

"The specified network name is no ..."



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Hi

I am getting the following error when coping large files from Windows 2003 Server (where the VM Server is installed);

The specified network name is no longer available

Now I have done all things in knowlege base;

http://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?cmd=displayKC&docType=kc&externalId=1619&sliceId=1&docTypeID=DT_KB_1_1&dialogID=9249630&stateId=0%20

It still gives me the error message. Any help would be great.

Also I cannot ping the Windows 2003 server name from the VM, but I can ping the IP.

thanks



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Mar 10, 2009 1. Re: "**The specified network name is no longer available**" Windows 2003 Server Mar 10, 2009 7:19 PM

This seems to dovetail with a l-o-n-g discussion in the Server 1 forum about intermittent connectivity to/from VMs ([VMware Communities: Bridged networking just quit!](#)) People have linked the problem to WS 2003, anti-virus packages and Broadcom NICs. It's very murky. I have real XP with a virtual Linux and the Linux loses TCP visibility, entirely for my Weblogic server app., intermittently for telnet. As for your ping by IP working but failing by name, that makes sense as with no TCP (or UDP?) out, your DNS lookup will fail.