

BrainMaster

3.4 Software

Quick Installation Guide

Windows Vista and Windows 7

Version

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The BrainMaster 3.0 Software is installed using the online distribution found at:

<http://www.brainm.com/software/3.0>

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BrainMaster 3.4 Software Installation for Windows Vista/ 7:

IMPORTANT NOTE:

Make sure to install the software BEFORE attempting to plug in the Atlantis hardware module. Please install the software first, and then the hardware can easily be installed.

If you are installing from a computer with 2.5, 2.5SE, or 3.0, do NOT uninstall the old program from your computer until the 3.4 Software is running flawlessly.

The BrainMaster Software Update page:

<http://www.brainm.com/software/3.0>

Please refer to this web page for updates that will occur as the software is upgraded for additional functions, training capabilities, and other enhancements.

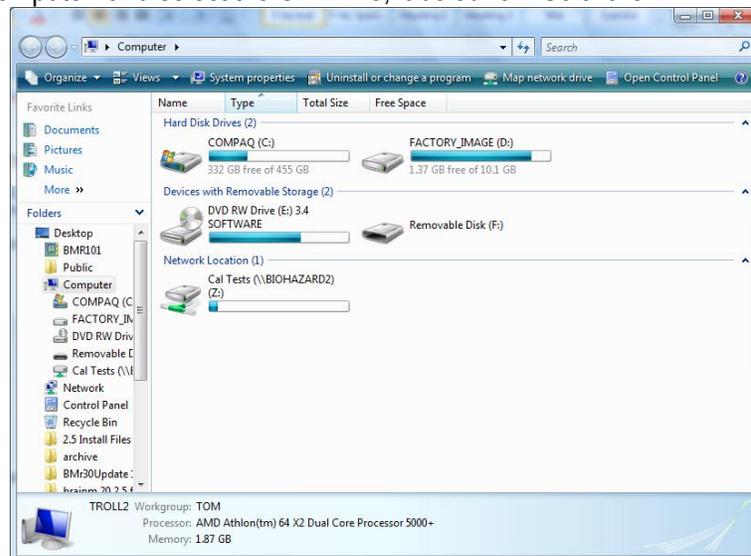
IF YOU DO NOT HAVE THE INCLUDED CD FOR THE 3.4 SOFTWARE:

Please go to your internet browser, and type in the URL: www.brainm.com/software/3.0 and proceed to step #3.

Installing from the 3.4 Installation CD:

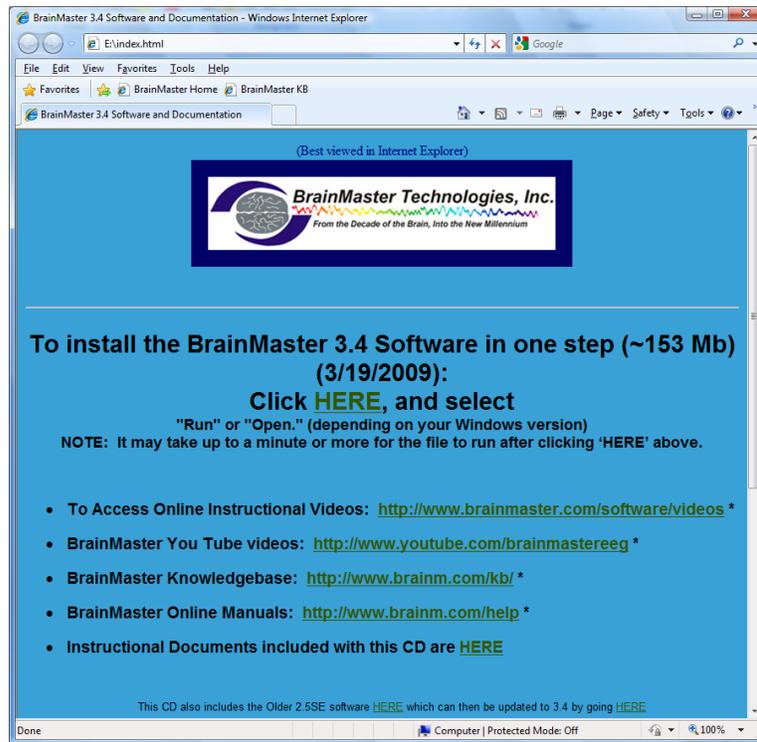
Insert the CD into the CD drive on your computer, and follow the onscreen instructions. If there are no onscreen instructions:

1. Double click on “My Computer” and select the CD Drive, labeled “3.4 Software.”

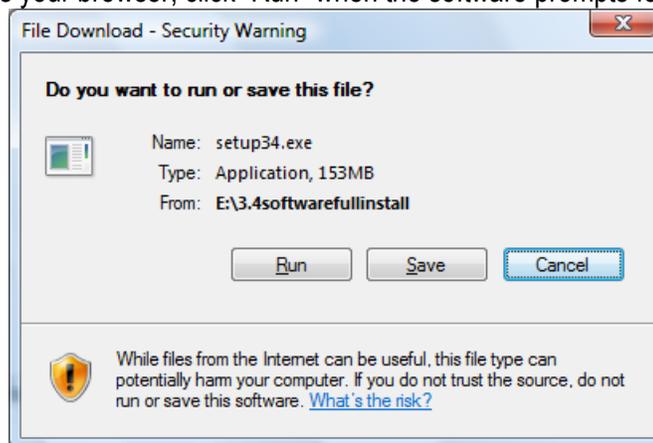


2. Right click on the CD Drive, and click “Open” or “AutoPlay.”

3. An Internet Browser should open up to install the software. Click “HERE” on the web page.

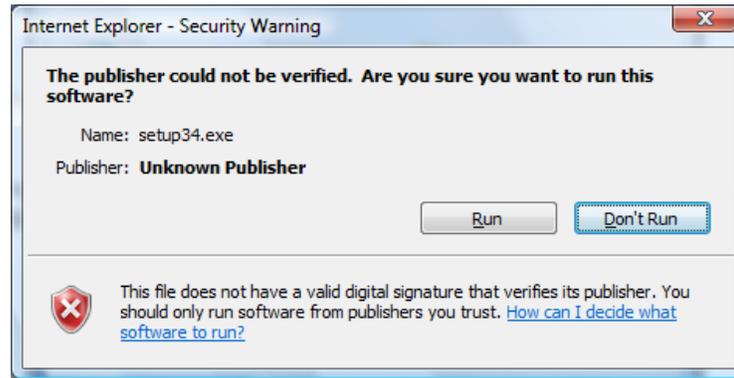


4. If using Internet Explorer as your browser, click “Run” when the software prompts for download.

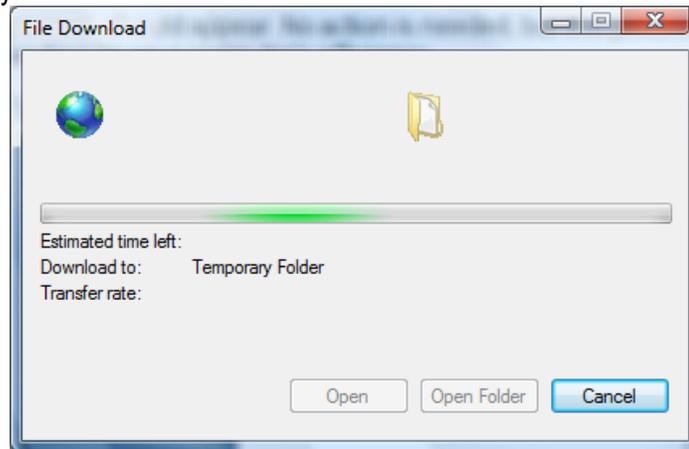


5. If using Mozilla Firefox as your browser, click “Save” when the software prompts for download, then go to your downloads window, and run the installation software from there.
6. A download progress screen will appear next and it will take several minutes to download the file, depending on your Internet connection speed.

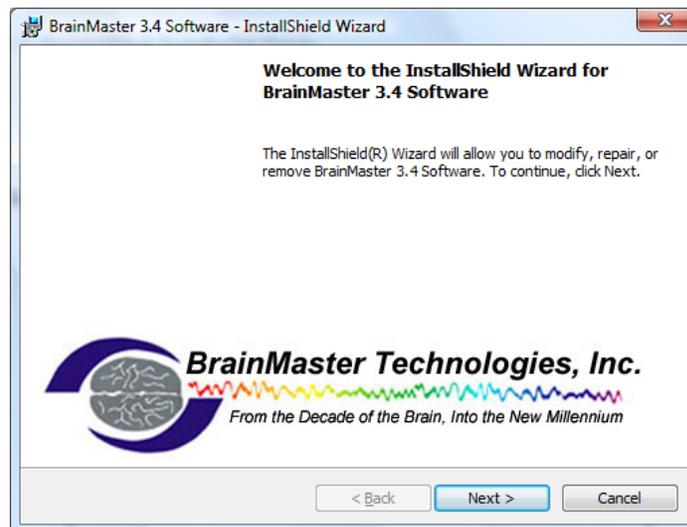
7. This is just another download allowance screen for your computer's safety. Once again, click on "Run."



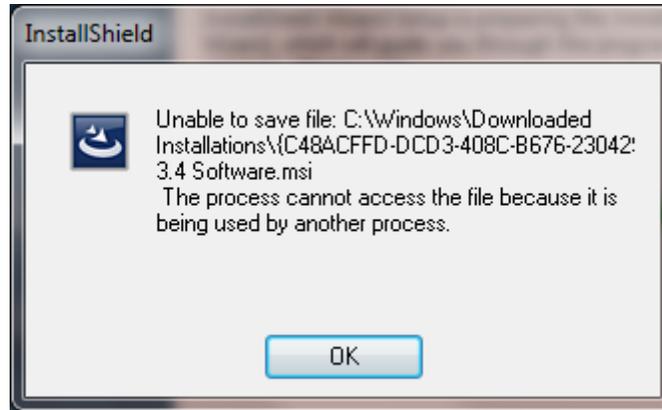
8. The following screen should appear. No action is needed, but this process may take a few minutes, depending on your computer's efficiency.



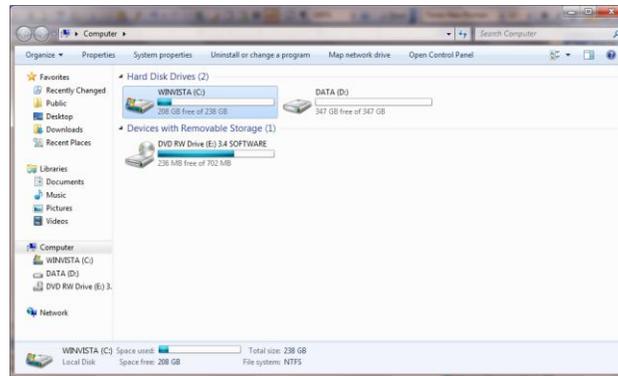
9. After a brief time, the following screen should appear. Click "Next."



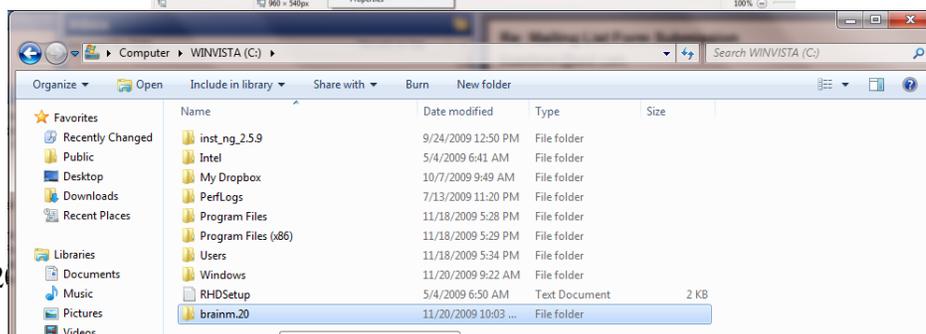
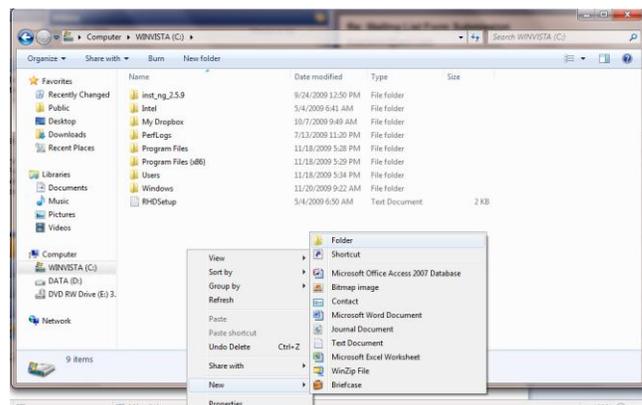
10. If you are given this error message, follow the next steps. If you do not, click "Finish."



1. Click "Ok," and keep ALL of the installation screens running. On your Desktop, click on "Start, " and go to "Computer," and double click on the C: drive.

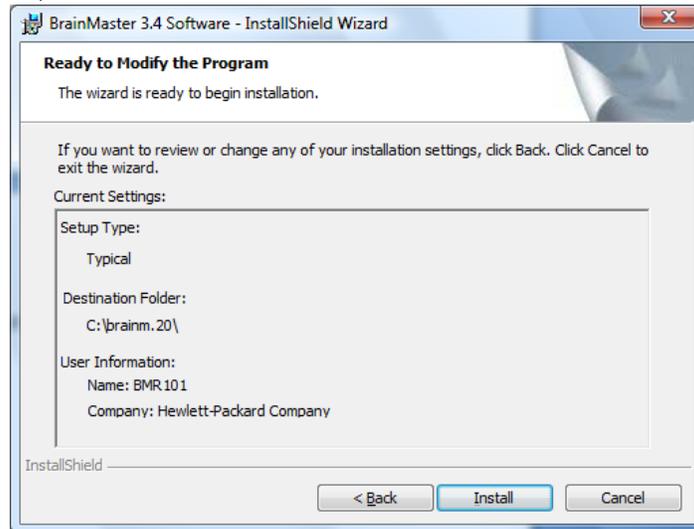


2. Right click in the white area of the window, and choose "New," then "Folder." Name the folder **brainm.20** exactly as it appears in bold.

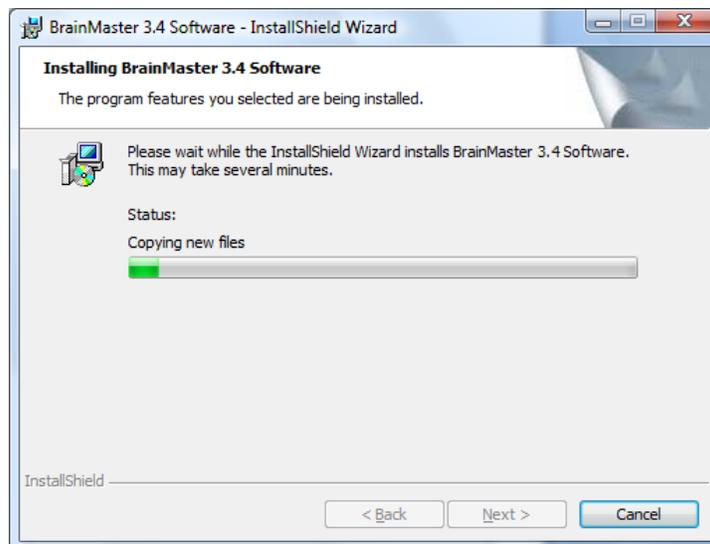


3. Return to your installation screen, and choose the file path "C:/brainm.20" that you just created. If the folder you created does not appear, just click on the C: drive, and the software will find the folder you created automatically; Click "Ok."

- When you see this screen, click "Install" to continue.

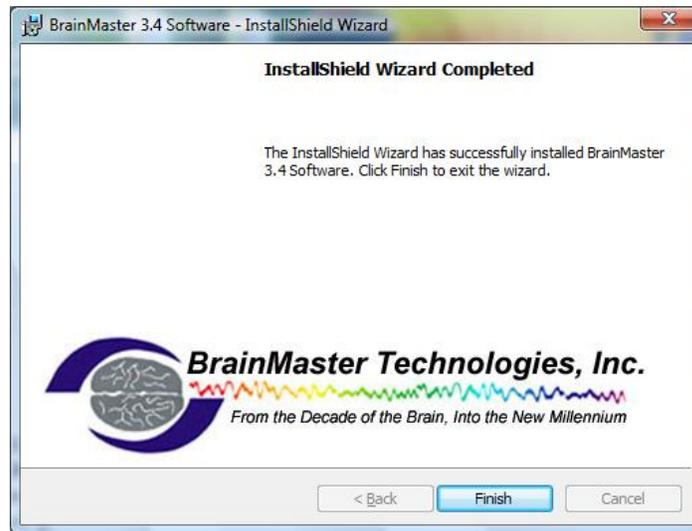


- A progress screen should appear for the installation. It should only take a few minutes.

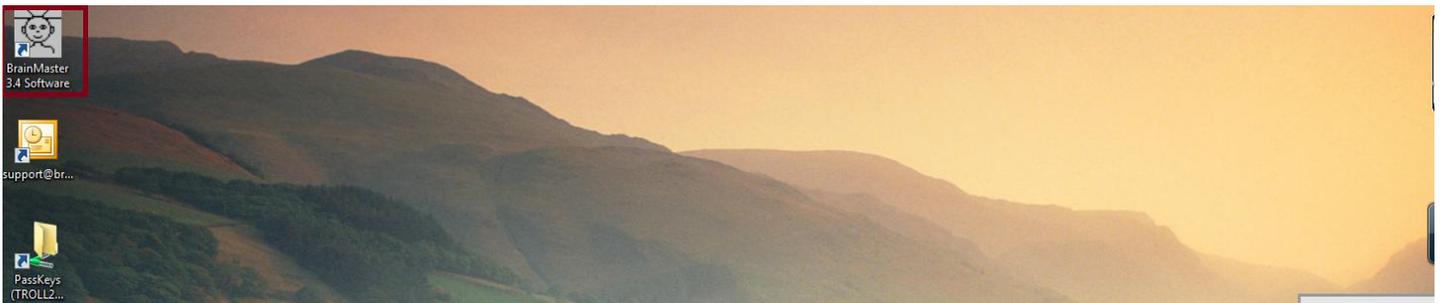


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- When you see the final installation screen, click “Finish.” The new 3.0 Software is now installed.



The 3.4 Core software is now installed. It is **NOT** necessary to restart your computer. At this point, check to see that you have a shortcut on your desktop to verify that the software installed correctly.



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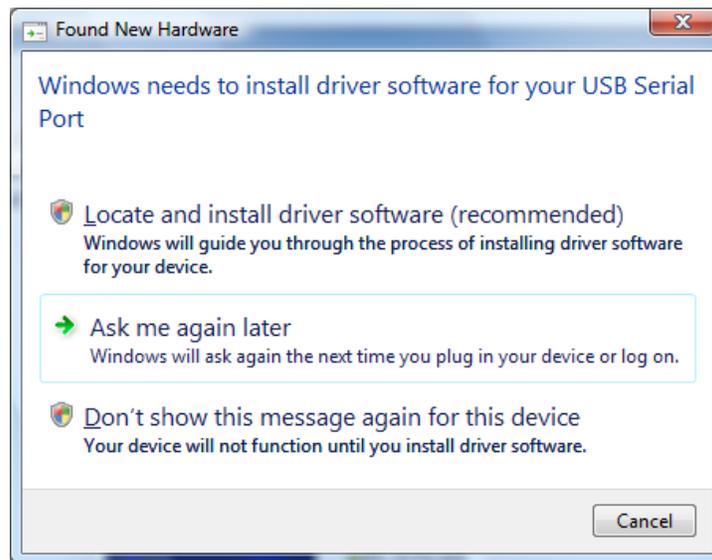


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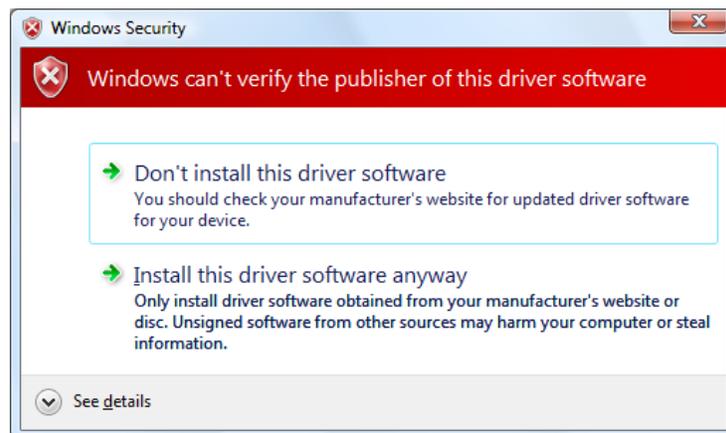


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- This step will open the "Found New Hardware Wizard." When you see this window, click on "Locate and install driver software (recommended)."

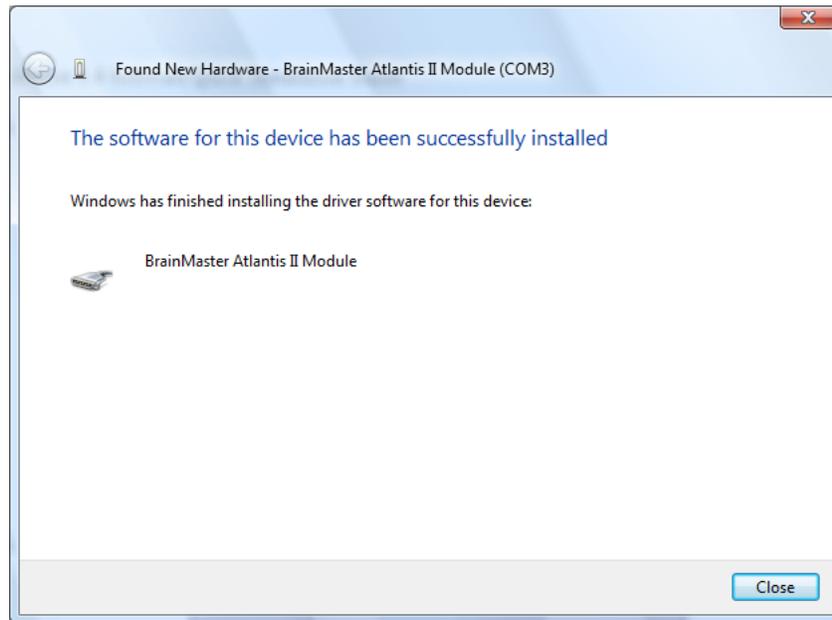


- Your computer will now scan the hard disks and CD drive to see if it can locate the drivers itself. A new screen will appear. This driver will NOT harm your computer. Click "Install this driver software anyway."



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5. The computer will now automatically install the driver from the Installation CD. When this screen appears, you have successfully installed the driver for your Atlantis Module.



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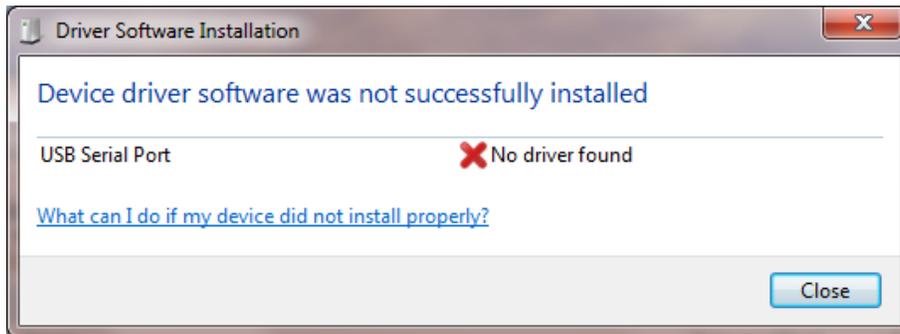


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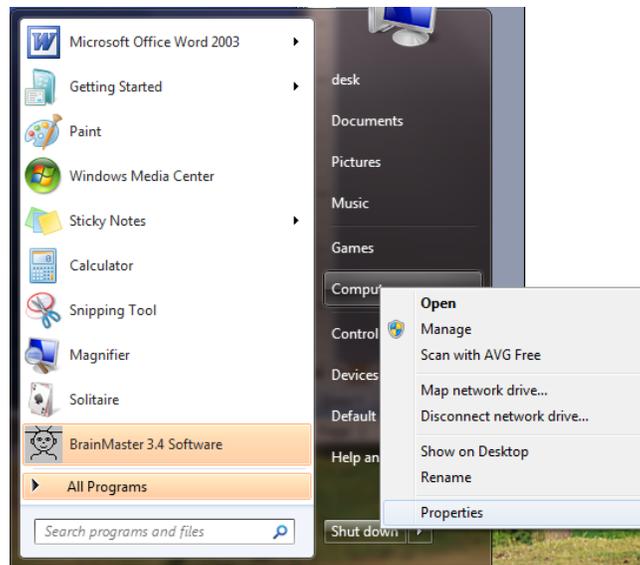


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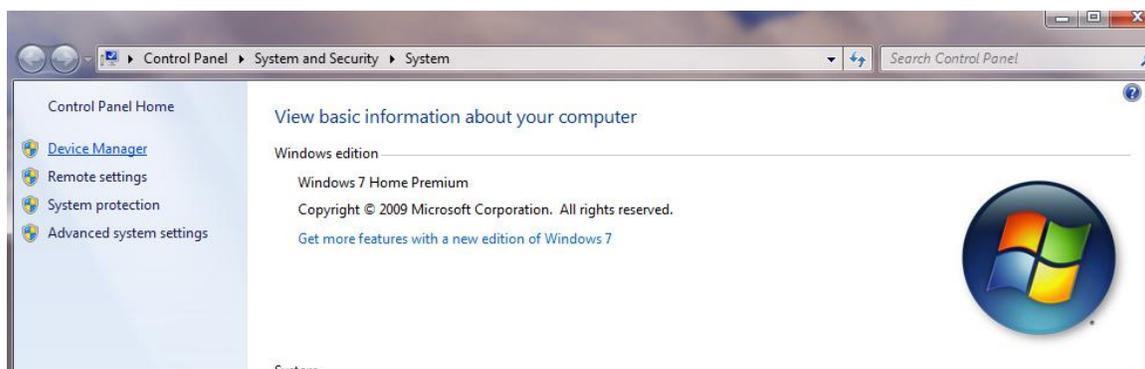
3. The next window will appear, and you can simply close out of it. Windows 7 automatically installs many common drivers, but does not automatically install the BrainMaster Module hardware drivers.



4. Go to your Start button, and right-click on Computer, and then choose "Properties."

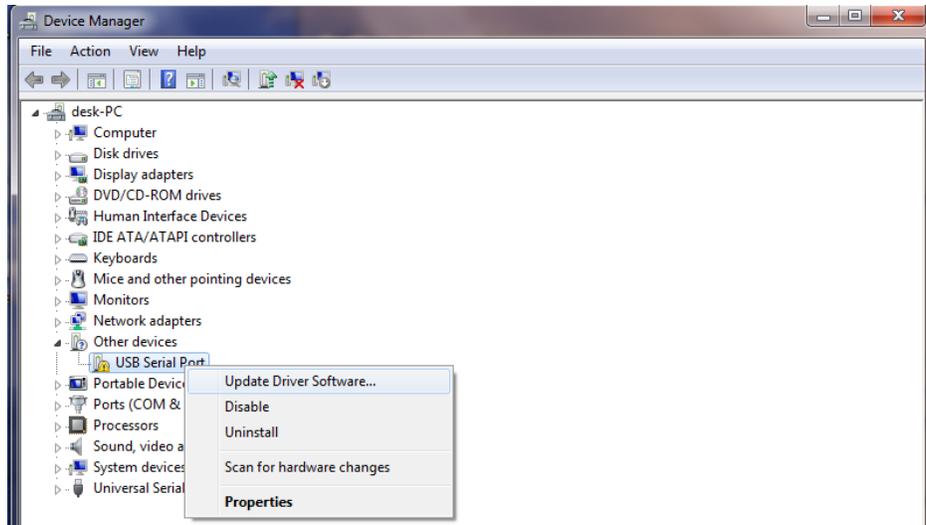


5. A new window will open; choose "Device Manager" in the top left corner.



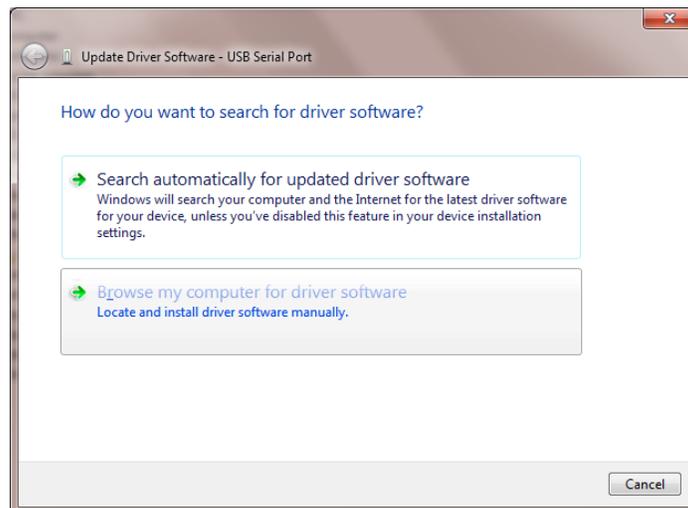
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6. Another window will open. Select "Other Devices" and you should see the following:



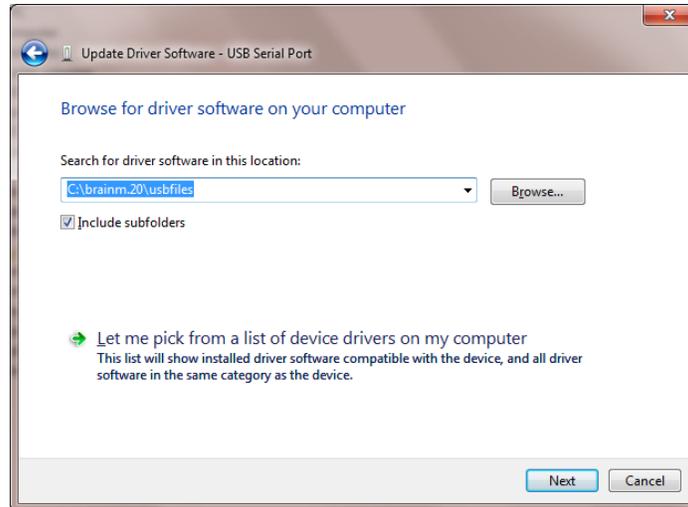
Right click on the unidentified USB Serial Port, and click "Update Driver Software..."

7. A new window will open; Choose "Browse my computer for driver software."

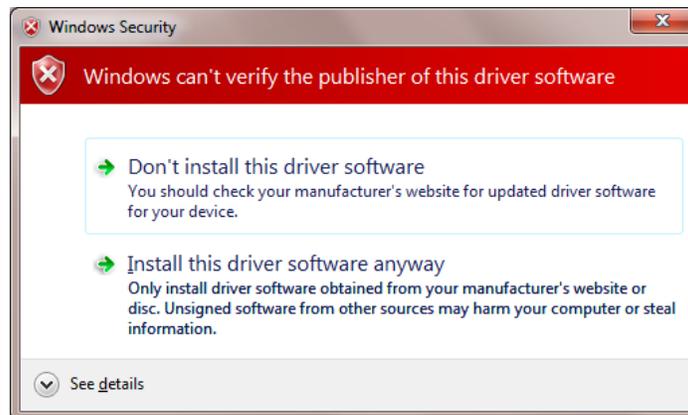


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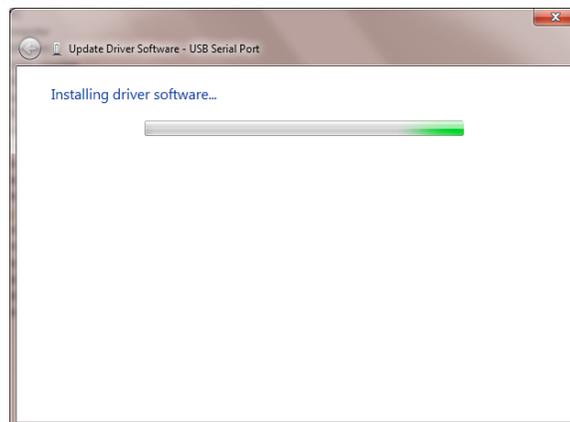
8. Click "Browse" and choose the file path "C:\brainm.20\usbfiles." Click "Next."



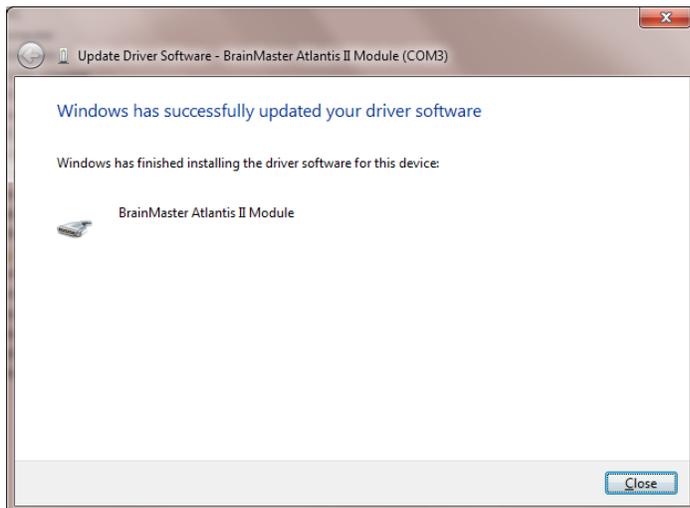
9. Windows Security will appear; click "Install this driver software anyway." This will not harm your computer.



10. Your computer will now install the driver software.



11. The following screen will appear, and now you can properly set your COM Port. The instructions for identifying and setting the COM Port is outlined on the next page.



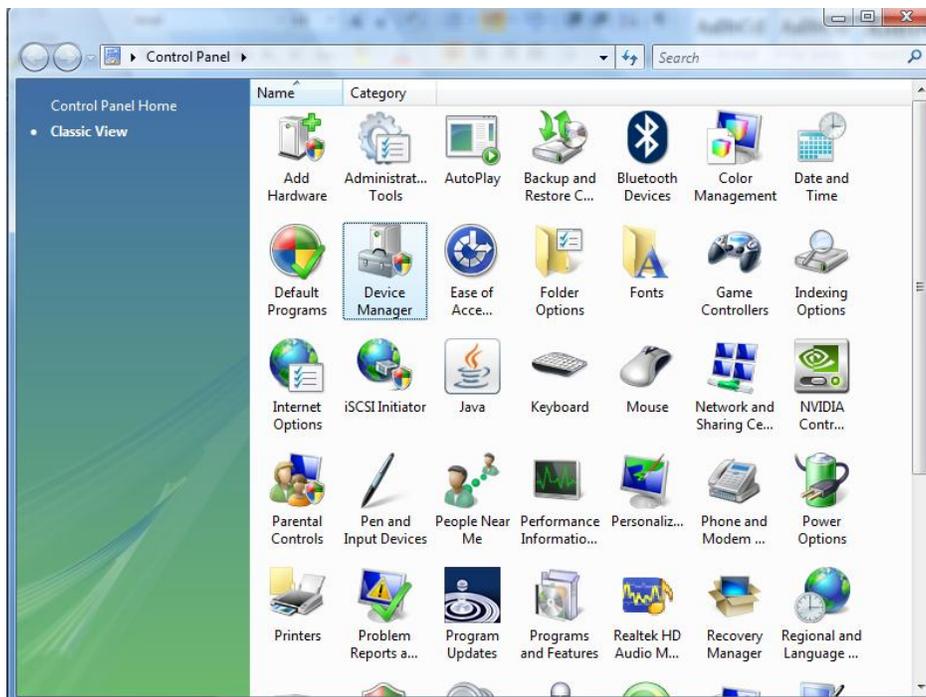
IDENTIFYING COM PORTS AND SETUP THROUGH THE SOFTWARE:

The next necessary step is to identify which COM Port the hardware has been assigned to in order to run the BrainMaster Software.

1. Click on the Start Menu, and click on “Control Panel.”

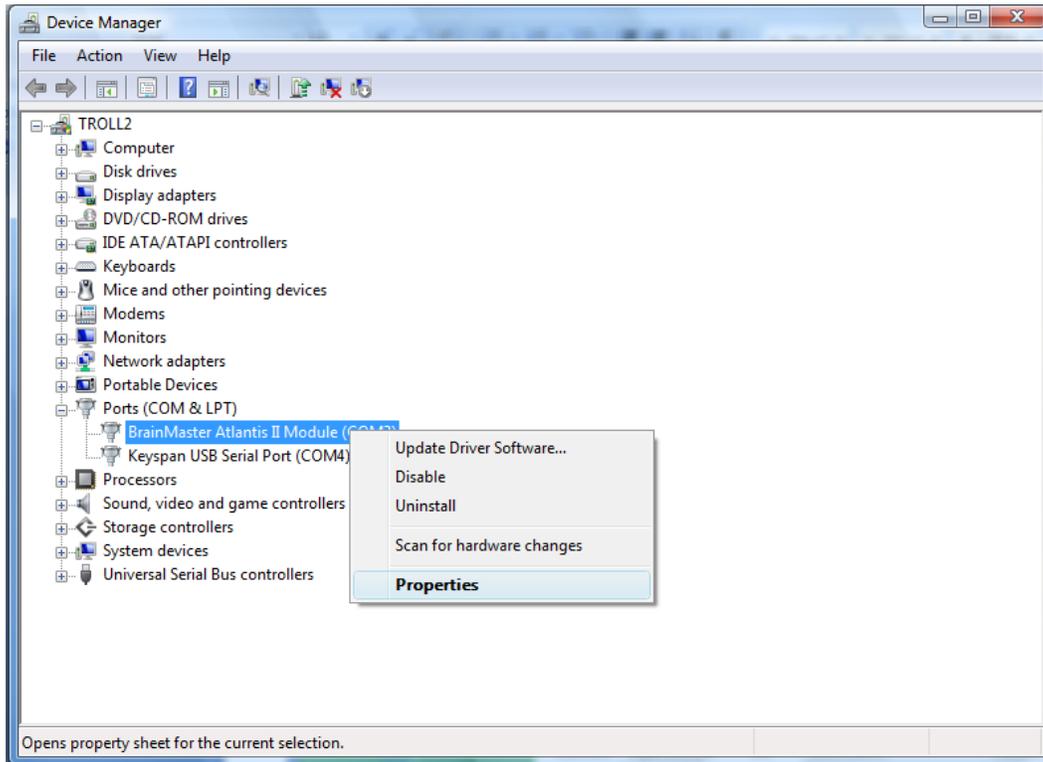


2. A new window will open. In alphabetical order, find “Device Manager” and click on it.

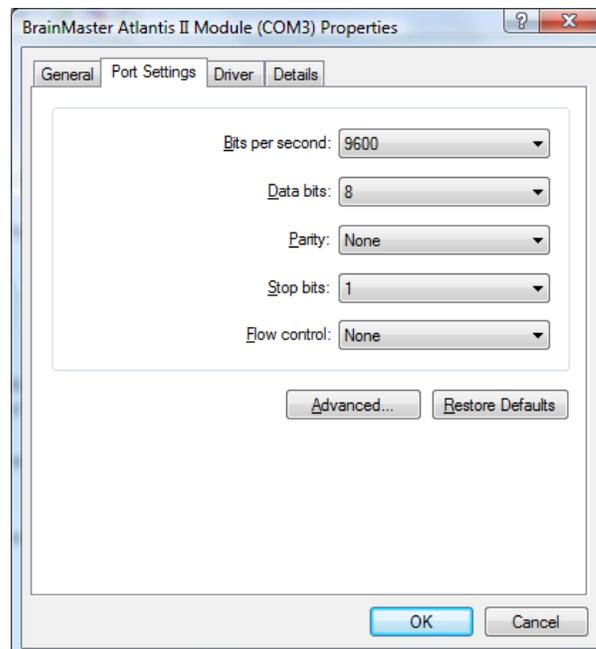


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3. Click on the (+) of the heading “Ports (COM and LPT)” and find the device named “BrainMaster Atlantis I/II Module (Com#).” Right click on the Atlantis heading, and click on “Properties.”

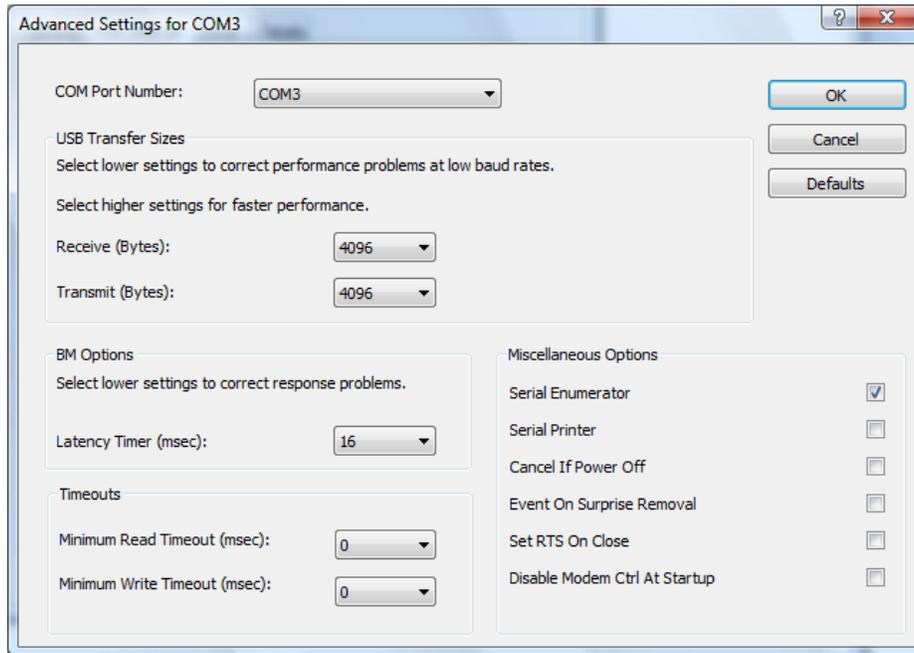


The (COM#) will tell you what COM Port the device is using. It is preferable to use 1 through 8, which is most compatible with the software. When you click Properties, a new window will appear. Click on the “Port Settings” Tab near the top of the window. Then click on the “Advanced” tab.



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- This screen enables you to change the COM Port from the one that the computer automatically selected to ensure that the BrainMaster Software is communicating with the Atlantis module. Click in the arrow down box towards the top of the page, and choose a COM Port from 3 through 8.



Click "OK" to save all of the changes. You can verify the COM Port number by following the steps once more outlined above.

When you have saved the COM Port changes, you can now Login to the BrainMaster Software, and click "Run the Next Session." On the Training/Control Screen, choose "Data in the top left corner, and choose the same COM Port number as in Device Manager. You are now ready to use the BrainMaster Software and hardware.

