ACCESS USB DEVICES

You have several options for accessing the USB devices you have connected to your LaCie product.

Note: See <u>Advanced Accessibility Features</u> for related features such as accessing your device remotely, creating shortcuts to your USB devices on the network, and multimedia streaming.

OPTION 1

- 1. Launch LaCie Network Assistant.
 - Windows Users:
 - I. Select LaCie Network Assistant in **Start/Programs**. A Network Assistant icon will appear in the system tray and LaCie Network Assistant will automatically detect your LaCie product on the network.
 - II. Right-click on the icon in the system tray.



Mac Users:

- I. Select LaCie Network Assistant in your **Applications** folder. A Network Assistant icon will appear in the system tray and LaCie Network Assistant will automatically detect your LaCie product on the network.
- II. Click on the icon in the menu bar.



2. Under the heading **LaPlug**, choose the device you want to access.

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	LaCinema_HD >
Little_Disk	LaPlug >
Web Access	WirelessSpace +
	Wake Up a Device
	Configuration Window
	Preferences
	Quit LaCie Network Assistant
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3. The USB device will open in a Finder window (Mac) or an Explorer window (Windows).

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4. If you are prompted for a username/password, enter your username and password (by default): Username = **admin**

Password = admin

	Enter your name and password for the server "LaPlug".
	Connect as: O Guest • Registered User
	Name: admin
	Password: •••••
Remember this password in my keychain	
	Cancel Connect

If you have changed the username/password from the default admin/admin (see <u>Administer the LaPlug</u>), enter your new credentials.

5. Transfer files normally between your computer and the USB device. Mac users: If the USB device does not open in a Finder window, simply navigate in the Finder to **Network > LaPlug > [disk name]**.

Technical note: Error notices in LaCie Network Assistant instead of USB device listing:

If no USB device is recognized, instead of the USB device name, you will see the text **Please connect a USB device**. Make sure your device is connected and that it has been formatted. Refer to your device's user manual for formatting procedure.



If you see the text **Connect Manually** instead of the USB device name, click **Connect Manually**. A Finder window (Mac) or Explorer window (PC) will open, listing all the USB devices connected to your LaPlug.



Technical note: Mac users: If the USB device does not open in a Finder window, simply navigate in the Finder to **Network > LaPlug > [disk name]**.

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OPTION 2

Mac Users

- 1. In your Finder, navigate to **Go > Connect to Server**.
- In the dialogue window that opens, type one of the following: **afp://laplug.local smb://laplug.local afp://[IP address] smb://[IP address]**

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Windows XP Users

1. In an explorer window address field, type \\[Machine name] or \\[IP address]] and click Go. Alternatively, from the Start menu, click Run, type \\[Machine name] or \\[IP address]] and click OK.



Windows 7 and Vista Users

1. In an explorer window address field, type \\[Machine name] or \\[IP address]] and hit enter.



OPTION 3

1. Launch LaCie Network Assistant.

- **Windows Users:** Select LaCie Network Assistant in **Start/Programs**. A Network Assistant icon will appear in the system tray and LaCie Network Assistant will automatically detect your LaCie product on the network.
- **Mac Users:** Select LaCie Network Assistant in your **Applications** folder. A Network Assistant icon will appear in the system tray and LaCie Network Assistant will automatically detect your LaCie product on the network.
- 2. Right-click the icon in the system tray (Windows) or click the icon in the menu bar (Mac) and select **Configuration Window**.
- 3. Select the LaPlug from the list of devices in the left-hand column, then click the **Volumes** tab.

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4. Double-click the USB device you wish to access. The USB device will open in a Finder window (Mac) or an Explorer window (Windows). Transfer files normally from your computer to the USB device.

Technical note: Mac users: If the USB device does not open in a Finder window, simply navigate in the Finder to **Network > LaPlug > [disk name]**.