

Microsoft .Net 4 Framework Pre- Installation Guide

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System Requirements for .Net 4 Framework

Supported Operating System

Windows 7, Windows 7 Service Pack 1, Windows Server 2003 Service Pack 2, Windows Server 2008, Windows Server 2008 R2, Windows Server 2008 R2 SP1, Windows Vista Service Pack 1, Windows XP Service Pack 3

- Windows XP SP3
- Windows Server 2003 SP2
- Windows Vista SP1 or later
- Windows Server 2008 (not supported on Server Core Role)
- Windows 7
- Windows Server 2008 R2 (not supported on Server Core Role)
- Windows 7 SP1
- Windows Server 2008 R2 SP

Supported Architectures:

- x86
- x64
- ia64 (some features are not supported on ia64 for example, WPF)

Hardware Requirements:

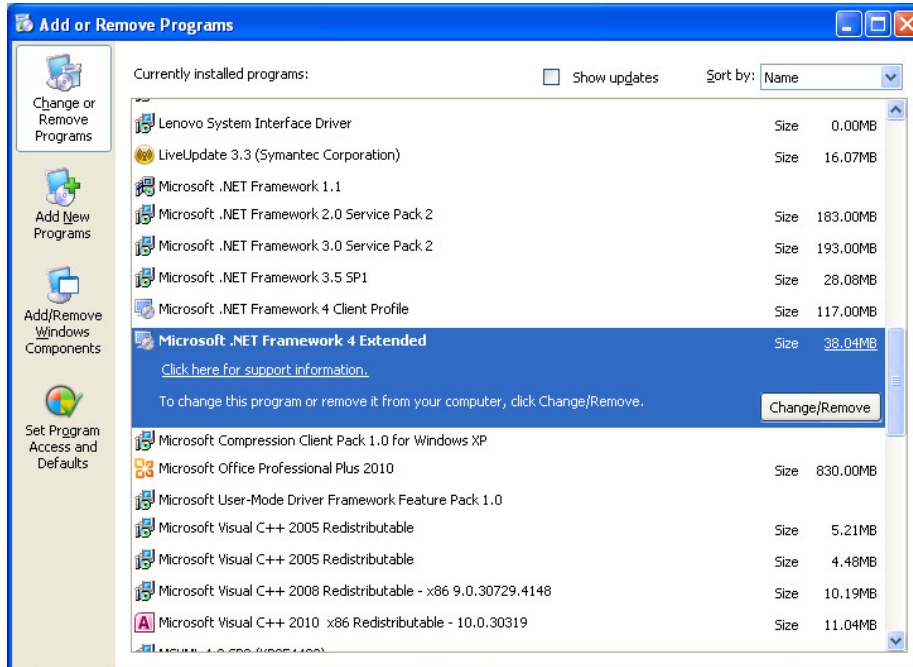
- Recommended Minimum: Pentium 1 GHz or higher with 512 MB RAM or more
- Minimum disk space:
 - x86 – 850 MB
 - x64 – 2 GB

Prerequisites:

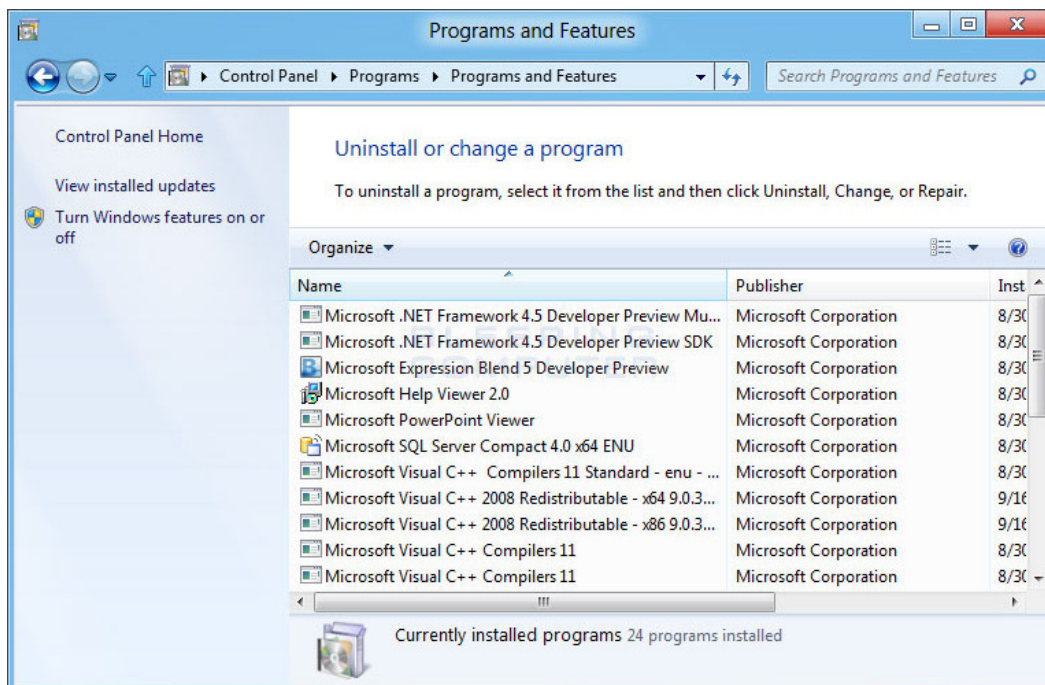
- Windows Installer 3.1 or later ...
<http://www.microsoft.com/en-us/download/details.aspx?id=25>
- Internet Explorer 5.01 or later ...
<http://windows.microsoft.com/en-us/internet-explorer/download-ie>

Check if a version of .Net Framework is already installed on your PC.

1. Open Add or remove Programs (Windows XP)



On Windows Vista or Windows 7, open Programs and Features



2. By default, Windows Vista includes .Net Framework 3.0, and Windows 7 includes .Net Framework 3.5.
3. If your system doesn't have .Net Framework 4.0, you will need to install it. Installation instructions and link follow (next page).

Installation instructions

4. **Important:** Make sure that your computer has the latest Windows service pack and critical updates.
5. To find security updates, visit Windows Update
<http://www.update.microsoft.com/windowsupdate/v6/default.aspx?ln=en-us>
6. If you are installing on XP 64 bit or Windows 2003 you might need to install the Windows Imaging Component.

The Windows Imaging Component 32-bit link ..

<http://www.microsoft.com/en-us/download/details.aspx?id=32>

The Windows Imaging Component 64-bit link ..

<http://www.microsoft.com/en-us/download/details.aspx?id=1385>

7. Here is the .Net 4 Framework download link ..
<http://www.microsoft.com/en-au/download/details.aspx?id=17851>

Click it to start the download.

8. To start the installation immediately, click **Run**.
9. To save the download to your computer so that you can install it later, click **Save**.
10. To cancel the installation, click **Cancel**.