

# Microsoft SQL Server manual installation for TIER.Net

1. *Install TIER.Net*
2. *Browse to:* c:\TIER.Net\\_Resources\
3. *Double click on SQLEXP2008\_x86\_ENU (or 2012)*
4. *Click on the New installation or add features to an existing installation hyperlink*
5. *Accept the license terms and click on Next at the License terms screen*
6. *Check all features on the Feature Selection screen (if unchecked) and click on Next*
7. *At the Instance configuration screen, select the Named instance radio button and enter an instance name of SQLExpresstier*

Instance Name	Instance ID	Features	Edition	Version
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8. *Click on Next at the Server Configuration screen*
9. *At the Database Engine Configuration screen, select Mixed Mode (SQL authentication and Windows authentication). Enter the following password: tier\_P@ssw0rd and click on Next.*  
*Allow SQL a few minutes to install.*
10. *Click on Close at the complete screen.*

SQL Server 2008 R2 has now been installed and you may now link it to TIER.Net in Database connection wizard.