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INTRODUCTION

This guide is written for the end user of CST Studio Suite using Windows. When the installation is complete you will be able to run CST Studio Suite on your computer, with the option to run the simulation/solver on your local machine or a cluster on your network.

For recommended hardware visit https://www.3ds.com/support/hardware-and-software/simulia-systems-information/cst-studio-suite-opera-recommended-hardware

DOWNLOAD

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Navigate to the brand-related product line of **SIMULIA** and select SIMULIA CST and you should see the page below.

1. In the Release-drop down menu you specify which release of CST to download.
2. In the Level-drop down menu you should select the option which ends with **Golden**.
3. Then download the zip file containing the installation files.

EXTRACTING .ZIP FILES

Extract the file like any other regular .zip file.

INSTALLATION

Administrator rights are needed for the installation.

Double-click setup.exe to start the installation.

For the regular user, the suggested destination folder and the Typical Setup is recommended. Advanced users have the possibility to make a Custom Setup.

The additional design tools such as Antenna Magus, WASP-NET, Filter Designer 3D, are included in the CST Studio Suite installer since the 2025 release.

SETTING UP THE LICENSE

There are three possible license setups:

1. **Import a Flexnet-based CST Studio Suite license file:**
   Chose this option if you have received a license file which is to be stored on your local computer.
2. **Point to an existing Flexnet-based CST Studio Suite license server system**
   Chose this option if you have received a license file which is stored on a (physical or virtual) license server using Flexnet (Flexlm). In this case you need to specify the license server name and port.
3. **Point to an existing DSLS-based CST license server system**
   Chose this option if you have received a license file which is stored on a physical license server using DSLS (Dassault Systèmes License Server). In this case you need to specify the license server name and port.

If you have questions regarding which type of license you have received, please ask your TECHNIA contact person. The default port is 27000 for Flexnet and 4085 for DSLS but the license administration within your company can chose to use another port.

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UPDATE TO LATEST VERSION OF CST STUDIO SUITE

Open CST Update Manager:

> Windows Start Menu > CST Studio Suite > CST Update Manager

Click the Check for Updates button:

> If a new version is found, you'll be asked if you would like to download it now. Click Yes.

When the new version is downloaded it will appear in the list. Click the line to select it and then press the Install button.

When the green arrow point at the latest version you can enjoy the latest release of CST.

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