

Re: Can I Install SQL 2000 on XP Pro?

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I just did a re-install on my laptop last week – I had two instances and wanted to clean that up...

I tried the "standard" edition CD and it would only install client tools from that. It required that I use the "developers" edition CD to get a laptop (non-server) installation.

>-----Original Message-----

>I know that it says on the link you posted that it SQL 2000 Standard is not

>for installation on XP Pro, but is there any reason why I shouldn't attempt

>this?

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>Will it screw up my XP Pro machine or will it work or just plain not work?

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>Thanks

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>"John Bell" <jbellnewsposts@hotmail.com> wrote in message

>news:_jQ%b.3959\$dm6.34591955@news-text.cableinet.net...

>> Hi

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>> Check out:

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>>[http://msdn.microsoft.com/library/default.asp?](http://msdn.microsoft.com/library/default.asp?url=/library/en-us/architec/8_ar_ts_7eur.asp?frame=true)

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>> If you are only doing development then at under \$50 the developer edition

>is

>> great value

>> although MSDN is a good idea if you need multiple products

>> <http://www.microsoft.com/sql/howtobuy/development.asp>

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>> *John*
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>> *"Keith" <@.> wrote in message*
news:OsJXL2X\$DHA.808@TK2MSFTNGP12.phx.gbl...
>> > *Can anyone see any problems with me installing SQL*
Server 2000 on my XP
>> *Pro*
>> > *laptop?*
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>> > *Why would I want to do that you ask? Because I am*
doing some
>development
>> > *work and won't always be connected to the LAN, so*
could do with SQL
>Server
>> > *running on my laptop if possible.*
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