

SNAP

(System Nodal Analysis Program)

Software Installation Instructions

Please read all of these instructions
before beginning the installation.

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Download and Install SNAP

- You must have "Admin" rights to the computer where you wish to install SNAP.

If you do not have "Admin rights" it will be necessary to have someone from your IT department assist you with this installation.

- Download the SNAP installer file by clicking the link: [**SNAP™ for Windows 10 & 11**](#)
- Save the file to a folder in a convenient location, such as your computer's desktop. Do not run the file from the website.
- Right click on the filename (setupsnap.exe) and choose "Run as Administrator".
- Follow the default prompts.
- SNAP will install to C:\Program Files (x86)\SNAP.

User Registration & Activation Code

SNAP Registration

License file found here: C:\ProgramData\snap\SNAP.lic

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User Profile
All Others

SNAP 2.589 7/17/2018 Expiration Date August 04, 2018

User Details
Company* All Others
e-mail*
 *Check here if you are a current Ryder Scott Client.

Name
Phone
City N/A Zip
Country

Send this Text to tom@nationsconsultinginc.com if the automated request fails
,NotClient,,,,,All Others,,N/A,,45286 18799

Computer ID Codes
45286 18799

Request CPU Specific License
(allow 48 hours for response)

Activation Code

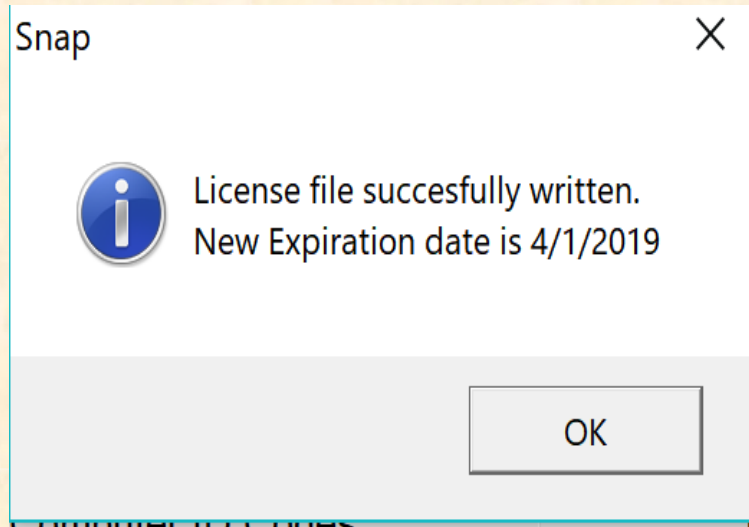
Use Supplied Activation Code Help Close

- After SNAP is installed, it must be "activated".
- Fill out this form being sure to include your name, your company & your company email address.
- Push the "Request an Activation Code" button.
- A unique code number will be sent to you via email.
- Paste the activation code into the appropriate cell.
- Click the "Use Supplied Activation Code" button.

Activation Code
ABC-2FG-7WQC

Use Supplied Activation Code

User Registration & Program Activation



- A message like this should appear if program activation is successful.
- Click "OK".
- After activating the program, close the registration form, and SNAP will start.
 - a) A default dataset loads when SNAP starts this first time.

Running SNAP for the First Time

- Pushing the F5 key on your keyboard or clicking the red "!" on the tool bar (calculate all) generates a NODAL graph and a text report.
- This is your confirmation that SNAP has installed correctly.
- Each time you start SNAP, the last dataset used will be loaded.
- Example datasets are available in folder C:\Program Files (x86)\snap. These can be used as a starting point for a new analysis. If you do not find the examples, email [Tom Nations](mailto:Tom.Nations).
 - a) After modifying a dataset or creating a new one you should place your working dataset in a location of your choice. Use "File>Save As", just as you would with any Microsoft Office application.
 - b) By default, SNAP saves a dataset back to the location from where it was opened.
 - c) You can start SNAP by "double clicking" on the dataset filename just as you would do with a Microsoft Office application.

Program Operation

- SNAP is menu driven
 - a) Both tool bar icons and drop-down menus aid in navigation.
 - b) Help is available via the “F1” key, or the “Help” dropdown menu.
 - c) Available sensitivities are dependent on previous inputs.
- Any active graph can be (keyboard) copied and then pasted into a Word, Excel or PowerPoint, etc document.
- All reports are simple “text” files. You can copy the text and paste into other applications.
- SNAP is like other programs that run on the Microsoft Windows Operating System.
 - a) Open, New, Save, Save As, etc. all function the same in SNAP as in Word or Excel.
 - b) Most of the data grids/cells can be filled by copy and paste from a spreadsheet document or from other grids/cells in SNAP.

SNAP license restrictions

- If you were provided SNAP on a trial basis, the software will cease to function when the trial period expires.
- If you wish to continue using SNAP, please purchase an annual subscription by contacting [Tom Nations](#) or by visiting our website NationsConsultingLLC.com/software

Thank you for using SNAP!