

MIE Docs Quick Start Guide

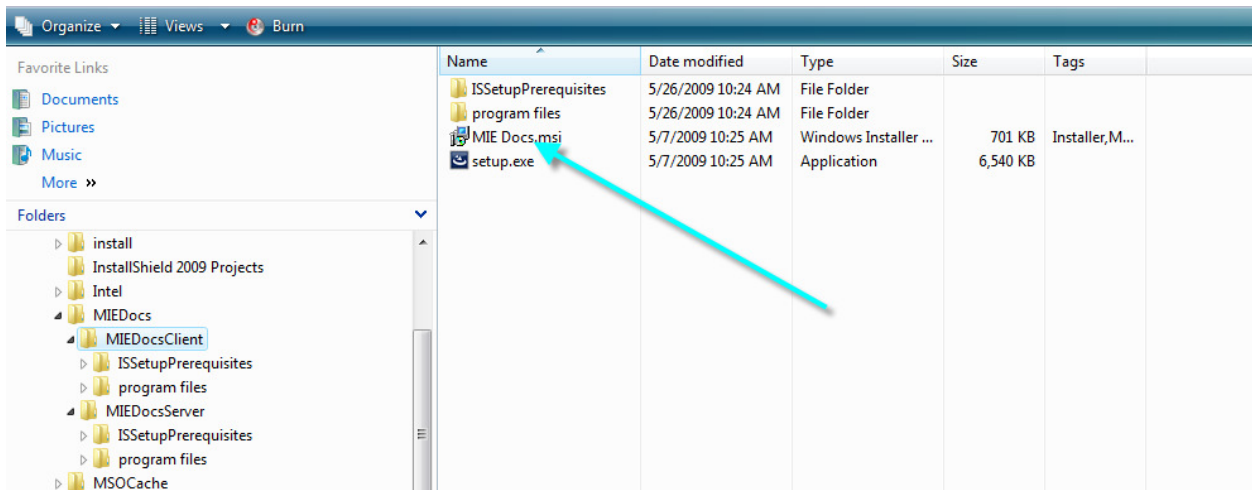
The following quick start guide is here to give you a high level overview on the installation process. This installation process is the same for both for an update or a new installation. During an update installation you will be able to skip step 2 installing SQL Server but you will need to complete the server installation which will update the database to the latest version.

STEP 1 : DOWNLOAD FILES

On the MIE Solutions website you can download the files required for installation at the following website address. Uncompress the files using a compatible ZIP compression program into separate directories. Each installation directory will have a setup.exe that needs to be run.

<http://www.mie-solutions.com/mie/index.php/MIE-Docs/>

Example uncompressed directory structure is shown below.



You can download SQL Server express if you do not have SQL Server installed on your computer or network.

<http://www.microsoft.com/Sqlserver/2005/en/us/express.aspx>

STEP 2 : INSTALL SQL SERVER

If you already have SQL Server installed you can skip to Step 3. You must install SQL server to begin using MIE Docs using the link shown above. You can install either SQL Express 2005 or SQL Express 2008. Please look at the installation instructions for more information.

STEP 3 : INSTALL MIE DOCS SERVER

If MIE Docs server has already been installed and you are just installing more client installation you can skip to step 4. MIE Docs Server is required to install the database where documents will be stored. Run the setup.exe from the MIE Docs server installation to install the MIE Docs database. Once the database is installed you can run the client installation on all the computers that you will give access to running MIE Docs. Please look at the installation instructions for more information.

Important Note

MIE Docs server installation is done only one time and each client is not required to run the MIE Docs server installation.

STEP 4 : INSTALL MIE DOCS CLIENT

The MIE Docs client application needs to be installed on each computer that you will grant access to the MIE Docs system. You can install the setup files on the network which gives all the clients access to running the setup application. Please look at the installation instructions for more information.

STEP 5 : START USING MIE DOCS

You can now click on the MIE Docs Icon or access MIE Docs through Windows Explorer in order to begin managing your documents.