Release Details:

- Driver: Intel Neural Processing Unit (NPU) Driver Windows^(*)
- Driver Version: 32.0.100.4297 WHQL
- Date: Oct 3rd, 2025

Notes:

- Microsoft* Experiences (Enabled & Optimized)
 - o Latency and memory improvements for Microsoft Phi Silica use cases
- Public Models (Enabled and Optimized):
 - o [ARL-H] Issue related to BCE-Rerank model has been fixed.
 - [LNL][OpenVINO] Compilation error related to running embedding model has been fixed.
 - [LNL] Fixed issue with OpenVINO when running Qwen3-4B on the NPU with more than 10,000 input tokens.
 - o [LNL] Enabled a ASR model.
 - [NPU] Fixed functional issues for certain AI uses cases

Fixed Issues:

None

Known Issues:

None

Operating System Support:

Operating System	Version	Details
Microsoft Windows® 11 64-bit	September Update	n/a
	(22H2)	
	October Update (22H2)	n/a
	October Update (23H2)	n/a
	2024 Update (24H2)	n/a
Microsoft Windows® 10 64-bit		Supports basic driver
	2024 Update (22H2)	functionality, such as power
		management, not for running
		NPU workloads

NOTE: NPU will not support workloads on Windows* 10. Disable the NPU device from BIOS for Windows 10.

Supported Platform:

- Lunar Lake: <u>Intel® Core™ Ultra Processors (Series 2)</u>
- Meteor Lake: <u>Intel® Core™ Ultra Processors (Series 1)</u>
- Arrow Lake: <u>Intel® Core™ Ultra Processors (Series 2)</u>

Al Frameworks Support:

Framework	Version	Comment
OpenVINO	OpenVINO 2025.3	
DirectML	Preview	Intel NPU Support for DirectML
		preview will be deprecated in Q3'25,
		based on Microsoft's public
		announcement in Q2 2025.

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Glossary:

NPU	Neural Processing Unit
WHQL	Windows Hardware Quality Labs
LNL	Lunar Lake
ARL-H	Arrow Lake with an "H" in the processor number

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