

Run multiple versions of Windows, Linux and other operating systems side by side with Mac OS X without rebooting



5 Stars

'Editors Choice'



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'Best Buy' award

"Parallels is by far the most convenient way to run Windows alongside Mac OS X we've seen." PC Pro



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SmartSelect – Open Windows files in Mac programs and Mac files in Windows programs

OpenGL Direct X support – Run selected 3D games and graphics applications

Parallels Explorer – browse through Windows folders and access files without launching Windows

Parallels Coherence – run Windows applications directly from the Mac dock

Full USB 2.0 Support – Connect USB 2.0/1.1 in any OS

Format: Mac OS X

SRP £49.99 inc VAT

Genre: Virtualisation

Box type Mini box

Stock code AVQ-PDM-Box-V3

Barcode: 5026247 177577

System Requirements

Mac OS X 10.4.6 / Leopard
Intel Mac – 1Gb RAM
100Mb disk space [exc VMs]
Internet connection for registration and updates



Parallels Desktop is the first solution that enables Mac users to run Windows, Linux, and more simultaneously with critical Mac OS X applications on an Intel-powered iMac, Mac mini, Mac Pro, MacBook, or MacBook Pro – without rebooting

Unlike Apple's Boot Camp dual-boot solution, in which users must completely shut down Mac OS X, Parallels Desktop allows the user to switch seamlessly between OSes and run Windows applications directly from the OS X desktop [Coherence mode]

EASY TO USE

- Open Windows files with Mac applications and Mac files with Windows applications using SmartSelect
- Run Windows software like native Mac applications in separate windows with Coherence
- Parallels Installation Assistant makes installing Windows and Linux onto your Mac easier than installing on a PC!
- Drag-and-drop files and folders between Windows and Mac OS X
- Three viewing modes enable you to view Windows the way you want

FLEXIBLE

- OpenGL and DirectX support allows you to run selected 3D games and applications
- Use Parallels Explorer to browse your Windows files directly from your Mac desktop - without starting your virtual machine
- "Plug and play" your favourite USB 2.0 devices - PDAs, scanners, printers and more
- Connect to your company's corporate network and share documents

SECURE

- Protect your virtual machine against malware and system crashes in a single click with Snapshots. If disaster strikes, revert to a snapshot and instantly erase the damage.
- Select the level of integration between Mac OS X and Windows with new security settings.
- Multiple IP addresses appear as one on a network, hiding your virtual machine and making it far less vulnerable to hackers.
- Parallels Desktop virtual machines can be completely isolated from OS X. There is almost zero chance of infecting your Mac with spyware or malware

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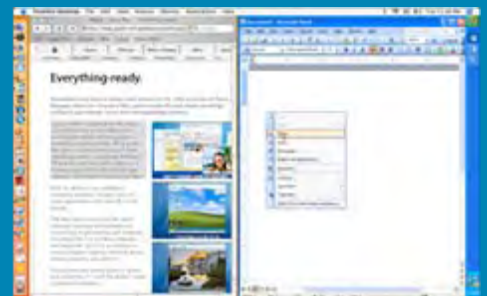
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Run Windows programs on your Mac desktop



Run PC games on your Mac



Copy and paste between PC and Mac Apps



Browse Windows without opening a VM



Parallels Desktop 3.0 vs VMware Fusion

Why Choose Parallels Desktop?

Discover the reasons why Parallels Desktop is the leading desktop virtualisation solution for running Windows on a Mac.

The Leading Desktop Virtualisation Solution for the Mac

Parallels Desktop has sold over 600,000 copies throughout 125+ countries in hundreds of leading software retailers, such as the Apple Store, Staples, Amazon.com and more.

In addition, according to the NDP Group – a leading retail analyst Parallels Desktop is the #1 selling Mac system utility product of 2007, outselling the next 10 products combined.

Parallels Desktop has also won 15 major awards, including PC World's "100 Best Products of 2007" and Macworld 2007's "Best of Show".

Apple-focused & Committed to the Mac Community

Over the past 14 months since its general availability (April 2006), Parallels Desktop has released two major versions and many free updates for users, the result of a dedicated product development cycle that includes countless development hours and thousands of beta testers. In a showing of their mutual commitment to Parallels, Apple has formally endorsed and referenced Parallels Desktop on the Apple website and in a nationally-run television spot.

Groundbreaking & Unique Features

Leading the way with our trademark innovation, the latest release of Parallels Desktop comes packed with 50+ new features and enhancements, including Snapshots, 3D graphics, and the all-new Parallels-only SmartSelect, an innovative tool that allows users to integrate Windows and Mac OS X on a file and application level. In addition, Parallels Desktop gives Mac users more value by including four free bundled utilities unavailable anywhere else: Parallels Compressor, Parallels Explorer, Disk Image Tool and a 6-month subscription to Kaspersky Internet Security.

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