

Activating a license on the SDN Controller

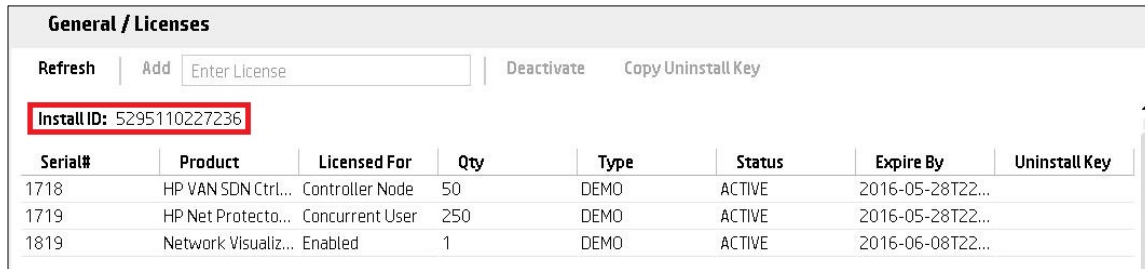
After you have downloaded and installed the controller software, you can begin the license registration and activation process. Licensing requires a **Registration ID** for each product and the **Install ID** of the controller.

Identify the Install ID displayed in the SDN Controller GUI

Each controller installation generates a unique Install ID that is used for licensing activities. To view the Install ID using the GUI:

- In the navigation tree, click **General - Licenses**
The Licenses page appears
- In the Licenses screen, the **Install ID** appears before the list licenses as shown below

Figure 1. SDN Install ID



General / Licenses

Refresh | Add | Deactivate | Copy Uninstall Key

Install ID: 5295110227236

Serial#	Product	Licensed For	Qty	Type	Status	Expire By	Uninstall Key
1718	HP VAN SDN Ctrl...	Controller Node	50	DEMO	ACTIVE	2016-05-28T22...	
1719	HP Net Protecto...	Concurrent User	250	DEMO	ACTIVE	2016-05-28T22...	
1819	Network Visualiz...	Enabled	1	DEMO	ACTIVE	2016-06-08T22...	

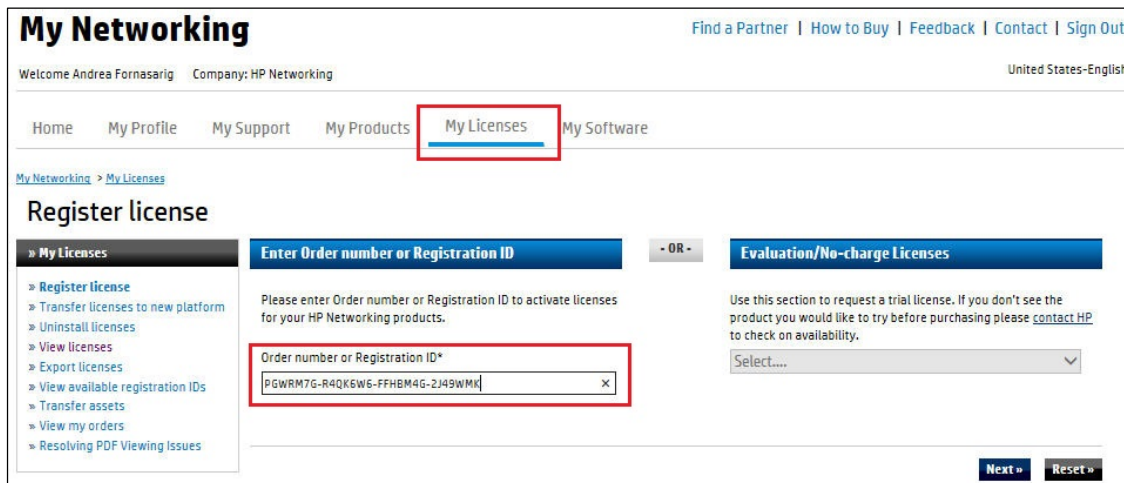
Registering and activating a license

Using your **Install ID**, you must now register your license on the [HPE My Networking](http://www.hpe.com/networking/mynetworking) portal. Doing this results in a license key, which enables you to activate the license on the controller.

To register your license and obtain a license key:

- Log on to the **My Networking** portal at <http://www.hpe.com/networking/mynetworking>.
- Select **My Licenses**
- Enter your **order number** or **registration ID** in the field provided and click **Next**
- Optional: you can also choose **Evaluation/No-charge Licenses** and select **SDN Evaluation Licenses**

Figure 2. Entering an order number or registration ID



My Networking Find a Partner | How to Buy | Feedback | Contact | Sign Out

Welcome Andrea Fornasari | Company: HP Networking | United States-English

Home | My Profile | My Support | My Products | **My Licenses** | My Software

My Networking > My Licenses

Register license

» My Licenses

- » Register license
- » Transfer licenses to new platform
- » Uninstall licenses
- » View licenses
- » Export licenses
- » View available registration IDs
- » Transfer assets
- » View my orders
- » Resolving PDF Viewing Issues

Enter Order number or Registration ID

Please enter Order number or Registration ID to activate licenses for your HP Networking products.

Order number or Registration ID*

- OR -

Evaluation/No-charge Licenses

Use this section to request a trial license. If you don't see the product you would like to try before purchasing please [contact HP](#) to check on availability.

Select....

Next » | Reset »

- The registration details screen appears as shown below

- In the **Install ID** field, enter your **Install ID number**
- Optional: Enter a **Friendly name** and **Customer notes** for this license

Figure 3. Entering the install ID

① Enter Registration ID or Order number ② Enter details ③ Reminders ④ License agreement ⑤ Confirmation

Please enter the Install ID and other details which you would like to register the license.

Registration ID PGWRM7G-R4QK6W6-FFH8M4G-2J49WMK
 Product number J9863AAE
 Product name HP VAN SDN Ctrl Base SW w/ 50-node E-LTU
 Redeem quantity 1
 Install ID* 3933331 [Help me find my Install ID](#)
 Friendly name Demo
 Customer notes Demo Lab

Example: Closet 1080, Rack 4, Shelf 12

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- Click **Next**
- The end user software license agreement screen appears, as shown below

Figure 4. Accepting the license agreement

① Enter Registration ID or Order number ② Enter Details ③ Reminders ④ License agreement ⑤ Confirmation

Please review the license terms shown below. If you agree to the terms, check the "I agree" box and click the Next button to generate the license key for your HP Networking device.

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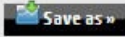
I accept all of the above terms

- To continue after reading the license agreement, select **I accept all of the above terms** and click **Finish**
The confirmation screen appears as shown below
- Review your license registration details, and record the **License key** listed

- Optional: To download the license key file, click **Save as**, and then save it to your local hard drive
- Optional: To e-mail the registration details enter one or more e-mail addresses, separated by a comma or semi-colon in the field provided and click **Send email**

Figure 5. Reviewing your registration

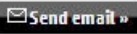
Click the "Save as" button to download the license key file to your local hard drive.



Enter one or more email addresses, separated by comma or semi-colon, to send license information for archival.

Send license confirmation to
(separate multiple email addresses by a comma or semi-colon)

Comments



License Key(s)

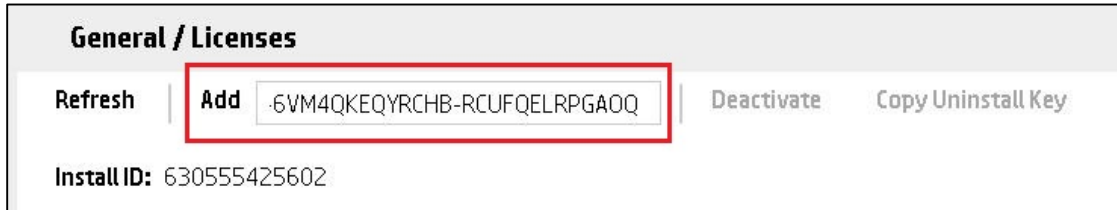
License key:	AEFB4AI6AJAF4-NJTfy7S2NBTOB-6VM4QKEQYRCHB-RCUFQELRPGAQO	How to install my license key
Registration ID:	PGWRM7G-R4QK6W6-FFHBM4G-2J49WMK	
Product number:	J9863AAE	
Product name:	HP VAN SDN Ctrl Base SW w/ 50-node E-LTU	
License quantity:	1	
Install ID:	3933331	
Status:	Active	
Activation date:	30-Sep-2015	
Expiration date:	29-Sep-2016	
Friendly name:	Demo	
Customer notes:	Demo Lab	

Activating a license on the controller

To activate a license on the controller, you must add the license key. Use the following procedure to add and activate a license using the controller GUI:

- In the navigation tree, click **General - Licenses**
The Licenses page appears
- Copy the **license key** you just acquired into the **Add** field in the controller GUI, where it says Enter License
Entering the key in the field enables the **Add** button

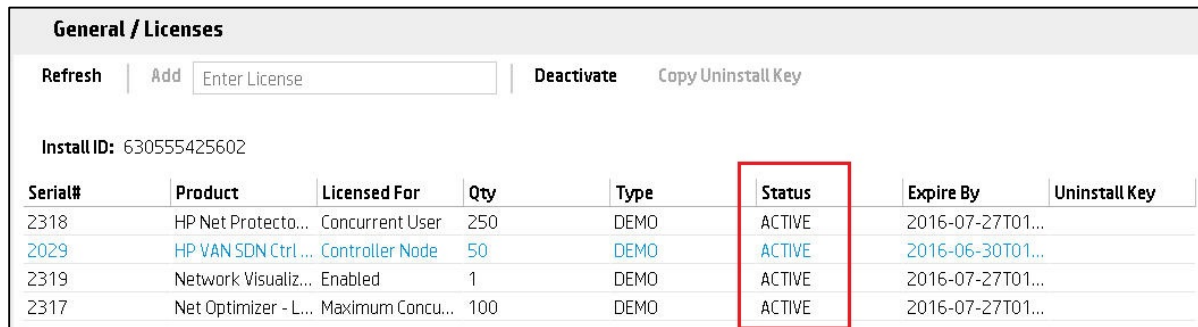
Figure 6. Enter the License Key



The screenshot shows the 'General / Licenses' page. At the top, there is a 'Refresh' button and an 'Add' button. Below the 'Add' button is a text input field containing the license key '6VM4QKEQYRCHB-RCUFQELRPGAQQ'. To the right of the input field are 'Deactivate' and 'Copy Uninstall Key' buttons. Below the input field, the 'Install ID' is displayed as '630555425602'.

- To activate the license, click on the **Add** button. The active license is now displayed

Figure 7. Active License Displayed on License screen



The screenshot shows the 'General / Licenses' page with a table of active licenses. The table has columns for Serial#, Product, Licensed For, Qty, Type, Status, Expire By, and Uninstall Key. The 'Status' column is highlighted with a red box. The table contains four rows of license information.

Serial#	Product	Licensed For	Qty	Type	Status	Expire By	Uninstall Key
2318	HP Net Protecto...	Concurrent User	250	DEMO	ACTIVE	2016-07-27T01...	
2029	HP VAN SDN Ctrl ...	Controller Node	50	DEMO	ACTIVE	2016-06-30T01...	
2319	Network Visualiz...	Enabled	1	DEMO	ACTIVE	2016-07-27T01...	
2317	Net Optimizer - L...	Maximum Concu...	100	DEMO	ACTIVE	2016-07-27T01...	