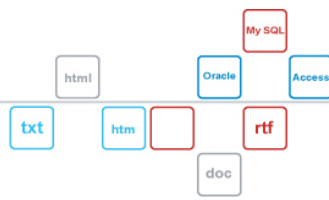


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## SearchInform Server Installation Instructions

Detailed directions to SearchInform Corporate installation follow:

1. When you start the installation file the following window appears:

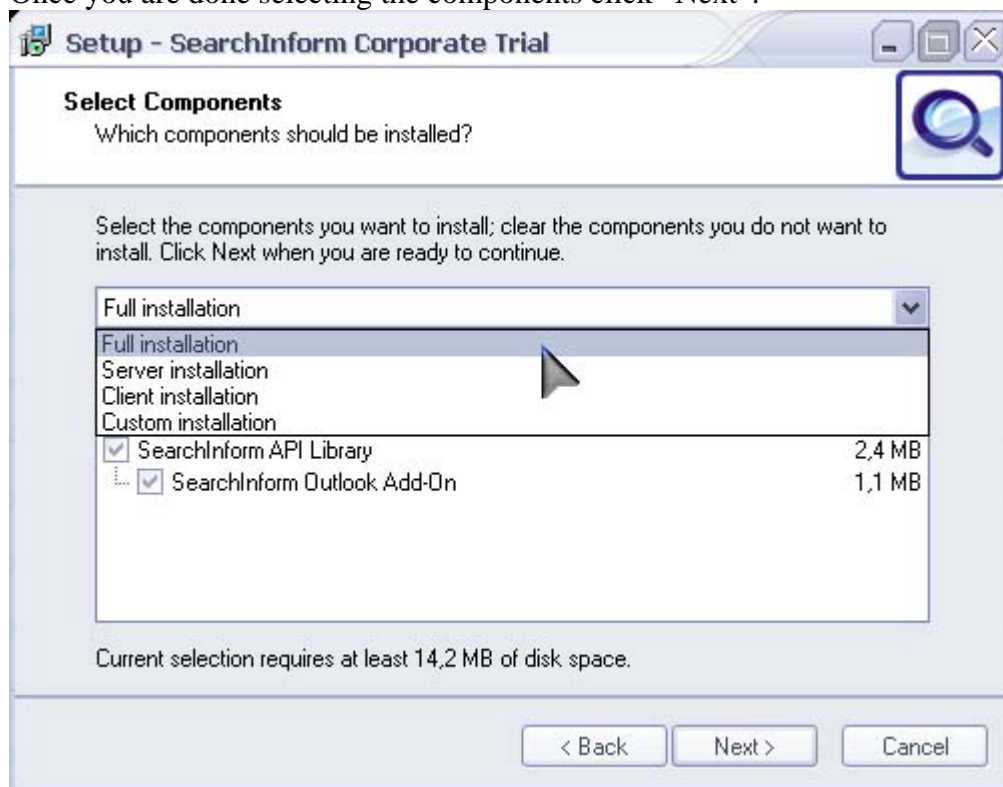


2. Click on the "Next" button, and carefully read the License Agreement in the emerging window. If you do not agree with it, select the appropriate and press "Next".



- Next you have to choose the type of software installation. You can either choose one of the ready pre-installations in the dropdown list, or pick the components you need by hand using Custom installation. By default all the components of SearchInform Corporate will be installed (Full Installation). Here you can install:
  - **SearchInform Type Library.** Type Library, essentially the engine of SearchInform, gets installed in any case. You can't install all other components without this one.
  - **SearchInform Server.** The server part of the software. In the client part of the software there's a feature of information search in remote indexed, that are connected to the servers (services working on the remote computers). SearchInform Server gives you the opportunity to create this type of server and manage it. It is usually installed on separate computers (servers) that can give maximum of its processing time to the program. Remote users can connect to the server and use indexes, processed by the server, for information search.
  - **SearchInform API Library & SearchInform Outlook AddOn** with it. The software developer's library. Outlook AddOn installs only with SearchInform API library. The library offers all the SearchInform's capacities, which enables you to create your own software on based on SearchInform engine.

Once you are done selecting the components click "Next".



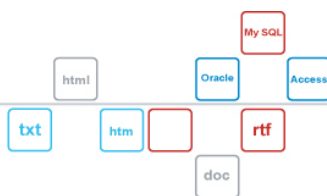
- In the next window you need to select the installation paths for the chosen components on your hard drive. If you don't care where the files are located on your computer you can leave it at default.



5. **Attention!** Next window has very important settings. It appears if at step 3 you chose SearchInform Server for installation. Here you need to select the type of user authentication into SearchInform Server. There are two types of authentication:

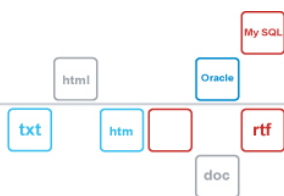
- **Internal SearchInform user authentication.**  
If you select this mode, all the SearchInform Server users will be assigned by hand by the means of the program itself. Thus adding and deleting users will be available through the SearchInform Server interface.
- **Windows user authentication.**  
This mode is selected by default. By choosing it the data from Windows user profiles will be used (NTFS user authentication). This means that all users registered in the system SearchInform Server will be the same as in Windows. If you select this mode at installation you won't be able to add and delete users from the program by hand. Although this authentication pattern will ease setting the users' rights to information access. That is, all Windows user groups will be transferred to the list of SearchInform Server users with the same rights and the Server will regulate their rights to accessing the information.

Regulating the access rights means that every user, depending on the rights he has, may only access certain documents located in indexes. You can find more details on user rights management after installing the program in the following sections of help file: *"Adding/Deleting users"* and *"User rights management"*.



6. The next window only appears if at step 3 you chose SearchInform Server installation. Here you need to specify the username under which SearchInform Server service will open. The default settings offer the domain name and network administrator's login. If the name field is left blank, the process will open as Local Service.

The explanation of such a division is — if the server is installed with the administrator's rights, there's a possibility to index all the computers in the local network. If the server is installed with the name of a user with limited access rights, then, accordingly, you will only be able to index the network resources that this user can access. Local Service profile is meant for local system services (and there's no possibility of authentication in the



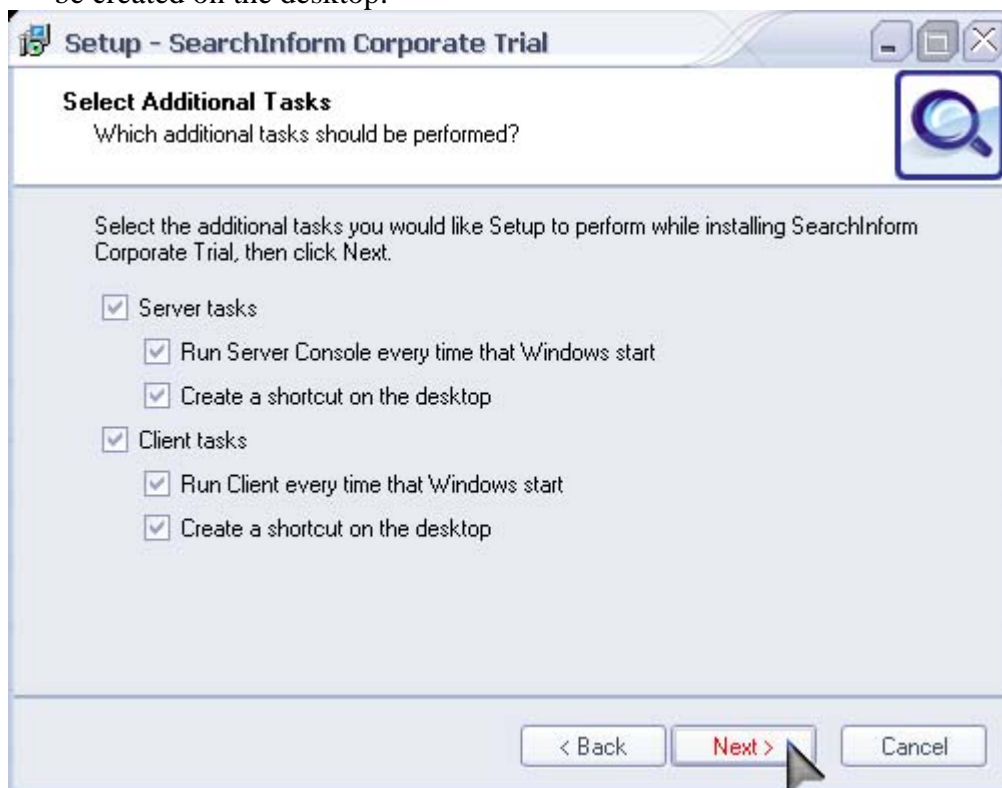
network).



7. The main program settings at this time are already finished and next are standard installation options. Here you select the folder and the SearchInform Corporate shortcut name for displaying the application in the “Start” – “Programs” menu.



- In the next window you may choose the additional options for server and client installation. Being more precise, you may indicate whether server/client should start automatically when Windows starts and whether shortcuts for these programs should be created on the desktop.



- In the last window you may see the information about the installation options you've chosen. You can read it over to make sure everything is correct, and if so, click on the "Install" button. If you decide to change certain settings from the previous steps, you may use the "Back" button to get back to the needed step.

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