

## WWW service deos not start on XP Pro

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I need some serious help! I installed IIS on my Windows XP Professional machine, however, <http://localhost> does not displays anything, clicking on IIS branch in the Computer Manager just locks it up. When I look at the "World Wide Web Publishing" service it always has status of "Starting" and never goes "Started". My attempts to uninstall and reinstall have not produced anything as I can not complete uninstall. Machine starts uninstalling IIS but then just sits there. I really need to get this working so any and al help will be greatly appreciated.