

Re: Windows – Delayed Write Failed

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Roger,

We had the same error message pop up for my customers when they were trying to backup their local laptop hard drives to one of my servers using NTBACKUP. It would only happen on full backups and not consistently. Turns out the issue was not on the server but at the client. The clients Ethernet cards had the speed and duplex settings set to Auto/Auto which means they are supposed to negotiate the best speed and duplex setting with the switch. Once we hard coded the clients to settings that were appropriate for them, either 10/full or 100/full, the delayed write errors disappears. While I do not know if this is your problem as well, it is something worth while to check.

Greg

"Roger Crawford" <rcrawford@nospam.scci.com> wrote in message news:uOTwOPuuEHA.3828@TK2MSFTNGP12.phx.gbl...

>I have a Windows 2003 Server that is running on Mirrored 36 Gig SCSI Drives
>and we are backing up to a Windows 2003 Server a Compaq ML 350 with 6--36
>Gig Drives in a RAID 5 configuration. I have created a folder on the ML350
>called backup and shared this and we backup from the other server to this
>folder. I have write cahcing turned off on these drives and I get this
>error when trying to backup to the server. I have also noticed this
>happening other places with XP Workstations and 2003 Servers after the
>latest rounds of patches. Anyone seen this? Thanks and what to do to fix
>this?

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> Roger Crawford

> HTS

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> Application popup: Windows – Delayed Write Failed : Windows was unable to
> save all the data for the file \ExchangeMail.bkf. The data has been lost.

> This error may be caused by a failure of your computer hardware or network
> connection. Please try to save this file elsewhere.

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