

Your Apple Watch is a powerful device that can help you stay connected and on track, but it also has a bad rep when it comes to battery life, and the same remains true even with the latest Apple Watch Series 10. Although the Apple Watch Series 10 watch comes with a bit of faster charging support, it's still important to ensure it has enough battery life to last through the day.



In this post, we have detailed how to check your Apple Watch battery life so you can always be one step ahead.

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How to check battery percentage on Apple Watch

Apple is yet to give us a function to examine the battery usage of each app on your watch, and the tech giant only allows you to see the overall battery life of your Apple Watch. Here are a couple of methods to do so.

Using Control Center on Apple Watch

1. To summon the Control Center, press the **Side Button**.
2. You can see the **battery percentage button** just below Wi-Fi. The number indicates the percentage of battery left.
3. Further, you may tap the **battery percentage** to view the [Low Power Mode](#) feature.



Using the Settings app

1. Press the **Digital Crown** → Open the **Settings app** on your Apple Watch.
2. Scroll down and tap **Battery**.
You should clearly see the battery percentage.



Add battery complication to Apple Watch

Only [some watch faces](#), such as *Chronograph*, *Utility*, *Modular*, *Color*, and *Simple*, enable you to add battery life complications. Let's take a look at the steps:

1. Press **Digital Crown** to go to your watch face → Tap and hold the **watch face**.
2. Tap **Edit** → Swipe through the options to reach **Complications**.



3. Select a **spot** where you'd like to see the battery percentage appear.
I am going with the center.
4. Now, under **All Apps**, select **Battery**.
You may turn the Digital Crown to surf through options quickly.
5. Now, **press the Digital Crown twice** to return to the Watch Face.

Note

You check the battery level anytime by lifting your wrist when the [always-on display](#) is enabled on your Apple Watch.

How to check Apple Watch battery life from iPhone

Ensure your [iPhone and Apple Watch are paired](#) before checking the watch's battery. Then, follow the methods below to check the juice left in your watch.

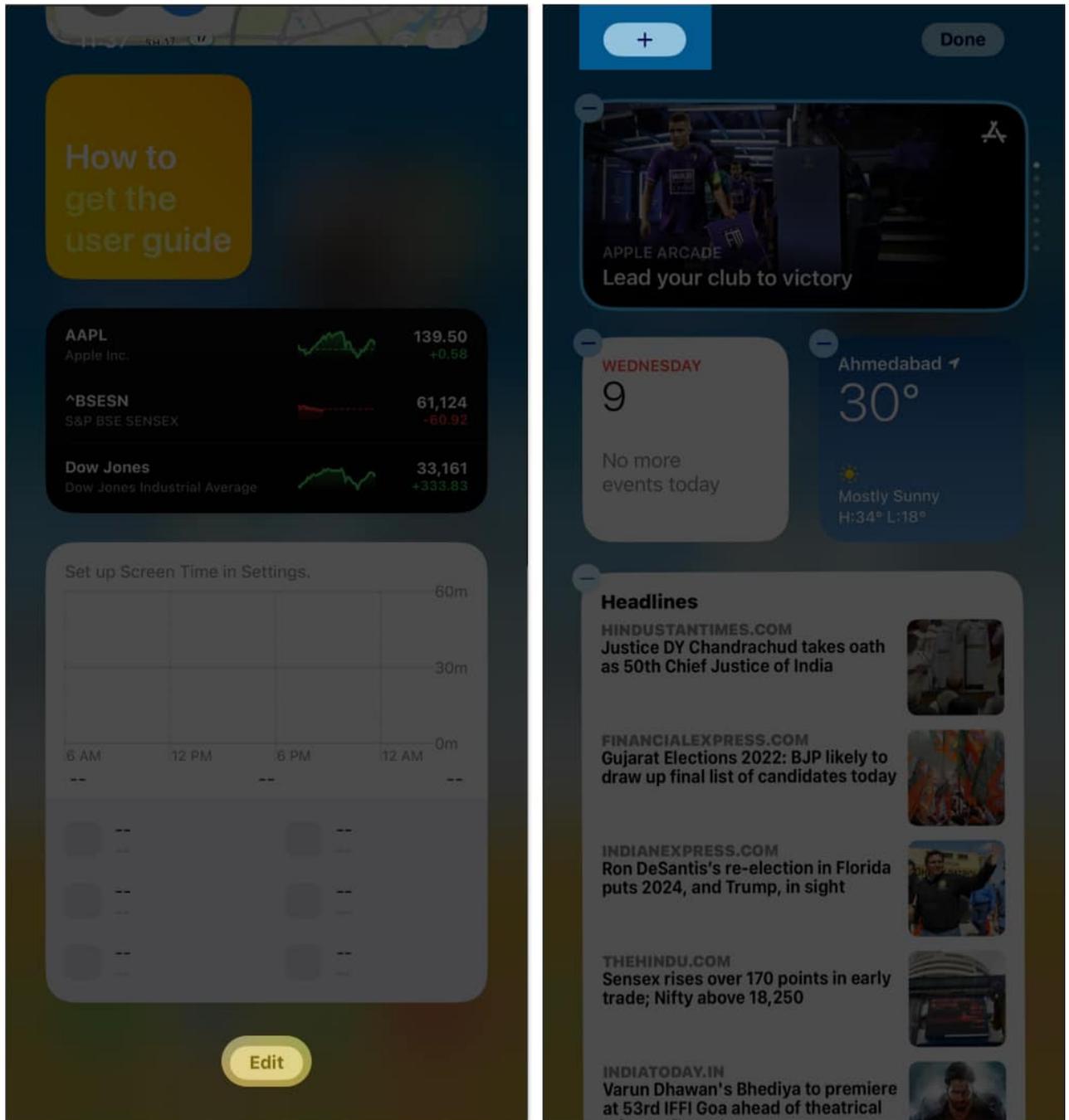
You can choose from three different battery widgets in Today View and Home Screen.

Using Today View

You need to first add the Battery widget to the Today View. Here's how:

1. To access the **Today View**, swipe right from the Home Screen of your iPhone.
2. Scroll down to the bottom and tap **Edit**.

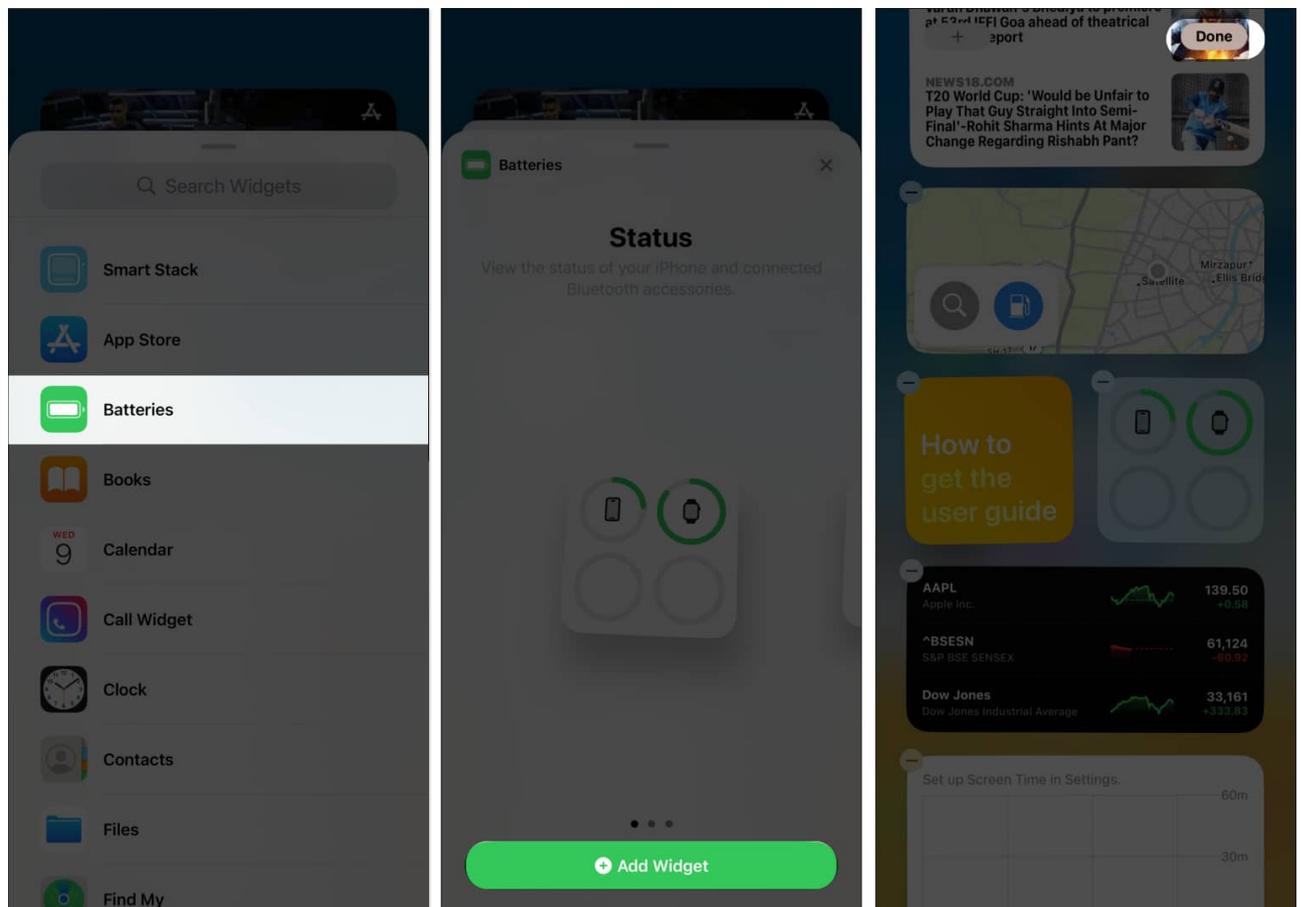
3. Tap the **+** icon from the top left corner of the screen.



4. From the Search bar, type and choose **Batteries**.

5. Tap **Add Widget** → Pick the **widget style** of your choice.

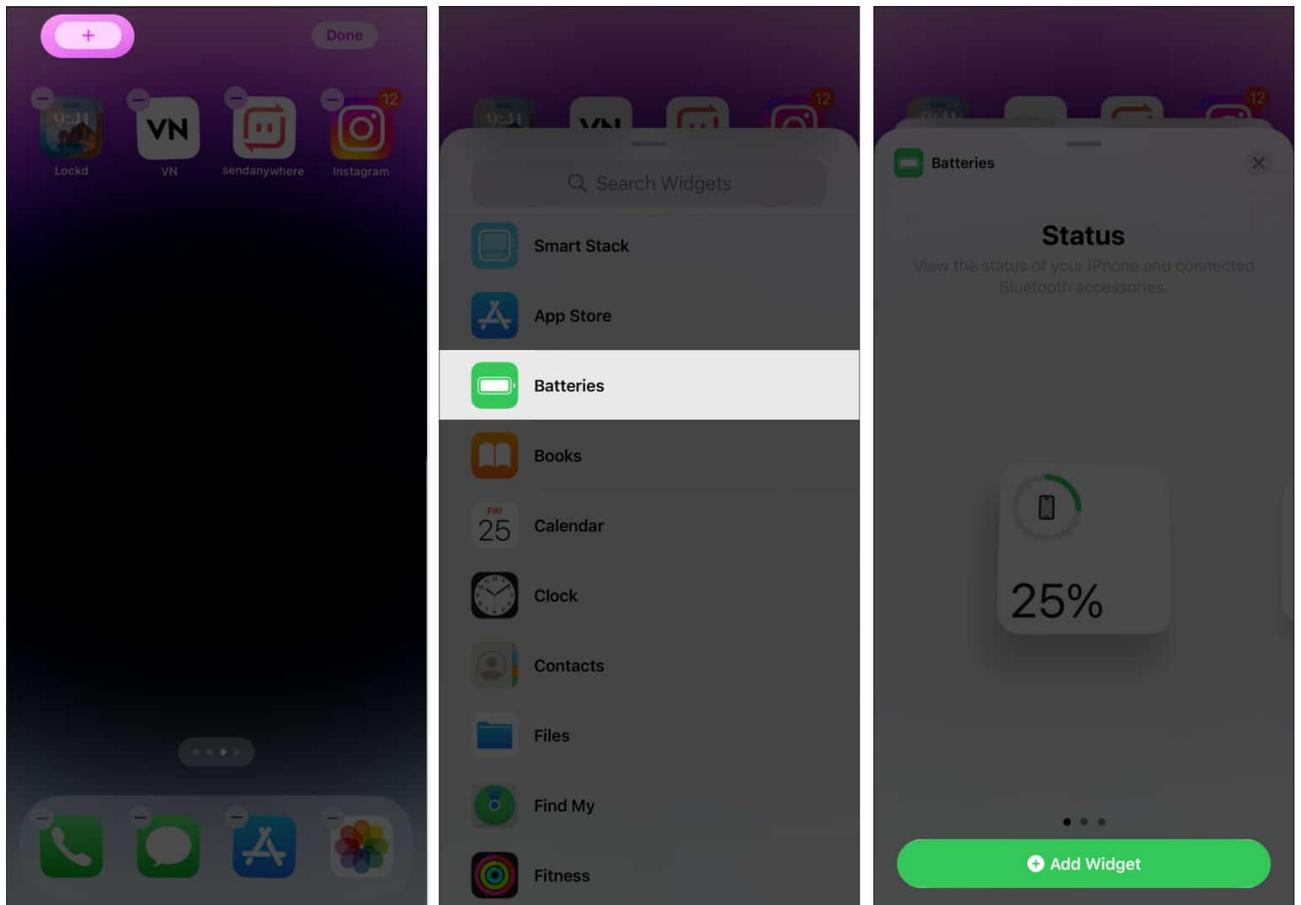
6. Select **Done** in the top right corner of the screen.



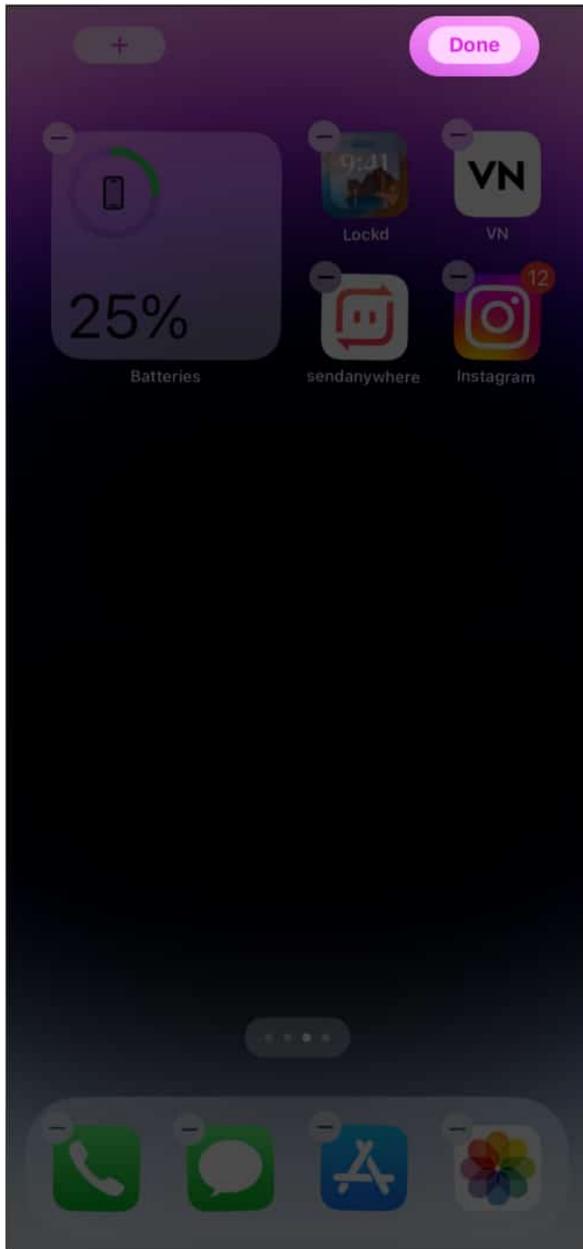
The widget displays the battery life of the linked Apple Watch. The widget also lets you see if the device is charging. Further, check our article to learn more about using [widgets on Today View](#).

Using battery widget on iPhone

1. Hold an **empty area** on Home Screen.
2. Tap the **+ icon** from the top left corner of the screen and select **Add Widget**.
3. Search and tap **Batteries** → Pick the **widget style** of your choice.
4. Tap **Add Widget**.



5. Tap **Done** in the top right corner of the screen.



Add battery complication to Apple Watch using the Watch app

1. Launch the **Watch app** → **My Watch**.
2. From *My Faces*, pick your preferred **Watch Face**.
3. Scroll down to the **Complications** section.
4. Select a **spot** where you'd like to see the battery percentage appear.
5. You can choose from **Above Time** or **Below Time**. I am going with **Below Time**.

6. Now, select **Battery**.

Voila! The changes you made will reflect on your Apple Watch.

Signing off...

Forgetting to charge our devices is a common problem. But thankfully, Apple Watch makes it simple to see how your battery is doing. Do you have any questions about this post or anything else related to Apple? Please leave your questions in the comments section below.

FAQs

How do I save battery life on an Apple Watch?

There are multiple ways to achieve efficient battery life on Apple Watch, as you can always disable AOD, raise to wake, and many such features. Follow our guide to [saving battery life on an Apple Watch](#) to get an idea of how to get that.

Read more:

- [How to share Apple Watch faces](#)
- [How to use Sleep Tracking on Apple Watch](#)
- [Show iPhone battery percentage on Apple Watch](#)
- [How to turn off Optimized Battery Charging on Apple Watch](#)