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# Smart Start free license activation manual

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## 1 General Information

The *Axxon Smart* software package is an entry-level product in the Axxon product line developed by AxxonSoft.

*NOTE. Detailed information necessary for building, implementing and operating a security system based on the Axxon Smart software package is contained in the Axxon Smart Software Package User Guide.*

A Smart Start free license allows the use of a fully functional system consisting of one server, 16 video cameras, and 1 terabyte of archives.

Activation of the Smart Start free license is carried out through the product activation utility (installed with the *Axxon Smart* software package).

## 2 Product activation utility

You can launch the product activation utility from the Windows OS **Start** menu: **Start -> All programs -> Axxon Smart -> Utilities -> Product activation**.

*NOTE. The activation utility program file LicenseTool.exe is located in the folder <Directory where Axxon Smart is installed>\Axxon Smart\bin\.*

Then you must select the name of the server to which the activation key will be applied and connect to the system using the name and password of the *Axxon Smart* software package administrator to continue the activation process (Fig. 2—1).



Fig. 2—1 Connecting to the server

The activation method selection dialog box will then appear (Fig. 2—2).

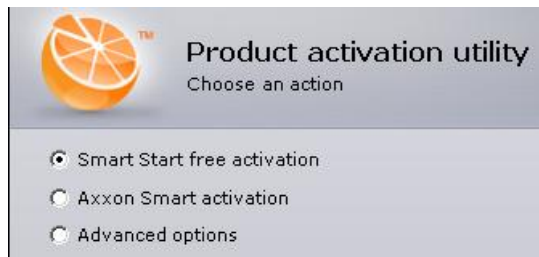


Fig. 2—2 Selecting the activation method

Now you are ready to activate the Smart Start free license.

### 3 Free License Activation

You can activate a Smart Start free license in one of the following ways:

1. By automatically sending a request and downloading an activation key.
2. By sending a request and downloading an activation key to the system manually.

#### 3.1 Automatic Activation

*Important! You must be connected to the Internet.*

To activate a Smart Start free license automatically, you must perform the following steps:

1. In the activation method selection window, select the **Smart Start free activation** option (Fig. 3—1). Click the **Next** button.



Fig. 3—1 Selecting Smart Start free license activation

2. The **Activation key** dialog box will appear (Fig. 3—2). In this dialog box, select the **Request activation key** option. Click the **Next** button.



Fig. 3—2 Sending an activation key request

3. The activation request dialog box will then appear; select **Activate online** (Fig. 3—3). Click the **Next** button.

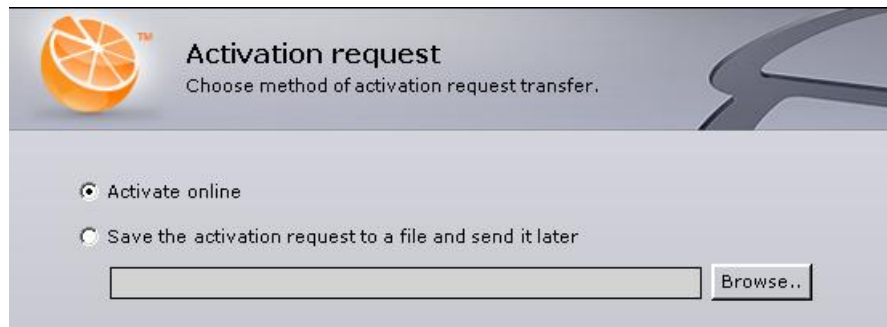


Fig. 3—3 Selecting an automatic activation request

4. Your activation request will be sent online. If activation is completed successfully on the licensing server (<https://sale.axxonsoft.com>), the activation key will be automatically downloaded and distributed within the system.

Automatic activation of the Smart Start free license is now complete.

### 3.2 Sending a Request and Downloading an Activation Key to the System Manually

*NOTE. This method is used when a computer with Axxon Smart installed is not connected to the Internet.*

To send a request and download a Smart Start free license activation key to the system manually, you must perform the following steps:

1. In the activation method selection window, select the **Smart Start free activation** option (Fig. 3—4). Click the **Next** button.



Fig. 3—4 Selecting Smart Start free license activation

2. The **Activation key** dialog box will appear (Fig. 3—5). In this dialog box, select the **Request activation key** option. Click the **Next** button.

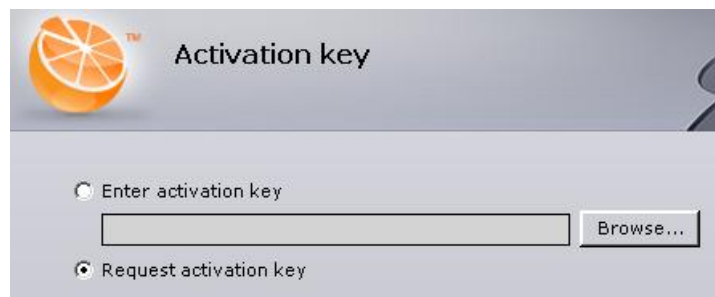


Fig. 3—5 Sending an activation key request

3. The activation request dialog box will then appear; select **Save the activation request to a file and send it later** (Fig. 3—6).

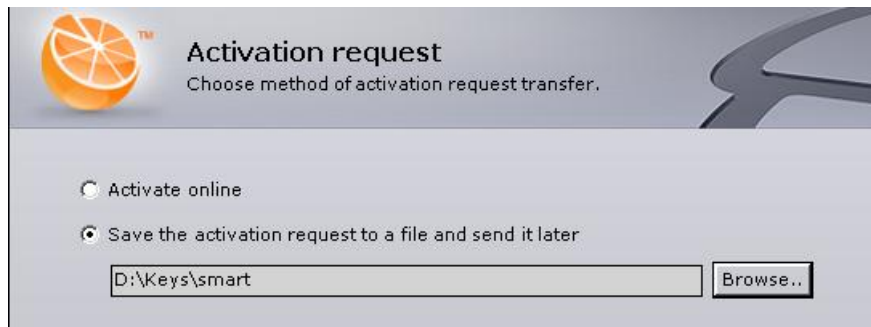


Fig. 3—6 Selecting manual sending of an activation request

4. Click the **Browse** button (see Fig. 3—6); when the dialog box appears, enter the desired path and file name to which you wish to save the activation request. Click the **Next** button.
5. When the file with the activation request has been successfully saved, a confirmation message will appear. Exit the product activation utility by clicking **Finish**.
6. Send the activation request file through the licensing server's Web interface:
  - 6.1. Use your Web browser to go to <https://sale.axxonsoft.com> (Fig. 3—7).

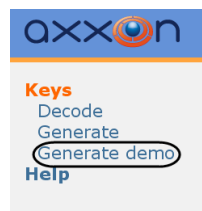


Fig. 3—7 Generating an activation key for a free license

- 6.2. Go to the **Generate demo** link (see Fig. 3—7).
- 6.3. In the form which appears on the page, indicate the path to the activation request file. Load this file to the licensing server by clicking **Upload** (Fig. 3—8).

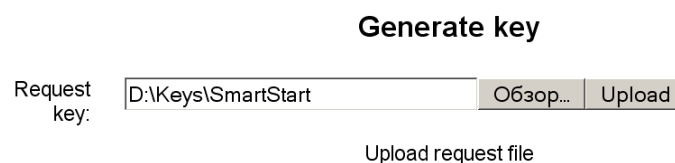


Fig. 3—8 Selecting a request file

- 6.4. Click the **Generate** button.
- 6.5. Download the Smart Start free license activation key (Fig. 3—9).

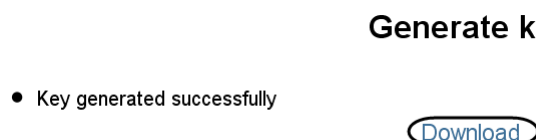
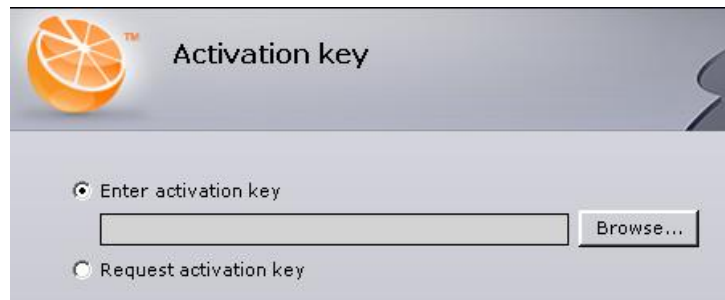


Fig. 3—9 Link for downloading an activation key

7. To enter the activation key you have downloaded, launch the activation utility again.
8. Repeat step 1 of these instructions.

9. The **Activation key** dialog box will appear (Fig. 3—10). Here you should load the Smart Start activation key you have received from the file for distribution in the system. To do this, select **Enter activation key** and click **Browse** to search for the corresponding file.



**Fig. 3—10** Entering the activation key

10. After selecting the file with the activation key, click the **Next** button. The utility will then activate the Smart Start free license. If license activation is successful, a confirmation message will appear. Otherwise the errors that occurred during activation will be displayed.

Sending a request and downloading a Smart Start free license activation key to the system manually is now complete.