Windows® XP Embedded

Delivering the power of a componentized form of the Windows operating system with powerful development tools for developing a broad range of devices

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Windows XPe Embedded
Enabling Features

Windows XP Embedded includes many specific embedded enabling features that help optimize the operating system for embedded devices. Some of these include:

- Enhanced Write Filter (EWF) to protect Disc Volumes
- Remote Boot Service to Boot and Configure Devices Over a Network

- Hibernate Once/Resume Many (HORM) for “Instant On” Experience
- System Cloning Tool Streamlines Manufacturing Process
- Device Update Agent (DUA) to Service a Run-Time Image Remotely

Product Features
Componentized version of Microsoft Windows XP Professional
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Scalable footprint
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- 40 MB at smallest x86 processor architecture
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— Lloyd Spencer CEO CoroWare

Operating System Development Tools
Designed to help you get to market faster. Windows Embedded Studio for Windows XP Embedded streamlines the end-to-end development process and helps you rapidly configure, build and deploy smart devices with rich applications.

- **Target Analyzer.** Automates hardware-specific data to produce runtime images tailored to your target hardware.
- **Target Designer.** Lets you build, develop, and customize embedded runtime images, now with the ability to save the configuration into XML.
- **Component Designer.** Supplies an environment for defining custom components to use in embedded runtime images.
- **Component Database.** Stores component-level information during embedded runtime image development.
- **Component Database Manager.** Manages component-level information, including the component database and underlying repositories.

**Command Line Tool (with FP2007).** Allows you to easily automate the end-to-end build process, search and manipulate the component database, investigate component relationships and dependency chains, import custom components, and delete components from the database.

Application Development Tools
Visual Studio helps you build powerful embedded applications with the same, standards-based, tools used for mainstream application development worldwide. Multiple programming languages supported including Microsoft Visual Basic, Visual C++, Visual J++, and Visual FoxPro. Utilize standard hardware and run standard off-the-shelf Win32 applications, drivers, or services with little or no porting required.

Windows XP Embedded Development Tool Suite

Windows XP Embedded Studio enables you to develop and manipulate the components you want in your run-time image, and to build and deploy it to your device.
Serviceability and Manageability
Choose from a number of ways to deploy and service your image, such as SMS, MOM, Device Update Agent and Software Update Service.

Business Model of Shared Success
Windows Embedded licensing allows you to make a low up-front investment in operating system development, with the majority expenditure occurring after your device is shipped. Free evaluation software lets you develop your OS image in the evaluation phase. You pay for tools and runtime licenses only when you ship your device using per-unit licenses with tiered volume discounts. This model can help you predict your investment and reduces break-even volume.

• To license Windows XP Embedded contact a Windows Embedded Authorized Distributor at www.microsoft.com/windows/embedded/license.mspx

World Class Support
The Microsoft Support Lifecycle Policy guarantees that Microsoft provides five years of mainstream support and five years of extended support for Windows Embedded products after release, for a total of 10 years of support for your embedded device.

• Developer Support: 1 (800) 936-5800
• Online Support: http://support.microsoft.com/
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Online Resources

- The Windows Embedded Developer Center, supported by the Microsoft Developer Network (MSDN), provides detailed technical information, training, and community support: [www.msdn.com/embedded](http://www.msdn.com/embedded).

For general product information, to locate a distributor and customer success stories, please visit [www.microsoft.com/windowsembedded](http://www.microsoft.com/windowsembedded).

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