

Re: outlook express wont connect using ssl

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I had the same issue. You might want to contact PSS, or post this in the OE newsgroups. It may be a known issue, for all I know.

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"ulyses_96" <ulyses96@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
news:4ED467F6-B873-4059-8482-B0CD6820D442@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

-- im using exchange 2003 sp 2

ulyses96

"Ben Winzenz [Exchange MVP]" wrote:

I'll try setting mine up. I know I've successfully set up OE to connect on port 587 - it's how Exchange 2007 is set up by default. I don't recall if I have SSL required, though, so I'll have to check and see if I have a cert installed that can be used.

I'm also using OE 6 on XP.

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<news:D01FBC6F-18A1-4D43-A877-6DA267EC5737@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

-- Thank you for all your help. I think there is a bug in OE
because i
set
my smtp VS which is on 587 to the same settings as my
default server
and
then
i get the error. the only difference is the port #. I think OE
doesnt
like
this port. this is OE version 6 though. and my computer is
running XP
pro
SP
2. so i dont know what i need to do now.

ulyses96

"ulyses_96" wrote:

Ok this worked!! so i was able to send using
ssl on the client. but
the
settings on my default smtp virtual server are
not the same as the
ones i
need on the other smtp VS. i.e.: i cannot
allow anonymous acces, I
have
to
required authentication, and i have to require
at least basic
authentication
with TLS . so now i dont know if the
problem lies in the port
number
or
the fact that i am requiring authentication on
the other ports.

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"Ben Winzenz [Exchange MVP]" wrote:

You don't have to enable/force SSL. All you have to do is *add* the SSL certificate to the SMTP VS. As soon as the cert has been added, SSL should be available.

It works the same was as it does for Websites. As soon as you add the cert, you can use SSL if you want to, but unless you *force* SSL, regular HTTP is still available.

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<ulyses96@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
wrote in message
<news:56979E2B-D350-4585-BFC1-7255C5F61EE7@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

-- I cant try
ssl over port
25 because
that's my
default smtp
virtual
server
and it's the
one used for

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all
transactions
between my
front end
and
back
end
servers. if i
turn ssl on
then they
cant' talk. so
that's why i
created a
new smtp
virtual
server on a
different
port
ulyses96

"Ben
Winzenz
[Exchange
MVP]"
wrote:

I
haven't
heard
that
before
about
OE,
but
then
again,
I
don't
use
OE
much
for
mail
:-)

Does
OE
work
if

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you
use
SSL
over
port
25?

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<ulyses96@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
wrote
in
message
<news:3E7255A4-B778-44B4-B800-7BBC7E6E4A9D@xxx>

I
just
doubled
checked
and
no,
i
didnt
check
the
SPA
box.
outlook
is
downloading
email
fine
so
i
dont

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think
there
is
any
problem
with
the
POP
protocol
Yes
my
problem
is
with
SMTP.
OE
is
set
up
to
authenticate
(for
outgoing
connections
)
and
use
the
same
user
name
and
password
as
my
incoming
connection.
the
certificate
im
using
was
generated
by
a
well
known
public,
trusted
root
CA.

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somewhere
i
read
that
OE
doesnt
like
any
port
for
ssl
other
than
25
and
465
could
this
be
the
problem?
in
using
587
for
smtp.

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"Ben
Winzenz
[Exchange
MVP]"
wrote:

Did
you
perhaps
configure
OE
to
connect
using
SPA
(Secure
Password
Authentication?)
Are

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you
just
talking
about
SMTP
here?
Is
OE
set
up
to
authenticate?
Is
this
a
self-generated
SSL
certificate?
Or
a
public
one?
If
public,
is
it
from
a
trusted
CA?

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news:16CF37F0-6728-44E7-A517-C7A81

i
installed
exchange
server
2003
sp
2
on
windows
server
2003
sp1
i
also
added
an
extra
smtp
virtual
server
to
service
all
miscellaneous
clients
connecting
from
outside
my
organization
.
I
set
up
this
virtual
server
to
require
basic
auth.
with
tls.
all
clients
successfully
connect.
i.e.

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macs.
thunderbird...
all
except
outlook
express.
i
tested
this
on
outlook
express
version
6
and
it
wont
connect
using
ssl..
whats
the
problem!??!
help

--
ulyses96