

## Re: IMAP4 not working?

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Actually this cmd is working now!(telnet 127.0.0.1 143), however Outlook Express still is not..?

"Mikael Nystrom [MVP]" wrote:

Ok, so you can confirm that we have "something" listing on port 143 on the SBS server, then you should be able to connect to the server from the server trough telnet/OE, please do that to confirm that we have the right services listening on that port.

From the server start a CMD and type:  
telnet 127.0.0.1 143 and hit enter

In case of that working we can confirm that IMAP is working correctly on the SBS server and you need to configure/re-configure your firewall. In case that you do not get a IMAP prompt, we have something else except Exchange listening on that port.

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yes I did get that response. So what could that mean? firewall possibly? I followed directions directly from Watchgaurds site on how to open up port 143 for IMAP, so i dont see how the FW cond be configured wrong..?

"Mikael Nystrom [MVP]" wrote:

Ok, that's odd, the only thing you normally do is change the IMAP services from "disabled" to "enabled" and start it, no other configuration is needed.

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I have just tried this on my on server and it works perfect of course.

Please verify that the IMAP services is listening on port 143 an on the

correct interface by starting command prompt and type:

netstat -na|find ":143"

You should receive one line with TCP 0.0.0.0:143 0.0.0.0:0

LISTENING if

it

is correct

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Yes sir. Did not work..

"Mikael Nystrom [MVP]" wrote:

Have you tried to access the server from the server, using telnet or even better using Outlook Express?

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Firewall is configured properly for IMAP, I have started the IMAP service and got the IMAP

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Virtual  
Server in  
exchange  
manager  
running,  
however if  
i  
try  
to  
"telnet  
mail.xxx.com  
143" i do  
not get  
through. I  
am  
assuming  
that  
means  
there is  
something  
on the  
server that i  
am missing.  
I do not  
know  
what  
else  
to try,  
IMAP is  
enabled and  
the firewall  
is  
configured  
properly,  
any  
ideas  
would be  
greatly  
appreciated!!

Is there  
anywhere  
else, other  
than  
Exchange  
System  
Manager  
that IMAP  
needs  
to be  
configured

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or enabled?  
Somewhere  
in IIS  
perhaps or  
AD?