

# Bill Gates. Microsoft



# Biography

The future computer tycoon was born October 28, 1955 in Seattle, the largest city in the northwest United States





Since childhood, Paul Allen and Bill Gates had a reputation for bosom friends. These two personalities united a lot, but there was something that turned this tandem into a strong alliance - they both got carried away with programming.



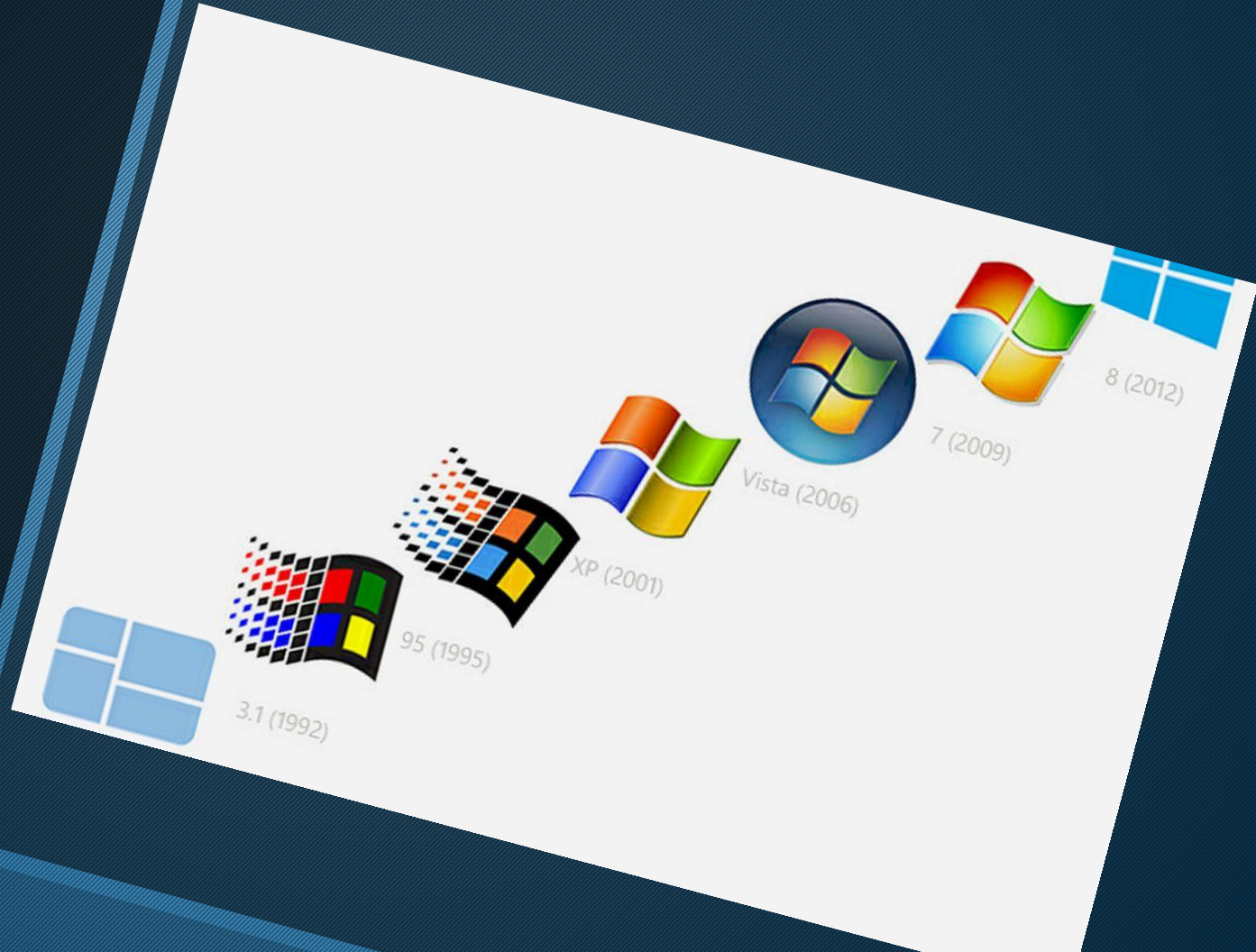
- At 15, he wrote a program for traffic control together, and earned \$ 20,000.
- In 17 years, Bill has developed a program for the distribution of energy of the Bonneville dam, and earned 30 000 dollars.
- In 1973, Bill enters Harvard, which was not particularly interesting to him. He played poker a lot and didn't really know what to do with his life.



He was bluffing: Gates and his partner Allen did not write a single line of code, but MITS management was interested in the proposal. After a month and a half, Allen presented the finished program to MITS - and it worked. A contract was made with MITS, and Microsoft was born. "The software market was born!" Gates exclaimed then.



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