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# Recommended Software for Broadcasting

Browse the most common tools for streaming on Twitch below.

New to streaming? Check out our [quick-start to going live on Twitch](https://help.twitch.tv/s/article/getting-started-on-twitch) (<https://help.twitch.tv/s/article/getting-started-on-twitch>), to learn more.

Looking for your stream key? You can find it on your [dashboard](https://dashboard.twitch.tv/settings/stream) (<https://dashboard.twitch.tv/settings/stream>).

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## Broadcasting Applications

Below we have listed some common choices other broadcasters use and recommend for newer broadcasters.

Each has its own benefits so we would recommend doing research and making your decision based on what you need.

Check our [recommended streaming tools in Creator Dashboard](https://dashboard.twitch.tv/broadcast) (<https://dashboard.twitch.tv/broadcast>) to see the most up-to-date list of supported broadcasting applications.

		
<a href="https://obsproject.com/">(https://obsproject.com/)</a>	<a href="https://streamlabs.com/streamlabs-live-streaming-software"> (https://streamlabs.com/streamlabs-live-streaming-software)</a>	<a href="https://streamlabs.com/talk-studio"> (https://streamlabs.com/talk-studio)</a>
Open Broadcaster Software ( <a href="https://obsproject.com/">https://obsproject.com/</a> )	Streamlabs Desktop ( <a href="https://streamlabs.com/streamlabs-live-streaming-software">https://streamlabs.com/streamlabs-live-streaming-software</a> )	Talk Studio ( <a href="https://streamlabs.com/talk-studio">https://streamlabs.com/talk-studio</a> )
<b>Available on</b>	<b>Available on</b>	<b>Available on</b>
Windows, Mac, Ubuntu	Windows, Mac	Web Browser
<b>Licenses</b>	<b>Licenses</b>	<b>Licenses</b>
Free	Free	Free, Paid



(<https://golightstream.com/twitch>).



(<https://prismlive.com/desktop.html>).



(<https://meldstudio.co/download/>).


Lightstream Studio ( <a href="https://golightstream.com/twitch">https://golightstream.com/twitch</a> )	PRISM Live Studio Desktop ( <a href="https://prismlive.com/desktop.html">https://prismlive.com/desktop.html</a> )	Meld Studio ( <a href="https://meldstudio.co/download/">https://meldstudio.co/download/</a> )
<b>Available on</b>	<b>Available on</b>	<b>Available on</b>
Web Browser	Windows, Mac	Windows, Mac
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Free, Paid	Free	Free, Paid

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## Services and Tools

Once you have decided on the broadcasting software and had a chance to get things rolling you can expand on your broadcast capabilities with the following sites that provide various services and tools.

Once again we recommend taking some time to research and making a decision based on what you need.




**streamlabs** (<https://muxy.io>)

(<https://streamlabs.com/dashboard>)

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