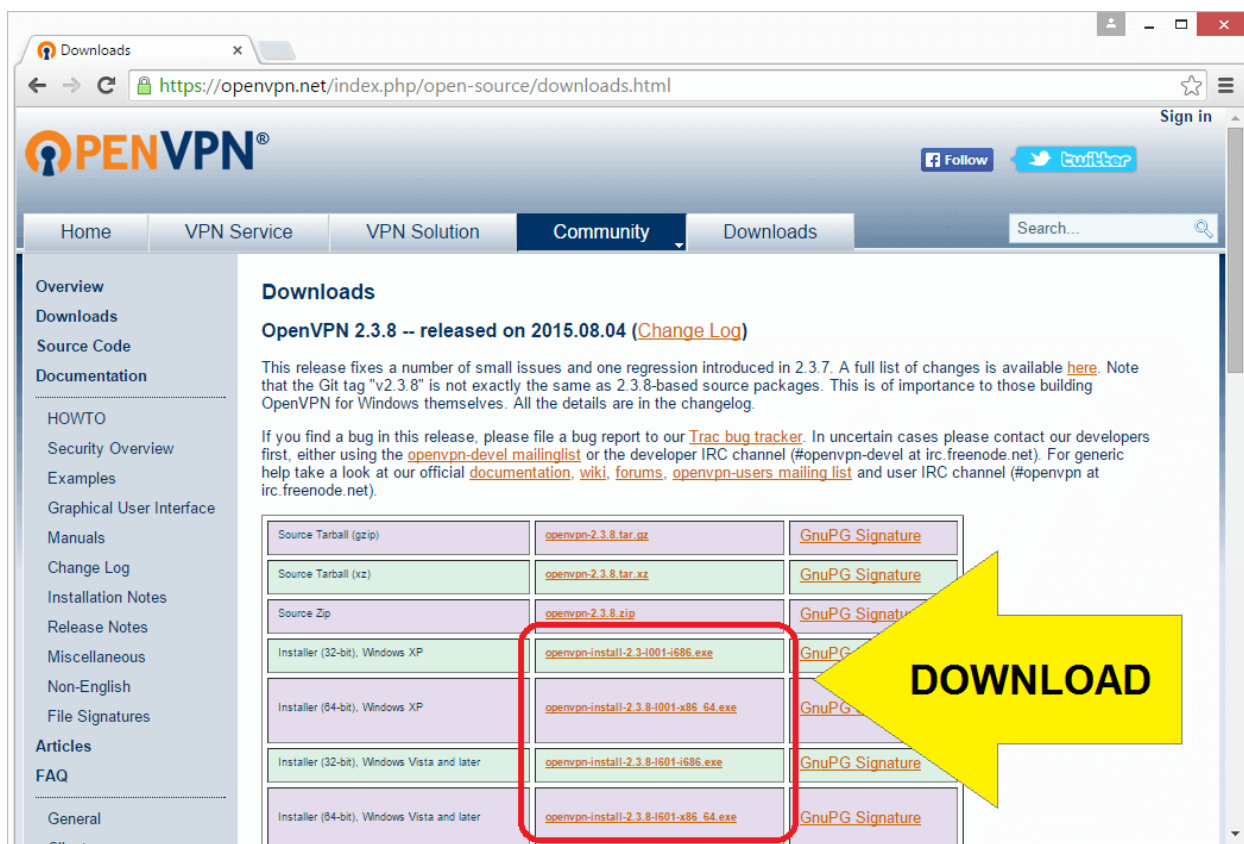
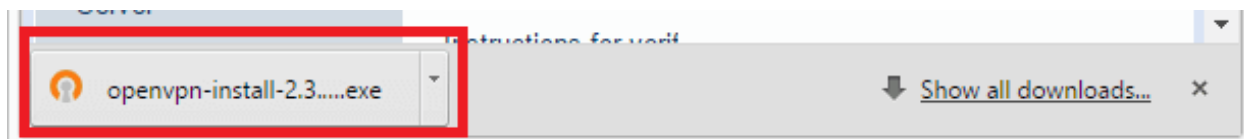


# Download and install the OpenVPN GUI

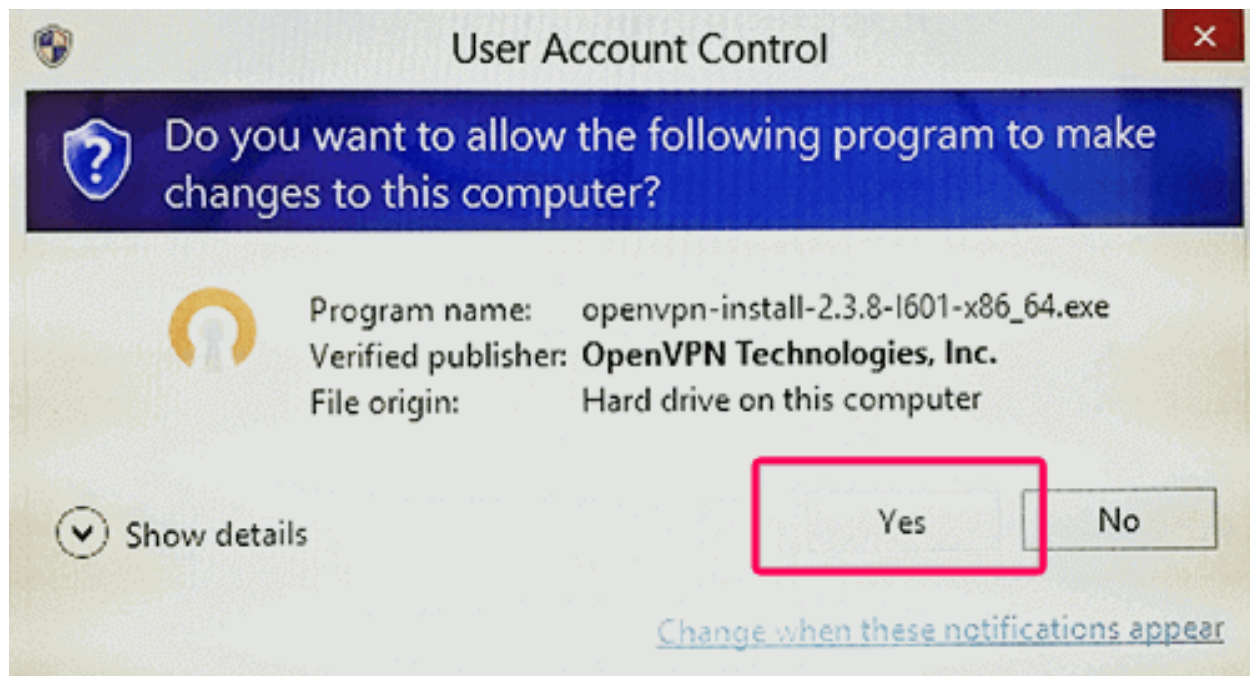
Go to <https://openvpn.net/index.php/open-source/downloads.html>. Save the **installer .exe** file for your operating system to your Downloads folder.



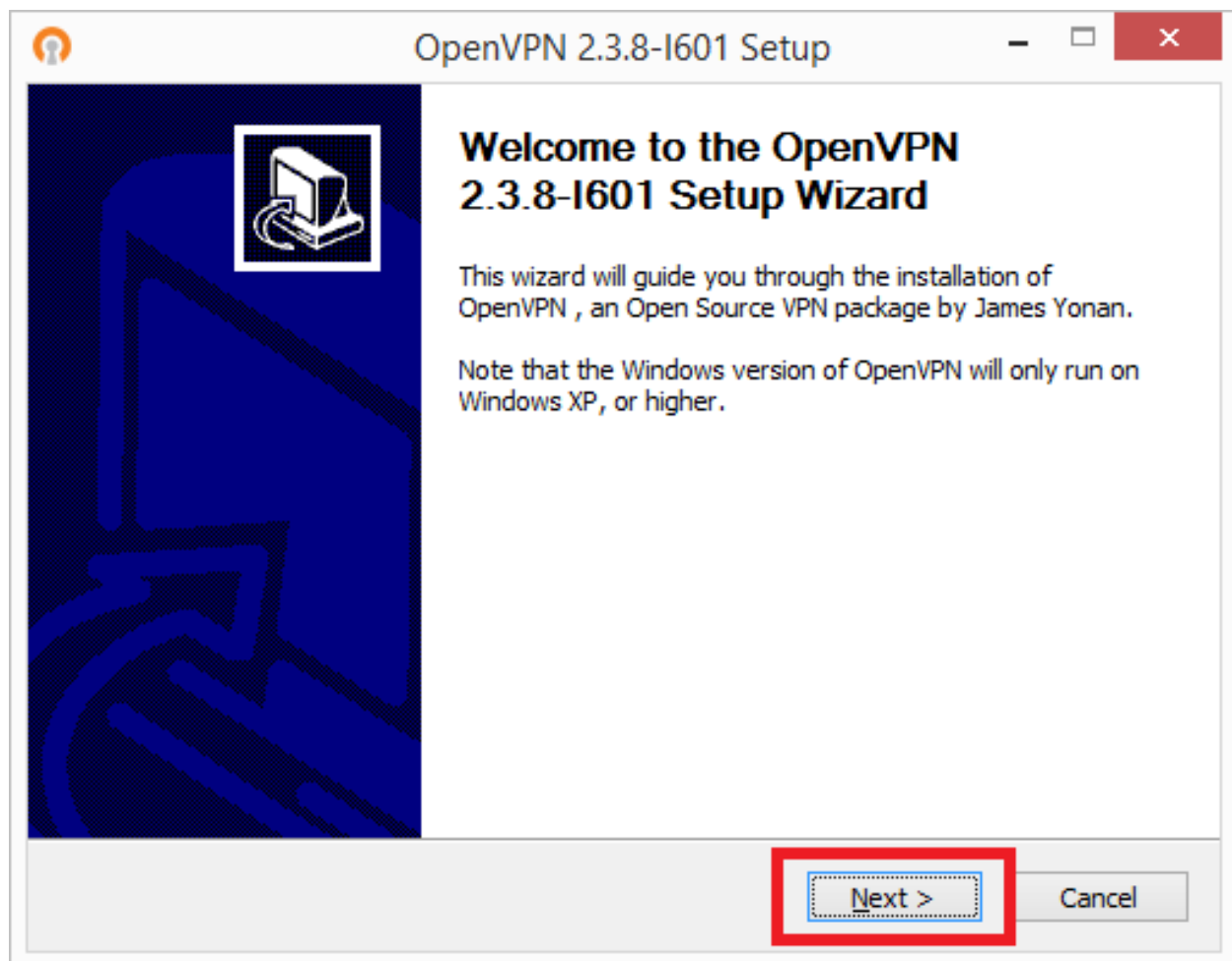
Launch the **installer .exe** file to start the Setup Wizard.



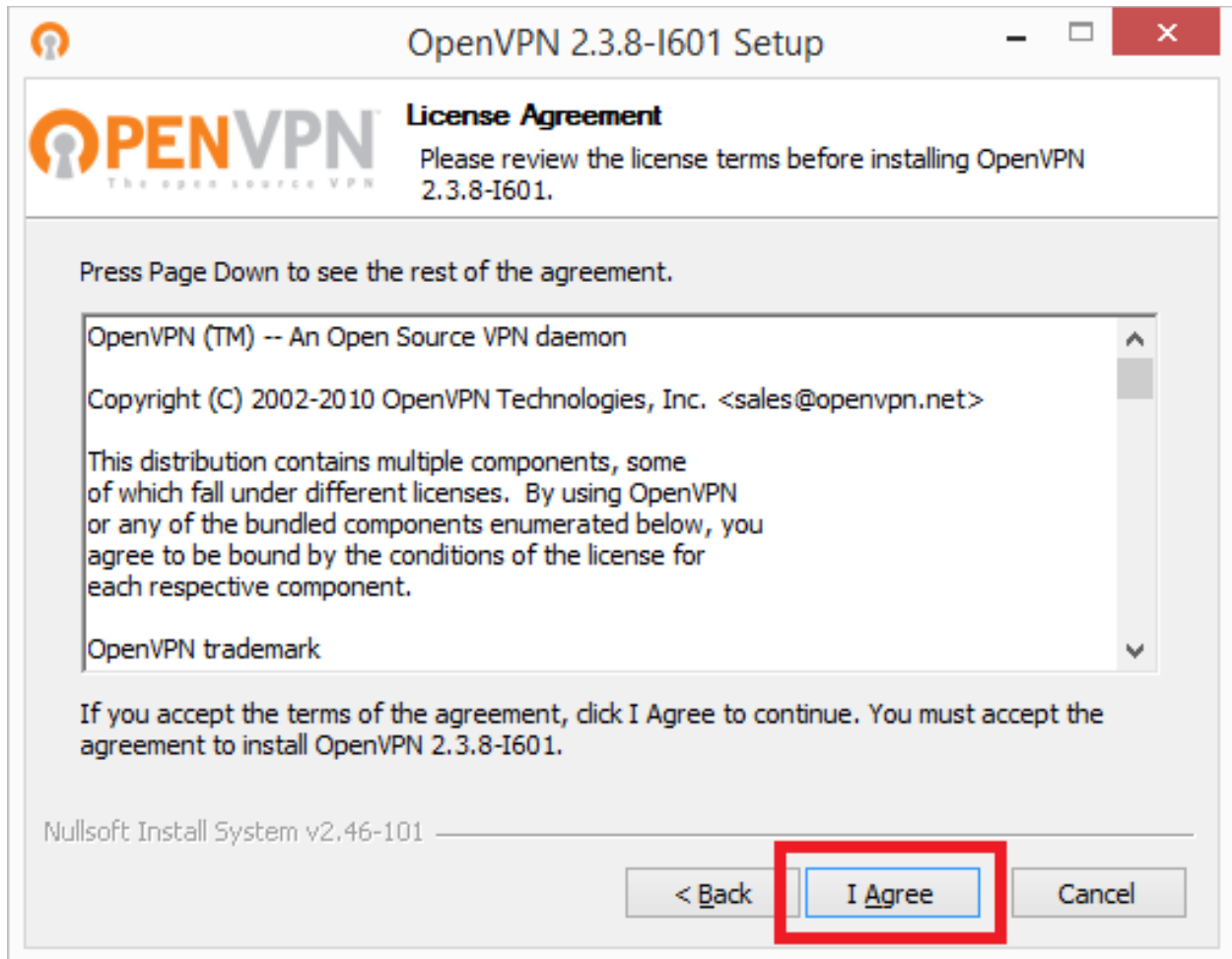
The User Account Control may ask: “Do you want to allow the following program to make changes to this computer?” Click **Yes**.



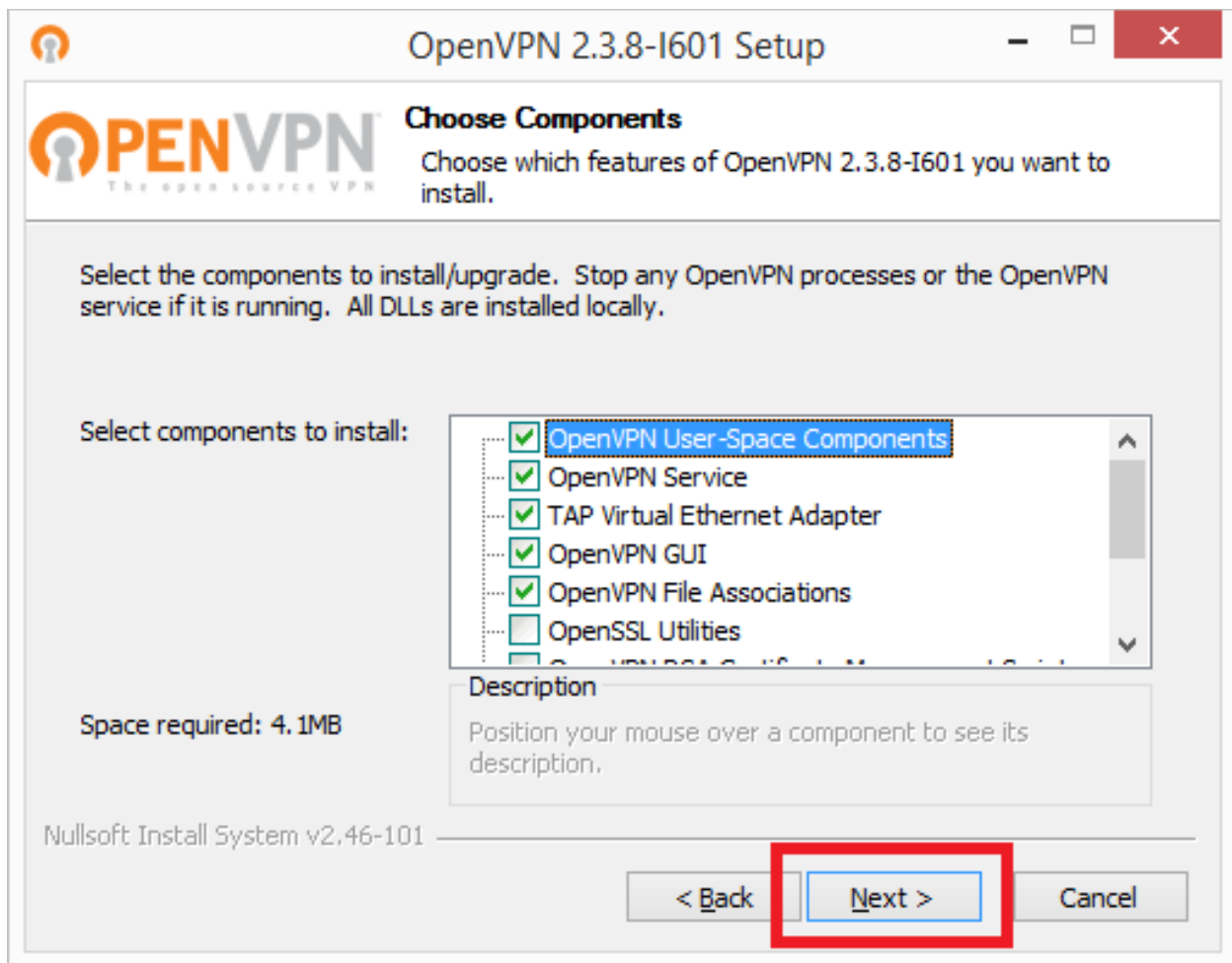
The Setup Wizard is now launched. Click **Next** to begin!



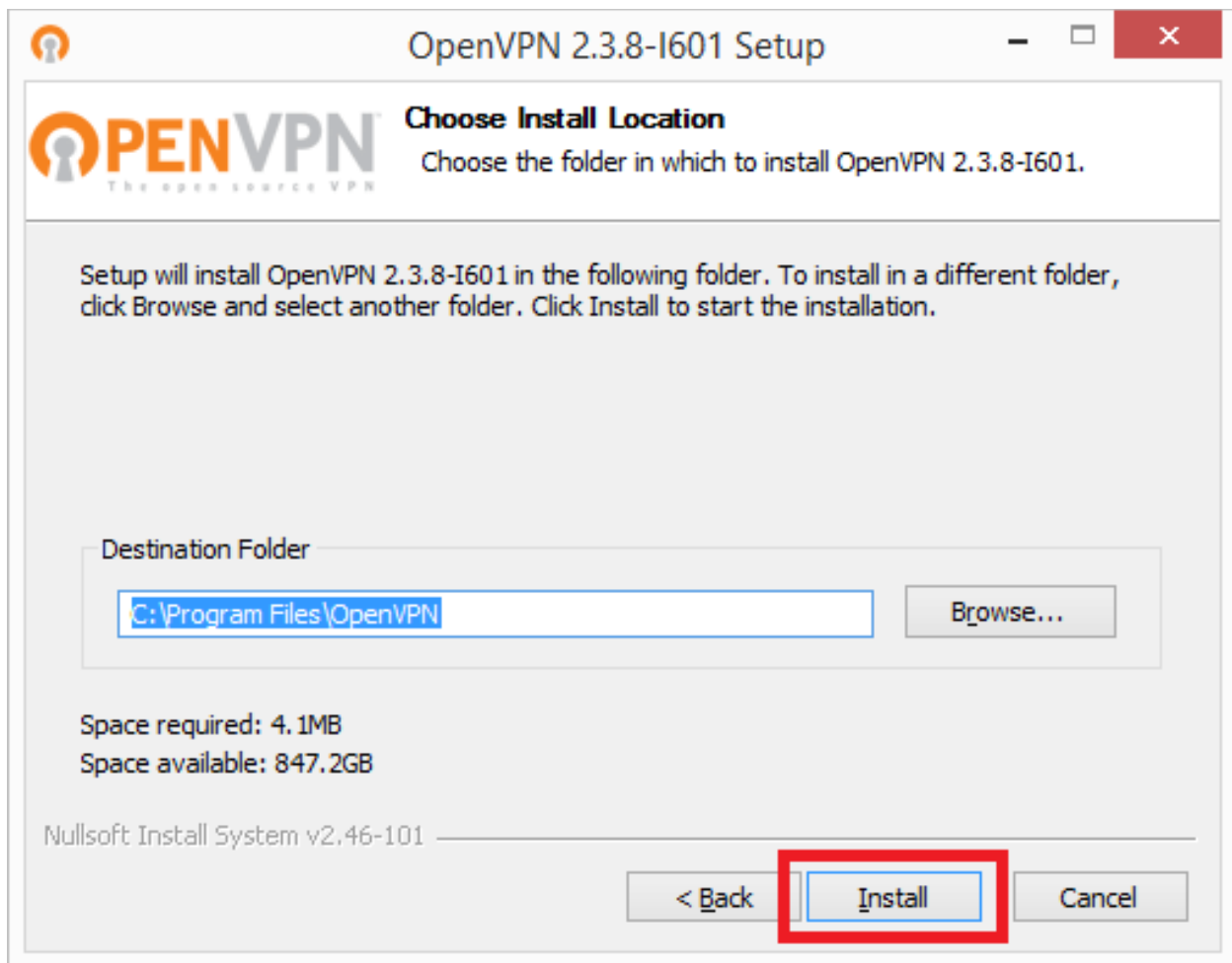
You will see the License Agreement. Read it if you wish. Click **I Agree**.



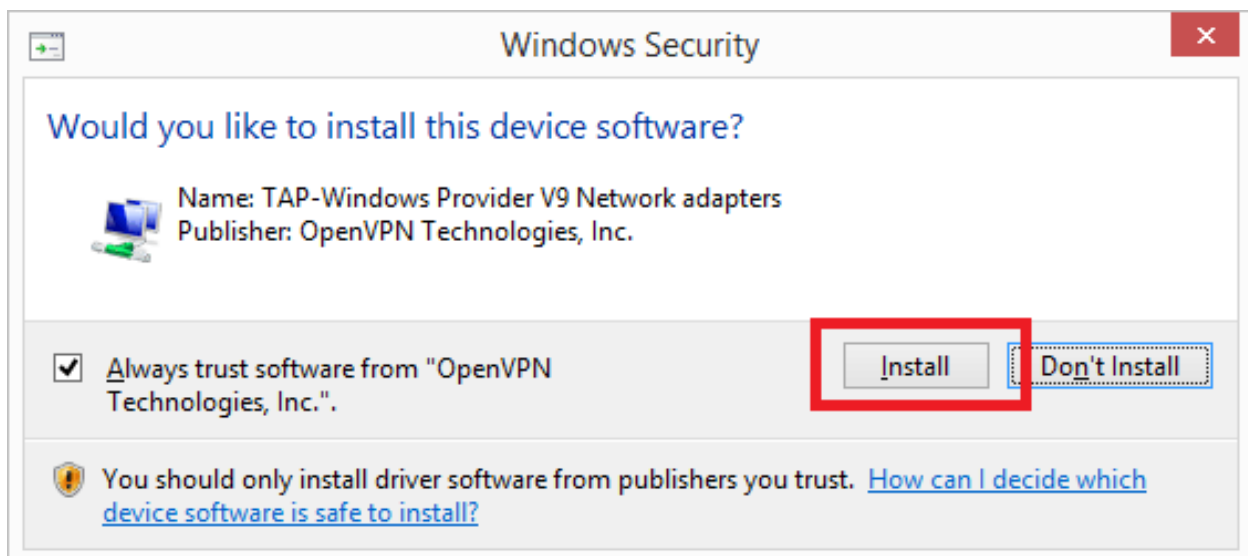
On the Choose Components screen, click **Next**.



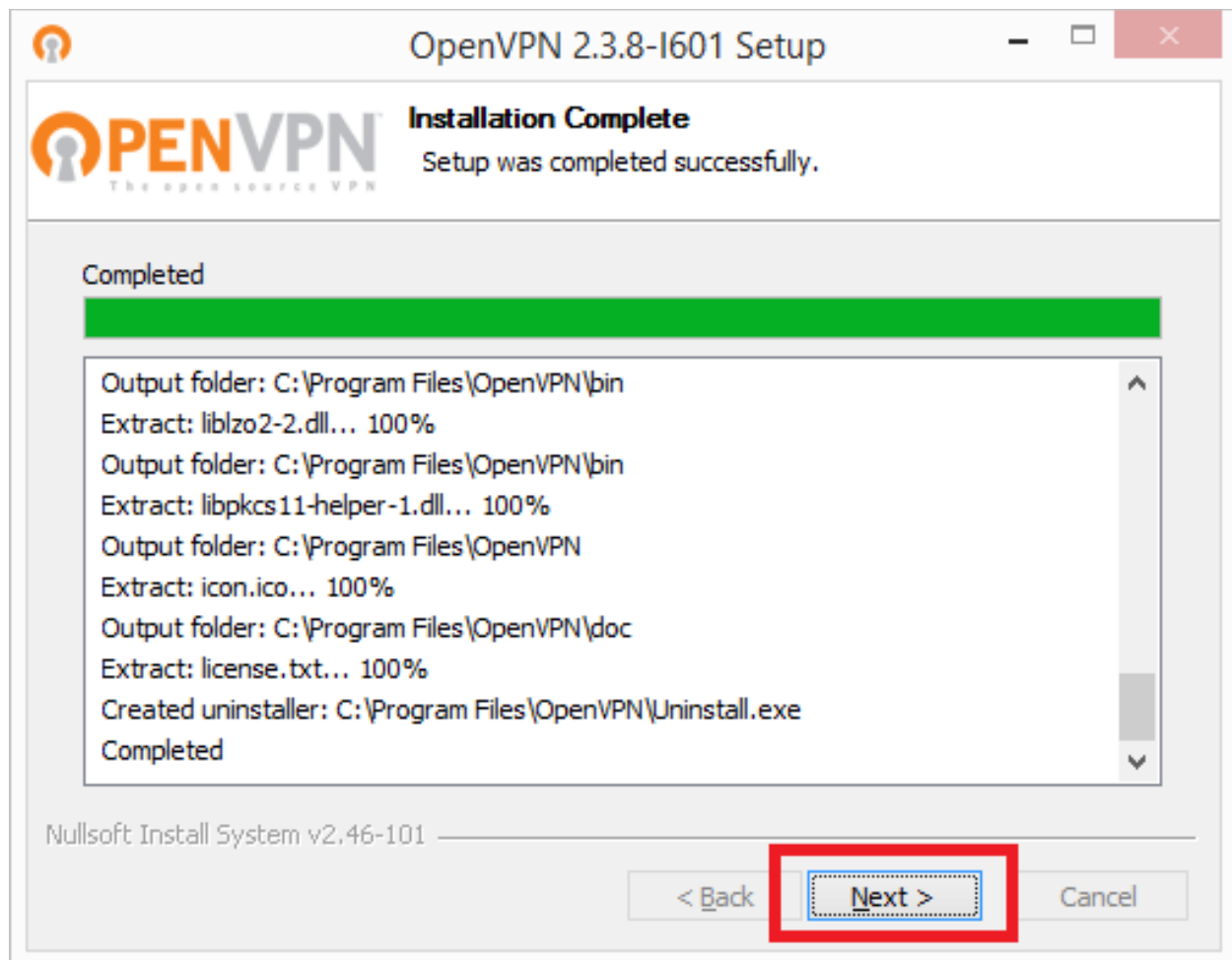
On the Choose Install Location screen, click **Install**.



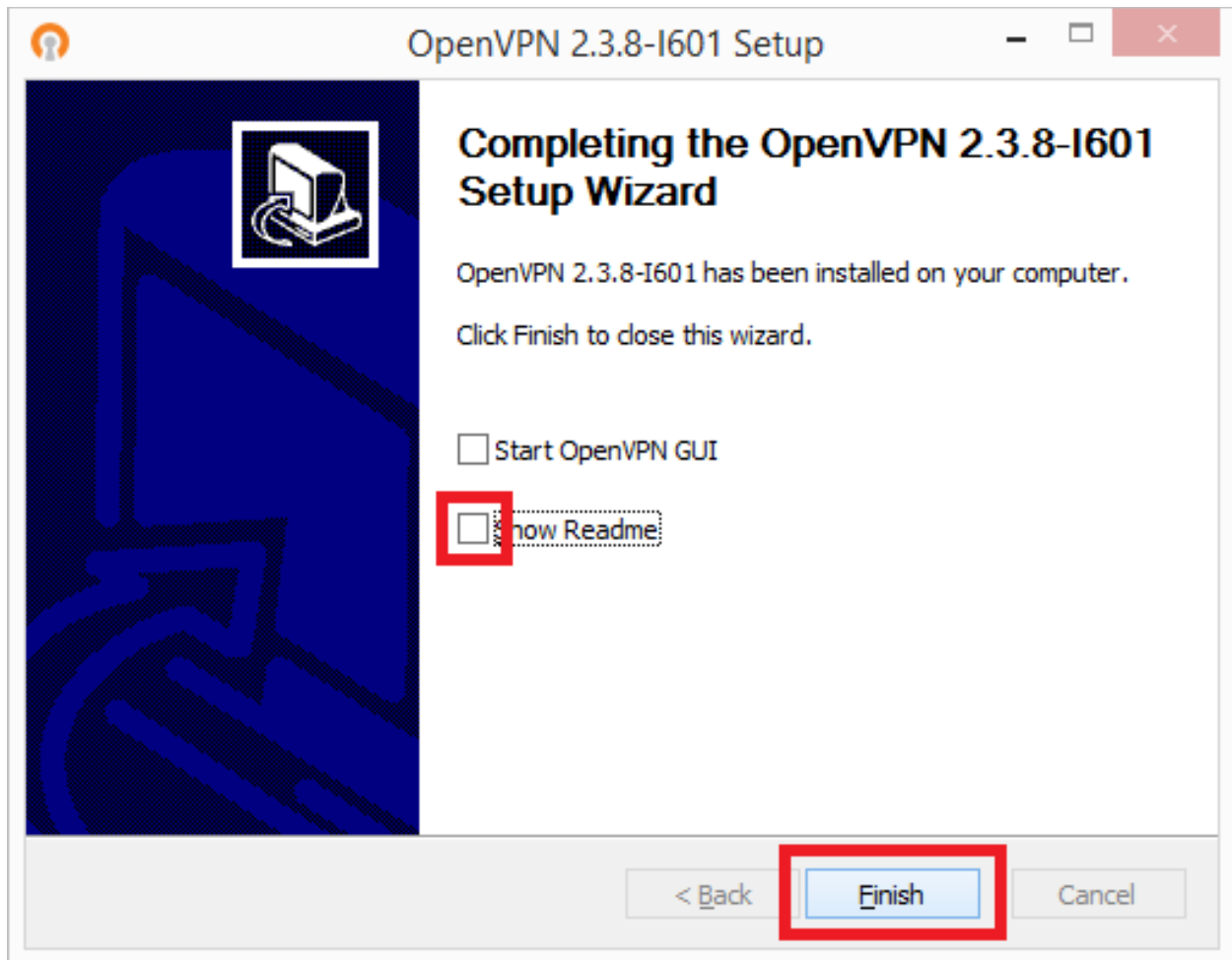
A Windows Security dialog box will pop up asking: “Would you like to install this device software?” Click **Install**.



When you see the Installation Complete screen, click **Next**.



You will see a message telling you that OpenVPN has been installed on your computer. **Uncheck** the “Show Readme” box, then click **Finish**.



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## Set up the OpenVPN GUI with your OpenVPN configuration files

Now we will configure the OpenVPN GUI with the .ovpn configuration files we downloaded earlier.

During the installation process, an OpenVPN GUI shortcut was added to your Desktop. Right-click the **OpenVPN GUI shortcut** and click **Open file location**.



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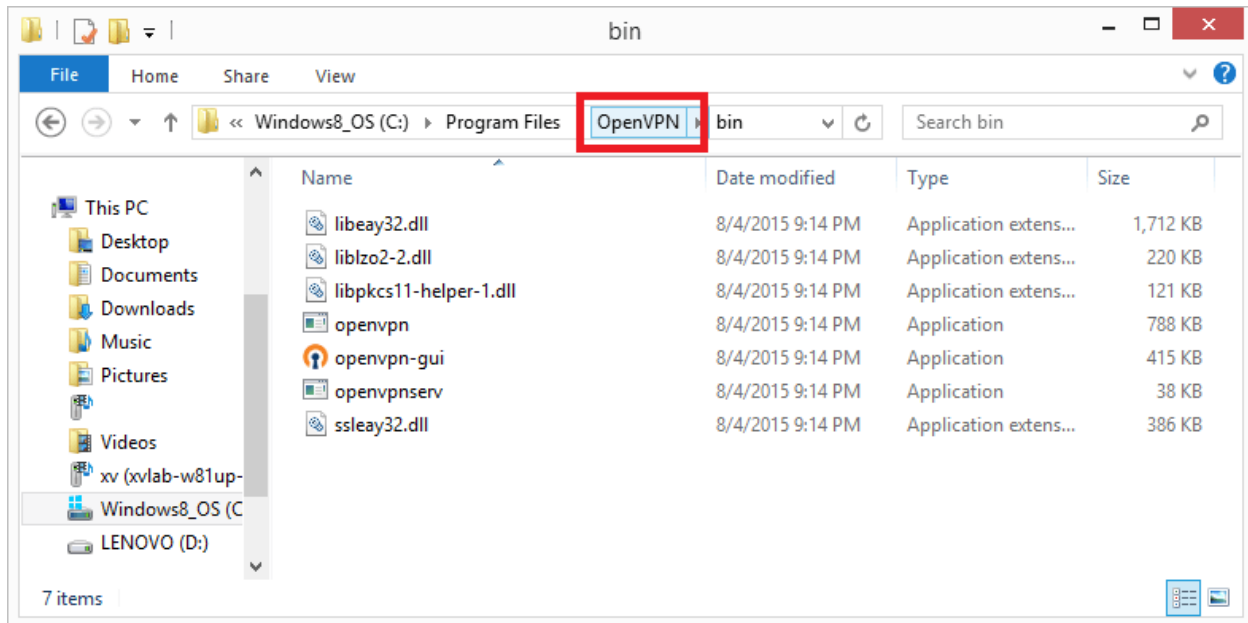
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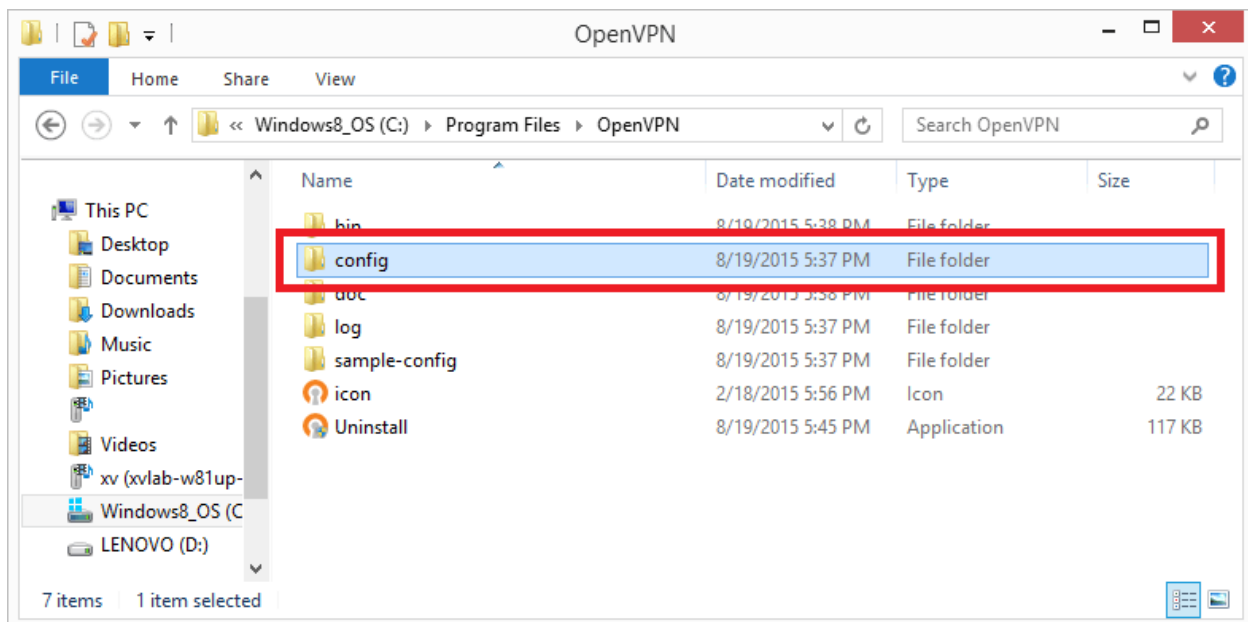




You are now in the C:\Program Files\OpenVPN\bin directory. We want to go up one directory, to C:\Program Files\OpenVPN. Click **OpenVPN** in the navigation bar to enter that directory.

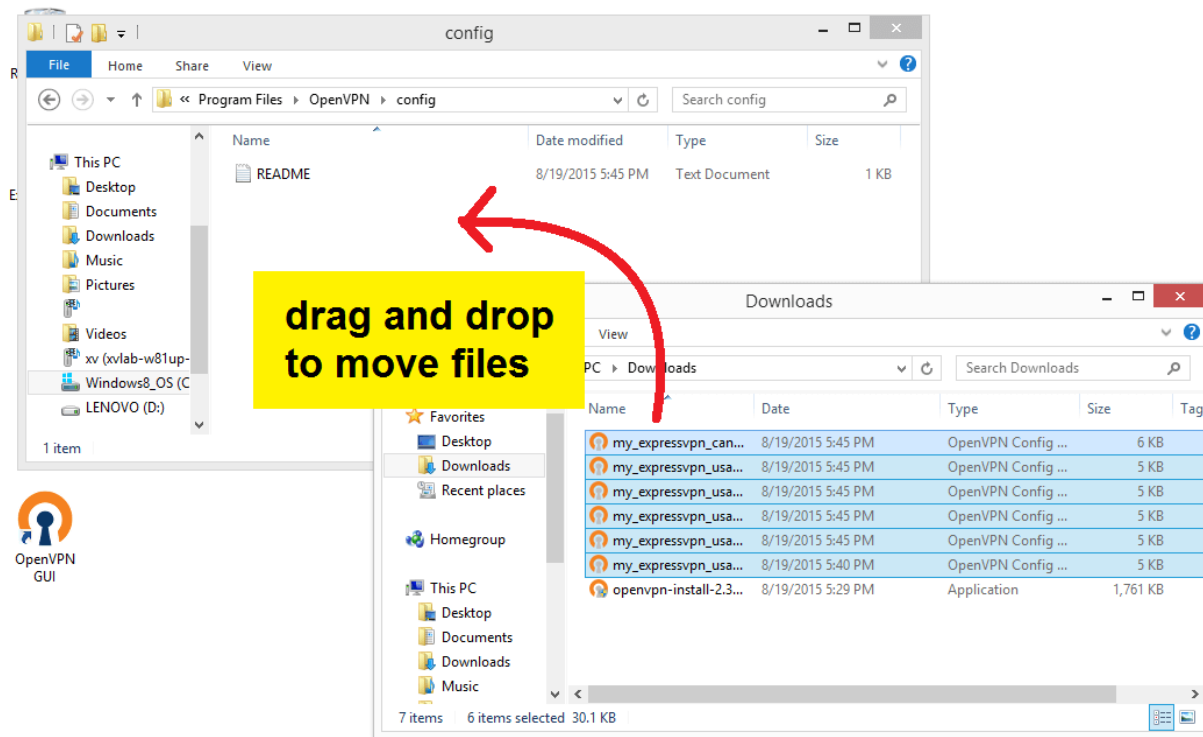


We now want to enter C:\Program Files\OpenVPN\config. Double-click the **config** folder to enter it.

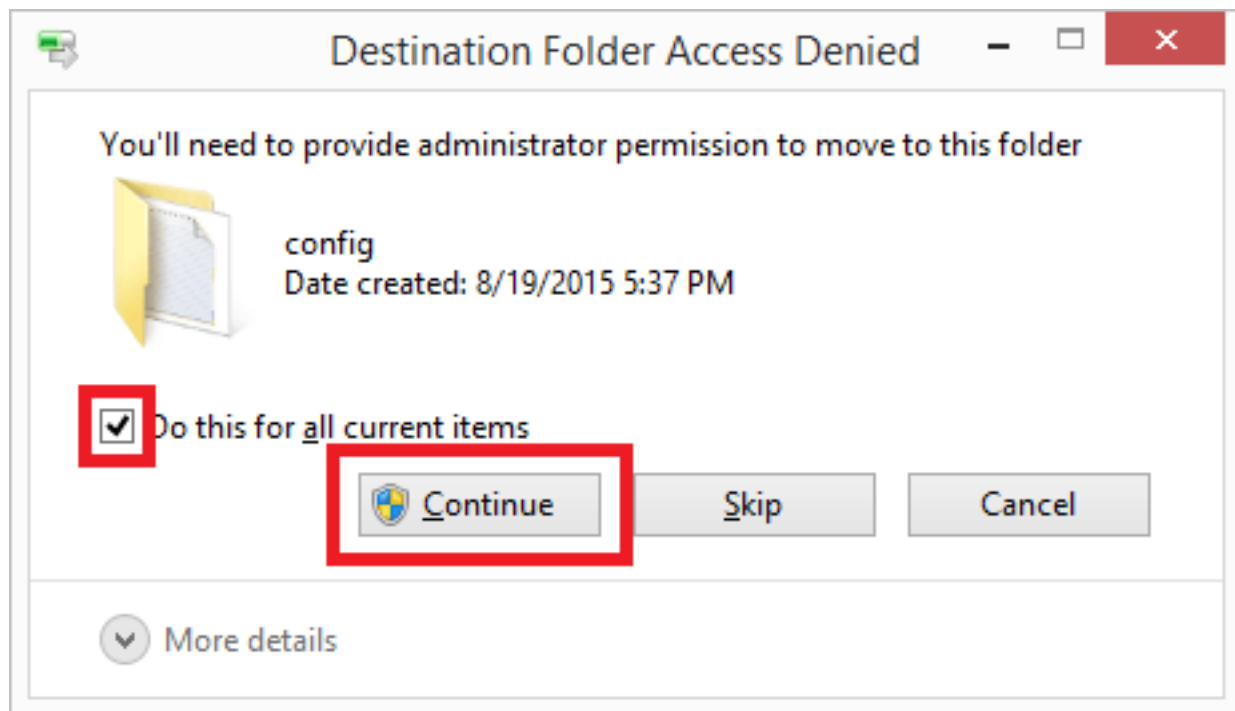


Remember those .ovpn OpenVPN config file(s) we downloaded in [Step 1](#)? Now we want to move them into the C:\Program Files\OpenVPN\config

folder. **Select the.ovpn file(s)** in the Downloads folder and **drag and drop** them into the config folder to move them.



You might see this “Destination Folder Access Denied” pop-up. It will ask you to provide administrator permission to move things into the config folder. **Check the box** for “Do this for all current items”, then click **Continue**.



Awesome! Now your .ovpn file(s) are in C:\Program Files\OpenVPN\config directory.

