

## Re: Unable to connect to server

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David,

ok, that explains it – the definition for each database on a SQL Server is maintained in the Master database. In this case, you only copied the MasterPlan database files, the Master still had no idea that there was a database with this name. Please take a look at the following KB article for steps on moving a database from one SQL Server to another:

<http://support.microsoft.com/default.aspx?scid=kb;en-us:Q314546>

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Thanks,

Arvind Krishnan

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"David" <[iloveschnauzers@hotmail.com](mailto:iloveschnauzers@hotmail.com)> wrote in message

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> Arvind,

>

> I copied all the files from the MastPlan directory.. This

> directory holds drawings, etc for an application called

> Archibus as well as the MasterPLan.dbf and the

> MasterPLan.LDF files as these two are locked when the

> server is active. I wanted to retrieve the "live"

> database in order to create a "testing" server.

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> Any thoughts?

>

> David

>

> >-----Original Message-----

> >Files copied? which files did you copy? and why?

> >

> >--

> >Thanks,

> >Arvind Krishnan

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> >>
> >>
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> >>
> >> 1073741840 1090519040
> >> C:\Program Files\Microsoft SQL
> >> Server\MSSQL\data\model.mdf
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> >> msdb
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> >> 4 24 1090519040
> >> C:\Program Files\Microsoft SQL
> >> Server\MSSQL\data\msdbdata.mdf
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> >> Server\MSSQL\data\northwnd.mdf
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> >> Server\MSSQL\data\pubs.mdf
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> >> C:\Program Files\Microsoft SQL
> >> Server\MSSQL\data\tempdb.mdf
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> >>
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> >>
> >>
> >> (6 rows affected)
> >>
> >>
> >> It does not show the MastPLan Database... Dont know
> >> why...
> >>
> >> All that was done is the Sql Server was shutdown, files
> >> copied, then restarted.
> >>
> >>
> >>
> >> any ideas? Thx
> >>
> >> David
> >>
> >>
> >>
> >> >-----Original Message-----
> >> >I can't see your file because Outlook express security
> >> stripped it. In any
> >> >case, do you see an entry for the MasterPlan database
> >> on
> >> this list?
> >> >If not, then there is your problem - your 'sa' login
> >> is
> >> >configured to have a
> >> >default database of MasterPlan, yet that database does
> >> >not exist on this
> >> >server.
> >> >Can you give us a little more background on what
> >> >changes
> >> >have taken place in
> >> >the recent past on this server?
> >> >
> >> >--
> >> >Thanks,
> >> >Arvind Krishnan
> >> >SQL Server Development Team
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> > >news:996d01c27938$db507d90$35ef2ecf@TKMSFTNGXA11...
> > >> Arvind,
> > >>
> > >> Here it is.. there isnt much in the file....
> > >>
> > >> Thx again form your assistance in this matter...
> > >>
> > >> David
> > >> >-----Original Message-----
> > >> >David,
> > >> >Yes. Thats an option. You could also pass the query
> > >> as a
> > >> command-line
> > >> >argument as follows:
> > >> >
> > >> >C:\>isql -E -Q"select name, dbid, status, status2,
> > >> filename from
> > >> >master..sysdatabases" -oc:\temp\sysdatabases.out
> > >> >
> > >> >and then post the c:\temp\sysdatabases.out file..
> > >> >
> > >> >
> > >> >--
> > >> >Thanks,
> > >> >Arvind Krishnan
> > >> >SQL Server Development Team
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> > >> >message
> > >> >>news:740a01c276f7$137ddad0$3bef2ecf@TKMSFTNGXA10...
> > >> >> Arvind,
> > >> >>
> > >> >> Sorry, I am still rather new at all this...
> > >> >>
> > >> >> Am I to run the Select * From master
> > >> >>
> > >> >> at the prompt after I have logged in use the
> > >> >> command
> > >> >>
> > >> >> isql -E
> > >> >>
> > >> >> ?
> > >> >>
> > >> >> Thx
> > >> >>
> > >> >> David
> > >> >>
> > >> >>
> > >> >>
> > >> >> >-----Original Message-----
> > >> >> >David
> > >> >> >Can you post an output of your SELECT * FROM
> > >> >> master..SYSDATABASES? From your
> > >> >> >errorlog, I am not seeing an attempt to start
> > >> >> the
> > >> >> MasterPlan database.
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> >> >> message
> >> >> >> >news:715901c276c2$179ccc00
> >> $35ef2ecf@TKMSFTNGXA11...
> >> >> >> >> Arvind,
> >> >> >> >>
> >> >> >> >> Ok.. Masterplan is still there.. It has
> not
> >> been
> >> >> >> moved.
> >> >> >> >>
> >> >> >> >>
> >> >> >> >> I have included the error log.
> >> >> >> >>
> >> >> >> >>
> >> >> >> >>
> >> >> >> >> >>
> >> >> >> >> >> >-----Original Message-----
> >> >> >> >> >> >David,
> >> >> >> >> >> >So what happened to the MasterPlan
> database?
> >> Is
> >> >> it
> >> >> >> not
> >> >> >> >> >> available any longer?
> >> >> >> >> >> >What does your errorlog say?
> >> >> >> >> >> >
> >> >> >> >> >> >--
> >> >> >> >> >> >Thanks,
> >> >> >> >> >> >Arvind Krishnan
> >> >> >> >> >> >SQL Server Development Team
> >> >> >> >> >> >Microsoft Corporation
> >> >> >> >> >> >--
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >This posting is provided "AS IS" with no
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >warranties,
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >and
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >> >confers no rights.
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >> >> >"David" <iloveschnauzers@hotmail.com>
> wrote
> >> in
> >> >> >> message
> >> >> >> >> >> >news:643d01c2763a$65b16320
> >> >> >> >> >> >> $3aef2ecf@TKMSFTNGXA09...
> >> >> >> >> >> >> Arvid,
> >> >> >> >> >> >>
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >> I agree it is very strange.. dont know
> what
> >> >> has
> >> >> >> >> >> happened.
> >> >> >> >> >> >>
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >> I am using the Windows Authentication..
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >>
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >> And the Default DB is MasterPlan...
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >>
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >> >> Upon using the command from the command
> >> prompt
> >> >> >> >> >> >> isql -
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >> E, I
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >> >> am able to get the following message...
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >>
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >>
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >> >> MSG 4062, Level 11, State1, etc
> >> >> >> >> >> >> >> >>
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> > > > > > > Cannot open user default database, Using  
> > > master  
> > > > > > database  
> > > > > > > instead.  
> > > > > > >  
> > > > > > > 1>  
> > > > > > >  
> > > > > > > Thx again in advance for your  
> asisstance in  
> > > this  
> > > > > > issue...  
> > > > > > >  
> > > > > > >  
> > > > > > > David  
> > > > > > >  
> > > > > > > > >-----Original Message-----  
> > > > > > > > >David,  
> > > > > > > > >>Which login do you have registered for  
> > your  
> > > > > > Enterprise  
> > > > > > > > Manager connection?  
> > > > > > > > >>And what is the default db for that  
> login?  
> > > > > > > > >>You should be able to connect to your  
> > server  
> > > > > > > > > through  
> > > > > > > > > isql,  
> > > > > > > > > and run a select  
> > > > > > > > > >\* from syslogins to get this  
> information.  
> > > > > > > > >>I am surprised that this happened just  
> by  
> > > > > > > > > stopping  
> > > > > > > > > and  
> > > > > > > > > > restarting your SQL  
> > > > > > > > > >Server service. Can you post your  
> > errorlog as  
> > > > > > > > > well?  
> > > > > > > > > >  
> > > > > > > > > >--  
> > > > > > > > > >Thanks,  
> > > > > > > > > >Arvind Krishnan  
> > > > > > > > > >SQL Server Development Team  
> > > > > > > > > >Microsoft Corporation  
> > > > > > > > > >--  
> > > > > > > > > >>This posting is provided "AS IS" with  
> no  
> > > > > > > > > >warranties,  
> > > > > > > > > >and  
> > > > > > > > > >confers no rights.  
> > > > > > > > > >>"David" <[iloveschnauzers@hotmail.com](mailto:iloveschnauzers@hotmail.com)>  
> > wrote  
> > > > > > > > > >in  
> > > > > > > > > >message  
> > > > > > > > > >>news:5ec301c27632\$a9cc8330  
> > > > > > > > > > \$37ef2ecf@TKMSFTNGXA13...  
> > > > > > > > > >> The SQL 2000 server was shutdown.  
> Upon  
> > > > > > > > > >rebooting  
> > > > > > > > > >the SQL  
> > > > > > > > > >> 2000 Server, The server indicates  
> that



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