# Download the PLS-WEB MAX+PLUS II Software for Free

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The PLS-WEB software is a free, entry-level version of the MAX+PLUS® II software. With the PLS-WEB software, you can use the MAX+PLUS II design environment for six months and take advantage of its performance, ease of use, and extensive features to enhance your design productivity.

# A Complete Feature Set

The PLS-WEB software features a seamless development flow, which allows you to enter, compile, and perform timing analysis on your design and program a wide range of Altera devices. See Table 1.

Table 1. PLS-WEB Features

Feature	Description
Device support	Supports EPF10K10, EPM9320, EPF8452A, EPF8282A, EPF6016, and
	MAX® 7000S devices; as well as the MAX 7000, MAX 5000, and Classic <sup>™</sup> device
	families
Design entry	Schematic- and text-based design entry
	Interfaces to popular EDA tools
	Floorplan editing
Design compilation	Logic synthesis and automatic fitting
	Automatic error location
	OpenCore <sup>™</sup> evaluation
Design verification	Timing analysis
Programming	Device programming
	Jam™ programming and test language
Other features	On-line help

### System Requirements

The PLS-WEB software runs on stand-alone PCs and PCs in a networked environment. Before downloading the PLS-WEB software, you can obtain additional information on system requirements by referring to the MAX+PLUS II **read.me** file, available on the Altera web site at **http://www.altera.com**.

### **Downloading PLS-WEB**

You can install the PLS-WEB software by downloading the file from the Altera web site and then obtaining a license file. Detailed instructions on how to install the PLS-WEB software are available on the Altera web site. The PLS-WEB installation file is approximately 18 Mbytes; the time required to download the file depends on the type of Internet access you have and the general traffic on the Internet.



### References

The following documents provide more detailed information.

- MAX+PLUS II Programmable Logic Development System & Software Data Sheet (available in the 1998 Data Book)
- *MAX+PLUS II Getting Started Manual* (only available from Altera's web site)

You can request the documents from:

- Altera Literature Services at (888) 3-ALTERA
- World-wide web at http://www.altera.com
- Your local Altera sales representative

