



Windows 2008 Server Summary

Use the **F1** button on any page of a ThinManager wizard to launch Help for that page.

Visit www.thinmanager.com/TechNotes4/01_intro/manuals.shtml to download the manual, manual chapters, or the abridged ThinManual.

Microsoft has re-arranged administrative tools and tightened security on Windows 2008 Servers. This adds additional steps to do normal things. This article covers some of the things that are different in Windows 2008 that may need to be addressed to run ThinManager and ThinManager Ready thin clients.

This is a guideline and is not meant to replace official Microsoft Windows 2008 Server documentation. Please refer to their documentation for further information.

Note: Tips and instructions are based on workgroup membership and not domain membership.

This document contains a summary of Windows 2008 Tips. A more detailed version can be found at www.thinmanager.com/TechNotes4/10_Microsoft_2008ServerTips.pdf.

Terminal Server Setup

1. Build a Windows 2008 Server. A fresh install is preferred.
2. Add the Terminal Server role..
3. Install the desired applications using the **Install Application on Terminal Server** program found in the Control Panel.
4. Create the users on the terminal server and add them to the Remote Desktop Users group.
5. Go to the TS RemoteApp Manager and either allow unlisted applications or add permission the applications you want to run.

ThinManager Server Setup

1. Install ThinManager using the **Install Application on Terminal Server** program found in the Control Panel.
2. Go to the firewall and allow all inbound communications or open ports in the firewall to allow UDP port 4900 and TCP port 2031 traffic.
3. You may need to go to the Local Security Policy and change the User Account Control: Behavior of the elevation prompt for administrators in Admin Approval Mode to *Elevate without prompting*.