

## Re: Remote Connection and SP2

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Following up, I totally missed the fact that you're connecting to these machines from within your LAN. That takes the external IP address out of the equation. Likewise the need for a dynamic DNS service.

What that means is that when you go to connect to each machine in the LAN, you can enter the PC's name with the port number appended to it in the Computer box, e.g. MAINPC:3391 or MARTINSPC:3390. Sorry for the confusion. When I've set up RD, it's usually involved remote locations.

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Nepatsfan

"Nepatsfan" <nepatsfan@SBXXXVIII.com> wrote in message news:OIGdnbdQTdgos4TfRVn-ig@comcast.com...

>I just saw your earlier post, so I'll try to follow up on some >of

> the things Sooner Al alluded to.

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> On your Netgear router, you have to set up Port Forwarding so

> it

> looks something like this. I'm doing this from memory, so

> hopefully I've got it right.

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> Name      Start      End            IP

> RD1        3389      3389          192.168.0.11

> RD2        3390      3389          192.168.0.12

> RD3        3391      3389          192.168.0.13

> RD4        3392      3389          192.168.0.14

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> Note: Change the IP addresses to ones appropriate for your

> network. It also helps to set up IP reservations. Look for that

> in the LAN IP Setup section of your router's interface.

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> You also have to enable UPnP. It's listed near the bottom of

> the

> box on the left.

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> To connect to each machine you'd enter the external IP address

> (the one that's assigned by your ISP) followed by the port

> number. For example, to connect to RD1, enter just the external

> IP. For RD2, you'd enter the external IP followed by the

> redirected port number, e.g. 123.123.123.123:3390. For RD3,

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> 123.123.123.123:3391 and so on.
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> If you've done all this and are still having difficulties
> connecting, then it may be time to look elsewhere. Is the
> problem
> PC running XP Professional? Are there any 3rd party firewalls
> such as Zone Alarm, Sygate or Kerio installed? How about
> Internet
> Security Suites such as Norton or McAfee?
>
> File the following away for when you get everything running
> correctly:
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> Unless you have a static IP address assigned by your internet
> provider, you might want to set up an account to get dynamic
> dns
> from www.no-ip.com. It's free, reliable and best of all you can
> set up a domain name that's much easier to keep track of then a
> set up numbers. That way when you go to connect you enter
> something like martin.myvnc.com:3391 instead of the IP address
> and port number.
>
> --
> Nepatsfan
> "martin" <mhayes@europa.sial.com> wrote in message
> news:142A7475-ED99-4FD7-AD68-97C703D46B3F@microsoft.com...
>> hi,
>>
>> Thanks for the suggestion but i allready have Remote Desktop
>> ticked in the
>> win firewall exceptions tab.
>> This problem is really getting annoying now :-(
>>
>> Any more suggestions would be FAB
>> Thanks again
>>     Martin
>>
>> "Nepatsfan" wrote:
>>
>>> With SP2 installed, I'd suspect the Windows Firewall.
>>> Go to Start -> Control Panel -> Windows Firewall.
>>> On the Exceptions page, make sure there is a checkmark in the
>>> box
>>> next to Remote Desktop.
>>>
>>> --
>>> Nepatsfan
>>> "martin" <mhayes@europa.sial.com> wrote in message
>>> news:265DEF63-B37B-4E85-919F-920A1FEA9B2E@microsoft.com...
>>> > Hi all,
>>> > It is getting late and i am in desparate need of sleep so i
>>> > though i would
>>> > see if anyone could help me solve my last problem of the
>>> > night
>>> > :-)
>>> >
>>> > I have set up remote Desktop connection through a router
>>> > and
>>> > most of it is
>>> > ok. However i am not able to connect to one of the machines
>>> > this may be
>>> > because it has SP2 installed. I have updated the registry
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>>> > and
>>> > added a new
>>> > termsrv.dll to the System32 dir but nothing has helped.
>>> >
>>> > Has anyone got any ideas ???
>>> >
>>> > Thanks
>>> >         Martin
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