


Exsys® CORVID® 2.0 Install Instructions

System Requirements

- Microsoft Windows NT 4.0 with Service Pack 3 or Windows 95, 98, ME, 2000, XP
- Microsoft Internet Explorer ver. 5 or higher
- 75 MB Free Disk Space
- Minimum Screen Resolution: 1024 x 768 with standard fonts or 1156 x 864 with large fonts

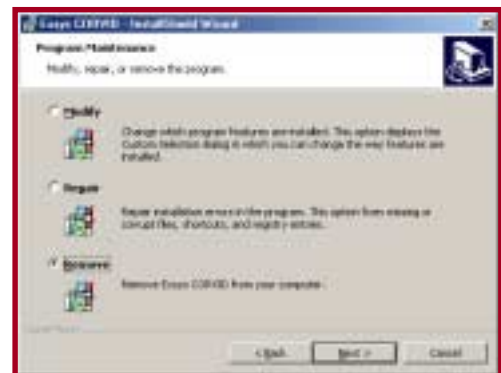
Installation

1. Insert the **Exsys CORVID** disk in your computer's CD drive or open the Zip file you downloaded
2. View the contents of the disk or Zip archive
3. Double click on the Setup program 
4. The Install programs title screen will be displayed. Click the Next button to continue.



5. The next step depends on whether or not an earlier version of Exsys CORVID was installed on the computer. If it was, the install program will display this screen:

If this screen is displayed, select "Remove", click the Next button and follow the instructions for removing the earlier copy of Exsys CORVID. Then return to step 3 and install the new version. It is necessary to remove the old version and install the new version in the same directory to have the license manager recognize the new version and apply the activation license to it.



6. If there was not an earlier version of Exsys CORVID, or the earlier version was removed in step 5, you will see the "Setup Type" screen.

For most installs, it is recommended that you select "**Typical**". This will install all of the Exsys CORVID programs and tutorials.

The "**Minimal**" options should only be used if there is very limited disk space and you are already experienced in using Exsys CORVID. This option will not install the tutorial files, some of the sample systems, or the manual. The tutorials are the best way to get started with Exsys CORVID and should be reviewed by all new users and those evaluating the software. The tutorials can be deleted later if desired.



The "**Custom**" option should be used primarily to install the program in a directory other than the default directory: "**Program Files\Exsys\CORVID**". Unless your computer's configuration requires placing the files in a different location, they should be put in the default directory.

Note: If you already have a full registered license for Exsys CORVID activated, you MUST put the new copy of Exsys CORVID in the same directory as the earlier one or the license manager will not apply the license to the new copy.

6. The setup program will complete the install.

Running Exsys® CORVID®

After you install Exsys CORVID, you can run it from the MS Window's Start menu. The installed 4 programs will be under **Programs / Exsys / CORVID** as shown.

You will see 4 options:

1. CORVID Manual – This will display the Exsys CORVID manual using **Adobe Acrobat Reader**. The manual can be read on-line, searched, and printed. If you do not have Adobe Acrobat Reader, it can be downloaded for free from www.adobe.com.

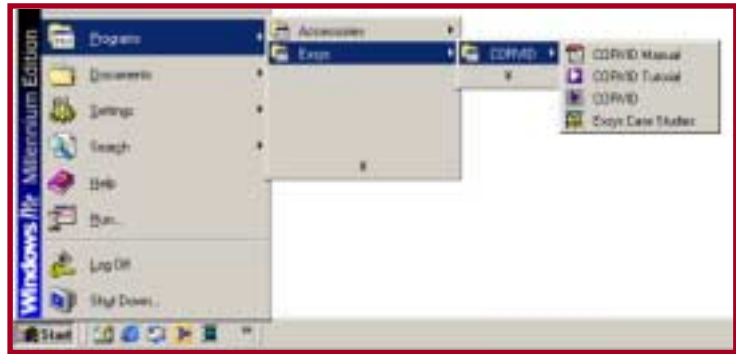
2. CORVID Tutorial - This will display an animated multimedia “tutorial/tour” on learning to build systems with Exsys CORVID. There are 6 lessons. The lessons take you through the steps in building a simple system. The lessons contain self-running animations of the development process with detailed explanations.

You can simply watch the lesson, or follow along building the system using Exsys CORVID in another window. The lessons should be run in order since each builds on earlier lessons.

In addition to the lessons, there are 6 Tours. These are animated explanations of the main Exsys CORVID windows. Each control on the windows is explained. These tours are convenient as both a reference and a refresher. They cover some advanced features of Exsys CORVID, and are intended to supplement the lessons.

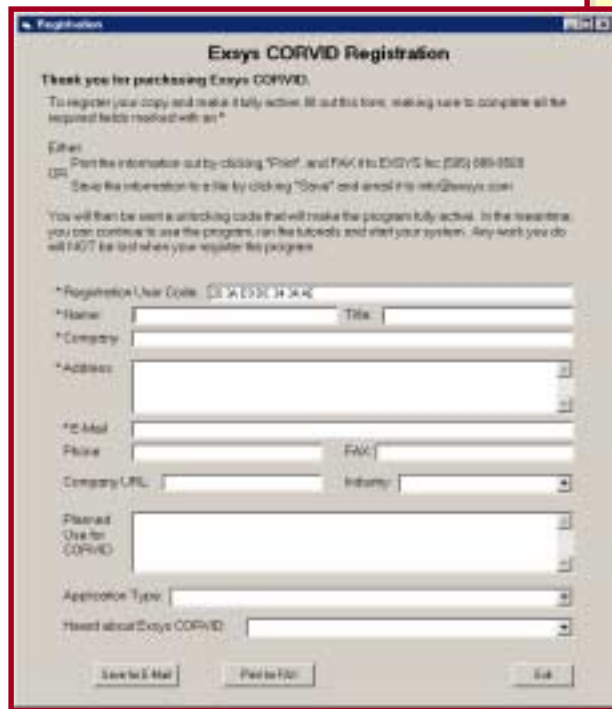
3. CORVID – This is the actual Exsys CORVID program. Until registered and licensed, it is set to run for 30 days from the date of installation and allow systems to be built of up to 150 nodes. When the program is started, a window is displayed that tells how many days remain and the maximum size of system that can be built.

4. Exsys Case Studies – This is an **Exsys CORVID Application** that will ask you a few questions on how you plan to use knowledge automation systems. Based on your input, it will select some EXSYS Customer Studies that are similar, or relevant to your planned use. It will also provide some background information on the types of systems you are considering building. This is a convenient way to see what others have been doing, and learn the many ways you can use CORVID.



Registering Exsys CORVID

If you are using an **Evaluation** version of Exsys CORVID, just click the **OK** button to move into the program. **Do not click on the Send Info or Register button.** When the day counter reaches 0, the program will no longer start.



The screenshot shows the "Exsys CORVID Registration" window. It includes a "Thank you for purchasing Exsys CORVID" message and instructions to register the copy. The form contains several fields: "Registration User Code" (with a dropdown menu), "Name" (with "Title" and "Company" sub-fields), "Country", "Address", "E-Mail", "Phone" (with "Fax" sub-field), "Company URL" (with "Industry" dropdown), "Planned Use for CORVID", "Application Type", and "Hearst about Exsys CORVID". There are buttons for "Save to E-Mail", "Print to File", and "Exit".



The screenshot shows the "Welcome to Exsys CORVID" window. It features a red banner stating "This copy of Exsys CORVID has time and size limitations." Below this, it asks if the user has purchased Exsys CORVID. If yes, it prompts for registration information and provides a "Send Info" button. It also instructs the user to enter a registration code received from Exsys Inc. and provides a "Register" button. A note says "If it is needed to Copy/Paste the Code from the e-mail you received". Another option is "Read Key Disk" for activating the program from a license key disk. A second red banner states "This copy of Exsys CORVID has time and size limitations: It will run for 30 days. (30 Days Left) It is limited to 150 total Logic Block nodes." and an "OK" button is at the bottom.

If you have **purchased** a full Exsys CORVID license, you will need to register the program. Click on the **Send Info** button. This will display the license agreement and then a form for you to fill out.

Complete the form and follow the instructions on sending it to Exsys Inc. Once we receive the form and verify the purchase, we will email you a code to activate the program. When you receive the code, enter it in the edit box next to the Register button on the "Welcome to Exsys CORVID" window, and click **Register**. This will fully activate the program and it will no longer have any time or node limitation. **Please, only send in your registration information if you have purchased the program.**

NOTE: The activation code sent to you will **only** activate your licensed copy of Exsys CORVID on the same single computer that you used to generate and send in your registration information. Any other installs of the program will automatically be 30 day /150 node evaluation versions. If you have coworkers or colleagues that are also interested in Exsys CORVID, you are free to let them install the program for evaluation.

Activating Exsys CORVID Key Disks

This is the procedure if you are using a student version of Exsys CORVID, and your University provided you with an Exsys CORVID Key Disk, or you obtained one with a textbook.

The key disk is a 3.5" floppy with the Exsys CORVID key disk label on it. Insert the disk in your disk drive and click the Read Key Disk button on the "Welcome to Exsys CORVID" window. This will reset the parameters for the number of days and maximum size system that can be built. This information will be displayed in the "Welcome to Exsys CORVID" window when the program starts. Note: The key disk can be used only ONCE.

Modifying or Removing Exsys CORVID

After Exsys CORVID is installed on your computer, clicking on the Setup icon will display the Repair/Modify dialog window.

This dialog allows you to remove CORVID or repair/update any files that may have been damaged.



CORVID Servlet Runtime

The install disk contains the Exsys CORVID Servlet Runtime files. The install will copy these to your computer for future use. There is also a copy of the files in the folder "Servlet Runtime" on the install disk.

The CORVID Servlet Runtime is a Java servlet that is run from a server. It is installed by copying the file **CORVID.war** to a server that supports Java servlets. The details for the installation depend on the servlet engine that is being used. The instructions for Tomcat are provided in Appendix 3 of the documentation.

The CORVID Servlet Runtime requires a separate license code to activate it on a specific server. The Servlet Runtime is an optional module add-on to Exsys CORVID. If you have purchased a license for the CORVID Servlet Runtime, contact info@exsys.com for an activation code. The CORVID Servlet Runtime activation code is by server IP address. Please make sure the IP is the one that will be used for the actual distribution of the system. For EXSYS customers wishing to evaluate the CORVID Servlet Runtime, contact info@exsys.com for a temporary activation code.

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