

Quick Start - LogPlot8, Network License - User Info

Server Setup

The network version requires installation of a license manager administrator program which is installed separately. We will email information about the license manager to the designated contact on your account.

Installing LogPlot8

You must have **Administrator** privileges to **install and license** LogPlot8. The LogPlot program should be installed onto each client computer. The program installs as a "Trial" version.

1. Visit www.rockware.com and click on the **Downloads | Demos** menu item, along the top of the page.
2. Scroll down to the **LogPlot8** item and click the **Download** link.
3. On the next screen, fill in your **name** and **email**, click the **captcha** box, and click **Send**.
4. Click the **Download** link for the 64- or 32-bit version. (64-bit recommended, requires 64-bit version of Windows)
5. **Save** the installation program to your computer.
6. When the download is complete, **double-click** on the installation file to start the installation. Follow the recommended installation settings.

Licensing LogPlot8

1. When installation is complete, start the LogPlot8 program on your computer. The main LogPlot window will be displayed.
2. To set up the licensing at this time, click the **Help** menu and select **Change Licensing**.
3. In the **LogPlot Licensing window**, do this:
 - a. Select the license type: Click in **LogPlot Network** button.
 - b. Enter the licensing information. This is typically supplied by your network administrator.
 - **Host**: Enter here the name or IP address of the server where the RockWare Network Licensing Service has been installed and is running.
 - **Port**: Type into this prompt the port number that the Licensing Service is using. This will default to 5280 but may have been changed by the network administrator when the Licensing Service was installed and set up.
 - **Protocol**: Select which IP Protocol is being used - version 4 or version 6.
4. Click the **Change** button to proceed into the program. If the licensing was successful, you'll see the status in the title bar at the top of the main program window.
5. **Borrowing a seat**: If your network administrator has activated this feature, you may borrow a license for use on your computer when you are not connected to the network. Simply click the **Borrow a License** button in the LogPlot licensing screen. Set the date on which the temporary local license will expire, and click OK. LogPlot will then operate as a stand-alone license for this time period. When you return to the office, start LogPlot, select **Help | Change Licensing**, and click the **Return License** button to check in your borrowed seat.

Getting Help

- Run through the **Tutorial** lessons: Click the **Help | Contents** menu and the Help system will load into your browser. On the Welcome page, click **Tutorial Lessons**.
- Click on the **Help** button in the program options windows: In your browser you will see the help topic specific to that option.
- Join the online **support forum** where users post questions and answers: Visit www.rockware.com, click **Support | Support Forums**.
- Contact our **technical support staff** at 303-278-3534, or email us at tech@rockware.com.