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Install xp on it, it'll save you heaps of trouble. my 2c

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tried, the machine was designed for Vista(eeeeeeewwwwww!!!!), all my XP install disks caused memory dumps...

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don't know if it was because i was unfamiliar or just scared to do anything but windows 7 64bit does not work for me, so make sure its a 32bit windows 7 and best of luck to you. but like i said if you could force install xp that would be fine, I ran mine through boot camp and ended up formatting my whole computer to install a clean unupdated version of snow leopard so that i could install xp (tis no longer supported -_-)

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It is Windows 7 32 bit, it went well on the MacBook Pro, until about half of the how-to, then I ran out of space in the BC partition.. We'll get this thing running 😊

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OS in, weekend project: config this bad boy 😊

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> ❝❝ Originally Posted by **Dotpage** ▸▸
>
> _It is Windows 7 32 bit, it went well on the MacBook Pro, until about half of the how-to, then I ran out of space in the BC partition.. We'll get this thing running 🙂_

I didn't run out of space j just hit a brick wall when I ran 64 but and ran inpo/gt1

Its finally time to settle down,
my name is Nelson.

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04-22-2011   11:08 AM   #57

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> ❝❝ Originally Posted by **Dotpage** ▸▸
>
> _It is Windows 7 32 bit, it went well on the MacBook Pro, until about half of the how-to, then I ran out of space in the BC partition.. We'll get this thing running 🙂_

thats why I just got a standalone PC for the job...the Windows partition is taking up too much precious space on the macbook

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04-22-2011   09:39 PM   #58

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> **Originally Posted by 808ZHP**
>
> *thats why I just got a standalone PC for the job...the Windows partition is taking up too much precious space on the macbook*

yeap, that's why I got this Toshiba too.. No worries now

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04-29-2011   04:08 PM   #59

sirungeshcickt ○   Join Date: Apr 2011
Associate   Posts: 1

Hi there,

first of all I want to thank you for these nice tutorials! I did not get the stuff from here, but installed it successfully. But my setup differs a bit from the standard machines:

I installed VMware and actually there are 3 VM's running:
VM1 - Windows XP 32 bit for working with INPA and NCSExpert
VM2 - Progman v32
VM3 - DIS/GT1 v44

I did the connection APITEST and it was successfull. But i don't know, what IP adresses to enter exactely.
In Windows XP (VM1), I set IP adress to 192.168.68.5. This is the windows IP.
I entered this IP under C:\EDIABAS\BIN\ediabas.ini under RemoteHost.
Then I changed it under DIS/GT1 (VM3) in EASY-DIS CONFIGURE-MATIC (1 Configre EDIABAS - 3 configure IP adress - entered y - entered 192.168.68.5. Then i did the APITEST and it is successfully). I even changed it in the 'vi hosts' entry

In progman v32 (VM2) i have several Interfaces displayed. I added a new interface with the ip adress 192.168.68.5, but i can't connect to it 😩

Am I making a major mistake? Thanks a lot in advance!

sirungeshcickt

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05-16-2011   06:58 PM   #60

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Big Earner   Location: Bridgeport, CT
                                                               My Ride: 05' 330i/4 6MT
                                                               BMWCCA Member #:   377177
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Spencers,
I've done some testing and gotten the suite to work inside of a VM. I have Windows 7 x64, so it would make it difficult to run everything, so I just set up a VM with 7 x86 and installed the usual suite on it (INPA, EDIABAS, NCS, WINKFP, etc.). Everything on it works, so I could proceed to make the other two VMs with SSS Progman and GT1. Please let me know if you'd like the instructions; I'm re-typing the instructions for my personal use as a failsafe backup in case this site ever goes down or whatever, sort of like a certification manual. If you'd like, I can create a section on getting it to work inside of a VM. There aren't many steps to do that, just a few odds and ends like getting the cable to be detected and the like.

I'm also going to write instructions on how to use NCS Expert, because I had a helluva time finding out where the instructions were for it. The instructions were right in front of my face, but it wasn't at all obvious that those were instructions on using it, so if you'd like I can send you that as well.

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