

Quick Start Guide for Audacity Professional for the Pocket PC and the LAM desktop

1. Download the Audacity_Pro_LAM_Setup.zip file from the Audacity website or the site of one of the Audacity vendors. The file can be saved to your desktop or simply opened. The Zip file contains two separate Setup.exe files. The first is for the handheld install including the conduit. The second is for the LAM (Local Audacity Manager) desktop file management and transport application. The setup files are separate so a user reinstalling the application can load either application.
2. Before installing the Audacity handheld application make sure you have the handheld installed and syncing with the PC.
3. Then double click the Audacity Professional Setup file. If this is a reinstall, the wizard will first ask if you wish to uninstall the existing application before installing the new application. You should say Yes. After the uninstall it will suggest a reboot. It is best to reboot although sometimes it is not necessary. If you have any type of problem, reboot.
4. The wizard will then proceed to install the new application. Just follow the wizard. It will install Audacity Pro, AudAlarm, and CardSpeed to the handheld and the conduit to the PC. AudAlarm is the Audacity Alarm handler and CardSpeed is a free utility to help judge the effectiveness of your SD Card. I suggest having your handheld plugged into the Sync device during the install. You want to install all applications to Internal Memory.
5. At the end of the install, the wizard again asks you to reboot the PC.
6. The application and manuals are installed under C:\Program Files\Audacity Professional DVR PPC\.
7. Proceed to the LAM installation by double clicking on the LAM Setup exe file within the downloaded Zip file. Follow the setup wizard. The LAM exe files will also be installed in the folder C:\Program Files\Audacity Professional DVR PPC\. The manuals and all related files will be in this folder and subfolders.
8. You will need to register both the handheld application and also the LAM application. In order for Audacity Audio to supply you a registration code we will need a hardware code from the Audacity handheld application and also the LAM desktop application. Launch Audacity on the handheld. Press the Settings icon (wrench in top toolbar), then Options and Registration. You will see a Registration ID. We need you to email that code to us. The registration is generated from that code and returned to you. A full version of Audacity will run for 7 days without the code, but will then fail to run unless a valid code is entered in this same screen.

The LAM also needs a similar registration. Launch LAM from the LAM icon on your desktop. Select Manage in the top left corner and then Registration. An install ID is displayed. Email that ID to Audacity Audio and we will return the registration code to you. Enter it on this same screen.
9. Be sure to enter an Author Name into both the LAM application and also the handheld application. This entry must be exactly the same in both applications so the files can be associated correctly. On the handheld, the author is entered in Preferences (Settings-wrench icon, Options and Preferences). In the LAM the author is defined in Manage, then Author.
10. Get familiar with using the navigation pad to control your recordings. It gives you 5 controls with a single button. The Record button only gives you 1 control. Audacity gives you lots of button customization under the button setup. Audacity divides button control into 4 modes. A Record mode, a Play mode, an Idle mode (file open), and a Home mode (Idle, but no open file). A button function is provided for each button in each mode. For instance, in the idle mode navigation right

is record, but in the record mode, it is pause/resume. Audacity provides easy intuitive one-handed recording.

11. Most users will want to record to the SD Card as it offers almost unlimited recording times. Select the SD Card from the Home Screen Menu. The default folder is Record and a second folder QuickMemo is also provided. Files recorded using the QuickMemo button will be placed into the QuickMemo folder and using the Record button into the Record folder. You may add to the Record folder structure as you wish.

12 Syncing to the PC. When syncing to the PC, the recorded files will Sync to the same folder structure you have on the handheld. The files can be found under C:\Audacity Professional DVR PPC\Incoming\. When LAM is run using the Get Files button (or you can set it to run automatically, but the default is manually), the files are first archived into an Archive folder, then processed according to your instructions, and finally put into a Recordings folder or subfolder.

13. These are the basics, but Audacity and LAM are very full featured and offer many options and different settings. The manuals include detailed information.

Audacity Audio is available to provide complete installation and training for those lacking the time to wade through the manuals. Our charge for this is \$ 60. We will set it up to satisfy your needs.

Audacity Professional and the related LAM desktop will be the easiest and most flexible recorder that you have ever used. Thanks for being an Audacity customer.