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Following are different types of SCI licenses, in order to successfully deploy and use SCI.

- SCI built-in trial license
- SCI RTU (Right to use) license
- SCI AP license (Also called capacity licenses)
- SCI extended trial license
- SCI RTU support license
- SCI AP support license

1.1   SCI built-in trial license

SCI comes with built-in 90-days trial license. This license includes RTU and AP capacity license for unlimited number of APs. No separate license key is needed to start the SCI trial. As soon as SCI is installed, 90-day trial will start. During the trial, any number of APs can be added to SCI. There is no restriction in terms of features or number of APs.

When 90-day trial license expires, user can navigate to only license page and all other sections on UX/UI are restricted.

1.2   SCI RTU license

SCI RTU license is need to install and deploy SCI on a VM, before the SCI trial expires. Before the SCI trial expires, users need to upload SCI RTU license in order to continue using SCI, after trial.

Alternatively, SCI RTU license can be used to deploy SCI in production, without the 90-day trial. Without this license, SCI cannot be installed. One RTU license is needed for each instance of SCI.

1.3   SCI AP license

This license is needed for each AP. This license needed to be uploaded to SCI, in addition to SCI RTU license, in order to use SCI for production use. The number of SCI AP licenses should be equivalent to number of APs in the SCI. If the number of APs is more than 10% of available AP licenses, user cannot use SCI and user access to SCI will be restricted only license page.

AP licenses can be added dynamically, as and when more APs are added to your network. As the number of APs in your network grows, more number of SCI AP licenses can be purchased to match the number of APs in the SCI.

1.4 SCI AP extended trial license

In some cases, SCI trial is needed beyond the built-in 90-day trial. In this case, you need to use extended trial license key, in order to extend the license for another 90-days. With extended trial license key, you can have a trial for a maximum of 180-days. Extended trial license key does not have any limit on the number of APs deployed or the features.

1.5 SCI RTU Support license

SCI RTU support license is needed, when you need to update the SCI to the latest version. Without valid SCI RTU support license, SCI cannot be updated to latest version of software. SCI RTU support license is also needed in order to avail of "support" from Ruckus support team.

1.6 SCI AP Support license

SCI AP support licenses are needed to match the number of AP licenses in the system. **AP support licenses equivalent to the number of APs in your network are needed, in order to update SCI software (or) obtain support from support team.**

1.7 IMPORTANT Notes about SCI Licensing

- Both RTU support license and AP support licenses, matching the number of APs on SCI, are needed to update SCI software and/or to avail "support" from support team
- When controllers are added to SCI, all the APs are added to SCI. You cannot add selective APs from controller to the SCI.
- When a production SCI license key is uploaded to SCI, SCI trial will terminate immediately. Before you uploaded the production license keys, make sure to have the matching number of SCI AP licenses. Otherwise, you may be locked out of SCI, if you do not have sufficient number of SCI AP licenses.
- If the number of APs in SCI are more than 10% of SCI AP licenses, SCI cannot be used. User access to SCI UX will be restricted to "License" page only
- SCI 1.x license keys and SCI 2.x license keys are mutually exclusive. SCI 1.x license keys cannot be used SCI 2.x and vice-versa