

# Software licensing

ChemIT facilitates access to many licensed software packages. Please feel free to ask us if you have software needs- we can often save you money and time.

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Thank you!

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## See also

- [Software not licensed by ChemIT](#)
- For Chemistry IT staff only
  - [Software codes, etc.](#)
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## Licenses ChemIT directly manages or bulk-purchases

- [ChemBio3D](#)
  - [ChemOffice Professional 15 includes ChemDraw and other software.](#) — This page helps clarify what is included in PerkinElmer's ChemOffice Professional 15 ensemble, which is the software licensed by the Cornell University Library for the Cornell community.
  - [Roles of the Library, CIT, and ChemIT, for ChemBioDraw](#) — Funding for ChemBioDraw is generously provided by the Library. ChemIT provides support for CCB department users.
- [Intel compilers](#)
  - [Intel licensing information](#) — Intel's licensing and their names can cause confusion. This page hopefully helps inform us about Intel's "non-commercial" license and its intents.
- [Microsoft Imagine \(was DreamSpark\)](#) — Microsoft allows use of select software for education and research, including their operating systems and programming tools.
  - [Chemistry Department and MS DreamSpark](#) — Chemistry IT signed up, at no cost, for a Microsoft DreamSpark Premium subscription to benefit Chemistry Department educators, researchers, and graduate students in October 2013. One benefit, for example, is that Chemistry Department graduate students can now get a copy of the current version of Windows (\$40-200) on their personal laptops, for free (one licensed copy per OS level). As well as other Microsoft software.
  - [DreamSpark licensing rules and interpretations](#) — ChemIT has highlighted some of the MS DreamSpark program licensing rules on this page. And Oliver has documented his interpretation, FWIW.
  - [Microsoft DreamSpark Admin](#) — Everyone at Cornell can access "DreamSpark Standard" for free. STEM use for research and teaching can also get "DreamSpark Premium" for free, under Cornell's MS site-license agreement (versus \$499 enrollment + annual renewal fee). ChemIT's subscription expires 2017-10-16.
  - [MS DreamSpark licensing history at CCB](#) — If CCB pays for a subscription and administers permission lists, CCB faculty and students get professional developer tools and software from Microsoft via downloads.
- [PGI compiler](#) — PGI compiler required to compile Gaussian so ChemIT renews maintenance at \$810/yr.

## SBGrid software

Leslie Kinsland, Ealick's group, manages CU's SBGrid software licensing.

## Software not licensed by ChemIT

- [Autodesk, including AutoCad and Inventor](#) — For Windows and Mac: Licensed for any Cornell-owned computer. And more!
- [CrystalMaker](#)
- [EndNote](#) — EndNote licensing is expensive and options are varied and not straightforward. This page attempts to untangle their costs and trade-offs related to the different buying and upgrading options.
- [LabVIEW](#) — The Chemistry Department pays CU Software for this license on behalf of all uses in Chemistry. It was \$1,800 in 2015.
- [Microsoft Office for Chemistry Grad students](#) — Everyone at Cornell can get MS Office for free, on their personal devices.
  - [Info from before O365's license allowed everyone to get 5 copies for their personal computers.](#) — DEPRECATED PAGE. Grads used to have to buy Office if they wanted it on their personal computers. Microsoft has since changed their licensing of O365.
- [Pearson Crystal Data software](#) — Oliver's installation notes from June 15, 2016, sent to Leah at the Library.
- [Software licensed centrally \(for researchers\), but with issues](#)

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## Other Software Resources

Do you have a need for **Mathematica** or **Matlab**, from your own computer? These packages, and other software, are available to you, for free, via [our pre-paid account with CISER](#).

- Using software via CISER not only means you don't have to pay for individual licenses, but the software will be running within a very powerful environment, with full support. Give it a try, right from your own computer, any OS!

- for MatLab licenses, see details at our [Software not licensed by ChemIT](#) wiki page.

## Other places to find software you need

### Your group's research lab

Contact <[ChemIT@cornell.edu](mailto:ChemIT@cornell.edu)> for site license pricing.

Example: MatLab is Aug 1- July 31st, not prorated. Cost is \$180/machine/yr.

### Public Cornell-based labs

What public labs have **MatLab** (or JMP, Minitab, SAS, SPSS, and STATA) on campus?

<http://www.cscu.cornell.edu/software/labs.php>

Map of other labs on campus, with ability to choose software you are looking for:

<http://mapping.cit.cornell.edu/publiclabs/map/index.cfm>