

On-premises Access Manager Suite (on-prem AMS)

Installation Quick Guide

Overview

This guide provides comprehensive instructions for installing and configuring the on-premises Access Manager Suite (on-prem AMS) software on Windows Server operating systems for examples. Please follow each section carefully to ensure a successful deployment.

1. System Requirements

1.1 Hardware Requirements

Component	Specification
CPU Processor	Core i5 2.5 GHz or faster (64-bit)
Memory	16.0 GB or higher
Hard Disk Space	50.0 GB or higher
Network Controller	100 Mbps or higher

1.2 Software Requirements

Component	Requirements
Operating System	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Windows 11 Professional (64-bit) or aboveWindows Server 2012 (64-bit) or aboveWindows Server 2016 (64-bit) or aboveWindows Server 2019 (64-bit) or aboveWindows Server 2022 (64-bit) or above
Database Server	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Microsoft SQL Server 2012 or aboveMicrosoft SQL Server 2014 or aboveMicrosoft SQL Server 2016 or aboveMicrosoft SQL Server 2019 or aboveMicrosoft Azure SQL ServerMySQL 8.0.44 or aboveOracle 11g or above
Microsoft .NET Framework	3.5.1, 4.0, 4.7 & 4.8
Supported Web Browser	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Microsoft Edge 108.0 or higherFirefox 3.5 or higherChrome 6.0 or higherSafari 5.0 or higher

2. Pre-Installation Requirements

CRITICAL: The following components must be installed before running the AMS setup.exe installer:

2.1 Required .NET Framework Versions

1. **.NET Framework 4.7.2** - From the unzipped on-prem AMS installation folder, run the following installer: \DotNetFX472\Net472-kb4054530-x86-x64-allos-enu.exe
2. **.NET Framework 4.8** - From the unzipped on-prem AMS installation folder, run the following installer: \DotNet48\NDP48-x86-x64-AllOS-ENU.exe

2.2 Install SQL Server Compact Edition, which is required for storing on-prem AMS configuration and license information.

Install both 32-bit and 64-bit versions from the unzipped on-prem AMS installation folder

- SSCERuntime-ENU.msi (32-bit)
- SSCERuntime-ENU-x64.msi (64-bit)

2.3 MS SQL Server Express & Management Studio

Install the following for back-end on-prem AMS database configuration:

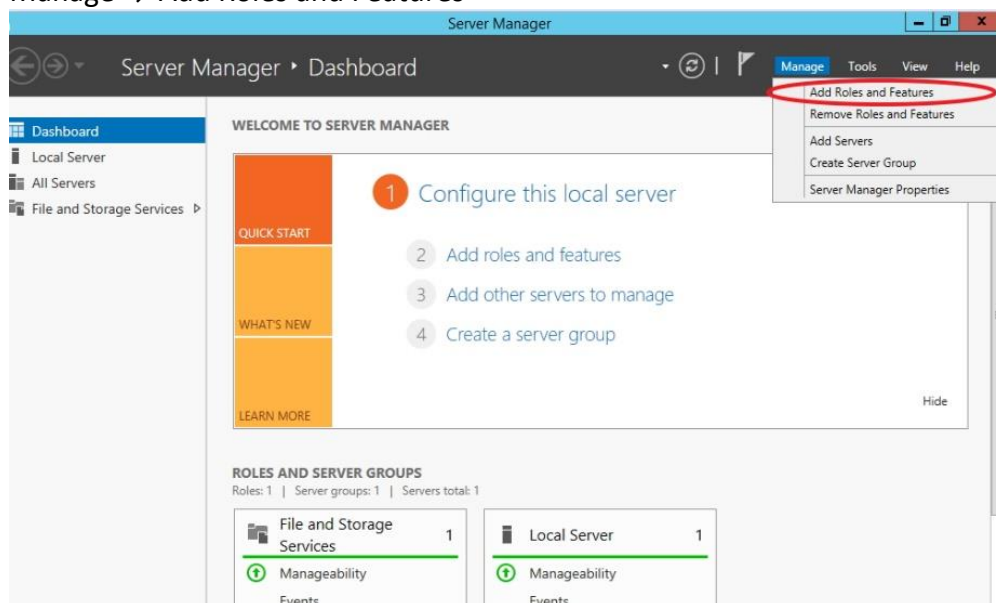
- MS SQL Server Express 2019 or above
- MS SQL Management Studio

3. IIS Web Server Configuration

CRITICAL: IIS web server features and sub-features must be enabled before running setup.exe

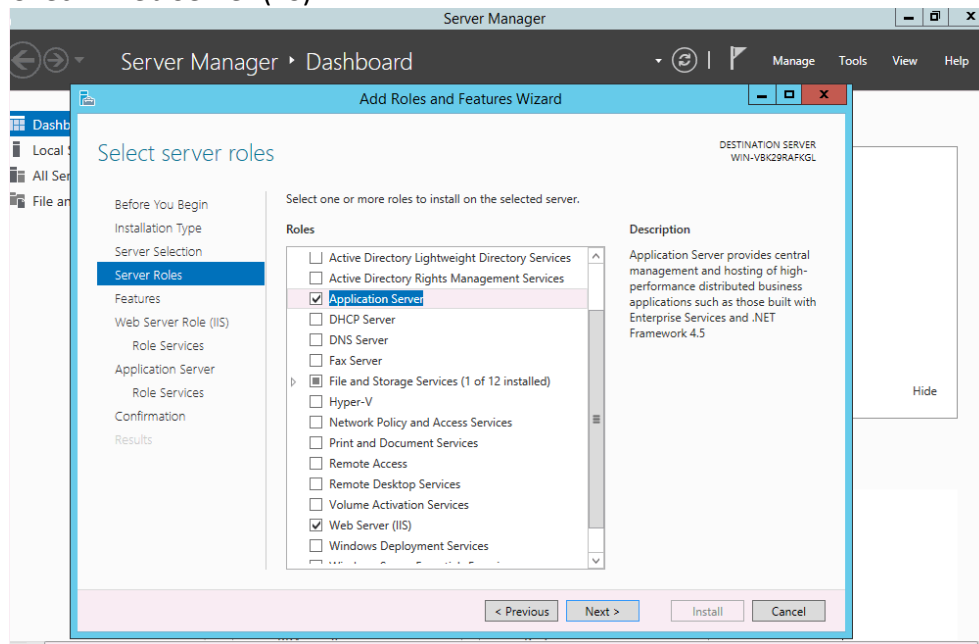
3.1 Installing IIS Roles and Features

3. **Open Server Manager** and click
 - o Manage → Add Roles and Features



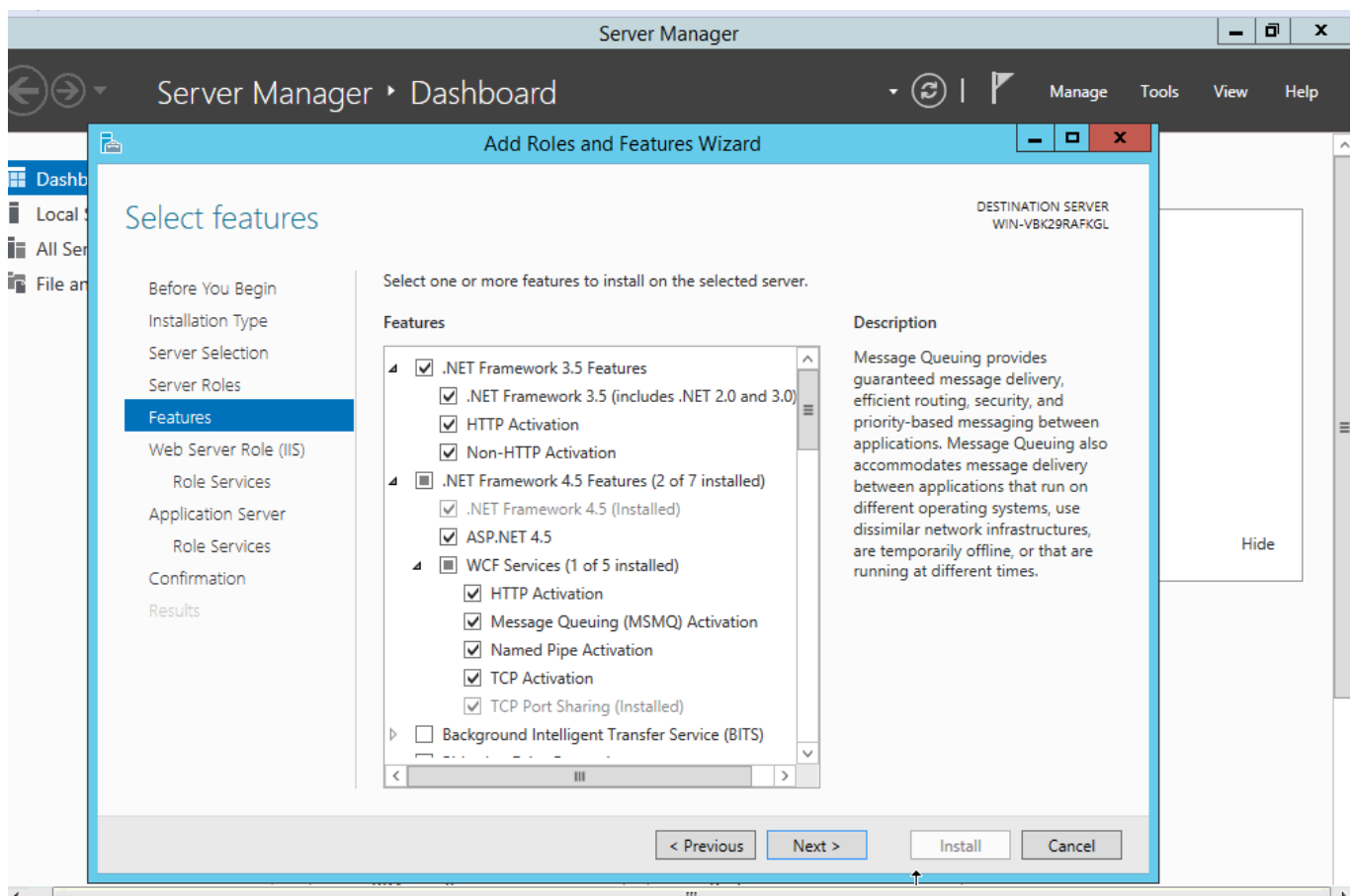
4. Select Server Roles

- Check: Application Server
- Check: Web Server (IIS)



5. Configure Features - Select the following:

- .NET Framework 3.5 Features
- .NET Framework 3.5 (includes .NET 2.0 and 3.0)
- HTTP Activation
- Non-HTTP Activation
- .NET Framework 4.5 Features
- .NET Framework 4.5 (Installed)
- ASP.NET 4.5
- WCF Services
- HTTP Activation
- Message Queuing (MSMQ) Activation
- Named Pipe Activation
- TCP Activation

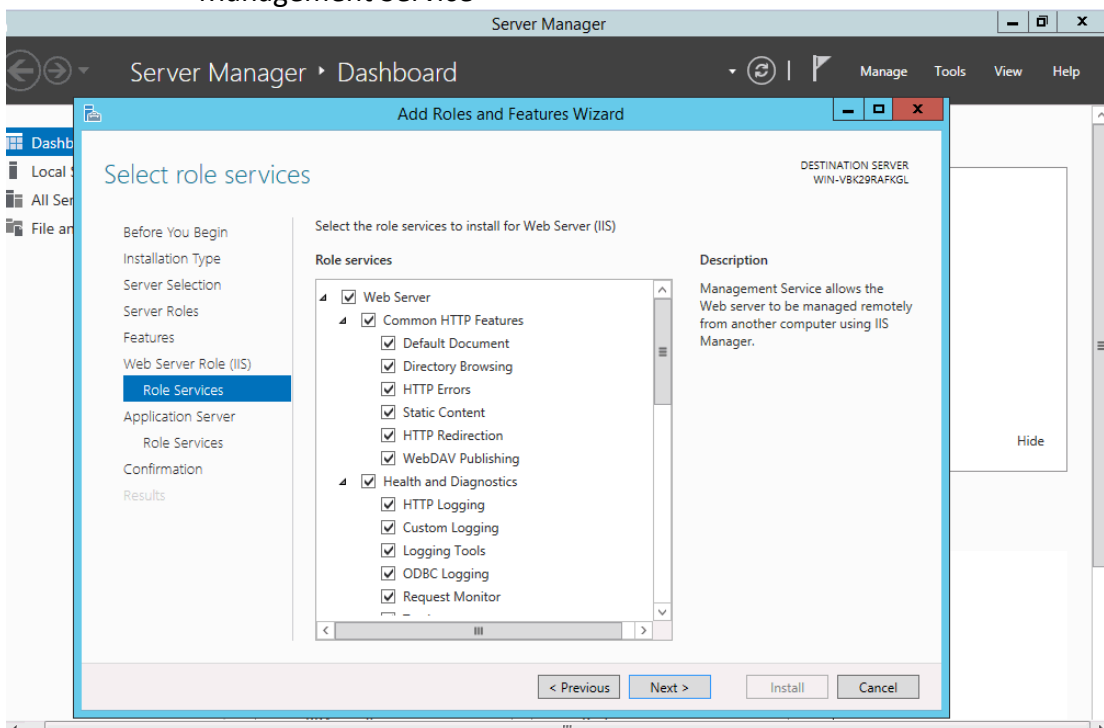


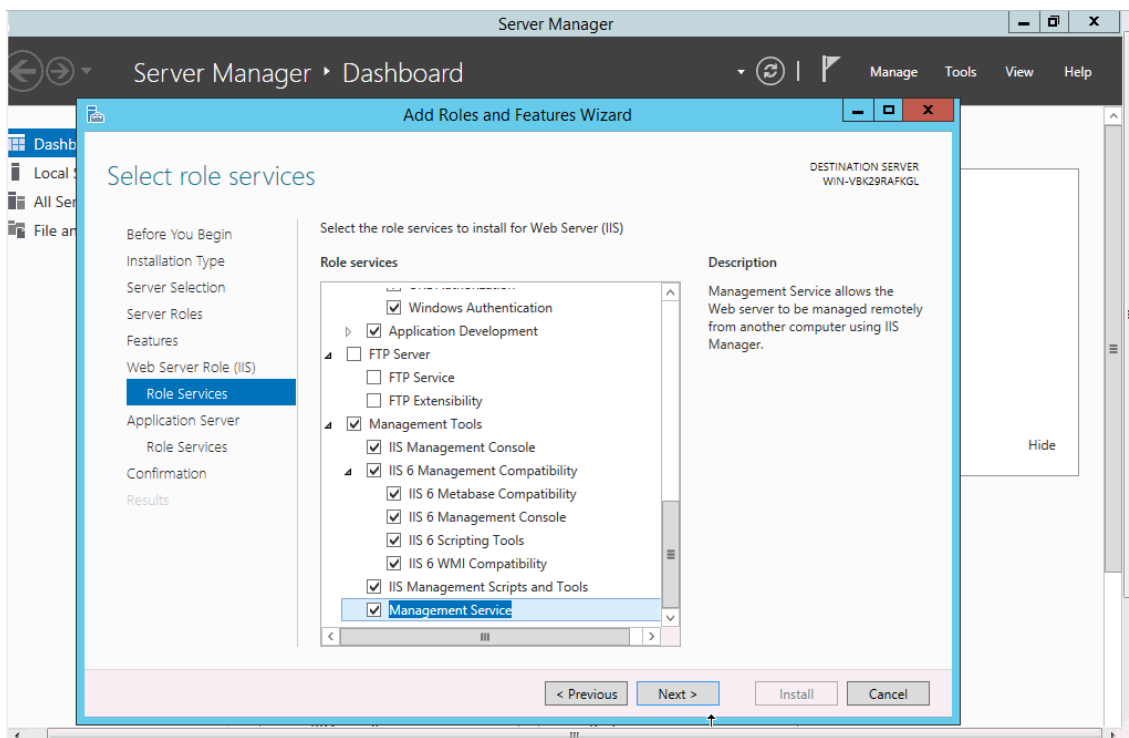
3.2 Web Server Role Services

Under Web Server (IIS) → Role Services, enable the following:

- **Common HTTP Features**
 - Default Document
 - Directory Browsing
 - HTTP Errors
 - Static Content
 - HTTP Redirection
 - WebDAV Publishing
- **Health and Diagnostics**
 - HTTP Logging
 - Custom Logging
 - Logging Tools
 - ODBC Logging
 - Request Monitor
- **Performance**
 - Static Content Compression
 - Dynamic Content Compression
- **Security**
 - Request Filtering
 - Basic Authentication
 - Centralized SSL Certificate Support

- Client Certificate Mapping Authentication
- Digest Authentication
- IIS Client Certificate Mapping Authentication
- IP and Domain Restrictions
- URL Authorization
- Windows Authentication
- **Application Development**
 - .NET Framework 4.5
 - Application Development
- **Management Tools**
 - IIS Management Console
 - IIS 6 Management Compatibility
 - IIS 6 Metabase Compatibility
 - IIS 6 Management Console
 - IIS 6 Scripting Tools
 - IIS 6 WMI Compatibility
 - IIS Management Scripts and Tools
 - Management Service

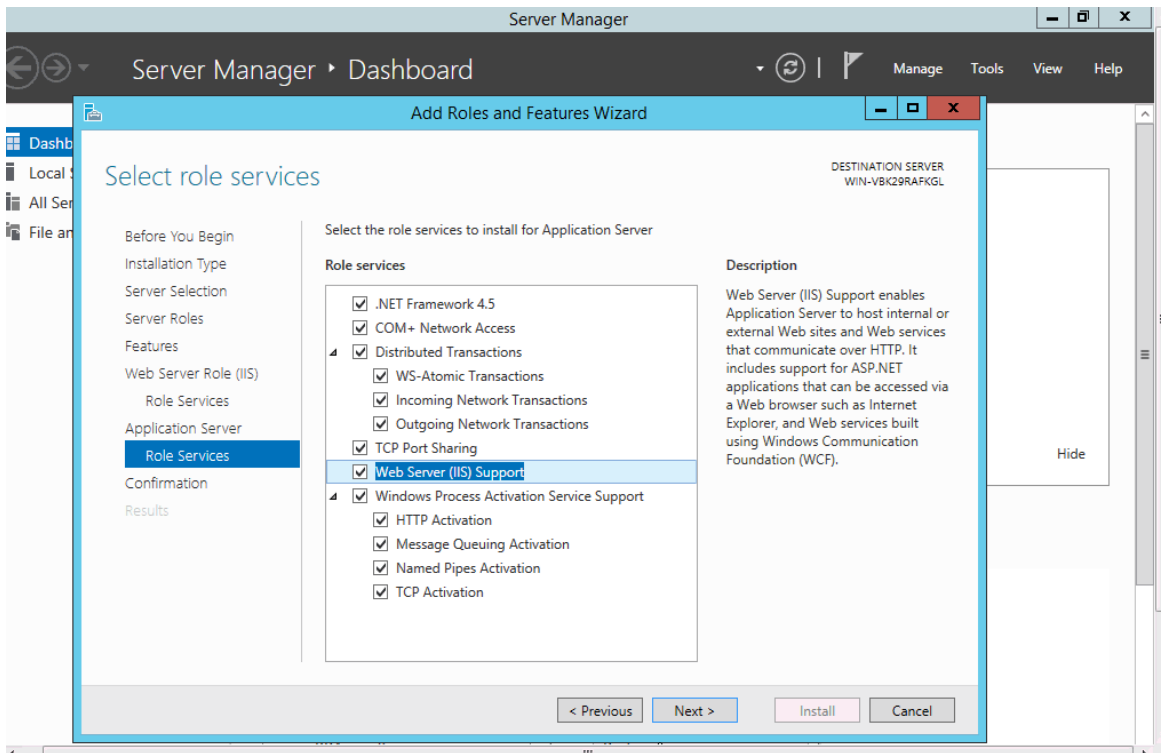




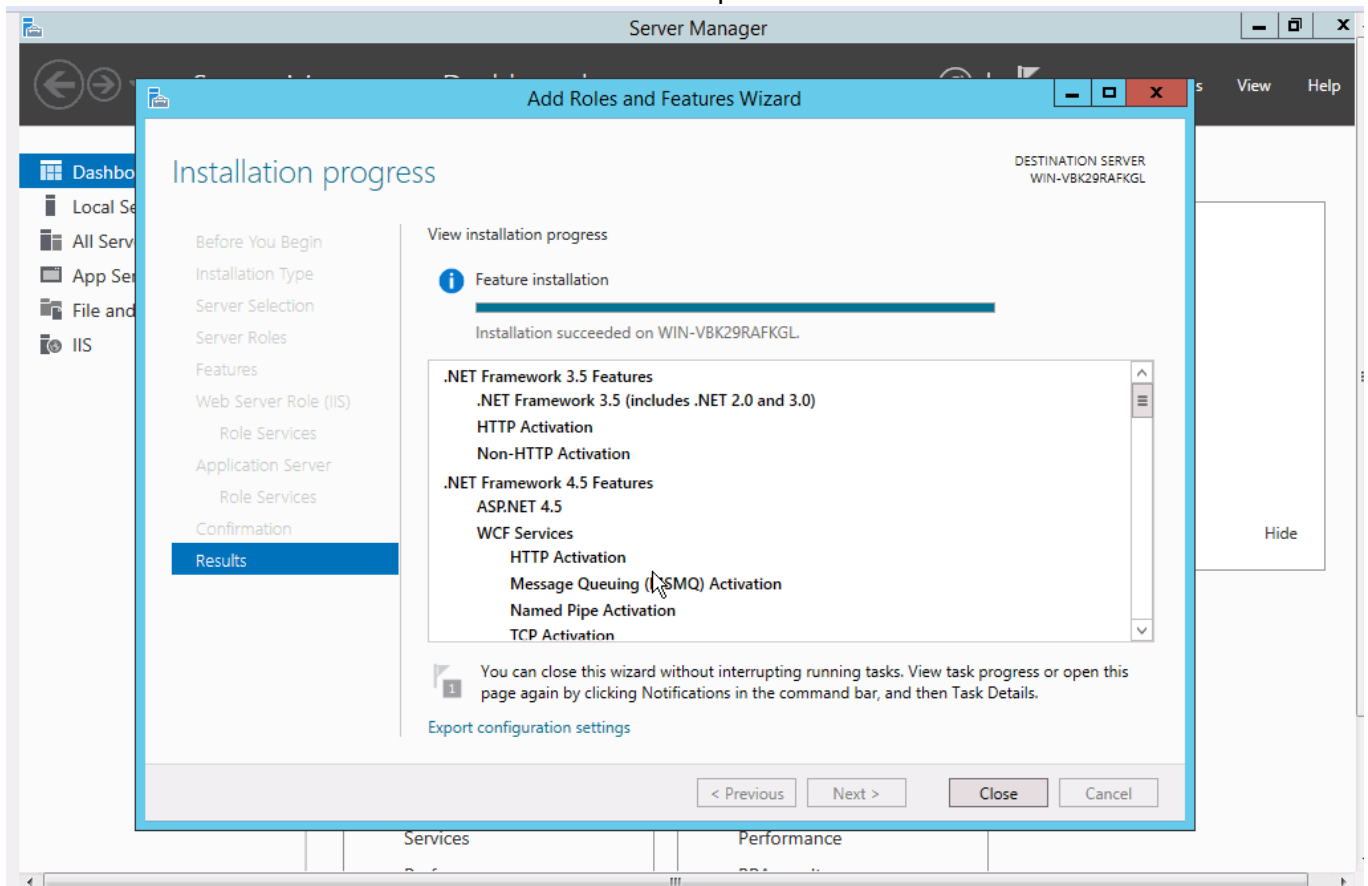
3.3 Application Server Role Services

Under Application Server → Role Services, enable:

- .NET Framework 4.5
- COM+ Network Access
- Distributed Transactions
 - WS-Atomic Transactions
 - Incoming Network Transactions
 - Outgoing Network Transactions
- TCP Port Sharing
- Web Server (IIS) Support
- Windows Process Activation Service Support
 - HTTP Activation
 - Message Queuing Activation
 - Named Pipes Activation
 - TCP Activation



6. Click **Install** and wait for the installation to complete



4. Firewall Configuration

Ensure the following ports are open in Windows Firewall to allow inbound and outbound access to the on-prem AMS:

- **Port 80 (HTTP)** - Required for web access
- **Port 443 (HTTPS)** - Required if HTTPS support is needed

Important: Verify that Windows Firewall or third-party antivirus software (Norton, McAfee, ESET) does not block these default IIS web server ports.

5. On-prem AMS Installation

7. **Verify Prerequisites:** Confirm all components from Section 2 are installed
8. **Verify IIS Configuration:** Confirm all IIS features from Section 3 are enabled
9. **Run AMS Installer:** Locate and double-click
 - **setup.exe** from the on-prem AMS installation package
10. **Follow Installation Wizard:** Complete all prompts in the installation wizard
11. **Configure Database Connection:** When prompted, configure the connection to your MS SQL Server database using SQL Management Studio

6. Post-Installation Configuration

6.1 Set Folder Permissions

After installation completes, run the permission configuration script as Administrator:

12. Navigate to the unzipped on-prem AMS installation folder
13. Right-click
 - **AMS_Set_Folder_Permission.bat**
14. Select
 - **Run as Administrator**

This script configures permissions for the following folders:

- C:\inetpub\wwwroot\AccessManager\Images
- C:\inetpub\wwwroot\AccessManager\SilverApp
- C:\ProgramData\Actatek\AccessManager

7. ACTatek Device Configuration

Important Safety Notice: During device system backup or registration, the device will be temporarily out of service under system maintenance mode. **Please keep the door left open if this is for access control installation.**

7.1 Pre-Registration Steps

15. **Perform System Backup:** Complete device system backup before device registration with on-prem AMS
16. **Verify Terminal Clock:** Ensure the device's Terminal Clock settings are correctly configured and the date/time is up-to-date
17. **Configure IP Settings:** Verify the device's IP settings are correct so it can communicate with the on-prem AMS server

7.2 On-prem AMS Endpoint Configuration

Configure the on-prem AMS Endpoint URL on each device:

Navigate to the device's **[Access Client Setup]** page

18. Enter the on-prem AMS Endpoint URL:

- *http://[AMS_Server_IP or domain name]/AccessServer/AccessService.asmx*

19. Replace

- *[AMS_Server_IP] or [domain name]* with your actual on-prem AMS server IP address or domain name

20. Click [Set] and [Register] button to start the device registration with on-prem AMS. Wait for the device registration process finished.

8. Common Troubleshooting

8.1 Installation Failures

Issue: Setup.exe fails to install

Solution:

- Verify all .NET Framework versions are installed (Section 2.1)
- Ensure IIS is fully configured (Section 3)
- Check Windows Event Viewer for detailed error messages

8.2 Web Access Issues

Issue: Cannot access AMS web interface

Solution:

- Verify ports 80 and 443 are open in Windows Firewall
- Check antivirus software is not blocking IIS
- Verify IIS is running in Services (services.msc)

8.3 Device Communication Issues

Issue: Devices cannot communicate with on-prem AMS server

Solution:

- Verify device IP settings and network connectivity
- Confirm AMS Endpoint URL is correctly configured on devices
- Check firewall allows communication from device IP addresses
- Verify folder permissions were set correctly (Section 6.1)