

Re: Fedora/Windows network

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To: For users of Fedora Core releases <fedora-list@redhat.com>

Craig White ha scritto/wrote il giorno/on 20/02/2005 18:54:

> *On Sun, 2005-02-20 at 12:45 -0500, Johnathan Bailes wrote:*

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>>>>>>*a wins server and windows machines that find it*

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>>>>>>*on fedora system, in smb.conf add*

>>>>>>*wins support = yes*

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>>>>>>*on windows systems, add the ip address of the fedora machine to the wins*

>>>>>>*server section in the 'Advanced' tab of the TCP/IP properties of the*

>>>>>>*network adaptors or if you are using dhcp, add this info to the wins*

>>>>>>*section of your dhcp server. Restart samba on the fedora machine*

>>>>>>*'service smb restart' and you should be able to browse Windows*

>>>>>>*Networking in a short amount of time.*

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>>>>>>*Craig*

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>>*Hey thanks Craig I can connect directly to the share via name as*

>>*opposed to just IP now.*

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>>*But what if my wireless router (home network) is set up as the dhcp server?*

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>>*I do not see a wins section in my router setup page for this Netgear*

>>*WGT264 I have. Is there anyway to add the Linux box to my lmhosts on*

>>*the XP box to have this work?*

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>*absolutely - that is indeed one way of getting NETBIOS names to resolve*

>*to a specific ip address without WINS...*

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>on my windows xp machine, I would want a file called
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>c:\windows\system32\drivers\etc\lmhosts
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>and an entry like...
>
>192.168.1.1 NETBIOS_NAME
>
>see lmhosts.sam
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>of course, lmhosts is not dynamic and any changes will have to be
>manually recorded to each Windows computer (or samba computers) using
>this instead of WINS
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>Craig
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Craig,

I made all suggested modification.

I want to report my experience: sometimes I connect to my shared folders, sometimes I see the workgroup, the list of computers, the list of shared folders, but I can't connect, and even if I close the windows, Nautilus has to be killed in system monitor.

After killing, I may connect (not always...).

Another information is that I am running Iptables, but I have no restrictions on the internal network, I can connect to my samba shares immediately from my Windows machines....

Similar configuration was working fine in FC2

Tnx

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Antonio M.

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Working with  Mozilla Thunderbird 0.9 on Redhat Linux Fedora Core 3
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      Uso Mozilla Thunderbird 0.9 su Redhat Linux Fedora Core 3
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