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Watcher[®] Lite is supported on AirCard 875, AirCard 875U, and AirCard 860 modems installed on a Macintosh[®] computer with MAC OS 10.4.x.

Watcher Lite allows you to manage and monitor the connection between the AirCard modem and the network. You can use Watcher Lite to:

- Determine signal strength, roaming status, 3G high-speed data availability, and other network connection parameters
- Initiate and close data calls

Installing Watcher Lite

You can download Watcher Lite software and the latest copy of this Quick Start Guide from the Sierra Wireless website: www.sierrawireless.com. To install Watcher Lite, follow the instructions on the web site.

Starting and closing Watcher Lite

To launch Watcher Lite:

- Double-click the Watcher Lite icon  in the Dock.
- Use the Application Switcher (**Command**  **+ Tab**) to choose Watcher Lite, and type **Command + Q** or choose **Quit** in the Application Menu.

The Watcher Lite main window opens.

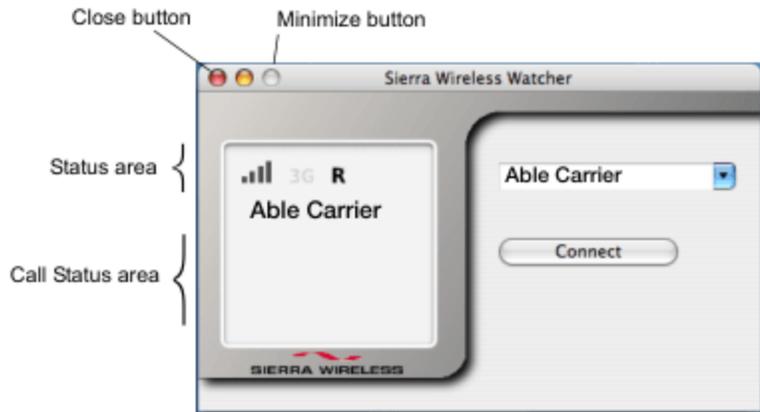


Figure 1: Watcher Lite main window

Window controls

- The **Minimize** button minimizes the Watcher Lite window to an icon in the Dock, and leaves the application running. To maximize the Watcher Lite window, select the Watcher Lite window icon in the Dock.
- The **Close** button closes the Watcher Lite window but leaves the application running. When the Watcher Lite window is closed, you have no way to access any status information, but you can still use the connection until you quit the application or disconnect using the Application Menu.

Interpreting icons

The following table describes the Watcher Lite icons that appear in the status area.

Icon	Meaning
	AirCard modem not detected
3G 3G	Type of network: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3G—The indicator is on (black) • 2G—The indicator is off (gray)

Contact Information

- Email Sierra Wireless technical support at [REDACTED]

Using an external antenna

You can improve the signal strength, by attaching an external antenna (sold separately).

If you need help with attaching and using an external antenna, refer to the AirCard modem documentation, or ask your dealer.

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