

Re: Upgrade from XP home to pro

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Carey answered the question of "how".

You ask "Is it worth it?"

ONLY YOU can answer that question. WinXP Home and Pro are essentially the same program. The exceptions have to do with networking and security settings, with more ability to change settings and operate in a Domain (used in enterprises, not usually used in home networks).

Is this worth \$100 more to you? Do you need it?

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Regards,
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news:1300701c4437b\$80d38240\$a601280a@phx.gbl...
> Can you upgrade from a full install of
> XP home to a full install of XP pro without
> losing data/settings etc...I would like to
> load XP Pro over my XP Home without having
> to format the drives and start from scratch.
> Can you do this? Is it worth it? Thanks for
> your time.