

Project Integration Engine Activation Guide

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Overview

This document describes the actions required to activate Project Integration Engine (PIE) for Project Server 2016. After reading this guide you should know how to activate the Site collection feature.

Prerequisites

To follow this guide, you need the following items.

- Have read and followed the installation and deployment guides (located in the deployment package)
- Have Administrator rights in Project Server
- Have Farm Administrator rights in SharePoint Central Administration



Feature Activation

The following steps will guide you through deploying the thor.ps.pie.wsp solution and activating the PIE site collection feature.

This will result in a new site under the PWA site called "Project Integration Engine" and the relative URL will be /PWA/PIE (assuming your Project Web App resides at /PWA). No menu link to the PIE site is created in PWA as this site should be restricted to Project Server Implementers, Developers and/or Administrators with sufficient technical knowledge.


Step 1

Open SharePoint Central Administration.

Navigate to "System Settings".

Click on "Manage Farm Solutions".

Confirm that "thor.spf.licensemanager.wsp" has been globally deployed, and that "thor.ps.pie.wsp" has been deployed to the appropriate Web Application:

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|  Solution Management ⓘ | | | |
| Central Administration Application Management System Settings Monitoring Backup and Restore | Name | Status | Deployed To |
| | thor.ps.pie.wsp | Deployed | http://demo.thorapps.local/ |
| | thor.spf.licensemanager.wsp | Deployed | Globally deployed. |
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If either has not been deployed as described, please refer to Step 1 of the Deployment Guide included in this download.



Step 2

From a web browser on your desktop navigate to the Project Web App site PIE is deployed to.

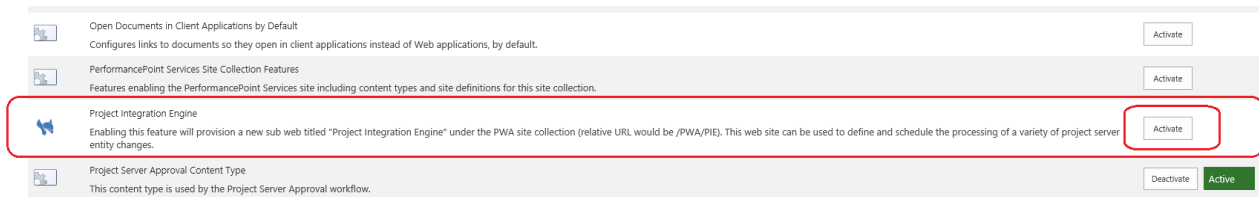
Click on the cog icon in the upper right.

Select "Site Settings" from the drop-down menu.

Click on "Site collection features" in the "Site Collection Administration" menu group.

Scroll down the list of features until you find "Project Integration Engine".

Click "Activate".



This will have created a site under the PWA site called "Project Integration Engine" and the relative URL will be /PWA/PIE (assuming your Project Web App resides at /PWA).



So, What's Next?

Configuration

Once PIE is activated, follow the Configuration Guide included in your download package, and on the ThorApp's web site (www.thorapps.com).

Purchasing

If you have completed installation and configuration and have decided to purchase a license, follow the Purchasing Guide included in your download package.

License Activation

If you have already purchased a license and wish to activate it, follow the License Activation Guide included your download package.