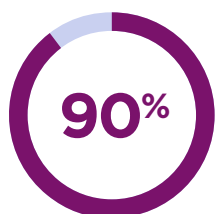# Expand employee productivity and tighten IT management

Lenovo ThinkPad® Smart Docks give users connectivity as well as simplify IT control

ThinkPad USB4 Smart Dock 5500

Add docking stations to improve flexibility and productivity

Modern laptops deliver plenty of power. But to enhance mobility, they've become thinner and lighter with fewer ports. Docking stations can add much-needed connections, making them invaluable tools for improving productivity. Docks support multi-monitor setups, simplify workspace cable management, and much more — all to help employees work more efficiently and conveniently.

90% **of IT decision-makers say building, managing, and maintaining their IT landscape has become more complex, and simplifying IT infrastructure is a priority.[1]**

65%

of users favor docking stations capable of supporting multiple devices simultaneously, emphasizing the importance of multi-functionality in enhancing productivity.[2]

ThinkPad Smart Docks

Since 1992, Lenovo has been designing and improving docking solutions. In the beginning, they were simply extra port connections. Today's newest, fastest ThinkPad Smart Docks dramatically expand connectivity, improve flexibility, and add control using Lenovo IT management software to improve productivity and accelerate ROI.

The Lenovo family of docks is ideal for mixed-PC environments and offers a wide range of data, power, and display connectivity. These Smart Docks are:

- ⊘ Widely compatible across PCs, including co-testing and co-debugging with Apple devices
- ⊘ More stable and seamless compatibility with Lenovo notebook and docks
- ⊘ Supported by Lenovo Accessories Fleet Manager (LAFM), enabling IT teams to control the entire dock fleet from a single console
- ⊘ Created with industry-leading amounts of sustainable materials and a transparent carbon footprint certified by TUV

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Smart Docks deliver IT management and data security

With LAFM, IT can schedule Smart Dock firmware updates for individual docks or a group of docks. Access the status of ports, peripherals, and laptops, download metrics from device logs, or run troubleshooting routines — even when the laptop is not connected. IT managers can work worry-free thanks to data protection offered through the hardware security and AWS cloud security features that are built into Smart Docks.

Choose the Smart Dock that fits each user

No matter which Smart Docks are in your fleet, they each feature intelligent design details that users will appreciate. The ports are logically placed and consistently spaced for hassle-free cable plugin and removal, so cables are easy to unplug, yet keep connections securely in place. For users working with Lenovo devices, these Smart Docks take special advantage of performance enhancements designed into Lenovo PCs. And every Lenovo ThinkPad Smart Dock is built with sustainability in mind, featuring a 90% post-consumer recycled metal chassis, minimal shipping boxes, and plastic-free packaging.

ThinkPad Smart Dock features

Features	Thunderbolt 5 7500	Thunderbolt 4 Gen 2 7500	USB4 5500
PC connection	1 x TBT 5 data and charge up to 180W	1 x TBT 4 data and charge up to 100W	1 x USB4 data and charge up to 100W (w/135W adapter)
8K monitors @ 60 Hz	3	1	1
4K monitors @ 60 Hz	4	4	4
4K monitors @ 144 Hz	3	2	2
4K monitors @ 240 Hz	2	1	1
USB data ports	2 x TBT 5, 3 x USB-A 3.2 Gen2 10Gbs, 2 x USB-C 3.2 Gen 2	1 x TBT 4, 4 x USB-A 3.2 Gen2, 2 x USB-C 3.2 Gen 2	4 x USB-A 3.2 Gen2, 2 x USB-C 3.2 Gen 2
Ethernet port	2.5 Gb	2.5 Gb	1 Gb
Video ports	2 x TBT 5, 2 x DP 1.4, 1 x HDMI 2.1, 1 x Integrated TBT 5 cable	2 x DP 1.4, 1 x HDMI 2.1, 1 x TBT 4 downstream	2 x DP 1.4, 1 x HDMI 2.1, 1 x USB-C video

Find out how **Lenovo ThinkPad Smart Docks** can improve user productivity and simplify IT management across your entire PC environment. Contact your Lenovo rep for more details.

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