ARA MultiPort Server & System 7 File Share: Incompatible (9/95)

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TOPIC ---

This article describes an incompatibility between Apple Remote Access (ARA)
MultiPort Server and Macintosh Personal file sharing.

DISCUSSION --

You cannot use the ARA MultiPort Server software concurrently with System 7
Macintosh file sharing. When you start the Remote Access Manager program, you
will be asked to convert the Users & Groups Data File. After it is converted,
only Remote Access Manager and AppleShare 3.0.x, or AppleShare 4.0.1 or later
can use the Users & Groups Data File.

If you have either an ARA 1.0, or 2.0.x Personal Server, and you have entered
several user names through the User & Groups control panel; you can import these
user names to the new MultiPort server by following the steps below:

Step 1

Throw the Users & Groups Data File found in the Preferences folder of the new
MultiPort Server in the Trash.

Step 2

Place the Users & Groups Data File from the older ARA 1.0 or 2.0.x Personal
Server into the Preferences folder of the MultiPort server

Step 3

Restart the MultiPort Server.

Step 4

Launch the Remote Access Manager software.

Step 5

When asked, convert the U&G DF file.

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Step 6
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The user names and passwords are imported.


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