



vSEC:CMS License Policy

Note: This document explains the vSEC:CMS license policy, and augments the price lists and the end-user license agreement (EULA) for the vSEC:CMS product suite. It will be used to describe vSEC:CMS licensing on web sites that present and promote the vSEC:CMS product suite. vSEC:CMS licenses are sold by the [Versasec Partner Channel](#) or in some special cases directly from Versasec.

vSEC:CMS S-Series (v5.3)

The vSEC:CMS S-Series helps enterprises of all sizes manage their end-user smart cards. Each end-user smart card that will be managed through vSEC:CMS requires registration and a license. Typically, companies purchase a license bundle: as new users are registered, the license count is reduced by one; when an end-user smart card is un-registered, the license count increases by one. Additional licenses are easily obtained from the [Versasec Partner Channel](#).

Additionally, one (1) System License is required for each separate System. A separate System is one system managed by one system owner card - independent of setup - such as clustering, or use cases (TEST, PRE-PROD, LIVE/PRIMARY...). For non-production systems (TEST, PRE-PROD...) customers may request as many licenses as they are using in their LIVE/PRIMARY system, free of charge.

A Support & Maintenance (S&M) contract is required for at least 1 year of each new System (independent of use case). After the first year, the S&M contract becomes optional. The system is unsupported for customers who decline the S&M after the first year for non-production systems (TEST, PRE-PROD...), however, customers are still eligible for maintenance releases if the customer has retained S&M for a LIVE/PRIMARY system. More details about the S&M service can be found here:

<https://versasec.com/docs/vs.sm.agreement.pdf>

Versasec offers four types of operator cards:

1. The System Owner Card. Each system requires one. The card is used for administrative purposes, but is not recommended for normal operator use. This card comes in the form of a Gemalto IDPrime smart card. It does not consume a license count.
2. The Full Featured Operator Card. This card gives operator access to the system and is provided as a Gemalto IDPrime smart card. It consumes one (1) license count per operator card,
3. Operator Service Key Store (OSKS). This is an encrypted software- or hardware- security-module- (HSM-) based server operator "card" available solely for operator service use. Each OSKS consumes one (1) license count.
4. The Authentication Only Operator Card. This card requires the operator service use. Any vSEC:CMS supported mini-driver-enabled user smart card can be used. This card consumes one (1) license count per operator card.

Note: With the optional operator service (required, for example, for the self-service feature), an additional normal operator card or OSKS is required.

vSEC:CMS T-Series (v4.1) – *Note: End of Sale Jan 2018*

The vSEC:CMS T-Series is used to manage end-user smart cards. For each end-user smart card registered for management by the system, one license count is required (which decreases the available license count by one). When an end-user smart card is un-registered, the license count increases by one. Additional licenses are easily obtained from the [Versasec Partner Channel](#).

Operating the T-Series requires an operator token in the form of a USB-stick. It is strongly recommended that companies maintain one or more backup operator tokens in case of hardware failure of the active operator token. There is no license counter connected to the backup operator token.

A Support & Maintenance (S&M) contract is required for at least 1 year of each new system; after the first year, the S&M is OPTIONAL. More details about the S&M service can be found here:

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vSEC:CMS K-Series (v2.0)

The vSEC:CMS K-Series can be operated in two modes: Tool Mode and Secure System Mode. In Tool Mode, only the End-User License Agreement applies. There are no license fees.

In Secure System Mode, the vSEC:CMS K-Series can be used to manage end-user smart cards. For each end-user smart card registered for management by the system, one license count is required (the available license count is decreased by one). When an end-user smart card is un-registered, the license count is returned (increased by one). Additional licenses are easily obtained from the [Versasec Partner Channel](#).

An operator card is required to operate the K-Series. It is also recommended that companies have one or more backup operator cards in case of hardware failure of the active operator card. There is no license counter connected to the backup operator card or the host system where the software is installed.

A Support & Maintenance (S&M) contract is required for at least 1 year of each new system; the contract is optional after the first 12 months. More details about the S&M service can be found here:

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