

Re: Zone Labs Pro question

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David wrote:

- > *Thanks again mh...I always call that advanced for some reason...One of*
- > *these days I'll*
- > *explicitly remember Custom, but I don't use it anymore so I have nothing*
- > *to refer to except my aging memory. Oldtimers disease setting in at an*
- > *early age or something :)*
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- > *Anyhow he needs to block them for outbound traffic and they are only*
- > *blocked inbound by the normal security level settings. There is no*
- > *telling whether this guy has already given some obscure IRC trojan rights*
- > *under the application control*

You're referring to the 20 or so programs listed in the Program Control panel, Programs tab --- that one of these might be a disguised trojan? Or are we talking about potentially one of the 400-some-odd components in the Components tab? (ouch)

- > *so he really does need to block those ports*
- > *going out. Everyone who doesn't use IRC should explicitly block these to*
- > *all outbound traffic because this is what most of the trojans use these*
- > *days. So even if they somehow trick the user through the application*
- > *control they are still blocked.*

Ah --- now I get what you're saying. You're saying that any program I've (possibly inadvertently) given access will barrel on through unless I specifically block these ports. But I don't see any way to specify ports that I want ~blocked~ --- all I see is a way to specify a range of port addresses to ~allow~.