# Jini 2.1 on Windows Vista

This guide will help you setup Jini 2.1 on Microsoft Windows Vista. The Jini installer was made before Windows Vista was created and does not work correctly in most cases. For this guide we will use a preinstalled copy and perform a manual installation.

1. Download the Jini zip file from: http://black2d.com/ttu/thesis/jini2_1.zip
2. Extract it to c:\jini2_1 (you can extract it elsewhere but will have to modify many files to make it work)
3. Ensure you have JDK installed and get the path to it, should be something like C:\Program Files\Java\jdk1.6.0_11\bin\java.exe
4. Navigate to C:\jini2_1\installverify\support
5. Edit launch-all.lax in a text editor
6. Change line 50 to point to you JDK's java.exe, you must double slash each slash. EX: lax.nl.current.vm=C:\\Program Files\\Java\\jdk1.6.0_11\\bin\\java.exe
7. Save launch.lax
8. Start Jini by opening C:\jini2_1\installverify\support\launch-all.exe

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