

# 32bit (x86) or 64bit (x64)

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## Windows Vista or Windows 7

### View System window in Control Panel

1. Click **Start**, type **system** in the **Start Search** box, and then click **System** in the **Control Panel** list.
2. The operating system is displayed as follows:
  - For a 64-bit version operating system: **64-bit Operating System** appears for the **System type** under **System**.
  - For a 32-bit version operating system: **32-bit Operating System** appears for the **System type** under **System**.

## Windows XP

### View System Properties in Control Panel

1. Click **Start**, and then click **Run**.
2. Type **sysdm.cpl**, and then click **OK**.
3. Click the **General** tab. The operating system is displayed as follows:
  - For a 64-bit version operating system: **Windows XP Professional x64 Edition**
  - For a 32-bit version operating system: **Windows XP Professional Edition**

## Windows Server 2003

### View System Properties in Control Panel

1. Click **Start**, and then click **Run**.
2. Type **sysdm.cpl**, and then click **OK**.
3. Click the **General** tab. The operating system is displayed as follows:
  - For a 64-bit version operating system: **Windows Server 2003 [Edition] x64 Edition** appears under **System**.
  - For a 32-bit version operating system: **Windows Server 2003 [Edition] Edition** appears under **System**.