

# Introduction

## What is MACAST Lite?

MACAST Lite is a MacOS™ application designed to provide an easy-to-use and lightweight interface to play various popular sound formats, such as MPEG Layer II and III, CD Audio, .MOD , .S3M and more.

MACAST Lite uses special modules called "engines". Every module provides playback routines for specific sound formats.

MACAST Lite also supports a technology called "Phrase Books". By downloading and installing only one file your copy of MACAST Lite will 'speak' your localized language - without modifying the application itself. The latest Phrase Books for MACAST Lite are available at the Phrase Books web page, <<http://www.macast.com/lite/>>.

## Installing MACAST Lite

To install MACAST Lite, simply expand the folder "MACAST Lite f" in the desired location. That's it!

## System Requirements

MACAST Lite requires a PowerPC processor, MacOS™ 7.5 or later, and at least 512K of free RAM. PowerPC 603 or better processor is recommended for MPEG Audio playback.

## Supported Sound Formats

MACAST Lite with the default engines supports sound formats listed below. Please note that the list of sound formats can be easily expanded by adding other engines to the Plugins folder.

- CD Audio
- .MP1
- .MP2
- .MP3