
NOTICE

Drive Application Builder 1.3 compatibility

Notes on compatibility with other applications

There are known issues with Drive Application Builder and other Drives applications, basically with Drive Composer version 2.8.2. To mitigate these issues, the following actions are recommended.

Drive Application Builder 1.3

Supported operating systems:

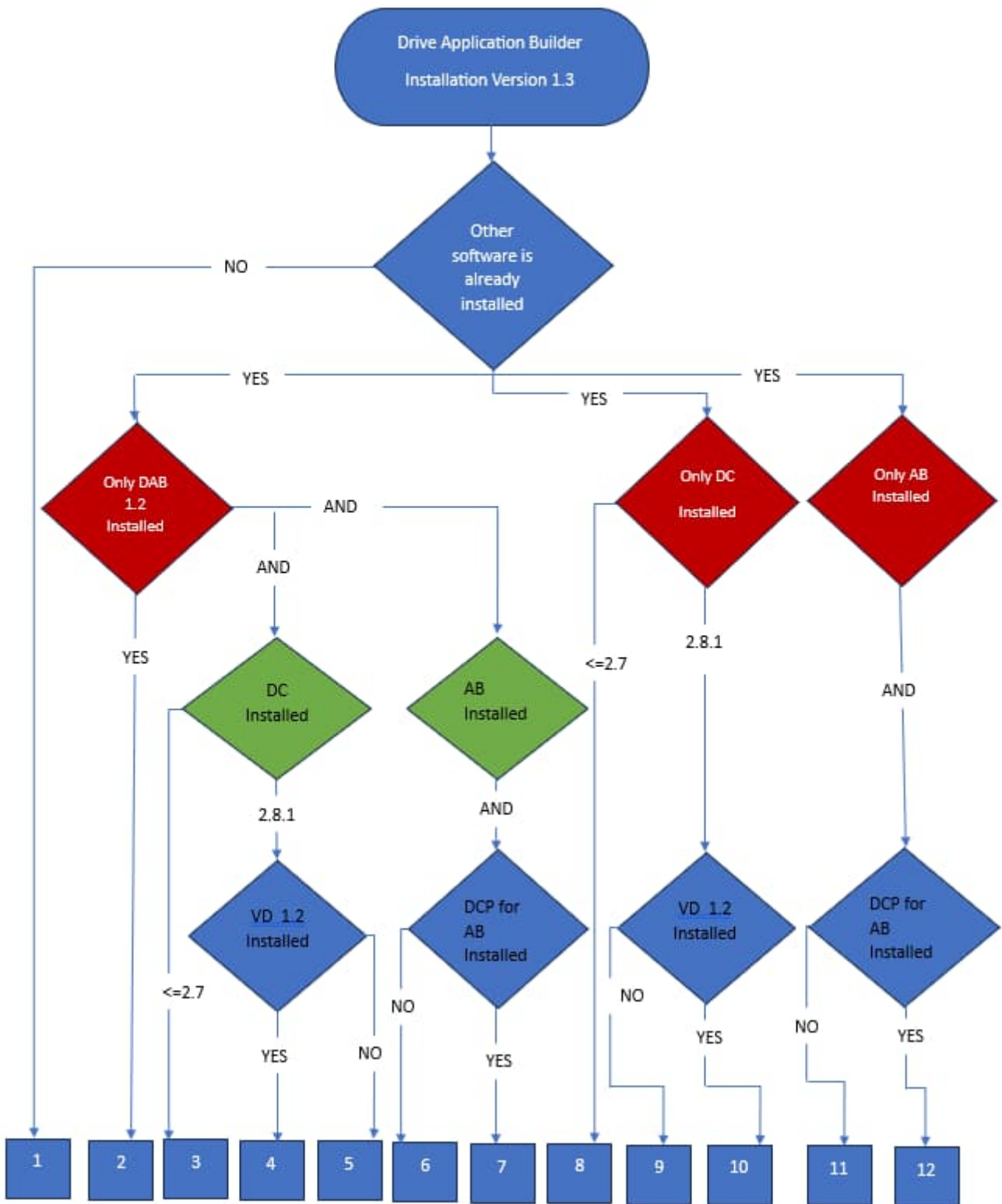
- Windows 10 (x86/x64) and Windows 11
- .Net Framework version 4.6 or higher
- Availability of Microsoft Visual C++ redistributable 2015 (x64/x9)

Note: Windows XP and Windows 7 are no longer supported.

Recommendations:

- Uninstall any currently installed Drive Application Builder software using Drive Application Installation Manager before new installation
- Installation of Drive Application Builder 1.3 requires administrator privilege.
- Drive composer pro version 2.8.2 or newer is recommended.
- Known issue: Drive composer pro uninstalls DriveDAOPC components installed by Drive Application Builder, if you have installed Drive Composer after Drive Application Builder, so run repair of DriveDAOPC component from Control Panel.
In the same way, if later Drive composer 2.8.2 is uninstalled from system, Drive Application Builder will not be able to scan drives until DriveOPCDA component is repaired or re-installed from Drive Application Builder Installation Manager

Several cases can be considered, depending on the applications already installed to your system or to be newly installed, see following diagram with different scenarios, and then cases by cases which actions are recommended.



DAB=Drive Application Builder, DC=Drive Composer, VD= Virtual Drive and AB= Automation Builder

Case 1: System is **without** Drive applications installed

- User should check the pre-requisites (see: Supported operating systems paragraph)
- User should install Drive Application Builder 1.3 with admin rights
- Activate license for Drive Application Builder 1.3

Case 2: Only **Drive Application Builder 1.2** (or older) installed on system

- User should check the pre-requisites (see: Supported operating systems paragraph)
- Uninstall the currently installed Drive Application Builder
- User should install Drive Application Builder 1.3 with admin rights
- Drive Application Builder 1.3 uses, existing license used for Drive Application Builder 1.2 (or older), provided it is still valid.

Case 3: **Drive Application Builder 1.2** (or older) and **Drive Composer <= 2.7** are installed on system

- Upgrade first Drive Composer to version 2.8.2 (latest) or 2.8.1 (with VD 1.2)
- User should check the pre-requisites (see: Supported operating systems paragraph)
- Uninstall the currently installed Drive Application Builder
- User should install Drive Application Builder 1.3 with admin rights
- Drive Application Builder 1.3 uses, existing license used for Drive Application Builder 1.2, provided it is still valid.

Case 4: **Drive Application Builder 1.2** (or older), **Drive Composer 2.8.1** and **Virtual Drive 1.2 (or older)** are installed on system

- User should use Drive Composer 2.8.1 version with Virtual Drive 1.2
- User should check the pre-requisites (see: Supported operating systems paragraph)
- Uninstall the currently installed Drive Application Builder
- User should install Drive Application Builder 1.3 with admin rights
- Drive Application Builder 1.3 uses, existing license used for Drive Application Builder 1.2 provided it is still valid.

Case 5: **Drive Application Builder 1.2** (or older) and **Drive Composer 2.8.1** (or older) are installed on system

- User should upgrade to Drive Composer 2.8.2
- User should check the pre-requisites (see: Supported operating systems paragraph)
- Uninstall the currently installed Drive Application Builder
- User should install Drive Application Builder 1.3 with admin rights
- Drive Application Builder 1.3 uses, existing license used for Drive Application Builder 1.2, provided it is still valid.

Case 6: **Drive Application Builder 1.2** (or older) and **Automation Builder 2.6** are installed on system

- User should check the pre-requisites (see: Supported operating systems paragraph)
- Uninstall the currently installed Drive Application Builder.
- User should install Drive Application Builder 1.3 with admin rights
- Drive Application Builder 1.3 uses, existing license used for Drive Application Builder 1.2, provided it is still valid.

Case 7: **Drive Application Builder 1.2** (or older) and **Automation Builder 2.6 + Drive Composer 2.8.1 for Automation Builder** are installed on system

- Option 1: Continue to use Drive Composer version 2.8.1 for Automation Builder
- Option 2: Upgrade to Drive Composer 2.8.2 version
- User should check the pre-requisites (see: Supported operating systems paragraph)
- Uninstall the currently installed Drive Application Builder

- User should install Drive Application Builder 1.3 with admin rights
- Drive Application Builder 1.3 uses, existing license used for Drive Application Builder 1.2, provided it is still valid.

Case 8: only **Drive Composer <= 2.7** is installed on system

- Upgrade first to Drive composer 2.8.2 (or 2.8.1 for Virtual Drives)
- User should check the pre-requisites (see: Supported operating systems paragraph)
- User should install Drive Application Builder 1.3 with admin rights
- User should activate license in Drive Application Builder

Case 9: Only **Drive Composer 2.8.1** is installed on system

- User should check the pre-requisites (see: Supported operating systems paragraph)
- User should install Drive Application Builder 1.3 with admin rights
- User should activate license in Drive Application Builder

Case 10: **Drive Composer 2.8.1** and **Virtual Drive 1.2 (or older)** are installed on system

- User should check the pre-requisites (see: Supported operating systems paragraph)
- User should install Drive Application Builder 1.3 with admin rights
- User should activate license in Drive Application Builder

Case 11: only **Automation Builder 2.6** (or newest) is installed on system

- User should check the pre-requisites (see: Supported operating systems paragraph)
- User should install Drive Application Builder 1.3 with admin rights
- User should activate license in Drive Application Builder

Case 12: **Automation Builder 2.6** (or newest) + **Drive Composer 2.8.1** or **Automation Builder** are installed on system

- Option 1: Continue to use version 2.8.1 for Automation Builder
Option 2: Upgrade to Drive Composer 2.8.2 version
- User should check the pre-requisites (see: Supported operating systems paragraph)
- User should install Drive Application Builder 1.3 with admin rights
- User should activate license in Drive Application Builder