1. License Guide

Welcome to the "License guide" to *The Intelligent Mining Machine* (TIMi)!
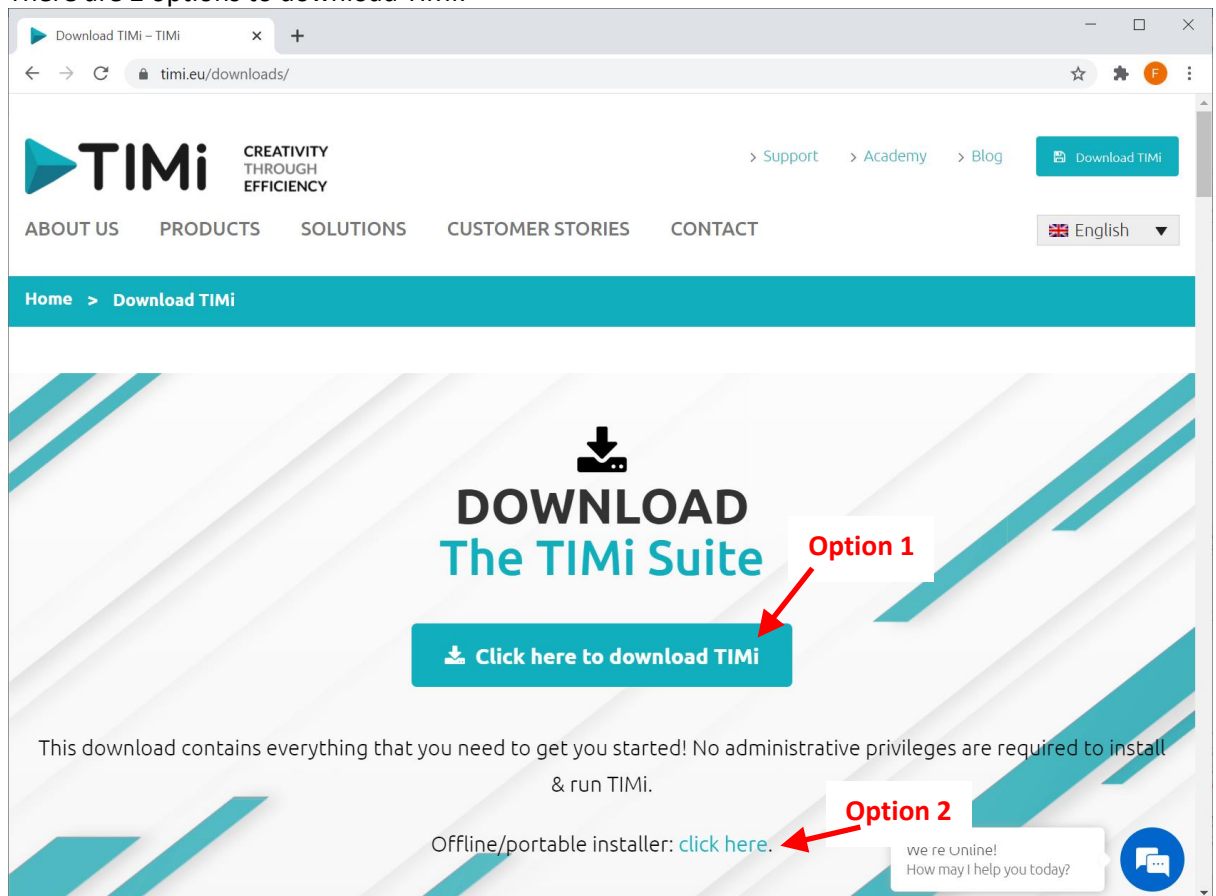
Each time TIMi is installed on a new machine, you must obtain a new "Serial Number". This "Serial Number" gives access to TIMi for the whole duration of your contract or for the whole duration of your trial period.

When a TIMi contract is extended, the related Serial Numbers are automatically renewed to ensure that there is no service interruption. IT managers receive an email notification when a new Serial Number is created and can request a list of active Serial Numbers at any time by sending an email to sales@timi.eu .

Here is the procedure to get your first "Serial Number" for TIMi :

1. Download the "TIMi Suite" from this URL: https://timi.eu/downloads/
   There are 2 options to download TIMi:

Option 1 is the easiest. If your machine does not have a "live" internet connection (typically because of some firewalls), you must use the option 2 (i.e. the off-line installer). If you choose option 1, you can skip the next points and go directly to point 5 of this document. You will find more details about the TIMi installation procedure in this document :
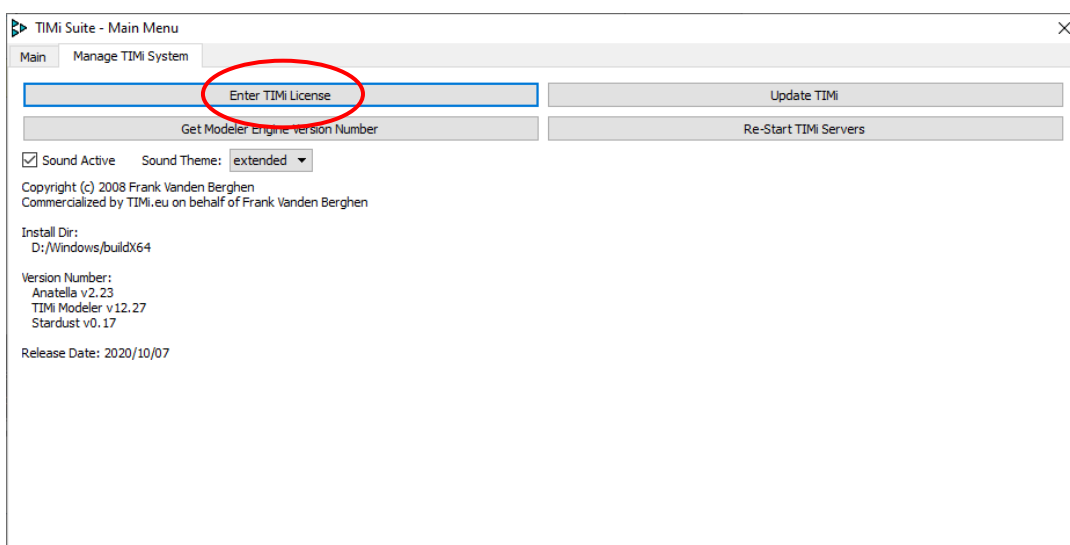http://download.timi.eu/docs/TIMi_Deployment.pdf

2. Double-click on the TIMi Suite icon:

3. The "TIMi Suite – Main Window" appears. Click on the "Manage Licenses" Tab, as illustrated below:
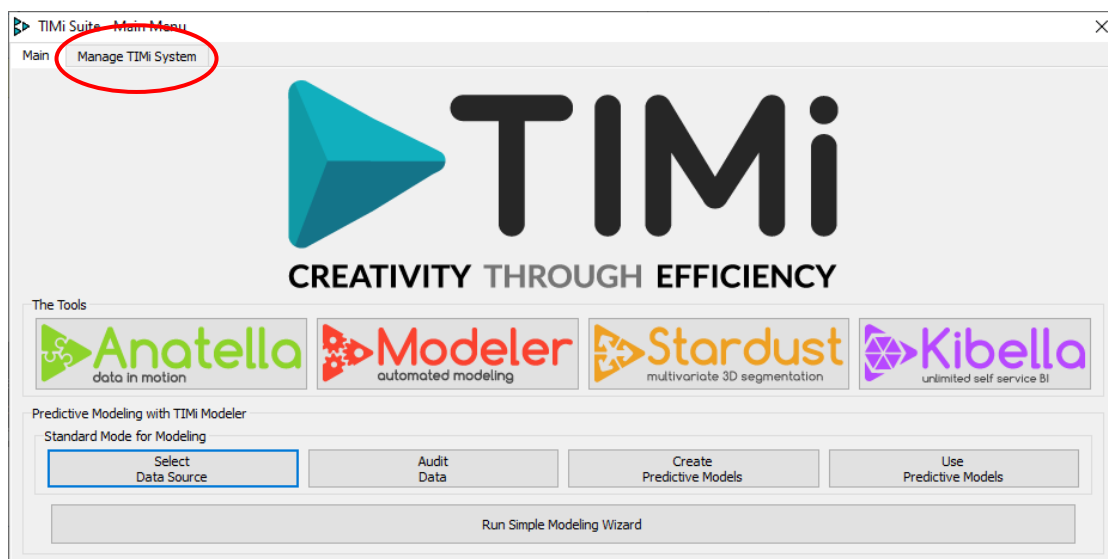

4. Click on the "Enter TIMi License" button, as illustrated below:

The TIMi "*Serial Number Manager*" application should now be visible.

An alternative method to open the "*Serial Number Manager*" application is to run the "TIMiEnterLicense.exe" executable located inside the subdirectory "bin" inside the TIMi installation directory.
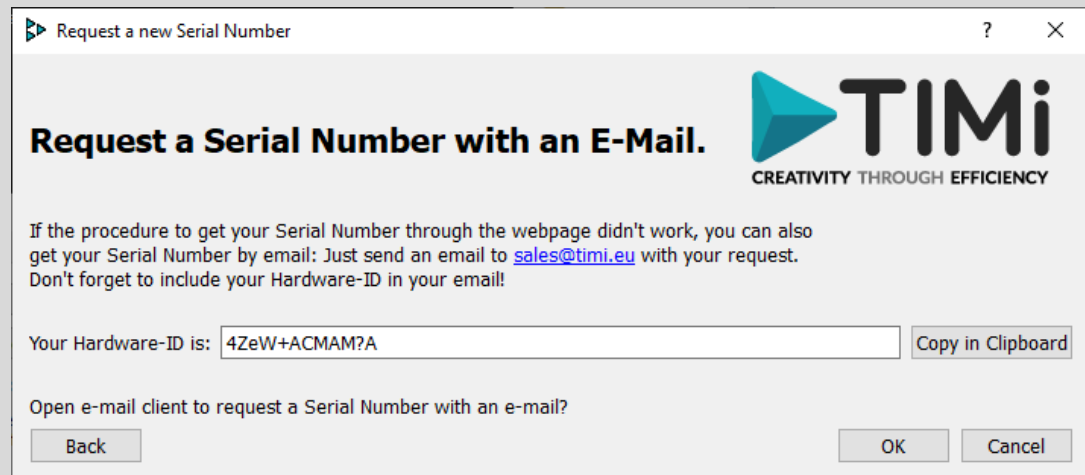
Typically, you'll run the file "C:\soft\TIMi\bin\TIMiEnterLicense.exe"
or "C:\Program Files\TIMi\bin\TIMiEnterLicense.exe"):
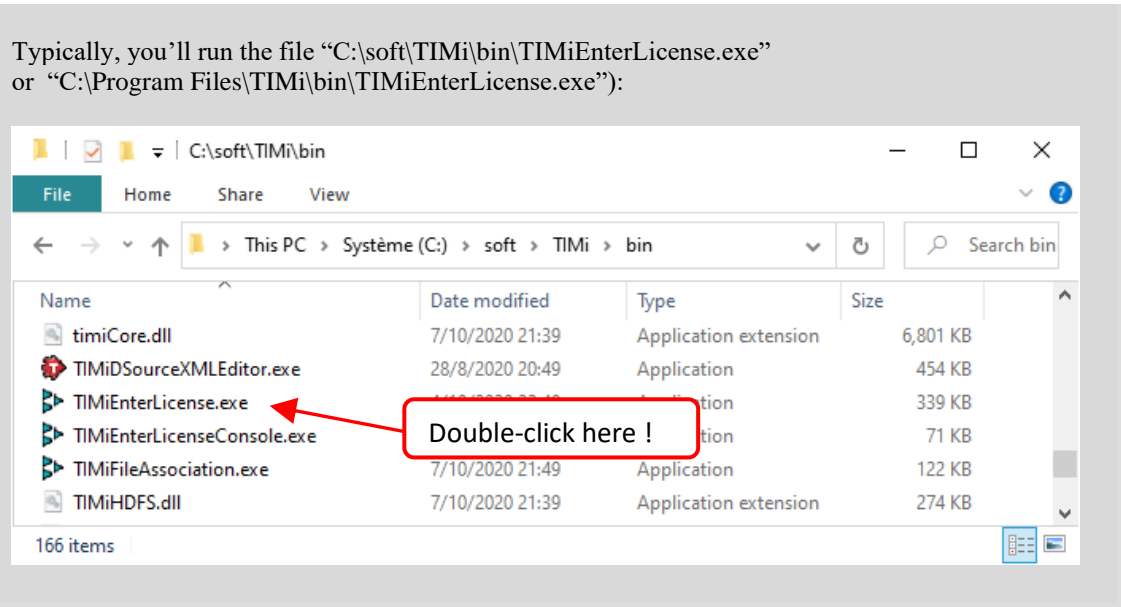
5. The first time that you run TIMi on a machine without any Serial Number, you are directly redirected to a Wizard that guides you through the procedure to get your Serial Number. The first screen of this Wizard is :
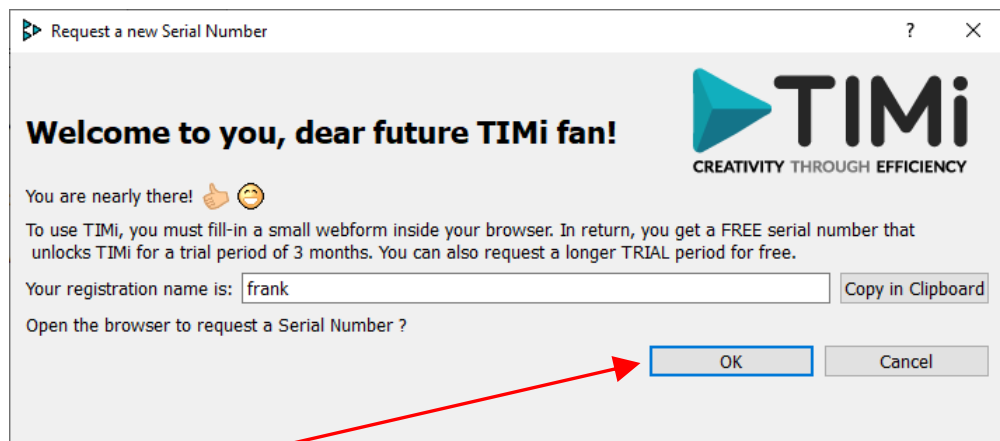
Click OK   to open your web browser to fill out the web form.

If you don't have any active internet connection on your server, don't worry: Click on the "Cancel" button to request your "Serial Number" by email. You will arrive on this page which explains what information you need to include in your email.:
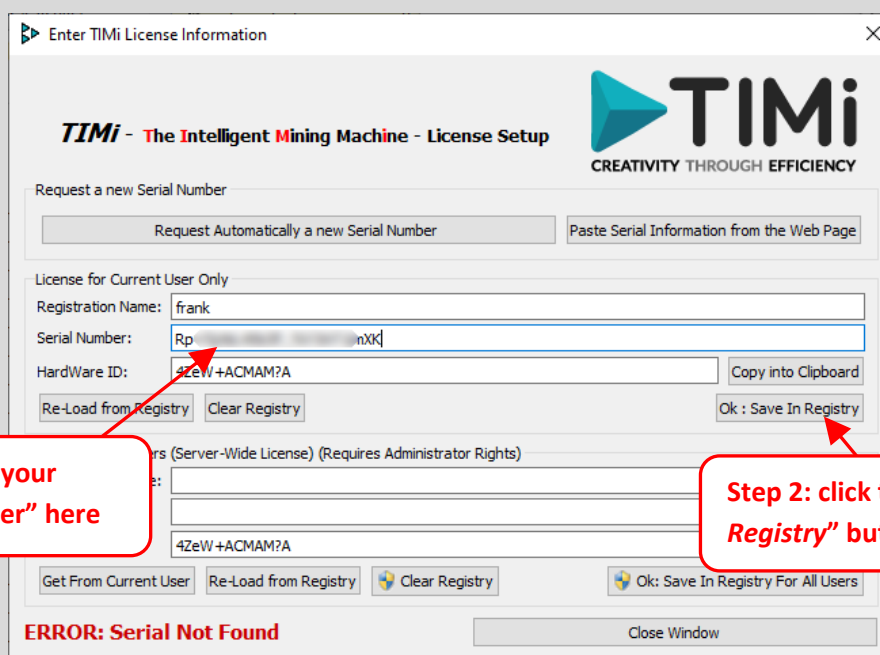
Make sure that your email contains your Hardware-ID.
Without your Hardware-ID, we cannot create a "Serial Number".

In return for your email, the TIMi Suite representative will send you an email containing your license information (i.e. your "Serial Number").

At this point, please go back to the TIMi "*Serial Number Manager*" application and enter your "Serial Number" as indicated in the e-mail you received. See the illustration below :

When you have finished encoding your "Serial Number", click the "*Ok: Save in Registry*" button.
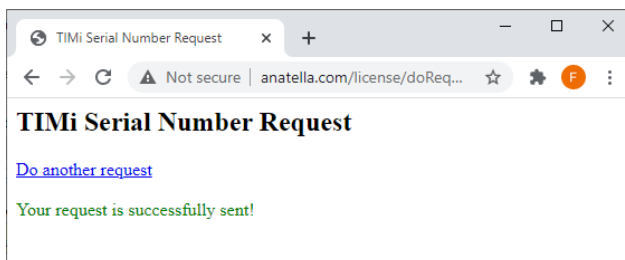
6. You arrive on the web form to fill in:

After filling out the form, you arrive on this confirmation page :

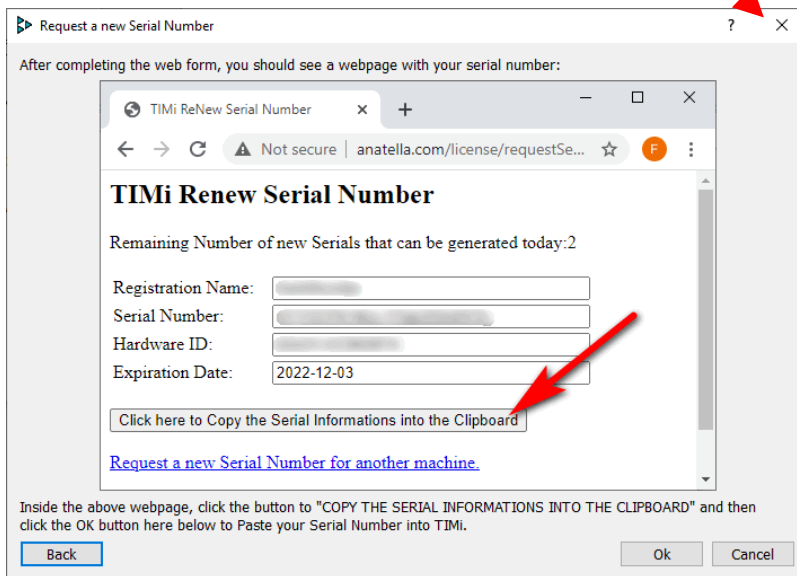Your request for a "Serial Number" has been taken into account. Usually we process these requests within the hour and at most within 24 hours. You will receive an email notification when your Serial Number is available.

For now, you can close the License Manager: Click here :   and then here :
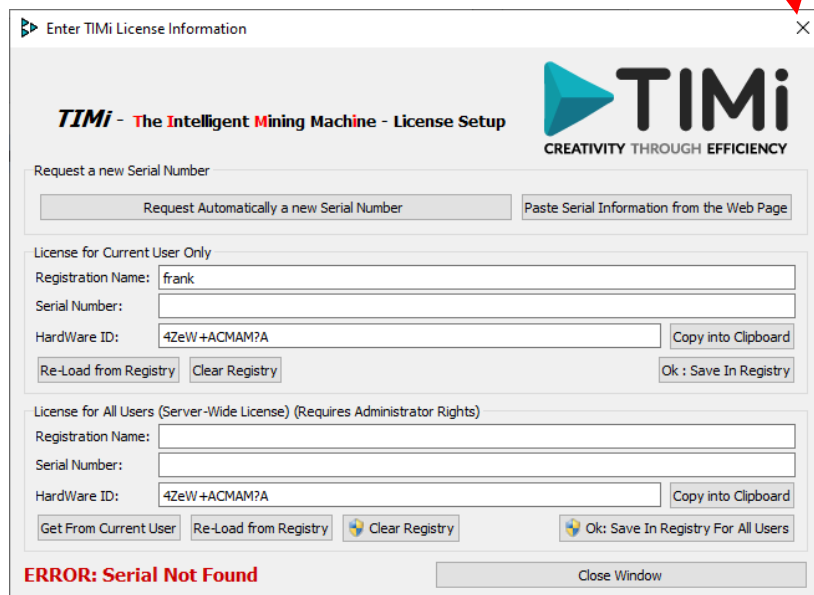
7. A few minutes have passed and your "Serial Number" is now available.
   Open TIMi "*Serial Number Manager*" application again and click the "OK" button here
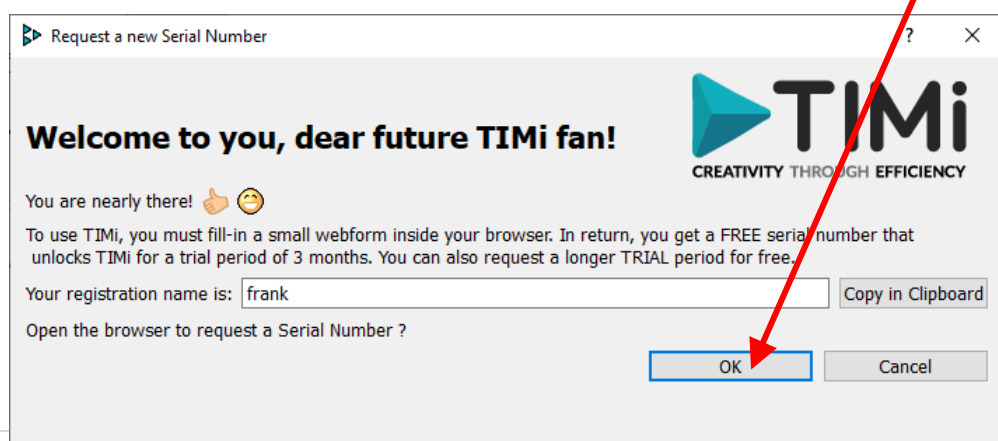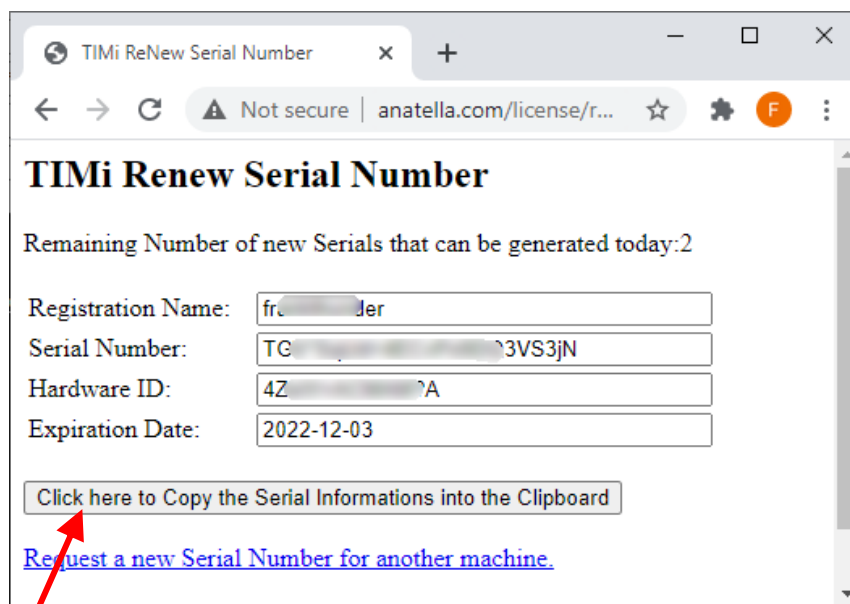
Alternatively, instead of clicking the "OK" button above, you can also click the "*Request Automatically a new Serial Number*" button in the main window of the "*Serial Number Manager*" application:
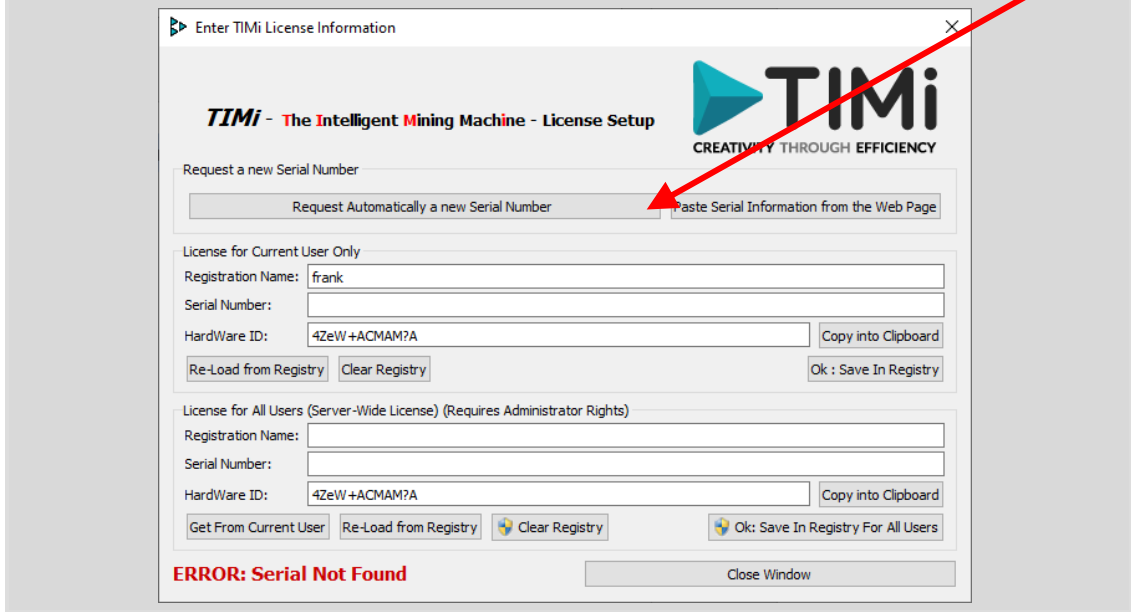
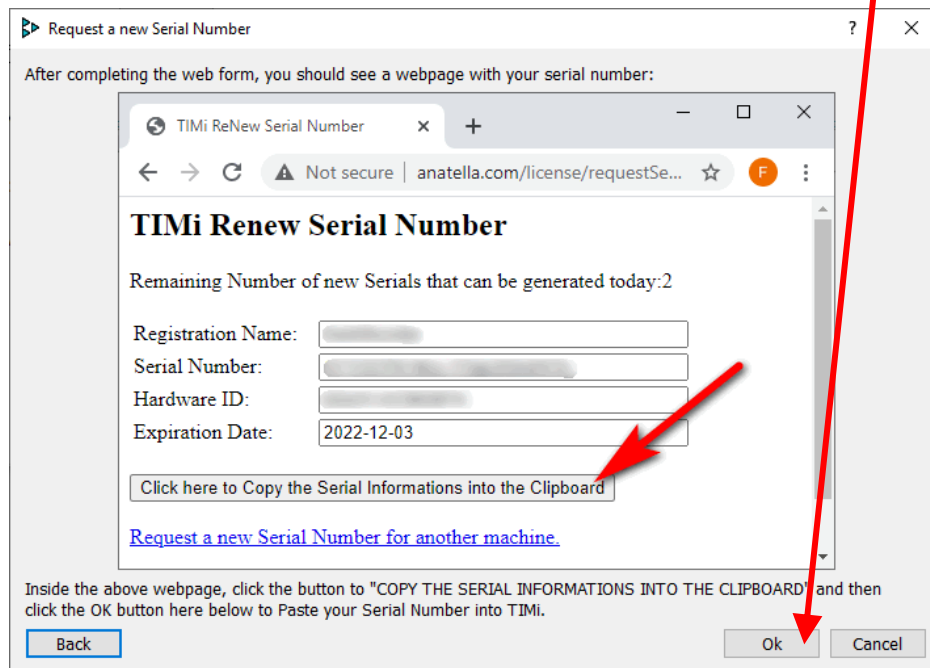
8. Your internet browser opens again but this time you directly receive your "Serial Number":

In your   internet browser, click on the button "***Copy** the Serial Number into the Clipboard*" here:

9. Inside the TIMi "*Serial Number Manager*" application, click on the "OK" button:

10. If your "Serial Number" has been correctly encoded on your machine, you should now see the "OK" message in green here:
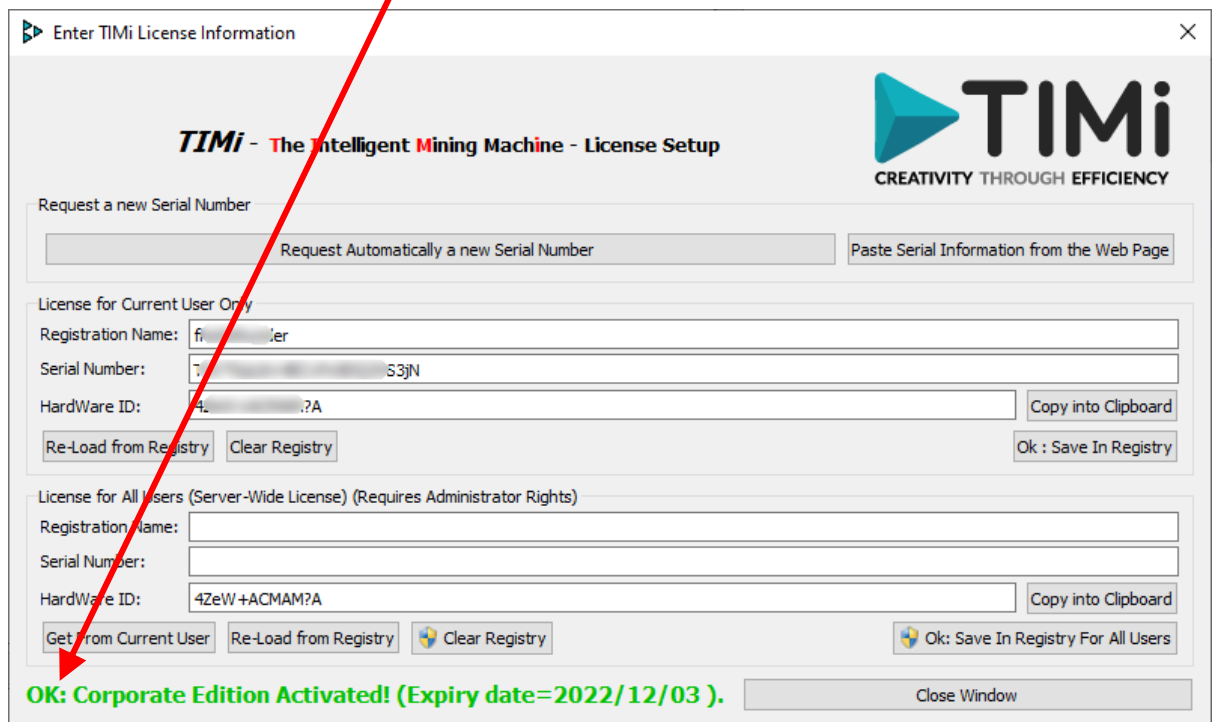
Congratulations !

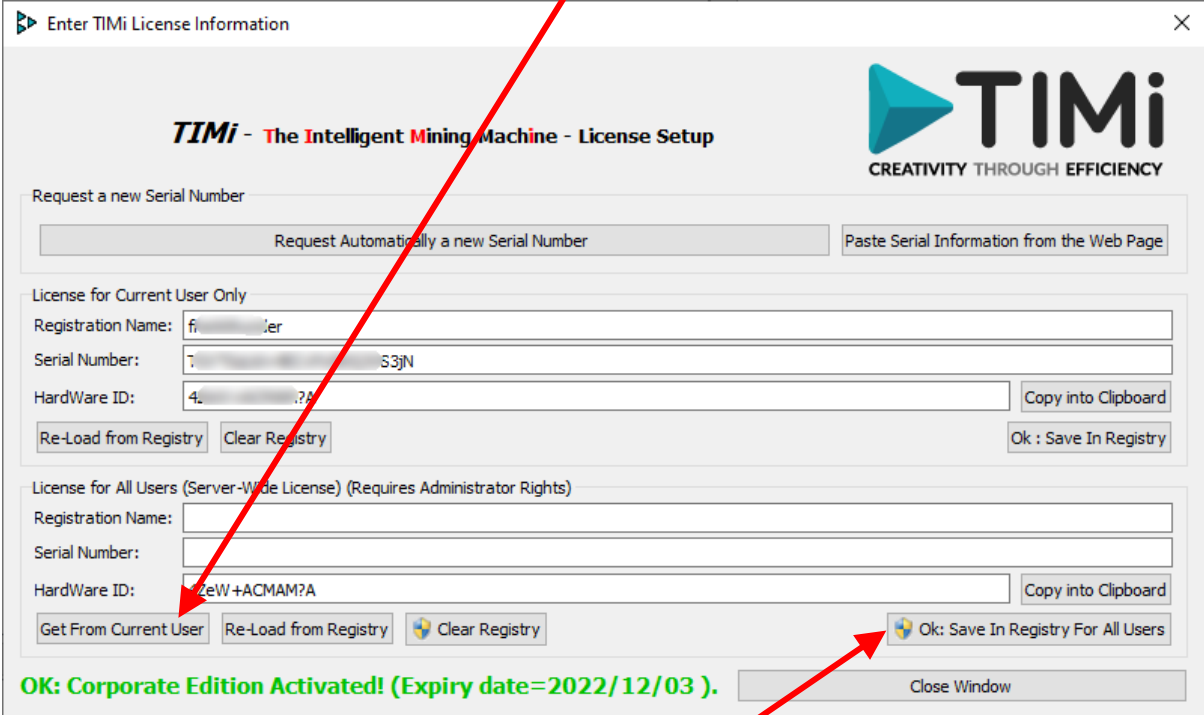You now have access to all the features offered by TIMi! 😄 👍

2. Optional final step

Each user of the "TIMi Suite" on the server must enter his "Registration Name" and his "Serial Number". Everyone can use the same pair ("Registration Name" + "Serial Number"), but it must be entered once by each user.

If there are many different users on the server, it is easier to enter the "Registration Name" and "Serial Number" once for all users. This option is unfortunately only available if you have administrator rights on your machine.
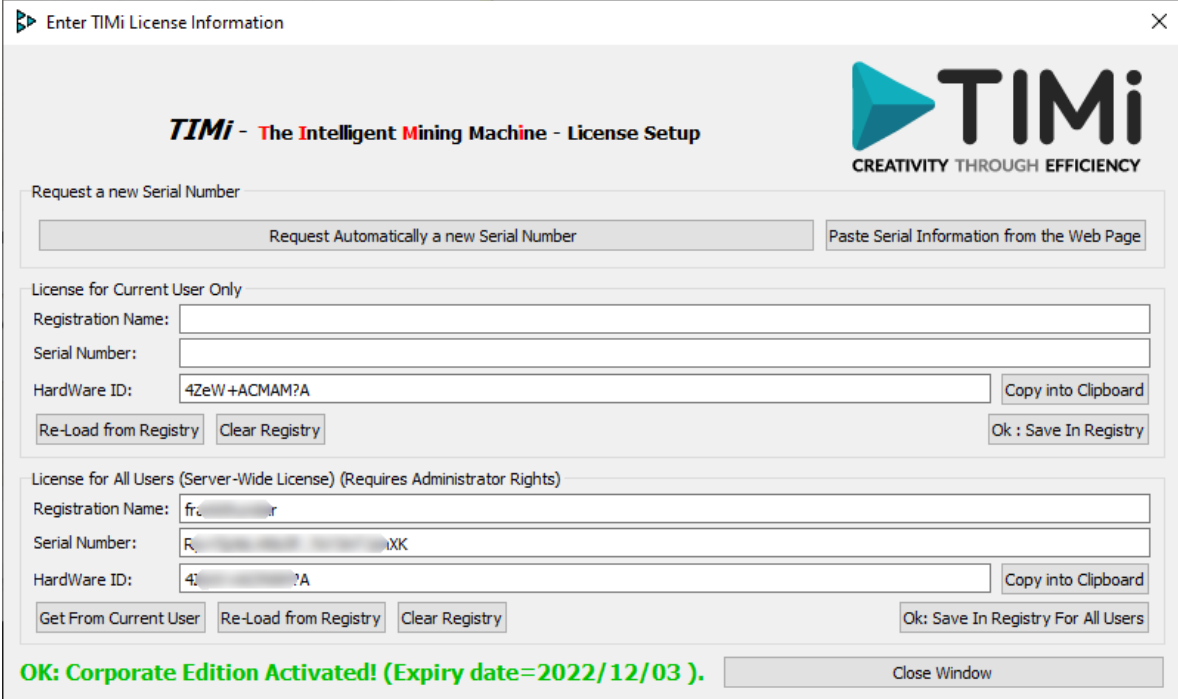
The procedure to enter the "Registration Name" and "Serial Number" for all users is :

1. Follow the steps 1 to 10 described here above in the section 1 to obtain a functional "Serial Number" for the current user.

2. Click on the button "Get From Current User" here :

3. Click on the button " 🛡 *Ok : Save in Registry for All Users*":
4. The classic Windows AUC (User Access Control) screen appears to verify that you are an administrator of the machine. Answer "OK".

5.   You should now see :

6.   Congratulations !

You have now activated TIMi for all the server users! 😄 👍

3. How to renew your TIMi serial number?

When your serial number is approaching its expiration date, TIMi automatically opens (once per day) the "*Serial Number Manager*" application so that you can easily renew your serial number.

An alternative method to open the "*Serial Number Manager*" application is to follow the steps 2, 3 and 4 from the section 1. of this document.

Another alternative method to open the "*Serial Number Manager*" application is to run the "TIMiEnterLicense.exe" executable located inside the subdirectory "bin" inside the TIMi installation directory.

Typically, you'll run the file "C:\soft\TIMi\bin\TIMiEnterLicense.exe" or "C:\Program Files\TIMi\bin\TIMiEnterLicense.exe"):
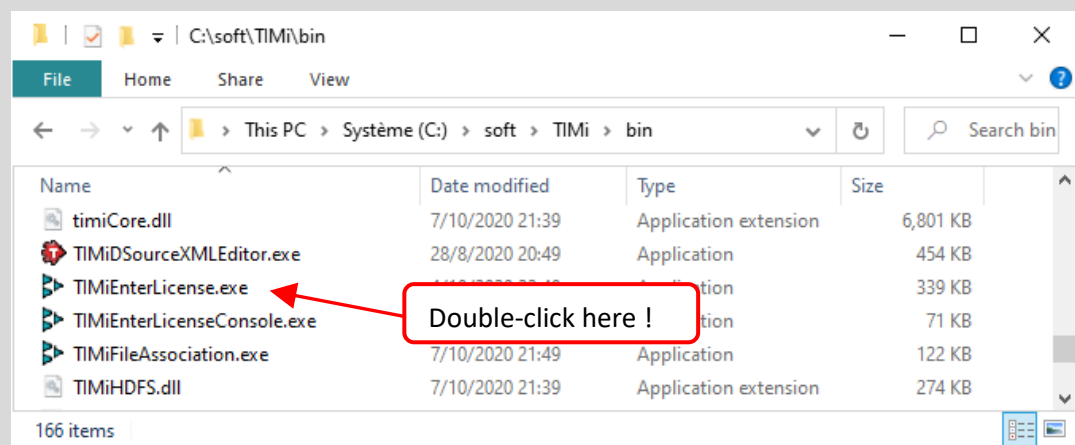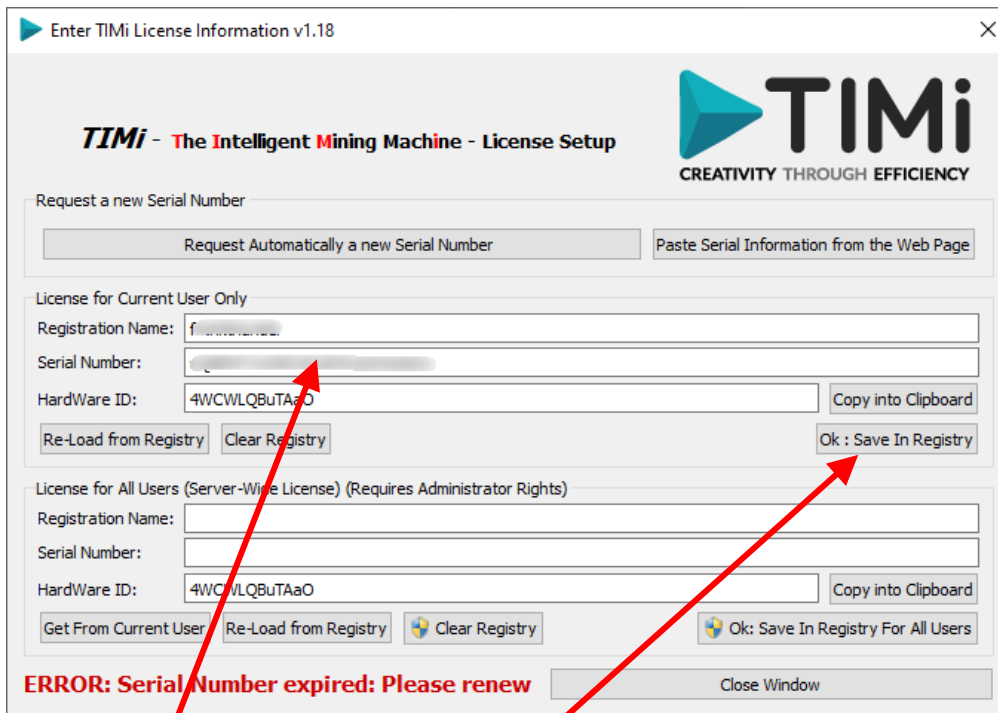

3.1. Renew your serial without a live internet connection

If your machine cannot automatically connect to the TIMi License server (e.g. a firewall prevents the connection), you will see a window similar to this:
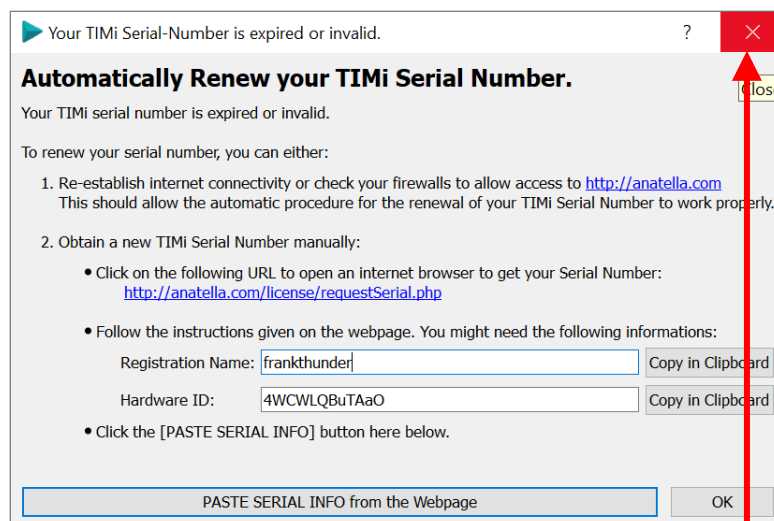
1. Click on the button ❌ in the top right corner of the window to close it.

You should now see something such as:

2. Copy&paste here   the new "Serial Number"   that you should have received by email.
3. Click the "*Ok: Save In Registry*" button here:
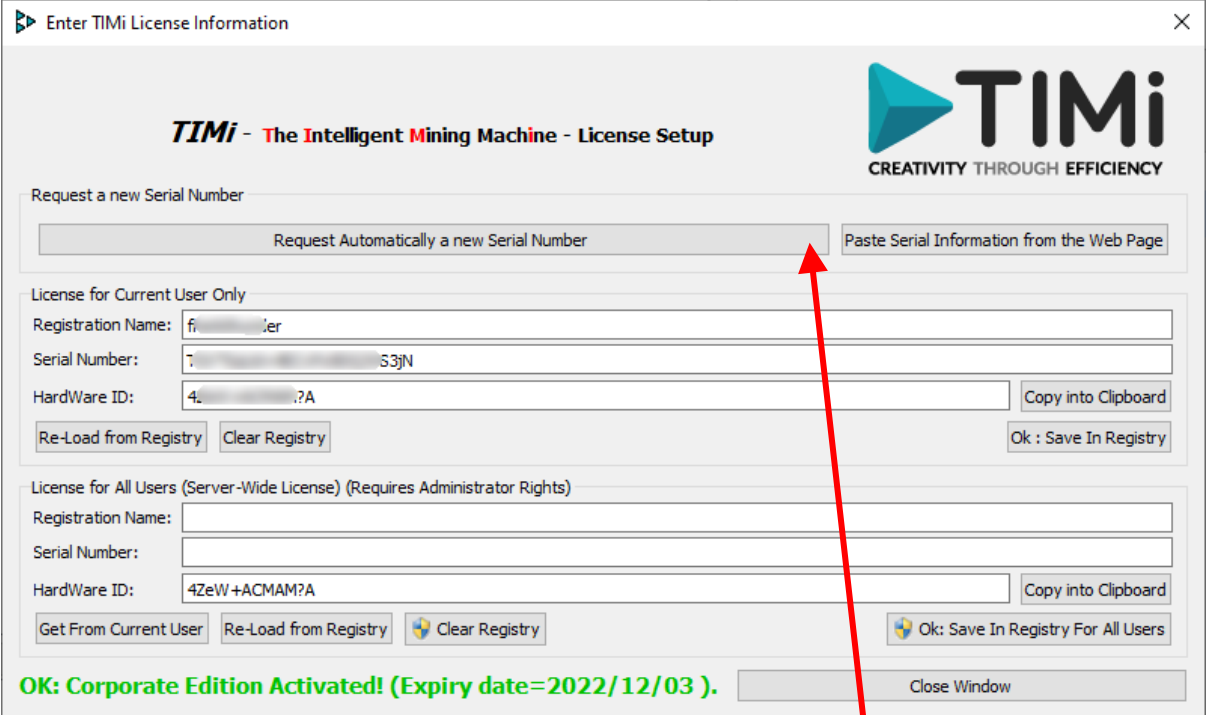

4. You should see here: the new expiration date for your new serial number.
5. **<u>Optional:</u>** Follow the procedure given in section 2 of this document.

3.2. Renew your serial with an internet connection

If you have an active internet connection, the renewal of your serial should be 100% automatic. If a firewall is blocking the connection to the TIMi serial server, the manual procedure to renew your serial number for TIMi is as follows:

1. Open the TIMi License Management program.
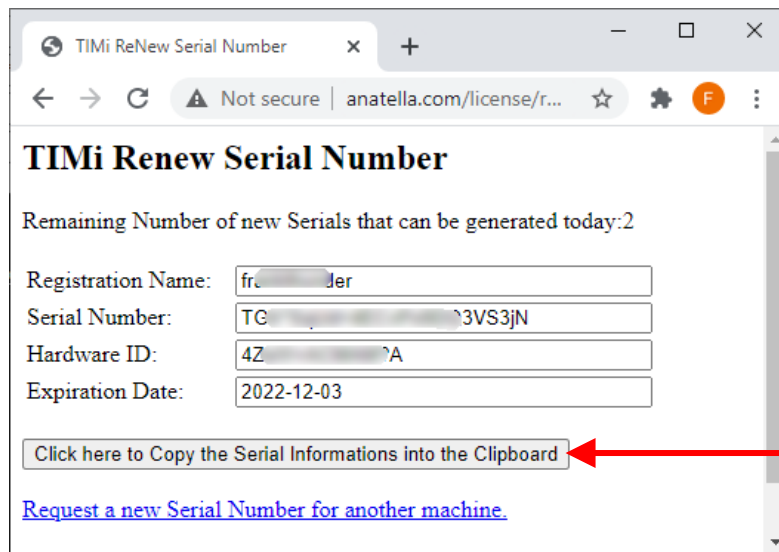   You should see something like this:

|	If you do not see the above window, click on the ☒ button in the top right corner of the current window to close it.

2. Click on the "*Request Automatically a new Serial Number*" button here:

3. Your internet browser opens and you directly receive your "Serial Number":

In your internet browser, click on the button "**Copy** *the Serial Number into the Clipboard*".

4. Click on the *"Paste Serial Information from the Web Page"* button here:
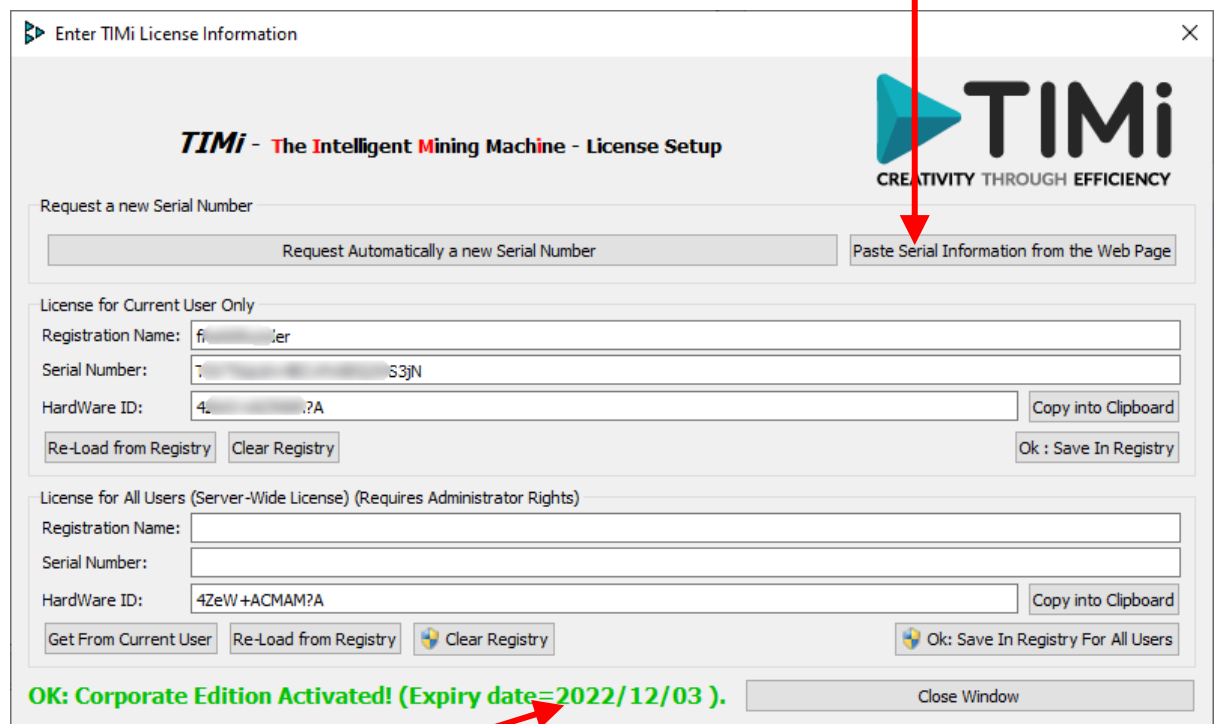
5. You should see here your new expiration date for your new serial number.
6. **Optional:** Follow the procedure given in section 2 of this document.

Congratulations !

You have now renewed your "TIMi serial Number"! 😄 👍