

# iSync plugins Manual



## **Thank you for using iSync plugins**

This software allows you to use your cell phone with iSync – Apple’s hot synchronizing software.

iSync eases the frustration of entering names and numbers into your cell phone, since it transfers data to and from your Mac. You will always have the most current information with you no matter where you are.

nova media now allows you to use even more cell phones with this exciting technology. In addition, our software can extend the synchronization of future events up to one year.

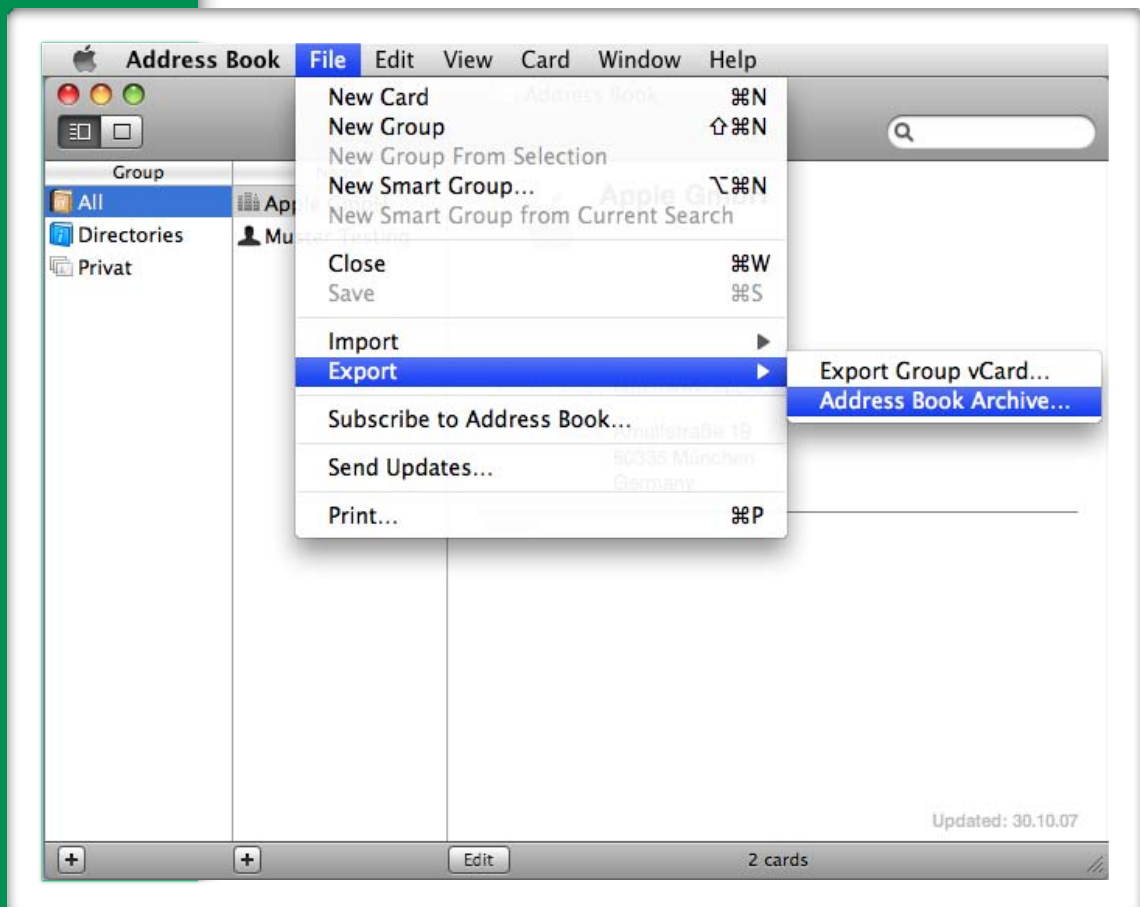
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# Backing up your data

Using the iSync plugins is easy as using iSync itself. But in order to prevent any loss of data in Address Book or iCal, you should backup this data.

To back up your Address Book data on your computer:

- 1 Open Address Book.
- 2 Click **File > Export > Address Book Archive...**



To recover Address Book data on your computer

- 1 Open Address Book
- 2 Click **File > Import > Address Book Archive...**

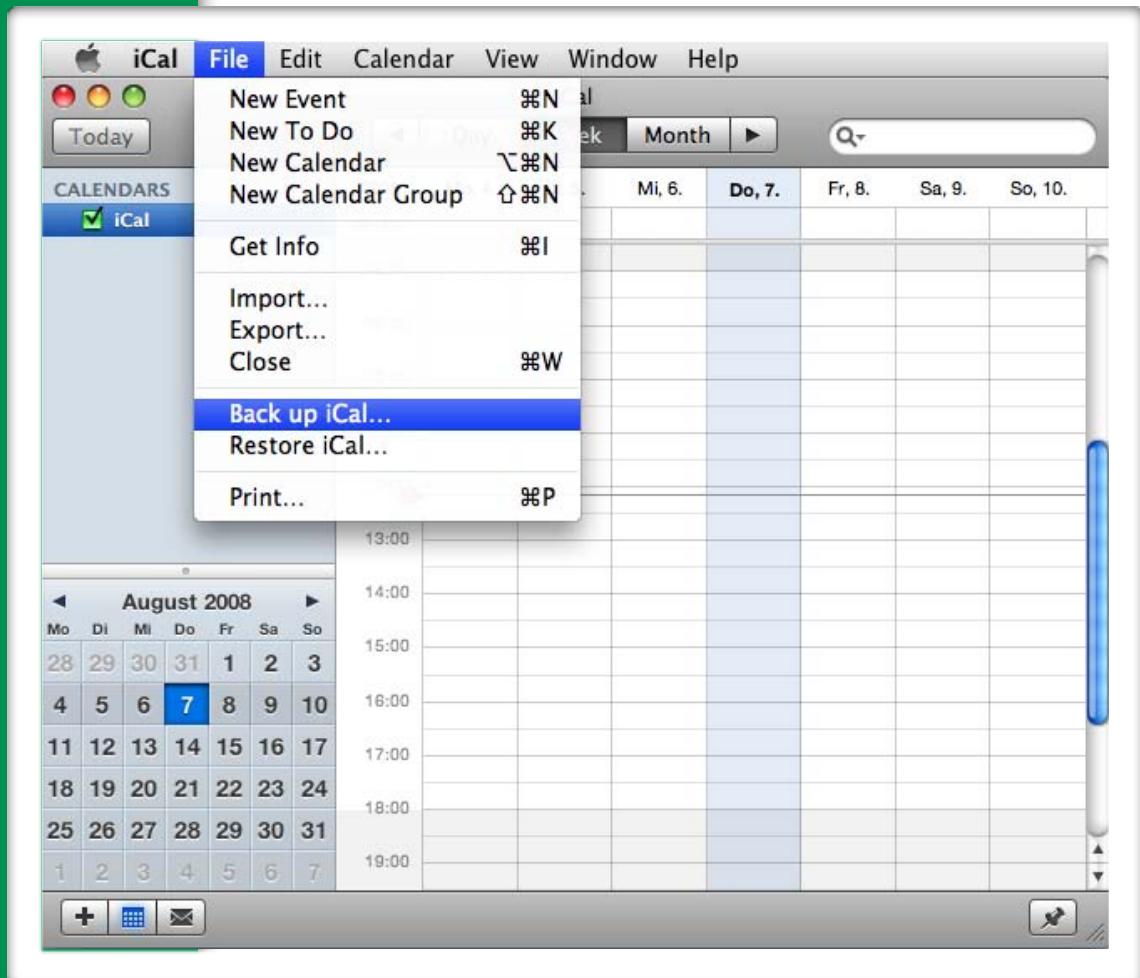
3 Select the backup file you previously saved.

(This menu can look different in earlier versions of Mac OS X)

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To backup your iCal data on your computer:

- 1 Open iCal
- 2 Click **File > Back up iCal...**



To recover your iCal data

- 1 open iCal
- 2 Click **File > Restore iCal**
- 3 Select the backup file you previously saved.

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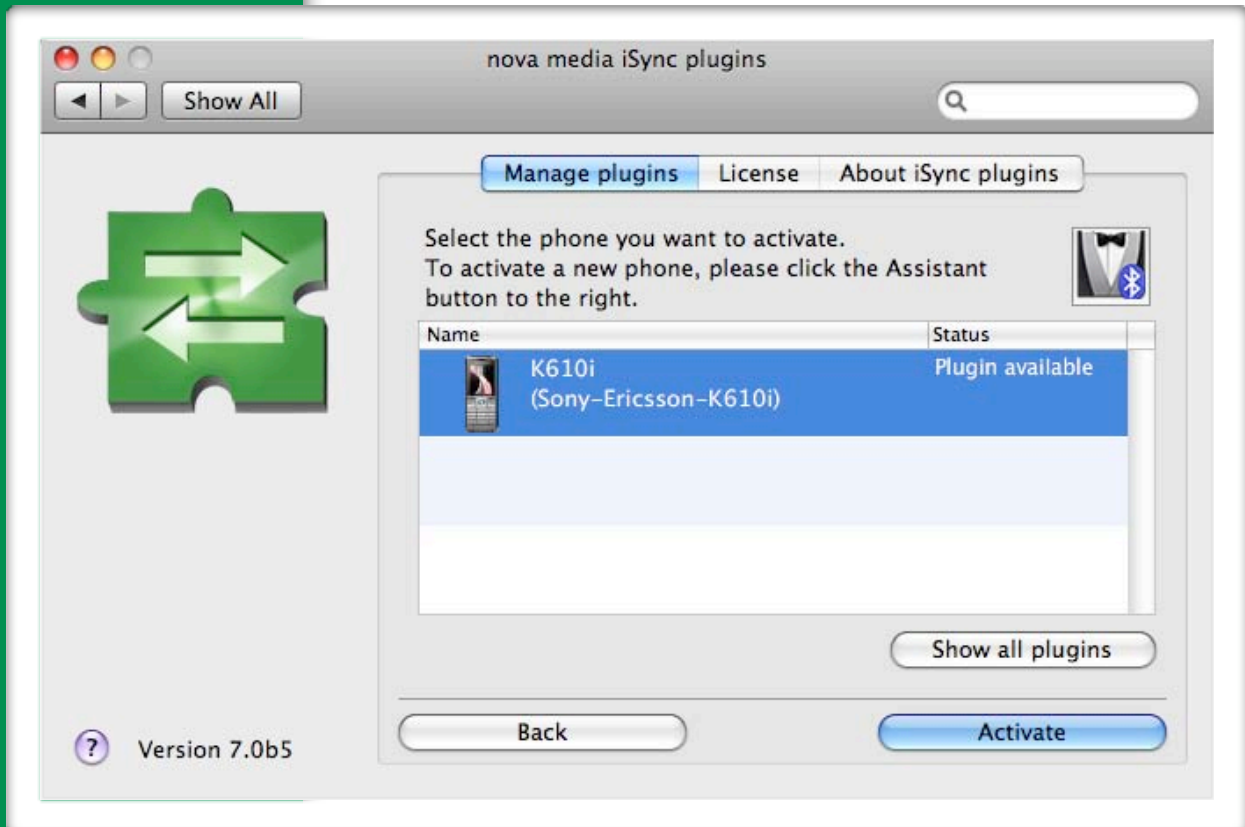
Open the **System preferences** -> **iSync plugins**. The software needs to load the most recent list of supported cell phones from our server, so it has to use an Internet connection.



Next, iSync plugins will ask you to choose the cell phone you would like to activate and to use with iSync. Click **New plugin...** to continue.

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You see a list of cell phones, which have already been configured to work with your Macintosh computer.



Select the cell phone you would like to use and click **Activate**. You will see the activation window.

**Tip:** To see all available plugins to choose from, rather than from the list of already configured phones, click **Show all plugins**.

**Attention:** If you are using Mac OS X 10.4 Tiger, you will only see the list of available plugins to choose from.

# Pairing a phone

If your cell phone has not been connected to your Macintosh computer, follow these steps to do so:

1 Make sure Bluetooth is activated on your Mac and on your cell phone. The cell phone has to be set to be **visible**, so the Mac can detect it.

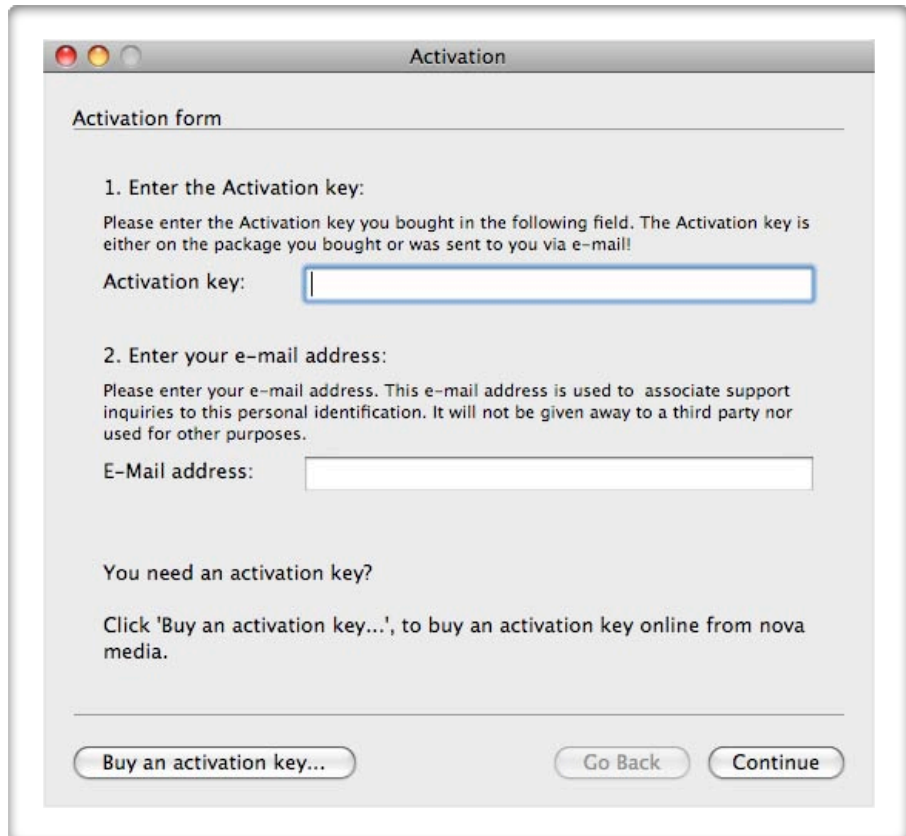
2 Click the Bluetooth Assistant icon in the iSync plugins.

3 This will open the Bluetooth Setup Assistant of Mac OS X which will guide you through the necessary steps to connect your cell phone with your Macintosh computer.

**Important:** Click **Continue** until the Bluetooth Assistant is finished, you do not need to enter any data.

# Activating iSync plugins

The activation window requires you to enter the activation code you purchased and your e-mail address.

The image shows a screenshot of a Mac OS X window titled "Activation". The window contains an "Activation form" with two main sections. The first section, "1. Enter the Activation key:", includes a text box for the activation key and a note that the key is either on the package or sent via e-mail. The second section, "2. Enter your e-mail address:", includes a text box for the e-mail address and a note that the address is used for support inquiries and will not be shared. At the bottom, there are three buttons: "Buy an activation key...", "Go Back", and "Continue".

Activation

Activation form

1. Enter the Activation key:

Please enter the Activation key you bought in the following field. The Activation key is either on the package you bought or was sent to you via e-mail!

Activation key:

2. Enter your e-mail address:

Please enter your e-mail address. This e-mail address is used to associate support inquiries to this personal identification. It will not be given away to a third party nor used for other purposes.

E-Mail address:

You need an activation key?

Click 'Buy an activation key...', to buy an activation key online from nova media.

Buy an activation key... Go Back Continue

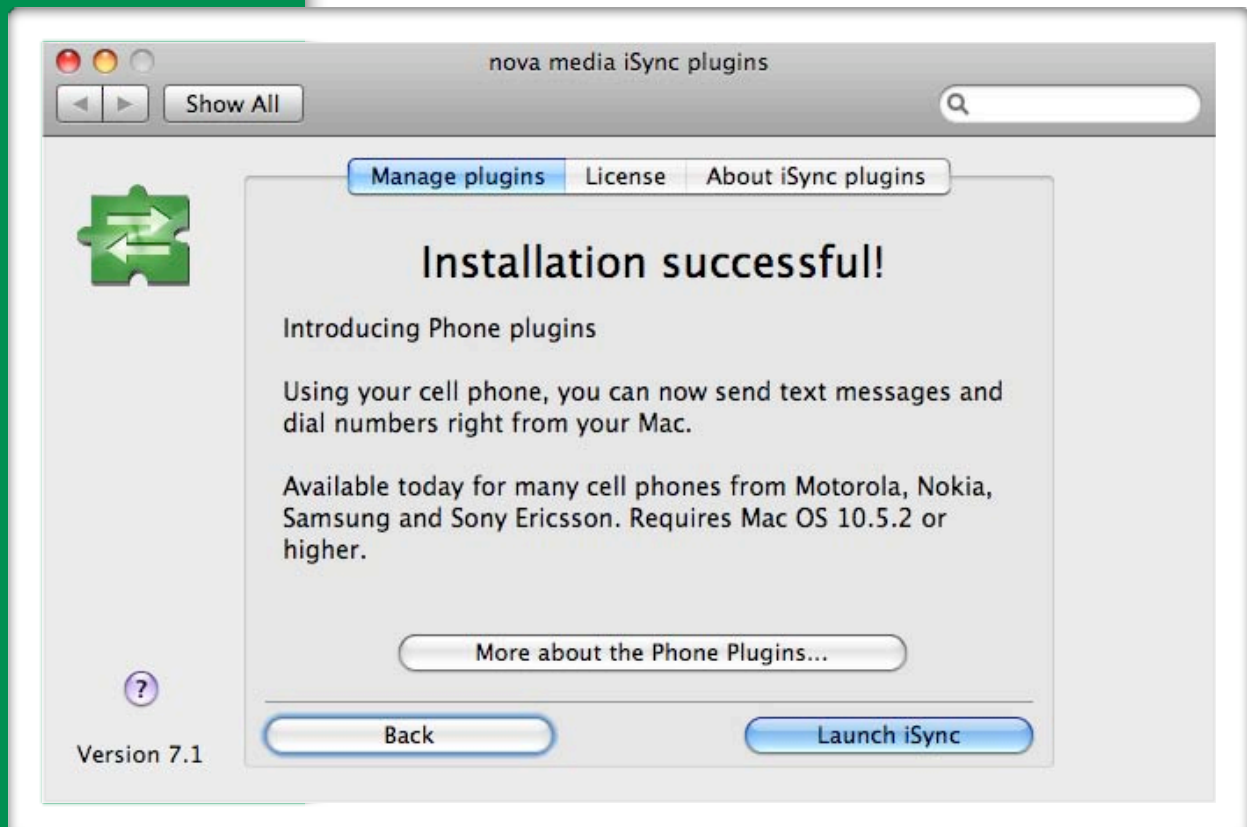
Enter the required information and click **Continue** to accept the license terms and finish the activation.

In case you do not have an activation key, click **Buy an activation key...** to buy an activation key online.

**Important:** We need the e-mail address to contact you in support cases only. We will **not** sell or rent your e-mail address to anyone and we will **not** send SPAM to this address.

# Finishing activation

After activation of the plugin you are ready to use your cell phone with iSync to synchronize contacts and calendars.



Click **Launch iSync** to run iSync. You can then quit the System preferences.

Tip: In the case you want to send text messages directly from your Macintosh computer or you want your cell phone to dial a number right from the Mac, have a look at our Phone plugins at [www.novamedia.de/plugins](http://www.novamedia.de/plugins)

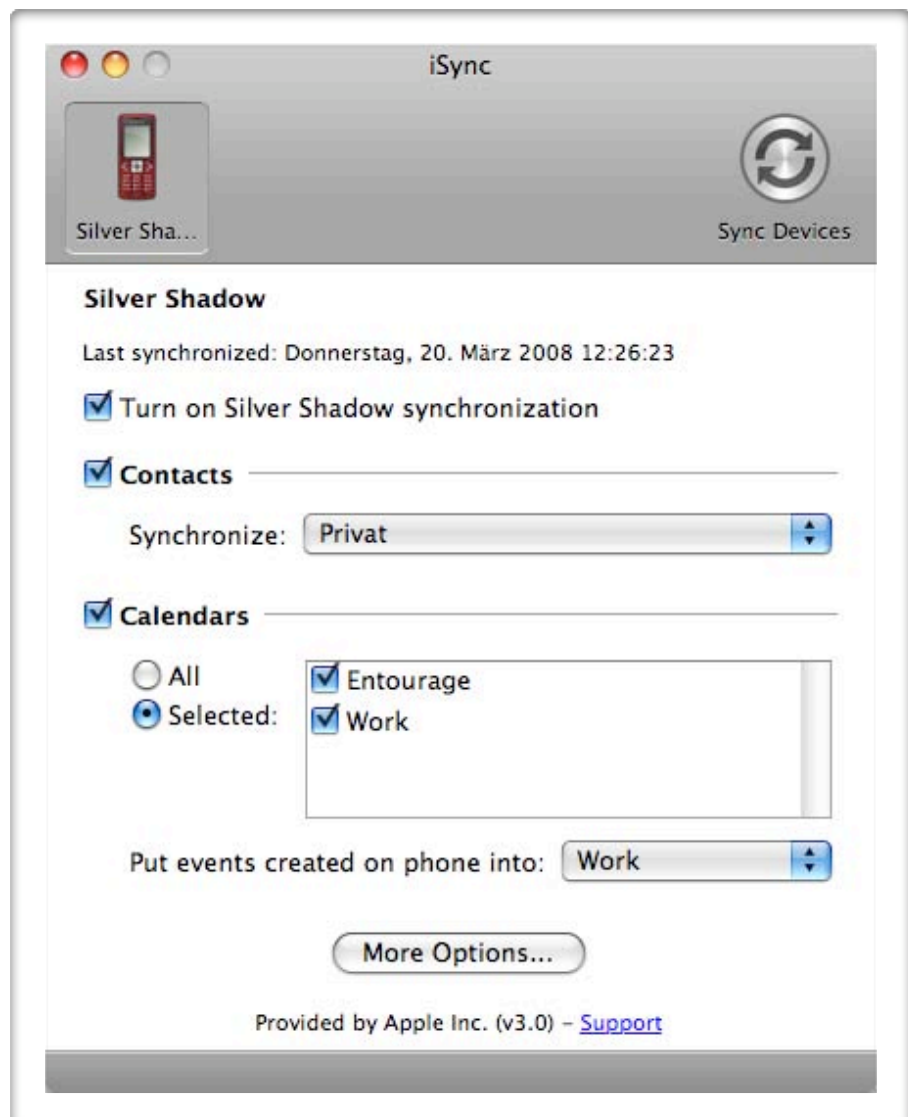
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With your phone connected to your computer and the plugin activated, you are ready to use iSync and synchronize your contact and calendar data.

To synchronize with iSync:

1 In iSync select **Devices > Add device**, then double click on your cell phone to add it to iSync.

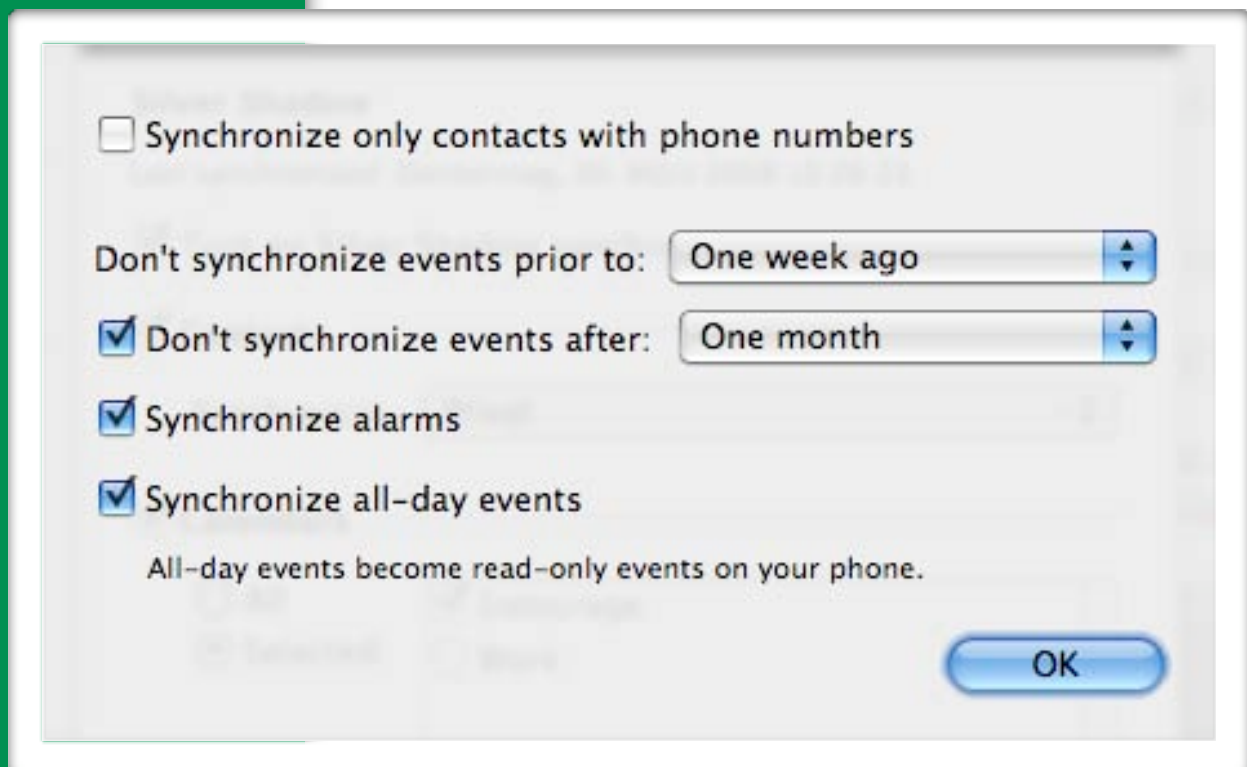
2 Click your device icon to see the options



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3 Select the contacts and calendars you would like to synchronize.

4 Click **More Options...** and specify the synchronization options



5 Click **Sync Devices** to start the synchronization.

Important: If you synchronize all data, the phone memory might run out of free space. In this case, select only a group of contacts or a shorter time period for events and synchronize again.

How to delete the license information:

- 1 Open the iSync plugins preference pane
- 2 Click on the tab labeled **License**
- 3 Click **Delete License**

After your license information has been deleted, you need to reenter a valid activation key to activate any plugins.

How to uninstall iSync plugins:

- 1 Open the iSync plugins preference pane
- 2 Click on the tab labeled **About iSync plugins**
- 3 Click **Uninstall**
- 4 The uninstaller starts
- 5 Enter an administration password for your computer
- 6 iSync plugins will now be deleted

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