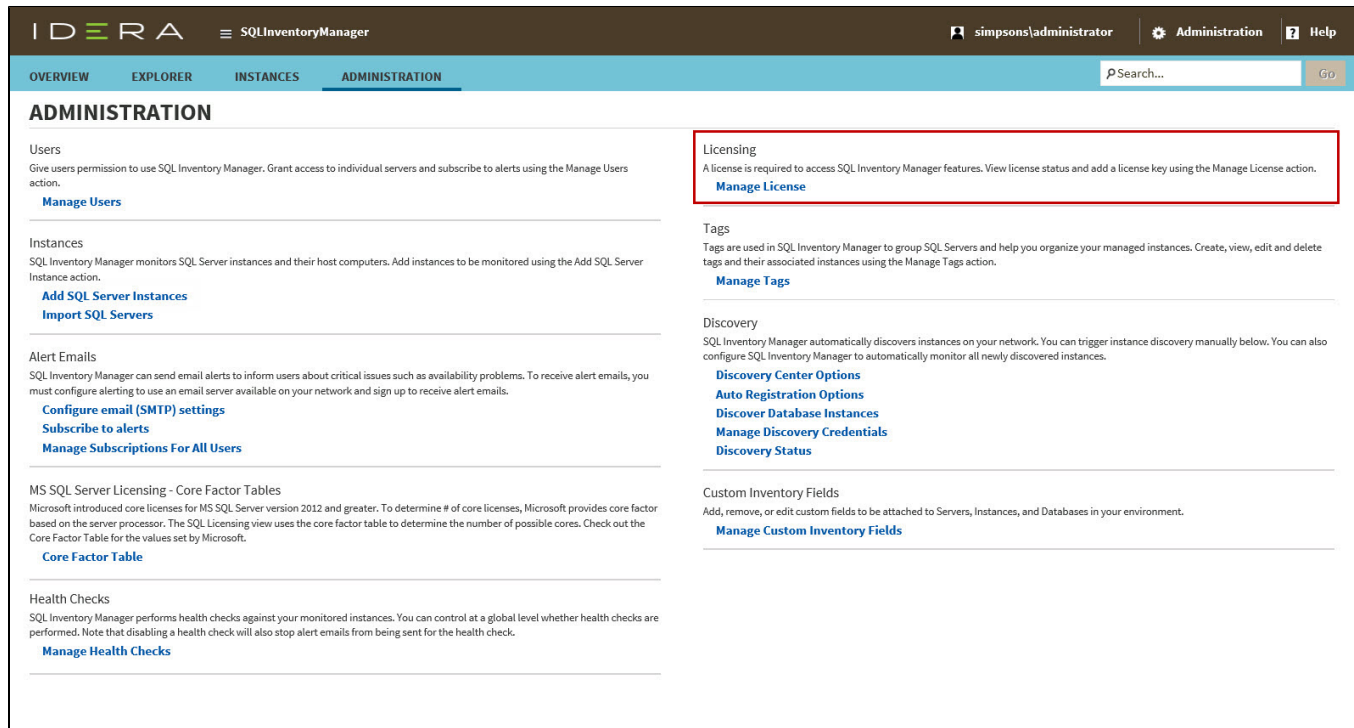


# How to manage licenses

A license key is required to access all IDERA SQL Inventory Manager features and determines the number of SQL Server instances that you can monitor.

View your license status, add, or buy a new license key using the Manage License action.

To access this option, go to the **Administration** tab, and then click **Manage License** on the **Licensing** section.



The screenshot shows the IDERA SQL Inventory Manager interface. The top navigation bar includes the IDERA logo, a hamburger menu, the text 'SQLInventoryManager', a user profile 'simpsons\administrator', and links for 'Administration' and 'Help'. Below this is a secondary navigation bar with tabs for 'OVERVIEW', 'EXPLORER', 'INSTANCES', and 'ADMINISTRATION'. The 'ADMINISTRATION' tab is active. A search bar is located on the right of this bar. The main content area is titled 'ADMINISTRATION' and contains several sections: 'Users' (with a 'Manage Users' link), 'Instances' (with 'Add SQL Server Instances' and 'Import SQL Servers' links), 'Alert Emails' (with 'Configure email (SMTP) settings', 'Subscribe to alerts', and 'Manage Subscriptions For All Users' links), 'MS SQL Server Licensing - Core Factor Tables' (with a 'Core Factor Table' link), and 'Health Checks' (with a 'Manage Health Checks' link). On the right side of the main content area, there is a 'Licensing' section highlighted with a red box. It contains a message: 'A license is required to access SQL Inventory Manager features. View license status and add a license key using the Manage License action.' Below this message is a link 'Manage License'. Other sections on the right include 'Tags' (with a 'Manage Tags' link), 'Discovery' (with links for 'Discovery Center Options', 'Auto Registration Options', 'Discover Database Instances', 'Manage Discovery Credentials', and 'Discovery Status'), and 'Custom Inventory Fields' (with a 'Manage Custom Inventory Fields' link).

IDERA SQL Inventory Manager opens a new window that displays information relevant to your current license such as type of license, status, expiration date, total licensed servers, monitored servers, license key, and IDERA SQL Inventory Manager repository.

If you want to add a new license key, type this key under the **New License** section, and then click **Apply**.

If you need to buy another license, go to the [IDERA store](#).

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Manage License

Current License

Type:

Trial License

Status:

OK

Expiration Date:

Sep 15, 2016

Total Licensed Servers:

Unlimited

Monitored Servers:

254

Key:

AX8H4BNJFS-BNJFS-BNJFS-Z8969W

SQL Inventory Manager Repository:

CA-SQL2012\SQL2K8R2

New License

Apply

Click here to buy more SQL Inventory Manager licenses

Close

IDERA [SQL Inventory Manager](#) lets you discover and visualize your SQL Server environment. [Learn more](#) > >

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