IBM iACCESS CLIENT SOLUTIONS

Installation Guide

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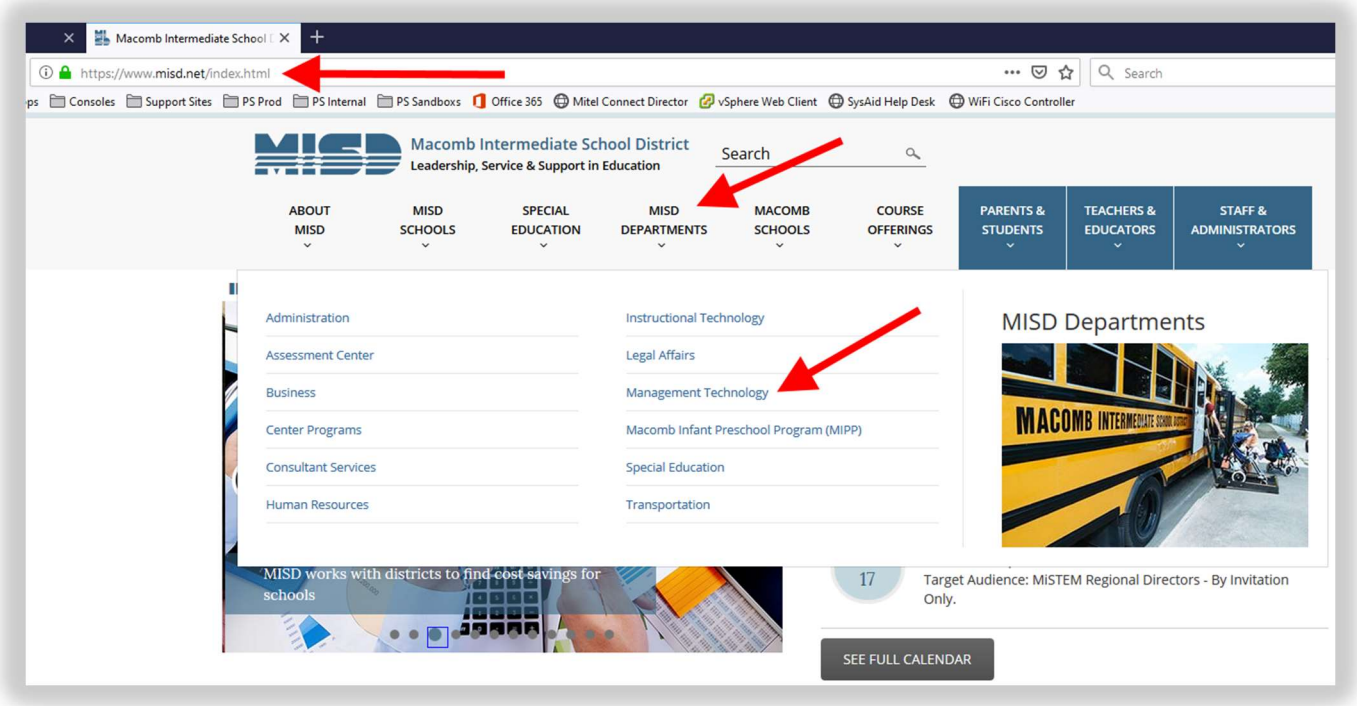
Step by Step Instructions to install IBM iAccess Client Solutions for Windows 7,8,10
AS400 Display Sessions, Printer Sessions, Batch Sessions, & Data Transfers

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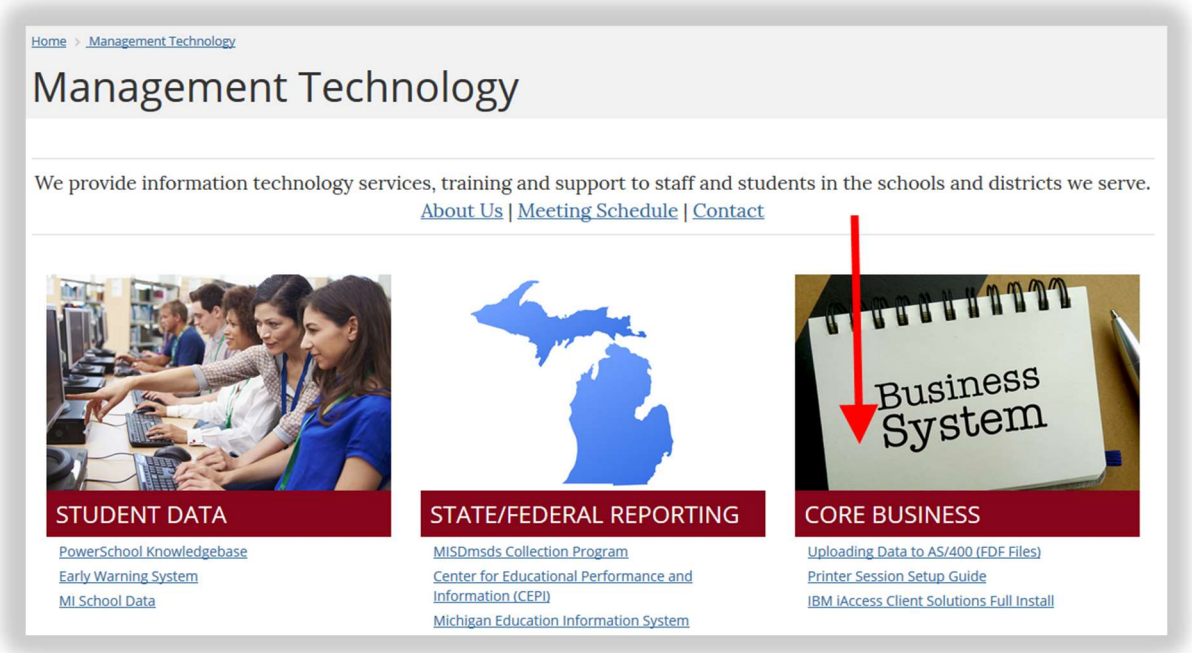
Go to https://www.misd.net/index.html in your Web Browser

Right click on “MISD Departments”

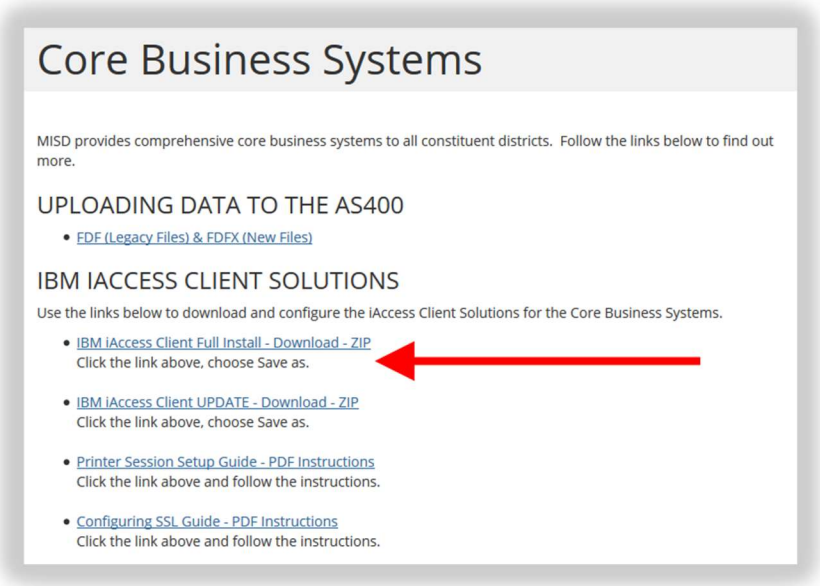
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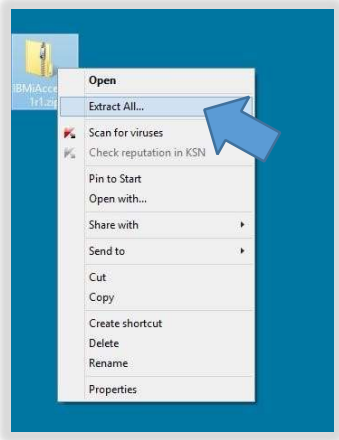
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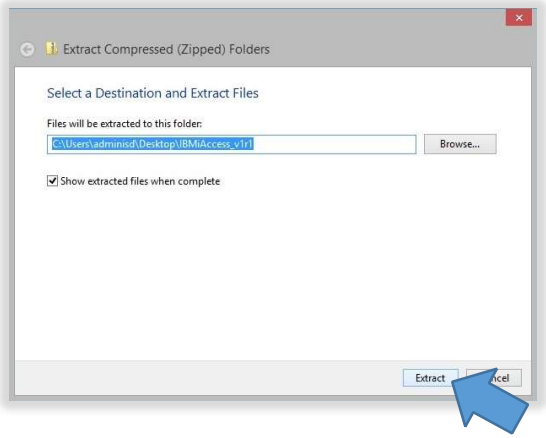
Click on the “IBM iAccess Client Full Install -Download - ZIP”
Save the .zip file to your desktop



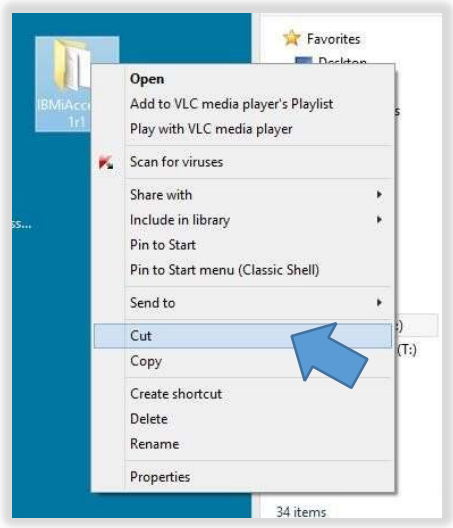
Click on “IBMiAccess_v1r1.zip” and choose “Extract All…”



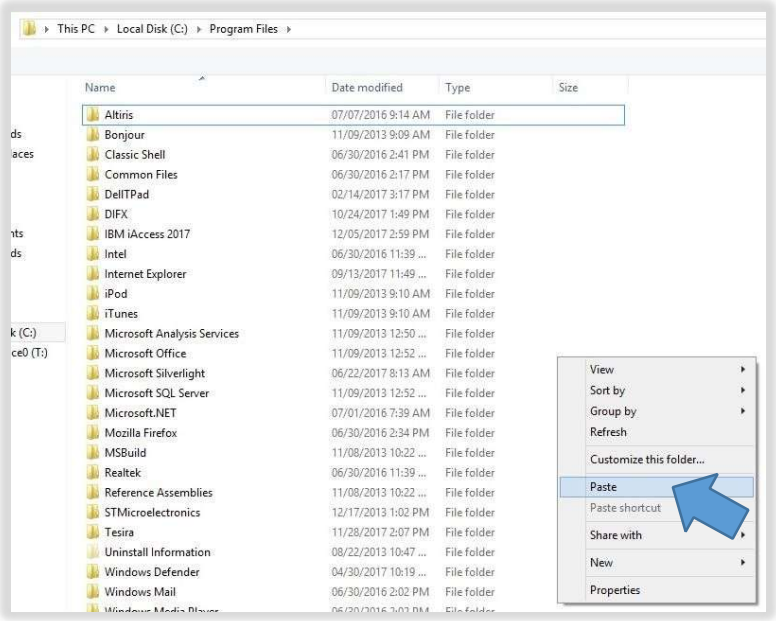
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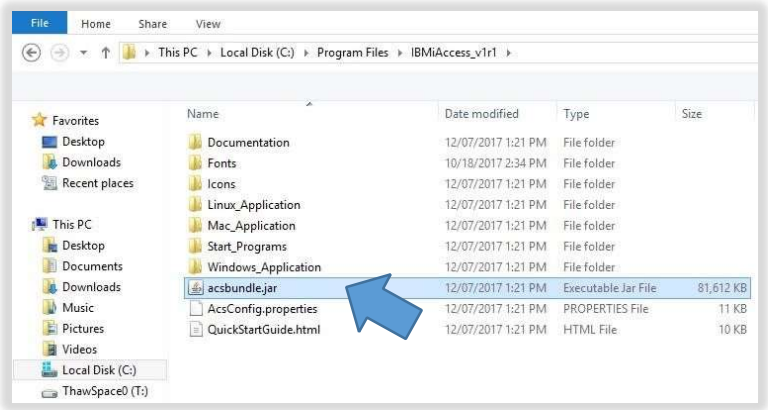
Right click on the folder “IBMiAccess_v1r1” and select “Cut”



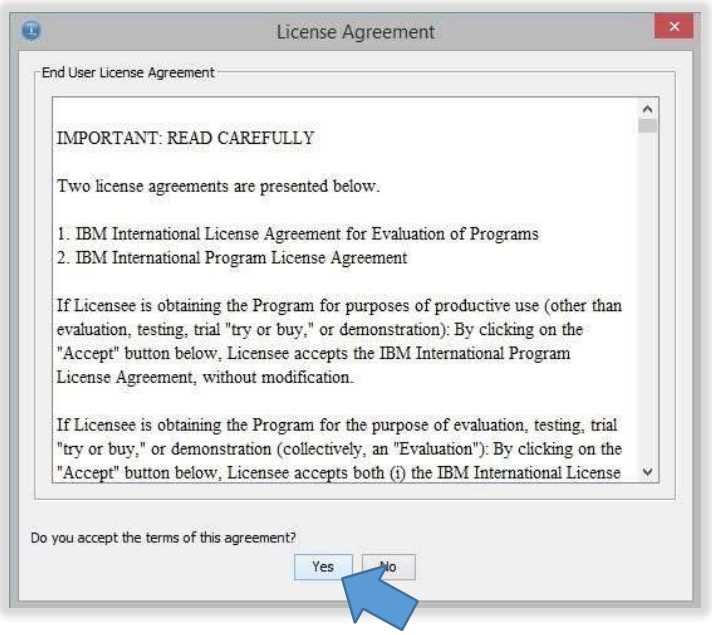
Browse to “C:\Program Files\” then right click, and select “Paste”



Open the C:\Program Files\IBMiAccessv1r1\acsbundle.jar



On the Pop-Up Window: Scroll down through the license Agreement and then click “Yes”

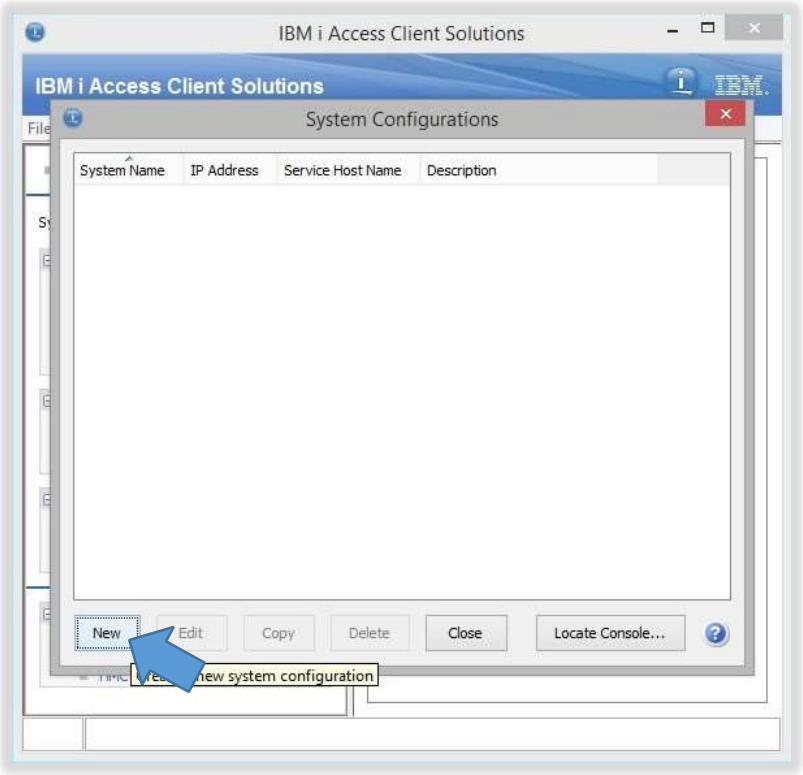


From the IBM iAccess Client Solutions Window:

Select “Actions”, “Management”, “System Configurations”



Select “New”

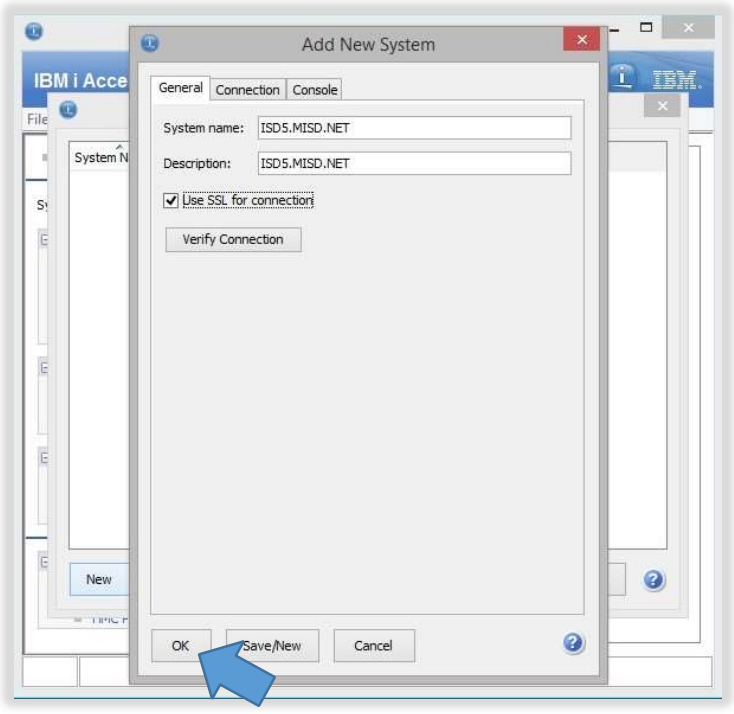


Type in System name field: ISD5.MISD.NET

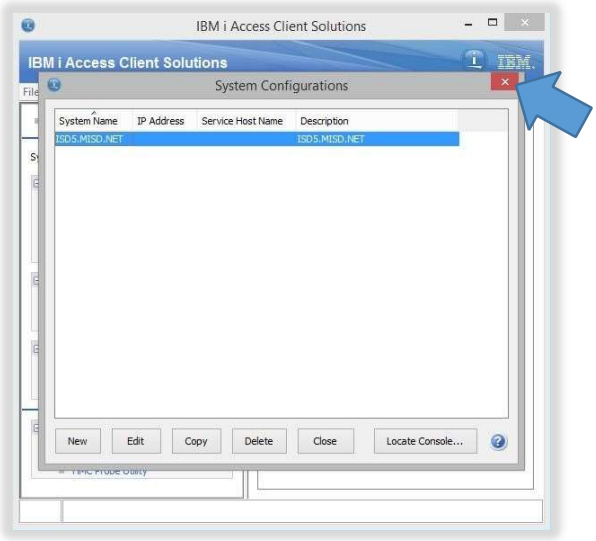
Type in the Description field: ISD5.MISD.NET

Check the Box for “Use SSL for connection”

Click “OK”



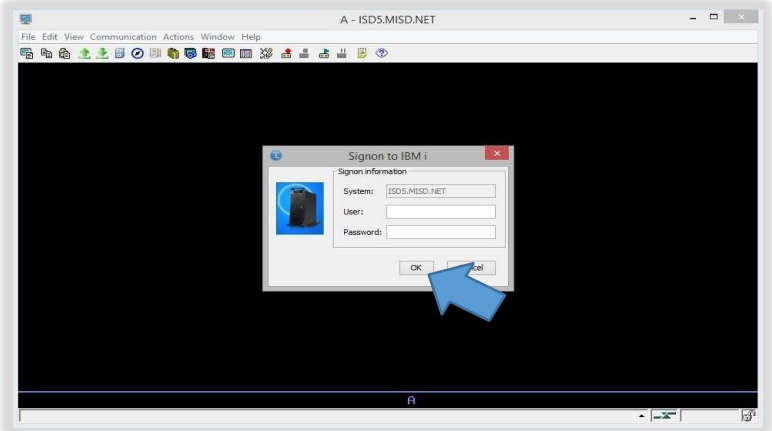
Close the System Configurations Windows



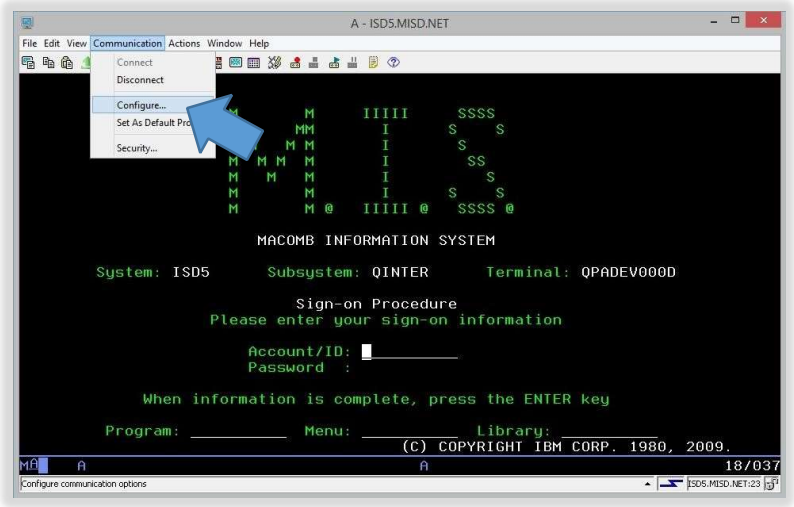
Select “5250 Emulator” from the IBM iAccess Client Solutions window



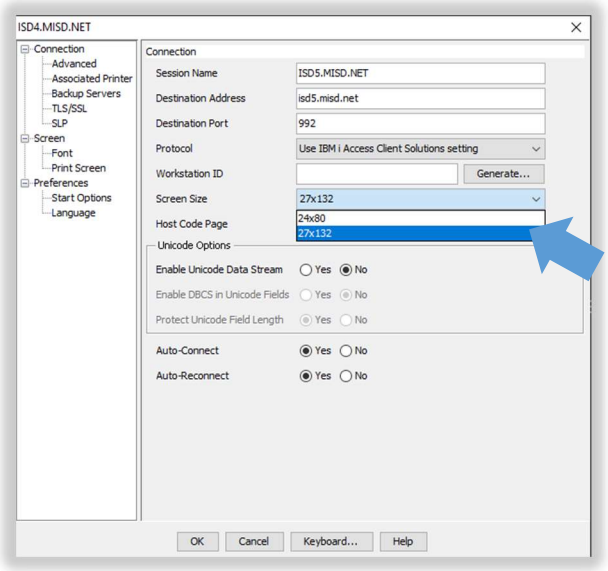
Once the Display Session appears, login with the Username / Password and Click “OK”



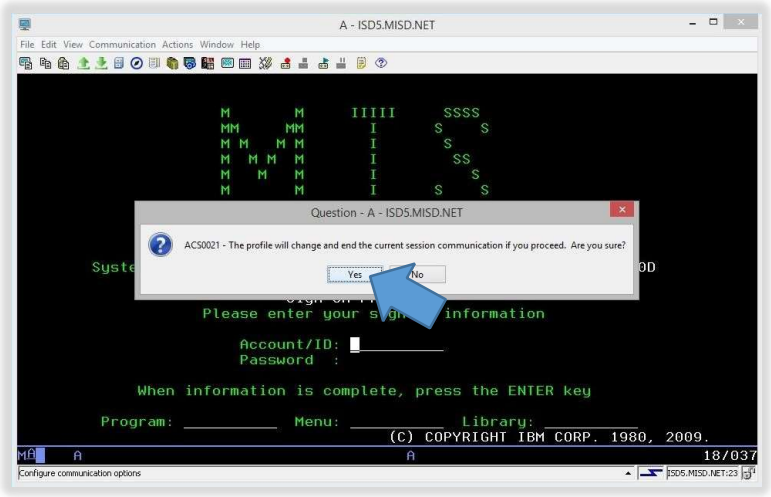
On the MISD Sign-on Screen, Choose “Communication”, then “Configure”



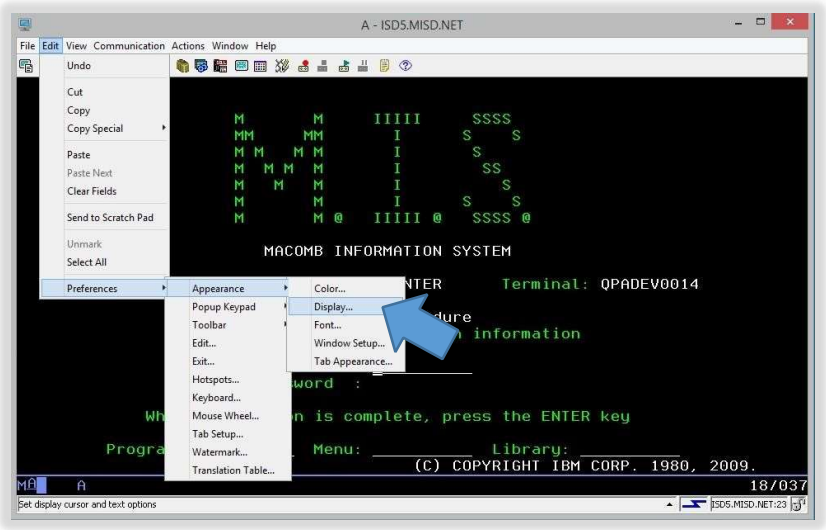
Change the Screen Size to 27X132 and click “OK”



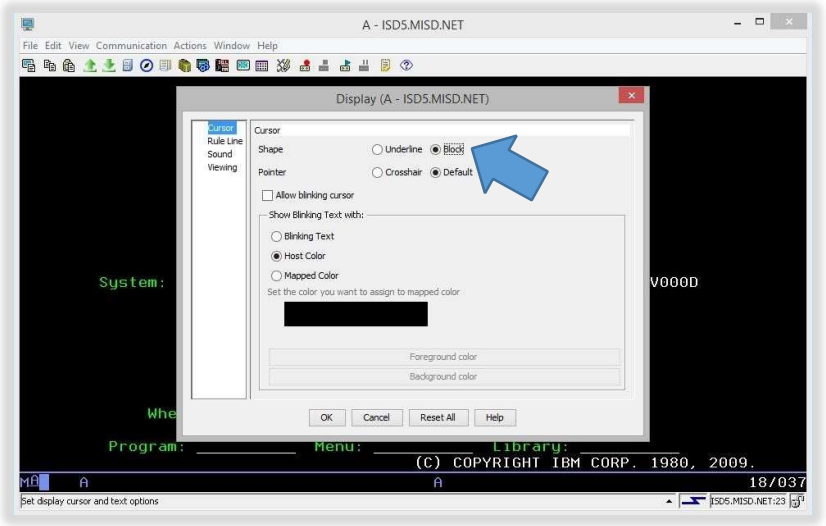
Click “Yes” on the Profile change window



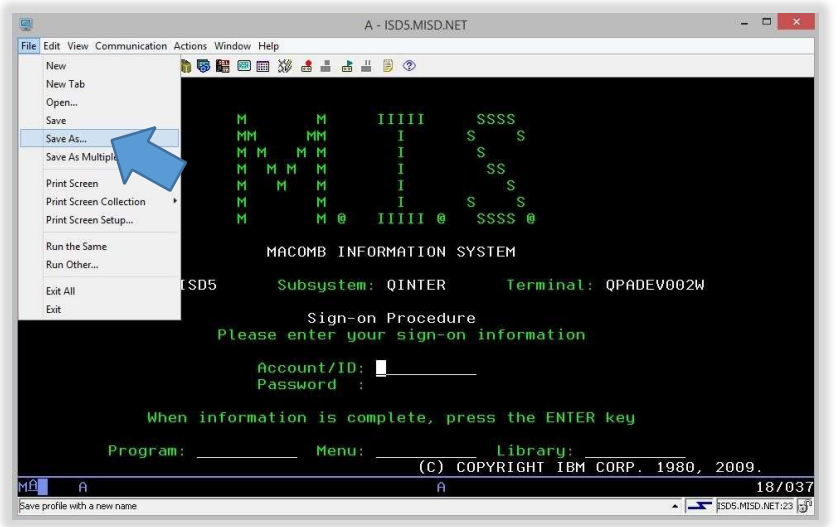
Choose “Edit”, “Preferences”, “Appearance”, “Display”



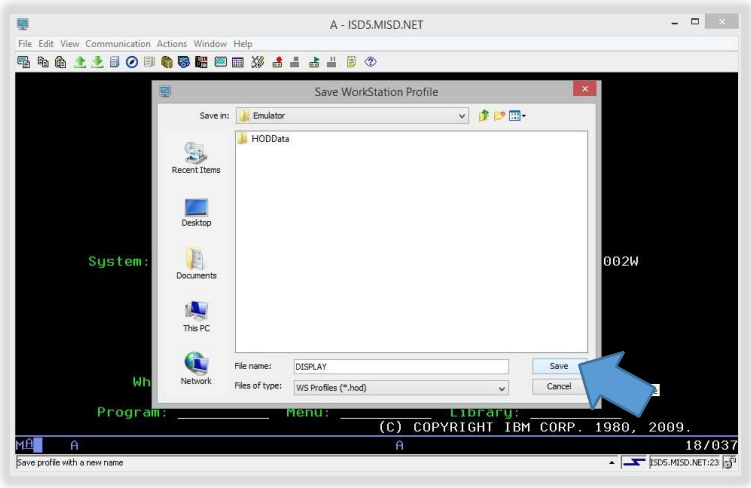
On the Cursor Page (Next to Shape) Select “Block” and Click “OK”



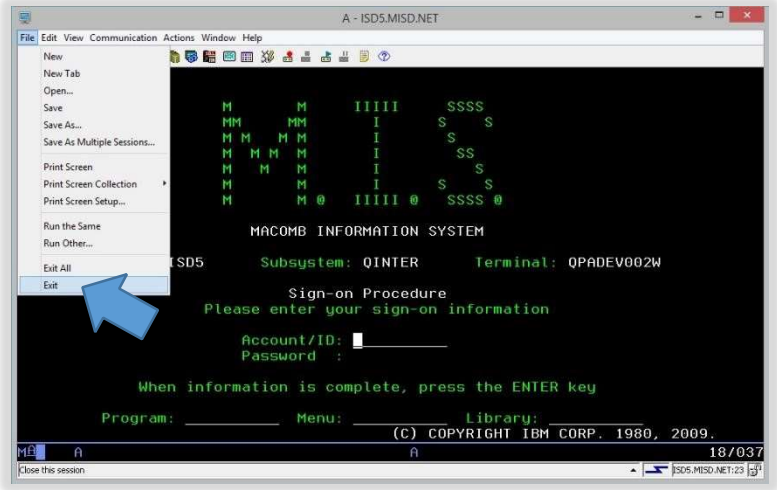
Click “File” and then “Save as”



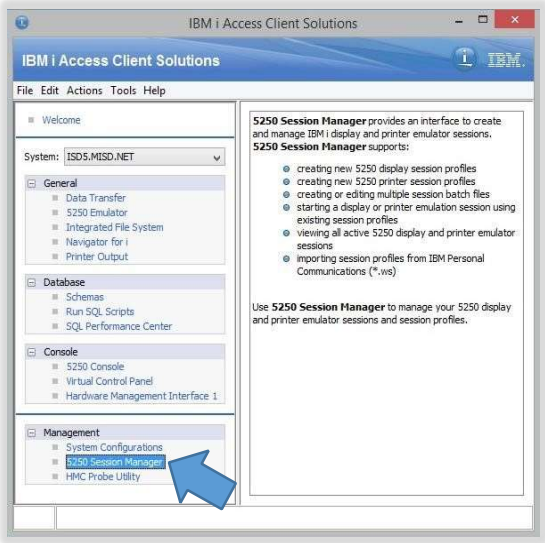
Type: DISPLAY and click “Save”



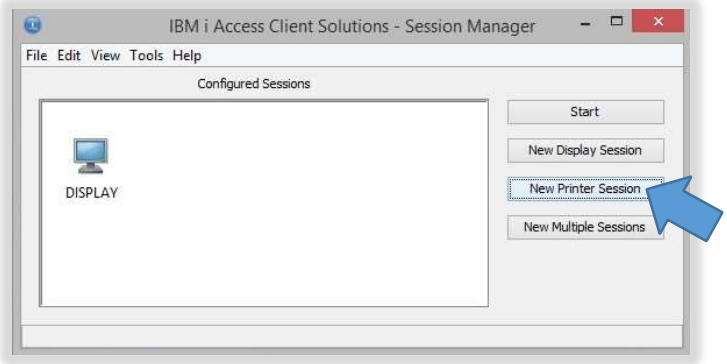
Choose “File” and “Exit”



Choose “5250 Session Manager” from the IBM iAccess Client Solutions Window



Click on “New Printer Session”

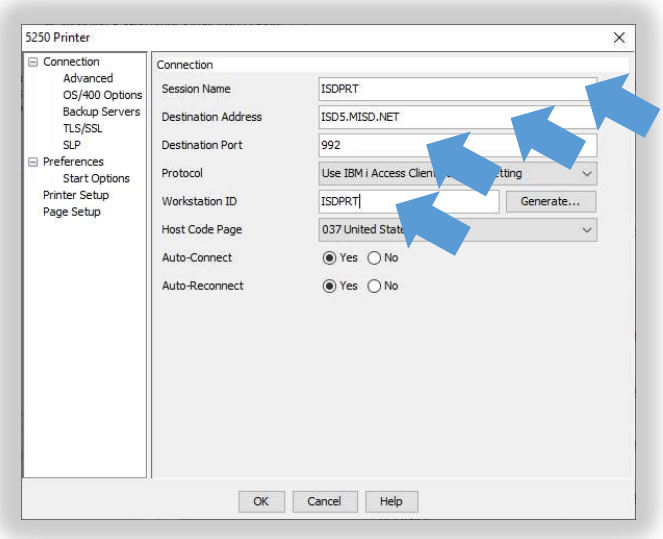


Type in the Session Name field: Your User’s Printer Session Name (Example: ISDPRT)

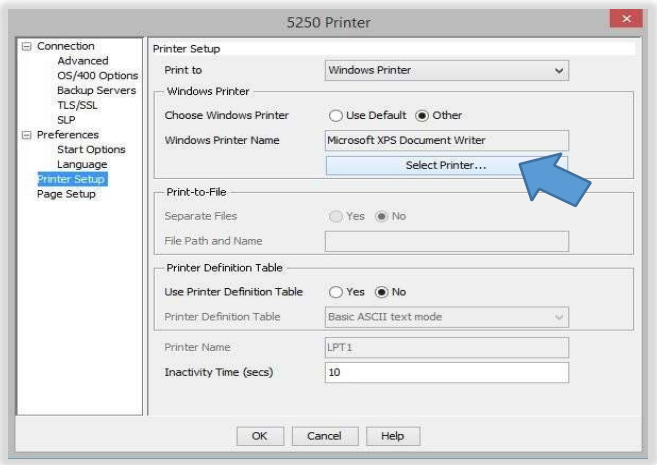
Type in the Destination Address field: ISD5.MISD.NET

Type in the Destination Port field: 992

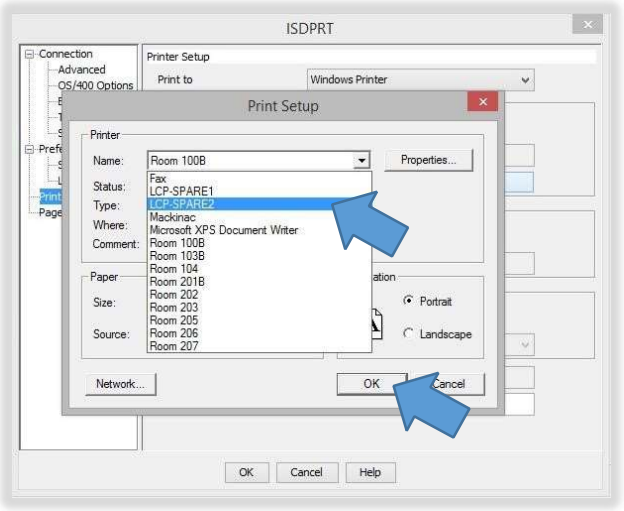
Type in the Workstation ID Field: Your User’s Printer Session Name (Example: ISDPRT)



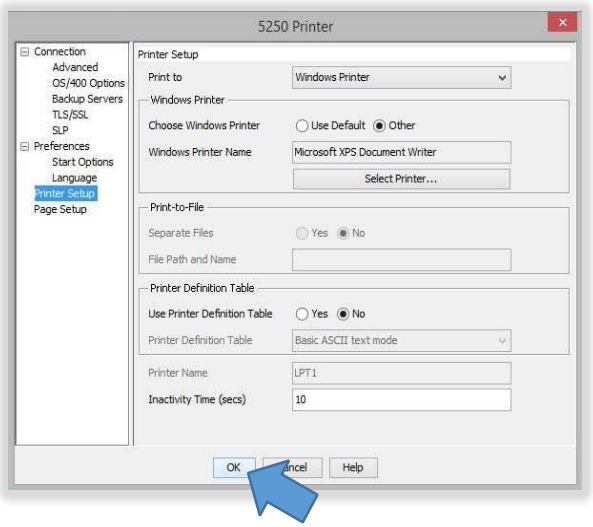
Choose “Printer Setup” then Select “Other” and click “Select Printer”



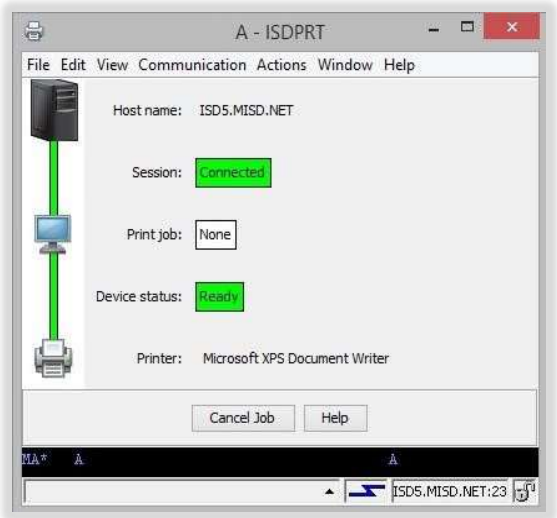
Select your Printer from the list and Click “OK”



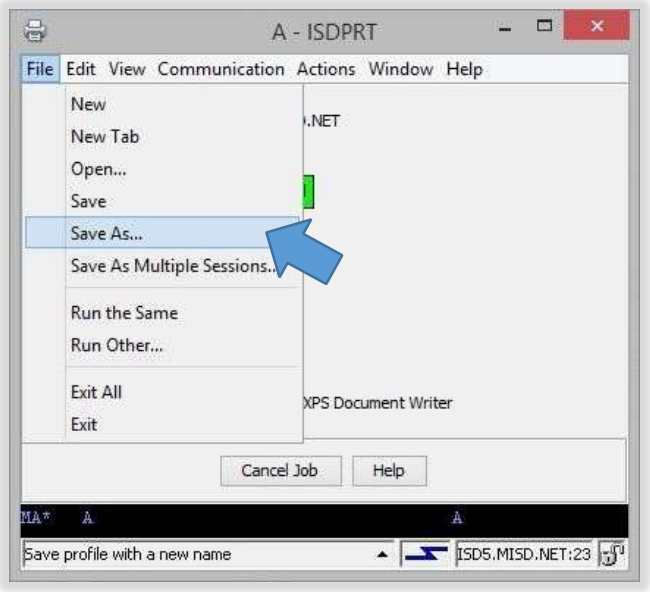
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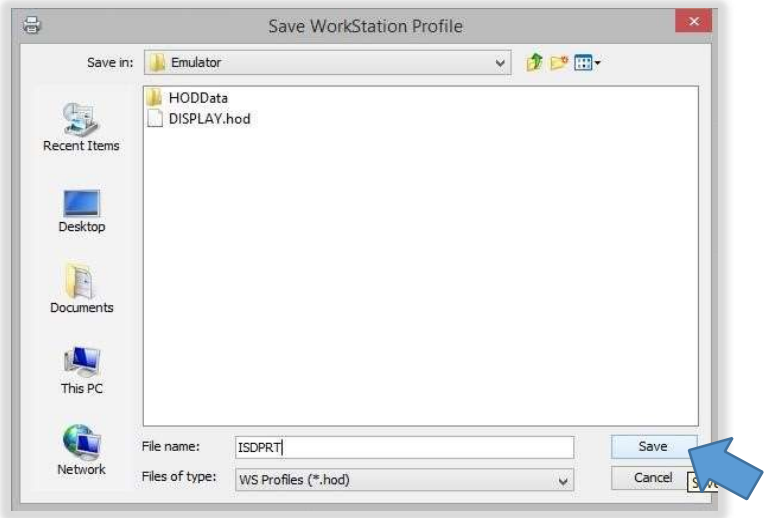
Now the Printer Session is Connected



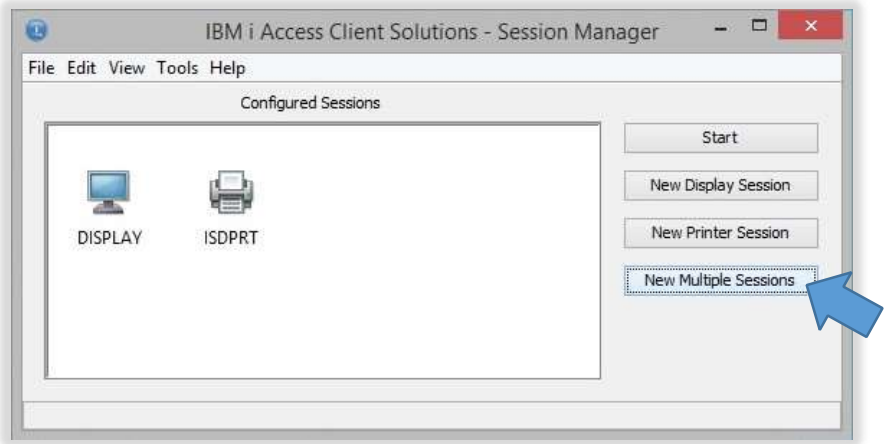
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Type your User’s Printer Session Name (Example: ISDPRT) and Click “Save”

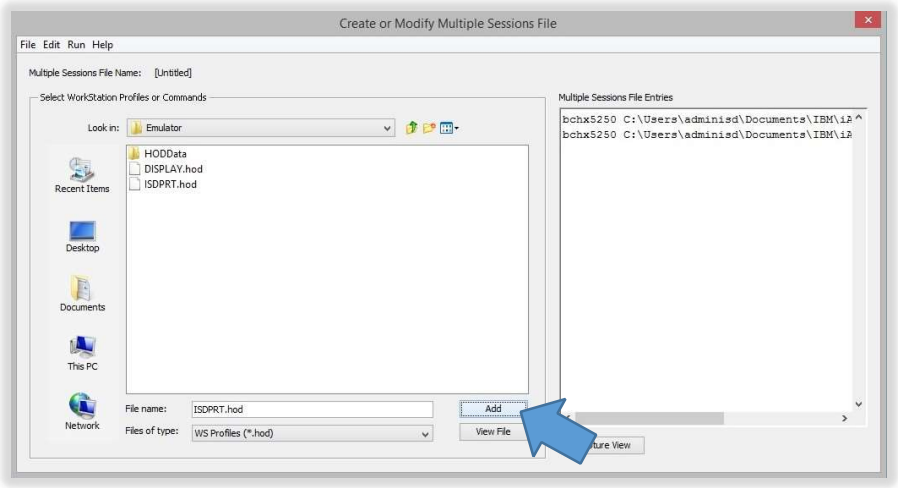


Click “New Multiple Sessions” on the Session Manager Screen

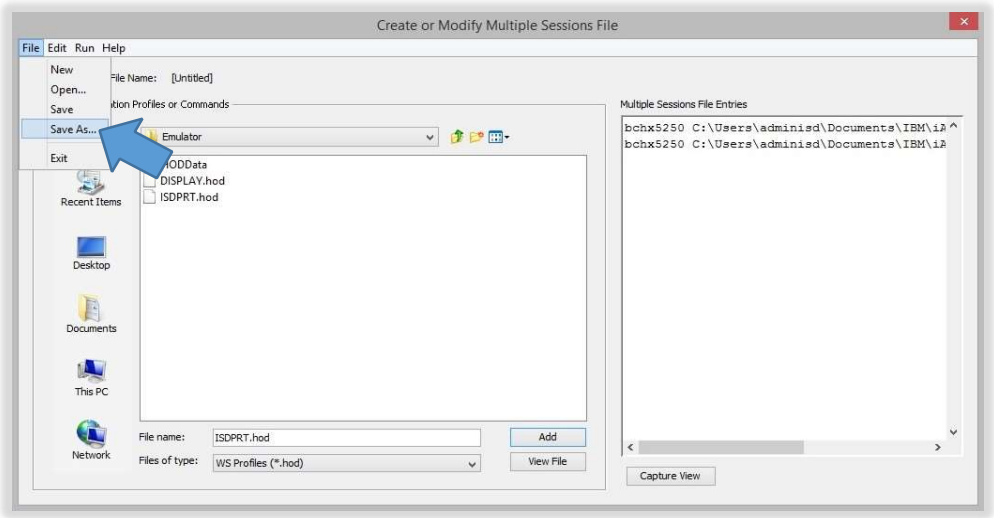


Select “DISPLAY.hod” then Click “Add”

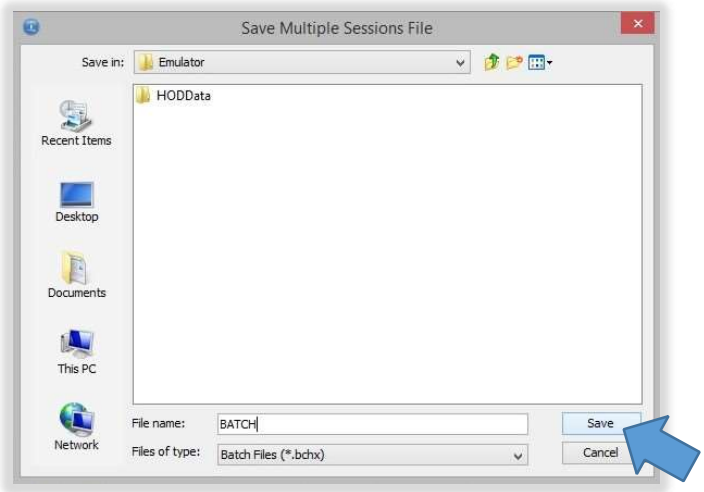
Select “Your User’s Printer Session.hod” then Click “Add”



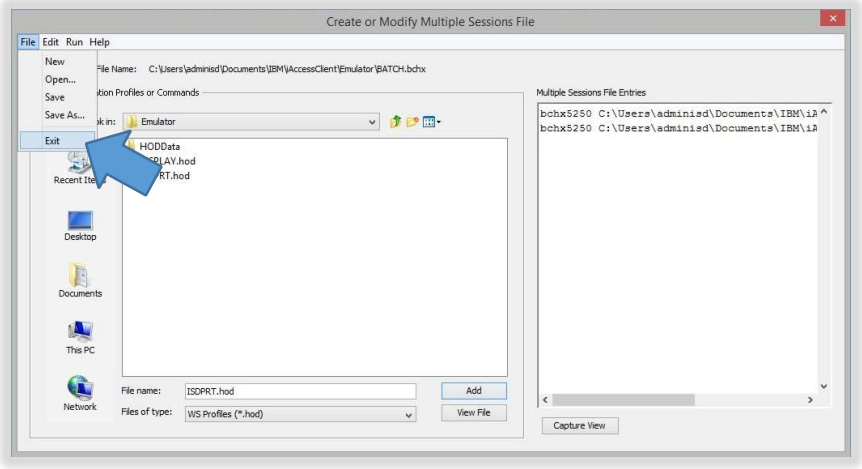
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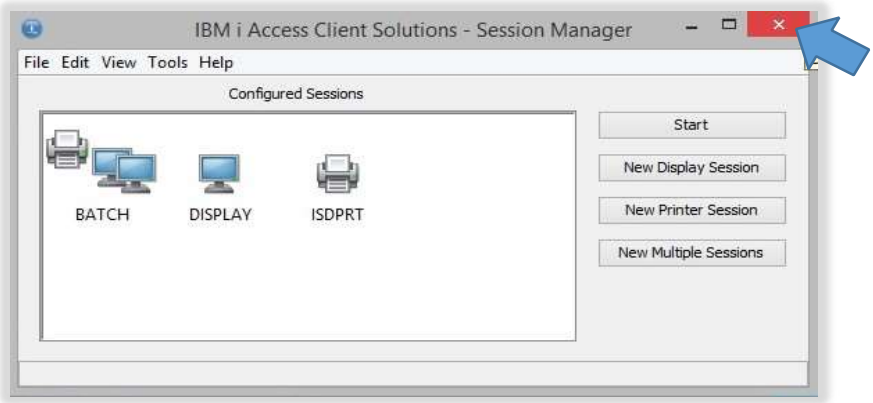
Type: BATCH and click “Save”



Click “File” and “Exit”



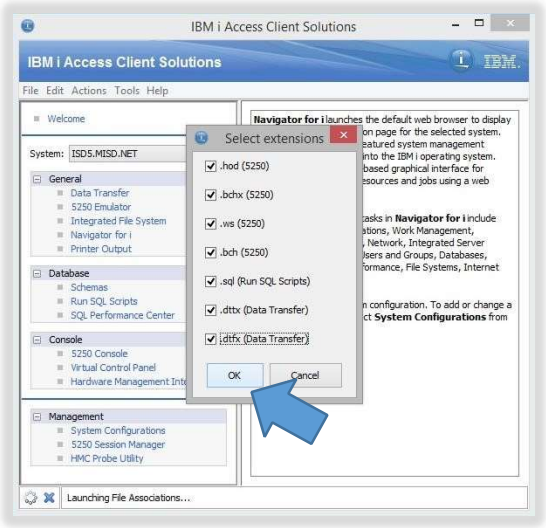
Close the IBM iAccess Client Solutions - Session Manager



Select “Tools”, then “File Associations”



Select all the Checkboxes and Click “OK”



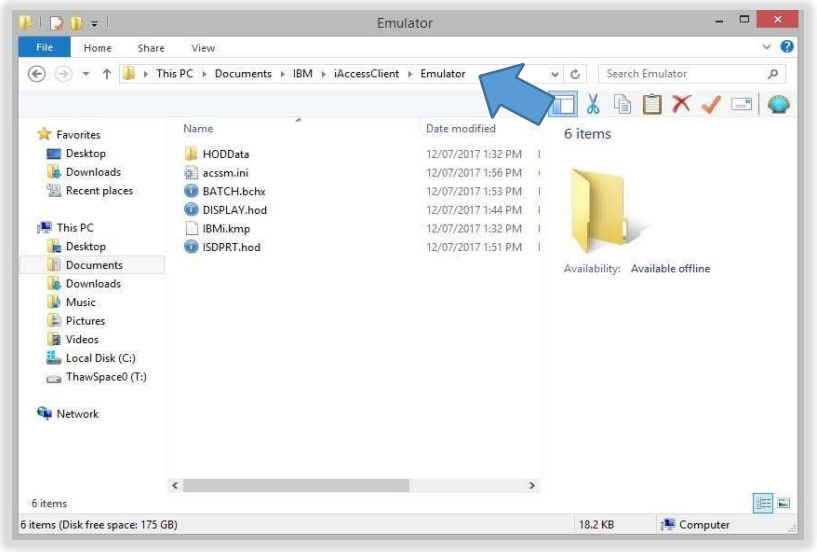
You will receive “The function completed successfully” message – Click “OK”



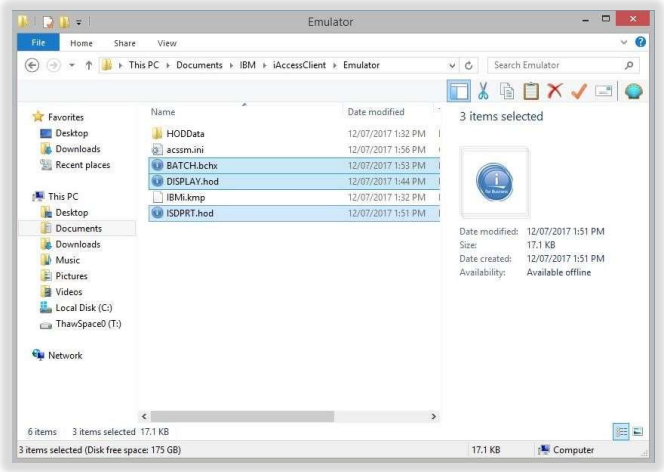
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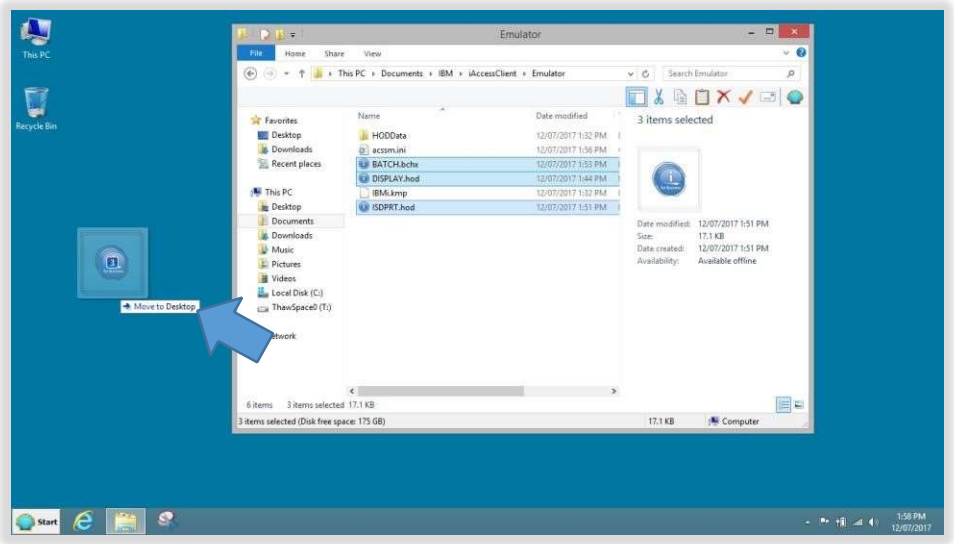
Browse to your “My documents” then to the folder: IBM, iAccessClient, Emulator



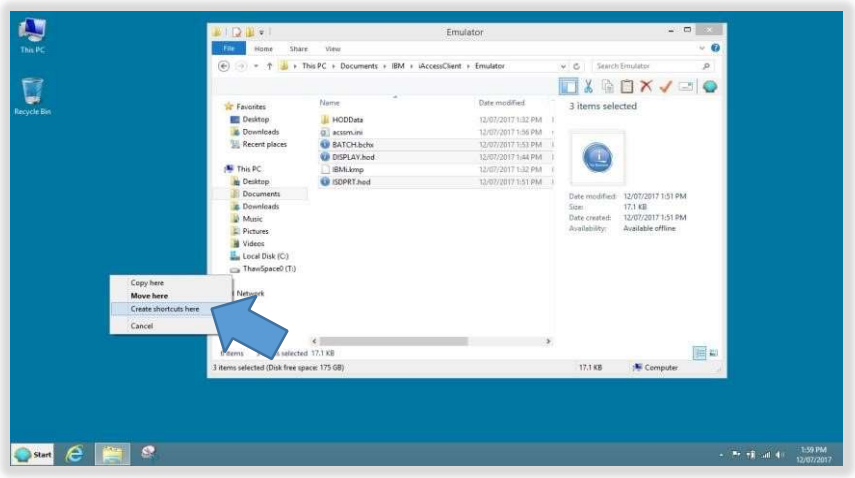
While holding the Ctrl Key - Select “BATCH.bchx”, “DISPLAY.hod”, and “YOUR USER’S PRINTER SESSION.HOD”



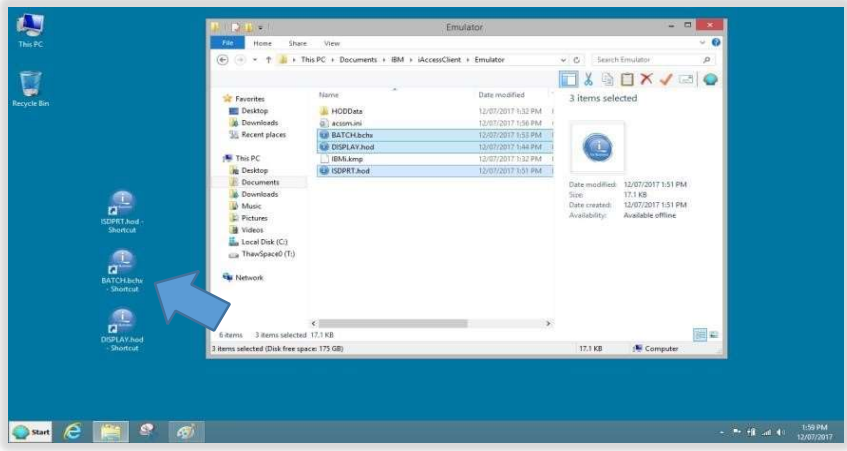
While holding “Right Click” Key – Drag the 3 selected files to the Desktop.



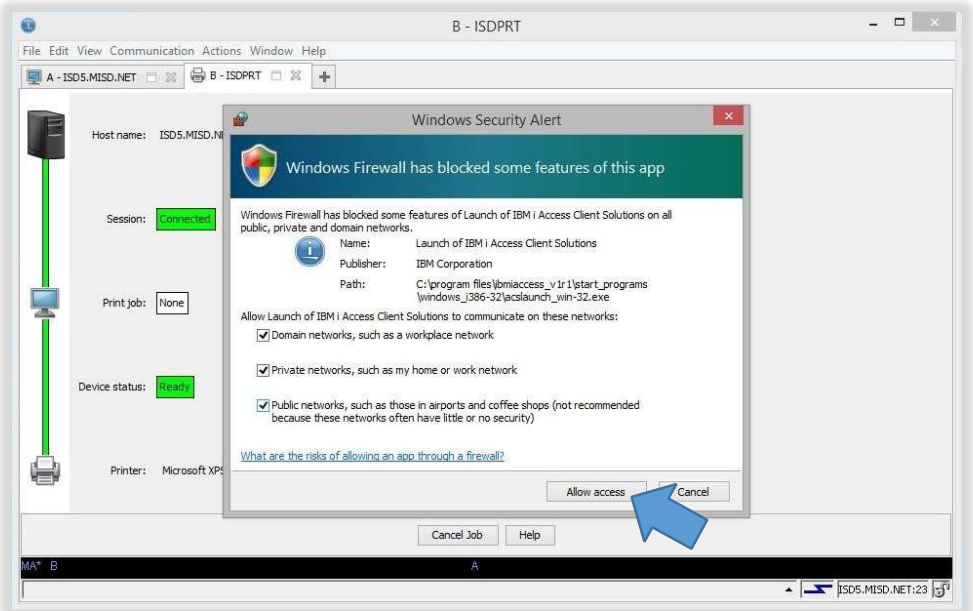
When you let go of the “Right Click button” a box will pop up - Select “Create shortcuts here”



Open the “BATCH.bchx – Shortcut”

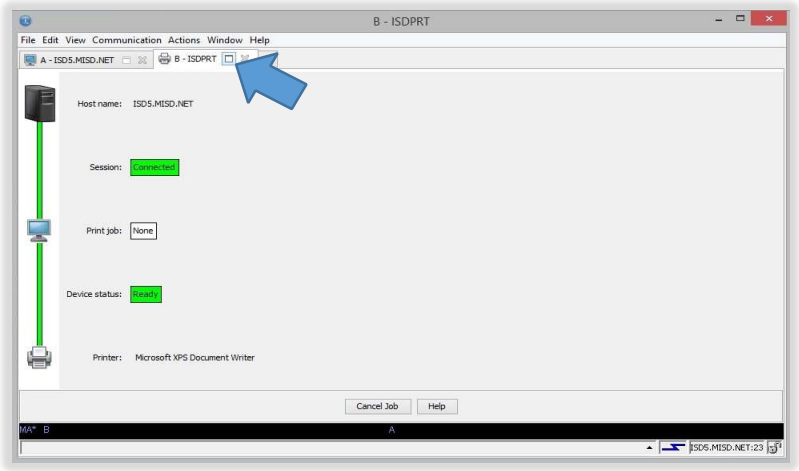


On the Windows Firewall Security Alert pop up, Check all the check boxes and Select “Allow Access”

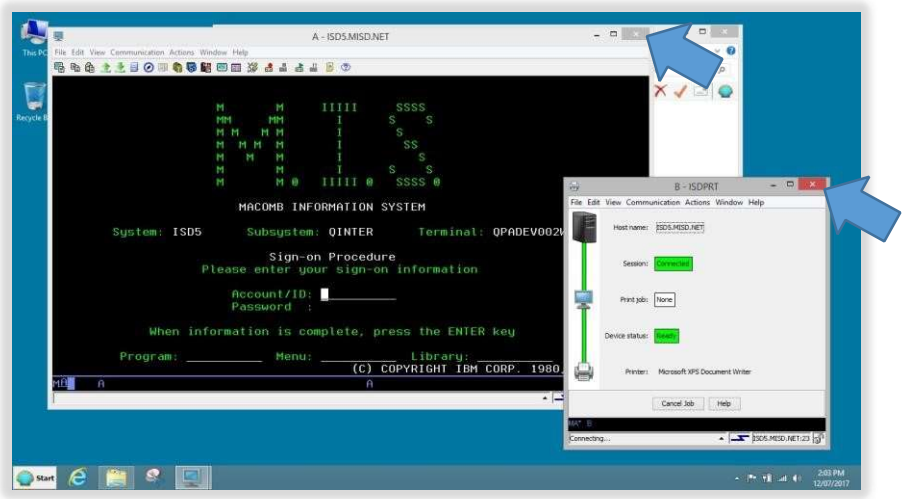


Notice there is a Display Session in one Tab and a Printer Session in the other Tab.

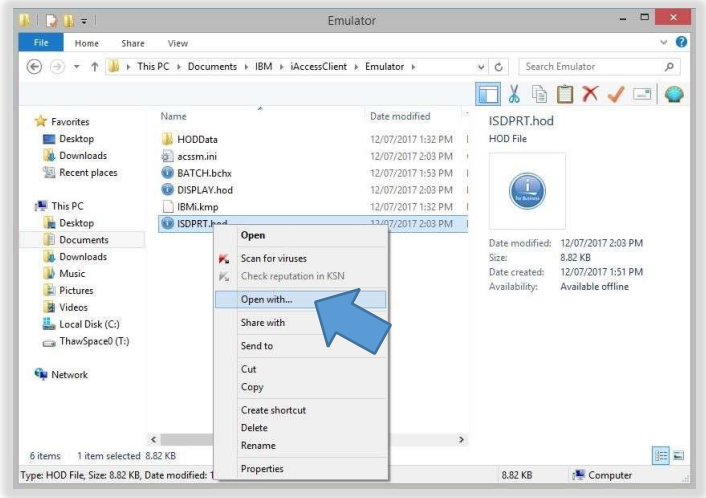
If your User wants separate windows, Click the “White Box” next to the “X” on the Printer Session.



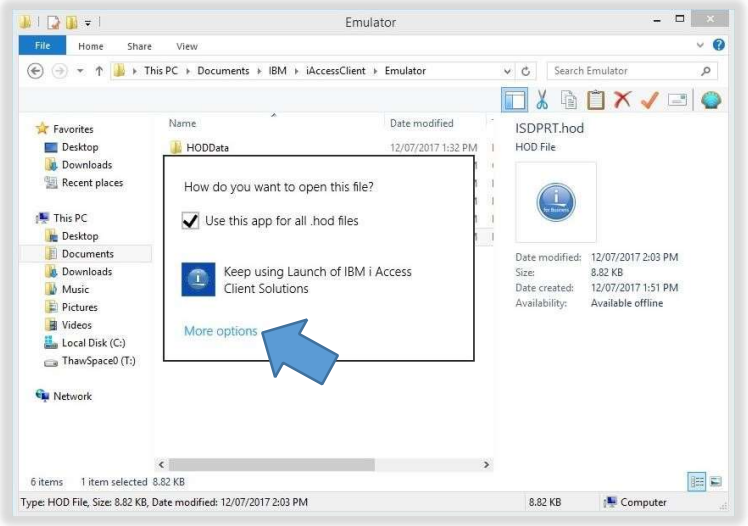
This will move each to separate Windows, now close both windows



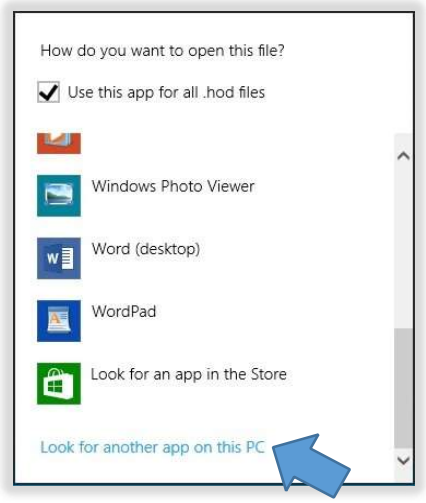
Right Click on the “DISPLAY.hod” and Select “Open with…”



Check the “Use this app for all .hod files” Checkbox, and click “More options”

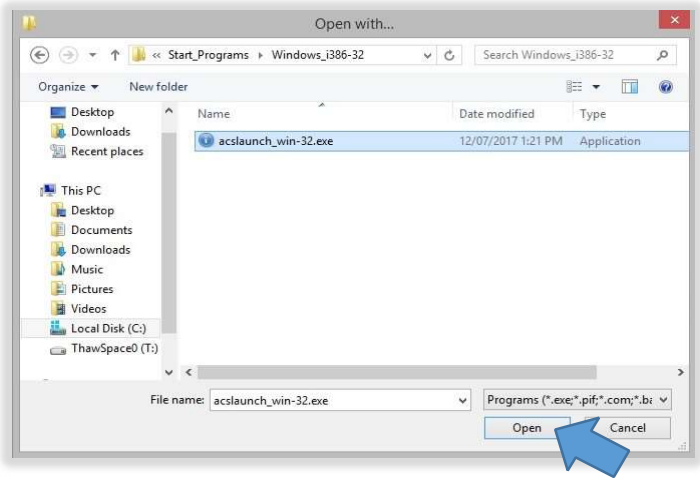


Scroll all the way down and Select “Look for another app on this PC”



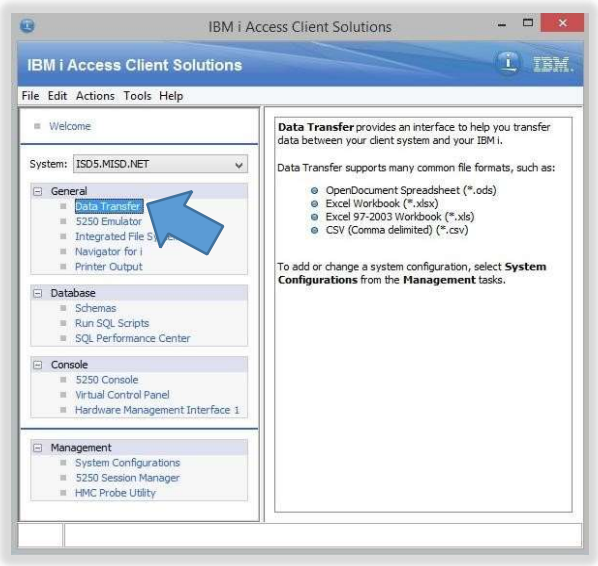
Browse to C:\Program Files\IBM\Start_Programs\Windows_i386-32\

Select acslaunch_win-32.exe and click “Open”

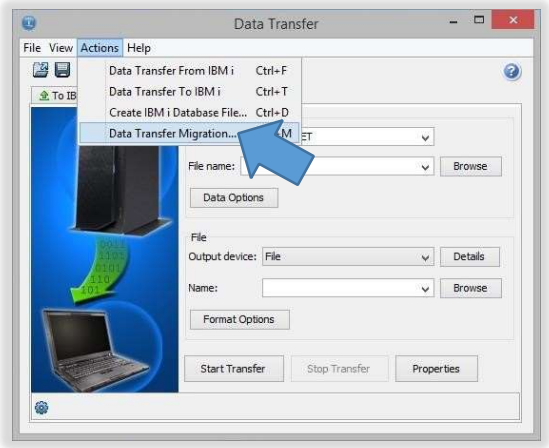


Migrating old Data Transfer Files

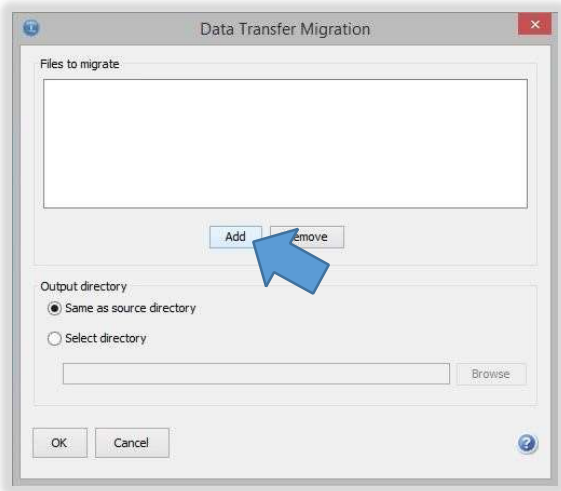
Click on “Data Transfer”



Select “Actions”, then “Data Transfer Migration…”

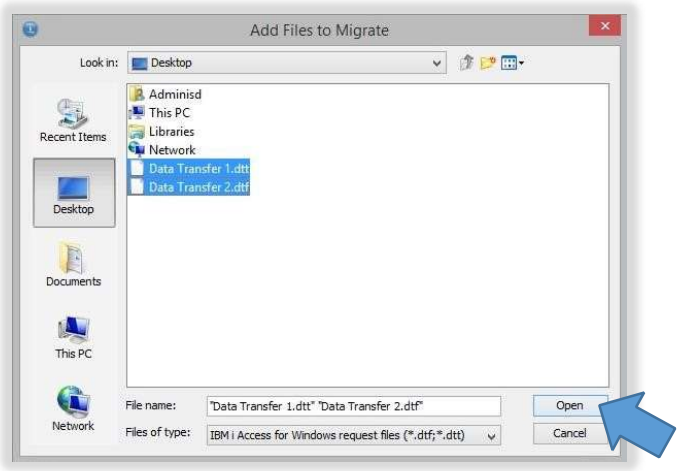


Click “Add”

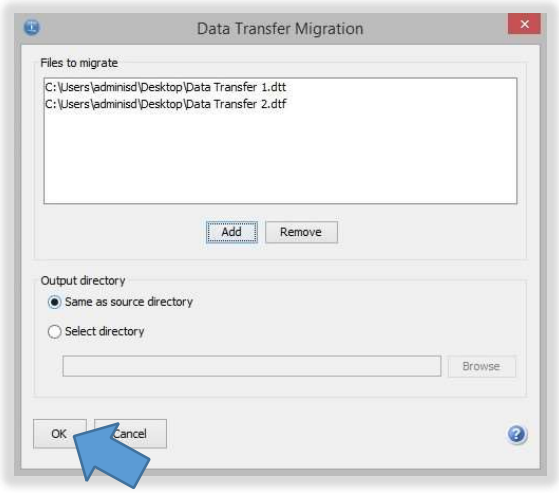


Browse to the location of your Data Transfers

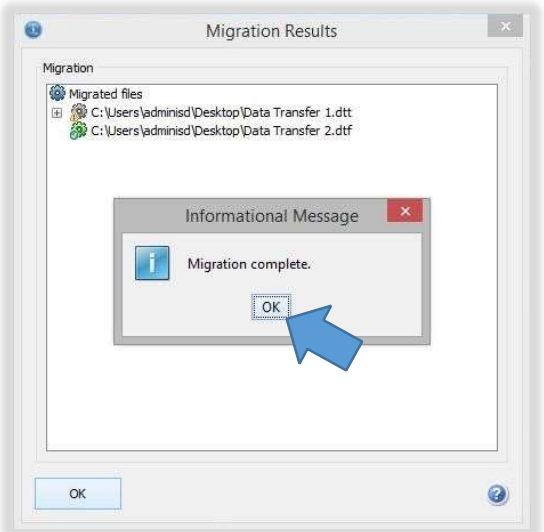
"Select" each .dtf file and click "Open"



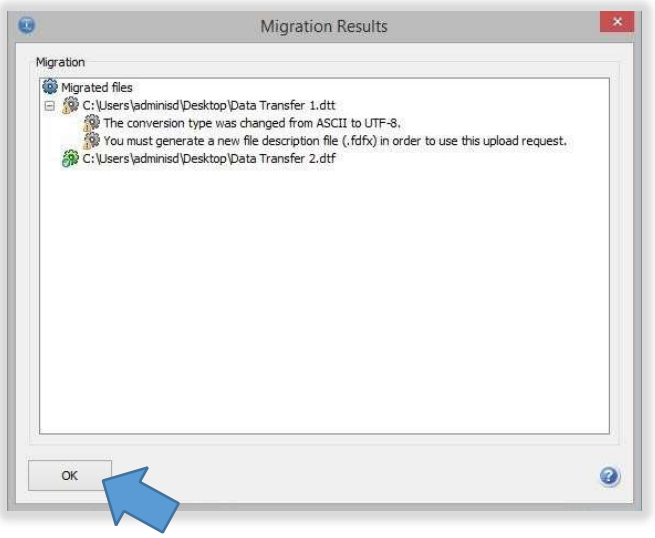
You should see all your .dtf files in the window, then Click "OK"



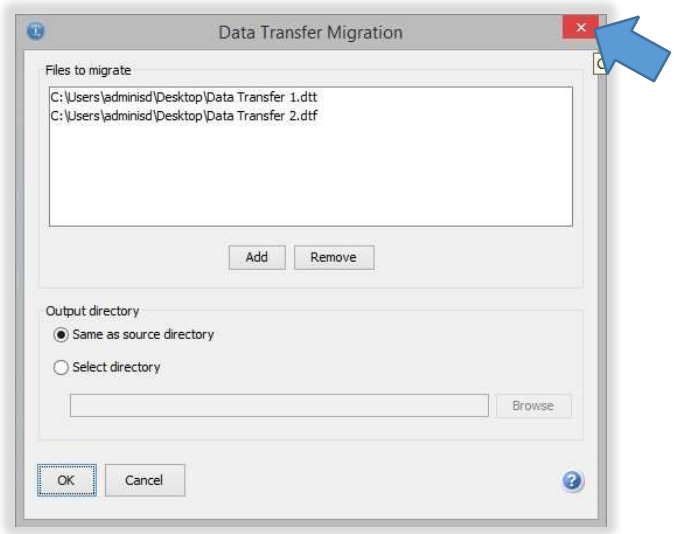
Once you see a "Migration Complete" message, Click "OK"



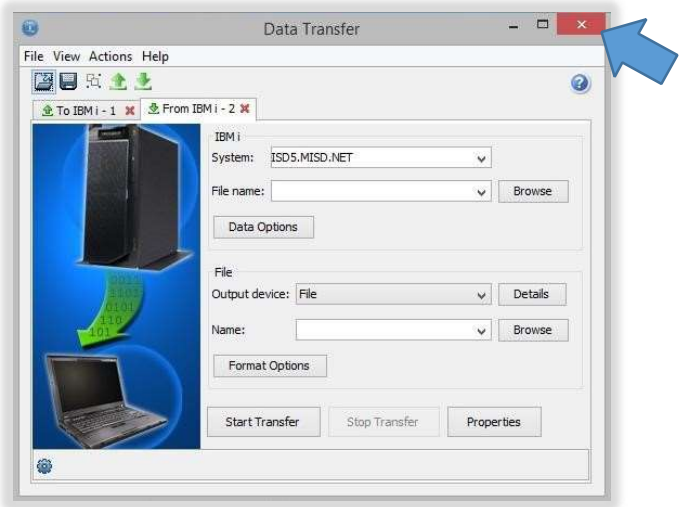
Inspect the Migration Results by expanding the “+” Symbol, then Click “OK”



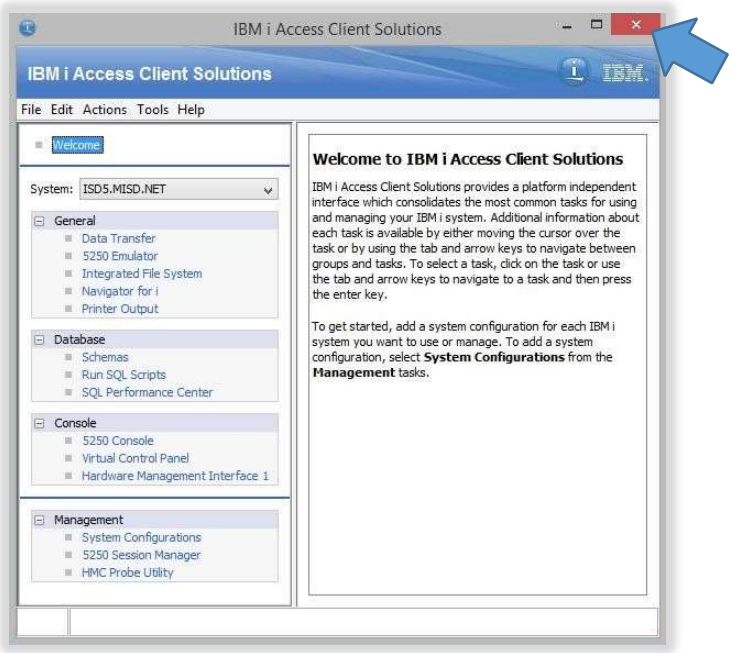
Close the Data Transfer Migration Window



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Close the IBM iAccess Client Solutions Window



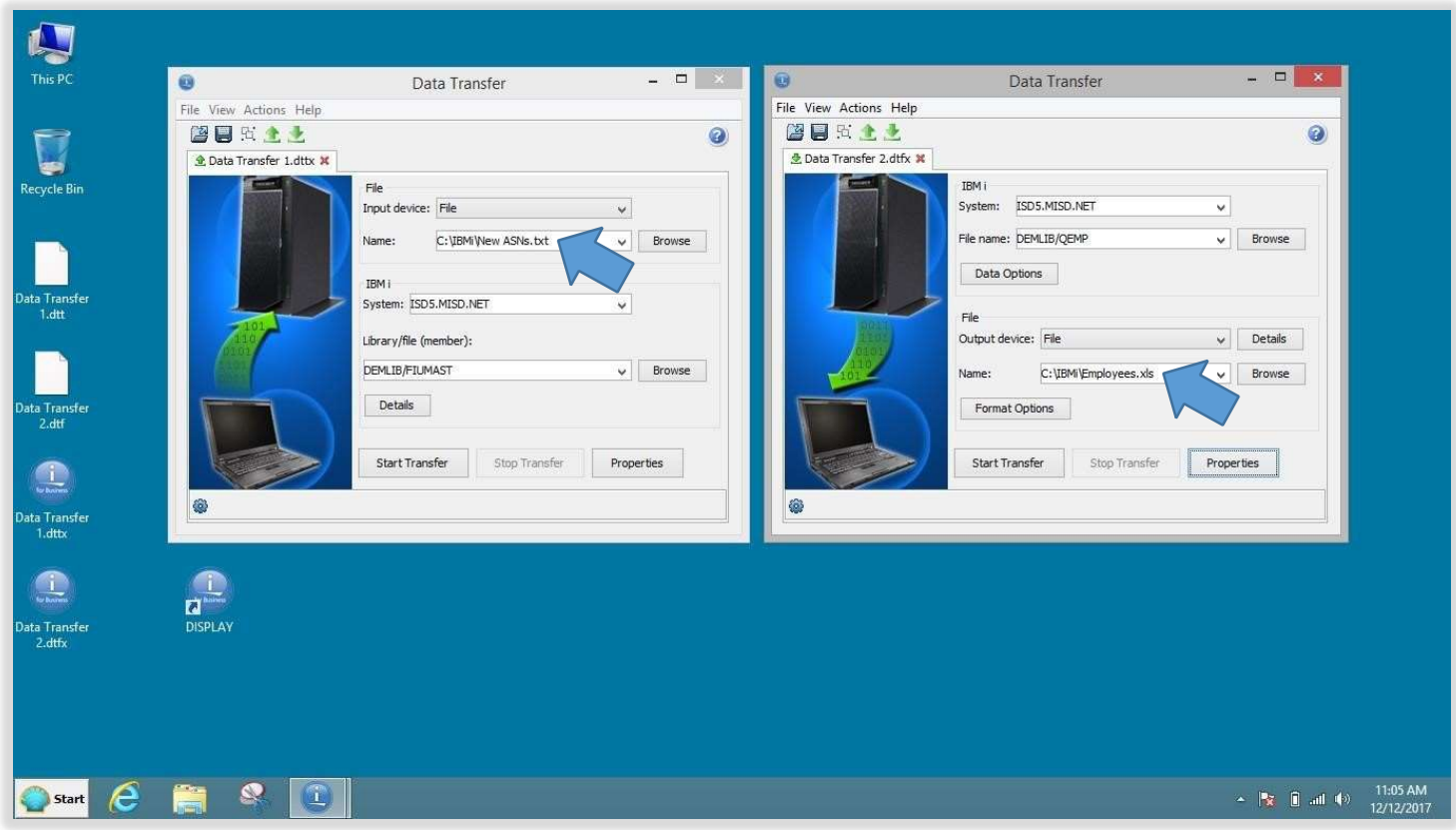
The new Data Transfer files are now created as .dtfx files

Delete or Archive the old .dtf files



Open each Migrated Data Transfer File.

Note the “File Location” must already be created before your Start your Transfer (arrows indicate “File Location”).



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