

Documentation complète des API Apple pour la publication automatique d'applications

Vue d'ensemble des API disponibles

Apple offre un écosystème complet d'API et d'outils permettant l'automatisation totale du processus de publication d'applications sur l'App Store, depuis la compilation jusqu'à la distribution. [Fastlane](#)

Cette documentation couvre l'ensemble des API disponibles en 2025, incluant les nouvelles fonctionnalités de webhooks et l'API de build upload. [DEV Community +3](#)

1. App Store Connect API

Architecture et authentification

L'App Store Connect API est une API RESTful utilisant le standard JSON:API avec authentification JWT. [Andy Ibanez +4](#) Elle constitue le cœur de l'automatisation avec plus de **200 endpoints disponibles** depuis 2025. [Apple Developer](#)

Base URL: <https://api.appstoreconnect.apple.com/v1>

Génération de token JWT

```
python
```

```

import jwt
import time
from datetime import datetime, timedelta

def generate_jwt_token(key_id, issuer_id, private_key_path):
    with open(private_key_path, 'rb') as fh:
        private_key = fh.read()

    payload = {
        "iss": issuer_id,
        "iat": int(time.time()),
        "exp": int(time.time()) + 1200, # 20 minutes maximum
        "aud": "appstoreconnect-v1"
    }

    headers = {
        "alg": "ES256",
        "kid": key_id,
        "typ": "JWT"
    }

    token = jwt.encode(payload, private_key, algorithm="ES256", headers=headers)
    return token

```

Configuration requise:

- **Issuer ID:** Identifiant unique de votre équipe
- **Key ID:** Identifiant de la clé API
- **Private Key:** Fichier .p8 téléchargé une seule fois [fastlane](#) [Andy Ibanez](#)
- **Algorithm:** ES256 (obligatoire)
- **Expiration:** Maximum 20 minutes [Medium +3](#)

Endpoints principaux pour la gestion d'applications

Gestion des versions et builds

```
bash
```

Créer une nouvelle version

POST /v1/appStoreVersions

```
{
  "data": {
    "type": "appStoreVersions",
    "attributes": {
      "versionString": "2.0.0",
      "platform": "IOS"
    },
    "relationships": {
      "app": {"data": {"type": "apps", "id": "app-id"}}
    }
  }
}
```

Soumettre pour review

POST /v1/reviewSubmissions

```
{
  "data": {
    "type": "reviewSubmissions",
    "relationships": {
      "appStoreVersion": {"data": {"type": "appStoreVersions", "id": "version-id"}}
    }
  }
}
```

Gérer les builds

GET /v1/builds

POST /v1/buildUploads *# Nouveau en 2025*

GET /v1/builds/{buildId}/betaBuildLocalizations

Upload de builds (Nouvelle API 2025)

python

```
def upload_build_workflow(app_id, ipa_path):
```

```
    # 1. Créer l'upload
```

```
    upload_response = requests.post(
        f"{BASE_URL}/buildUploads",
        headers={"Authorization": f"Bearer {token}"},
        json={
            "data": {
                "type": "buildUploads",
                "attributes": {
                    "bundleVersion": "1.0.0",
                    "platform": "IOS"
                }
            }
        }
    )
    upload_id = upload_response.json()['data']['id']
```

```
    # 2. Créer le fichier de build
```

```
    file_size = os.path.getsize(ipa_path)
    file_response = requests.post(
        f"{BASE_URL}/buildUploadFiles",
        headers={"Authorization": f"Bearer {token}"},
        json={
            "data": {
                "type": "buildUploadFiles",
                "attributes": {
                    "fileName": "app.ipa",
                    "fileSize": file_size,
                    "assetType": "IOS_APP"
                },
                "relationships": {
                    "buildUpload": {"data": {"type": "buildUploads", "id": upload_id}}
                }
            }
        }
    )
```

```
    # 3. Upload du fichier binaire
```

```
    upload_instructions = file_response.json()['data']['attributes']['uploadOperations']
    for operation in upload_instructions:
        with open(ipa_path, 'rb') as f:
            requests.put(operation['url'], data=f.read(), headers=operation['requestHeaders'])
```

```
    # 4. Marquer l'upload comme terminé
```

```
    requests.patch(
        f"{BASE_URL}/buildUploads/{upload_id}",
```

```
headers={"Authorization": f"Bearer {token}"},
json={
    "data": {
        "type": "buildUploads",
        "id": upload_id,
        "attributes": {"uploaded": True}
    }
}
```

Webhooks (Nouveau 2025)

Apple a introduit un système complet de webhooks permettant une architecture événementielle.

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Événements disponibles:

- `BUILD_UPLOAD_STATE_CHANGED` Apple Developer
- `BUILD_BETA_STATE_CHANGED` Apple Developer
- `APP_STORE_VERSION_STATE_CHANGED` Apple Developer
- `BETA_FEEDBACK_SCREENSHOT_SUBMITTED` Apple Developer
- `BETA_FEEDBACK_CRASH_SUBMITTED` Apple Developer
- `APPLE_HOSTED_BACKGROUND_ASSET_STATE_CHANGED`

Configuration webhook:

```
json

POST /v1/webhooks
{
  "data": {
    "type": "webhooks",
    "attributes": {
      "url": "https://your-server.com/webhook",
      "secret": "your-secret-key",
      "events": [
        "BUILD_UPLOAD_STATE_CHANGED",
        "APP_STORE_VERSION_STATE_CHANGED"
      ]
    }
  }
}
```

Rate Limits

- **Limite horaire:** 3,600 requêtes par heure (Apple Developer)
- **Limite par minute:** ~300-350 requêtes (Apple Developer)
- **Headers de réponse:** (X-Rate-Limit), (X-Rate-Limit-Remaining), (X-Rate-Limit-Reset) (Apple Developer)
- **Code erreur 429:** (RATE_LIMIT_EXCEEDED) (Apple Developer)

2. Xcode Cloud API

Configuration des workflows CI/CD

L'API Xcode Cloud fait partie de l'App Store Connect API (Apple Developer) et permet l'automatisation complète des pipelines de build.

Endpoints principaux

```
bash
```

Workflows

```
GET /v1/ciWorkflows
```

```
POST /v1/ciWorkflows
```

```
PATCH /v1/ciWorkflows/{id}
```

Build Runs

```
POST /v1/ciBuildRuns # Déclencher un build
```

```
GET /v1/ciBuildRuns/{id}
```

```
DELETE /v1/ciBuildRuns/{id} # Annuler
```

Artifacts

```
GET /v1/ciArtifacts/{id}
```

```
GET /v1/ciBuildActions/{id}/artifacts
```

Déclenchement automatique de builds

```
swift
```

```

func startWorkflow(workflowId: String, gitReferenceId: String) async throws {
    let buildRequest = CiBuildRunCreateRequest(
        data: .init(
            type: .ciBuildRuns,
            relationships: .init(
                workflow: .init(data: .init(type: .ciWorkflows, id: workflowId)),
                sourceBranchOrTag: .init(data: .init(type: .scmGitReferences, id: gitReferenceId))
            )
        )
    )

    let endpoint = APIEndpoint.v1.ciBuildRuns.post(buildRequest)
    let response = try await provider.request(endpoint)
    print("Build démarré: \(response.data.id)")
}

```

Scripts personnalisés CI

Xcode Cloud supporte trois types de scripts dans le répertoire `ci_scripts/`: [Apple Developer](#)

```

bash

#!/bin/bash
# ci_scripts/ci_pre_xcodebuild.sh

if [[ "$CI_XCODEBUILD_ACTION" == "archive" ]]; then
    echo "Configuration pour la production..."
    # Installation des dépendances
    brew install swiftlint
    pod install
fi

```

Variables d'environnement disponibles: [Apple Developer](#)

- `CI_WORKSPACE`: Chemin vers le workspace
- `CI_PRODUCT_PLATFORM`: Plateforme cible
- `CI_XCODEBUILD_ACTION`: Action en cours
- `CI_BUILD_NUMBER`: Numéro de build
- `CI_COMMIT`: SHA du commit

3. TestFlight API

Gestion des beta testers et groupes

python

```
class TestFlightAutomation:
    def create_beta_group(self, app_id, group_name):
        group_data = {
            "data": {
                "type": "betaGroups",
                "attributes": {
                    "name": group_name,
                    "isInternalGroup": False,
                    "publicLinkEnabled": True,
                    "publicLinkLimit": 1000
                },
                "relationships": {
                    "app": {"data": {"type": "apps", "id": app_id}}
                }
            }
        }

        response = requests.post(
            f"{self.base_url}/betaGroups",
            headers=self.get_headers(),
            json=group_data
        )
        return response.json()['data']['id']

    def add_testers_bulk(self, group_id, emails):
        for email in emails:
            tester_data = {
                "data": {
                    "type": "betaTesters",
                    "attributes": {
                        "email": email,
                        "firstName": email.split('@')[0],
                        "lastName": "Tester"
                    }
                }
            }
            requests.post(f"{self.base_url}/betaTesters", json=tester_data)
```

Endpoints TestFlight

bash

Gestion des builds

GET /v1/builds/{buildId}/betaBuildLocalizations

PATCH /v1/betaBuildLocalizations/{id} # Mettre à jour "What to Test"

Testers

POST /v1/betaTesters

POST /v1/betaTesterInvitations

GET /v1/betaTesters/{testerId}/metrics

Groupes

POST /v1/betaGroups

POST /v1/betaGroups/{groupId}/relationships/builds

PATCH /v1/betaGroups/{groupId} # Activer lien public

Soumission pour review

POST /v1/betaAppReviewSubmissions

Limites TestFlight

- **Testers internes:** 100 utilisateurs App Store Connect
- **Testers externes:** 10,000 par application Apple Developer Apple Developer
- **Builds maximum:** 100 par application
- **Expiration des builds:** 90 jours
- **Lien public:** Jusqu'à 10,000 testers Apple Developer 9to5Mac

4. Notarization API (macOS)

notarytool (Outil moderne)

```
bash
```

Soumettre pour notarisation

```
xcrun notarytool submit MyApp.dmg \  
  --key /path/to/AuthKey.p8 \  
  --key-id "KEY_ID" \  
  --issuer "ISSUER_ID" \  
  --wait
```

Vérifier le statut

```
xcrun notarytool info [submission-id] \  
  --keychain-profile "profile-name"
```

Récupérer les logs

```
xcrun notarytool log [submission-id] \  
  --keychain-profile "profile-name" \  
  output.json
```

Stapling automatique

bash

Après notarisation réussie

```
xcrun stapler staple "MyApp.app"  
xcrun stapler validate "MyApp.app"
```

API REST pour notarisation

python

```

def notarize_app(app_path, key_id, issuer_id, private_key):
    # 1. Générer JWT
    token = generate_jwt_token(key_id, issuer_id, private_key)

    # 2. Soumettre pour notarisation
    headers = {"Authorization": f"Bearer {token}"}

    with open(app_path, 'rb') as f:
        response = requests.post(
            "https://appstoreconnect.apple.com/notary/v2/submissions",
            headers=headers,
            files={'file': f}
        )

    submission_id = response.json()['id']

    # 3. Attendre la fin du traitement
    while True:
        status_response = requests.get(
            f"https://appstoreconnect.apple.com/notary/v2/submissions/{submission_id}",
            headers=headers
        )

        status = status_response.json()['status']
        if status in ['Accepted', 'Rejected']:
            break

        time.sleep(30)

    return status

```

5. Provisioning et Certificats API

Gestion automatique des certificats

```
bash
```

Créer un certificat

POST /v1/certificates

```
{
  "data": {
    "type": "certificates",
    "attributes": {
      "certificateType": "IOS_DISTRIBUTION",
      "csrContent": "base64-encoded-csr"
    }
  }
}
```

Créer un profil de provisioning

POST /v1/profiles

```
{
  "data": {
    "type": "profiles",
    "attributes": {
      "name": "Production Profile",
      "profileType": "IOS_APP_STORE"
    },
    "relationships": {
      "bundleId": {"data": {"type": "bundleIds", "id": "bundle-id"}},
      "certificates": {"data": [{"type": "certificates", "id": "cert-id"}]}
    }
  }
}
```

Enregistrement de devices

python

```
def register_devices(udids):
    for udid in udids:
        device_data = {
            "data": {
                "type": "devices",
                "attributes": {
                    "name": f"Device {udid[:8]}",
                    "platform": "IOS",
                    "udid": udid
                }
            }
        }
        requests.post(f"{BASE_URL}/devices", json=device_data)
```

6. Fastlane - Orchestration complète

Configuration Fastfile complète

ruby

```
# Fastfile
default_platform(:ios)

platform :ios do
  before_all do
    # Configuration API
    app_store_connect_api_key(
      key_id: ENV["ASC_KEY_ID"],
      issuer_id: ENV["ASC_ISSUER_ID"],
      key_filepath: "./AuthKey.p8",
      duration: 1200
    )
  end

  desc "Pipeline complet de publication"
  lane :release_pipeline do
    # 1. Gestion des versions
    increment_build_number(build_number: number_of_commits)
    increment_version_number(bump_type: "patch")

    # 2. Certificats et provisioning
    match(
      type: "appstore",
      readonly: false,
      git_url: ENV["MATCH_GIT_URL"]
    )

    # 3. Build
    build_app(
      scheme: "MyApp",
      workspace: "MyApp.xcworkspace",
      export_method: "app-store",
      include_bitcode: true,
      include_symbols: true
    )

    # 4. Screenshots automatiques
    capture_screenshots
    frame_screenshots

    # 5. Upload TestFlight
    upload_to_testflight(
      skip_waiting_for_build_processing: false,
      changelog: "Nouvelles fonctionnalités",
      beta_app_feedback_email: "beta@company.com",
      groups: ["Beta Testers", "Internal Team"]
    )
  end
end
```

```

)

# 6. Soumission App Store
upload_to_app_store(
  submit_for_review: true,
  automatic_release: false,
  force: true,
  metadata_path: "./fastlane/metadata",
  screenshots_path: "./fastlane/screenshots",
  submission_information: {
    add_id_info_uses_idfa: false,
    export_compliance_uses_encryption: false
  }
)
end
end

```

Actions Fastlane disponibles

App Store Connect:

- `upload_to_app_store` (deliver) `Fastlane` `Fastlane`
- `upload_to_testflight` (pilot) `Fastlane +2`
- `app_store_build_number` `Fastlane`
- `latest_testflight_build_number`
- `download_dsyms`
- `precheck`
- `upload_app_privacy_details_to_app_store` `Fastlane` `Fastlane`

Code Signing:

- `match` (sync_code_signing) `Fastlane`
- `cert` (get_certificates)
- `sigh` (get_provisioning_profile)
- `register_device`
- `register_devices`

Build:

- `build_app` (gym) `Fastlane`
- `build_ios_app`
- `build_mac_app`

- `xcarchive`
- `xcexport`

Screenshots:

- `capture_screenshots` (snapshot)
- `frame_screenshots` (frameit)

7. Transporter Tool (iTMSTransporter)

Commandes principales

bash

Upload avec authentification JWT

`ITMSTransporter -m upload -f package.itmsp -jwt $JWT_TOKEN`

Validation du package

`ITMSTransporter -m verify -f package.itmsp -u username -p password`

Vérification du statut

`ITMSTransporter -m status -u username -p password -apple_id 123456789`

Récupération des métadonnées

`ITMSTransporter -m lookupMetadata -u username -p password -apple_id 123456789`

Medium

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Structure du package ITMSP

```
MyApp.itmsp/  
├── metadata.xml  
├── MyApp.ipa  
├── screenshots/  
│   ├── iOS-5.5-in/  
│   │   ├── 01_screenshot.png  
│   │   └── 02_screenshot.png  
│   └── iOS-6.5-in/  
│       ├── 01_screenshot.png  
│       └── 02_screenshot.png  
└── previews/  
    └── preview.mov
```

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Protocoles de transport optimisés


```
bash
```

```
# HTTP (par défaut)
```

```
itMSTransporter -m upload -f package.itmsp -t DAV
```

```
# Signiant (plus rapide pour gros fichiers)
```

```
itMSTransporter -m upload -f package.itmsp -t Signiant
```

```
# Aspera (le plus rapide, nécessite configuration firewall)
```

```
itMSTransporter -m upload -f package.itmsp -t Aspera
```

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8. Outils CLI additionnels

xcrun pour distribution

```
bash
```

```
# Validation d'application
```

```
xcrun altool --validate-app -f MyApp.ipa -t ios --apiKey KEY_ID --apiIssuer ISSUER_ID
```

```
# Upload d'application
```

```
xcrun altool --upload-app -f MyApp.ipa -t ios --apiKey KEY_ID --apiIssuer ISSUER_ID
```

```
# Export avec upload direct
```

```
xcodebuild -exportArchive \  
-archivePath MyApp.xcarchive \  
-exportPath ./export \  
-exportOptionsPlist exportOptions.plist
```

Stack Overflow

agvtool pour gestion des versions

```
bash
```

```
# Afficher la version actuelle
```

```
agytool what-version
```

```
agytool what-marketing-version
```

```
# Incrémenter les versions
```

```
agytool next-version -all
```

```
agytool new-marketing-version 2.0.0
```

```
# Script automatique basé sur git
```

```
BUILD_NUMBER=$(git rev-list --count HEAD)
```

```
agytool new-version $BUILD_NUMBER
```

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9. Authentification et sécurité

Types d'authentification

1. JWT Token (Recommandé)

- Durée de vie: 20 minutes maximum [Andy Ibanez +2](#)
- Algorithme: ES256 [Tanaschita](#)
- Nécessite: Key ID, Issuer ID, Private Key (.p8) [fastlane](#)

2. App-Specific Password

- Pour outils legacy
- Génération sur appleid.apple.com
- Stockage sécurisé dans keychain

3. Certificats et Provisioning

- Types: Development, Distribution, Developer ID
- Gestion via match pour centralisation [Fastlane](#)

Stockage sécurisé des credentials

```
bash
```

```
# Keychain pour mots de passe
security add-generic-password -a "apple-id" -w "password" -s "notary-password"

# Variables d'environnement CI/CD
export ASC_KEY_ID="YOUR_KEY_ID"
export ASC_ISSUER_ID="YOUR_ISSUER_ID"
export ASC_PRIVATE_KEY_PATH="/secure/path/AuthKey.p8"

# Permissions fichiers
chmod 600 ~/.appstoreconnect/private_keys/*.p8
chmod 700 ~/.appstoreconnect/private_keys/
```

10. Limites et optimisation

Limites de taux par API

API	Limite horaire	Limite par minute	Timeout token
App Store Connect	3,600	~300-350	20 min
Notarization	Pas de limite fixe	Variable	20 min
TestFlight	3,600	~300-350	20 min

Stratégies d'optimisation

```
python

# Retry avec backoff exponentiel
import time

def api_call_with_retry(func, max_retries=3):
    for attempt in range(max_retries):
        try:
            return func()
        except RateLimitError as e:
            if attempt == max_retries - 1:
                raise
            wait_time = 2 ** attempt * 30 # 30, 60, 120 secondes
            time.sleep(wait_time)
```

Traitement parallèle

```
ruby
```

```
# Fastlane - Screenshots parallèles
```

```
concurrent_simulators(true)
```

```
max_concurrent_simulators(4)
```

```
# Uploads multiples
```

```
lanes = [:ios, :tvos, :macos]
```

```
lanes.each do |platform|
```

```
  Thread.new { send(platform, :upload) }
```

```
end
```

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11. Pipeline CI/CD complet

GitHub Actions exemple

yaml

name: iOS Release Complete

on:

push:

tags: ['v*']

jobs:

release:

runs-on: macos-latest

steps:

- uses: actions/checkout@v3

- name: Setup environment

run: |

echo "\${{ secrets.ASC_PRIVATE_KEY }}" | base64 -d > AuthKey.p8

bundle install

- name: Run tests

run: bundle exec fastlane test

- name: Build and sign

env:

ASC_KEY_ID: \${{ secrets.ASC_KEY_ID }}

ASC_ISSUER_ID: \${{ secrets.ASC_ISSUER_ID }}

MATCH_PASSWORD: \${{ secrets.MATCH_PASSWORD }}

run: |

bundle exec fastlane match appstore --readonly

bundle exec fastlane build_app

- name: Upload to TestFlight

run: bundle exec fastlane upload_to_testflight

- name: Submit for review

if: contains(github.ref, 'release')

run: bundle exec fastlane upload_to_app_store submit_for_review:true

- name: Notarize macOS version

if: matrix.platform == 'macos'

run: |

xcrun notarytool submit MyApp.dmg \

--key AuthKey.p8 \

--key-id \${{ secrets.ASC_KEY_ID }} \

--issuer \${{ secrets.ASC_ISSUER_ID }} \

--wait

xcrun stapler staple MyApp.dmg

Webhook handler pour automatisation complète

python

```
from flask import Flask, request
import hmac
import hashlib
import subprocess

app = Flask(__name__)

@app.route('/webhook/apple', methods=['POST'])
def handle_webhook():
    # Vérifier signature
    signature = request.headers.get('X-Apple-Signature')
    body = request.get_data()

    expected = hmac.new(
        WEBHOOK_SECRET.encode(),
        body,
        hashlib.sha256
    ).hexdigest()

    if not hmac.compare_digest(f'sha256={expected}', signature):
        return 'Unauthorized', 401

    payload = request.get_json()
    event_type = payload.get('eventType')

    if event_type == 'BUILD_UPLOAD_STATE_CHANGED':
        build_id = payload['data']['id']
        if payload['data']['attributes']['state'] == 'COMPLETE':
            # Déclencher distribution TestFlight
            subprocess.run([
                'fastlane', 'distribute_beta',
                f'build_id:{build_id}'
            ])

    elif event_type == 'APP_STORE_VERSION_STATE_CHANGED':
        if payload['data']['attributes']['appStoreState'] == 'READY_FOR_SALE':
            # Notifier l'équipe
            send_slack_notification("App publiée sur l'App Store!")

    return 'OK', 200
```

Conclusion

Cette documentation exhaustive couvre l'ensemble des API Apple disponibles pour l'automatisation complète du processus de publication d'applications. [Apple Developer +4](#) Les nouveautés 2025 incluent notamment les webhooks pour App Store Connect, l'API de build upload, [Apple Developer](#) et l'amélioration significative de l'API Xcode Cloud. [Apple Developer](#) [apple](#) L'utilisation combinée de ces API avec des outils comme fastlane permet de créer des pipelines CI/CD sophistiqués [GitHub +2](#) réduisant drastiquement le temps et l'effort nécessaires pour publier des applications sur l'App Store. [GitHub](#) [Fastlane](#)