

Re: Remote DesktopQuestions

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I enabled 3389 on the router using the IP of the host XP machine. Do I have to do the same for port 80 on the router? I thought that was activated by default (http). I enabled the rd connection on the windows firewall.

"Sooner AI [MVP]" <SoonerAI@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message [news:eKUv\\$hEWGHA.4768@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:eKUv$hEWGHA.4768@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)

Yes, both TCP Port 80 (IIS) and TCP Port 3389 (RDP) are required...

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Ok, I did get everything set up for both client server connection; I am trying to connect from IE browser on a Win2k machine. I have allowed anonymous access on my IIS tsweb folder on my XP MCE and selected 'when connecting to this resource—a directory on my computer C:\WINDOWS\web\tsweb option'.

Now I open up a browser on my 'remote' machine (Win2K) and type in <http://pcname/tsweb> but it won't connect. Do I also need to do anything on the router allow port forwarding through a certain port?

"Sooner AI [MVP]" <SoonerAI@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in

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Do you mean Internet Information Services (IIS)? IIS is used by the Remote Desktop Web Connection. Note that IIS and Remote Desktop (host mode) only are included in XP Pro and I guess MCE.

<http://www.microsoft.com/technet/prodtechnol/winxppro/reskit/c08621675.msp>

<http://support.microsoft.com/kb/284931/en-us>

If you want to remotely access/control a XP Home machine I suggest you look at UltraVNC with its encryption plug-in and XP video drivers (for the host/server machine).

<http://ultravnc.sourceforge.net/>

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I am trying to setup Remote Desktop Web Connection for both XP Home version and XP Media Center. Does anybody know if this is possible, or do I have to upgrade to XP Pro to get this to work?

I tried to open Internet Services Manager, and discovered It wasn't part of Administrative Tools on my XP Media Center edition. Is there any way I can get AdminTools (i.e. Admin Pack, etc.) for XP in order to do this?

Also how secure is the Remote Desktop

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Web Connection (compared to a VPN connection)?

Any help would be greatly appreciated.