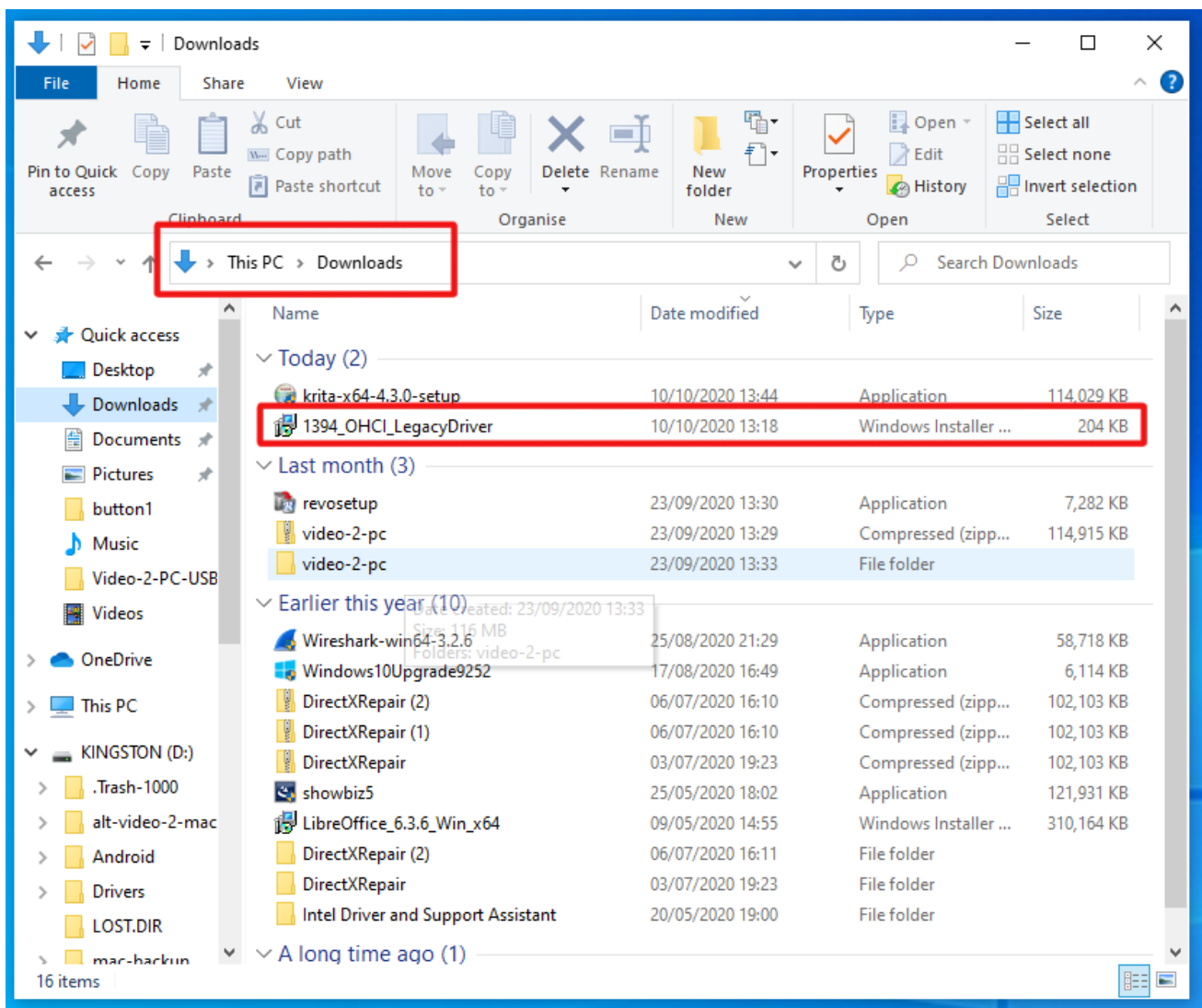




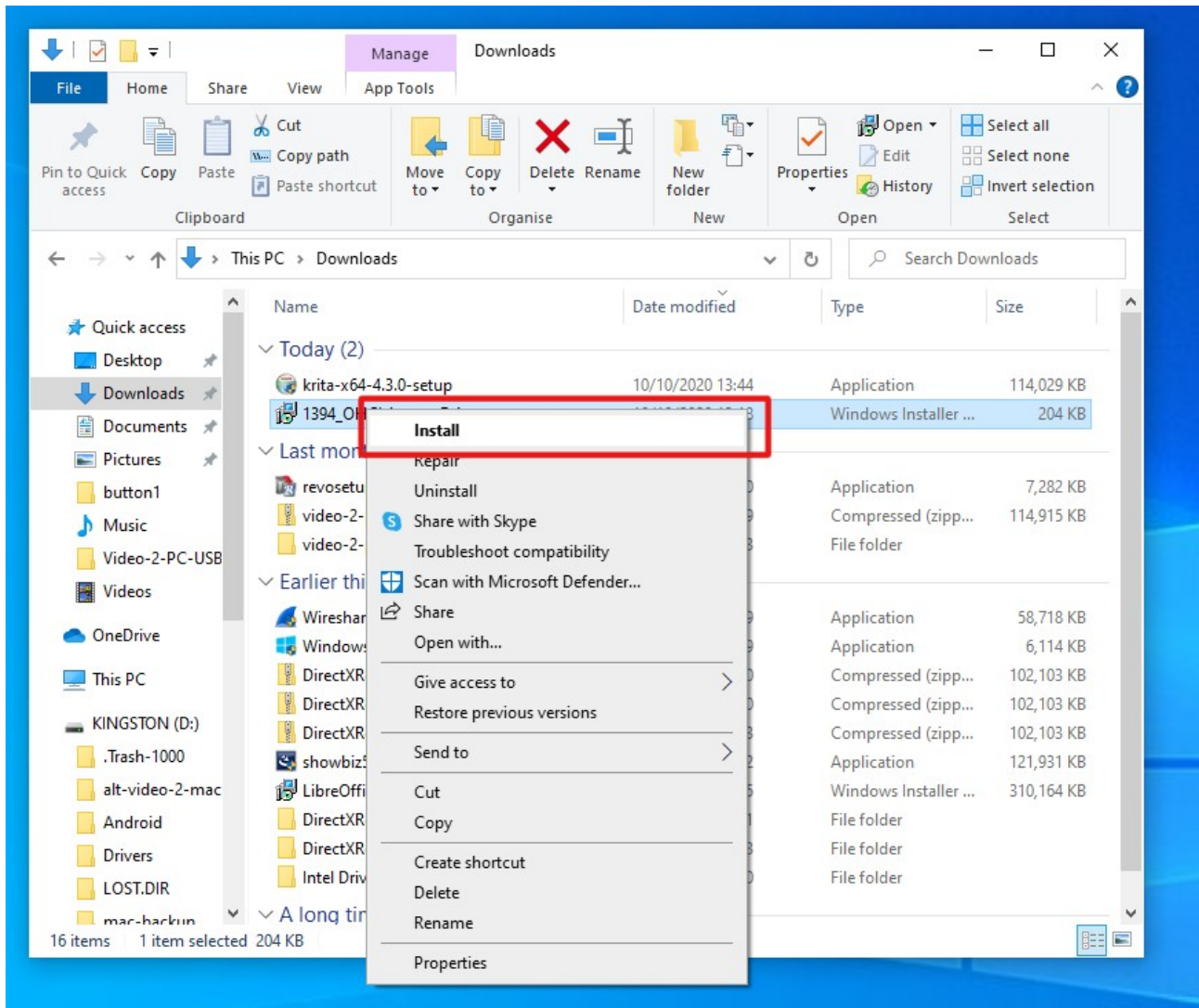
Video-2-PC Firewire Capture Kit.

Steps shown below for installing the Legacy Firewire drivers are the same on Windows 10 and 11. With Windows 10 you can use Arcsoft Showbiz to capture video from the camcorder, but if you're using Windows 11 you need to use the SCLive software instead.

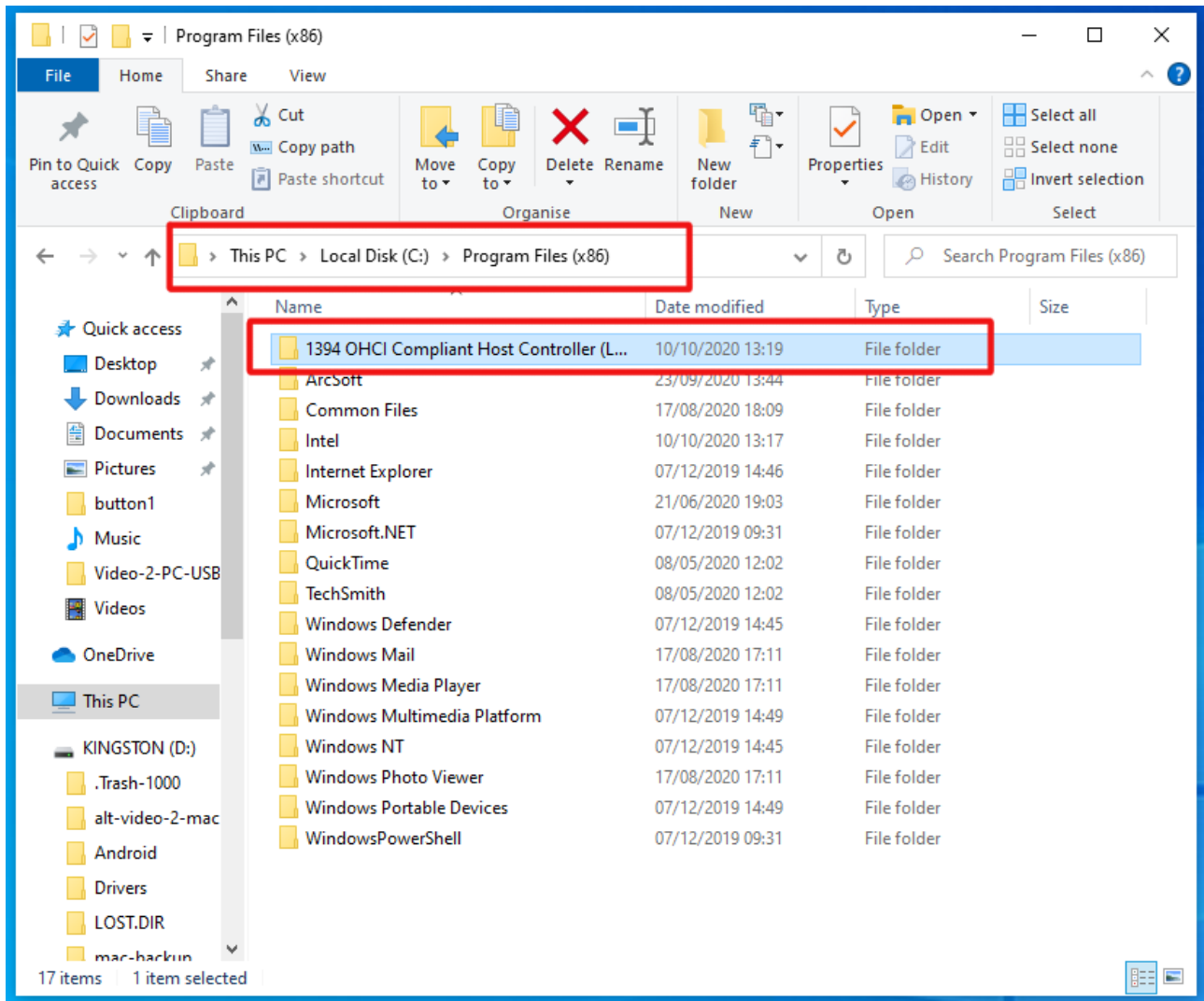
Step 1 - Download the legacy Firewire card driver from, and then look in your Downloads folder for file 1394_OHCI_LegacyDriver.msi



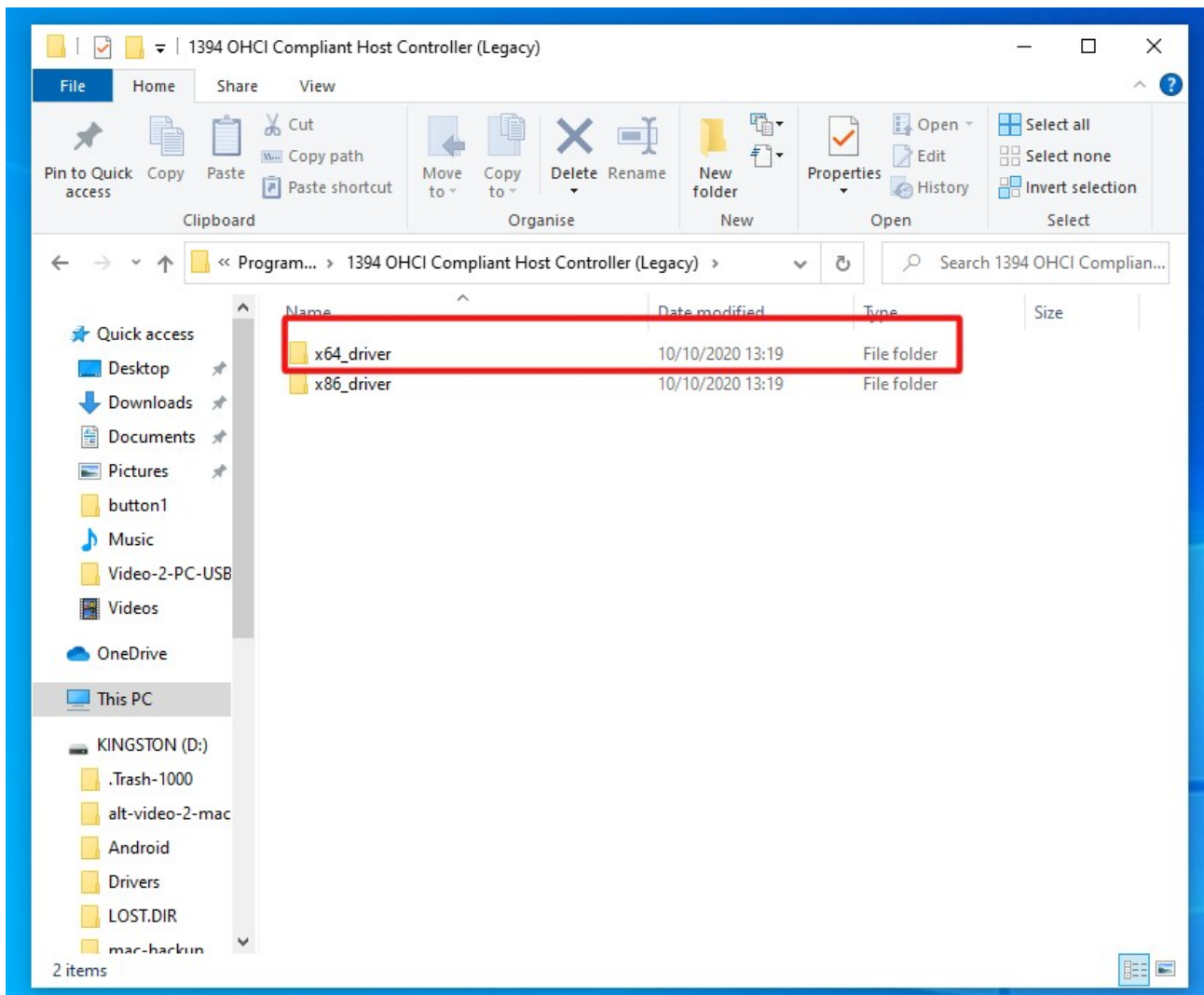
Step 2 – Right Click on the file 1394_OHCI_LegacyDriver.msi and choose Install



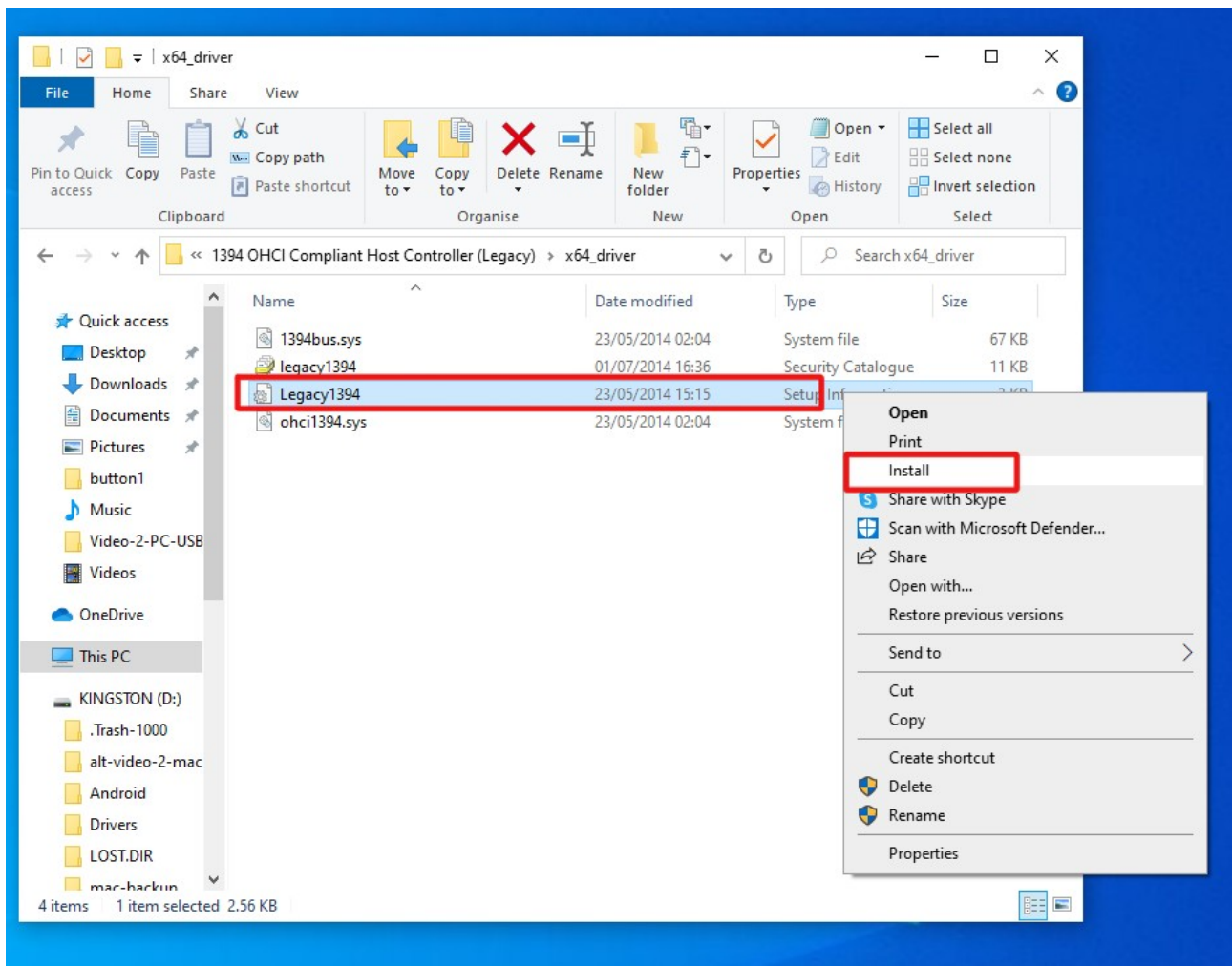
Step 3 – Go to the Folder C:\Program Files (x86) \ and open the 1394 OHCI Compliant Host Controller folder.



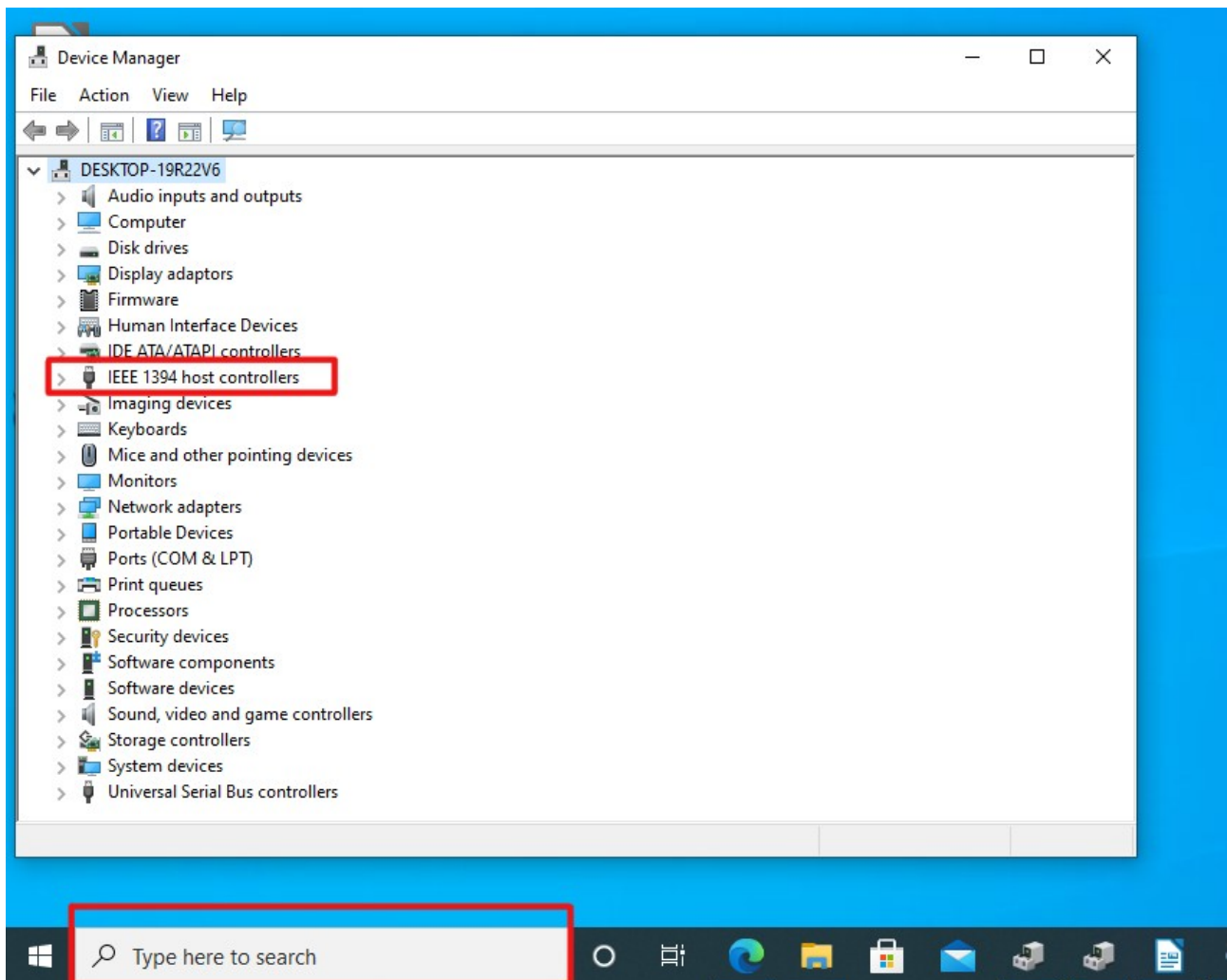
Step 4- Open the x64_driver folder if you're using Windows 10 64 bit or the x86 driver folder if you're using 32 bit Windows 10.



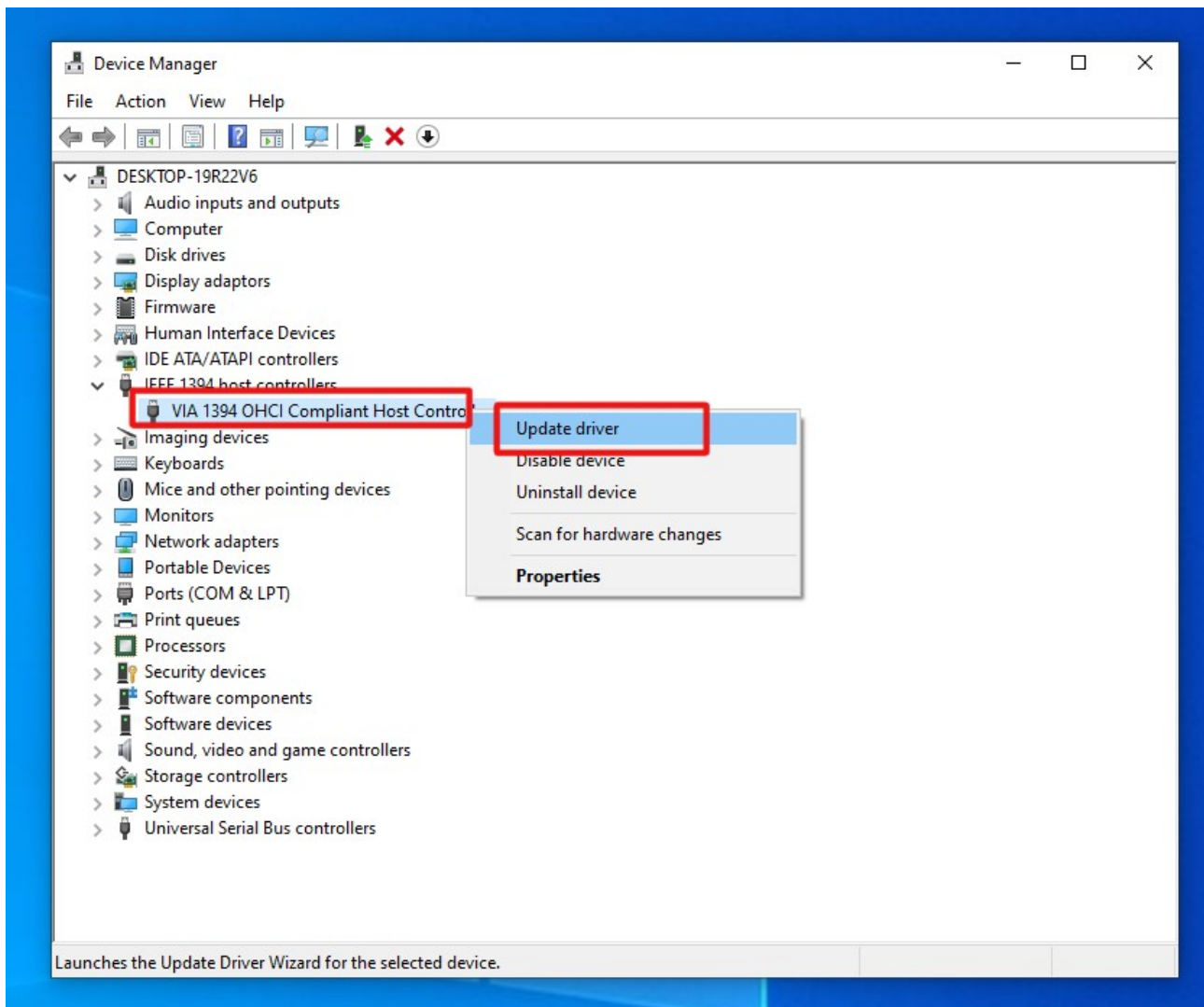
Step 5 – Right click on the file Legacy1394 and choose Install. This will take a couple of seconds and you won't see an acknowledgement.



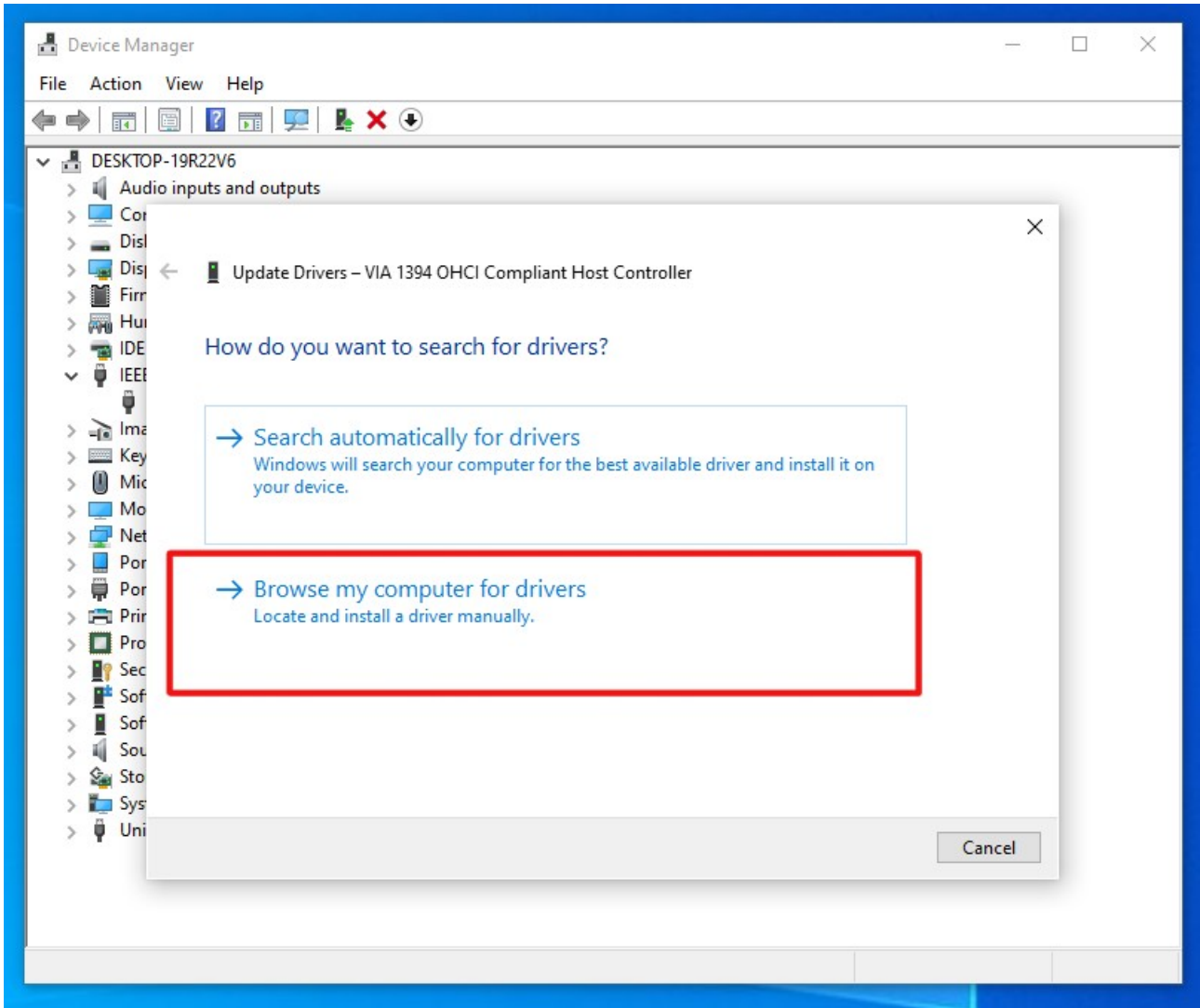
Step 6 – type Device Manger into the search box at the bottom of the Windows 10 screen, bring up Device Manager and look for IEEE 1394 Host Controllers (this is the same as Firewire)



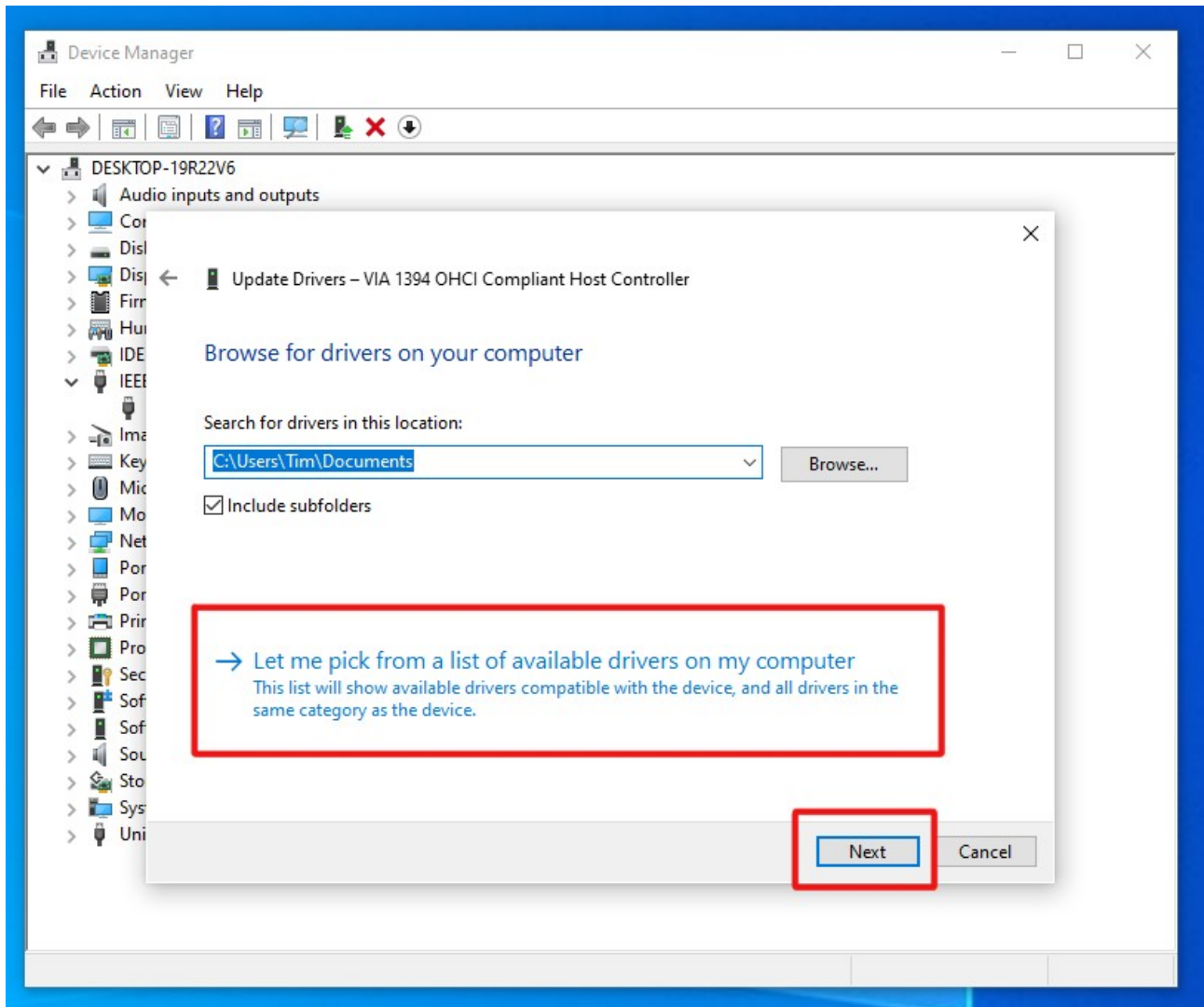
Step 7 – expand IEEE 1394 Host Controller and you should see Via 1394 OHCI Compliant Host Controller, right click on it and choose Update Driver.



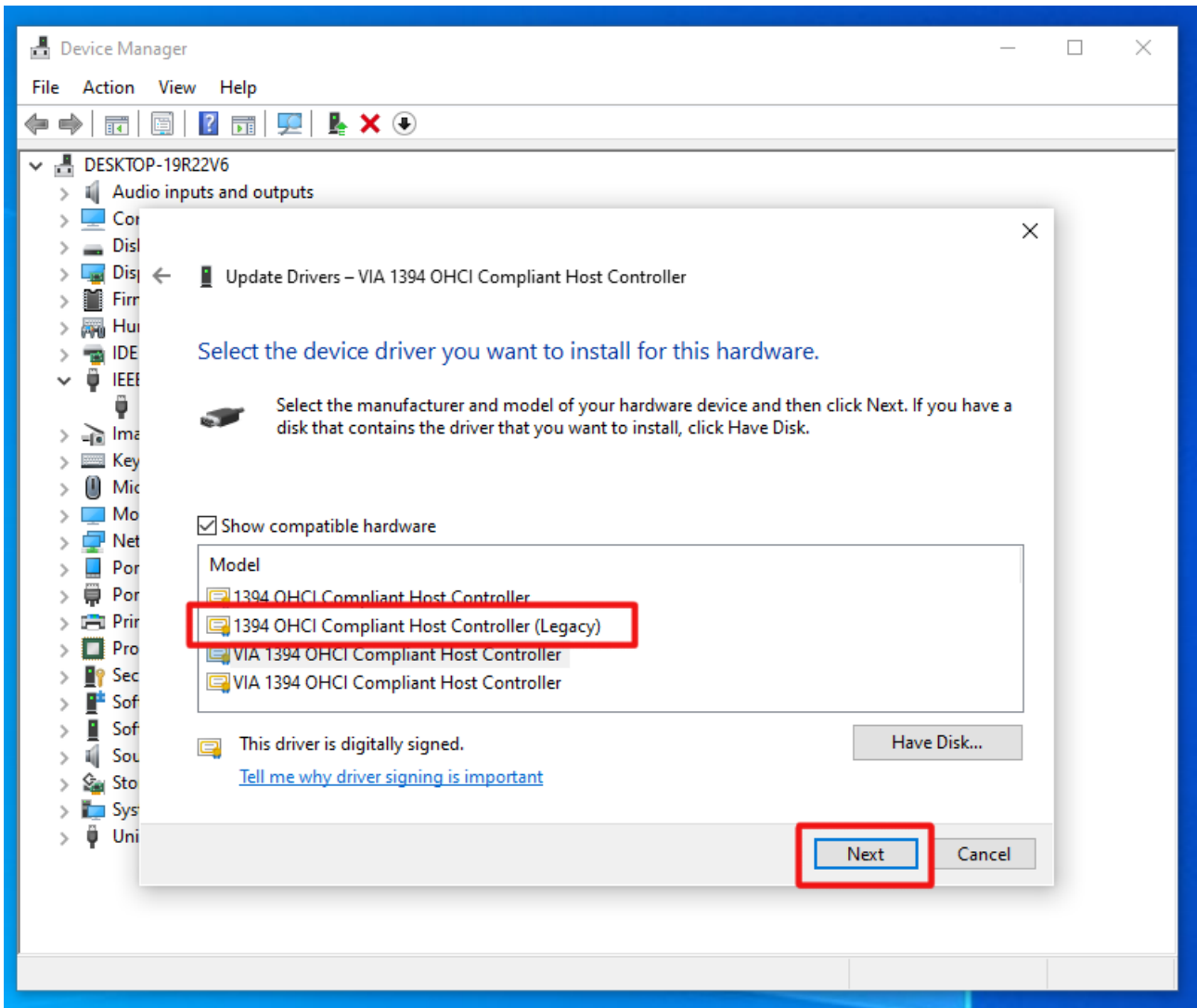
Step 8 – Choose Browse My Computers



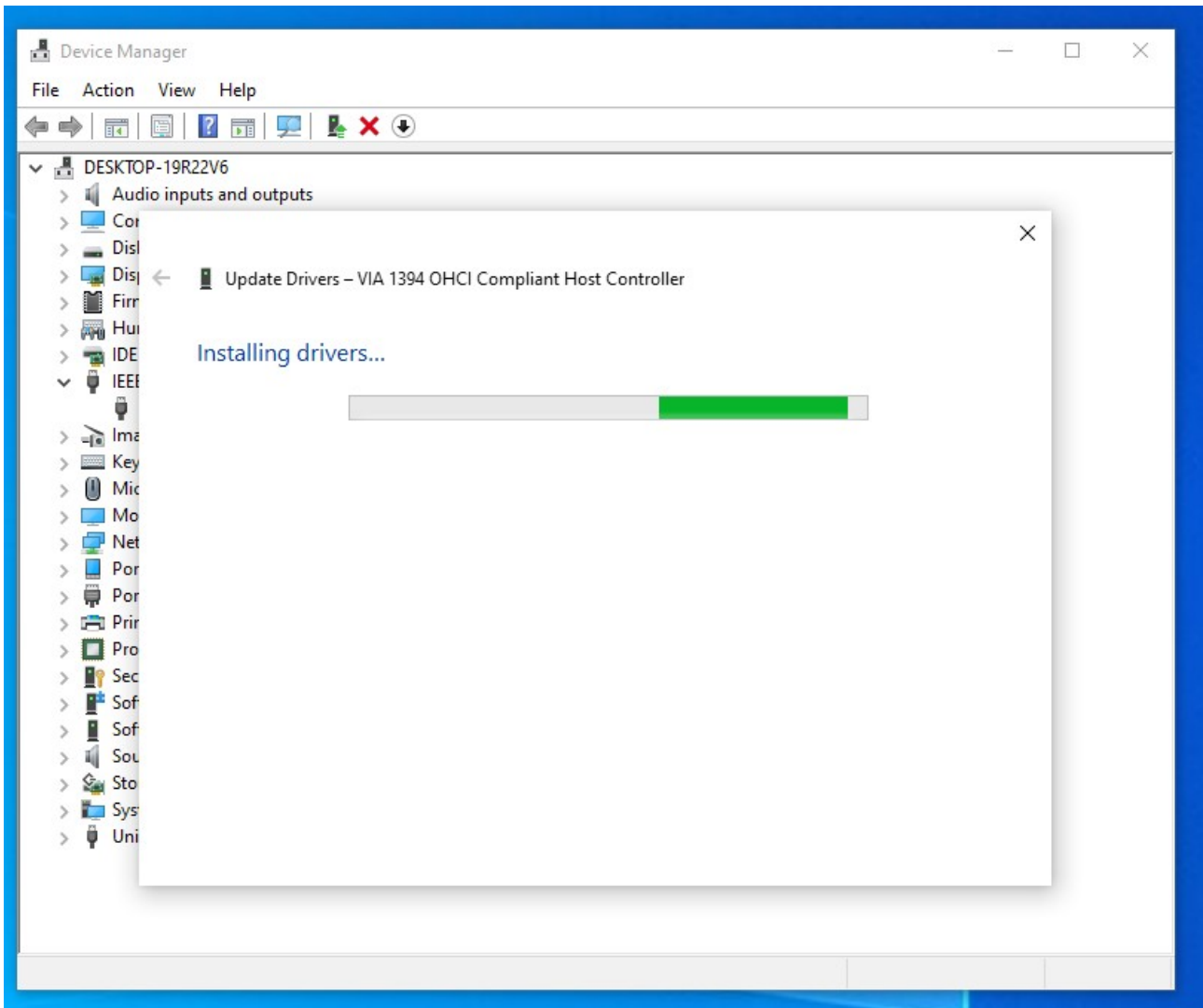
Step 9 – choose *Let Me Pick* from a list of available drivers on my computer, then click *Next*



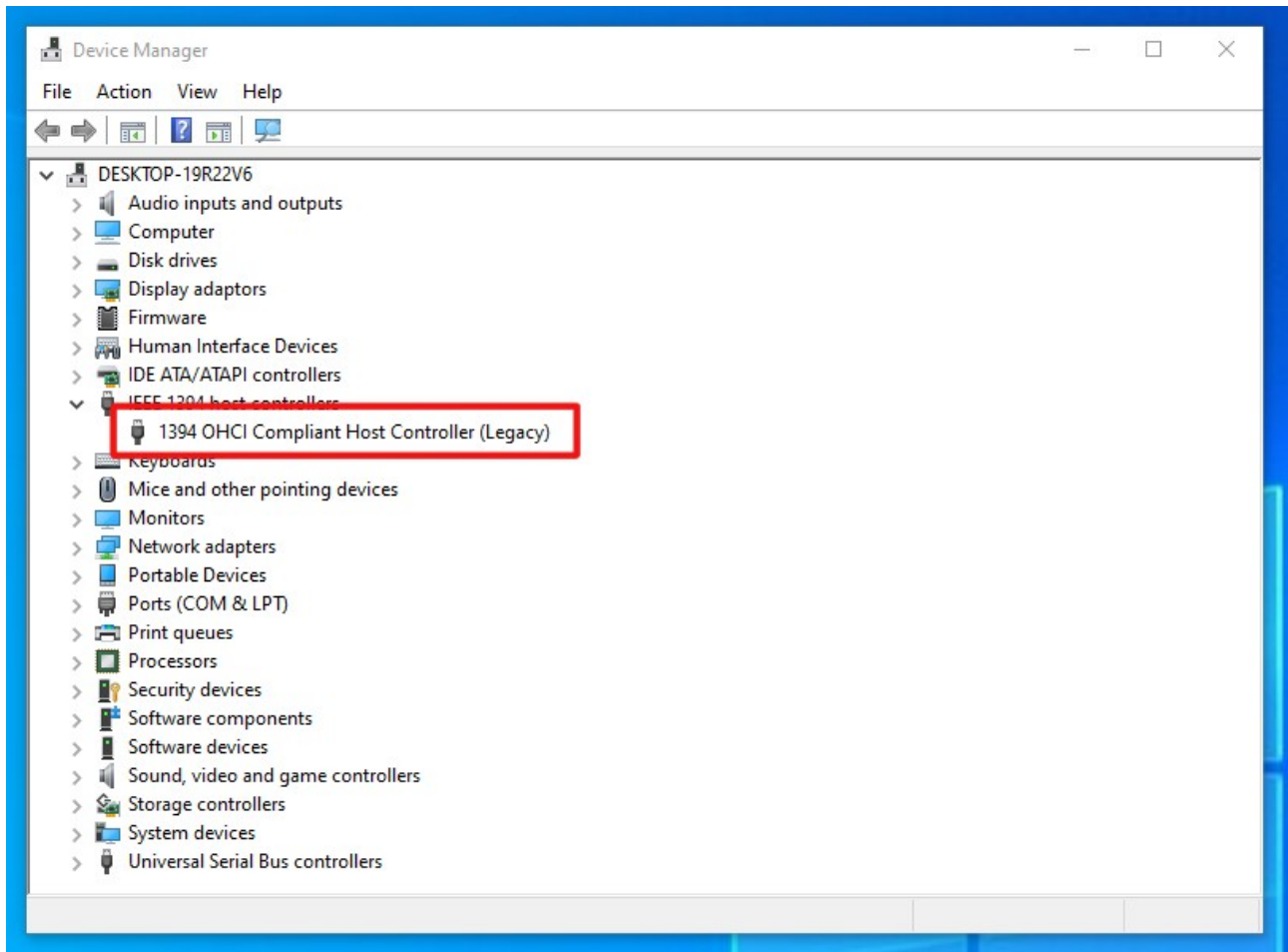
Step 10 – choose 1394 OHCI Compliant Host Controller (Legacy) and click Next.



Step 11 – You'll see installing drivers.

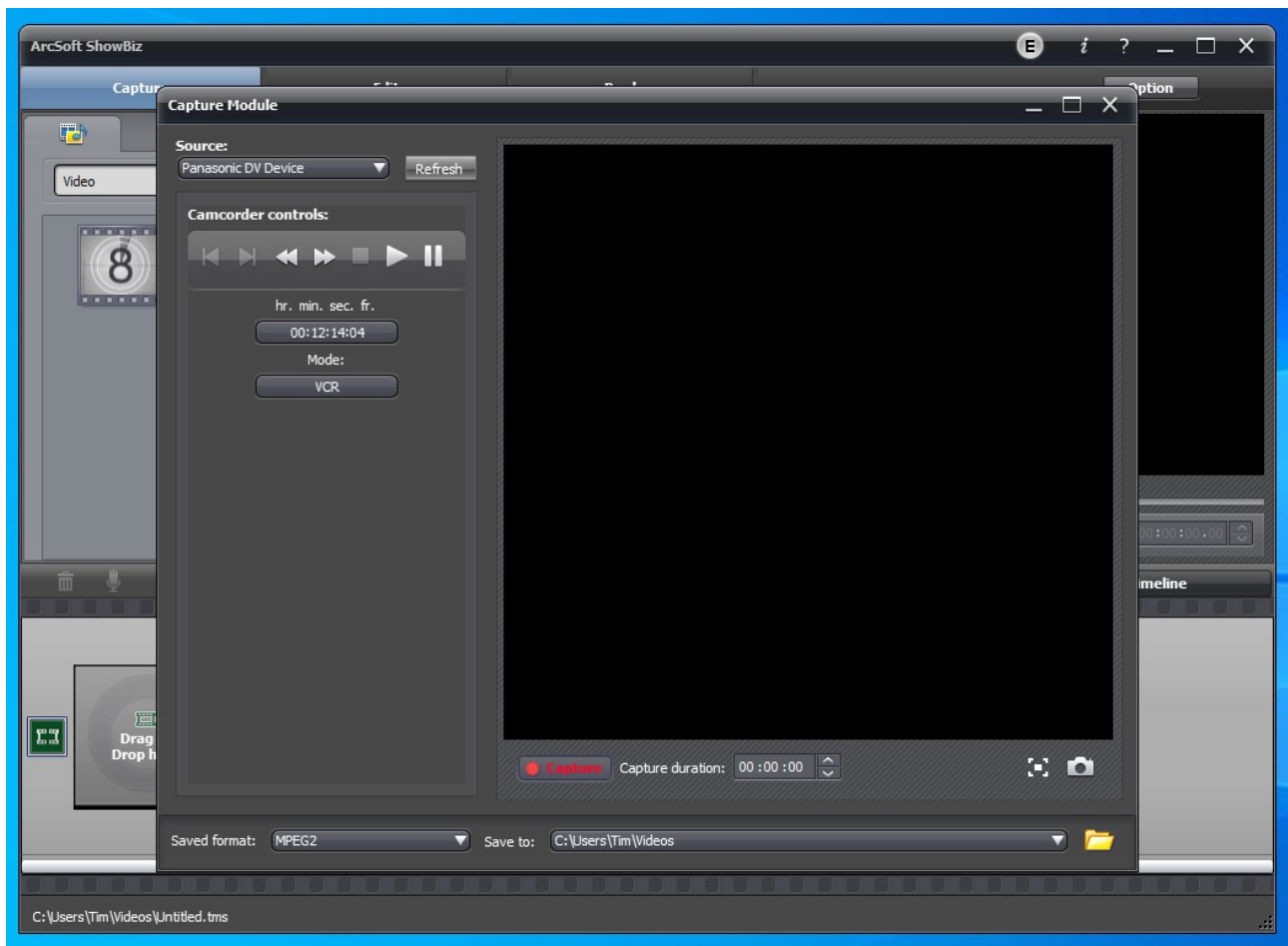


Step 12 – Once the IEEE 1394 Legacy drivers are installed you should see this:



If for any reason the computer gets stuck installing the Legacy drivers, wait a few minutes and then hard reset the machine, and go back into Device Manager and check it now says Legacy, as above.

Step 13 – If using Windows 10 or earlier: go into Arcsoft Showbiz, connect up your Mini-DV camcorder, connect Firewire cables, and check that the camcorder appears as a Source device in Arcsoft Showbiz's Capture screen. Hit Refresh if it's not listed.



You can control the camcorder using the on-screen controls. Press the red capture button when you're at the scene you want to record. Arcsoft Showbiz didn't work correctly with Windows 11, so use step 14 below for Windows 11 success.

Step 14 - Required only on Windows 11

Download ScenalyzerLive! Software from

<http://www.scenalyzer.com/sclive20060412.zip> or <https://www.tpr2.co.uk/sclive.zip>

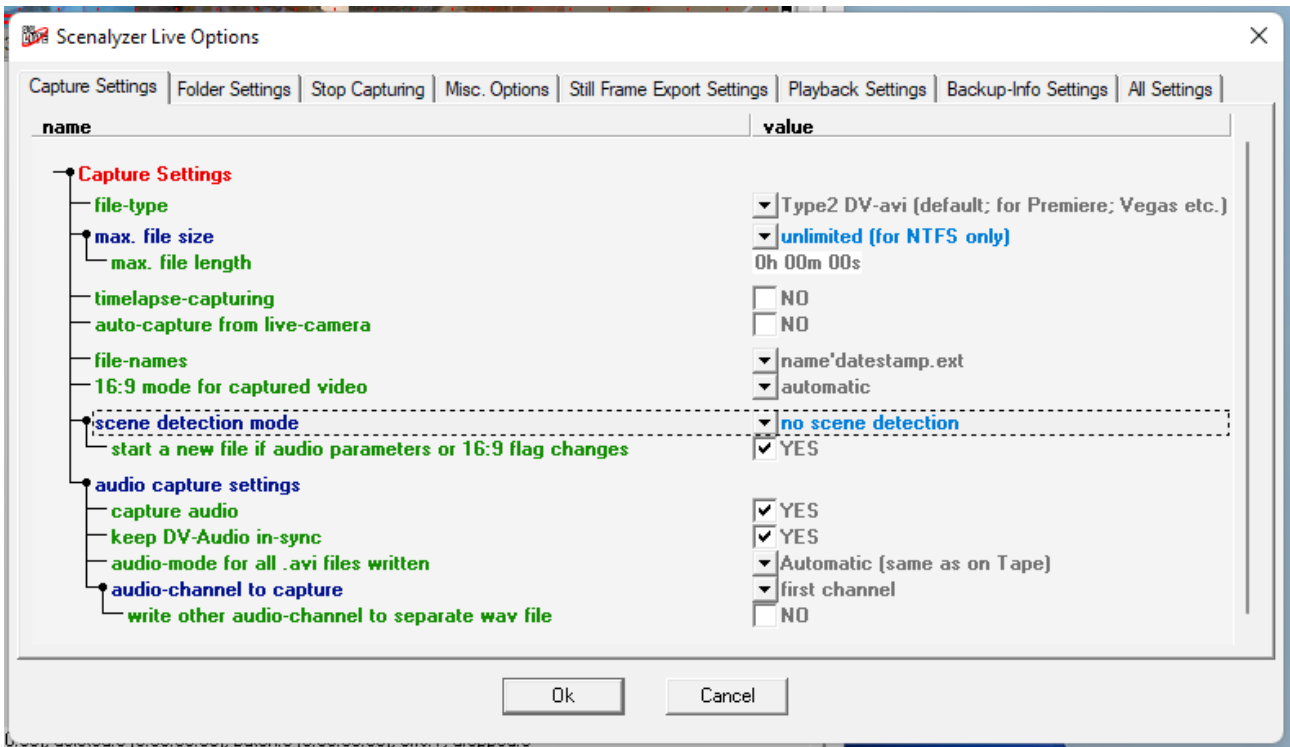
open the zip file, and you'll see the sclive application, drag this across onto your Desktop.

Right click on the license file and choose Open. The text file will open in Notepad. Copy (Edit → Copy) the 8 line hexadecimal unlock key. Open SCLive from your Desktop. Go to Help → Enter Registration Key, and click Paste.

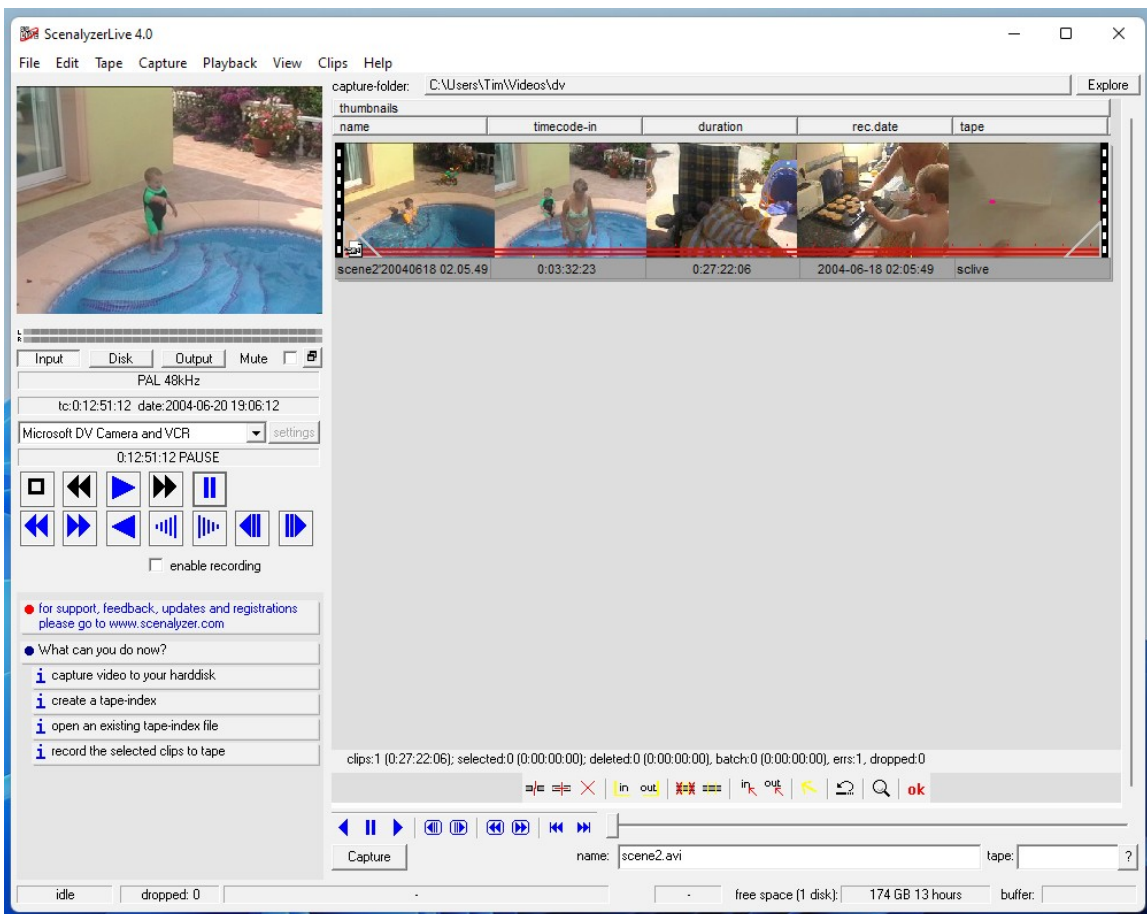
You are now ready to use SCLive to capture video. There's a full PDF guide also included in the zip file.

You can either set SCLive to capture a new video clip for every scene or set it to capture the whole tape to one video file (which I prefer).

File → Options → Capture Settings → set Max File Size to Unlimited NTFS and either set Scene Detection Mode to either Datestamp (lots of small video files) or No Scene Detection (one big file).



If your MiniDV Firewire camcorder is connected and in VCR playback mode, you should be able to choose “Microsoft DV Camera and VCR” as your Source on the left of the screen.



You start the video playing with the Blue Play button. Then click Capture button at the bottom of the screen. If you have any problems, make sure you only have one instance of SCLive running. Copyright TR Computers Ltd 2022.