



MICROSOFT® OEM SYSTEM BUILDER
Genuine Microsoft Software
& Licensing Guide

Greetings

This guide will introduce the Microsoft® OEM System Builder License and describe your rights and obligations as a Microsoft® OEM System Builder. It will explain the way a System Builder can acquire and distribute genuine Microsoft® software, and the risks and consequences associated with acquiring, using or distributing counterfeit Microsoft® software. The guide also lists the solutions available for customers who have inadvertently purchased counterfeit or unlicensed software, and provides answers to common questions concerning the license.

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Microsoft® OEM System Builder Channel

Who are system builders?

A system builder is an Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM), an assembler, refurbisher or pre-installer of software on computer systems. Microsoft® offers operating system, applications, and server software specifically for system builders to pre-install on the systems they build and sell.

The Microsoft® OEM System Builder Channel is designed to make it easy for system builders to acquire and distribute genuine Microsoft® software. The flow of Microsoft® software through the channel is as follows:

Authorised OEM Distributors

Authorised OEM Distributors have an agreement with Microsoft® to distribute OEM system builder software and are your assured source of genuine Microsoft® software. See a list of Authorised OEM Distributors at http://oem.microsoft.com/authorized_distributor



System Builders

System builders are smaller OEMs who manufacture computer systems and pre-install Microsoft® OEM system builder software onto those systems. They are licensed by Microsoft® via the OEM System Builder License that is affixed to the side of OEM system builder software packs.



End-Users

End-users acquire computer systems from system builders, and accept the End-User License Agreement (EULA) which details how the software can and cannot be used, along with other restrictions.



Authorised OEM Distributors

Who are the Authorised OEM Distributors?



General Sales 1300 100 100
www.synnex.com.au



General Sales 1300 651 124
www.ingrammicro.com.au

Software Distribution Rights vs. Software Usage Rights

It's important to understand the difference between the right to *distribute* Microsoft® OEM system builder software and the right to *use* the software.

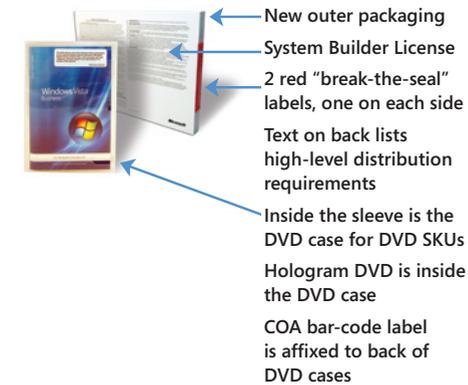
Below we have outlined the important differences between the OEM System Builder License, which defines the *system builder's* rights to distribute software and the EULA, which defines an *end-user's* rights to use that software.

	OEM System Builder License	End User License Agreement
		
LICENSE IS BETWEEN	Microsoft and System Builder	System Builder and End-User
LOCATION OF LICENSE	The license is affixed to the side of the OEM system builder pack or to the OEM Preinstallation Kit (OPK) Master Kit for the 2007 Microsoft® Office system. System builders accept this license upon opening the pack.	The EULA is typically displayed when the end user first runs the software and must be accepted by the end user at this time.
RIGHTS	The license covers system builder rights to distribute the OEM system builder product, how they can distribute software, support, placement of COA label, etc.	Covers end-user rights in how they can use the software, whether it can be transferred, downgrade rights, and other end-user rights as they relate to using the software.

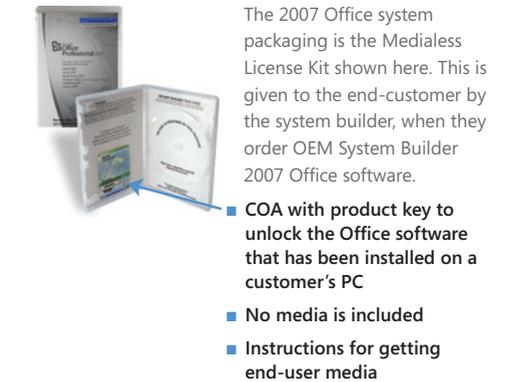
System Builder Packaging Options

With the release of Windows Vista™ and to create worldwide consistency, the 1-pack has been redesigned. Please see pictures of the 1-pack and other software packaging options.

Windows Vista 1-pack



Medialess License Kit for the 2007 Office System



Windows Vista Packaging Options



1-pack



3-pack



30-pack

2007 Microsoft Office System Packaging Options



1-pack

The outer sleeve is informational and must be removed before distribution of the enclosed Medialess License Kit to end users.



3-pack

Note: The outer packaging for the 2007 Office system is informational and is not the OEM System Builder license. The 2007 Office OEM system builder license is affixed to the 2007 Office OPK Master Kit that is used to preinstall the 2007 Office system software onto PCs.

System Builder License

The OEM System Builder License is affixed to the side of the OEM system builder pack for Windows Vista and to the OPK Master Kit for the 2007 Microsoft Office system. By opening the pack, system builders agree to the license terms. A complete copy of the OEM System Builder License is available at www.microsoft.com/oem/sblicense

Some of these license terms include:

- Limited License
- Microsoft Windows Software Distribution
- Office Ready and Medialess License Kits
- OEM Pre-Installation Kit (OPK)
- Certificate of Authenticity (COA) Label
- End-User Support
- Product Activation
- Recovery Solutions

Note: With the release of the 2007 Microsoft Office system, there are significant changes to the pre-installation process and licensing for the 2007 Office system. There is a new separate system builder license specific to the 2007 Office system and details can be found at www.microsoft.com/oem/sblicense

Limited License

The license is limited to distribution of "individual software licenses" contained in the system builder pack. Individual software license means the software license that comes in the package together with:

- Hologram media and documentation (where applicable)
- Certificate of Authenticity (COA)
- End-User License Agreement (EULA)*

None of these components can be separated and distributed individually.

***Note:** The EULA can typically be found online within the software.



Microsoft Windows® Software Distribution

The scenarios below will help you understand the license rules that relate to the Windows Vista packs. Note that there is a new process and new packaging for the 2007 Microsoft Office system.

1



Opened Pack:

When you open the pack you agree to the license terms and must preinstall the license for Windows desktop software onto a fully assembled PCs hard drive using the OPK.

2



Unopened Pack:

If you don't open the pack you can deliver the unopened pack to another **system builder**. A system builder is defined as an OEM, an assembler, refurbisher, or pre-installer of software on computer systems.

3



End-user Distribution:

System builder software packs should not be distributed to end users. System builder software must be preinstalled onto PCs and the individual software license that is located within the pack must be given to the customer. The individual software license may include a COA, media, and manual.

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System Builder software cannot be used for legalisation:

The Get Genuine Kit is the proper channel legalisation solution for existing PCs, NOT OEM System Builder Software.

For details please visit <http://oem.microsoft.com/getgenuine>

Office Ready and Medialess License Kits

With the release of the 2007 Microsoft Office system, system builders will now participate in the Office Ready program. This program is designed to make it easier for system builders to sell the Microsoft Office system with a new PC.

How it works:



60 day trial



+ 90 days



System builders pre-install a single master image using the new 2007 Office OPK Master Kit for all the Microsoft Office business suites on new business PCs.

When a business PC is sold, system builders markets and sells a 2007 Microsoft Office business suite – Basic, Small Business, or Professional.

System builders sell customers a Medialess License Kit which will include a product key which will unlock their suite (Basic, Small Business, or Professional).

Users who choose not to buy Microsoft Office immediately with their new PC have a free 60 day trial period, which system builders can help activate.

Customers can buy the Medialess License Kit from system builders after the PC sale, when they are ready (within 90 days of the PC sale). The Kit will provide the key necessary to unlock the pre-installed software with no additional work required by the system builder.

Customers can easily acquire media from Microsoft by following instructions in the Kit. Microsoft provides 90-day support for these Kits.

For more information see <http://oem.microsoft.com/office2007>

OEM Pre-Installation Kit (OPK)

System builders are required to pre-install software using the OEM Pre-installation Kit or OPK. Using the OPK ensures customers can experience the intended Windows "Out-of-Box-Experience" and that they can accept the EULA.

An OPK for Windows Vista is included in every 3-pack. For the 2007 Office system, the OPK Master Kit can be ordered from an authorised Microsoft OEM distributor. More information can be found at <http://oem.microsoft.com/opk>



OPK Benefits to System Builders:

- Allows you to add business contact information in the system so customers know where to go for support.
- Allows you to add shortcuts and brand your PC with your company logo.
- Allows a flexible methodology by enabling you to choose compact disc-based, network-based, or peer-to-peer pre-installation methods.
- Allows you hardware flexibility by enabling you to pre-install drivers for devices that do not have built-in support in the operating system.
- Enables you to pre-install software programs during the installation of Windows Vista
- Gives you an auditing capability by enabling you to test pre-installed computers without interrupting the pre-installation process.

Certificate of Authenticity (COA) Label

Certificate of Authenticity (COA) Label for OEM Operating Systems

For Windows desktop and server operating system licenses that include a COA label, the system builder installing the software must affix the COA label to the outside of the fully-assembled PC in a visible, easily accessible area.

Certificate of Authenticity (COA) Label for OEM Application Software

- There is a COA specific to application products (e.g. 2007 Microsoft Office system).
- It is affixed to end-user packaging – it is not a sticker.
- It must be distributed to the end-user with other documentation – it is not affixed to the PC.



You can learn more about the COA label features at <http://oem.microsoft.com/coa>

End-User Support

The system builder that installs the software provides all end-user support of that software.

- The system builder must include their support phone number in the Help files of the PC itself or in the end-user documentation.
- This is one reason OEM system builder licenses cannot be transferred from one PC to another. A system builder cannot support a license that has been moved from a PC they manufactured to a PC they did not.
- The 2007 Microsoft Office system is supported by Microsoft.

Product Activation

- Microsoft Product Activation is designed to help end-users ensure they have a legal, licensed copy of Microsoft software.
- Product activation is required by the customer in OEM system builder products.
- A system builder may activate the software on behalf of the end-user.
- Activation works by verifying that the software's product key, required as part of product installation, has not been used on more PCs than is allowed by the software's license.

For more information, visit www.microsoft.com/piracy/activation.mspx

Recovery Solutions

- The full version of the Microsoft Windows operating system is included in the system builder pack via the hologram CD, and acts as recovery media.
- This hologram CD must be transferred to the end-user at the time of delivery. The system builder license prohibits the replication of Microsoft software, therefore replicating your own recovery CDs and selling them with the systems you build is not allowed under the system builder license.
- System builders can offer hard-disk recovery solutions.
- System builders may use the Windows Pre-installation Environment (Windows PE) or use the software of a third-party to help create a hard-disk recovery solution

End-User License Agreements

End-user rights and obligations defined by the EULA cover such things as transferability of the software and downgrade rights.

Transfer of License

Once an OEM system builder software program has been installed, it may not be transferred to, or installed on another PC, even if the PC is no longer in use. The end-user license is permanently tied to the original computer system on which it was first installed.



Component Upgrades/Replacements and the System Builder End-User License

The motherboard is the component that determines whether or not a new Windows license is required.

- Motherboard upgrades or replacements, for reasons other than a defect replacement with an identical series motherboard, require a new operating system license.
- If you are replacing a defective motherboard with an identical motherboard, a new operating system license is not required.
- If transferring a refurbished PC to a new user, the software license, media, COA and manuals must all be transferred together.

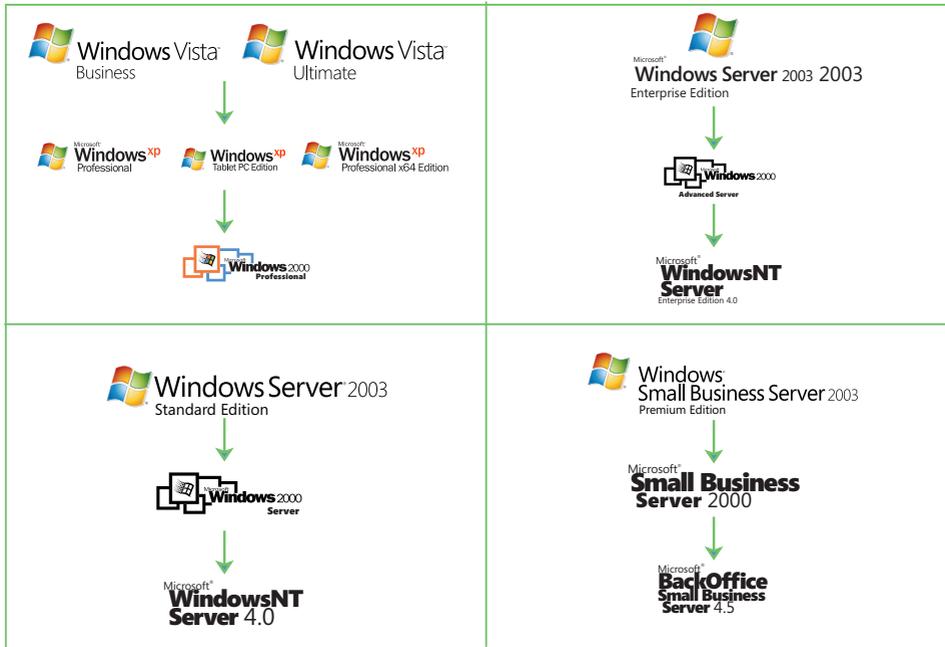


Downgrade Rights

What are Downgrade Rights?

Downgrade rights give your customers the best of both worlds while transitioning to an upgrade. Downgrade rights are an end-user right and are documented in the product end-user license agreement. They refer to the ability of your customers to acquire the most recent version of Microsoft software but continue to run a previous version until they are ready to upgrade.

See the charts below for the products and versions that contain downgrade rights.



When and Why Would Customers Use Downgrade Rights?

Your customer is purchasing a new computer system and it needs to run the same operating system as their existing 10 systems – Windows XP Professional. You can pre-install Windows Vista Business on the new computer system, and then offer your customer the added service of installing Windows XP Professional on your customers' behalf. The downgrade media must be supplied to you from the end user and must come from a legally licensed version of Microsoft retail, OEM/System Builder, or volume license channel.

For more information, visit <http://oem.microsoft.com/downgrade>

Note: OEM system builder versions of Windows Vista Home, Windows XP Home and Windows XP 64-bit versions do not have end-user downgrade rights.

OEM System Builder Media Replacement

In September 2006 the Microsoft Media Replacement Program (COA / Media) changed. Have you or one of your customers received damaged Microsoft OEM System Builder software? Or, have you damaged your media during the pre-installation process? If you have, you no longer need to contact your OEM Distributor for replacement. You may now request replacement media online directly from Microsoft.

If you have experienced any one of the following, you may be eligible to receive replacement media:

- Media received will not properly install
- Media noticeably damaged on receipt
- Media damaged during preinstallation process
- Media misplaced, and a replacement is required

Media replacement is available to system builders worldwide, with the exception of China and Japan. Refer to the OEM website to understand which Microsoft OEM software versions are supported for media replacement under this program.

Media Replacement Ordering Instructions. If you are a system builder and would like to request replacement media either for yourself or for your customer, just complete the online Media Replacement Form located on the OEM Website. Once you have provided the required information, including Certificate of Authenticity (COA) details, a submission confirmation message will be sent to you via e-mail.

For more information on the COA Replacement program, please visit the OEM COA Replacement page on the OEM website: <http://oem.microsoft.com/media>

Microsoft Windows Licensing

Be a trusted advisor. Make sure your customers understand the following key facts:

- Volume License Agreements license Microsoft Windows upgrades only. Software upgrades are designed to upgrade previously acquired qualifying software licenses. This means there should be a Certificate of Authenticity (COA) on all your PCs before you install the upgrade.
- There are two ways to acquire a full version of Windows software: preinstalled on a new PC through a PC manufacturer – this is the most cost-effective way to get a genuine Windows software license on a new PC – or as full packaged retail product.

For more information, visit <http://www.microsoft.com/oem/>

Software Assurance

Software Assurance provides volume licensing customers the right to run any new versions of the covered product issued during the period of their Software Assurance coverage. Software Assurance is available through a variety of Volume Licensing programs. Customers wanting to acquire Software Assurance for certain Microsoft Office licenses acquired from an OEM may do so in the Open License and Select programs within 90 days from the date those licenses are acquired. Customers under Open Value may acquire Software Assurance for licenses within 90 days from the date those licenses are acquired (this does not apply to the Open Value Company-wide option).

By acquiring Software Assurance coverage for an OEM copy of the Microsoft Office system, the customer is eligible to “step into” the highest level edition of Office that includes every component included in the Volume Licensing edition. The following table shows this mapping of OEM versions to volume licensing versions when Software Assurance is purchased.

OEM 2007 Release Products	Software Assurance Enrolls into Volume Licensing As
OEM Office Professional 2007	Office Standard 2007
OEM Office Small Business 2007	Office Small Business 2007

Note: OEM Office Professional 2007 maps to Office Standard 2007 rather than Office Professional Plus 2007. This is because Office Professional Plus 2007 contains several components (e.g. Office InfoPath 2007), which are not present in the OEM version of Office Professional 2007.

On enrolling OEM licenses into the Microsoft Volume Licensing Program, customers are eligible to purchase step-up licenses to either Office Professional Plus 2007 or Office Enterprise 2007.

For more information, visit www.microsoft.com.au/licensing/sa

The Value of Genuine Microsoft Software

With the release of Windows Vista, new piracy detection is now integrated into genuine Windows Vista making it more important than ever for your customers to get only genuine Microsoft software.

New technology has been built in to the Windows Vista operating system which detects and disables valuable enhanced features on non-genuine versions. If your customers receive a non-genuine version of Windows Vista or the 2007 Microsoft Office system, their business and personal data could be exposed to serious security risks. Plus, they may experience poor system performance and reduced functionality.

Make sure you protect your reputation and enhance your credibility as a trusted advisor by providing your customers the great new performance and peace of mind they expect and deserve from genuine Windows Vista and the 2007 Microsoft Office system.

Genuine Windows Vista Features	Genuine 2007 Microsoft Office System Features:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Windows Aero™ – enhanced desktop experience ■ Windows ReadyBoost™ – easy RAM memory addition ■ Windows Defender – virus, malware protection ■ Internet Explorer® 7 – latest browser with expanded functionality 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Template gallery – all new gallery of templates ■ 2007 Microsoft Office system downloads – Add-in downloads for the 2007 Microsoft Office system such as Windows Local Live Add-in for Outlook, Office Sounds, and more

Non-genuine software user experience:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Persistent desktop warning and notification (desktop tattoo) if user is running a counterfeit version ■ Systems not activated with a genuine product key may have reduced functionality ■ Great new Windows Vista features such as Windows Aero and Windows ReadyBoost are disabled ■ Valuable information stored on a PC may be exposed to on-going risks ■ Users are denied access to special offers and downloads reserved for only genuine users

For more information, visit <http://oem.microsoft.com/genuineVistaOffice>



The Genuine Microsoft Windows Vista Experience

To have a fully functional PC that provides customers with a smooth and secure computing experience, genuine Windows software is a must:

Genuine Windows Vista	Non-Genuine Software
Improved user interface.	Constant desktop warning if user is using non-genuine.
Speeds up PC performance.	Great new features are disabled, meaning customers cannot access them.
Ongoing access to updates and downloads.	Customers are denied access to updates and downloads.
Increased security and protection against spyware and malware.	Information your customers store on their PCs may be exposed to critical spyware and malware
Access to product support from Microsoft.	PC will go into reduced functionality mode unless authorised with a valid product key

New technology has been built into genuine Windows Vista that will detect non-genuine versions and alter the user experience on those non-genuine versions by disabling enhanced features and restricting downloads and updates. Eventually, non-genuine Windows Vista will go into reduced functionality mode. In reduced functionality mode, users will experience no desktop, no start menu or task bar, and Windows Vista functionality will be limited to the default browser for 1 hour periods.

Please visit <http://oem.microsoft.com/GenuineVista> where you can get more information on this new differentiation between genuine and non-genuine Windows Vista.

The right benefits for your customers

Make sure you reduce the risk of customer dissatisfaction by not only installing genuine software, but also providing the software solution that matches your customers' needs

Features & Services		Windows Vista Home Basic	Windows Vista Home Premium	Windows Vista Business	Windows Vista Ultimate
Aero™ User Experience	The premium visual interface for Windows Vista.		✓	✓	✓
Windows Ready Boost™	Lets users increase the performance of their system with removable flash memory.	✓	✓	✓	✓
Windows Defender	Helps protect users from malware	✓	✓	✓	✓
Windows Internet Explorer 7	The newest browser from Microsoft provides significant enhancements in security,	✓	✓	✓	✓

For more information on the benefits of genuine software and the consequences of installing non-genuine software, visit microsoft.com.au/genuine

Windows Genuine Advantage (WGA) and Office Genuine Advantage (OGA)

- WGA and OGA are quick, easy and online validation programs that enable customers to verify whether their Microsoft Windows and Office software are genuine.
- Once validated as genuine, customers can gain access to valuable downloads, updates, and more.
- Validation is required in order to download certain content on the Microsoft Download Center or to use Windows Update services.



Goals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Helps protect customers from counterfeit software ■ Helps reduce piracy ■ Supports honest partners
Results	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Easier identification of counterfeit software ■ Reduces viability of counterfeit software ■ Helps honest partners compete against counterfeiters
Benefits	<p>Allows genuine user access to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ New downloads and software features ■ Windows and office updates ■ Download Center special offers

What to do if your customers fail validation

If your customers fail validation, they will be directed back to their reseller for help. This is why it's so important to ensure your customers get only genuine Microsoft software. And, the easiest, most economical and perhaps most obvious way for customers to acquire Microsoft software is to have it pre-installed on a new PC.

However, if your customers have inadvertently purchased or discovered counterfeit software on their PCs, there are currently a number of solutions available. These solutions are detailed on the next page.

Solutions for Non-Genuine Windows Software			
	Get Genuine Kit (OEM)	Retail (FPP)	WGA Kit (Microsoft)
What?	Microsoft Windows XP	Microsoft Windows Vista and Microsoft Windows XP	Microsoft Windows XP
Who?	Consumers, small and mid-size businesses	Home consumers and small businesses	Home consumer and small businesses
Where?	Purchase through a reseller	Purchase at retail or through a reseller	Purchase online direct from Microsoft
How much?	Check with your authorised OEM distributor; Eligible for SA attach within 90 days	Varies by region. Check with your authorised distributor.	XP Home AU\$158; XP Professional AU\$238*
Where?	OEM authorised distribution	Retail outlets, Resellers	Microsoft Online
The format	DVD style case with either Media & COA	Retail boxed product	eKey sent to customer along with media
Terms and Conditions	Legalisation solution; Microsoft retail support; Non-transferable; COA attach required.	Standard retail terms; Microsoft retail support; Transferable; Retail COA	Ordered direct from Microsoft; Supported by Microsoft.

Note: Other solutions for Windows Vista and Office 2007 may be available in the coming months.

*Prices correct at time of printing.

Solutions for Non-Genuine Office Software

For those customers who have unknowingly purchased a counterfeit version of Office, Microsoft provides the following options:

- Microsoft will make a complimentary copy of Office 2003 Standard Edition available for those customers who have been sold counterfeit Office. To qualify, customers will be required to submit proof of purchase, a counterfeit report, and height-quality counterfeit CD.
- For those customers who have failed Office validation and do not qualify for, or choose not to take advantage of, the complimentary offer, Microsoft will provide an Office Genuine Advantage Kit. This kit will be available for the following Office editions at special online prices:
 - Microsoft Office Professional Edition
 - Microsoft Office Small Business Edition

Always check the website for the latest details www.microsoft.com/oem

How to Identify Genuine Microsoft Software

1. Make sure you're getting a "complete" software package with COA, media (where applicable), and documentation.
2. Purchase only from Microsoft Authorised OEM Distributors – an assured source of genuine Microsoft software. www.microsoft.com/resources/howtotell
3. Watch out for prices that seem too good to be true – these are highly suspect and could put you and your customers at risk.



Risks of Piracy

Risks of Using Non-Genuine Software

If your customers ask about PCs without Microsoft® Windows® preinstalled, be sure they know the risks and consequences that come with using non-genuine software.

In a recent IDC report,* 25% of the web sites studied offering counterfeit or pirated Windows software also attempted to install spyware or Trojans that can compromise user systems.

Recovering a single infected machine can cost over \$1,000, while the cost of lost data and reduced worker productivity can be even higher. The perceived "savings" of using pirated software can be wiped out in a single security breach.

Your customers rely on your expertise to guide their purchasing decisions. Recommend that they acquire genuine Microsoft software preinstalled on their PCs, and they'll get:

- The features and capabilities they're expecting
- Access to important updates, tech support, and special offers

For customer-ready resources and additional information, visit <http://oem.microsoft.com/risksofcounterfeit>

*IDC White Paper: The Risks of Obtaining and Using Pirated Software, October 2006

Consequences of Using Pirated Software

Software piracy is the illegal reproduction and distribution of software product, whether for business or personal use. Illegal software copying and distribution not only hurts end users, but tarnishes the reputation of all resellers and puts honest companies at an unfair competitive disadvantage. Copyright infringement may also amount to a criminal offence which is punishable, in the case of corporations, by fines of up to \$357,500 and in the case of individuals, fines of up to \$71,500 and/or imprisonment for up to 5 years.

The Microsoft Genuine Software Initiative (GSI) focuses the company's many activities and investments directly at combating software counterfeiting and other forms of software piracy into a single initiative. The initiative focuses on increasing investments across three strategic areas: Education, Engineering, and Enforcement.

Education: raising awareness of the risks of counterfeiting or unlicensed software and the importance of proper licensing through consumer oriented communications.

Engineering: software features and anti-counterfeiting technologies that can alert a consumer to the presence of counterfeit or unlicensed software and that can help businesses ensure proper licensing, as well as analysis of counterfeit software to determine whether there are risks to consumers or businesses who use counterfeit software.

Enforcement: Microsoft actively supports enforcement actions against software piracy and is serious about protecting its intellectual property rights.

Enforcement action is usually taken as a last resort and when other attempts to resolve the situation have failed. When Microsoft takes legal action against a reseller or supplier of counterfeit or unlicensed software we communicate to our valued OEM partners the results of that action. This communication may take the form of a direct mail Infringement Alert which details the specifics of each case or, if appropriate, educational advertisements in channel or end customer publications to make others aware of the risks of software piracy.

Examples of past Infringement Alerts and channel advertisements are featured below.



Remember, if you suspect software piracy please report it to the Microsoft Hotline on **1800 639 963** as every lead is treated seriously and investigated.

How to Report Piracy

- Email piracy@mss.com.au
- Call the Microsoft Anti-Piracy Hotline at **1800 639 963**
- Fill out an online reporting form at www.microsoft.com.au/genuine/report
- Contact the Partner team at **13 20 58 (Option 4)**

What Happens When You Report Software Piracy?

- Your lead is received by a team of individuals who respond.
- Every lead is processed and Microsoft takes action as appropriate
- Actions that result from reports and investigations can range from a warning letter to filing legal proceedings, but many factors enter into this decision in each particular case prior to action being taken.
- Microsoft may contact you for more information or to clarify your report.

Resources

- Microsoft OEM System Builder Web Site: <http://oem.microsoft.com/oem>
- Microsoft OEM System Builder License: www.microsoft.com/oem/sblicense
- Piracy Information: www.microsoft.com/au/piracy
- Volume Licensing Information: www.microsoft.com/au/licensing
- How To Tell It's Genuine Software: www.microsoft.com/au/genuine
- Genuine Windows Information: www.microsoft.com/au/genuine
- Windows Genuine Advantage: www.microsoft.com/au/genuine
- Authorised OEM Distributors: http://oem.microsoft.com/authorized_distributor
- The 2007 Microsoft Office System Information: <http://oem.microsoft.com/2007office>
- Genuine Windows Vista and 2007 Microsoft Office System: <http://oem.microsoft.com/genuineVistaOffice>
- System Builder Licensing and Packaging: <http://oem.microsoft.com/licensingchanges>
- Look out for relevant Microsoft OEM System Builder Webcasts on Anti-Piracy

