How to install the LORETA KEY software, version >2017
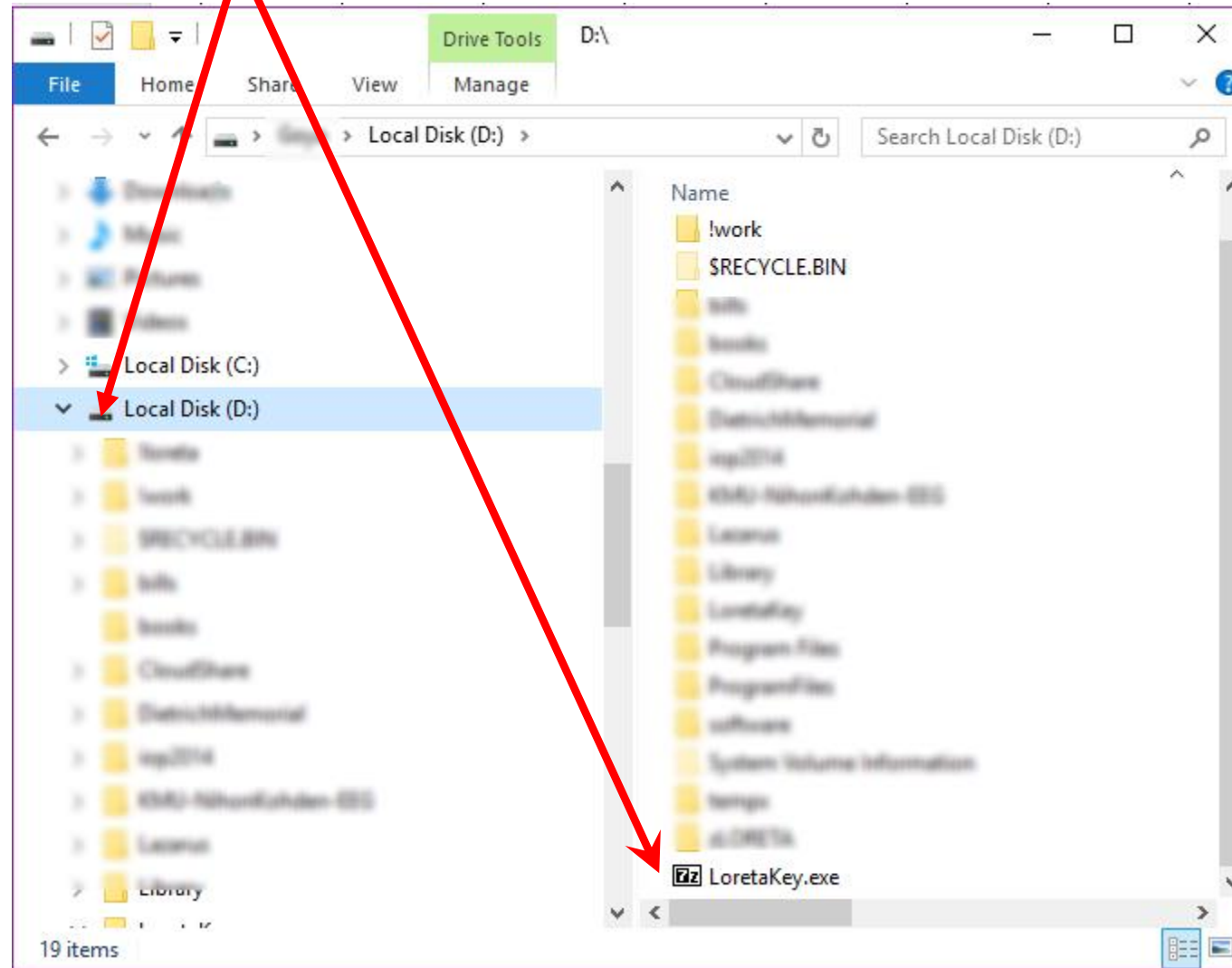
Prerequisites:

1. Windows 7 or higher (will not work correctly with WindowsXP or lower).

2. The user must be logged into windows as an administrator with full rights as Administrator.

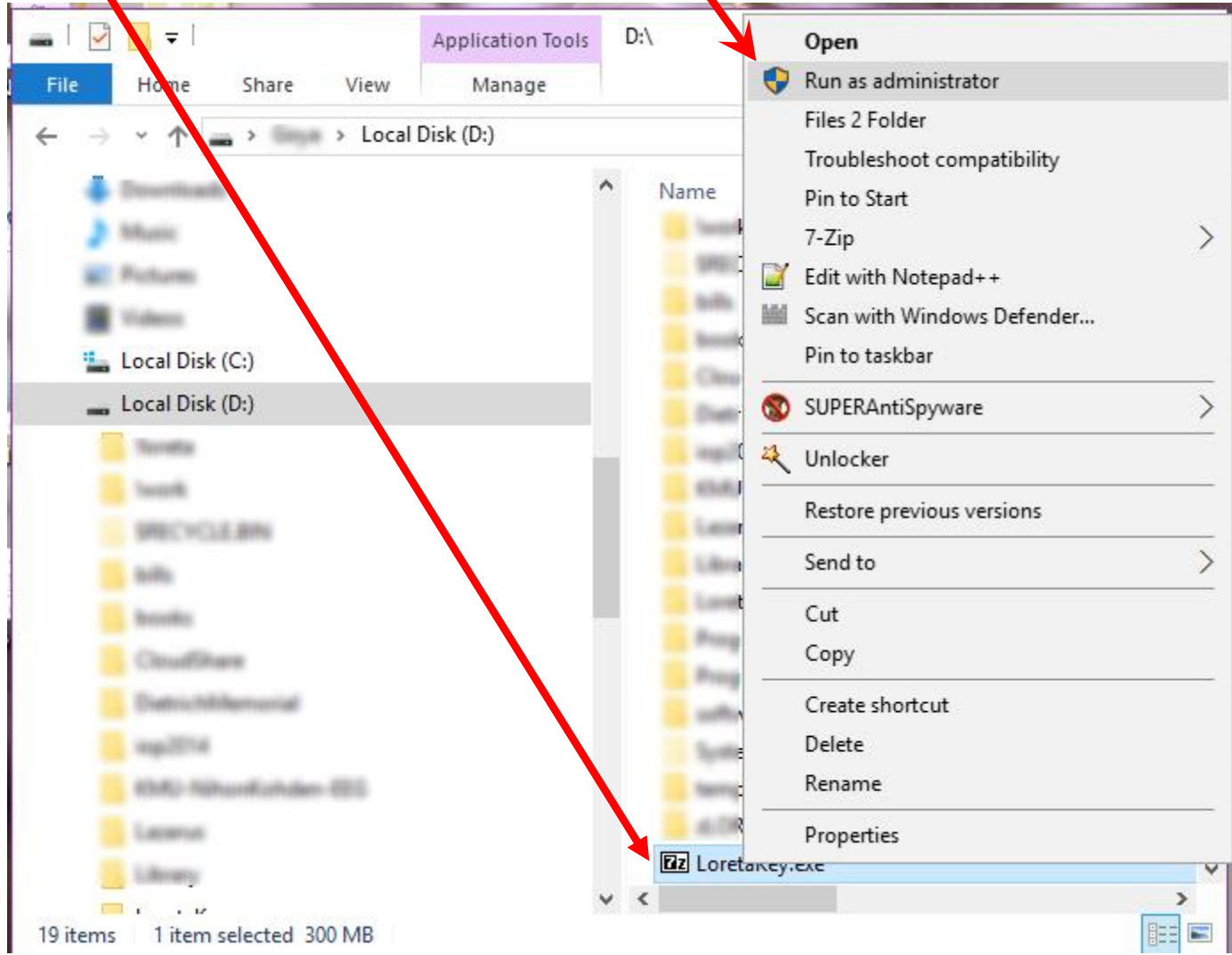3. The user must be familiar with the use of "Windows File Explorer".

Download:

1. Download the loreta key self-extracting file ("LoretaKey.exe") to your computer. Suggested locations: hard disk drive "C" or "D", or to the "Desktop".

2. Open the program "Windows File Explorer", and navigate to the location of "LoretaKey.exe".

Navigate here (in this example it is drive "D"):

Click "EXTRACT"
Note: if you are an advanced user, you can decompress to a place of your own choosing.
Be sure to not forget the location.
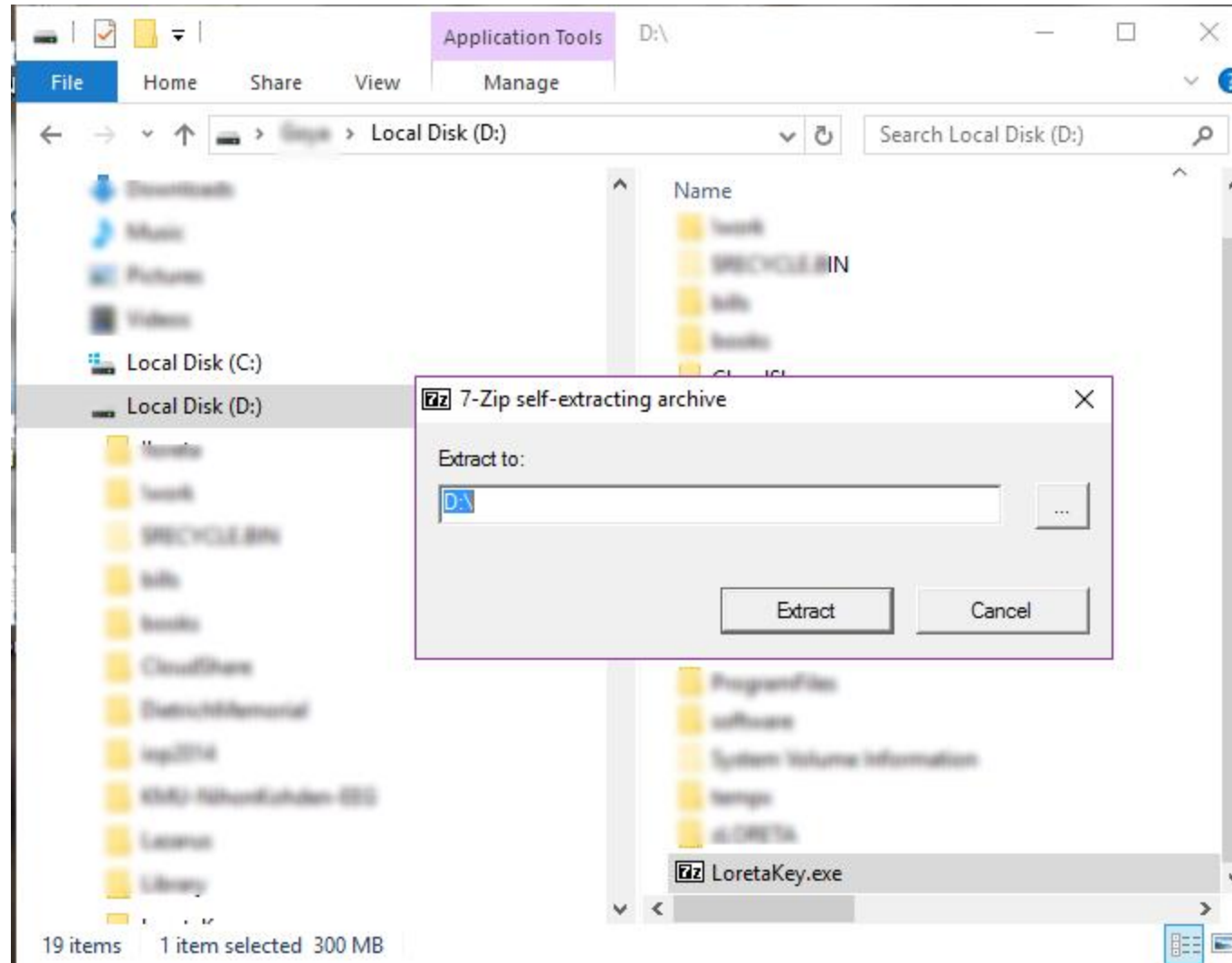
Select "Show password"

Type in the password (case sensitive): ZeroErrorLoreta

Click OK (the self extracting program starts to create the LoretaKey folder, please wait a bit...)
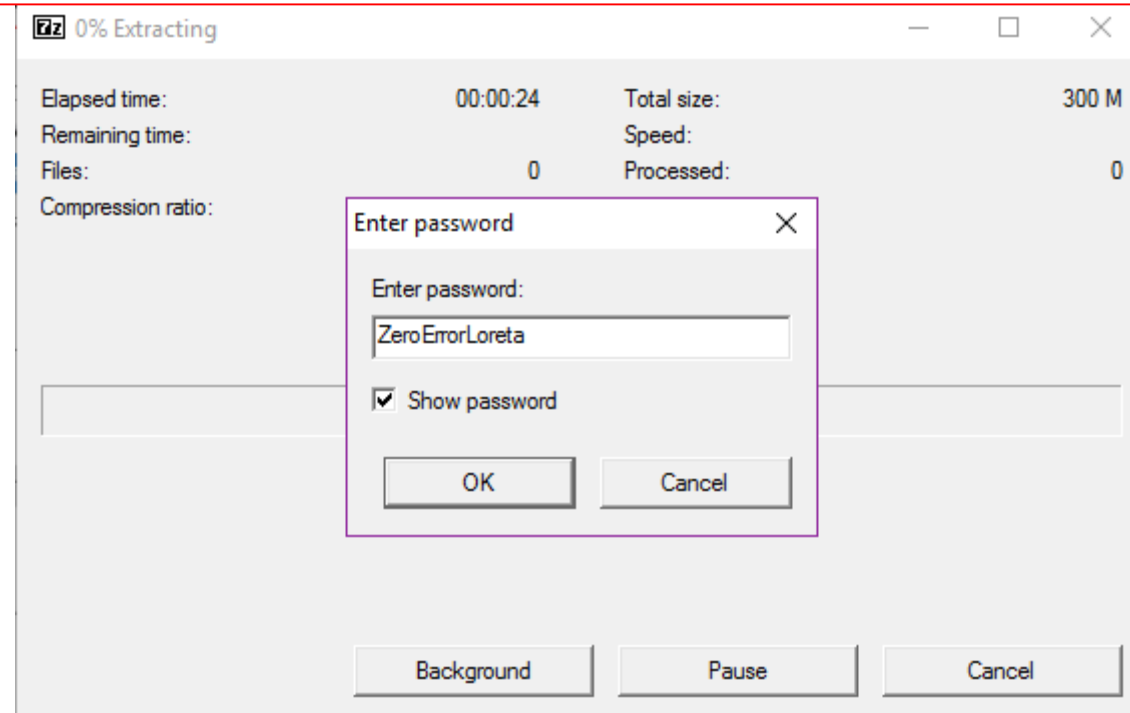
Note the newly created folder "LoretaKey" under drive "D" (in this example)
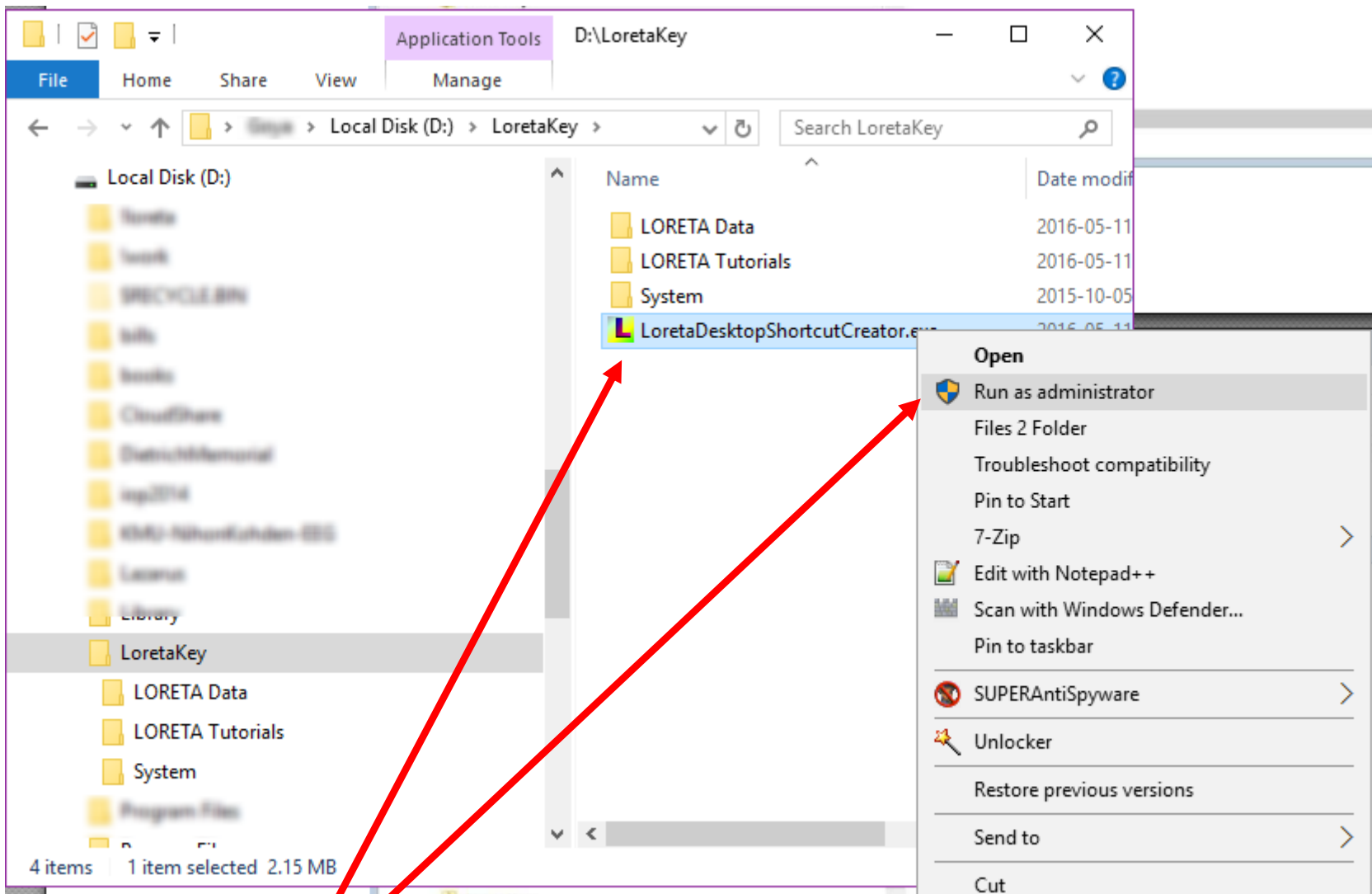
Right-click on the program "LoretaDesktopShortcutCreator.exe" and run as administrator

Click here

LORETA: Create desktop shortcut & Associate files − □ ×

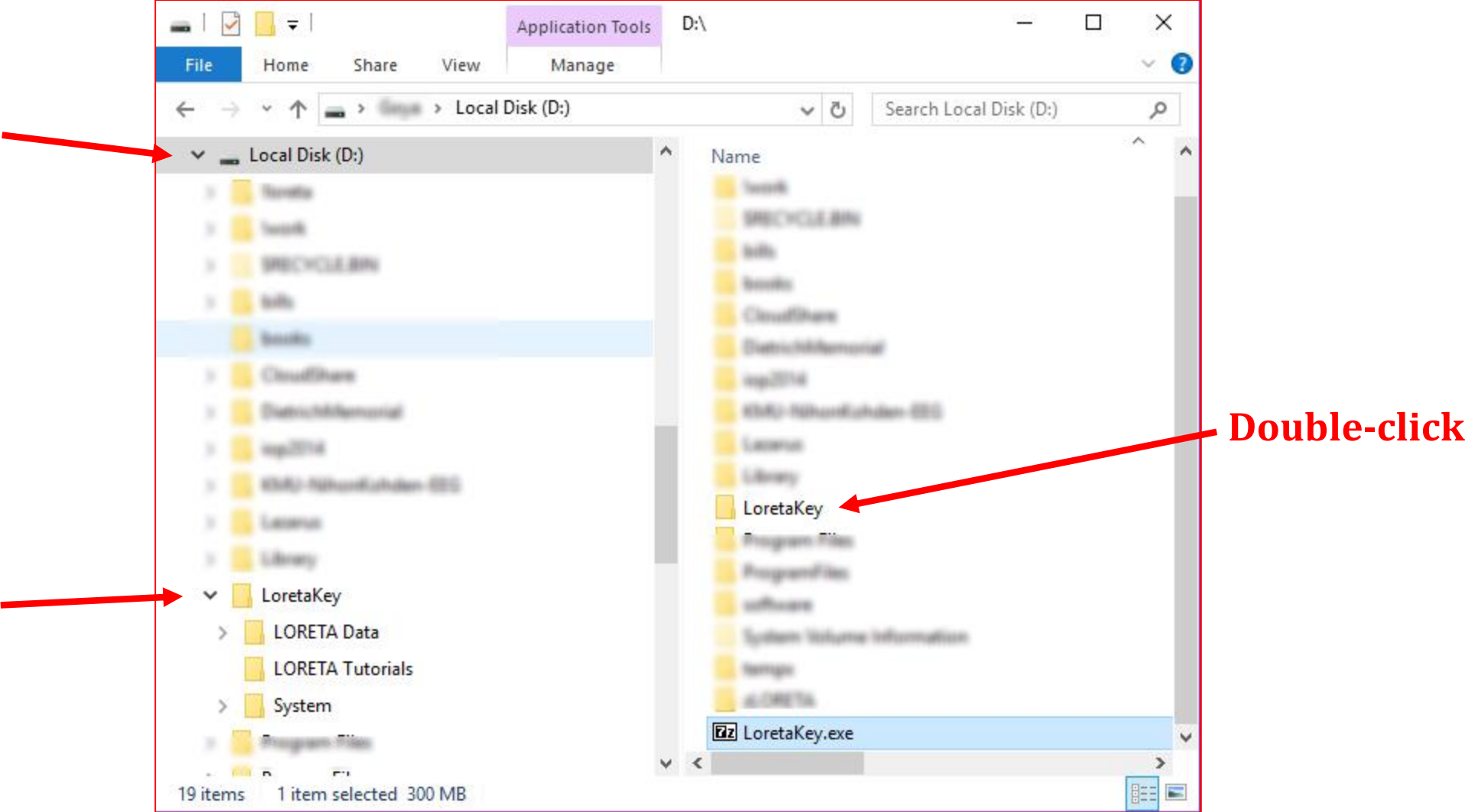Click here to (1) Create a desktop shortcut to the
LORETA program & to (2) Associate cross-spectra
(*.crss) & loreta (*.slor) files with the LORETA
Viewer/Explorer

This will commence the process that first asks for the user's agreement with the loreta key licence, then creates a DESKTOP shortcut link to the loreta program, and then registers the file types "*.SLOR" and "*.CRSS" with the loreta viewer / explorer

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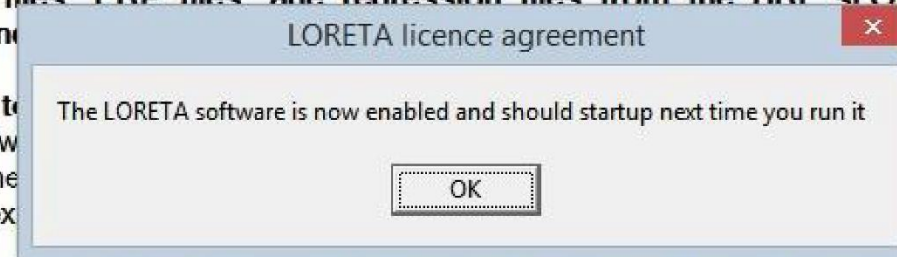RP files; age regression files from the BI
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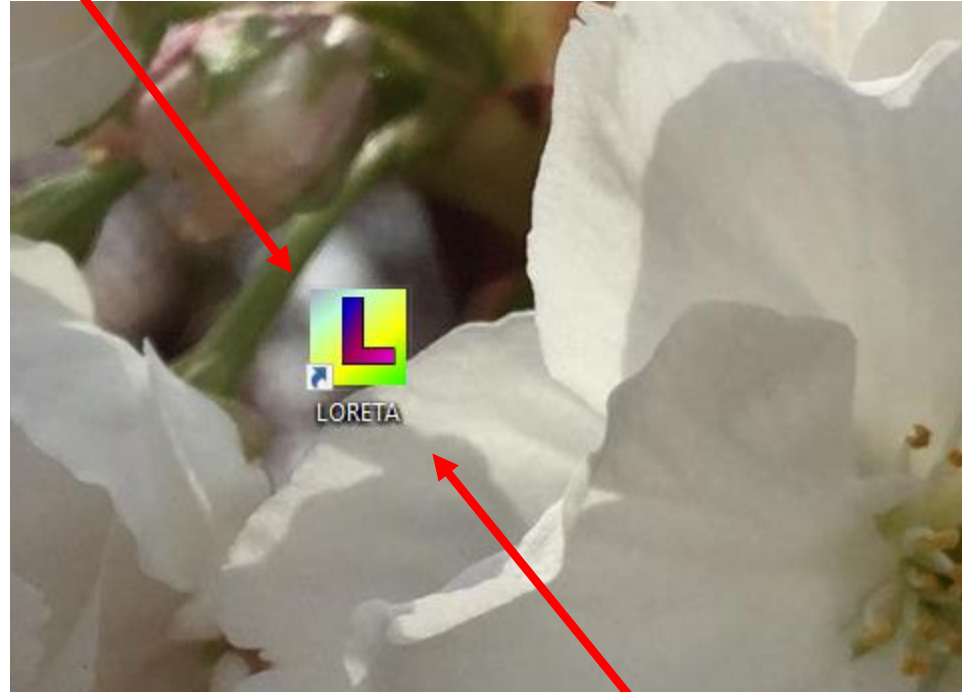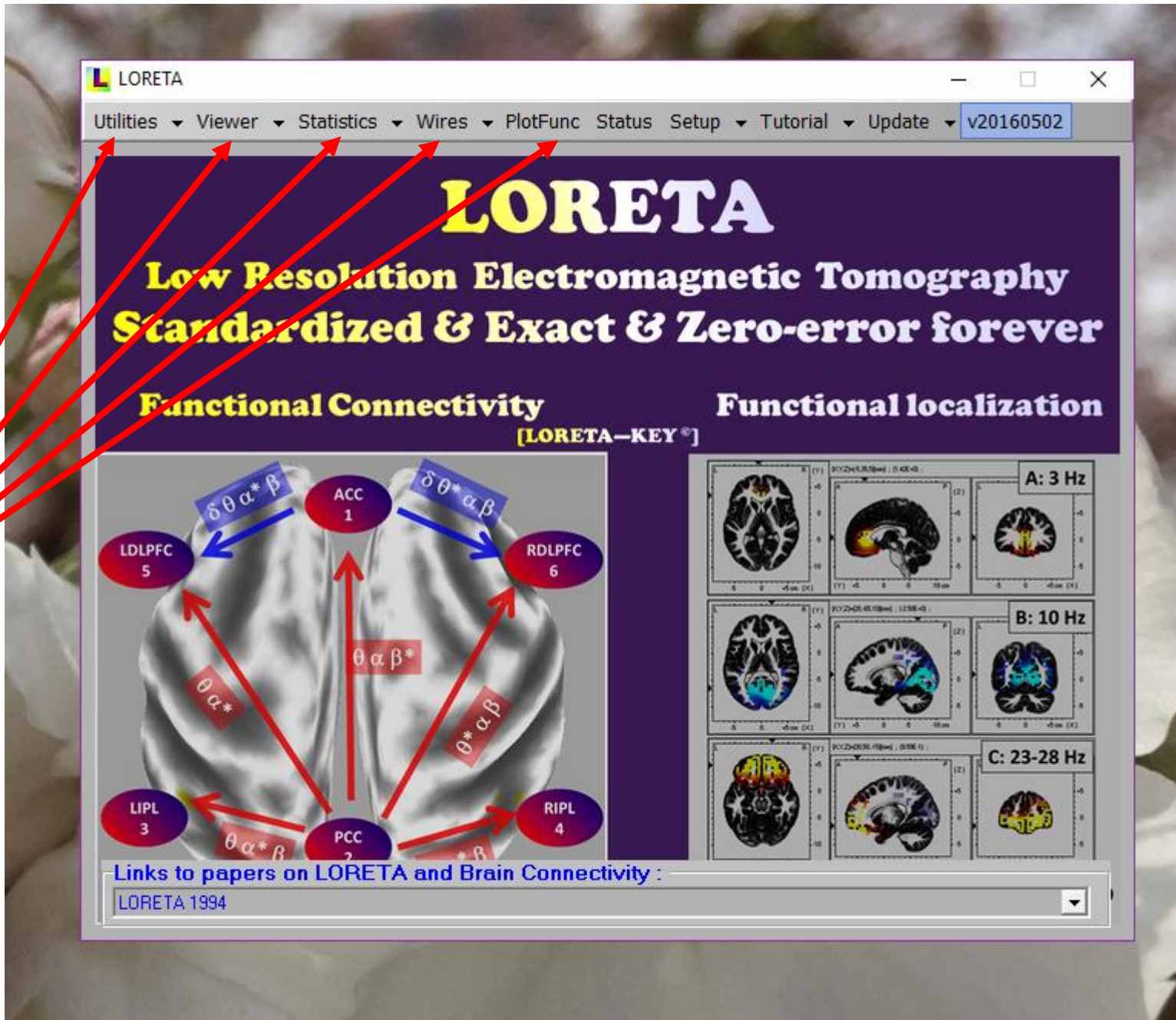
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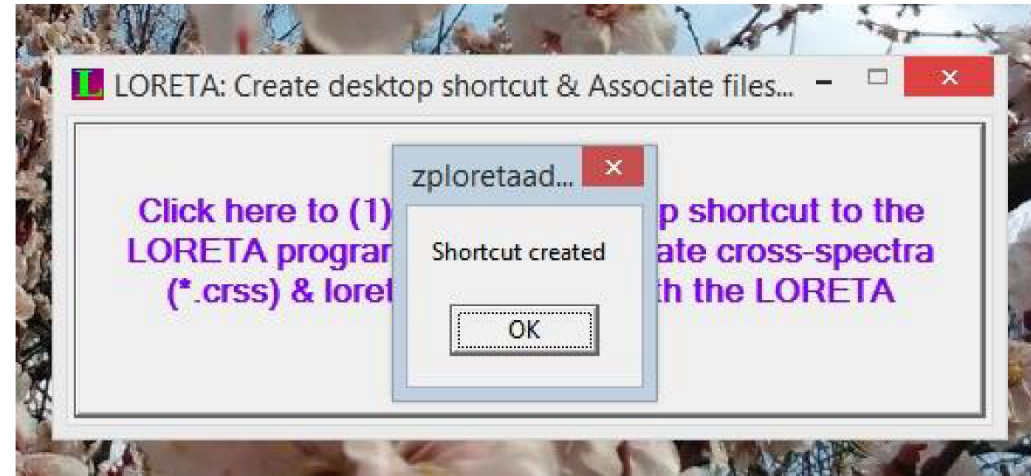
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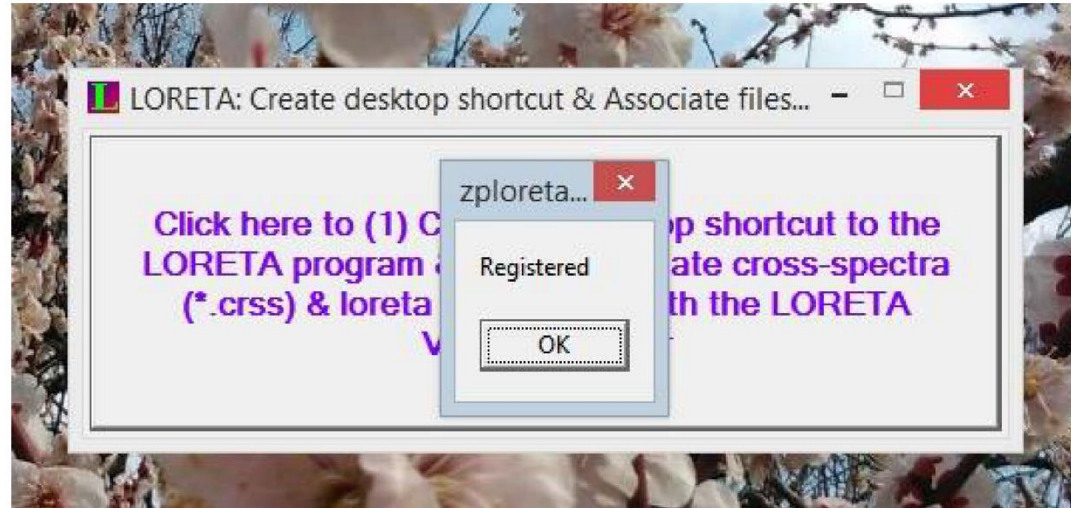
Now your desktop will have a shortcut link to the loreta program

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Double-click to run loreta

Now you are ready to use the program

Notes:
The folder "LORETA tutorials" contains the tutorials explaining how to use some selected parts of the many options of the software.
The folder "LORETA data" contains recordings and additional material, most of which is used in the tutorials.