Trial License Acquisition Process

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For customers who have Cloud Pak for Data entitlement(s)
but want to trial the service before consuming.

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Trial License Program Details

Several Cloud Pak for Data licenses are available for purchase:
- Cloud Pak for Data Standard Edition
- Cloud Pak for Data Enterprise Edition
- Cloud Pak for Data cartridges

Only the **Enterprise Edition** license **includes a 60-day trial** access.

Further Explanation: Here

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Detailed information about the Cloud Pak for Data licenses is available in the IBM Cloud Pak for Data License Information topic on the IBM Support site.

What's included with your Cloud Pak for Data license?

Your purchase of Cloud Pak for Data Standard Edition or Cloud Pak for Data Enterprise Edition, includes entitlements to the Cloud Pak for Data platform software and several prerequisites that you need to be able to install Cloud Pak for Data.

The Enterprise Edition license includes a 60-day trial and is optionally available in a Non-Production version, which is available at a lower cost.

https://www.ibm.com/docs/en/cloud-paks/cp-data/4.5.x?topic=planning-licenses-entitlements

Principal Financial Group Entitlement

Part Numbers

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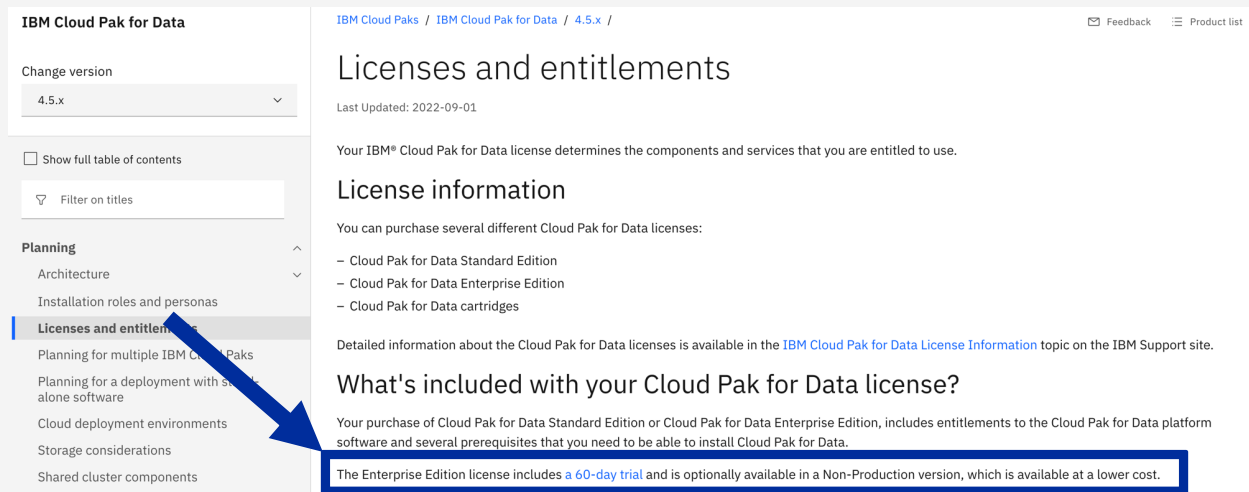
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Getting your Trial Licenses

Step 1.
Visit the "License and Entitlement" docs regarding Cloud Pak for Data:
https://www.ibm.com/docs/en/cloud-paks/cp-data/4.5.x?topic=planning-licenses-entitlements

and click through on the "60-day trial" link as shown below and or- Here

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Login to the IBM Account associated with the entitlement
and then fill in the account information requested.

Welcome IBM Cloud Pak for Data Trial User!

We're excited that you want to learn more about our platform - IBM Cloud Pak for Data.

Key benefits:
– flexibility and speed; provision and scale services in hours, not month;
– simplify and automate how you turn data into insights;
– provide data security and compliance.

All we need are a few details about yourself and your current cloud provider. Based on that we will provide your Trial API Entitlement Subscription Key to activate your Cloud Pak for Data 60-day trial.

To learn more about what IBM Cloud Pak for Data can do for your business, **visit us on the web**.

Already have an IBM account? Log in

Sign-up now for your 60-day trial key

1. Account information

Sign in with LinkedIn
AutoFill your information

E-mail ⓘ

Your email address will become your IBMid, which you'll use to log into IBM.com.

First name

Last name

Password

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Step 3.
Submit contact information and make offerings elections.

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Acknowledge your understanding of data use and certify consent.

Important Notices

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Step 5.
Obtain your entitlement key!

Access your container software

Below you'll find your entitlement key — Use it to verify and gain access to your container software. Check out the container software library to see details and a full list of the container software you own.

Entitlement key

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Adding featured applications to clusters without Internet connectivity

If your environment cannot connect to the internet, the IBM Knowledge Center has created instructions for you to follow for such scenarios.

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Installation documentation: https://www.ibm.com/docs/en/cloud-paks/cp-data/4.5.x?topic=installing
Work with your IBM Client team for Cloud Pak installation support and guidance.

Installing IBM Cloud Pak for Data

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A Red Hat® OpenShift® Container Platform cluster administrator and project administrator can work together to prepare the cluster and install IBM® Cloud Pak for Data.

Before you begin

Before you install Cloud Pak for Data, review the information in the Planning section.

Specifically, ensure that you review the System requirements. You must install the software on a cluster that has sufficient resources and that aligns with the guidance in the System requirements. For example, if you do not follow the specified disk requirements, you can run into out of memory errors.

1. Setting up a client workstation

To install IBM Cloud Pak for Data, you must have a client workstation that can connect to the Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform cluster.

> ℹ️ **Tip:** You can set up multiple client workstations if you want to enable multiple people to work on the installation.

The client workstation must be a Windows, Mac OS, or Linux® machine with the following software installed:

– Cloud Pak for Data command-line interface (cpd-cli) Version 11.2.0 or later.
– OpenShift command-line interface (oc) at a version that is compatible with your cluster.

Options	What to do
You already have a client workstation set up	1. Go to 2. Collecting required information.
You don't have a client workstation set up	1. Review the guidance in Setting up a client workstation. 2. Complete the following tasks to install the required software on the client workstation: a. Installing the IBM Cloud Pak for Data command-line interface b. Installing the OpenShift command-line interface 3. Go to 2. Collecting required information.

2. Collecting required information

To successfully install IBM Cloud Pak for Data, you must have specific information about your environment.

a. Obtaining your IBM entitlement API key

All IBM Cloud Pak for Data images are accessible from the IBM Entitled Registry. The IBM entitlement API key enables you to pull software images from the IBM Entitled Registry, either for installation or for mirroring to a private container registry.

Options	What to do
You already have your API key	1. Go to b. Determining the list of components that you plan to install.
You don't have your API key	1. Complete Obtaining your IBM entitlement API key. 2. Go to b. Determining the list of components that you plan to install.

b. Determining the list of components that you plan to install

IBM Cloud Pak for Data is comprised of numerous components so that you can install the specific services that support your needs. Before you install Cloud Pak for Data, determine which components you need to install.

What to do

1. Review Determining which components to install to ensure that you:
   - Install all the required components
   - Know which tasks you must complete to prepare your cluster (some services have additional pre-installation configuration)
2. Go to c. Collecting information about your cluster that can be used to set up environment variables.

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The commands for installing and upgrading IBM Cloud Pak for Data use variables with the format ${VARIABLE_NAME}. You can create a script to automatically export the appropriate values as environment variables before you run the installation commands. After you source the script, you will be able to copy most install and upgrade commands from the documentation and run them without making any changes.

What to do

1. Complete Setting up installation environment variables.
2. Go to 3. Preparing your cluster.

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