

# Re: can't see 1 computer on the network

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you've got to be kidding me. i never knew about such a limitation. you'd think it would be printed in giant red letters on the XP installation disk. and there's no workaround?

what about the sharing of the partition issue? any ideas there?

thanks for your help.

"Cari (MS-MVP)" <Newsgroups1@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message [news:eBEorug0GHA.720@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:eBEorug0GHA.720@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)

If you're running XP Home on all your PCs, you are probably running into the 5 connection limitation.

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Cari (MS-MVP) Windows Client – Printing & Imaging  
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i have a home network with 6 pcs all going into a linksys router. i set it up using the network connection wizard. all machines are running xp. there is one computer that i can't get to. from all other computers, it shows up on 'entire network' but if you try to open it, you get the error that you don't have access. i have the problem computer running on my admin acct, but i don't think that should matter since i can get to all the others whether they're on admin or not. i think it's a conflict with one other computer on the network because when that one is disconnected, i can access the problem computer. i reinstalled xp on that box (b/c of a disk crash) and named it with a unique name, but i still have the problem. any ideas?

also, how come i can't share a partition? after the disk crash i put in a 300g drive and formatted it with 3 partitions. i wanted to be able to use one of the partitions as a common data storage site, but i can't share it.

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thanks,  
chris