

### What is it?

Synapptic is a software which offers easy-to-follow menus, large high-contrast text, voice control and clear speech feedback. It runs on Android Smartphones and tablets and has been specifically designed to be quick-to-learn and easy-to-use.

Features of Synapptic software include

Magnification, Speech, Voice Control, Emails, Websites, Skype, Address Book, Calendar, Alarm Clock, Notepad, Voice Memos, Camera, CCTV Electronic Magnifier, Reading Machine, GPS Where Am I, Calculator, Torch, MP3 Player, Internet Radio, Freeview TV, BBC iPlayer, YouTube, RSS News feeds

Synapptic is available as a separate software package or as a complete Smartphone or Tablet, fully set up and ready to go.

### How much is it?

Synapptic Software only **£190.00** (VAT relief applied)

Phones

Gold Phone	Silver Plus Phone	Silver Phone	Bronze Phone	Bronze Basic Phone
<b>£970</b>	<b>£550</b>	<b>£455</b>	<b>£395</b>	<b>£299</b>

Tablets

Gold Tablet	Silver Tablet	Bronze Tablet
<b>£605 or £649 (sim enabled)</b>	<b>£420 or £499 (sim enabled)</b>	<b>£330 or £395 (sim enabled)</b>

All products include: One hour of free telephone training, free lifetime technical support, 2-week money-back guarantee, two years of free Software Updates, free 'Getting Started' guide.

[Prices correct at 1<sup>st</sup> June 2018.]

### Where can you get it?

Website: [www.synapptic.com](http://www.synapptic.com)

Email: [sales@synapptic.com](mailto:sales@synapptic.com)

Telephone Number: 0 1 9 1 9 0 9 7 9 0 9

### Why/when you might consider it:

- Synapptic simplifies using a standard tablet/phone – this may suit people who have never used such devices before or who are new to technology
- Due to the Synapptic software using both speech and magnification options, the software can evolve if a person's sight changes
- A good system for novices and people who want to keep tasks simple
- Depending on a person's level of vision, they would require reasonable hearing to enable them to follow speech menus

## What do you need to be able to use it?

- Synapptic will only work on an **Android** Device
- If using an existing phone or tablet the Android platform must have **version 4 or above** active for the software to work.

**NOTE:** Due to varying specifications for tablets or smartphones, some features will vary slightly. For example, the magnifier will work better if the camera on your phone or tablet has a higher megapixel count, or alternatively the function won't work if the device doesn't have a camera.

- **WiFi** is required in order to use the following features in Synapptic: Emails, Websites, Skype, Internet Radio, Freeview TV, BBC iPlayer, YouTube etc.
- If you purchase a phone/tablet from Synapptic it can be customised prior to postage e.g. text size, colour contrast, dictation/typing setting etc.

## What do I do next if this might be the right piece of kit for someone?

- Some resource centres and disability living centres may have a synapptic device to try. If you contact Synapptic on **0191 909 7 909** they will provide details of where the nearest centre/group is.
- If the person already has an android device a 15 day free trial is available to download (details on the Synapptic website or use the phone number above)
- Synapptic are keen to link with partnership organisations – if you get in touch with them about your role they may visit your team, talk you through the devices and possibly offer you some software for your work mobile/tablet. Contact Synapptic direct to discuss options.

## What support is out there?

- User Guides and **Tutorials** on Synapptic Website (including video demonstrations)  
<http://www.synapptic.com/help-guides.aspx>
- Synapptic **Technical Support** Helpline Number:  
0 1 9 1 9 0 9 7 9 0 9
- **Getting Started Guide** (handy to carry in your kit bag for troubleshooting)  
Contact Synapptic direct to post you a copy
- RNIB - you can contact the **RNIB Technology For Life Team** by emailing [tfl@rnib.org.uk](mailto:tfl@rnib.org.uk) or call the RNIB Helpline on 0303 123 9999.