

### The Ubuntu promise

Ubuntu and its regular updates will always be free of charge.

Ubuntu comes with full commercial support from Canonical and hundreds of companies across the world.

Ubuntu provides excellent translations and comprehensive accessibility features.

Ubuntu CDs contain only free and open source software applications. We want you to make the most of this CD: you are legally entitled to use it, improve it and pass it on.

### The Ubuntu community

Ubuntu is developed by a community of users across the world. Thank you to everyone who has worked on the 9.10 release.

By using this CD, you are already a part of Ubuntu. Help us to make Ubuntu even better by getting involved at [www.ubuntu.com/community](http://www.ubuntu.com/community). We look forward to hearing your ideas.

### What is Ubuntu?

Ubuntu is a powerful free and open source Linux-based operating system for business, education and home use.

As well as providing the Ubuntu operating system itself, this CD is filled with ready-to-use software to access the internet, create documents and spreadsheets, play games, music and videos, and much more.

It's easy to install, free of viruses and perfect for laptops and desktops. We release a new version of Ubuntu every six months which you can download for free, forever.

This CD will install Ubuntu in a number of widely-spoken languages and many more can be installed on demand.

Ubuntu is developed by a global community of users and is supported commercially by Canonical.

To find out more, go to [www.ubuntu.com](http://www.ubuntu.com) and [www.canonical.com](http://www.canonical.com).

### Share the spirit

'Ubuntu' is an ancient African word which means 'humanity to others'.

If you know someone who would enjoy Ubuntu, please pass it on and share the spirit.

## UBUNTU 9.10 DESKTOP EDITION



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### Try Ubuntu

To decide if the Ubuntu operating system is right for you, insert this CD and restart your computer. You can explore what Ubuntu has to offer without making changes to your computer.

If you like Ubuntu, you can then install it.

### Install Ubuntu

You can install Ubuntu alongside Windows or another operating system. Or you can use Ubuntu to replace your current operating system.

Whichever you choose, you should back up all of your files first. Once you have finished your backup, insert this CD and restart your computer. Then follow the installation instructions.

### System requirements

To use Ubuntu, you should have a PC with at least 256 MB of RAM. To install Ubuntu, you should have at least 4 GB of disk space.

This desktop edition will run on most PCs, including those with Intel or AMD processors.

### Support

For help, please visit [www.ubuntu.com/support](http://www.ubuntu.com/support).

To buy world class support and training for Ubuntu, as well as official merchandise, please go to [shop.ubuntu.com](http://shop.ubuntu.com).

