

# **Best Practices for Upgrading the PROXY Pro P2P Edition**

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#### What component do I upgrade first?

The general rule of thumb is that a newer PROXY Pro Master is backwards compatible for connectivity to an older version PROXY Pro Host, just not the other way around. That being said, always upgrade your Masters before upgrading your Hosts so that you'll be able to connect to each of them throughout the upgrade process. Note that a machine has a Master and a Host installed, be sure to upgrade both, one after the other (doesn't matter which) to avoid a mix of versions on the same machine.

#### What license keys do I use?

Before upgrading, you'll need your Proxy v11 license keys handy. We typically provide license keys to the primary contact we have on file for your company; if you don't have them and need to request them, write to sales@proxynetworks.com and your Account Manager will follow up with you.

PROXY Pro v10 Component
PROXY Pro Master - Viewer License
PROXY Pro Host - Client for desktops, laptops, servers

**Key Starts With** 

445x

443x

## How do I install/deploy the latest version?

As for the PROXY Pro Master, simply double-click the Master.msi installation file and you'll be prompted for your license key during the installation wizard. As for automating the upgrade, the PROXY Pro Deployment Tool can be used to deploy the Master out to machines across your network, and it can also be used to deploy the Host with the new license key (and any other settings) that gets applied at install time.

Please see the Proxy Deployment Tool Quick Start Guide PDF which walks the reader through the click-by-click steps necessary to use the tool or follow along with our Deployment Tool Walk-Through Video below.

Deploying the Host: PROXY Pro Deployment Tool Walk Through Video: https://youtu.be/FuuDostjRo0

Deployment Tool Walk Quick Start Guide PDF: Available from www.proxynetworks.com/documentation

### For customers with active Maintenance & Support

Live support is available upon request to ensure your upgrade goes smoothly and to address any questions along the way. The Proxy Networks Support Team can be reached at support@proxynetworks.com or by phone at 617-453-2700.