

# eCS and virtual machines

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## Why use a virtual machine?

- Advantages
  - Migration
  - Testing
  - Hardware support

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## Why use a virtual machine?

- Disadvantages
  - Multiple operating systems
  - Multiple support systems
  - Resources
  - Performance

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## Virtual machine host choices

- Microsoft Windows
- MAC
- Linux
- eCS and OS/2

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## Virtual machine choices by host

- Microsoft Windows
  - Virtual PC
  - Parallels
  - Virtual Box
  - SVISTA
  - VMware

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## Virtual machine choices by host

- MAC
  - Virtual PC (Power PC)
  - Parallels (Intel)
- Linux
  - Parallels
  - Virtual Box
  - SVISTA
  - VMware

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## Virtual machine choices by host

- eCS and OS/2
  - Virtual Box (?)
  - SVISTA

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## Virtual machine choices

- Virtual PC 2007
  - Windows (XP, Vista)
  - MAC (Power PC only)
  - No longer supported, but SP1 was released in May 2008 (and works)
  - Free



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## Virtual machine choices

- Parallels
  - Windows (2000, XP, 2003, Vista)
  - MAC (Intel only)
  - Linux (not all distributions)
  - \$49.99 and \$79.99 (MAC)

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## Virtual machine choices

- Virtual Box
  - Windows (2000, XP, 2003)
  - MAC (?)
  - Linux (not all distributions)
  - eCS and OS/2 (?)
  - Free

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## Virtual machine choices

- SVISTA
  - Windows (NT, 2000, XP, 2003)
  - Linux (not all distributions)
  - OS/2 (MCP, eCS, WSeB)
  - No longer supported
  - \$99

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## Virtual machine choices

- VMware
  - Windows (2000, XP, 2003, Vista)
  - Linux (not all distributions)
  - \$189 and up

# eCS in virtual machines

## Summary

- Viable systems for eCS and OS/2
  - Microsoft Windows
    - Virtual PC SP1
    - Parallels
    - SVISTA (?)
  - Linux
    - Parallels
  - MAC (Intel)
    - Parallels