

Qualifying Operating Systems

The following operating systems qualify for the Windows 10 Pro Upgrade and/or Windows 10 Enterprise Upgrade through Microsoft Volume Licensing.

| Qualifying Operating Systems | New Enterprise Agreement (EA)/Open Value Company-Wide (OV-CW) ¹ | Existing EA/OV-CW ² | Microsoft Products and Services Agreement (MPSA)/Select Plus/Open ³ | Microsoft Cloud Agreement | Academic and Charity |
|---|--|--------------------------------|--|---------------------------|----------------------|
| Windows 10 | | | | | |
| Enterprise (N, KN) ⁴ , Pro (N, KN) | ☑ | ☑ | ☑ | ☑ | ☑ |
| Education, Home | | | | | ☑ |
| Windows 8 and Windows 8.1 | | | | | |
| Enterprise (N, K, KN), Pro (N, K, KN, diskless) | ☑ | ☑ | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows 8 and Windows 8.1 (including Single Language) | | | | | ☑ |
| Windows 7 | | | | | |
| Enterprise (N, K, KN), Professional (N, K, KN, diskless), Ultimate | ☑ | ☑ | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Home Premium, Home Basic, or Starter Edition | | | | | ☑ |
| Windows Vista | | | | | |
| Enterprise (N, K, KN), Business (N, K, KN, Blade), Ultimate | ☑ | | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Home Premium, Home Basic, Starter Edition | | | | | ☑ |
| Windows XP | | | | | |
| Professional (N, K, KN, Blade), Tablet Edition (N, K, KN, Blade), XP Pro N, XP Pro Blade PC | ☑ | | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Home and Starter Edition | | | | | ☑ |
| Apple | | | | | |
| Apple Macintosh | ☑ | | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows Embedded Operating Systems | | | | | |
| Windows 10 IoT Enterprise | ☑ | ☑ | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows Vista Business for Embedded Systems, Ultimate for Embedded Systems | ☑ | | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows 2000 Professional for Embedded Systems | ☑ | | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows 7 Professional for Embedded Systems, Ultimate for Embedded Systems | ☑ | ☑ | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows XP Professional for Embedded Systems | ☑ | | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows Embedded 8 and 8.1 Pro, Industry Pro | ☑ | ☑ | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows 10 IoT Enterprise for Retail or Thin Clients ⁵ | ☑ | | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows Embedded 8 and 8.1 Industry Retail ⁵ | | | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows Embedded POSReady 7 Pro ⁵ | | | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows Embedded for Point of Service ⁵ | | | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows Embedded POSReady 2009 ⁵ | | | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows Embedded POSReady 7 ⁵ | | | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows XP Embedded ⁵ | | | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows Embedded Standard 7 ⁵ | | | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows Embedded 2009 ⁵ | | | ☑ | | ☑ |
| Windows Embedded 8 Standard ⁵ | | | ☑ | | ☑ |

¹Also applicable to Qualified Devices acquired through merger or acquisition.

²Column is also used to denote acceptable qualifying OS for a user's primary device when a user is licensed with Windows 10 Enterprise E3/E5 per User.

³Does not apply to Academic, Charity, and OV-CW.

⁴N, K, and KN are specialized editions available for certain markets.

⁵Use restrictions apply. Refer to the [Volume Licensing Product Terms](#) for details.