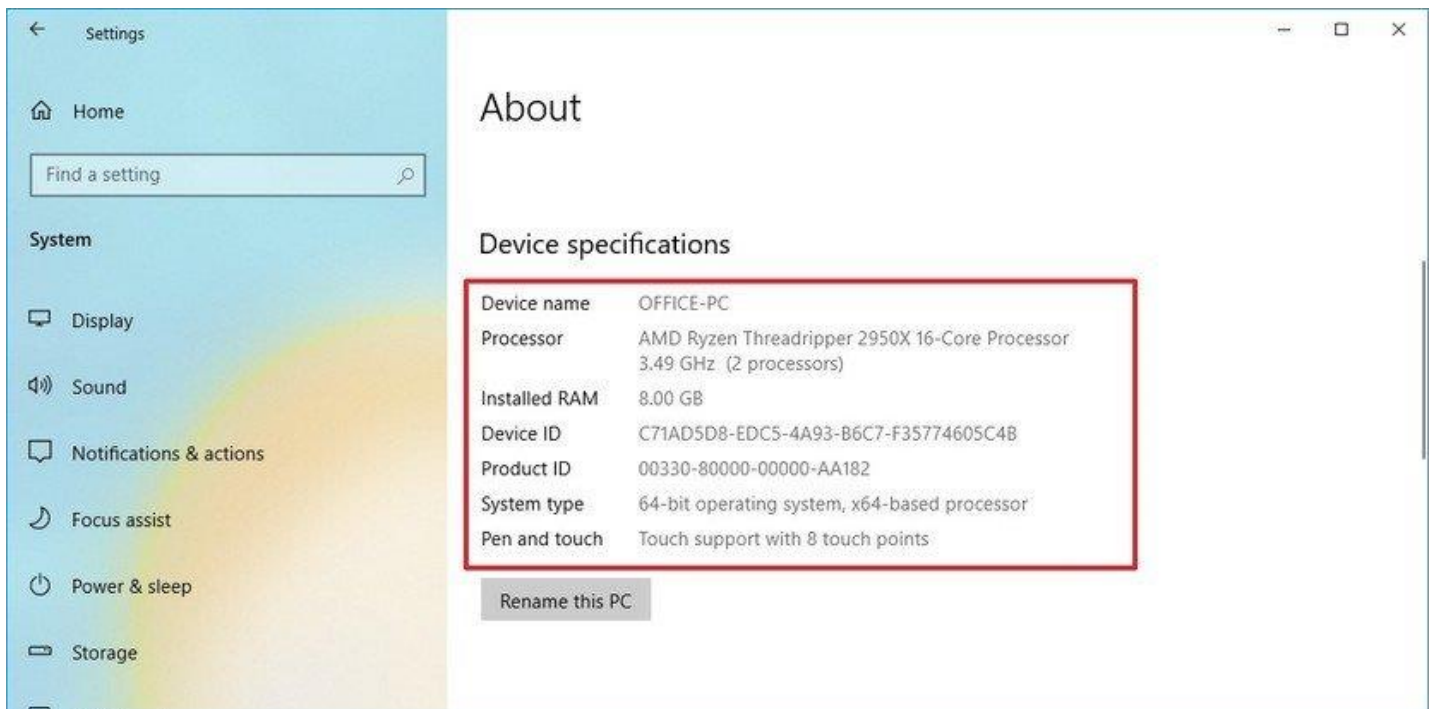# How to Find Computer Hardware Specs Using Settings
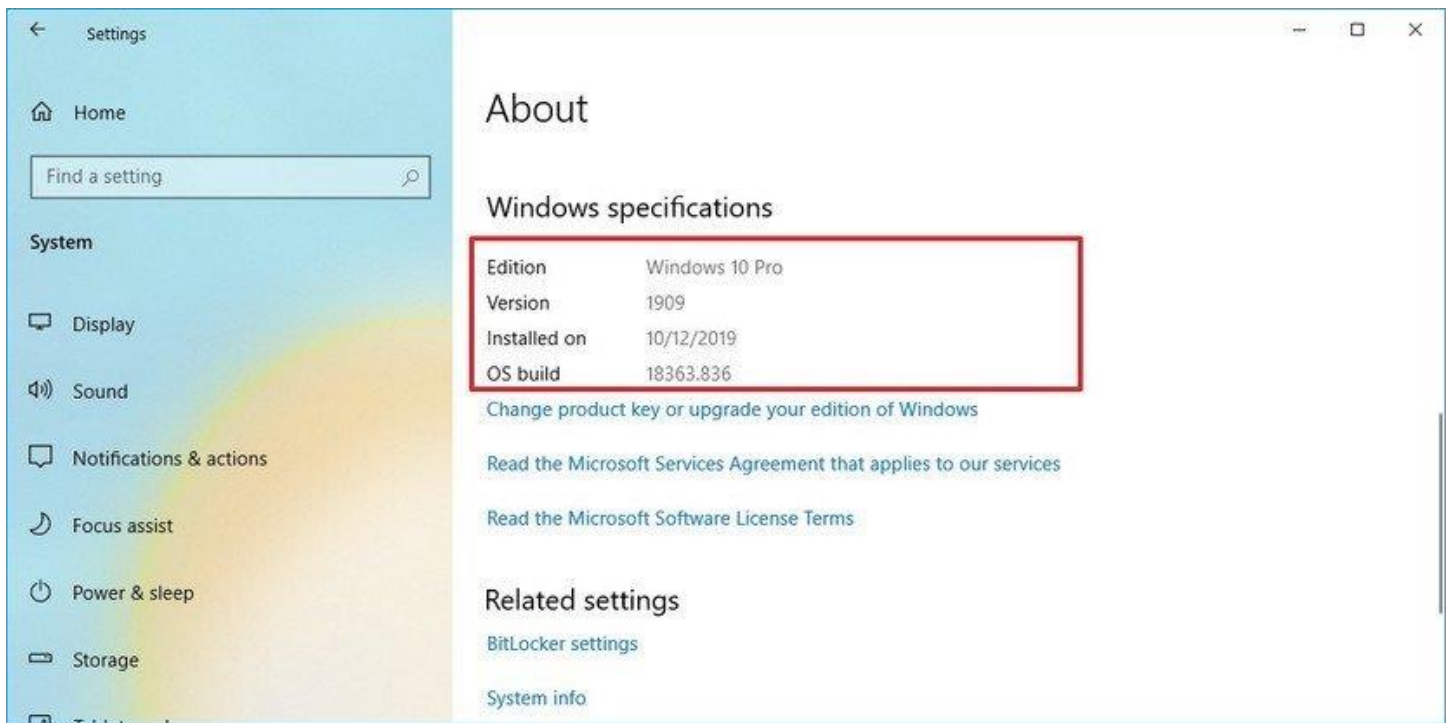
Windows Desktop or Laptop

You can use the Settings app to check basic hardware and software specs, such as processor, memory, and the current version of Windows 10.

To find device specs with the About settings page, use these steps:

1. Open **Settings**.

2. Click on **System**.

3. Click on **About**.

4. Check the **Device specifications** section to find the computer name, processor, total usable memory, system architecture, and included touch and pen support.

5. Check the **Windows specifications** section to find the edition of Windows 10 (Home, Pro, Enterprise, or Education), version number, the date when the feature update was installed, and the current build number (the number after the period indicates the quality update version).

6. Take screenshot of Device and Windows Specifications.

Apple Desktop or Laptop

Use the System Information app to see a summary of information about your Mac hardware, software, and network.

The System Information app provides detailed specifications and other information about your Mac hardware and software, including your network and external devices. In some versions of OS X, this app is called System Profiler.
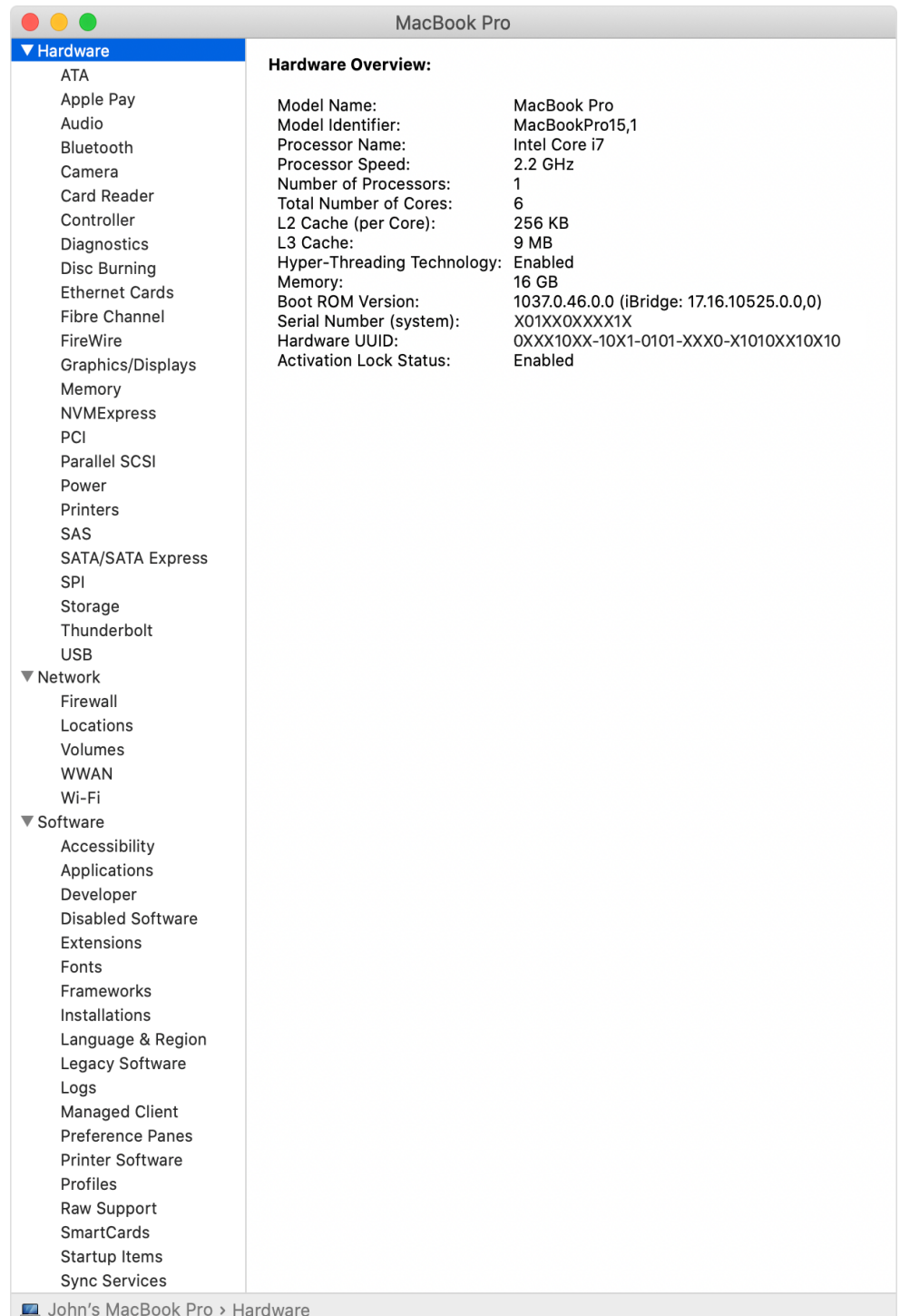
Choose **Apple menu > About This Mac**. This opens an overview of your Mac, including your Mac model, processor, memory, serial number, and version of macOS. To see the greater detail provided by the System Information app, click the System Report button.

To open System Information directly, press and hold the Option key and choose **Apple menu > System Information.** You can also use Spotlight to find System Information, or open it from the Utilities folder of your Applications folder.

System Information opens to a system report for your Mac:

Select items in the sidebar to see information about each item. For example, the Hardware section shows your Mac serial number, the Memory section shows how much RAM is installed in each internal memory slot, and the Software section shows which startup disk (boot volume) your Mac is using. You can use the Network section and Network Utility to learn more about your network.

	MacBook Pro
▼ **Hardware**	**Hardware Overview:**
ATA	
Apple Pay	Model Name: MacBook Pro
Audio	Model Identifier: MacBookPro15,1
Bluetooth	Processor Name: Intel Core i7
Camera	Processor Speed: 2.2 GHz
Card Reader	Number of Processors: 1
Controller	Total Number of Cores: 6
Diagnostics	L2 Cache (per Core): 256 KB
Disc Burning	L3 Cache: 9 MB
Ethernet Cards	Hyper-Threading Technology: Enabled
Fibre Channel	Memory: 16 GB
FireWire	Boot ROM Version: 1037.0.46.0.0 (iBridge: 17.16.10525.0.0,0)
Graphics/Displays	Serial Number (system): X01XX0XXXX1X
Memory	Hardware UUID: 0XXX10XX-10X1-0101-XXX0-X1010XX10X10
NVMExpress	Activation Lock Status: Enabled
PCI	
Parallel SCSI	
Power	
Printers	
SAS	
SATA/SATA Express	
SPI	
Storage	
Thunderbolt	
USB	
▼ Network	
Firewall	
Locations	
Volumes	
WWAN	
Wi-Fi	
▼ Software	
Accessibility	
Applications	
Developer	
Disabled Software	
Extensions	
Fonts	
Frameworks	
Installations	
Language & Region	
Legacy Software	
Logs	
Managed Client	
Preference Panes	
Printer Software	
Profiles	
Raw Support	
SmartCards	
Startup Items	
Sync Services	
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To have System Information read your serial number aloud, choose File > Speak Serial Number.

To save a copy of your system report, choose File > Save.