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Acer Swift X SFX14-41G-R1S6 Creator Laptop User Manual

Model: SFX14-41G-R1S6

1. Introduction

This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, maintaining, and troubleshooting your Acer Swift X SFX14-41G-R1S6 Creator Laptop. Designed for creators and users requiring high performance in a portable form factor, this laptop features an AMD Ryzen 7 5800U processor, NVIDIA RTX 3050Ti GPU, 16GB LPDDR4X RAM, and a 512GB SSD. It comes with Windows 10 Home pre-installed and supports a wide voltage range of 100-240V.
Please read this manual thoroughly to ensure proper use and to maximize the lifespan of your device.



Figure 1.1: Front view of the Acer Swift X SFX14-41G-R1S6 Creator Laptop, showcasing its display and keyboard.

2. Setup Guide

2.1 Unpacking the Laptop

Carefully remove all components from the packaging. Ensure all items listed below are present.



Figure 2.1: The laptop and its accessories as found in the box.

Package Contents:

- Acer Swift X SFX14-41G-R1S6 Laptop
- AC Adapter
- Power Cord

2.2 Connecting Power

1. Connect the AC adapter to the DC-in jack on the side of the laptop.
2. Plug the power cord into the AC adapter and then into a power outlet.
3. Allow the laptop to charge for at least 30 minutes before initial use, especially if the battery is completely drained.



Figure 2.2: The right side of the laptop, indicating the DC-in jack for the AC adapter.

2.3 Initial Boot and Windows Setup

Press the power button to turn on the laptop. Follow the on-screen instructions to complete the Windows 10 Home setup, including language selection, network connection, and user account creation.

3. Operating Your Laptop

3.1 Power Management

- **Power On:** Press the power button located on the keyboard.
- **Sleep Mode:** Close the lid or press the power button briefly.
- **Shut Down:** Click the Windows Start button, then Power > Shut down.

3.2 Keyboard and Touchpad

The laptop features a backlit keyboard for comfortable typing in various lighting conditions and a precision touchpad with multi-touch gesture support.



Figure 3.1: Overview of the keyboard and touchpad area.

Performance Modes:

Control fan speed and system performance using the **Fn+F** keyboard shortcut. Choose between Silent, Normal, or Performance mode to optimize for quiet operation or maximum power.



Figure 3.2: Using the Fn+F shortcut to adjust fan speed and performance modes.

3.3 Display Features

Experience vibrant visuals on the 14-inch Full HD (1920 x 1080) IPS Widescreen LED-backlit display, offering 100% sRGB color accuracy and 300 nits brightness. Acer BluelightShield™ technology helps protect your eyes during extended use.

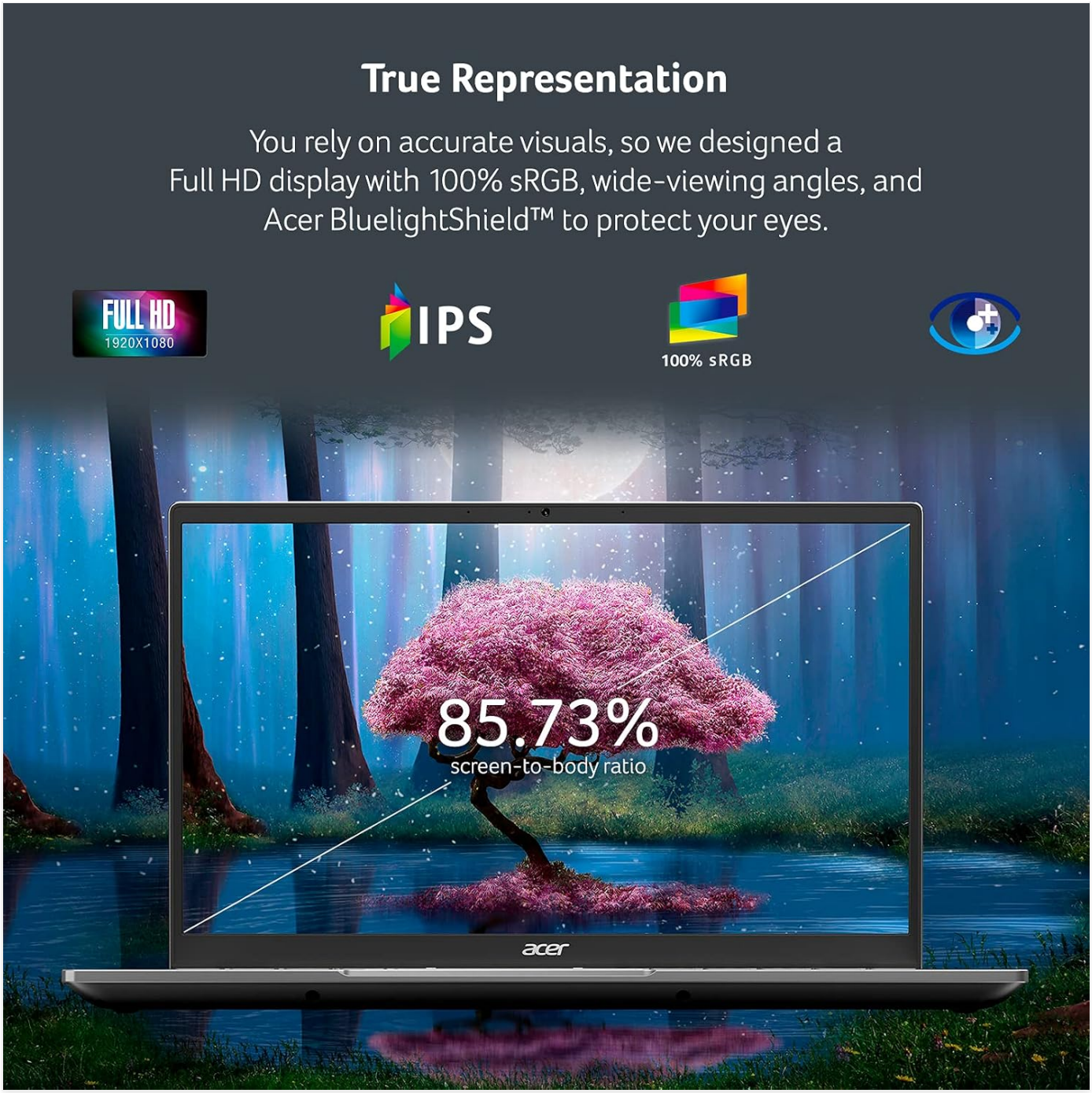


Figure 3.3: The laptop's display highlighting its Full HD, IPS, and 100% sRGB capabilities.

3.4 Audio and Multimedia

The laptop features DTS Audio and dual front-facing speakers for an immersive sound experience. Acer TrueHarmony™ and Acer Purified Voice with AI noise reduction enhance audio clarity for both playback and communication.

3.5 Connectivity

Your Swift X laptop offers a range of ports and wireless options for seamless connectivity:

- **USB Type-C Port:** USB 3.2 Gen 2 (up to 10 Gbps) with DisplayPort over USB Type-C & USB Charging.
- **USB 3.2 Gen 1 Ports:** Two ports, one with Power-off Charging capability.
- **HDMI 2.0:** With HDCP support for external displays.
- **Headphone/Microphone-in Jack:** For audio peripherals.
- **Wi-Fi 6 (802.11ax):** Dual-Band 2.4 GHz and 5 GHz with 2x2 MU-MIMO technology.
- **Bluetooth 5.2:** For wireless accessory connections.



Figure 3.4: Left side ports including USB Type-C, HDMI, and USB 3.2 Gen 1.



Figure 3.5: Right side ports including another USB 3.2 Gen 1 port and the headphone/microphone jack.

3.6 Security Features

The integrated biometric fingerprint reader allows for secure and convenient login using Windows Hello, protecting your data and privacy.



Figure 3.6: Location of the fingerprint reader for Windows Hello access.

3.7 Amazon Alexa Integration

Your PC includes Amazon Alexa built-in. Simply ask Alexa to check your calendar, create lists, play music, answer questions, read the news, and more. You can also enable Alexa Show Mode to turn your PC into an Echo Show-like device.

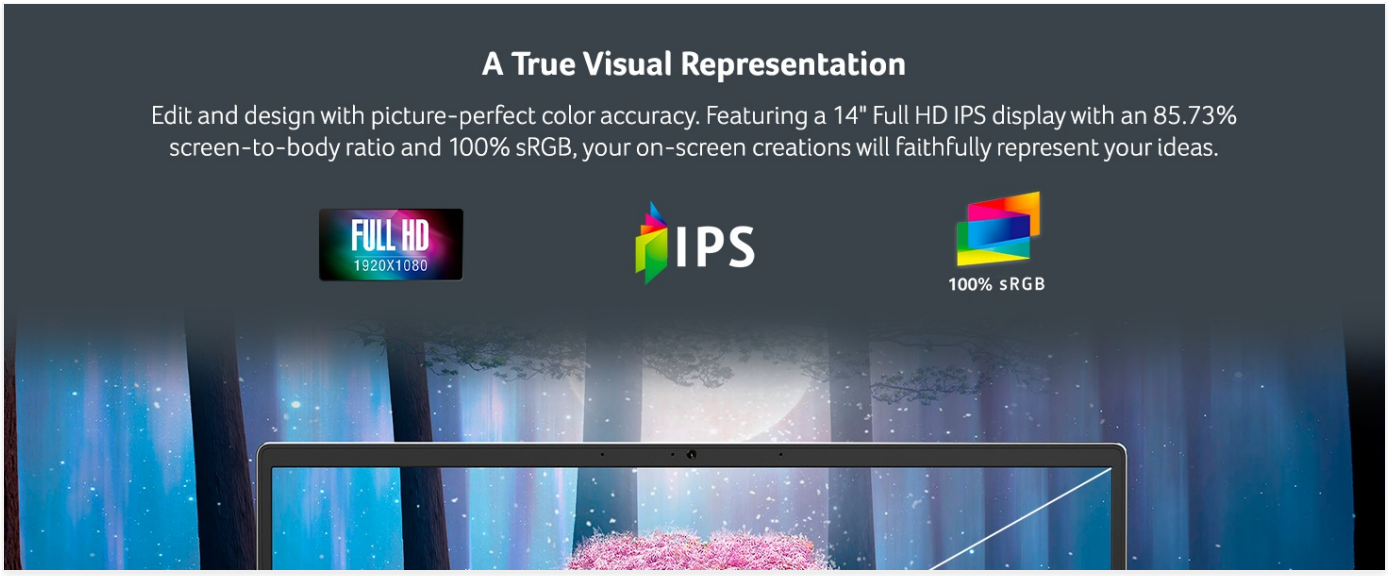


Figure 3.7: Alexa Show Mode displaying weather information on the laptop screen.

4. Maintenance and Care

4.1 General Cleaning

- Use a soft, lint-free cloth to clean the screen and exterior surfaces.
- For stubborn marks, dampen the cloth with a small amount of water or a screen-cleaning solution. Avoid harsh chemicals.
- Keep vents clear of dust and debris to ensure proper airflow.

4.2 Battery Care

- Avoid fully discharging the battery frequently.
- Store the laptop in a cool, dry place if not used for extended periods.
- Use only the original Acer AC adapter and power cord.

5. Troubleshooting

This section addresses common issues you might encounter. For more detailed troubleshooting, refer to the official Acer support website or the comprehensive user manual (PDF).

5.1 Power Issues

- **Laptop does not turn on:** Ensure the AC adapter is securely connected and the power outlet is functional. Check if the battery has sufficient charge.
- **Battery not charging:** Verify the AC adapter and power cord connections. Try a different power outlet.

5.2 Display Problems

- **Blank screen:** Ensure the laptop is powered on. Try adjusting the display brightness (Fn keys). If an external monitor is connected, try disconnecting it.
- **Flickering screen:** Update graphics drivers. Check display settings for refresh rate.

5.3 Connectivity Issues

- **Wi-Fi not connecting:** Ensure Wi-Fi is enabled (Fn keys or Windows settings). Restart your router. Update wireless

drivers.

- **Bluetooth device not pairing:** Ensure Bluetooth is enabled. Make sure the device is in pairing mode and within range.

6. Technical Specifications

Below are the key technical specifications for the Acer Swift X SFX14-41G-R1S6 laptop. Specifications are subject to change without notice.

Feature	Specification
Model Number	SFX14-41G-R1S6
Processor	AMD Ryzen 7 5800U (1.9 GHz)
Graphics	NVIDIA GeForce RTX 3050 Ti (4GB GDDR6)
RAM	16 GB LPDDR4X
Storage	512 GB NVMe SSD
Display	14" Full HD (1920 x 1080) IPS, 100% sRGB
Operating System	Windows 10 Home
Wireless Connectivity	Wi-Fi 6 (802.11ax), Bluetooth 5.2
Ports	1x USB Type-C (USB 3.2 Gen 2), 2x USB 3.2 Gen 1, 1x HDMI 2.0, Headphone/Mic Jack
Battery Life	Up to 12 hours (average)
Weight	Approximately 3.06 lbs (1.39 kg)
Dimensions (LxWxH)	12.71 x 8.35 x 0.7 inches (32.28 x 21.21 x 1.78 cm)

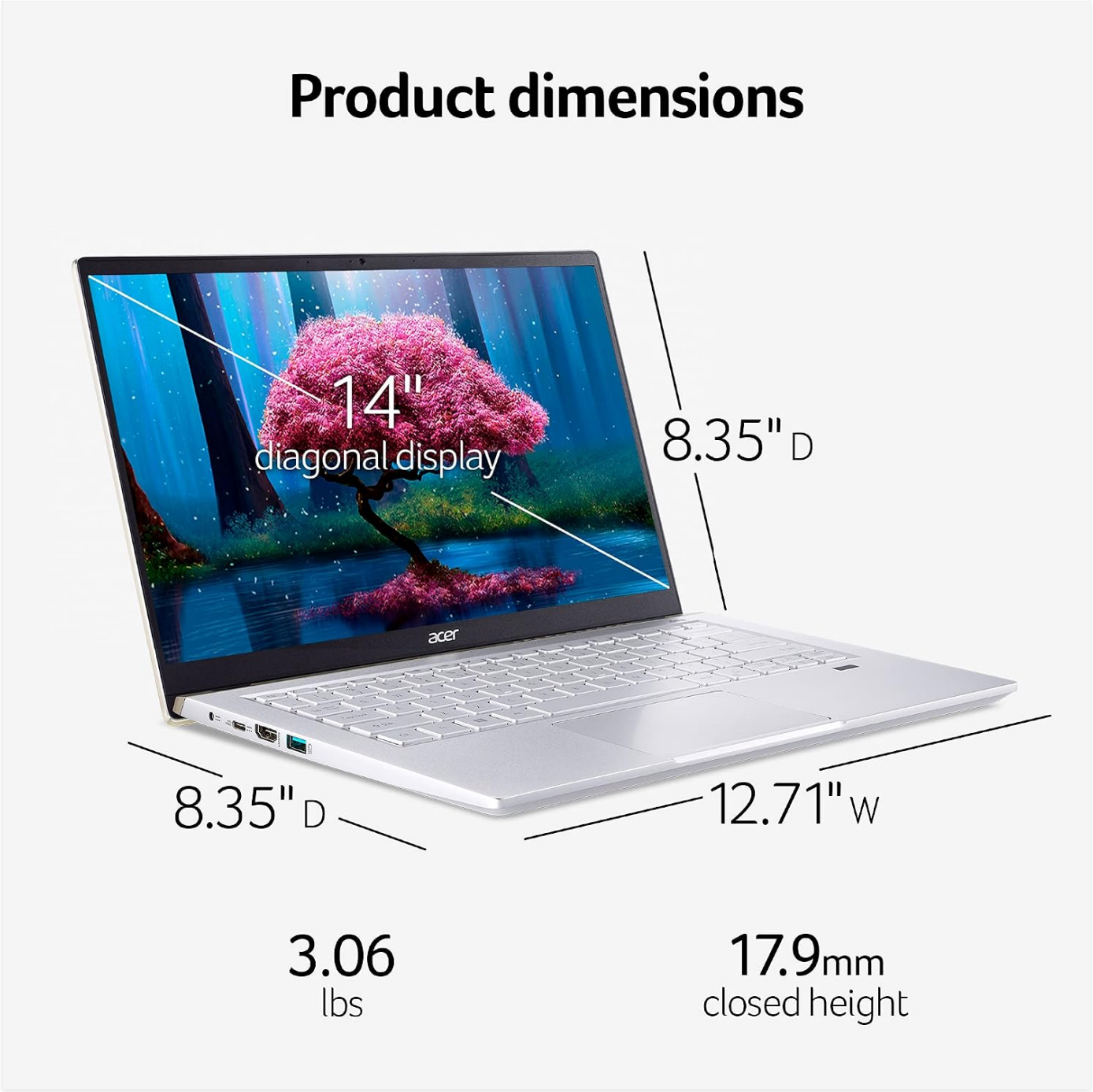


Figure 6.1: Physical dimensions and weight of the Acer Swift X laptop.

7. Warranty Information

Your Acer Swift X SFX14-41G-R1S6 laptop comes with a standard manufacturer's warranty. Please refer to the warranty card included in your product packaging or visit the official Acer website for detailed terms and conditions, including warranty period and coverage.
Keep your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

8. Support and Resources

For further assistance, technical support, or to download the latest drivers and software, please visit the official Acer support website.

- **Official Acer Support:** www.acer.com/support
- **User Manual (PDF):** A comprehensive PDF version of this manual is available for downloadhere.

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