CorelDRAW® Graphics Suite X8

Deployment Guide

Introduction

Welcome! This guide is intended to support you, the administrator, in deploying CorelDRAW® Graphics Suite X8 to your network.

Are you new to network deployment? For a nontechnical introduction to the concepts and processes discussed in this guide, please see the companion *Corel® Beginner's Guide to Network Deployment*.

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Conventions Please note the following conventions used in this guide.

Wherever you see this	You'll find
italicized text	A placeholder for user-specified information, such as a path or filename
bold monospace text	A reference to programming syntax

For more information The following resources offer additional support.

For information on	See the following resource
deploying Corel® software: concepts and processes, general advice and best practices	*Corel Beginner's Guide to Network Deployment*
Corel Corporation, or a specific Corel software product	Corel® website: www.corel.com
support for Corel software	Corel® Support Services website: www.corel.com/support
the Microsoft® Windows® Installer (MSI) technology, which is used to install Corel software	Microsoft® website

Stage 1: Preparing for deployment

Before beginning the deployment, take the time to familiarize yourself with your network and the software you want to deploy to it. Doing so can help your administrative duties run as smoothly as possible.

In this stage

Getting to know your network

Make sure to consider your network requirements for the deployment.

Administrative factors

Does your organization (or do you, as administrator) have any particular requirements for deploying and maintaining software?

Server factors

Does your server have any special characteristics or constraints?

Workstation factors

Do your workstations have any special characteristics or constraints?

User factors

Do your workstation users have any special workflows?

For more information

For general guidance on assessing your deployment needs, please refer to "Processes: Stage 1" in the *Corel Beginner's Guide to Network Deployment*.

Getting to know the software

Make sure that your server and workstations are eligible for the software.

Server requirements

You can create an image of CorelDRAW Graphics Suite X8 on a server that meets the following requirements:

- Operating system with the latest service pack and critical updates: Windows Server® 2008, Windows Server® 2008 R2, or Windows Server® 2012 R2
- 3 GB of server space (for a typical installation without extra content)
- Microsoft Windows Installer 4.5

Windows® Terminal Server (2008, 2008 R2, or 2012 R2) is supported, but please note the following:

- You must use the CorelDRAW Graphics Suite X8 DVD or the ISO file provided by Corel to install the software on the server.
- Windows Media® Player is required if you want workstation users to have access to the Hints docker and the Video Browser.
- Corel Corporation does not provide technical support for installing third-party software included with the product.

For details on server permissions, see "Server setup" on page 4.

Workstation requirements You can install CorelDRAW Graphics Suite X8 on workstations that meet the following requirements:
- Operating system with the latest service pack and critical updates: 32-bit or 64-bit version of Windows® 10, 8.1 or Windows® 7
- Intel Core i3/5/7 or AMD Athlon 64
- 2 GB of RAM
- 1 GB of hard-disk space (for a typical installation without extra content)
- Multi-touch screen, mouse or tablet
- 1280 x 720 screen resolution at 100% (96 dpi), 1920 x 1080 at 150%, and 2560 x 1440 at 200%
- Microsoft® Internet Explorer® 11 (with the latest service pack) or later
- Microsoft® .NET Framework 4.6
- Microsoft Windows Installer 4.5
- Windows Media Player 10 or later (for Hints docker and Video Browser)

For details on workstation permissions, see "Workstation setup" on page 4.

Software The following components are available for download:
- CorelDRAW Graphics Suite X8 Applications (DVD or ISO file)
- Corel Website Creator (ISO file)
- PhotoZoom Pro 4 (ISO file)

To use an ISO file, you can use one of the following options:
- Mount the ISO file as a virtual drive.
- Extract the ISO file contents by using WinZip or other third-party software.

Optionally, you can download a ZIP file that contains the following online offerings:
- the extra content such as clipart, photos, fonts, and more
- videos that are available online and can be accessed through the product
- extensions, such as File Converter and Calendar Wizard that add features to the applications and can be downloaded through the **Get More** docker in CorelDRAW and Corel PHOTO-PAINT.

For more information, see "Server setup" on page 4 and "Extensions" on page 36.

For more information   For important notes on installing and using the software, it's a good idea to review the Readme file for the software.

To access the Readme file on the installation disc

- Run the following command line (where *X:* is the disc drive):

    `X:\ReadMe\EN\Readme.html`

Readme files for other languages can be accessed from their respective language folders on the DVD. Examples:
- `X:\ReadMe\DE\Readme.html`
- `X:\ReadMe\FR\Readme.html`

Setting up your network accordingly

After familiarizing yourself with your network and the software you want to deploy to it, you can set up your network accordingly.

Server setup   Do the following:
- Make sure that you are either a local administrator or an administrator for the domains and workgroups that you are managing.
- Create a shared network location for the server image, and make sure that you have read/write access to that location.

If you want to make extra content (such as clipart and videos) and extensions available to workstation users in an offline network environment, do the following:
- Set up a shared network location, and make sure that users have access to that location.
- Download the content from the Downloads page in your corel.com account. The download consists of Zip files that you must extract to the shared network location by using WinZip® or another compression tool.

The extracted content is 15.3 GB.

Workstation setup   Do the following:
- Make sure that you are — and anyone else who will be installing the software is — either a local administrator or an administrator for the domains and workgroups that you are managing.
- Make sure that you have — and anyone else who will be installing the software has — read access to the server-image location.
- Make sure that the workstations have Microsoft .NET Framework 4.6 installed.
- Make sure that the workstations have Windows Installer 4.5 installed.

GPOs

To more easily manage the access rights of workstation users — especially for pull-installation scenarios — you may want to consider using Group Policy Objects (GPOs). The *Corel Beginner's Guide to Network Deployment* offers basic information on GPOs. For more advanced information, please refer to the Software Development Kit (SDK) for Group Policy.

Stage 2: Creating the server image

Highlights:

After preparing for deployment, you're ready to create the server image.

To create a basic image, you run a standard command line. To create a customized image, you can modify this command line — or you can modify certain aspects of the server image or its setup. If you want to support multiple installation types, you can create multiple server images.

In this stage

Creating a basic image

To create a basic server image, you must initialize the setup. After setting up the image and tweaking it as necessary, you can use it for deployment.

For best results, make sure to create a server image on a computer that does not have the software already installed.

In this section

Initializing the setup

To initialize the setup for creating a server image, you use a command line. You can create either a 32-bit server image or a 64-bit image.

The following command line lets you create a basic 32-bit server image from the installation disc (where **X:** is the disc drive):

```
X:\x86\Setup.exe /a
```

The following command line lets you create a basic 64-bit server image:

```
X:\x64\Setup.exe /a
```

Event logging

If you want to create a log file of installation events, include the **/l** switch in your command line. For details on this switch, see page 13.

Limited setup UI

If you want to limit the amount of user interface (UI) encountered when creating a server image, include the **/q** switch in your command line. For details on this process, see "Limited setup UI" on page 8.

Be careful to avoid suppressing (or "silencing") a required user-interface field when introducing a **/q** switch into your command line — otherwise, you may fail to create a valid server image. You may need to include the following public property in your command line:

- **TARGETDIR="*path*"** — to specify the desired location of the server image. For best results, do not end the path with a backslash (\ ).

Setting up the server image

If your **/a** command line succeeds, the setup initializes in one of two ways:

- with full UI — for the standard command line
- with limited (or no) UI — for a command line customized to include **/q**

Full setup UI The setup UI takes you step-by-step through the process of setting up the server image.

A few notes on this process will suffice.

UI component	Notes
Email address and password	Your corel.com account information such as email address and password is required to access internet-based features, product updates, and the Content Exchange.
End-User License Agreement (EULA) and Terms of Service	To create the server image, you must accept — on behalf of your organization — the End-User License Agreement and Terms of Service. Installations deployed from the image will not prompt users to review the license agreement.
Image Location	Type the full (UNC) path in the box provided, or click **Change** to browse to that location. To prevent installation problems, limit the path to 90 characters.
Content location	If you have added extra content to a network shared folder, type the full path to the content folder, or click **Change** to browse to the folder.

UI component	Notes
Product Updates	Enabling this option automatically downloads product updates to the workstations and prompts users to install them. You can access this option only after entering your email address and password.
Internet features	This option allows workstations to access Internet-based features such as the Content Exchange, and QR code. You can access this option only after entering your email address and password.

You must be online when creating the server image so that you can accept the term of service. In addition, when you enter your email and password when online, a PROFILEID is generated that allows users to be signed in automatically. For more information, see "PROFILEID" on page 16.

Limited setup UI If you want to limit the amount of user interface (UI) encountered when creating a server image, include the **/q** switch in your command line. For details on this switch, see page 14.

Be careful to avoid suppressing (or "silencing") a required user-interface field when introducing a **/q** switch into your command line — otherwise, you may fail to create a valid server image. You may need to include the following public properties in your command line:

- **TARGETDIR="*path*"** — to specify the desired location of the server image. For best results, do not end the path with a backslash (\ ).
- **ALLOW_PRODUCTUPDATES=0** — to disable automatic updates (and in-product messaging) on the workstations. By default, automatic updates are enabled for workstations installed from a server image.
- **ALLOW_INTERNETFEATURES=0** — to disable access to internet-based features such as the Content Exchange, QR codes, and product updates.
- additional installation properties supported by the setup. For details, see "Using public properties" on page 14.

In the following example, there is no setup UI, automatic product updates and access to Internet-based features is disabled, the paths to the server image and extra content are set, and any errors are recorded in the specified log file:

```
\\server\path\Setup.exe /qn
SERIALNUMBER=<SerialNumber>
```

```
PROFILEID=<ProfileIDDigit> ALLOW_PRODUCTUPDATES=0
ALLOW_INTERNETFEATURES=0
TARGETDIR=<PathToAdminImage>
NETWORKINSTALLDIR=<PathToExtraContent> /l
D:\Log\MYlog.txt
```

Finalizing the server image

This section describes recommended steps to take before deploying from the server image.

Optionally, you can finalize the image in the following ways:
- Customize the registry settings you want to deploy (see page 34).
- Customize the setup fileset (see page 37).

To avoid deploying the software twice, you may want to check for software updates and apply them to the image as necessary. For details, see page 22.

Testing the image　You may want to test your finalized image with a small subset of workstations before rolling it out to your entire organization.

Moving the image　To change the location of a server image after you create it, you can copy the image to a new location. However, after the software has been deployed to the workstations, the image cannot be moved.

Creating a customized image

If you require a more customized server image than offered by command-line switches (see page 13) and public properties (see page 14), you may want to consider the specialized scenarios discussed in the Appendix.

MSI files　You can modify the Microsoft Windows Installer (MSI) files used to install the software. See page 33.

MST files　You can apply Microsoft® transformation (MST) files to the setup. See page 33.

Registry keys　You can edit the registry settings for the server image. See page 34.

Setup fileset　You can customize the setup fileset. See page 37.

Installation settings　You can customize the settings used to install the software on the workstations. See page 39.

Creating multiple images

If your workstations require different configurations of the software, you can create one server image for each installation type.

If you want to support both 32-bit and 64-bit installations of the software, you must create two server images: one for the 32-bit installations, and one for the 64-bit installations. Make sure to place each server image in a separate folder.

Make sure to create the server images on a 64-bit operating system that does not have the software already installed.

Product updates When a product update becomes available, you will need to apply it to each server image. For details on image patching, see page 22.

Naming convention Use a naming convention that makes it easy to distinguish the server images from one other.

Stage 3: Installing the software

After creating the server image, you can use it to install the software on the workstations in one of two ways:

- manually, by having users "pull" the software to their own workstations
- automatically, by "pushing" the software to the workstations on their users' behalf

Pulling the software

If users have both access to the server and administrator-level rights to their workstations, they can install (or "pull") the software themselves. To do this, they run the setup from the server image.

Preparing for pull installation

To ensure that the pull-installation process runs as smoothly as possible, take the time to prepare for it.

Requirements
- Confirm that each workstation meets the minimum requirements for the software (see "Workstation requirements" on page 3).
- Confirm that each workstation user has read-only access to the server image and administrator-level access to the workstation (see also "Workstation setup" on page 4).

Recommendation   Map the workstations to the server image, and set the workstations to log in to that server location at startup. Doing so ensures that users are always connected to the server image.

Carrying out a pull installation

Users pull the software to their workstations by running the setup from the server image.

The degree of user interaction required by the setup depends on how you've customized the server image and the deployment process.

If you prefer to restrict user customization, you may want to offer multiple server images — one per set of installation options. For details, see page 10.

To pull the software to a workstation

1 Browse to the location of the server image, and double-click **Setup.exe**.

2 Carry out the installation, specifying any desired options, by following the on-screen instructions.

To prevent installation problems, limit the installation path to 90 characters.

Pushing the software

To "push" the software from the server image to the workstations, you must write a command line that includes the following:

• the filename of the setup you want to use
• any desired switches, to control how the setup runs
• any desired public properties, to specify installation settings

Using this command line, you can install the software on the workstations by using any supported push method.

Specifying the setup file

The most important item to specify in your command line is the executable file for the setup: the **Setup.exe** file on the server image you want to use:

• ***server**path*\\x86\\Setup.exe** — to push the 32-bit version of the software to 32-bit or 64-bit operating systems
• ***server**path*\\x64\\Setup.exe** — to push the 64-bit version of the software to 64-bit operating systems

You cannot use the 64-bit version of the software on 32-bit operating systems.

If your path contains spaces, you must place quotation marks around it:

    "\\\\server\path containing spaces\Setup.exe"

Using switches

By using switches in your command line, you can control the setup process. Listed in this section are the switches most commonly used when installing the software.

For general information on switches, along with details on switch syntax, please see "Switches" in the *Corel Beginner's Guide to Network Deployment*.

For a list of all command-line switches for Microsoft Windows Installer, please see the Microsoft website.

/l   Event logging

Use **/l** to log installation events.

Parameter	What it logs
i	Status messages
w	Nonfatal warnings
e	All error messages
a	Initiated actions
r	Action-specific records
u	User requests
m	Error messages for out-of-memory warnings or fatal exits
o	Error messages for insufficient hard-disk space during server installation
p	Terminal properties
*	All of the above, in a single log file NOTE: Alternatively to **/l***, you can use **/log**.
v	Very detailed information

The default parameters for **/l** are **iwearmo** (/liwearmo "c:\install Logs.txt").

If you want to specify a path for the log file, use the following syntax:

> **/l "*path*"**

If you do not specify a path and filename, the log file is created in the current user's temporary (**Temp**) folder.

In the following example, the **/l** switch (with default parameters) is used to log installation events in the specified file:

> ***server**path*\Setup.exe /l "C:\install.txt"**

/q **Limited setup UI**

Use **/q** to limit the amount of setup UI encountered during installation.

You can use **/q** to prevent users from entering their own registration information, to help enforce specific installation options, or even to perform silent installations (in which no setup UI is visible whatsoever).

Parameter	What the user sees during installation
n	No UI whatsoever. Errors are logged in a file that you can control by using **/l** (see page 13). This is the default parameter. NOTE: Alternatively to **/qn**, you can use **/quiet**.
b	Basic UI: a progress bar and a **Cancel** button. If the user pushes the **Cancel** button, the installation is rolled back upon confirmation. NOTE: Alternatively to **/qb**, you can use **/passive**.
b!	Basic UI: only a progress bar. The user cannot cancel the installation.
b+	Basic UI: a progress bar and a **Cancel** button. If the user pushes the **Cancel** button, the installation is rolled back (without first prompting for confirmation).
r	Reduced UI: A progress bar, along with a page containing information about the installation. The user can cancel the installation.
f	Full UI

The default parameter for **/q** is **n**.

In the following example, all setup UI is suppressed, and any errors are recorded in the specified log file:

```
\\server\path\Setup.exe /q /l "C:\Logs\My_Log.txt"
```

/? **Help**

The **/?** switch (or **/help**) displays Help for the setup.

Using public properties

By using public properties in your command line, you can specify installation settings. Listed alphabetically in this section are the properties most commonly used during software installation.

For general information on public properties, along with details on property syntax, please see the *Corel Beginner's Guide to Network Deployment*.

For a list of all command-line properties for Microsoft Windows Installer, please see the Microsoft website.

ADDLOCAL   **Installing specific components**

For details on this scenario, see the following topics in the appendix:
- "Deploying specific features" on page 26
- "Deploying specific languages" on page 28

ALLOW_INTERNETFEATURES   **Opting out of internet-based features**

You can opt out of internet-based features by using the following property:

    ALLOW_INTERNETFEATURES=0

ALLOW_PRODUCTUPDATES   **Opting out of product updates**

You can opt out of automatic updates (and in-product messaging) by using the following property:

    ALLOW_PRODUCTUPDATES=0

DESKTOPSHORTCUTS   **Opting out of desktop shortcuts**

You can prevent the installation of desktop shortcuts by using the following property:

    DESKTOPSHORTCUTS=0

EXCLUDE_VSTA   **Opting out of installing Microsoft Visual Studio Tools for Applications (VSTA)**

You can opt out of installing VSTA by using the following property:

    EXCLUDE_VSTA=1

IGNORE_LAUNCH_CONDITIONS   **Suppressing the software-requirements check**

By default, the setup checks whether the computer meets the minimum software requirements (see page 3) before proceeding with the installation. To suppress this check, use the following property:

    IGNORE_LAUNCH_CONDITIONS=1

INSTALLDIR   **Customizing the installation path**

When deploying from the server image, use the following public property to customize the installation path of the software:

    INSTALLDIR="path"

This property can only be used during an administrative installation (**/a**).

For best results, do not end the path with a backslash (\ ).

NETWORKINSTALLDIR Pointing installations to the extra content

You can place extra content and videos at a shared location on the server so that users can access them. See "Server setup" on page 4.

To point the installations to this location, use the following property:

```
NETWORKINSTALLDIR="path"
```

For best results, do not end **path** with a backslash (****).

PROFILEID Pushing down account credentials

The **PROFILEID** property is used to push down account credentials to the workstations and sign in all users to the account. This property enables users to use their product privileges such as content and updates, without knowing the email address and password associated with the account. Users must be online to access content and updates.

The **PROFILEID** value is a combination of letters and numbers. To access it, go to **Your Account** page on corel.com and click Product Status in **Your Products** section (**Support > Your Account > Product Status**). The **Profile ID** is in the lower-left corner of the page.

```
Example: Setup.exe /s
PROFILEID=E9BBBZC091F861590331B12D63CA923
```

This property cannot be combined with any other properties.

This property is not required if you have entered the email address and password when creating the server image.

REBOOT Handling reboots

The **REBOOT** property is used with one of the following values to specify how the installation process handles any required reboots.

Value	What it does
Force (or **F**)	Prompts for reboot after installation. If the setup UI is suppressed, the computer is automatically rebooted after installation. NOTE: Alternatively to **REBOOT=Force**, you can use the **/forcerestart** switch.
Suppress (or **S**)	Prompts for reboot during installation (if required), but reboots automatically after installation. If the setup UI is suppressed, all required reboots are automatic. NOTE: Alternatively to **REBOOT=Suppress**, you can use the **/promptrestart** switch.

Value	What it does
`ReallySuppress` (or **`R`**)	Suppresses all reboots and all reboot prompts, both during and after installation. NOTE: Alternatively to **`REBOOT=ReallySuppress`**, you can use the **`/norestart`** switch.

USERNAME **Inputting the user name**

To input the user name for the installation, use the following property:

> **`USERNAME="user name"`**

Running your command line

Your command line can be used to push the software to the workstations through any of the following:

- **a batch file** — see the Microsoft website for details
- **a GPO** — see the Group Policy SDK for details
- **a third-party push technology** — see the manufacturer's documentation for details

For many administrators, using a third-party push technology is the preferred push method. This section offers general guidelines on using a few such technologies.

SCCM At the time of this writing, Corel has verified support for Microsoft® System Center Configuration Manager (SCCM) only insofar as its Microsoft Systems Management Server (SMS) components.

For complete information on using SCCM, please see the Microsoft website.

SMS For deployment to the workstations on a "per-system" basis using package definition files (or "packages"), CorelDRAW Graphics Suite X8 supports the use of Microsoft Systems Management Server (SMS).

You can create a package from scratch — or you can create one from the existing SMS files included with CorelDRAW Graphics Suite X8 (in the **Administrator** folder on the installation disc or the server image).

For complete information on using SMS files, please refer to your resource kit for Microsoft Systems Management Server.

The recommendations posted on the Microsoft website have not been tested with CorelDRAW Graphics Suite X8 and must therefore be used at your discretion.

IntelliMirror   For deployment to the workstations, CorelDRAW Graphics Suite X8 supports the use of the IntelliMirror technology, which is part of the Windows Server 2008 R2 operating system.

⚠️   "Per-user" installations are not supported.

To make deployment with IntelliMirror as easy as possible, CorelDRAW Graphics Suite X8 includes a ZAP file (in the **Administrator** folder on the installation disc or the server image).

For complete information on IntelliMirror, please see the Microsoft website.

Using product privileges

To take advantage of product privileges, such as content and updates, after deployment, workstations must have Internet access the first time they launch the applications. Users can then work offline, but they won't have access to the Content Exchange.

Users are automatically signed in to the corel.com account associated with your purchase provided you included account credentials (email and password) during the creation of the server image. This ensures that they can use their product privileges.

For purchases that include more than 10 licenses, you can choose to remove specific workstations from Your Account page on corel.com. To sign in workstations that you previously signed out, you must provide account credentials.

Stage 4: Maintaining the installations

An important part of administering a network is maintaining the software installed on its workstations.

Repairing the software

Repairing the software lets you install (or reinstall) missing (or corrupted) components. You can repair a single installation of the software by using the Windows Control Panel on that workstation, or you can repair multiple workstation installations by using a command line.

Repairing a single installation

You can use the Windows Control Panel to repair a single installation.

To repair an installation with the Windows Control Panel

1 In the Windows Control Panel, display the list of currently installed programs, and choose the program from the list.

2 Click **Uninstall/Change**.

3 Enable the **Repair** option, and then click **Repair**.

4 Follow the on-screen instructions.

Repairing multiple installations

You can use a command line to repair multiple installations at a time.

/f **Basic repair**

Use the **/f** switch with the **Setup.exe** file on the server image:

```
\\server\path\Setup.exe /f
```

You cannot use the **/f** switch with public properties. For greater control over the repair process, use the **REINSTALL** and **REINSTALLMODE** properties instead of **/f**.

The **/f** switch has the following parameters.

Parameter	What it does
p	Reinstalls missing files
o	Reinstalls missing files and files older than current version
e	Reinstalls missing files and files equal to or older than current version
d	Reinstalls missing files and files different from current version
a	Reinstalls all files
u	Reinstalls all required user-specific registry keys: **HKEY_CURRENT_USER**, **HKEY_USERS**
m	Reinstalls all required computer-specific registry keys: **HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE**, **HKEY_CLASSES_ROOT**
s	Reinstalls all existing shortcuts
v	Runs from the source files and re-caches the local package

The default parameters for **/f** are **oums**.

REINSTALL and REINSTALLMODE

Advanced repair

For greater control over how the software is repaired, use the **REINSTALL** and **REINSTALLMODE** public properties together.

Property	What it does
REINSTALL=ALL	Reinstalls all program features. If you prefer to reinstall only specific features (see page 26 for a list), use the following syntax: **REINSTALL=*Feature***
REINSTALLMODE=*type*	Specifies the type of reinstallation to perform. The values for this property are the same as the parameters for the **/f** switch, so its default values are **oums**.

Modifying the software

Modifying the software lets you change which program features are installed. You can modify a single installation of the software by using the Windows Control Panel on that workstation, or you can modify multiple workstation installations by using a command line.

Modifying a single installation

You can use the Windows Control Panel to modify a single installation.

To modify an installation with the Windows Control Panel

1 In the Windows Control Panel, display the list of currently installed programs, and choose the program from the list.

2 Click **Uninstall/Change**.

3 Enable the **Modify** option, and then click **Next**.

4 Follow the instructions that appear.

Modifying multiple installations

You can use a command line to modify multiple installations at a time.

ADDLOCAL   ### Adding features

You can use the **ADDLOCAL** public property to add program features:

    ADDLOCAL=*Feature*

For more than one feature, use a comma-separated list, with no spaces between the comma and the feature name:

    ADDLOCAL=*Feature1,Feature2*

For a list of available features, see page 26.

REMOVE   ### Removing features

You can use the **REMOVE** public property to remove a program feature:

    REMOVE=*Feature*

For more than one feature, use a comma-separated list, with no spaces between the comma and the feature name:

    REMOVE=*Feature1,Feature2*

For a list of available features, see page 26.

If you want to add nearly all features and remove only a couple of features, you can use the **ADDLOCAL** public property in conjunction with the **REMOVE** public property. For more information, see "Deploying specific features" on page 26.

Updating the software

Corel periodically releases Microsoft patch (MSP) files — also known as "patches" or "updates" — for its products. Installing updates helps keep the software up-to-date.

In this guide, *Patch.exe* is a placeholder for the filename of the update. The actual filename varies with each update.

Locating updates

Many network administrators keep their software up-to-date by monitoring the Corel Support Services website (www.corel.com/support). When an update is made available, these administrators download it and carry out the patching process themselves.

In this guide, *\\server\path\Patch.exe* is a placeholder for the location and filename of the downloaded patch.

If you prefer to have workstation users patch the software for themselves, you can set up the server image to enable the automatic detection of available patches. For details, see "Setting up the server image" on page 7.

Applying updates

After locating and downloading an update, you can apply it to the server image and then use the updated image to patch the installed software.

Image patching You can apply a an update to the server image. Optionally, you can begin by extracting the patch files to a specified location.

To extract the update files to a specified location

To extract the update files to a specified location (instead of the default **Temp** folder), use the following command-line syntax:

> *\\server\path\Patch.exe* /extract_all "*location*"

Be sure to apply all extracted update files to the server image. Applying only some of the update files may cause the installations to function incorrectly.

To apply the update files to the server image

Use a command line that includes the executable file for the update and the **/a** switch:

```
\\server\path\Patch.exe /a
```

Workstation patching   After updating the server image, you can deploy the update to the workstations.

To update the workstations

Use the following command-line syntax:

```
\\server\path\Setup.exe REINSTALL=ALL
```

By default, the **REINSTALLMODE＝oums** property is applied. For best results, you may want to specify **REINSTALLMODE=vdm**:

```
\\server\path\Setup.exe REINSTALL=ALL
REINSTALLMODE=vdm
```

For details on **REINSTALL** (and **REINSTALLMODE**), see page 20.

To silently update the workstations

Use the following command line:

```
\\server\path\Setup.exe REINSTALL=ALL
REINSTALLMODE=vdm /qn
```

Removing the software

You can remove the software from your network. Uninstalling the software cleanly is crucial when the time comes to upgrade to a newer version.

Image removal   You cannot automate the removal of a server image. Instead, you must manually delete the image from the server.

For best results with deleting an image, begin by doing the following:

• Make sure that the programs to be removed — and their associated files — are not currently in use on the workstations.
• If you are using Windows Terminal Server, make sure that all users are logged off.

The only way to recover a deleted server image is to re-create it by re-running the setup.

Workstation removal   You can remove a single installation of the software by using the Windows Control Panel on that workstation, or you can remove multiple workstation installations by using a command line.

Removing a single installation

You can use the Windows Control Panel to remove a single installation.

To remove an installation with the Windows Control Panel

1 In the Windows Control Panel, display the list of currently installed programs, and choose the program from the list.

2 Click **Uninstall/Change**.

3 Enable the **Remove** option.

4 If you want to remove user files (such as presets, user-created fills, and customized files), enable the **Remove user files** check box.

5 Click **Remove**.

Removing multiple installations

You can use a command line to remove multiple installations at a time.

/x **Basic removal**

You can use the **/x** switch (or the **/uninstall** switch) to silently remove the software:

```
\\server\path\Setup.exe /x
```

REMOVE and REMOVEUSERFILES **Advanced removal**

If you want more control over the removal process, use the following public properties.

Property	What it does
REMOVE=ALL	Removes all features (except GPL Ghostscript and Windows Shell Extension)
REMOVEUSERFILES=_value_	Specifies whether to remove user files: • **0** — no • **1** — yes
REMOVE_GPL=1	Removes GPL Ghostscript
REMOVE_SHELLEXT=1	Removes Windows Shell Extension

For example, if you want to uninstall both GPL Ghostscript and Windows Shell Extension, you can use the following command for 32-bit and 64-bit installations:

```
\\server\path\Setup.exe /x REMOVE_SHELLEXT=1
REMOVE_GPL=1
```

For 64-bit installations, you can also use the following command to uninstall both GPL Ghostscript and Windows Shell Extension:

```
msiexec /i %PATH%\Setup_x64.msi REMOVE=ALL
CHAINER_CMD="/qb REMOVE_SHELLEXT=1 REMOVE_GPL=1"
```

Troubleshooting the software

For help troubleshooting any issues with the software, please visit the Corel® Knowledge Base (www.corel.com/knowledgebase), an online repository of FAQs and articles.

Appendix: Specialized deployment scenarios

If you require a more specialized deployment scenario, the supplementary topics in this appendix may be of interest to you.

Deploying specific features

When performing a basic or silent installation with the **/q** switch (see page 14), you may want to use the **ADDLOCAL** property to specify which software features to install. You can specify a single feature:

ADDLOCAL=*Feature*

Or you can specify a comma-separated list of components:

ADDLOCAL=*Feature1,Feature2*

You can even specify all features:

ADDLOCAL=ALL

If you want to install nearly all features, naming them individually would be quite tedious. In this scenario, you can use the **REMOVE** public property to specify the features to subtract from **ADDLOCAL=ALL**:

ADDLOCAL=ALL REMOVE=*Feature1,Feature2*

Feature names are case-sensitive.

Specifying software features by feature name

CorelDRAW Graphics Suite X8 components are organized into the following child features of **MainApp**.

Software component	"MainApp" child feature
CorelDRAW®	**Draw**
Corel® PHOTO-PAINT®	**PP**

Software component	"MainApp" child feature
Corel CAPTURE™	`Capture`
Corel® CONNECT™	`Connect`
Corel Font Manager™	`FontManager`
Utilities	`Utility`
Import/export filters	`Filters`

Some editions of the software do not include certain features listed in this section.

Corel PHOTO-PAINT The Corel PHOTO-PAINT component used to include the child feature Photozoom, a photo-enlarger plug-in. The plug-in has been updated to PhotoZoom Pro 4 and is now available for download as an ISO file.

Corel CONNECT The `Connect` feature adds or removes a shortcut on the Windows **Start** menu to the standalone Corel CONNECT application. All other files required to run the Connect docker and the standalone application are installed by default.

Utilities The utilities (feature name `Utility`) include the following child features.

Utility	"Utility" child feature
Duplex wizard (for two-sided print jobs)	`DupWiz`
Visual Basic® for Applications (VBA)	`VBAFiles`

Specifying `Utility` does not include its child features. You must individually specify each desired utility.

Windows Shell Extension cannot be added or excluded by specifying the child feature name when using the ADDLOCAL public property. To exclude Windows Shell Extension, you must delete the following Dbm nodes from **setup.xml**:

• the node that references **ShellExt.msi**
• the node that references **32BitKey.msi** or **64BitKey.msi**

User guides The CorelDRAW® X8 User Guide and the Corel® PHOTO-PAINT® X8 User Guide contain comprehensive information about product features and tools. They are PDF versions of the Help that are available online and can be accessed from the Help Home pages (**Help ▶ Product Help**).

The CorelDRAW® Graphics Suite X8 Quick Start Guide helps new users to get started quickly. You can access it by clicking **Help ▶ Quick Start Guide.**

Deploying specific languages

When performing a basic or silent installation with the **/q** switch (see page 14), you may want to use the **ADDLOCAL** property to specify which software languages to support. You can specify a single language:

    ADDLOCAL=*LanguageCode*

Or you can specify a comma-separated list of languages:

    ADDLOCAL=*FEATURE1,LanguageCode1,LanguageCode2*

Using language codes, you can specify language modules or writing tools.

Some editions of the software do not include certain languages listed in this section.

Language codes are case-sensitive.

Specifying UI modules by language code

A language module includes both the software UI and the writing tools for that language. By installing multiple language modules, you can enable *dynamic language switching* — the ability to change the language of the software UI.

The following table lists the available language modules for the software, along with their corresponding language codes.

Language module	Language code
Brazilian Portuguese	**BR**
Chinese (Simplified)	**CS**
Chinese (Traditional)	**CT**
Czech	**CZ**
Dutch	**NL**
English	**EN**
French	**FR**
German	**DE**
Italian	**IT**
Japanese	**JP**
Polish	**PL**

Language module	Language code
Russian	**RU**
Spanish	**ES**
Turkish	**TR**

Specifying writing tools by language code

Each set of writing tools includes Spell Checker and may include Thesaurus or Grammatik (or both). The available languages are as follows.

Language	Code	Spell Checker	Thesaurus	Grammatik
Afrikaans	**Afrika**	✓		
Catalan	**Catalan**	✓		
Czech	**Czech**	✓		
Danish	**Danish**	✓	✓	
Dutch	**Dutch**	✓	✓	✓
English	**English**	✓	✓	✓
French	**French**	✓	✓	✓
Galician	**Galician**	✓		
German	**German**	✓	✓	✓
Greek	**Greek**	✓		
Icelandic	**Iceland**	✓		
Italian	**Italian**	✓	✓	
Norwegian	**Norway**	✓	✓	
Polish	**Polish**	✓		
Portuguese	**Portugue**	✓		
Russian	**Russian**	✓		
Slovak	**Slovak**	✓		
Sotho	**Sotho**	✓		
Spanish	**Spanish**	✓	✓	✓
Turkish	**Turkish**	✓	✓	✓

Language	Code	Spell Checker	Thesaurus	Grammatik
Tswana	**Tswana**	✓		
Xhosa	**Xhosa**	✓		
Zulu	**Zulu**	✓		

In most cases, writing tools are automatically installed with their corresponding language module—and to match the installed keyboard languages of the operating system.

If you want to exclude writing tools from the installation, you must delete the Dbm node that references **WT.msi** from **setup.xml**.

The parent feature for the writing tools is named **WTools**. However, specifying **WTools** does not include its child features. You must individually specify each desired set of writing tools.

Understanding workspaces

The software installs a selection of workspaces for use in CorelDRAW, and Corel PHOTO-PAINT.

Installed CorelDRAW workspaces

The default workspace of CorelDRAW X8 is designed to provide a more intuitive placement of tools and controls. The default settings are included in **DRAWUI.xml**, which is located in the **CorelDRAW Graphics Suite X8\Draw\UIConfig** folder. In addition, the following workspaces for CorelDRAW are installed in **CorelDRAW Graphics Suite X8\Draw\Workspace**:

- **X6 Inspired.cdws** — designed for users who are upgrading from CorelDRAW X6
- **illustration.cdws** — designed for creating book cover designs, magazine adds, storyboards, and other types of illustration
- **illustrator.cdws** — designed for Adobe® Illustrator® users
- **lite.cdws** — ideal for new users who are getting started
- **pagelayout.cdws** — optimized for users who are creating layouts for business cards, branding materials, product packaging, or multipage documents

The **DRAW\UIConfig** folder also contains the following workspace file (which can be edited — or added, if missing):

- **PreviewUI.xml** — settings for the **Print preview** window

Installed Corel PHOTO-PAINT workspaces

The default workspace of Corel PHOTO-PAINT X8 is designed to provide a more intuitive placement of tools and controls. The default settings are included in **PHOTO-PAINTUI.xml**, which is located in the

CorelDRAW Graphics Suite X8\PHOTO-PAINT\UIConfig folder.In addition, the following workspaces for Corel PHOTO-PAINT are installed in the **CorelDRAW Graphics Suite X8\PHOTO-PAINT\Workspace** folder:

- **X6 Inspired.cdws** — designed for users who are upgrading from Corel PHOTO-PAINT X6
- **lite.cdws** — ideal for new users who are getting started
- **photoshop.cdws** — designed for Adobe® Photoshop® users

The **PHOTO-PAINT\UIConfig** folder contain the following workspace file (which can be edited — or added, if missing):

- **PreviewUI.xml** — settings for the **Print preview** window

Custom workspaces   You can customize all available workspaces (except for the default ones) by modifying the CDWS (CorelDRAW Workspace) files, and you can then deploy them with the installations.

You can also create a custom workspace from within CorelDRAW or Corel PHOTO-PAINT, and make this workspace available to the workstations. For information about how to create, export, and import workspaces, see the Help topic "Creating workspaces" (**Help > Product Help**).

Working with MSI files

Stored in the **Setup** folder on the installation disc, the main Microsoft Windows Installer (MSI) file for the setup — **\x86\MSIs\Setup.msi** (for 32-bit installations) or **\x64\MSIs\Setup_x64.msi** (for 64-bit installations) — contains a database of main features, registry keys, folders, and shortcuts for the software.

The server image contains a copy of the main setup MSI file — the MSI tables within which you can modify for deployment to the workstations.

Various components of the software are stored in additional MSI files. Some of these MSI files are required by the setup, while others represent optional features of the software.

You can exclude optional MSI files from the setup by creating a customized server image. Excluding an MSI file prevents the corresponding feature from being installed. For details, see page 33.

Setup files   Besides **Setup.msi**, the setup requires and additional MSI files to carry out the installation:

- **x86\ICA.msi** or **x64\ICA_64.msi**

Language modules	The setup requires at least one language module, MSI files for which are stored at **x86\MSIs** (32-bit) or **x64\MSIs** (64-bit) on the installation disc. The language modules that are available vary with each edition of the software.

Language module	MSI file
Brazilian Portuguese	**BR.msi** (32-bit) or **BR_x64.msi** (64-bit)
Chinese (Simplified)	**CS.msi** (32-bit) or **CS_x64.msi** (64-bit)
Chinese (Traditional)	**CT.msi** (32-bit) or **CT_x64.msi** (64-bit)
Czech	**CZ.msi** (32-bit) or **CZ_x64.msi** (64-bit)
Dutch	**NL.msi** (32-bit) or **NL_x64.msi** (64-bit)
English	**EN.msi** (32-bit) or **EN_x64.msi** (64-bit)
French	**FR.msi** (32-bit) or **FR_x64.msi** (64-bit)
German	**DE.msi** (32-bit) or **DE_x64.msi** (64-bit)
Italian	**IT.msi** (32-bit) or **IT_x64.msi** (64-bit)
Japanese	**JP.msi** (32-bit) or **JP_x64.msi** (64-bit)
Polish	**PL.msi** (32-bit) or **PL_x64.msi** (64-bit)
Russian	**RU.msi** (32-bit) or **RU_x64.msi** (64-bit)
Spanish	**ES.msi** (32-bit) or **ES_x64.msi** (64-bit)
Turkish	**TR.msi** (32-bit) or **TR_x64.msi** (64-bit)

Programs	To install the programs included with the software, the setup uses the following MSI files at **x86\MSIs** (32-bit) or **x64\MSIs** (64-bit) on the installation disc.

Program	MSI file
Corel CAPTURE	**Capture.msi** (32-bit), or **Capture_x64.msi** (64-bit)
Corel CONNECT	**Connect.msi** (32-bit), or **Connect_x64.msi** (64-bit)
Corel Font Manager	**FontManager.msi** (32-bit), or **FontManager_x64.msi** (64-bit)
CorelDRAW	**Draw.msi** (32-bit), or **Draw_x64.msi** (64-bit)
Corel PHOTO-PAINT	**PHOTO-PAINT.msi** (32-bit), or **PHOTO-PAINT_x64.msi** (64-bit)

Features   To install the various components of the software, the setup uses additional MSI files stored at **Setup\x86\MSIs** (32-bit) or **Setup\x64\MSIs** (64-bit). These files include the following.

Feature	MSI file
Ghostscript general public license, for EPS and PostScript® import	**Ghostscript.msi**
Microsoft Visual Basic for Applications (VBA)	**VBA.msi** (32-bit), or **VBA_x64.msi** (64-bit)
Windows Shell Extension	**ShellExt.msi** and **64BitKey.msi** (32-bit) or **ShellExt.msi** and **32BitKey.msi** (64-bit)

You can exclude optional MSI files from the setup by creating a customized server image. Excluding an MSI file prevents the corresponding feature from being installed. For details, see page 33.

Working with MST files

If you want to apply a Microsoft transformation (MST) file to the setup, simply apply it to your command line.

By default, MST files are applied to the **Setup.msi** file for the setup.

To apply a transformation to the setup

1 Store the MST file on the server image.

2 Use the **TRANSFORMS** property to specify that MST file, as shown here (where *MST* is the filename of the MST file):

    `Setup.exe TRANSFORMS="MST"`

If the MST file is not in the same folder as **Setup.exe**, *MST* must specify the full path and filename of the MST file.

Applying a transformation to a specific MSI file

To apply an MST file to a specific MSI file, use the following syntax (where *MSI* is the filename of the MSI file, not including its extension; and where *MST* is the filename of the MST file, including its extension):

    `Setup.exe TRANSFORMS_MSI="MST"`

If the MST file is not in the same folder as the MSI file, *MST* must specify the full path and filename of the MST file.

Example 1   To apply **my_draw.mst** to **Draw.msi** (in the same folder), use the following syntax:

```
Setup.exe TRANSFORMS_Draw="my_draw.mst"
```

Example 2   To apply **MyTransform.mst** to **PHOTO-PAINT.msi** (in the same folder), use the following syntax:

```
Setup.exe TRANSFORMS_PHOTO-PAINT="MyTransform.mst"
```

Troubleshooting MST files

If you have trouble applying an MST file, do the following:

- Check the syntax of your command line — in particular, the path to the MST file.
- Check your permissions.
- Make sure that the MST file was created correctly.
- Check the associated MSI files.

For additional help with MST files, contact Corel Support Services (www.corel.com/support). Please note, however, that charges will apply.

Working with registry keys

After creating the server image, you may want to edit its registry keys for deployment to the workstations. By doing so, you can avoid having to manually configure the registry keys of each individual workstation installation of the software.

Making extra content available

As previously discussed (see page 4), you can make extra content available to workstation users by copying it to the server share.

You can set the path to the server content by using the **NETWORKINSTALLDIR** public property (see page 16) — or, by editing the appropriate section in the following **HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\Software** registry key:

- 32-bit OS — **Corel\Media\Corel Content\Path=NETWORKINSTALLDIR**
- 64-bit OS with (default) 64-bit build — **Corel\Media\Corel Content\Path=NETWORKINSTALLDIR**
- 64-bit OS with 32-bit build — **Wow6432Node\Corel\Media\Corel Content\Path=NETWORKINSTALLDIR**

Configuring content for offline availability

You must first download the content from the Downloads page in your corel.com account. The download consists of a Zip file that you must extract to the shared network location using a compression tool, such as WinZip®.

The extracted content is 15.3 GB.

Internet access is required.

To configure the content

1 Extract the content files from CorelDRAW Graphics Suite X8 extra content zip file.

   There are three main archive files: extra content, videos, and extensions. For information about extensions, see "Extensions" on page 36.

2 Using the compression tool, extract the archives files into separate folders.

3 On the server that you are going to make available to all workstations, create a main content folder.

4 Move the **Content.db3** file from the extra content archive to the root of the main content folder.

5 Move the following folders from the extra content archive to the root of the main content folder.
   - Clipart
   - Fills
   - Fonts
   - Image Lists
   - Interactive Frames
   - Objects
   - Photo Frames
   - Photos
   - Templates

6 In the main content folder, create a new folder, and name it **Languages**.

7 Move the content from video folder to the **Languages** folder.

To share the content folder to workstations

1 Using the **Setup.exe /a** command line, open the setup wizard.

2 On the last page of the wizard, type the UNC path for the main content folder in the box in the **Content Location** area.

3 Click **Install Now**.

> You can also set the path to the server content by using the **NETWORKINSTALLDIR**. For more information, see "Pointing installations to the extra content" on page 16.

Extensions

Extensions add features to the applications, and do not require installation. The CorelDRAW Graphics Suite X8 Extra Content zip file includes the following extensions: Border and Grommet, Calendar Wizard, Color Chart Creator, File Converter, and Prep and Stretch.

Once extracted, extensions must be copied to the following folder on the workstations:

X:\Users\{UserName}\Documents\Corel\Corel Content\Extensions

Users can then access the extensions from within the applications. For example, the **Border and Grommet** extension, which allows you to prepare banners for printing, appears under the **Tools** menu in CorelDRAW. Downloaded macro extensions, such as Calendar Wizard and File Converter, appear in the **Macro Manager** docker.

Setting up dynamic language switching

Dynamic language switching allows the language of the user interface to be changed, both during and after installation. This feature requires the installation of multiple language modules for the software — one for each desired user-interface language (see page 28). The selection of languages you can implement depends on the license you have purchased.

Two sets of registry settings are required for dynamic language switching:
- workstation settings
- current user settings

Workstation settings   Workstation settings affect all users. The registry setting for each workstation is as follows:

> **HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\Corel\CorelDRAW\18.0\Languages**

Inside this key are language keys — three-letter codes that represent the available languages. These language keys are put in place by the setup, so no intervention is required. Shown here (for reference only) are the three-letter codes for the available languages.

Language	Code
Brazilian Portuguese	**PTB**
Chinese (Simplified)	**CHS**
Chinese (Traditional)	**CHT**

Language	Code
Czech	**CSY**
Dutch	**NLD**
English	**ENU**
French	**FRA**
German	**DEU**
Italian	**ITA**
Japanese	**JPN**
Polish	**PLK**
Russian	**RUS**
Spanish	**ESN**
Turkish	**TRK**

Under each language key are the following registry settings:

- **DirName** — specifies the name of the folder for the language-specific files, relative to *InstallationPath***Languages**
- **UIName** — specifies the name to show in the startup dialog box and on the **Tools** ▶ **Options** ▶ **Global** page

Current user settings   The registry setting for each current user is as follows:

HKEY_CURRENT_USER\Software\Corel\CorelDRAW\18.0

The **UILang** setting is not initialized by the setup because the setup cannot determine which user will run the applications. After the user has run the application once, this setting changes to the three-letter code that corresponds to the user-specified language key at the following location:

HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\Corel\18.0\Languages

Customizing the setup fileset

The main configuration file **Setup.xml**, located in the **x86** or **x64** folder, lists all features included in the setup.

When you create a server image, a copy of the **Setup.xml** file is included. If you want to customize the setup fileset on the server image, you must edit the **Setup.xml** file to reflect your desired changes.

Understanding Setup.xml

The **Setup.xml** file contains four main types of nodes. With an understanding of these four nodes, you can modify the **Setup.xml** file to create a customized server image.

`<Msi/>` nodes

Each **`<Msi/>`** node specifies a main setup file, such an executable (EXE) file, a self-extracting ZIP file, or an MSI file that bundles (or "chains") other MSI files.

For example, you can exclude Ghostscript from the installation by making the following modification.

```
<!--Msi productcode="Ghostscript"
file="MSIs\Ghostscript.msi" cmdline="ALLUSERS=1
ADDLOCAL=ALL" adminsupport="0" condition="GPL=1"
progresstext="Str.ProgressText.Common" /-->
```

`<Dbm/>` nodes

Each **`<Dbm/>`** node specifies a component of a **`<Msi/>`** node — typically, an MSI file. A **`<Dbm/>`** node has the following structure, where *GUID* is the associated product code, and *MSI* is the path and filename of the MSI file:

```
<Dbm productcode="{GUID}" file="MSI" />
```

Some **`<Dbm/>`** nodes also require a condition.

If you want to apply an MST file to the specified MSI file, you can use the following syntax (where *MST* is the path and filename of the MST file):

```
<Dbm productcode="{GUID}" file="MSI"
cmdline="TRANSFORMS=MST"
progresstext="Str.ProgressText.name" />
```

For a list of the available MSI files, see page 33.

`<Feature/>` nodes

Each **`<Feature/>`** node specifies a feature that is associated with an MSI file. A **`<Feature/>`** node has the following format, where *name* is the name of the MSI file and *feature* is the name of the associated feature:

```
<Feature name="Str.Feature.name"
desc="Str.Feature.name.Desc" property="feature">
```

Some **`<Feature/>`** nodes have subnodes.

For a list of the available features, see page 26.

`<Property/>` nodes

Each **`<Property/>`** node specifies a property. A **`<Property/>`** node has the following structure, where *property* is the name of the public property and *value* is its value:

```
<Property name="property" value="value" />
```

For a list of available public properties, see page 14.

Creating a server image with a customized fileset

You can use **Setup.xml** to create a server image with a customized fileset.

To create a server image with a customized fileset

1 Copy the server image to a new location.

2 Add any desired language-module MSI files to the server image.

3 Edit **Setup.xml** to reflect the additions you've made to the fileset:
   - Add an **\<Msi/\>** node for each new setup file.
   - Add a **\<Dbm/\>** node for each new language-module MSI file.
   - Add the following **\<Property/\>** node for each new language-module MSI file, where *$$* is the language:
     \<Property name="Include.$$" value="1" /\>

4 Remove any unwanted MSI files from the server image.

Some MSI files cannot be removed from the setup fileset. For details, see page 33.

5 Edit **Setup.xml** to reflect the removals you've made from the fileset:
   - Remove the corresponding **\<Msi/\>** node for each removed setup file.
   - Remove the corresponding **\<Dbm/\>** node for each removed MSI file.
   - Remove the corresponding **\<Feature/\>** node and subnode for each removed MSI file.
   - Adjust any corresponding **\<Property/\>** nodes by changing their value.

For example, let's say that you're creating a single-language setup from a multi-language setup. To record the fileset changes in the **Setup.xml** file, you must remove the corresponding **\<Dbm/\>** and **\<Feature/\>** nodes for each removed language module. Next, you must set each **\<Property/\>** node for **Include.$$** to a value of **0**, where *$$* is a removed language module. The **\<Property/\>** node for **ShowApplicationLanguageSelector** is automatically set to a value of **0**.

Deploying customized installation settings

To modify the settings used to install the software on the workstations, you can use the **Persist.xml** file stored at the root of the server image.

Each entry in **Persist.xml** corresponds to a public property for the software (see page 14). The syntax of each entry is as follows:

\<Property name="*property*" value="*value*" /\>

By modifying the value of an existing entry in **Persist.xml** — or by adding a new entry — you can customize the installation settings deployed from that server image. This deployment method offers an excellent alternative to creating a different server image or customizing a command line.

Example 1 The following **Persist.xml** entry specifies that automatic software updates are enabled:

```
<Property name="ALLOW_PRODUCTUPDATES" value="1" />
```

By changing the value of this entry from **"1"** to **"0"** (and saving this change to **Persist.xml**), you can disable automatic updates for the workstation installations.

Example 2 The following **Persist.xml** entry specifies the serial number for the installation:

```
<Property name="SERIALNUMBER" value="SN" />
```

By changing the **"SN"** value, you can specify a different serial number for the workstation installations.

Example 3 You can use the following **Persist.xml** entry to specify the PROFILEID and add account credentials to the server image:

```
<Property name="PROFILEID" value="XXXXXXX" />
```

Specifying a value for the PROFILEID will ensure that all workstations are automatically signed in to the account after installation. For more information, see "PROFILEID" on page 16.

Example 4 You can use the following **Persist.xml** entry to point the installations to the location of extra content and videos:

```
<Property name="NETWORKINSTALLDIR" value="path" />
```

For more information, see "NETWORKINSTALLDIR" on page 16.

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