

Software Protection for Just Add Power Programs

The Just Add Power software for computer lab control systems is covered by several international copyrights. In order to protect these rights, we have implemented a software protection system to guard this intellectual property.

When the Just Add Power software is installed from the dealer CDROM, a 30-day demo version is activated. Within 30 days, you must contact Just Add Power support to secure a software license for the customer. Otherwise the programs will expire and stop working on the customer system.

There are 3 pieces of the computer lab control system software which are protected – the Windows Interface, the Presentation Tools, and the Wizard. It is only necessary to unlock the pieces that the customer will be using. If your customer is not using the Presentation Tools, or the Wizard, you should not unlock those programs.

How to unlock the Windows Interface

The Windows Interface is the software that runs on the Supervisory PC. This is the PC that is connected to the serial interface. In order to license the software for the Supervisory station, you must send Just Add Power the site code for the PC that will be running the software. The site code is obtained by running the program GUARDID.EXE. This program should be located in the C:\SLPORTAP directory on the Supervisory PC. When you run this program, the following GuardID screen will appear:



Copy this screen or write down the 8-digit site code, and send that code to Just Add Power. You can email the code to support@justaddpower.net, or you can fax it to Just Add Power in the United States (727-517-4054). When using a fax, please be sure to include the email address for sending back the unlocked program.

Just Add Power will use this unique site code information to create a special copy of the computer lab control system software program. This special program (a single .EXE file) will be emailed back to the email address you indicate. The special copy must then be copied into the C:\SLPORTAP directory on the Supervisor PC. Please be aware that the

special copy we send back will only work on the PC with the site code you provided. If the customer must move the Supervisor program to a different computer, a new site code will have to be sent to Just Add Power support.

How to unlock the Presentation Tools or the Wizard

The Presentation Tools and the Wizard use a different style of protection. Whenever the 30-day version of the programs are executed, the following type of screen first appears:

The screenshot shows a software license dialog box with the following fields and options:

- MID: A90A-CCD3-7452-65B4
- Site code: EDAA6B5A
- Days left: 30
- Uses left: N/A
- Application status: EVALUATION
- Options: Enter application (selected), Unlock application, Transfer license, Remove license
- Input fields: Init code, New Site code
- Buttons: Cancel, Continue >>
- Footer: Just Add Power, Inc.

Copy this screen, or write down the 16-digit MID and the 8-digit site code. You must send both numbers to Just Add Power support. You can email the screen image or hand written code to support@justaddpower.net, or you can fax it to Just Add Power in the United States (727-517-4054). When using a fax, please be sure to include the email address for sending back the unlocked program.

Just Add Power will use this information to determine the Init Code to unlock the program and bind the copy to the customer PC. We will email the Init code back to the address you have indicated. When you receive this code, click the option to Unlock application and then enter the code we have provided. Please be aware that the Init codes will be unique for either program (Presentation Tools vs. Wizard), and that the Init code will only work on the customer PC with the MID and Site code you have provided. If the customer ever needs to move the software to a different PC, you must contact Just Add Power support for a new Init code.

Please send any questions regarding this procedure to support@justaddpower.net.