

Workstation to Server

folder holding data



Server (data files ending_mdb or accdb - depending on app) with R/W permissions on server folder holding data







Map a drive from Workstation to Server folder holding data

If upgrading - backup your current data before starting this install

Install application on main server first

Nothing further needs to be done to the server (provided you have installed to C:\BASETrack). If this PC is going to have somebody use it (sit at PC) then the application will need to activated / security driver installed (ensure that this folder has the correct permissions to allow the workstations to read and write to this folder)

You should still install a full copy of the software on the server even if it's only going to act as a 'file server', however do not activate if only being used as a file server (nobody will sit at PC).

Install full application or upgrade on each workstation

Install the application on each computer in your network

Ensure that each installation on each workstation is working correctly albeit at this stage as a standalone independent installation, this includes any activation or security drivers you might need to install on each workstation.

If you are upgrading you will need to re link once you have upgraded the workstation - before upgrading make sure you know the location of the data files on your server, as once you have upgraded the link and the link location

Do this on each workstation

Go to Manager or the Accounts Screen - Data file control button

You will see the data files in this screen - they all end with be.mdb or accdb

At this point you will see all data files are all pointing typically at your C:\BASETrack folder

Using the 'Yellow' folder button to the right of each line and then via the 'Look in' box, browse back to find the file with the same name located on your server typically in the ?\BASETrack folder

Repeat this for each data file listed

Do not attempt to copy and paste links - you must use the yellow folder button

Ensure that when you refresh the links that the application is closed on the server (the server however must be turned on)

Once all files have been linked push the refresh link at the top of the screen (nothing will happen until you push refresh the 3PC icon)

> Do not remove any files from the workstation (the old data files still need to be there albeit not used)



Using a network configuration the data files that need to be backed up are the ones on the server not the data files on the workstation