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This topic describes how to set up a Creo Elements Direct Embedded Client License. This step must be **performed before installing the Creo Direct Embedded Client(CDEC)**

1. The **PLMSLicenseServer** folder contains the following license setup files and must be kept in the local drive of a server.

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1. Launch the lmtool.exe as administrator from this location or the Start menu

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1. Go to **Service/License File** tab and select the “**Configuration using Services”** option occurring

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1. Select the **Config Services** tab and enter a Service Name(Eg. Here I have used **CDEC**)

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1. Click the **Browse** button for locating the **Path to the lmgrd.exe file**

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1. From the **CDEC License Folder** select the **lmgrd.exe** and click open to load the exe in the lmtools dialog.

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1. Click the **Browse** button for locating the **Path to the license file**

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1. From the **CDEC License Folder** select the **CDEC.lic** and click open to load the CDEC license file in the lmtools dialog.

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1. Click the **Browse** button for locating the **Path to the debug log file**

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1. From the **CDEC License Folder** select the **debug.log** and click open to load the debug log file in the lmtools dialog.

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1. Click **Save** **Service** to create a new service

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1. Click **Yes** to save the settings for the service: CDEC

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1. The new service CDEC is created

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1. By selecting the **CDEC** service, then go to the **Server Status** tab and click **Perform** **Status Enquiry**

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1. The status of How many CDEC licenses are issued and how many are in use will be shown

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