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Installing APK files on Android, it's as easy as clicking on a file from your phone. However, there are a few things to consider before you can do this in success. First, you need to set up your phone setting. Second, get files to your Android. And, finally, find a file to open it. The information below should not apply no matter who makes your Android phone: Samsung, Google, Huawei, Xiaomi, and others. APK (Android Package Kit) is a type of file that installs apps for Android. If you're technically wise, it's like a file that you run to install a way on Windows or Mac (known as sellable (EXE) for Windows, or a package installer (PKG) for Mac). In this case, the APK file is just the installer file you clicked to install the app on your Android device. Here's an easy explanation of what the APK is, but it helps understand why clicking on a file on your Android device will install the app. If you've ever installed an Android app from the Google Play store, then you've actually used the APK file without realizing it. When you click the Green installation button, Google Play automates the process of moving APK files to your phone and running them for you. But what if the app you want to install isn't available on Google Play? That's when you have to take things into your own hands. In this article, you'll learn three methods for running APK installer files to install any non-Google Play app to your phone. Since your phone considers any app outside of Google Play to be an unknown app, you need to notify your phone to allow you to install unknown apps. Go to Setting, Type Security (or Screen Lock and Security). Go down to the Device Administration section, and power unknown resources. Go to Setting, Then Apps and Notifications. Select Install Unknown App (or Install Another App). Now that you've configured your phone to let you install unknown apps, you also need a way to find app files (APK files) on your phone so you can run them. Android phones are usually included with the File Manager app that you can use. But if you don't have one, then open Google Play on your phone and find File Manager. You will see many options available. Some of the best options include: Cx File ExplorerEZ File ExplorerFile Manager Install any of these file managers so you can search for APK files after you move them to your phone. The easiest way to install APK files on your Android is to download files using your Android Browser. Once you find a website that offers Android apps, you'll see a link to load APK files. You might see an overflow that asks if you want to allow your browser to save files to your phone's storage. Accept this. You'll also see a warning that this type of file can harm your device. Just click OK to continue. If your phone's web browser doesn't give you the option to open a file after downloading, then open the file explorer application you installed, install, go to the Download folder on your device. Type the APK file. Correct the app any necessary permissions it requested. Then, at the bottom of the installer window, click INSTALL. You'll see app authentication installed. Now you'll see the apps available in the list of installed apps. If you don't have Internet reach on your phone, or for any other reason, you can't use your browser to download files, you can still install apps from your computer. Using your computer's web browser, download the APK file just as described above. Once it's downloaded, you'll need to connect to your Android phone and move the file. If you've never connected your Android to your computer, you'll need to power a USB Message. Depending on the age of your device, there are two ways to do this. Android 4.1.x and lower: Click Settings, then type Apps, type Development and finally power usb message. Android 4.2.x and higher: Click Settings, set down the phone's details, and type Build number seven times. This allows the Builder menu. Return to Settings, type Developer Options and type USB Message. Power the USB message box. Once this is powered, you can plug your phone into your computer with a USB cable and it will launch the phone just as it will attach the memory. Once your phone is connected to your computer, it will appear as another drive in your computer's File Booster. Switch the APK files you've downloaded from the app's website to your phone. Find the APK file that is downloaded on your computer. Right-click the file and click Copy. Find a new boost for your phone in the file checker. Expand each folder so that you find the /sdcard/download folder. Paste apk files into that folder. Once the files are moved, use the file checker app on your phone as described in the previous section to type the APK file and install the app. If you don't have a USB cable, another solution is to install WiFi FTP Server from Google Play and then use ftp customers on your computer (such as FileZilla) to move APK files from your computer to the /sdcard/download folder on your phone. However, this is an advanced option and requires an understanding of how to ftp files. If for whatever reason the APK installer does not run when you type it on your phone or your app launch is crashed and your phone is not working properly, there is an emergency and advanced solution that will work. You can install APK files on your Android from your computer using a tool called minimum ADB and Fastboot. First, you need to follow the steps in the previous section to connect your phone via USB and allow USB Debugging. Next, load and install the latest versions of ADB Minimum and Fastboot on your computer. Run the tool, and the command window will be launched. With your phone connected to your computer with a USB cable, type the command adb device. If a tool can locate your phone, you'll see an ID for the device listed under The List of attached devices. Now you're ready to transfer APK files. Apk. Windows File Shyrup, search for APK files downloaded on your computer. Right-click the file and click Copy. Using Windows File Rejection, navigate to the ADB and Minimal Fasboot folders (usually c:\Program Files (x86)\minimal ADB and Fastboot). Paste the APK file into the folder. Rename the APK file to something short so it's easy to type as a command. Back in the same command window you have previously opened, type the installation adb command &it;name-of-file.apk&it;. Replace &it;name-of-file.apk&it;with your APK filename. When you see a Success word, the app is installed on your phone! There are many websites where you can find non-Google Play apps to install. The three most popular are Pure APK, Reddii APK Directory, and APK Mirror. Remember to do your research before installing any applications. Often a quick Google search can tell you if the app (or the company that makes an app) has a reputation in question. Seriously, do your research before you download and install APK on your own Android device. We have many best ways to follow the latest from Android Central on your smartphone, tablet or computer — above and beyond visiting websites in the browser. Here's a look at our available downloads: Our Android app has a trio of apps available, each serving a different purpose. Official applications for the Android No. 1 community on the planet! This is your home to the latest news, reviews, opinions, editorials, podcasts — plus podcasts, videos, access to our forums, wallpaper galleries and more! Installed by more than 100,000 Android fans! Download on Google Play! 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