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Thread: [Microsoft Edge Browser](#)

officebox1620 - March 30, 2018, 11:55 pm

Please is there any version of Microsoft edge browser that is compatible with Win 8.1, i am only seeing for Win10 i am using Win8.1.

fremick - May 25, 2018, 5:32 am

there is none its only meant for win 10

jerrydik - May 25, 2018, 12:15 pm

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Vyxn - May 25, 2018, 10:51 pm

Why don't you just go with Windows 10?

f1re_w1re - July 15, 2018, 6:44 pm

I personally detest Edge.

Amasis - August 16, 2018, 5:20 am

upgrade and you're good to go

Walhala52 - August 31, 2018, 1:49 pm

You can't, maybe in the future, but not right now.

Only way would be to install in on VM, which you probably wouldn't like to do, because it is not effective...

6603 - September 10, 2018, 3:24 pm

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Blazin - September 10, 2018, 3:28 pm

(Sep 10, 2018 03:24 PM)6603 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Just use google chrome or firefox they are faster

I always thought chrome was the fastest it's what I use, but when I see things like this.

<https://www.zdnet.com/article/windows-10s-edge-vs-chrome-were-faster-and-win-in-battery-face-off-says-microsoft/>

Makes me wonder.

Hmm... M\$ cheated. They created some new network functions in the core of Windows 10 and then used them function in their browser. While chrome and FF and the rest use the other functions.

S2K - November 19, 2018, 5:09 am

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Disease - November 23, 2018, 3:18 pm

(Nov 19, 2018 06:09 AM)Ms-DOs Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Unfortunately Windows 10 apps and store apps are only works with 10

And this genuinely is unfortunate, particularly in the case of Edge. IE11, because of that, is going to become an issue for web developers if people hold onto pre-Win10 machines. Thankfully IE11 and Edge, combined, only makeup ~5% of all web traffic. But as IE11 is no longer being actively developed, and is on maintain-only, it'll be a pain in any web developer's ass until its web traffic dips low enough to justify ignoring.

Arder1968 - December 11, 2018, 7:17 am

What version of Microsoft edge browser is compatible with Windows ?

Effexion - December 29, 2018, 5:46 am

Why would you even want to use Edge?

Frypto22 - February 24, 2019, 1:52 am

(May 25, 2018 12:15 PM)jerrydik Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Only for Win 10 (Home, Pro , S etc) but honestly I hate it, I prefer google chromeMe too chrome is the best

Arefas - February 24, 2019, 6:12 am

(Feb 24, 2019 02:52 AM)Frypto22 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Me too chrome is the bestkilling ram actually but better to use

nicodxmus - March 4, 2019, 7:57 pm

I was testing edge for about 2 months and it's really terrible at all. After this, I started using Vivaldi and it's much better than any other browser which I was testing.

Int3l1 - March 7, 2020, 4:07 pm

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Blazin - March 7, 2020, 4:37 pm

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Edge is using the chrom engine now, so I don't see a reason not to give it at least a chance.

However, I prefer Opera or chrome, but if you want to get technical they use the chrome engine too.

shitmaster - April 18, 2020, 1:25 pm

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Blazin - April 18, 2020, 1:50 pm

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Simplex - April 18, 2020, 2:29 pm

Only for windows 10. Use firefox or the Brave browser. So much better.

Blazin - April 18, 2020, 2:30 pm

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Yeah chrome seems a bit more stable for now will still be doing more tests.

Mr. Atlas - May 1, 2020, 10:17 am

Edge is the new version of Explorer, it's still shit

cola - May 1, 2020, 2:19 pm

Just use firefox or brave or some chromium open source browser. Honestly would do better than edge and firefox respects your privacy.

knowledge - May 2, 2020, 3:35 am

You can try Opera or firefox
People are not using Microsoft edge

BruteForce ? - May 2, 2020, 10:25 am

Switch from Edge, it is just a rebranded Microsoft explorer, horrible.

n0\$f3ratu\$ - May 4, 2020, 3:15 pm

<https://www.microsoftedgeinsider.com/en-us/download/?platform=win8dot1>

Enjoy it!

jecoylecroy - August 7, 2020, 1:04 am

Microsoft edge just select 8.1 in dropdown arrow

<https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/edge>