

## CodeMeter: Activation CodeMeter /virtual CmAct (Dongles) NO INTERNET

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### Problem (public)

How can I activate the CodeMeter virtual CmAct (Dongles) licenses without internet connection?

### Solution (public)

You can also use the indirect way to activate the licenses using a different PC to connect to the internet.  
Please go through the steps step by step.

1. Install the CodeMeter driver. The executable is on the DVD on SUPPORT/CODEMETER/codemeterruntime.exe or download it from the Wibu site ([1][www.wibu.com/support/user/user-software.html](http://www.wibu.com/support/user/user-software.html)).
2. Double-click once on the LIF file to generate a virtual CodeMeter Container (for FluidSIM use UFC\_CmActLicense\_FestoDidactic (2).WibuCmLif and for CiroS use CmActLicense\_CiROS.WibuCmLif). Check attachments.  
The CodeMeter Control Center opens with an imported virtual CodeMeter Container  
If you have a USB CodeMeter dongle you can proceed to STEP 2!!!
3. After that click on the virtual CodeMeter Container and then on LICENSE UPDATE.
4. CmFAS Assistant starts. Click on NEXT.
5. Create License Request then NEXT.
6. Decide where to save the file and click on COMMIT.
7. Click on FINISH.
8. You have created a WibuControlFile.
9. Go to another PC with internet access and assure to have access to the WibuControlFile! On that PC the CodeMeter driver must be installed as well, at least version 6.2!
10. Open the Website [2]<https://cm.festo-didactic.com/webdepot/index.php> and paste the ticket from the backside of the DVD or from the email you received then click on NEXT.
11. Then on ACTIVATE LICENSES.
12. Then click on FILE BASED LICENSE TRANSFER.
13. Read through the text and then click on BROWSE to search for the generated WibuControlFile of the CodeMeter / virtual CmAct (dongle).
14. After you have selected the WibuControlFile click on START ACTIVATION NOW.
15. Then click on DOWNLOAD LICENSE UPDATE NOW.
16. Save the file. This file is an WibuUpdateFile there is an U for Update at the end of the file.
17. Take this file and save it locally at the PC which has no internet connection and where you processed the virtual CmAct dongle in STEP 2!
18. Double-click on it. Process to update the virtual CodeMeter Container begins.
19. Now the license transfer is completed without having internet on the server PC.
20. Upload a license receipt file from the CmContainer.  
  - Start CodeMeter Control Center on the computer where the CmContainer with theSerial 130-xxxxxxx is.
  - Select this CmContainer.
  - Click "License Update".
  - Follow the instructions of the "CmFAS Assistant". Choose the option "Create receipt".
  - Choose a filename for the license receipt file.
  - Click "Commit" to save the license receipt file.
  - Transfer the license receipt file that you just created to this computer.

In case of any additional questions, we are there for you.

[1] <http://www.wibu.com/support/user/user-software.html>  
[2] <https://cm.festo-didactic.com/webdepot/index.php>