HOW TO (PC) Install & Connect to VDI

System Requirements

- An active VPN connection (if off campus)

Download the installer

Navigate to **http://tinyurl.com/isu-vdi**.

Click the **Go to Downloads** link next to VMware Horizon Client for Windows making sure to choose the appropriate link based on your installed architecture of Windows (32 or 64-bit).
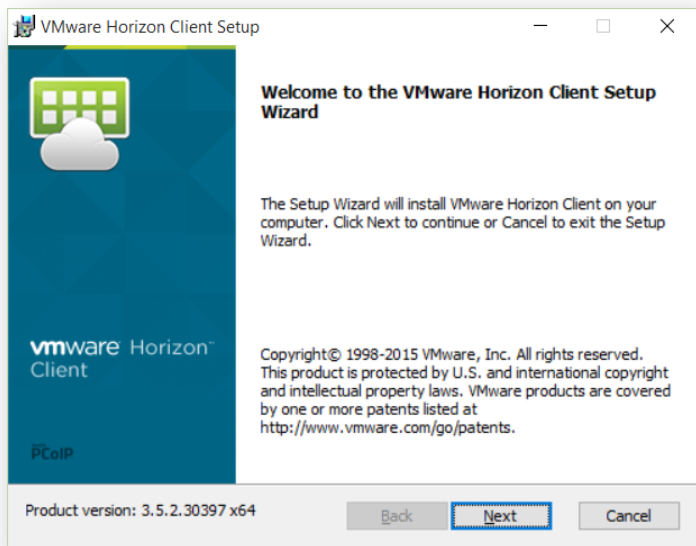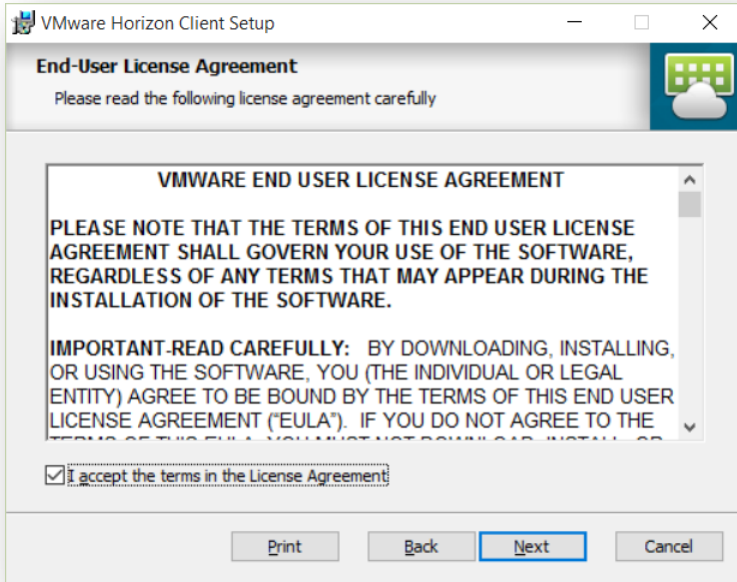
Click the **Download** button to proceed.
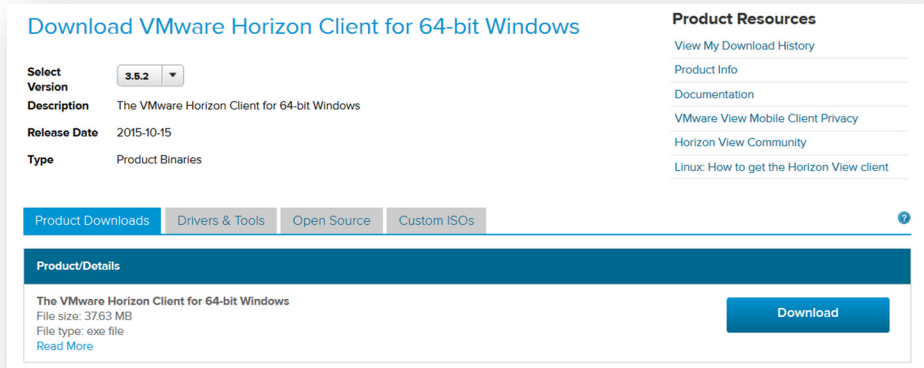
Locate the downloaded file and double-click the exe start the install process.
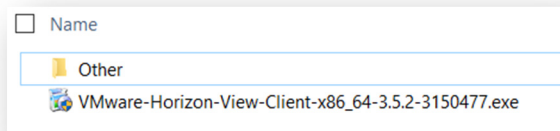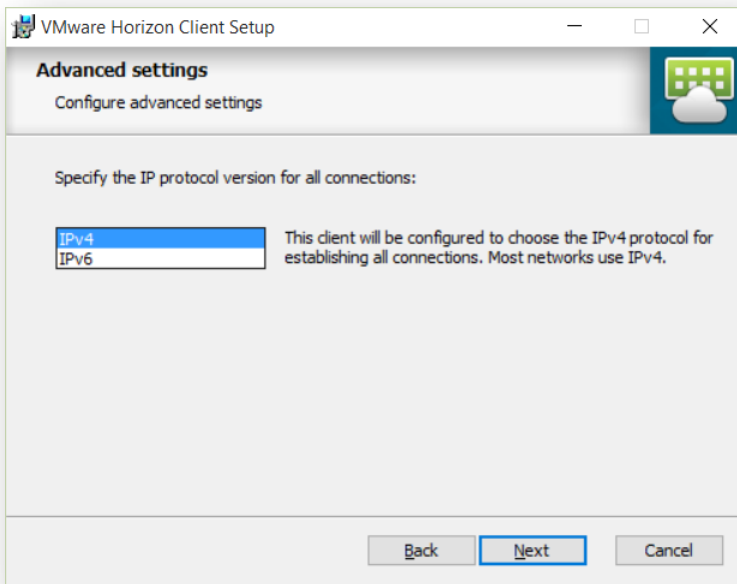

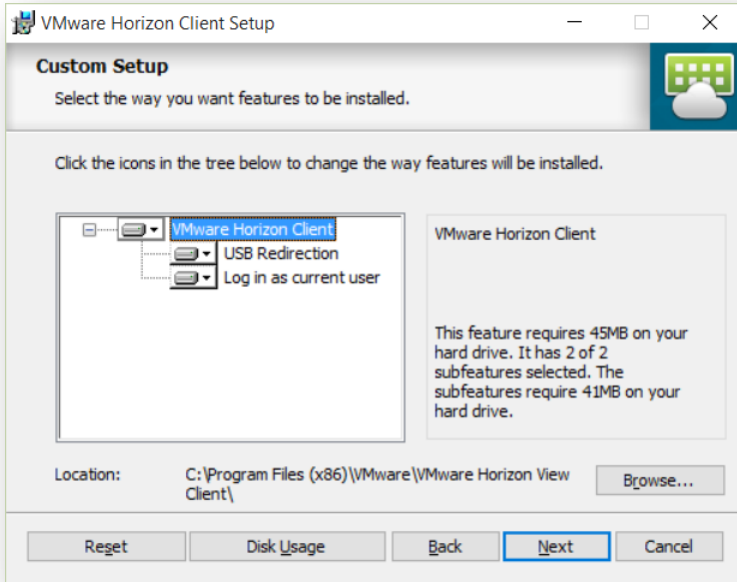Click the **Next** button to proceed.

Check the **I accept the terms in the License Agreement** checkbox then click the **Next** button to proceed.
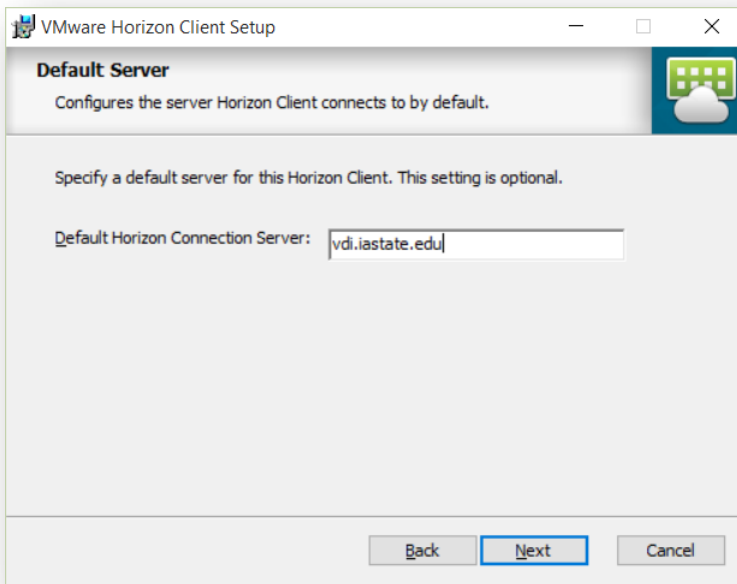

Select **IPv4** in the select box then click the **Next** button to proceed.
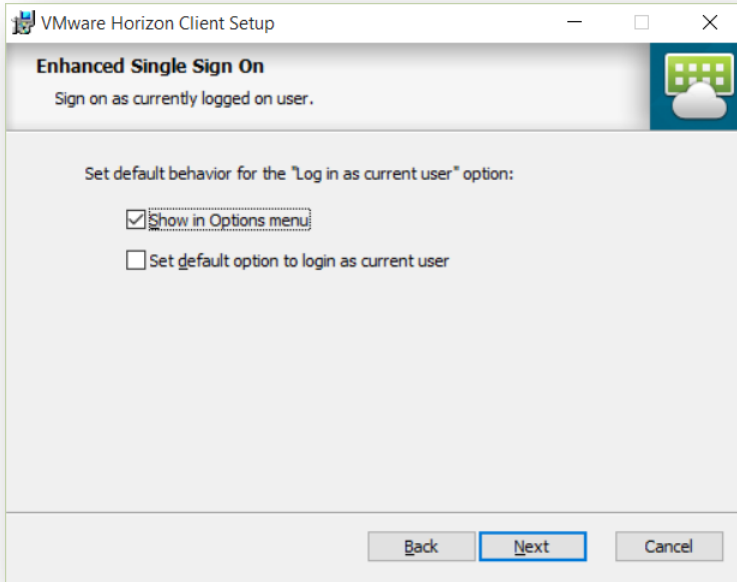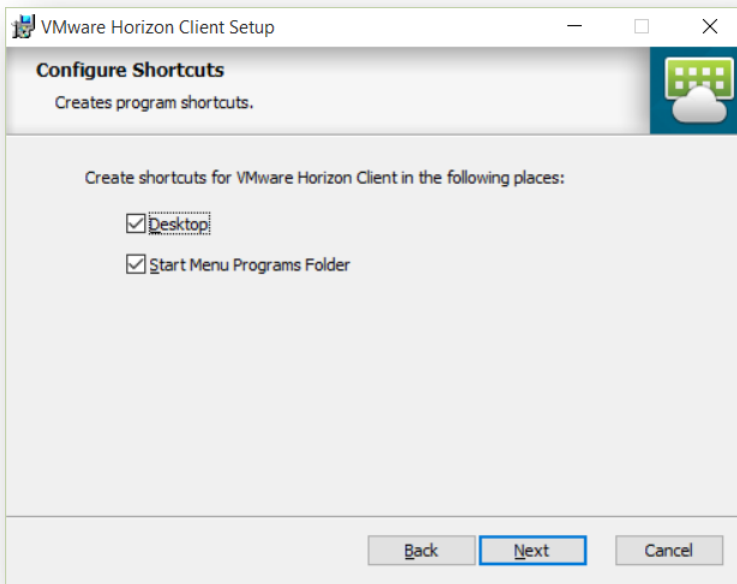
Click the **Next** button to proceed.

Enter **vdi.iastate.edu** into the **Default Horizon Connection Server** text field then click the **Next** button to proceed.
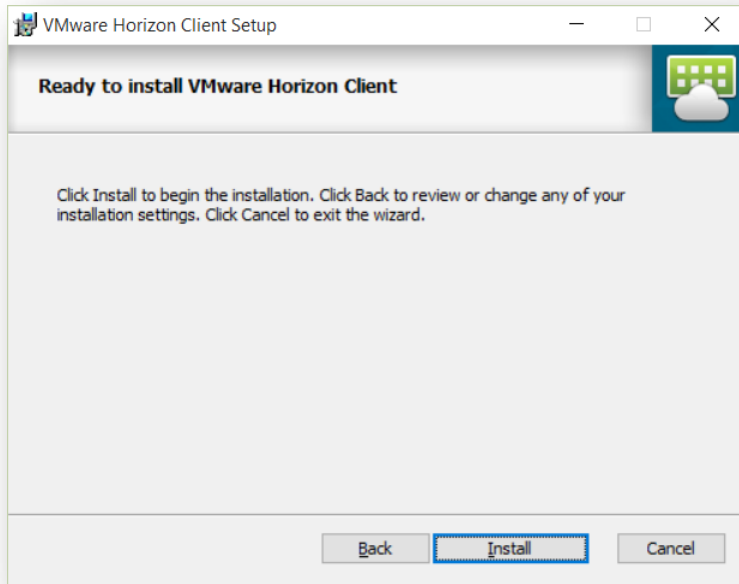
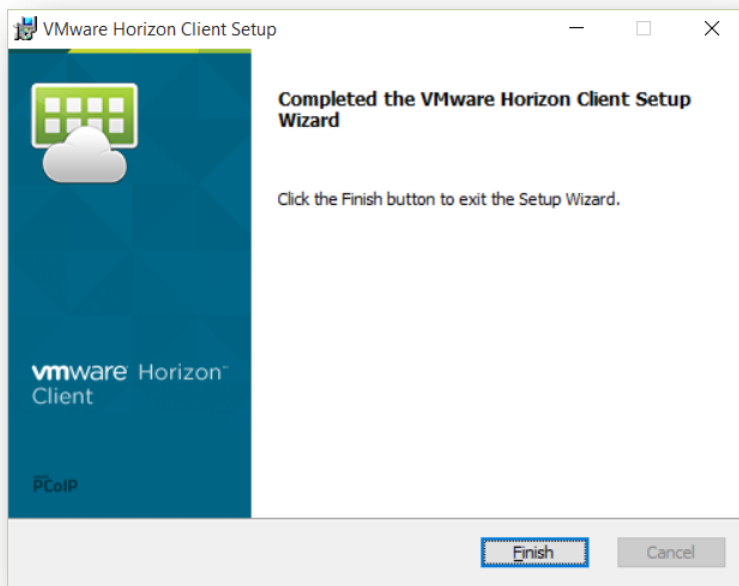Click the **Next** button to proceed.

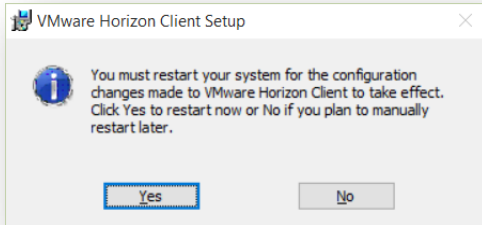Click the **Next** button to proceed.

Click the **Install** button to proceed.

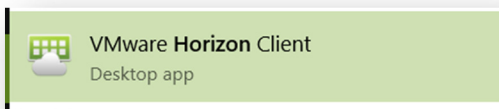Click the **Finish** button to proceed.

Click the **Yes** button to restart your computer and finish installation.
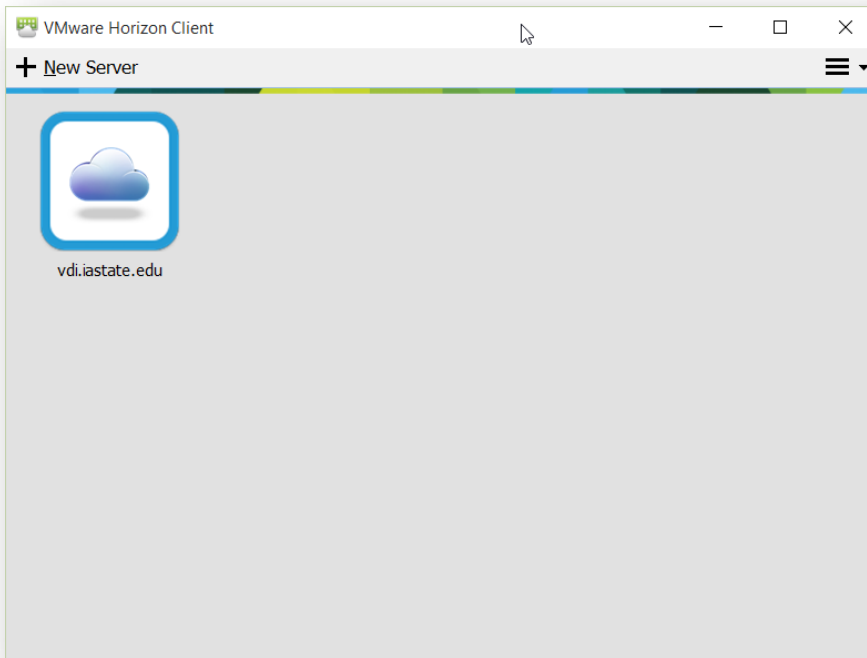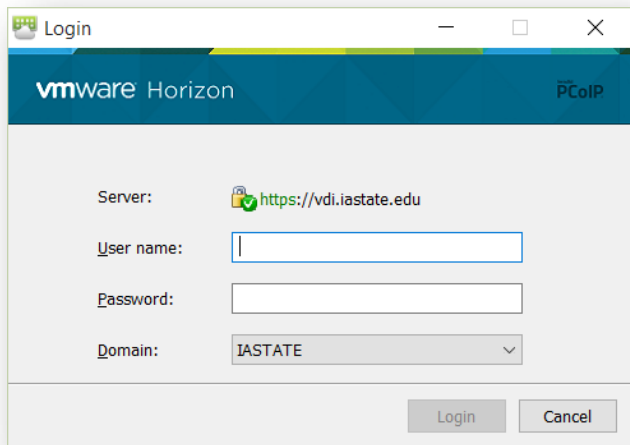

Connect to VDI

Locate and launch the **VMware Horizon Client** application to proceed.

Double-click the icon labeled **vdi.iastate.edu** to proceed.

Enter your ISU Net-ID and password in the **Username** and **Password** fields then click the **Login** button to proceed.

Double-click the **Engineering Student** icon to connect to a VDI session.