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Temporary License procedure.

Pre-requisites: Evaluation copy (with valid evaluation key) of TFCompanion installed.
If evaluation key is expired – please send email to evaluation@semiconsoft.com

1. Start TFCompanion and select Help/Register from the main menu – registration dialog (Fig. 1) will appear.



Fig.1 Registration dialog.

2. Fill the registration dialog form and click Save – the data is saved in the “profile” file
3. Mail the profile file to evaluation@semiconsoft.com
4. Receive the temporary key with the return email and place it in the /init directory of TFCompanion installation on your computer. That’s it – you should be able to use full version of TFCompanion.

The temporary license is valid only on the computer (and for login user) that was used to generate registration (the “profile” file). The temporary license is valid until evaluation key is expired. To extend the license time one only needs change the evaluation key.