

Windows deployment

- ▶ The fastest and most reliable way to deploy Windows Vista, XP, Server 2003, or 2000, delivering ongoing desktop management savings



ManageSoft® Windows Deployment™ is an end-to-end operating system deployment solution. With its unique, smart-agent architecture, ManageSoft simplifies Windows deployment for new and existing desktops, laptops, and servers. ManageSoft provides policy-based control and central reporting for every step of a Windows rollout project, delivering ongoing savings long after initial deployment. It's the fastest and most reliable way to deploy Windows Vista, XP, Server 2003, or 2000.

ManageSoft Windows Deployment works directly with the complete suite of ManageSoft tools including:

- ▶ ManageSoft Compliance Manager
- ▶ ManageSoft Security Manager
- ▶ ManageSoft Deployment Manager

A solution right for you

This comprehensive solution is ideal for organizations that are:

- ▶ Planning an upcoming Windows deployment or migration project.
- ▶ Migrating to Active Directory now or in the future.
- ▶ Migrating remote offices or mobile workers to a new Windows release.
- ▶ Looking for ongoing IT support savings and improved IT service levels after the Windows rollout is completed.

Meeting the challenge of Windows deployment

Windows deployment projects can be large and challenging—and they frequently incur unexpected costs and delays. You need a deployment solution that can be implemented quickly with absolute reliability—a Windows deployment process that is instant and repeatable. Only ManageSoft delivers the speed and reliability you need.

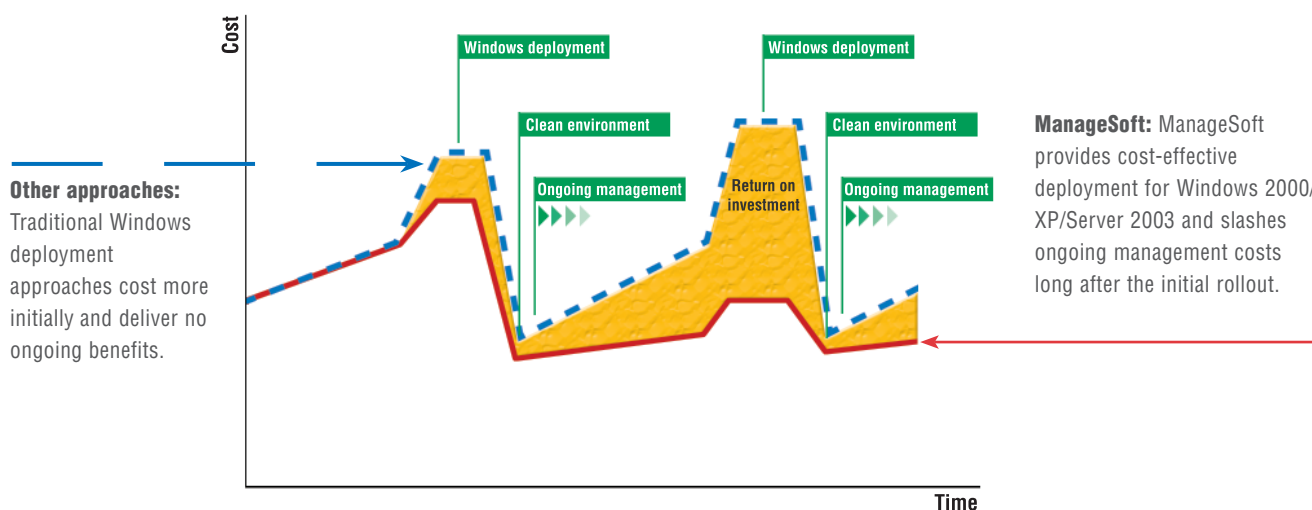
The unique ManageSoft smart-agent architecture enables cost-effective automated deployment for Windows Vista, Server 2003, XP, or 2000, and ongoing software management. ManageSoft reduces IT support costs and improves IT service levels with OS installation, restoration of user data and personality settings, software deployment, self-healing, IT asset discovery, and license management for all software deployed during the Windows rollout project, and all new and updated software from then on.

Don't just migrate—Take control

- ▶ **Automate deployment of Windows Vista, XP, Server 2003, or 2000**—ManageSoft provides unattended OS deployment anywhere in the world, with policy-based central control, and automatic error correction.
- ▶ **Plan for success with pre-deployment asset discovery and reporting**—ManageSoft integrates with best-of-breed IT asset discovery tools, and provides zero-touch inventory, hardware assessment and software reports to enable accurate, cost-effective migration planning. Know what you've got, what you are targeting, and monitor progress reporting against that baseline.
- ▶ **Reduce deployment costs with a hardware-portable image**—Unlike approaches that require hundreds of different OS images, ManageSoft uses a hardware-portable and job-role-independent installation base. Smart-agents determine what's needed to achieve the desired state on each device, enabling automated download, and self-healing.
- ▶ **Automatically restore user data and application settings**—Unlike processes that wipe everything during an OS migration, ManageSoft automatically saves and restores user data and settings so that end-users can start working productively again immediately after a new Windows deployment.
- ▶ **Policy-based management for ongoing savings**—ManageSoft smart agents transform desktops and laptops into self-managing smart devices that automatically adapt and self-heal in accordance with centrally defined policies.

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Rapid, cost-effective migration to Windows 2000, XP, Server 2003, or Vista.



An end-to-end Windows migration solution

ManageSoft Windows Deployment uses the Microsoft WIM imaging technologies, or you can use common imaging tools including Symantec Ghost, Symantec (PowerQuest) DeployCenter, and Microsoft Automated Deployment Services (ADS). The unique ManageSoft smart-agent architecture slashes time from every step of the OS deployment process:

- ▶ **Phase 1: Discover** — IT asset discovery, zero-touch inventory, progress reporting.
- ▶ **Phase 2: Plan** — Population of Active Directory (optional), hardware assessment, and software reporting.
- ▶ **Phase 3: Prepare** — Base OS and boot image preparation; computer renaming, software packaging, and testing; define desired states for users and computers, distribute packages.
- ▶ **Phase 4: Rollout** — PC personality and data backup, operating system installation, domain joining, Software installation, personality and data restoration, tracking the OS deployment.
- ▶ **Phase 5: Manage** — Stay current (updating and self-healing), software deployment, disaster recovery, system rebuilds, asset tracking, license management, remote control and diagnostics, future Windows deployment.

No other solution delivers this comprehensive reliability and control throughout the Windows deployment process.

A proven solution

ManageSoft Windows Deployment provides automated OS migration for organizations worldwide:

- ▶ Three of the world's leading law firms used ManageSoft Windows Deployment to migrate seamlessly to the latest Windows platform. ManageSoft software management solutions now provide ongoing management of operating systems, applications, and security patches for desktops and laptops in offices across North America, Europe, Australia, and Asia.
- ▶ Two of the world's leading investment banks use ManageSoft Windows Deployment to transparently update operating systems in remote offices to ensure business continuity in financial centers around the globe.
- ▶ Leading universities and school districts in Australia and USA use ManageSoft Windows Deployment to automatically migrate operating systems overnight for thousands of devices without interrupting the teaching and learning environment.

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