

## Installing the latest Mastertech VCI Software

Affected Product: Mastertech VCI

1. Download and obtain latest version of the Bosch M-VCI Software
  - 1.1. Using a web browser, go to [www.boschdiagnostics.com](http://www.boschdiagnostics.com)



- 1.2. Within the Software group, select Diagnostics



- 1.3. Inside the drop-down box, select "M-VCI Software for M-VCI"



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products:

Select a product:

- ESI[tronic] 2.0 for M-VCI
- BFX Brake Fluid Flush System
- ESI[tronic] 2.0 for M-VCI
- ESI[tronic] for KTS
- Flasher LT
- Flasher Pro
- FSA 050
- FSA 720/740
- J2534 Flasher
- MCX Engine Coolant Exchanger
- MMD 540H Multimeter
- MTS 1100 Gas Analyzer
- MTS 3100 Mastertech
- MTS 5200
- M-VCI Software for M-VCI**
- PSX Power Steering and DFX Differential Fluid Exchangers
- Shop Foreman Pro for M-VCI
- SMT 300 Smoke Tester
- Tech 2
- VCI-Netgear® Router
- VCX Vacuum Coolant Exchangers

downloads. ▶ Follow this link for the details on the download process.

If you don't have your copy, please contact Bosch Customer service at

1.4. When the web page is loaded, download the Latest version of the .exe file to a directory on the PC. Remember the location of this directory as it will be referenced in Step 2.1 below

Bosch Diagnostics

- ▶ Home Page
- Test Equipment
  - ▶ Wheel Service
  - ▶ Diagnostics
  - ▶ Crash Data Retrieval
- Software
  - ▶ Wheel Service
  - ▶ Diagnostics
  - ▶ Crash Data Retrieval
- Training
  - ▶ Wheel Service
  - ▶ Diagnostics
  - ▶ Crash Data Retrieval
- Support
  - ▶ Diagnostics Sales & Support
  - ▶ Wheel Service Sales & Support
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## Diagnostics Software

software downloads

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Select a product:

M-VCI Software for M-VCI

- ▶ M-VCI\_Software\_Setup\_v13.0.75.27.exe
- ▶ M-VCI\_Software\_Upgrade\_Process.pdf

Note: This version of the M-VCI software (v13.0.75.27) does **NOT** work with Shop Foreman Pro v5.11.9 and earlier

1.5. When complete, go to step 2

## 2. Install Bosch M-VCI Software

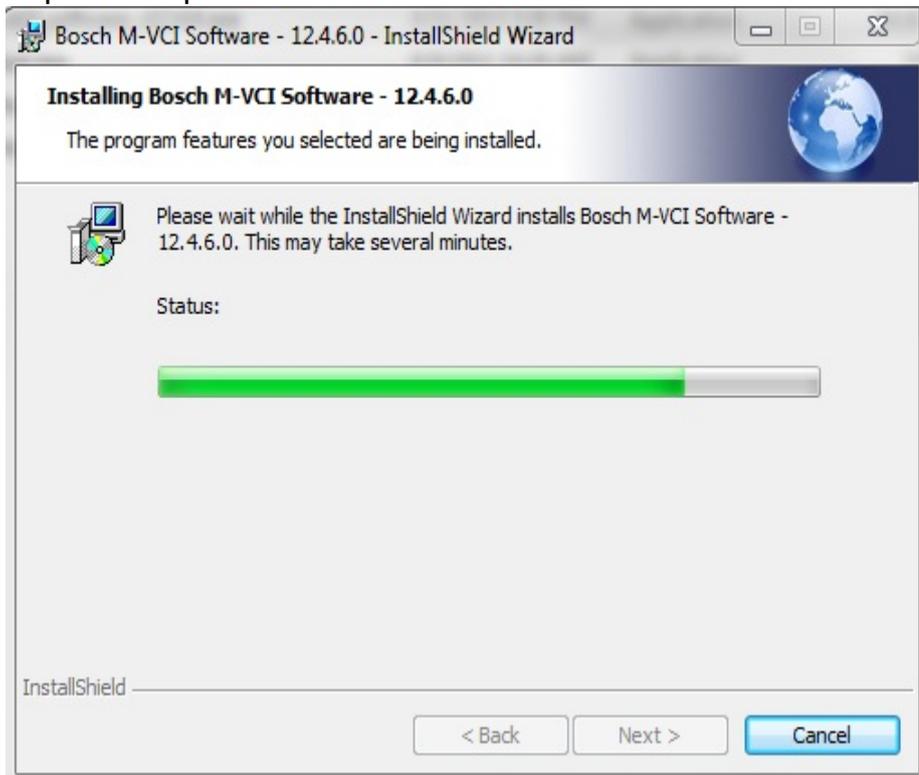
2.1. Using Windows Explorer (File Manager), **browse** to the location where the **.exe** was previously saved



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ESI 2.0 kick off event material	1/9/2012 5:21 AM	File folder	
M-VCI_software_v12.4.6.exe	4/11/2013 3:36 PM	Application	24,929 KB
Setup.exe	8/9/2011 10:30 AM	Application	109 KB
Setup.ini	8/9/2011 10:30 AM	Configuration sett...	1 KB
Shop_Foreman_Pro_5.11.9_Setup.exe	11/6/2012 12:43 PM	Application	78,011 KB

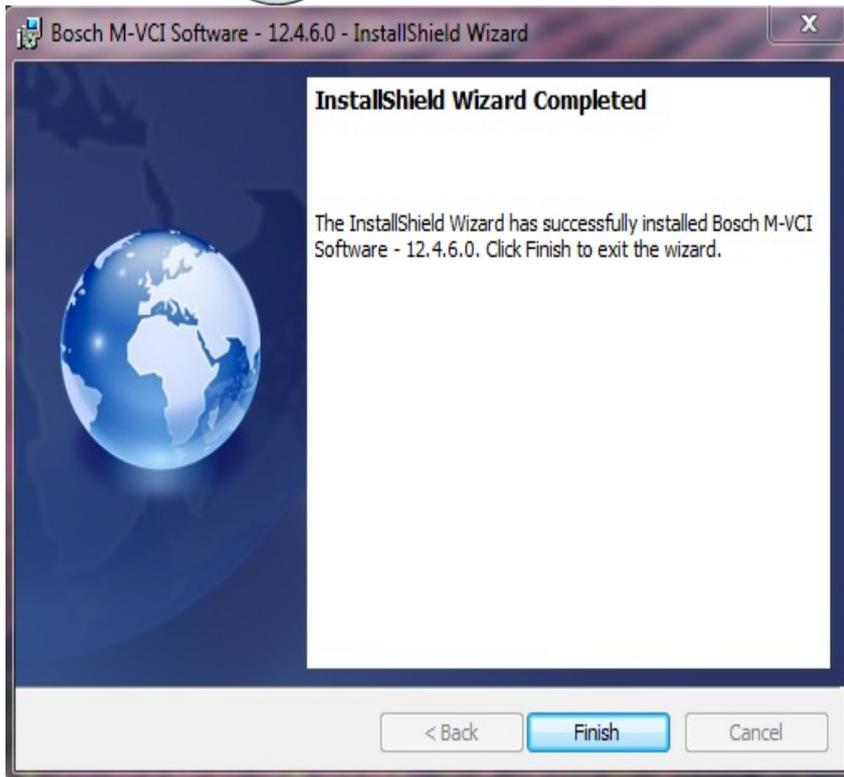
2.2. Double-click the **.exe** file. The Installer for will open and run. Follow on screen steps to complete installation



2.3. When complete, click on “finish” and go to step 3.



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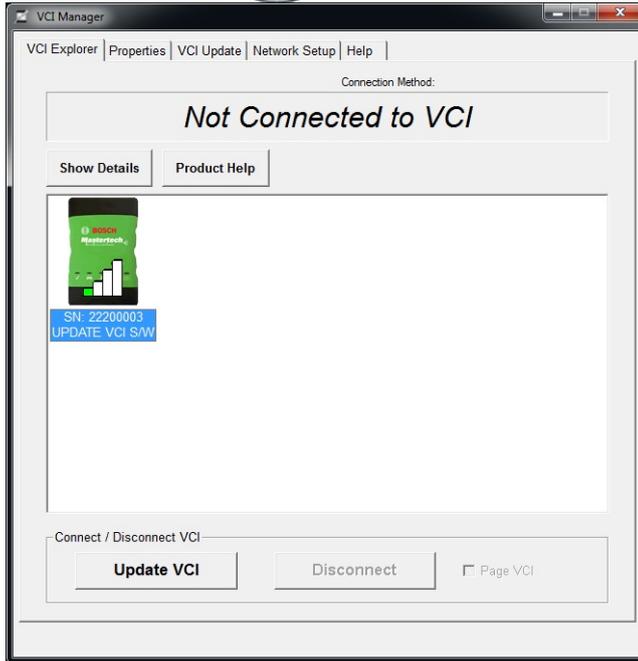


### 3. Update M-VCI vehicle interface

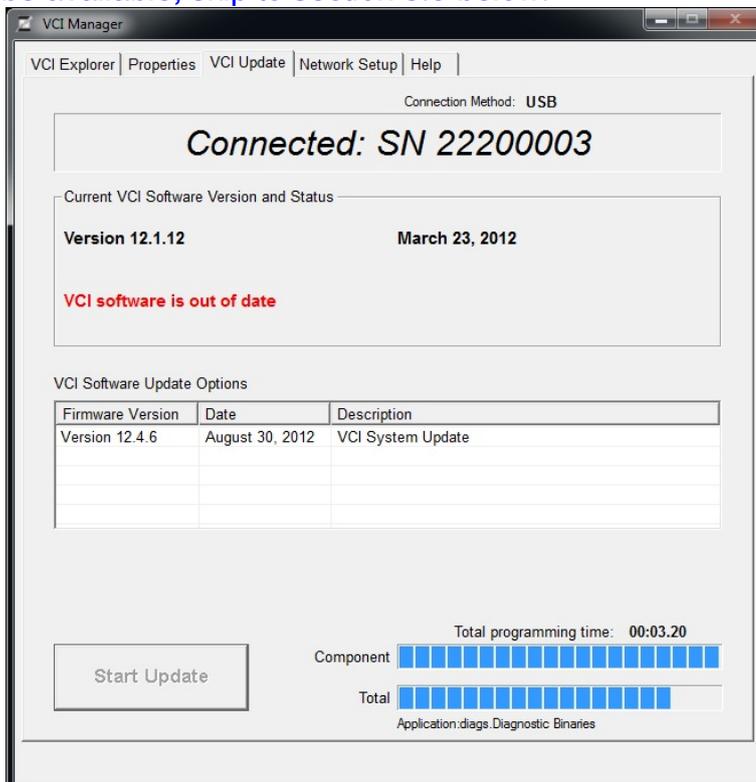
3.1. Connect M-VCI to PC, and power up the device. Wait for the unit to emit an audible ready "beep" before continuing.

3.2. Open VCI Manager. Confirm that the M-VCI icon is shown without a red "X" inside the VCI Explorer pane before continuing. Click on the M-VCI in the VCI Explorer pane to select it.

If the red "X" is present, follow the M-VCI Firmware "Recover" process captured in the next section.



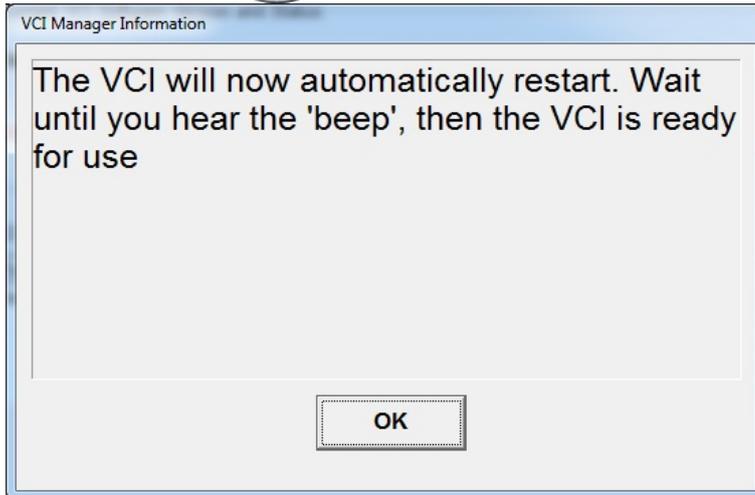
- 3.3. Click on Update VCI. The M-VCI firmware update process will start (depending on PC hard-ware, the estimated update time is 6 to 7 minutes)  
**Note:** If the M-VCI already has v12.4.6 loaded, the Update VCI button will not be available; skip to section 3.5 below.



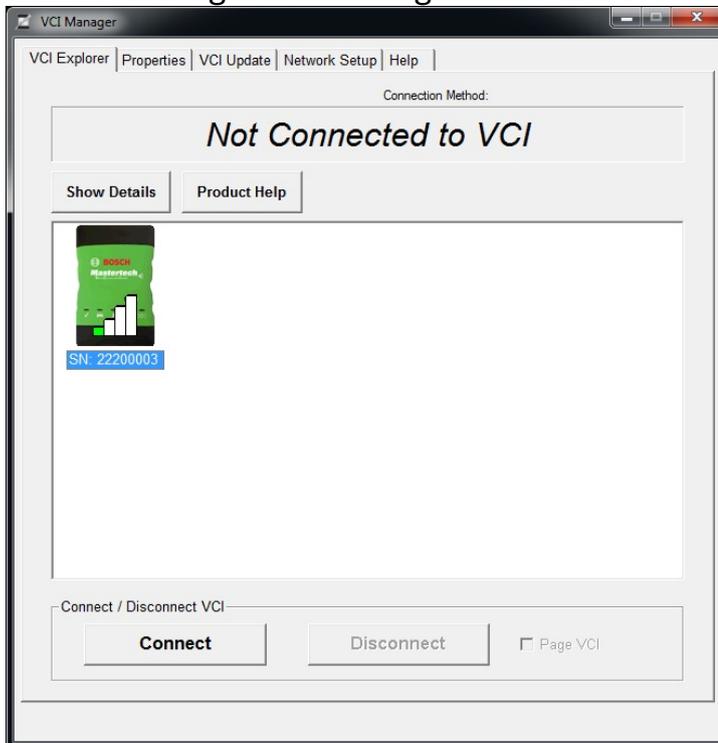
- 3.4. When the message below is displayed, wait for the unit to emit an audible ready “beep”.



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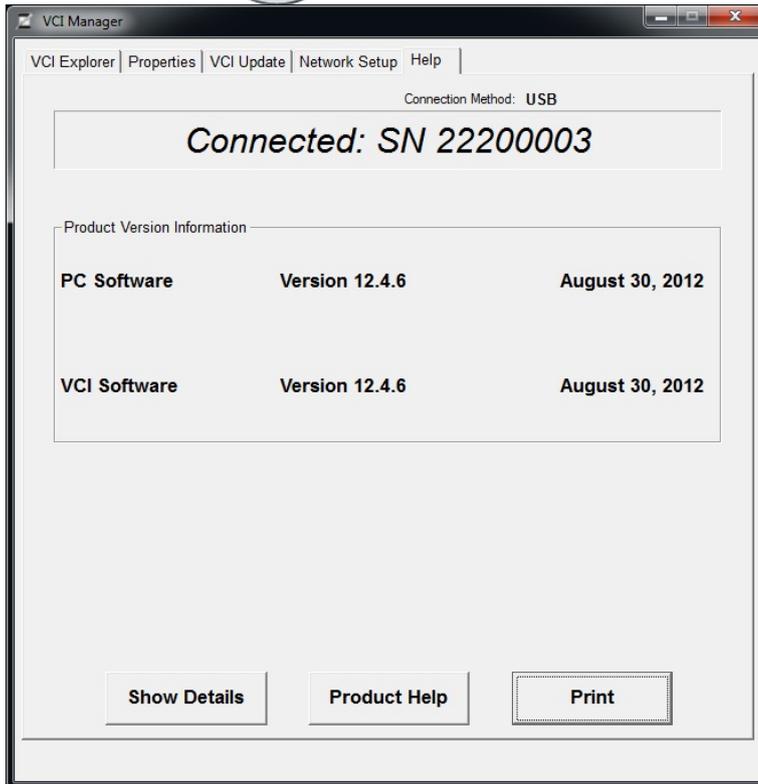
3.5. The VCI Manager is indicating that the M-VCI is ready for use.



3.6. To verify that the PC Software and VCI Software version is v12.4.6, click on the M-VCI in the VCI Explorer pane to select it, press the "Connect" button, and select the "Help" tab at the top of the screen.



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3.7. Close VCI Manager

3.8. Setup of the M-VCI Software version is complete. Both the PC and M-VCI are now ready for use