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Thread: [Open office, Libre Office, Microsoft Office?](#)

jimcola99 - December 31, 2019, 9:02 pm

Open office, Libre Office, Microsoft Office?

What do you use for making documents and spreadsheets?

Grey - December 31, 2019, 9:03 pm

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jimcola99 - December 31, 2019, 9:05 pm

(Dec 31, 2019 10:03 PM)Grey Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I thought about using open office, but I ended up just using Google Sheets. All of google's word processing services are good and convenient.

Yea, I have heard good things about Google Docs. Gonna give it a shot myself.

Fish - December 31, 2019, 9:05 pm

Microsoft office, it's flawless. Auto backup with OneDrive makes it even better

Moxxi - December 31, 2019, 9:07 pm

usually just use google docs

Aeowulf - December 31, 2019, 9:27 pm

Office at work, and I got a copy for \$10 through my work, so that one.

The others aren't bad, especially for the price. I wouldn't pay full price for Office.

spiral - December 31, 2019, 9:33 pm

microsoft office or the apple ones if im desperate

DNA - January 1, 2020, 1:45 am

Google Docs but if offline, OpenOffice on Windows, LibreOffice on Linux

Bastille - January 1, 2020, 1:46 am

Microsoft Office with work, otherwise I would probably use Libre Office I guess

MavenGradle - January 1, 2020, 1:46 am

I'm using LibreOffice for personal usage and unfortunately I'm stuck using MS Office at the workplace. You know how it goes. If I could, I'd get them all to switch, but most people just stick to what they know..

0l1v14 - January 1, 2020, 5:22 am

On Linux I use LibreOffice, on Windows I use Microsoft. On either, if I'm collaborating with someone, I use an online editor (usually Google Docs).

Takehito Morokuzu - January 1, 2020, 5:44 am

MS office if I have a license, otherwise I use WPS office which is the best free alternative.

spradebassen - January 1, 2020, 6:08 am

Microsoft is the best

the others are free though

Dhoroty - January 1, 2020, 6:50 am

Mostly Microsoft Office, sometimes Google Sheets

Sucxex - January 1, 2020, 7:23 am

(Dec 31, 2019 10:02 PM)jimcola99 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Open office, Libre Office, Microsoft Office?

What do you use for making documents and spreadsheets?Microsoft Office the last few times i had done this

InvictusLatinus - January 2, 2020, 10:57 am

(Jan 1, 2020 06:44 AM)Takehito Morokuzu Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) MS office if I have a license, otherwise I use WPS office which is the best free alternative. I use LibreOffice. What would you say is better about WPS?

Takehito Morokuzu - January 2, 2020, 12:43 pm

(Jan 2, 2020 11:57 AM)InvictusLatinus Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I use LibreOffice. What would you say is better about WPS?

Similar UI to MS Office, more features. LibreOffice looks more like office 2003

Slim - January 2, 2020, 12:43 pm

My work mostly uses Google Docs but some people need excel to run the more heavy macros. I do think the GSuite is good enough for your average user these days. No need to pay money when Google offers it for free. But in a business environment you're looking at lost productivity if you don't buy it so it's worth it in the long run.

InvictusLatinus - January 2, 2020, 3:37 pm

(Jan 2, 2020 01:43 PM)Takehito Morokuzu Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Similar UI to MS Office, more features. LibreOffice looks more like office 2003

OK,

I'll try it out. Thank you.

MavenGradle - January 2, 2020, 8:02 pm

(Jan 2, 2020 04:37 PM)InvictusLatinus Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) OK,

I'll try it out. Thank you.

There's also FreeOffice, which can be installed by default on Manjaro Linux (available for other distributions as well, but just pointing this out):

<https://www.freeoffice.com/en/>

Do note that this is not FOSS and is proprietary software.

Rumler Alva - September 6, 2025, 8:29 am

Microsoft office

Jamika - September 6, 2025, 9:13 am

Libre is way better on pc , at least its free