

APL64: Manual Deactivation

Overview

If the license for APL64 Developer version is no longer needed on the workstation on which it is currently activated, that license can be deactivated so it can be used on an installation of APL64 Developer version on a different workstation.

Deactivation Options

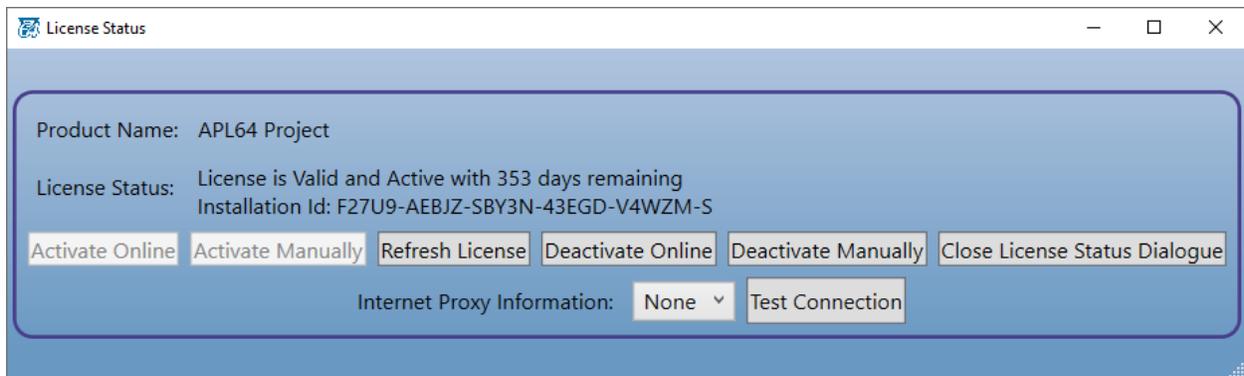
The 'Deactivate Online' option should always be tried first as it requires no APL programmer interaction. The 'Deactivate Manually' option may be necessary if the 'Deactivate Online' option fails.

If the current workstation has Internet access to the APLNow LLC license and activation server, the 'Deactivate OnLine' option should be used. If the current workstation cannot use the Internet for this purpose, the 'Deactivate Manually' option may be used.

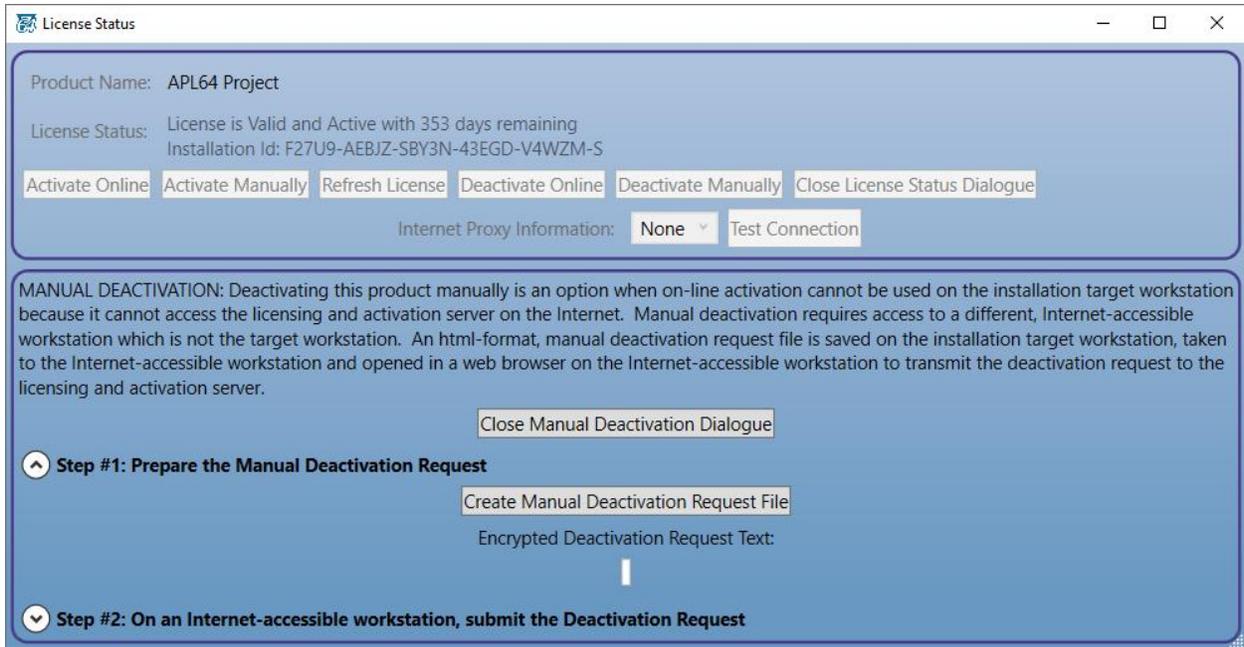
Deactivate the APL64 Developer version license before uninstalling APL64 Developer version from the workstation.

Manual Deactivation Workflow

From the APL64 Developer version main window use the Help > License & Activation menu item to display the license status dialogue:

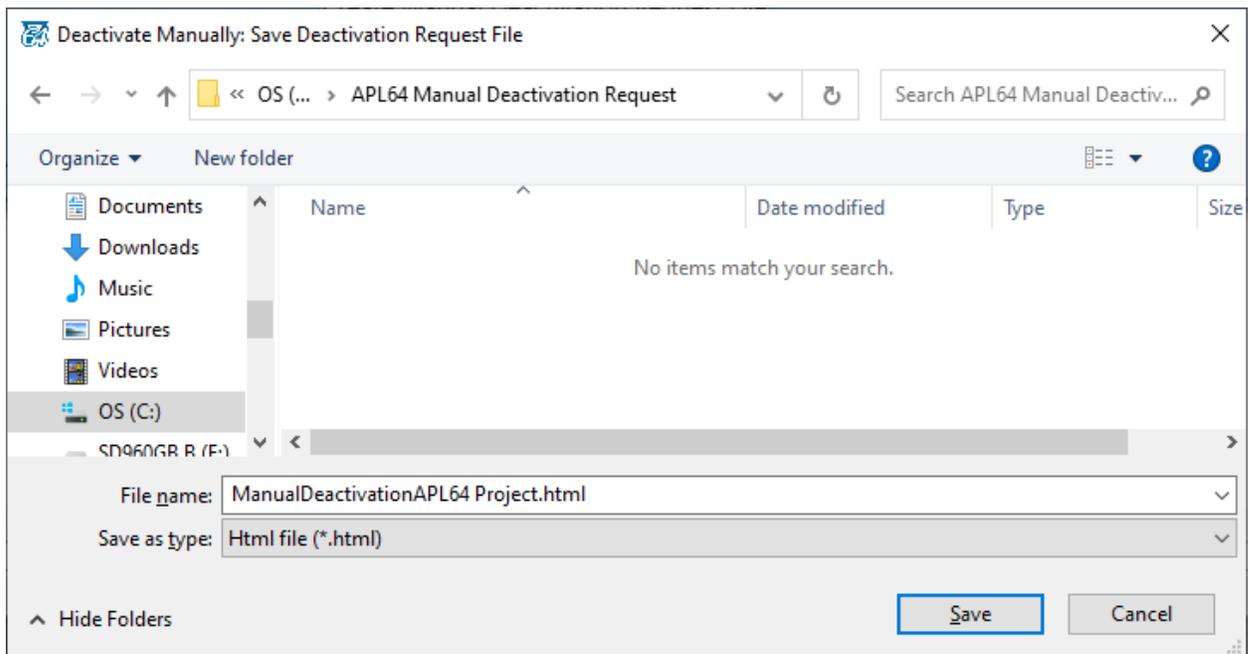


On this dialogue click the 'Deactivate Manually' button to display the Manual Deactivation dialogue:



Within the Step #1 expander area, click the 'Create Manual Deactivation Request File' button. This step requires no Internet access. The system action in Step #1 is:

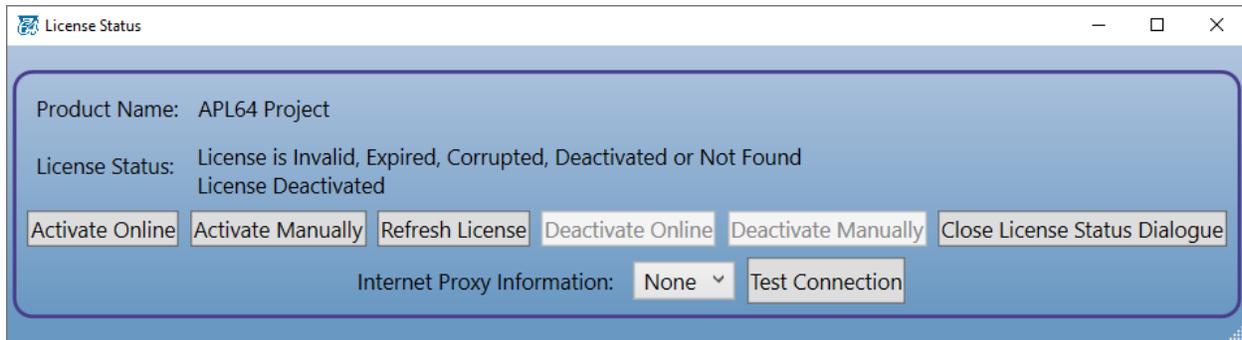
- Create the xml-format, manual deactivation request text will be created containing the workstation identifier and the current license information. This request is valid for a 24 hour period.
- Open the Microsoft Windows Save As file dialogue so that the user may select the location for the html-format, manual deactivation request file containing the manual deactivation request text:



- After the manual deactivation request file is saved:
 - Deactivate the APL64 Developer version license on the current workstation.

- Display the manual deactivation request text in the dialogue. This is done so that if necessary when no other deactivation options are available, the manual deactivation request text can be copied and sent to APLNow LLC support for analysis.
- Present a Microsoft Windows message box indicating that Step #1 has been completed.
- Close Expander #1 and open Expanders #2 and #3.

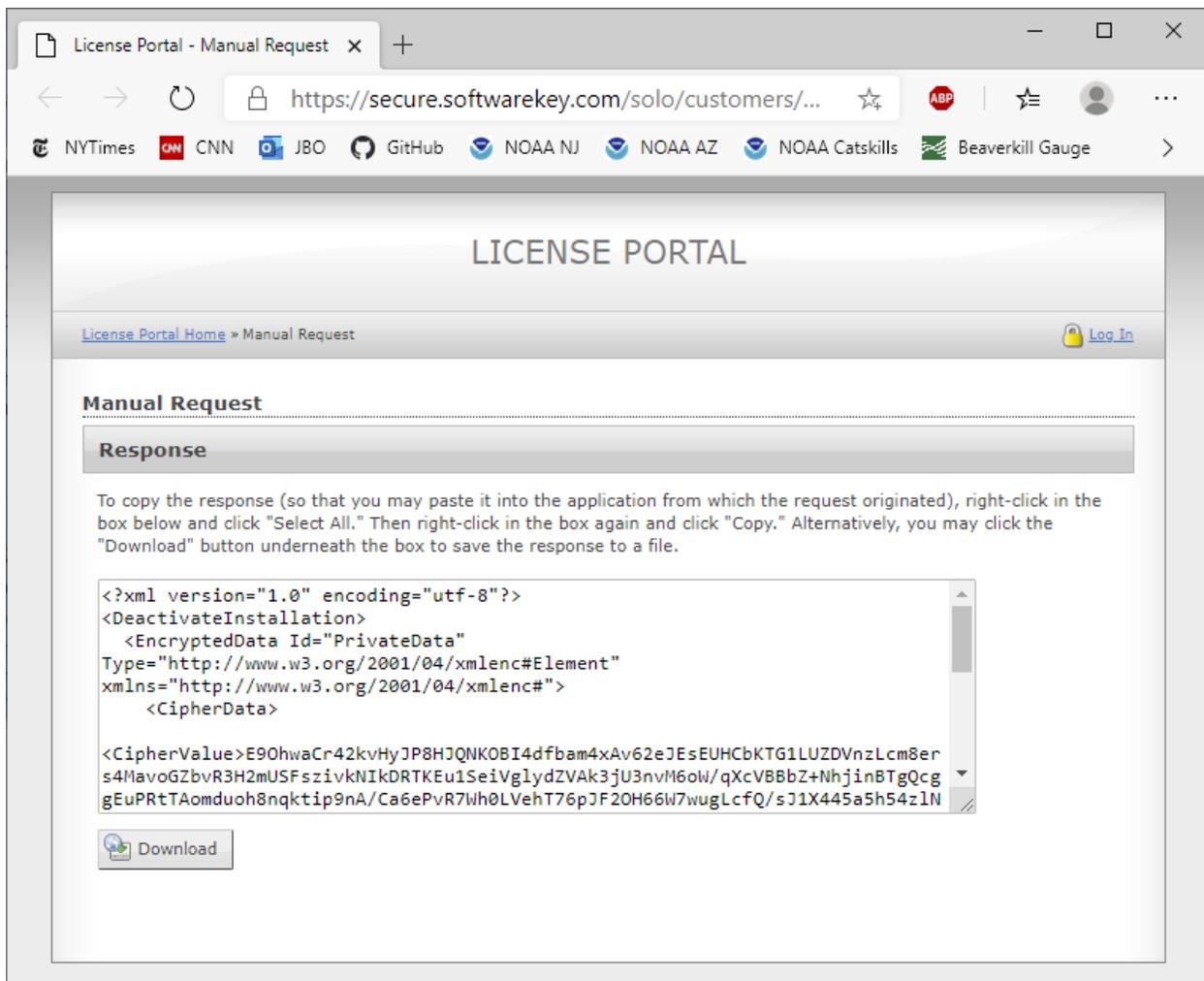
Click the 'Close Manual Deactivation Dialogue' button so that the License Status dialogue will be presented:



The license status is now updated to indicate that the license on the APL64 Developer workstation is deactivated. If this dialogue is now closed, the current APL64 Developer session will end and a future APL64 Developer instance started on this machine will require activation. The APL64 Developer version is not uninstalled by the license deactivation process.

Step #2 of the manual deactivation process is necessary to update the license status on the APLNow LLC License and Activation server so that the license can be used in the future on a different workstation. Step #2 of the manual deactivation process requires Internet access to the APLNow License and Activation server, so the APL programmer must move the manual deactivation request file to a workstation which has the necessary Internet access. APL64 Developer version does not have to be installed on this Internet-accessible workstation.

With the manual deactivation request file on the Internet-accessible workstation, browse to that file in Windows Explorer and double [left] click the file name to display the License Portal dialogue:



If the manual deactivation request has been successful, the manual deactivation response text will be illustrated in the dialogue indicating that the license status has been updated on the APLNow LLC License and Activation server. It is not necessary to download the response file as it is not used in the manual deactivation process.