



## Support Terms

<b>End of Sale (EOS)</b>	The date a software product release stops being sold. We generally support up to two major versions before they are declared EOS (e.g., the current major version and the one before it).
<b>End of Life (EOL)</b>	The date on which a software product reaches its end of life in terms of technical support and product updates. Our EOL cycle generally spans 24 to 30 months. Once a software product reaches EOL, it is not available for download/install, and it is not supported or updated.
<b>Self-Service Support</b>	Self-service support documentation is available on our support portal at <a href="https://support.quark.com">support.quark.com</a> .
<b>Major Release</b>	A new version of software product that includes changes to the architecture and/or delivers significant new features, enhancements to existing features, or performance improvements, as well as error corrections. Quark delivers at least one major release annually.
<b>Feature Release</b>	A superseding release of the current major release that adds to, improves or enhances substantial features, functionalities and capabilities of the current release. Quark delivers feature releases every six months, referred to as semi-annual releases.
<b>Maintenance Release / Bug Fix</b>	An update, upgrade, revision, patch, bug fix, security/vulnerability fix or an improved, upgraded or enhanced version of the software product to which a customer is rightfully entitled by way of a valid maintenance agreement, warranty or other Quark contract.
<b>OS Upgrade Release</b>	A release that addresses compatibility with the latest OS upgrades. Major and maintenance releases address OS upgrade issues.
<b>Legacy Version</b>	A software product that has reached its EOL. No support is available for a legacy version unless stipulated in the maintenance contract or agreed in writing with Quark.
<b>Security Updates</b>	Quark continuously reviews its software products for any security/vulnerability risks and releases updates to manage/mitigate those risks.
<b>Remote Desktop Diagnostics</b>	A customer may request support services via remote computer access. In doing so, they agree to grant Quark Support access to any and all customer systems dependent on Quark products via an external computer controlled by Quark. The sole purpose of this access is to provide support services to the customer.
<b>Technical Support</b>	Technical Support includes troubleshooting of technical issues and provide resolution/possible workaround to the end user with case type of an outage, defect, product issue, installation support, product information, how to or sales question.

## Support Entitlements

The following information details Quark's provision of support to an eligible entity ("customer") for the applicable products (each a "product" and collectively "products").

### PROCESS FOR FEATURE REQUEST

If the support request does not qualify as a valid product failure when compared to its associated documentation, then it will be treated as a feature request and may be scheduled for an upcoming product release or as a paid customization delivered through Professional Services.

### TOP PRIORITIES (ISSUES AND BUGS)

Quark manages bug fixes through a patch-management process governed in accordance with our service level agreement (SLA).

## Quark Bug Management

Quark manages bugs through a patch-management process governed in accordance with the below SLA guidelines.

<p><b>Level 1</b> Critical Business Impact</p>	<p>Renders the Quark product inoperable or causes the Quark products to fail catastrophically. All users are impacted.</p>	<p><b>Response Time</b> 3 business hours</p> <p><b>Target Resolution</b> within 1 business day</p> <p><b>RCA Analysis</b> within 5 business days of resolution of case</p>
<p><b>Level 2</b> Major Business Impact</p>	<p>Severely degraded performance or some important functionality is unavailable, but the product continues to operate although in a restricted fashion. No workaround is available, and some users are impacted.</p>	<p><b>Response Time</b> 8 business hours</p> <p><b>Target Resolution</b> within 10 business days</p> <p><b>*RCA Analysis</b> within 10 business days of resolution of case</p>
<p><b>Level 3</b> Medium Impact</p>	<p>No major impact on the use of Quark products, and short-term workaround is available. Only a few users are affected.</p>	<p><b>Response Time</b> 24 business hours</p> <p><b>Target Resolution</b> within 30 business days</p>
<p><b>Level 4</b> Low Impact</p>	<p>Standard functionality queries, like how-to questions or requests for product info, and documentation errors.</p>	<p><b>Response Time</b> 72 business hours</p> <p><b>Target Resolution</b> within 90 business days</p>

\*Only when RCA is requested

## Processing Support Request Within Defined Resolution Time

- Quark will use commercially reasonable efforts to **diagnose a technical issue and provide a remedy** by eliminating the defect, providing software updates, demonstrating how to avoid the issue, or informing the end user that the issue requires more time to resolve. Despite Quark's exercise of reasonable efforts, we may not be able to resolve some problems, **so a resolution time is not guaranteed**.
- The **processing time begins** when the Quark's Support Team acknowledges **receipt of the support request**. If the support request cannot be resolved within a commercially reasonable timeframe, the support request may be escalated within the Quark Support organization.
- Customer's designated **technical contact must be available to work with Quark Support** while Quark works to resolve the support request.
- The **SLA is applicable only to reported cases occurring within a production environment** and with a case type of an outage, defect, product issue, installation support, product information, how-to or sales question.

## Right to Modify Resolution Times

Quark reserves the right to alter resolution times, with reasonable discretion, and will notify customers in advance if any change to the resolution time will occur.

Customers who have a valid support plan or contract may contact Quark Support at the numbers below:

### UNITED STATES

9 AM – 8 PM EST  
800-676-4575

### GERMANY

8.30 AM – 5.30 PM CEST  
800-180-0101

### UNITED KINGDOM

8:30 AM – 5:30 PM BST  
800-101-7082

### FRANCE

8:30 AM – 5:30 PM CEST  
800-913-457

### INDIA

10:00 AM – 7:00 PM IST  
800-050-2361

**QuarkXPress, QuarkXPress CopyDesk & Quark App Publishing Studio Support Plans**

License Type	QuarkXPress Subscription	
Commercial Plans	Students, Academic Institutions, Charities and NGOs	Standard, Government Organization
<b>Product Upgrades</b>		
Major Releases	Yes	Yes
Maintenance Releases	Yes	Yes
<b>Product Support</b>		
Technical Support	No	Yes
Support Hours	NA	18x5
Email/Web Portal Support	No	Yes
Phone	No	Yes
Chat	Sales / Account Queries	Yes
Access to Knowledge Base	Yes	Yes
Multi-Language Support	EN, FR, GE	EN, FR, GE
Remote Desktop Diagnostics	No	Yes
Download and Installation	Yes	Yes
Serial Number and Activation	Yes	Yes

**QuarkXPress, QuarkXPress CopyDesk & Quark App Publishing Studio Support Plans**

License Type	QuarkXPress Perpetual	
Commercial Plans	Without Advantage Plan, Expired Advantage Plan	Active Advantage Plan
<b>Product Upgrades</b>		
Major Releases	No	Yes
Maintenance Releases	Yes	Yes
<b>Product Support</b>		
Technical Support	No	Yes
Support Hours	NA	18x5
Email/Web Portal Support	No	Yes
Phone	No	Yes
Chat	Sales / Account Queries	Yes
Access to Knowledge Base	Yes	Yes
Multi-Language Support	EN, FR, GE	EN, FR, GE
Remote Desktop Diagnostics	No	Yes
Download and Installation	Yes	Yes
Serial Number and Activation	Yes	Yes

**Quark Publishing Platform (QPP) & Quark Docurated Support Plans**

<b>Plan Name</b>	<b>Base Support Plan</b>	<b>Extended Support Plan</b>	<b>Premium Support Plan</b>
<b>Product Upgrades</b>			
Major Releases	Yes	Yes	Yes
Maintenance Releases	Yes	Yes	Yes
Security Updates & Review	Yes	Yes	Yes
Deployments	No	No	Yes
<b>Product Support</b>			
Technical Support	Yes	Yes	Yes
Support Hours	9x5	24x5	24x7
Email/Web Portal Support	Yes	Yes	Yes
Phone	Yes	Yes	Yes
Chat	Yes	Yes	Yes
Access to Knowledge Base	Yes	Yes	Yes
Multi-Language Support	EN, FR, GE	EN, FR, GE	EN, FR, GE
Consultancy for Enhancements & Escalations	No	No	Yes
Remote Desktop Diagnostics	Yes	Yes	Yes

**Supported Versions**

	New/Improved Features	OS Upgrade Release	Bug Fixes	Technical Support	Self-Service Support
<b>Current Version</b>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
<b>EOS</b>	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓
<b>EOL</b>	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓





**Supported Versions – QuarkXPress & QuarkXPress CopyDesk**

	Current Version	EOS	EOL
<b>2022</b>	✓	✗	31 Nov 2024
<b>2021</b>	Previous Version	✗	30 Nov 2023
<b>2020 or prior</b>	Legacy Version	✓	✓





**Supported Versions – Quark Publishing Platform (QPP)**

	Current Version	EOS	EOL
<b>QPP 16.X</b>	✓	✗	✗
<b>QPP 15.X</b>	Previous Version	✓	31 Dec 2024
<b>QPP 14.X or prior</b>	Legacy Version	✓	✓

**Supported Versions – QPP NextGen**

	Current Version	EOS	EOL
<b>NG 2.X</b>			
<b>NG 1.X</b>	Previous Version		31 Jan 2023

**Supported Versions – Quark Docurated**

	New/Improved Features	OS Upgrade Release	Bug Fixes	Self-Service Support
<b>Latest Version</b>				

**OS Support – QuarkXPress / QuarkXPress CopyDesk**

	macOS Supported	Windows OS Supported
<b>2022</b>	macOS 10.15.1 - Catalina macOS 11.0.1 - Big Sur macOS 12.0.1- Monterey	Windows 11 Version 21H2 (64 bit) or later, Windows 10 Version 21H1 (64 bit), Microsoft Windows 8.1 with April 2014 update rollup update (KB2919355), and March 2014 servicing stack update (KB2919442) (64 bit)
<b>2021</b>	macOS 10.14.6 - Mojave macOS 10.15.1 - Catalina macOS 11.0.1 - Big Sur	Windows 8.1 with April 2014 roll up update (KB2919355) and March 2014 servicing stack update (KB2919442) (64 Bit), Windows 10 Version 1803 (64 Bit) or later
<b>2020</b>	macOS 10.14.6 - Mojave macOS 10.15.1 - Catalina macOS 11.0.1 - Big Sur	Windows 8.1 with April 2014 roll up update (KB2919355) and March 2014 servicing stack update (KB2919442) (64 Bit), Windows 10 Version 1803 (64 Bit) or later



## OS Support – Quark App Publishing Studio

### OS COMPATIBILITY

iOS: 13, 14 and 15

Android: 8 and above

### BROWSER SUPPORT

Latest versions of the following browsers:

Google Chrome

Microsoft Edge

Safari (Mac)

Firefox

Opera

## OS Support – Quark Publishing Platform

	Windows OS Supported	Linux OS Supported
<b>QPP 16.x</b>	Windows Server 2012 R2, 64-bit Windows Server 2016, 64-bit Windows Server 2019, 64-bit	Red Hat Enterprise Linux Server release 7.7 (Maipo)
<b>QPP 15.x</b>	Windows Server 2012 R2, 64-bit Windows Server 2016, 64-bit Windows Server 2019, 64-bit	Red Hat Enterprise Linux Server release 7.7 (Maipo)

## Browser Support – QPP & QPP NextGen (Quark Author)

	Browsers Supported
<b>QPP NextGen</b>	Google Chrome (latest released version) Apple Safari (latest released version)
<b>QPP 15.x and QPP 16.x</b>	Google Chrome (latest) Apple Safari (latest) Internet Explorer – 10 & 11

**OS Support – QuarkXPress Server****Windows OS Supported**


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**QuarkXPress  
Server 18.x (2022)**

Windows Server 2012 R2, 64-bit  
Windows Server 2016, 64-bit  
Windows Server 2019, 64-bit

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**QuarkXPress  
Server 16.x (2020)**

Windows Server 2012 R2, 64-bit  
Windows Server 2016, 64-bit  
Windows Server 2019, 64-bit

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**OS Support – Quark XML Author****Windows OS Supported**


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**Quark XML Author 7.x  
(for QPP)**

Windows 7 – 32-bit, 64-bit (Enterprise, Professional or Ultimate)  
Windows 8 – 32-bit, 64-bit  
Windows 8.1 – 32-bit, 64-bit  
Windows 10 – 32-bit, 64-bit

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**Quark XML Author 8.x  
(for QPP NextGen)**

Windows 8 – 64-bit  
Windows 8.1 – 64-bit  
Windows 10 – 64-bit

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**MS Office Support – Quark XML Author****Windows OS Supported**


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**Quark XML  
Author 7.x  
(For QPP)**

Microsoft Office 2010 32-bit, Professional Edition  
Microsoft Office 2013 32-bit, Professional Edition (Build 4849.1000 or later)  
Microsoft Office 2016 32-bit, Professional Edition (Semi-annual Channel: Version 1602, Build 6741.2071, released on September 13, 2016 or later.)  
Microsoft Office 2016 64-bit,  
Microsoft Office 365 ProPlus (Semiannual Channel: Version 1701, Build 7766.2092, released on June13, 2017 or later.)

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**Quark XML  
Author 8.x  
(For QPP NextGen)**

"Microsoft Office 2016 64 bit, Professional Edition (Deferred Channel: Version 1602, Build 6741.2071. Released on September 13, 2016)"  
Microsoft Office 365 (2016 and 2019) 64-bit



## Support for EOL Versions

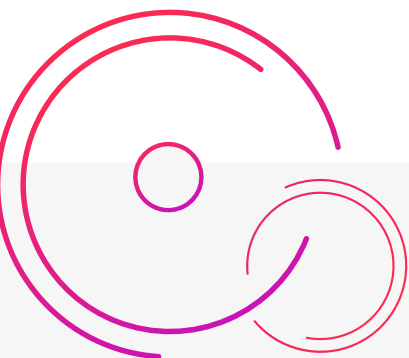
### Support Policy

Applicable if the customer commits to upgrade completion by December 31, 2022

Quark shall use commercially reasonable efforts to diagnose a technical issue and provide a remedy with a possible workaround or resolution for avoiding the issue. It shall provide resolution for case types of **outage, product issue, installation support, product information** or **how-to / sales questions**.

Any issue defined as requiring a new product release such as a **product defect, security issue or new feature request** will not be supported.

**Self-service support** will continue to be available for all known product issues.



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