

# Update: HP t310 Zero Client ENERGY STAR Certification



## Dear Important Customer / Partner:

HP zero clients are highly energy efficient computing devices due to the low powered nature of the electrical components used in their design. This category of computing products is targeted toward commercial and institutional market segments for use in conjunction with virtual desktop infrastructures.

This notice is to inform you about a change to the ENERGY STAR® certification for the HP t310 Zero Client and HP t310 All-in-One Zero Client product lines. For several years, these zero client platform have been marketed as qualified for, and have correctly displayed, the U.S.A. EPA's ENERGY STAR® logo, because they meet the technical energy efficiency requirements set forth by the ENERGY STAR® program.

ENERGY STAR® technical requirements include power management, shipment requirements (for Ethernet capable systems), and the ETEC limits with adders if applicable.

With the revisions to the ENERGY STAR® Program Requirements for Computers (Version 6.0), a new subset of computing devices categorized as "Ultra-Thin Clients" was established and excluded from scope of the ENERGY STAR® Computer Program. Based on their definition of ultra-thin clients the EPA included zero client devices such as the HP t310 Zero Client and HP t310 All-in-One Zero Client in this new category. In response to this new categorization, HP has removed the ENERGY STAR® Certification Mark from each of these zero client products, and the EPA has removed the products from the ENERGY STAR® Qualified Products List (QPL).

This change is purely a result of a new categorization of products by the ENERGY STAR® Computer Program; nothing has changed with the design or energy efficiency of the HP zero client products. Product quality, reliability, performance and energy consumption measurements remain as before. The ENERGY STAR® logo is being removed solely in response to the EPA change which removed the zero client category of computing products from the scope of the ENERGY STAR® Computer Program.

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