Product Activation Quick Start Guide

ActiveImage™ 2022
PROTECTOR

Linux

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Summary

The purpose of this guide is to provide ActiveImage Protector (the "product") users with a quick reference to assist in activating the product (2022 Linux). Note that the product activation process requires information that you will receive from other sources. If you encounter any problems with product activation, please refer to the support contacts provided.

For more information about the product, please refer to the webhelp at https://webhelp.actiphy.com/AIP/linux/2022/en_US/help/.

Introduction

This guide explains the steps required for activating ActiveImage Protector 2022 Linux. There are 3 ways to activate the product.

- Activate your product online

- Activate your product via AAS (offline procedure)

- Activate your product via uploading a license file (offline procedure)

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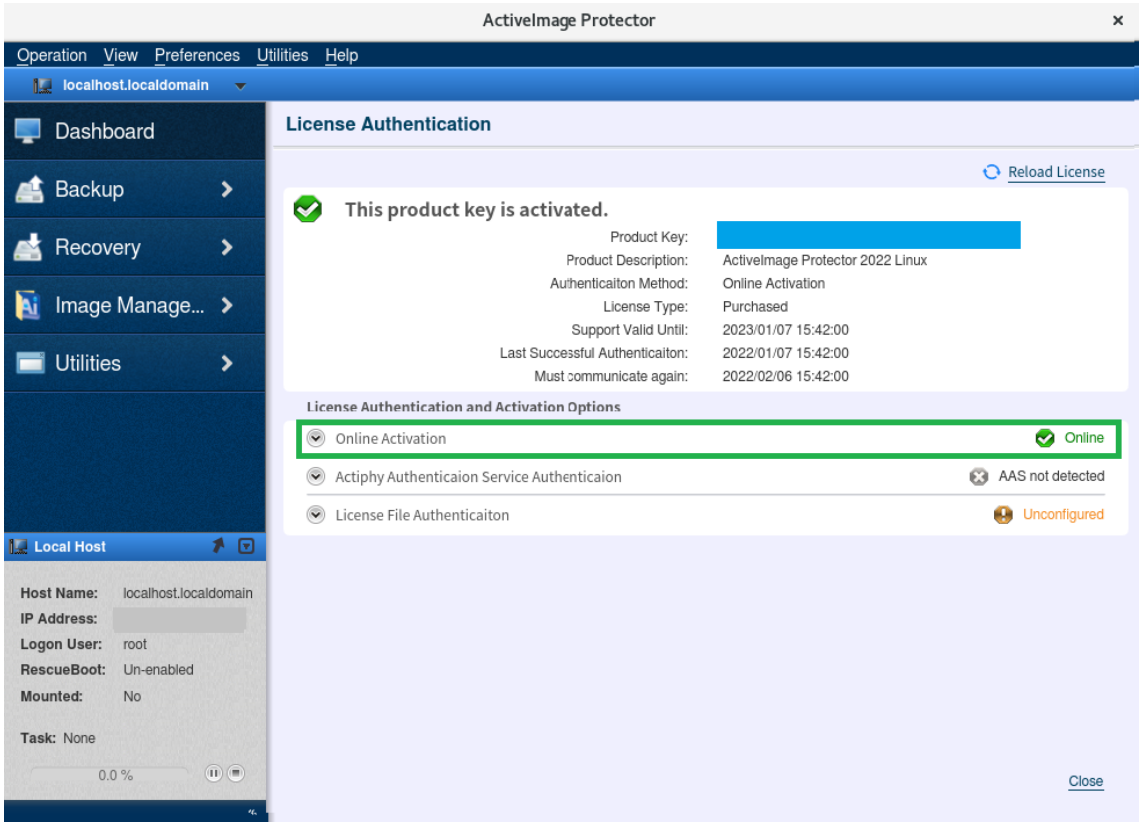
1. Activate your product online

When you install the product on a machine which is connected to the internet, the product will be activated online by default after the installation. At any time, you can Go to **[Help] > [License]** to check the activation status.



When your product key has expired or has been changed, Go to **[Help] > [License]> [Online Activation]** to enter a valid product key in the Product Key text box and click the **[Activation]** button to re-activate the product online.

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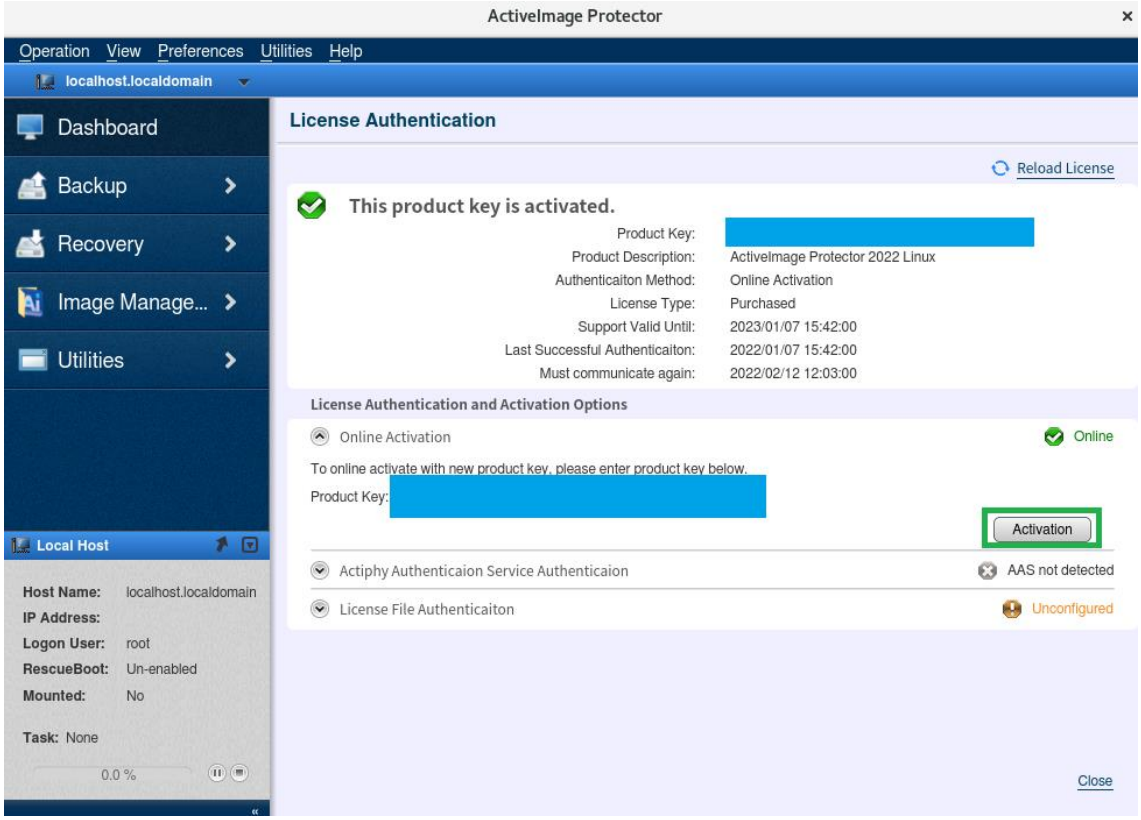

If online activation was unsuccessful, there are several possible reasons:

(1). A firewall may be blocking access to the Actiphy activation server. If possible, temporarily disable your firewall and then retry activation.

(2). You may need to whitelist the Actiphy activation server website, if this is the case, please send an email to our distributors/resellers in your region to get the activation server information.

(3). Your internet connection may be off-line or disconnected. If so, try again after reconnecting to the internet.

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2. Activate your product via AAS

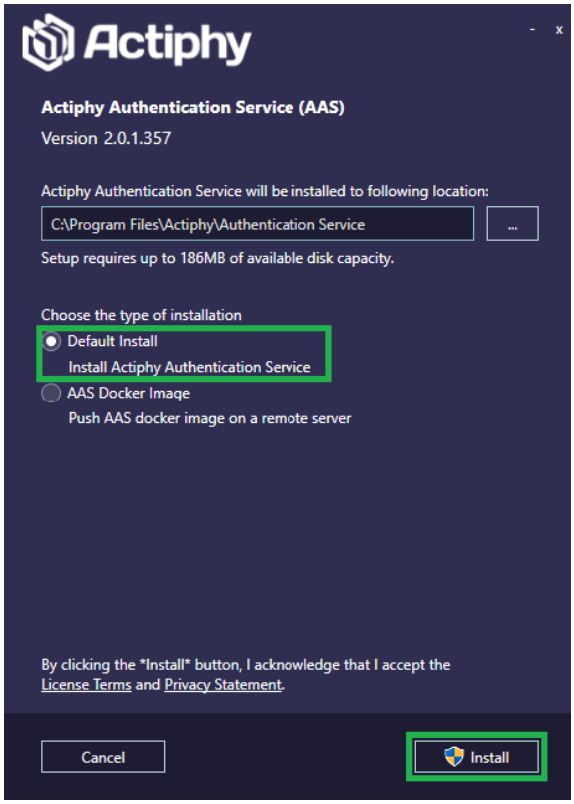
If you do not have an Internet connection available for the activation, you can perform an offline activation via Actiphy Authentication Service (AAS).

AAS is a dedicated license authentication server for Actiphy's products including ActiveImage Protector. AAS can be installed on a Windows machine (Windows 10(64bit) / Windows Server 2012 R2 or later) in order to activate the product. If no Windows machine is available to install AAS, please refer to "AAS Docker Container Guide" to install an AAS Docker on a Linux machine in order to activate the product.

>>Step 1 Download the AAS program from the following link. Before you start installing AAS, it is important that you review the **system requirements**.

www.actiphy.com/en-us/aasprogram

>> Step 2 Double-click on the .exe file to run the installer, select **[Default Install -Install Actiphy Authentication Service]** and click **[Install].**



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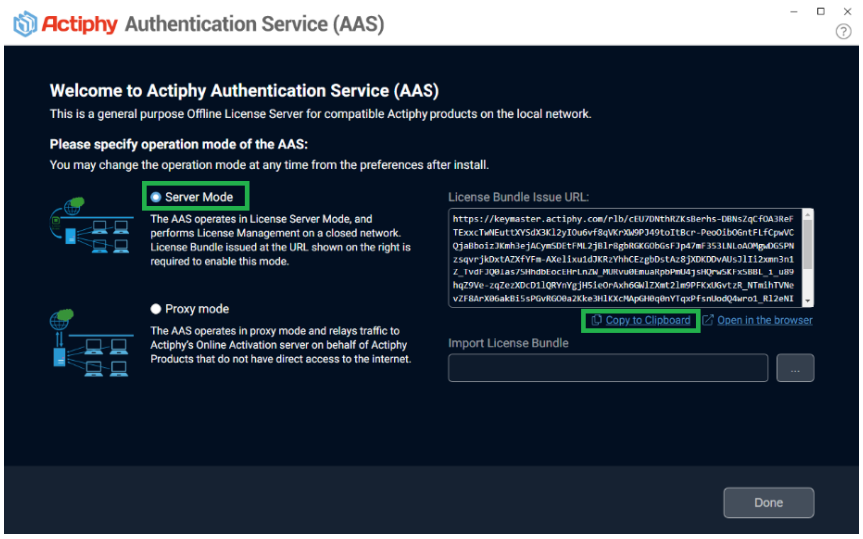
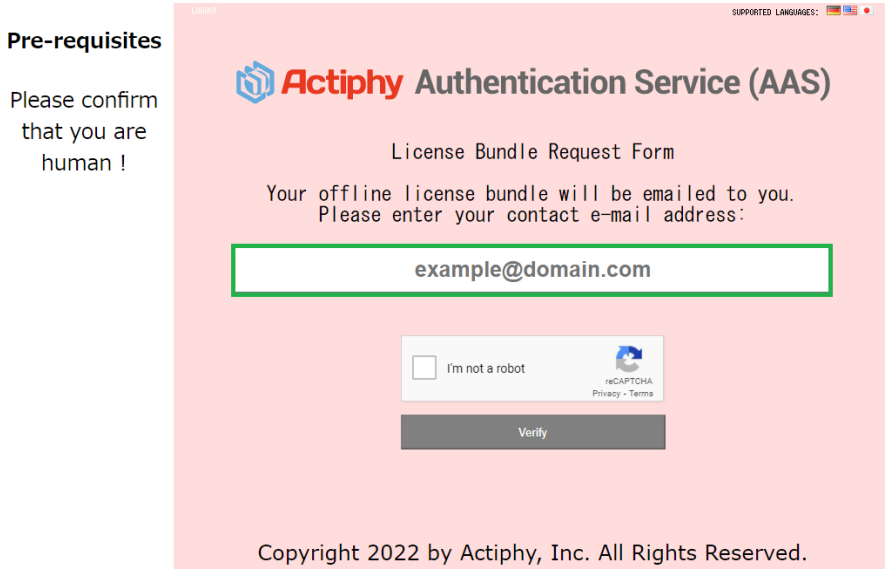
>>Step 3 Boot AAS after the installation and select "Server Mode". The URL for obtaining the license bundle will be displayed.

Copy this URL and save it to the clipboard (or save it to a file). Then, paste the URL into the browser of a machine with an internet connection to connect to the Actiphy License Server.



>>Step 4 Register your email address to receive the license bundle file.



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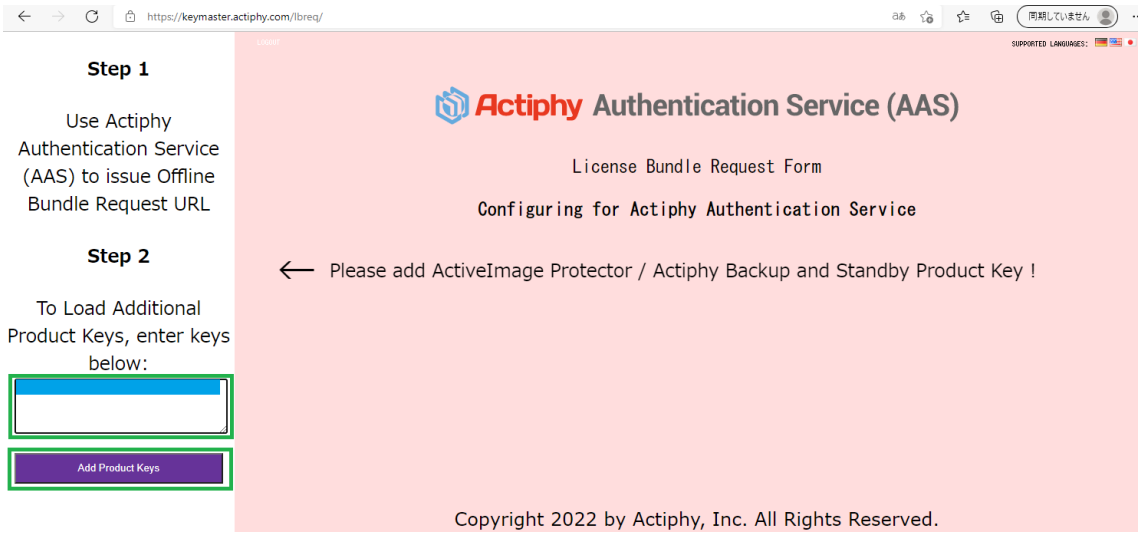
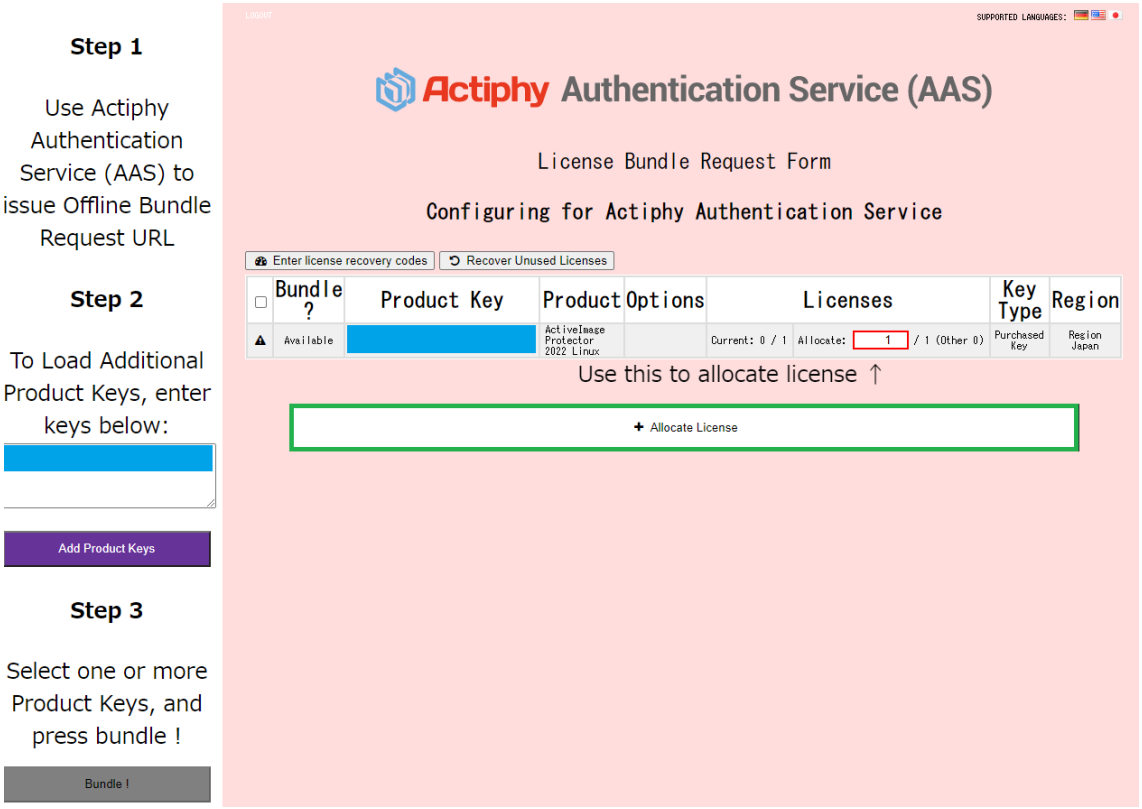
>>Step 5 Enter the product key(s) into the frame, click **[Add Product Keys]**.



>>Step 6 Select/Input a number of licenses which you have and need to activate via AAS then click **[Allocate License]**.



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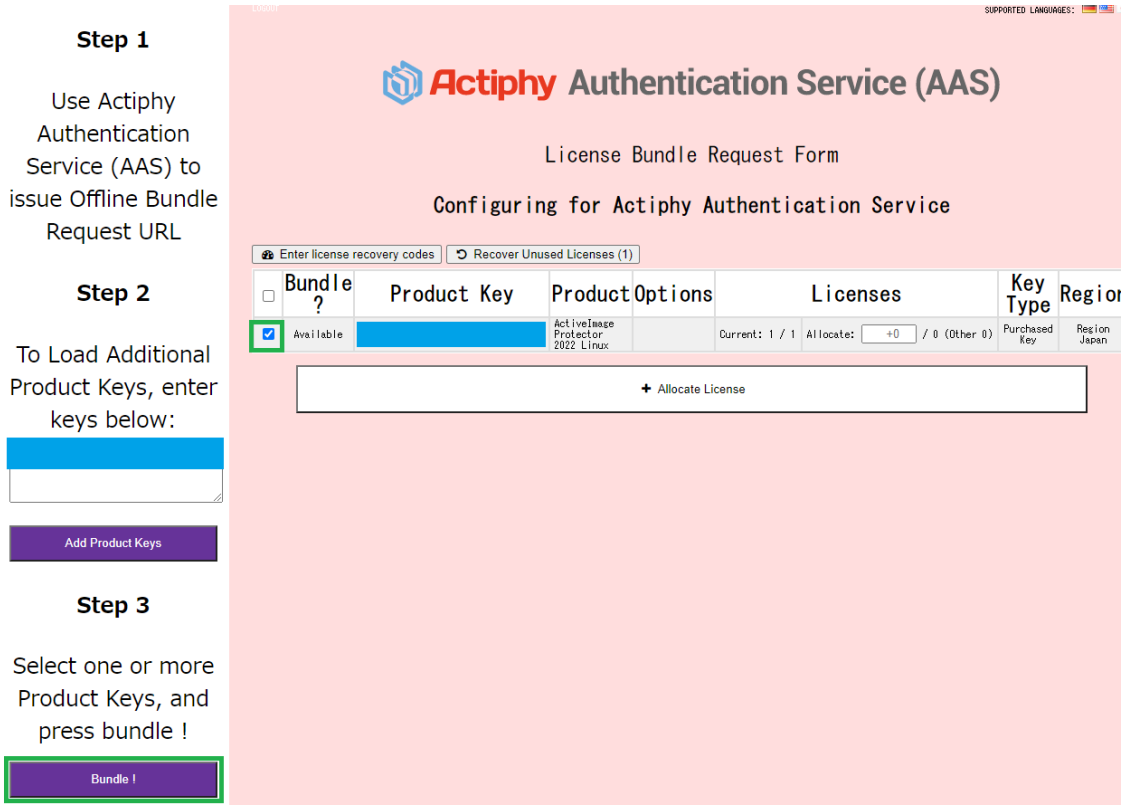
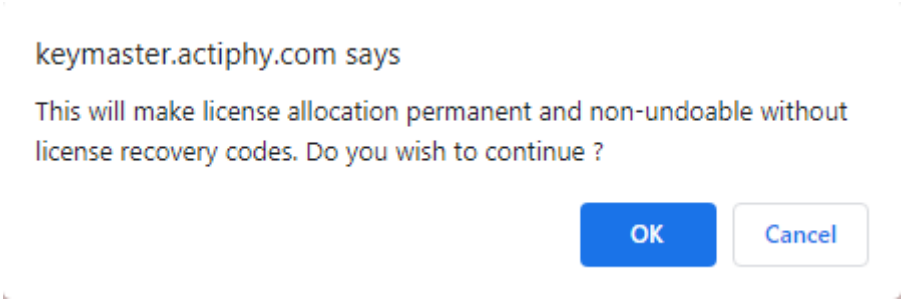
>>Step 7 Select the product key(s) and click **[Bundle!]**. A pop-up message is then displayed. After confirming the message, click **[OK]**.





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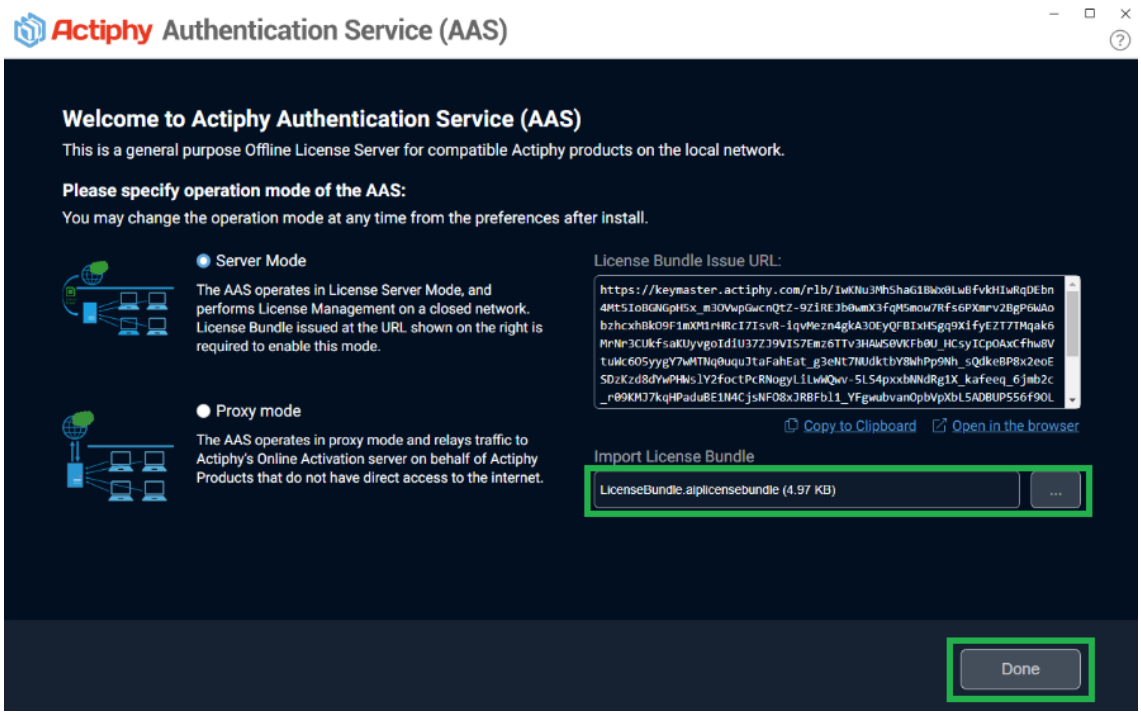
>>Step 8 Click **[Download]** and the complete license bundle file will be sent to the email address specified.

>> Step 9 Import the bundle file received by email to AAS and click **[Done]**.



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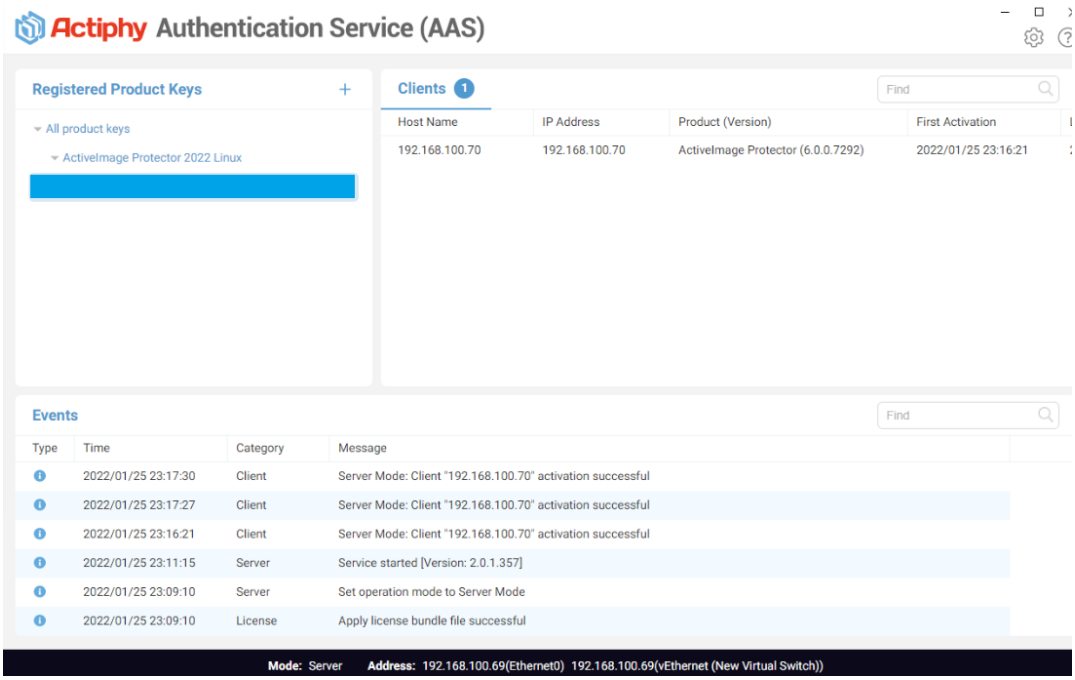
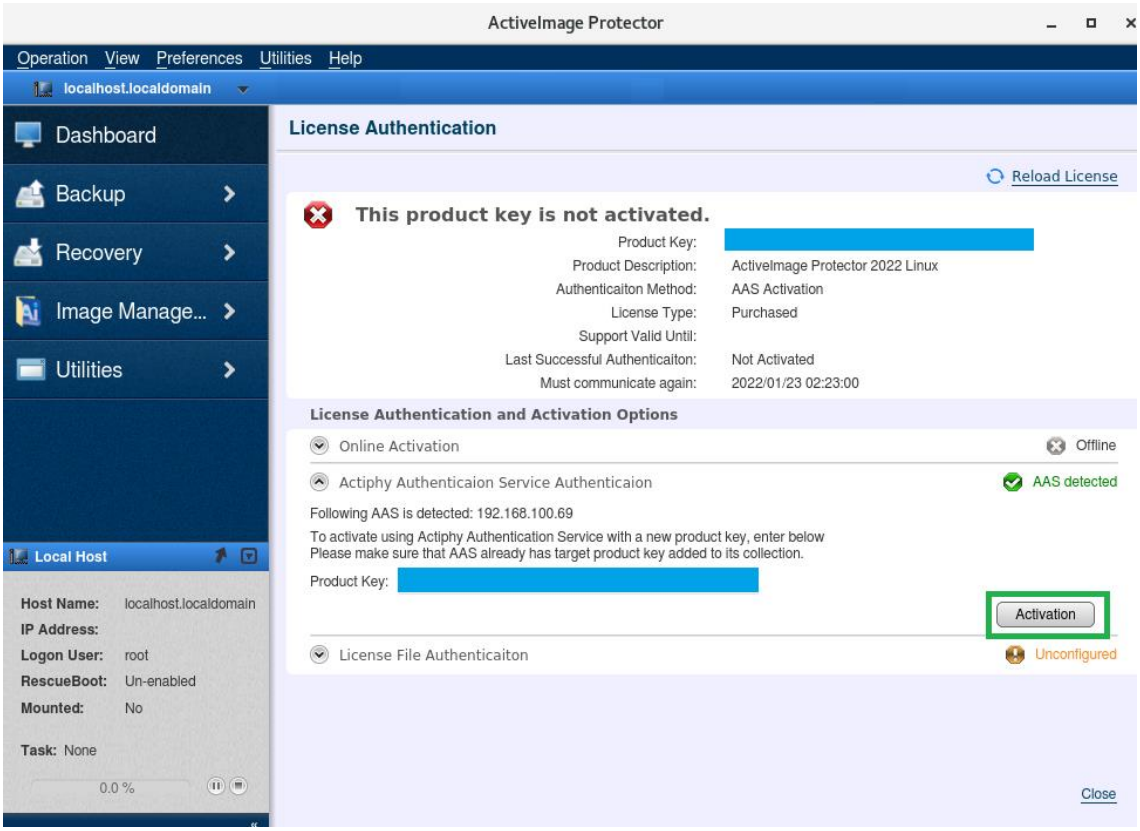
>> **Step 10** After importing the license bundle file to AAS, the license details can be confirmed through the AAS.



>> **Step 11** Go to ActiveImage Protector console **[Help]** > **[License]** and click **[Activation]** button shown in the "Actiphy Authentication Service Authentication" option to activate the product in the "AAS detected" section.



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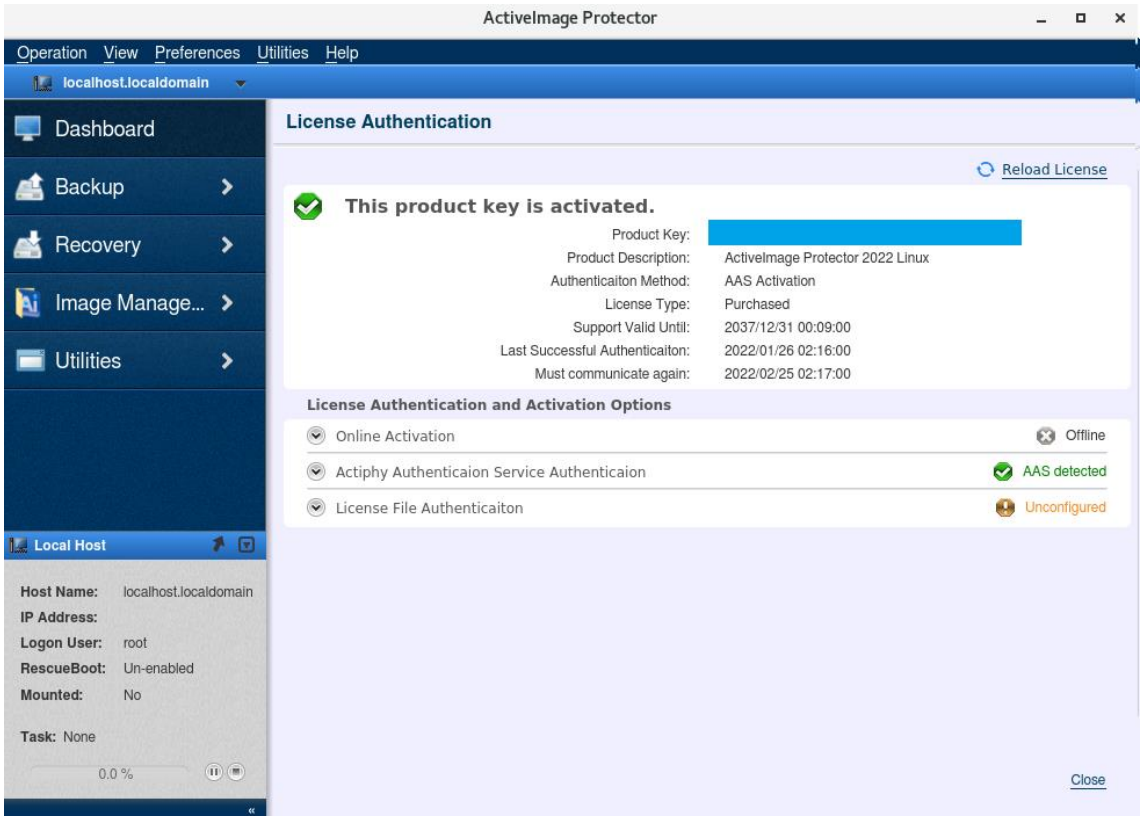
>> Step 12 When the activation is successful, “This product key is activated” will be shown in the License Authentication interface of ActiveImage Protector.



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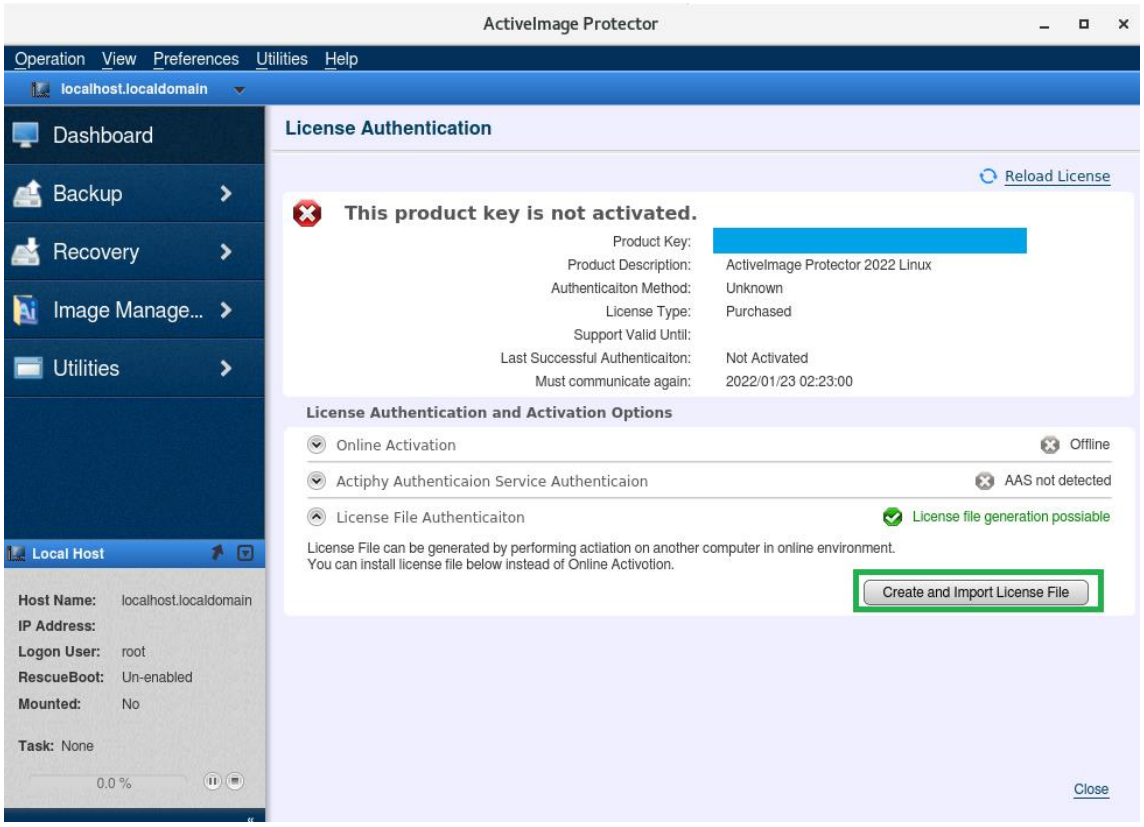
3. Activate your product via uploading a license file

If you do not have an Internet connection available for the activation, you can also perform an offline activation via uploading a license file.

Please note that the license file request URL is specific to the computers using the license file.

>> Step 1 After installing the ActiveImage Protector 2022 Linux, Go to **[Help] > [License]** and click **[Create and Import License File]** button shown in the License File Authentication" option.



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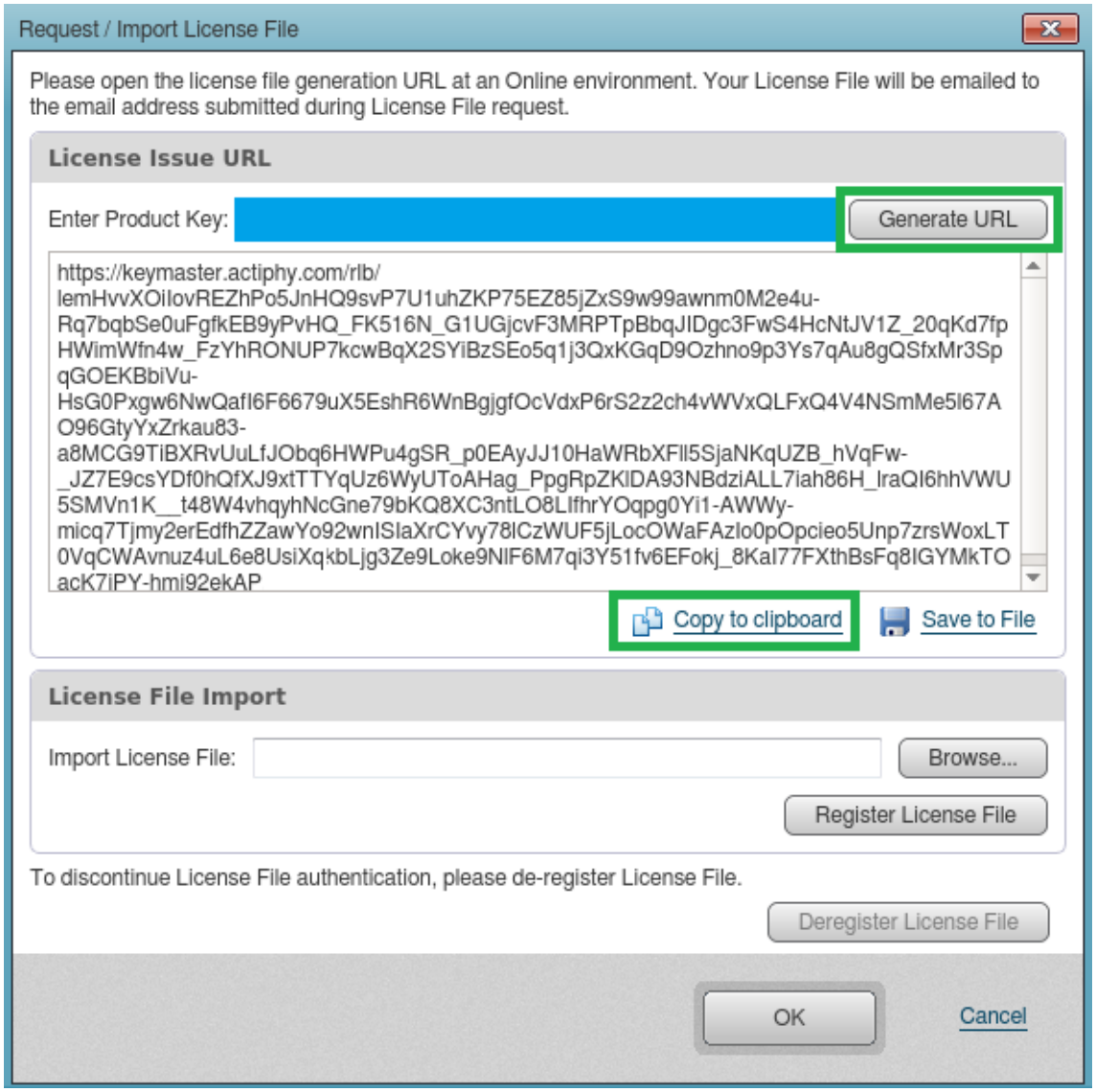
>> Step 2 Click **[Generate URL]** and copy it to the clipboard (or save it to a file). Then, paste the URL into the browser of a machine with an internet connection to connect to the Actiphy License Server.



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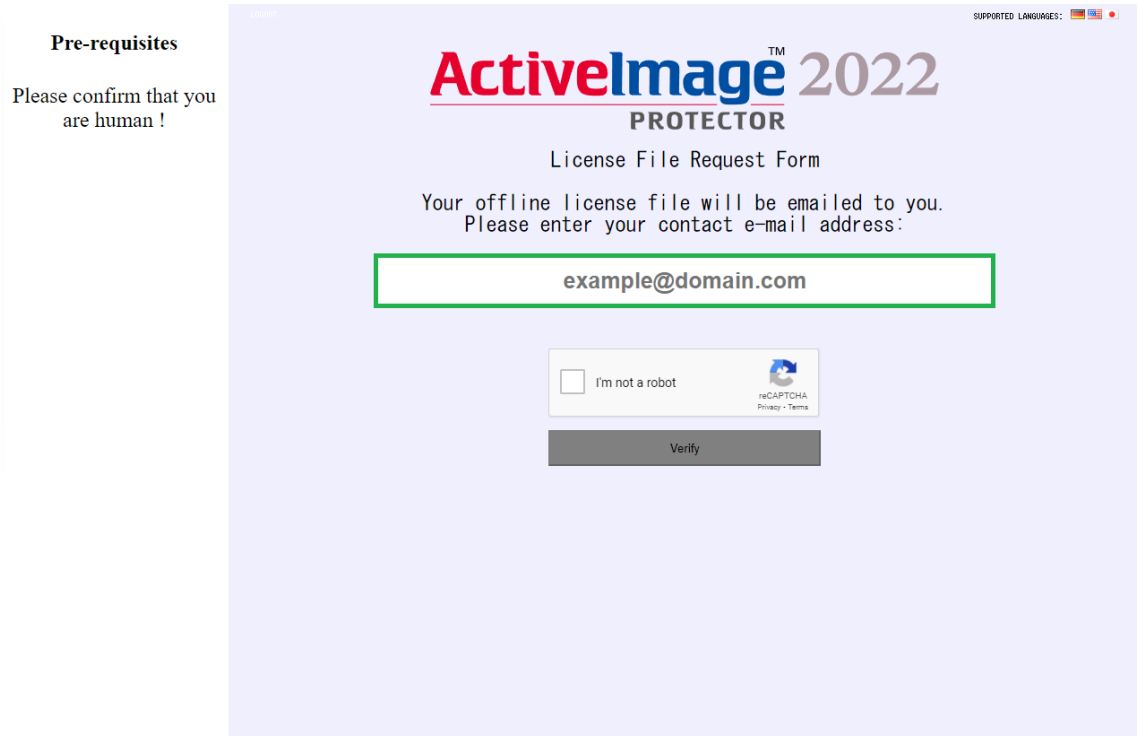
>> Step 3 Register your email address to receive the license bundle file.



>> Step 4 License information for an installed instance of ActiveImage Protector will be displayed automatically. Select/Input the number "**1**" to the red box below then click **[Allocate License]**.

Note : Even you have a multiple number of licenses (e.g. 10 licenses), still select/input the number "**1**" to the red box below as only **one** (**1)** valid license file can be issued at a time for **one** ActiveImage Protector-installed machine. If you have a multiple number of licenses, please get a License Issue URL from each ActiveImage Protector-installed machine by following the previous steps.

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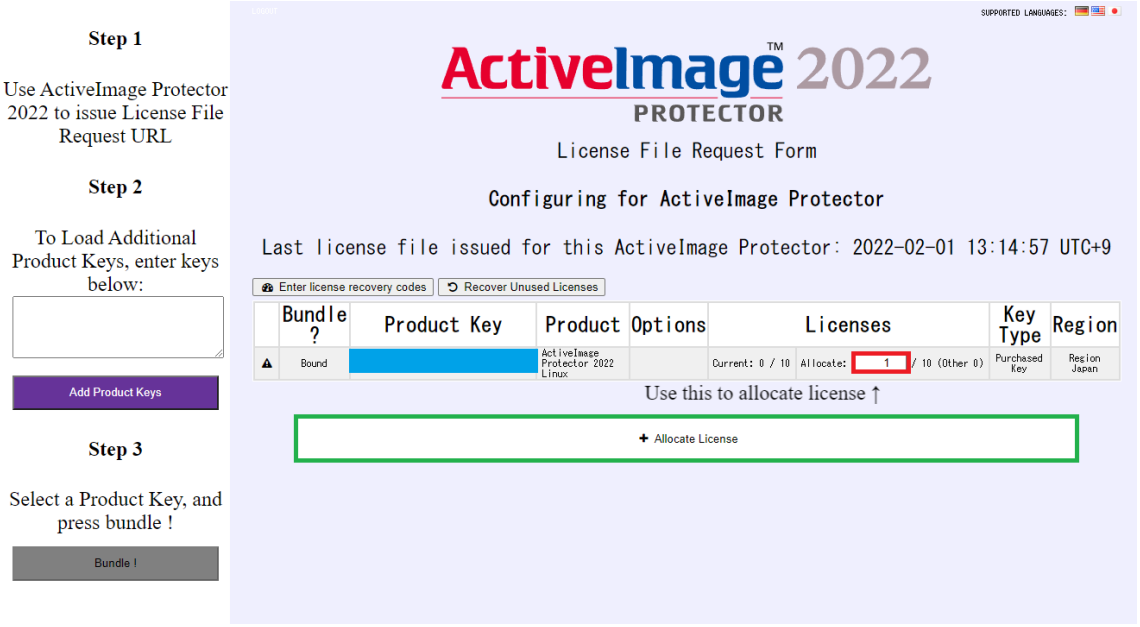
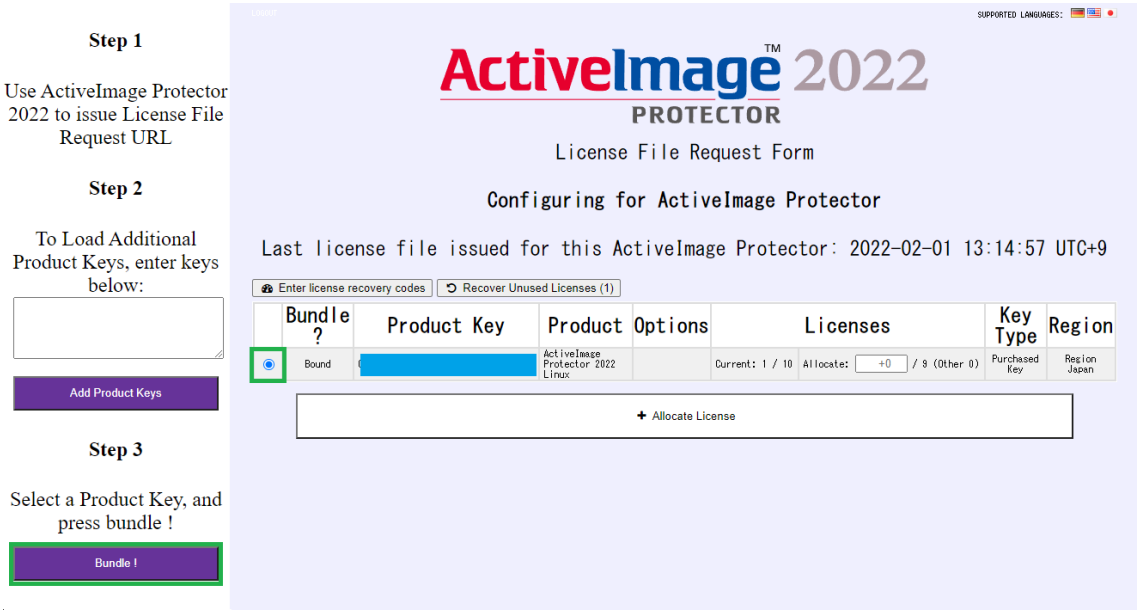
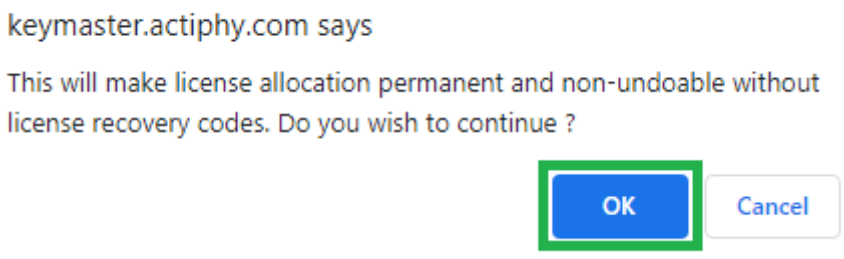


>> Step 5 Select the product key(s) and click **[Bundle!].** Then a pop-up message is displayed. After confirming the message, please click **[OK]**.





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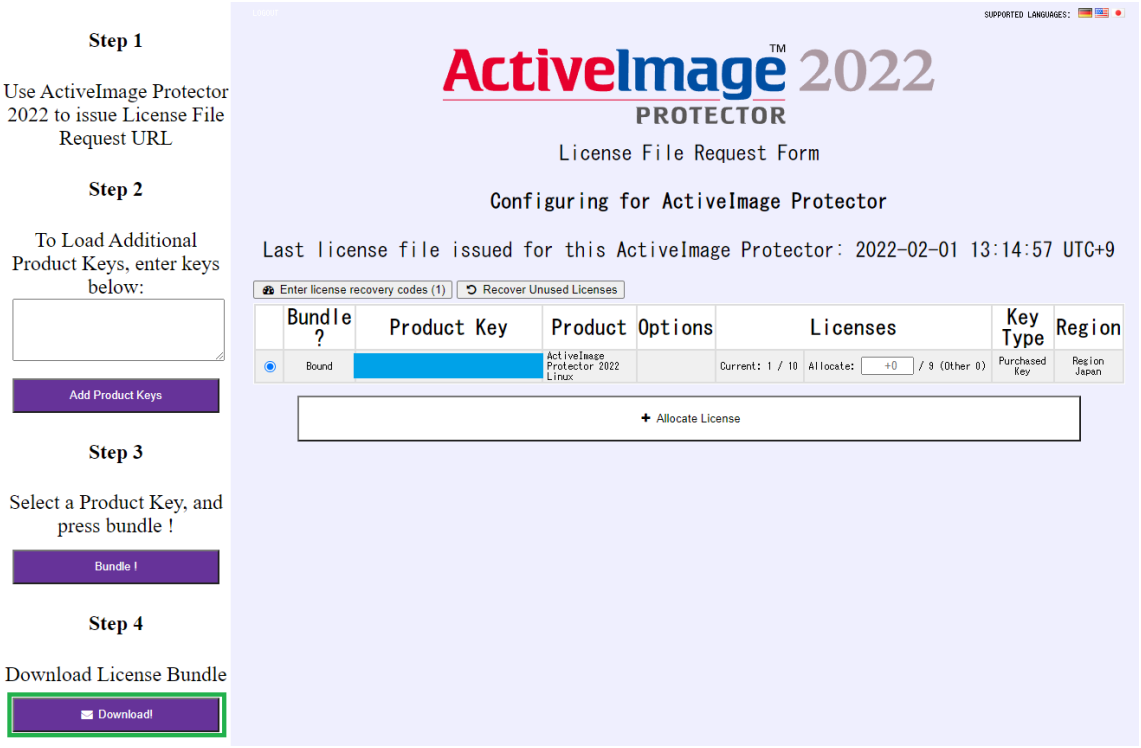
>> Step 6 Click **[Download]** and the complete license bundle file will be sent to the email address specified.



>> Step 7 Go to ActiveImage Protector console **[Help]** > **[License]** and import the license file received by email to the “License File Import” area and click **[Register License File].** When importing the license file successfully, a successful pop-up message will be displayed.

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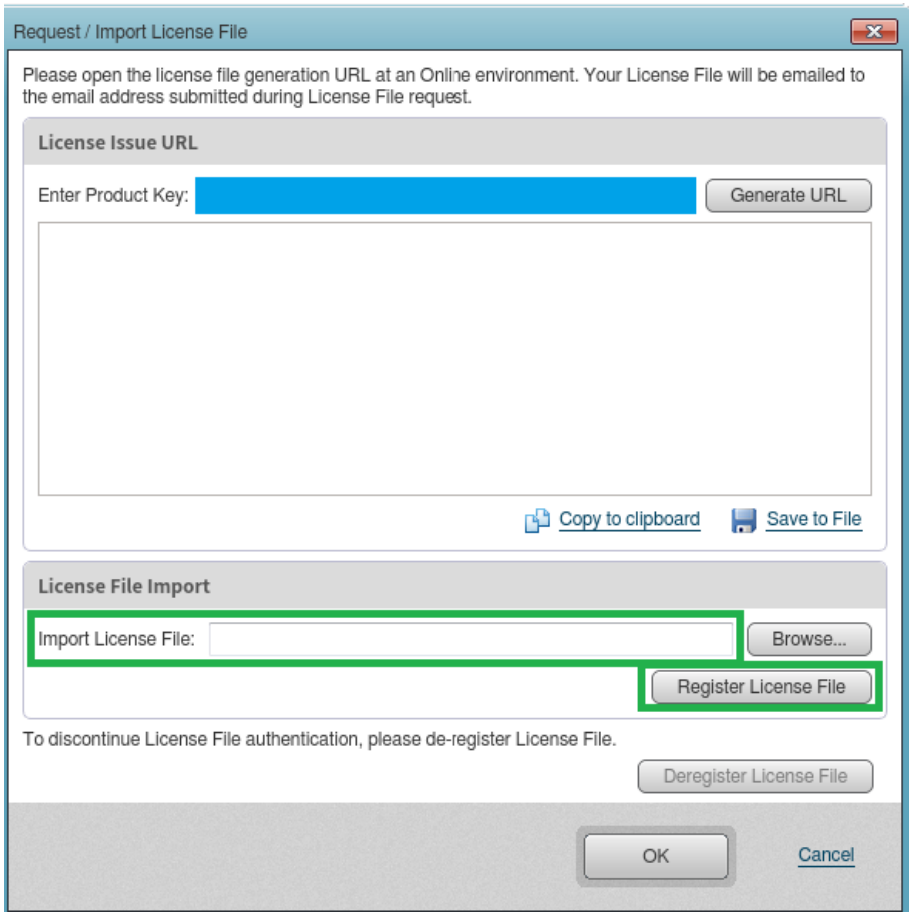

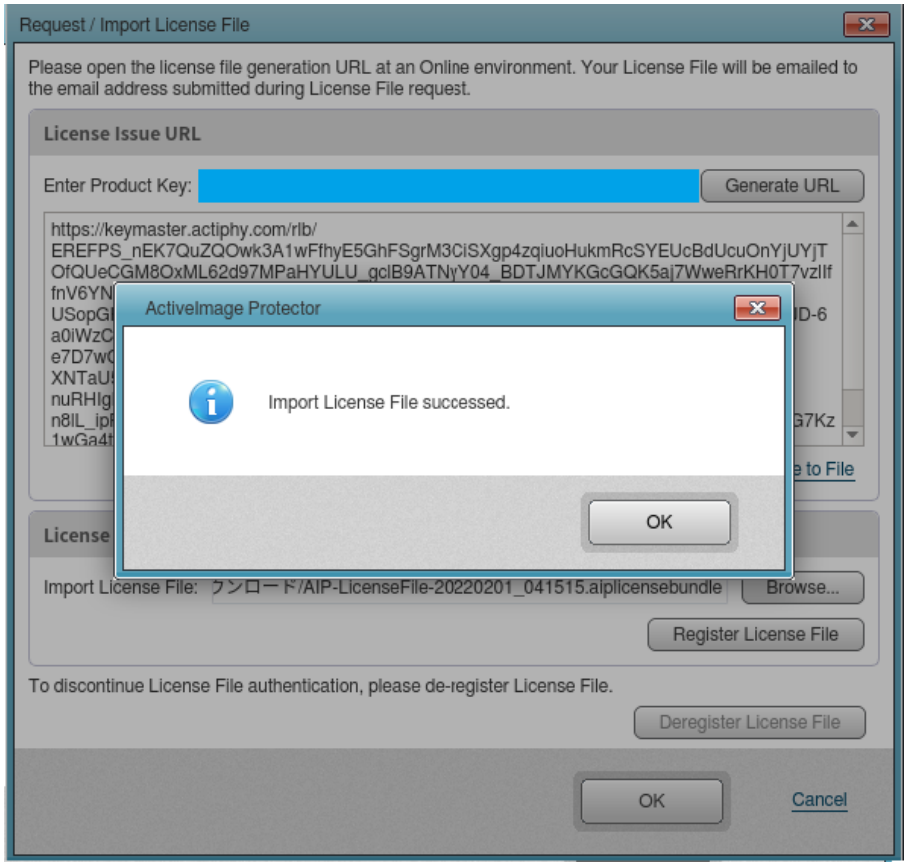

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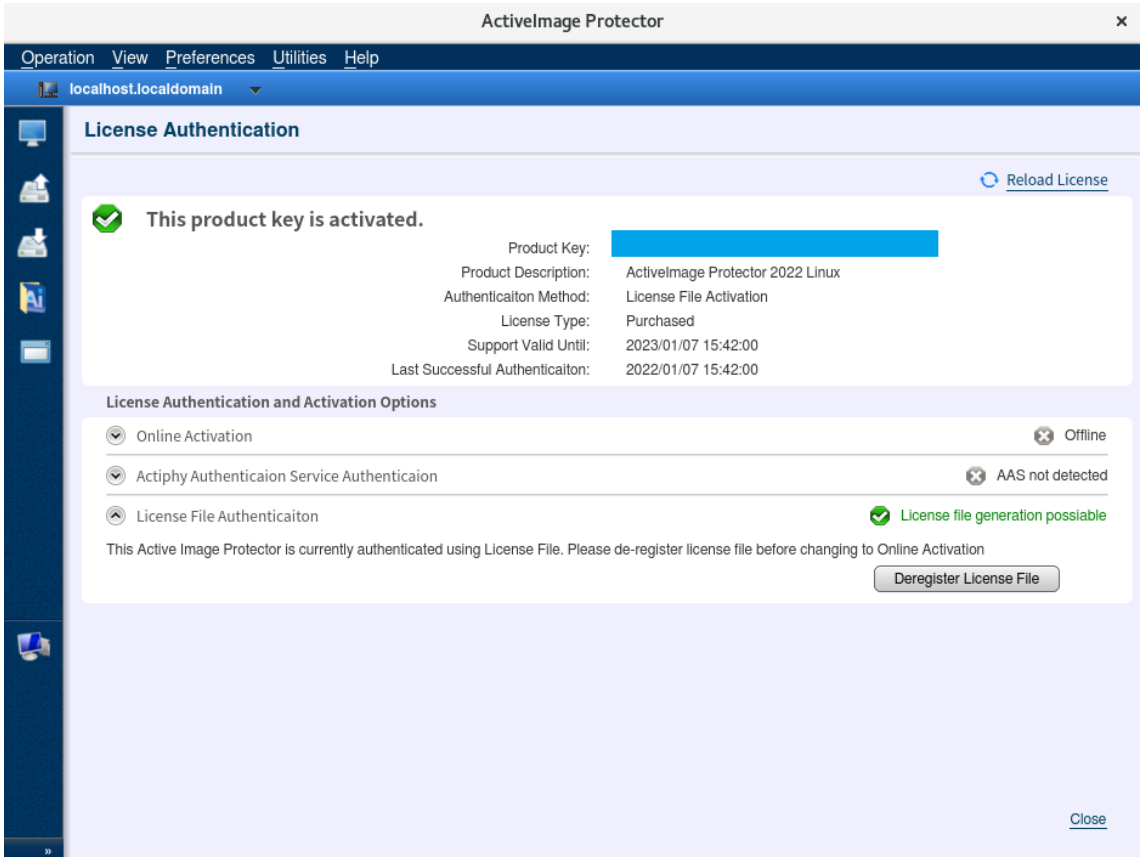
>> **Step 8** When the activation is successful, “This product key is activated” will be shown in the License Authentication interface of ActiveImage Protector.



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