# What are the limitations of TRACE32 time-limited demo mode?

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In **time-limited demo mode**, all TRACE32 PowerView features are available without functional restrictions during the active demo period. This allows you to evaluate the complete feature set as if a valid license were present.

Once the demo period has expired, the features operating in demo mode are automatically disabled. The affected functionality depends on the missing or expired license. For example, debugging, multicore debugging, or on-chip trace features may no longer be available until a valid license is installed.

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- Why do I see the error message “Demo limited to 5 minutes (No debug license for selected core)”?
- No debug cable plugged, demo limited to 5 minutes
- I get the error "Onchip trace support demo time elapsed, trace disabled"