

Activating a License Statistics license online

For either Windows or Linux, you can activate your license online, as described below. For Linux, this is the preferred method; however, you can also activate your license via a command line as described in [Activating a License Statistics license on Linux using a command line](#).

1. Go to the [License Activation Center](#).
2. Enter your license Activation Key (sent to you via email) in the Activate License section of the login page. If you cannot locate your activation key, request it by [contacting us](#).
3. After entering your activation key, click **Log in**.
4. Enter the ETHERNET and HOSTNAME HostIDs for the machine where the license is being installed. (Note that on Windows you can also add other HostIDs, for example HARDDISK, BIOS, and WIN_PRODUCT_ID HostIDs.)

The format to enter your HostID information is TYPE1=value1, TYPE2=value2, etc. For example: ETHERNET=0018DEBC98A8, HOSTNAME=amilo.

To find the HostIDs, use the command-line utility Imxendutil, or a graphical utility Imxconfigtool (for Windows). These tools are available after installing [LM-X end-user tools](#) located in the license folder under the License Statistics installation directory. Note that installing [LM-X license server](#) is not necessary to obtain the required utilities.

5. Click **Activate license**.
6. Click **Download license**.
7. Copy the license file in the license directory under the License Statistics installation directory. Make sure the directory contains a new license file instead of the old file, if there was one.
8. Restart License Statistics (see [Starting and stopping License Statistics on Windows](#) or [Starting and stopping License Statistics on Linux](#) for more information).
9. See [Installing License Statistics on Windows](#) or [Installing License Statistics on Linux](#) for remaining instructions on getting License Statistics up and running after activating your license.