Microsoft Hosted Lync

Microsoft Hosted Lync enables collaboration across teams, locations and technologies as if they were all in the same place. With Lync, you can reduce travel, boost productivity and control IT costs, enabling rich communication within your company with a unified single-client experience. Enjoy Web and video conferencing, desktop sharing and instant messaging with the ability to see contacts' availability – all within a familiar Microsoft environment. It's hosted on our cloud so you get the benefits of cost-efficiency and security without the worries of day-to-day application management. Plus, we don't just claim reliability when it comes to your applications – our 99.99% uptime SLA beats the industry standard.

Standard Features

All Microsoft Hosted Lync plans are as convenient as they are useful:



Save more Microsoft Lync is a collaboration tool with enough synchronous communication features to replace costly business travel and augment remote worker connectivity.



Stay flexible Lync can be run in its own window much like other collaboration applications, or it can be integrated into the Outlook client.



Bring your own device Lync runs on Windows 8 and RT devices, Windows Phone, iOS, and Android. If a client isn't installed, PC and Mac users can join a Lync conference from within an HTML5-enabled browser.



Automatic compliance Lync conversations and meetings are archived through the Exchange integration, along with email, calendaring and other tasks. This means that IM conversations don't require separate archiving management to meet compliance requirements.



Worry less Lync's integration with Microsoft Exchange and Active Directory make it a secure collaboration application. It centralizes management so that everything can be controlled by your company's administrator.





Plans and Pricing

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Microsoft* Lync*	Standard	Premium
	\$4.99 per user/month	\$8.99 per user/month
Instant Messanger	X	
Group Chat	X	
PC-to-PC Voice & Video Chat	Х	
Remote Desktop	X	
Web/Audio Visual Conferencing		X
Desktop Sharing		X

Lync User Features

Microsoft Lync is all you need for meetings both spontaneous and scheduled with colleagues, customers and partners, allowing you to gain operational and productivity efficiencies while staying connected.



Join or schedule online meetings Integration with Exchange allows for single-click scheduling directly from Outlook, with predefined conferencing properties that meet the needs of a majority of users without any modifications. Participants can join meetings directly from Outlook from their Lync PC client.



Desktop and application sharing Presenters can broadcast visuals, applications, web pages, documents, software or any part of a desktop to conference participants.



Virtual whiteboard online meetings become more effective with the use of a virtual whiteboard, allowing presenters to draw, add text and highlight information with powerful and flexible annotation tools.

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