

## Re: SQL 2005 Express Install error

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That's a WMI (Windows Management Interface) error. See if this helps:  
<http://www.microsoft.com/technet/scriptcenter/topics/help/wmi.msp>

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Hi. I have WinXP Pro SP2, VS 2005 Pro. I tried installing SQL 2005 express through VS 2005, but it failed. The error log showed:  
\*\*\*EndOfSession\*\*\*?[06/09/06,10:40:05] Microsoft SQL Server 2005 Express Edition x86: [2] Component Microsoft SQL Server 2005 Express Edition x86 returned an unexpected value.  
\*\*\*EndOfSession\*\*\*"

I tried downloading The SQL 2005 Express (as well as the developer Advanced version). Both get to the same point. License agreement, then installing additional components (native client and Microsoft SQL Server 2005 Setup Support Files). Says they were both installed successfully. I click Next, it says 'System Configuration Check' and is scanning my computer's configuration, then an error message pops up and says "The SQL Server System Configuration Checker cannot be executed due to WMI configuration on the machine MYLAPTOPNAME Error:2147749896 (0x80041008)." I click OK and setup exits. This happens consistently with the exact same message no matter how many times I try. I tried turning Windows Firewall off, but same results. help!?!?

Thanks,  
Malcolm

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