

How to Setup Phoenix 9 on Network

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SUMMARY

Phoenix data may be shared on a network to allow users to access different data sets at the same time.

Please note that this version of Phoenix is not designed for multi-user (access to a shared data set). You may use a single shared copy of Phoenix on a network for multiple users, but the users cannot access the same data folder at the same time.

Running Phoenix over a network will degrade its speed of operation due to network delays.

Instructions

What you need to do on the **Server**:

1. Ensure users have appropriate access rights to the Phoenix work folder and data folders on the server. The "work folder" is the parent directory which contains the data folders for Phoenix.
2. Any workstation requiring Phoenix access must now run the client setup described below.

What you need to do on each **Client**:

1. Map the server directory containing the Phoenix work directory to a local drive letter. For example, map "<server name>\Clients" to "P:". Make sure you choose "Reconnect at logon".
2. Run the Phoenix client installer on the client and follow the instructions. Be sure to change the 'Data' location offered by the setup program to the location you mapped in Step 1. For example, "P:\PxData".
3. Each Client will have to be activated individually.