



IBM Connections V4.5 IFR 2 includes Ephox EditLive! Enterprise Edition, an optional rich text editor

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Overview

IBM® Connections is social software for business that provides an exceptional social platform that helps enable you to access the right people, and internal and external content in your professional networks and communities.

Benefits:

- Engage instantly and in context to get business done by staying on top of relevant activity in your professional networks and communities
- Act quickly and be responsive to customers by pivoting rapidly between internal and external communities
- Create an ideal community experience and anticipate the needs of a community by monitoring social activity and participation
- Increase personal and organizational effectiveness by creating, connecting, and sharing in one easy to use social experience

Ephox EditLive! Enterprise Edition, an optional rich text editor in IBM Connections V4.5 Interim Feature Release 2 (IFR2), allows you to:

- Paste social media URLs to create interactive content in the editor
- Track changes of content over time
- Copy and paste images directly into the rich text editor
- Perform accessibility checking
- Perform broken link checking
- Create and share document templates to provide your team with a consistent look
- Perform spell checking

The following IBM Connections licenses include Ephox EditLive! Enterprise Edition:

- IBM Connections V4.5 IFR2
- IBM Connections Extranet V4.5 IFR2
- IBM Connections V4.5 Intranet and Extranet IFR2
- IBM Connections Extension from Notes® or Domino® with limited entitlement to Connections V4.5 IFR2
- IBM Connections Extension from WebSphere® Portal with limited entitlement to Connections V4.5 IFR2

Planned availability date

February 13, 2014: Electronic availability

March 13, 2014: Media availability

Refer to the [Availability of national languages](#) section for national language availability.

Availability of national languages

Product description	Language	GA date
Conn Intranet and Extranet V4.5.0	Multilingual (Portuguese, French, Danish, Catalan, Kazakh, Russian, Hebrew, Arabic, Thai, Korean, Chinese - Simplified, Spanish, Norwegian Bokmal, Portuguese-Brazilian, German, Swedish, Japanese, Chinese - Traditional, Hungarian, English, Slovenian, Greek, Turkish, Dutch, Czech, Italian, Finnish, Polish)	August 6, 2013
Conn Intranet and Extranet V4.5.0	Multilingual (Portuguese, French, Danish, Catalan, Kazakh, Russian, Hebrew, Arabic, Thai, Korean, Chinese - Simplified, Spanish, Norwegian Bokmal, German, Swedish, Japanese, Chinese - Traditional, Hungarian, Norwegian Nynorsk, English,	March 13, 2014

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Turkish,
Dutch, Czech,
Italian,
Finnish,
Polish)
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(Portuguese,
French,
Danish,
Catalan,
Kazakh,
Russian,
Hebrew,
Arabic, Thai,
Korean,
Chinese -
Simplified,
Spanish,
Norwegian
Bokmal,
Portuguese-Brazilian,
German,
Swedish,
Japanese,
Chinese -
Traditional,
Hungarian,
Norwegian
Nynorsk,
English,
Slovenian,
Greek,
Turkish,
Dutch, Czech,
Italian,
Finnish,
Polish)

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Multilingual October 24, 2013

(Portuguese,
French,
Danish,
Catalan,
Kazakh,
Russian,
Hebrew,
Arabic, Thai,
Korean,
Chinese -
Simplified,
Spanish,
Norwegian
Bokmal,
Portuguese-Brazilian,
German,
Swedish,
Japanese,
Chinese -
Traditional,
Hungarian,
English,
Slovenian,
Greek,
Turkish,
Dutch, Czech,
Italian,
Finnish,
Polish)

Program number

Program number	VRM	Program name
5724-S68	4.5.0	IBM Connections

Ordering information

For ordering information, consult your IBM representative or authorized IBM Business Partner, or visit

<http://www-306.ibm.com/software/support/pa.html>

This product is only available via Passport Advantage®. It is not available as shrinkwrap.

Product information

Licensed function title	Product group	Product category
IBM Connections	IBM Connections	IBM Connections
IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet	IBM Connections	IBM Connections
Program name	PID number	Charge unit description
IBM Connections	5724-S68	Per Processor Value Unit for Linux™ on System z
IBM Connections	5724-S68	Per Processor Value Unit (PVU)
IBM Connections	5724-S68	Per Authorized User
IBM Connections	5724-S68	Per Authorized User for Linux on System z
IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet	5724-S68	Per Processor Value Unit for Linux on System z
IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet	5724-S68	Per Processor Value Unit (PVU)

Charge metrics definitions

Authorized User

Authorized User is a unit of measure by which the program can be licensed. An Authorized User is a unique person who is given access to the program. The program may be installed on any number of computers or servers and each Authorized User may have simultaneous access to any number of instances of the program at one time. Licensee must obtain separate, dedicated entitlements for each Authorized User accessing the program in any manner directly or indirectly (for example, via a multiplexing program, device, or application server) through any means. An entitlement for an Authorized User is unique to that Authorized User and may not be shared, nor may it be reassigned other than for the permanent transfer of the Authorized User entitlement to another person.

NOTE: Some programs may be licensed where devices are considered users. In that case, the following applies. Any computing device that requests the execution of

or receives for execution a set of commands, procedures, or applications from the program or that is otherwise managed by the program is considered a separate user of the program and requires an entitlement as if that device were a person.

Processor Value Unit (PVU)

PVU is a unit of measure by which the program can be licensed. The number of PVU entitlements required is based on the processor technology (defined within the PVU Table by processor value, brand, type, and model number at

http://www.ibm.com/software/lotus/passportadvantage/pvu_licensing_for_customers.html

and the number of processors made available to the program. IBM continues to define a processor, for the purpose of PVU-based licensing, to be each processor core on a chip. A dual-core processor chip, for example, has two processor cores.

Licensee can deploy the program using either full capacity licensing or virtualization capacity (sub-capacity) licensing according to the Passport Advantage Sub-Capacity Licensing Terms (refer to the webpage below). If using full capacity licensing, licensee must obtain PVU entitlements sufficient to cover all activated processor cores* in the physical hardware environment made available to or managed by the program, except for those servers from which the program has been permanently removed. If using virtualization capacity licensing, licensee must obtain entitlements sufficient to cover all activated processor cores made available to or managed by the program, as defined according to the Virtualization Capacity License Counting Rules at

http://www.ibm.com/software/lotus/passportadvantage/Counting_Software_licenses_using_specific_virtualization_technologies.html

* An activated processor core is a processor core that is available for use in a physical or virtual server, regardless of whether the capacity of the processor core can be or is limited through virtualization technologies, operating system commands, BIOS settings, or similar restrictions.

Notes :

- Some programs may require licenses for the program **and** what is being managed. In that case, the following applies. In addition to the entitlements required for the program directly, licensee must obtain PVU entitlements for this program sufficient to cover the processor cores managed by the program.
- Some programs may be licensed on a managed basis **only** . In that case, the following applies: Instead of the entitlements required for the program directly, Licensee must obtain PVU entitlements for this program sufficient to cover the processor cores managed by the program.
- A few programs on an exception basis may be licensed on a referenced basis. In that case, the following applies. Rather than obtaining entitlements for the activated processor cores available to the program, licensee must obtain PVU entitlements for this program sufficient to cover the environment made available to the referenced program as if the program itself were executing everywhere the referenced program was executing, independent of the basis on which the referenced program is licensed.

Passport Advantage program licenses

IBM Connections

Part description	Part number
IBM Connections	
IBM Connections Authorized User Annual SW S&S Rnw1	E03VJLL
IBM Connections Authorized User Lic + SW S&S 12 Mo	D6158LL
IBM Connections Authorized User SW S&S Reinstate 12 Mo	D615ILL
IBM Connections for Extranet Proc Value Unit (PVU)	E03VKLL

Annual SW S&S Rnw1	
IBM Connections for Extranet Proc Value Unit (PVU) Lic + SW S&S 12 Mo	D615JLL
IBM Connections for Extranet Proc Value Unit (PVU) SW S&S Reinst 12 Mo	D615KLL

IBM Connections

Part description	Part number
IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet Conn Intranet and Extranet Per Processor Value Unit (PVU) Annual SW S&S Rn	E0E0ZLL
Conn Intranet and Extranet Per Processor Value Unit (PVU) Lic + SW S&S 12	D0QC9LL
Conn Intranet and Extranet Per Processor Value Unit (PVU) SW S&S Reinst	D0QCALL

Passport Advantage trade-up licenses

IBM Connections

Precursor product	Trade-up product	Trade-up part number
IBM Connections Activities	Tradeup to Cnnctns AU Lnx Sz fr Cnnctns Activities AU Lnx Sz Lic+SW S&S12Mo	D0C5ELL
IBM Connections Profiles	Tradeup to Cnnctns AU Lnx Sz fr Cnnctns Profiles AU Lnx Sz Lic+SW S&S 12 Mo	D0C5DLL
IBM Connections Activities	Tradeup to Cnnctns AU from Cnnctns Activities AU Lic + SW S&S 12 Mo	D6157LL
IBM Connections Profiles	Tradeup to Cnnctns AU from Cnnctns Profiles AU Lic + SW S&S 12 Mo	D615BLL

Passport Advantage supply

Program name/description	Part number
Conn Intranet and Extranet V4.5.0	
IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet V4.5 Multiplatforms M1 Media Pack	AY00XML
IBM Connections 4.5 for Intranet and Extranet IFR1 MP ML Media Pack	AY010ML
IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet V4.5 IFR2 MP ML Media Pack	AY013ML
IBM Connections V4.5.0	
IBM Connections V4.5 Multilingual Multiplatforms Media Pack	AY00VML
IBM Connections 4.5 IFR1 MP ML Media Pack	AY00ZML
IBM Connections V4.5 IFR2 Multiplatform Multilingual Media Pack	AY012ML

Passport Advantage customer: Media pack entitlement details

Customers with active maintenance or subscription for the products listed are entitled to receive the corresponding media pack.

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Entitled maintenance offerings description	Media packs description	Part number
IBM Connections Authorized	IBM Connections V4.5 IFR2	AY012ML

User for Linux on System z®	Multiplatform Multilingual Media Pack	
IBM Connections Authorized User for Linux on System z	IBM Connections V4.5 Multilingual Multiplatforms Media Pack	AY00VML
IBM Connections Authorized User for Linux on System z	IBM Connections 4.5 IFR1 MP ML Media Pack	AY00ZML
IBM Connections Processor Value Unit for Linux on System z	IBM Connections 4.5 IFR1 MP ML Media Pack	AY00ZML
IBM Connections Processor Value Unit for Linux on System z	IBM Connections V4.5 Multilingual Multiplatforms Media Pack	AY00VML
IBM Connections Processor Value Unit for Linux on System z	IBM Connections V4.5 IFR2 Multiplatform Multilingual Media Pack	AY012ML
IBM Connections per Authorized User	IBM Connections V4.5 IFR2 Multiplatform Multilingual Media Pack	AY012ML
IBM Connections per Authorized User	IBM Connections V4.5 Multilingual Multiplatforms Media Pack	AY00VML
IBM Connections per Authorized User	IBM Connections 4.5 IFR1 MP ML Media Pack	AY00ZML
IBM Connections per Processor Value Unit	IBM Connections 4.5 IFR1 MP ML Media Pack	AY00ZML
IBM Connections per Processor Value Unit	IBM Connections V4.5 Multilingual Multiplatforms Media Pack	AY00VML
IBM Connections per Processor Value Unit	IBM Connections V4.5 IFR2 Multiplatform Multilingual Media Pack	AY012ML

Conn Intranet and Extranet V4.5.0

Entitled maintenance offerings description	Media packs description	Part number
IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet Per Processor Value Unit for Linux on System z	IBM Connections 4.5 for Intranet and Extranet IFR1 MP ML Media Pack	AY010ML
IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet Per Processor Value Unit for Linux on System z	IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet V4.5 Multiplatforms M1 Media Pack	AY00XML
IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet Per Processor Value Unit for Linux on System z	IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet V4.5 IFR2 MP ML Media Pack	AY013ML
IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet per Processor Value Unit	IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet V4.5 IFR2 MP ML Media Pack	AY013ML
IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet per Processor Value Unit	IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet V4.5 Multiplatforms M1 Media Pack	AY00XML
IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet per Processor Value Unit	IBM Connections 4.5 for Intranet and Extranet IFR1 MP ML Media Pack	AY010ML

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Part description	Part number
IBM Connections	
IBM Connections Auth Usr Linux on Sys z Annual SW S&S Rnw1	E08CGLL
IBM Connections Auth Usr Linux on Sys z Lic + SW S&S 12 Mo	D0C3GLL
IBM Connections Auth Usr Linux on Sys z SW S&S Reinstate 12 Mo	D0C3HLL
IBM Connections for Extranet PVU for Lnx Sys z Annual SW S&S Rnw1	E08CHLL
IBM Connections for Extranet PVU for Lnx Sys z Lic + SW S&S 12 Mo	D0C3ILL
IBM Connections for Extranet PVU for Lnx Sys z SW S&S Reinst 12Mo	D0C3JLL

IBM Connections

Part description	Part number
IBM Connections for Intranet and Extranet Conn Intranet and Extranet Per Proc VU for Lin Sys z Annual SW S&S Rnw1	E0E10LL
Conn Intranet and Extranet Per Proc VU for Lin Sys z Lic + SW S&S 12 Mo	D0QCBL
Conn Intranet and Extranet Per Proc VU for Lin Sys z SW S&S Reinstate 12 Mo	D0QCCLL

Terms and conditions

Terms and conditions for the new IBM Connections Extension part number have been added to the terms and conditions for IBM Lotus® Connections, as previously announced in Software Announcement [ZP09-0245](#), dated August 18, 2009. Consult the IBM Connections license for details.

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- Syria

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