

# Re: Outlook 2003

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- *From:* Kevin <[Kevin@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:Kevin@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)>
  - *Date:* Wed, 29 Mar 2006 05:40:05 -0800
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I went on two computers within my SBS2003 domain and did what you suggested. However I can not find a xxxx.nk2 file.

""Jenny wu [MSFT]"" wrote:

Hi Kevin,

Thanks for your update. I am glad to know that information is useful to you. Please feel free to let me know if you need further assistance to the issue. You are always welcome~!

Have a nice day!

Sincerely,

Jenny Wu  
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Thread-Topic: Outlook 2003  
thread-index: AcZSaOxtl6WLzbCSTbCXYaybG1+zUw==  
X-WBNR-Posting-Host: 209.195.150.77  
From: =?Utf-8?B?S2V2aW4=?= <Kevin@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>  
References:  
<68EE5DC0-0342-4E0C-B46E-9E41EF2BADEE@xxxxxxxxxxxx>

<enGqSegUGHA.328@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>  
<QvGkR1jUGHA.4716@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

Subject: Re: Outlook 2003  
Date: Tue, 28 Mar 2006 05:10:02 -0800  
Lines: 140  
Message-ID:  
<C0906222-2001-43EC-B767-63F58E0DBAE4@xxxxxxxxxxxx>  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain;  
charset="Utf-8"  
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit  
X-Newsreader: Microsoft CDO for Windows 2000  
Content-Class: urn:content-classes:message  
Importance: normal  
Priority: normal  
X-MimeOLE: Produced By Microsoft MimeOLE V6.00.3790.1830  
Newsgroups: microsoft.public.windows.server.sbs  
Path: TK2MSFTNGXA01.phx.gbl  
Xref: TK2MSFTNGXA01.phx.gbl  
microsoft.public.windows.server.sbs:256185  
NNTP-Posting-Host: TK2MSFTNGXA01.phx.gbl 10.40.2.250  
X-Tomcat-NG: microsoft.public.windows.server.sbs

Thank you...

""Jenny wu [MSFT]"" wrote:

Hi Kevin,

Thanks for using the SBS newsgroup. Also thanks for Mark's input.

From your description, I understand that you would like to keep the

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addresses appear in the drop down list when you open a new email address and type a few letters in the To box after you migrate the user to a new workstation. If I am off base, please don't hesitate to let me know.

Based on my knowledge, the addresses are stored in an .nk2 file which is used by Outlook to perform both the automatic name checking and the automatic completion features. To save the addresses, you need to search the .nk2 file of the profile with the name <Profile Name>.nk2 and then

back

it up. After replaced the user's workstation, please paste the same .nk2 file in the original location with the new profile's name. Please refer

to

the following steps to process:

Step 1: Search and backup the original .nk2 file.

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1. Quit Outlook.
2. Start Microsoft Windows Explorer.
3. On the Tools menu, click Folder Options, and then click the View tab.
4. Under Advanced Settings, click to select the Show hidden files and folders check box.
5. Click OK.
6. Click Start, point to Search, and then click All files or folders.
7. In the Search Companion box, type \*.NK2 in the All or part of the

file

- name box: box.
8. In the Look In box, click to select your local hard disk.
9. Click Search.
10. The .NK2 file with the name of the profile that you are using is the one you need to back up. By default, the file is located in the following folder in

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Windows XP:  
C:\Documents and Settings\\Application  
Data\Microsoft\Outlook

The following article is for your reference.

287623 How to reset the nickname and the automatic  
completion caches in  
Outlook  
<http://support.microsoft.com/?id=287623>

Step 2: Restore the .nk2 file.

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If you would like to use the original .nk2 file in a new  
Outlook

profile,

please replace the <New Profile Name>.nk2 with the original  
.nk2 file

and

rename it as the <New Profile Name>.nk2. Then you are able  
to use it.

Please also refer to the following article to move an Outlook  
profile to

a

new one, which also apply to Outlook 2003:

287070 OL2002: How to Back Up, Restore, or Move  
Outlook Data  
<http://support.microsoft.com/?id=287070>

Hope above information helps! I am happy to be of  
assistance to you and  
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<mark@\*spam\*twistedtechnologies.com>  
References:  
<68EE5DC0-0342-4E0C-B46E-9E41EF2BADEE@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>  
Subject: Re: Outlook 2003  
Date: Mon, 27 Mar 2006 20:33:12 -0500  
Lines: 24  
X-Priority: 3  
X-MSMail-Priority: Normal  
X-Newsreader: Microsoft Outlook Express  
6.00.2900.2670  
X-RFC2646: Format=Flowed; Original  
X-MimeOLE: Produced By Microsoft  
MimeOLE V6.00.2900.2670  
Message-ID:  
<enGqSegUGHA.328@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>  
Newsgroups:  
microsoft.public.windows.server.sbs  
NNTP-Posting-Host:  
c-24-131-52-235.hsd1.ga.comcast.net  
24.131.52.235  
Path:  
TK2MSFTNGXA01.phx.gbl!TK2MSFTNGP08.phx.gbl!TK2MSFTNGP11.phx.gbl  
Xref: TK2MSFTNGXA01.phx.gbl  
microsoft.public.windows.server.sbs:256056  
X-Tomcat-NG:  
microsoft.public.windows.server.sbs

This is a file that can't get transferred from what I've seen. This

really

should be exportable or part of the pst but isn;t

"Kevin"  
<Kevin@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>  
wrote in message  
[news:68EE5DC0-0342-4E0C-B46E-9E41EF2BADEE@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:68EE5DC0-0342-4E0C-B46E-9E41EF2BADEE@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)

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I have a client that  
apparently types the email  
addresses in manually

and

relies on typing the name in  
again to see it show back up  
in the TO

box.

Yes  
a new one for the books.  
Client did not add the  
incoming email

addresses

into the contacts, hence no  
contact saved in exchange  
2003.

So when I replaced her PC  
with a new one, and stup her  
Outlook 2003 to  
connect to the exchange  
server... surprise surprise. I  
get a call

that

all  
her contacts where gone. I  
plugged the old PC back in  
and saw what

she

had  
done. Open the outlook and  
new mail and start typing  
"T" there are

all

the

email address that start with  
T.

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So... can someone tell me  
how to migrate this  
information over to the

new

PC.  
Does prefetch have anything  
to do here?