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ITunes is a free program developed by and available on Apple Corporation, which can be downloaded to a Mac or PC. You can also use iTunes on an iPod, iPad, or iPhone. Once you've downloaded iTunes, you can copy tracks to your iTunes library or purchase music from Apple's iTune store [sources: Netcis, PCWorld]. Here's how to add music to iTunes from audio CDs. Place a CD in your computer's CD drive. A dialog box opens asking if you want to import the CD. Select Yes if you want to import all the contents of the CD into your iTunes library. Select No if you only want to import some of the contents of the CD. Then click the boxes for the tracks you don't want to import, so they no longer have junctions in them. Select Import CD. ITunes will import the tracks. Here's how to add a music file to iTunes from your computer. Open your iTunes app. Select Preferences and open the Advanced tab. Make sure that the default setting is Copy files to iTunes Music folder when you add them to the library. Click OK. Select Add File to Library from the File menu. On a Mac, choose Add to Library. Browse your library and choose the music file you want to be added to your iTunes. ITunes will now copy the selected file to iTunes music folder [source: Apple]. Here's how to buy music from the iTunes store, and put it in your iTunes. Access the iTunes store on apple's website. Choose the music you want by reviewing the available categories apple offers. Click on the type of music you want, and then locate the precise track you would like to put in your iTunes.Click on it and follow the instructions to pay for it. Once paid, the music will be automatically downloaded to your iTunes [source: Apple]. If you've been a long-time user of an iPod, iPhone, or iPad, most of your digital music collection is most likely tied up within iTunes. If you're moving to new pastures with an Android device in your hand, you're going to want to be able to listen to your music. While there is no iTunes for Android, there are actually a few different ways for you to get your rhythm in. We've pointed out a handful of particular methods to look at, and we'll take you through them step by step. Ah, the old drag-and-drop method. The old-fashioned way, but it works very well. All you need is the microUSB cable for your device, and if you're using a Mac you'll need to have the Android File Transfer app installed. You'll need to locate the directory on your Mac or Windows PC that hosts the actual physical files. On a Mac you'll find it in Music>iTunes>iTunes Media. On Windows a good place to my Music>iTunes. With your Android device connected you should be fine to drag and drop music files between it and your computer. It works, but it's

not exactly elegant. Download Android File Transfer for Mac If you want a Upgrade to your drag and drop, you will find one of the fastest ways to get there is AirDroid. There are a total of features contained in this desktop app to manage your mobile device without actually picking it up, and one of those features is wireless file transfer. AirDroid allows you to select your music files to upload and then pull them back down using the app on your phone. While this method can be a little difficult to handle if you have a large music library, it's fast enough for those who are just moving a few albums. Also, if you're transferring large music files from entire album rips or large podcasts, you may reach the individual file size limit for the free version of AirDroid. Fortunately, the upgrade to Premium is only $1.99/month and allows transfers up to 1 GB. Just select your files in AirDroid and wait for the app to tell you that the file has finished uploading, then open AirDroid on your phone and tap each file to download to your phone. Once the files arrive on your phone, your music app of choice should be able to play them right away. Downloading AirDroid 3 DoubleTwist has been around for many years and is definitely one of the best ways to interact between iTunes and Android. The basic Android app is free to download and comes with a free companion app for Mac or Windows to help you move your music. With a physical connection that your device needs to be able to support USB mass storage mode, MTP will not cut it with DoubleTwist. But not everything is lost. The DoubleTwist desktop app looks a lot like a later stripped-down version of iTunes. The sidebar on the left shows the content (photos and videos included) on both your Android device and your computer. In a similar way to iTunes you can move your music in one of two ways. Highlight the tracks and albums you want to copy and drag them to the sidebar and drop them on top of your device Use sync settings to sync all your selected music or playlists. Speaking of playlists, you can use the DoubleTwist desktop app to import your existing iTunes playlists, as well as set up new ones. In the sidebar, tap Playlist Settings and you'll be given that option. If you want to keep them in sync, check the checkbox and each time you make a new playlist in iTunes you'll find it in DoubleTwist. The same functionality is available wirelessly to purchase of the AirSync app. This connects to DoubleTwist on your Android device and allows your computer to view it over your WiFi network. Almost exactly the same as iTunes is able to view your iPhone or iPad wirelessly, you are able to keep your Android music library in without looking for a cable. It costs $4.99, but it works very, very well. The beauty of using DoubleTwist is that it is given a comprehensive solution. The Android app is an excellent music player and the desktop client gives you only options to make it easy to keep using iTunes and not worry about keeping things in sync. Better yet, if you have an Apple TV or set of AirPlay-enabled speakers, DoubleTwist can connect you to that and stream your music from your Android device. DoubleTwist is perfect for people with smaller libraries and those who like to cut and change what they are storing on their devices frequently. If you're looking for the fastest way to get from iTunes to your Android device, without any real consideration to the user interface and additional features that may or may not be useful, the people behind iSyncr have exactly what you want. The setup is incredibly simple, supports USB sync or transfer over your local wireless network, and is closest to a one-click solution out there. All you need to do is install the Android app, grab the desktop companion, and connect the USB cable or enter your IP address. Once the Android app and desktop companion communicate, a scan of your iTunes library starts automatically. You will be asked for a list of things to transfer once the scan is complete, and the transfer begins immediately after. It's a bit messy due to the clumsy user interface, but there's no discussion with the results. The iSyncr app for Android comes in Lite and Pro versions, and the $4.99 update gives you access to things like support for multiple iTunes accounts and more comments on your phone compared to what's really going on during the sync process. As the name suggests, it is for users who have a music setup that is a little more complicated than most and is absolutely worth updating in those situations. Get iSyncr Pro from Google Play StoreGrab iSyncr for Windows or Mac This is one of our favorites. The biggest disadvantage of Google Play Music is that it's cloud-based, but if you agree with that, then you can't go wrong. It comes preloaded on all new Android devices and is a perfect way to keep your iTunes library in sync. Everyone has a locker for free big enough for 20,000 songs, and you are able to use it on up to ten different devices at once. As with DoubleTwist, Google Play Music has a desktop companion app for Mac and Windows to help you along with the process. Unlike DoubleTwist it uploads music to the cloud and does not put it directly on your device. The advantage is that you get access to your music on all enabled devices, including iPhones that you can keep lying now, with the that you have to download it from the cloud for offline access. The Google Play Music app is incredibly easy to set up. Once installed and signed in, you can point the app to your iTunes library and tell it to automatically load new tracks that are put there. Just leave the app open and it will take care of business in the background without you knowing. There are also to control what you want to upload, and even to send specific playlists to the cloud. Google Play Music is perfect for everyone as it doesn't require additional apps and no additional cost for full functionality. However, if you're not interested in streaming or don't want to still have to download your music to listen to it offline, you'd be better served by looking at one of the other options above. Those are three of our chosen methods, but what about you. If you have any useful clues or tricks to convey to those who need help with this theme be sure to leave them in the comments below! We can earn a purchase fee using our links. Learn more. Ben Stockton iTunes may be dead on macOS, but he's still alive and kicking on Windows. We recommend migrating outside of iTunes, but if you still want to sync your existing iTunes music collection with Android, you can follow these steps. You have some options to choose from. You can use the Apple Music app on Android, transfer your files manually, or use third-party apps like doubleTwist Sync to keep your music collection synced correctly. Transfer music from iTunes to Android Using Apple Music With Apple's focus now on Apple Music, iTunes is falling behind. There is no iTunes app for Android, but Apple offers an Apple Music app on Android devices. You can sync your iTunes music collection with Android with the Apple Music app. Just make sure that iTunes on your PC and Apple Music app are signed in with the same Apple ID. You also need to be a current Apple Music subscriber. Start by opening iTunes on your PC and clicking Edit > Preferences. On the General tab, make sure iCloud Music Library is enabled, and then click OK to confirm. If you need to start syncing songs manually with iCloud storage, click Library > > Update iCloud Music Library. You may need to give the entire library time to sync with iCloud. Unfortunately, iTunes doesn't have an obvious progress bar that shows how long it takes to complete this process. Once your iTunes library is fully synced to iCloud, open the Apple Music app on Android and tap the Library tab at the bottom. Your iTunes music collection will appear here. Tap one of the relevant tabs, such as Artists or Songs. Tap on one of the songs or artists to start playing your music. If you want your music to be available for offline playback, tap the download icon on the Songs tab or in the listings Album. Manually copying your music files from iTunes to Android Unfortunately, Android doesn't fit well into apple's ecosystem. Although iTunes will sync music files with iOS and iPadOS devices, it won't do the same with Android devices. Instead, you'll have to manually copy your music library to Android. RELATED: How to copy music to your Android phone There are lots of methods to do this, including transferring files via a direct USB connection between your PC and Android, by using cloud storage like Google Drive, or by using a flash drive with a suitable USB OTG adapter. If you're transferring your music from iTunes to Android over a direct USB connection, and assuming your iTunes music is being retained in the default iTunes music folder, open Windows File Explorer and navigate to the folder C:Users.<yourusername> Replace <yourusername>with your user account folder. From here, select the folders that carry your music files, and then right-click and press Copy or press Ctrl + C. View your Android device in Windows File Explorer. Choose an appropriate location on your device and then paste the copied iTunes folders to that location by pressing Ctrl+V on your keyboard or right-clicking and selecting the Paste button. Once copied, use a third-party Android music app to play your music collection on your Android device. Transfer your music using doubleTwist Sync If you are looking for an easier method to transfer music files between iTunes and Android, an alternative to manual file transfer is doubleTwist Sync. This Software for Windows bridges the gap between Android and iTunes. It allows you to sync your music collection between Android and iTunes devices in both directions. New music files on your Android device will sync with iTunes and vice versa. It will also work over Wi-Fi, allowing you to transfer your music files without the need for a direct USB connection. Start by downloading and installing the doubleTwist software on your PC. Once you open doubleTwist Sync, you'll be prompted to connect your device via USB or use the AirSync app to connect via WiFi. AirSync is not free, so the cheapest method is to connect your device via USB. Once you connect your Android device, doubleTwist will display the space used and available on your device. Click the Music tab in the top menu. If you want to sync files from iTunes to Android, click the Sync Music check box. You will also need to click the check boxes for the subcategories listed, including Albums and Artists. If you also want to sync Android files back to iTunes, click the Import new music and playlists check box. When you're ready to start syncing your files, click the Sync Now button. Your iTunes music files will start transferring to your Android device, while The missing music files on your Android device will be transferred to your PC to join the rest of your iTunes collection. Once this process is complete, you can start playing your music on both your PC and Android device using a suitable music playback app. Unfortunately, YouTube Music is now the</yourusername> </yourusername> </yourusername> Music app on Android devices, with Google Play Music soon to be discontinued. With this in mind, we no longer recommend that you use Google Play Music Manager as a way to migrate your music files from your PC to Android. Currently, YouTube Music does not come with an equivalent of Google Play Music Manager. If you want to manually sync your iTunes collection with Android, it's best to use the Apple Music app, transfer your files manually, or use a third-party method like doubleTwist instead. Instead of.