

Thunderbird 3.0

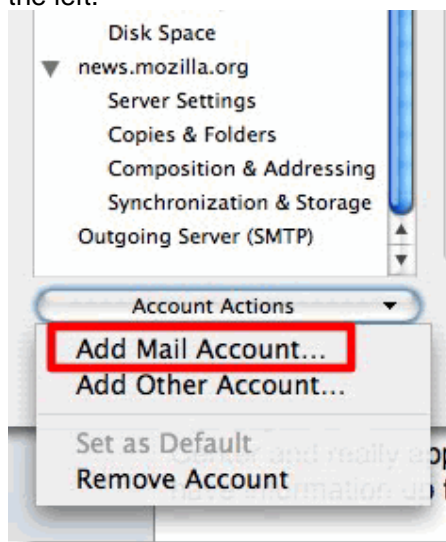
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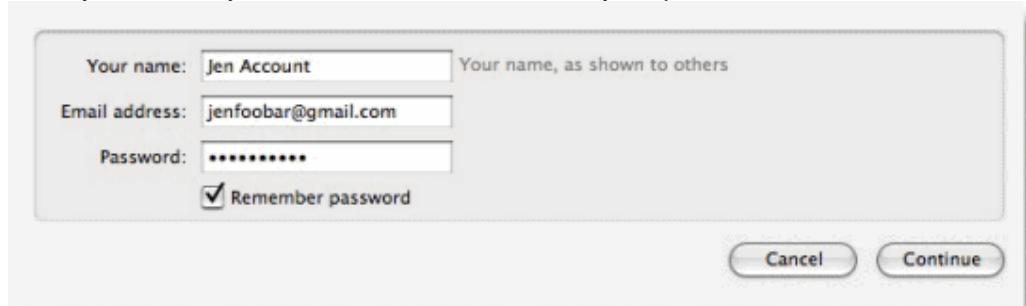
Please note that with Thunderbird 3.0, you'll automatically be configured with IMAP. If you'd like to add additional email accounts with IMAP access, please see the instructions below.

To set up your Thunderbird client to work with Gmail:

1. As a reminder, please make sure to [Enable IMAP](#) in Gmail and click **Save Changes** when you're done.
2. Open Thunderbird.
3. Click the **Tools** menu, and select **Account Settings...**
4. Select **Add Mail Account...** from the drop-down list located under the account list on the left.



5. The first dialog in Thunderbird's [Automatic Account Configuration](#) will be displayed. Enter your name, your Gmail email address and your password. Click **Continue**.

A screenshot of the 'Automatic Account Configuration' dialog box. It contains three input fields: 'Your name:' with the value 'Jen Account', 'Email address:' with the value 'jenfoobar@gmail.com', and 'Password:' with a masked password '*****'. There is a checked checkbox labeled 'Remember password'. At the bottom right, there are two buttons: 'Cancel' and 'Continue'.

6. Thunderbird will query the Gmail server and automatically configure the appropriate IMAP connection settings for your account. When complete, Thunderbird will show

you a confirmation dialog similar to this one:

Your name: Jen Account Your name, as shown to others
Email address: jenfoobar@gmail.com
Password: ••••••••
 Remember password [Start over](#)

Thunderbird has found the settings for your email account.

Username: jenfoobar@gmail.com [Edit](#)

<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Incoming:	imap.googlemail.com	IMAP	993	SSL/TLS
<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Outgoing:	smtp.googlemail.com	SMTP	465	SSL/TLS

[Manual Setup...](#) [Cancel](#) [Create Account](#)

7. Confirm that the connection settings are the same as those shown above and click **Create Account**.
8. Check our [recommended client settings](#), and adjust your client's settings as needed.