Sleep mode, the computer will automatically enter Deep Sleep to preserve battery life. When the computer is in Deep Sleep, the power indicator LED will be turned off. In this state, battery remains ready to use for many weeks.

Your computer should wake from Deep Sleep when you open the lid. Otherwise, press the power button.



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Note: Once in Deep Sleep, your PC will consume significantly less power compared with Sleep mode, but it will take a little longer to wake up from Deep Sleep.

Deep Sleep and Sleep mode work together to ensure that your computer saves as much power as possible while still enabling quick, instant on access.

To save more power, your computer will typically enter and stay in Deep Sleep during times when it will not be frequently accessed, for example, during the middle of the night. To provide quicker access, your computer will enter and stay in Sleep mode during times when it will be frequently accessed, for example, during working hours.