

Use this instruction sheet when you install TMS on a virtual machine. These instructions are only for installations of TMS 2.0 or 2.5 TMS Commercial Edition (TMS 2.0 or TMS CE 2.5).

## Before You Begin

In addition to these installation notes, you received two other documents that you will need: the *TMS Setup Guide* and the *Tennant Metering Family Installation Notes*. Please have these documents available during installation. See the table below for additional hardware/software requirements that are specific to the computer that hosts the virtual machine.

### Hardware/Software Requirements when Hosting a Virtual Machine

Option	Setting
Operating System	Microsoft Windows Server 2003 R2, Standard Edition
Processor(s)	Single Processor
RAM	1024 MB
Hard Drive Size	60 GB
Network Configuration	Bridged
VM Format	VMWare ESX Server 2.x
Virus Protection	To be installed by customer
Backup Software	To be installed by customer

## Installing the Software

1. Prepare the computer:
  - a. Verify that the computer meets hardware and software requirements. This includes the requirements in the table above, as well as the requirements in the *Introduction* chapter of the *TMS Setup Guide*.
  - b. Ensure that the computer has the VMWare environment installed.
2. Review the *Installation Notes* and the *Introduction* chapter of the *TMS Setup Guide* to learn about specific settings you need to make.
3. Install TMSCE, following the instructions for new installations in the *Setup Guide*.
4. For instructions about launching and using TMS, see the *Using TMS* chapter in the *TMS Setup Guide*.