HOW DO I SET UP A SMART HOME GROUP?

Your guide to hands-free control of your home.



THE ALEXA APP

Before you begin grouping your Alexa-enabled devices, download the Alexa app from either the iOS App Store or Google Play Store. This app will serve as the control center for all your individual devices and Alexa Smart Home Groups.







ADD AN ECHO DEVICE TO YOUR NETWORK

Connecting your device to Wi-Fi is crucial to unlock its full capabilities. To begin, plug your Echo device into a power outlet and launch the Alexa app. Navigate to the **Settings** screen and hit **Wi-Fi**. Locate and select your Wi-Fi network and follow the on-screen prompts.



ADDING MULTIPLE ECHO DEVICES

To add additional devices, tap the **Menu Icon** in the Alexa app and select **Add Alexa Device**. Hold down the **Action** button, located on the right side of your Echo device, until the light ring turns orange. This indicates your mobile device is connected to your Echo and will allow you to choose your Wi-Fi network.







NAME YOUR DEVICES

Avoid future confusion by giving each Echo device a unique name related to its location. To rename your Echo devices, select the **Menu Icon** and navigate to the **Settings** screen. Choose the device you'd like to rename and scroll down to **Device Name**, then tap **Edit**. Enter the desired name and hit **Save**. Repeat this process for each Echo device.



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ADD AN ALEXA SMART HOME GROUP

Navigate to the **Settings** screen of the Alexa app and select the following:

Smart Home → Groups → Add Group → Smart Home Group.

Enter the appropriate name for your group or choose one from the list of suggestions and tap **Next**.







DESIGN YOUR GROUP

This is where unique names come in handy. You'll want your groups to correspond to rooms in your home so that a single command can control several devices. If you are creating the "Living Room" group, choose the device you wish to add, such as "End Table Lamp 1," and tap **Save**. Repeat this step for each device you'd like to include in your group.

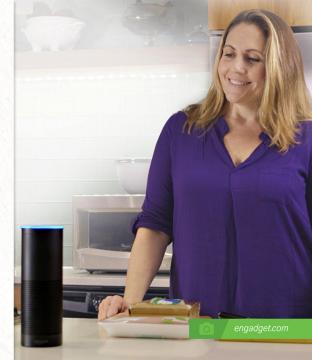


HOW TO CONTROL YOUR GROUP

When you return to the **Groups** page of the Alexa app, you'll see your new group. You can now control your devices with your voice. When you speak to an Echo in a group, you can use simplified commands like:

- "Alexa, turn on lights."
- "Alexa, set temperature to 76 degrees."
- "Alexa, turn on living room."







EDITING YOUR GROUP

Editing your Alexa Smart Home Group is easy once it's been established. All you need to do is return to the **Smart Home** menu in the Alexa app, select **Groups** and choose the group you want to edit. From here, you can change the group name, add or remove devices or delete the group entirely.



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