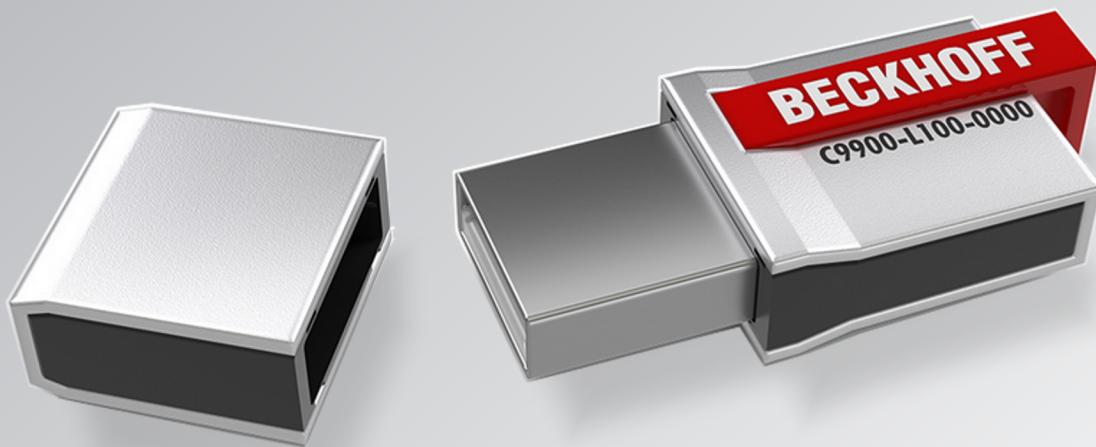


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C9900-L100

License key USB stick for TwinCAT 3.1





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# 1 Foreword

## 1.1 Notes on the documentation

### Intended audience

This description is only intended for the use of trained specialists in control and automation engineering who are familiar with the applicable national standards.

It is essential that the documentation and the following notes and explanations are followed when installing and commissioning these components.

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#### NOTICE

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### Information on handling the product



This information includes, for example:  
recommendations for action, assistance or further information on the product.

## 1.3 Documentation Issue Status

Version	Comment
1.4.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Update chapter “Product description”</li><li>• Chapter “Technical data” updated</li><li>• Update structure</li></ul>
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## 2 Product description

As an alternative to the EL6070 license key terminal, the TwinCAT licenses can be managed via a C9900-L100 USB stick. Data transfer takes place via USB.

For even more convenient handling of the TwinCAT 3.1 licensing, the C9900-L100 USB stick is equipped with a local data memory. The data memory is used for storing the TwinCAT 3.1 license files. It is not freely accessible and is managed by TwinCAT 3.1.

There are different models

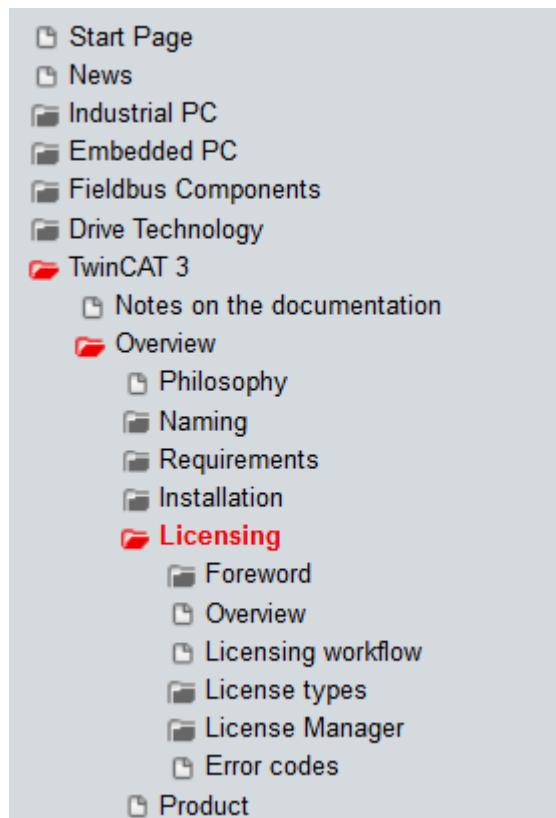
- C9900-L100: Dongle without activated licenses, will be supplied with licenses on costumer side
- C9900-L100-0033: will be pre activated with task related licenses
- more variants

Frame conditions for operation with TwinCAT

- TwinCAT supports USB access to the dongle since TC3 build 4020
- The USB device requires a \*.xml description file for the integration into the TwinCAT device management and into the project tree accordingly. The build contains this file already and there's no need of additional action when it's used. Otherwise the file can be received by the Beckhoff website and installed into the TwinCAT installation path \ESB.  
The standard path is: C:\TwinCAT\3.1\Config\Io\Esb\

Ordering information	
C9900-L100	License key USB stick for TwinCAT 3.1
Related products	
EL6070	License key EtherCAT Terminal for TwinCAT 3.1

Please see notes for application and further particulars in <http://infosys.beckhoff.com/> →TwinCAT3 → Overview → Licensing:



## Dimensions, isometric view

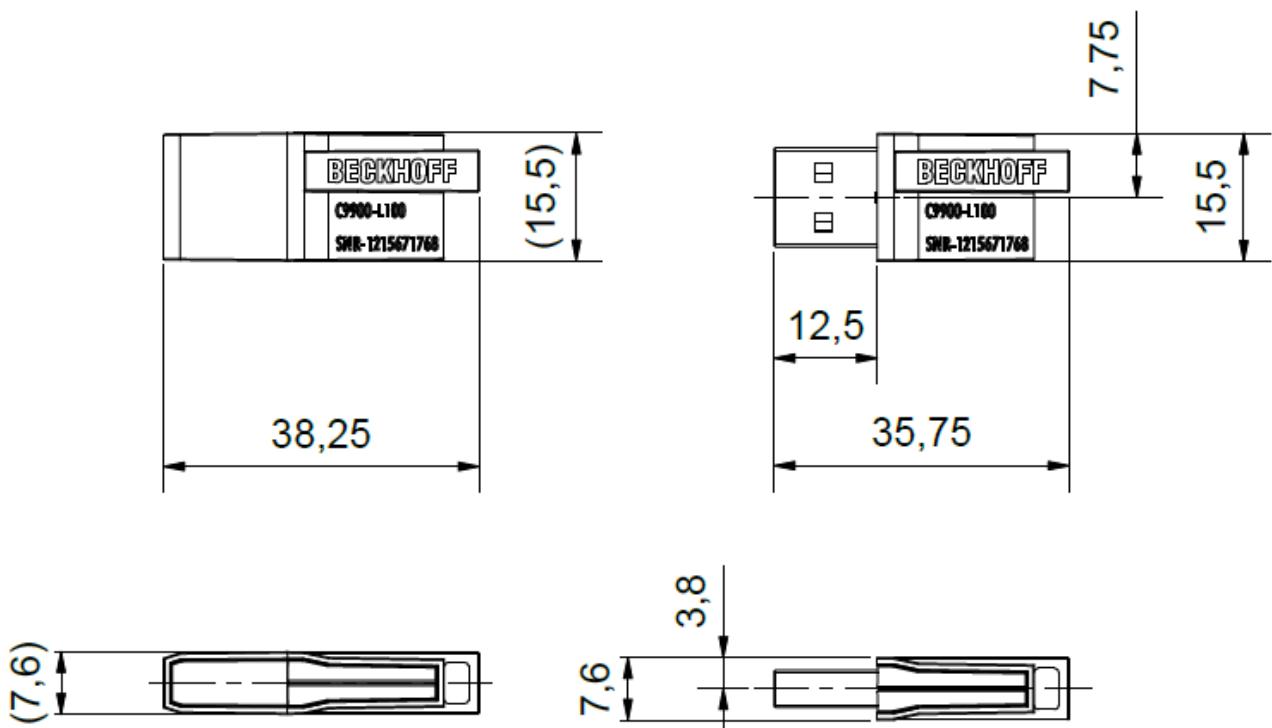


Fig. 1: Dimensions C9900-L100, with and without cap, all dimensions in mm



Fig. 2: C9900-L100, isometric view with and without cap

## C9900-L100 technical data

Technical data	C9900-L100
Voltage supply	via USB 2.0
Weight	approx. 10 g
Permissible ambient temperature range during operation	-25°C ... +60°C
Permissible ambient temperature range during storage	-40°C ... +85°C
Permissible relative humidity	95%, no condensation
Protection class	IP20
Installation position	variable
Approvals/Markings <sup>*)</sup>	CE

<sup>\*)</sup> Real applicable approvals/markings see type plate on the side (product marking).

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