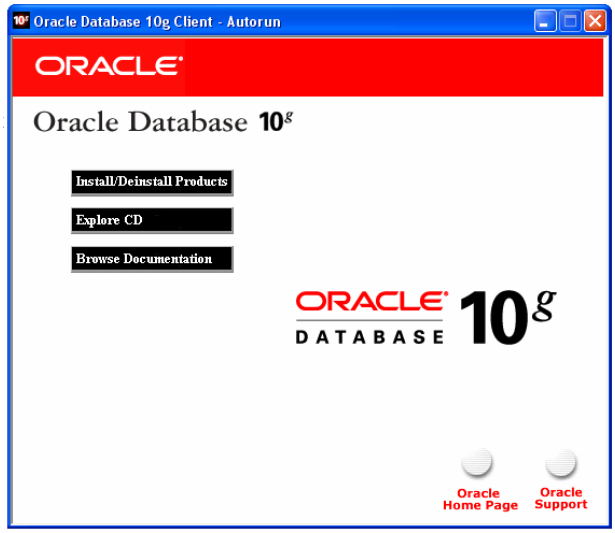
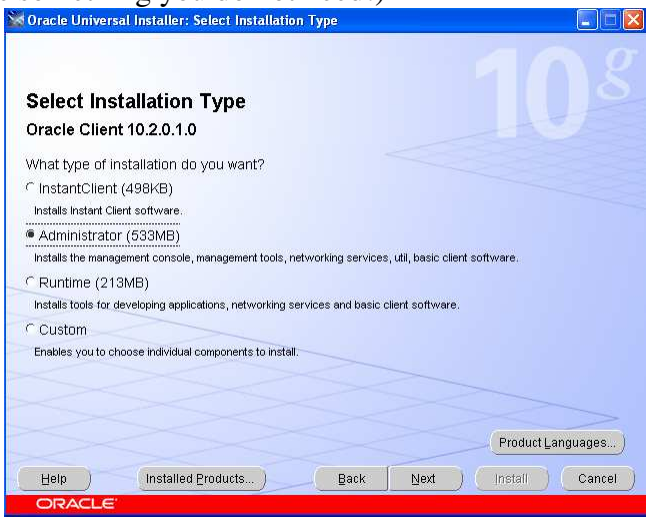
Oracle at Home

1. Download Oracle Client from the Oracle web site (put it to a CD and run the Setup) – I have one which you can borrow and return to me, please☺

2. Install the program – you will see something like this:



3. Choose Install/Deinstall and then choose Next on the next screen you will see some options. Choose "Administrator" for a simple life (it will install everything, even if there is something you do not need!)



4. Let it install until it is complete.

5. It will ask you to do some configurations. You can use the following parameters:

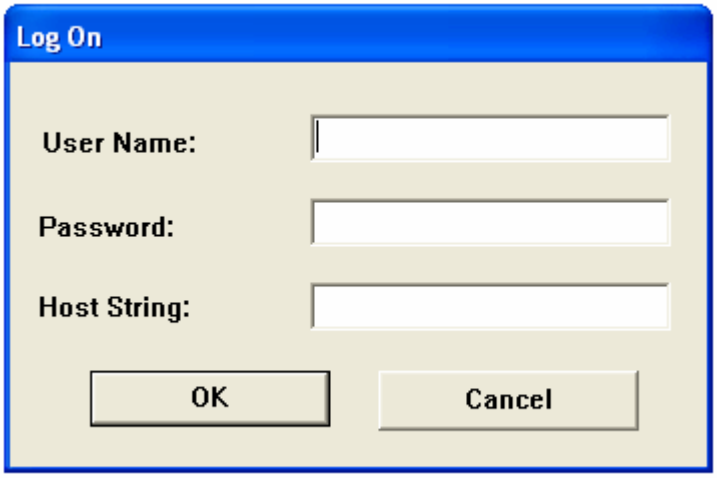
   a. SID: cs482
   b. Host: pilsner.cs.nmsu.edu

The system also has the program:

Net Configuration Assistant

which you can use to configure your system.

6. After the installation, you should be able to use: SQL Plus to connect to pilsner to work. A LogOn window



will appear and you should enter your Oracle UID & Password, and the Host String – which appear on the screen after you finish with the configuration. This string can also be found in the file name **tnsnames.ora** which is in the sub-directory NETWORK/ADMIN of the directory where you decided to install Oracle Client. The default name that the system would generated is CS482_pilsner.cs.nmsu.edu