

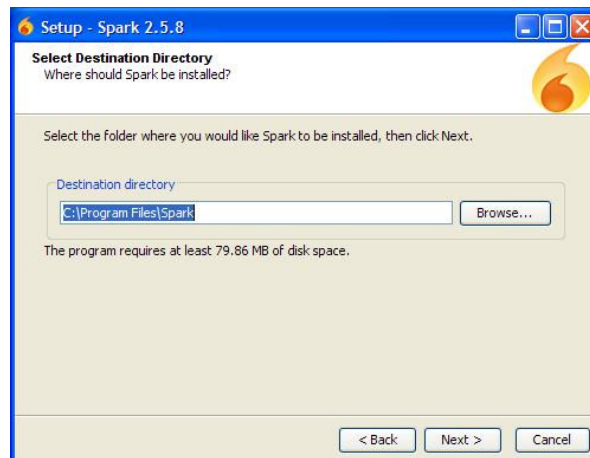
## MyOwn Telco: Spark IM Installation Guide

Here follows the installation steps for the Spark Instant Messaging client software to connect onto the [MyOwn Telco](http://myowntelco.net) platform. By following this procedure you will be able to chat with your friends (MSN, Yahoo, etc.) and make and receive calls using the phone number you have chosen (see list of cities at: <http://myowntelco.net/canada-voip-did-numbers.php>) for your JaFone account.

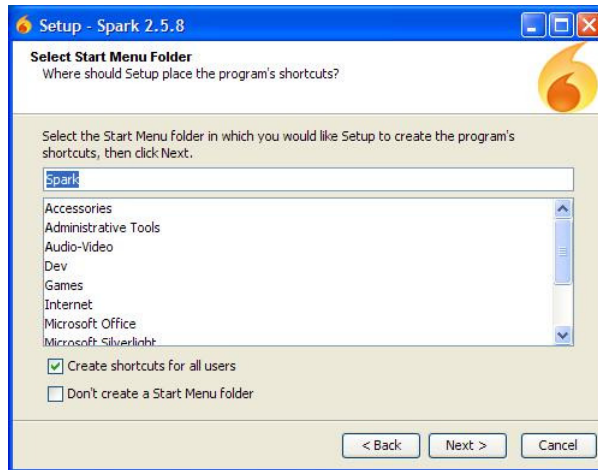
- 1) Download **Spark IM** from the following link: [http://myowntelco.net/shared/spark\\_2\\_5\\_8.exe](http://myowntelco.net/shared/spark_2_5_8.exe)
- 2) Start the installation process by executing the downloaded archive and click **Next** on the first screen;



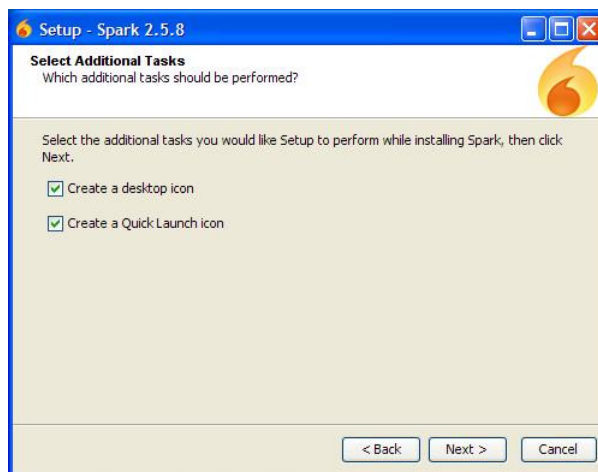
- 3) Specify the destination directory for the software to be installed and click on the **Next** button;



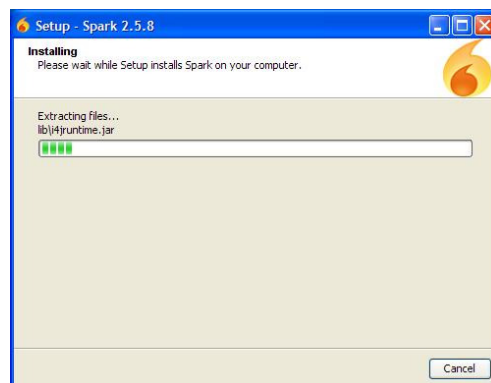
4) Specify the Start menu folder where you want the shortcuts to be created and click **Next**;



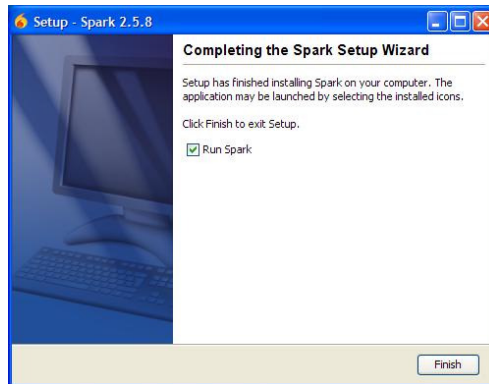
5) Select appropriate tasks and click **Next** on the following screen;



6) The next screen will show you the installation progress; just wait until it is finished and click on **Next**;



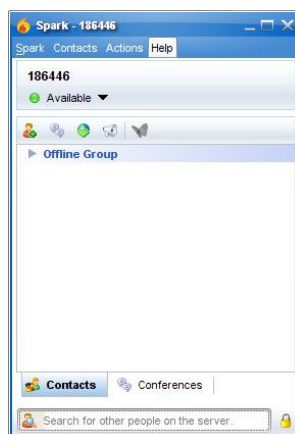
7) Once the installation is completed, click on the **Finish** button to automatically start Spark;



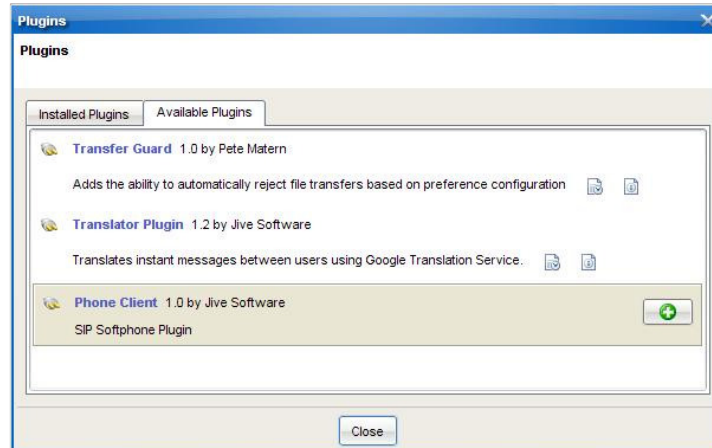
8) When Spark is finally started, it will ask you for your credentials; input your 6 digits MyOwn Telco username in the **Username** field and your 6 digits password in the **Password** field. If you don't already have a username and password, you can create one for free here: <http://myowntelco.net/your-account.php> When this is done, click on **Login**;



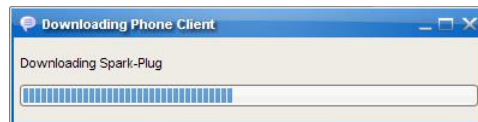
9) When you are logged in, the following screen will be shown. Next, to install the SIP plugin, for placing and receiving calls, click on the **Spark -> Plugins** menu item;



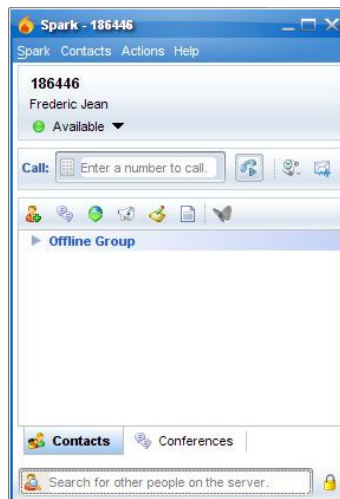
**10)** Once the Plugins window has appeared, click on the **Available Plugins** tab and click on the green '+' icon located at the right of the **Phone Client** item.



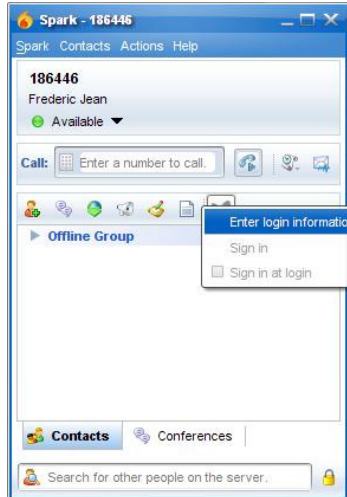
**11)** While the plugin is installing, a progress window will be shown;



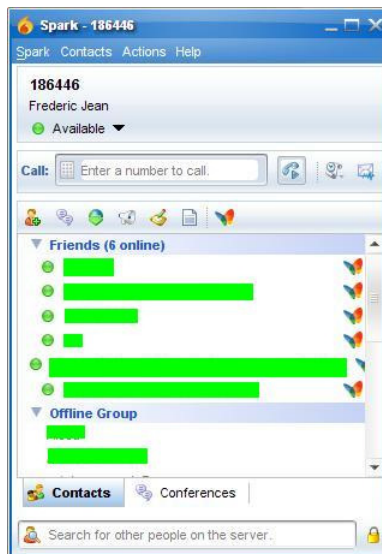
**12)** Now that the plugin is installed, exit Spark using the **Spark -> Exit** menu item and restart it using the **Windows Start Menu**; once again, on the login window, provide your credentials and Spark will be showed along with the dialer interface;



**13)** Now, to add your MSN contacts, click on the **MSN logo** (a coloured butterfly) and select **Enter login information**;



**14)** Provide your MSN credentials (they are not stored our servers, this is all secure) and Spark will add them automatically. Notice that all your MSN contacts will be shown along with the MSN logo on their right;



For more information on how to use and configure the Spark IM client software, please consult the official Spark IM community at the following link:

<http://community.igniterealtime.org>

If you wish to have a phone number associated to your Spark IM software, please have a look at [MyOwn Telco](http://myowntelco.net/canada-voip-did-numbers.php)'s list of cities here: <http://myowntelco.net/canada-voip-did-numbers.php>