

HARVESTER VERSION 3.5

Upgrade and Installation Instructions

1. Installing Harvester Version 3.5

Applies to Editions: Lite, Single Client and Standard

1. Run the **harvester_35_xxx_setup.exe** installation file, following the instructions on screen.

Note **Lite** and **Single Client Edition** installations do not require any ODBC connections to be setup. ODBC is only required by the **Standard Edition**.

2. Upgrading from Harvester Version 2.x to Version 3.5

Applies to Editions: Lite, Single Client and Standard

1. **Back up both your existing Harvester 2 software and databases.** This is absolutely essential should there be a need to recover data if there are any problems.
2. Run the **harvester_35_xxx_setup.exe** installation file, following the instructions on screen.
3. Run **Harvester Version 3.5**, and once the client has been setup and is fully registered, click the Tools menu and select the **Harvester Version 2 Database Import Wizard** option to import your existing **Harvester Version 2** database.

Note **Lite** and **Single Client Edition** installations do not require any ODBC connections to be setup. ODBC is only required by the **Standard Edition**.

3. Upgrading from Version 3.x to Version 3.5 Standard Edition

Applies to Editions: Standard

1. **Back up both your software and existing Harvester 3 SQL2005 databases and log files.** This is absolutely essential should there be a need to recover data if there are any problems.
2. Run the **harvester_35_std_setup.exe** installation file, following the instructions on screen.

3. Once the application is completely installed, open Windows Explorer and navigate to the application folder:

C: \Program Files\SIGINT Systems\Harvester\Standard

Under this folder, you will see a number of subfolders, such as `bin`, `collection`, `exports`, etc. Open the `bin` folder and look for a batch file called `update_db.bat`. Run this file by double clicking it. This will open a command-line shell and the batch file will run through a number of SQL updates, modifying your existing database to be compatible with **Harvester Version 3.5** software. When the scripts are completed, the window will automatically close.

4. You now need to move any old files you have created using **Harvester Version 3** to new locations in accordance with our new installations standardisation policy. Open Windows Explorer and navigate to the **Harvester Version 3** application folder:

C: \Program Files\SIGINT Systems\Harvester\Standard\3.0

Under this folder you will see a number of folders:

Collection
Exports
Ilogs
Infoserve
Mapping
Queries
Temp

These folders should be moved into the new application folder:

C: \Program Files\SIGINT Systems\Harvester\Standard

DO NOT move the <code>bin</code> or <code>resources</code> folders as they contain out of date files that Harvester no longer requires.
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5. Now run **Harvester** and log in as usual. The first time **Harvester Version 3.5** runs, it will display a warning message:

Harvester Version 3 Database has been detected. This application requires Version 3.5. Do you want to upgrade the database to Version 3.5 now?

Click **Yes** to upgrade the database. Depending on the number of logs you have entered into **Harvester Version 3** and the speed of your PC, this part of the upgrade can take between 10 and 20 minutes, maybe slightly longer on older, slower PCs. When it is complete, a message will appear to tell you that the database has been fully upgraded to Version 3.5, and **Harvester Version 3.5** is now ready to use.

User CAVEAT

It is absolutely essential that you take backups of all HARVESTER software, databases and associated files before you begin any upgrades.