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Notice

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Data will be provided on the manual download website, "My Machine Portal (MMP)", for each machine serial number.

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Applicable models

All the models

Inquiries

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- (vii) **Cloud Computing Devices.** If your device uses Internet browsing functionality to connect to and access cloud hosted applications: (i) no desktop functions may run locally on the device, and (ii) any files that result from the use of the desktop functions may not be permanently stored on the system. "Desktop functions," as used in this agreement, means a consumer or business task or process performed by a computer or computing device. This includes but is not limited to email, word processing, spreadsheets, database, scheduling, network or internet browsing and personal finance.
- (viii) **Desktop Functions.** If your system performs desktop functions, then you must ensure that they: (i) are only used to support the application, and (ii) operate only when used with the application.

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(1) Windows 10 Containers. You may only use Windows 10 Containers for commercial purposes and activities with Microsoft Azure IoT Edge. You may use any number of virtual operating system environments instantiated as Windows 10 Containers by the Microsoft Azure IoT Edge Runtime on the device.

(2) Device Health Attestation. You may only implement Device Health Attestation in a commercial use if you execute a Microsoft Windows IoT Core Services Agreement at: <https://azure.microsoft.com/en-us/services/windows-10-iot-core/>.

- f. Specific Use.** The manufacturer designed the licensed device for a specific use. You may only use the software for that use.

- 3. Privacy; Consent to Use of Data.** Your privacy is important to us. Some of the software features send or receive information when using those features. Many of these features can be switched off in the user interface, or you can choose not to use them. By accepting this agreement and using the software you agree that Microsoft may collect, use, and disclose the information as described in the Microsoft Privacy Statement available at (aka.ms/privacy), and as may be described in the user interface associated with the software features.
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- e. **Arbitration fees and payments.**
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- a. **Licensing a Server.** Properly licensed software grants you the right to install and run a certain number of instances of the server software on a server. Before you run these instances, you must determine the number of required core licenses per server (subsection 2.b) and assign those core licenses to that server as described below.

You are licensed for a minimum of 16 cores; additional core licenses may be included in the manufacturer's or installer's server packaging. Any such additional licenses you

acquire from the manufacturer or installer will also be subject to these license terms and any other additional terms included with those additional licenses. Certificate of Authenticity label(s) may be found affixed to the server and/or in the manufacturer's or installer's software packaging, which will indicate the total number of core licenses assigned to the server by the manufacturer or installer.

b. Determining the Number of Licenses Required. To license a server, all physical cores in the server must be licensed.

- i. Each server is required to be licensed with a minimum of 16 core licenses.
- ii. Each physical processor is required to be licensed with a minimum of eight core licenses.

If the number of physical cores in the server exceeds the minimum 16 core license requirement, you may need additional core licenses to cover the additional physical cores, except as provided for in subsection 2.c.i(b).

- iii. If the number of physical cores in the server exceeds the minimum 16 core license requirement, you need additional core licenses to cover the additional physical cores. Physical cores that are disabled for use by an operating system do not need to be licensed; this exemption does not reduce the minimum number of core licenses required as described in this section.

c. Assigning the Required Number of Licenses to the Server

- i. (a) **Initial Assignment.** The software license is assigned to the server with which you acquired the software, except as provided below. That server is the licensed server for all of those licenses. You may not assign the same core licenses to more than one server at the same time.
- (b) **Reassignment.**
 - (1) You may not reassign core licenses for software obtained from a manufacturer or installer, unless you purchase those additional license rights.
 - (2) If you acquire additional licenses that include the right to reassign a core license, you may reassign that core license, but not within 90 days of the last assignment. You may reassign that core license sooner if you retire the licensed server due to permanent hardware failure. If you reassign a core license, the server to which you reassign the license becomes the new licensed server for that core license. You may need additional core licenses to cover all of the physical cores in the new server.

d. Running Instances of the Server Software.

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- i. For each server to which you have assigned the required number of core licenses as provided in Section 2.b., at any one time you may run the server software in:
 - one physical operating system environment,
 - up to two virtual operating system environments, and
 - any number of operating system environments instantiated as Windows Server Containers without Hyper-V isolation.
- ii. If you run all permitted instances at the same time, the instance of the server software running in the physical operating system environment may be used only to:
 - run hardware virtualization software,
 - provide hardware virtualization services,
 - run software to manage and service operating system environments on the licensed server.
- iii. If you want to run additional instances of the server software as set forth in this Section 2.d., you may need to acquire additional licenses to the server as described in Section 2.b.

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- i. For each server to which you have assigned the required number of core licenses as provided in Section 2.b. you may run, at any one time:
 - one physical operating system environment,
 - any number of virtual operating system environments, and
 - any number of operating system environments instantiated as Windows Server Containers without Hyper-V isolation.

e. Server Repartitioning. You may reassign licenses on a single piece of hardware sooner than permitted above, when you:

- reallocate physical processors from one licensed hardware partition to another;
- create two or more partitions from one licensed hardware partition;
- create one partition from two or more licensed hardware partitions.

as long as (i) prior to repartitioning, each hardware partition is fully licensed, and (ii) the total number of physical processors, physical cores and core licenses remains the same.

- f. Running Instances of the Additional Software.** You may run or otherwise use any number of instances of additional software listed on the website specified below in physical or virtual operating system environments on any number of devices. You may use additional software (to which additional fees may sometimes apply) only with the server software. For a list of additional software, see (aka.ms/additionalsoftware).
- g. Creating and Storing Instances on Your Servers or Storage Media.** For each server for which you are appropriately licensed, you may create and store any number of instances of the software on any of your servers or storage media. This may be done solely to exercise your right to run instances of the software under any of your licenses as described in the applicable use rights (e.g., you may not distribute instances to third parties).
- h. Restrictions.** The software is licensed, not sold. The manufacturer or installer and Microsoft reserve all rights (such as rights under intellectual property laws) not expressly granted in this agreement, whether by implication, estoppel or otherwise, unless applicable law gives you more rights. You must comply with any technical limitations in the software that only allow you to use it in certain ways. For example, this license does not give you any right to, and you may not:
- work around any technical restrictions or limitations in the software;
 - reverse engineer, decompile or disassemble the software, or otherwise attempt to derive the source code for the software, except and only to the extent: (i) permitted by applicable law, or (ii) required by third party licensing terms governing use of certain open source components that may be included in the software;
 - use the software's files and components within another operating system or application running on another operating system;
 - publish, rent, lease, lend, or copy the software (other than the permitted backup copy);
 - transfer the software (except as permitted by this agreement);
 - separate the server software for use in more than one operating system environment under a single license, unless expressly permitted. This applies even if the operating system environments are on the same physical hardware system;
 - use the software for commercial software hosting services; or
 - when using Internet-based features you may not use those features in any way that could interfere with anyone else's use of them, or to try to gain access to or use any service, data, account or network, in an unauthorized manner.

Rights to access the software on any device do not give you any right to implement Microsoft patents or other Microsoft intellectual property in software or devices that access that device.

- i. Included Microsoft Programs.** The software may contain other Microsoft programs. Unless otherwise specified, these license terms apply to your use of those Microsoft programs used with server software.
- j. Updates.** The software periodically checks for system updates and may install them for you. You may obtain updates only from Microsoft or authorized sources, and Microsoft may need to update your system to provide you with those updates. By accepting this agreement, you agree to receive these types of automatic updates without any additional notice.
- k. Backup Copy.** You may make a single copy of the software for backup purposes. You may use it only to create instances of the software.
- l. Maximum Instances.** The software or your hardware may limit the number of instances of the server software that can run in physical or virtual operating system environments on the server.
- m. Multiplexing.** Multiplexing or pooling to reduce direct connections with the software does not reduce the number of licenses of any type that you need.

3. Windows Server IoT 2025 Client Access Licenses (CALs)

a. Types of CALs and Assignment

There are two types of CALs: one for devices and one for users. You may use a combination of device and user CALs.

- i. Device CAL.** Permits one device, used by any user, to access an instance of the server software on your licensed servers.
- ii. User CAL.** Permits one user, using any device, to access an instance of the server software on your licensed servers.

Assignment. You must acquire and assign the corresponding version of the appropriate CAL to each device or user that directly or indirectly accesses your instances of the server software. A hardware partition or blade is considered to be a separate device.

Your CALs also permit access to your instances of earlier versions, but not later versions, of the server software. If you are accessing instances of an earlier version (e.g., under downgrade rights (see section 4.b.), you may also use CALs corresponding to that earlier version.

Reassignment. You may:

- reassign a CAL to another device or user, but not less than 90 days since the last reassignment of that same CAL, unless the reassignment is due to (i) permanent hardware failure or loss, (ii) termination of the user's employment or contract or (iii) temporary reallocation to cover a user's absence or the unavailability of a device that is out of service. Customer must remove the software or block access from the former device or to the former user.
- temporarily reassign your device CAL to a loaner device while the first device is out of service, or your user CAL to a temporary worker while the user is absent.

Exceptions. You do not need CALs for:

- any of your servers already licensed to run instances of the server software (i.e. for licensed server to access another licensed server);
- up to two devices or users to access your instances of the server software only to administer those instances;
- any instance running in a physical operating system environment used solely to:
 - run hardware virtualization software;
 - provide hardware virtualization services;
 - run software to manage and service operating system environments on the licensed server.
- any user or device that accesses a Web Workload or HPC Workload.

Additional CALs. Some server software functionality requires additional CALs, some of which are listed below:

- Windows Server Remote Desktop Services: the corresponding version of the Windows Server Remote Desktop Services CAL.

- b. Windows Server IoT 2025 Remote Desktop Services.** In addition to a Windows Server CAL, you must acquire the corresponding version of Windows Server Remote Desktop Services CAL for each user or device that (i) directly or indirectly accesses the Remote Desktop Services functionality, (ii) directly or indirectly accesses the server software to host a graphical user interface (using the Windows Server Remote Desktop Services functionality or other technology), or (iii) accesses the Multipoint Services functionality. For more information about Windows Server Remote Desktop Services CALs, visit (aka.ms/windowsrds).
- c.** The server software can be used in either "per device or per user" mode or "per

server” mode. In “per device or per user” mode, you need a Windows Server CAL for each device or user that directly or indirectly accesses instances of the server software on your licensed servers. In “per server” mode, you need and must dedicate exclusively to an instance of the server software as many Windows Server CALs as the greatest number of devices and users that may directly or indirectly access that instance at the same time. You may change the mode only one time, from “per server” to “per device or per user.” If you do, you will retain the same number of Windows Server CALs.

4. Additional Licensing Provisions.

- a. Downgrade Rights** Instead of creating, storing, and using the software, for each permitted instance, you may create, store, and use an earlier version of the following editions of the software for so long as Microsoft provides support for that earlier version as set forth in (aka.ms/windowslifecycle):

For Windows Server IoT 2025 Standard

- Windows Server Standard
- Windows Server Enterprise

For Windows Server IoT 2025 Datacenter

- Windows Server Datacenter
- Windows Server Standard
- Windows Server Enterprise

This agreement applies to your use of the earlier versions of the editions listed above. For the avoidance of doubt, by electing this downgrade option: (i) you will not have the right to create, store, or use a greater number of instances of the software than are permitted under this agreement, and (ii) you will need to acquire licenses for all cores in the physical server in accordance with Section 3 of this agreement. If the earlier version includes different components not covered in this agreement, the terms that are associated with those components in the earlier version of these editions apply to your use of them. Neither the manufacturer or installer, nor Microsoft is obligated to supply earlier versions or other editions to you. At any time, you may replace an earlier version or edition with this version and edition of the software.

Windows IoT Server for Storage Standard

1. License Model Overview.

- a. **License Requirements.** The server software licenses are based on: (a) the number of physical cores in the physical hardware; (b) the number of devices and users that access instances of specific versions of server software (CALs); and (c) the server software functionality accessed. The license terms are dependent on, and align to, a specific software product version. For example, if you acquired a prior version, the licensing terms specific to that version apply to that version of server software, and do not entitle you to future versions of the software.
- b. **License Difference.** Under the Standard edition license you are limited to a certain number of instances of server software.
- c. **Specific Use.** The manufacturer or installer designed this server for a specific use. You may only use the software for that use. You may not use the software to support additional software programs or functions, other than utilities or similar software used solely for administration, performance enhancement, preventative maintenance, or to provide complimentary data storage functionality for this server.

2. How to License Server Software.

- a. **Licensing a Server.** Properly licensed software grants you the right to install and run a certain number of instances of the server software on a server. Before you run these instances, you must determine the number of required core licenses per server (subsection 3.b) and assign those core licenses to that server as described below.
- b. **Assigning the Required Number of Licenses to the Server**
 - i. **Initial Assignment.** The software license is assigned to the server with which you acquired the software, except as provided below. That server is the licensed server for all of those licenses. You may not assign the same core licenses to more than one server at the same time.
 - ii. **Reassignment.**
 - (a) You may not reassign core licenses for software obtained from a manufacturer or installer, unless you purchase those additional license rights.
 - (b) If you acquire additional licenses that include the right to reassign a core license, you may reassign that core license, but not within 90 days of the last assignment. You may reassign that core license sooner if you retire the licensed server due to permanent hardware failure. If you reassign a core license, the server to which you reassign the license becomes the new licensed server for that core license. You may need additional core licenses to cover all of the physical cores in the new server.

- c. Running Instances of the Server Software.** You may run, at any one time, one instance of the server software in one physical or virtual operating system environment on the licensed server.
- d. Running Instances of the Additional Software.** You may run or otherwise use any number of instances of additional software listed on the website specified below in physical or virtual operating system environments on any number of devices. You may use additional software only with the server software. For a list of additional software, visit (aka.ms/additionalsoftware).
- e. Server Repartitioning.** You may reassign licenses on a single piece of hardware sooner than permitted above, when you:
- reallocate physical processors from one licensed hardware partition to another;
 - create two or more partitions from one licensed hardware partition;
 - create one partition from two or more licensed hardware partitions.

as long as (i) prior to repartitioning, each hardware partition is fully licensed, and (ii) the total number of physical processors, physical cores and core licenses remains the same.

- f. Creating and Storing Instances on Your Servers or Storage Media.** For each server for which you are appropriately licensed, you may create and store any number of instances of the software on any of your servers or storage media. This may be done solely to exercise your right to run instances of the software under any of your licenses as described in the applicable use rights (e.g., you may not distribute instances to third parties).
- g. Limitation on Functions Supported by the Software.** The manufacturer or installer licenses you to use the server software to support only the base functions as provided and installed on this server. You are not licensed to use the server to run or support:
- enterprise database software (such as Microsoft SQL Server), except non-enterprise engines such as Microsoft SQL Server Express Edition. The server software also may run or support enterprise database engines (including Microsoft SQL Server) that are integrated in and used only to support the server software as part of the specific use for which the manufacturer or installer designed this server,
 - enterprise resource planning (ERP) software,
 - messaging or enterprise mail,
 - Microsoft Exchange or Microsoft SharePoint Portal Server,
 - team collaboration software,

- web-based time management applications that address appointment, meeting and other calendar items,

h. Restrictions. The software is licensed, not sold. The manufacturer or installer and Microsoft reserve all rights (such as rights under intellectual property laws) not expressly granted in this agreement, whether by implication, estoppel or otherwise, unless applicable law gives you more rights. You must comply with any technical limitations in the software that only allow you to use it in certain ways. For example, this license does not give you any right to, and you may not:

- work around any technical restrictions or limitations in the software;
- reverse engineer, decompile or disassemble the software, or otherwise attempt to derive the source code for the software, except and only to the extent: (i) permitted by applicable law, or (ii) required by third party licensing terms governing use of certain open source components that may be included in the software;
- use the software's files and components within another operating system or application running on another operating system;
- publish, rent, lease, lend, or copy the software (other than the permitted backup copy);
- transfer the software (except as permitted by this agreement);
- separate the server software for use in more than one operating system environment under a single license, unless expressly permitted. This applies even if the operating system environments are on the same physical hardware system;
- use the software for commercial software hosting services; or
- when using Internet-based features you may not use those features in any way that could interfere with anyone else's use of them, or to try to gain access to or use any service, data, account or network, in an unauthorized manner.

Rights to access the software on any device do not give you any right to implement Microsoft patents or other Microsoft intellectual property in software or devices that access that device.

i. Included Microsoft Programs. The software may contain other Microsoft programs. Unless otherwise specified, these license terms apply to your use of those Microsoft programs used with server software.

j. Updates. The software periodically checks for system updates and may install them for you. You may obtain updates only from Microsoft or authorized sources, and Microsoft may need to update your system to provide you with those updates. By

accepting this agreement, you agree to receive these types of automatic updates without any additional notice.

- k. Backup Copy.** You may make a single copy copies of the software solely for backup purposes. You may use it only to create instances of the software.
 - l. Maximum Instances.** The software or your hardware may limit the number of instances of the server software that can run in physical or virtual operating system environments on the server.
 - m. Multiplexing.** Multiplexing or pooling to reduce direct connections with the software does not reduce the number of licenses of any type that you need.
- 3. No Windows Server CALs Required.** Servers that access or use functions of Windows Storage Server software licensed under these license terms do not require a client access license (CAL) for Windows Server. Obtaining a CAL for any Microsoft product does not grant you rights to use functions of the server software not licensed under these license terms.
- 4. Additional Licensing Provisions.**
- a. Downgrade Rights** Instead of creating, storing, and using the software, for each permitted instance, you may create, store, and use an earlier version of the following editions of the software for so long as Microsoft provides support for that earlier version as set forth in (aka.ms/windowslifecycle):

Windows Server IoT 2025 Storage Workgroup

1. License Model Overview.

- a. License Model.** The software is licensed based on the number of instances of server software that you run, and the number of user accounts that access instances of server software.
- b. Specific Use.** The manufacturer or installer designed this server for a specific use. You may only use the software for that use. You may not use the software to support additional software programs or functions, other than utilities or similar software used solely for administration, performance enhancement, preventative maintenance, or to provide complimentary data storage functionality for this server.

2. How to License Server Software.

- a. Licensing a Server.** You may install and use one copy of the server software on one licensed server (physical or virtual). Up to 50 users can access and use the server software on that server as long as:
 - each such user has an assigned user account, and
 - the user accesses the server software through that account.

You may reassign a user account from one user to another provided that the reassignment does not occur within 90 days of the last assignment.

- b. Assignment of the License to the Server.** The software license is permanently assigned to the server with which you acquired the software. That server is the licensed server for that particular license. A hardware partition or blade is considered to be a separate server. You may not assign the same license to more than one server.
- c. Running Instances of the Server Software.** You may run, at any one time, one instance of the server software in one physical or virtual operating system environment on the licensed server.
- d. Running Instances of the Additional Software.** You may run or otherwise use any number of instances of additional software listed on the website specified below in physical or virtual operating system environments on any number of devices. You may use additional software only with the server software. For a list of additional software, visit (aka.ms/additionalsoftware).
- e. Server Repartitioning.** You may reassign licenses on a single piece of hardware sooner than permitted above, when you:
 - reallocate physical processors from one licensed hardware partition to another;

- create two or more partitions from one licensed hardware partition;
- create one partition from two or more licensed hardware partitions.

as long as (i) prior to repartitioning, each hardware partition is fully licensed, and (ii) the total number of physical processors licenses remains the same.

f. Creating and Storing Instances on Your Servers or Storage Media. For each server for which you are appropriately licensed, you may create and store any number of instances of the software on any of your servers or storage media. This may be done solely to exercise your right to run instances of the software under any of your licenses as described in the applicable use rights (e.g., you may not distribute instances to third parties).

g. Limitation on Functions Supported by the Software. The manufacturer or installer licenses you to use the server software to support only the base functions as provided and installed on this server. You are not licensed to use the server to run or support:

- enterprise database software (such as Microsoft SQL Server), except non-enterprise engines such as Microsoft SQL Server Express Edition. The server software also may run or support enterprise database engines (including Microsoft SQL Server) that are integrated in and used only to support the server software as part of the specific use for which the manufacturer or installer designed this server,
- enterprise resource planning (ERP) software,
- messaging or enterprise mail,
- Microsoft Exchange or Microsoft SharePoint Portal Server,
- team collaboration software,
- web-based time management applications that address appointment, meeting and other calendar items,

Additional Limitations on Functions for Windows Storage Server Workgroup:

- more than 6 disk drives,
- NVMe-enabled hardware, and/or
- the external Serial Attached SCSI (SAS) interconnect.

These limitations do not restrict use of the server for data management (such as providing storage and backup functions) for the software identified above.

h. Restrictions. The software is licensed, not sold. The manufacturer or installer and Microsoft reserve all rights (such as rights under intellectual property laws) not

expressly granted in this agreement, whether by implication, estoppel or otherwise, unless applicable law gives you more rights. You must comply with any technical limitations in the software that only allow you to use it in certain ways. For example, this license does not give you any right to, and you may not:

- work around any technical restrictions or limitations in the software;
- reverse engineer, decompile or disassemble the software, or otherwise attempt to derive the source code for the software, except and only to the extent: (i) permitted by applicable law, or (ii) required by third party licensing terms governing use of certain open source components that may be included in the software;
- use the software's files and components within another operating system or application running on another operating system;
- publish, rent, lease, lend, or copy the software (other than the permitted backup copy);
- transfer the software (except as permitted by this agreement);
- separate the server software for use in more than one operating system environment under a single license, unless expressly permitted. This applies even if the operating system environments are on the same physical hardware system;
- use the software for commercial software hosting services; or
- when using Internet-based features you may not use those features in any way that could interfere with anyone else's use of them, or to try to gain access to or use any service, data, account or network, in an unauthorized manner.

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- i. **Included Microsoft Programs.** The software may contain other Microsoft programs. Unless otherwise specified, these license terms apply to your use of those Microsoft programs used with server software.
- j. **Updates.** The software periodically checks for system updates and may install them for you. You may obtain updates only from Microsoft or authorized sources, and Microsoft may need to update your system to provide you with those updates. By accepting this agreement, you agree to receive these types of automatic updates without any additional notice.
- k. **Backup Copy.** You may make a single copy copies of the software solely for backup purposes. You may use it only to create instances of the software.

- l. Maximum Instances.** The software or your hardware may limit the number of instances of the server software that can run in physical or virtual operating system environments on the server.
 - m. Multiplexing.** Multiplexing or pooling to reduce direct connections with the software does not reduce the number of licenses of any type that you need.
- 3. No Windows Server CALs Required.** Servers that access or use functions of Windows Storage Server software licensed under these license terms do not require a client access license (CAL) for Windows Server. Obtaining a CAL for any Microsoft product does not grant you rights to use functions of the server software not licensed under these license terms.
- 4. Additional Licensing Provisions.**
 - a. Downgrade Rights** Instead of creating, storing, and using the software, for each permitted instance, you may create, store, and use an earlier version of the following editions of the software for so long as Microsoft provides support for that earlier version as set forth in (aka.ms/windowslifecycle).

Windows Server IoT 2025 Telecommunications

1. License Model Overview.

- a. The license model described below covers core licensing of certain editions and versions of the server software and client access licenses (CALs). A minimum number of core licenses for each physical processor and server is required, unless otherwise stated. Additionally, each user or device accessing the server software requires a server software CAL, unless otherwise stated.
- b. **License Requirements.** The server software licenses are based on: (a) the number of physical cores in the physical hardware; (b) the number of devices and users that access instances of specific versions of server software (CALs); and (c) the server software functionality accessed. The license terms are dependent on, and align to, a specific software product version. For example, if you acquired a prior version, the licensing terms specific to that version apply to that version of server software, and do not entitle you to future versions of the software.
- c. **Specific Use.** The manufacturer or installer designed this server for a specific use. You may only use the software for that use. You may not use the software to support additional software programs or functions, other than utilities or similar software used solely for administration, performance enhancement, preventative maintenance, or to provide complimentary data storage functionality for this server.

2. How to License Server Software.

- a. **Licensing a Server.** Properly licensed software grants you the right to install and run a certain number of instances of the server software on a server. Before you run these instances, you must determine the number of required core licenses per server (subsection 3.b) and assign those core licenses to that server as described below.

You are licensed for a minimum of 16 cores; additional core licenses may be included in the manufacturer's or installer's server packaging. Any such additional licenses you acquire from the manufacturer or installer will also be subject to these license terms and any other additional terms included with those additional licenses. Certificate of Authenticity label(s) may be found affixed to the server and/or in the manufacturer's or installer's software packaging, which will indicate the total number of core licenses assigned to the server by the manufacturer or installer.

- b. **Determining the Number of Licenses Required.** This license covers up to two physical processors. In order to determine how many licenses you need for each server, you must count the number of physical processors on the server, divide that number by two, and round up to the nearest whole number.
- c. **Assigning the Required Number of Licenses to the Server**

- ii. (a) **Initial Assignment.** The software license is assigned to the server with which you acquired the software, except as provided below. That server is the licensed server for all of those licenses. You may not assign the same core licenses to more than one server at the same time.
- (b) **Reassignment.**
 - (1) You may not reassign core licenses for software obtained from a manufacturer or installer, unless you purchase those additional license rights.
 - (2) If you acquire additional licenses that include the right to reassign a core license, you may reassign that core license, but not within 90 days of the last assignment. You may reassign that core license sooner if you retire the licensed server due to permanent hardware failure. If you reassign a core license, the server to which you reassign the license becomes the new licensed server for that core license. You may need additional core licenses to cover all of the physical cores in the new server.

d. Running Instances of the Server Software

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- i. For each server to which you have assigned the required number of core licenses as provided in Section 3.b., at any one time you may run the server software in:
 - one physical operating system environment,
 - up to two virtual operating system environments, and
 - any number of operating system environments instantiated as Windows Server Containers without Hyper-V isolation.
 - ii. If you run all permitted instances at the same time, the instance of the server software running in the physical operating system environment may be used only to:
 - run hardware virtualization software,
 - provide hardware virtualization services,
 - run software to manage and service operating system environments on the licensed server.
 - iii. If you want to run additional instances of the server software as set forth in this Section 3.d., you may need to acquire additional licenses to the server as described in Section 3.b.
- e. Server Repartitioning.** You may reassign licenses on a single piece of hardware sooner than permitted above, when you:

- reallocate physical processors from one licensed hardware partition to another;
- create two or more partitions from one licensed hardware partition;
- create one partition from two or more licensed hardware partitions.

as long as (i) prior to repartitioning, each hardware partition is fully licensed, and (ii) the total number of physical processors, physical cores and core licenses remains the same.

- f. Running Instances of the Additional Software.** You may run or otherwise use any number of instances of additional software listed on the website specified below in physical or virtual operating system environments on any number of devices. You may use additional software (to which additional fees may sometimes apply) only with the server software. For a list of additional software, see (aka.ms/additionalsoftware).
- g. Creating and Storing Instances on Your Servers or Storage Media.** For each server for which you are appropriately licensed, you may create and store any number of instances of the software on any of your servers or storage media. This may be done solely to exercise your right to run instances of the software under any of your licenses as described in the applicable use rights (e.g., you may not distribute instances to third parties).
- h. Restrictions.** The software is licensed, not sold. The manufacturer or installer and Microsoft reserve all rights (such as rights under intellectual property laws) not expressly granted in this agreement, whether by implication, estoppel or otherwise, unless applicable law gives you more rights. You must comply with any technical limitations in the software that only allow you to use it in certain ways. For example, this license does not give you any right to, and you may not:
- work around any technical restrictions or limitations in the software;
 - reverse engineer, decompile or disassemble the software, or otherwise attempt to derive the source code for the software, except and only to the extent: (i) permitted by applicable law, or (ii) required by third party licensing terms governing use of certain open source components that may be included in the software;
 - use the software's files and components within another operating system or application running on another operating system;
 - publish, rent, lease, lend, or copy the software (other than the permitted backup copy);
 - transfer the software (except as permitted by this agreement);
 - separate the server software for use in more than one operating system environment under a single license, unless expressly permitted. This applies

even if the operating system environments are on the same physical hardware system;

- use the software for commercial software hosting services; or
- when using Internet-based features you may not use those features in any way that could interfere with anyone else's use of them, or to try to gain access to or use any service, data, account or network, in an unauthorized manner.

Rights to access the software on any device do not give you any right to implement Microsoft patents or other Microsoft intellectual property in software or devices that access that device.

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 - j. Updates.** The software periodically checks for system updates and may install them for you. You may obtain updates only from Microsoft or authorized sources, and Microsoft may need to update your system to provide you with those updates. By accepting this agreement, you agree to receive these types of automatic updates without any additional notice.
 - k. Backup Copy.** You may make a single copy copies of the software solely for backup purposes. You may use it only to create instances of the software.
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