The Windows Server 2003 family includes the following products:

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| **Windows Server 2003, Standard Edition** | Windows Server 2003, Standard Edition, is the reliable network operating system that delivers business solutions quickly and easily. This flexible server is the ideal choice for small businesses and departmental use.  
  
  Windows Server 2003, Standard Edition:  
  - Supports file and printer sharing.  
  - Offers secure Internet connectivity.  
  - Allows centralized desktop application deployment.  
  
  For more information, see the [Windows Server 2003, Standard Edition, Overview](#). |
  
  Windows Server 2003, Enterprise Edition:  
  - Is a full-function server operating system that supports up to eight processors.  
  - Provides enterprise-class features such as eight-node clustering and support for up to 32 GB of memory.  
  - Is available for Intel Itanium-based computers.  
  - Will be available for 64-bit computing platforms capable of supporting 8 processors and 64 GB of RAM.  
  
  For more information, see the [Windows Server 2003, Enterprise Edition, Overview](#). |
| **Windows Server 2003, Datacenter Edition** | Windows Server 2003, Datacenter Edition, is built for business-critical and mission-critical applications that demand the highest levels of reliability, availability, and scalability. A critical, and exclusive component of the high-end server offering is the Datacenter High Availability Program of support and services.  
  
  Windows Server 2003, Datacenter Edition:  
  - Is the most powerful and functional server operating system Microsoft has ever offered.  
  - Supports up to 32-way SMP and 64 GB of RAM with the 32-bit version.  
  - Supports up to 128-way machines with individual partitions of up to 64 processors and 512 GB of RAM with the 64-bit version.  
  - Provides both eight-node clustering and load balancing services as standard features.  
  - Includes Windows System Resource Manager to facilitate consolidation and system management.  
  
  For more information, see the [Windows Server 2003, Datacenter Edition, Overview](#). |
  
  Windows Server 2003, Web Edition:  
  - Is provided for building and hosting Web applications, Web pages, and XML Web Services.  
  - Is designed to be used primarily as an IIS 6.0 Web server.  
  - Provides a platform for rapidly developing and deploying XML Web services and ... |
Applications that use ASP.NET technology, a key part of the .NET Framework.

- Is easy to deploy and manage.

For more information, see the Windows Server 2003, Web Edition, Overview.