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# Get Started with this Guide

This guide contains three sections. You can read about:

- How to use your eReader

- How to use the Kobo Desktop Application

- How to use the Kobo service

The Kobo Desktop Application is included with your eReader. You can use it to read on your computer, shop for new books, and manage your eReader library.

The Kobo service lets you read your books from the Kobo Store on any Kobo-supported device, including your eReader, computer, and select smartphones and tablets.

For more information:

- To get started with your eReader, read the section called 'Use your eReader'.

- To use the Kobo Desktop Application, read the section called 'Use the Kobo Desktop Application'.

- To find out more about the Kobo service, read the section called 'Use the Kobo Service'.

## Use your eReader

### 1. Find your way around your eReader

#### What's in the box
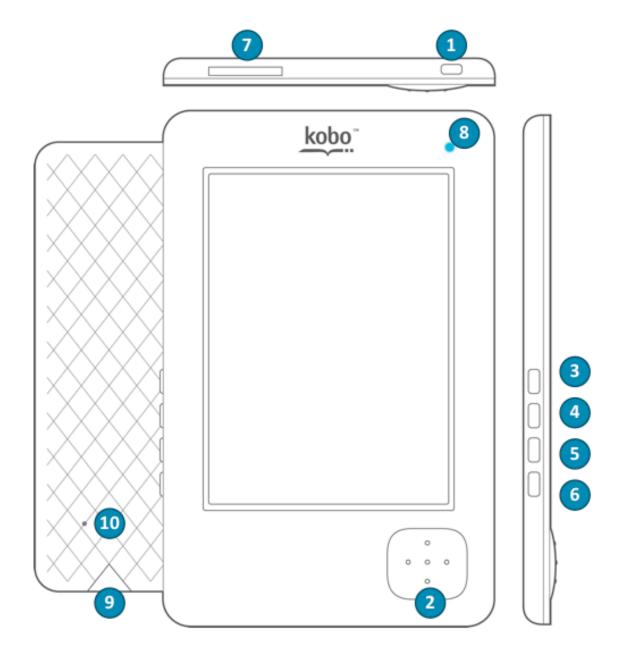
Thank you for purchasing a Kobo eReader. This guide introduces you to the basic features of your eReader.

Inside your box you should find:

- Your new Kobo eReader
- A USB cable
- The Quick Start Guide

You'll find the Quick Start Guide and USB cable tucked into the left panel of your box – simply lift the top flap and pull out the contents. The Quick Start Guide walks you through the basics of setting up and using your eReader, while this guide provides even more detail.

## What goes where
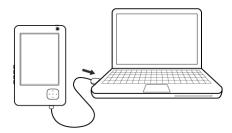
| | Item | Use it to… |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | Power Button | Turn your eReader on or off, or put it to sleep. |
| 2 | Navigation Pad | Navigate menus and select items.<br><br>When reading a book you can press left to page back and right to page forward, or up and down to increase and decrease the size of the text. |
| 3 | Home Button | Go to your I'M READING page, which lists books you're currently reading. |
| 4 | Menu Button | Access the BOOKS, SETTINGS, and HELP pages. |
| 5 | Shop Button | Start a wireless Internet connection and browse the Kobo Store, or update your library and bookmarks. |
| 6 | Back Button | Go back one screen. |
| 7 | SD Slot | Increase the number of books your eReader can hold by inserting an SD card (up to 32 GB). |
| 8 | Status Indicator Light | Check the status of your eReader when it is connected to your computer and charging. The light is red/violet when your eReader is charging. When the light turns blue your eReader is fully charged. |
| 9 | USB Port | Connect your eReader to your computer using the supplied USB cable, to synchronize or charge your eReader. |
| 10 | Reset Button | Reset your eReader if necessary. |

## 2. Start using your eReader

### Charge your eReader

To charge your eReader, connect it to your computer using the USB cable provided.

Your eReader will start charging (as long as your computer is running). It can take up to three hours to charge. The status light turns blue when your eReader is fully charged.

You will also see a prompt asking you what you would like to do while your eReader charges. You can read, or manage your library. If you choose to manage your library, your computer will treat your eReader as an external hard drive. You can then add books to your eReader using your computer or the Kobo Desktop Application.

- To read while your eReader charges, use the Navigation Pad to select KEEP READING.
- To add books or manage your library, select MANAGE LIBRARY.

## Turn it on and off

To turn your eReader on or off, press and hold the Power button for three seconds.

You can also change what your eReader shows on its screen when it is off. It can display a standard 'Powered Off' screen, or it can display the cover of the book you are currently reading. To switch between these settings:

1. Press the MENU button.

2. Using the Navigation Pad, select SETTINGS from the menu.

3. Press the MENU button again and select GENERAL from the SETTINGS sub-menu.

4. Use the Navigation Pad to highlight and select SET SLEEP & POWER.

5. To change the display settings used when your eReader is off, highlight POWERED OFF and then press right or left on the Navigation Pad.

   This switches the current setting between DO NOT SHOW COVER and SHOW COVER.

6. Use the Navigation Pad to highlight and select APPLY.

## Put it to sleep and wake it up

To put your eReader to sleep or wake it up, press the Power button until the Indicator light flashes on.

You can also change what your eReader shows on its screen when it is asleep. It can display a standard 'Sleep Mode' screen, or it can display the cover of the book you are currently reading. To switch between these settings:

1. Press the **MENU** button.

2. Using the Navigation Pad, select **SETTINGS** from the menu.

3. Press the **MENU** button again and select **GENERAL** from the **SETTINGS** sub-menu.

4. Use the Navigation Pad to highlight and select **SET SLEEP & POWER**.

5. To change the display settings used when your eReader is asleep, highlight **ON SLEEP** and then press right or left on the Navigation Pad.

   This switches the current setting between **DO NOT SHOW COVER** and **SHOW COVER**.

6. Use the Navigation Pad to highlight and select **APPLY**.

## Navigate using the Navigation Pad

The Navigation Pad lets you:

- Move around in menus

- Move around on screen

- Select items

- Move around in PDFs

- Turn pages in books

- Change the size of text in books

**To move around** in menus, press up or down on the Navigation Pad. Your eReader will highlight items so that you know where you are in the menu. To close a menu, press left on the Navigation Pad.

**To move around** on screen, press up, down, left or right on the Navigation Pad. Your eReader will highlight items so that you know where you are on the screen. Some pages have a series of links at the top of the page. To reach these, press up on the Navigation Pad until you highlight the first link, then press right (or left) to move between links.

**To select a book or other item**, use the Navigation Pad to move to highlight it, and then press the center of the Navigation Pad to select it.

**To move around in PDFs**, you have two options:

- If you are zoomed in (if you have magnified your document to see better), press up, down, left or right on the Navigation Pad to shift your display in that direction. When you reach the edge of the page, pressing up or left will take you back, while pressing down or right will page forward.

- If you are not zoomed in, pressing up or left will page back, and pressing down or right will page forward.

**To turn pages** while reading a regular book, just press left or right on the Navigation Pad. Pressing left takes you back a page, while right pages forward.

**To change the size of text** in a book, press up or down on the Navigation Pad. Pressing up increases the size of the text, while pressing down makes the text smaller. Your eReader offers five different sizes of text. You can also change the style of the text — see 'Change the way text looks' for more information.

## Enter text using the virtual keyboard

Your eReader provides a virtual keyboard so that you can enter text. This keyboard appears automatically whenever you select an area that lets you to enter text. For example, your eReader opens the keyboard whenever you try to search the Kobo Store, and when you need to enter a password for a wireless network.

**To use the keyboard**

- Use the Navigation Pad to select letters, numbers, and symbols from the virtual keyboard. Highlight the letter, number, or symbol you want, then press the middle of the pad to select it.

- To enter a capital letter, select the shift key (⇧), then select the characters you want to enter. Select the shift key again to turn off capitalization.

- To enter numbers or symbols that are not on the basic keyboard, select the **? 123** key. This opens the numeric and symbol keyboard.

- To delete text, select the backspace key (⌫).

- To move between different text fields on the screen, select << **PREV** or **NEXT >>**.

- Select **CLOSE** when you are finished entering text.

## Set the date

You will be prompted to set the date and time when you first set up your eReader, but you can change these settings at any time.

To set the date on your eReader:

1.  Turn it on and press the **MENU** button.

2.  Select **SETTINGS** from the menu.

    The **SETTINGS OVERVIEW** screen appears.

3.  Press the **MENU** button again and select **GENERAL** from the menu.

    Your eReader displays your current date and time settings.

4.  Select **SET DATE & TIME**.

    The **SET DATE & TIME** screen appears. The **YEAR** field is automatically selected.

    **Note:** You can also change the time settings for your eReader on this page. See 'Set the time' for more information.

5.  To change the year:

    a.  With the Year line selected, press right or left on the Navigation Pad.

    b.  Your eReader will increase or decrease the year.

7. To change the month:

   a. Press down on the Navigation Pad until you select the **MONTH** row.

   b. Press right or left on the Navigation Pad to change the month.

8. To change the date:

   a. Press down on the Navigation Pad until you select the **DAY** row.

   b. Press right or left on the Navigation Pad to change the date.

9. Press down on the Navigation Pad until you highlight **APPLY**.

10. Press the center of the Navigation Pad to apply your date changes.

## Set the time

To set the time on your eReader:

1. Turn it on and press the **MENU** button.

2. Select **SETTINGS** from the menu.

   The **SETTINGS OVERVIEW** screen appears.

3. Press the **MENU** button again and select **GENERAL** from the menu.

   Your eReader displays your current date and time settings.

4. Select **SET DATE & TIME** from the bottom of the screen.

   The **SET DATE & TIME** screen appears. The **YEAR** field is automatically selected.

   **Note:** You can also change the date settings for your eReader on this page. See 'Set the date' for more information.

5.  To change the hour:

    a.  Press down on the Navigation Pad until you select the **HOUR** row.

    b.  Press right or left on the Navigation Pad to change the hour.

    **Note:** Your eReader uses a 12-hour clock.

6.  To change the minute:

    a.  Press down on the Navigation Pad until you select the **MINUTE** row.

    b.  Press right or left on the Navigation Pad to change the minute.

7.  To set the time to morning or afternoon/evening:

    a.  Press down on the Navigation Pad until you select the **AM/PM** row.

    b.  Press right or left on the Navigation Pad to select either **AM** (morning) or **PM** (afternoon/night).

8.  To set your time zone:

    a.  Press down on the Navigation Pad until you select the row beneath the **TIME ZONE** heading.

    b.  Press right or left on the Navigation Pad to change time zone settings.

9.  To change your daylight savings time settings:

    a.  Press down on the Navigation Pad until you select the row that reads **DO YOU OBSERVE DAYLIGHT SAVINGS?**.

    b.  Press right or left on the Navigation Pad to select **YES** or **NO**.

10. Press down on the Navigation Pad until you highlight **APPLY**.

11. Press the center of the Navigation Pad to apply your time changes.

## Find out how much power your eReader has left

To find out how much memory your eReader has left, turn it on and press the MENU button. Check the battery icon at the bottom of the menu.

| Battery icon... | Meaning... |
|---|---|
| **E** | Your eReader is out of power. |
| | Your eReader is charging. |
| | Your eReader has partial charge. |
| | Your eReader is fully charged. |

When your battery gets very low on power, your eReader displays a warning message on screen. To recharge your eReader, connect it to your computer using the USB cable provided.

If your battery level drops to 20%, your eReader will warn you that you need to charge it. To clear the warning, connect your eReader to your computer using the USB cable provided. This will also start recharging your eReader.

## 3. Find books on your eReader

## A word about books

You can read different kinds of reading material on your eReader:

- Books
- Documents
- Newspapers and magazines

Each of these has its own area in your eReader library so that you can find them easily.

Your eReader figures out where to put items based on their file type. Your eReader can read EPUB files and PDF files. There are two types of PDF files – regular PDFs, and PDFs that are protected by Adobe Reader® Mobile technology (also called Adobe DRM). These protected PDFs are often used by libraries and similar organizations to prevent unauthorized distribution of their books.

Press the **MENU** button to see a list of areas you can browse:

- To find books in EPUB format, look in your **BOOKS** area.

- To find books in PDF format, look in your **DOCUMENTS** area.

- To find newspapers and magazines, look in the **NEWS & MAGS** area.

**Note:** Always check the **DOCUMENTS** area if you can't find a book in the **BOOKS** area, and vice versa.

## Find your 100 free classics

The 100 free classic books included with your eReader are available in your library.

To reach them:

1. Press the **MENU** button and select **BOOKS** from the menu.

   Your eReader will display a list of your free classics, as well as any other books you've purchased or added to your eReader. Press left and right on the Navigation Pad to page forward and back in the list.

   To see only your 100 free classics:

   a. Press the **DISPLAY** button.

   b. Select **PRE-LOADED BOOKS**.

   Your eReader will filter your **BOOKS** area and show only your free classics. To see your full list of books again, just select **ALL BOOKS** from the **DISPLAY** menu.

## Find books you've added

Have you added books to your eReader? To find them, press the **MENU** button and then select:

- **BOOKS** if they were EPUB files.
- **DOCUMENTS** if they were PDF files.

**Note:** If you can't find your book in the areas listed above, see what file format it used. If it was an unsupported file format you may not be able to read it on your eReader.

**Learn More:** For information on how to add books to your eReader, see 'Add a book to your eReader'.

## Find books you've started reading

When you open a book and started reading, your eReader automatically adds it to an area of your library called I'M READING. This area gives you a quick way to find the books, documents, newspapers and magazines you're currently reading. It lists the name and author of each book, and indicates which chapter you are currently in each book.

Your eReader automatically removes items from your I'M READING area when you reach the last page.

To reach your I'M READING area, press the HOME button.

## Change the way your eReader shows books

When you visit your BOOKS area to see what's in your library, you can change:

- How books are shown
- How books are sorted

### Changing how books are shown

Your eReader can show books in several different ways. It can display your library as a series of book covers, or a list of book titles, or show both.

To change how your eReader shows books:

1. Go to your **BOOKS** area.

   To reach this area, press the **MENU** button and select **BOOKS**.

2. Press the **MENU** button and select **DISPLAY** from the menu.

   The **DISPLAY** menu appears.

3. Choose how you want books shown:

   - **COVERS AND TEXT**

   - **COVERS ONLY**

   - **TEXT ONLY**

**Note:** Your **I'M READING** and **DOCUMENTS** pages are always displayed as a list.

### Changing which books are shown

If your library gets too big to browse easily, you can filter it so that your eReader shows fewer titles in your BOOKS area. You can filter books to show:

- All books in your library.

- Only the 100 free classics that were included with your Kobo eReader.

- Only those books and documents you added to your eReader.

To change how your eReader filters books:

1. Go to your BOOKS area.

   To reach this area, press the MENU button and select BOOKS.

2. Press the DISPLAY button and select which books you want to see:

   - ALL BOOKS

   - PRE-LOADED BOOKS

   - MY BOOKS

### Changing how books are sorted

You can change how books are sorted in your BOOKS area. You can sort books by:

- Their titles, in alphabetical order.

- By author, in alphabetical order by last name.

- By the date you last read them.

To change how your eReader sorts books:

1. Go to your **BOOKS** area.

   To reach this area, press the **MENU** button and select **BOOKS**.

2. Press the **MENU** button and select how you want books sorted:

   - **BY TITLE**

   - **BY AUTHOR**

   - **BY LAST READ**

## 4. Read a book on your eReader

### Open a book

In most cases you will find your books in the **BOOKS** area of your eReader. If you've already started reading a book, you will also find it listed in your **I'M READING** area.

To open a book:

1. Go to either your **BOOKS** area or your **I'M READING** area.

   - To reach your **BOOKS** area, press the **MENU** button and select **BOOKS**.

   - To reach your **I'M READING** area, press the **HOME** button.

2. Press up or down on the Navigation Pad to move around the list of available books.

   If your list spans multiple pages, press left and right to move between pages.

3. When you find a book you want to read, highlight its cover or title using the Navigation Pad, then press the middle of the Navigation Pad to open the book.

## Use the Table of Contents

While you can turn pages using the Navigation Pad, sometimes you may want to jump to a specific part of a book. You can use the Table of Contents to do this, as well as to get an overview of the contents of your book.

To use the Table of Contents:

1. Open the book you want to read.

2. Press the MENU button and select TABLE OF CONTENTS from the menu.

   Your eReader displays the book's contents. Use the Navigation Pad to navigate the contents:

   - Press up and down to move through the list of chapters.

   - Press the middle of the Navigation Pad to select a chapter and jump directly to the start of it.

   - If the Table of Contents spans multiple pages, press left and right to move between pages.

   - Select RETURN TO CURRENT PAGE from the first page when you want to leave the Table of Contents.

## Turn pages and move around a book

Moving around while reading is easy. To turn pages in a book, just use the Navigation Pad:

- Press left to go back one page.

- Press right to go forward one page.

If you want to jump forward by more than a page or two, you can also use the NEXT CHAPTER or PREVIOUS CHAPTER options to move around.

- To move to the start of the next section, press the MENU button and select NEXT CHAPTER from the menu.

- To go back to the start of the previous section, press the MENU button and select PREVIOUS CHAPTER from the menu.

You can also use the Table of Contents to skip directly to a specific chapter. See 'Use the Table of Contents' for more information.

## Make text bigger or smaller

When you are reading a book you can easily adjust the size of text to make reading easier on your eyes. Your eReader offers five different sizes of text. Use the Navigation Pad to change the text size:

- Press up to make text bigger.

- Press down to make text smaller.

**Note:** When you change the size of text in one book, your eReader remembers your preferred text size and applies it to other books you're reading.

## Change the way text looks

You can change the type of font that your eReader uses in your books, to personalize your reading experience. You can choose between a serif font and a sans-serif font.



To change the font your eReader uses in a book:

1. Press the **MENU** button and select **DISPLAY** from the menu.

   The **DISPLAY** menu appears.

2. From the Font section of the menu, choose the type of text you want to read:

   - **SERIF**

   - **SANS SERIF**

3.  From the Size section of the menu, choose the size of text you want to read.

4.  If your text is aligned to the right or middle of the screen, select FORCE LEFT from the Justification section of the menu to make the text align to the left.

**Note:** When you change the type of text you prefer in one book, your eReader remembers your preference and automatically applies it to other books you're reading.

## Look up a word in the dictionary

**Note:** The dictionary is only available when you read books from the Kobo Store. Books from other sources (and books you have added to your eReader using Adobe Digital Editions) will not offer the dictionary.

To look up the meaning of a word:

1.  While reading, press the MENU button.

2.  Select DICTIONARY from the menu.

    Your eReader now lets you use the Navigation Pad to move around within the text on the page, and select words. Selected words are underlined.

3.  Use the Navigation Pad to move up, down, left, or right until you select the word you want to look up.

4.  Press the middle of the Navigation Pad to select the word.

    Your eReader looks up the word you highlighted and displays the meaning at the bottom of the screen.

    Press the BACK button to go back to reading.

## Close a book

When you're done reading, you can stop reading by:

- Turning your eReader off or putting it to sleep

- Going to one of your library pages (I'M READING, BOOKS, DOCUMENTS, etcetera)

Your eReader automatically closes your book when you do this, and bookmarks the page you were on. The next time you open the book, it will remember where you stopped reading and open your book to that page. It also updates your book's information in the BOOKS and I'M READING areas, to show which chapter you reached and how much of your book remains.

## Finish a book

When you reach the last page of your book, press right on the Navigation Pad to turn the last page. This lets your eReader know that you have finished the book. It will stop listing your book on your I'M READING page, and change the book's status to FINISHED in the BOOKS area.

## 5. Add a book to your eReader

## A word about adding books

eBooks come in a range of formats. When you look for books to read on your Kobo eReader, look for books in EPUB or PDF formats, like those in the Kobo Store.

What's more, sometimes books are protected using *Digital Rights Management* (DRM). DRM prevents unauthorized copying and redistribution of books, and is often used to protect the books you get from libraries and booksellers. There are

several varieties of DRM protection. Your eReader can read books that are protected using Adobe DRM.

> **Tip:** If you borrow or buy a book and get a file with an .acsm extension (instead of an .epub or .pdf extension), this means that your book is protected with DRM. The .acsm file contains licensing and download information for your book. See 'Add library books and other protected books to your eReader' for more information.

Once you've found books that you want to read on your Kobo eReader, you can choose from a variety of ways of adding them. You can transfer books to your eReader using:

- the Kobo Desktop Application included with your eReader
- Adobe Digital Editions
- an SD card
- drag and drop
- other library management software (like Calibre)

Which method works best depends on whether your books are protected by DRM, and where they came from.

**If your books are protected by DRM**, you can add them to your eReader using Adobe Digital Editions.

**If your books are not protected by DRM**, you can add them to your eReader using:

- an SD card
- drag and drop
- Adobe Digital Editions, Calibre, or other eBook library software

**If your books came from the Kobo Store**, you can always use the Kobo Desktop Application to add them to your eReader (whether they are DRM-protected or not).

## Add books using the Kobo Desktop Application

An easy way to buy and add books is using the free Kobo Desktop Application included with your Kobo eReader. You can use this application to shop for new books, transfer your purchases to your eReader, and manage your library. For more information, see the section 'Use the Kobo Desktop Application'.

## Add books wirelessly

You can add books by shopping the Kobo Store directly from your eReader. You'll need a wireless Internet connection and a Kobo account to do this. Just set up a wireless connection from your Kobo eReader, shop for something you like, then download your new book to your eReader — it's that easy, and no computer required.

For more information, see 'Shop for books on the go'.

## Add books bought at the Kobo Store website

You can shop the Kobo Store from any Web browser by visiting http://www.kobobooks.com.

Once you've found the perfect book, you can add it to your eReader in a variety of ways. You can:

- Use the Kobo Desktop Application to update your library, then connect and synchronize your eReader.

  See 'Use the Kobo Desktop Application'.

- Set up a wireless Internet connection on your eReader and update your library.
  See 'Work wirelessly with your Kobo eReader'.

- Download the book (in EPUB or PDF format) to your computer, then copy the book to your eReader.

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  If your downloaded file has an .acsm file extension, you can now open it in Adobe Digital Editions and use this application to transfer the book to your Kobo eReader. See 'Add library books and other protected books to your eReader'.

If your downloaded file has an .epub or .pdf extension, you can:

- Use drag-and-drop to transfer the book to your eReader.

  See 'Add books by dragging and dropping them onto your eReader'.

- Use an SD card to transfer your book to your eReader.

  See 'Add books using an SD card'.

- Use another application to transfer your book to your eReader.

  See 'Add books using another application'.

- Use Adobe Digital Editions to transfer your book to your eReader.

  See 'Add books using another application'.

## Add books by dragging and dropping them onto your eReader

You can add new books to your eReader by accessing it like a portable hard drive.

To do this you will need:

- a PC or Mac computer

- the USB cable provided with your eReader

- the books you want to add to your eReader, in EPUB or PDF format

### To add books to your eReader using a Windows computer

1. Connect your eReader to your computer using the USB cable.

   Your eReader will prompt you to either keep reading or manage your library. You can use your computer or the Desktop Application to add books and manage your eReader.

2. Using the Navigation Pad, select MANAGE LIBRARY.

   Windows should automatically detect that you connected a new device.

3. When prompted for an action, select '**Open folder to view files**.'

   A window should open, showing the contents of your eReader.

4. In another Explorer window, navigate to where you stored the eBooks you want to move to your eReader.

5. Drag and drop your eBooks into the eReader window.

   That's it! You can now disconnect your eReader and read your new books.

   To disconnect your eReader:

   a. Open My Computer.

   b. Right-click **KOBOeReader**.

   c. Select **Eject**.

   d. Unplug the USB cable from your eReader and computer.

   You can turn on your eReader and find your new books. They will be in the **BOOKS** area if the files were EPUBs, or in the **DOCUMENTS** area if they were PDFs.

### To add books to your eReader using a Mac computer

1. Connect your eReader to your computer using the USB cable.

   Your eReader will prompt you to either keep reading or manage your library. You can use your computer or the Desktop Application to add books and manage your eReader.

2. Using the Navigation Pad, select **MANAGE LIBRARY**.

3. On your computer, open your Finder application.

4. Select **KOBOeReader** from your list of devices.

   Finder should display the contents of your eReader.

5. In another Finder window, navigate to where you stored the eBooks you want to transfer to your eReader.

6. Drag and drop your eBooks into the eReader window.

   That's it! You can now disconnect your eReader and read your new books.

   To disconnect your eReader:

   a. In Finder, select **KOBOeReader** from your list of devices.

   b. From the File menu, select **"Eject KOBOeReader"**.

      **Note:** If you have an SD card inserted into your eReader, you must eject this too.

   c. Unplug the USB cable from your eReader and computer.

   You can turn on your eReader and find your new books. They will be in the BOOKS area if the files were EPUBs, or in the DOCUMENTS area if they were PDFs.

## Add books using an SD card

You can increase the number of books your eReader can hold by adding an SD card (up to 32 GB) with books already stored on it. Books must be in EPUB or PDF format. It does not matter how they are organized on the SD card — your eReader will scan the entire card for books and list any that it finds in your library. EPUB files will be added to your BOOKS area, and PDF files will be added to your DOCUMENTS area. The eReader will ignore any files that it cannot read.

To add books on an SD card:

1.  Put your EPUB or PDF files on an SD card.

2.  Turn off your eReader.

3.  Insert the SD card into the SD card slot at the top of the eReader and push gently until it slides in.

4.  Turn on your eReader.

    Your eReader will scan the SD card for books and documents, and update your library. This may take a few moments.

    **Note:** Your eReader does not copy files from the SD card, it merely reads the files that are stored on it. This means that you must leave your SD card inserted while you read any books stored on the card. If you remove the card you will lose access to any books on it. To remove an SD card, simply press it gently and then release it. It should pop partially out of the SD slot for easy removal.

## Add library books and other DRM-protected books to your eReader

Want to borrow eBooks from a public library and read them on your eReader? Or maybe you have eBooks from other sources that you'd like to add?

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## Authorize your eReader

1.  Install Adobe Digital Editions (ADE).

2.  When prompted, select **Authorize Computer**.

    If you don't already have an Adobe ID, click the **get an Adobe ID online** link. Adobe will launch your web browser and take you to the Adobe Sign In page. Follow the instructions there to create an Adobe account. When you're done, return to Adobe Digital Editions.

3.  Enter your Adobe ID and password, then click **Activate**.

4.  Click **Finished** when Adobe finishes authorizing your computer.

5.  Connect your eReader to your computer and select **Manage Library**.

6.  Restart ADE.

    ADE looks for any connected eReaders and starts the Device Setup Assistant when it detects your eReader.

7.  Click **Authorize Device**.

    ADE authorizes your eReader. This means it adds your eReader to the list of eReaders and computers associated with your account. (Adobe limits the number of devices and computers you can use with their software, which is why this is necessary.)

8.  Click **Finished** to complete the process.

    Your eReader will now be listed as one of your Bookshelves in ADE, which means you can transfer protected books to it.

    **Note:**

    You can also deauthorize your eReader at any time. You might need to do this, for example, if you have a used eReader that was previously authorized to another person, or if you want to give your eReader to someone as a gift.

    To deauthorize your eReader:

    a.  Connect your eReader to your computer.

    b.  Press Control-Shift- E (in Windows) or Command-Shift-E (on a Mac).

    c.  Select your eReader from the list of authorized devices.

    d.  Click **Deauthorize**.

## Add DRM-protected books to your eReader using Adobe Digital Editions

**Note:** You must be connected to the Internet in order to add a protected book to Adobe Digital Editions, and your eReader must be connected to your computer.

1. Navigate to where you downloaded your book's .acsm file.

2. Double-click the .acsm file.

   Adobe Digital Editions should start automatically. If it doesn't, right-click the .acsm file, select **Open With**, then select **Adobe Digital Editions**.

   Adobe Digital Editions verifies the license information in the .acsm file, downloads your book, and opens it.

3. Click the library icon to switch to your library view.

4. Select your new book and drag it to the **Kobo eReader** bookshelf.

   Your new book is now ready to read on your eReader.

## Add books from other sellers to your eReader

Please see 'Add library books and other DRM-protected books to your eReader'.

## Add books using another application

In some cases you can use applications created by other manufacturers to add books to your eReader. Two popular applications are Adobe Digital Editions (ADE) and Calibre.

### Adobe Digital Editions

Use Adobe Digital Editions if you want to transfer eBooks protected by Adobe DRM to your Kobo eReader. Adobe DRM is a way of encrypting and securing eBooks.

You can also use ADE to transfer non-protected books to your eReader. Any books that you transfer must be in either EPUB or PDF format.

See 'Add library books and other DRM-protected books to your eReader' for more information.

You can also use ADE to transfer non-protected books to your eReader. Any books that you transfer must be in either EPUB or PDF format.

For more information on using Adobe Digital Editions, see: http://www.adobe.com/products/digitaleditions/

**Calibre**

Calibre is a popular open-source application for managing libraries of eBooks. You can use Calibre to organize eBooks on your computer, convert eBooks to EPUB or PDF formats (or a range of others), and transfer books to your eReader.

**Note:** Calibre will only work with eBooks that aren't protected by DRM.

For more information on using Calibre, see:

http://calibre-ebook.com/

## 6.  Shop for books on the go

### A word about shopping

Your Kobo eReader supports wireless networking through a wireless access point. By connecting to a wireless network you can shop the Kobo Store and download books on the go, without a computer.

In order to shop from your eReader, you need to set up a wireless Internet connection to the Kobo Store. To do this all you need is access to a wireless network in your area.

For more information on using wireless networking with your eReader, see 'Work wirelessly with your Kobo eReader'.

**Note:** You can also shop the Kobo Store from your computer, using the Kobo Desktop Application. See 'Use the Kobo Desktop Application' for more information.

### Visit the Kobo Store

Before you start shopping, you need to set up a wireless Internet connection to the Kobo Store. To do this:

1. Press the SHOP button.

2. Select SHOP NOW from the menu.

   The WIRELESS STATUS screen appears. If you are not connected to a wireless network, the status will be OFF. Press the middle of the Navigation Pad to turn on the wireless antenna.

Your Kobo eReader scans your area for any available wireless networks. When it finishes doing this it will list all the networks it found.

3.  Use the Navigation Pad to move through the list of available networks until you reach the one you want to join.

4.  Press the middle of the Navigation Pad to select the network.

    A NETWORK DETAILS screen appears. This screen tells you what kind of security the network uses (if any), how strong a wireless signal you have, and whether you are connected to it.

5.  Select JOIN NETWORK.

    If you selected a secure network, your eReader will prompt you for a network password.

    a.  Use the virtual keyboard to enter the network password.

        See "Use a secure wireless network" for more information.

    b.  Select JOIN NETWORK.

    That's it! Once connected, your eReader will take you directly to the main page of the Kobo Store so that you can start shopping. You can:

    - Browse many categories of books

    - Look through recommended reading lists

    - Find free books

    - See the week's featured titles

    - Search for a specific title or author

## Browse by category

The Kobo Store organizes books into categories, just like a regular bookstore. This makes it easier to browse and find a specific type of book.

To browse by category:

1. Go to the main page of the Kobo Store and use the Navigation Pad to select **BROWSE**.

   You can also press the **SHOP** button and select **CATEGORIES** from the menu.

   The **BROWSE CATEGORIES** page should appear.

2. Press up and down on the Navigation Pad to move around the list of categories. When you find a category you're interested in, use the Navigation Pad to select it.

3. Browse the category to find a book you're interested in.

   To get more information on a book, use the Navigation Pad to highlight and select its title. Your eReader will display a synopsis of the book, and the book's rating.

   If you want to go back at any time, just press the **BACK** button until you return to the page you want.

## Find recommended books

The Kobo Store offers lists of books with a common theme, or that were recommended by other readers. This makes it easy to see what other people are reading and enjoying.

To browse recommended books:

1. Go to the main page of the Kobo Store.

   If you are already in the store, you can return to the main page by selecting the HOME link at the top of each page: Press up on the Navigation Pad until the link is highlighted, then press the middle of the pad to select it.

2. On the main page, press down on the Navigation Pad until you highlight RECOMMENDED.

3. Press the middle of the pad to select it.

   The RECOMMENDED READING page should appear.

4. Use the Navigation Pad to move around the page. When you find a list that you're interested in, use the pad to select it.

   The store will display the books in that recommended reading list.

5. Browse the list for books that you're interested in.

   To get more information on a book, use the Navigation Pad to highlight and select its title. Your eReader will display a synopsis of the book, and its rating.

   If you want to go back at any time, just press the BACK button until you return to the page you want.

## Search by author or title

Sometimes you want a specific book, or to find books by a specific author. The fastest way to find particular items is to search for them.

To search the Kobo Store:

1. Press the **MENU** button.

2. Select **SEARCH** from the menu (under **STORE**).

3. Use the virtual keyboard to enter the title, keywords, or author name that you want to search for.

4. Use the Navigation Pad to select **SEARCH**.

   Your eReader searches the Kobo Store for any books that match your criteria, and displays a list of any books it finds.

5. To get more information on a book, use the Navigation Pad to highlight and select its title in the list of search results.

   Your eReader displays detailed information about the book.

## Buy your first book

You can purchase a book at any time from its information page. This is the page that shows the book's synopsis and rating.

**Note:** You must set up your billing information and a credit card for your Kobo account before you can purchase books on your eReader. Visit Kobo on the Web to manage your account online. See 'Set up or update your credit card and billing information' for more information.

To buy a book:

1. Use the Navigation Pad to select the BUY NOW link on your book's information page.

   This starts the store checkout process. Your eReader will prompt you to sign in to your Kobo account.

2. Use the virtual keyboard to enter the email address and password associated with your Kobo account (select NEXT to move between fields), then select SIGN IN to continue.

   Your eReader verifies that you have credit card information on file. (If not, you will see an error message and will not be able to proceed.) The CHECKOUT – VERIFY screen appears, showing the book you chose and a summary of your payment details.

3. Verify that everything looks okay.

4. Select BUY NOW to complete your purchase.

   Your eReader downloads your new book.

5. Select **OK** when your download completes.

   You'll find it in the **BOOKS** and **I'M READING** areas on your eReader.

   In the future, all you will need to do to buy books is select an item's **BUY NOW** link in the Kobo Store. Since Kobo stores your payment and billing information for you, your eReader will take you directly to the **CHECKOUT – VERIFY** screen to complete your purchase.

## Set up or update your credit card and billing information

You need to add billing information and credit card information to your account before you can shop the Kobo Store from your eReader. The easiest way is to visit the Kobo Store on the Web at http://www.kobobooks.com. Just sign in to change your billing information online.

1. Visit the store on the Web and click **SIGN IN** on the main page.

2. In the **GOT AN ACCOUNT** area, enter your e-mail address and the password for your Kobo account.

3. Click **SIGN IN**.

4. Once you're signed in, click the **ACCOUNT** link to modify your account settings.

5. Scroll down on the **MODIFY YOUR ACCOUNT SETTINGS** page until you find the **BILLING ADDRESS & CREDIT CARD** area.

6. Enter your credit card information and the billing address associated with that credit card.

7. Click **SAVE**.

   Your new information will be added to your eReader the next time you update your library wirelessly, or synchronize it using the Kobo Desktop Application.

## 7. Read documents on your eReader

### A word about documents

Your eReader reads more than books — you can add and read other documents too. You add documents to your eReader in the same way you add books. The Kobo eReader supports documents in PDF format, including those protected by Adobe DRM.

For more information on DRM and different ways of adding items to your eReader, see 'A word about adding books'.

Because documents are a different type of file than regular books, you read them in a slightly different way on your eReader. They are also stored in a different part of your library — the **DOCUMENTS** area.

## Find your documents

Documents are stored in a special DOCUMENTS area of your library.

To access this area:

1. Press the MENU button.

2. Select DOCUMENTS from the menu.

   Your eReader will display a list of all the documents currently added to your library. Details include:

   - The name of each document

   - The date it was added to your eReader

   - Its current status — UNREAD, OPEN, or FINISHED.

## Change the way your eReader sorts documents

You can change how documents are sorted in your DOCUMENTS area. You can sort them by:

- Their file name, in alphabetical order.

- By the date you added them.

- By the date you last read them.

To change how your eReader sorts documents:

1. Go to your **DOCUMENTS** area.

   To reach this area, press the **MENU** button and select **DOCUMENTS**.

2. Press the **MENU** button again and select how you want books sorted:

   - **BY FILE NAME**

   - **BY DATE ADDED**

   - **BY LAST READ**

## Open a document

To open a document:

1. Go to either your **DOCUMENTS** area.

   To reach your **DOCUMENTS** area, press the **MENU** button and select **DOCUMENTS**.

2. Press up or down on the Navigation Pad to move around the list of available documents.

   If your list spans multiple pages, press left and right to move between pages.

3. When you find a document you want to read, highlight its cover or title using the Navigation Pad, then press the middle of the Navigation Pad to open the document.

## Use the Table of Contents

**Note:** Not all documents have a Table of Contents.

While you can turn pages using the Navigation Pad, sometimes you may want to jump to a specific part of a document. You can use the Table of Contents to do this, as well as to get an overview of the contents of your document.

To use the Table of Contents:

1. Open the document you want to read.

2. Press the MENU button and select TABLE OF CONTENTS from the menu.

   Your eReader displays the document's contents. Use the Navigation Pad to navigate the contents:

   - Press up and down to move through the list of sections.

   - Press the middle of the Navigation Pad to select a section and jump directly to the start of it.

   - If the Table of Contents spans multiple pages, press left and right to move between pages.

   - Select RETURN TO CURRENT PAGE from the first page when you want to leave the Table of Contents.

## Turn pages

Turning pages in documents can be a little different from turning pages in books.

When reading a book, you press right on the Navigation Pad to turn the page forward, or press left to go back a page. You do this when reading a document too, except when you are zoomed in.

When you zoom in on a document, you magnify it to see a portion of the page at a larger size. This means there are parts of the page that will not fit on your eReader screen. When you magnify a document like this, pressing left and right (or up and down) on the Navigation Pad moves the page you're reading so that you can see a different part of the page.

To turn the page when zoomed in, you need to shift your view until you reach an edge of the page.

To go back one page:

- Use the Navigation Pad to shift your view to the left or top edge of the page.
- Press left or up on the Navigation Pad (depending on which edge you have reached).

To go forward one page:

- Use the Navigation Pad to shift your view to the right or bottom edge of the page.
- Press right or down on the Navigation Pad (depending on which edge you have reached).

**Note:** You can also zoom out (that is, go back to 100% magnification) and turn pages normally.

## Zoom in and out

When reading a PDF document, you have the option of zooming in (or magnifying) the page you are reading. Your eReader lets you magnify a PDF page by up to 200%. This lets you see a portion of the page at a larger size.

To zoom in on a PDF document:

1. Press the **MENU** button and use the Navigation Pad to select **DISPLAY** from the menu.

   The **DISPLAY** menu appears.

2. Select how much you want to magnify your PDF page.

   You can zoom in by 100% to 200%.

   When you zoom in, parts of the page will not fit on your eReader screen. Arrows will appear at the edges of your screen to show that you are zoomed in. Use the Navigation Pad to move around on the page. When you reach the edge of a page, the arrow at the edge of the page will turn to a solid black arrow. If you use the Navigation Pad to move in this direction again, you will turn the page.



To zoom out of a PDF document:

1. Press the **MENU** button and use the Navigation Pad to select **DISPLAY** from the menu.

   The **DISPLAY** menu appears.

2. Select **WHOLE PAGE** to go back to the normal view.

## Read in 'Landscape' mode

When reading a PDF document, you can change the way you hold your eReader. You can hold it in the normal way, which is the *portrait* orientation, or you can turn it 90° to the left to read in the *landscape* orientation.

Reading in landscape mode means that you can take advantage of the longer side of your eReader's screen to see more text. This is particularly useful when you are zoomed in on a PDF document.

To change the orientation of your PDF document:

1. Press the MENU button and use the Navigation Pad to select DISPLAY from the menu.

   The DISPLAY menu appears.

2. Select LANDSCAPE to read your document across the long edge of your eReader.

   To change back to the normal view, select PORTRAIT.

## Close a document

When you're done reading, you can stop reading by:

- Turning your eReader off or putting it to sleep
- Going to your one of your library pages (I'M READING, BOOKS, DOCUMENTS, etcetera)

Your eReader automatically closes your document when you do this, and bookmarks the page you were on. The next time you open the book, it will remember where you stopped reading and open your document to that page.

## 8.  Add newspapers or magazines to your eReader

### A word about subscriptions

If you have already subscribed to some of the great newspapers and magazines available in the Kobo Store, you can read your publications on your Kobo eReader.

> **Note:** To subscribe to newspapers and magazines, use the Kobo Desktop Application or shop online at the Kobo Store at www.kobobooks.com.
>
> Newspaper and magazines are divided into sections, just like their printed versions. When you open one, you'll find a front section with links to top stories and articles. Depending on what you're reading, other sections will contain the kind of content you'd find in print – things like Sports, Finance, and so on.

To save or delete issues and manage your subscriptions you can use the Kobo Desktop Application or access your account online at the Kobo Store.

If you want to keep an issue use the Kobo Desktop Application to save it. Your eReader keeps only fourteen issues of each of your newspapers and magazines at any time.

### Subscribe to a newspaper or magazine

All newspaper and magazine subscriptions start with a free 14-day trial.

To subscribe, just find an interesting newspaper or magazine in the Kobo Store and click the **Free Trial** button next to its name.

You can always find the subscription price listed near the **Free Trial** button, as well as information about how often the publication delivers new issues (for example, monthly, weekly, or daily).

## Get your latest issues

Your eReader can checks for new issues each day automatically. As long as a known wireless network is available, the eReader connects and updates your library. Your latest issues are delivered directly to your NEWS & MAGS area. You can turn off this feature if you want.

If your eReader can't connect to a wireless network or if you turn off the automatic download feature, you can use the eReader to start a wireless connection and update your library yourself.

If there are no wireless networks in your area you can use the Kobo Desktop Application to get new issues. Simply connect your Kobo eReader to your computer, launch the application, and click SYNC.

You will find your new issues in the NEWS & MAGS area of your eReader.

### Turn off automatic downloads

If you don't want your eReader to automatically connect to the Store each day to download new issues of your newspapers and magazines, you can turn off this feature.

1. Press MENU.

2. Select SETTINGS.

3. Press MENU again and select GENERAL from the menu.

4. Using the Navigation Pad, select **SET NEWS AND MAGS** on the screen (under **NEWSPAPERS & MAGAZINES**).

5. Press left or right on the Navigation Pad to change the **DOWNLOAD DAILY** setting to **NO**.

6. Select **APPLY**.

## Find a newspaper or magazine

Your eReader stores newspapers and magazines in their own **NEWS & MAGS** area of your library.

To reach your **NEWS & MAGS** area:

1. Press the **MENU** button.

2. Select **NEWS & MAGS** from the menu.

Here you'll find any newspapers and magazines you are subscribed to. The word **NEW** will appear beside any unread issues. Your eReader also displays the date each newspaper or magazine was updated.

You can change how newspapers and magazines are sorted in this area. You can sort by:

- The name of the newspaper or magazine.
- The publication date.
- The date you last read them.

To change how your eReader sorts your publications:

1. Go to your **NEWS & MAGS** area.

2. Press the **MENU** button and select how you want publications sorted:

   - **BY PUBLICATION**

   - **BY DATE**

   - **BY LAST READ**

You can also change how your eReader sorts issues:

1. Select a publication from your **NEWS & MAGS** area to see a list of available issues.

2. Press the **MENU** button and select how you want issues sorted:

   - **LAST READ**

   - **BY DATE**

## Read magazines and newspapers

Reading newspapers and magazines is a bit different from reading books. With books you typically read from start to finish, while with newspapers and magazines you will probably read individual articles.

To find an issue:

1. Select the publication you're interested in from your **NEWS & MAGS** area. Your eReader will show a list of available issues.

2. Select an issue to open the **FRONT PAGE**.

   You can now move around your newspaper or magazine in several ways. You can:

   • Press left and right on the Navigation Pad to turn pages.

   • Press the **MENU** button and choose **NEXT SECTION** or **PREVIOUS SECTION** to jump forward or back.

   • If you're viewing a page that has links, press up and down on the Navigation Pad to move between links.

## Make text bigger or smaller

When you're reading an article, you can easily change the size of the text. To do this:

1. Press the **MENU** button and select **DISPLAY**.

2. Select the text size you want from the **DISPLAY** menu.

## 9. Remove a book or document

### Delete a book from your eReader

**Note:** Deleting a book from your eReader also deletes it from your Kobo account. This means that if you use Kobo apps on your computer, smartphone, or tablet, you will lose access to any books you delete.

To delete a book from your eReader:

1. Go to your BOOKS area.

2. Use the Navigation Pad to find and highlight the book you want to delete.

3. Press the MENU button and select DELETE THIS BOOK.

4. When your eReader asks you to confirm that you want to delete this book, select CONTINUE.

### Remove a book from your I'M READING page

Sometimes you may want to take a book off your I'M READING page without deleting it from your eReader. To do this:

1. Open the book.

2. Navigate to the last page.

   The easiest way to do this is to use the Table of Contents to jump to the last chapter, and then page forward to the last page.

3. Press right to turn the last page.

   This tells your eReader that you are finished reading this book.

## 10. Work wirelessly with your Kobo eReader

## A word about wireless connections

Your Kobo eReader supports wireless Internet by accessing it through a wireless access point,. By connecting to a wireless network you can shop at the Kobo Store and download books on the go, without a computer. You can also synchronize your eReader with your Kobo account, so that your books and bookmarks are kept up-to-date.

### Understanding wireless networks

A wireless network lets you connect to the Internet using radio signals. Because it uses radio signals, a wireless network has a *range*. This is the area in which you can connect to the network. If you are within a wireless network's range, your eReader will find a strong signal and you should be able to connect to it without problems. If you are on the edge of the network's range (or if there is interference), the network's signal may be weak and you may have trouble connecting. If you leave a network's range while connected to it, you will lose your connection to the Internet.

Wireless networks are so common that depending on where you are, there may be several wireless networks in the area.

### Using your eReader with a wireless network

Your Kobo eReader automatically prompts you to set up a wireless Internet connection when you try to visit the Kobo Store. As part of this process it scans your area for available wireless networks. When it finishes its scan, your eReader

lists any networks it found in two sections – KNOWN NETWORKS and UNKNOWN NETWORKS. Known Networks are networks in your area that you've connected to before. Unknown Networks are networks that are available, but that you have never used.

If you have set up a wireless connection on your eReader before, it will automatically reconnect you to a Known Network when you try to visit the Kobo Store. For example, if you have a wireless network at home that you normally access from your eReader, it will reconnect to this network when you come home from work and start shopping for a new book.

If there are several Known Networks in your area, your eReader will automatically connect to the one with the strongest signal in order to give you the best connection.

When you are connected to a wireless network, a checkmark appears beside that network on the WIRELESS SETTINGS screen. You can also check whether you are connected by pressing the Menu button at any time. A wireless signal icon appears at the bottom of the menu, next to the battery icon. If the wireless signal icon is grey, you are not connected to a wireless network. If it is black, you are connected, and the icon shows how strong a signal you currently have for the network.

| Wireless icon... | Meaning... |
|---|---|
| WIFI – OFF | Wireless is not turned on. |
| WIFI – SCANNING... | Wireless is on and the device is scanning for networks. |
| WIFI – NO NETWORK | Wireless is on, but your eReader cannot find a signal. |
| WIFI – WEAK | Your eReader has a wireless signal, but it is not very strong. |
| WIFI – FAIR | Your eReader has a fair wireless signal. |
| WIFI – GOOD | Your eReader has a good wireless signal. |
| WIFI – STRONG | Your eReader has a strong wireless signal. |

## Set up a wireless Internet connection

In order to shop from your Kobo eReader or update your library on the go, you need to set up a wireless Internet connection. To do this all you need is your eReader and access to a wireless network in your area.

To connect to the Kobo Store from your eReader:

1. Press the **SHOP** button.

2. Use the Navigation Pad to select **TURN ON WIRELESS**.

   Your Kobo eReader scans your area for any available wireless networks. When it finishes doing this it will list all the networks it found.

3. Use the Navigation Pad to move through the list of available networks until you reach the one you want to join.

4.  Press the middle of the Navigation Pad to select the network.

    Some networks are secured (these have a lock icon next to them). If you

    selected a secure network, your eReader will prompt you for a network

    password.

    a.  Use the virtual keyboard to enter the network password.

    See "Use a secure wireless network" for more information.

    b.  Select JOIN NETWORK.

5.  That's it! Your eReader joins the network you selected. When you return to

    the WIRELESS SETTINGS screen you will see a checkmark next to the name of

    the network you joined. This icon shows that you are currently connected to

    the network.

## Use a secure wireless network

Some wireless networks use security to control who can use the network, and to

encrypt information sent over the network. If you see a lock icon next to a network

name on your eReader, this means that the network is secured. You will need a

password to use the network.

There are different types of security used by wireless networks. The Kobo eReader

supports WEP, WPA, and WPA2 Personal.

If you choose a secure network from your eReader's list of UNKNOWN NETWORKS, you will see a password prompt.

To use the secure network:

1. Enter the network password using the virtual keyboard.

   The password is automatically hidden to make it more secure. If you think you may have entered the password incorrectly, use the Navigation Pad to select SHOW PASSWORD. This displays what you've entered in the PASSWORD field as regular text. You can hide the password again by selecting HIDE PASSWORD.

2. Click JOIN NETWORK.

   If you enter the password correctly and your eReader successfully connects to the network, it will display the NETWORK DETAILS screen and add the network to your KNOWN NETWORKS list.

   If your eReader cannot connect to the network for some reason, it will return you to the password prompt. Check that you entered your password correctly and try re-joining the network.

## Update your eReader

Kobo occasionally releases updates for your eReader, so you may need to update it to ensure that it has the latest software. There are three types of update – mandatory, recommended, and optional. When mandatory updates are released, you must install them. When recommended or optional updates are released you can choose whether or not to update your eReader.

Your eReader automatically checks for updates when you connect to a wireless network.

To update your eReader:

1.  Using your eReader, connect to a wireless network.

    Your eReader will check to see whether an update is available. If you do not see a prompt, your eReader is already running the most current software. If an update is available, your eReader will notify you and prompt you to update.

2.  Select **OK** to update your eReader.

    Your eReader downloads the update.

3.  When your eReader prompts you to finish the update, restart your eReader.

## Synchronize your books and bookmarks

Synchronizing involves updating your Kobo account with information about the books you have bought and the books you're reading. It keeps your library up to date and ensures that your bookmarks and purchased books are available to you from your Kobo eReader or any Kobo application.

At its simplest, when you synchronize your eReader it connects to your Kobo account (over a wireless Internet connection) to verify that you have downloaded all the books you purchased from the Kobo Store. It downloads any books you haven't downloaded. It also checks where you are in each of your Kobo Store books, and updates your account with this information.

When you use other Kobo applications to read or shop the Kobo Store, synchronizing becomes a very useful tool. For example, let's say you have the Kobo Desktop Application on your computer, as well as a Kobo app on your iPhone. You could use either of those applications to shop the Kobo Store and buy books. Then, the next time you synchronized your eReader it would see that you bought books using other devices and automatically download them.

Bookmarks get updated too. In our example, let's say that you started reading a book on your eReader, but then forgot it at home and continued reading at work using the Kobo Desktop Application. If you updated your eReader when you came home, it would synchronize your bookmarks and know exactly where you stopped reading your book, so you could pick up reading where you left off.

Synchronizing is easy. All you need to synchronize is a Kobo account and access to a wireless network.

**Note:** Your eReader can only synchronize books that you've purchased through the Kobo Store.

To synchronize your library and bookmarks:

1.  Press the **SHOP** button.

2.  Use the Navigation Pad to select **UPDATE LIBRARY** from the menu.

    - If you're not already connected to a nearby wireless network, your eReader will prompt you to either join an existing network or add a new network.

    - If you're not already signed in to your Kobo account, the **SIGN IN** screen will appear. Create an account or sign in.

    You will see a **SYNCHRONIZING** screen while your eReader connects to the Kobo Store and updates your account with library and bookmark information.

3.  Select **OK** when the update finishes.

## Turn off wireless

Turn off the wireless feature when you're not using it to maximize your eReader's battery life.

To turn off wireless:

1.  Press the **SHOP** button.

2.  Use the Navigation Pad to select **TURN OFF WIRELESS** from the menu.

## 11. Troubleshoot problems with your eReader

### Quick fixes

If you're having trouble with your eReader, try these quick fixes to see if they help:

- **Charge your eReader.**

  It's possible your eReader is low on power, which can cause issues.. Also, sometimes if your eReader is very low on power it will display the last screen you used, but stop responding.

  You can check your eReader's battery level by pressing the MENU button. A battery indicator appears at the bottom of the menu and gives you an idea of how much power you have left.

- **Check your eReader's settings**

  If your eReader is using the wrong date and time you may experience issues when synchronizing your library or downloading books. If your wireless settings are incorrect you may not be able to connect to the wireless network you want to join. If your account settings are wrong, you may not be able to connect to your account at the Kobo Store to buy new books. If you're experiencing problems check these settings to make sure they're correct. You can reach them by pressing the MENU button and then selecting SETTINGS.

- **Restart your eReader.**

  If your eReader is still behaving strangely, try restarting it.

  Press and hold down the Power button for eight seconds. This forces your eReader to try and restart. If the eReader is frozen you may not see any screen change. After eight seconds, release the button and press it again once firmly to turn your eReader back on.

  If this method doesn't work, you can also reset your eReader by unfolding a paperclip and sliding it into the hole on the back of your eReader. Press until you feel a firm click. Your eReader will restart, which may take a few seconds. If you were connected to a wireless network when you restarted, you will need to reconnect.

## Deal with common situations

### Situation: The wireless network I want to use isn't showing up in my list of networks.

If you try to set up a wireless Internet connection using your eReader but can't find a wireless network that you normally use, here are some things you can check:

- **Have you checked both lists of available networks on your eReader?**

  Your eReader lists available networks in two sections – the KNOWN NETWORKS list and the UNKNOWN NETWORKS list. Check both for the network you want to join. Networks appear in the KNOWN NETWORKS list if you have connected to them at least once. If you have never connected to the network, it will appear in your UNKNOWN NETWORKS list.

  If there are many available networks in your area, your network lists may span more than one page. Use the Navigation Pad to page forward to see more available networks.

- **Are you within range of the network?**

    Every wireless network has a range. A range is the area in which you can
    connect to the network. When you are outside of a network's range, your
    eReader is too far away to receive the network's radio signals, so you cannot
    use the network. For example, in most cases you will not be able to connect
    to your home wireless network from work, or vice versa, because you will be
    outside of their range. (The average range of a wireless home network, for
    example, is between one hundred and three hundred feet.)

- **Is the network available?**

    Sometimes wireless networks aren't available. If they're provided by a
    business (like an Internet café), they may be available only during certain
    hours. If there is a power failure or other technical issue, the hardware
    running the network may stop working. There are a range of reasons why a
    network may not be available. If your network is down or unavailable, you
    will not see or be able to connect to it until it becomes available again. You
    can use another wireless device (for example a smartphone or wireless-
    enabled laptop) to verify whether your network is available. You can also
    force your eReader to rescan your area for wireless networks. Press the
    **SHOP** button and select **WIRELESS SETTINGS**, then use the Navigation Pad to
    select **RESCAN NETWORKS**.

If your network is available and you are within range, but your eReader still does
not list it as an available network, then try manually adding the network to your
**KNOWN NETWORKS** list. See 'Add a wireless network' for more information.

**Situation: I can't find my book or document on my eReader.**

If you can't find a book or document that you've added to your eReader, here are some things you can check:

- Is it in a format that your eReader can use?

- Your eReader can read EPUB and PDF file formats. If your book or document used a different file format, your eReader will not be able to read it.

- Are you looking in the right area?

- If your book was an EPUB, your eReader will list it in the **BOOKS** area. If it was a PDF file, your eReader will list it in the **DOCUMENTS** area.

- Was your book or document on an SD card that you removed?

- If you added your book or document using an SD card, you will only be able to access it while the SD card remains inserted in your eReader. Re-insert your SD card to read your book or document.
  **Note:** It will take a few moments for your eReader to recognize and index the files on your SD card.

## Perform a factory reset

**Warning:** Performing a factory reset deletes any reading material you've added to your eReader. Synchronizing your eReader afterwards will restore any books from you purchased from the Kobo Store, but will not restore any books or documents you obtained from other sources. Back up copies of these documents before you proceed.

If nothing you've tried has fixed your eReader issue, you may need to restore your eReader to its original settings. You will need to enter your Kobo account

credentials again and update your library to get new copies of all your Kobo books and bookmarks.

To perform a factory reset:

1. Press the **MENU** button.

2. Select **SETTINGS** from the menu.

3. On the **ADVANCED SETTINGS** screen, press up on the Navigation Pad to move to the links at the top of the screen.

4. Select the **ADVANCED** link.

   Your eReader offers a factory reset option.

5. Use the Navigation Pad to select **RESET DEVICE NOW**.

6. When asked whether you want to proceed, select **CONTINUE**.

## Use the Kobo Desktop Application

The Kobo Desktop Application is a free application you can use to

- Read and buy books from the Kobo Store

- Manage your Kobo library

- Update your Kobo eReader

## 12. Use the Kobo Desktop Application

Before you get started, verify that your computer meets the system requirements for running the Kobo Desktop Application, then install and launch the application.

### Check your system requirements

To use the free Kobo Desktop Application, your computer must meet the following system requirements:

- Processor:

  - Windows — Intel Pentium 4 or higher

  - Mac — Intel Core Duo

- Operating System:

  - Windows — Windows 7 / Vista / XP (SP3)

  - Mac — Mac OS X v10.5 (Intel)

- RAM: 512 MB

- Hard Drive Space: 100 MB (plus extra for books)

- Display: 1024 x 768

**Note:** You will also need extra space for books. Book sizes vary, but you can use a metric of 1 MB per book to estimate the amount of extra disk space you'll need.

## Install the software

You can install the Kobo Desktop Application on either a Windows or Mac computer.

### Install the software on your Mac

**Important!** Make sure you're connected to the Internet before you get started.

To install the software:

1. Connect your Kobo eReader to your computer.

   Look for the USB cable inside your box.

   This is also how you charge your eReader. It may take up to 3 hours to fully charge, but you don't have to wait to start your installation.

2. Find and double-click the **KOBOeReader** icon on your desktop to see the contents of your Kobo eReader.

3. Open the **Desktop Installers** folder.

4. Open the **Mac OS  X** folder

5. Double-click the **DesktopInstaller** file.

   A new Kobo disk image will appear on your desktop.

6. In the window that appears, drag the Kobo icon to your **Applications** folder.

**Install the software on your PC**

**Important!**

- Make sure you're connected to the Internet before you get started.

- If you use anti-virus software you may see prompts asking whether you want to proceed with your installation. This is normal, and you should allow the installation.

To install the software:

1. Connect your Kobo eReader to your computer.

   Look for the USB cable inside your box.

   This is also how you charge your eReader. It may take up to 3 hours to fully charge, but you don't have to wait to start your installation.

2. When Windows detects your eReader, select **Open folder to view files**.

3. Open the **Desktop Installers** folder, and then the **Windows** folder

4. Double-click the **DesktopInstaller.exe** file and then follow the prompts to complete your installation.

## Update your software or eReader

Kobo occasionally releases software updates that you can install using the Kobo Desktop Application. These updates may be for the Kobo Desktop Application, or for your Kobo eReader.

### Install updates for the Kobo Desktop Application

When you use the Kobo Desktop Application to update your library, it automatically checks whether there are any software updates available. If it detects that you need to update your software, it will prompt you for an action. Updates can be critical (which you must install immediately), or either recommended or optional.

To update the Kobo Desktop Application:

1. Click **UPDATE LIBRARY**.

   The application checks for software updates. What happens next depends on the type of update it discovers.

   - If it detects an optional update, you can choose whether or not to install the latest software. Click **YES** to proceed.

     **Note:** If you click **NO**, you can continue using your existing version of the Kobo Desktop Application, but it will prompt you to update each time you refresh your library.

   - If the application detects a recommended or critical update, it displays a notice that you need to install the latest version. Click **OK** to start the installation.

     **Note:** The application downloads the latest files.

2. Do one of the following:

- **Mac users:** When prompted, drag the Kobo icon to your **Applications** folder to install the update.

- **Windows users:** When prompted, click **OK** to install the update.

   The new version of the Kobo Desktop Application installs. When this processes finishes, the installer prompts you to restart the application.

3. Click **OK** to restart the Kobo Desktop Application.

   You're now ready to use the updated version of the application.

### Install updates for your eReader

When you use the Kobo Desktop Application to synchronize your eReader's library, it automatically checks whether there are any updates available for your eReader's software. If it detects that you need to update your eReader, it will prompt you for an action.

Note: You can also install eReader updates over a wireless Internet connection. See the section 'Update your eReader' for more information.

To update your Kobo eReader via the Kobo Desktop Application:

1. Connect your eReader to your computer using the USB cable provided.

   Your eReader will prompt you to either keep reading or manage your library. You can use your computer or the Desktop Application to add books and manage your eReader.

2. Using the Navigation Pad, select **MANAGE LIBRARY**.

3. On your computer, start the Kobo Desktop Application.

4.  Click SYNC.

    The application checks for software updates. If it discovers an available update for your eReader, it starts the eReader upgrade wizard to help you through the updating process.

5.  Follow the wizard instructions to download and update your eReader software.

    When this process finishes you must disconnect and restart your eReader.

## Start the Kobo Desktop Application

To launch the Kobo Desktop Application, double-click the **Kobo** icon. On Windows computers this will be on your desktop. On Mac computers this should be in your **Applications** folder.

The first time you launch the application, it will prompt you to

- Sign in or create a new account
- Shop for new books
- Visit your library

If you choose to sign in or create a new account, the Kobo Desktop Application will display the SIGN IN page and guide you through the process. See 'Sign in or create a new account' for more information.

If you choose to shop or visit your library, the Kobo Desktop Application will take you to its main screen. The application has two main areas – the LIBRARY and the STORE. Use the LIBRARY to access books you've already downloaded from the Kobo Store. Go to the STORE to shop for new books.

## Sign in or create a new account

Signing in to the Kobo Desktop Application gives you access to your Kobo account. This account lists all the books you've purchased from the Kobo Store, as well as information about which ones you've started reading, and where you are in each book.

If you don't have a Kobo account, creating one is easy:

1. On the SIGN IN page, click GET STARTED.

2. Enter your e-mail address in the EMAIL ADDRESS field.

3. In the CREATE PASSWORD field, enter a password for your new account.

4. Your password must be between 6 and 20 characters.

5. Type this password again in the CONFIRM PASSWORD field.

6. Click CREATE ACCOUNT.

If you already have a Kobo account, use it to sign in. You will need to know the e-mail address you used when you signed up for your account, and the account password.

To sign in:

1. On the SIGN IN page, enter your e-mail address in the EMAIL ADDRESS field.

2. Enter your Kobo account password in the PASSWORD field.

3. Click SIGN IN.

## Use your library

Your library shows all the books you have downloaded from the Kobo Store.

You can choose between two different views. To see your library as a list of book titles and covers, choose LIST VIEW. To see your library as a series of book covers, choose SHELF VIEW.

You can also choose how you want books sorted in your library. Select one of the following options from the SORT BY list:

- TITLE
- AUTHOR
- DATE ADDED
- DATE LAST OPENED

If you have a large library, you may find it helpful to filter your library so that you can find books more easily. Use the SHOW list to filter your library. You can filter by:

- ALL
- OPENED IN THE LAST 30 DAYS
- NEW IN THE LAST 30 DAYS
- UNREAD

**Tip:** You can also view a list of those books you have opened and started reading by selecting CURRENTLY READING from the list of library pages.

# Read a book

To open a book, simply click on its cover or title in your library. The Kobo Desktop Application will display the book's cover. Click once anywhere on the screen to start reading.

To turn pages, click the forward and back icons (↻ and ↺) at the side of each page.

You can also jump directly to other parts of the book using the Menu. To open the Menu, click the menu icon (📄 MENU) at the top-left of the page.

- To jump forward or back in the book, select **NEXT CHAPTER** or **PREVIOUS CHAPTER**.

- To jump to a specific part of the book, select **TABLE OF CONTENTS**.

  This opens a list of all the chapters in your book. Click any chapter name to jump directly to that part of your book. Click **RETURN TO CURRENT PAGE** (at the top of the list) to go back to your book.

## Adjust the text size

You can make text bigger or smaller while reading a book. The Kobo Desktop Application lets you choose from five font sizes to make reading easier on your eyes.

To change the text size while reading:

1. Click the menu icon ( 🗒 MENU ) at the top-left of the page.

2. Increase or decrease the font size:

   - Select INCREASE FONT SIZE to make text bigger.

   - Select DECREASE FONT SIZE to make text smaller.

3. Click BACK TO LIBRARY to resume reading.

### Stop reading

You can stop reading at any time by either closing the Kobo Desktop Application, or closing your book. To close your book, click the menu icon ( 🗒 MENU ) at the top-left of the page and select BACK TO LIBRARY.

When you stop reading, Kobo automatically bookmarks the last page you were on so that you can come back to this page the next time you open your book.

**Tip:** If you are finished with a book, you can remove the bookmark by going to the last page in the book and then turning the last page.

## Shop for new books, newspapers, and magazines

You can shop for new books, newspapers, and magazines directly from the Kobo Desktop Application. All you need is an Internet connection. When you launch the application you'll find several links to the Kobo Store in the navigation area on the left side of your screen.

The Store links include:

- HOME – takes you to the main STORE page. You'll find the day's hottest books, links to the most popular categories and recommended reading lists, and a selection of featured books.

- TOP 50 – lists the day's 50 top selling books.

- BROWSE CATEGORIES – lets you browse for a specific type of book.

- RECOMMENDED READING – shows you lists of books that share a common theme, or that come recommended by other readers.

You can even search for a specific item – just use the search field at the top right of each page in the Store.

See something interesting? Just click on a title or cover to see more information.

**To buy a book**

Once you've found a book you're interested in, you're ready to buy.

To buy a book:

1.  Click the book's BUY NOW button (this is a green price button in some areas of the Store).

    This checkout process starts.

2.  If you are not already signed in to your Kobo account, either sign in or create a new account.

    For instructions see 'Sign in or create a new account'.

3.  If this is the first time you have bought from the Kobo Store, enter your name, credit card details, phone number, and billing address.

4. Verify that the book listed is the one you want to buy.

5. If you have a promo code (an online coupon), enter it now to change the price of your book:

   a. Click **ENTER CODE**.

   b. Type the promo code into the **PROMO CODE** field, then click **APPLY**.

   The store recalculates the price of your book.

6. Click **BUY NOW** to complete your purchase.

   The Store verifies your information and processes your purchase.

7. Click **UPDATE LIBRARY** to download your new book.

   To add your book to a Kobo eReader, you can either:

   • Connect via wireless and update your library wirelessly.

   • Connect your eReader to your computer and click **SYNC** in the Kobo Desktop Application.

### To subscribe to a newspaper or magazine

All newspaper and magazine subscriptions start with a free 14 day trial.

To subscribe, just find an interesting newspaper or magazine in the Kobo Store and click the **FREE TRIAL** button next to its name.

You can always find the subscription price listed near the **FREE TRIAL** button, as well as information about how often the publication delivers new issues (for example, monthly, weekly, or daily).

Your issues will be delivered to you each time your Kobo Desktop Application updates your library.

## Save newspapers and magazines

Your reader keeps up to 14 issues of each newspaper or magazine you subscribe to, and removes older issues automatically when new ones are delivered. If you have issues that you want to keep, you can save them.

### To save an issue

1. Go to the **NEWS & MAGS** area.

2. Select the name or cover of the publication you want to keep.

   Selecting a newspaper or magazine displays a list of all the issues you own.

3. Right-click the issue you want to keep.

4. Select **SAVE THIS ISSUE**.

   If you decide later that you don't want this issue, you can come back and select **UNDO SAVE**.

### To save all issues of a newspaper or magazine

1. Go to the **NEWS & MAGS** area.

2. Right-click the name or cover of the publication you want to keep.

3. Select **SAVE ALL ISSUES**.

## Remove books, newspapers, and magazines

### To delete a book

To delete a book from the Kobo Desktop Application:

1. In your Library, find the item you want to delete.

2. Right-click the item and select **REMOVE THIS BOOK**.

**To delete an issue of a newspaper or magazine**

1.  Go to the **NEWS & MAGS** area.

2.  Select the name or cover of the publication you want to delete.

    Selecting a newspaper or magazine displays a list of all the issues you own.

3.  Right-click the issue you want to delete.

4.  Select **DELETE THIS ISSUE**.

**To delete all issues of a newspaper or magazine**

**Note:** This does not unsubscribe you. Even if you delete all issues of a newspaper or magazine, you will still be billed for your subscription and you will still receive future issues.

1.  Go to the **NEWS & MAGS** area.

2.  Right-click the name or cover of the publication you want to delete.

3.  Select **DELETE ALL ISSUES**.

## Sync your Kobo eReader

To synchronize your Kobo eReader using the Kobo Desktop Application:

1.  Launch the Kobo Desktop Application.

2.  Connect your Kobo eReader to your computer using the provided USB cable.

3.  Click **Sync** in the Kobo Desktop Application.

## Sign out

To sign out of your Kobo account:

1. Click the **Sign Out** button in the Kobo Desktop Application.

2. Click **Yes** when asked if you want to sign out.

   You will need to sign back in before you can access your library via the Kobo Desktop Application, buy new books, or synchronize your eReader with the application.

## Troubleshoot problems

### Uninstalling and reinstalling the application

If you cannot resolve a problem with the Kobo Desktop Application you may find it helpful to reinstall the program.

### Windows

1. From the Windows **Start** menu, select **Control Panel**.

2. Select **Add/Remove Programs** or **Uninstall a program** (depending on your version of Windows).

   Windows displays a list of installed applications.

3. Select **Kobo** from the list. If you use Windows 7, right-click it.

4. Click **Uninstall/Change**.

5. Click **Uninstall** to remove the Kobo Desktop Application.

6. Click **Close** when the process finishes.

7. Finally, navigate to your Program Files (e.g., C:\Program Files) folder and delete the **Kobo** directory.

   You can now reinstall the Kobo Desktop Application. For the latest version of the software, visit:

   http://www.kobobooks.com/desktop

### Mac OS X

1. Open your **Applications** folder in Finder.

2. Right-click **Kobo** and select **Move to Trash**.

3. Finally, navigate to your home directory and then to /Library/Application Support.

4. Right-click the **Kobo** directory and select **Move to Trash**.

   You can now reinstall the Kobo Desktop Application. For the latest version of the software, visit:

   http://www.kobobooks.com/desktop

## Use the Kobo Service

### 13. Share books with other Kobo apps

Kobo offers free apps for a variety of computers, tablets, and smartphones so that you can read when and where you want. Maybe you love your Kobo eReader for reading on the go, but there are times when you want to read on your computer at home or work. Or maybe you love reading on your iPad but sometimes wish you could read on your phone. Kobo lets you choose, and even switch between all of these whenever you want.

To make this possible, Kobo keeps track of which books you've bought so that your books are waiting for you whenever you switch Kobo apps. Kobo also keeps track of your bookmarks so that you can pick up where you left off in each of your books. It's all part of the Kobo service.

## How the Kobo service works

Your free Kobo account is the key to being able to switch between Kobo apps on the go.

When you buy your first book from the Kobo Store or install a free Kobo app, you set up an account with Kobo. Kobo stores your library information in this account, including a list of the books you've bought and the pages you've bookmarked. Kobo updates your account information whenever you:

- synchronize your Kobo eReader
- use the Kobo Desktop Application to update your library
- sign in to a free Kobo apps on your smartphone or tablet

Since Kobo knows which books you've bought from the Kobo Store, and where you are in each book, you can read on any Kobo-supported device and switch between them without losing your place.

For example, let's say you purchased *Alice in Wonderland* from the Kobo Store. Here's how your reading experience might work:

1. You buy the book and download it to a device – your Kobo eReader, for example.

   Kobo updates your account to add *Alice in Wonderland* to the list of books you own.

2. You read the first couple chapters on your eReader, then close the book and update your library.

   Kobo updates your account to show that you're now on page 57 of *Alice in Wonderland*.

3. Later that week you forget your eReader at home and switch to another Kobo app for the day – maybe the free Kobo app for iPhone.

When you log in, the app checks your Kobo account and discovers that you own *Alice in Wonderland* and stopped reading on page 57. The app downloads a copy of the book to your iPhone.

4. You open *Alice in Wonderland* on your iPhone, and Kobo takes you directly to page 57 to continue reading.

It's that easy!

**Notes:**

- You need an Internet connection to be able to update your Kobo account. If you are offline, your Kobo app or eReader will keep track of your bookmarks but will not update your account until the next time you can connect to the Internet and Kobo.

- The Kobo service can only track books purchased through the Kobo Store. If you add books from another source (like a library or other bookseller), these will not automatically move with you between Kobo apps or eReader.

## Share books and bookmarks between devices

Keeping your Kobo account up to date is easy – all you need to do is update your library.  Your app or eReader downloads any new books you've purchased, and uploads any new bookmarks you've added.

How you do this depends on which Kobo app or device you use.

- If you use the Kobo Desktop Application, click **UPDATE LIBRARY**.

- If you use a Kobo eReader, you have two choices:
  - Connect via wireless and update your library.
  - Connect your eReader to your computer via USB cable, choose **MANAGE LIBRARY**, launch the Kobo Desktop Application, then select **SYNC** to update your library and synchronize it with your eReader.

- If you use one of the free Kobo apps for tablets and smartphones, these will automatically update your library when you launch and close them.

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This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.

- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.

- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.

Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

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This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

This equipment complies with FCC RF radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. To maintain compliance with FCC RF exposure compliance requirements, please avoid direct contact to the transmitting antenna during transmitting.

## 17. Industry Canada Statement

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- this device may not cause interference and

- this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device

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This equipment complies with IC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. End users must follow the specific operating instructions for satisfying RF exposure compliance. To maintain compliance with IC RF exposure compliance requirements, please follow operation instruction as documented in this manual.

**IC Notice (Canada Only):**

Kobo e-Reader N647 is classified by the Industry Canada (IC) Interference-Causing Equipment Standard #3 (ICES-003) as Class B digital devices.

This Class B digital apparatus meets the requirements of the Canadian Interference-Causing Equipment Regulations.

Cet appareil numérique de la Classe B (ou Classe A, si ainsi indiqué surl'étiquette d'enregistration) respecte toutes les exigences du Reglement sur le Materiel Brouilleur du Canada.

This device has been designed to operate with an antenna having a maximum gain of 2.02 dBi.

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This device complies with the essential requirements of the R&TTE Directive 1999/5/EC. The following test methods have been applied in order to prove presumption of conformity with the essential requirements of the R&TTE Directive 1999/5/EC:

- EN 60950-1

- EN 50371

- EN 300 328

- EN 301 489-1/-17

This device intended for use in all EU member states and EFTA countries, except in France and Italy where restrictive use applies.

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**Česky [Czech]**

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**Dansk [Danish]**

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**Deutsch [German]**

Hiermit erklärt Netronixinc, dass sich das Gerät Kobo E-reader, N647in Übereinstimmung mit den grundlegenden Anforderungen und den übrigen einschlägigen Bestimmungen der Richtlinie 1999/5/EG befindet.

**Eesti [Estonian]**

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**English**

Hereby, Netronixinc, declares that this Kobo E-reader, N647 is in compliance with the essential requirements and other relevant provisions of Directive 1999/5/EC.

**Español [Spanish]**

Por medio de la presente Netronixinc declara que el Kobo E-reader, N647 cumple con los requisitos esenciales y cualesquiera otras disposiciones aplicables o exigibles de la Directiva 1999/5/CE.

**Ελληνική [Greek]**

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**Français [French]**

Par la présente Netronixinc déclare que l'appareil Kobo E-reader, N647 est conforme aux exigences essentielles et aux autres dispositions pertinentes de la directive 1999/5/CE.

**Italiano [Italian]**

Con la presente Netronixinc dichiara che questo Kobo E-reader, N647 è conforme ai requisiti essenziali ed alle altre disposizioni pertinenti stabilite dalla direttiva 1999/5/CE.

**Latviski [Latvian]**

Ar šo Netronixinc izgatavotāja nosaukums] deklarē, ka Kobo E-reader, N647 atbilst Direktīvas 1999/5/EK būtiskajām prasībām un citiem ar to saistītajiem noteikumiem.

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**Nederlands [Dutch]**

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**Malti [Maltese]**

Hawnhekk, Netronixinc, jiddikjara li dan Kobo E-reader, N647 jikkonforma mal-ħtiġijiet essenzjali u ma provvedimenti oħrajn relevanti li hemm fid-Dirrettiva 1999/5/EC.

**Magyar [Hungarian]**

Alulírott, Netronixinc nyilatkozom, hogy a Kobo E-reader, N647megfelel a vonatkozó alapvetõ követelményeknek és az 1999/5/EC irányelv egyéb elõírásainak.

**Polski [Polish]**

Niniejszym Netronixinc oświadcza, że Kobo E-reader, N647 jest zgodny z zasadniczymi wymogami oraz pozostałymi stosownymi postanowieniami Dyrektywy 1999/5/EC.

**Português [Portuguese]**

Netronixinc declara que este Kobo E-reader, N647 está conforme com os requisitos essenciais e outras disposições da Directiva 1999/5/CE.

**Slovensko [Slovenian]**

Netronixinc izjavlja, da je ta Kobo E-reader, N647 v skladu z bistvenimi zahtevami in ostalimi relevantnimi določili direktive 1999/5/ES.

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**Suomi [Finnish]**

Netronixinc vakuuttaa täten että Kobo E-reader, N647 tyyppinen laite on direktiivin 1999/5/EY oleellisten vaatimusten ja sitä koskevien direktiivin muiden ehtojen mukainen.

**Svenska [Swedish]**

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## 18. Specifications

Model Name: Kobo E-Reader N647

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Power: 700 mA