

## Re: Software Installation not working

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I'm having a very similar problem. Trying to deploy a very small calculator, I too get succesfull status in the event log but nothing seems to install. I've looked in Program Files and there is nothing there however it does appear in add\remove programs.

I have assigned it per computer and running a report in GPMgmt indicates that the policy was deployed to that computer

One thing I did question was in the GPO I noticed that the option to Auto-install by file extension option was checked, it is greyed out but it is checked.

Thanks

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"John" <[John@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:John@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)> wrote in message [news:9B19C167-F83F-4370-94CE-C41D743CD927@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:9B19C167-F83F-4370-94CE-C41D743CD927@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)  
> Hello,  
> I "think" I've created a custom package to upgrade a test Win2K machine to  
> XP. I've created a network share and copied all the XP Pro files from the  
> CD  
> to the share. I've edited the winnt32.msi file on two lines  
> (RunSetupImmediate and RunSetup) changing the source path to the network  
> share source.  
> I've edited my unattend.txt file to store the answers for an unattended  
> install. Made a group policy that points to the winnt32.msi file and  
> applied  
> that policy to the test machine.  
> HOWEVER...when I re-boot the test 2K machine, it shows as "Installing the  
> Windows XP policy" but it doesn't. I've check the App log and it says  
> "The  
> install of application Windows XP Pro from the policy succeeded".  
> But it has not. Am I missing something?  
> Thanks

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