Windows® Vista/Win7/Win8
Important Information - Please Read First!

Installation Path Selection

If you are running a Windows® Vista or Windows® 7 computer the default installation path of your RacerMate software will need to be modified slightly. By default the software will want to install itself to the "C:\Program Files\" folder. Windows® no longer allows write-to functions into the Program Files folder, so to work around this issue modify the default install path during setup to install into the C:\ root drive. When asked by the installation application where you want to install the software, insert your mouse cursor into the path that might state:

C:\Program Files\CompuTrainer 3D V3 (see Image 1 below. Other applications will have a different path; as in: Velotron 3D or CompCS, etc.).

In the above example change this to "C:\CompuTrainer 3D V3" by back-spacing or deleting the words Program Files\ from the path (see Image 2 below). Future installation paths and updates will use this as a default.

If you have any questions regarding this procedure, please contact RacerMate technical support at the numbers or e-mail listed below..
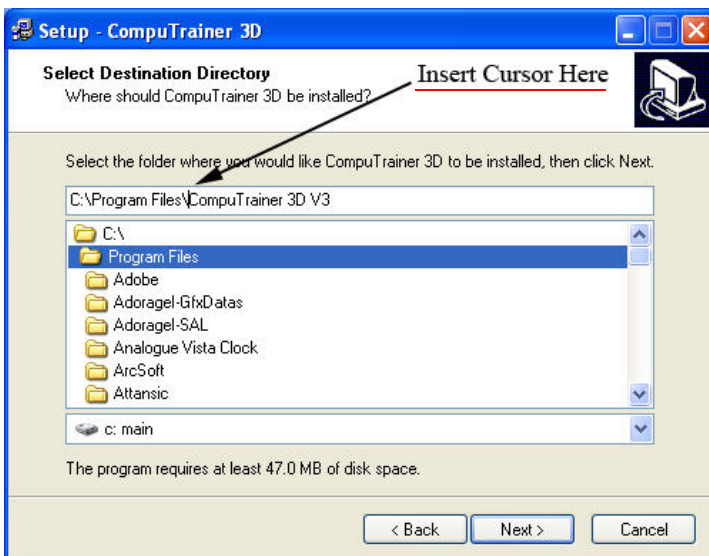
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Insert Cursor Here

Select the folder where you would like CompuTrainer 3D to be installed, then click Next.

C:\Program Files\CompuTrainer 3D V3

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    - Adoragel-GfxDatas
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Image 1: The image at the left is what you will see by default when trying to install CompuTrainer 3D V3. You can insert your mouse cursor just after the "\" in Program Files and back-space to remove "Program Files\".
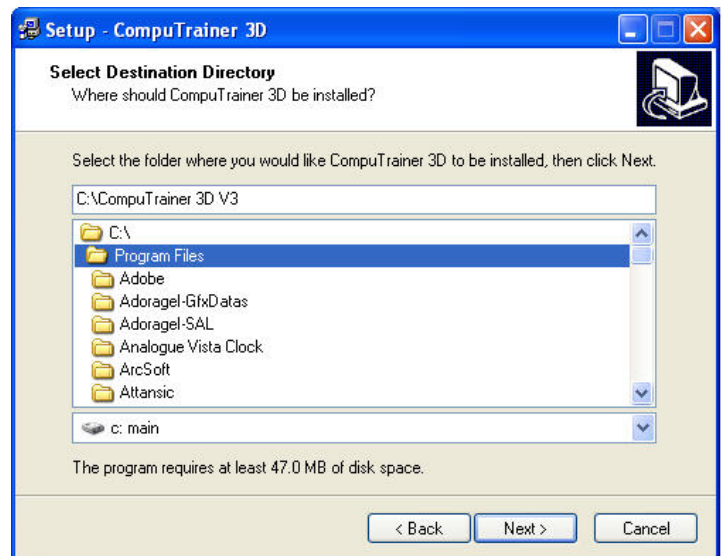
Image 2: Make sure the path now shows: C:\CompuTrainer 3D V3 (if installing CompuTrainer 3D). These same instructions would apply to all other RacerMate Software Applications installed.

Disable Aero features in favor of Basic

In addition, you should also change your color settings in the computer from Aero to Basic by right-clicking the Windows® Vista desktop and left-clicking Personalize, then choosing Window Color and Appearance. In Color Scheme choose Windows Vista Basic instead of Vista Aero. For Windows® 7, choose Personalize and the choose a theme such as Windows 7 Basic.

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