

Before installing your software

The following tables summarize the combinations of 32-bit and 64-bit versions of Microsoft Windows operating systems and SQL Server editions that support Power Monitoring Expert installations. You need to install an edition of SQL Server 2012 before installing Power Monitoring Expert software. Note that SQL Server 2012 Express is available when you install a Standalone Server even if an existing SQL Server instance is detected. See the *StruxureWare Power Monitoring Expert 7.2 Installation Guide* for information about installing the product.

Note

Power Monitoring Expert software cannot be installed on domain controllers. If Power Monitoring Expert software is installed on a server that is subsequently changed to a domain controller, the software ceases to function correctly.

32-bit Windows Operating Systems	32-bit Microsoft SQL Server Editions	Standalone Server	Distributed Database Server
Windows 7 Professional/Enterprise, SP1	SQL Server 2008 R2 Express, SP2	Yes	No
	SQL Server 2008 R2 Standard/Enterprise, SP2	Yes	No
	SQL Server 2012 Express, SP1	Yes	No
	SQL Server 2012 Standard/Enterprise, SP1	Yes	No
Windows Server 2008 Standard/Enterprise, SP2	SQL Server 2008 R2 Express, SP2	Yes	No
	SQL Server 2008 Standard/Enterprise, SP3	Yes	Yes

64-bit Windows Operating Systems	64-bit Microsoft SQL Server Editions	Standalone Server	Distributed Database Server
Windows 7 Professional/Enterprise, SP1	SQL Server 2008 R2 Express, SP2	Yes	No
	SQL Server 2008 R2 Standard/Enterprise, SP2	Yes	No
	SQL Server 2012 Express, SP1	Yes	No
	SQL Server 2012 Standard/Enterprise, SP1	Yes	No
Windows Server 2008 Standard/Enterprise SP2, and R2 SP1	SQL Server 2008 R2 Express, SP2	Yes	No
	SQL Server 2008 R2 Standard/Enterprise, SP2	Yes	Yes
Windows Server 2012 / R2 Standard/Enterprise	SQL Server 2012 Express, SP1	Yes	No
	SQL Server 2012 Standard/Enterprise, SP1	Yes	Yes

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Operating systems and SQL Server editions not included in the summary tables are not supported for Power Monitoring Expert software.

Localized versions of the software are supported as follows:

- A localized version of Power Monitoring Expert software is expected to be installed on an operating system and SQL Server of the same locale. For example, a Spanish version of the product and SQL Server should be installed on an operating system with a regional setting of Spanish.
- The English version of Power Monitoring Expert software is expected to work with non-English operating systems and SQL Server versions. For example, an English version of the product can be installed on an operating system with a regional setting of German with a German version of SQL Server.

Power Monitoring Expert can be installed in virtual environments configured with one of the supported Windows operating system and SQL Server edition combinations summarized in the tables above. It is recommended that you copy the content of the Power Monitoring Expert DVD to a local drive in your virtual environment and double-click `MainSetup.exe` to start the installation process. Note that there should not be a space in the folder name.

Engineering Client computers require one of the Windows operating systems summarized in the tables above.

Web Client computers require network connectivity to a Power Monitoring Expert primary server to access the Web Applications component of Power Monitoring Expert. The browsers that can be used on Web Client computers are listed below.

To access Web Applications from a Web Client, enter the address as `http://domain_name/Web` in the browser, where `domain_name` is the fully-qualified name of the server hosting Power Monitoring Expert, and `Web` is the default root directory, which can be changed during installation. For example, for server name **srv1**, company name **MyCompany**, and a root directory of **Web**, enter the address in the browser as `http://srv1.MyCompany.com/Web`

Other software used by the product

Only the software referenced in the following list is officially supported for Power Monitoring Expert software.

- Microsoft Excel 2007 or 2010, which is required for reports exported in Excel format in the Web-based Reports, or for the Excel-based Reporter application.
- Browsers supported on Web Client workstations for the applications included in the Web Applications component (Dashboards, Diagrams, Tables, Alarms, Reports):
 - Microsoft Internet Explorer versions 9 or 10.¹
 - Google Chrome version 20 or later.
 - Apple Safari version 5 or later on Mac computers.
- Browsers supported on tablets to access the Diagrams application only:
 - Safari on iPad tablets using iOS 5 or iOS 6.1 operating systems.
 - Browsers on tablets using Android operating systems JB 4.1 or ICS 4.0.
- Microsoft Silverlight version 4 or later.

¹If you need to use Internet Explorer version 11, use it in the Compatibility View mode.