

DRAGON NATURALLYSPEAKING 11 PREMIUM

Version 10 and 11 Comparison



version 10
2008



version 11
2010

FEATURE	DESCRIPTION	VERSION 10 - 2008	VERSION 11 - 2010
Core Speech Recognition Accuracy	Fewer speech recognition errors “out of the box”	up to 20% more accurate than Version 9; significant increase in accuracy for accented speakers by using more advanced adaptation techniques and accent-specific models	15% fewer speech recognition errors out of the box than Version 10; introduces Recognition Analytics (Dragon automatically detects poor audio input and alerts the user, offering advice to remedy the situation); multi-core support makes use of machines with multi-core architecture
Speed	Most people speak about 120 words per minute, but type fewer than 40 words a minute. Dragon lets users create documents about three times faster than typing by hand.	Words appear on the screen as soon as they’re dictated -- more than 50% reduction of latency time (delay); installation automatically detects PC’s resources and adjusts options for optimal speed	Faster response times for commands
Formatting and Editing Text	Ability to control the way words appear in documents	Introduces Quick Voice Formatting (one-step commands to delete, bold, underline, italicize, and copy text and passages); new Formatting dialog and Word Properties let you control the written forms more finely than ever, including alternate forms, spacing and capitalization before and after each item	Multiple match indicator allows users to edit/format multiple instances of a word or phrase; enhanced correction menu and spelling window; new “don’t recognize again” command; Dragon “learns” from corrections, including keyboard corrections, faster than ever before

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Ease of Use: User Interface	DragonBar menus and buttons give users quick and easy access to Dragon features and functions	Updated DragonBar -- icons are intuitive and easy to see	Enhanced DragonBar with contextual messages to improve usability and feature discoverability; new Dragon Sidebar presenting commands and tips; new results indicator encourages continuous speech
Ease of Use: Enrollment / User Profile for New Users	“Teach” the software to recognize your voice	Self-paced reading is available for speakers who have difficulty with the existing interactive text passages	Redesigned Profile Creation Wizard with focus on ease of use; scheduled tasks no longer require a password; more readable text for enrollment and microphone check
Ease of Use: Help System and Tutorials	Become an expert user in no time	Includes enhanced Sample Commands window and interactive HTML tutorial with a completely new look and feel.	Includes richer tutorial and tips; at anytime, users can search the Help for a particular word or phrase with the command “search Dragon Help for <xyz>”
Productivity: Application Support	Full Text Control allows users to use voice to perform direct dictation, selection, correction, and cursor movement within text. Menu Tracking provides the ability to use voice to “click” an application’s menus, buttons, dialog boxes, etc. Natural Language Commands (let users state their intent within a specific application instead of following the menu-selection and mouse steps of the Windows interface)	Includes support for Office 2007 applications, including Microsoft Word and Internet Explorer	Includes support for Office 2010 applications; full text control, menu tracking and natural language commands for more applications including Microsoft Outlook and Microsoft Excel; includes full text control for OpenOffice Writer
Productivity: Dragon Voice Shortcuts for Web Search and desktop search	Dragon Voice Shortcuts™ collapse common multi-step tasks into direct voice commands	Search the Web (or desktop) for information, products, news and more – faster than ever.	Allows precise, efficient searches with confirmation window that gives users a chance to edit or add to text prior to execution of search commands; new shortcut commands to search specific web sites
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Wireless and Mobile	Allows Bluetooth microphone as input device; allows transcription from digital recorders	Pre-packaged Bluetooth “bundle”	Reduced digital recorder enrollment reading time to 4 minutes; direct support for recordings in .dss and .ds2 file formats