

WEP Key(s) Confusion

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I am running XP Home. I have a Linksys router and am trying to set up WEP. I had it working for my three desktops using 64 bit encryption. Using a passphrase the router generated four (4) lines or keys of 10 digits each. I copied those onto each computer and it worked. I now bought a laptop and the XP software/wireless setup only requires one key line that you must retype...but I have four generated lines from the router. I tried entering just the first 10-digit line and although the laptop shows great signal strength I cannot connect. With WEP disabled everything works fine. Can you help?