

Re: Cannot Open Excel Files in OE 6

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Bob, the .lnk extension is only a shortcut. The file has not been attached, only the shortcut to it, so the file remains on YOUR computer and the shortcut, naturally cannot point to your computer. Open the spreadsheet, save it to the desktop or some other place and then navigate to the saved file and attach IT to your email. That should do the trick.

"batz38" <batz38@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message <news:6D5DFDC2-893B-49E8-8358-9B9271F3C629@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

> Hello,
> I am hoping that someone will be able to help me. I am sending
> an excel spreadsheet from my home PC to my work PC, but for some
> reason I cannot open it. I also noticed, that there is an extension
> of lnk added to the end of the .xls. Now the PC at work is running
> Lotus Notes, and I even tried to send it to my other PC at home that
> is running Outlook. They both show up with the .xls.lnk and in
> Outlook I get the message " Outlook blocked access to the following
> potentially unsafe attachment: GROUP MANAGERS April25.xls.lnk". As
> you can see it added that lnk to the end. At home I am running XP
> Home Edition SP2 on the PC that is using OE Express 6.0 and the other
> PC is running XP Professional SP2, and both are using Symantec
> Anti-Virus Corporate Edition. I looked throughout all of the other
> posts, and I tried everything they listed. Any help would be a
> appreciated. Thanks, Bob

• **References:**

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