ArcGIS for Desktop Single Use License Instructions

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2. For the “Software Produce you need a license for” choose the top selection: “ArcGIS for Desktop Advanced Core”. Copy the license code given to you, you’ll need it later. Optional: If you want to use additional ArcGIS extensions, fill out the form again and choose the extension you want. Separate codes will be generated for each extension.

3. Open the ArcGIS Administrator by clicking Start → Programs → ArcGIS → ArcGIS Administrator. Click Desktop, and select Advanced (ArcInfo) Single Use, and click Authorize Now… (your PC needs to be connected to the Internet for this one time authorization process).

4. For Authorization Options, choose “I have installed my software and need to authorize it.” And click Next.
5. Choose “Authorize with Esri now using the Internet”. And click Next.
6. Enter your contact information and the license code(s) you have received. Click Next, and the license will be authorized. Click Finish to exit the wizard. Close ArcGIS Administrator. Now you can run ArcMap or any of the ArcGIS Desktop modules.