

6. Help & additional resources

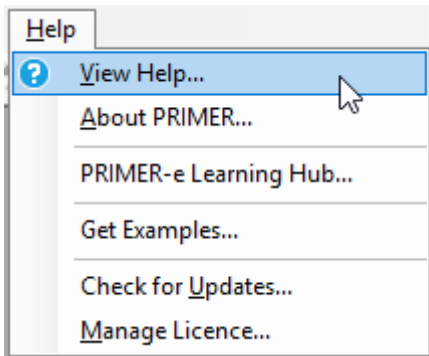
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Help & support

You can get help with using PRIMER 8 software and diving deeper into your analyses in a variety of ways:

Learn the software

- Get **context-specific help** inside the software itself (click **Help** > **View Help...**).



- Go to PRIMER-e's **Learning Hub** (click **Help** > **PRIMER-e Learning Hub...**) to access extensive manuals and books (like this one!), that include a host of worked examples.
- Attend one of our **international courses** in multivariate analysis. Details of **upcoming courses**, offered both online and in person around the world, are always published on our website: <https://www.primer-e.com>.

Get advice on your analysis

- Contact our **statistical consulting team** to ask a specific question or get tailored advice, using PRIMER with PERMANOVA+ and other statistical software tools.

Contact us

- If you have questions about licensing, subscriptions, or any other general enquiries, check out the [Support page](#) on our website. If you can't find the answer to your question there, contact our admin team at: primer@primer-e.com.
- Please report any bugs or technical problems to: tech@primer-e.com.

Further reading

This guide is fairly succinct and is designed to get you rather quickly up and running with PRIMER 8 software. For detailed information about all of the *new features in PRIMER 8 with PERMANOVA+*, check out the following key resource:

- Anderson, M.J. (2026). "**What's New in PRIMER 8.**" *PRIMER-e Learning Hub*. PRIMER-e, Auckland, New Zealand.

For additional details regarding the methods and tools available in the software produced by PRIMER-e, please consult the following *historical books and manuals*, available in the [PRIMER-e Learning Hub](#):

- Clarke KR, Gorley RN, Somerfield PJ & Warwick RM. (2014). "*Change in Marine Communities, 3rd edition.*" PRIMER-E Ltd: Plymouth, UK.
- Clarke KR & Gorley RN. (2015). "*PRIMER v7: User Manual / Tutorial.*" PRIMER-E Ltd: Plymouth, UK.
- Anderson MJ, Gorley RN & Clarke KR. (2008). "*PERMANOVA+ for PRIMER: Guide to Software and Statistical Methods.*" PRIMER-E Ltd: Plymouth, UK.