

MIDAS License Key Installation

MIDAS Configurator

This installation notice applies to the MIDAS versions 4.x.

For MIDAS Add-On products see next section.

MIDAS consists basically of two main modules: MIDAS Web Application system and HPOM Backend server.

License keys will be generated for each of them: The MIDAS Web Application license is *not* locked to any IP. Therefore, install the MIDAS Web Application module as often as desired.

The MIDAS HPOM Backend license though will be node locked. On a cluster, the virtual cluster IP will be used in the license.

On a full MIDAS installation (MIDAS Web Application and HPOM Backend) on the same HPOM server, it is necessary to install **both** license keys on that system.

How to identify what MIDAS module is installed?

```
# ./midas.sh version
```

Check the products listed, if a MIDAS Web Application and/or a HPOM Backend is available. Add-ons will also be listed.

```
...[echo] installed MIDAS products:
[echo]   MIDAS Documentor Backend
[echo]   MIDAS Configurator Backend
[echo]   MIDAS Administrator Backend
```

To check the licenses status do:

```
# ./midas.sh analyze
```

Check the following entry:

```
Installation Type      backend only | webapp only | full
```

MIDAS Add-On Products (Debugger, Synchronizer,...)

- MIDAS Debugger: Contains of three (3) module specific license files which have to be installed on:
 - MIDAS Web Application (not node locked),
 - HPOM Backend (license is node locked to the HPOM server IP) and the
 - MIDAS HPOM Test Agent (not node locked).
- MIDAS Synchronizer: The license is installed on the MIDAS Web Application system.
- MIDAS Inventory: There is no license required for MIDAS Configurator (core product). The Windows based MIDAS Inventory server though needs a license.

License Key Installation

Installation syntax is:

```
# ./midas.sh install /path/to/<license.zip>
```

Example:

If the license file's name is: BES_starbug_Productive_4.4.2_2012082915.zip inside /tmp, the installation command is:

```
# ./midas.sh install /tmp/BES_starbug_Productive_4.4.2_2012082915.zip
```



Please **do not** unpack the license ZIP files manually!

After the installation a "Build successful" message should be given.

After the license installation it is necessary to restart MIDAS. It is recommended to perform a clean restart (especially if the previous license has expired). Please run:

```
# ./midas.sh clean
# ./midas.sh start
```

Replace Expired Licenses with Productive Keys

Instant-On licenses expire after 60 days while evaluation licenses expire as agreed. These licenses are not automatically removed with installing productive licenses. This results in warning messages due to the fact that the instant-on licenses (which come with the product) are licensed to Blue Elephant Systems GmbH. As the new productive licenses are licensed to the customer, the holder name differs and causes these warnings.

To remove the warning, delete all licenses and install the productive ones again.



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Step-by-step instruction

1. Do a MIDAS clean stop

```
# ./midas.sh clean
```

2. Delete all files and folders below

```
# <MIDAS_HOME>/conf/licenses/BES/*
```

3. Install the productive licenses

```
# ./midas.sh install <licensefile.zip>
```

4. Start MIDAS again

```
# ./midas.sh start
```

5. Check license status

```
# ./midas.sh analyze
```