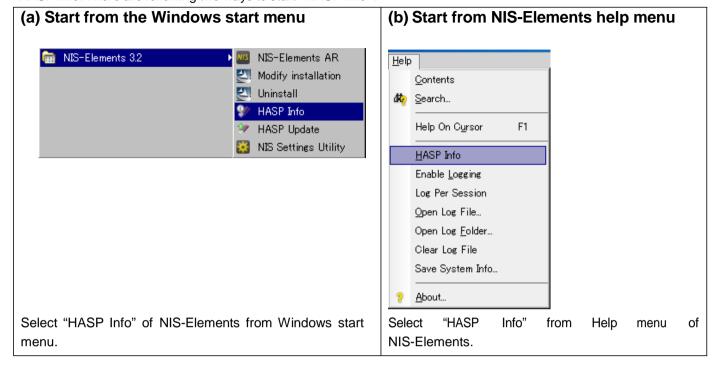# Procedure to confirm upgradable period registered into HASP Key
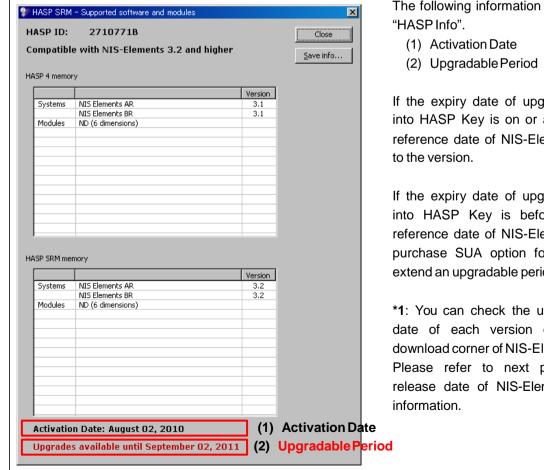
1. Start HASP Info

It is possible to confirm the upgradable period registered into the HASP key on the screen of Utility software called HASP Info. There are following two ways to start "HASP Info".

(a) Start from the Windows start menu	(b) Start from NIS-Elements help menu
Select "HASP Info" of NIS-Elements from Windows start menu.	Select "HASP Info" from Help menu of NIS-Elements.

2. Confirmation of the upgradable period

The upgradable period displayed on a HASP Info screen can be confirmed with the following procedures.

The following information is shown at the bottom of "HASP Info".

- (1) Activation Date
- (2) Upgradable Period

If the expiry date of upgradable period registered into HASP Key is on or after the upgradable term reference date of NIS-Elements[1] you can upgrade to the version.

If the expiry date of upgradable period registered into HASP Key is before the upgradable term reference date of NIS-Elements, it is necessary to purchase SUA option for the required period to extend an upgradable period.

[1]: You can check the upgradable term reference date of each version of NIS-Elements at the download corner of NIS-Elements.

Please refer to next page "3.Confirmation for release date of NIS-Elements" for more detailed information.

Activation Date: August 02, 2010 (1) Activation Date

Upgrades available until September 02, 2011 (2) Upgradable Period

3. Confirmation for upgradable term reference date of NIS-Elements

You can check the upgradable term reference date of each version of NIS-Elements at download for NIS-NIS-Elements. In the example of the following figure, the date is displayed in red box is upgradable term reference date of NIS-Elements.

Software					
Use Condition		Upgradable term reference date			
Upgrade period					
— Please check "HASP Info" to confirm if "Upgrades available until May 24, 2017" or later.					

Summary

The following figures are the summary about the upgradable period registered into the HASP Key, upgradable term reference date, and SUA option.

If the expiry date of upgradable period registered into HASP Key is on or after the upgradable term reference date of NIS-Elements,	⟹	Able to upgrade free of charge
If the expiry date of upgradable period registered into HASP Key is before the upgradable term reference date of NIS-Elements,	⟹	SUA Option needs to be purchased to upgrade