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Orbot: Mobile Anonymity + Circumvention

What is Orbot?

Orbot is a free proxy app that empowers other apps to use the internet more securely. Orbot uses Tor to encrypt your Internet traffic and then hides it by bouncing through a series of computers around the world. Tor is free software and an open network that helps you defend against a form of network surveillance that threatens personal freedom and privacy, confidential business activities and relationships, and state security known as traffic analysis.

Orbot is the only app that creates a truly private internet connection. As the New York Times writes, "when a communication arrives from Tor, you can never know where or whom it's from." Tor won the 2012 Electronic Frontier Foundation (EFF) Pioneer Award.

★ ACCEPT NO SUBSTITUTES: Orbot is the safest way to use the Internet on Android. Period. Orbot bounces your encrypted traffic several times through computers around the world, instead of connecting you directly like VPNs and proxies. This process takes a little longer, but the strongest privacy and identity protection available is worth the wait.

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★ PRIVATE WEB SURFING: Use with Orweb, the most anonymous way to access any website, even if it's normally blocked, monitored, or on the hidden web. Get Orweb:https://goo.gl/s3mLa
★ PRIVATE CHAT MESSAGING: Use ChatSecure with Orbot to chat confidentially with anyone, anywhere for free. GetChatSecure
★ PRIVACY ON TWITTER: It works with the official Twitter app. To Tweet anonymously, just change the proxy settings to the following:

- Proxy Host: localhost
- Proxy Port: 8118

★ PRIVACY FOR APPS: Any installed app can use Tor if it has a proxy feature, using the settings found here: https://goo.gl/2OA1y . Try private web searching with DuckDuckGo: https://goo.gl/lgh1p
★ PRIVACY FOR EVERYONE: Tor can help you confidentially research a competitor, get around the Facebook block at school, or circumvent a firewall to watch sports at work.
★ PRIVACY MADE EASY: Check out our fun, interactive walkthrough:https://guardianproject.info/howto/browsefreely

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★ IT'S OFFICIAL: This is the official version of the Tor onion routing service for Android.

Expert Root Mode
★ UNIVERSAL MODE: Orbot can be configured to transparently proxy all of your Internet traffic through Tor. You can also choose which specific apps you want to use through Tor.

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★ OPEN-SOURCE: Orbot is free software. Take a look at our source code, or join the community to make it better: https://gitweb.torproject.org/orbot.git
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★ HELP US BRING ORBOT TO YOUR COUNTRY: We're trying to get Orbot into as many languages as possible. Right now it's in: Arabic (العربية), Basque (Euskara), Bulgarian (български език), Chinese (中文简体), Czech (Čeština), Danish (Dansk), Dutch (Nederlands), English, Farsi (فارسی), French (Français), French (Français), German (Deutsch), Greek (Ελληνικά), Hebrew (עברית), Hungarian (Magyar Nyelv), Italian (Italiano), Japanese (日本語) Korean (조선말), Latvian (Latviešu), Malaysian (بهاس ملايو), Polish (Polski), Portuguese (Português), Russian (Русский), Spanish (Español), Swedish (Svensk), and Vietnamese (Tiếng Việt).
If Orbot isn't in your language yet, we'd love to have you join our translation team: https://www.transifex.com/projects/p/orbot/

4 thoughts on "Orbot: Mobile Anonymity + Circumvention"

pingiscoolest says:
2010/10/02 at 1:28 pm

Is anyone using transparent proxying successfully on the HTC Evo currently? I have rooted android 2.1, installed orbot, and started it, but still visiting the check tor website results in the "sorry you are not using tor" message. I have tried this on wifi and mobile network, and with various browsers. Does anyone know where else I might look for information on how to do this? Thanks

aletheia says:
2011/04/11 at 3:23 pm

Does CM7 final support iptables? It was just released within the last day, but I can't find any definitive answer on iptables.

Nathan says:
2011/04/12 at 7:10 pm

It does but we have found that we need update Orbot to fix an incompatibility with a small change they made. We are working on that now, so stay tuned for a fix.

Thales Vieira Moreira says:
2014/04/12 at 11:52 pm

Sou leigo em relação a rede TOR, mas, me interessa muito aprender!
Gostaria de participar de alguma forma da rede TOR.

Comments are closed.

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