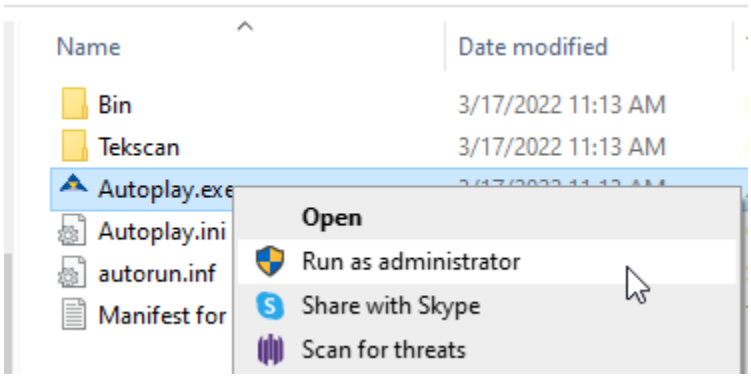
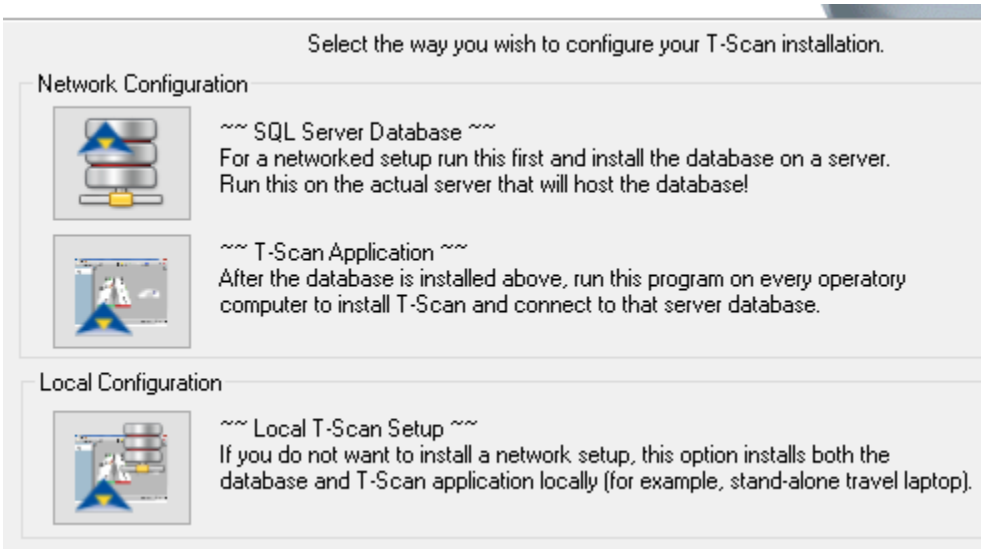
SQL installation Best Practices

Suggested steps:

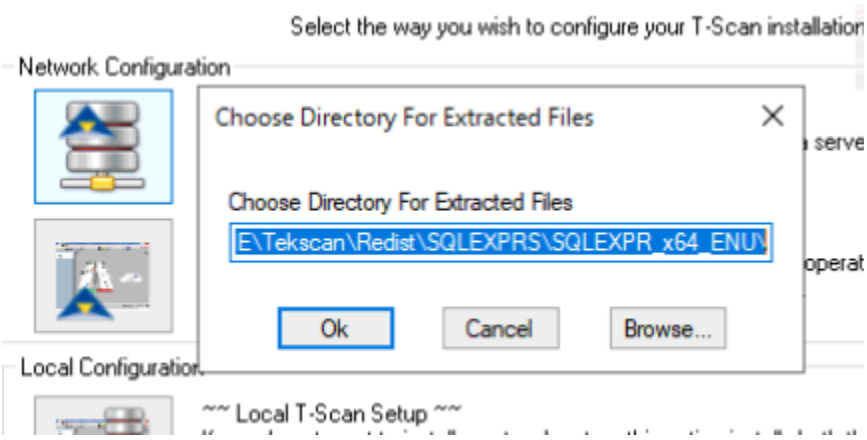
1. We recommend to restart the workstation or the server prior to installing SQL
2. Download the software
3. Unzip (extract the software)
4. Locate **Autoexec.exe** inside the installation files. Right-click and select "**Run as administrator**"



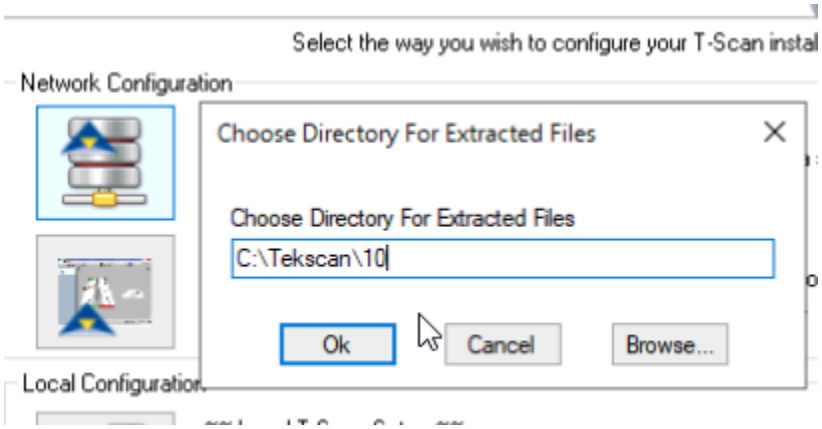
5. Select "Install Software" and then choose the top button for **Server** or the bottom button for **Local** Installations.



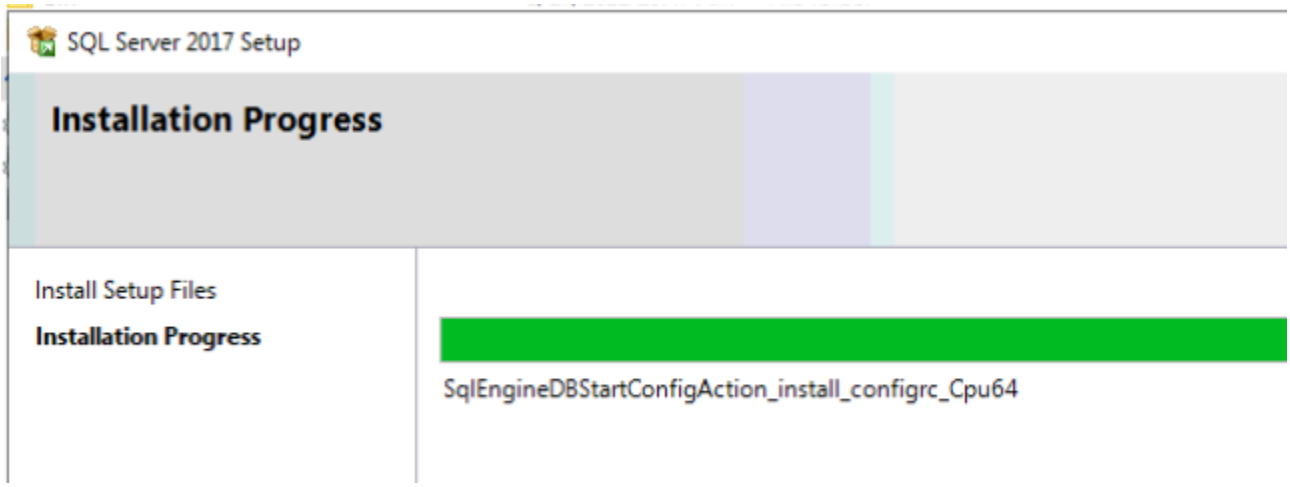
6. Select the Directory for Extracted Files:



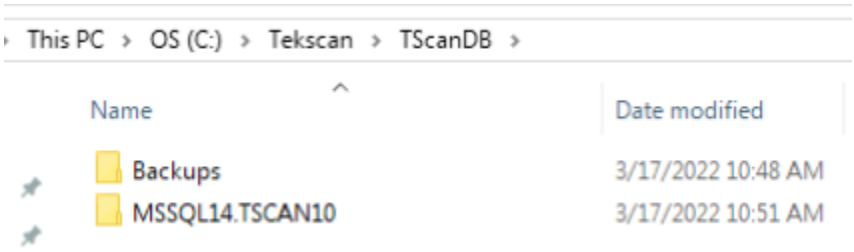
We suggest to type in C:\Tekscan\10:



7. Make sure SQL server installation starts:



8. When completed, there should be a new folder **C:\Tekscan\TScanDB\MSSQL14.TSCAN10**



Note: If this folder is missing, then the SQL server was not installed