

Re: Linux TS ?

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what about tightVNC?

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> HI chaps, wondering if you can point me in the right direction here.

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> I'm looking at a way to grant work-at-home users access to their favourite

> Windows applications (Outlook, certain MS only applications etc).

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> Now, I was thinking maybe TS would be the way to go. I'm looking at a few

> users to begin with, maybe 20-30, scaling up to maybe a few hundred over

> time..maybe even as high as 500.

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> I would like to be able to put 1.5 meg ADSL connections in their houses
and

> supply them with company hardware all set up and ready to go.

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> So I was thinking diskless linux based thin clients (customised so the

> machine boots from CD maybe and then presents them with a simple log-on

> screen...they put in their Active Directory corporate login details and

> bang, they're presented with a WinXP desktop or something via Terminal

> services)..

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> Now, I'd need to run secure connections back to the corporate network. I'm

> thinking IpSec tunnels back to HQ..... my main sticking point is...what am

> I missing in all this? can you guys think of a better way to do this?

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> Basically as far as the end user is concerned I want them to wander into

> their home office, turn on their computer and then have a simple login

> screen pop up, they put in their username/password and bingo..they get a

> Windows desktop so they can run their finance package or send email via

> Outlook or check their calendars or whatever... plus they could save

files

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- > direct to maybe a USB key (still dunno about that one) AND that they can
- > print stuff to a local printer (so they can save a .doc on their network
- > share but print out a hardcopy at home).
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- > This system needs to suit people who are working from home ..they might not
- > actually come into the office for days or weeks on end.
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- > Any ideas would be greatly appreciated, I've been googling....seen the
- > knoppix cd's, the various thin client linux distros, the LTSP project etc
- > etc but I am really after something simple, reliable and dependable
- running
- > over ADSL back to a Terminal Services or Citrix machine..
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- > I am obviously VERY VERY concerned about security of the network..
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- > Thanks in advance!!!

• **References:**

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- ◆ *From:* Billy

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