Applanix POSPac Term License
Frequently Asked Questions

1) What is a term license?

A term license is a timed license for the POSPac Desktop Software. The default period is 12 months, but multi-year packages with discounted price can be purchased as well.

2) What is covered by this license?

The term license provides full access to POSPac, including maintenance and support, for the entitled period.

3) What is the difference to a perpetual license?

A perpetual license allows the purchaser to use the software indefinitely. In order to use the latest version a valid maintenance contract needs to be in place, which is typically renewed annually.

4) What is the benefit of the term license?

The upfront investment is far lower compared to the perpetual license which makes it easier to budget the investment and cost. It's also scalable – so purchase only what you need and when you need it! There is no worry about the maintenance status as the term license runs always on the current software release with latest features, allowing for live support and feature request exchange. Please also refer to the Applanix POSPac Term License infosheet.

5) Can I switch from my perpetual license to a term license?

Yes, you can. You can even keep your perpetual license by adding the term license to your license pool while hibernating the perpetual license in terms of the version and support.

6) Is the term license a good replacement for my perpetual license if I have lapsed maintenance?

Yes. In fact, the term license price is more attractive than paying maintenance if you have lapsed maintenance for 2 years or more. The term license is independent of your perpetual license and is not pro-rated against it.

7) Which license types are supported by a term license currently?

We support the following term licenses:

- POSPac MMS Smartbase
- POSPac MMS Singlebase
- POSPac UAV
- LiDAR QC BST & ADJ, Land & UAV
- Photogrammetry Tool Set
- POSPac Go!

8) Can I get a term license with multiple seats?

Except for POSPac UAV and LiDAR QC Tools, multiple seats are supported for term licenses. The term license comes as a network license (concurrent).

9) Can I upgrade from POSPac UAV term license to POSPac MMS term license?

Yes.

10) Can I purchase a multi-year term license package?

Yes. A multi-year term license package is discounted.

11) Can I update the term license through the Software License Utility?

Yes, if the order for extension or renewal has been processed, you can update the expiry date by a single button click on "Upgrade License".

12) Would I get a warning message in POSPac before license expiration?

Yes, you will be notified in every session when you launch the license connected function. This will start 90 days before expiration.

13) Whom can I contact to extend/renew my term license?

Please contact insidesales@applanix.com.

14) Does the term license need to be contiguous?

No.

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