

1. Restart your computer in Safe Mode - Follow this link to learn how to restart Windows XP in Safe Mode
2. Turn off/disable Remote Desktop Connection (RDC) and Terminal Services
3. Right click My Computer
4. Select Properties
5. Click on the Remote tab at the top of the window
6. UNCHECK the box next to, "Allow users to connect remotely to this computer"
7. Click OK
8. Go to Start -> Control Panel -> Administrative Tools -> Services
9. Find Terminal Services in the list
10. Right click on Terminal Services and click Properties
11. In the Startup Type box, select Disabled
12. Click OK to close the window
13. Next you will replace the current version of the Terminal Services DLL (termsrv.dll) with an **unrestricted version from a previous release of Terminal Services. (XP RC2 to be exact)**
14. Here is a copy of the Terminal Services DLL - Save it to your Desktop or other suitable location
15. Using a file manager like Windows Explorer open **C:\Windows\system32\dlldata**
16. Rename the file termsrv.dll to termsrv_dll.bak or whatever you would like.
17. Copy the downloaded **termsrv.dll** file (the one you just downloaded from the web) to **C:\Windows\system32\dlldata**
18. Open the C:\Windows\system32 folder
19. Delete the file termsrv.dll in C:\Windows\system32
20. Now we can edit the Windows Registry to enable more than one RDP connection. Go to Start -> Run and type **regedit** - Hopefully you knew that already
21. Go to **HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SYSTEM\CurrentControlSet\Control\Terminal Server\Licensing Core**
22. Add a **DWORD** Key named **EnableConcurrentSessions** and give it a value of **1**
23. Close the Registry Editor window
24. Go to Start -> **Run** and type **gpedit.msc** to run the Group Policy Editor
25. Browse to **Computer Configuration -> Administrative Templates -> Windows Components -> Terminal Services** and double click **Limit number of connections**
26. Select the Enabled button and enter the number of connections you would like to enable....at least **2**.
27. **Restart** Windows
28. Right click My Computer and select Properties.
29. Click on the Remote tab at the top of the window
30. CHECK the box next to, "**Allow users to connect remotely to this computer**"
31. Click OK
32. Go to Start -> Control Panel ->Administrative Tools -> Services. Select **Terminal Services** from the list and double click it or right-click -> Properties. Set the **Startup** Type to **Manual**.
33. **Restart** Windows/Computer