## How to Install VIMS - Windows

- 1. Go to <u>http://tools.portagebay.com/clients/nelco.html</u> and select the link for 4D installer for Windows; when the file download window opens, select Save.
- 2. Make a note of the location listed in the dialog box so you can find it when the download is complete.
- 3. Installation
  - a. Find the file named "4D\_v16.3\_Windows\_32-bit.exe" and double click on it. You may get a message asking if you want to run the file. If so, select "Run."



- b. The Setup Wizard will open. Click Next.
- c. If you wish a language in addition to English, select that from the list. Otherwise, just select "Next".
- d. Leave the location as is and click Next.
- e. Allow for a desktop icon and a quick launch icon, and click Next.
- f. Click Install.
- g. Click Finish once installation is complete.
- 4. You should have a red 4D icon on your desktop. Double-click on this icon.



5. When 4D opens, there should be a large splash screen (Welcome Wizard). Select "Launching Applications" and then "Connect to 4D Server."

Welcome Wizard
> Recent applications
* Launching applications
Connect to 4D Server
🕼 Open a Local Application
Create a New Application
> License management
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- 6. In the Connection window that comes up, select the "Custom" tab and enter VIMS as the database name and cottonwood.portagebay.com as the network address.
- 7. Click OK. Allow the files to synchronize (this should only happen the first time)
- 8. Log in as usual.
- 9. The next time you wish to log into VIMS, simply double-click the 4D desktop icon, and when 4D opens, select "Open recent" under the Open icon on the top menu bar. Select VIMS and log in.

