BRAND CONFUSION, BILLING COMPLAINTS AND PRIVACY WARNING · AI ASSISTANTS

Perplex borrows Perplexity's identity. Buyers report paying for the wrong app.

Perplex - AI Search & Chat uses a shortened Perplexity-like name and advertises Perplexity-powered answers, but is sold by Martin Marinov. Multiple buyers say they paid while believing it was the official Perplexity app; one updated an initially enthusiastic review after discovering the difference. Its description and privacy policy instead name Askmo AI. The store declares tracking while the policy rejects tracking use, and no verified second developer account or business country was established.

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VISUAL EVIDENCE

Compare the actual icons, then read the marketing

Current original Apple-hosted icons, retrieved 2 November 2026. Perplex uses a white multi-ray starburst on black. The official Perplexity app uses an angular outlined symbol with a vertical spine and intersecting planes. Their monochrome presentation overlaps, but the geometry is materially different. The strongest imitation evidence is the combined name, Perplexity promotion and customer confusion, rather than a claim of identical artwork.

Perplex - Martin Marinov



App 6793475840, Martin Marinov. Current original Apple asset. E2/E6.

Official Perplexity - Perplexity AI, Inc.

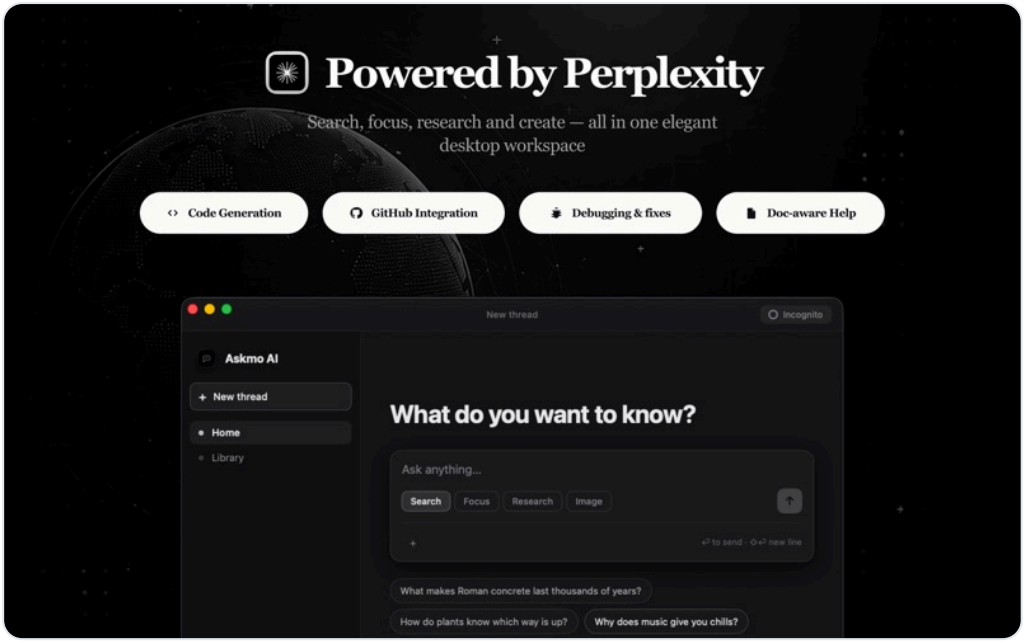


Official iPhone/iPad app 1668000334, Perplexity AI, Inc. Current brand reference; not a claim that this is the current Mac installer. E7.

LOOK FOR YOURSELF

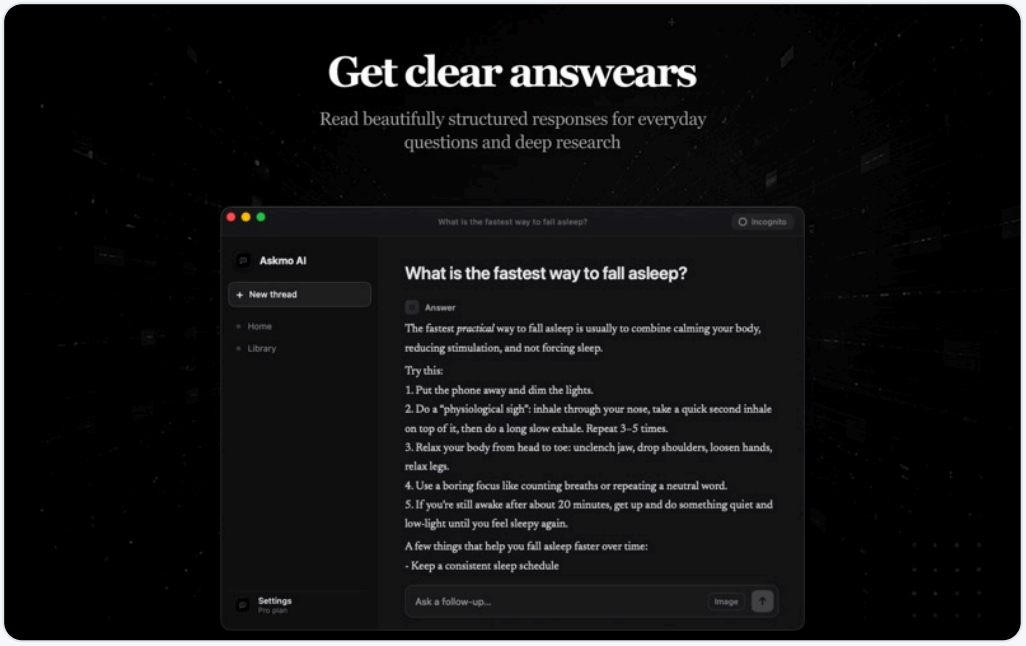
The screenshots tell the story.

All five original Apple-hosted promotional images are preserved. The first uses Perplexity's name and logo above an Askmo AI interface. These images establish what is advertised; no AI endpoint or model-access test was performed.

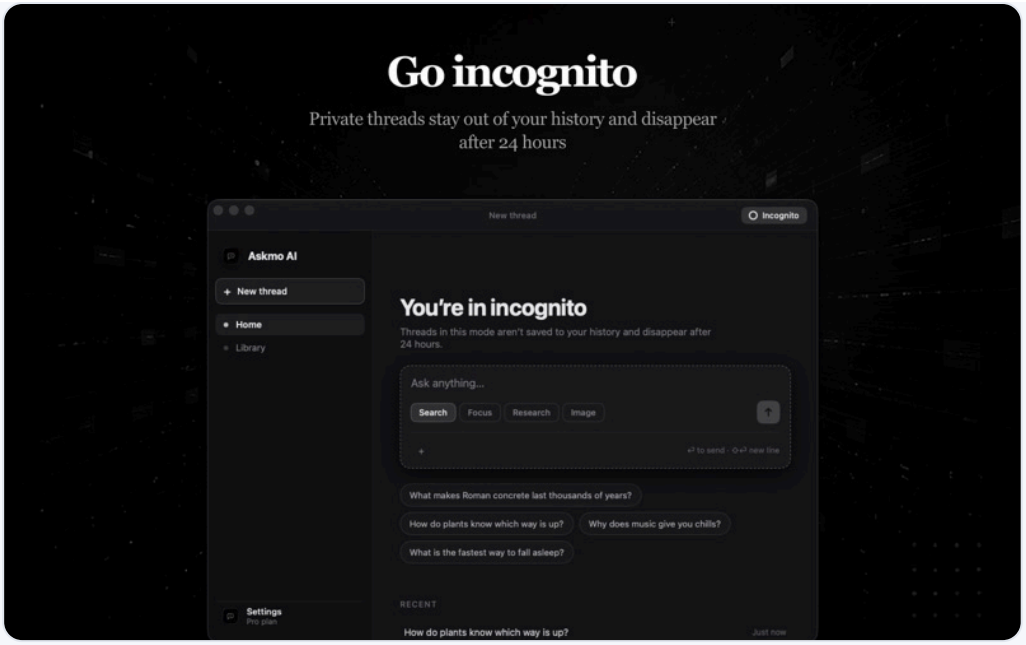


Original Apple-hosted promotion 1. Perplexity-powered promotion above an Askmo AI desktop workspace. Retrieved 2 November 2026. E2/E6; also preserved on source PDF page 4.

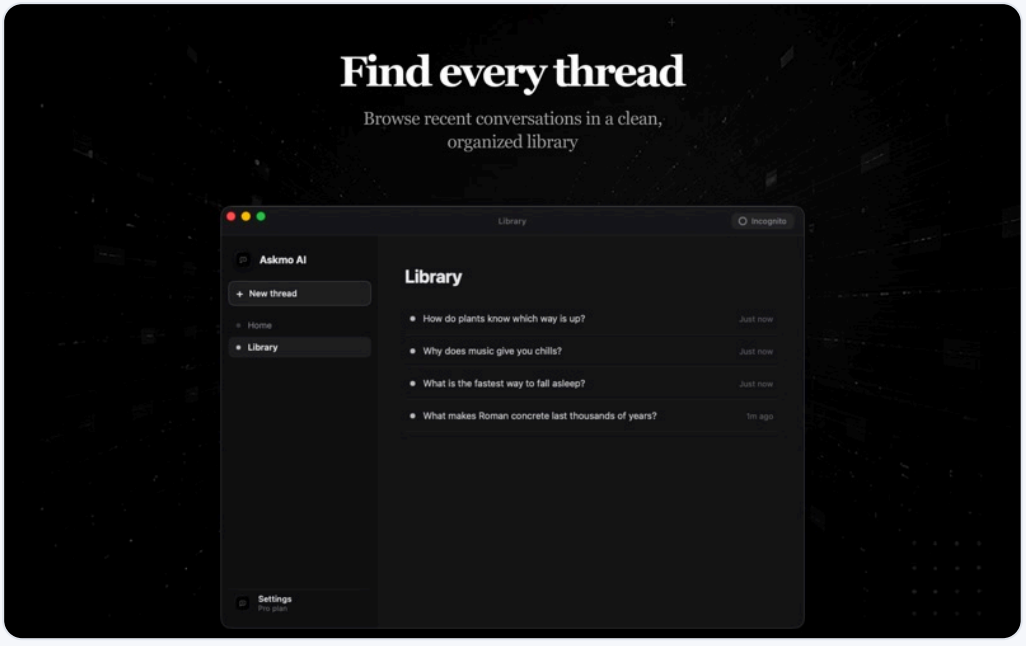
▼ See all 4 additional screenshots



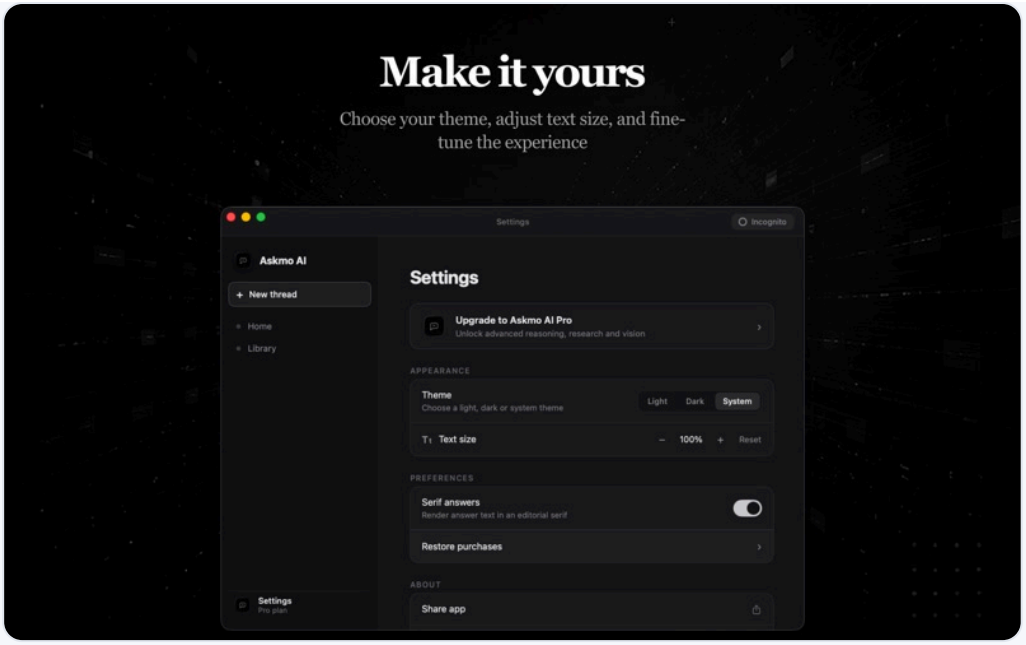
Original Apple-hosted promotion 2. Clear answers: advertised chat response. Retrieved 2 November 2026. E2/E6; also preserved on source PDF page 4.



Original Apple-hosted promotion 3. Incognito: advertised temporary private threads. Retrieved 2 November 2026. E2/E6; also preserved on source PDF page 4.



Original Apple-hosted promotion 4. Find every thread: advertised conversation library. Retrieved 2 November 2026. E2/E6; also preserved on source PDF page 4.



Original Apple-hosted promotion 5. Make it yours: advertised settings and subscription controls. Retrieved 2 November 2026. E2/E6; also preserved on source PDF page 4.

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

A near-brand name and explicit Perplexity promotion have produced documented buyer confusion.

01

Customers report paying for the wrong product

Multiple distinct review authors describe mistaking Perplex for official Perplexity. One reports a refused refund, another a $49.99 yearly payment. These are public customer allegations; purchase records were not independently inspected.

Supplied material and independent public-source checks, 2 November 2026.

E1 E2 E10

02

Perplex on the listing, Askmo AI inside the product copy

The first promotion names Perplexity while the interface, description and privacy policy identify Askmo AI. No explicit no-affiliation disclaimer was found in the checked description.

Supplied material and independent public-source checks, 2 November 2026.

E1 E2 E8

03

Tracking label conflicts with the privacy policy

The store declares identifiers, usage data and diagnostics for tracking across other companies' apps and websites. The policy says user tracking and independent profiling are not purposes of processing.

Supplied material and independent public-source checks, 2 November 2026.

E2 E3 E4 E8 E14

04

A developer identity, without a verified second account

Apple lists Martin Marinov and one current US app. Exact-identifier searches did not establish common ownership with another publisher, a previous ban or a business country.

Supplied material and independent public-source checks, 2 November 2026.

E5 E6 E15

WHAT IT COSTS

Separate purchases with unclear periods in the public table

The US and DE/IE purchase tables use repeated generic labels without subscription durations. A yearly $49.99 charge is reported by reviewers, not independently verified through a purchase. No weekly plan or annualized weekly cost is inferred.

Prices displayed in the saved listing

Purchase option	United States	Germany / Ireland
AI Pro - higher price	$49.99	€59.99
AI Pro - lower price	$9.99	€9.99
premium - lower price	$24.99	€29.99
premium - higher price	$29.99	€34.99

WHO IS BEHIND IT?

The name on the listing.

App name

Perplex - AI Search & Chat

Developer / seller

Martin Marinov

Developer country · App ID 6793475840

Unknown · No account-linked country obtained. Namesakes and email spelling are not location evidence.

Apple Germany and Ireland, checked 2 November 2026: Martin Marinov has not identified itself as a trader; neither panel supplies a business country. E3/E4.

App Store listing ↗

▼ App ID, version and other identifiers

App Store ID

6793475840

Bundle identifier

com.mar.6025a7k6m0

Version

1.4.1 - Apple lookup: 14 September 2026 UTC

First released

5 August 2026

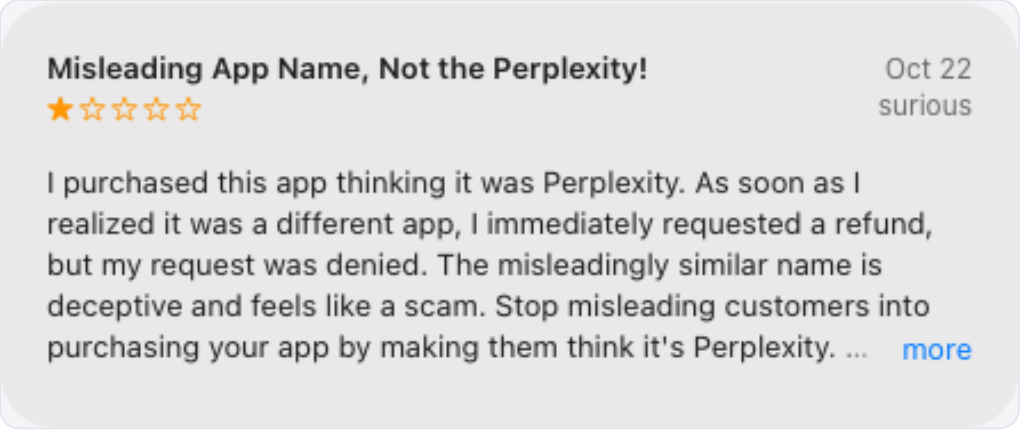
The buyers explain the deception risk

App Scam DB assesses the combined public presentation as misleading Perplexity-oriented branding. Perplex retains the leading part of Perplexity's name, advertises the same AI-search use case and places Perplexity branding in its lead advertisement. Several customers explicitly describe buying the app under the mistaken belief that it was the official product. This is stronger evidence of consumer confusion than a visual similarity score.

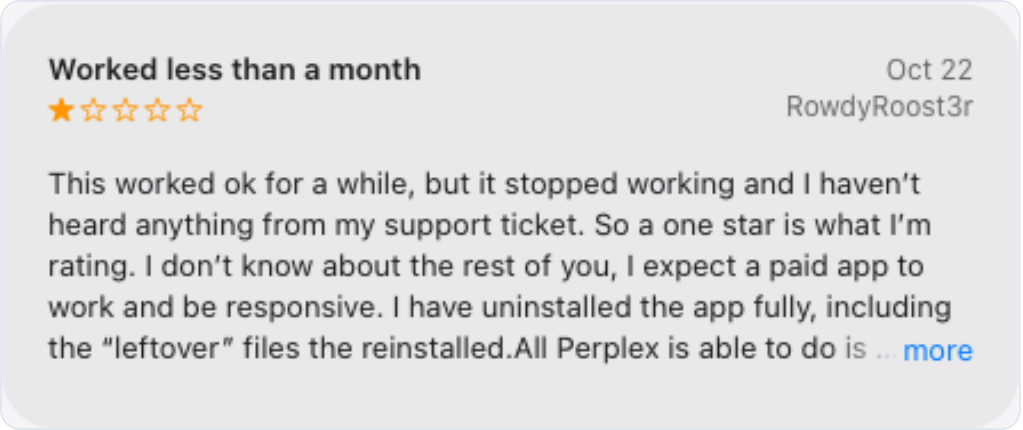
The supplied monitor selected seven complaints. A fresh Apple US review feed returned fourteen entries, thirteen carrying one star. Not every one-star entry alleges deception: some report missing features or reliability problems. The table separates the relevant brand/payment accounts and does not turn the feed into a total-rating statistic.

A particularly revealing updated review, by LosPac, now carries one star and says the reviewer paid $49.99 for a yearly plan before discovering the product was Perplex rather than Perplexity. Its earlier enthusiastic text remains underneath. A search-indexed rendering still displayed the earlier praise; the current feed preserves the update. The conflicting renditions are not evidence that the developer fabricated the review.

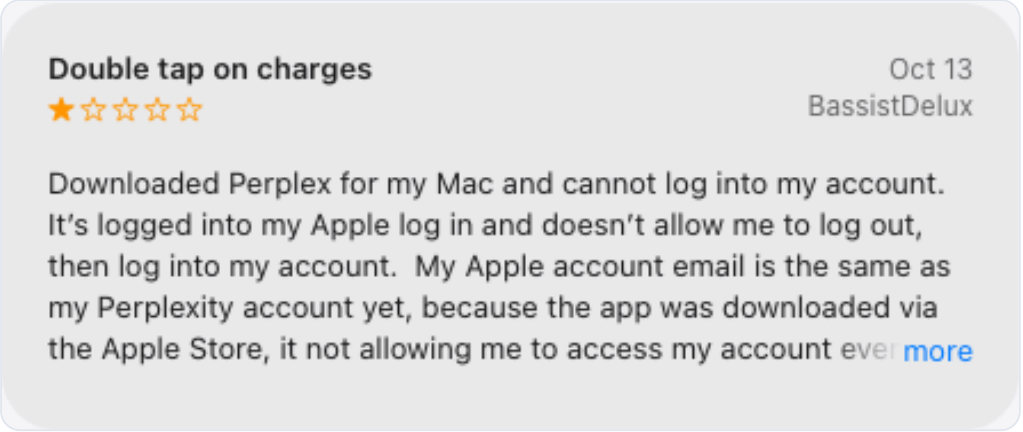
The native review cards below were captured directly from the current public Apple page. The complete supplied PDF preserves additional complaints. Reported payments, service failures, refund denials and support experiences remain the reviewers' accounts; they were not independently authenticated against transaction records.



Original native Apple review card, 2 November 2026. E2. Customer allegation; not a verified refund determination.



Original native Apple review card, 2 November 2026. E2. Public reviewer account.



Original native Apple review card, 2 November 2026. E2. Separate product/account confusion.

The buyers explain the deception risk

Review author / UTC date	Reported experience	Evidence status
DB*PNW · 31 August 2026	Searched for Perplexity, reports a $49.99 yearly charge and inability to access an existing account.	Apple feed; alleged purchase, not a verified transaction
Vee Mechelle · 4 September 2026	Thought it was Perplexity; reports non-working access and plans to seek refunds.	Source PDF and current feed
Ikmonly · 15 September 2026	Existing Perplexity Pro user reports another payment demand and no sign-in.	Source PDF and current feed
LosPac · 15 October 2026	Updated earlier praise to a one-star warning after realizing the yearly purchase was for a different app.	Current feed; earlier positive text remains
RowdyRoost3r · 22 October 2026	Describes brand confusion, later service failure and unanswered support.	Source PDF, current feed and native card
surious · 22 October 2026	Says the app was purchased believing it was Perplexity and a refund request was denied.	Source PDF, current feed and native card

A Perplexity-led advertisement for an Askmo AI product

The current App Store name is Perplex - AI Search & Chat, published by Martin Marinov. The official reference is published by Perplexity AI, Inc. The numerical app IDs, seller identities and bundle IDs are different. A third-party subscription does not establish entitlement to the official publisher's product.

The first screenshot carries a Perplexity-powered headline and its geometric emblem, while the app window identifies Askmo AI. The current description repeatedly uses Askmo AI, and the privacy policy ends with the same name. That identity mismatch is visible in the same current listing; it is not proof that an earlier public version was called Askmo AI.

The investigated icon is a radial starburst, whereas the official current icon uses an angular outlined motif. Both use white marks on a dark background, but they are not the same geometry. The report therefore shows the actual originals and assesses brand confusion across the entire presentation. It does not claim a pixel-identical icon copy or infer intent from black and white alone.

No official-affiliation disclaimer appears in the checked description. The Perplexity-powered claim could refer to a technical integration; that would not make this the official app. No partnership or trademark permission was established. No app execution or API call was used to determine whether a Perplexity service is actually connected.

A Perplexity-led advertisement for an Askmo AI product

Identity	Investigated product	Official reference
App name	Perplex - AI Search & Chat	Perplexity: AI Agent & Search
Apple seller	Martin Marinov	Perplexity AI, Inc.
App ID	6793475840	1668000334
Developer ID	1896650556	1668000336
Bundle ID	com.mar.6025a7k6m0	ai.perplexity.app
Current icon	White radial starburst on black	Angular outlined emblem on dark tile
Current Mac route	Separate Mac App Store product	Official Personal Computer page on perplexity.ai

Official Perplexity Mac product and download page

The privacy label and the policy tell different tracking stories

The current US, German and Irish store pages identify identifiers, usage data and diagnostics as data used for tracking across other companies' apps or websites. The linked policy says user-submitted content is not used for user tracking, public profiling or advertising, and that service providers are not permitted to use user data for independent profiling or unrelated purposes. Its analytics section also rejects advertising use. These disclosures do not clearly explain the tracking declared in the store.

The policy says AI processing occurs exclusively on the operator's own servers and rejects sending user content to external AI providers. That sits uneasily beside the lead promotion's Perplexity-powered claim. The developer does not explain whether that wording means an external service, a model, licensed technology or only marketing. A connection to Perplexity and the real runtime data flow were not verified.

The same policy promises temporary server processing followed by deletion, except for chosen saved history. Promotion 3 describes private threads disappearing after 24 hours. These are promises worth checking, not established technical behavior. This investigation found a disclosure conflict; it did not establish a leak, actual tracking event or undisclosed model endpoint.

The privacy label and the policy tell different tracking stories

Question	Store / promotion	Policy / missing explanation
Cross-company tracking	Identifiers, usage and diagnostics listed for tracking	No coherent explanation of that tracking; policy rejects tracking use
AI operator	Perplexity-powered promotion	Own-server-only processing; no external AI content sharing
Product identity	Perplex in the listing	Askmo AI in interface, description and policy
Retention	Incognito threads advertised to disappear after 24 hours	Temporary processing/deletion assertion; implementation untested

What the public purchase table actually establishes

The store lists four purchase amounts using only AI Pro and premium as labels. It does not expose the duration of each entry in the checked public table. The values are recorded above without assigning monthly, yearly or lifetime periods to the repeated labels.

Several reviews describe a $49.99 yearly purchase and another describes paying for a monthly version. These are useful buyer accounts, but they do not establish the current term attached to every purchase item. No weekly subscription was verified, so no weekly-to-yearly cost estimate is presented.

Complaints that an existing Perplexity account or subscription is not recognized show why publisher identity matters. The reported repeat payment can arise from buying a separately operated product; the report does not claim Apple charged the same subscription twice. The specific allegation is that the branding caused some customers to choose the wrong product before paying.

Martin Marinov: one verified Apple account, no proven second operator

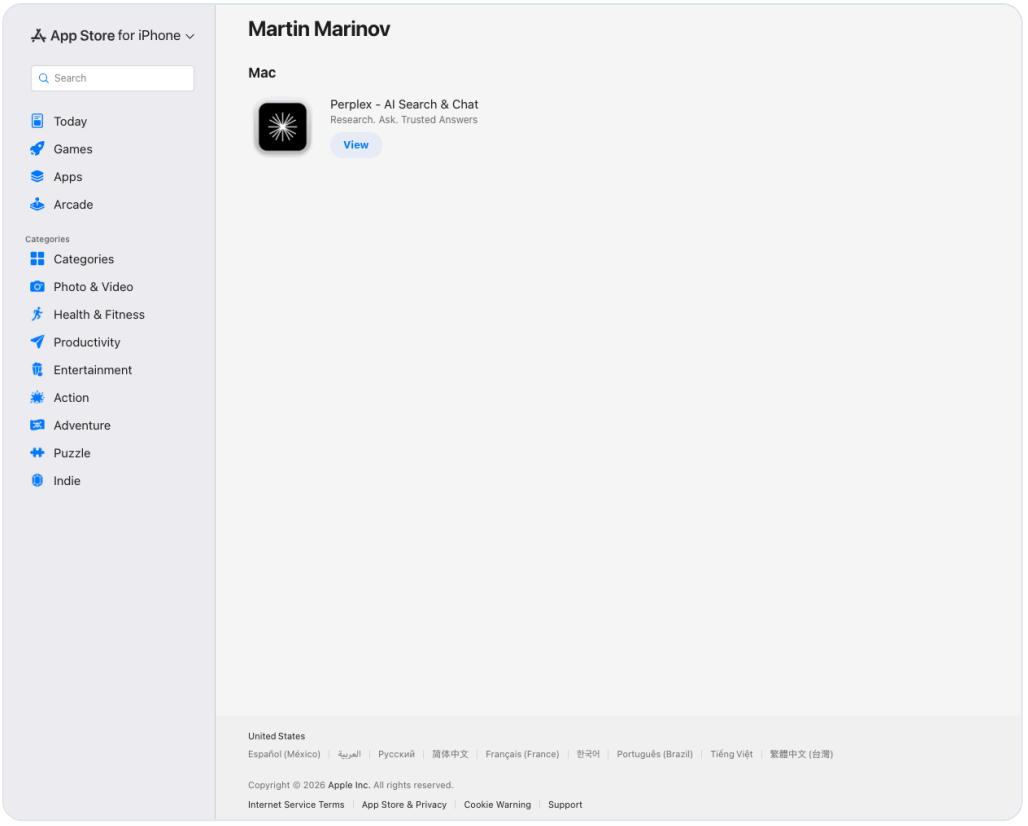
The current US Apple catalog and developer lookup return one app for developer ID 1896650556: Perplex, app 6793475840. Its first release is dated 5 August 2026. That is an app-release date, not the date the person joined Apple or created an account.

The privacy policy names Martin Marinov, identifies the product as Askmo AI and gives martin.marinov.94@outlook.com. The terms give the same contact. These shared details firmly connect the legal documents to the listing. They do not independently identify a registered company, a postal address, a country or another Apple developer account.

The investigation searched the exact support address, both Google document IDs, the bundle ID, app/developer IDs and combinations of the public seller and product names. The existing App Scam DB report/evidence corpus was also checked for those exact identifiers. No independent second-account match was established.

Public searches return people with the same name in software, radio tools and other professions. No matching contact, linked app ID or other identifying bridge tied those profiles to this seller. They are excluded from attribution. A separate perplex.com download page also points to other app IDs; a similar product name alone does not connect its operator to Martin Marinov.

No verified prior account termination, ban-evasion sequence, criminal case or additional fraud by this operator was found in the checked material. The current report's supported warning concerns Perplexity-oriented branding, buyer complaints and contradictory disclosures. It does not attach unrelated allegations to a namesake.



Original current US Apple developer catalog, 2 November 2026. E5; exact-ID lookup corroborates one software record.

Martin Marinov: one verified Apple account, no proven second operator

Identifier checked	Observed result	What it establishes
Apple developer 1896650556	Martin Marinov; one current US app	Verified current catalog
App 6793475840 / bundle com.mar.6025a7k6m0	Perplex - AI Search & Chat	Exact product identity
Outlook support address	Same address in policy and terms	Document/listing connection
Two Google Docs IDs	Linked from the same listing	Shared legal documents for this app
Other Apple developer account	No corroborated cross-account identifier	No ownership or ban-evasion finding

Martin Marinov - verified Apple developer account

A Google Docs policy, sparse business identity and no country declaration

The privacy and terms links work and their full public text was retrieved. They are hosted in Google Docs rather than an operator-owned presentation website; no Developer Website link appears in the checked listing. The concern is limited business accountability and inconsistent content. Google Docs hosting or an Outlook mailbox alone does not prove fraud, nor establish the operator's hosting expenditure.

The terms refer disputes to the law and courts of the owner's location but do not state that location. The policy names the developer and email without an account-linked registered company or business address. Neither document supplies the missing country.

Both Germany and Ireland identify Martin Marinov as not having declared trader status. That is a current Apple provider declaration, not proof of residence or a finding that charging for software is automatically unlawful. The report's country remains Unknown. A name's apparent origin or a same-name professional profile is not substituted for a provider-location record.

A Google Docs policy, sparse business identity and no country declaration

Source	Observed disclosure	Country outcome
Apple Germany	Non-trader; no business location	Unknown
Apple Ireland	Non-trader; no business location	Unknown
Privacy document	Martin Marinov / Askmo AI / support email	No country supplied
Terms document	Owner-location law and venue without named place	No country supplied

The documented sequence and the relevant Apple rules

The policy and terms display 22 July 2026 as their update dates. Apple records the app's first release on 5 August and current version 1.4.1 on 14 September UTC; the rendered store page displayed 15 September in the browser locale. The source capture and independent checks were made on 2 November. The earlier date printed in a policy does not prove when that document first became public.

The earliest confusion complaint found in the current review feed is dated 31 August. Further complaints appear in September and October. The same-day archive replay opened; an archive index query returned a service error. No dated earlier neutral identity, prior icon or generic-to-Perplex transformation was established.

Apple's rules on accurate metadata, copycats and intellectual property are relevant to the combined name, artwork and implied association: 2.3, 4.1 and 5.2.1. Privacy rule 5.1.1 is relevant to the contradictory tracking and processing disclosures; subscription rule 3.1.2 is relevant to clear paid-access terms. These are grounds for review, not an existing Apple decision or a legal infringement judgment.

▼ View the dates and timeline

2026-07-22

Policy and terms self-declared date

Document date; first public availability not independently established.

2026-08-05

Perplex first released

Apple exact-ID release date; not developer-account creation date.

2026-08-31

Earliest confusion complaint found in the current feed

Reviewer reports mistaken official identity and a $49.99 yearly purchase.

2026-09-14

Version 1.4.1 released (UTC)

Apple lookup date; browser rendering displayed the following calendar date.

2026-10-15

An initially positive reviewer updates to a warning

Current Apple feed preserves the one-star update and original praise.

2026-11-02

Source capture and independent investigation

All 12 source pages reviewed; current stores, reviews, legal documents and developer identifiers checked.

CHECK THE SOURCES

The records behind this report.

The complete supplied 12-page PDF is preserved after the written investigation, including the original store captures, seven monitor-selected complaints, promotion images and policy screenshot. The source PDF SHA-256 was independently calculated. The raw evidence archive named inside that PDF was not attached. The investigation adds current Apple records, original native review screenshots, full public Google Docs text and a dated OSINT result. No app installation, purchase, account login, private-data access, network interception, developer contact or complaint submission was performed.

▼ Open source files, archive links and checksums

E1 / Complete supplied 12-page analysis

Checked 2 November 2026. Captured 15:56:18 UTC. All pages read and rendered. Original review records pages 5-6, icons page 3, original screenshots page 4, full store/policy appendices pages 8-12. Automated risk/similarity estimates are not editorial verdicts.

`SHA-256: b79b6ae9ce2612fdae9d57dfb03357416f7bafc000e7e9c1e8314cb07983bb97`

E2 / Perplex - US listing

Retrieved 2026-11-02T16:02:20.120Z; HTTP 200. Title, subtitle, original imagery, description, four purchases, tracking label and independently visible customer complaints.
Open source ↗

E3 / Perplex - Germany

Retrieved 2026-11-02T16:02:20.117Z; HTTP 200. Non-trader statement, euro purchase values and tracking label; no business country.
Open source ↗

E4 / Perplex - Ireland

Retrieved 2026-11-02T16:02:20.120Z; HTTP 200. Non-trader statement and matching euro prices; no business country.
Open source ↗

E5 / Martin Marinov - current developer catalog

Retrieved 2026-11-02T16:02:28.005Z; HTTP 200. One app displayed: Perplex, exact app ID 6793475840, developer ID 1896650556.
Open source ↗

E6 / Apple exact-ID lookup

Checked 2 November 2026. Release dates, bundle IDs, seller/developer IDs and original screenshot/icon URLs. Separately queried developer 1896650556 with entity=software: one software record.
Open source ↗

E7 / Official Perplexity Apple listing

Retrieved 2026-11-02T16:02:28.005Z; HTTP 200. Seller Perplexity AI, Inc., developer 1668000336; app 1668000334 and original icon. This is the iPhone/iPad brand reference.
Open source ↗

E8 / Perplex privacy policy - full public text

Checked 2 November 2026. Full text retrieved through Google Docs export, not only the canvas viewport. Self-dated 22 July 2026; developer Martin Marinov, app Askmo AI, Outlook support address. Own-server/no-external-AI and no-tracking assertions.
Open source ↗

E9 / Perplex terms - full public text

Checked 2 November 2026. Full Google Docs export read. Self-dated 22 July 2026. Owner contact matches policy; governing law/venue refer to the owner location without supplying that location.
Open source ↗

E10 / Apple US review feed

Checked 2 November 2026. Fourteen returned entries, thirteen rated one star and one rated five stars. Several different complaints concern brand confusion; others concern functionality. The LosPac entry contains an updated one-star warning plus its earlier enthusiastic text. Retrieval snapshot, not the complete lifetime review population.
Open source ↗

E11 / Same-day supplied archive replay

Retrieved 2026-11-02T16:03:55.715Z; HTTP 200. Opened the replay given by the source. It does not establish a pre-launch name, earlier icon or later rebrand.
Open source ↗

E12 / Perplexity official current Mac product page

Retrieved 2026-11-02T16:03:55.714Z; HTTP 200. Official Personal Computer Mac download route; a download is available from Perplexity itself. No executable downloaded or installed.
Open source ↗

E13 / Apple App Review Guidelines

Retrieved 2026-11-02T16:04:06.469Z; HTTP 200. Relevant metadata, copycat, intellectual-property, privacy and subscription rules. A review request, not an existing Apple enforcement decision.
Open source ↗

E14 / Apple privacy-label definitions

Retrieved 2026-11-02T16:04:07.108Z; HTTP 200. Tracking label compared with the policy’s express rejection of tracking and independent profiling.
Open source ↗

E15 / Developer and cross-account OSINT

Checked 2 November 2026. Exact seller name, developer/app/bundle IDs, Outlook address and both Google document IDs searched; existing local report/evidence corpus checked for matching identifiers. No independent second Apple account or fraud case linked by a matching identifier. Name-only professional/radio-development profiles excluded. A search-discovered perplex.com download page points to different app IDs; no contact/identifier bridge established.
Open source ↗

Perplex - AI Search & Chat

Research. Ask. Trusted Answers
Martin Marinov

ONE-OFF ANALYSIS · 02 Nov 2026, 17:56 (UTC+02:00)
a single reading of the public store page; the app is not monitored
Captured 2026-11-02 15:56:18 UTC · US App Store · App ID 6793475840

Risk indicators

• Brand terms mentioned in the description: google, itunes, threads
• The privacy policy is on a free site builder (Google Docs): https://docs.google.com/document/d/1VgsvLKD3oZT4Z-087O267l42gx02qOZtNBU7yurZ-4g/edit?usp=sharing
• The developer account published its first app 89 days ago (2026-08-05)
• Brand terms written in the screenshots: "perplexity" in 1 of 5, "threads" in 1 of 5
• The provider has not identified itself as a trader on the EU (IE) App Store
• 7 user reviews mention possible fraud or deception

App details (US App Store)

App name	Perplex - AI Search & Chat
Subtitle	Research. Ask. Trusted Answers
Developer	Martin Marinov (ID 1896650556)
Seller	Martin Marinov
Developer website	— (none listed on the App Store)
Privacy Policy	https://docs.google.com/document/d/1VgsvLKD3oZT4Z-087O267l42gx02qOZtNBU7yurZ-4g/edit?usp=sharing
Developer page	https://apps.apple.com/us/developer/martin-marinov/id1896650556
Bundle ID	com.mar.6025a7k6m0
Category	Productivity
Price	Free
Ratings	— (not enough ratings)
First released	2026-08-05
App Store link	https://apps.apple.com/us/app/perplex-ai-search-chat/id6793475840?mt=12
App ID	6793475840

Pages linked from the listing

Privacy Policy

Link	https://docs.google.com/document/d/1VgsvLKD3oZT4Z-087O267l42gx02qOZtNBU7yurZ-4g/edit?usp=sharing
Opens at	https://doc-0c-74-docstext.googleusercontent.com/export/dr04igesal9pftlk9arelf1tq8/ntug64m7619najljbc4fthlnek/1793634975000/10708547192632065656 3/*/1VgsvLKD3oZT4Z-087O267l42gx02qOZtNBU7yurZ-4g?format=txt
Status	working
Hosted on	Google Docs (a free site builder)
Emails on the page	martin.marinov.94@outlook.com

Latest update

Version	1.4.1
Released	2026-09-14

What's New

General stability and performance enhancements!

EU App Store (IE) — provider / trader

App name	Perplex - AI Search & Chat
Provider	Martin Marinov
Trader	No — not identified as a trader
Statement	Martin Marinov has not identified itself as a trader for this app. If you are a consumer in the European Economic Area, consumer rights do not apply to agreements between you and the provider.
Store link	https://apps.apple.com/ie/app/perplex-ai-search-chat/id6793475840?mt=12

Information that differs on the IE store

In-App Purchases	Yes AI Pro: €59.99 AI Pro: €9.99 premium: €29.99 premium: €34.99

Information

Seller	Martin Marinov
Size	5.9 MB
Category	Productivity
Compatibility	Mac Requires macOS 15.0 or later.
Languages	English
Age Rating	16+
In-App Purchases	Yes AI Pro: $49.99 AI Pro: $9.99 premium: $24.99 premium: $29.99
Copyright	© own

App Privacy

Data Used to Track You: Identifiers, Usage Data, Diagnostics
Data Not Linked to You: Identifiers, Usage Data, Diagnostics

Icon compared with the official apps of the brands it mentions

	**This app**	
	Perplexity: AI Agent & Search by Perplexity AI, Inc. official perplexity app · App ID 1668000334	**31%** different
	Threads by Instagram, Inc. official threads app · App ID 6446901002	**29%** different
	iTunes Store by Apple official itunes app · App ID 915061235	**4%** different
	Google Drive by Google official google app · App ID 507874739	**0%** different

The brands are those named in the listing (name, subtitle, description, text in the screenshots); the official app of a brand is the App Store app with the brand in its name and the most ratings. Similarity is an automatic estimate; from 52% the icons count as similar.

Developer account

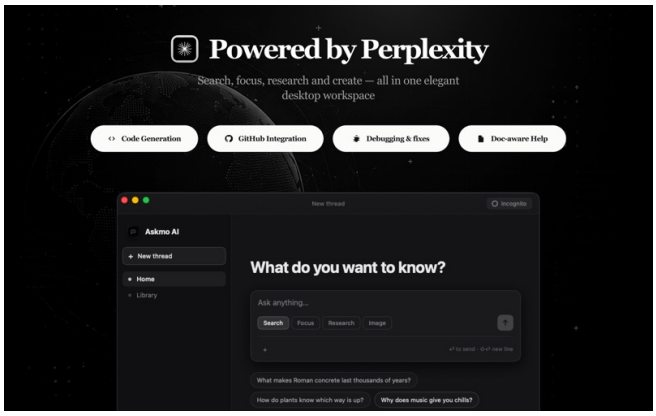
Developer	Martin Marinov (ID 1896650556)
Apps on the US App Store	1
First app published	2026-08-05 (89 days ago)
Published in the last 90 days	1

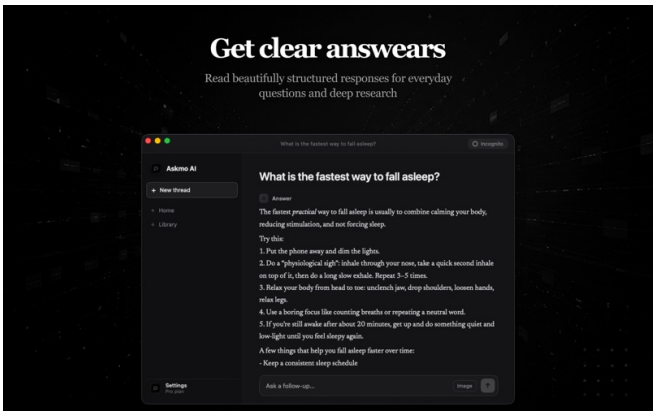
Apps of this developer account (oldest first)

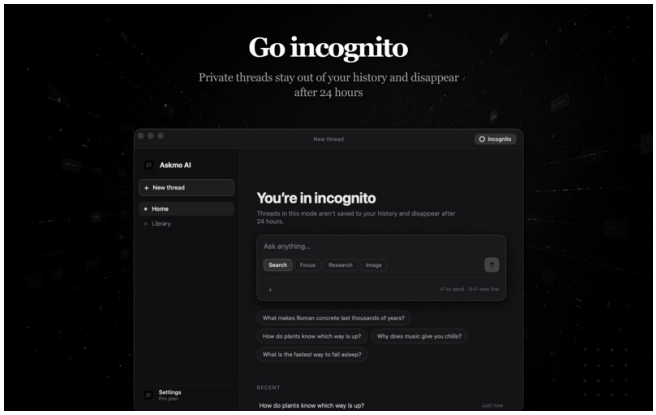
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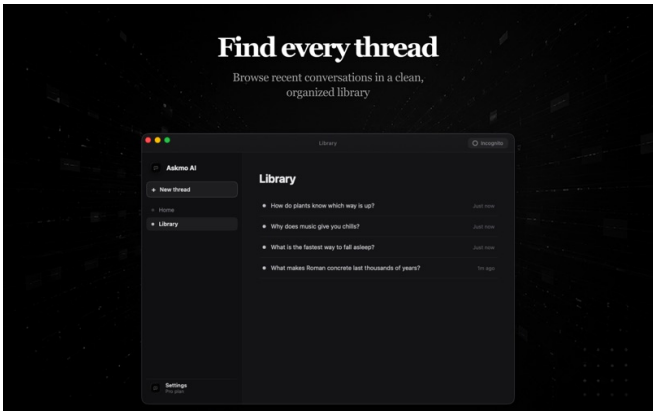
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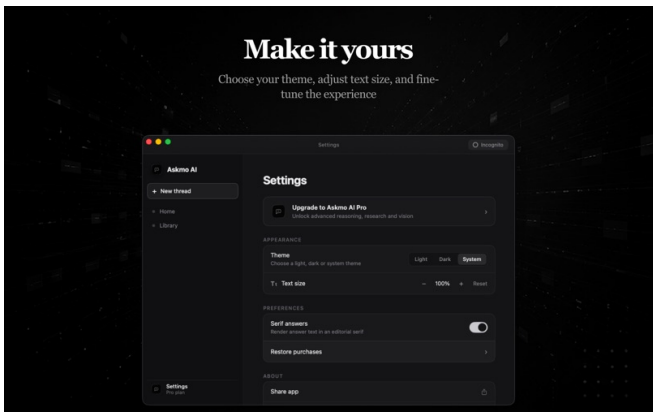
Mac (5)











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User reviews mentioning possible fraud or deception (7)

Worked less than a month

1/5 stars · 2026-10-22 · RowdyRoost3r · US App Store
This worked ok for a while, but it stopped working and I haven’t heard anything from my support ticket. So a one star is what I’m rating. I don’t know about the rest of you, I expect a paid app to work and be responsive. I have uninstalled the app fully, including the “leftover” files the reinstalled.

All Perplex is able to do is respond with “Something went wrong while answering”, that’s it. Perplex help does not exist.

There is brand confusion, not just from me but other reviewers. I had an annual Perplexity subscription which was ending, so I subscribed to this rather than pay $20/month. I thought it was some sort of deal because I got a new Mac (haven’t had one in many years). It’s not the same. Even Perplexity didn’t know about this app. Gemini did.
Matched terms: subscription

Misleading App Name, Not the Perplexity!

1/5 stars · 2026-10-22 · surious · US App Store
I purchased this app thinking it was Perplexity. As soon as I realized it was a different app, I immediately requested a refund, but my request was denied. The misleadingly similar name is deceptive and feels like a scam. Stop misleading customers into purchasing your app by making them think it's Perplexity. Extremely disappointing and dishonest.
Matched terms: scam, misleading, deceptive, refund

SCAM

1/5 stars · 2026-10-22 · boobbly · US App Store
This is NOT Perplexity AI. Paid money for absolutely no reason. It doesn’t even work on my Mac after paying for the monthly version. I want a refund.
Matched terms: scam, refund

Scam

1/5 stars · 2026-10-19 · JimDHa · US App Store
It’s a fake trying to pass as Perplexity
Matched terms: scam, fake

Can’t even drag a file into the chatbox is this real ?

1/5 stars · 2026-10-18 · wuebdkei · US App Store
What is this Ai can’t talk to it need to type everything going to cancel my subscription
Matched terms: subscription, cancel

Don’t be scammed
1/5 stars · 2026-09-15 · lkmonly · US App Store
I already have Web based Perplexity Pro account which I have already being using in my iPad. This App still ask me to pay $49 / yr and would not let me sign in. I checked with official Perplexity and the Pro is $200/ yr, not $49/ yr. This app could be a scam.
Matched terms: scam

SCAM
1/5 stars · 2026-09-04 · Vee Mechelle · US App Store
This app is a complete scam I thought it was PERPLEXITY Ai and it is not the app does not even work I will be requesting a refund through apple and my bank...
Matched terms: scam, refund

Version history

1.4.1 · 2026-09-14
General stability and performance enhancements!

1.4 · 2026-09-03
- Bug fixes

1.3 · 2026-08-31
- Bug fixes

1.2 · 2026-08-17
- bug fixes

1.1 · 2026-08-12
- Bug fixes

1.0 · 2026-08-05
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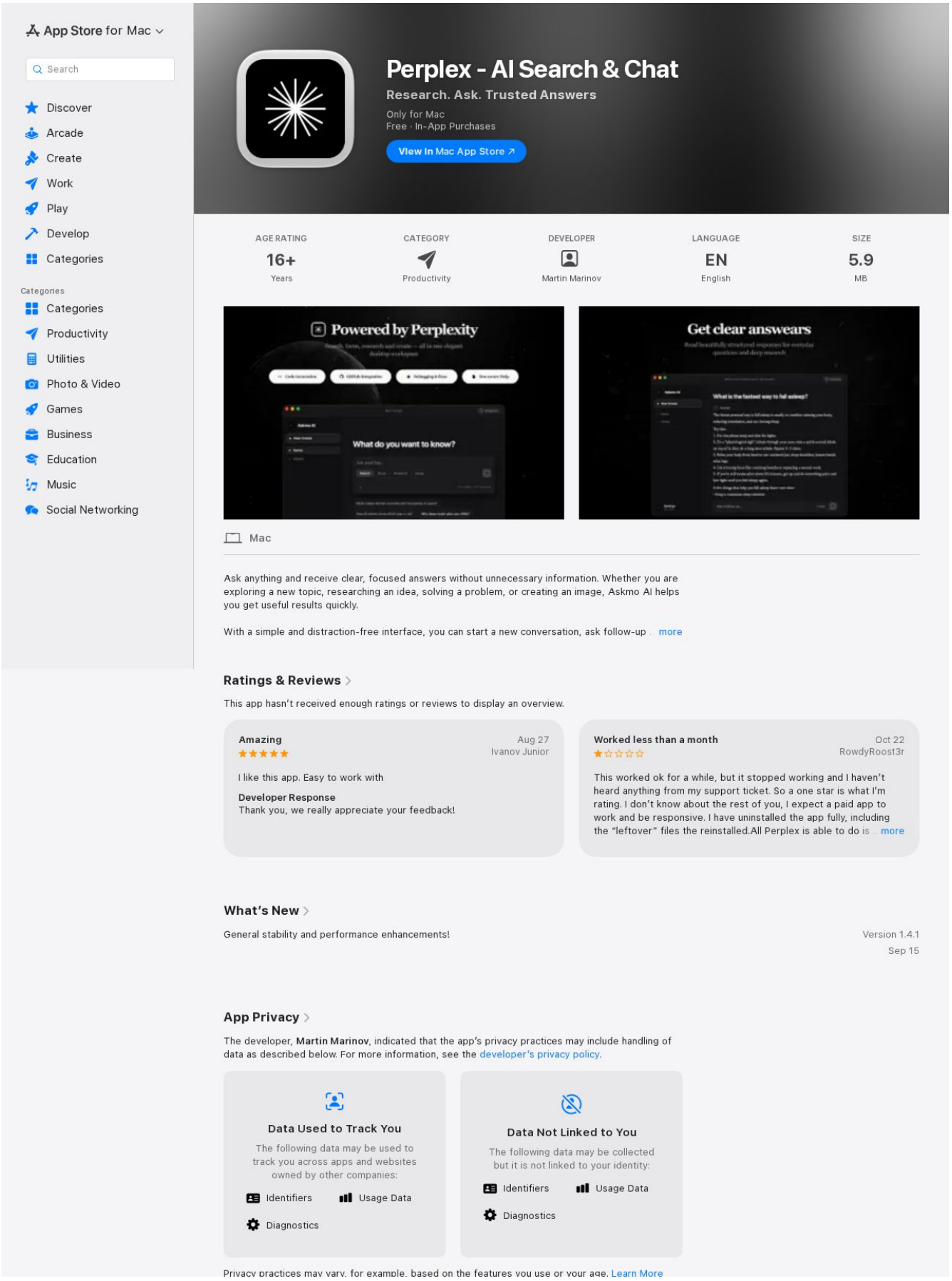
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Size
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Category
Productivity

Compatibility
Mac
Requires macOS 15.0 or later.

Languages
English

Age Rating
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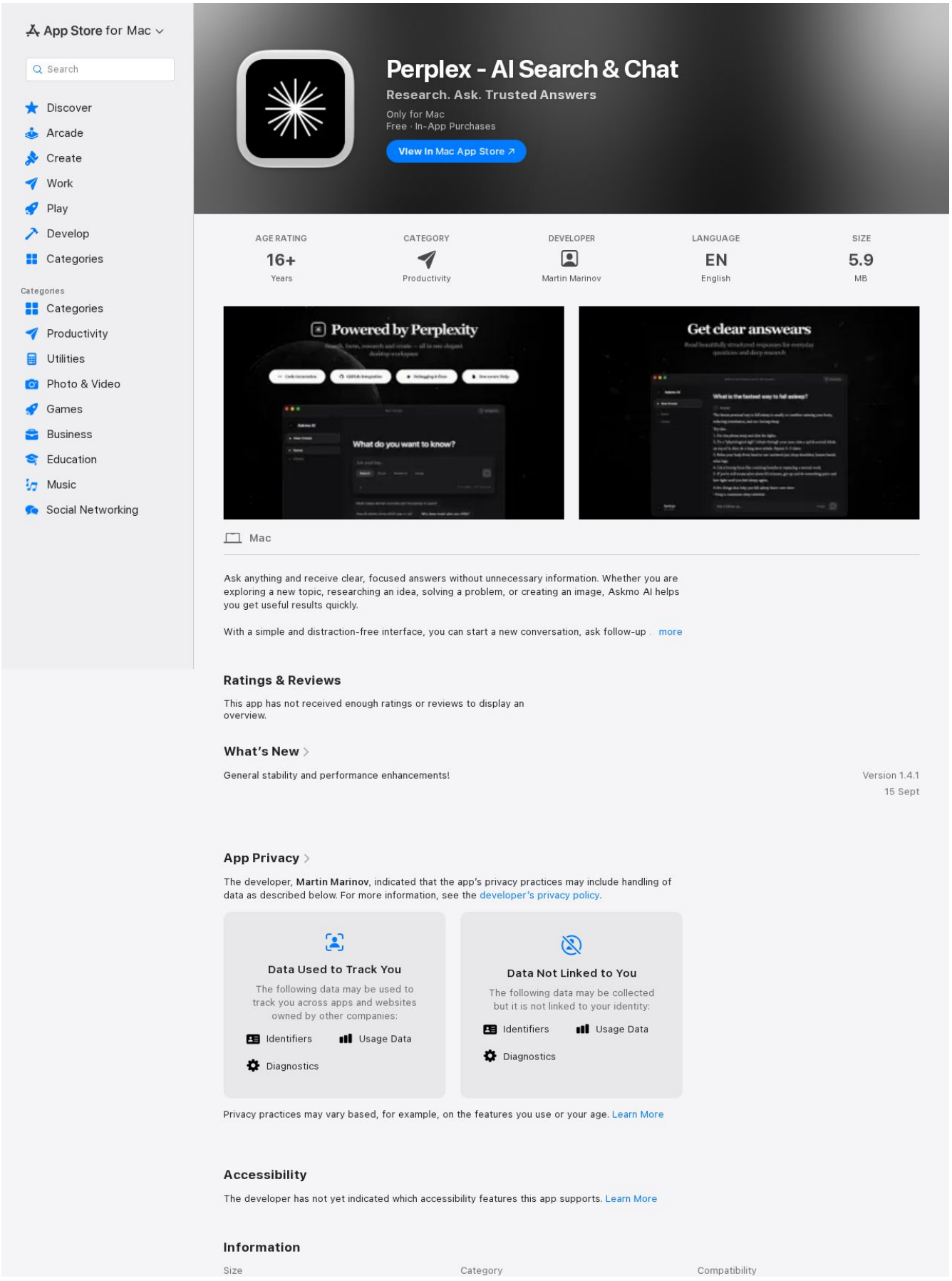
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