



Good bye Flash, Hello HTML



Adobe Flash reached its end-of-life on December 31, 2020.

The following information will help ensure a seamless Flash-to-HTML transition for Adobe Connect customers.

<u>Transition of Adobe Connect to a modern</u> <u>Flash- free architecture</u>



HTML browser client

For Presenters & Participants to host or join Adobe Connect rooms via any modern browser

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Native desktop application for Windows

Eliminating the need for Flash plug-ins in Adobe Connect rooms.

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Native desktop application for Mac

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HTML SDK 2020, V11

SDK and Web-services API available to build HTML-based custom apps & integrations

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New Native Mobile apps

For Presenters & Participants to host or join Adobe Connect rooms via any mobile device

* Coming Soon

^{*}Release dates subject to change

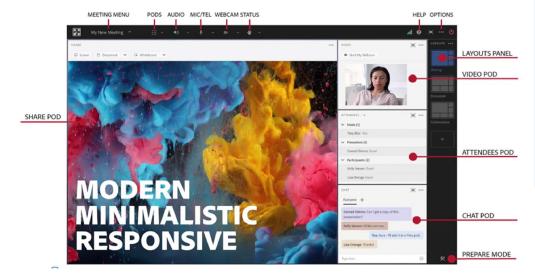
Starting **Dec 31, 2021,** users will no longer be able to join Adobe Connect rooms with old Flash-based browsers such as IE 11. To aid the migration, Adobe Connect will continue interim support for Flash-based Classic View in its native desktop applications until ***September 2021**.

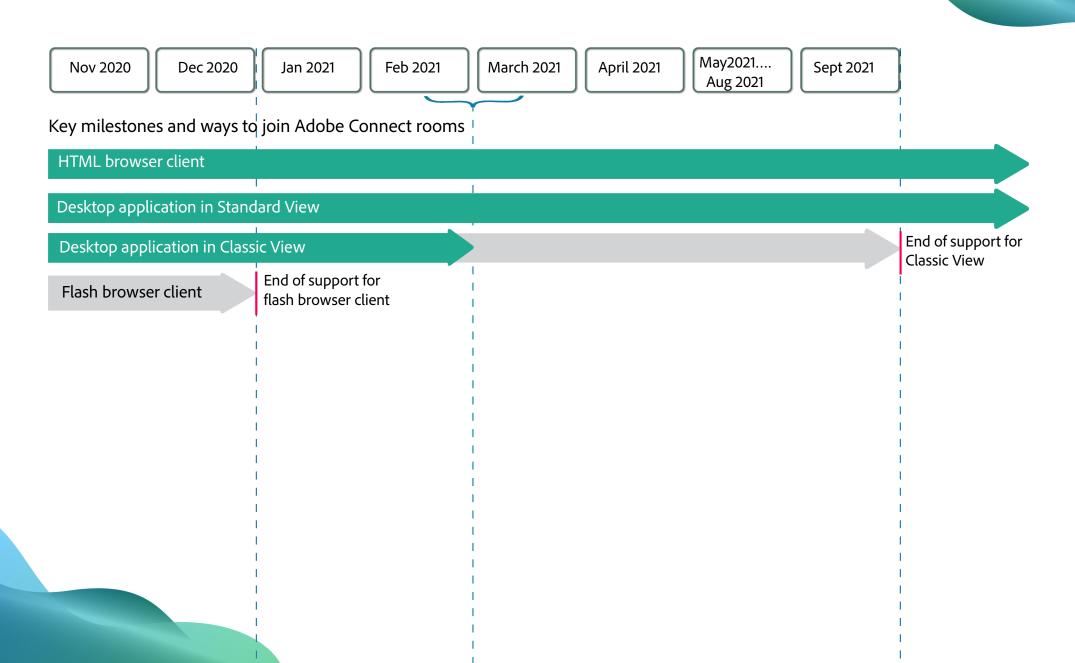
Classic View





Standard View





Nov 2020 Dec 2020 Key milestones and ways to	Jan 2021 Feb 2021 join Adobe Connect rooms	March 2021 April 2021	May2021 Aug 2021	Sept 2021	
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	Flash-based browsers(IE11)	*Release dates subject to chan	ge		

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Which interface should I use? Standard view

- Recommended for most users
- Newer, modern interface
- Faster
- More accessible
- Available with the desktop application or via a modern browser (if enabled)

Application and browser interface settings

Standard view (Recommended)

All attendees can either join from a modern browser in HTML Client, from the new desktop applications or from the current mobile apps. Users joining from classic desktop applications will be shown an appropriate message to either join from a modern browser or update their application.

- Enable browser access
- ☐ Use Enhanced audio*

Use this option to use enhanced audio (Opus codec).

- * Users will not be able to join from mobile apps.
- * Make Offline (mp4) recordings will not be possible.

O Classic view (The option to use classic view will be removed soon)

Use this option If some of the users are on 32-bit systems and need to share their desktop screen. Note: This will force all attendees to join from Flash client in browser or from the classic desktop application.

Should I use Enhanced Audio?

- Excellent sound quality
- Works with Standard view either via desktop applications or a web browser
- Works with online recordings
- No significant change in bandwidth
- Does not currently work with
 - Current mobile apps
 - Offline (MP4) recording process
- Enhanced audio is off by default

Should I enable browser access?

- HTML client includes virtually all functionality except screensharing.
 Available for hosts, presenters, and participants
- Limitations in displaying video
- Recommended for 1:many sessions (i.e., webinars)
- On by default

Which interface should I use?

Classic view

- Available for 32-bit Windows OS
- Supports legacy custom pods and Flash content

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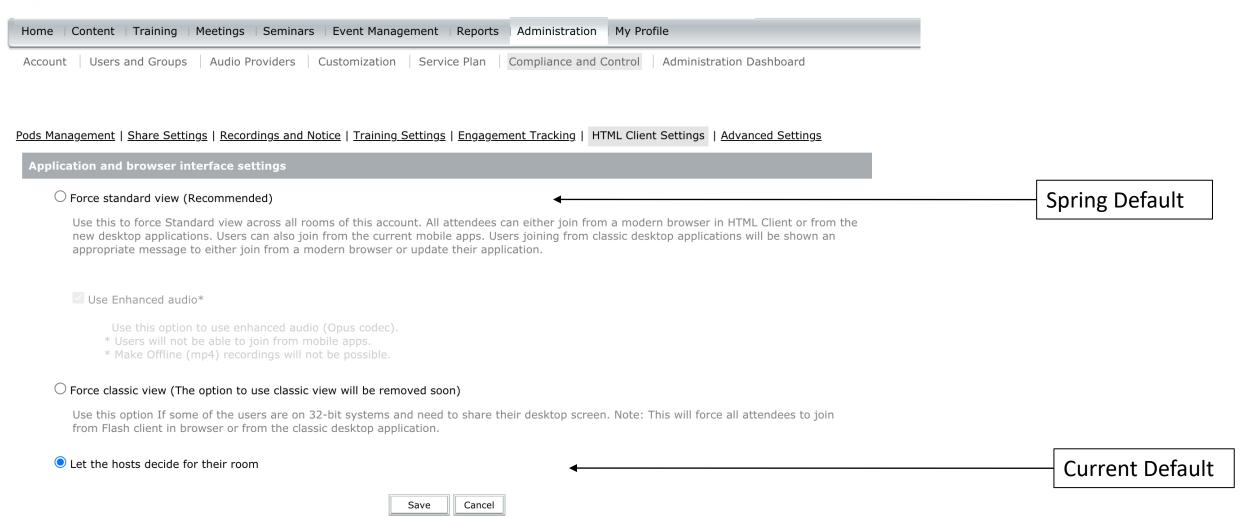
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Reminder: Classic view will be deprecated in *September 2021

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For Administrators - Compliance and Control Settings





Will my old Flash content continue to work in my Adobe Connect rooms?

Flash content compatibility matrix Hosted deployments				
Content Type	Flash browser client	Desktop App in Classic View (Flash)	HTML browser client	Desktop App in Standard View (HTML)
Flash content in meetings	X		X	X
Flash content in On-demand trainings	X		X	X
Flash content in old recordings	X		X	X
		This support ends in September 2021		

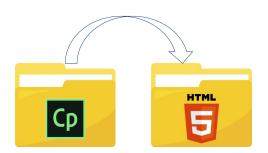
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		Continued availability (but limited technical support) of Classic app for on-prem users choosing to not upgrade to C11.2			

How can you be ready?



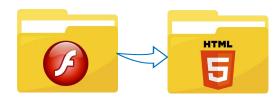
Important considerations while choosing your interface setting

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How to create your Flash to HTML content migration plan

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Migrating Legacy Flash eLearning content to HTML5

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Learn more about Standard View

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Upcoming changes with Adobe Connect 11.2 - What users need to know

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More Useful Resources



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Hardware & Network Compatibility

Adobe Connect

<u>Technical Specifications</u>

<u>and System Requirements</u> page

When will your account be upgraded?

Adobe Connect account URL in <u>Upgrade Timetable tool</u> to determine time of upgrade to C11.2.

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What's new in C11.0 What's new in C11.2

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