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Defined Terms

Connect Button
This button is used to connect to a shared network resource.

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Disconnect Button
This button is used to disconnect from a shared <u>network resource</u>.

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Add Button
This button is used to add a network path to the Previous list box.

Adding a network path to the previous list

Remove Button
This button is used to remove a <u>network path</u> from the <u>Previous</u> list box.

<u>Removing a network path from the previous list</u>

Browse Button
This button is used to access the browse feature of your network.   If the Browse button is grayed, then your network does not support this feature.

Browsing the network

Network Button
This button provides access to the extended features of your network and has the same functionality as double clicking on the network icon in the control panel.

Accessing a network's extended features

Procedure topics!

Connecting to a shared disk drive

1. Select a drive letter from the <u>Redirect Device</u> combo box.

2. Enter the <u>network path</u> for the shared disk drive in the Network Path edit or select a network path from the <u>Previous</u> listbox.

3. If required, enter the <u>password</u> in the Password edit.

4. Click the Connect Button.

If the operation was successful, the drive letter and its network path will appear in the <u>Current</u> list box.

Connecting to a shared printer

1. Select a printer port from the <u>Redirect Device</u> combo box. *Note: Printer ports appear after drive letters in the combo box.*

2. Enter the <u>network path</u> for the shared printer in the Network Path edit or select a network path from the <u>Previous</u> listbox.

3. If required, enter the <u>password</u> in the Password edit.

4. Click the Connect Button.

If the operation was successful, the printer port and its network path will appear in the <u>Current</u> list box.

Disconnecting from a shared disk drive

1. Select the drive letter and its <u>network path</u> from the <u>Current</u> list box.

2. Click the Disconnect button.

If the operation was successful, the drive letter and its network path will be deleted from the Current list box.

Disconnecting from a shared printer

1. Select the printer port and its <u>network path</u> from the <u>Current</u> list box.

2. Click the Disconnect button.

If the operation was successful, the printer port and its network path will be deleted from the Current list box.

Adding a network path to the previous list

1. Select the <u>network path</u> from the <u>Current</u> list box.

2. Click the Add button.

If the operation was successful, the network path will be added to the <u>Previous</u> list box.

Removing a network path from the previous list

1. Select the <u>network path</u> from the <u>Previous</u> list box.

2. Click the Remove button.

If the operation was successful, the network path will be removed from the Previous list box.

Browsing the network

1. Click the Browse button.

2. Select a <u>network path</u>.   *Note: This will vary from driver to driver but each will give you some way of selecting a network path.*

3. Click the OK button.

4. Check that the selected network path is inserted in Network Path edit.

5. Select a drive letter or printer port from the <u>Redirect Device</u> combo box.

6. If required, enter the <u>password</u> in the Password edit.

7. Click the Connect Button.

If the operation was successful, the drive letter or printer port and its network path will appear in the <u>Current</u> list box.

Accessing a network's extended features

1. Click the Network Button.

If the operation is successful, the network driver will display a dialog box that allows access to the extended features of your network software.

Registering your software

1. Use Windows Write to print the order form, order.wri, included in conmgr.zip.

2. Fill out and mail to the address on the form.

3. You will receive a disk containing the lastest version of the software, a license agreement and a registration number.

4. Make a backup copy of your disk and keep the original disk and registration number in a safe place.

5. Copy the ConMgr files to the desired location on your hard disk.

6. Run ConMgr.

7. Select the Register menu item from the Help menu.

8. Enter your name or company name and your registration number, then click OK.

Your software will then be registered and you will not be bothered by the shareware notice message again.   If you are running ConMgr from a floppy disk you must use the same disk each time you run the program.   If you are running ConMgr from a network server you must insure that the software license is not being violated.

Defined Terms

Term definitions

Previous List
The list of shared disk drives and printers previously connected.

Current List
The list of shared disk drives and printers currently connected.

Redirect Device
The drive letter or printer port used to reference a connected network resource.

Network Path
A string that includes the server and resource name.

Password
A unique string required to access restricted network resources.

Network Resource
A device shared by a server.   Usually a disk drive or printer.