

Re: sitecom wireless lan and SuSE 9.2

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giel wrote:

- > *I'm trying to get my sitecom wl-121 wireless pci card to work in SUSE*
- > *9.2. I want to make a connection to a wireless router. This works*
- > *under XP so the router is configured properly. I'm using wep*
- > *encryption.*
- > *The wireless lan card is recognized by YAST, but I can not make a*
- > *connection to the router or to my laptop which has a wireless lan*
- > *card.*
- > *Can I use my sitecom card in SuSE 9.2. How can I check whether the*
- > *card is properly configured.*
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- > *Giel*

Have you configured the card using YaST? Have you entered the correct WEP key into the card configuration? Have you been assigned an IP Address by the router (assuming you are using DHCP)? Has it set your DNS and Gateway addresses correctly?

It might be worth setting the DNS and Gateway addresses manually first, when you are in the wireless card configuration in YaST, then, when you have proved the connection works, let DHCP provide the information – I've known a couple of DHCP capable routers which don't provide DHCP information properly 100% of the time!

Unfortunately, I found wireless so unreliable under Windows, and in my current flat I don't need it, so it was all packed away before I switched to Linux, so I can't help much further I'm afraid :-(

Dave