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**Quick Start Guide** 

## WinProxy 3.0 Quick Start Guide

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### **Before You Start**

Before installing WinProxy, you must have a working local area network (LAN) with TCP/IP installed on all computers. You may want to verify that you have a working Internet connection by logging onto the Internet from the PC on which you will install WinProxy. For information about installing a local area network, see the User Manuals contained on the CD-ROM or consult the Technical Support section of the Ositis web site at http://www.winproxy.com/.

The following definitions may help you understand WinProxy better:

Host computer/server: The PC or server on which WinProxy is loaded. This is the only computer that you should install WinProxy on, and it must be running under the Windows 95/98 or Windows NT (workstation or server) operating system. It will need two network connections, one for the Internet and one for your local network. The Internet connection can be a dial-up adapter (for standard modem connections) or a network card (for cable, DSL and direct connections).

**Client computer(s):** These are the other computers on the network. They access the Internet through the host. WinProxy should *not* be loaded on them. These computers can be PCs or Macs and may be running under a Windows, Macintosh, UNIX or Linux operating system.

### **Configuring Your Host Computer**

First, let's configure the computer that will run WinProxy.

- 1. Right-click on "Network Neighborhood" on your desktop.
- 2. Click Configuration, click on TCP/IP—[Your Ethernet Card], and then Click on Properties. Make sure you select the Ethernet Card (or equivalent device such as a USB or wireless adapter) that connects this computer to the LAN.
- 3. Click on the IP Address tab.
- 4. Check the "Specify an IP address" box and Type in an IP address of 90.0.0.1.
- 5. **Type** in a subnet mask of 255.255.255.0.
- 6. Click OK to close the dialog box, then Click OK again in the Network dialog box.
- 7. Your PC should prompt you to restart. Click OK to reboot.

### Installing WinProxy

Now you're ready to start installing WinProxy on this PC.

- 1. Insert the WinProxy CD in the CD-ROM drive of the Host Computer.
- 2. The Installer should start automatically. If it does not, Click on the Start menu, Click Run and Enter X:\Setup.exe

Note: X is the drive for your CD-ROM

- 3. The InstallShield program will launch and automatically install the programs and files necessary for WinProxy to run.
- 4. Upon completion of this process you will need to restart your computer.
- 5. After restarting, the WinProxy Install Wizard will automatically start. Simply follow the instructions, the wizard will guide you through entering the information necessary to properly configure WinProxy and verify that your connection to the Internet is working.

Note: Your serial number can be found on the back cover of this Quick Start Guide.

### Configuring Your Client Computers.

At the end of the Install Wizard a Client Configuration document will appear on the screen explaining how to adjust your client computer(s) to access the Internet through WinProxy. These instructions are also printed below and should be performed on each Client computer.

- 1. From the computer's desktop Right Click on "Network Neighborhood".
- 2. Click on "Properties".
- 3. In the "Configuration" tab, Click once on "TCP/IP  $\rightarrow$  [your Ethernet card]", and then Click on "Properties".
- 4. In the "IP Address" tab Select "Obtain an IP address automatically".
- 5. Click the "OK" button to close this dialog box, Click "OK" to close the "Network" dialog box.
- 6. At the prompt, Click "OK" to restart your computer for the settings to take effect.

### Network and System Requirements

Although all computers on a LAN benefit from WinProxy, it is only necessary to install the program on a single computer; it does not have to be dedicated solely to running WinProxy. All other computers wishing to use WinProxy's services must be connected to the network and have the TCP/IP protocol installed.

WinProxy System:	IBM PC/compatible computer
Processor/Memory:	90MHz Pentium PC, 32MB RAM
Operating System:	Microsoft Windows 95/98 OR Microsoft Windows NT (3.51 or higher)
Disk Space:	3 MB for WinProxy application, 3 MB for anti-virus program, 10 MB for caching, 10 MB for site filtering
Network Interface Card:	Any Windows 95/98/NT-compatible Network Interface Card or equivalent device
Internet Connection	Dial-Up Adapter or Second NIC.

Internet Service	One user account through an Internet service provider.
Client PCs	Any PC, Mac or UNIX/Linux-based system with TCP/IP installed
Networks Supported	Any LAN, including Windows 95/98/NT built-in networking
Internet Connection Types	Any TCP/IP connection, including modem, cable modem, DSL, ISDN, T1-T3, frame relay, wireless)

### **Technical Support**

WinProxy 3.0 is backed by a comprehensive technical support package that is available to users free of charge. It features a variety of ways to obtain technical assistance:

Built-in help files

Manual (Contained on CD in PDF format)

Web site (www.winproxy.com), with tips, FAQs, a comprehensive knowledge SupportBase (<u>http://www.winproxy.com</u>) that supports complex search criteria, and complete instructions on how to set up a local area network in your home or business.

Email (support@ositis.com)

Live tech support (925-734-1909) 7 a.m.- 5 p.m. Pacific, Monday-Friday.

### **Update Protection**

Your purchase of WinProxy entitles you to a free download copy of any revisions or updates to the same edition of WinProxy released by Ositis Software within 90 days of date you install the product. Downloads are available at the Ositis Software website at http://www.winproxy.com.

### **Upgrade Options**

This edition of WinProxy includes a free six-moth subscription to both Secure Computing's SmartFilter Basic site filtering (parental control) and Trend Micro's anti-virus pattern files. You may extend your subscription to these components via a secure on-line ordering feature on the Ositis Software website at <a href="http://www.winproxy.com">http://www.winproxy.com</a> or by calling the Ositis sales department at (888) 946-7769 or (925) 734-1900.

WinProxy is available in 3, 5, 10, 25 and Unlimited user editions. Upgrades to any of these products are available at special customer prices via our website or sales department as noted above.

### Satisfaction Guarantee

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