

Deploying Adobe Acrobat Writer 5.0 silently on remote machines

In portable documents, Adobe PDF files are getting standard and most of the companies are adopting Adobe Acrobat Writer to distribute their documents among their users. If every person of your company is using Acrobat, then it's very difficult for the administrator to visit each machine every time, when he has to install the updated version of Adobe Acrobat Writer. EMCO Software's Remote Administration 3.0 is an excellent tool, to avoid the difficulties involved in the installation of Adobe Acrobat Writer on remote machines. In this section we will guide on how you can deploy Acrobat Writer Silently on remote machines.

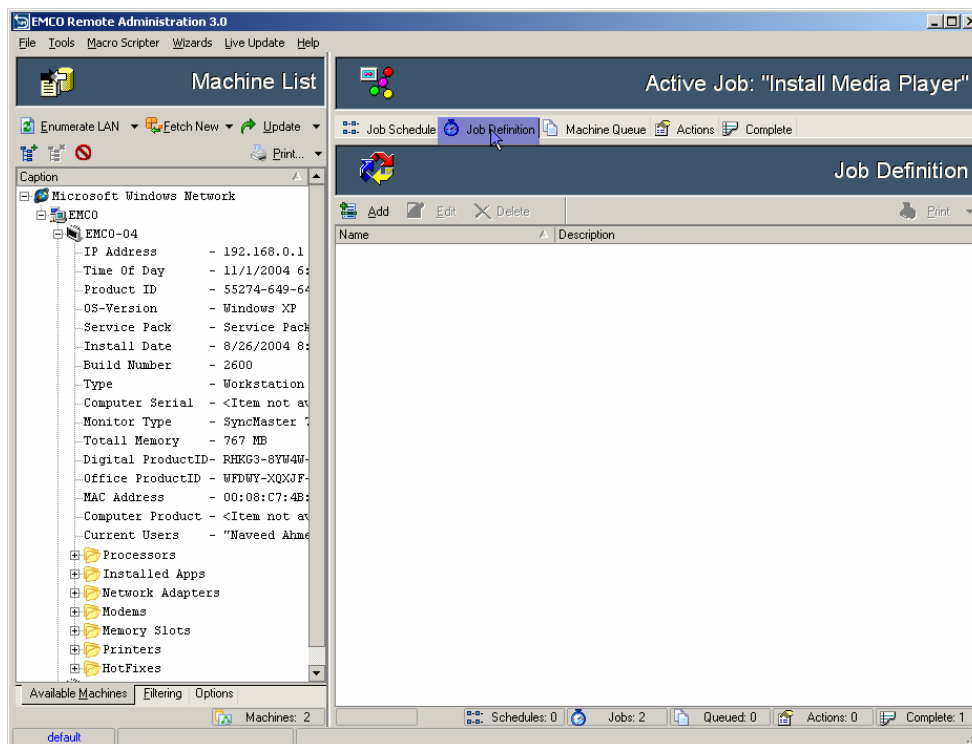
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To Install Acrobat Writer on remote machines using EMCO Remote Administration 3.0 perform the following steps:

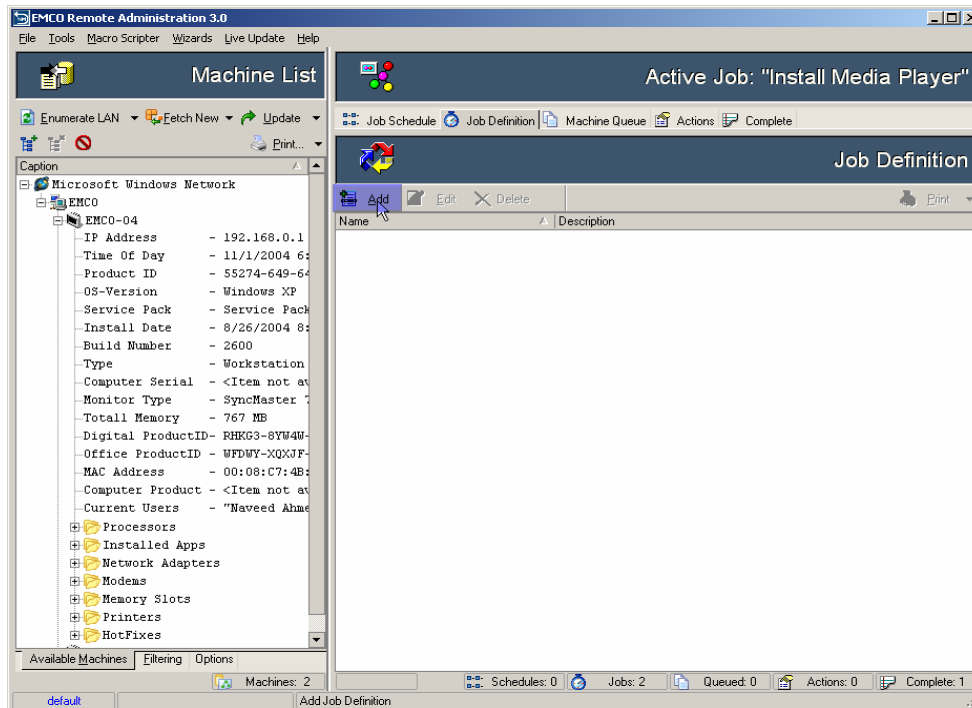
1. The first, and most obvious step, is to obtain the installation file of Acrobat Writer from Adobe. To download the latest version please visit : <http://www.adobe.com/support/downloads/main.html>
2. If the installation file you have is in compressed file format please decompress it to get the installation files.
3. Run the installation file of Acrobat Writer 5.x from the command prompt with -R switch.
4. This will install Acrobat Writer and record a response file. This response file is named SETUP.ISS and is created in your Windows directory. Every selection you make will be recorded.
5. The installation of Acrobat Writer will begin on your machine.



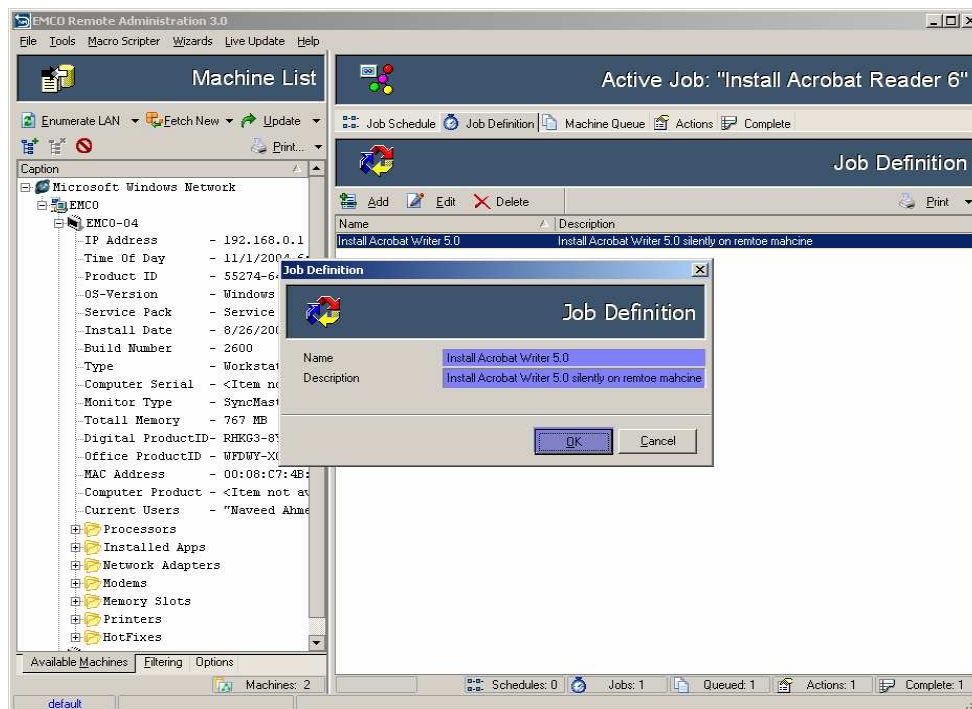
6. Select the required options on the screen and proceed with the installation.
7. When you finish with the installation of Acrobat Writer, move to your **Windows** directory.
8. Search for **Setup.iss** file and copy it to the directory containing the Acrobat Writer setup files.
9. Copy all setup files to a network share so that it can be access by all other machines.
10. Now run **EMCO Remote Administration 3.0**.
11. Click the **Job Definition** Tab.



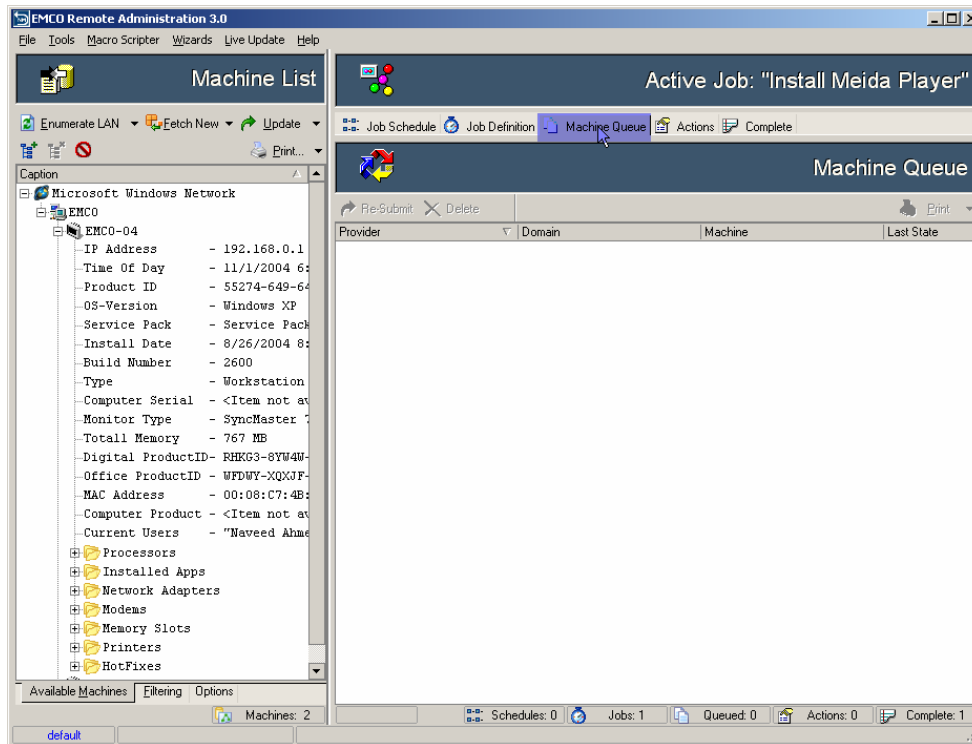
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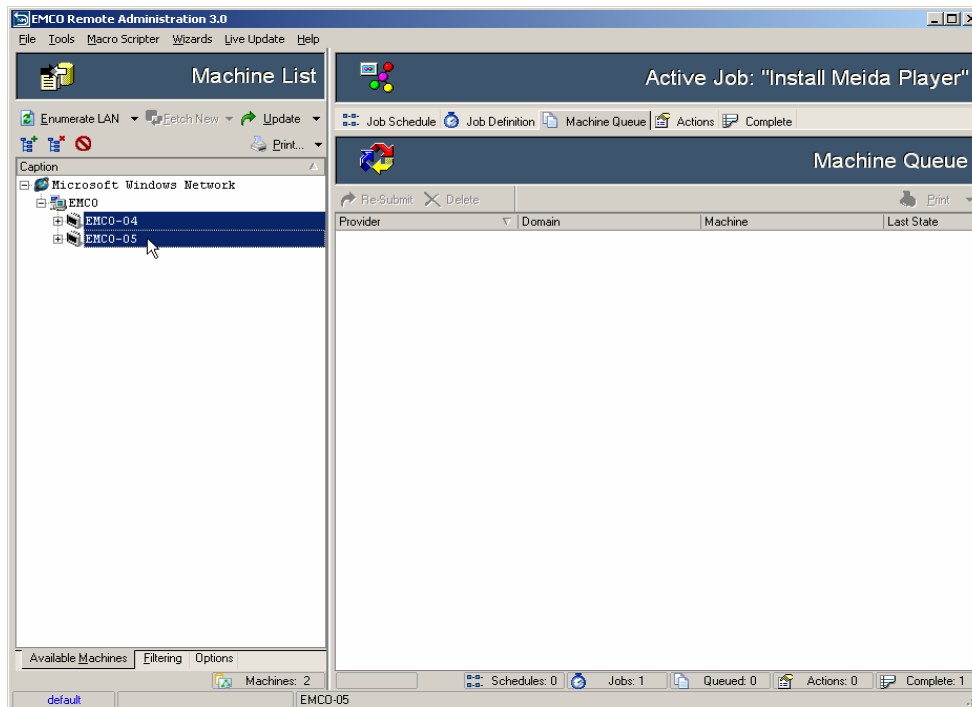
13. Type the **Name** of the job and type its **description** in the respective text boxes. Click the **OK** button.



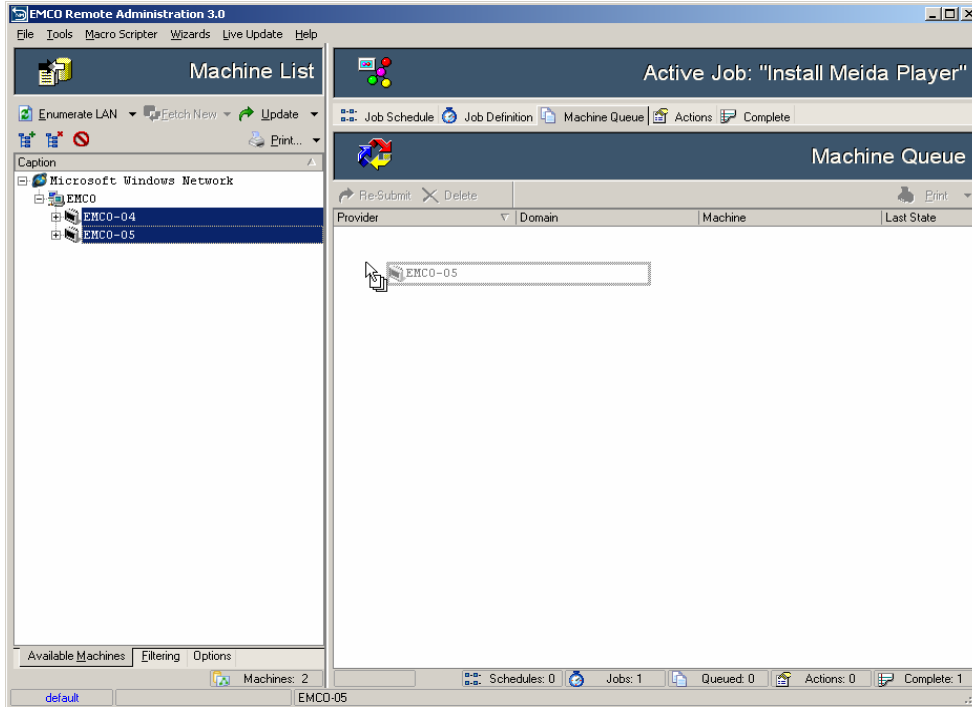
14. Click the **Machine Queue** Tab



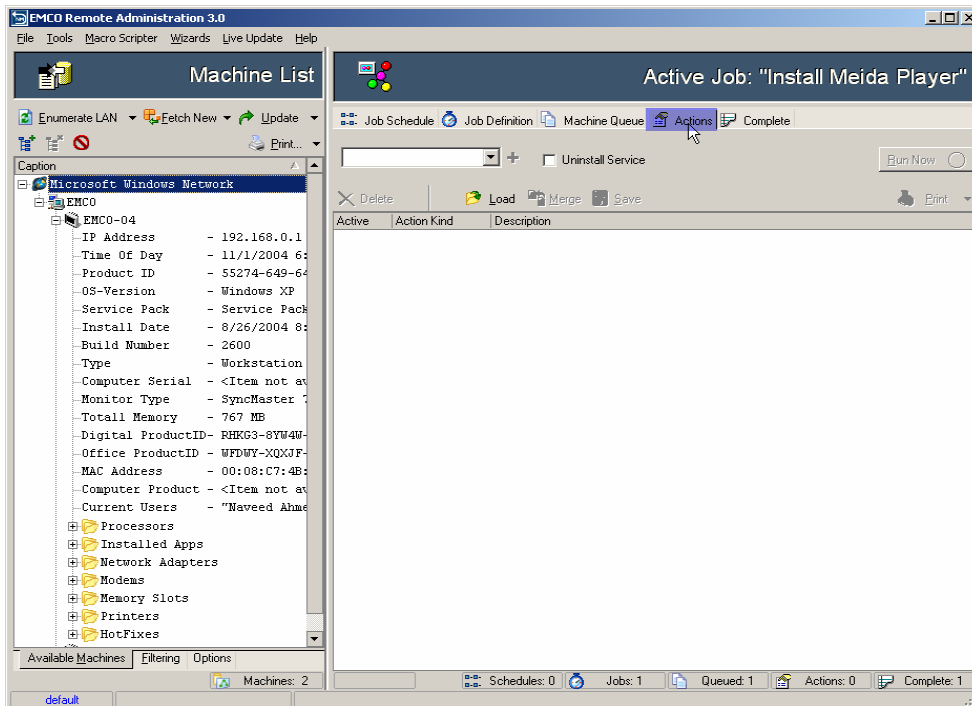
15. Select the machines from the **Machine** tree shown on the left.



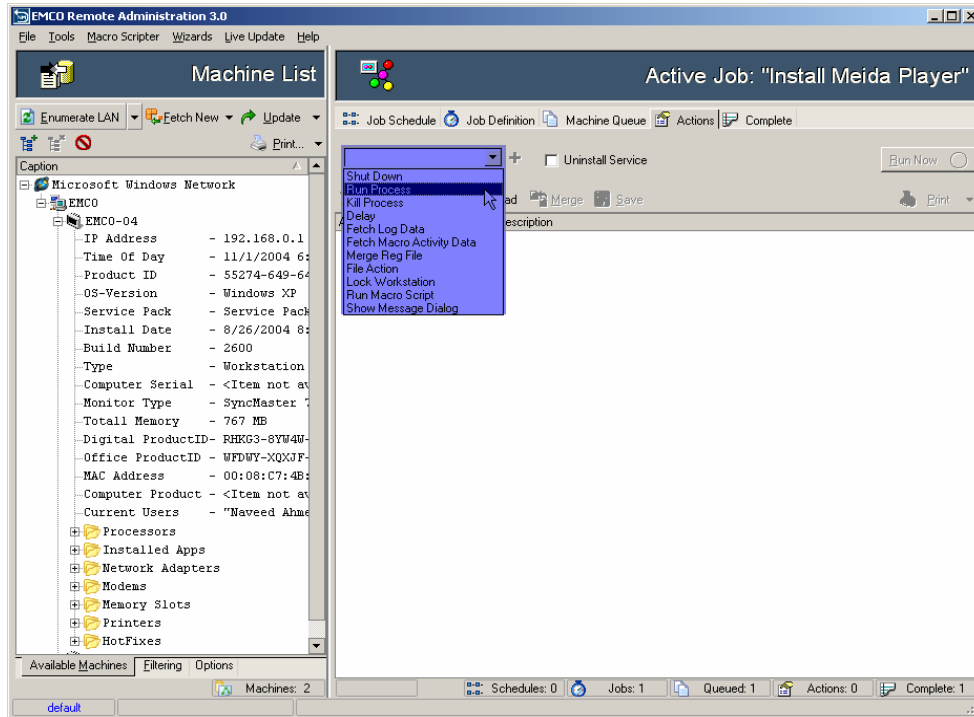
16. Drag machines on which you want to install Acrobat Writer 5.0, to the **Machine Queue** Tab.



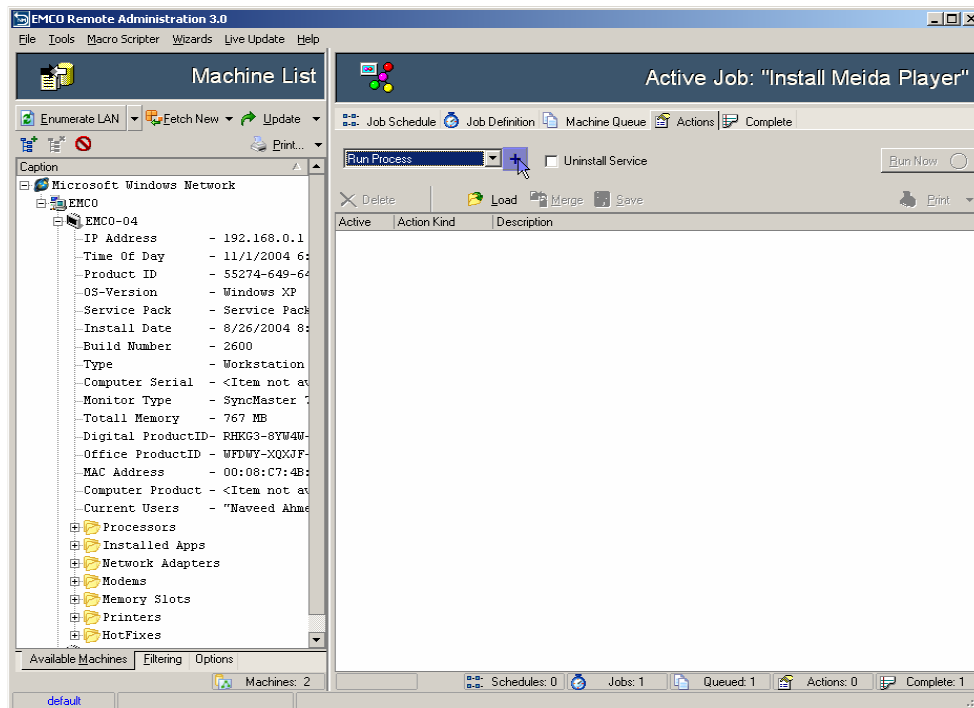
17. Switch to the **Actions** Tab.



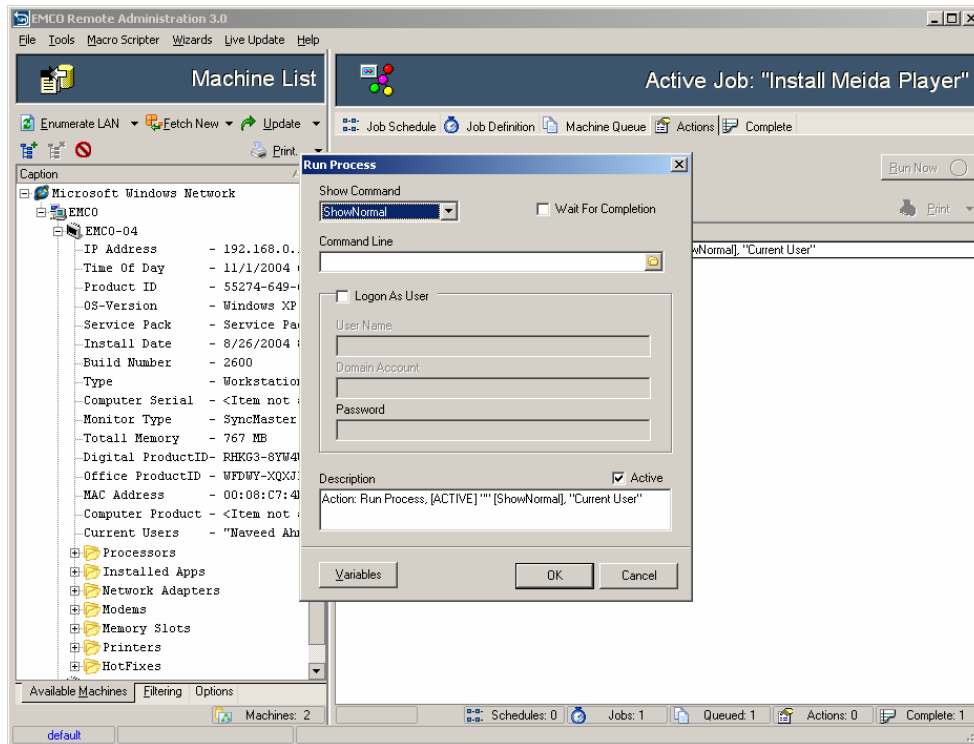
18. Select the **Run Process** action from the **Actions** dropdown list.



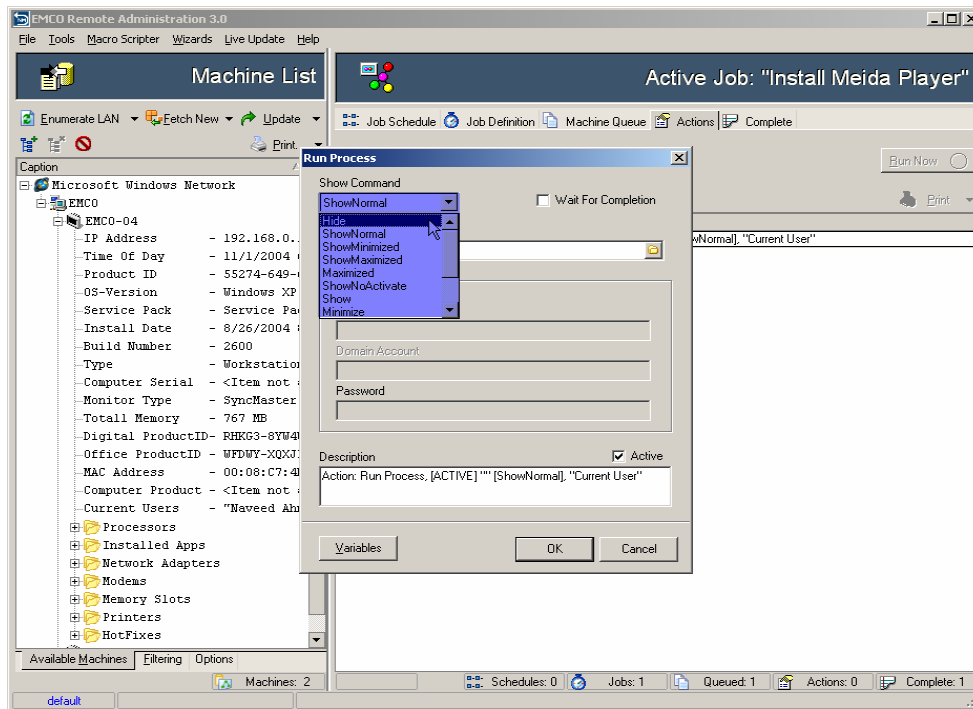
19. Click **+** button to add the selected action.



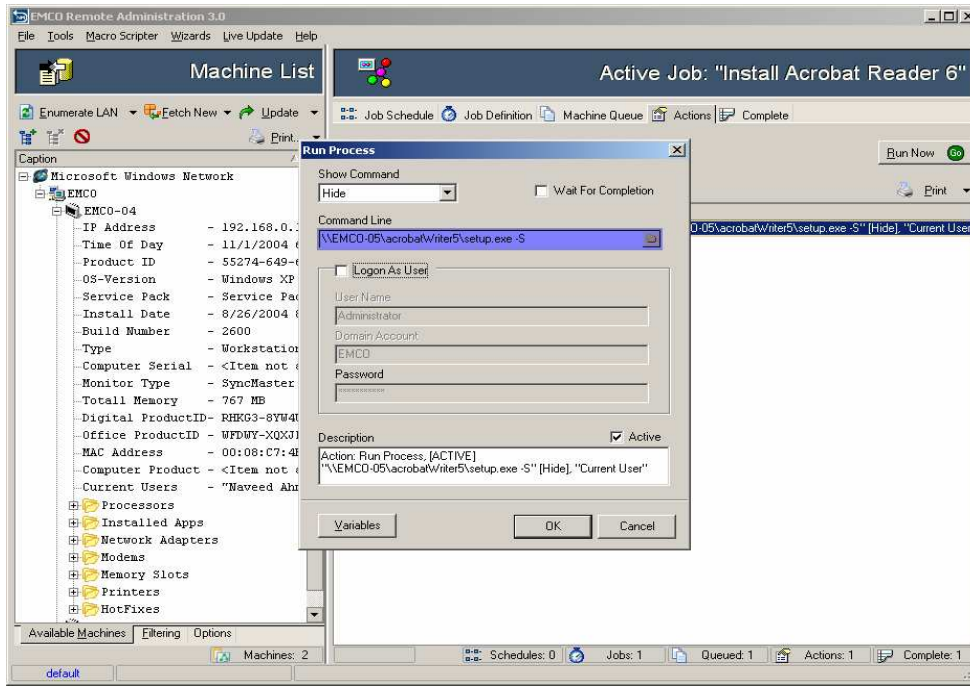
20. Run Process dialog box will appear on the screen.



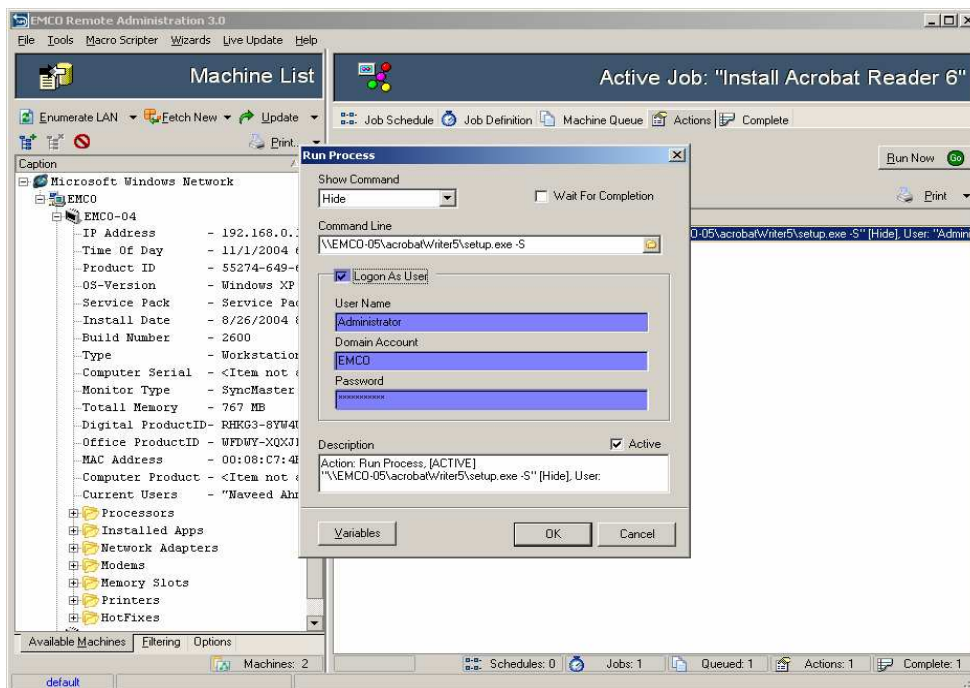
21. Select how you want to execute the command from the **Show command** dropdown list.



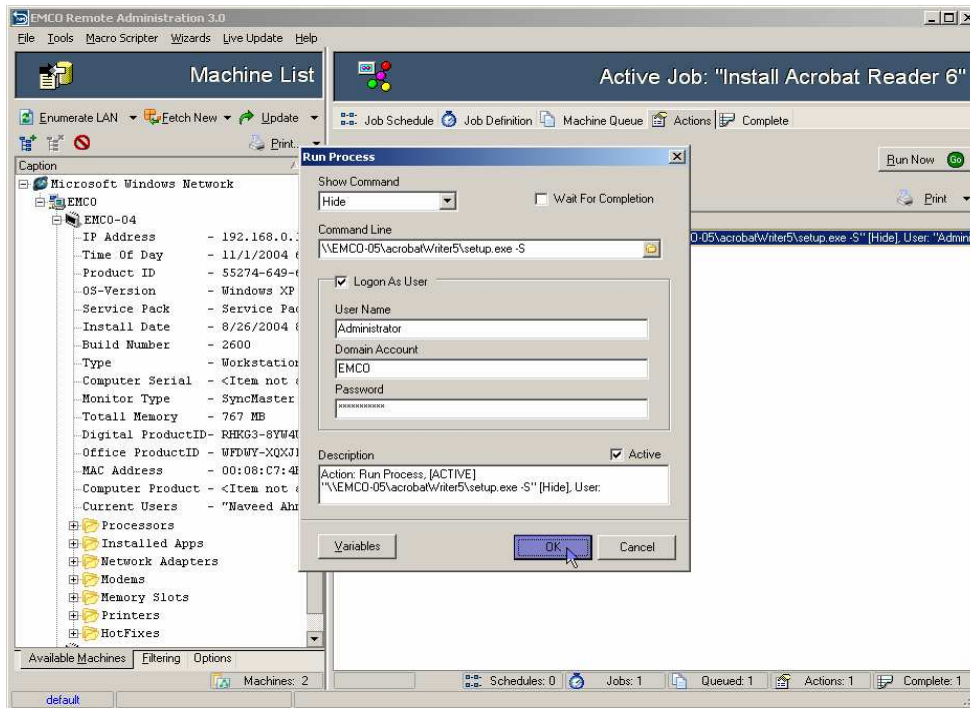
22. Click the browse button and locate the Update.exe in **\\ Network Sahre\AcrobatWriter** or type in the **CMD** textbox.
23. Append the command with the required parameter **\\setup.exe -S**.



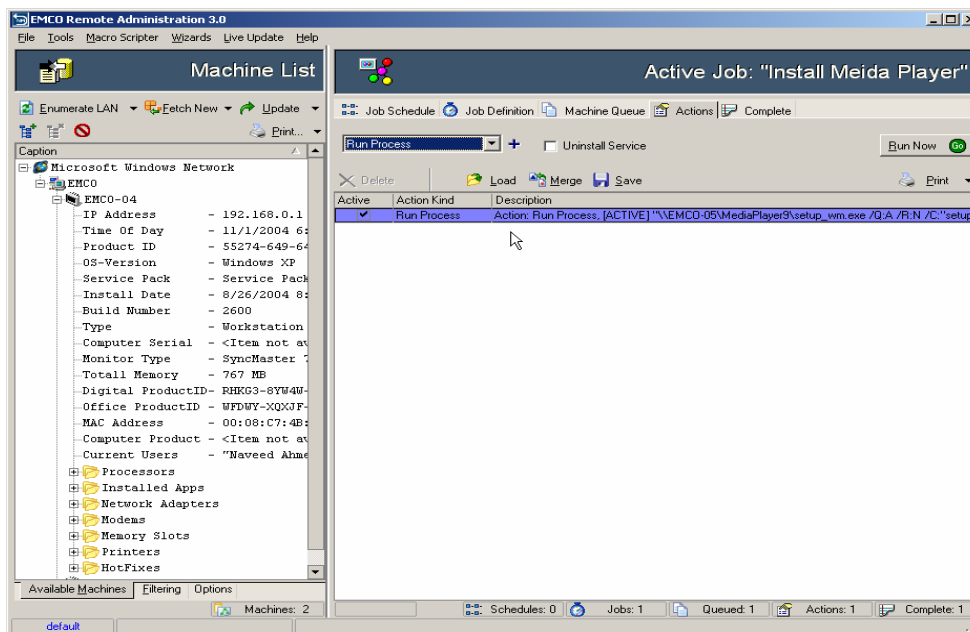
24. If you need specific permissions to install Acrobat Writer on remote machines then check the **Logon As User** checkbox and type the User name and Password.

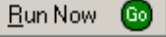


25. Click OK button.



26. The added action will appear in the actions list.



27. Click the  button. This will install Acrobat Writer on Remote Machines.