

Instructions for Installing Focus on a Server / Client

1. Use the installation disk to install Focus software and MSDE database on the server.
2. Copy any software upgrade components and licence files (request from Egress Systems) into the C:/Program Files/HR Industries/Focus 2 folder replacing any existing components of the same name.
3. To avoid rebooting the server enter the following command in the Command Prompt:

net start mssql\$focus

4. Create a new text file named "server.txt" in the C:/Program Files/HR Industries/Focus 2 folder on the server to point to the location of the MSDE database. The "server.txt" file should contain the following text:

servername/focus

(N.B. To identify correct server name go to Control Panel / System / Computer name / Change)

5. Use the installation disk to install Focus software (not the MSDE database) on the client.
6. Replace the shortcut created on the client with a shortcut to the Focus executable on the server.
7. Set-up connections to Master terminal in the Focus software before installing Focus as a service.

8. To install Focus as a service, running on the server:
 - a. Create a new .txt document called installservice.bat
 - b. Edit the installservice.bat document so that it contains:

"C:\Program Files\HRI Industries\Focus\focus.exe" /i
(if located in a different directory to the Focus executable) or

focus.exe /i
(if located in the Focus folder)
 - c. Save and exit installservice.bat
 - d. Double click to run. A 'successfully installed' message should appear.
 - e. Go to Control Panel / Administrative Tools / Services
 - f. Find the Focus service and change the start-up type to 'Automatic'.
 - g. If required set the service as a Network Service (rather than being attached to an individual's profile):
 - i. Right click on the Focus Watch service and go to Properties
 - ii. Log On
 - iii. 'This Account' radio button
 - iv. Browse
 - v. Advanced
 - vi. Find Now
 - vii. Highlight 'Network Service'
 - viii. OK
 - ix. OK
 - x. Delete Passwords
 - xi. OK
 - xii. Restart Service

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