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Meet the Mac

The Login Screen

- Mac supports multiple users
 - Each user has their own custom settings

The *Desktop*

- Icons
- Hard drive(s)
- The *Dock* at the bottom (similar to Quick Launch)

The *Finder* (Windows Explorer)

- Click on a drive icon to open the *Finder*
- Hard drives (names rather than driver letters)
- CD/DVD drives
 - Ejecting CD/DVD or thumb drive

Mission Control

- Multiple desktops

LaunchPad

- Displays installed applications

Time Machine

- Automatically backup every hour

Disk Utility

- Everything - disk related - in one place
- Format, partition, backup, clone, repair

Some Mac Applications

- iTunes
 - Purchase music, on-line, from the iTunes Store
 - Import music from CDs
 - Create custom play lists
 - Create custom CDs
 - Sync with iPod, iPhone or iPad

- iPhoto
 - Import from camera
 - Manage photos
 - Create albums and slideshows
- iMovie
 - Import and edit video
- iDVD
 - Create DVDs from iPhoto and/or iMovie
- Safari (web browser)
- Mail

Third-Party Software

- *Microsoft*: Office for the Mac (Word, PowerPoint, Excel and Outlook)
- *Adobe*: Reader, CS5, Photoshop and Photoshop Elements
- *Roxio*: Toast (Mac version of CD Creator)
- *Intuit*: Quicken, QuickBooks, Turbo Tax ...
- *Mozilla*: Firefox (web browser) and Thunderbird (email client)

Software Update

- Manual or automatic updates

The App Store

- Free and pay-for applications for your Mac
- Updates

Running Windows on the Mac

- **Apple's Boot Camp**
 - Install both Windows and Mac OS on one hard drive
 - Dual boot. Either Windows or Mac OS
- **Virtualization**
 - Run Windows on the Mac
 - VirtualBox (free)
 - Parallels
 - VMware Fusion