



# TechNote 2016-004 Lanboss Preview6 Manual Install with Multiple File Associations

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This TechNote has been written to provide specific instructions on manually installing Lanboss Preview v6 with multiple File Associations.

Manual installation of the product will help in rolling it out using scripts or other techniques. The product setup exe is not actually needed to achieve this, other than being the source of the files you will need to distribute.

1. Download the latest version of the Preview6 installer from <http://www.lanboss.com/downloads/setuppvw6.exe>
2. Extract lbPreview.lic from the supplied .zip file. Note that the license file is the same one for all versions of Lanboss Preview
3. Run the installer and
  - a. Use the default path "C:\Program Files (x86)\Lanboss Preview"
  - b. Tell it the extension you would like it to associate itself with
  - c. Point it at your license file
  - d. Check "Don't create a Start Menu Folder"
  - e. Uncheck "Associate Preview with Files without an Extension"
  - f. Go ahead with the installation.
4. Once installed, use Windows File Explorer to go to the installation path (which should be "c:\Program Files (x86)\Lanboss Preview")
5. Copy the following files for distribution:
6. These files can now be copied to your target workstations on a local path, for consistency it might be good to use the same as above. Please check your Software license terms before performing the roll-out
  - lbPreview6.exe - Preview6 main executable
  - lbPreview.lic - Preview 5 /6 License
  - Preview.chm - Preview F1 help file
7. For any additional file extensions Oracle Financials (MIME settings) is using (in this example .rpt .ebuz and .oprn), on each machine you can associate Preview by running the following command from a command prompt on the machine with Administrative privileges:
8. You can automate the above with a simple copy and an execute command from a Kixtart script or even a simple batch file

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C:\Program Files (x86)\Lanboss Preview\lbPreview /R=.rpt;.ebuz;.oprn
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9. To remove all associations use following command with Admin privileges:

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C:\Program Files (x86)\Lanboss Preview\lbPreview /X
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Product: Lanboss Preview

Version: 6

Difficulty: ◆ ◆ ◆ ◆ ◆

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