

## Re: crossover utp between winXPHome and win2000pro (off-topic, I know)

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Well, the 2000box had run for a year with clean reinstalling.. windows tends to pile up a mess internally, which could have caused a lot of things ;) Anyway, thanks for the extensive help!

Sincerely,

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> *i dont work for MS,*

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> *boot the xp machine first (it will want to be the master browser anyway)*

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> *glad you copied the files, install xp on both or win2k on both and be happy,*

> *strange, but i've never had any issues like this between xp and 2k before*

> *and i use both daily and networked together via normal/wireless and cross*

> *over network cables*

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> *cheers*

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> *anyweb*

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> "Fondula di Carceri" <[fondula.di.carceri@gmx.net](mailto:fondula.di.carceri@gmx.net)> wrote in message

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>> *Thanks for the reply! I disabled the gateway but that didn't do the trick.*

> > *It took some time, but strangely enough, it simply depended on which  
> > computer was booted up first (at least I think it's this); one  
> 'informative'  
> > event log on the winxp box indicated that there was an 'election  
problem'  
> on  
> > which box would control the other and vice versa (though I'm not running  
a  
> > domain), and that there was a time-out for deleting the registry entries  
> for  
> > the workgroup and hence some workgroup- and share-related thing failed  
> > entirely. I had a working workgroup for a few hours (and was able to  
> > transfer files successfully), until I shutdown the win2000 and stuffed  
in  
> an  
> > extra harddrive and rebooted - after that, most network related services  
> > started crashing on that box, and since then simply no workgroup is  
> working  
> > at all on the win2000, and I'm unable to start any services by hand,  
even  
> in  
> > safemode (all hardware is functioning properly, no io/irq/mem problems  
at  
> > all). I think the new problem is now related to corrupt registry entries  
> > (event log on the winxp tells me registrywriting for current user failed  
> due  
> > to services acting as a user because of the network), as both the  
win2000  
> > and the winXP keep displaying shared folders of their own drive, even if  
> > they are first unshared and then deleted (on both boxes I'm able to find  
> the  
> > other box's name in the workgroup, but can't browse it). Other  
interesting  
> > things in the winxp event log (roughly translated from dutch): OffProv  
in  
> > WMI-namespace Root\MSAPPS could cause security breach; CRM-log did  
> something  
> > but 'I shouldn't worry'; VolumeShadowCopy caused an error while calling  
> some  
> > routine (I have shadowcopy disabled as a service); COM+ had a  
programming  
> > error on some line (?); NetDDE listing failed; the browser can't get a  
> list  
> > of the masterbrowser (the win2000 apparently), the data is in the  
> errorcode  
> > (netbios thing)... If you're working for microsoft, and want a copy of  
the  
> > logs, I'll sent them over :). Furthermore, I'm ordering Laplink tomorrow  
> ;)  
> >  
> > One more thing: I think I noticed a bug while transferring files thru*

the

> > *workgroup (while working from the win2000 box): some long filenames caused*

> > *problems (too long, more than twelve characters, it said), while others*

> > *didn't (which were much longer than twelve chars); I noticed somewhere in*

> > *the policies a configuration option for this, but it didn't work out*

> > *either – I had to rename a few hundred files by hand :(*

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> > *news:Z8rh9.11726\$3c.2607@news2.bredband.com...*

> > > *sounds a bit strange all right*

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> > > *as you are only connecting the two to transfer data you dont have to*

> *setup*

> > *a*

> > > *gateway at all*

> > >

> > > *setting their ips as*

> > >

> > > *machine a: ip=192.168.0.1/subnet 255.255.255.0*

> > > *machine b: ip=192.168.0.2/subnet 255.255.255.0*

> > >

> > > *should be fine*

> > >

> > > *then verify that there are NO firewalls enabled on either machine, xp*

> *does*

> > > *have a built in firewall, to see if thats the prob right click on 'my*

> > > *network places/ choose properties and look at the status of your nic*

> > >

> > > *if it says firewalled then thats your prob, if not, check the win2k*

*box*

> > *for*

> > > *a firewall like norton internet security or zonealarm, disable any*

*that*

> > *you*

> > > *find*

> > >

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> > > *i know you say below you have turned off the firewalls but double*

*check*

> > > *anyway to be sure ;)*

> > >

> > > *you should at least be able to ping both ways, fact is you cant, that*

> > *might*

> > > *be the gateway or it might be something else, have you checked on both*

> > *boxes*

> > > *in the device manager for any red/yellos bangs, ?*  
> > >  
> > > *good luck*  
> > >  
> > > *cheers*  
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> > > > *Dear all,*  
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> > > > *A bit of-offtopic, but I can't get an answer in other newsgroups, so*  
> *please*  
> > > > *bear with me ;) I'm having a bit of a tough problem connecting two*  
> > *windows*  
> > > > *boxes. Basic situation: due to lack of any other computer and extra*  
> > *nic's,*  
> > > > *I*  
> > > > *have to use a crossover utp to move many gigs of data from the*  
*win2000*  
> > *box*  
> > > > *(pro, english, sp3, onc nic) to the winXP (home, dutch, patched up*  
*to*  
> > *date*  
> > > > *without sp1, once nic). I tried the following without result:*  
> > > >  
> > > > *-installed 'client for MSN' and 'file/print sharing' on both boxes;*  
> > > > *installed netbios on both; installed the QoS; activated all*  
> > > > *-defined the same workgroup on both boxes*  
> > > > *-setup the winXP box as 10.0.0.1, the win2000 as 10.0.0.2*  
> > > > *-gateway on the win2000 as 10.0.0.0*  
> > > > *-tried other ip's and gateway (192.168.x.x, 168.254.x.x, ...)*  
> > > > *-subnet 255.255.255.0, I also tried with 255.255.0.0*  
> > > > *-turned on all relevant services on both boxes; tried also with*  
*simply*  
> > *all*  
> > > > *services on*  
> > > > *-defined an identical user account on both boxes with admin*  
*privileges*  
> > > > *-shared all relevant folders and drives on both boxes*  
> > > > *-reviewed all policies and userpriveleges*  
> > > > *-turned off all tcp/ip filtering and firewalls on both boxes*

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>>>> *–finally tried the 'networking wizards' on both boxes (didn't work;  
> one  
>>>> crashes all the time, the other says it's not compatible with other  
>>>> languages)  
>>>> –made sure all nic's are properly installed  
>>>> –made sure the cable is indeed crossover  
>>>> –drank too much coffee in the proces  
>>>>  
>>>> From the win2000 box, I can ping the winXP. From the winXP, I can't  
> ping  
>>> the  
>>>> win2000 nor the gateway there. The windows LAN dialogue screen does  
>>> indicate  
>>>> that packets are being sent and received on both boxes. Explorer on  
> the  
>>>> win2000 finds the computername of the winXP, but can't connect to  
it.  
>>>> Explorer on the winXP can't find the win2000 and says 'contact the  
>>>> administrator'. My guess is, the problem is located on the winXP  
box,  
>> but  
>>>> since it's the home edition, I don't have a lot of configuration  
>> options.  
>>>>  
>>>> Is there any rational way to simply get a tcp/ip connection working  
>>> between  
>>>> two boxes? This is driving me plain mad; I currently have two  
options:  
>>>> either I simply throw away windows forever (which would be stupid –  
> it's  
>>>> suitable as a desktop) and stick to bsd or move to mac, or I buy  
> myself  
>> a  
>>>> decent third-party application like Laplink. Any hints will be  
>> greatfully  
>>>> appreciated!  
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