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Blackjack

Blackjack is an OS/2 LAN Manager service that plays the role of a dealer in a blackjack game.   The dealer service supports up to seven players at a time.   Windows clients connect to the dealer to play the game of Blackjack through LAN Manager named pipes.

The source code to the Windows client is included in the LAN Manager Toolkit for Visual Basic.

The Visual Basic sources for the Windows client in the Blackjack game can help you understand how   to build a client server application with named pipes.

Performance Service

With the performance service, PERFSVR.EXE, you can obtain remote LAN Manager server performance information that is not available from the NetStatisticsGet2 API.   Available information includes CPU % busy, disk cache hit %, active sessions, swapping rate, and free memory. You can use these statistics with the sample applications in the LAN Manager Toolkit for Visual Basic.

Install

The install button installs the LAN Manager services that you want on the selected server. You must have administrative privilege to be able to install a service.

The Installation process modifies the LANMAN.INI file on the server.   These changes include the addition of a line in the services section and the addition of the service name on the srvservices line if you select the auto start option.   The original LANMAN.INI file is saved as LANMAN.OLD.

Auto Start

The auto start option control if the service will start when the server service starts.   LAN Manager automatically starts the Perfsvr service each time the server starts if you select this option.   There is a known problem in auto-starting the perfsvr service and the blackjack service at the same time.   The perfsvr service will say that the CPU is 100% busy when it is not.   To avoid this, start the blackjack service after starting the server service with the NET START BLACKJACK command.

Start Now

This option starts the service as soon as you install it on the server.