Dear Sir/Madam,

We present to you the fourth edition of our Software Licensing Bulletin, which highlights prominent features of Solidworks® by Dassault Systems.

Solidworks:

There are 2 types of Solidworks licensing:

1) Standalone: Following are the versions of the product
   - Premium
   - Professional
   - Office
   - Standard

Licensing check steps: Start -> ARP -> Solidworks -> Boot the product -> Help about -> serial number, version, edition. After noting the product serial number, version as well as the edition, one can verify the same with the organisation’s existing entitlements.

2) Network based licensing: This is managed by a Solidworks license manager called the SolidWorks SolidNetwork License Manager® which is deployed on the server and clients as well. There is a server-client configuration in this licensing in which there can be multiple concurrent users defined in the SolidWorks SolidNetwork License Manager.


*License file: boot the license admin -> modify -> path to the license file

Repeat the same steps in all the clients and server SolidNetwork License Manager in order to validate the information and client-server mapping.

Additional information: In the network licensing model of Solidworks, all the higher versions of the software except the standard version will reflect an additional standard version in the SolidNetwork License Manager by default. Output files of Solidworks have .PRT extension.

— EULA: Though there is no audit clause mentioned in Solidworks EULA, Dassault clearly mentions that all the customers using Solidworks should maintain their inventory and Dassault Systems® as a publisher can approach the customer anytime for their latest deployment and license summary and the customer is liable to share all the necessary information with them.

We hope the bulletin was informative. We would be happy to arrange for any additional information that you may require on the Solidworks: Dassault. Please write to us at info.kpmgccsbulletin@kpmg.com, for any queries or feedback.

Regards,
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