

# Installing Common Agent manually on Windows

## Prerequisites:

- Download the Common Agent for Windows:  
**Note:** The level of the Common Agent that you install must match the level of the software installed on the IBM Flex System Manager. For example, the current level of software for the IBM Flex System Manager is version 1.3.1.
  1. Go to the [IBM PureSystems Update page](#).
  2. Click the tab for the version of Flex System software that you are using (for example, Flex System 1.3.1).
  3. Click the link to the IBM Flex System Manager image.
  4. Download the Common Agent for Windows (Flex\_1\_3\_1\_CAS\_Windows\_x86)
- Perform the steps in the following topic to prepare to install Common Agent on Windows:

In the information center (Internet):

[http://pic.dhe.ibm.com/infocenter/flexsys/information/topic/com.ibm.acc.8731.doc/com.ibm.director.install.helps.doc/fqm0\\_t\\_preparing\\_to\\_install\\_agent\\_on\\_windows.html](http://pic.dhe.ibm.com/infocenter/flexsys/information/topic/com.ibm.acc.8731.doc/com.ibm.director.install.helps.doc/fqm0_t_preparing_to_install_agent_on_windows.html)

The IBM Flex System product documentation is also available on the IBM Flex System Manager management node. To access the installed documentation, click Information Center from the IBM Flex System Manager Home page and then navigate to:

IBM Flex System information → Management devices and solutions → IBM Flex System Manager management node → Managing all resources → Installing and managing agents → Installing agents → Installing Common Agent → Preparing a Common Agent managed system → Preparing to install Common Agent on Windows

## Steps:

Follow these steps to install Common Agent:

1. Use the unzip command to extract the contents of the installation package you downloaded to a temporary directory.
2. Run installation file dir6.3.4\_commonagent\_windows.exe and follow the screens. For detailed information, refer to the following topic:

In the information center (Internet):

[http://pic.dhe.ibm.com/infocenter/flexsys/information/topic/com.ibm.acc.8731.doc/com.ibm.director.install.helps.doc/fqm0\\_t\\_installing\\_ibm\\_director\\_agent\\_level2\\_on\\_windows32bit.html](http://pic.dhe.ibm.com/infocenter/flexsys/information/topic/com.ibm.acc.8731.doc/com.ibm.director.install.helps.doc/fqm0_t_installing_ibm_director_agent_level2_on_windows32bit.html)

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