

JLRNA - VID Block Manager

VID Block Manager is a reusable tool for creating the necessary folders, on a floppy drive or other removable media, to enable WDS/IDS to recognize a VID Block file for download back to the vehicle.

Whenever you have to load a VID block file back to a vehicle, this VID Block Manager can be used to create the correct file structure on your floppy or USB flash drive.

INSTALLING VID Block Manager

There are two versions of the VID Block Manager tool available on the Jaguar Product Support Website.

1. The "Generic" version of the VID Block Manager can be installed and run on any Windows PC with Windows 2000 or later operating systems. It can also be installed on the IDS laptop itself.
2. The "WDS Resident" version of the VID Block Manager is designed to be installed and run on any Windows 98 PC. It can also be installed on the WDS PTU itself.

On the Product Support website (<https://web.jagtech.dealerconnection.com>), click on the Job Aids link. Choose the correct VID Block Manager zipped file for your version of Windows and save the zipped file to a location where it can be easily found on your PC.

- If this PC is the same one that you wish to use the VID Block Manager on, then simply open the zipped file and double-click on the .exe file to install the program.
- If this PC is not the one that you wish to use the VID Block Manager on, then open the zipped file and copy the .exe file to a removable disc and transport it to its target PC. Once you have the file where needed, double-click on the exe file to install the program.

Regardless of which version of the VID Block Manager you decide to use, the installation process will create a VID Block Manager shortcut on the Windows desktop.

When Installing the Windows 98 version, there will also be a shortcut placed directly on the Start Menu. When Installing the Windows 2000/XP version, the Start Menu shortcut will be found in the "Programs" sub-menu.