

# Re: HTTP/1.1 500 Internal Server Error

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And look in Event Log

"Paul" <[Paul@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:Paul@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)> wrote in message  
<news:65A6D7B8-8822-494E-B561-20CDA972F275@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

ok thanks for the information. I already changed it back to machine in the machine.config file. Will take a look at the provided link.

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Paul G  
Software engineer.

"Juan T. Llibre" wrote:

re:

also tried changing machine to system in the machine.config file.  
In addition changed permissions to the ASPNET user but it did not seem to help.

Having done that is probably what's causing the error.

Changing the permissions for the ASPNET user does zilch if you changed the ASP.NET process identity to SYSTEM.

ASP.NET 1.1 is configured to use the ASPNET account  
\*when the configured process account is the "machine" account\*.  
( But not when the configured process accoount is the SYSTEM account... )

You are probably being denied access to a critical resource which the account which ASP.NET runs as needs.

Please review this article :

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"How To: Create a Custom Account to Run ASP.NET 1.1"

<http://msdn.microsoft.com/library/default.asp?url=/library/en-us/dnnetsec/html/secnetht01.asp>

...and follow the instructions in it.

Basically, you'll need to change the process account back to "machine", and make sure that the ASPNET account has the indicated permissions to the folders listed in "Table 1. Required NTFS permissions".

Juan T. Llibre, asp.net MVP

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"Paul" <Paul@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message

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Hi thanks for the response. When I try to create a new web application (I think when it tries to create the virtual directory) or if I try to run an existing web application through the VS.net IDE from both debug and non debug modes. I also tried re-installing framework 1.1, also tried changing machine to system in the machine.config file. In addition changed permissions to the ASPNET user but it did not seem to help.

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Paul G  
Software engineer.

"Jeff Dillon" wrote:

Actually that is an error that generally displayed in a browser.

Not when "creating" a web application. Do you mean when "running" a web application?

Jeff  
"Paul"

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<Paul@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

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Hi just wondering if anyone  
has run into this, I get the  
error when  
I try  
to  
create a new web  
application using vs2003.  
thanks.

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Paul G  
Software engineer.