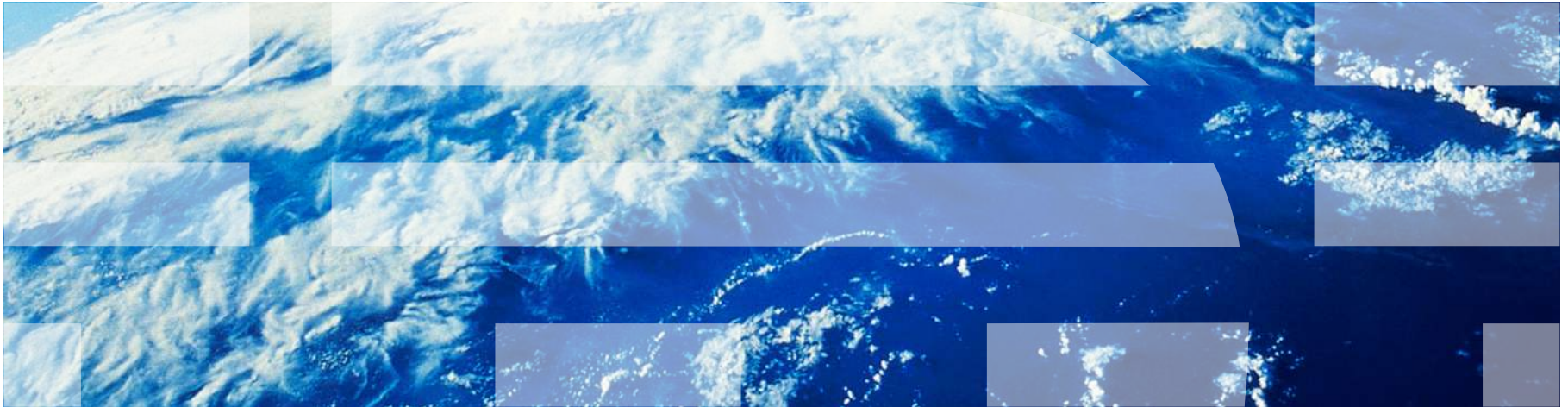


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Rational Asset Manager V7.5 editions and licensing



About RAM Editions

- Addresses different usage patterns
 - Publisher: search, view, comment, download, submit, modify, review
 - Collaborator: search, view, comment, download
 - Anonymous User search for public assets

- Provide flexible deployment approaches
 - Standard Edition (SE)
 - Enterprise Edition (EE)

- Licensing models for SE
 - Authorized User (AU)

- Licensing models for EE
 - Authorized User (AU)
 - Floating User (FL)
 - Fixed Term Licenses (TERM)
 - Tokens (NEW! As of RAM V7.5)

RAM V7.5 packaging overview

RAM Standard Edition (SE)

Authorized User

- Simple license type
- Out of the box lifecycles

RAM Enterprise Edition (EE)

Publisher
Floating / Fixed Term / Token

Publisher
Authorized User

Collaborator
Floating / Fixed Term / Token

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- Server clustering (when used with WAS ND)
- Add additional lifecycle workflows
- Supports Floating, Fixed Term and Token licenses

- RAM EE Server (Install with 3 AU) is withdrawn as of Sept 21, 2010
 - Server license is no longer required
 - Replaced with 3 x Publisher Authorized User at renewal time
- Token licenses are a new option in RAM EE 7.5

Q: How does license key enforcement work?

- Administrators assign users to AU licenses: Collaborator or Publisher
 - The RAM Web UI provides a tool to map users to AU licenses

- SE license cannot be used in an EE server, and vice versa

- Audit report can be generated to show license usage

- Floating license is consumed by users not assigned an AU license
 - Collaborator license is consumed initially until a publisher feature is invoked then license consumption switches to publisher

- 30 minutes of inactivity, or logging out, releases the license (Floating)

... more on Floating license enforcement:

- When a user searches and browses without authenticating then no floating license is used
 - This is considered an "Anonymous" user
 - Anonymous users are limited to searching and browsing for "public" assets

- When an anonymous user displays a public asset details, then an available collaborator floating license is checked out

- When an authenticated user displays an asset, then a Collaborator license is checked out
 - Unless they already had a Publisher license from a previous action

- When an authenticated user modifies or submits an asset, then a Publisher license is checked out (and if a Collaborator license was checked out, then it is check in).

- When an authenticated user logs out, then the license is returned; for either Collaborator or Publisher
 - Unless the user had other sessions

... more on Authorized User license enforcement:

- A user is assigned an authorized user license
 - For EE: each authorized user license is of one access type: Collaborator or Publisher
 - For SE: there is only one type called 'Authorized User'

- If the authorized user license is of type Collaborator, and the user attempts to modify or submit an asset, then an available floating Publisher license is checked out

Q: How do I reconcile the different editions & license types?

License	Standard Edition	Enterprise Edition Publisher	Enterprise Edition Collaborator
Authorized User	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All functionality 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use the product daily • Asset reviewers • Repository or community administrator • Program integrations • Submit & update assets • Search & use assets 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use the product daily • Only search & download assets • No need to modify, update or review assets
Floating User		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use product less than 1x per month / day • Asset reviewers • Submit & update assets • Search & use assets 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use product less than 1x per month / day • Only search & download assets • No need to modify, update or review assets

Q: Why do Floating licenses cost so much more than Authorized User licenses?

- Floating licenses are designed to be shared by many occasional users
 - An occasional user is one who accesses the system less than once a day
 - If more frequent access is needed, use Authorized User license for that user
- The following table is a model of how the Floating licenses may be used:

Users	Total Pub.	Total Collabor.	# Servers	# Users a single Pub Floating Covers	# Users a single Collabor. Floating Covers
15	90%	10%	1	5	5
50	80%	20%	1	5	5
250	60%	40%	1	8	15
500	30%	70%	1	8	25
1000	20%	80%	1	8	50
2500	10%	90%	2	8	75
5000	10%	90%	2	8	100
25000	5%	95%	4	8	120

Q: Isn't there a lot of administrative overhead for Authorized User licenses?

No -

- Simply load your AU licenses into the license server, just like Floating
- Authorized User licenses in RAM are the same as Floating licenses with one difference:
 - You will map a user to a license to “authorize” them
 - This mapping can be changed at any time to accommodate permanent reassignment of users

License Management ?

Use this page to assign and remove authorized user licenses.

Authorized User Licenses ?					
Name	Total	Assigned	Remaining	In use	Actions
Enterprise edition collaborator authorized user	12	2	10	1	
User	Email	Last checked out			
Debra, Commercial Dev. Mgr.	debra@jke.com	never used			Remove user
Bob, Enterprise Architect	bob@jke.com	never used			Remove user
Enterprise edition publisher authorized user	12	2	10	0	
User	Email	Last checked out			
David, SOA CoE Chair	david@jke.com	never used			Remove user
Larry, Business Unit Leader	larry@jke.com	never used			Remove user
Floating Licenses ?					
Name	Total	In use			
Enterprise edition collaborator floating	23	10			
Enterprise edition publisher floating	8	2			

Q: What can an anonymous user do?

- An unauthenticated user (Anonymous) can search for public assets without consuming a license
- To view asset details or perform other asset functions like update, review, comment or download, you must have a Publisher or Collaborator License.
 - NOTE! browsing asset details without a login (anonymously) will consume an available floating license
- Anonymous access is available using the Web Client and Eclipse Client.

The screenshot shows the Rational Asset Manager web interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with 'Home', 'My Dashboard', 'Communities', and 'Assets'. A search bar is located in the top right corner, and a 'Log In' button is in the top right corner. A red arrow points from the 'Log In' button to the search bar, with the text 'Anonymous login searching for public assets' written in red. Below the navigation bar, there is a 'Submit an Asset' button and a 'Visual Browse' button. The main content area shows a search for 'credit' with filters: none. The search results show a table with columns: Name, Version, State, Community, Rating, Modified, and Relevance. The first result is 'Rational Deployment Architecture Lab for RSA 7.5' with version 1.0, state Approved, and a rating of 5 stars.

Anonymous login searching for public assets

Search for Assets

credit

Filters: none

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Name	Version	State	Community	Rating	Modified	Relevance ↓
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