

Transfer a Drive Application Builder license to another PC

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Transfer a Drive Application Builder license.

1. General

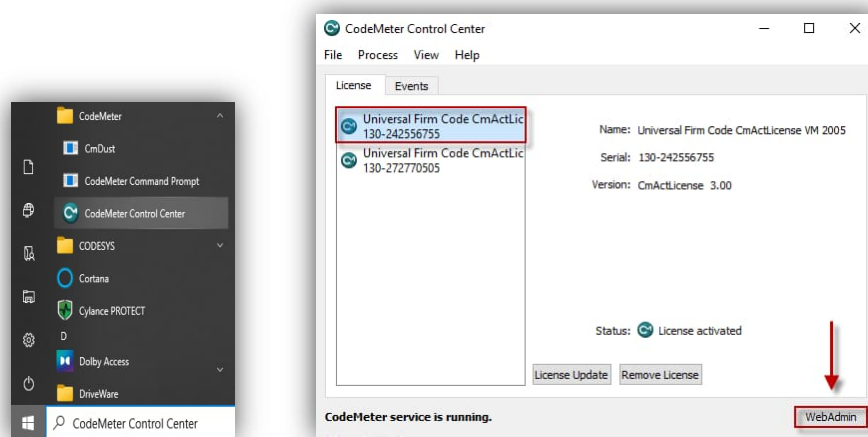
To transfer your Drive Application Builder license from one computer to another, **CodeMeter License Central WebDepot** gives you an easy way to deactivate, transfer and reactivate your license to your **CmContainer**.



A standard procedure is for online activation, where the user has license **CmContainer** connected to an internet-enabled computer. In other cases, license can be also transferred by offline operations.

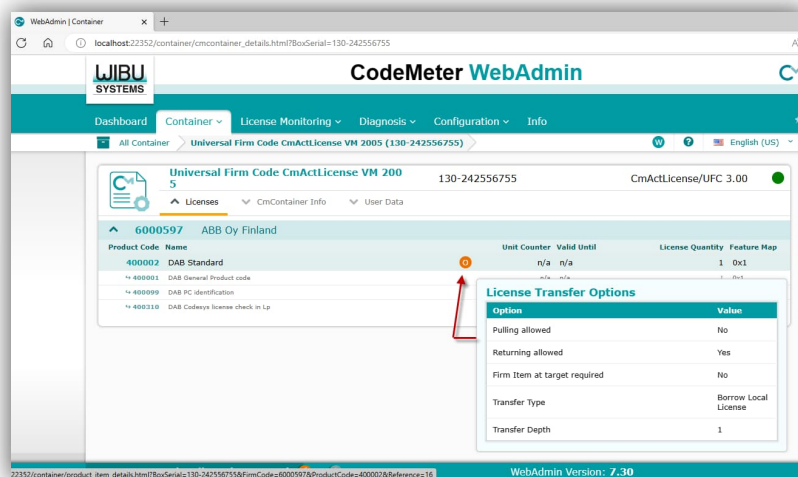
The license transfer is not available for ABB internal or temporary licenses, e.g. the 30-day Trial license.

This new option is supported only for the external licenses created or purchased since **February 2023**. In order to identify if your license can be transferred, verify inside your **CmContainer**

1. Open your **CodeMeter Control Center** app and select the **CmContainer** corresponding to your Drive Application Builder license and then click on **WebAdmin** button to see its settings.

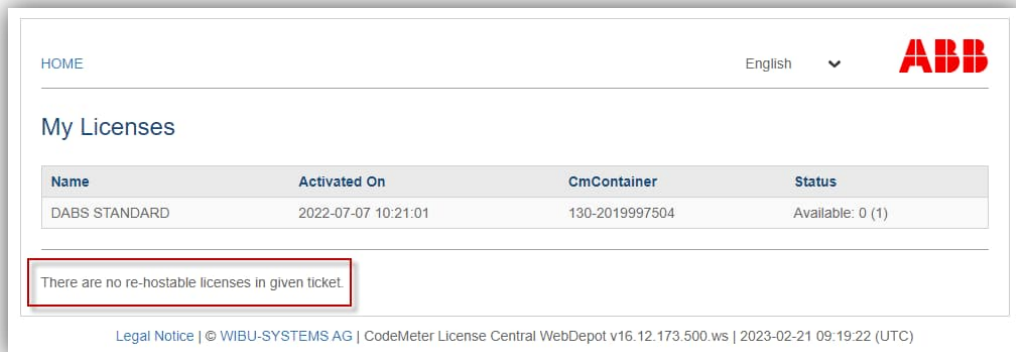


2. The container displays the details and status of your license, you can see if the transfer option is authorized for this license, by clicking on pictogram  to show the license transfer options. If the pictogram  is missing, the transfer is not possible.

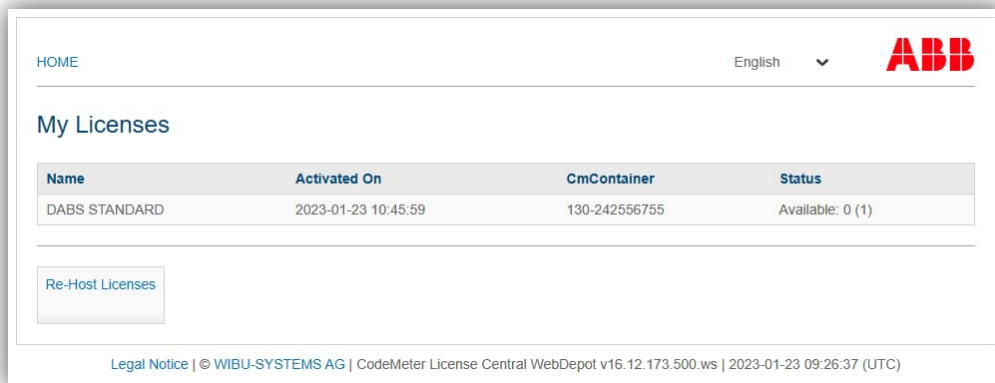


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3. Another option, use the following link from your computer or from another computer with Internet connection to verify if your license can be transferred.
http://lc.codemeter.com/54161/depot_173/index.php
4. And add your license key activation and click on **Next**.



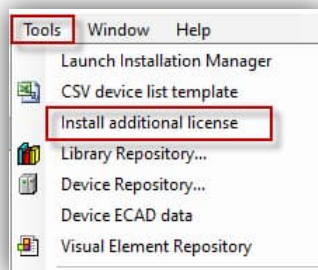
If you obtain the following message, your license cannot be transferred. You need to ask or purchase a new license key to your ABB representative.



If you obtain the following window with the option button **Re-Host Licenses**, you can start the transfer process of your Drive Application Builder license.

The process consists of two main steps:

1. Return the actual license from the actual computer.
2. Reactivate the license on the new computer.
 - 2.1. Start or install Drive Application Builder, no project open.
 - 2.2. Select menu **Tools/ Add additional license...**



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2. Return of a Drive Application Builder license

1. First you need to know your license key activation that you want to transfer.
e.g., **NEUAZ-XXXXX-XXXXX-XXXXX-ZFZT4**
2. Go to the following website.
http://lc.codemeter.com/54161/depot_173/index.php
3. Insert your License key activation in the field "Ticket" then click on **Next** button.

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Welcome to CodeMeter License Central WebDepot

Welcome to CodeMeter License Central WebDepot. You can transfer your licenses to your CmContainer using this WebDepot. Please enter your ticket and click "Next".

Ticket:
XL8E8-XXXXX-XXXXX-XXXXX-TCYDK

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4. Verify that your **CmContainer** is found.

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Name	Activated On	CmContainer	Status
DABS STANDARD	2023-01-23 10:45:59	130-242556755	Available: 0 (1)

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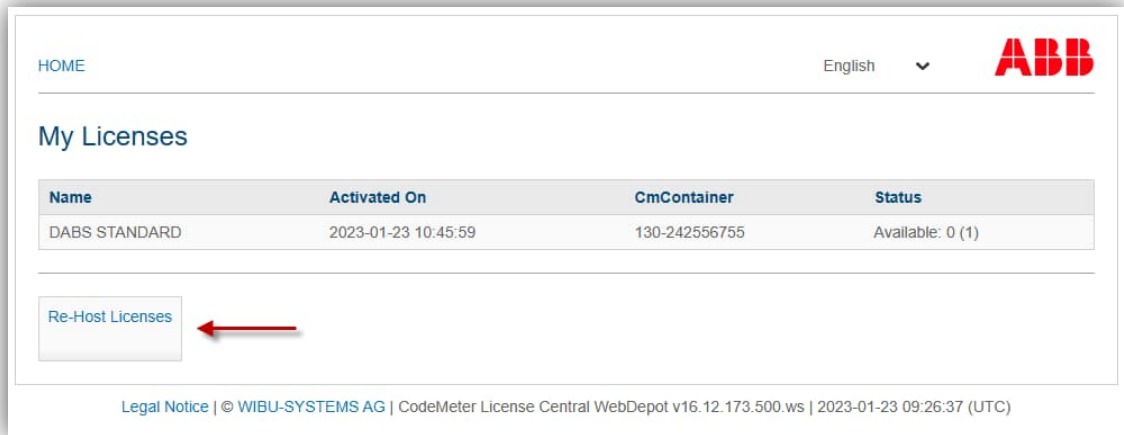
If your **CmContainer** is found, continue with **Online license transfer**. (par. 1.2.1)

If we have not internet connection or if your **CmContainer** is not found, continue with **Offline license transfer**. (par. 1.2.2)

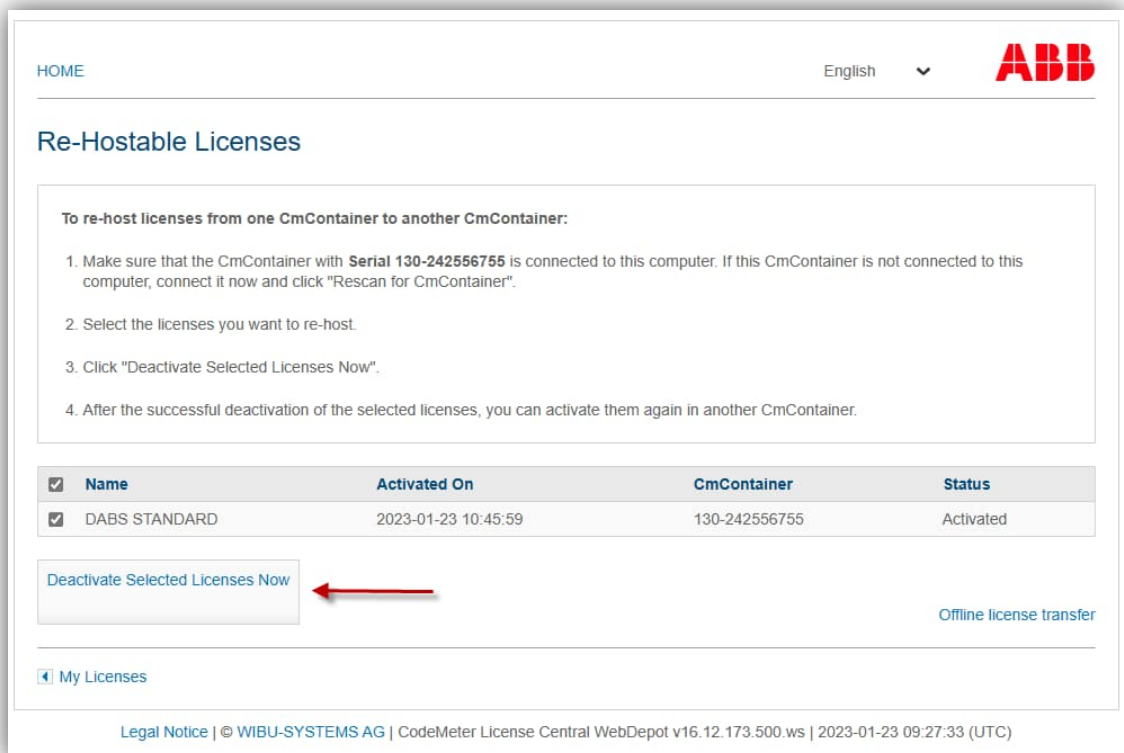
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2.1. Online license transfer

1. After finding your **CmContainer**, click on **Re-Host Licenses** button.

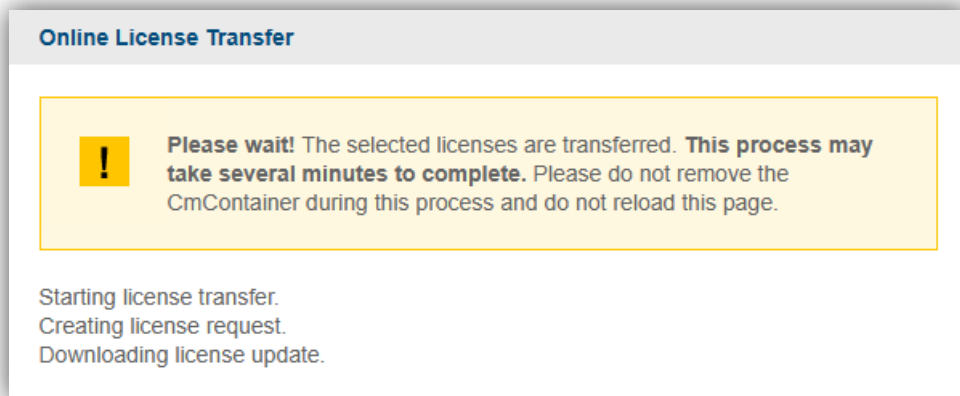


2. Next step, **Deactivate selected License Now** button.

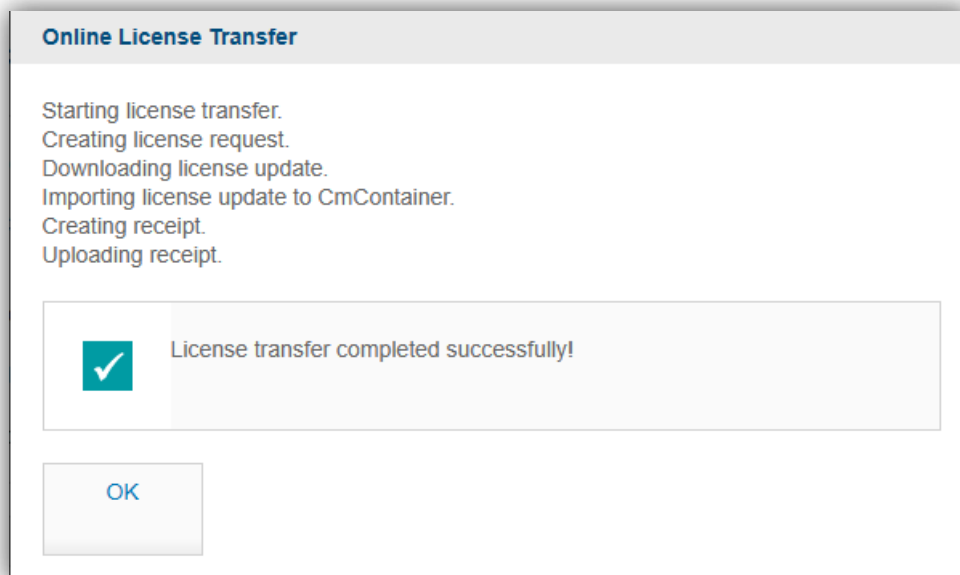


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3. Wait until the end of process.



4. Verify the successful transfer of your license and click on **OK** button to close it. From now, you can use and activate again your **Drive Application Builder license key** in another computer after Drive Application Builder installation.



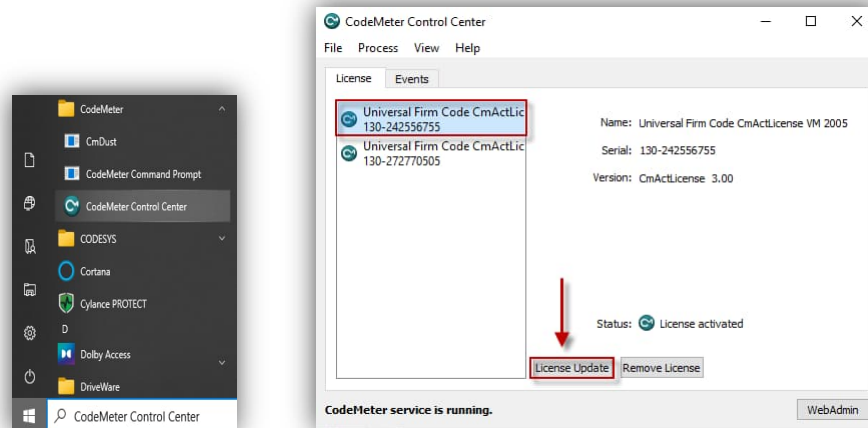
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2.2. Offline license transfer

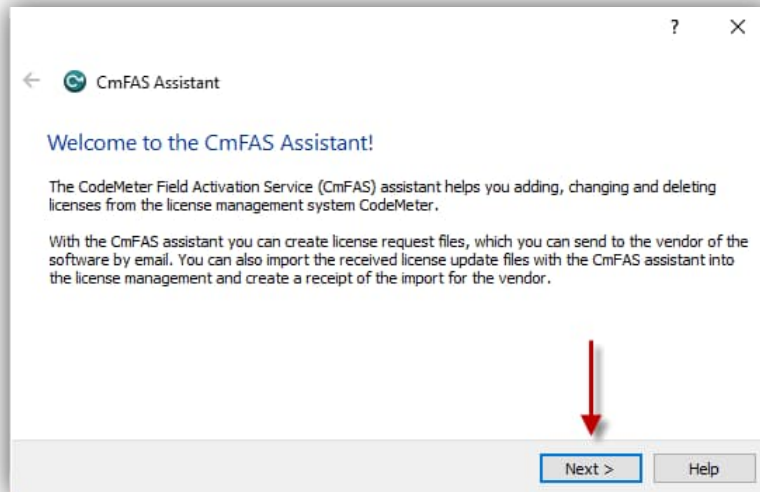
In case of the **CmContainer** cannot be found on your computer, or if the CmContainer is on an offline computer (without internet connection), your license can be re-hosted offline. The process is divided into steps on an **offline computer** and steps on an **online computer** (with internet connection).

2.2.1. Offline computer - Create a License Request:

1. Open the CodeMeter Control Center via start menu on the offline computer, then select your DAB license container and click on **License Update** button.

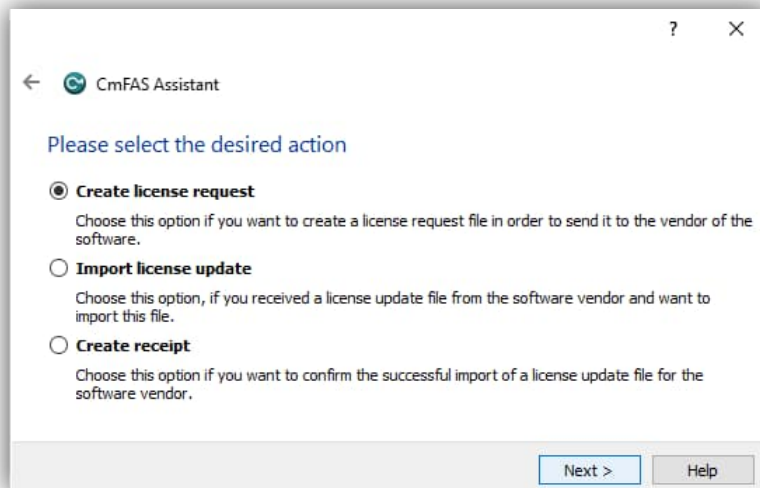


2. The **CmFAS Assistant** is opened. Click on **Next**

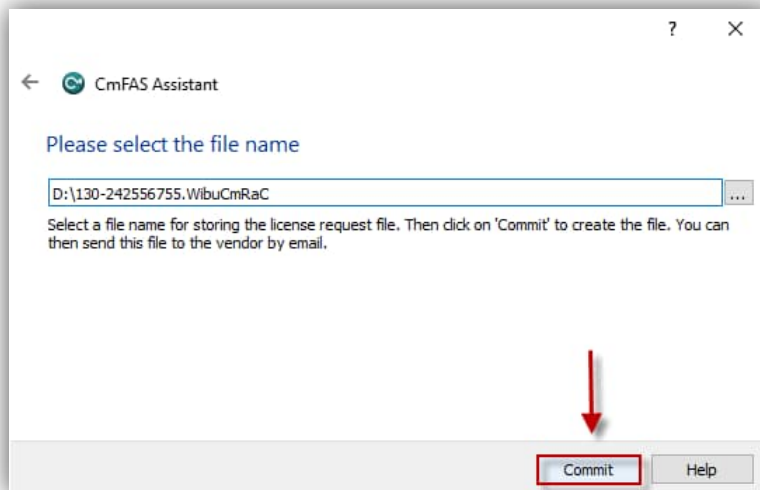


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3. Select the option **Create license request** and **Next**.



4. Create a **WibuCmRac** file by clicking the **Commit** button.



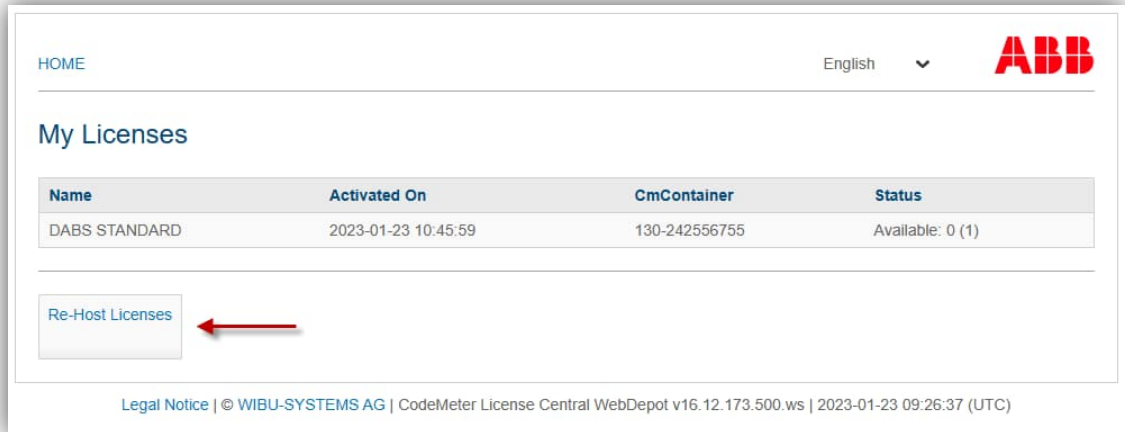
The license request file is created. Copy this *.**WibuCmRac** file to a memory stick for instance to be able to use it.

For the next steps a **computer with an internet connection** is required.

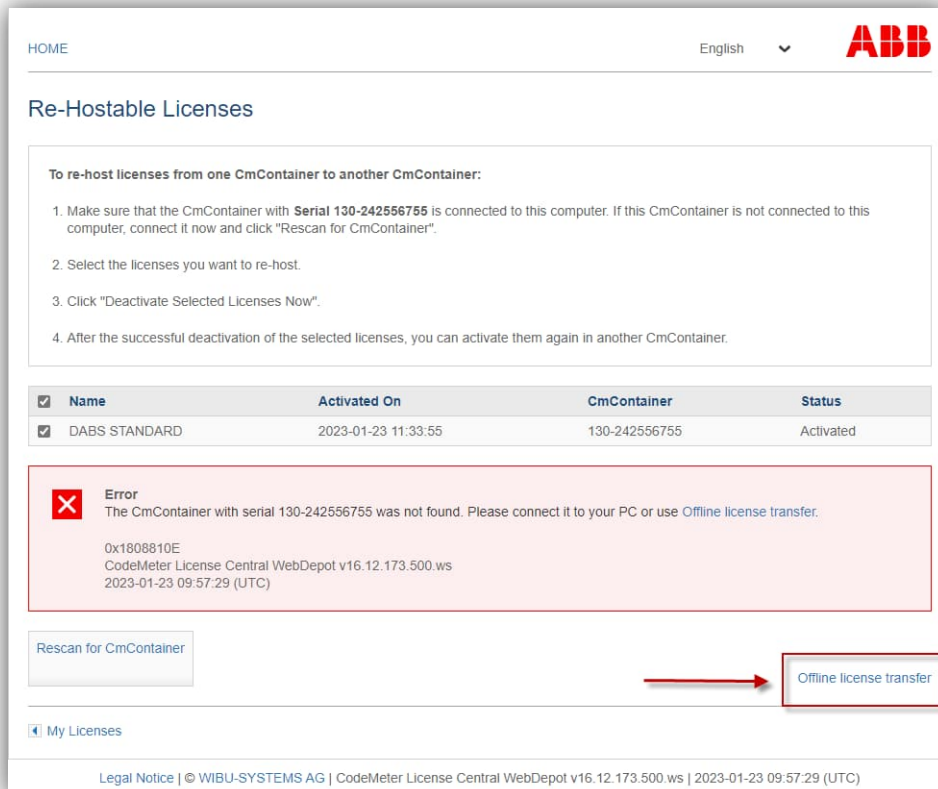
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2.2.2. Online Computer (Internet connection available) - Re-Host Licenses

1. Open the **CodeMeter WebDepot** page via following link:
http://lc.codemeter.com/54161/depot_173/index.php
2. Insert your License key activation in the field "Ticket" then click on **Next** button, and then click on **Re-Host Licenses** button on new window.



3. Of course, the **CmContainer** cannot be found on this computer (Error message is displayed), and so select the option **Offline license transfer**.



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4. Choose the option license request file. Then select the ***.WibuCmRaC** file that was created in previous step and copy on your memory stick. After that click on the **Upload Request And Continue Now** button.

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Re-Hostable Licenses

Upload Request Download Update Upload Receipt

When re-hosting licenses, they will be deactivated first. Then they can be activated in another CmContainer. This page guides you through the deactivation process. Only after successfully deactivating the licenses, can you activate these licenses again.

To re-host licenses from one CmContainer to another CmContainer offline - First step "Upload Request":

1. Create a license request file from the CmContainer with **Serial 130-242556755** and **Firm Code 6000597**. This file can for example be created with CodeMeter Control Center. [How it works](#) +
2. Select the licenses you want to re-host.
3. Select the created license request file.
4. Click "Upload Request And Continue Now".

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Name	Activated On	CmContainer	Status
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DABS STANDARD	2023-01-23 11:33:55	130-242556755	Activated

Pick license request file (*.WibuCmRaC)

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5. Click on the **Download License Update File Now** button to save the ***.WibuCmRaU** file directly to your memory stick for instance.

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Download License Update File

Upload Request ✓ Download Update Upload Receipt

To transfer your licenses offline - Second step "Download Update":

1. Click "Download License Update File Now" and save the file on your computer.
2. Import this license update file to the CmContainer with **Serial 130-242556755**. This file can for example be imported with CodeMeter Control Center. [How it works](#) +
3. After you have successfully transferred the license update file to the CmContainer, click "Next" to confirm the license transfer.

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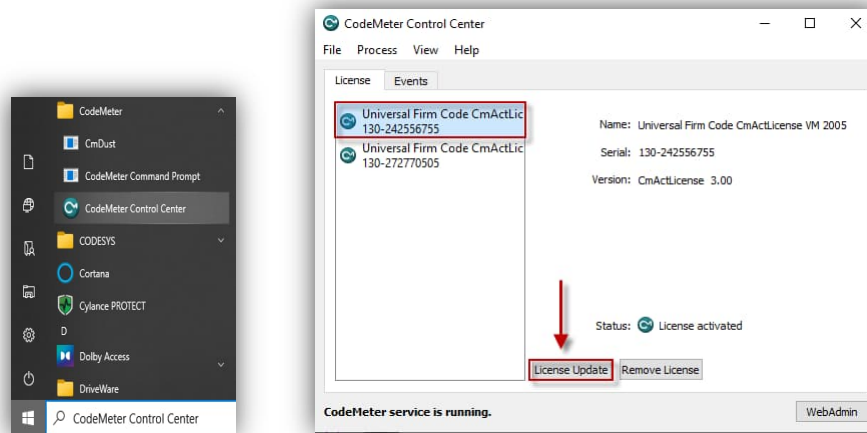
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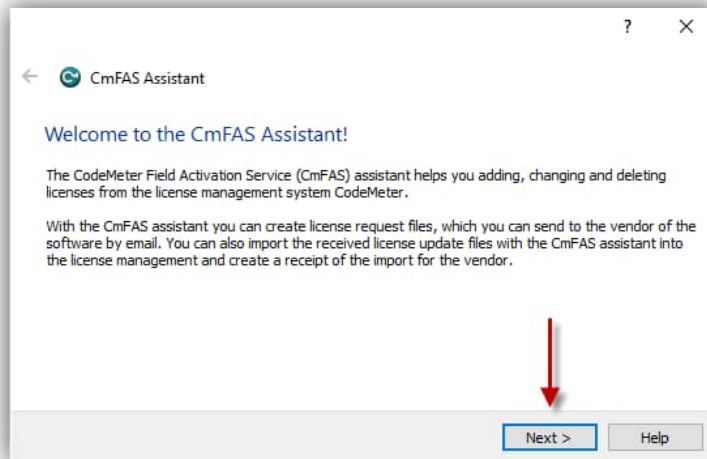
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2.2.3. Offline Computer - Import License Update

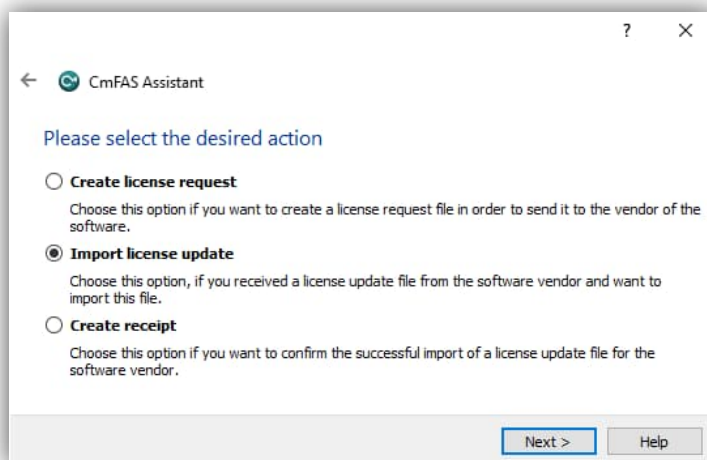
1. Open the CodeMeter Control Center via start menu on the offline computer, then select your DAB license container and click on **License Update** button.



2. The **CmFAS Assistant** is opened. Click on **Next**

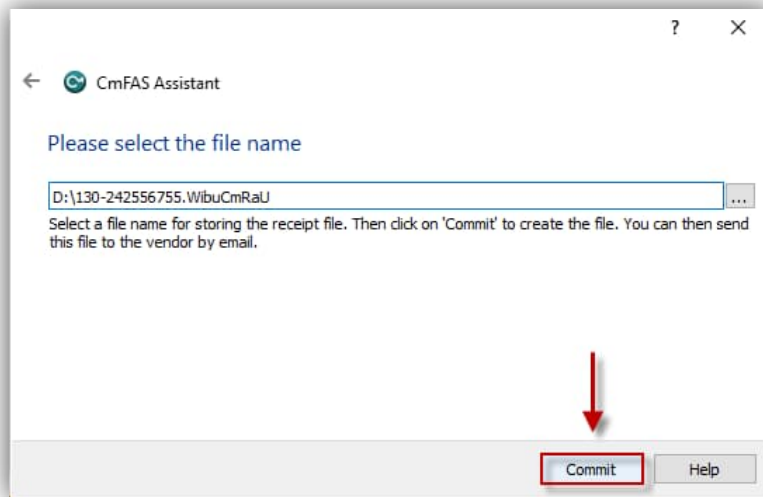


3. Select the **Import license update** option and then **Next**:

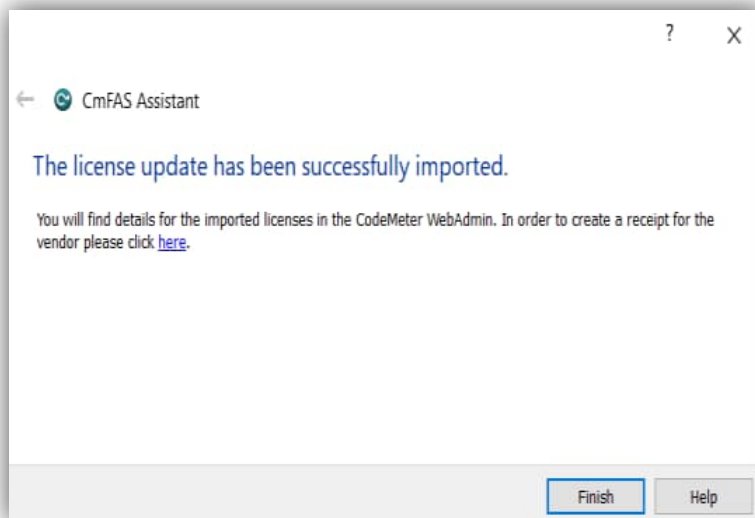
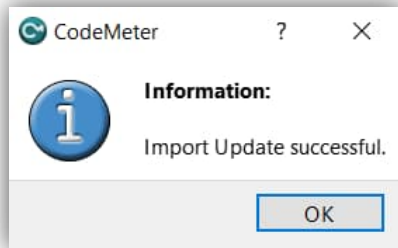


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4. Select the **WibuCmRaU** file from your memory stick and click on **Commit**.



5. The **WibuCmRaU** file is imported and a confirmation message is shown:

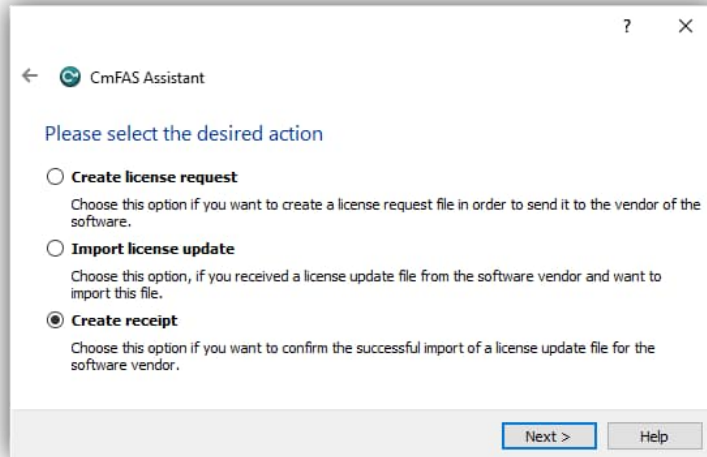


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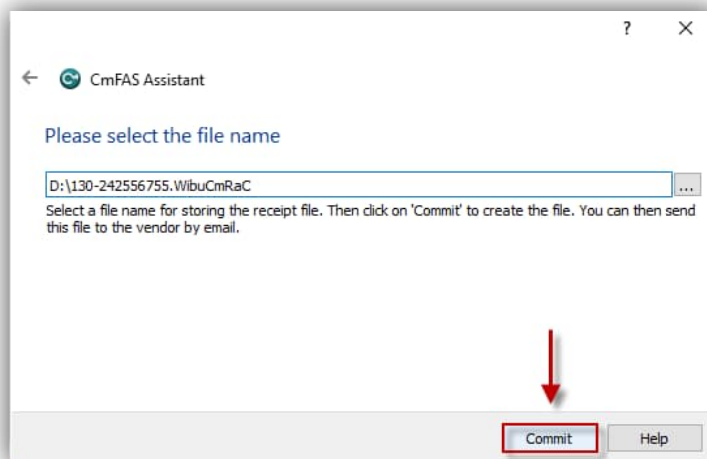
2.2.4. Offline Computer – Create and store the Receipt File

After the license update file is imported, you can create a receipt file from the **CmFAS Assistant** after starting it again.

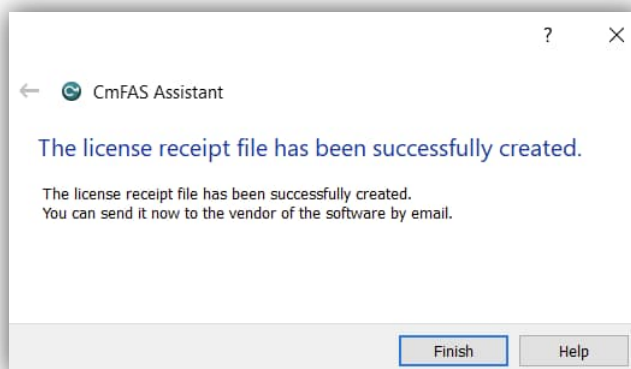
1. Select the **Create receipt** option from the **CmFAS Assistant** and click on **Next**.



2. Then select the file name for the receipt and click on **Commit**




3. The license receipt has been successfully created.



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2.2.5. Online Computer (Internet connection available) - Upload Receipt

You can upload the receipt on the **CodeMeter WebDepot** page. Select the option **Upload request** on the **CodeMeter WebDepot** page. Select the *.WibuCmRaC_Rec file that you created before and click on **Upload Receipt Now**.

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Confirm License Transfer

Upload Request ✓

Download Update

Upload Receipt

To transfer your licenses offline - Third step "Upload Receipt":

1. Create a license receipt file from the CmContainer with **Serial 130-242556755** and **Firm Code 6000597**. This file can for example be created with CodeMeter Control Center. [How it works](#) 
2. Select the created license receipt file.
3. Click "Upload Receipt Now".

If you haven't imported the license update file yet, you can download it again. Click "Back" to get to the download page.


Pick license receipt file (*.WibuCmRaC)

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