

Inspiration[®] Version 6

Volume License Installation Instructions

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Your Inspiration volume license can be set up in either a local or network configuration.

LOCAL CONFIGURATION



This configuration places the complete Inspiration application on each licensed workstation. The advantages of this approach are that it requires no network bandwidth and provides maximum control for users. To install Inspiration on a single workstation, please refer to the single-user installation instructions included in the Inspiration Getting Started guide.

Tip: If you choose local configuration, you might consider installing and personalizing Inspiration on a single workstation and then using your network to distribute the application to all licensed workstations. All items required for distribution are contained in the Inspiration 6 folder created during a single-user install.

NETWORK CONFIGURATION



This configuration places the complete Inspiration application on a network server. The advantage to this approach is the application is easily managed and centrally controlled. It also means that users won't be able to modify libraries, templates, examples or the user dictionary. For this configuration to work properly, network users must be able to run software from the Inspiration folder on the server. The administrator must also create appropriate shortcuts, Start menu listings or aliases on each workstation licensed to run Inspiration from the server.

Once the installation is complete, network users are able to access Inspiration documents stored on the server in the folders for which they have permission. However, please be aware that the same document file CANNOT be opened by two users at the same time. Also, please make sure that users have read, write and delete permission for the folder(s) in which they save files on the server.

Network/Operating System Support

Inspiration supports both Windows[®] and Macintosh[®] workstations in a network configuration. However, a separate installation and configuration is required for each platform. In particular, if installing on a server, please install the Windows and Macintosh versions into separate folders.

- Networks supported include: Windows NT 4.0, Windows 2000, Novell 5.0, Novell 4.1 with long filename support, AppleShare. Netware 5 Services for AppleShare is not supported.
- Workstation operating systems supported include Windows 95, 98, 2000, or NT 4.0; MacOS 7.0 and higher.
- Windows: The Inspiration installation supports the Universal Naming Convention (UNC), so mapped drives are not required. Note to Novell users who use NDS: If you plan to use a UNC path to your server, please use the following format: \\tree\server_volume.context\
- Macintosh: If you're running on a Novell 4.1 network and plan to use Inspiration when logged in as administrator, please lock the Inspiration application (in the Get Info dialog) after completing the installation process.

Server Installation

Windows

1. From a workstation, double-click INSTALL.EXE on the CD-ROM.
2. When the initial setup dialog displays, click Next.
3. Read the Welcome dialog box, and then click Next.
4. In the Destination Directory field, enter a path to (or browse for) the folder on the server in which you'd like to install Inspiration. Click Next.
5. Choose Easy Install or Custom Install, and then click Next
 - a. Choose Easy Install to install the full Inspiration application, including symbols, templates, examples and Help.
 - b. Choose Custom Install to selectively install symbols, templates, examples and Help.
6. Follow the instructions on your screen to complete the installation process.
7. When installation is complete, Inspiration starts automatically. The Personalize Inspiration dialog appears.
 - a. Click in the School/Organization box, then enter the name of your school or organization.
 - b. Click in the Serial Number box, then enter your serial number (found on your license agreement or CD-ROM sleeve).
8. **Exit Inspiration and set permissions for the Inspiration 6 folder to be read and execute for all users.**

This permission level is required for multiple users to run a shared copy of Inspiration at the same time; if users can write to the Inspiration folder, all users after the first will be prevented from starting Inspiration.

Macintosh

1. Double-click the Inspiration 6 Install icon that appears on the CD-ROM.
2. Read the Welcome dialog box, and then click Continue.
3. On the drop-down menu, choose Easy Install or Custom Install.
 - a. Choose Easy Install to install the full Inspiration application, including symbols, templates, examples and Help.
 - b. Choose Custom Install to selectively install symbols, templates, examples and Help.
4. Choose the Install location by selecting the drive and folder in which you wish to install Inspiration.
5. Click Install.
6. When installation is complete, Inspiration starts automatically. The Personalize Inspiration dialog appears.
 - a. Click in the School/Organization box, then enter the name of your school or organization.
 - b. Click in the Serial Number box, then enter your serial number (found on your license agreement or CD-ROM sleeve).
7. **Exit Inspiration and set permissions for the Inspiration 6 folder to be read and execute for all users.**

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Workstation Setup

Windows

1. Copy the Inspiration 6 Start menu item folder from the first workstation (the one you installed from) to all licensed workstations. The path to that folder is \Windows\Start Menu\Programs\Inspiration 6. Before you copy the folder, though, it's recommended that you delete the menu item Remove Inspiration 6 so that users don't have access to that feature in a shared environment.

Note: If the path to the install folder is referenced differently on other workstations—different drive mappings or UNC paths, for example—then you may need to edit the copied Start menu listings to reflect those different paths. Alternatively, you could just create the Start menu listings from scratch on each workstation.

2. If you also made a desktop shortcut on the installed workstation, copy it to the other workstations. The shortcut's target should point to the file insp6.exe, located in the server install folder.

Macintosh

1. On one workstation, create an alias to the Inspiration® 6.0 application file on the server.
2. Copy the alias from the first workstation to all other workstations that are licensed to run Inspiration.

Version 6 Update Notes

If a previous version of Inspiration is already installed on your network, please consider the following:

1. The Inspiration 6.0 installer does not automatically replace a previously installed version of Inspiration. Before installing version 6.0, please uninstall or manually delete any previous versions of Inspiration on the server(s) or workstations.
2. The file format used by Inspiration 6.0 differs from that used in previous versions. For instance, if you open a version 5.x document in version 6.0 and then save it, you won't be able to open it again using version 5.x. If you don't save it with version 6.0, however, you will be able to open it again using version 5.x.
3. If you've modified symbol libraries or templates in your previous version of Inspiration, you can copy them into the corresponding Inspiration 6.0 folders and continue to use them. If Inspiration is running when you copy the files, restart it before attempting to use those copied files.
4. If your current Inspiration configuration includes Windows 3.1 or Windows For Workgroups 3.11 workstations, you must continue to use a previous version of Inspiration to support those systems.
5. In previous versions, there were separate 68K and PPC versions of Inspiration for the Macintosh. With version 6.0, there's a single, "fat" binary application installed. This single application will run on Macintosh models based on either of those processors.

Customer Service

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