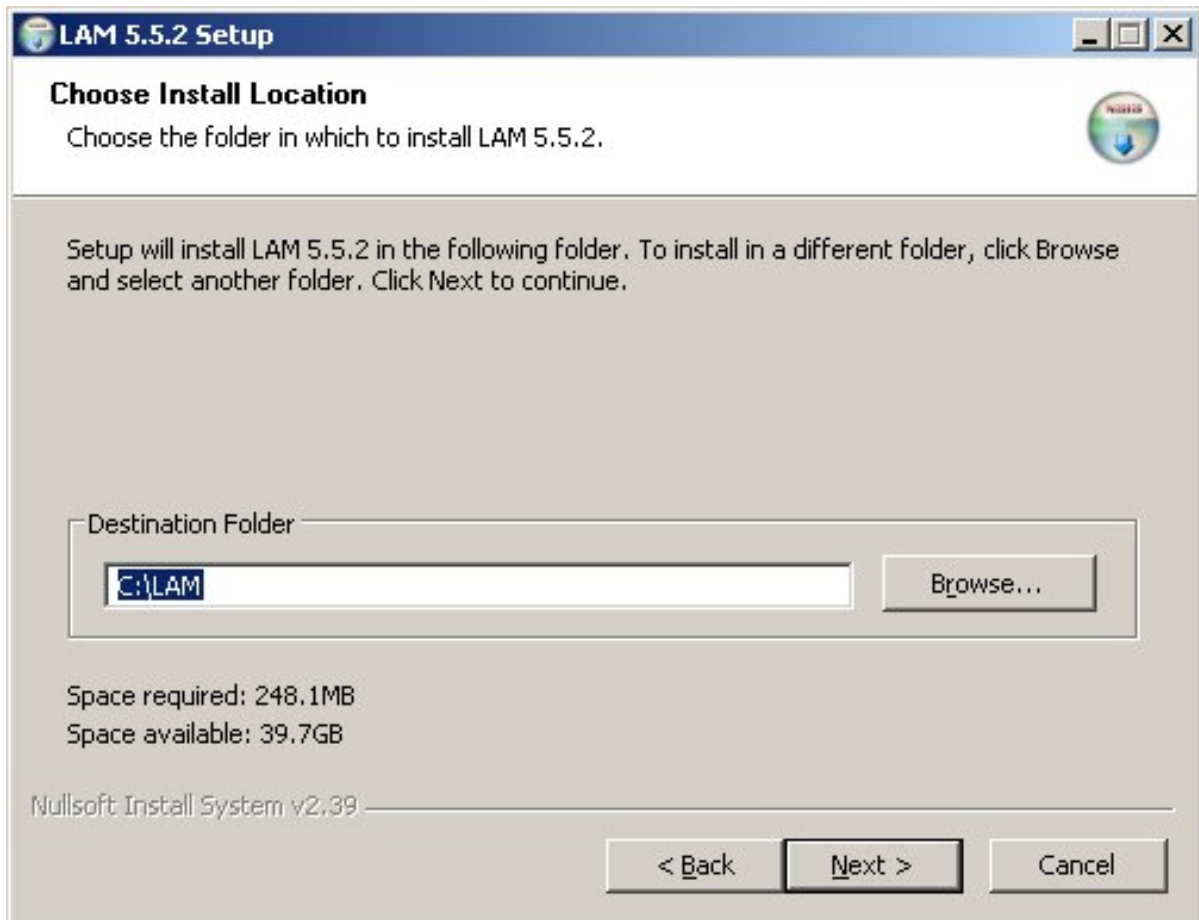


Using the Windows Installer for LAM Bundle

Thank you for choosing LAM! The following guide will explain each step of the Windows installer for you.

1. This is the Welcome Screen. You simply have to click next to begin the installation process.
2. Here you will choose the destination of your install. We ask that you please keep this default. If you do have to change it, please **make sure the path does not contain spaces**. Afterwards, click next.



3. Here you can simply hit next. This will create an uninstall link in your start menu.

4. Now the installer will install the files for you. When complete, click next, and the installer will check for Java. If Java is not detected, the installer will install it for you.

5. You can choose a logo file here. Click the “...” button to select a path to an image file to use in your LAM installation. If you want to manually install a logo later, please check the “*I will install a logo later*” checkbox.

6. Thank you for installing LAM Bundle! You are now finished with the installation. If you go into your install path (By default, C:\LAM) you will see start_lam.bat and stop_lam.bat. To start LAM all you have to do is click on “start_lam.bat.” Please allow the Tomcat window to stay open when the sever runs.

Then point your browser to <http://localhost:8181/lam> and login with the username and password of **admin/admin**

To shutdown LAM, just close the Tomcat window, double click “stop_lam.bat” and enter in your MySQL password to shutdown the MySQL database.



7. Some Tips:

A: To install MySQL as a service do the following from a command window:

```
C:\LAM\MySQL5\bin\mysqld.exe --install
```

This will install MySQL as a service that can be started and stopped either via the net command or in the services dialog in Windows. Afterward, you will need to remove the line that starts up MySQL in start_lam script and the stop_lam script.

B: If you want to install Apache Tomcat as a service, you can run the following command from a command window:

```
C:\LAM\Tomcat5.5\bin\service.bat install tomcat
```

This will install Tomcat as a service as "tomcat". After this is done the Tomcat service can be started and stopped either via the net command or in the services dialog in Windows. Afterward, you will need to remove the line that starts up Apache Tomcat in the start_lam script and the stop_lam script.