

Working with Fine Cloud License System

Programs: All GEO5, FIN EC, TRUSS4 programs

The aim of this manual is to show the basic work with the new Fine Cloud License system.

From the 2025 edition, all Fine programs are secured by their own cloud-based system. **After purchase of the software, a Fine Account is created for each user. You log in to the account using an email address and a password (a password setup link is provided via email upon license setup).**

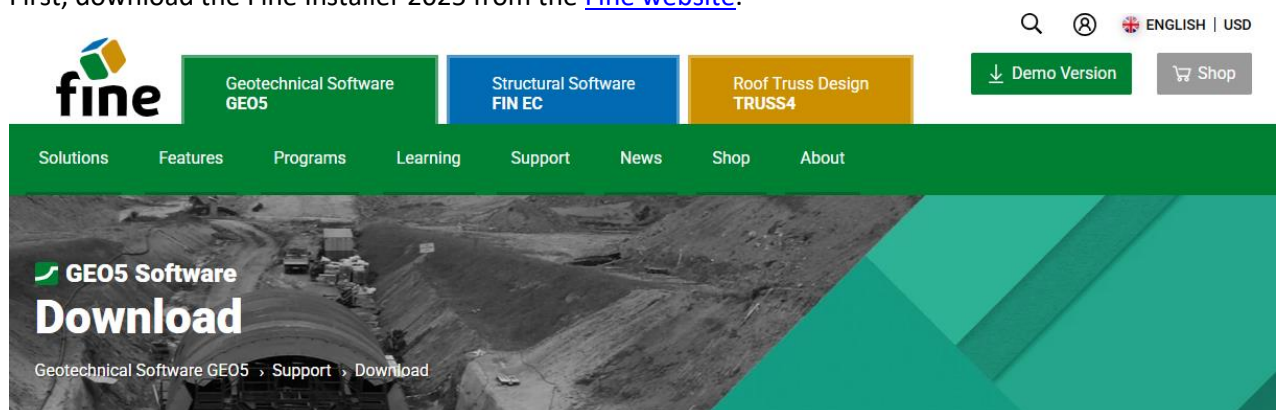
These login credentials are used for:

- 1) For installing programs
- 2) For launching programs
- 3) For accessing the licensing service, where licenses can, for example, be transferred for offline use
- 4) For accessing the Online Shop, where you can manage users, their permissions, or purchase additional programs

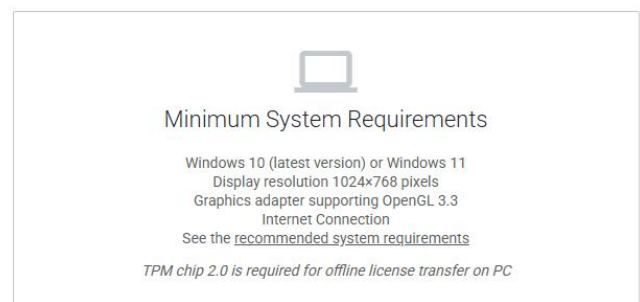
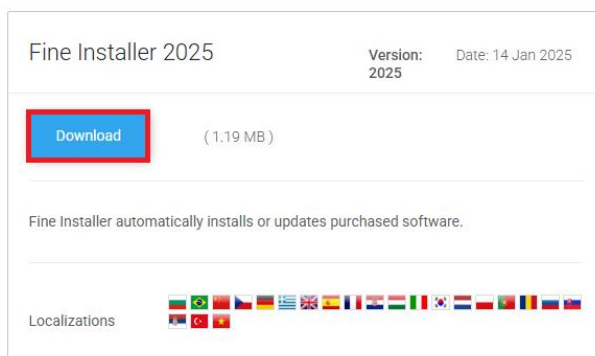
We will describe each of these points in detail.

1) Installing Programs

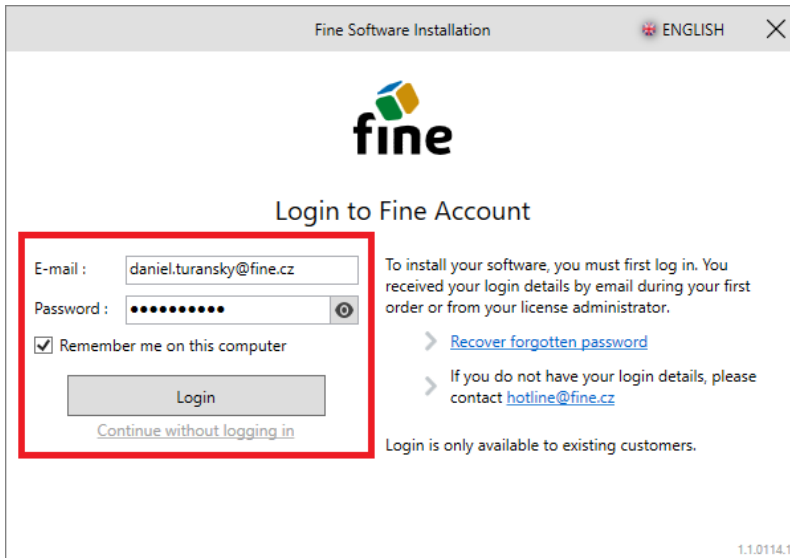
First, download the Fine Installer 2025 from the [Fine website](#).



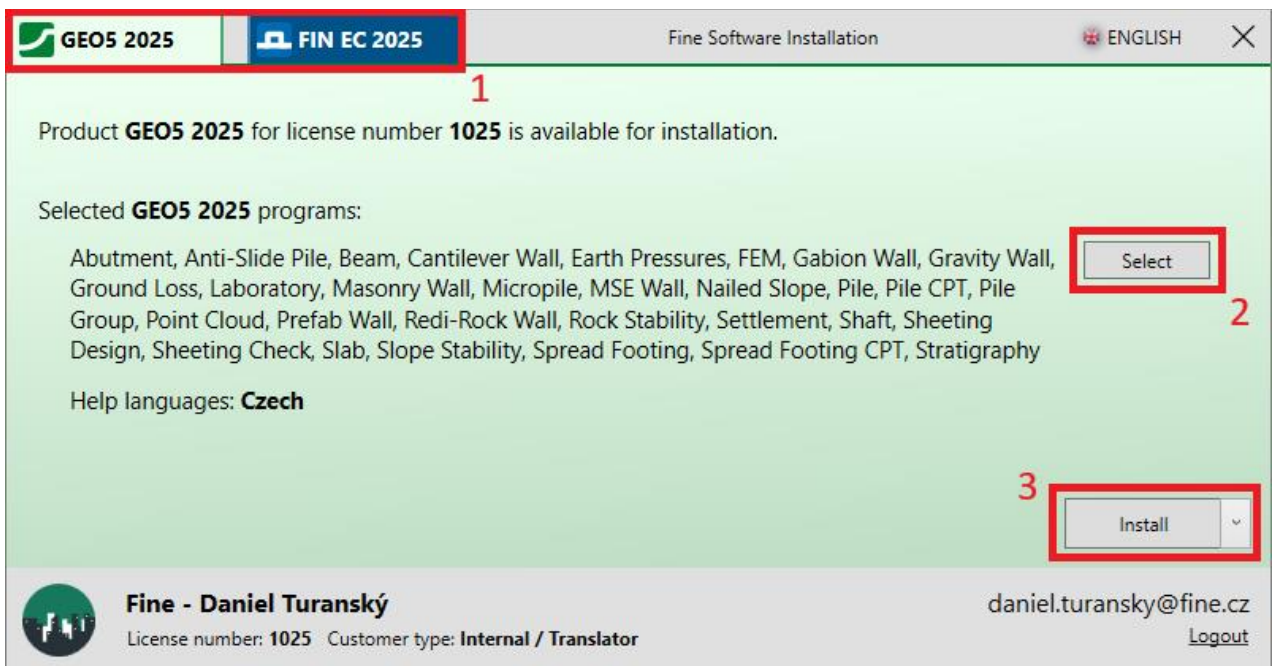
Download purchased software.



Run the downloaded file (*FineInstaller.exe*) and **enter your login credentials**. If you plan to log in from this computer regularly, you can choose to save the credentials.



After clicking "Log In", a new dialog window appears:

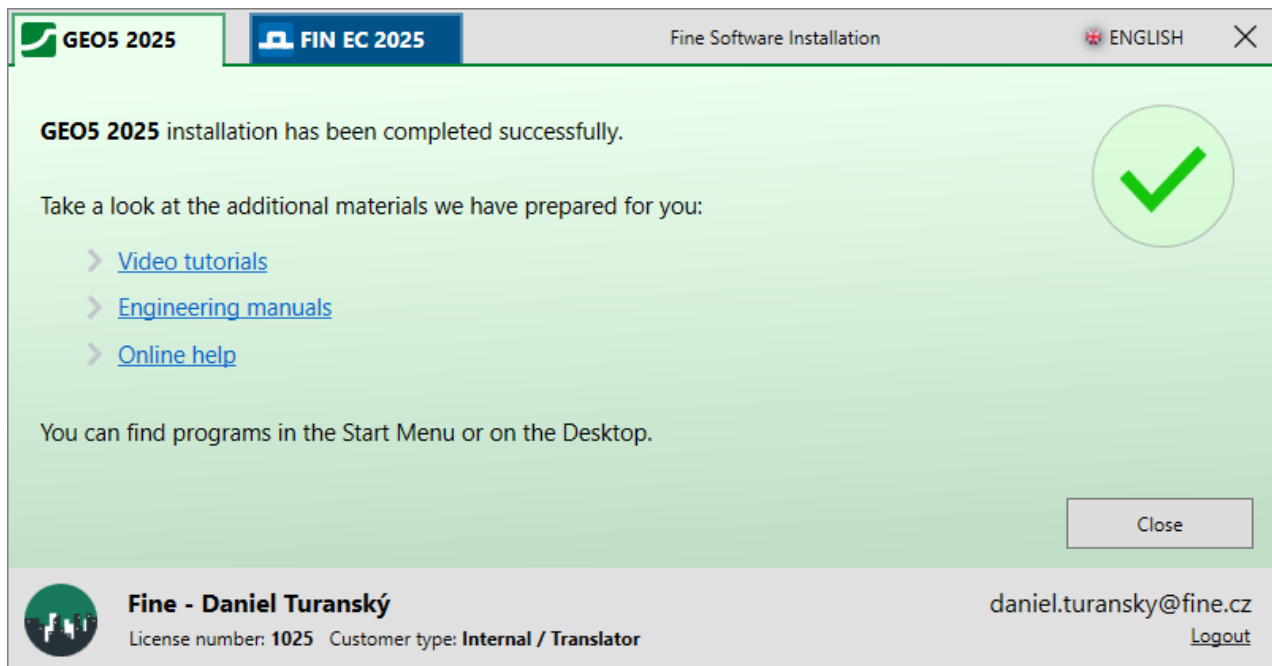


In the top section (1), you can see tabs for individual products. GEO5 and FIN EC programs can be installed. In this manual, we will demonstrate installation for the GEO5 programs.

Using the "Edit" button (2), you can customize which programs you want to install. By default, all programs are selected. Programs not purchased by the user will be installed as demo versions.

The programs themselves include all language options, but here you can select which languages the help documentation will be installed in.

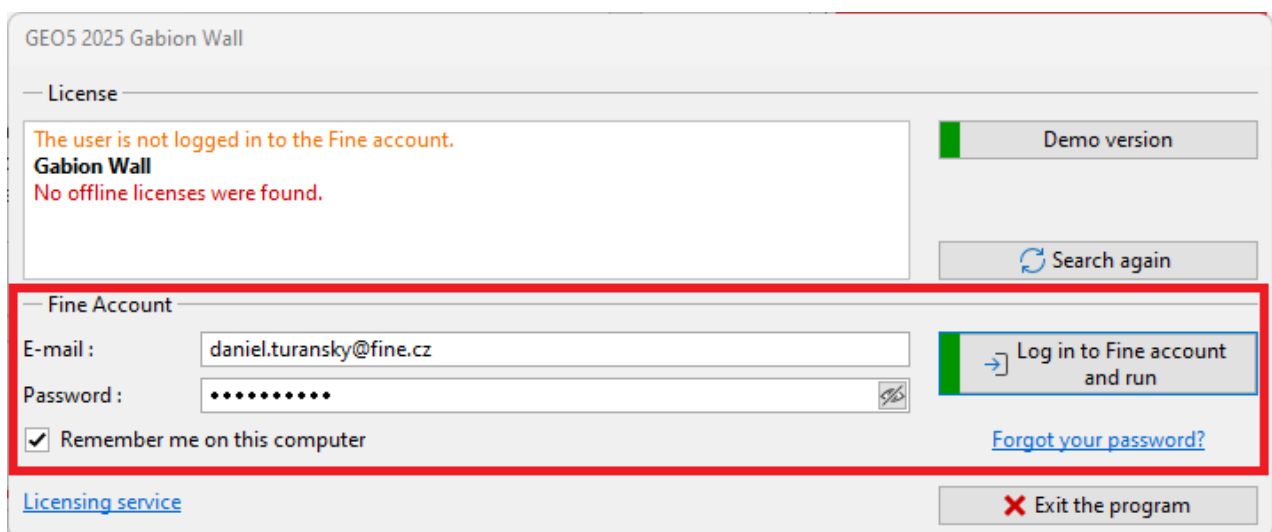
To proceed with installation, click the "Install" button (3). Additional options, such as reverting to an older version or selecting 32-bit/64-bit versions, are available under the dropdown arrow.



Once installed successfully, the programs will appear in the "GEO5" folder on your desktop, and you can proceed to launch them.

2) Launching Programs and Accessing Licenses

When you launch any installed program, a login window for available licenses will appear. If you saved your credentials during installation, login will occur automatically. Otherwise, you can save your credentials here as well. Enter your login credentials and click "Log in to Fine Account and run"



After launching the program, you can check license details in the "About" window, which is available from the [control menu](#) under the "Settings" menu.

Under the "License" tab (1), you'll find information about your license and its storage location (2).

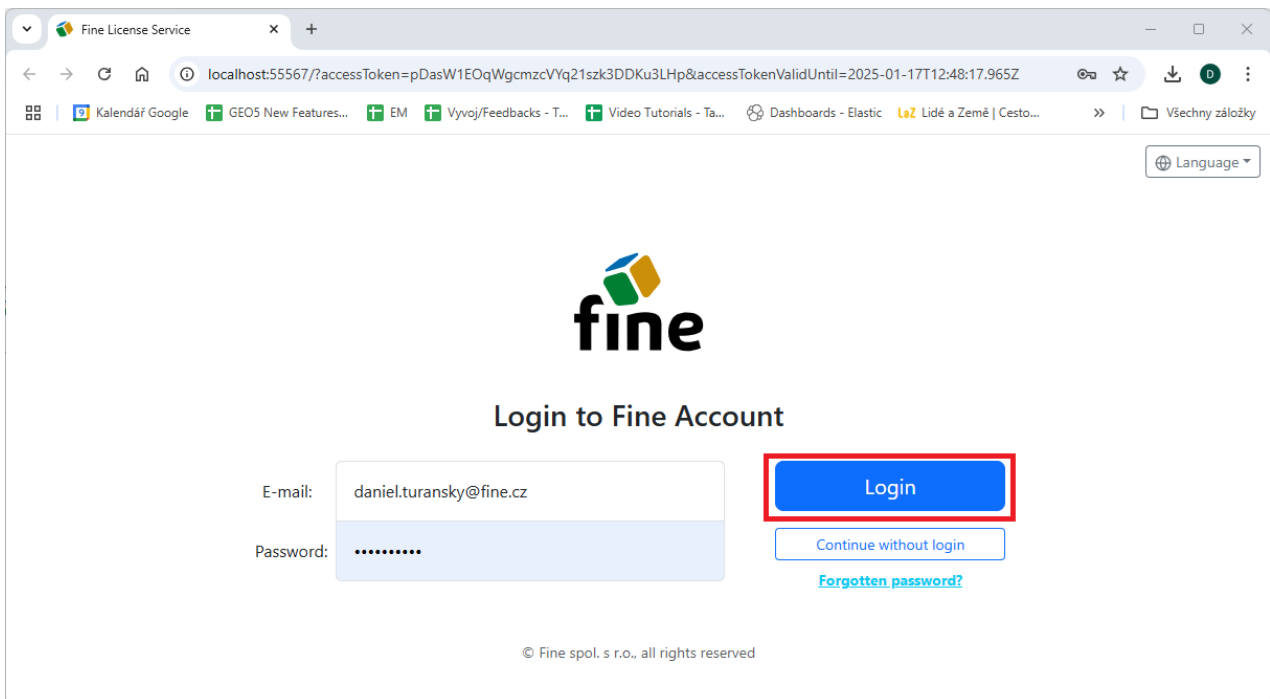
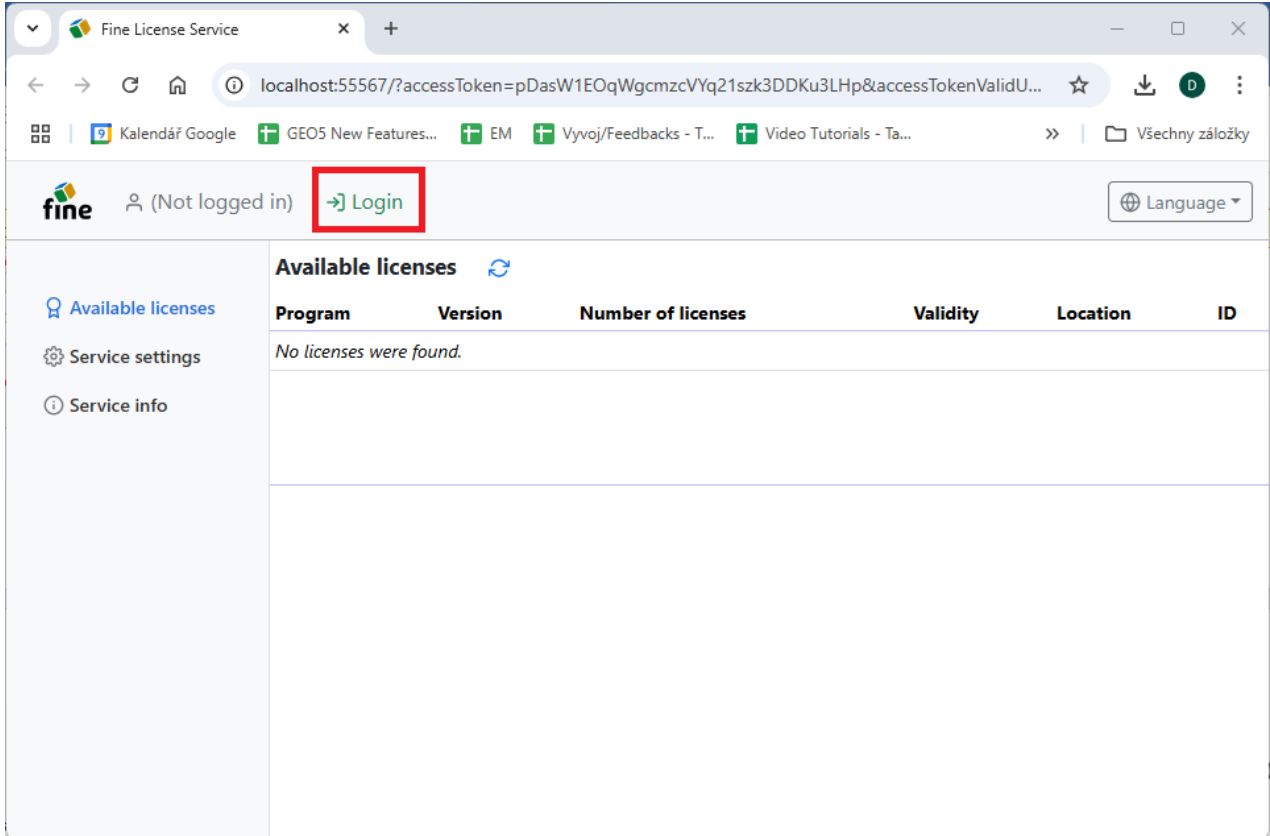
The **license is by default stored online in a Fine Account** - in this case, it is convenient that you can have the programs installed on any number of computers. On the other hand, you must have permanent access to the Internet to use them.

For offline use, licenses can be transferred to a computer or a hardware key using the **Fine Licensing Service** (3). This process is explained in the next section.



3) License Management in the Fine Licensing Service

The Fine Licensing Service opens as a local website and functions offline. Start by logging in with your credentials.



In the "Offline Licenses" tab, you'll see where your licenses can be transferred (1) — typically the computer you're using (software key). If you've connected a hardware key (hardlock) to your computer, licenses can also be stored on it.

To transfer the licenses, click the "Transfer licenses to key" button (2).
Transfer of licence to the PC requires TPM 2.0 module.

The screenshot shows the 'Offline Licenses' section of the Fine License Service. On the left is a sidebar with navigation options: Available licenses, Offline Licenses (selected), User, Service settings, and Service info. The main content area displays a table of licenses. The 'Type' column is highlighted with a red box and labeled '1'. Below the table, under 'Selected key', there is a button 'Transfer licenses into the key' highlighted with a red box and labeled '2'. The text below the button states 'This key contains no licenses.'

Status	Type	Info	Company	License Number
○ empty	HW key	memo (643036131)	Fine - Daniel Turanský	1025
○ empty	software key	DAN	Fine - Daniel Turanský	1025

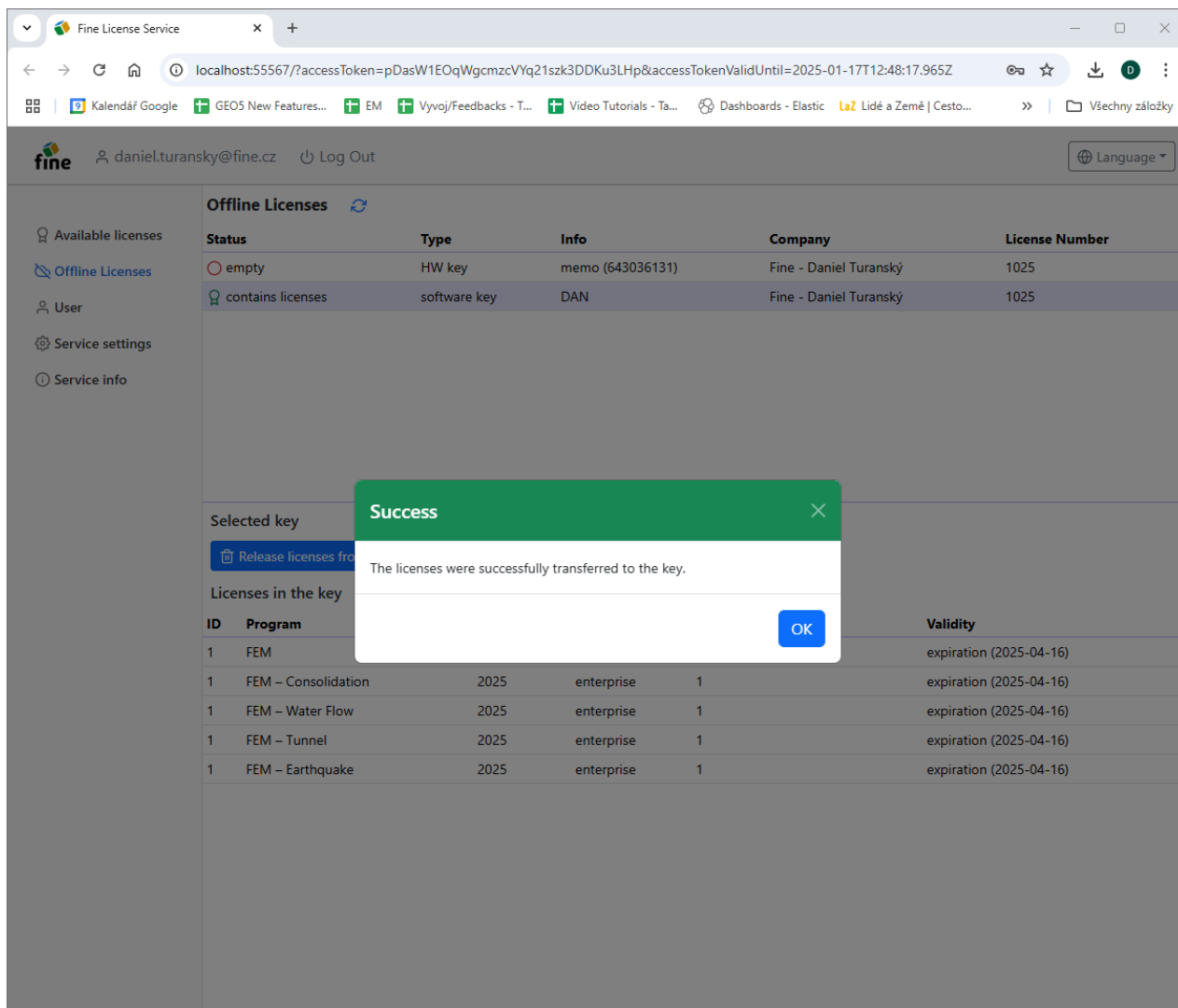
For this example, we'll transfer licenses for the FEM program and its modules to the computer (software key). Select the desired number of licenses for the chosen programs. The total number of available licenses is displayed after the slash.

For transfer of more licenses, it is convenient to use the available filtration and selection options in the column headers (☑, ▾).

The screenshot shows the 'Software key (1025 Fine - Daniel Turanský) DAN' interface. At the top, there are buttons for 'Transfer licenses into the key' and 'close'. Below this, a table lists various software products and programs. The 'Number of licenses' column contains input boxes with values ranging from 0 to 1. The rows for 'FEM', 'FEM - Consolidation', 'FEM - Water Flow', 'FEM - Tunnel', and 'FEM - Earthquake' are highlighted in green and enclosed in a red box, indicating they are the focus of the license transfer.

Product	Program	Version	Type	Number of licenses	Validity	ID
GEO5	Slab	2025	enterprise	0 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	Gabion	2025	enterprise	0 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	Nailed Slope	2025	enterprise	0 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	Micropile	2025	enterprise	0 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	FEM	2025	enterprise	1 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	FEM - Consolidation	2025	enterprise	1 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	FEM - Water Flow	2025	enterprise	1 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	FEM - Tunnel	2025	enterprise	1 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	FEM - Earthquake	2025	enterprise	1 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	Beam	2025	enterprise	0 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	Abutment	2025	enterprise	0 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	Spread Footing	2025	enterprise	0 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	Sheeting Design	2025	enterprise	0 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	Sheeting Check	2025	enterprise	0 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	Pile	2025	enterprise	0 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	Pile CPT	2025	enterprise	0 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	Prefab Wall	2025	enterprise	0 / 1	permanent	1
GEO5	Settlement	2025	enterprise	0 / 1	permanent	1

Click "Transfer licenses to key," and the licenses will be stored.



You can now run selected programs locally on the computer without needing an internet connection.

4) User Management in Online Shop

Users with more than one license fall under the Business or Enterprise category. These users can have multiple login accounts, which are managed via the Online Shop on Fine website.

Log in to the Online Shop by visiting the Fine website. Click the user icon and enter your credentials:

Once logged in, select "User Management."

Programs and packages	Subscription		Perpetual	
	Price (1 year)	Number of Licenses	Price (1 year)	Number of Licenses
GE05 Package Professional All programs	7 990 €	- [] +		
GE05 Package Basic All programs excluding FEM, Ground Loss and Shaft	5 890 €	- [] +		
GE05 Package Foundation Pile, Micropile, Pile Group, Pile CPT, Spread Footing, Spread Footing CPT, Beam, Slab	2 090 €	- [] +		
GE05 Package Excavation Slope Stability, Sheeting Check, Sheeting Design, Anti-Slide Pile, Earth Pressures	1 350 €	- [] +		

Click on "Create User":

The screenshot shows the 'User Management' interface. At the top left, there is a 'Create User' button highlighted with a red box. Below it is a table with two columns: 'User' and 'Permissions'. The table contains one entry: 'daniel.turansky@fine.cz (Daniel Turanský)' with icons for various permissions. On the right side, there is a user profile card for 'Fine - Daniel Turar' with a license number of 1025. Below the profile card, there are links for 'Change Password' and 'Logout'. At the bottom right, there is a navigation menu with links for 'Shop', 'Order History', 'My Licenses', 'My Subscriptions', 'Change Company Details', and 'User Management'.

Fill in the user's email address and the optional note. Then, assign the new user's permissions.

The screenshot shows the 'Create User' form. The 'USER' section has fields for 'E-mail *' (john.smith@dstructures.com) and 'Note' (Principal Engineer). The 'PERMISSIONS' section has checkboxes for 'Access to Software' (checked), 'License Transfer for Offline Use' (checked), 'Purchase of New Software', 'Use of Saved Payment Card', and 'User Management'. A 'Create' button is visible. On the right, there is a user profile card for 'Fine - Daniel Turanský' with a license number of 1025. Below the profile card, there are links for 'Change Password' and 'Logout'. At the bottom right, there is a navigation menu with links for 'Shop', 'Order History', 'My Licenses', 'My Subscriptions', 'Change Company Details', and 'User Management'.

After clicking "Create", the new user will appear in the user list and will receive an email with a link to set up their password.

The screenshot shows the 'User Management' interface after a new user has been created. A green notification bar at the top says 'The user was successfully created.' Below it is a table with two columns: 'User' and 'Permissions'. The table contains two entries: 'daniel.turansky@fine.cz (Daniel Turanský)' and 'john.smith@dstructures.com (Principal Engineer)'. The second entry has 'Update' and 'Delete' buttons. On the right side, there is a user profile card for 'Fine - Daniel Turanský' with a license number of 1025. Below the profile card, there are links for 'Change Password' and 'Logout'. At the bottom right, there is a navigation menu with links for 'Shop', 'Order History', 'My Licenses', 'My Subscriptions', 'Change Company Details', and 'User Management'.

The new user can then log in to the programs using their email and password as usual.