

# Product Availability, Localization and Translation Guide for Microsoft Dynamics AX



## Availability

Microsoft Dynamics AX is localized, translated and supported by Microsoft and made generally available in the countries\* and languages listed below. To learn more about supported versions of Microsoft Dynamics AX localized and/or translated by Microsoft, please refer to the product availability table below. In addition to country-specific localizations and/or translations that Microsoft creates, our channel partners may make partner-created localizations and/or translations of Microsoft Dynamics AX

available in countries where Microsoft does not provide a localized or translated version. See the Microsoft Dynamics Localization and Translation Overview below for more information on partner-created solutions.

## Country localizations

Localization is the process of adapting software to meet country-specific laws or regulations. Microsoft localizes Microsoft Dynamics AX to include features and functionality designed to address specific tax, accounting or financial reporting requirements for various countries. Features or functionalities that are available in a particular country may not be available in all countries. Please consult your channel partner for details about product features and capabilities. Also consult them and/or your professional advisers to determine whether this software is appropriate for your business needs in a given country.

**Microsoft Dynamics AX 2012** made generally available in August 2011 includes specific localizations for the countries listed below.

### Country localizations:

Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Malaysia, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, United Kingdom, United States.

## Languages

Translation is the process of adapting software or documentation to meet language requirements for a particular country. For any given language, Microsoft may translate some, all or none of the user interface (UI) and documentation for Microsoft Dynamics AX. Contact your channel partner or the local Microsoft office for more information.

**Microsoft Dynamics AX 2012** made generally available in August 2011 is translated into the languages below.

### Languages:

Danish (Denmark), Dutch (Belgium), Dutch (Netherlands), English (Australia), English (Canada), English (Malaysia), English (Ireland), English (New Zealand), English (Singapore), English (South Africa), English (UK), English (US), French (Belgium), French (Canada), French (France), French (Switzerland), German (Austria), German (Germany), German (Switzerland), Italian (Italy), Italian (Switzerland), Spanish (Mexico), Spanish (Spain).

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The **table** below contains availability information for Microsoft Dynamics AX by country and version. Subsequent releases of Microsoft Dynamics AX may be localized for additional countries and translated into additional languages.

Country	Language	Microsoft Dynamics AX	
		2009	2012
<b>Australia</b>	English (Australia)	√	√
<b>Austria</b>	German (Austria)	√	√
<b>Belgium</b>	French (Belgium) / Dutch (Belgium)	√	√
<b>Brazil</b>	Portuguese (Brazil)	√	-- <sup>1</sup>
<b>Canada</b>	English (Canada) / French (Canada)	√	√
<b>China</b>	Simplified Chinese (China)	√	-- <sup>1</sup>
<b>Czech Republic</b>	Czech (Czech Republic)	√	-- <sup>1</sup>
<b>Denmark</b>	Danish (Denmark)	√	√
<b>Estonia</b>	Estonian (Estonia)	√	-- <sup>1</sup>
<b>Finland</b>	Finnish (Finland)	√	√ <sup>2</sup>
<b>France</b>	French (France)	√	√
<b>Germany</b>	German (Germany)	√	√
<b>Hungary</b>	Hungarian (Hungary)	√	-- <sup>1</sup>
<b>Iceland</b>	Icelandic (Iceland)	√	√ <sup>2</sup>
<b>India</b>	English (India)	√	-- <sup>1</sup>
<b>Ireland</b>	English (Ireland)	√	√
<b>Israel</b>	Hebrew (Israel)	√	-- <sup>3</sup>
<b>Italy</b>	Italian (Italy)	√	√
<b>Japan</b>	Japanese (Japan)	√	-- <sup>1</sup>
<b>Latvia</b>	Latvian (Latvia)	√	-- <sup>1</sup>
<b>Lithuania</b>	Lithuanian (Lithuania)	√	-- <sup>1</sup>
<b>Malaysia</b>	English (Malaysia)	√	√
<b>Mexico</b>	Spanish (Mexico)	√	√
<b>New Zealand</b>	English (New Zealand)	√	√
<b>Norway</b>	Norwegian Bokmål (Norway)	√	√ <sup>2</sup>
<b>Poland</b>	Polish (Poland)	√	-- <sup>1</sup>
<b>Russia</b>	Russian (Russia)	√	-- <sup>1</sup>
<b>Saudi Arabia</b>	Arabic (Saudi Arabia)	√	√ <sup>2</sup>
<b>Singapore</b>	English (Singapore)	√	√
<b>South Africa</b>	English (South Africa)	√	√
<b>Spain</b>	Spanish (Spain)	√	√
<b>Sweden</b>	Swedish (Sweden)	√	√ <sup>2</sup>
<b>Switzerland</b>	French/German/Italian (Switzerland)	√	√
<b>Thailand</b>	Thai (Thailand)	√	√ <sup>2</sup>
<b>The Netherlands</b>	Dutch (Netherlands)	√	√
<b>Turkey</b>	Turkish (Turkey)	√	-- <sup>1</sup>
<b>United Kingdom</b>	English (UK)	√	√
<b>United States</b>	English (US)	√	√

<sup>1</sup>Microsoft Dynamics AX 2012 is currently planned to be released in this country during the first half of calendar year 2013. This represents Microsoft's current view of its product direction and should not be interpreted as a commitment on the part of Microsoft. Until Microsoft releases any version of this software in a particular country, product availability, features and dates are subject to change without notice.

<sup>2</sup>Although country-specific localizations will be generally available in August 2011, translations of the user interface and limited documentation are currently planned to be released in this country in November 2011.

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<sup>3</sup>Microsoft Dynamics AX may be available in this country as a partner-created solution at a future date. Contact your local Microsoft office for more information.

For a more detailed view of Microsoft Dynamics AX product availability please contact your local Microsoft office. If you are already a Microsoft Dynamics AX customer, you may also review the Microsoft Dynamics AX Product Availability Matrix ([https://mbs.microsoft.com/customersource/newsevents/news/generalnews/MSDYAX\\_AvailabilityLocalizationTranslation](https://mbs.microsoft.com/customersource/newsevents/news/generalnews/MSDYAX_AvailabilityLocalizationTranslation)) available on CustomerSource for more details.

To find out how Microsoft Dynamics AX can help customers meet their local regulatory requirements and other specific business needs, please contact your Microsoft Dynamics channel partner. Need help finding a partner? [Contact your local Microsoft office.](#)

## Microsoft Dynamics Localization and Translation Overview

Organizations doing business in a particular country must comply with country-specific laws, regulations and common business practices to handle their daily business transactions and operations and meet their legal obligations for activities conducted in the country. Microsoft recognizes that non-adherence to these laws and regulations can lead to severe consequences for an organization doing business in that country.

As an enterprise resource planning (ERP) solution, Microsoft Dynamics AX software helps organizations manage their various business processes through its extensible architecture. Microsoft extends the business process functionality of its Microsoft Dynamics AX software by developing specific commercial requirements, language, and non-vertical, national or international functionality to address specific tax, accounting or financial reporting requirements for countries where Microsoft makes this software generally available. The process of adapting software to meet local laws or requirements is called localization. The process of adapting software to meet language requirements is called translation.

Since laws and regulations that affect businesses vary in each country, Microsoft Dynamics AX software is not supported in terms of localizations, translations, or technical support in all countries. While Microsoft Dynamics AX software "out-of-the-box" is localized and/or translated to address specific laws and/or regulations for particular countries, it is not supported in terms of localizations, translations, or technical support in all countries. Features or functionalities that are available in a particular country may not be available in all countries.

Rather, we look to our channel partners, who are an important part of our global strategy, to deliver Microsoft Dynamics AX solutions that help customers meet their compliance obligations. Channel partners may adapt the Microsoft Dynamics AX software to:

- Supplement the base Microsoft Dynamics AX application by developing functionality to meet specific laws or regulations that are not covered by features provided "out-of-the-box" (e.g., regulations that are unique to states, provinces, cities, or municipalities in a particular country); or
- Create their own localizations and/or translations in countries where Microsoft does not offer a localized and/or translated version of Microsoft Dynamics AX software.

Partner-created solutions are owned, implemented, maintained, and serviced by, or on behalf of, the originating channel partner.

### **Channel partner-created solutions:**

For additional information about partner-created solutions in your country, please contact your Microsoft channel partner or local Microsoft office, or utilize the Microsoft Dynamics Marketplace (<http://dynamics-erp.pinpoint.microsoft.com/applications/search/d6?q=>) to identify channel partner solutions that might be available in your country.

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