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I'm sorry for the misunderstanding as your Q not clear to me. May be just me!.
Try to Recreate the shares and make sure the Firewall allowing these shares
access, you issue looks like a misconfiguration of Firewall or shares
permissions.

Any More info will be of a help to anyone want to help you, so please
provide more info, error messages, anti-virus/firewall and the OS version.
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"MZB" wrote:

READ my post:

Basically, it does this when the desktop is
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"nass" <nass@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
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"MZB" wrote:

I have a Dell dim 2400 desktop in the basement with a
linksys router. I
have
an Inspiron 2200 laptop. I have XP HOME on both
computers.

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I have had no problems except for earlier today. I have some shared folders and the printer in the basement is shared. Today I tried to print something and got an error. Then I tried to get a file from a desktop shared folder and it couldn't find the path. Basically, it does this when the desktop is turned off, but it wasn't. Incidentally, no problems in getting on the internet.

Anyway, I rebooted both the desktop and the laptop and all is working perfectly. I suspect this will be one of those unexplained glitches, but does anyone have an idea of what might have occurred? The desktop had been on for a few days. I had accessed the shared folders a few hours prior to the problems and in fact had also used the printer.

Mel

If the Desktop which has the Shared Folders On it is OFF, then it is Normal for the folders mapped to you created shortcuts to it on the laptop to be unavailable. Since you rebooted both systems and you are able to access the shared and use the printer that explain the previous answer. But if you want to share folders and files and you be able to turn the Desktop OFF and ON when you want, you will need an External Hard Drive that can be connected to the Router and shared between these computers, you will have a CMS software to configure the External Hard and set password to secure it from outer world?.
HTH.
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