

Create a customized distribution of the CAN-8 32-bit Client

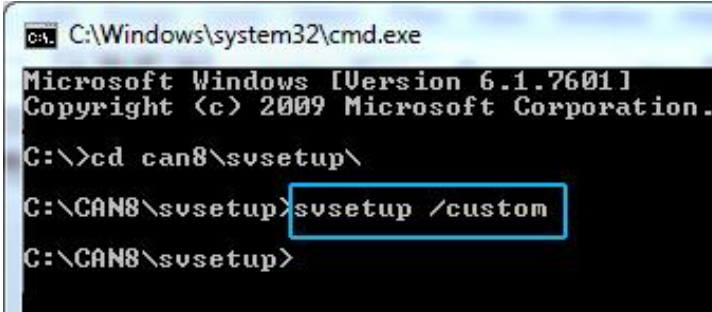
Your site may need to distribute the CAN-8 client to remote users and may want to set the server information (locked or hidden), without having to edit the registry manually.

The SVSETUP.EXE file used for a generic installation can be run with the /CUSTOM parameter to create a new **customized distribution**, which can then be distributed or installed locally.

This customized SVSETUP allows users to install CAN-8 using the standardized windows installation wizard.

Procedure:

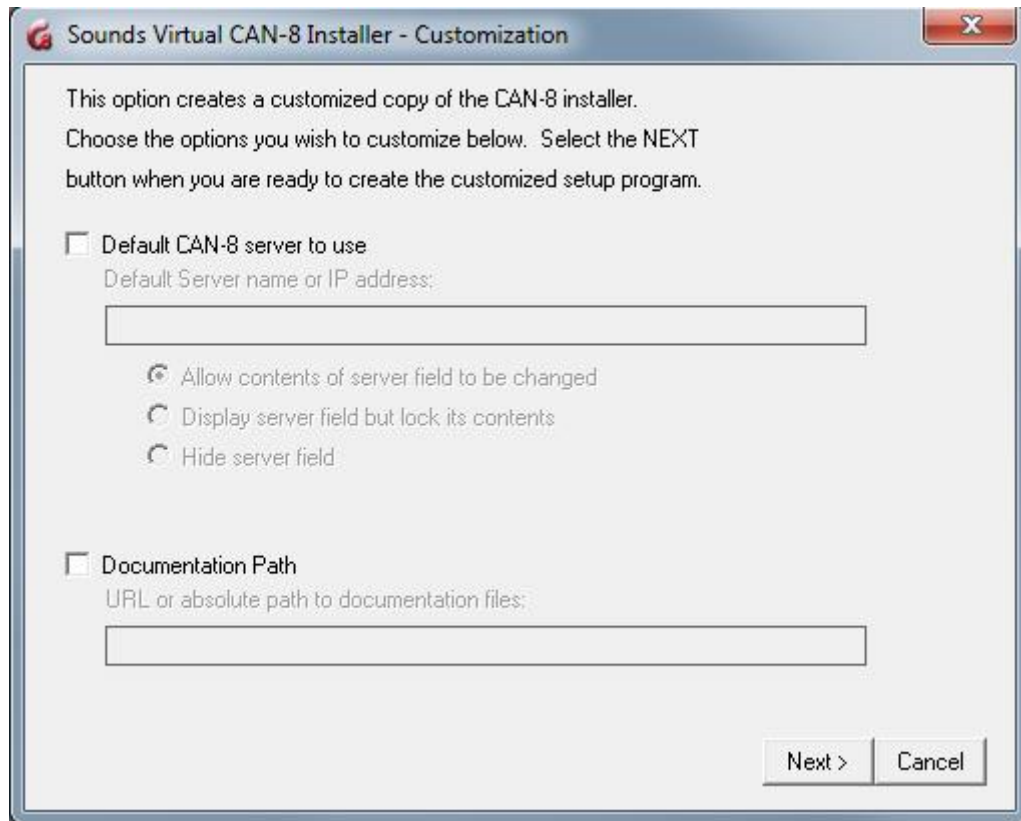
- This procedure assumes you have downloaded the svsetup and saved it in a folder named CAN8. If this is not the case please modify these instructions accordingly.
- Open a command prompt (you cannot run the /custom parameter from the Windows interface)
- Change to the directory where the SVSETUP.EXE file is located then type the following command:
svsetup /custom (With a space between svsetup and /custom)



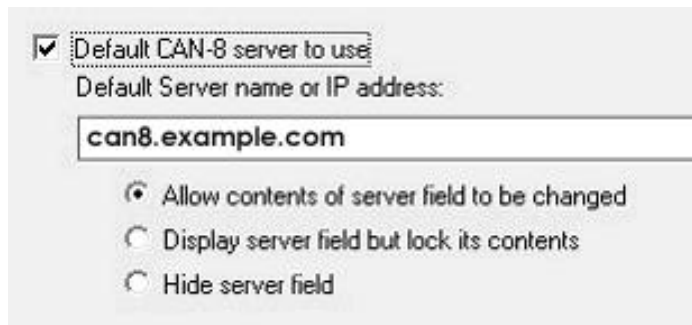
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C:\Windows\system32\cmd.exe
Microsoft Windows [Version 6.1.7601]
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C:\>cd can8\svsetup\
C:\CAN8\svsetup>svsetup /custom
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This will bring the customization setup interface

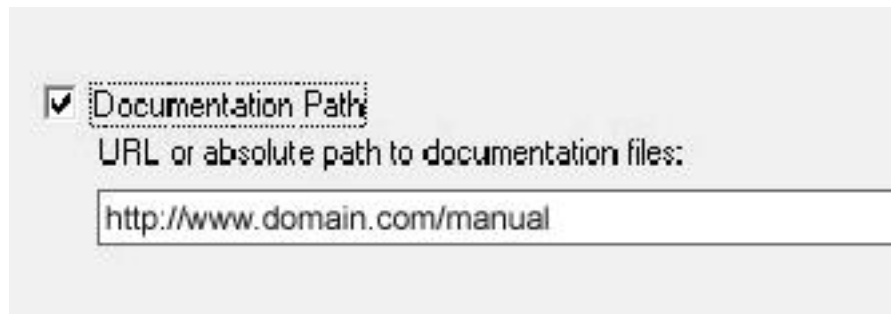


- To customize the **Server** field, select *Default CAN-8 server to use*, and type the DNS name or IP address of the CAN-8 server.



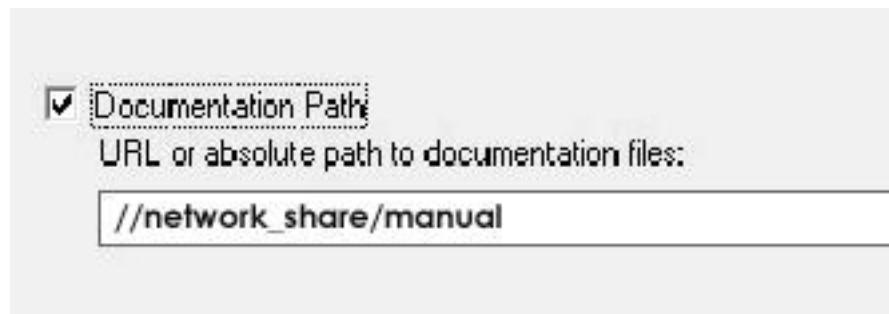
- Next select one of the 3 options:
 - **Allow contents of server field to be changed:** The server name or IP address will show by default when a user opens the login screen; the user can change it.

- **Display server field but lock its contents:** The server name or IP address shows when the user opens the login screen; it is greyed out and locked. The user cannot change it.
- **Hide server field:** The **server** field is hidden from the login interface. The user cannot see nor change the server name.
- If you want to change the default path for the reference manual for a network share, select **Documentation path** and type the URL or absolute path to the documentation:



A screenshot of a configuration window. At the top, there is a checkbox labeled 'Documentation Path' which is checked. Below the checkbox is the text 'URL or absolute path to documentation files:'. Underneath this text is a text input field containing the URL 'http://www.domain.com/manual'.

Or



A screenshot of a configuration window, similar to the one above. It shows the 'Documentation Path' checkbox checked. Below it is the text 'URL or absolute path to documentation files:'. The text input field below contains the network share path '//network_share/manual'.

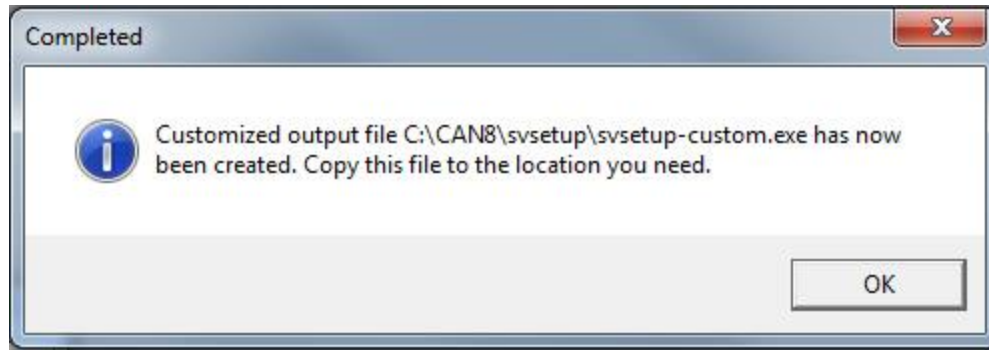
Keep the directory structure of the manual as it is in the distribution:

manual\english*.html

manual\french*.html

- Click on the **Next** button.
- The customized self-install file is created in the same directory the SVSETUP.EXE was run from. It is named by default

SVSETUP-CUSTOM.EXE



NOTES:

- ▶ You may need to create several customized self-install files (one for your LAN and one for remote access for example). Before creating the second customized self-install, rename the first one created or move it to a different directory to prevent it from being overwritten by the newer one.
- ▶ You CANNOT create a self-install file from a SVSETUP-CUSTOM.EXE. You must use the original SVSETUP.EXE provided.
- ▶ The SVSETUP-CUSTOM.EXE file cannot be edited. If the information included has changed, you must create a new /CUSTOM file.
- ▶ Once a customized file with a locked server field is installed on a workstation, if you wish to change the information or unlock this field without editing the registry keys you must create a new customized SVSETUP with the “**Allow contents of server field to be changed**” option or with the new server information, then run this new customized self-install on the existing installation to unlock it.
- ▶ Running the generic SVSETUP.exe on an existing customized installation will not remove the previously set parameters. It will only update the client files.