

Parallels Transporter[®] Read Me

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1. ABOUT PARALLELS TRANSPORTER

Parallels Transporter[®] enables you to migrate selected volumes or the whole of a physical or virtual computer into a Parallels virtual machine or Parallels virtual disk.

The Parallels Transporter package includes two applications:

- Parallels Transporter, and
- Parallels Transporter Agent.

Parallels Transporter Agent collects information about the data stored on the source computer and transfers it to Parallels Transporter that creates a virtual machine based on this data. The resulting virtual machine constitutes a virtual clone of the source physical computer.

In Mac OS[®] X, Parallels Transporter is installed alongside with Parallels Desktop[®]. In Windows[®] and Linux[®], the Parallels Transporter package comprises both Parallels Transporter and Parallels Transporter Agent and can be installed from the installation packages available for download at <http://www.parallels.com/en/download/>.

2. SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

Parallels Transporter System Requirements

For Parallels Desktop system requirements for Mac, refer to *Readme for Parallels Desktop*.

For Windows and Linux computers, the system requirements are as follows:

Hardware Requirements

- 700+ MHz x86 (32-bit) or x64 (64-bit) processor (Intel or AMD).
- 768 MB RAM minimum. 1 GB RAM is recommended.
- 25 MB of hard disk space is required for the installation of Parallels Transporter package. 15 GB of hard disk space is recommended for each of the resulting virtual machines or virtual hard disks.
- CD-ROM or DVD-ROM drive (optional).
- Ethernet or WiFi network adapter.

Software Requirements

- Windows Vista® Ultimate, Enterprise, Business
- Windows Server® 2003 Standard Edition SP0, SP1
- Windows Server 2003 Enterprise Edition SP0, SP1
- Windows Server 2003 Web Edition SP0, SP1
- Windows XP Professional SP0, SP1, SP2
- Windows XP Home SP0, SP1, SP2
- Windows 2000 Professional Edition
- Windows 2000 Server
- Windows 2000 Advanced Server
- Red Hat® Enterprise Linux 5, 4
- Debian® Linux 4.0
- Fedora™ Core Linux 6, 5, 4; Fedora™ 8, 7
- SUSE® Linux 10.3, 10.2, 10.1, 10.0, 9.3
- Mandriva Linux 2008, 2007
- Ubuntu® Linux 7.10, 7.04, 6.10, 6.04, 5.04

To successfully install Parallels Transporter and its components in a Linux guest OS, make sure you have the following software on your Linux computer:

- GNU Compiler 4.0 or higher
- GNU Make 3.8 or higher
- kernel 2.6.14 source files or development package
- glibc 2.3.6
- glib2 2.10.3

- glib 2.3.6
- zlib 1.2.2.2
- libstdc++ 4.0.2
- libpng 1.2.8

Parallels Transporter Agent System Requirements

Parallels Transporter Agent can be installed on Windows and Linux computers that comply with the following system requirements.

Hardware Requirements

- 700+ MHz x86 (32-bit) or x64 (64-bit) processor (Intel or AMD).
- 256 MB RAM minimum.
- 25 MB of hard disk space is required for the installation of Parallels Parallels Transporter package.
- CD-ROM or DVD-ROM drive (optional).
- Ethernet or WiFi network adapter.

Software Requirements

- Windows Vista Ultimate, Enterprise, Business
- Windows Server 2003 Standard Edition SP0, SP1
- Windows Server 2003 Enterprise Edition SP0, SP1
- Windows Server 2003 Web Edition SP0, SP1
- Windows XP Professional SP0, SP1, SP2
- Windows XP Home SP0, SP1, SP2
- Windows 2000 Professional Edition
- Windows 2000 Server
- Windows 2000 Advanced Server
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 5, 4
- Debian Linux 4.0
- Fedora Core Linux 6, 5, 4; Fedora 8, 7
- SUSE Linux 10.3, 10.2, 10.1, 10.0, 9.3
- Mandriva Linux 2008, 2007
- Ubuntu Linux 7.10, 7.04, 6.10, 6.04, 5.04

For more detailed system requirements, refer to *Parallels Transporter User's Guide*.

3. INSTALLING PARALLELS TRANSPORTER

In Mac OS X, Parallels Transporter is installed automatically when you install Parallels Desktop.

To install the Parallels Transporter package in Windows:

1. Download the Parallels Transporter installation package available at <http://www.parallels.com/en/download/>.
2. Open the Parallels Transporter installation file to start the installation.
3. In the **Welcome** window, click **Next**.
4. In the **Software License Agreement** window, carefully read the End User License Agreement. Click the **Print** button to print the document. If you agree with the stated terms and conditions, select **I accept the terms of the license agreement**. Click **Next**.
5. In the **Choose Destination Location** window, specify the Parallels Transporter destination folder. By default, the program is installed to C:\Program Files\Parallels\Parallels Transporter. To change the destination folder, click **Change** and browse to another location. Click **Next**.
6. In the **Customize Parallels Transporter Installation** window, choose where you want to place Parallels Transporter program shortcut(s). Click **Next**.
7. The wizard is ready for installation. Click **Install** to start.
8. When the installation is completed, you need to restart the computer. You can restart the computer right now or later. Choose the most convenient option and click **Finish**.

To install the Parallels Transporter package in Linux:

1. Download the Parallels Transporter installation package available at <http://www.parallels.com/en/download/>.
 2. Start Terminal and go to the download directory.
 3. Start the Parallels Transporter installer by entering
`# sh Parallels-Tsp-3.0.XXXX-lin.run`
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- Note: You must have the root privileges to install Parallels Transporter.
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4. In the **Introduction** screen, press Enter.
 5. Specify the action you want the installer to perform with the Up and Down keys. Press Enter.
 6. Carefully read the License Agreement. Use the navigation keys to scroll through the document. Press Enter.

7. Select **Yes** to accept the stated terms and conditions. Press Enter.
8. When the installation is complete, the installer informs you about it. Press Enter to quit the installer.

4. REMOVING PARALLELS TRANSPORTER

In Mac OS X, Parallels transporter can be removed only with Parallels Desktop.

To remove Parallels Transporter from Windows, use the procedure of removing programs that is standard for your version of Windows.

To remove Parallels Transporter from Linux:

1. Download the Parallels Transporter installation package available at <http://www.parallels.com/en/download/>.
2. Start Terminal and go to the download directory.
3. Start the Parallels Transporter installer by entering
`# sh Parallels-Tsp-3.0.XXXX-lin.run`

Note: You must have root privileges to install Parallels Transporter.

4. In the **Introduction** screen, press Enter.
5. In the next screen, select **Remove** and press Enter.
6. When Parallels Transporter is removed, press Enter to quit the installer.

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