

Re: Installation of XP OS on more than one computer. Please Help

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Sorry, you heard incorrectly! Only the retail version of "Microsoft Office XP or 2003" can be installed on both a desktop and laptop using the same license (Product Key). All Microsoft operating systems require a new license when installing on a different computer.

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| I heard that you could install the OS on a Desktop and Laptop as long as
| they are your machines, and only one is running at a time.

| Can't remember where I heard that from, I believe PC Magazine or Tech TV.

| That kinda sucks if you cannot??

| I like Pro better, but, my laptop came with XP Home, so I just left it, and
| am running PRO on my desktop. It would be nice if I
| could install it to both. I only have one running at a time.

| If XP didn't cost so much I would be more tempted to upgrade my laptop...