

What is BCC 5 Sparks

FEC Sparks consists of a total of 100 special effects, compositing and transition filters for use on systems that support the Autodesk Sparks API. The Sparks that are included in this package incorporate the following key features and technologies:

- 1000+ factory installed preset looks
- Custom preset load / save mechanism
- Share presets generated in Adobe, Apple, Avid hosts
- Most FEC sparks feature multiple-inputs for front/back/matte compositing
- Particle Systems
- Rain, Snow, Hair generators
- Auto-Animated transition wipes
- Built-in motion tracker in most sparks
- Built-in PixelChooser matte and mask generator in most sparks
- On-screen control widgets

Installation

If you have a previous version of FEC Sparks installed to remove it before attempting to install the new distribution:

- become root in a shell terminal
- navigate to the directory where you have placed the unzipped installer file
- enter the following command:

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rpm -qa | grep FEC
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the command will return a line listing the previous BCC installation, which needs to be removed before installing the new product. To remove the previous version, enter the following command:

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rpm -e (fec product version as returned by previous command)
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when the shell returns to a prompt, the previous version will be uninstalled.

To install the new version enter the following command:

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rpm -i FEC-5.0_8241.x86_64.rpm
```

when the shell returns a prompt the FEC Sparks will be installed and are ready for use

Purchase and License instructions

The FEC 5 sparks will operate in trial mode for an indefinite period of time. 60 days after the FEC Sparks product installation, all FEC sparks produce a watermark and will will render with an X through the composite window. Purchasing an unlock code will remove the watermark from all of the FEC sparks. Unlock codes may be purchased directly from BorisFX or through a systems reseller. FEC Spark licenses are node locked and require a separate license code for each target system. Follow these instructions to get the unique ID of your system, then send this unique ID along with the license request:

- become root in a shell terminal
- enter the following command:

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cd /usr/discreet/lib64
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- then enter this command:

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./FEC_License.5.0
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A window will appear containing two fields - the top field will contain an alpha-numeric string. This is the unique ID and is required by BorisFX to generate the license for this system. The second (empty) field is where you will enter the license once it has been received from BorisFX.

Supported Systems

Linux RH4 systems with Inferno, Flame, Flint, Smoke, or Burn (2007 +)

Support

30 days of free telephone support is included with each purchase. Additional support contracts may be purchased upon request
