

Controlled rehosting for FNE

It is possible to restrict the ability to return licenses to assigned users only - Controlled Re-hosting. This reduces the chance that licenses are removed accidentally, which could upset running production systems.

About this task

Using FNE licensing technology, you can perform license re-hosting and move licenses between FNE license servers.

License re-hosting consists of two tasks:

- Removal of the license from a license server and returning it back to its entitlement in the Advantest licensing web portal.
- Re-activation of the returned license onto another license server.

Note: Activating controlled re-hosting **only limits the capability to return/remove licenses from the FNE license server**. There are no limitations for users to perform activation of licenses onto FNE license servers.



Activating controlled re-hosting for your worldwide Master Organization in the Advantest entitlement management system, initially disables all assigned users at your subsidiary organizations from license re-hosting (returning licenses to its entitlement).

Users can be **assigned one of the following roles**:

Administrator

License re-hosting privileges for all worldwide subsidiaries and any subsidiaries added in the future.

Authorized users

Authorized for license re-hosting for specified subsidiary organizations.

Users

Assigned to a specific subsidiary and can activate licenses only onto the license servers registered for the same subsidiary organization.

Users can be designated to perform license re-hosting for FNE servers and entitlements by enabling the functionality for specified subsidiary organizations.

To enable Controlled Re-hosting, it must be explicitly requested from Advantest as follows:

Before you begin

Plan the internal organization required to manage your Advantest licenses: the people, their locations and their responsibilities.

Procedure

1. Request the activation of the worldwide Master Organization ID for controlled re-hosting.
2. Specify the login names of license administrators, who are authorized to perform license re-hosting from and to any server inside your worldwide Master Organization.
3. Specify the login names of users with a list of subsidiary organization IDs, for which the users are authorized to perform re-hosting.

Results

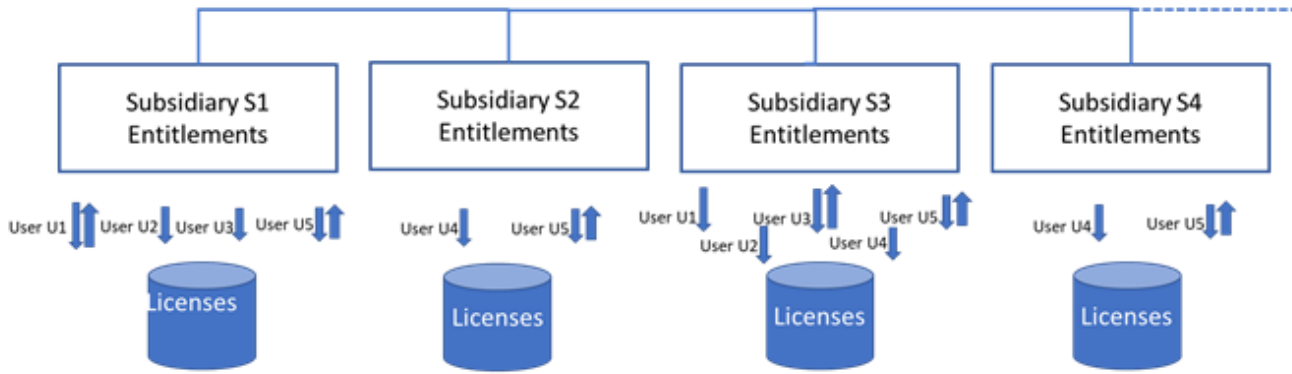
Controlled re-hosting privilege requirements have been sent to Advantest for configuration.

Example

illustration of how the various license roles can be assigned

↕ : Activate and Return (Rehost)

↓ : Activate only



User U1

Assigned:

- Subsidiaries S1 for rehost
- Subsidiaries S3 only activate

User U2

Assigned:

- Subsidiaries S1 only activate
- Subsidiaries S3 only activate

User U3

Assigned:

- Subsidiaries S1 only activate
- Subsidiaries S3 for rehost

User U4

Assigned:

- Subsidiaries S2 only activate
- Subsidiaries S3 only activate
- Subsidiaries S4 only activate

User U5

Assigned:

- Master License Admin (Superuser)

Mixed authorized user/user role

User U1 is assigned Subsidiary S1 and Subsidiary S3, For Subsidiary S1, the license administrator (re-host/return) role is assigned. For Subsidiary S3, only the regular activate role is assigned.

User role only for multiple subsidiaries

User U2 is assigned Subsidiary S1 and Subsidiary S3 but only the regular activate role is assigned for both subsidiaries.

Administrator role for complete re-hosting privileges

User U5 has re-hosting rights for all subsidiaries.

What to do next

Contact your Advantest representative for further information and to get the Controlled Re-hosting functionality activated.

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