

## RE: Access SQL Server from Stand-Alone PC with Windows Authentication

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Hello,

If the machine is in a workgroup, SQL server machine is in the domain, make sure you can ping the SQL server machine from the machine you log on successfully via IP address or machine name.

Create a same Local user account both on the machine and the SQL server machine. The Local user account and password on both machines need to be same. On the SQL server machine, add the Local user account as the SQL server logins and grant the user right to access the database. By doing so, you can access the SQL server via Query Analyzer with Windows authentication.

Or you can access the SQL server using a SQL logins via Query Analyzer with SQL authentication.

I hope the information is helpful.

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