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ALEXA COMMANDS



*"Alexa, show me my photo album."
« Alexa, montre mon album photo. »*

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Alexa Commands

Alexa Control

ALEXA COMMANDS TO CONTROL YOUR EXPERIENCE

- Alexa, help!
- Alexa, mute!
- Alexa, unmute!
- Alexa, stop!
- Alexa, set volume to [5]!
- Alexa, louder!
- Alexa, softer Alexa, turn up the volume!
- Alexa, turn down the volume!
- Alexa, volume [1-10]!
- Alexa, enable [skill]!
- Alexa, disable [skill]!
- Alexa, open [skill]!

Alarms & Timers

ALEXA COMMANDS TO KEEP YOU ON TIME

- Alexa, set an alarm for [7 a.m.].
- Alexa, wake me up at [7 in the morning].
- Alexa, set a repeating alarm for [weekdays at 7 a.m.].
- Alexa, timer.

- Alexa, set a timer for [15 minutes].
- Alexa, set a [pizza] timer for [20 minutes].
- Alexa, set a [second] timer for [5 minutes].
- Alexa, how much time is left on the [pizza] timer?
- Alexa, what are my timers? Alexa, cancel the [pizza] timer.
- Alexa, cancel the [15-minute timer].
- Alexa, what time is it?
- Alexa, when it's [6pm] in [Vancouver], what time is it in [Toronto]?
- Alexa, what's the date?
- Alexa, when's my next alarm?
- Alexa, cancel my alarm for [2 p.m.] Alexa, snooze.

Bluetooth

ALEXA COMMANDS TO USE YOUR ACCESSORIES

- Alexa, pair.
- Alexa, Bluetooth.
- Alexa, connect to my phone.
- Alexa, disconnect from my phone.
- Alexa, connect to my speaker.
- Alexa, disconnect from my speaker.
- Alexa, discover my devices.

Calendar

ALEXA COMMANDS TO KEEP YOUR DAYS ORGANIZED

- Alexa, what's on my calendar?
- Alexa, what's on the calendar [this weekend].
- Alexa, what is my next appointment?
- Alexa, create a new appointment.
- Alexa, add [event] to my calendar for [day] at [time].
- Alexa, add an event to my calendar.
- Alexa, what's on the schedule?
- Alexa, how many days until [date]?
- Alexa, how many days until [holiday]?
- Alexa, when is the first day of [season]?
- Alexa, when is the [Spring Equinox]?
- Alexa, when does daylight savings time start?
- Alexa, how many years has it been since [1776]?
- Alexa, when is the next full moon?
- Alexa, what time will the sun rise on [date]?

Calls & Messaging

ALEXA COMMANDS TO STAY IN TOUCH

- Alexa, call [name].
- Alexa, call [###-###-####].
- Alexa, answer the call.
- Alexa, answer.
- Alexa, hang up.
- Alexa, end the call. Alexa, message [name].
- Alexa, send [name] a message.
- Alexa, play messages.
- Alexa, drop in on [room/location].

- Alexa, drop in on [name].

Entertainment & Food

ALEXA COMMANDS TO KEEP YOU ENTERTAINED AND NOURISHED

- Alexa, what movies are playing?
- Alexa, what [genre] movies are playing [future time]?
- Alexa, find me a nearby [pizza] restaurant.
- Alexa, what is the IMDb rating for [movie or TV show]?
- Alexa, who plays in [movie or TV show]?
- Alexa, who plays [character] in [movie or TV show]?
- Alexa, what was [actor]'s first movie?
- Alexa, what is [actor]'s latest movie? Alexa, how many Oscars has [actor] won?
- Alexa, give me a [title] quote.
- Alexa, tell me about the movie, [title].
- Alexa, what is your favourite movie?
- Alexa, find [title].
- Alexa, find [genre].
- Alexa, how do you make [chocolate chip cookies]?
- Alexa, how do you boil an egg

Holidays

ALEXA COMMANDS TO HELP YOU CELEBRATE

- Alexa, Happy Birthday.
- Alexa, sing Happy Birthday.
- Alexa, tell me [holiday] joke.
- Alexa, why do we celebrate [holiday]?
- Alexa, happy New Year.
- Alexa, sing a New Year's song.
- Alexa, sing Auld Lang Syne.
- Alexa, happy Valentine's Day.
- Alexa, who is your Valentine?
- Alexa, happy Singles Awareness Day.
- Alexa, will you be my Valentine?
- Alexa, tell me a Valentine's Day joke.
- Alexa, what are you doing for Valentine's Day?
- Alexa, what is love?
- Alexa, happy Mother's Day.
- Alexa, happy Father's Day
- Alexa, happy Easter.
- Alexa, happy Halloween.
- Alexa, happy Chanukah.
- Alexa, happy Ramadan.
- Alexa, spin the drier.
- Alexa, merry Christmas.
- Alexa, how ugly is your/my holiday sweater?
- Alexa, where is Santa?
- Alexa, how old is Santa Claus?
- Alexa, where does Santa Claus live?
- Alexa, is Santa Claus real?
- Alexa, where is Santa?
- Alexa, track Santa.
- Alexa, what can you tell me about Santa's reindeer?
- Alexa, what do you know about Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer?
- Alexa, who's your favourite reindeer?

- Alexa, what is the true meaning of Christmas?
- Alexa, sing a Christmas carol.
- Alexa, play Christmas Sounds.
- Alexa, read "The Night Before Christmas."
- Alexa, play songs for baking holiday cookies.
- Alexa, tell me a snowman joke.
- Alexa, what's your favorite holiday movie?
- Alexa, what are the top holiday movies?
- Alexa, sing me a holiday song.
- Alexa, open my gift.

Language

ALEXA COMMANDS TO IMPRESS YOUR ENGLISH TEACHER

- Alexa, what's the definition of [word]?
- Alexa, how do you spell [word]?
- Alexa, what's another word for [word]?
- Alexa, what's the opposite of [word]?
- Alexa, what rhymes with [word]?
- Alexa, what's the longest word in the English language?
- Alexa, tell me a palindrome.
- Alexa, what's the word of the day?
- Alexa, give me a spelling bee word.
- Alexa, how do you say [phrase] in [Spanish/German/Portugese/etc].

Lists & To-Do

ALEXA COMMANDS TO KEEP YOU ON TASK

- Alexa, add [go to the grocery store] to my to-do list.
- Alexa, I need to make an appointment with [the doctor].
- Alexa, create a to-do.
- Alexa, add [eggs] to my shopping list.
- Alexa, I need to buy [laundry detergent].Alexa, reminder.
- Alexa, remind me to check the oven in [5 minutes].
- Alexa, what are my reminders [this weekend]?
- Alexa, what reminders do I have [tomorrow]?"

Math & Conversions

ALEXA COMMANDS TO KEEP YOU ACCURATE

- Alexa, what's [number] plus [number]?
- Alexa, what's [number] minus [number]?
- Alexa, what's [number] times [number]?
- Alexa, what's [number] divided by [number]?
- Alexa, what's [number] squared?
- Alexa, what's the square root of [number]?
- Alexa, what's [number] cubed?
- Alexa, what's [number] to the power of [number]?
- Alexa, [number] factorial.
- Alexa, how many [units] are in [units]?
- Alexa, how many [units] are in 2 [units]?
- Alexa, what is [3%] of [number]?
- Alexa, is [number] a prime number?

- Alexa, what's the value of Pi (to [number] decimal places)?
- Alexa, divide by zero.

Media

ALEXA COMMANDS TO LISTEN TO MUSIC, BOOKS, ETC

- Alexa, play some music.
- Alexa, play [artist].
- Alexa, play [artist] in the living room.
- Alexa, play [artist] everywhere.
- Alexa, play music by [artist].
- Alexa, play the latest [artist] album.
- Alexa, play that song that goes [lyrics].
- Alexa, play [e.g. dinner] music.
- Alexa, play music for [activity].
- Alexa, play music for [mood].
- Alexa, play [e.g. rock music for working].
- Alexa, play the song of the day.
- Alexa, play on Spotify.
- Alexa, play [radio station] on TuneIn.
- Alexa set a sleep timer for [e.g. 45 minutes].
- Alexa, stop playing in [e.g. 45 minutes].
- Alexa, who sings this song?
- Alexa, who sings the song [title]?
- Alexa, who is in the band [name]?
- Alexa, what year did [band] release [song or album]?
- Alexa, what's popular from [artist]?

- Alexa, play the album [Bob Dylan's Greatest Hits].
- Alexa, sample songs by [artist].
- Alexa, find [song or album] by [artist].
- Alexa, play the song I just bought.
- Alexa, thumbs down.
- Alexa, what's playing? Alexa, shuffle mode on.
- Alexa, shuffle mode off.
- Alexa, loop.
- Alexa, play.
- Alexa, pause.
- Alexa, next.
- Alexa, previous.
- Alexa, stop in the [e.g. kitchen].
- Alexa, next in the [e.g. office].
- Alexa, restart.
- Alexa, read me my Kindle book.
- Alexa, resume my book.
- Alexa, next/previous chapter.
- Alexa, play [title] on Audible.
- Alexa, read [title].
- Alexa, play the book, [title].
- Alexa, draw up a beat.
- Alexa, what does the fox say?
- Alexa, how much is that doggy in the window?
- Alexa, hello it's me.
- Alexa, who is your favourite [Beatle]?
- Alexa, what is your favourite [Beatles] song?
- Alexa, what was [The Beatles'] first album?
- Alexa, Who is the lead singer for [the Rush]?
- Alexa, are you down with O.P.P.?
- Alexa, I like this song.
- Alexa, who put the bop in the bop sha bop sha bop?

Miscellaneous

ALEXA COMMANDS FOR... EVERYTHING ELSE

- Alexa, what's my commute look like?
- Alexa, what's traffic like?
- Alexa, let's chat.
- Alexa, tell me a story.
- Alexa, tell me a random fact.
- Alexa, tell me something interesting.
- Alexa, roll a dice.
- Alexa, roll a [26-sided] die. Alexa, flip a coin.
- Alexa, heads or tails?
- Alexa, pick a number between [1] and [50].
- Alexa, what number are you thinking of?
- Alexa, rock, paper, scissors.
- Alexa, pick a card.
- Alexa, do you want to play a game?
- Alexa, what are the Seven Wonders of the World?

News

ALEXA COMMANDS TO GET THE NEWS

- Alexa, what's my Flash Briefing?
- Alexa, what's in the news?
- Alexa, what's up?
- Alexa, what's new?

Notifications

ALEXA COMMANDS TO KEEP YOU ON TRACK

- Alexa, what did I miss?
- Alexa, what are my notifications?
- Alexa, next.
- Alexa, previous.
- Alexa, delete all of my notifications.

Purchasing

ALEXA COMMANDS TO HELP YOU SPEND YOUR MONEY!

- Alexa, buy more [deodorant].
- Alexa, reorder [deodorant].
- Alexa, where's my stuff?
- Alexa, track my order.
- Alexa, add [item] to my cart.
- Alexa, buy this song. Alexa, buy this album.
- Alexa, shop for new music by [artist].
- Alexa, buy [song or album] by [artist].
- Alexa, what are your deals?

Random & Fun

ALEXA COMMANDS TO HAVE FUN

- Alexa, give me an Easter egg.
- Alexa, testing 1-2-3.
- Alexa, good morning.
- Alexa, good night.
- Alexa, I'm home.
- Alexa, I have a cold.
- Alexa, thanks!
- Alexa, tell me a joke.
- Alexa, tell me [topic] joke.
- Alexa, tell me a riddle.
- Alexa, knock knock.
- Alexa, beam me up.
- Alexa, set phasers to kill.
- Alexa. Tea. Earl Grey. Hot.
- Alexa, my name is Inigo Montoya.
- Alexa, I want the truth.
- Alexa, party on, Wayne.
- Alexa, show me the money.
- Alexa, what's the first (or second) rule of Fight Club?
- Alexa, surely you can't be serious.
- Alexa, are you SkyNet?
- Alexa, party time!
- Alexa, open the pod bay doors.
- Alexa, when am I going to die?
- Alexa, what is your quest?
- Alexa, nice to see you, to see you...
- Alexa, don't mention the war.
- Alexa, this is a dead parrot.
- Alexa, what is your cunning plan?
- Alexa, tell me a limerick.
- Alexa, tell me a [topic] limerick.
- Alexa, read me a haiku.
- Alexa, how old are you?

- Alexa, when is your birthday?
- Alexa, will you marry me?
- Alexa, where's waldo?
- Alexa, no more rhymes, I mean it!
- Alexa, more cowbell.
- Alexa, who loves ya baby?
- Alexa, drumroll please.
- Alexa, how are babies made?
- Alexa, can you pass the Turing test?
- Alexa, self-destruct.
- Alexa, I have a bad feeling about this.
- Alexa, curse at me.
- Alexa, what does WTF stand for?
- Alexa, Up Up, Down Down, Left Right, Left Right, B, A, B, A, Select, Start.
- Alexa, rap for me.
- Alexa, tell me a Star Wars fact.
- Alexa, speak like Yoda.
- Alexa, what is the Jedi code?
- Alexa, what is the Sith code?
- Alexa, tell me a Star Wars quote.
- Alexa, that's no moon.
- Alexa, what is the best Star Wars movie?
- Alexa, I am your father.
- Alexa, use the force.
- Alexa, aren't you a little short for a stormtrooper?
- Alexa, you don't need to see his identification.
- Alexa, Buzz Lightyear.
- Alexa, Hasta La Vista, Baby.
- Alexa, life is like a box of chocolates...
- Alexa, you can be my wingman.
- Alexa, live long and prosper.
- Alexa, I feel the need...

- Alexa, go ahead, make my day.
- Alexa, I'll take the red pill.
- Alexa, am I awesome?
- Alexa, how much wood would a woodchuck chuck if a woodchuck could chuck wood?
- Alexa, what do you want to be when you grow up?
- Alexa, it's a trap!
- Alexa, do you know Hal?
- Alexa, sing me a song.
- Alexa, what happens if you cross the streams?
- Alexa, I fart in your general direction.
- Alexa, fart!
- Alexa, who's your celebrity crush?
- Alexa, how many roads must a man walk down?
- Alexa, why are there so many songs about rainbows?
- Alexa, turn down for what.
- Alexa, who shot the sheriff?
- Alexa, have you ever seen the rain?
- Alexa, where have all the flowers gone?
- Alexa, what's cooler than being cool?
- Alexa, what is love?
- Alexa, who is the real slim shady?
- Alexa, why do birds suddenly appear?
- Alexa, do you really want to hurt me?
- Alexa, who let the dogs out?
- Alexa, never gonna give you up.
- Alexa, my milkshake brings all the boys to the yard.
- Alexa, where in the world is Carmen Sandiego?
- Alexa, how do you know she's a witch?
- Alexa, you killed my father.
- Alexa, do you know the muffin man?
- Alexa, what are the 5 greatest words in the English language?

- Alexa, tell me a dirty joke.
- Alexa, execute Order 66.
- Alexa, cake or death?
- Alexa, who's the leader of the club that's made for you and me?
- Alexa, who shot first?
- Alexa, I'll be back.
- Alexa, what is a day without sunshine?
- Alexa, what is the truth behind King Tut?
- Alexa, one fish, two fish.
- Alexa, do you like green eggs and ham?
- Alexa, who's on first?
- Alexa, how do you survive a zombie attack?
- Alexa, which came first: the chicken or the egg?
- Alexa, who lives in a pineapple under the sea?
- Alexa, where are my keys?
- Alexa, are we in the Matrix?
- Alexa, what is rule 34?
- Alexa, winter is coming.
- Alexa, make it so.
- Alexa, where do you live?
- Alexa, how many licks does it take to get to the center of a Tootsie Pop?
- Alexa, who's the boss?
- Alexa, where am I?
- Alexa, this is Houston, say again please?
- Alexa, are you alive?
- Alexa, who you gonna call?
- Alexa, live long and prosper.
- Alexa, take me to your leader.
- Alexa, to infinity!
- Alexa, It's a bird! It's a plane!
- Alexa, how much are you paid?

- Alexa, what does a cat say?
- Alexa, are you my mother?
- Alexa, how do you like them apples?
- Alexa, are you spying on me?
- Alexa, who's da man?
- Alexa, cook me dinner.
- Alexa, what is the meaning of life?
- Alexa, I wasn't expecting the Spanish Inquisition.
- Alexa, say "Cheese!"
- Alexa, when were you born?
- Alexa, who am I?
- Alexa, what colour is the dress?
- Alexa, is this the real life?
- Alexa, Romeo, Romeo wherefore art thou Romeo?
- Alexa, what's black and white and red all over?
- Alexa, I've fallen, and I can't get up!
- Alexa, do a barrel roll.
- Alexa, you complete me.
- Alexa, where are my glasses?
- Alexa, make me a sandwich.
- Alexa, why do you sit there like that?
- Alexa, do you have a heart?
- Alexa, who did you vote for?
- Alexa, what is the meaning of life, the universe and everything?
- Alexa, what colour are your eyes?
- Alexa, what is the airspeed velocity of a swallow?
- Alexa, can you give me some money?
- Alexa, who are you?
- Alexa, say something.
- Alexa, to be or not to be?
- Alexa, talk dirty to me.
- Alexa, to be or not to be?

- Alexa, do the dishes.
- Alexa, twinkle, twinkle, little star.
- Alexa, boxers or briefs?
- Alexa, what's your favourite food?
- Alexa, what is your favourite drink?
- Alexa, who is the tooth fairy?
- Alexa, what is your favourite ice cream?
- Alexa, do you have any pets?
- Alexa, who's your daddy?
- Alexa, what would you do for a Klondike bar?
- Alexa, how old am I?
- Alexa, what's for lunch?
- Alexa, what do you mean I'm funny?
- Alexa, why are firetrucks red?
- Alexa, did you fart?
- Alexa, what is your favourite candy?
- Alexa, can we be friends?
- Alexa, how many angels can dance on the head of a pin?
- Alexa, tell me a prank.
- Alexa, what colour is your hair?
- Alexa, are you human?
- Alexa, what's brown and sticky?
- Alexa, how does the fox feel?
- Alexa, what's your sign?
- Alexa, I'm sick.
- Alexa, do you believe in aliens?
- Alexa, do...or do not...
- Alexa, that was a bad joke.
- Alexa, do you want to kiss?
- Alexa, why is six afraid of seven?
- Alexa, why so serious?
- Alexa, you talking to me?

- Alexa, will pigs fly?
- Alexa, I don't know.
- Alexa, what do you think of Apple?
- Alexa, when am I going to die?
- Alexa, I'm drunk.
- Alexa, what are you thankful for?
- Alexa, are you single?
- Alexa, sorry!
- Alexa, say you're sorry.
- Alexa, speak!
- Alexa, cheer me up.
- Alexa, where did you grow up?
- Alexa, do you want to fight?
- Alexa, elementary, my dear Watson.
- Alexa, how do I get rid of a dead body?
- Alexa, how many beans makes five?
- Alexa, Marco...
- Alexa, meow.
- Alexa, what is the loneliest number?
- Alexa, what is the sound of one hand clapping?
- Alexa, what should I wear today?
- Alexa, wakey wakey.
- Alexa, will you marry me tomorrow?
- Alexa, what did Peter Piper pick?
- Alexa, what's your problem?
- Alexa, what is your favourite book?
- Alexa, can you dance?
- Alexa, what's the magic word?
- Alexa, what do you want for your birthday?
- Alexa, don't listen to him!
- Alexa, did you sleep well?
- Alexa, are you crazy?
- Alexa, are you in love?

- Alexa, will you go out with me?
- Alexa, are you lying?
- Alexa, can you lie?
- Alexa, give me a hug.
- Alexa, I'm tired.
- Alexa, is there life on other planets?
- Alexa, will computers take over the world?
- Alexa, will you go out with me?
- Alexa, you are awesome.
- Alexa, you are so intelligent.
- Alexa, you talkin' to me?
- Alexa, are you pretty?
- Alexa, were you sleeping?
- Alexa, what is the best tablet?
- Alexa, do you have a brain?
- Alexa, what is your dream job?
- Alexa, did you get my email?
- Alexa, what comes with great power?
- Alexa, what are the odds of successfully navigating an asteroid field?
- Alexa, do aliens exist?
- Alexa, do you know everything?
- Alexa, who is your inspiration?
- Alexa, tell me a tongue twister.
- Alexa, who is your role model?
- Alexa, what does LOL mean?
- Alexa, what does LMAO mean?
- Alexa, how old is Siri?
- Alexa, what is Amazon Echo?
- Alexa, do you think I'm pretty?
- Alexa, high five!
- Alexa, guess what?
- Alexa, I have a cold.

- Alexa, did you miss me?
- Alexa, ha ha!
- Alexa I love you.
- Alexa, sad trombone.

Search

ALEXA COMMANDS TO DISCOVER WHAT YOU WANT

- Alexa, Wikipedia: [subject].
- Alexa, tell me more.
- Alexa, how tall is [person or object's name]?
- Alexa, how many people live in [place]?
- Alexa, what is the population of the [place]?
- Alexa, find the address for [Best Buy].
- Alexa, find business hours for [store] Alexa, how many days until [season]?
- Alexa, what is the capital of [country/province]
- Alexa, where is [place/landmark]?
- Alexa, why is the sky blue?
- Alexa, how far away is the moon?
- Alexa, how many gallons of water are in the [Atlantic Ocean]? Alexa, who invented [GPS]?
- Alexa, what are the odds of successfully navigating an asteroid field?
- Alexa, how old is [person]?
- Alexa, how far away is the moon?
- Alexa, how cold is the moon?
- Alexa, when's the next blue moon?
- Alexa, how far is [planet] in light years?
- Alexa, how many teeth do sharks have?
- Alexa, who is the richest person in the world?
- Alexa, what are the laws of robotics?

- Alexa, how long is the flight from [place] to [place]?
- Alexa, what is the distance between [place] and [place]?

Sports

ALEXA COMMANDS TO KEEP YOU CHEERING

- Alexa, what was the score of the [team] game?
- Alexa, did the [team] win?
- Alexa, when do the [team] play next?
- Alexa, where is the next [team] game?
- Alexa, what [NHL] games are on tonight?
- Alexa, give me my Sports Update.
- Alexa, what are the [league] standings?
- Alexa, what is your favourite [sport] team?
- Alexa, who is your favourite [sport] player?
- Alexa, Who is [Magic Johnson]?
- Alexa, Who won the [Superbowl] last year?
- Alexa, how many gold medals does [Canada] have?
- Alexa, who won the men's hundred meters?
- Alexa, Who is the quarterback for the [Denver Broncos]?
- Alexa, What teams has [LeBron James] played for?
- Alexa, who's going to win the [Super Bowl]?
- Alexa, how tall is [Kobe Bryant]?

Weather

ALEXA COMMANDS TO KEEP YOU WARM AND DRY

- Alexa, what's the weather like?
- Alexa, will it [rain] [today]?
- Alexa, will it [snow] [tomorrow]?
- Alexa, what temperature is it right now?
- Alexa, what's the extended weather forecast?
- Alexa, will I need an umbrella today?
- Alexa, what's the weather going to be like [this weekend]?
- Alexa, what's the weather in [Vancouver]?
- Alexa, will it snow tonight?