

## Re: A BIG COMPLAINT!

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My experience is that FP2003 work just fine with the FP2000 extensions under Windows XP Pro, IIS 5.1, just limit my ability to use any of the FP2002 features which are unchanged in FP2003.

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"StarView" <StarView@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message

news:F59F8902-A35B-4D29-9139-B846C6F15856@microsoft.com...

> Well Thomas, thank you for the reply, but the fix was nothing else other than the installation of FPSE2002. When troubleshooting situations like mine - WinXP Pro + IIS + FP2003, to me it's clear that the question needs to be asked if FPSE2002 is installed. Based on my war wounds (reference post threads), FP2003 is not cleanly backward compatible with previous versions of FPSEs.

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> "Thomas A. Rowe" wrote:

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> > The reason you do not see this info, is that the FP2000 extensions DO NOT need to be

> > replaced/updated to use FP2003 under Windows XP Pro.

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> > FP2003 is designed to work with any previous version of the FP extensions, however the version of

> > the extensions will determine which run-time components (feature/functions) of FP2003 that can be

> > used.

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> > news:A0BC4721-5EB5-4BEE-B834-6209B2BD49C8@microsoft.com...

> > > I have a big complaint re: Win XP Pro, FP 2003, and the answers provided by "experts" on the

> > > site.

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> > > I've wasted DAYS worth of time trying to figure out how to publish my FP2003 webste to IIS that  
> > came on the Win XP Pro CD.  
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> > > No where in the Win XP Pro, IIS, or FP 2003 screens does it say that the FPSE 2000 that com  
with  
> > IIS on the Win XP Pro CD needs to be replaced with FSE 2002. None of the responses to my pos  
> > (from StarView) over the past few days asked if I had FPSE 2002 loaded or how to check or how  
> > load them. I just happen to come across a post today, 7/7, in the FPSE board, with direction  
to  
> > install FPSE 2002. Once I followed the instructions, I was able to successfully publish a we  
site  
> > to my IIS server.  
> > >  
> > > My recommendations: 1) When FP2003 is installed on a machine, it ought automatically check  
for,  
> > and if need be, install & upgrade FPSE 2002. 2) When the experts on this site respond to all  
the  
> > posts on difficulting publshing to their local IIS server that they ask if the person is usi  
> > FP2003, if the FPSE2002, verses 2000 are installed. Instructions ought to be given on how to  
check  
> > and how to download.  
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> > > Regards, StarView - jmonaco@rcsis.com; or jmonaco10@hotmail.com  
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