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Commercial use of Docker Desktop in larger enterprises (more than 250 employees OR more than \$10 million USD in annual revenue) requires a paid subscription.

This page contains information about system requirements, download URLs, and instructions on how to install Docker Desktop for Mac.

Mac with Intel chip

Mac with Apple chip

For checksums, see [Release notes](#)

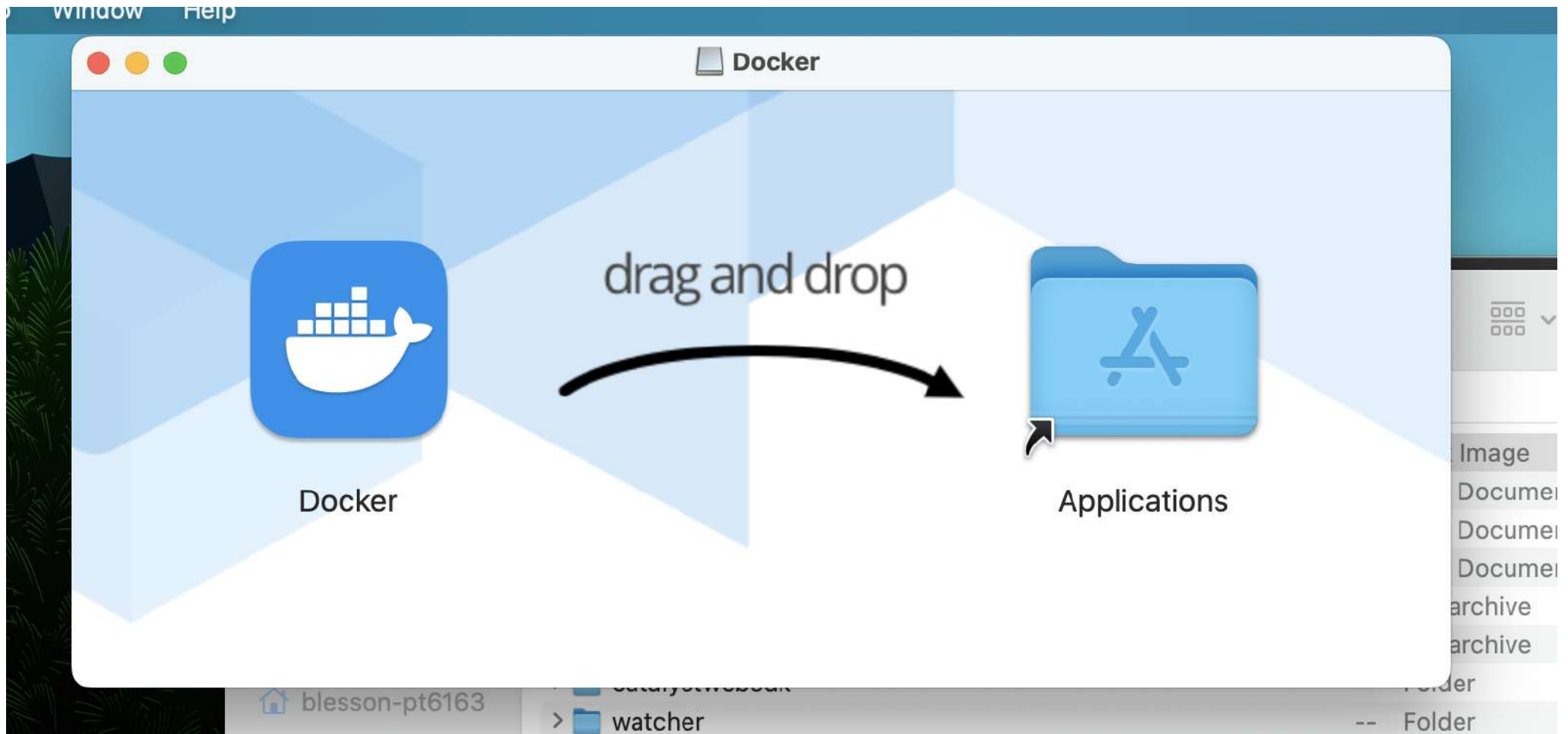
Your Mac must meet the following requirements to install Docker Desktop successfully.

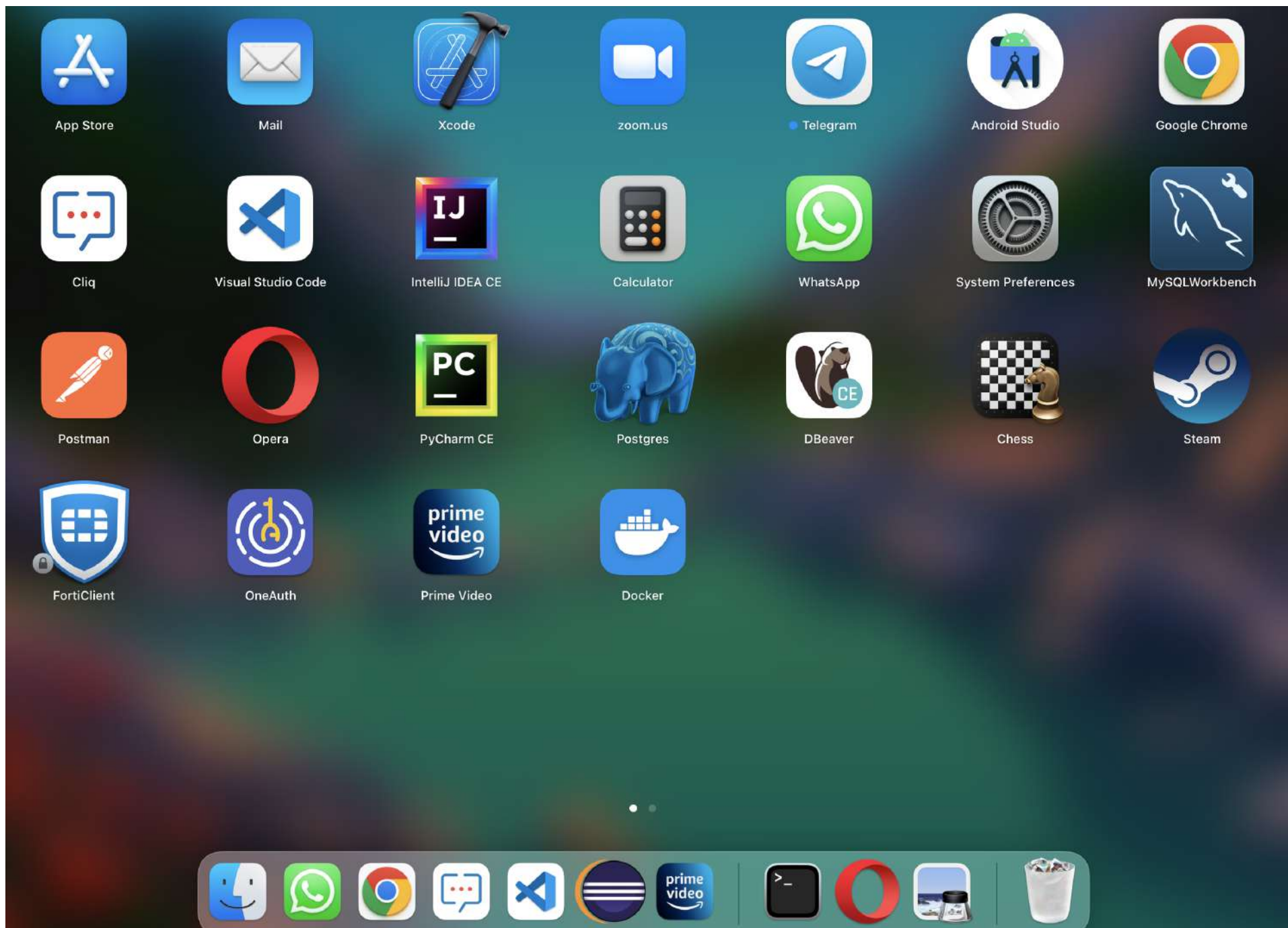
Mac with Intel chip

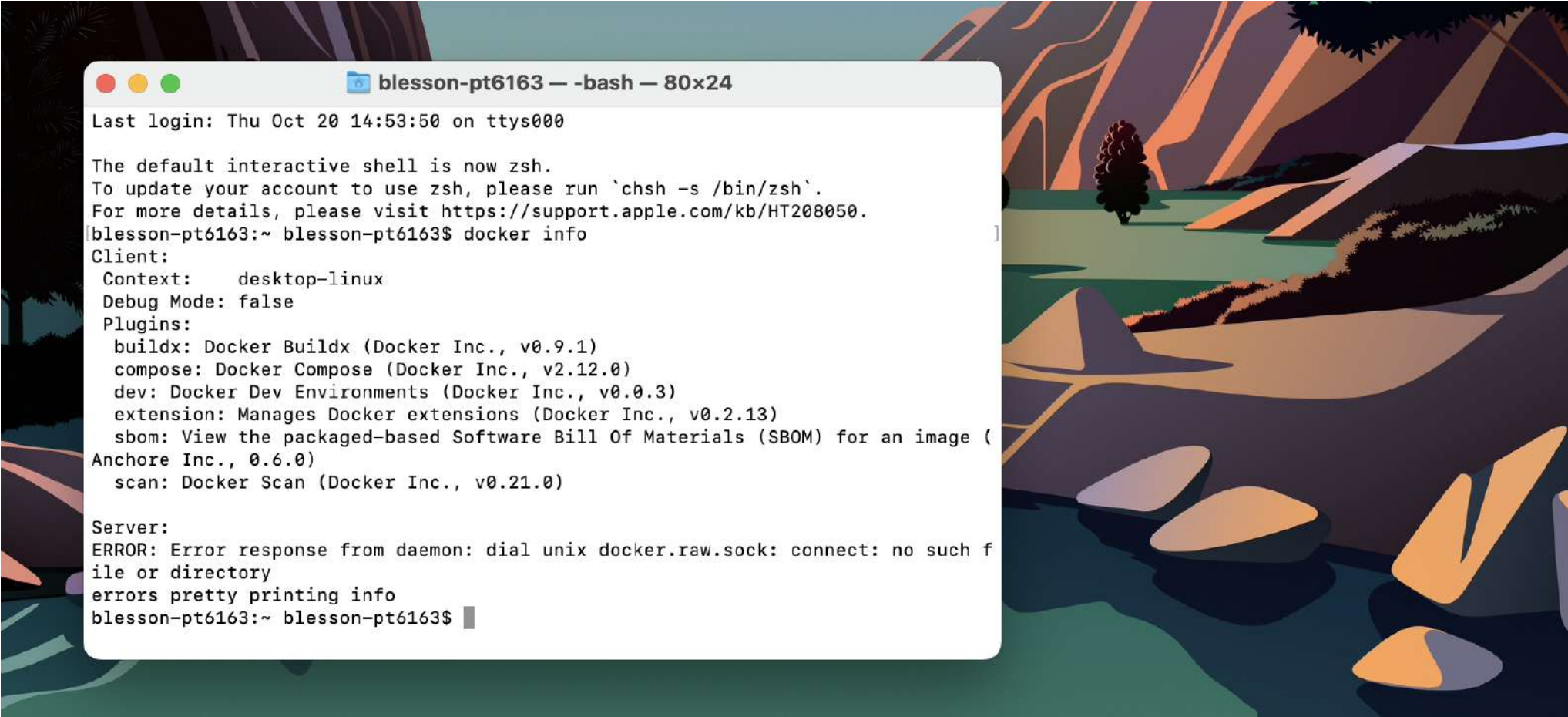
Mac with Apple silicon

- macOS must be version 10.15 or newer. That is, Catalina, Big Sur, or Monterey. We recommend upgrading to the latest version of macOS.

Docker supports Docker Desktop on the most recent versions of macOS. That is, the current release of macOS and the previous two releases. As new major versions of macOS are made generally available, Docker stops supporting the oldest version and supports the





A terminal window is overlaid on a stylized, colorful landscape background. The landscape features dark, jagged mountains in shades of purple and blue, with a small, dark, conical tree on a grassy slope. In the foreground, there are large, smooth, light-colored rocks and a body of water reflecting the sky. The terminal window has a title bar with three colored circles (red, yellow, green) and the text 'blesson-pt6163 — -bash — 80x24'. The text inside the terminal shows the last login time, a message about switching to zsh, and the output of the 'docker info' command, which lists client and server information. The server information shows an error message: 'ERROR: Error response from daemon: dial unix docker.raw.sock: connect: no such file or directory'.

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blesson-pt6163 — -bash — 80x24
Last login: Thu Oct 20 14:53:50 on ttys000

The default interactive shell is now zsh.
To update your account to use zsh, please run `chsh -s /bin/zsh`.
For more details, please visit https://support.apple.com/kb/HT208050.
blesson-pt6163:~ blesson-pt6163$ docker info
Client:
 Context:      desktop-linux
 Debug Mode: false
 Plugins:
  buildx: Docker Buildx (Docker Inc., v0.9.1)
  compose: Docker Compose (Docker Inc., v2.12.0)
  dev: Docker Dev Environments (Docker Inc., v0.0.3)
  extension: Manages Docker extensions (Docker Inc., v0.2.13)
  sbom: View the packaged-based Software Bill Of Materials (SBOM) for an image (
Anchore Inc., 0.6.0)
  scan: Docker Scan (Docker Inc., v0.21.0)

Server:
ERROR: Error response from daemon: dial unix docker.raw.sock: connect: no such f
ile or directory
errors pretty printing info
blesson-pt6163:~ blesson-pt6163$
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