

View Licensing Status and Activation ID

Windows Software Licensing Management Tool, **slmgr.vbs** is a command line licensing tool. It is a visual basic script used to configure licensing in Windows and also helps you see the licensing status of your Windows 10/8/7 installation.

Activation is the initial process by which a Windows running on a PC is determined to be properly licensed and genuine, and it's really quick and easy. It is different from Registration, in the sense that, Activation is the process of ensuring that your copy of Windows is used according to the Microsoft Software License Terms, whereas registration is the process of entering information to sign up for product support, tools and tips, and other product benefits.

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To see the licensing status of your Windows 10/8/7 installation, open the Run box, type the following and hit Enter:

slmgr.vbs /dlv

The following dialog box will appear.

