

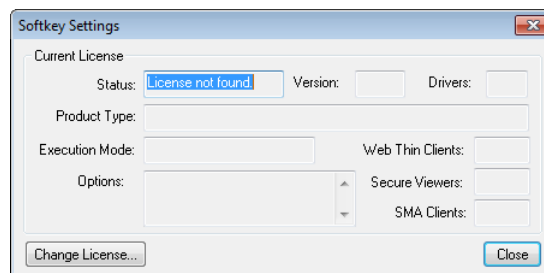
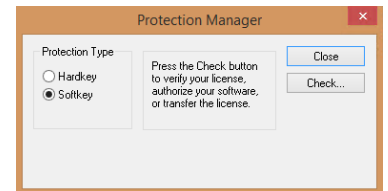
## Request and install a consignment license for ITME development software



Before you begin this task, make sure the InTouch Machine Edition development software has been installed on your computer.

To install or upgrade a softkey license for InTouch Machine Edition:

1. If you are using a virtual machine (VM) or are connected to a network over VPN: **Ensure that you have a fixed MAC address.** The license is tied to your network card MAC address and will not work if the MAC-address changes. If you are using a VM, then see your VM documentation for further instructions. If you are connected to a network over VPN, then disconnect the VPN prior to activation.
2. If you have already used InTouch Machine Edition, stop the running project (if any), and then exit the program.
3. Run Protection Manager: Depending on your operating system:
  - a. In Windows 7: Click **Start > All Programs > Wonderware > InTouch Machine Edition vX.X > Register**. The Protection Manager program window is displayed.
  - b. In Windows 8: Use the file explorer to open **C:\Program Files (x86)\ Wonderware\InTouch Machine Edition vX.X\Bin** and double-click on **RunUniReg.exe**. The Protection Manager program window is displayed.
4. Select **Softkey** if it is not already selected, and then click **Check**. The Softkey Settings dialog box is displayed. If you have a valid softkey license installed, then the dialog will show those settings. Otherwise, if you do not have a softkey, then the dialog will simply say "License not found."



5. Click **Change License**. The Change License dialog box is displayed with a hardware identifier. Copy the hardware identifier.
6. Visit <https://softwareom.wonderware.com/Licensegen/default.aspx> to activate the license. You need your Wonderware credentials to log in to the site. If there are multiple license types to choose from, then choose the Consignment license. Paste the hardware identifier into the web form and click submit.
7. If a valid hardware identifier has been entered then a license activation code is returned. Copy/paste or type the code in the **Activation Code** box, and then click **Authorize**. (You will be prompted to confirm.) The new license settings are saved on the computer and a confirmation message is displayed.

If the new license code is not validated, an error message is displayed. If this happens, double-check that you have entered the activation code correctly. If you still get an error message, visit <http://software.invensys.com/contact-us/contact-technical-support/> to contact our technical support department.