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How to activate BioStar 2 standard edition

BioStar 2 adapted online & offline activation serial key application, instead of a USB dongle which is used for BioStar 1.x. BioStar 2 standard edition with 2.1v has only the limited features now, but the more features will come out and be added. And the end users who purchase a license key will be able to use the added features without extra charge.

- No number of device limitation
- No number of client limitation
- No number of access group limitation
- Only zone feature is limited and can be activated by a license key

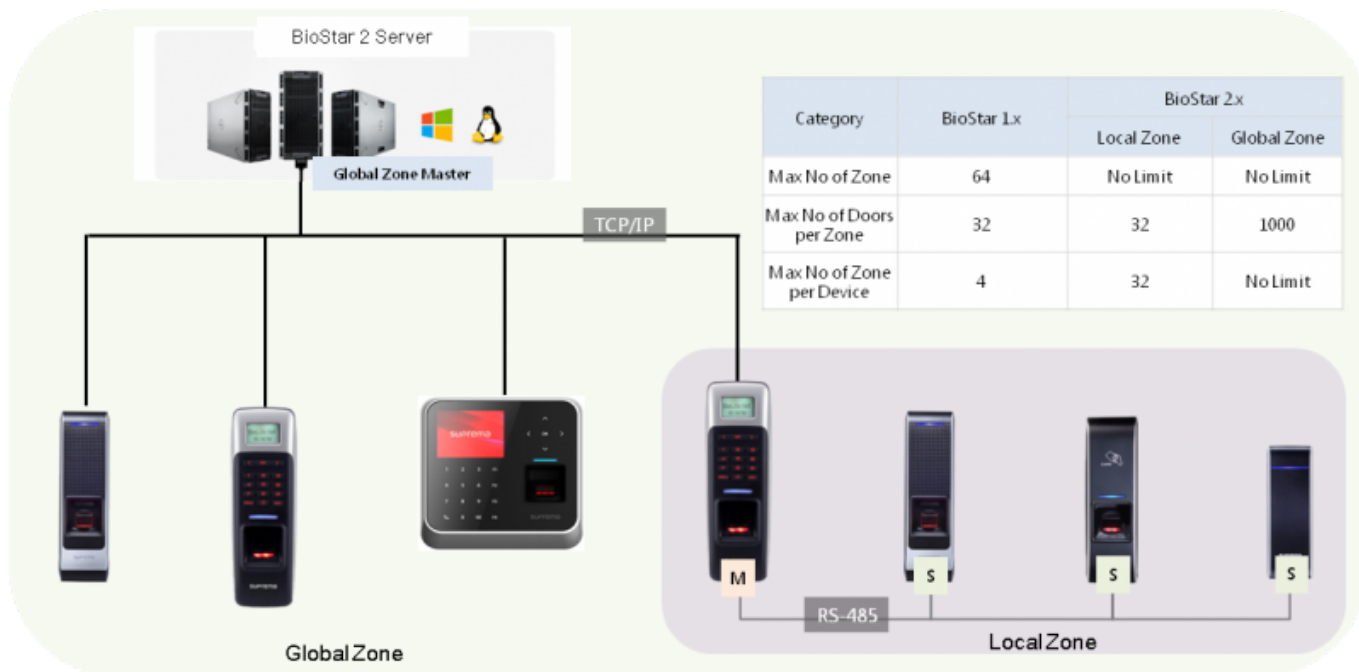
Before you activate

1. What is supported from BioStar 2 standard edition?

Refer to the [FAQ article](#) for details.

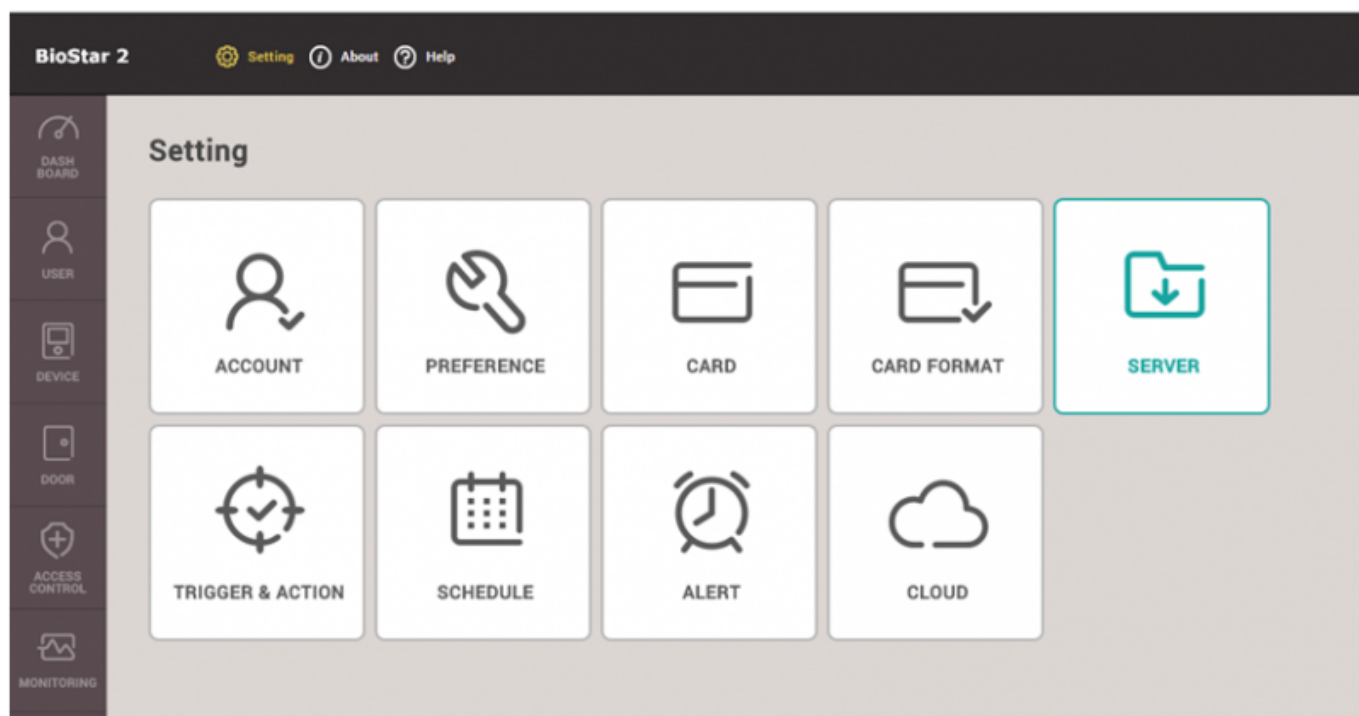
2. What are the global zone and local zone?

- Global Zone : TCP/IP based zone configuration (BioStar 2 server is a master of the zone)
- Local Zone : RS485 based zone configuration (Master device is a master of the zone)
- The zone master makes a logical decision and controls functionality

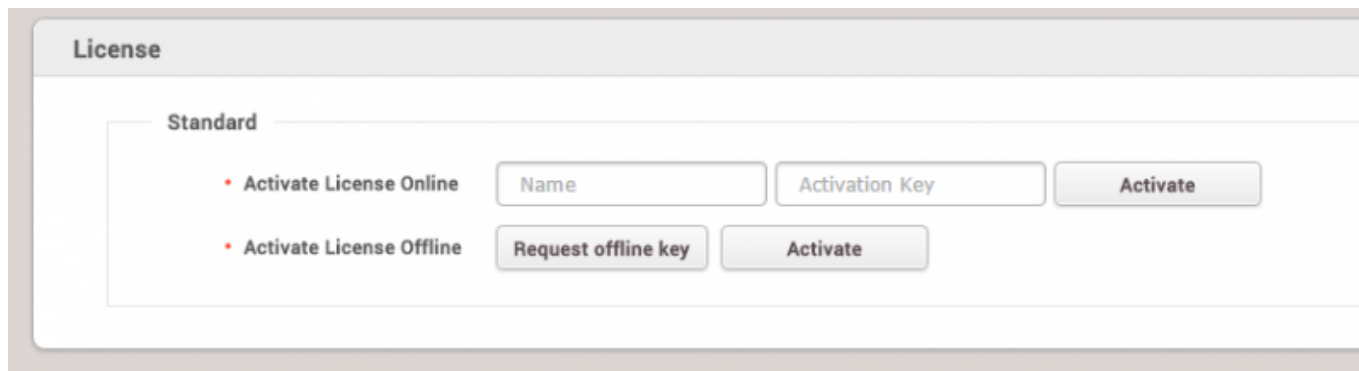


How to activate from BioStar 2?

1. Go to the global setting and click **SERVER**.

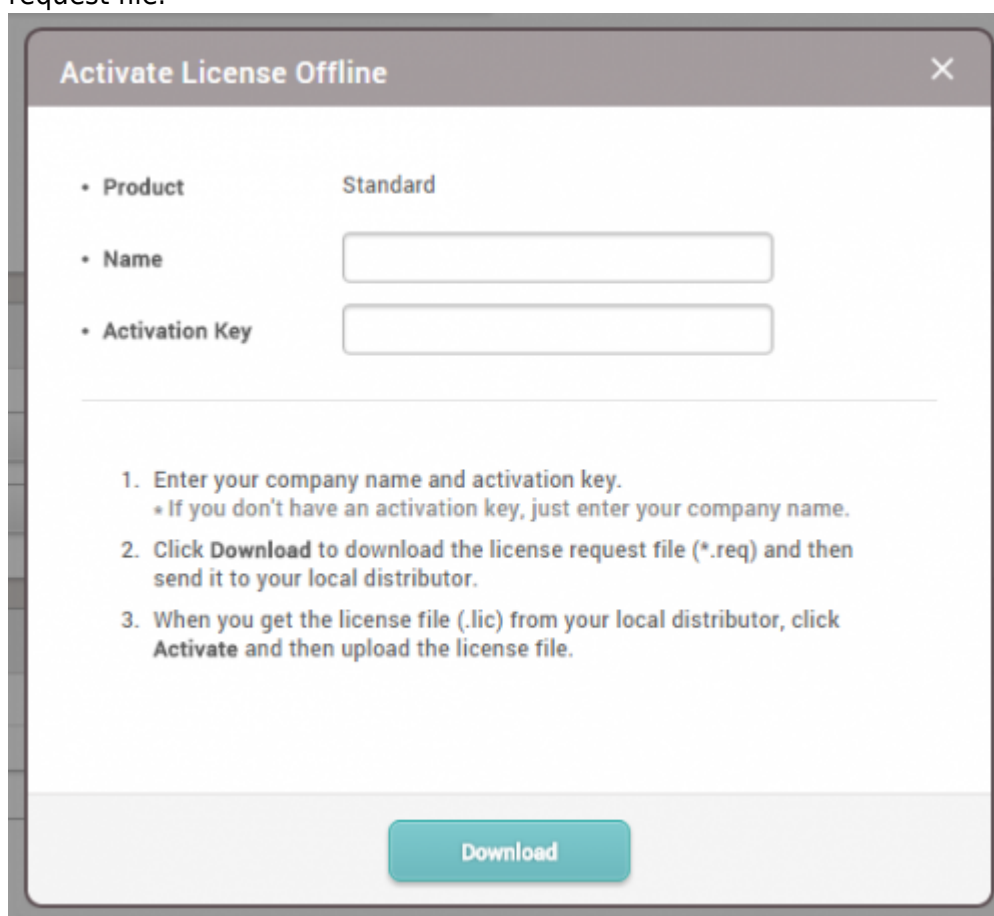


2. Check if the server is connected to the Internet, and be able to activate through online.
3. Enter the customer site name and activation key, and click **Activate**. You can receive activation key from Suprema or your local distributor.



The screenshot shows a 'License' window with a 'Standard' tab. It contains two main options: 'Activate License Online' and 'Activate License Offline'. The 'Online' option has input fields for 'Name' and 'Activation Key', followed by an 'Activate' button. The 'Offline' option has a 'Request offline key' button and an 'Activate' button.

4. If the server is not connected to the Internet, click **Request offline Key** and download offline key request file.



The screenshot shows a dialog box titled 'Activate License Offline'. It has a close button (X) in the top right corner. The dialog contains a form with the following fields:

- Product:** Standard
- Name:** [Input field]
- Activation Key:** [Input field]

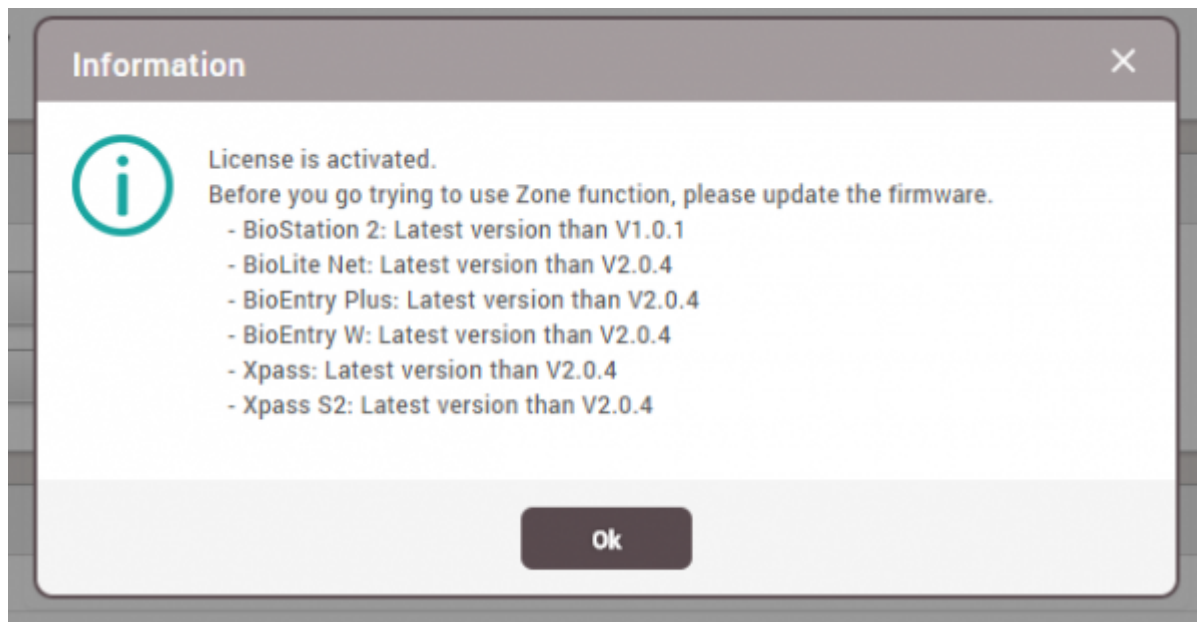
Below the form, there are three numbered instructions:

1. Enter your company name and activation key.
 - * If you don't have an activation key, just enter your company name.
2. Click **Download** to download the license request file (*.req) and then send it to your local distributor.
3. When you get the license file (.lic) from your local distributor, click **Activate** and then upload the license file.

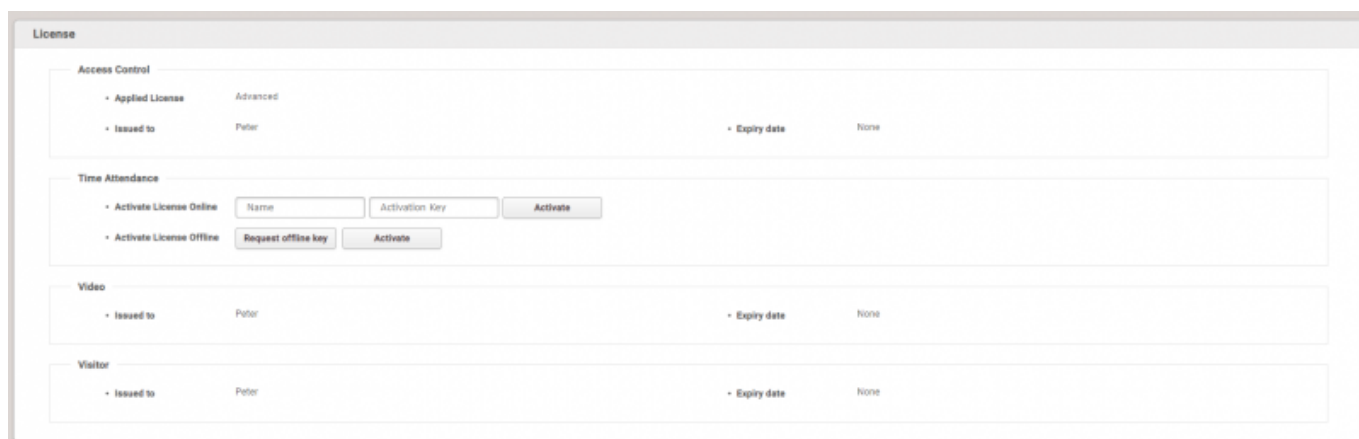
At the bottom of the dialog, there is a large teal button labeled **Download**.

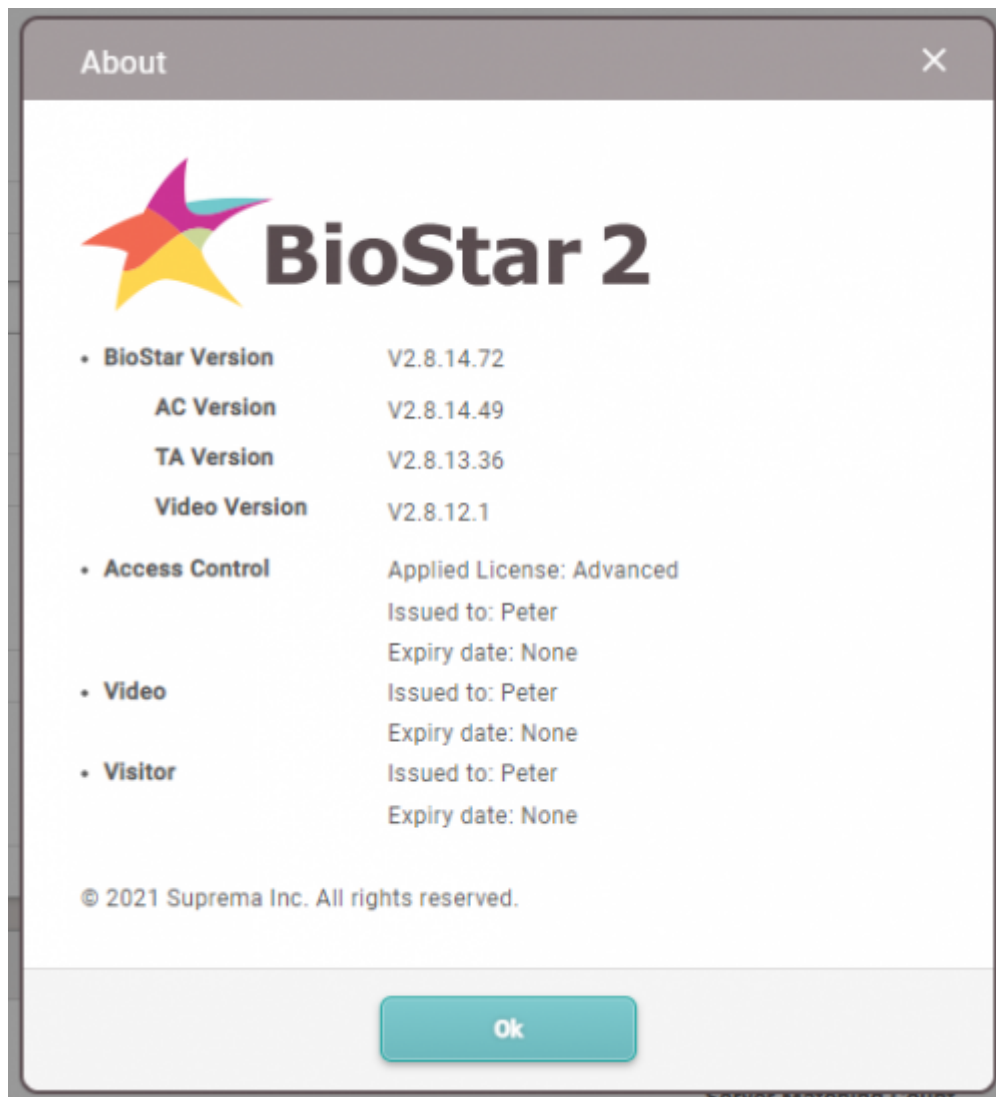
5. Send the offline key request file to Suprema and receive the offline license key in return.

6. Activate the license and check the information about compatible FW versions to use the updated new features.



7. Activated license status can be checked from the Server setting and **About**.





Video Demo

[license.mp4](#)

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