Your Guide to Microsoft Product Support Services

If you have a question about Windows Media Player, Microsoft offers technical support and services ranging from self-help tools to direct assistance with a Microsoft technical engineer.

Note

• The services and prices listed here are available in the United States and Canada only. Support services may vary outside the U.S. and Canada. For more information about support in other locations, contact your local Microsoft subsidiary.

Microsoft's support services are subject to Microsoft's then-current prices, terms, and conditions, which are subject to change without notice.

Choose the support option that's right for you.

Outside the U.S. and Canada, contact the local Microsoft subsidiary office in your area. For a list of worldwide Microsoft subsidiaries, see <u>Microsoft Product Support Services Worldwide</u>.

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Getting Help from Microsoft Product Support Services

If you have a simple question and need an answer fast

Quickly find answers yourself online

Use Support Online to easily search the Microsoft Knowledge Base and other technical resources for fast, accurate answers. You can also customize the site to control your search. To begin your search, visit the Microsoft Product Support Services Online Web site at http://support.microsoft.com/support.

If your question is urgent or more complex

Telephone Microsoft Product Support Services

Work with a support engineer to solve your issue through the following options.

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Standard No-Charge Support - for help during business hours

If you acquired this product as a stand-alone retail product, you are eligible for 90 days of support at no charge beginning with the first time you speak with an engineer. You can receive no-charge support via e-mail (explained later) or via telephone by calling one of the following numbers, available Monday - Friday, excluding holidays.

| In the U.S.: (425) 635- 7123 | In Canada: (905) 568-4494 |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 6:00 A.M | 8:00 A.M |
| 6:00 P.M. | 8:00 P.M. |
| Pacific time, | Eastern time, |
| Monday - | Monday - |
| Friday, | Friday, |
| excluding | excluding |
| holidays | holidays |

If your Microsoft product was preinstalled or distributed with your personal computer dedicated system or Windows CE-based device, or provided by an Internet service provider (ISP), you are not eligible for Standard No-Charge Support from Microsoft and must contact the personal computer manufacturer, the device/system manufacturer, or ISP for your product support.

Pay-Per-Incident Support - for help after hours or to supplement Standard Support

If you need help after hours, or if you have used up or are not eligible for Standard No-Charge Support, you can purchase Pay-Per-Incident Support. Support fees are billed to your VISA, MasterCard, or American Express card.

| In the U.S.: (800) 936- 5700 | In Canada: (800) 668-7975 |
|---|--|
| Cost: \$35 US per incident | Cost: \$45 CDN plus tax per incident |
| 24 hours a day, seven days a week, including | 8:00 A.M 8:00 P.M. Eastern time, Monday - |

holidays

Friday, excluding holidays

If your question isn't urgent

Send e-mail to a Microsoft Product Support Engineer

Ideal for questions requiring attached files, submit a question anytime and receive a response within one business day. Visit the Microsoft Product Support Services Online Web site at

http://support.microsoft.com/support, and submit a question using one of the following options:

Standard No-Charge Web Response

Submit unlimited incidents during the 90-day period described in the Standard No-Charge Support section above.

Pay-Per-Incident Web Response

If you have used up your Standard No-Charge Support, submit your question for a fee of \$35 US.

For additional support needs

If you don't have access to the Internet

FastTips is a fax-back service providing Knowledge Base articles and answers to common questions. Call (800) 936-4200.

If you need support services for a business

Priority Annual, Priority Plus, and Premier provide a selection of support packages geared for businesses. To learn which account meets your needs, visit the Microsoft Product Support Services Online Web site at **http://www.microsoft.com/support**. Or call (800) 936-3500 for information on accounts for small- to medium-sized businesses and (800) 936-3200 for large, enterprise businesses.

If you need on-site, multivendor, or proprietary product support

Microsoft Certified Solution Providers (MCSPs) and Authorized Support Centers (ASCs) specialize in providing support packages for hardware, network, and software products from both Microsoft and other vendors. For more information about MCSPs, call (800) 765-7768 or visit the Microsoft Product Support Services Online Web site at http://www.microsoft.com/mcsp. For more information about ASCs, contact your Microsoft account representative, or visit the Microsoft Product Support Services Online Web site at http://www.microsoft.com/support.

If you need text telephone (TTY/TDD)

Available Monday - Friday, excluding holidays. In the United States, call (425) 635-4948, 6:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. Pacific time. In Canada, call (905) 568-9641, 8:00 A.M. - 8:00 P.M. Eastern time.

{button ,AL("MPSupp_mtsworld;MPSupp_pss")} <u>Related Topics</u>

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Microsoft Product Support Services Worldwide

If you are outside the U.S. and have a question about a Microsoft product, first:

- Check the information in Help or the product manual.
- Check the readme files that come with your product disks. These files provide general information that became available shortly before the product was released.
- Visit the Microsoft Product Support Services Online Web site at http://support.microsoft.com/support.

If you cannot find a solution, you can receive information about how to obtain product support by contacting the Microsoft subsidiary office in your area.

Contacting a Microsoft Subsidiary

When you call your local Microsoft subsidiary, you should be at your computer and have the appropriate product documentation at hand. Be prepared to provide the following information:

- The version of the Microsoft product you use.
- The type of hardware you use, including network hardware, if applicable.
- The operating system you use.
- The exact wording of any messages that appeared on your screen.
- A description of what happened and what you were doing when the problem occurred.
- A description of how you tried to solve the problem.

Important Phone numbers for Microsoft Subsidiaries are subject to change. For the most recent listing, please visit the Microsoft Product Support Services Online Web site at **http://support.microsoft.com/support**, and see the options and phone number section..

If there is no Microsoft subsidiary office in your country or region, please contact the establishment from which you obtained your Microsoft product.

Argentina

Microsoft de Argentina S.A. Customer Service: (54) (1) 316-4600 Fax: (54) (1) 316-1922 **Technical Support**: (54) (1) 316-4664

Armenia

See Russia

Australia

Microsoft Pty. Ltd. Phone: Products and Services: (61) 13 20 58 Fax: (61) (02) 9870-2285 Sales Information Centre: (61) (02) 9870-2100 Internet: //www.microsoft.com.au/ **Technical Support:** (61) (02) 9870-2131 Fax: (61) (02) 9805 0519

Austria

Microsoft Ges.m.b.H. Phone: (+43) 1 610 64 -0 Fax: (+43) 1 610 64 -200 Information: 0660-6520 Prices, updates, etc.: 0660-6520 **Standard Support:** Installation and Handling: 01 50222-2255 General information about Support Network in Central Europe: Fax: 01805-251191

Azerbaijan

See Russia

Belgium

Microsoft NV Phone: +32-2-730 39 11 Fax: +32-2-726 96 09 Microsoft Support Network Info. Center: 0800 18307 TechNet Subscription: +353 1 703 8738 MSDN Subscription: +353 1 708 8690 Microsoft Information Center: +32-2-481 52 52 Bulletin Board: +32-2-726 85 45 (14400/1200/2400/9600 baud, 8N1, ANSI) **Technical Support:**

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Bolivia

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Canada

Microsoft Canada Co. Head Office Phone: 1 (905) 568-0434 Customer Information Centre: 1 (800) 563-9048

Technical Support:

Desktop Systems including Microsoft Windows 95: (905) 568-4494 Microsoft Office and Office Components: (905) 568-2294 Other Standard Technical Support: (905) 568-3503 Priority Support Information: (800) 668-7975 Text Telephone (TTY/TDD) (905) 568-9641 Technical Support Bulletin Board Service: (905) 507-3022

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Microsoft Caribbean, Inc. Phone: (809) 273-3600 Fax: (809) 273-3636 Technical Support: (408) 953 8086 Support E-Mail: mscarsup@microsoft.com Customer Service: (800) 297 5982 for area codes 787 & amp; 809 only Customer Service E-mail: msccatus@microsoft.com

Central America

Technical Support: (506) 298 2020 Support E-Mail: mscasup@microsoft.com Customer Service: (506) 298 2000 Customer Service E-mail: msccatus@microsoft.com

Chile

Microsoft Chile S.A. Phone: 56-2-330-6000 Fax: 56-2-330-6190 Customer Service: 56-2-800-330600 Personal Operating System and Desktop Applications: Phone: 56-2-330-6222 Fax: 56-2-341-1439

People's Republic of China

Microsoft (China) Co. Ltd 19th Floor, Metro Tower No. 30 Tian Yao Qiao Road, Shanghai, 200030, P.R.C. Phone: 011-86-21-64691166; 011-86-21-64691188 Fax: 011-86-21 64691188 Ext. 6988

Colombia

Microsoft Colombia Phone: (571) 618 2245 Fax: (571) 618 2269

Technical Support:

Línea de Respuesta Microsoft Phone: (571) 5230022 Fax: (571) 5231220 Voice Mail: (571) 5034216

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Microsoft Denmark Phone: (45) 44 89 01 00 Fax: (45) 44 68 55 10 **Technical Support:** Phone: (45) 44 89 01 11 Microsoft Sales Support: (45) 44 89 01 90 Microsoft FactTing: (45) 44 89 01 44

Microsoft FastTips: (45) 44 89 01 44 (Document 303030 in FastTips contains detailed instructions) Microsoft MSDL (BBS): (45) 44 66 90 46

Dominican Republic

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Phone: (971) 4 513 888 Fax: (971) 4 527 444

Technical Support:

Personal Operating Systems and Desktop Applications ONLY: Phone: (971) 4 524 488 Fax: (971) 4 524 495 email: mts@emirates.net.ae Priority Support Information: (971) (4) 555 752

Customer Service Center:

(Version upgrade / TechNet and MSDN subscription) Phone: (971) (4) 655 082 Fax: (971) (4) 655 097

Ecuador

Corporation Microsoft del Ecuador S.A. Phone: (593) 2 460-447, (593) (2) 460-451 Customer Service: (593) (2) 460-453, (593) (2) 460-458 **Technical Support:** (593) (2) 463-094

Egypt

Microsoft Egypt Phone: (202) 594 2445 Fax: (202) 594 2194 **Technical Support:** Personal Operating Systems and Desktop Applications ONLY: Phone: (202) 261 3991 / 6 Fax: (202) 403 2718

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Estonia

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France

Microsoft France Phone: (33) 01 69-86-46-46 Fax: (33) 01 64-46-06-60 Telex: MSPARIS 604322 **Technical Support:** Phone: (33) 01 69-86-10-20 Fax: (33) 01 69-28-00-28

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Germany

Microsoft GmbH Phone: 089/3176-0 Fax: 089/3176-1000 Telex: (17) 89/83 28 MS GMBH D Information: 089/3176 1199 Prices, updates, etc.: 08105-25-1199 Internet: //www.microsoft.com/germany

Standard Support:

Installation and Handling: 01805/67 22 55 General information about Microsoft support in Central Europe: Fax: 1805-25-1191

Greece

Microsoft Hellas, S.A. Phone: (30) (1) 6806-775 through (30) (1) 6806-779 Fax: (30) (1) 6806-780 **Technical Support:**

Phone: (30) (1) 9247-030

Fax: (30) (1) 9215-363

Hong Kong SAR

Microsoft Hong Kong SAR, Limited Fax: (852) 2560-2217 Product Support Faxback Service: (852) 2535-9293 Microsoft Club Hotline: (852) 2804-4277 **Technical Support:** (852) 2804-4222

Hungary

Microsoft Hungary Microsoft Magyarország Kft. Phone: +36 (1) 327-2800 Fax: +36 (1) 327-2899 **Technical Support:** +36 (1) 267-4636 (2MSINFO)

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Microsoft Company Ltd. **Technical Support (Standard Support):** (81) (424) 41-8700 (Technical Support options/ Support Contract) Phone: 0120-37-0196 (toll-free domestic only) Channel Marketing Information Center: (Pre-sales Product Support) Tokyo Phone: (81) (3) 5454-2300 Osaka Phone: (81) (6) 245-6995

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Latin America

Microsoft Latin American Headquarters (U.S.A.) Phone: (305) 489-4800 Fax: (305) 491-1616 Customer Service: (425) 936-8661 **Technical Support:** (214) 714-9100 Internet: //www.microsoft.com/latam/soporte

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023-5677877 (Dutch speaking) 023-5677853 (English speaking) Internet: //www.microsoft.com/benelux/support

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Technical Support:

Phone: 632 892 2295/2495 and 632 813 2494 Fax: 632 813 2493

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0848 80 - 2255

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