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Software Compatibility Matrix

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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

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

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

Microsoft Office

			Extended support end date	
Product	Minimum Version	Comments	Microsoft	Bloomberg
Office 2016 MSI Retail / Volume	Version 16.0.5332.1000	Perpetual License	10/14/2025	04/30/2026
Office 2016 / 2019 Retail	Version 2206 Build 15330.20246	Perpetual License	10/14/2025	04/30/2026
Office 2019 Volume	Version 1808 Build 10388.20027	Perpetual License	10/14/2025	04/30/2026
Office 2021 Retail	Version 2206 Build 15330.20246	Perpetual License	10/13/2026	04/30/2027
Office 2021 LTSC Volume	Version 2108 Build 14332.20345	Perpetual License	10/13/2026	04/30/2027
Microsoft 365 Monthly Enterprise Channel	Version 2204 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 Semi-annual Enterprise Channel	Version 2108 Build 14326.21062	Recommended Channel	TBA	TBA



- Microsoft 365 Beta, Current, Current (Preview) and Semi-Annual Enterprise (Preview) Channels are not supported.
- Microsoft 365 must be installed on the local computer. Cloud-based versions 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

			Support end date	
Product	Minimum Version	Comments	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		04/06/2014	11/30/2014
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



Microsoft Office

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Product	Minimum Version	Comments	Microsoft	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
Office Professional 2013 Version 15.0.x	Service Pack 1		04/11/2023	10/31/2023