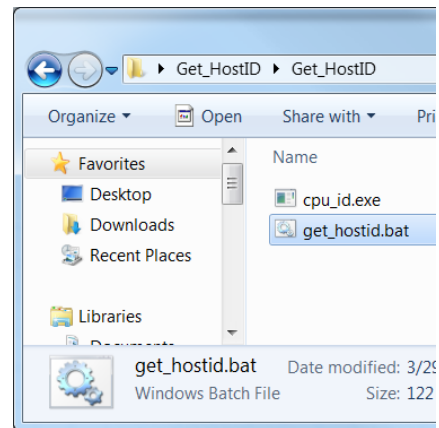# PTC® PRODUCT & SERVICE ADVANTAGE

Creo 1.0 – Schools Edition – Things to do before you install

1. Create a PTC Academic account:
   - *www.ptc.com/appserver/common/account/ptcacademic.jsp*

2. Get your computer's Host ID:
   - apps.ptc.com/schools/Get_HostID.zip.
     The Host ID is required to generate a license file for your computer.
   - Unzip the file and from the Get_HostID folder, double-click **get_hostid**.
   - Record your **PTC HOSTID**

3. Download the **Creo 1.0** DVD image:
   - www.ptc.com/appserver/auth/it/esd/academicFree.jsp
     - If necessary, login using your PTC username (your email address) and password.
     - Accept the Export Agreement and then click **Continue.**
     - To the right of **Win 32-64 DVD (4171 MB)**, click **Download Manager** to being the download. *The **HTTP** link will also work but may be slower.*

Generate your license file

1. Open the license generation page: www.ptc.com/go/license4creoschools.
   If you click the link and see a "NULL" error, copy and paste the address into your web browser.
   - If necessary, login using your PTC username (your email address) and password.
   - Enter your **Product Code**: **BK380201EDSCHOOLSEDITN**
   - Enter your **Host ID**.
   - Enter any other required information.
   - Click **Submit Request**.
   Your license file will be emailed to you within two hours.

2. Save your license file to a save location on your computer:
   - *In this document we will save it in **C:\ProgramData\PTC\Licensing**.*
   You may or may not have access to this folder. Another suggested location is a "licensing" folder you create in your Documents folder.
   If this license file is ever deleted, Creo will no longer run.

Unzip the DVD and install Creo 1.0

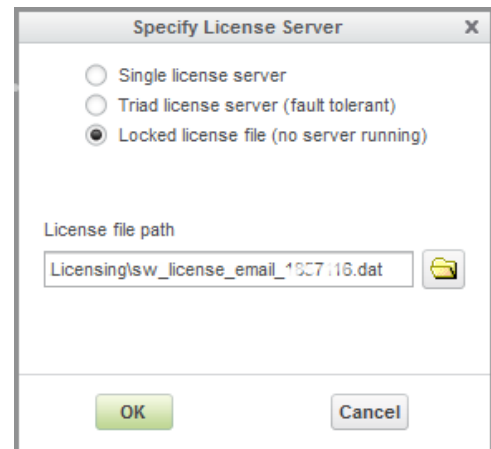1. **Unzip** the downloaded DVD image (MED-100WIN-CD-380_M###_Win32-64.zip):

    ### represents the build code of Creo you downloaded. The actual number will vary as additional Creo builds are released.

    *   Right-click the downloaded 📁 zip file, select **Extract All** and then select a location the DVD will be unzipped to. Select a location you can easily access, such as your Desktop.

    *   Use Windows Explorer to open the resulting **MED-100WIN-CD-380_M###_Win32-64** folder.

        This folder can be copied to a shared drive, DVD or thumb drive and then be used to install the software on other computers.

    *   Temporarily <u>disable all firewall, anti-virus and anti-spyware applications</u>.

    *   Run **setup.exe**.
        *   When installing on Windows 7, right-click **setup.exe** and select 🛡 **Run as administrator** from the pop-up menu.

2. From the PTC Setup – Creo 1.0 (M###) dialog box:

    *   Click **Next**.

    *   Accept the license agreement and click **Next**.

    *   Select the application you want to install; **Creo Parametric** or **Creo Direct**.

    *   Click **Next**.

    *   Click **Add**.

    *   From the Specify License Server dialog box:

        *   Enable **Locked license file (no server running)**.

        *   Click **Open** 📁 and browse to and double-click the license file you previously saved.

        *   Click **OK**.

    *   Click **Next**.

    *   Set your **Windows Shortcut Preferences**.

    *   Click **Next**.

        *Do not disable **Quality Agent Reporting**; it is required for the free Student edition of Creo.*

    *   Click **Install**.

    *   After the install is complete, click **Next.**

Specify License Server	X
○ Single license server	
○ Triad license server (fault tolerant)	
● Locked license file (no server running)	
License file path	
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OK	Cancel

You are now ready to use Creo 1.0 - Schools Edition

We recommend that you now use Creo Standards to select your default unit system and drawing standard apps.ptc.com/schools/creo_standards_1.pdf.

For additional resources, please visit www.ptc.com/go/academicprogram. If you need technical support please visit one of the following:

*   **Support Forum:** communities.ptc.com/community/academic-program/support
*   **Support Request:** www.ptc.com/go/academic-request