

Road Map for Essential Studio 2011 Volume 2



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Essential Studio User Interface Edition

[Essential Studio User Interface Edition](#) contains the most complete set of user-interface components on the market—including the best performing grid control in the industry, docking and menu frameworks, data-binding controls, and schedulers. With the visualizations found in Essential Chart, Gauge, and Diagram, data can be presented in more engaging, meaningful ways.

Windows Phone

Essential Tools for WP7

New Controls

New buttons, input controls, and navigation controls for Windows Phone 7.

Essential Chart for WP7

New Controls

A new Chart control for Windows Phone 7 mobile applications.

Essential Gauge for WP7

New Controls

A new Gauge control for Windows Phone 7 mobile applications.

ASP.NET

Essential Grid for ASP.NET

Grid-to-PDF Exporting

Support for exporting grid content to a PDF document.

Essential Tools for ASP.NET

New Control: Ribbon

The implementation of a new Ribbon control—a dedicated ASP.NET control, not a workaround—allowing you to access menus, task panes, and tool-strips quickly in a SharePoint 2010-like UI.

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ASP.NET MVC

Essential Grid for ASP.NET MVC

Hierarchy Grid	Hierarchy support for a grid.
Editing Improvements	The ability to edit dialogs and disable more than one column when editing.
Web Service Binding	An implementation of Web Service binding for a grid.
Pager Improvements	The addition of new pager types—numeric, button, and slider—as well as text boxes and progress bars for the pager.
Column Templates	An implementation of column templates for the Grid control.
Non-Generic Grids	An implementation of non-generic types in the Grid control.

Essential Tools for ASP.NET MVC

Toolbar Customization for RichTextEditor Control	Support for adding user-defined toolbar items in the RichTextEditor control.
Tree-View Enhancements	Check boxes, keyboard support, and drag-drop support for tree views.

Essential Diagram for ASP.NET MVC

New Control: Diagram	An HTML 5-based Diagram control with a new helper.
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WPF

Essential Maps for WPF

New Control: Maps	A new control for consuming geographic data and presenting it in a meaningful interface.
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Essential Grid for WPF

Excel Importing	Support for importing data into the Grid control from Excel.
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Essential Grid for WPF

Polished Styling	Polished styles applied to all grid interfaces, and enhanced Expression Blend support for customizing skins.
Stacked-Header Group Columns	Enhancements for stacked-header group columns.

Essential Tools for WPF

New Control: CardView	A new control that allows grouping, sorting, and filtering items in a card-type view.
New Control: SpellChecker	A spelling-checker engine with custom-dictionary support.
Docking Manager with VS 2010 Behaviors	A docking manager with complete Visual Studio 2010 functionality.
Dragging between Two Docking Managers	The implementation of a generic manager that controls the actions needed for dragging and docking between two docking managers.
Office 2010 Skins	New Office 2010 skins that can be applied to all WPF Tools controls, providing consistency throughout Syncfusion WPF and Silverlight components.

Essential Chart for WPF

3-D Manhattan Bar Chart	A 3-D bar chart that is used to position chart segments on the z-axis.
Optimized Data-Point Rendering	Improved chart performance that supports zooming, panning, and loading millions of data points.
Technical Analysis Indicators	Technical analysis indicators that can be included in financial charts.
Chart Series Drag-Drop Support	Chart series dragging and dropping that will also update bound data-model values.

Essential Diagram for WPF

New Control: Overview	A new Overview control that gives you an overall view of the diagram page and allows you to navigate to different parts.
Drawing Tools	New tools for creating lines, shapes, curves, text blocks and boxes, pencil drawings, and images.
Templates	The ability to load different templates that provide default content for a diagram page.
Page Virtualization	Support for virtualizing a page, which helps the page load visible objects.
Printing Enhancements	An enhanced printing feature with support for multiple pages, and many custom APIs that allow printing from code.
Page Margins and Padding	The ability to arrange content inside a page according to margins and padding.
Expanding/Collapsing	A built-in behavior for expanding or collapsing the Diagram control.

Essential Schedule for WPF

Multi-Calendar View	The ability to view multiple calendars in a schedule, making it easier to update appointments.
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Silverlight

Essential Maps for Silverlight

New Control: Maps	A new control for consuming geographic data and presenting it in a meaningful interface.
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Essential Tools for Silverlight

New Control: SpellChecker	A spelling-checker engine with custom-dictionary support.
Rich-Text-Editor Tables	Support for including tables in the rich-text editor.

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Essential Chart for Silverlight

Technical Analysis Indicators	Technical analysis indicators that can be included in financial charts.
Chart Series Drag-Drop Support	Chart series dragging and dropping that also updates bound data-model values.

Essential Schedule for Silverlight

Multi-Calendar View	The ability to view multiple calendars in a schedule, making it easier to update appointments.
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Windows Forms

Essential Tools for Windows Forms

New Control: SpellChecker	The introduction of a new spelling checker for Windows Forms, giving your applications added proofreading functionality.
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Essential Edit for Windows Forms

RTL Languages	Support for right-to-left (RTL) languages.
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Essential Studio Reporting Edition

The only reporting solution you will ever need—with [Essential Studio Reporting Edition](#), you can create advanced reports or integrate document-based reporting (PDF, Excel, Word) into your Windows and Web applications.

Essential DocIO

Word 2007 & 2010 Table Styles

Added support for Word 2007 and 2010 built-in table styles.

Updating TOC

Support for updating a table of contents.

Essential RDL Reports

New Control: Report Viewer

An RDL-compatible report viewer for WPF and Silverlight.

Essential Studio Business Intelligence Edition

With [Essential Studio Business Intelligence Edition](#), executive dashboards are a snap, and BI analysis can be integrated into your applications with ease. Controls such as Essential BI Chart, Grid, Gauge, and Client can be used to present key performance indicators fed by OLAP data.

All Business Intelligence Products

XMLA Support BI controls that consume XMLA data from Mondrian servers.

Essential BI Grid

Grouping Bar A grouping bar for sorting and filtering in WPF.

Paging Support Support for large dimensions in an ASP.NET grid.

Essential BI Chart

Paging Support Support for large dimensions in an ASP.NET chart.