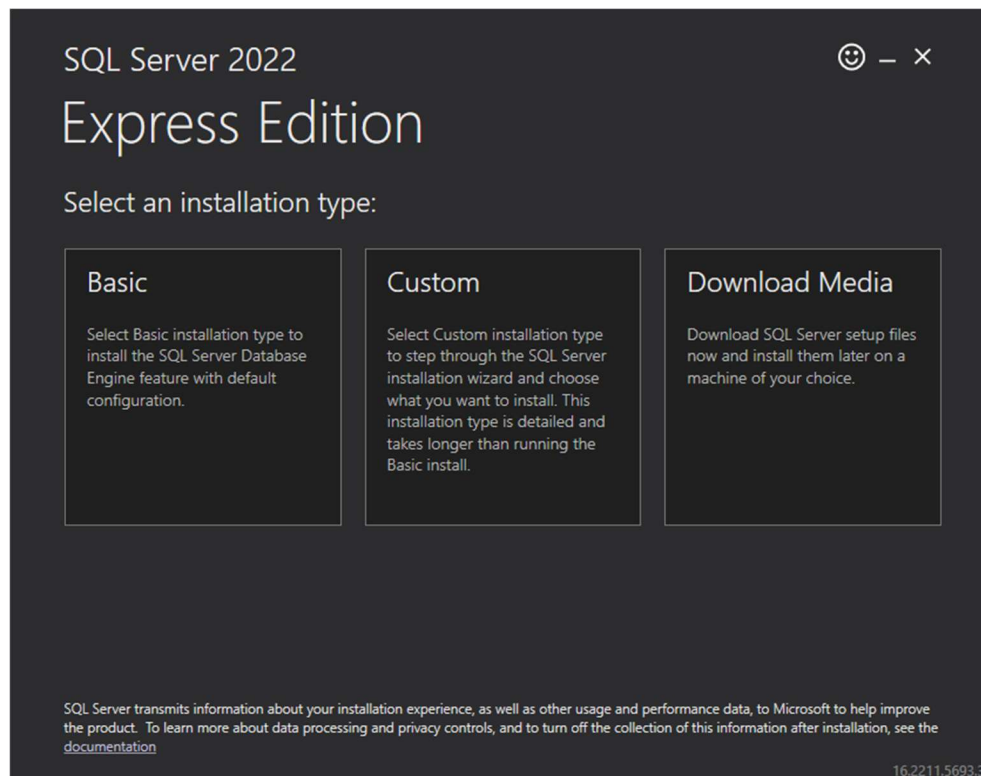


PARTICLE VIEW INSTALLATION GUIDE FOR WINDOWS 11 OPERATING SYSTEM

The Particle View installation process begins with the installation of SQL Server 2012 Express which is not compatible with Windows 11 computers. Microsoft SQL Server 2022 Express must be used in these cases. The utility for installing Particle View on Windows 11 does not exist yet, so the SQL Server 2022 Express and Particle View software must be installed manually.

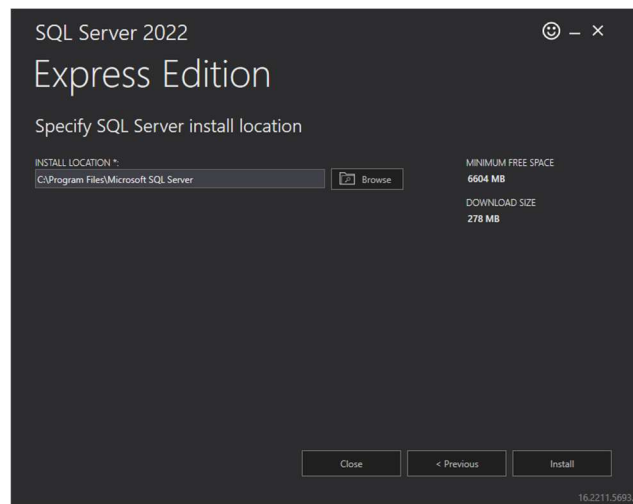
The following steps detail how to successfully install Particle View on a Windows 11 computer. These steps will also work on a Windows 10 computer.

1. Download Microsoft SQL Server 2022 Express from the Microsoft.com website.
2. Launch the SQL Server 2022 Express installer and select the Basic installation type or consult with your IT department regarding the other installation types.

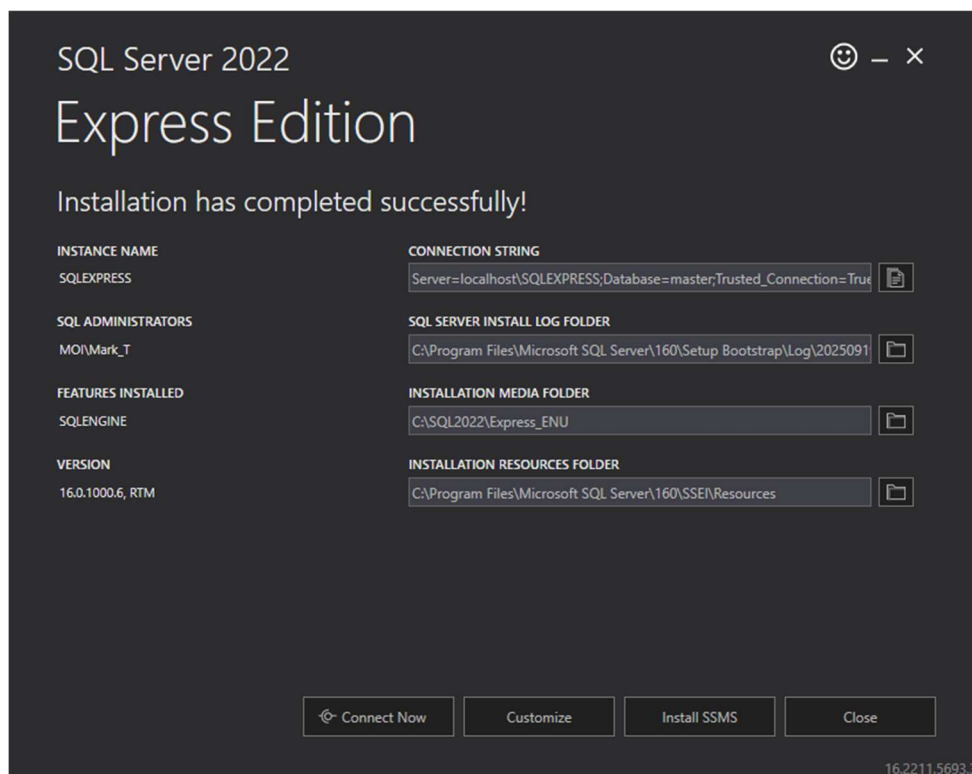


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3. Accept the License Terms, choose the installation location, and select Install.



4. Select Close once the installation is complete.

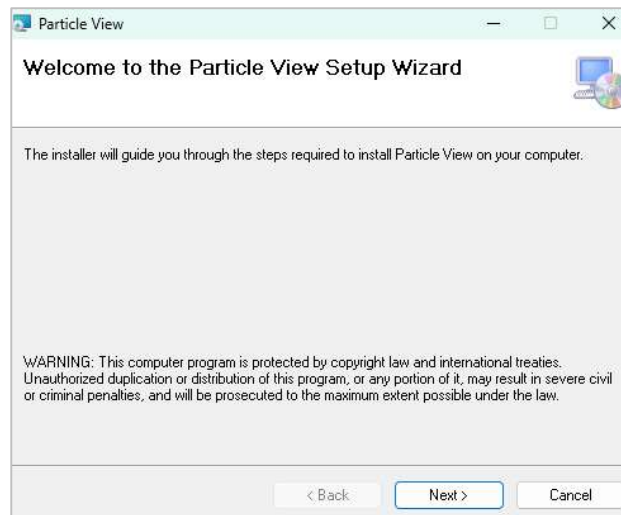


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- From the USB Thumb Drive containing the Particle View software, launch the ParticleView.msi file and follow the installation instructions.

Note: Do not run the *setup.exe* file! This will attempt to install the outdated version of the SQL Server Express software.

Name	Type	Compressed size
DotNetFX461	File folder	
SqlExpress2012	File folder	
WindowsInstaller4_5	File folder	
ParticleView.msi	Windows Installer Package	2,704 KB
setup.exe	Application	360 KB
version.txt	Text Document	1 KB



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