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# Software Compatibility Matrix

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This document should be used in conjunction with the Bloomberg® Workstation Requirements, Software Release and Expiration and Network Connectivity Guide. Please see our website or BBPC<GO> on the Terminal for more information.

The information provided in this document outlines the Microsoft® platforms that are compatible with the Bloomberg Terminal® and its associated software.

These requirements should be considered when determining the overall suitability of the users' workstation to maximize product functionality. Please keep the latest Bloomberg specifications in mind when planning workstation upgrades.

## Current supported platforms

### Operating Systems

| Product | Minimum Version | Comments | Extended support end date | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Microsoft | Bloomberg |
| Windows 10<br>Home<br>Pro<br>Education<br>Enterprise | Version 20H2<br>OS Build 19042 | Only 64-Bit version is supported.<br>Windows 10 in S mode is not supported. | *10/14/2025 | 10/31/2026 |
| Windows 11<br>Home<br>Pro<br>Education<br>Enterprise | | | TBA | TBA |

* Extended enterprise support may be available for select versions. Please contact Technical Support for more details.

### Microsoft Office

| Product | Minimum Version | Comments | Extended support end date | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Microsoft | Bloomberg |
| Office Professional 2013<br>Version 15.0.x | Service Pack 1 | | 04/11/2023 | 10/31/2023 |
| Office 2016 MSI<br>Retail / Volume | Version 16.0.5332.1000 | Perpetual License | 10/14/2025 | 04/30/2026 |
| Office 2016 / 2019<br>Retail | Version 2206<br>Build 15330.20246 | Perpetual License | 10/14/2025 | 04/30/2026 |
| Office 2019<br>Volume | Version 1808<br>Build 10388.20027 | Perpetual License | 10/14/2025 | 04/30/2026 |
| Office 2021<br>Retail | Version 2206<br>Build 15330.20246 | Perpetual License | 10/13/2026 | 04/30/2027 |
| Office 2021<br>LTSC Volume | Version 2108<br>Build 14332.20345 | Perpetual License | 10/13/2026 | 04/30/2027 |
| Microsoft 365<br>Monthly Enterprise Channel | Version 2204<br>Build 15128.20312 | Bloomberg does not recommend automatic installation of this Channel. We recommend testing the Version/Build beforehand by the customer and then deploying it using the Office Deployment Tool. | TBA | TBA |
| Microsoft 365<br>Semi-annual Enterprise Channel | Version 2108<br>Build 14326.21062 | Recommended Channel | TBA | TBA |

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- Microsoft 365 Beta, Current, Current (Preview) and Semi-Annual Enterprise (Preview) Channels are not supported.
- Microsoft Store version of Office is not supported.
- Bloomberg Terminal® is not supported on any 32-Bit version of Microsoft Windows.
- Bloomberg Terminal® is compatible with Microsoft .NET Framework 4.6 and above.
- Source of Microsoft support end dates http://support.microsoft.com/lifecycle/

## Previously supported platforms

## Operating Systems

| Product | Minimum Version | Comments | Support end date | |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| | | | Microsoft | Bloomberg |
| Windows NT 3.51 | | | 12/31/2001 | 03/31/2002 |
| Windows 95 | Service Pack 1 & Internet Explorer 5.5 SP2 | | 11/30/2001 | 04/07/2004 |
| Windows 95B (OSR2) | Internet Explorer 5.5 SP2 | | 11/30/2001 | 04/07/2004 |
| Windows 98 / 98 SE | | | 06/30/2006 | 12/31/2005 |
| Windows Me | | | 06/30/2006 | 12/31/2005 |
| Windows NT 4 | Service Pack 6a | | 06/30/2004 | 09/30/2006 |
| Windows 2000 | Service Pack 4 (Rollup 1 preferred) | | 07/13/2010 | 12/31/2010 |
| Windows XP Home Edition Professional | Service Pack 3 | | 04/08/2014 | 11/30/2014 |
| Windows XP Professional x64 Edition | Service Pack 2 | | | |
| Windows Vista Home Basic Home Premium Ultimate Business Enterprise | Service Pack 2 | | 04/11/2017 | 09/30/2017 |
| Windows 7 32-Bit | Service Pack 1 | | 01/14/2020 | 04/30/2020 |
| Windows 7 Home Premium Ultimate Professional Enterprise 64-Bit | Service Pack 1 | | 01/14/2020 | 01/31/2022 |
| Windows 8 / 8.1 Pro Enterprise | | | 01/10/2023 | 01/31/2023 |

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## Microsoft Office

| Product | Minimum Version | Comments | Support end date Microsoft | Support end date Bloomberg |
|---------|-----------------|----------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Excel 95 Version 7.0.x | | | 12/31/2001 | 12/31/2002 |
| Excel 97 Version 8.0.x | Service Release 2 | | 01/16/2004 | 12/31/2004 |
| Excel 2000 Version 9.0.x | Service Pack 2 | | 07/14/2009 | 01/31/2010 |
| Excel 2002 (XP) Version 10.0.x | Service Pack 3 + Office Compatibility Pack | | 07/12/2011 | 12/31/2011 |
| Office 2003 Version 11.0.x | Service Pack 3 + Office Compatibility Pack | | 04/08/2014 | 11/30/2014 |
| Office 2007 Version 12.0.x | Service Pack 2 | | 04/11/2017 | 01/01/2018 |
| Office 2010 Version 14.0.x | Service Pack 2 | | 10/13/2020 | 04/30/2021 |

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