

INSTALLATION MANUAL



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Getting to Know your AVANT Audiometer

The AVANT Audiometer represents a new era of ultra compact diagnostic audiometry for your office. Compact yet rugged, this PC-Based system is USB powered and performs all required ANSI and IEC audiometric tests. The following section of this manual will familiarize you with the physical features and accessories of the system.



Front View



Rear View

Transducers and Accessories



Insert Earphones



TDH-39 Earphones



HDA200

NOTE: The Avant Audiometer supports ER 3A Insert earphones, TDH earphones and HDA200 extended high frequency earphones. The standard configuration includes **either** ER3A **or** TDH earphones. HDA200 earphones must be ordered with the High Frequency Option upgrade.



Bone Conductor



Talkback Microphone



Patient Response Switch



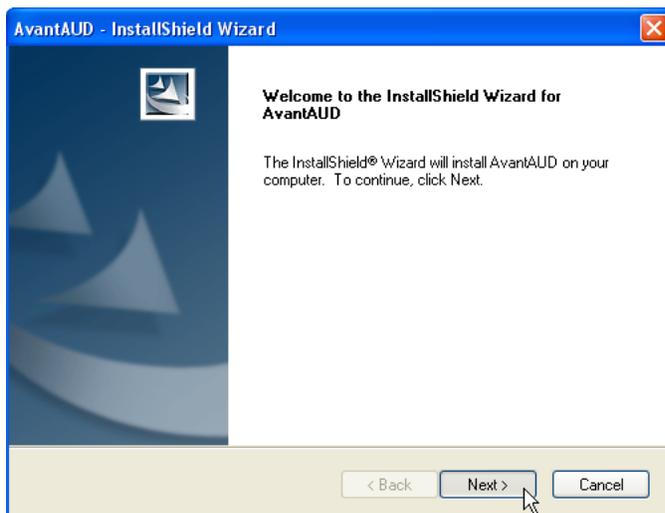
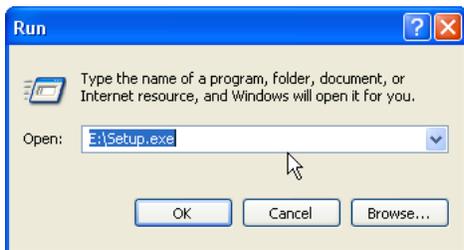
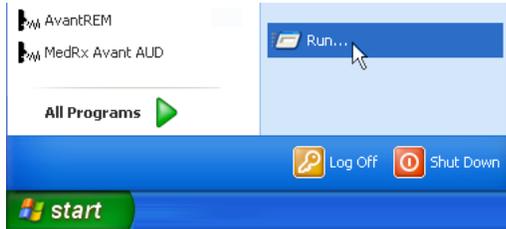
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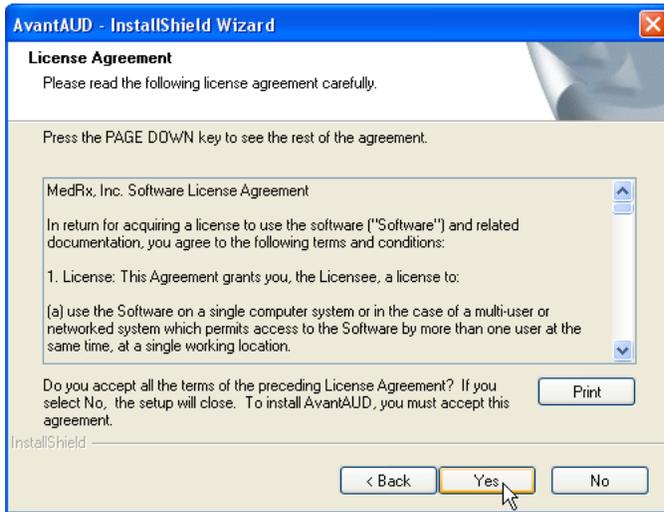
USB Cable

Software Installation

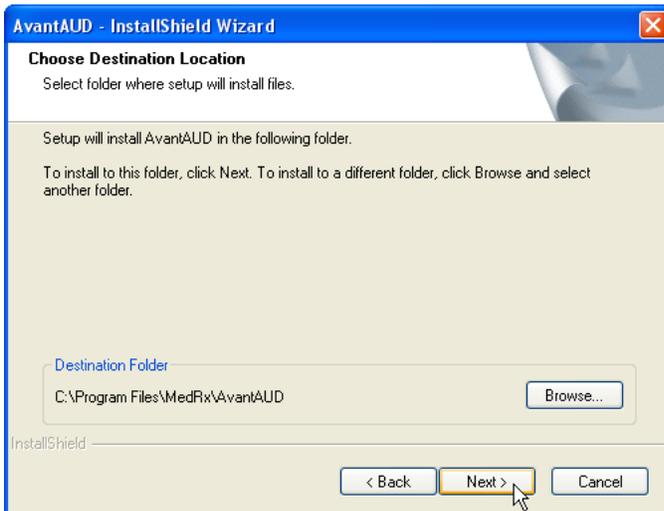
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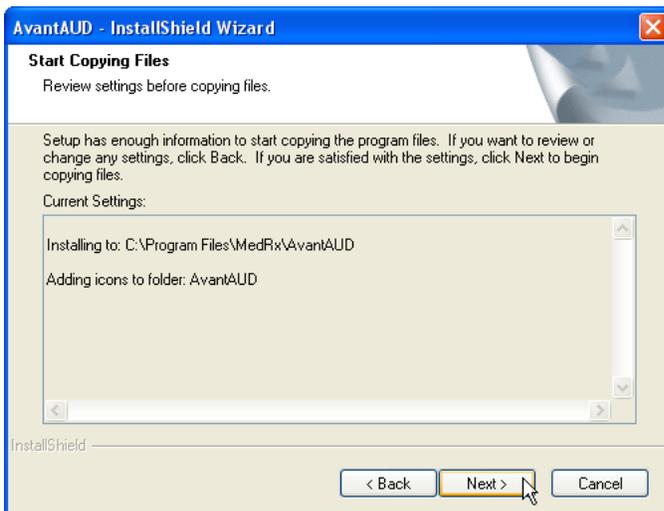
1. Insert the AVANT™ Audiometer CD-ROM into the CD drive. Wait until the **Setup program starts**.
 - If the Setup program does not automatically start, click:
 - Start
 - Run
 - Type d:/setup.exe in the window where 'd' is the drive letter assigned to the CD ROM drive on your computer.
2. On the Setup screen, choose **Install AVANT Audiometer**.
3. This is the Welcome screen.
 - To continue, Click **Next**.



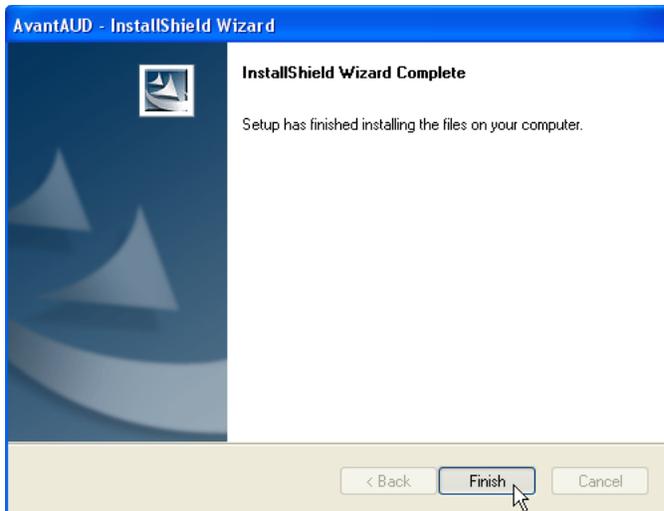
4. Read the Software License Agreement. This important document defines the acceptable usage of the Avant Audiometer.
 - After reading the Agreement, click **Yes**.



5. This screen indicates the location of the program files. The default location is recommended for most users. If necessary, this location can be changed.
 - To continue with the default settings, click **Next**.
 - To change the location of the files (advanced users or system administrators only) click **Browse**.



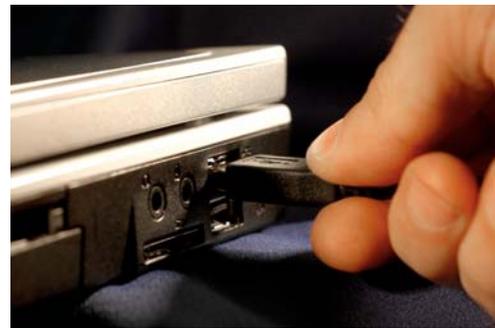
6. This screen summarizes the installation configuration.
 - To continue, click **Next**.
 - To make changes, click **Back**.



7. When the installation is complete, click **Finish**.

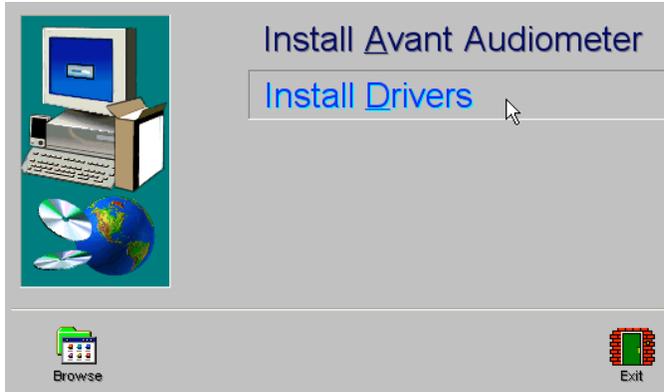
Driver Installation

Connect the USB cable from the AVANT™ Audiometer to your computer as shown below.

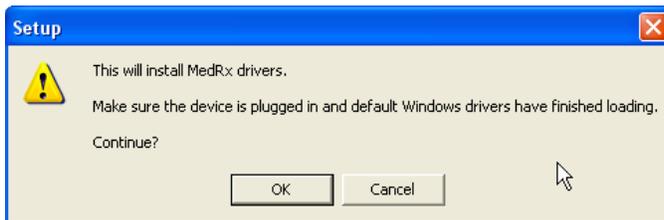


Wait for the system to copy and install default drivers. During this process, you will see the following prompts in your system tray (lower right corner of the screen).





1. After the Windows drivers have been installed, click **Install Drivers**.



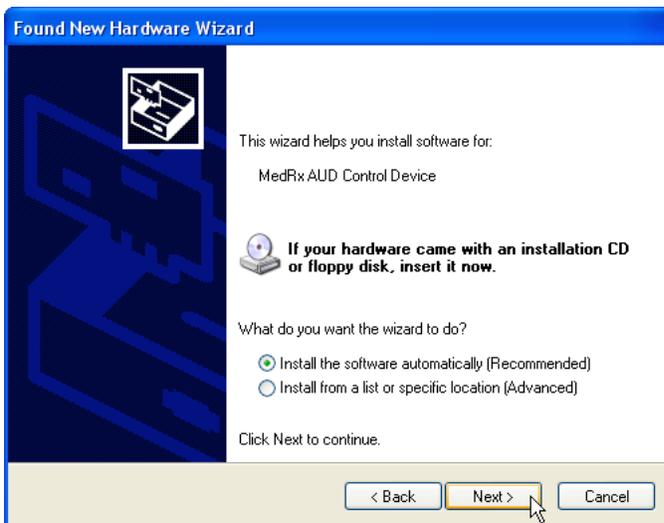
2. When this screen appears, click **OK**.



3. When the driver signature check screen appears, click **Continue Anyway**.



4. When this window appears,
 - Select “No, not at this time”.Click **Next**.



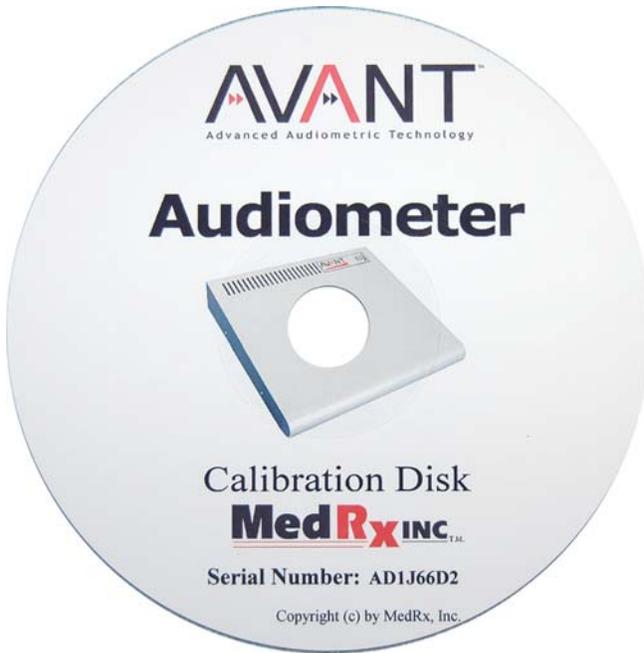
5. When this screen appears,
 - Select “Install the software automatically (recommended)”.
 - Click **Next**.



6. When the driver installation is complete, this screen will appear.
 - Click **Finish**.

Exit the Setup screen when the driver installation is finished.

Loading the Calibration

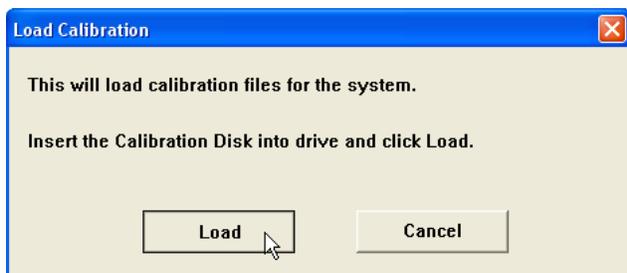


Before leaving MedRx, each Avant Audiometer is calibrated in compliance with the ANSI S3.6 standard. This calibration procedure results in a series of files that the software reads to keep the hardware in calibration. These files are supplied on a CD bearing the same serial number as your device.

The final step before using your Avant to evaluate hearing is to load these device-specific calibration files onto the computer used to control the device.



1. With the Calibration CD in the drive, open the Avant software and click:
 - **Function**
 - **Calibrate**
 - **Load Calibration**



2. After a few seconds, the CD will "spin up" and this message will appear.
 - Click **Load**



3. When the files are finished being loaded, this message will appear.
 - Click **OK** to complete loading the calibration.

Congratulations

Your Avant Audiometer system is now set up and ready to use to perform comprehensive hearing evaluations. Please consult the Avant Audiometer Training Manual and the Interactive Help within the software for instructions and procedures. The Training Manual is included in the Avant Audiometer packaging in both paper and PDF format.

Limited Warranty

MedRx, Inc warrants the AVANT™ Audiometer to be free from defects in material and workmanship for one year from the time of purchase. If this system fails to perform as specified during this period, the purchaser is responsible for calling MedRx at (888) 392-1234. The company's representative will advise the owner to either return specific components or the entire system to:

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MedRx will repair or replace any defective parts, fully test the system and/or components and ship the system promptly back to the owner. There is no cost for this warranty service, provided the system is one year old or less and has not been misused, abused or damaged. Such damage includes, but is not limited to, dropping, exposure to excessive heat greater than 100°F and water/liquid damage.

Repair or replacement of the system as provided under this warranty is the sole and exclusive remedy of the purchaser. MedRx shall not be liable for any consequential or incidental damages, or for breach of any express or implied warranty. Except to the extent of applicable law, any implied warranty, merchantability or fitness of this product is limited to the duration of this warranty.

MedRx will, at its discretion, service and repair out of warranty components at the purchaser's request, charging for parts and labor as necessary.

The limited warranty is deemed void if software or hardware is installed on the AVANT™ Audiometer which is not pre-approved by MedRx, Inc. Approved software includes NOAH™ and HIMSA approved hearing aid manufacturer programming modules for fitting hearing aids.

MedRx, Inc is not responsible for problems resulting from installation of unapproved software or hardware. In the event of unapproved software or hardware installed on the system causing a conflict with the AVANT™ Audiometer functions, MedRx will service the problem for a fee to be determined at the time of service.

Consult your MedRx Technical support member for other alternatives for back up.