

Configuring Microsoft Terminal Server For HITS BPOS

(The following information replaces previously provided suggestions for using Microsoft Terminal Server workstations with HITS BPOS – 2019-2-22.)

In order to avoid workstation conflicts when running HITS BPOS, each user (aka: workstation) must use their own copy of the BPOS Launcher (and associated configuration files, such as the aaconfig.ini file) in the folder ?:\gstnet that the workstation accesses.

To prevent multiple Microsoft Terminal Server workstation users from accessing the same (C:\gstnet) folder on the Microsoft Terminal Server drive, the BPOS Launcher looks for the existence of the \gstnet folder starting from the highest possible "Drive Letter" and down. For example, if the BPOS Launcher finds the required workstation launcher and configuration files in the Z:\gstnet folder of the workstation, it will use the files in that folder for connecting the workstation to HITS BPOS.

The configuration of your Microsoft Terminal Server for HITS BPOS is straight forward and simple using the Windows NET USE command to create a unique \gstnet folder for each user (workstation). Below is an example of using the NET USE command for this purpose...

1. Create a unique folder for each user. Example: C:\USER1, C:\USER2, C:\USER3, etc.
2. Create a NET USE drive letter above drive C: for each user with the drive letter mapped to the users' private folder....

NET USE Z: [\\servername\c\\$\user1\](#) /persistent:Y

(Note: We recommend starting with the drive letter Z:, but any available drive letter higher than the server's primary drive will work.)

3. On the user's Z: drive, create the folder \gstnet.
4. From the Microsoft Terminal Server workstation desktop, install the BPOS Launcher from the web site www.hitstiresoftware.com under the Support menu. You will be prompted for a password. Log a call to the HITS Technical Support Center to get the current password or email your request to tech@aasys.com.
5. You should now be able to launch BPOS from the Microsoft Terminal Server workstation desktop.