

# NVivo Server 10: Licensing Overview

Working on a qualitative or mixed methods research project in pairs or in teams? Now you can effortlessly collaborate, streamline project administration, and work securely with more data.

NVivo Server 10 licensing and information on how to buy the software.

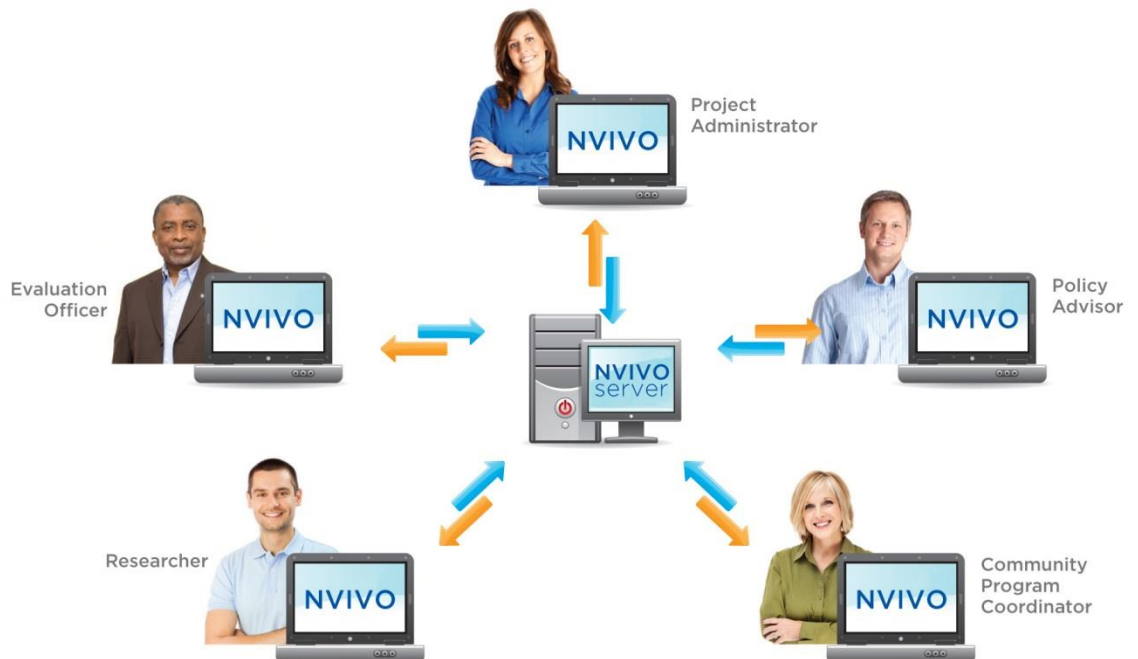
NVivo Server 10 lets you analyze and manage NVivo 10 for Windows projects centrally so your team can work in the same project at the same time. NVivo Server 10's licensing is based on the number of users and the hardware that the software will be installed on.

## Licensing overview

All team members need to be using either NVivo 10 for Windows or NVivo 9 licenses (perpetual or time-limited), and your organization needs a license to install NVivo Server 10 onto the server.

## How it works

As NVivo Server enables multiple users to access and work on each centrally stored NVivo project – it needs to be installed on a server that is connected to a network. Here's an example of a team that are reviewing public policy:



There are two components to an NVivo Server license – processor licenses and Client Access Licenses (CALs).

### Processor licensing

- NVivo Server is installed on your server. Every server has a number of processors (CPUs), each with a certain number of cores. NVivo Server processor licenses are based on quad-core (4-core) processors, and the number of licenses you require is determined by the number of cores allocated to the server.
- You must purchase a license key with at least one processor license. If you upgrade your hardware, you may need to purchase additional processor licenses.
- **Example:** XYZ Organization will be installing NVivo Server onto one server which has one 6-core processor. NVivo Server processor licenses are based on quad-core (4-core) processors. Therefore, XYZ Organization will need to buy two processor licenses.

### Client Access Licenses (CALs)

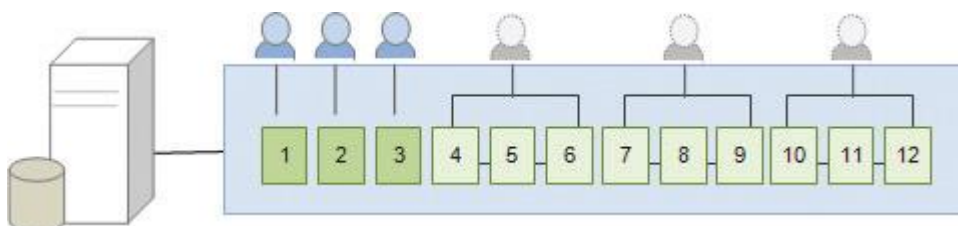
- Your NVivo Server license entitles you to a number of Client Access Licenses (CALs) that allow users to access server projects.
- CALs can be allocated to:
  - Named users—specified user accounts (not groups) that have 1 CAL reserved for their specific use. These user accounts have a guaranteed server connection at all times.
  - Concurrent users—user accounts or groups that do not have any CALs reserved for their use. These user accounts require 3 CALs each. Concurrent or ‘floating’ users connect to NVivo Server on a first-come, first-served basis. A concurrent user can only connect if there are available CALs.
- **Example:** XYZ Organization has three researchers that must have guaranteed access to NVivo Server projects at all times—so they require three ‘named’ users.

They also have three people in their product development team that periodically need to work with NVivo Server projects at any given time. So they also require three concurrent (or unnamed) users. Therefore, in addition to two processor licenses (see example 1), this organization will need the following CALs:

Three named users = 3 CALs

Three concurrent (unnamed) users = 3 x 3 CALs = 9 CALs

They need a total of 12 CALs



## License keys

- When you purchase NVivo Server, you will initially receive one license key. This license key is 'customized' for you and entitles you to a specific number of processor licenses and CALs purchased.
- You will also require separate license(s) for your NVivo 'client' software (which is purchased separately).
- If you would like to provide more users with access to NVivo Server projects, you will need to purchase additional or 'supplementary' CALs.
- If you purchase a new server with additional processors for example, you will need to purchase an additional or 'supplementary' processor license.

## Buying NVivo Server

Talk to us about your team project requirements and we'll provide you with a free, no obligation quote. Because each team project is different - your licensing needs will differ too. We'll help you determine the best solution for your team.

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