

Cloud License Server

with InstallShield®

With InstallShield, you can eliminate the time and effort required to set up and manage local License Servers. Easily configure your builds from the DevOps build pipeline with InstallShield's Cloud License Server.

This cloud licensing option provides you with the support and flexibility to meet the needs of your business where and how you need it most.

FAQs:

I want to run multiple instances of InstallShield and/or SAB at the same time, but don't want to be tied to a machine. What's the best licensing model for me?

Concurrent Licensing is the best model we recommend if you want flexibility on number of users accessing InstallShield or building at the same time.

I want to use SAB to build on dynamically created VMs in the cloud. What's the best model for me?

Cloud License Server (CLS) for InstallShield

Where should I host the license server if I'm using CLS?

CLS is provisioned, hosted and maintained by Revenera. You have zero effort or cost to deploy or maintain the license server.

I'm using Azure DevOps/AWS/GCP for my build environment. Will CLS work for me?

Absolutely. CLS is built for cloud environments where you have flexibility to build on dynamically created VMs.

My build machines have random (or dynamically generated) mac addresses. Will CLS work for me?

Yes.

Do I need a special network connection to checkout licenses from CLS?

No. As long as you have active internet connection, your client machines with InstallShield or SAB would be able to checkout licenses from CLS.



How does the communication happen between InstallShield and CLS?

Communication between InstallShield and CLS is via simple HTTP calls. For more details, please reach out to our sales or support.

Is the communication between our VMs and CLS safe?

Yes. The cloud infrastructure running CLS instances are "SOC 2 Compliant".

Where are the CLS instances hosted?

CLS instances are hosted in Revenera data centers.

Is there any file transfer between our VMs and your CLS instances?

No. Only license checkout/check-in happens via http calls between client and CLS

How many SAB licenses do I get with each CLS license?

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When does license checkout, check-in happen?

When using IDE, license is checked out when launched the IDE. License is checked in, when IDE is closed.

When using SAB, license is checked out when build starts. License is checked in, when build is complete.

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Build software installs in the cloud today
by connecting to InstallShield's Cloud License Server.

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