

Screencast-o-matic



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Screencast-o-matic

A screencast is a screen capture of the actions on a user's computer screen, typically with accompanying audio. The audio track can be the sound from an application being demonstrated, a narrative from the presenter, or background audio from another application. Screencasts can be produced in various formats, and users can view them in various ways such as a steaming site like Microsoft Stream or uploaded directly to your YouTube account.

Screencast-o-matic (http://www.screencast-o-matic.com) is a free web-based capture tool that can be used without having to download an application. To create a screencast, an account is not necessary but is highly recommended. Account holders have the ability to store screencasts on the Screencast-o-matic site.

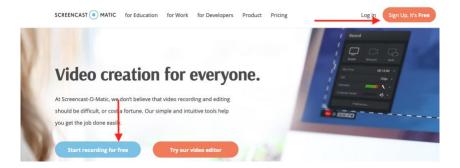
Free accounts are limited to:

- 15 minutes of recording per video.
- Audio is limited to narration only. It will not capture audio input from others sources on the device.
- Editing is not available

Record the Video

Start recording by:

- 1. Navigating to www.screencast-o-matic.
- 2. Click Sign Up its Free to create an account or,
- 3. Click Start recording for free.



- 4. Click Launch Free Recorder and you will see a notice that it is launching the recorder.
- 5. Click allow or ok or open link if prompted.

Screen Recorder





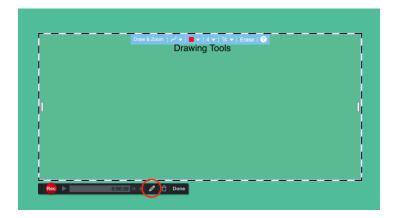
Recording boundary will appear as a dotted line.



- 6. Set recording area by moving the corners to the appropriate area.
- 7. Set your video preferences for the recording.
 - a. Screen (Captures only the screen)
 - b. Webcam (Uses device camera to capture you)
 - c. Both (Records the screen and you. You appear in the lower corner of the screen.)
- 8. Set your max recording time. (Free is only 15 minutes)
- 9. Under narration select your mic input.
- 10. Click preferences to set your hotkeys or views
- 11. Click the gear wheel when finished.



12. If you plan to draw on your recording click the pencil to enable drawing tools

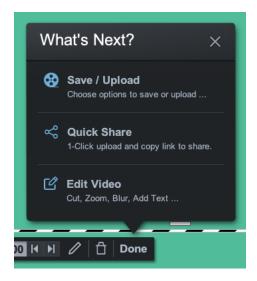


- 13. Click Record.
- 14. Click the pause button if you need to stop during your recording
- 15. Click the arrow to view what you currently have recorded.
- 16. Click REC to continue recording.

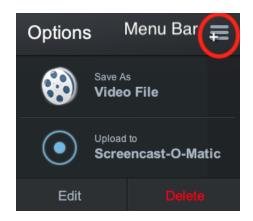
You can also choose to delete by clicking the trash can and starting over.

Publish the Video

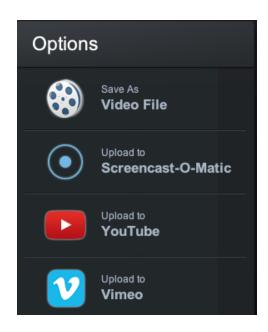
- 1. Preview the video
- 2. Click Done
- 3. Select to save and upload or
- 4. Select quick share to save directly to screencast-o-matic and receive a shareable link.



- 5. Select Save Video File As and
- 6. Click the Menu bar for additional options.



- 7. Save as a local file or upload directly to YouTube or another place.
 - a. Saving a local file enter type file type as mp4 so that anyone can view the file on any device.
 - b. Input a file name.
 - c. Make cursor choice to highlight cursor or not.
 - d. Click Publish



If you need further assistance please contact the Technology Training Team.

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