

Schrödinger Product Installation on a Mac

This document describes how to do a default installation of Schrödinger's Release 2015-2 software for use on a single Mac machine. If you need more details or encounter problems, refer to [Chapter 5](#) of the *Schrödinger Installation Guide*, which is included at the top level of the DVD or download along with these instructions. If you want to run jobs on remote hosts, or perform any other nondefault installation tasks, see the *Installation Guide*.

It is assumed that you have downloaded the software into your Downloads folder.

Installing the software

1. Click the disk image (.dmg) in your Downloads folder or insert the DVD.
2. Double-click the installer package (.pkg).
3. Follow the prompts in the installer.
4. When prompted, enter the required password to install the software.

The software is installed in /opt/schrodinger/suites2015-2, and a folder named SchrodingerSuites2015-2 is added to the Applications folder.

Setting up licensing

If you obtained the free version of Maestro as an academic user, or you have a node-locked license, the license is included with the software and is installed automatically. You can skip this section.

Otherwise, you will be sent an email message with information about obtaining and installing the license. If you do not receive a message, go to <http://www.schrodinger.com/licensing> for instructions.

If you do not have access to a license server on another machine, start one locally, as follows.

1. Double-click the Diagnostics icon in the SchrodingerSuites2015-2 folder of your Applications folder.

The Diagnostics panel opens and runs various diagnostic tests.

2. In the Server Status tab of the License tab, click Start License Server.

Checking that the software and documentation is working

1. Double-click the Maestro icon in the SchrodingerSuites2015-2 folder of your Applications folder to start Maestro, to check that Maestro is properly installed and licensed.
2. Choose Help → Documentation Index in Maestro and click on a link to ensure that the manuals open in your PDF viewer.