**Installing Oracle 11 Client on Windows 7**

Copy ‘**Oracle11**’ folder directly under the **C:\** directory

Right-Click ‘**Computer**’ and select ‘**Properties**’

Choose ‘**Advanced system settings**’ from the list on the left

In the ‘System Properties’ window on the ‘Advanced’ select the ‘**Environment Variables**’ button

Under the **‘System variables**’ section scroll down and select ‘**Path**’

Click the ‘**Edit**’ button

On the ‘**Variable value**’ line go to the beginning of the string

Type the path to the Oracle files **c:\Oracle11** place a semicolon after it then click the ‘**OK**’ button

Click the ‘**New**’ button to create a new system variable

Enter ‘**tns\_admin**’ in the ‘Variable name’ field and ‘**c:\Oracle11**’ in the ‘Variable value’ field



Click ‘**OK**’ to save it and ‘OK’ until you are back to the ‘Computer Properties’ window

Close the window and restart your computer

**Installing Golden**

Double Click the file named **‘goldensetup57460.exe’**

Follow the prompts and choose all of the default settings

Once Golden is setup it will create the following folder in your program list



**Setting OCI.DLL Parameter in Golden**

Open **GOLDEN**

At the logon window click the ‘**Options**’ button

 (Note: If you can’t see the Options button click the ‘**More’** button to display it.)



In the ‘**OCI DLL Name:**’ box enter the following string: ‘**C:\Oracle11\instantclient\_11\_2\oci.dll’**



Click ‘**OK**’

**Logon to Golden**

Enter your ‘**Username’**, ‘**Password’** , and ’**rpt.world**’ in the ‘**Database**’ box.

 (Note: The first time you open Golden the ‘Database’ box will be empty.)

Click ‘**OK’** to logon

