

## Installation of LightBurn for LS Machines

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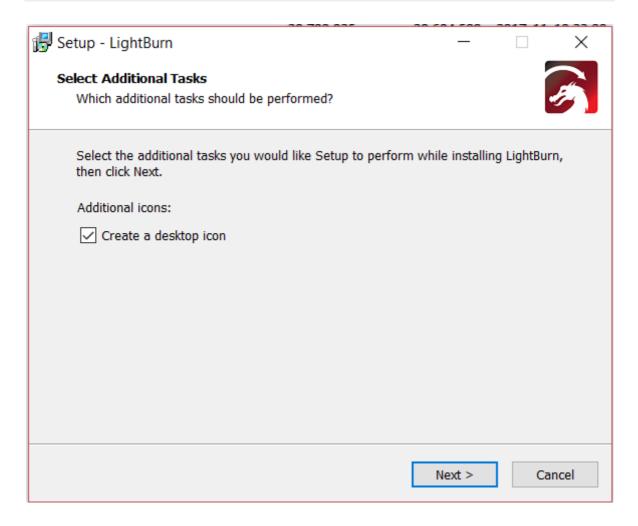
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#### **Windows Installation**



- 1. Launch the installer executable located on your BOSSLASER USB flash drive
- 2. Windows may ask if you trust the software, as LightBurn is not currently digitally signed
- 3. Select if you would like to create a desktop icon
- 4. Click Install
- 5. Click Finish

That's it! Locate the LightBurn icon to launch the program

#### **Mac/OSX Installation**

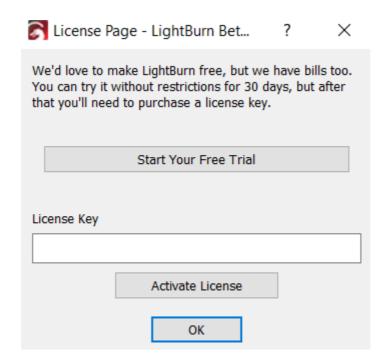
- 1. Locate the DMG (disk-image) file on your BOSSLASER USB flashdrive
- 2. Double-click the .zip file to extract the DMG (disk-image) file
- 3. Double-click the LightBurn.dmg file to mount it
- 4. Drag the LightBurn application into your applications folder
- 5. Launch LightBurn from the launcher as normal
- 6. You can now eject the DMG file (drag it to the trashbin)

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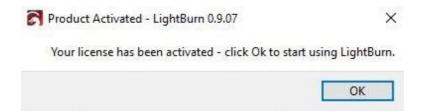
# **Entering your License Key**

When you first start LightBurn you will be prompted to enter your license key or start your trial version. If you do not have a license key you can click the *Start your Free Trial* button to being your 30-day unrestricted trial of the software.

If you have your license key, enter it in the License Key box and click the Activate License button.



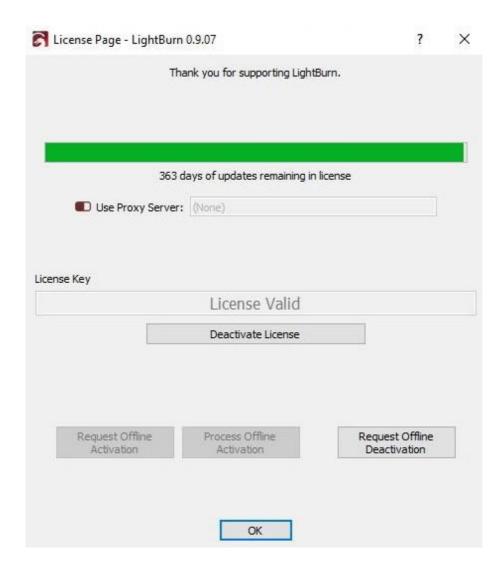
Once you enter and activate a valid license key you will be prompted to restart LightBurn for the license to take affect.



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## **Checking your license status**

You can check your license status at any time or enter a new license key by clicking Help > License Management



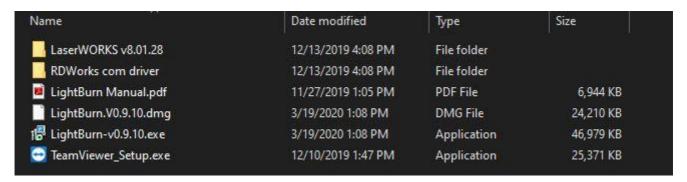
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## **Installing USB Drivers**

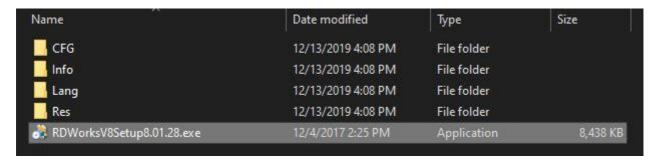
Before installation the USB Drivers for your PC, please have the machine on and connected to your PC via USB cable. Locate your Boss Laser USB Flash Drive that was provided to you in the USB case.

Plug this into your PC that is also connected to the machine that is currently on.

Now open the Boss Laser USB Flash Drive and locate the LaserWORKS v8.01.28 folder (as shown below):



Open the LaserWORKS v8.01.28 folder and the application to run the installation will be located here (as shown below):



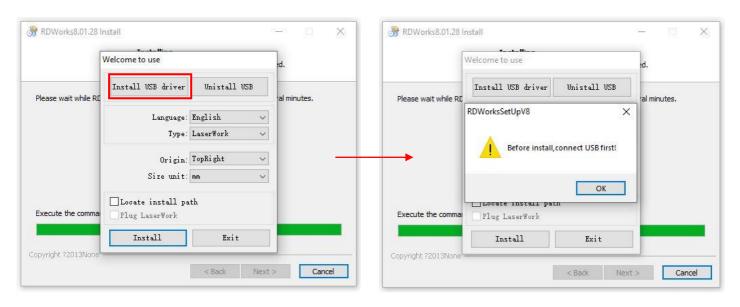
Run the RDWorksV8Setup8.01.28.exe application.

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The window below will appear after running the installation. Click on **Install**.



Next, click on **Install USB Driver** to install the necessary USB drivers for your machine on your PC. A progress bar will show during the installation **AND make sure the progress bar is filled all the way through (to 100%)**. If it doesn't, please make sure the USB cable is connected fully from the controller card and to the PC and run the USB driver install again.



Once the USB Drivers have been successfully installed, close out of the LaserWORKS v8 installation and open the **LightBurn software**.

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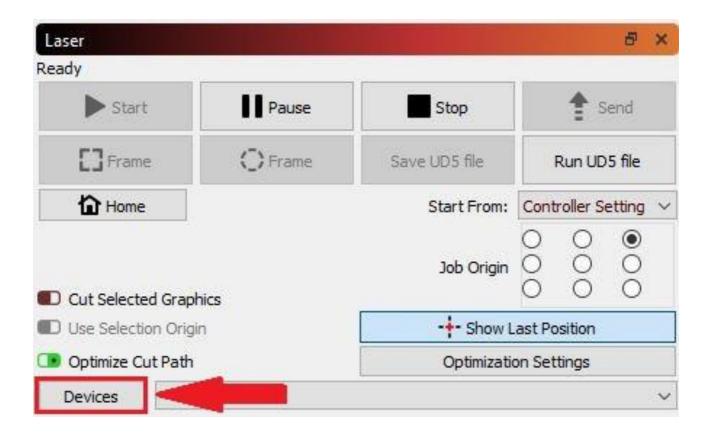
## **Device Setup**

If you've never run LightBurn, the first thing you need to do is set up your machine layout (work area size and zero / origin) in the settings, and then add your device type in the devices box. If you have more than one type of laser / device, you can add more than one and choose a default. At present, the layout and page size aren't associated with the device, but this will be changed to that in the future.

### Adding a new device (Laser)

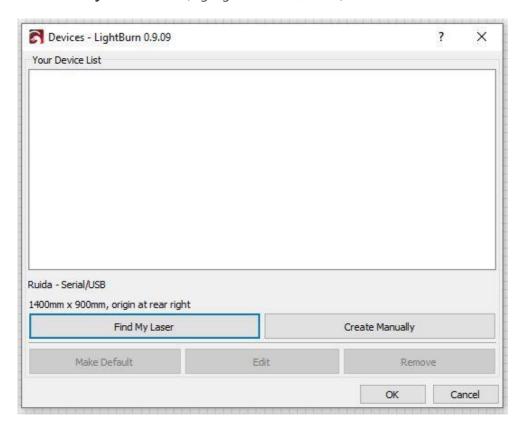
If you've never used LightBurn before, you'll need to tell it a couple things about your hardware to get going.

1. In the lower-right of the display is a box called "**Laser**" - on the bottom of it is a button calle**d** "**Device**" (as shown in red with the arrow pointed to it):



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2. Click the **Find my Laser** button (highlighted in blue, below):

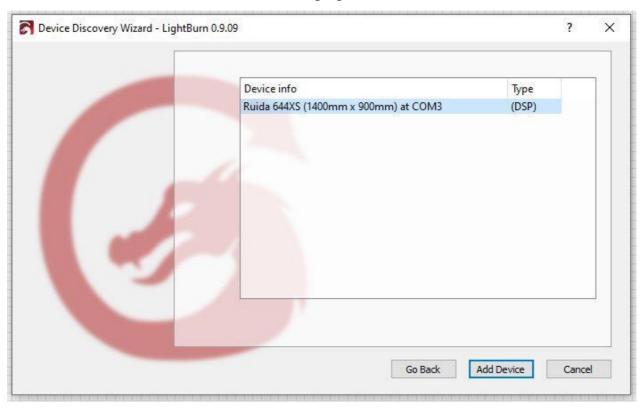


3. The Device Discovery Wizard should appear (as shown below). Click the **Next** button for LightBurn to automatically search for your machine:



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4. Once the Device Discovery Wizard has finished, your machine should now be listed under **Device info.** For this example, the **LS-3655** machine is connected to the PC. Select this device and click the **Add Device** button (highlighted in blue):

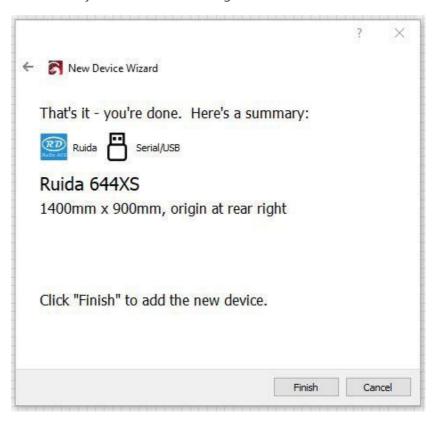


5. Now select **Rear Right** for the origin of your laser. The reason why we choose this is because the machine's DATUM point is located at the top right of the machine.

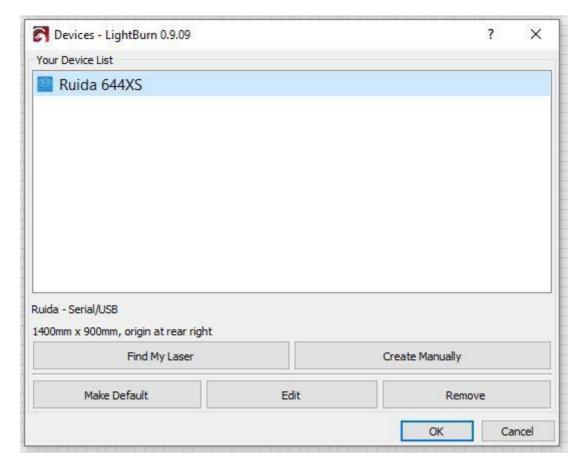


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6. Click **Finish** to add your laser machine to LightBurn.



7. For our LS-3655 example, our machine is listed as shown below. Select this device, then click on OK.



You have now successfully setup your machine with LightBurn!

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