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Posted by [Martin Harrington](#) on Sat, 23 Dec 2006 01:19:51 GMT
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Posted by [Mark McDermott](#) on Sat, 23 Dec 2006 03:05:42 GMT

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Hi Mike,

This is relatively easy to do. You will need an Ethernet network card in the PC and a Category 5 Ethernet "crossover" cable.

Install the card in the PC, install the drivers as per the instructions that came with the card, and Windows will automatically install file and printer sharing services. Connect the crossover cable to the modular (RJ45) jack on each machine.

On the Mac, you must use the Network system preferences control to enable Windows file sharing.

Assign the Mac an IP address of 192.168.0.1 and the PC an address of 192.168.0.2. Set the network (subnet) mask value to 255.255.0.0 on each machine.

Apple has instructions on how to do this on their web site and it can be easily located.

Also, have you considered using an external storage device, such as a USB flash drive or external hard drive, to move the files back and forth? This may be much simpler and quicker if you're not into doing the network thing.

Hope this helps. Peace & happy holidays!

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