

Microsoft Partner Network

Product Usage Guide to Software and Cloud Services Benefits for the
Internal-use rights licenses through the Partner Center

Introduction to the Product Usage Guide for the Partner Center

This guide is for the Microsoft partners who join the Microsoft Partner Network Program through the Partner Center. The Partner Center (PC) is the brand new partner membership system. Historically, the Partner Membership Center (PMC) used to be the only partner membership system, but it's being retired. This document is intended to provide you with an overview of the software and cloud services benefits available through the Partner Center. Specific usage guidelines are provided to you for each product, should the Microsoft Partner Network benefit differ from the terms of use outlined for other channels.

Overview of Software and Cloud Services Licenses

Software and cloud services licensing benefits provided by the Microsoft Partner Network enable you to learn about Microsoft software and services, develop and support solutions on Microsoft platforms, and promote and sell Microsoft software and services. Partners have the power of choice to mix and match on-premises software and cloud services licenses for internal use.

You have the choice to deploy your program license grants as an on-premises only, online only, or an on-premises and online combination solution for the following products and online services:

- Microsoft Office 365 or on-premises Microsoft Office clients (Office Professional Plus, Exchange CALs, Skype for Business CALs, and SharePoint CALs).
- Microsoft Dynamics CRM Online or Microsoft Dynamics CRM Server.
- Microsoft Intune or on-premises Microsoft System Center clients (Configuration Manager Client Management Licenses and Endpoint Protection).

Partners may receive access to volume license (VL) product software and cloud services as a program benefit, but partners do not receive all the benefits of VL programs such as downgrade rights and Software Assurance benefits. For specific terms of use and details regarding the activation of each on-premises software and cloud service, refer to the individual product section.

The intent of the Microsoft Partner Network is to showcase the latest Microsoft software technology. **Licenses granted to partners are for the latest released versions of Microsoft software only. Licenses do not provide downgrade rights.** You have 12 months from the effective date to upgrade internal-use software to newer versions.

The program grants software and cloud services licenses for internal business needs, customer demonstrations, and internal training purposes:

- Internal use licenses are for use in a production environment for general internal business purposes and not for any type of commercial purpose. For example, installing the Windows Server operating system and Microsoft Exchange Server to set up an email system that you can use to send business-related email is acceptable. However, production use for external commercial purposes, such as hosting a commercial website, is outside the scope of these rights.
- Customer demonstration licenses can be used for demonstration purposes only by partners. Sales and marketing employees of the organization can use this software to showcase products to your customers, but demonstration products cannot be installed on customer hardware or infrastructure and must be used with partner supervision.
- Internal-training licenses can be used for training internal employees only. These licenses cannot be used for customer training or for any commercial purpose.
- Visual Studio subscriptions allow designated employees of your organization to use the software included within the Visual Studio subscription to design, develop, test, and demonstrate your internal applications.

Licenses granted to partners cannot be used for:

- Direct revenue-generating activities such as hosting a customer's applications or development of custom solutions for a specific client
- Employee personal use at home
- Installation at a customer site
- Customer training (except for partners holding a Learning competency) • Resold or transferred to any third party.

Your organization is responsible for tracking the consumption of software and cloud services license entitlement. If your organization is selected for a compliance audit, your organization is responsible for presenting records regarding the active program licenses used by the organization and compliance to the terms of use. If you have questions regarding how your organization tracks consumption of license entitlements, please check with your program administrator.

Sharing of Licenses

Competency partners may share licenses only within the organization that earns these licenses—between the headquarters location and any of its associated locations. These locations must be associated with the headquarters location in the Partner Center to be eligible for this benefit. Partners cannot share licenses across separate organizations.

Product Keys and Tokens

Some products and cloud services require a product key for installation and/or activation.

Product keys for cloud services may also be referred to as tokens. Both product keys and tokens have a unique series of 25 characters consisting of five sets of five alphanumeric characters; this is also referred to as the "5X5 product key". Keys are issued per organization and not per end-user of the organization.

Not all product and cloud services licenses require product keys for installation or activation.

Many product keys issued to you are Multiple Activation Keys (MAKs) which mean the product key has a finite number of installation, activations, or seats.

Key Management Service (KMS) keys are limited to Microsoft Volume Licensing customers and are not issued through the Microsoft Partner Network. There are no exceptions to this policy. If your organization has access to a KMS key through a Volume Licensing agreement, you can use your KMS keys for licenses granted through the Microsoft Partner Network. You can use any combination of methods and keys that you have acquired through various Microsoft programs to activate machines, depending on your business and infrastructure needs, as long as the systems are properly licensed and appropriate use rights are applied.

Product keys are issued per organization and not per location or per end-user. The product keys issued to your organization will enable most organizations to utilize the licenses granted to you through your subscription or program. If you are not able to install or activate a product, ensure the software and product keys are compatible. For instance, the Office client application software posted on Visual Studio Subscriber Downloads will not work with the product key issued to you on the partner digital download site. If after validating the software and key compatibility and the specific product installation and action notes, you are unable to install or activate a product or service, please contact your Regional Service Center for assistance.

On-premises Software Installation and Activation

If a product requires a product key for installation, the end-user will be prompted to enter a product key during the installation process.

Although some products require the entry of a product key during the installation process, not all products require product activation. Product activation is required for Windows server and client operating systems and all Microsoft Office client applications.

For competency partners, each time a machine is activated, one of the product activations for that particular product key is consumed. This includes situations in which the same machine is reimaged and activated. For this reason, the number of licenses your organization is entitled to and the number of activations it has been assigned are not the same.

You should not activate learning, development lab, and demonstration computers that are frequently reimaged. Instead, for these computers, you should use the initial grace periods combined with the rearm functionality.

Cloud Services Activation

Tokens are issued for Microsoft Office 365 (O365), Microsoft Dynamics CRM Online, Enterprise Mobility Suite, Power BI Pro, or more.

You may have multiple tokens for each online service. Tokens are redeemed on the [O365 Key Redemption Portal](#). When you enter your tokens into one of the Key Redemption Portals, you will be given an option to either add more seats or extend your subscription. **To be compliant with the Microsoft Partner Network terms of use, you must select to add more seats. Your organization will not be compliant if you select to extend your subscription.** Each token may only be activated one-time. Once a token has been activated for seats on a tenant, those seats may not be moved to another tenant.

Your cloud services entitlement terminates at the conclusion of your subscription/program enrollment year. **You may continue to have access to your cloud services benefits past your program enrollment end date, but you will no longer have use rights through the program.** During the program year, your organizations will be issued additional tokens as you qualify for more seats.

Each year when your organization renews your subscription or re-enrolls into the subscription/program with a competency, a new set of tokens will be issued based on your organization's entitlement at the time of re-enrollment. You will be required to enter these new tokens on the Key Redemption Portals each program year to avoid a lapse in your cloud services. If you do not re-enroll into the program, you must purchase the cloud services through the Volume License channel.

For specific terms of use and details regarding the activation of each cloud service, refer to the individual section for the product.

Microsoft Organization Account

A Microsoft Organization Account (also referred to as a Microsoft Account for Organizations) is specific to accessing Microsoft Cloud services for your organization. The first time your organization signs up for a Microsoft cloud service such as Microsoft Azure Active Directory, Microsoft Office 365, Microsoft Intune, or sign-up for Microsoft Azure as an organization, you are prompted to provide details about your organization and your organization's Internet domain name registration. This process will create an Organization Account. Once you have signed up for your first service, Microsoft recommends you continue using the same tenant

administrator account associated with your organization that you received during initial signing up.

Product Usage Guidelines

The following sections will provide you with detailed instructions, terms of use, and policies that are relevant to specific Microsoft products or cloud services offered to you through the program.

Operating Systems

Windows 10

Competency partners are granted licenses for the Enterprise edition. The Windows client licenses granted through the Microsoft Partner Network are upgrade licenses only. To apply these usage licenses to computers within your environment, each of the computers must have a preexisting, qualifying¹ operating system license (that is, a license for Windows 7 Professional, Windows 8 Pro or Windows 8.1 Pro). Partners with an OEM competency are granted incremental full licenses which can be used on machines without a current Windows operating system installed—refer to your license statement.

For competency partners, Windows Enterprise software installs automatically as KMS clients. You will not be prompted for a product key during installation. To activate the client with your Microsoft Partner Network issued product key, you must convert the KMS client to a MAK activation client by one of the following methods:

- Change product key option: Computer Properties, View details in Windows Activation, Activate, Activate with a new key.
- Using cscript (slmgr.vbs -IPK) , Windows Management Instrumentation (WMI) scripts, or the Volume Activation Management Tool (VAMT).

You should not activate learning, development lab, and demonstration computers that are frequently reimaged. Instead, for these computers, you should use the initial grace periods combined with the rearm functionality.

Partners do not receive the following SA benefits associated to the Windows 10 Pro and/or Enterprise editions:

- Client Hyper-V: Client Hyper-V is the same computer virtualization technology that was previously available in Windows Server. In Windows 10 Pro, the technology is now built into the non-server version of Windows, often called the “desktop” version because it does not run on server-class hardware. A similar functionality in Windows 7 is called Windows XP Mode.

- Windows Virtual Desktop Access (VDA) Rights with the exception of partners who have earned either the Devices and Deployment or Management and Virtualization competency. Refer to your license statement for grant details. Windows VDA Rights enable users to access virtual instances of Windows in a variety of user scenarios. Your organization will need to purchase the required VDA licenses from the VL channel to support your business needs.
- Windows To Go: Windows To Go is a fully manageable corporate desktop running Windows Enterprise edition on a bootable USB stick.
- Roaming Use Rights: Roaming Use Rights allow the primary user of any licensed device to access a virtual instance of Windows running in the datacenter (VDI) or Windows To Go from noncorporate devices such as personally owned or hotel business center PCs while away from the office.
- Windows RT Companion VDA: Windows RT Companion VDA Rights allow the primary user of a licensed device rights to access a corporate desktop through a VDI from a corporate-owned companion Windows RT device.

To comply with certain laws in various countries, Microsoft produces editions of Windows with removed or added functionality. These editions are intended for use in specific geographic areas, and you may use them or find them in use at customer sites within affected countries.

¹Home editions are not considered a qualified operating system and are not eligible for a Windows 10 Enterprise upgrade license through the Microsoft Partner Network. The software licenses provided are for your organization's internal installation only, and cannot be installed on any other computer outside your organization on either a permanent or a temporary basis. The product keys and the software bits provisioned through this program will allow for a clean or custom install of the software, thus providing the opportunity to customize the installation to suit your needs.

Microsoft SQL Server 2016

Competency partners are granted licenses for SQL Server 2016 Enterprise. The Enterprise edition is licensed under the per core model. All license grant information in the program license tables and the license statement are reflective of individual cores and not core packs of two in which they are sold to customers. Unlike the server+CAL licensing model, the per core model allows access for an unlimited number of users or devices to connect from either inside or outside the organization's firewall. With the per core model, you do not need additional client access licenses (CALs) to access the SQL Server software. Competency partners are also granted demo use rights to SQL Server 2016 Standard to enable partners to conduct customer demonstrations on laptop machines running Windows client OS.

The number of core licenses needed depends on whether you are licensing the physical server or individual virtual operating system environments (OSEs). When running SQL Server in a

physical OSE, all physical cores on the server must be licensed. All virtual cores (v-cores) supporting virtual OSEs that are running instances of SQL Server 2014 software must be licensed. To license individual VMs using the per core model, core licenses are required for each v-core (or virtual processor, virtual CPU, virtual thread) allocated to the VM. For licensing purposes, a v-core maps to a hardware thread. Note there is a minimum of four core licenses required for each physical processor on a physical server or VM.

Program use rights do not provide partners with SA specific benefits associated to SQL Server 2016 such License Mobility, etc.

Windows Server 2012 R2 (Standard and Datacenter editions)

Competency partners are granted licenses for Windows Server 2012 R2 Standard. This edition is licensed under the processor+CAL model. A single license covers up to two physical processors. Product keys issued to you are MAKs and have a finite number of activations.

For competency partners, Windows Server software installs automatically as KMS. You will not be prompted for a product key during installation. To activate, you will need to perform the following:

1. Select "Activate Windows" option in System Properties. (Setting -> Server Info -> System Properties-> Click on the "Activate Windows" link)
2. Enter your product key. If the system is connected to the internet, Windows Server will be activated upon entry of the product key.

You should not activate learning, development lab, and demonstration computers that are frequently reimaged. Instead, for these computers, you should use the initial grace periods combined with the rearm functionality.

Windows Server Standard requires Windows Server CALs for every user or device accessing a server. Competency partners are granted Windows Server CALs which can be used either in user or device mode.

Additive CALs are required for some additional or advanced. These are CALs that you need in addition to the Windows Server CAL to access functionality, such as Remote Desktop Services (RDS) or Active Directory Rights Management Services (ADRMS):

- RDS¹ CALs are granted to competency partners. RDS CALs are not edition specific. The CALs can be used in either user or device mode.

¹ Microsoft licensing policies for Windows Server Remote Desktop Services (including the components that are included in Windows Server 2008, Windows Server 2008 R2, Windows Server 2012, and Windows Server 2012 R2) require that, in addition to a Windows Server CAL, you must acquire a

- ADRMS CALs are granted to competency partners. Every user or device that creates or views rights-protected information through Rights Management Services requires an AD RMS CAL. The CALs can be used in either user or device mode.

For additional details regarding Windows Server 2012 R2 licensing or virtualization, refer to the following resources:

- [Windows Server 2012 R2 Licensing Guide](#)
- [Windows Server 2012 R2 Licensing Datasheet](#)
- [Windows Server 2012 R2 Remote Desktop Services Licensing Datasheet](#)

Windows Server 2012 R2 Essentials

Competency partners are granted licenses for Windows Server 2012 R2 Essentials. One license covers a single server with up to two processors. Essentials does not require CALs, but is limited to 25 user accounts. A product key is required.

For additional product information, refer to [Window Server 2012 R2 Essentials Datasheet](#).

Windows MultiPoint Server 2012 Premium

Competency partners are granted licenses for Windows MultiPoint Server 2012 Premium. Windows MultiPoint Server is licensed under the server+CAL model. The CALs can be used in either user or device mode. Product key is required.

After installation, the MultiPoint Manager (MPM) will display a warning when the number of stations/sessions exceeds the number of Client Access Licenses (CALs) that have been entered into MPM and you will need to perform the following:

1. From the home tab of the MPM, select the "Add client access licenses" task from "Selected Items Tasks" menu on the right.
2. An "Add Client Access Licenses" window will appear. Select "Other volume licensing program" and select "Next".
3. In the next window, enter "2644675" as the value in the "Agreement/enrollment number" field:
 - a. For competency partner, enter "20" as the value in the "Number of Windows MultiPoint Server CALs field, and select "Next".

Windows Server 2012 RDS CAL for each user or device that (i) directly or indirectly accesses any of the RDS functionality, and/or (ii) directly or indirectly accesses the server software to interact with a graphical user interface (GUI) using RDS functionality or any other third-party technology.

Productivity

Microsoft Office Professional Plus 2016

Competency partners are granted licenses for Office Professional Plus 2016 which includes Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook, OneNote, Publisher, Access, and Skype for Business. Office Professional Plus 2016 is licensed per device. A license is required for each physical device running or accessing the application. Product key is required.

Partners do not receive all the Volume Licensing benefits associated with Office Professional Plus, such as downgrade rights, Office Home & Student 2016 RT for commercial use, Roaming Use Rights, use of Office installed on a USB drive with Windows To Go, and Home Use Programs.

Product Activation of Office Client Applications (Office Professional Plus, Project, Visio)

Product keys issued to you are MAKs and have a finite number of activations. Refer to the Software Installation and Activation section for detailed information about activation consumption.

For competency partners, Office client application software installs automatically as KMS clients. You will not be prompted for a product key during installation. To activate the client with you Microsoft Partner Network issued product key, you must convert the KMS client to a MAK activation client by one of the following methods:

- Change product key option: File tab, and then clicking Account
- Using cscript: opspp.vbs or the Volume Activation Management Tool (VAMT)

You should not activate learning, development lab, and demonstration computers that are frequently reimaged. Instead, for these computers, you should use the initial grace periods combined with the rearm functionality.

Microsoft Project Professional 2016

Competency partners are granted licenses for Project Professional 2016. A license is required for each physical device running or accessing the application. Licenses granted through the program do not include a Project Server CAL—this is an SA benefit. Product key is required.

Microsoft Visio Professional 2016

Competency partners are granted licenses for Visio Professional 2016. A license is required for each physical device running or accessing the application. Product key is required.

Microsoft Exchange Server 2016

Exchange Server 2016 is licensed under the server+CAL model. CAL is required for each user or device that accesses the server software. There are two types of CALs for Exchange, both of which work with either edition of the server:

- Standard: designed to help users be more productive from virtually any platform, browser, or mobile device, with new features in Exchange Server 2013 that help manage communications overload and lower helpdesk costs. To enable Standard CAL features for a user, the user must be licensed with the Standard CAL.
- Enterprise: designed to allow organizations to reduce the cost and complexity of meeting compliance requirements with new integrated archiving functionality and information protection capabilities, while also helping you cut costs by replacing legacy voice mail systems with Unified Messaging. The Enterprise CAL is an add-on to the Standard CAL—to enable Enterprise CAL features, the user must be licensed with one Standard CAL plus one Enterprise CAL.

Competency partners are granted licenses for Exchange Server 2016 Enterprise with Standard plus Enterprise CALs. Product key is required for the server. The CALs granted in the program may be used in either user or device mode. The program grants for Enterprise CALs are without services and does not include [Exchange Online Protection](#) (anti-malware and anti-spam services), plus cloud DLP in Office 365. You may purchase [Exchange Online Protection](#) as a standalone plan. DLP services in Office 365 are not available as a standalone plan.

Microsoft Skype for Business Server 2015

Skype for Business Server 2015 is licensed in a single edition for all deployment types. Skype for Business Server 2015 on-premises is licensed in the server+CAL model. There are three CALs for Skype for Business:

- Skype for Business Server 2015 Standard CAL is the base CAL and required for all authenticated internal users accessing Skype for Business Server functions. The Skype for Business Server 2015 Standard CAL offers instant messaging and rich presence (IM/P) features. It provides users with real-time presence and enhanced IM along with PC-to-PC audio and video communications, as well as authenticated attendee experience for internal Skype for Business Meetings.
- Skype for Business Server 2015 Enterprise CAL is supplemental to the Standard CAL. The Skype for Business Server 2015 Enterprise CAL offers Skype for Business Meetings, including Audio, Video, and Web conferencing features. It provides users the ability to create, moderate, and join conferences for collaboration with both internal and external users.
- Skype for Business Server 2015 Plus CAL is supplemental to the Standard CAL. The Skype for Business Server 2015 Plus CAL offers enterprise voice capabilities that can enhance or replace traditional PBX systems. These capabilities include common calling

features such as answer, forward, transfer, hold, divert, release, and park, along with Enhanced 9-1-1 calling for North America, support for analog devices and a broad range of both IP and USB user devices.

Competency partners are granted licenses for Skype for Business Server 2015 with Standard, Enterprise, and Plus CALs. Product key is required for the server. The CALs granted in the program may be used in either user or device mode.

For additional product and licensing information, refer to the [Skype for Business Licensing and Pricing Guide](#).

Microsoft SharePoint Server 2016

SharePoint Server 2016 is licensed in a single edition for all deployment types. SharePoint Server 2016 on-premises is licensed under the server+CAL model. SharePoint Server 2016 is required for each running instance of the software, and CALs are required for each person or device accessing a SharePoint Server. Product key is required for the server. The CALs granted in the program may be used in either user or device mode. There are two SharePoint Server CALs:

- SharePoint Standard CAL. The Standard CAL delivers the core capabilities of SharePoint:
 - Sites: A Single Infrastructure for All Your Business Web Sites
 - Communities: An Integrated Collaboration Platform
 - Content: ECM for the Masses
 - Search: People & expertise search, visual previews, visual best bets
- SharePoint Enterprise CAL is additive to the Standard CAL. To access the Enterprise features of SharePoint, a person/device must have both the SharePoint Standard CAL and the SharePoint Enterprise CAL. The Enterprise CAL delivers the full capabilities of SharePoint:
 - Sites: A Single Infrastructure for All Your Business Web Sites
 - Communities: An Integrated Collaboration Platform
 - Content: ECM for the Masses
 - Search: Standard search features plus entity extraction, video search, item recommendations
 - Business Solutions (includes Access Services and InfoPath Services)
 - Business Intelligence for Everyone (includes Power View, PerformancePoint Services, Excel Services, and Visio Services)

Microsoft Project Server 2016

Competency partners are granted licenses for Project Server 2016. Project Server 2016 is licensed under the server+CAL model. The CALs granted in the program may be used in either user or device mode. Product key is required for the server.

Office 365 (O365)

O365 is subscription-based, per-user licensing. The O365 Enterprise E3 includes access to Office applications plus other productivity services that are enabled over the Internet (cloud services), such as Skype for Business web conferencing and Exchange Online hosted email for business. Access to Yammer Enterprise is included in O365 (E3).

Competency partners have the flexibility of using O365 (E3) subscriptions or on-premises Office client licenses (Office Pro Plus, Exchange CALs, Skype for Business CALs, and SharePoint CALs). You have the choice to deploy your program license grants as an on-premises only, online only, or an on-premises and online combination solution. Your internal-use of online services decrement from your on-premises licenses and vice-versa.

For example, silver competency partners are granted a choice of 25 O365 (E3) seats or 25 Office Professional Plus licenses and Office server CALs for Exchange, Skype for Business, and SharePoint, you may choose to deploy 15 seats of Office 365, and utilize 10 on-premises license for Office Professional Plus licenses and CALs for accessing Exchange Server, Skype for Business Server, and SharePoint Server. You will maintain your Office server licenses even if you elect to use only your online O365 seats—the server licenses may be used for demonstration, internal employee training, or additional CALs you purchase.

Competency partner may experience O365 (E4) features which include Enterprise Voice capability by using the O365 (E3) license grants along with on-premises licenses for Skype for Business Server 2015 and Plus CALs.

Office 365 E5 is a new suite offering for Gold Cloud Productivity partners that includes new feature value across three categories of investments in Real-time Communications, Analytics and Advanced Security. Features across the categories are listed below:

- Real-time Communications – Cloud PBX, PSTN Conferencing, Skype Meeting Broadcast and PSTN Calling as an add-on based on availability
- Analytics – End User Analytics with Power BI and Organizational Analytics with Delve Analytics
- Advanced Security – Office 365 Equivio Analytics for eDiscovery, Secure Attachments and Safe URLs with Advanced Threat Protection, and Access Control with Customer Lockbox

Business Solutions

Microsoft Dynamics CRM 2016

For Microsoft Dynamics CRM Online, every internal user who will access the service requires a User Subscription License (USL). USLs are assigned on a “named user” basis, meaning each user requires a separate USL; USLs cannot be shared. With the program entitlement for CRM Online, you are able to experience the same feature functionality as the Professional USL. CRM Online

seats granted to you through the program do not include non-prod instances, additional storage or any other add-ons or services available at threshold minimums. Please note CRM Online benefits are only available to partners in geographies where Microsoft Dynamics CRM Online is available. For all other geographies, these benefits will not be applicable until Microsoft Dynamics Online is available in those geographies.

Please note: Internal Use Rights do not support the Dual Licensing of Microsoft Dynamics CRM Online. However, Competency partners may use hybrid solutions by integrating Dynamics CRM on-premises with Dynamics CRM Online together.

Competency partners are granted licenses for Microsoft Dynamics CRM. You have the choice to deploy your program license grants as an on-premises only, online only, or an on-premises and online combination solution:

- For on-premises deployment Microsoft Dynamics CRM 2016 is licensed under the server/CAL model. You license the Microsoft Dynamics CRM 2016 solution functionality running on the server(s) through Microsoft Dynamics CRM Server 2016 Server License(s), and access to the Microsoft Dynamics CRM 2016 solution functionality by internal users or devices through CALs.
The CALs granted to you through the program enable you the same feature functionality as the Microsoft Dynamics CRM 2016 Professional CALs. Access by external (third party) users is included with the Server License. Product key is required for the server license.
- As an online service, every internal user who will access the Microsoft Dynamics CRM Online service requires a User Subscription License (USL). USLs are assigned on a "named user" basis, meaning each user requires a separate USL; USLs cannot be shared. With the program entitlement for CRM Online, you are able to experience the same feature functionality as the Professional USL. CRM Online seats granted to you through the program do not include non-prod instances, additional storage or any other add-ons or services available at threshold minimums. Please note CRM Online benefits are only available to partners in geographies where Microsoft Dynamics CRM Online is available. For all other geographies, these benefits will not be applicable until Microsoft Dynamics Online is available in those geographies.
- You may elect to mix and match your Microsoft Dynamics CRM licenses grants for on-premises and online usage. Your internal-use of CRM Online USLs decrements from your on-premises Dynamics CRM CALs and vice-versa. Your total on-premises and online license usage may not exceed your program license entitlement for Microsoft Dynamics CRM.

Management

System Center 2012 R2 (Standard)

Competency Partners have access to System Center 2012 R2 Standard. It is licensed under the processor+CAL model. A single license covers up to two physical processors for server management. Each server management license includes the following components: Operations Manager, Configuration Manager, Data Protection Manager, Service Manager, Virtual Machine Manager, Endpoint Protection, Orchestrator, App Controller. Product key(s) are required. No additional licenses are needed SQL Server technology.

Client Management Licenses (MLs) are required for managed devices that run non-server OSEs. Client MLs are available on a per-OSE or per-user basis. You receive license grants of each of the three System Center 2012 R2 Client ML offerings:

- **Configuration Manager Client ML** includes the Configuration Manager and Virtual Machine Manager components.
- **Endpoint Protection Subscription** includes the Endpoint Protection component.
- **Client Management Suite Client ML** includes the Service Manager, Operations Manager, Data Protection Manager, and Orchestrator components.

Your program license grants do not entitle you the License Mobility benefits that are specific to SA customers. Your organization may elect to mix and match your System Center 2012 Client MLs along with seats of Microsoft Intune.

For additional details regarding System Center 2012 R2, refer to the following resources:

- [System Center 2012 R2 Licensing Datasheet](#)
- [System Center 2012 R2 Licensing Guide](#)

Microsoft Azure

Competency partners receive a Microsoft Azure US\$100 monthly credit. This is in addition to current on-premises internal-use software licenses.