



## **L2TP/IPSec VPN for Windows XP to 3Com X-family**

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## Introduction

This document explains how to configure the 3Com X-family devices to terminate a Windows XP VPN client using L2TP/IPSec.

These instructions assume that your corporate network is attached to the LAN security zone of the X-family, and that external (Internet) traffic is on the WAN security zone.

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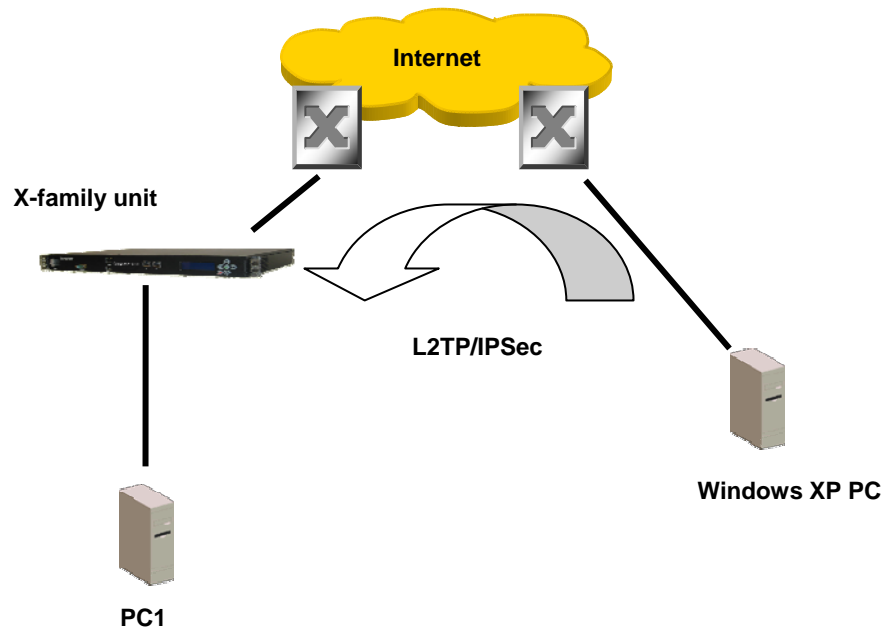
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## 1 Overview

L2TP over IPsec uses the security attributes of an IPsec tunnel for data transfer, and the Layer 2 tunneling protocol to essentially make the client appear part of the Workplace network. Although more difficult to setup (due to the IPsec steps) this is a far more secure solution than PPTP.

Windows XP can offer a choice of use a Pre-shared Secret Key (PSK) or a X.509 Digital Certificate to secure the IPsec VPN. Both are shown in the following examples.

## 2 Network Configuration



**IP Addresses for this example setup are:**

Device	Interface	Address	Mask	Gateway
Router	1 (to X-family unit)	10.10.20.1	255.255.255.0	
Router	2 (to XP PC)	10.10.10.1	255.255.255.0	
X-family	External	10.10.20.147	255.255.255.0	10.10.10.1
XP PC	External	10.10.10.147	255.255.255.0	10.10.20.1
PC1		192.168.1.100	255.255.255.0	192.168.1.254
XP PC	Tunnel	192.168.1.x	255.255.255.0	192.168.1.254

### 3 Pre-Requisite Configuration

The following configuration steps are required before the X-family device can terminate L2TP/IPSec connections from Windows XP. The instructions assume that the X-family device is at default settings.

#### 3.1.1 Initial Setup via the OBE

Setup the user account and then set the basic configuration as follows. The dialogue shown is the OBE (“Out of Box Experience”) on the Command Line Interface – this could also be set up using the OBE on the Graphical User Interface).

Your super-user account has been created.  
You may continue initial configuration by logging into your device.  
After logging in, you will be asked for additional information.

Login: **topuser**  
Password: **t0p--us3r**

Entering Setup wizard...

Enter Host Name [myhostname]: **3KB\_X\_unit\_1**  
Enter Host Location [room/rack]: Lab

Host Name: 3KB\_X\_unit\_1  
Host Location: Lab

Enter [A]ccept, [C]hange, or [E]xit without saving [C]: a

Timekeeping options allow you to set the time zone, enable or disable daylight saving time, and configure or disable NTP.

Would you like to modify timekeeping options? <Y,[N]>:

The X-Series device may be configured into a number of well known network deployments.

Would you like to modify the network deployment mode? <Y,[N]>:

Virtual interfaces define how this device integrates with the IP layer 3 network. You must configure one virtual interface for every IP subnet that is directly connected to the X-Series device. For example, you need one for the WAN connection (external virtual interface) and one for every directly connected network subnet (internal virtual interfaces).

Would you like to modify virtual interfaces? <Y,[N]>:y

Virtual interfaces:

Id	Type	Mode	IP Address	Subnet Mask	NAT
1	internal	static	192.168.1.254	255.255.255.0	external-ip
2	external	dhcp			disable
3	<empty>				
4	<empty>				

5 <empty>  
6 <empty>

Enter [A]ccept, [C]hange, [R]emove or [E]xit without saving [C]:  
Enter the number of the entry you want to change []: 2  
Mode (static, dhcp, pppoe, pptp, l2tp) [dhcp]: sta  
IP address []: 10.10.20.147  
Mask [255.255.255.0]:

Virtual interfaces:

Id	Type	Mode	IP Address	Subnet Mask	NAT
1	internal	static	192.168.1.254	255.255.255.0	external-ip
2	external	static	10.10.20.147	255.255.255.0	disable
3	<empty>				
4	<empty>				
5	<empty>				
6	<empty>				

Enter [A]ccept, [C]hange, [R]emove or [E]xit without saving [C]: a

You must configure a default gateway manually if external virtual interface is static.

Would you like to modify default gateway? <Y,[N]>:y  
Default Gateway [0.0.0.0]: 10.10.20.1

Security zones enable you to section your network logically into security domains. As network traffic travels between zones, it is routed and security-scanned by the firewall and IPS according to the policies you define. You need to create security zones that naturally map onto your intended network security boundaries. A security zone may or may not be connected (mapped) to a virtual interface.

Would you like to modify security zones? <Y,[N]>:

Would you like to modify security zone to virtual interface mapping? <Y,[N]>:

DNS (Domain Name Service) is a system which translates computer hostnames to IP addresses. The X-Series device requires DNS configuration in order to perform web filtering.

Would you like to configure DNS? <Y,[N]>:

Firewall policy rules control the flow of network traffic between security zones. Firewall policy rules control traffic flow based on source and destination security zones and network protocol.

Would you like to modify firewall policy rules? <Y,[N]>:

SMS-based configuration allows the device to retrieve the configuration for a secure management VPN to the SMS system. This ensures that the device can be managed securely from the SMS

Would you like to enable SMS-based configuration? <Y,[N]>:

If you wish to run this wizard again, use the 'setup' command.

3KB\_X\_unit\_1#

Notes:

Virtual Interfaces - There are two virtual interfaces (external and internal) set up as factory default. The only configuration required on them is to set the IP addresses. (In the example, I have kept the internal IP address as default and changed the external IP address).

Security Zones – The factory default configuration sets the LAN security zone to be on Port 1 and linked to the internal Virtual Interface. The WAN security zone is on the last port (Port 4 on an X505 or port 6 on the X506 and X5) and is linked to the external virtual interface. No change is needed to this.

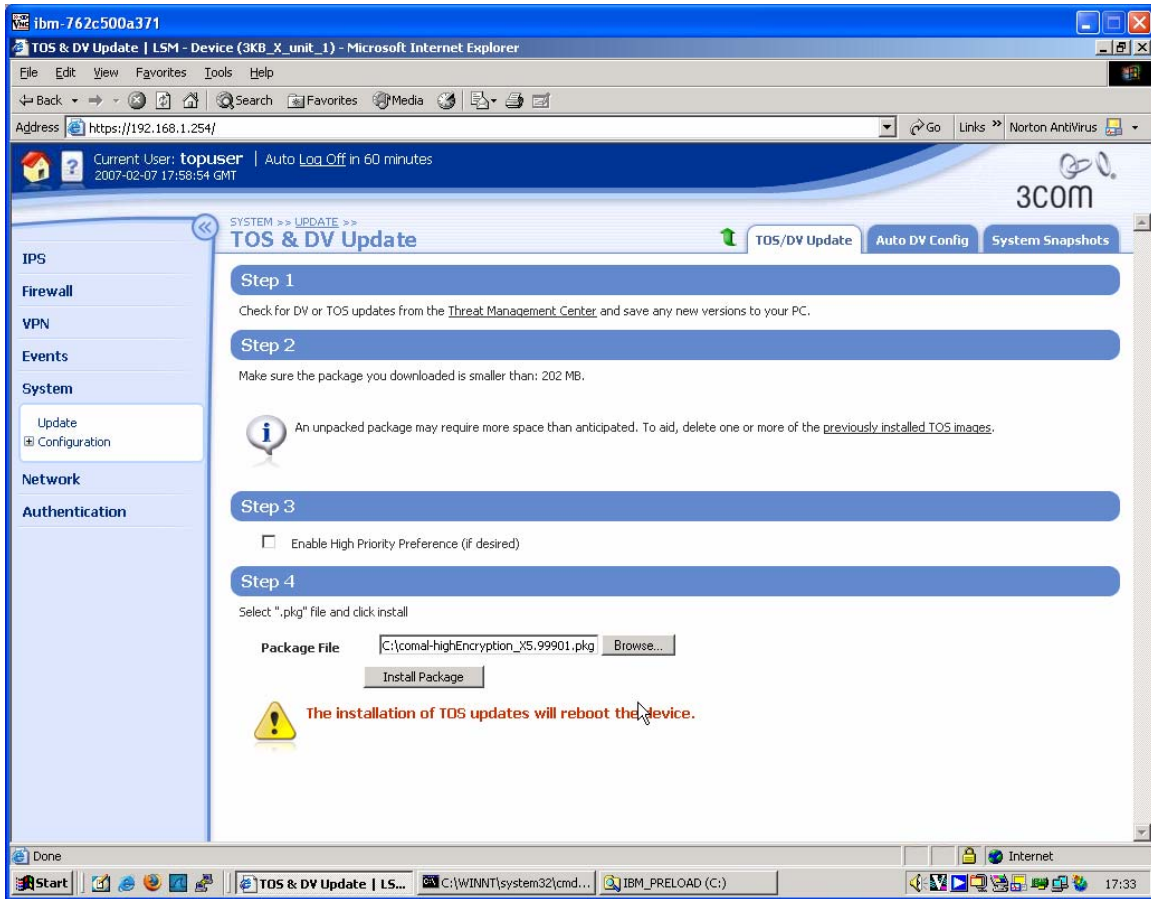
Firewall rules – the firewall rules in the factory default configuration will be sufficient – specifically this one:

```
2          permit          WAN          this-device          vpn-protocols
```

### 3.1.2 Load the Strong Encryption Package (Recommended)

For compliance with export regulations, the X-family devices are shipped from the factory with encryption types with keys below 64 bits (i.e. DES). This will work with Windows XP, but weak encryption is no longer considered suitable for the protection of commercial VPNs. To enable higher encryption key sizes to be used (e.g. 3DES, AES) a Strong Encryption package must be loaded onto the device. This package is only available to approved end users in approved locations.

1. Acquire the Strong Encryption package from the TMC and load it onto PC1. Select the appropriate encryption package for your X-family device.
2. Open a browser on PC1, connect to <https://192.168.1.254> and login as the user you set up during the OBE.
3. Navigate to System -> Update, open the "TOS/DV Update" tab and complete the form as shown below with the path of the Strong Encryption package on PC1. Click "Install Package".



4. The package will be installed and the X-family device will reboot. The X-family device is ready to set up the VPN when reboot has completed.

## 4 Configuring L2TP/IPSec with Pre-Shared Key (PSK)

### 4.1 High-level steps ...

Configuring L2TP/IPSec consists of:

- Create an IP address group for L2TP VPN Clients
- Configure and enable L2TP server on the X-family.
- Configure the Default SA encryption method on the X-family.
- Configure firewall rules to allow IPSec to the X-family WAN interface (for IPSec), and from the terminating security zone to the X-family (for L2TP).
- Configure the Windows XP client using dial-up networking

### 4.2 3Com X-family Configuration

- 1) Login to your X-family web interface (LSM).
- 2) Create an IP address group for the L2TP IP Pool.
  - a) Click Network > Configuration > IP Address Groups in the navigation menu.
  - b) Click "Create Address Group"

- c) Give the Group a name e.g. **L2TP\_Pool**
- d) Select the method to specify the address group. For this example we'll select "IP Range". Enter the Range e.g. **192.168.1.10 to 192.168.1.20<sup>1</sup>**. It is **recommended to use IP addresses within the same IP subnet as your LAN which are unused by any other device.**
- e) Click "Add to table below" to enter that range.
- f) Add more ranges, subnets or hosts as required.
- g) Click "Create" to commit the changes.

NETWORK >> CONFIGURATION >>  
Create IP Address Group

IP Address Group Setup

Group Name:

IP Host   
 IP Subnet  Mask   
 IP Range  to

**\*changes will not be saved until you click "Create"**

25 Records per page

Type	IP Address	IP Address or Net Mask	Function(s)
range	192.168.1.10	192.168.1.20	X

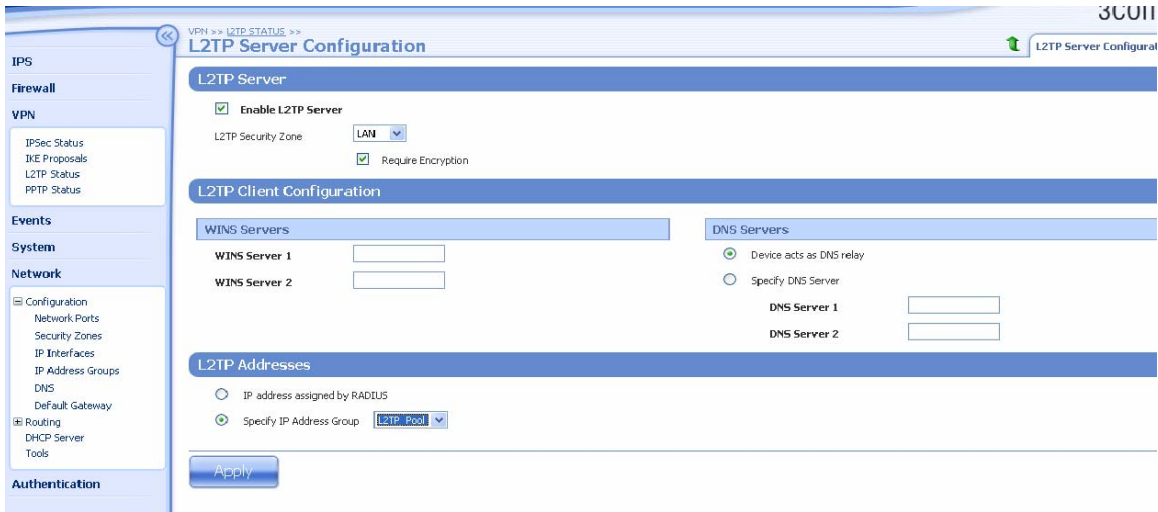
- 3) Enable L2TP Server on X-family.
  - a) Click VPN > L2TP Status > Server Configuration in the navigation menu.
  - b) Click the tab in the top right "L2TP Server Configuration"
  - c) Click "Enable L2TP Server"
  - d) Set L2TP Security Zone to LAN<sup>2</sup>.
  - e) Select "Require Encryption" - this will ensure IPSec is used
  - f) Enter any DNS and WINS settings
  - g) Select the IP Address Group (IP group created in previous step – L2TP\_Pool)
  - h) Click "Apply". The screen will refresh.

<sup>1</sup> You must ensure the address range meets the following criteria:

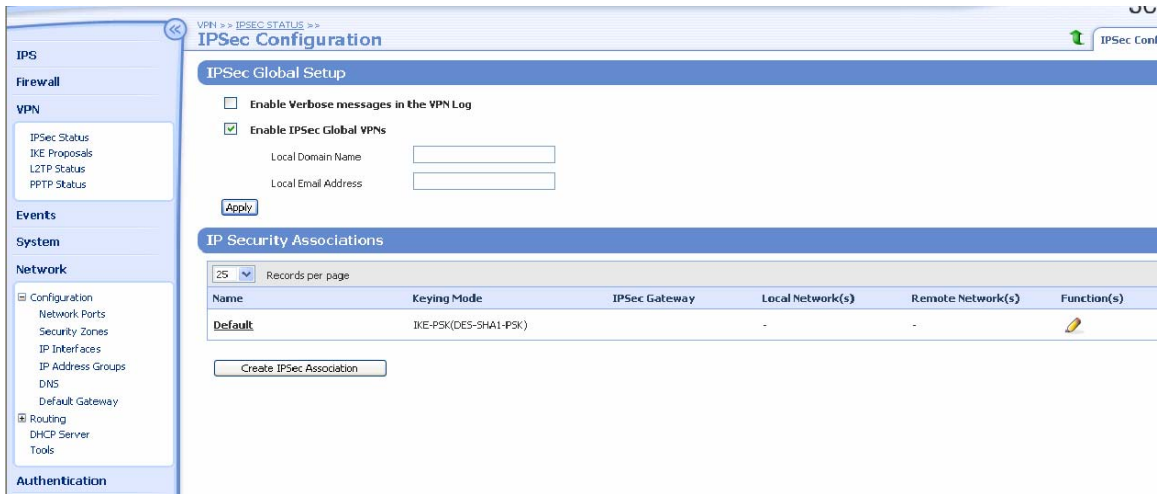
- a) It is part of the Security Zone the L2TP tunnel will be set to terminate within.
- b) The terminating Security Zone in the L2TP Server configuration is assigned to an *internal* virtual interface.
- c) The address range does not conflict with others used for DHCP server etc.

<sup>2</sup> Note more sophisticated setups are possible here terminating in other zones but this is the simplest setup.





- 4) Enable IPsec VPNs.
  - a) Click VPN > IPsec/IKE Status > IPSEC Configuration in the navigation menu.
  - b) Click “Enable IPsec Global VPNs”. Since the tunnel will be Main Mode there is no need to supply a Local Domain Name or Local Email Address. Click Apply.



- 5) In the same dialog, configure the Default SA encryption parameters.
 

**Note: The default SA is always present and cannot be deleted**

  - a) Click the pencil icon next to the Security Association called “Default”.
  - b) Click “Enable Security Association”.
  - c) Ensure that “Support GRE and L2TP” is enabled.
  - d) Select the security zone to terminate L2TP/IPsec connections onto – this should be LAN in this example.
  - e) The “Keying mode” should already be IKE.
  - f) Select the IKE Proposal from the pulldown list. (Note: Only DES encryption will initially be available. It is recommended that a 3DES-SHA1-PSK IKE

proposal is created and used for higher security. However, this requires that the X-family Strong Encryption package has been downloaded onto the unit, before a 3DES IKE proposal may be created.)

- g) Enter the shared secret to be used. Note the shared secret will be masked and it must be at least eight characters long. Make a note of the shared secret as it must match the shared secret used by the VPN Client.
- h) Ensure that “Enable IPSec tunnel connections” is enabled.
- i) Click “Save”. Note the screen may not update but the Save has occurred.

6) Check Firewall Policies.

If you are using multiple security zones, and/or have changed the terminating zone from LAN, and/or have change the policy rules for traffic allowed to the X-family from the WAN, you should perform this step.

**Note: Remember that the firewall rule table is ordered with traffic being matched top to bottom.**

- a) Ensure that there are suitable firewall policy rules allowing traffic to/from other Security Zones and the Security Zone you have set for the L2TP Server.

- b) Ensure that there is a policy rule allowing the IPSec tunnel traffic to the WAN security zone<sup>3</sup>.
- c) Ensure that there is a policy rule allowing L2TP traffic (UDP port 1701) from the terminating security zone for L2TP Server to this-device. This allows the L2TP traffic to flow after the IPSec tunnel is terminated.
- d) Ensure that there is a policy rule allowing this-device to send ANY protocol to ANY zone<sup>4</sup>.

Here is a typical table of firewall rules that complies with the above requirements.

**Firewall Rules List**

Filter Firewall Rules by Zone  
 Show Firewall Rules from source: All to destination: All

*Firewall Rules are applied in order of precedence. In the case of any conflicting rules, the rule with a higher precedence will be applied. (To move a Firewall Rule up in order of precedence, simply and hold to drag the rule into a higher position.)*

ID	Action	Source Zone	Dest Zone	Service	Advanced	Comment	State	Function(s)
1	Permit	LAN	WAN	any		Allow LAN unrestricted access to WAN	Enabled	
2	Permit	WAN	this-device	vpn-protocols		Allow VPN termination	Enabled	
3	Permit	LAN	this-device	management		Allow management access from LAN	Enabled	
4	Permit	LAN	this-device	network-protocols		Allow DNS and DHCP from LAN	Enabled	
5	Permit	LAN	this-device	l2tp			Enabled	

- 7) Create a User Account. The following uses device authentication but users can also be authenticated via a RADIUS server which is configured on the device.
  - a) Click Authentication > User List in the navigation menu.
  - b) Click “Create a New User” to create a new user.
  - c) Enter the username in the “Login” field - **note: this is case sensitive**. In this example we use “auser”.
  - d) Select User Type as “Local User”.
  - e) Under “Privilege Group” select “**Allow VPN Access**”.
  - f) Enter and confirm the password - **note: this is case sensitive**.
  - g) Click Create.

<sup>3</sup> The default Service Group vpn-protocols and default firewall rules will allow this. Protocols required are l2tp, ike and nat-t-ipsec.

<sup>4</sup> There is a “hidden” firewall rule that enables this, unless a “DENY” rule has been specified in the firewall table that overrules it.

AUTHENTICATION >>  
**Create User**

**Enter User Information**

Username must be 6 to 31 characters. Password must be 8 to 31 characters and contain at least two letters, one number, and one special character.

**Username**

**User Type**  TOS User  Local User

**Security Level**

**Privilege Group**

**Password**

**Confirm Password**




The X-family is now configured, now you need to configure the Windows clients...

### 4.3 Windows XP Client Configuration for L2TP/IPSec with PSK

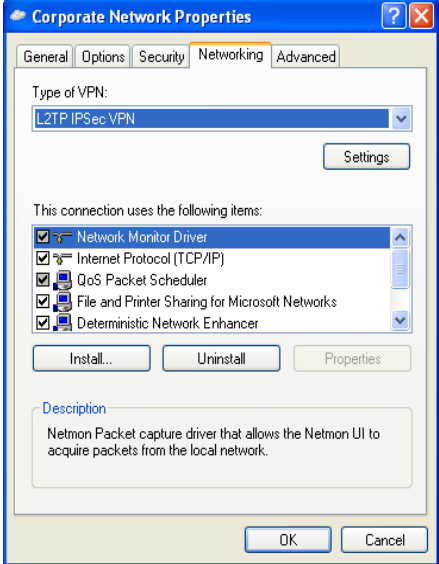
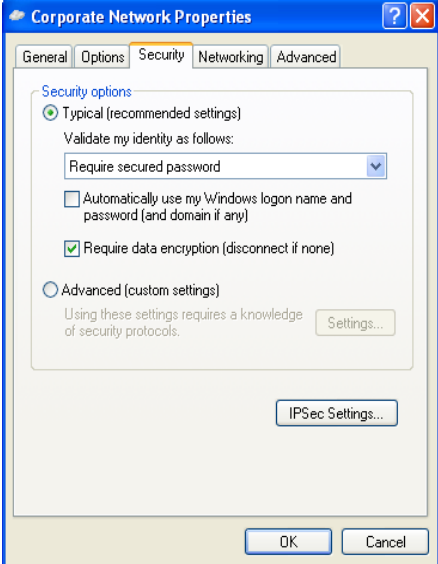
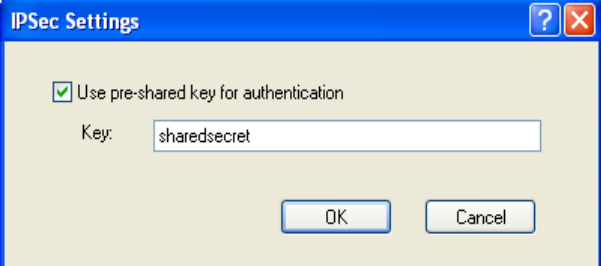
Note: These instructions are for Windows XP. The same principle applies to other operating systems.

- 1) From Start Menu, select “Connect To”.
- 2) Click “Set up a Connection or Network”.  
Windows XP then runs the New Connection Wizard...

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 2a</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 2b</b></p>
<p>Connect to network at my workplace</p>	<p>Virtual Private Network</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 2c</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 2d</b></p>
<p>Give the connection a name</p>	<p>Select whether to dial another connection first</p>

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 2e</b></p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 2f</b></p> 
<p>Enter the public WAN IP address of X-family</p>	<p>Select whether this connection is shared.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 2g</b></p> 	
<p>Hit finish to complete the wizard</p>	

- 3) After creating the connection you will be prompted to connect for the first time. Press “Properties” to force the VPN connection type.

Step 3a	Step 3b
	
<p>Select the Networking Tab. Under “Type of VPN” select L2TP/IPSecVPN from pull-down list – do NOT click “OK”.</p>	<p>Select the “Security” tab and click the “IPSec Settings...” button.</p>
Step 3c	
	
<p>Click to enable “Use pre-shared key for authentication” and enter the same shared secret as entered for the Default SA in Step 5 on the X-family. Click “OK” to confirm all the settings on the VPN.</p>	

- 4) Click OK to get back to the username/password prompt. Enter the user details configured on the X-family for the local user - this must match Step 8 where the local user name and password were configured on the X-family. **Note: Remember both username and passwords are case sensitive**



Connection to X-family should now be established.

## 5 Configuring L2TP/IPSec with X.509 Digital Certificate

X.509 Digital Certificates provide a stronger level of authentication and security than Pre-Shared Key (PSK) for IPSec connections. X.509 uses Public Key Infrastructure (PKI) encryption mechanisms to ensure full privacy without the need to exchange a private key.

To deploy a VPN client solution using X.509, two certificates are generated by a trusted Certificate Authority (CA) – one for the Windows VPN client, and one for the X-family device terminating the IPSec connection. The certificates uniquely identify each end point of the connection, ensuring that each end point can know with certainty that the partner is who they say they are. If not using a 3<sup>rd</sup> party Certificate Authority you can still generate certificates that are *self signed* through readily available tools.

### 5.1 High Level Steps

The high level steps for using X.509 certificates with L2TP/IPSec VPN clients on Windows XP are:

- Generate certificates for use on the X-family and the VPN client Windows machine.



- Generate the self-signed CA certificate.
- Create a local certificate request on the X-family, copy it to the certificate machine and sign it with the CA certificate.
- Create a local certificate request on the XP PC, copy it to the certificate server and sign it with the CA certificate.
- On the X-family:
  - Install the signed CA and local certificates.
  - Associate the local certificate with the IKE proposal.
  - Associate the IKE proposal with the IPSec Default Security Association.
  - Ensure the Default Security Association is using transport mode.
- On Windows XP:
  - Install the signed CA and L2TP client local certificates.
  - Create the Windows client IPSec connection, selecting to use certificates for IPSec authentication.

## 5.2 Creating and Loading the Certificates

Three certificates are required for this configuration:

- **A CA certificate.** This is created on the certificate server and installed on both the X-family and the Windows XP client.

The certificates used by Windows for IPSec *must* be signed or Windows will fail the IPSec main mode negotiation. When Windows XP negotiates the main mode IPSec tunnel with the X-family box, it exchanges the list of Certificate Authorities (CA's) it will accept certificates from. A CA certificate must be installed in Windows XP to authenticate the local L2TP client certificate. The X-family can use a similar scheme.

- **A Local certificate on the X-family.**

The Local certificate request is created on the X-family, is signed by the shared CA and is used to authenticate the IPSec server within the X-family.

- **A Local certificate for the VPN client on Windows XP.**

The Personal certificate request created on the XP PC is signed by the shared CA and is used to authenticate the Windows XP IPSec client.

It is strongly advised that the Local Certificates are generated through a PKI setup (e.g. the Windows Certificate Server that ships in Windows 200x Server) ensuring that private keys are not exposed on the network. This is outside the scope of this document however. Note that X-family does not currently support an automated certificate enrolment protocol. To demonstrate the techniques, this document will use the OpenSSL utility on a Linux platform with a self-signed certificate.

Below is an example creating the certificates using the CA wrapper normally available in the /etc/pki/tls/misc/CA directory, and openssl. Once the CA certificate is created, the

example signs a certificate request created on the X-family device using the created CA certificate. Note that the signing process could be performed by a trusted CA server such as Verisign or Thawte.

1. Create the Certificates on the Certificate Server.

```
[test]:
[test]: openssl version
OpenSSL 0.9.7a Feb 19 2003
[test]:
[test]: #####
[test]: # create the CA certificate #
[test]: #####
[test]:
[test]: ./CA -newca
./CA -newca
CA certificate filename (or enter to create)

Making CA certificate ...
Generating a 1024 bit RSA private key
..+++++
....+++++
writing new private key to './demoCA/private/./cakey.pem'
Enter PEM pass phrase:
Verifying - Enter PEM pass phrase:
-----
You are about to be asked to enter information that will be
incorporated
into your certificate request.
What you are about to enter is what is called a Distinguished Name or a
DN.
There are quite a few fields but you can leave some blank
For some fields there will be a default value,
If you enter '.', the field will be left blank.
-----
Country Name (2 letter code) [GB]:
State or Province Name (full name) [Berkshire]:England
Locality Name (eg, city) [Newbury]:London
Organization Name (eg, company) [My Company Ltd]:3Com
Organizational Unit Name (eg, section) []:3Com
Common Name (eg, your name or your server's hostname) []:MyCA
Email Address []:test@3Com.com
[test]:
[test]:
[test]: #####
[test]: # create Local Certificate request for the X-family #
[test]: #####
[test]:
[test]: ./CA -newreq
Generating a 1024 bit RSA private key
...+++++
.+++++
writing new private key to 'newreq.pem'
Enter PEM pass phrase:
Verifying - Enter PEM pass phrase:
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Country Name (2 letter code) [GB]:
State or Province Name (full name) [Berkshire]:England
Locality Name (eg, city) [Newbury]:London
Organization Name (eg, company) [My Company Ltd]:3Com
Organizational Unit Name (eg, section) []:3Com
Common Name (eg, your name or your server's hostname) []:X505
Email Address []:test@3Com.com

Please enter the following 'extra' attributes
to be sent with your certificate request
A challenge password []:
An optional company name []:
Request (and private key) is in newreq.pem
[test]:
[test]:
[test]: #####
[test]: # Sign the X-family Local Certificate request #
[test]: #####
[test]:
[test]:../CA -sign
Using configuration from /usr/share/ssl/openssl.cnf
Enter pass phrase for ./demoCA/private/akey.pem:
Check that the request matches the signature
Signature ok
Certificate Details:
    Serial Number: 1 (0x1)
    Validity
        Not Before: Apr 10 09:42:18 2006 GMT
        Not After : Apr 10 09:42:18 2007 GMT
    Subject:
        countryName           = GB
        stateOrProvinceName   = England
        localityName          = London
        organizationName      = 3Com
        organizationalUnitName = 3Com
        commonName            = X505
        emailAddress          = test@3Com.com
    X.509v3 extensions:
        X.509v3 Basic Constraints:
            CA:FALSE
        Netscape Comment:
```

```
OpenSSL Generated Certificate
X.509v3 Subject Key Identifier:
02:4E:62:5E:C9:C4:D4:FD:69:5C:3C:14:2E:71:45:C9:52:99:AF:A0
X.509v3 Authority Key Identifier:

keyid:BF:73:F9:05:25:14:B6:B7:CC:BE:13:52:6D:C7:08:1A:03:EA:4C:34

DirName:/C=GB/ST=England/L=London/O=3Com/OU=3Com/CN=MyCA/emailAddress=test@3Com.com
serial:00

Certificate is to be certified until Apr 10 09:42:18 2007 GMT (365 days)
Sign the certificate? [y/n]:y

1 out of 1 certificate requests certified, commit? [y/n]y
Write out database with 1 new entries
Data Base Updated
Certificate:
  Data:
    Version: 3 (0x2)
    Serial Number: 1 (0x1)
    Signature Algorithm: md5WithRSAEncryption
    Issuer: C=GB, ST=England, L=London, O=3Com, OU=3Com,
CN=MyCA/emailAddress=test@3Com.com
    Validity
      Not Before: Apr 10 09:42:18 2006 GMT
      Not After : Apr 10 09:42:18 2007 GMT
      Subject: C=GB, ST=England, L=London, O=3Com, OU=3Com,
CN=X505/emailAddress=test@3Com.com
    Subject Public Key Info:
      Public Key Algorithm: rsaEncryption
      RSA Public Key: (1024 bit)
        Modulus (1024 bit):
          00:9f:39:a3:f1:03:29:82:fd:95:9c:00:c5:16:14:
          c9:cd:fc:a0:ff:f2:08:d3:ad:7d:bd:82:30:31:ec:
          43:46:37:b0:a7:49:72:0c:a5:03:f3:f9:e2:68:44:
          31:a9:5a:54:7e:88:68:b8:7a:38:d6:93:2a:ad:ed:
          d1:29:20:24:e6:58:b0:34:02:d5:37:f2:87:2f:f6:
          be:cc:5b:58:29:d6:4a:15:2d:c1:6a:32:45:68:23:
          dc:44:48:c8:59:22:bf:58:4e:12:e7:88:8b:db:8c:
          96:38:38:d4:90:75:67:5d:8c:96:04:13:2c:ed:56:
          7b:08:6f:60:97:0a:d6:e5:29
        Exponent: 65537 (0x10001)
    X.509v3 extensions:
      X.509v3 Basic Constraints:
        CA:FALSE
      Netscape Comment:
        OpenSSL Generated Certificate
      X.509v3 Subject Key Identifier:
```

02:4E:62:5E:C9:C4:D4:FD:69:5C:3C:14:2E:71:45:C9:52:99:AF:A0  
X.509v3 Authority Key Identifier:

keyid:BF:73:F9:05:25:14:B6:B7:CC:BE:13:52:6D:C7:08:1A:03:EA:4C:34

DirName:/C=GB/ST=England/L=London/O=3Com/OU=3Com/CN=MyCA/emailAddress=test@3Com.com

serial:00

Signature Algorithm: md5WithRSAEncryption

31:f2:b4:98:10:ca:63:e4:50:b8:af:a0:f7:6e:75:92:18:88:  
ce:51:87:92:16:8f:d0:21:10:81:87:10:02:25:e4:1a:24:f0:  
f7:c7:2c:3e:bf:af:86:7c:61:b7:50:6d:32:ec:a7:aa:d8:50:  
17:3c:3e:d4:30:5a:21:27:cf:bb:15:7f:a6:35:33:66:1f:a1:  
c3:12:a3:d0:bc:57:d8:43:c6:8e:75:20:b7:99:de:25:10:d9:  
69:31:84:63:85:30:15:04:08:45:20:0a:5a:cd:da:18:57:a4:  
55:00:51:45:52:18:23:f9:53:3b:0f:1f:68:c5:80:3e:f3:ef:  
7a:12

-----BEGIN CERTIFICATE-----

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ClrN2hhXpFUUUUVSGCP5UzsPH2jFgD7z73oS

-----END CERTIFICATE-----

Signed certificate is in newcert.pem

[test]:

[test]:

[test]: #####

[test]: # Convert to PKCS#12 incorporating CA and Local Certificates #

[test]: #####

[test]:

[test]: openssl pkcs12 -export -in newcert.pem -inkey newreq.pem -  
certfile demoCA/cacert.pem -out X505.p12

Enter pass phrase for newreq.pem:

Enter Export Password:

```
Verifying - Enter Export Password:
[test]:
[test]:
[test]: #####
[test]: # create the Windows XP Local certificate request #
[test]: #####
[test]:
[test]: ./CA -newreq
[test]: Generating a 1024 bit RSA private key
.....+++++
.....+++++
writing new private key to 'newreq.pem'
Enter PEM pass phrase:
Verifying - Enter PEM pass phrase:
-----
You are about to be asked to enter information that will be
incorporated
into your certificate request.
What you are about to enter is what is called a Distinguished Name or a
DN.
There are quite a few fields but you can leave some blank
For some fields there will be a default value,
If you enter '.', the field will be left blank.
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Country Name (2 letter code) [GB]:
State or Province Name (full name) [Berkshire]:Scotland
Locality Name (eg, city) [Newbury]:Edinburgh
Organization Name (eg, company) [My Company Ltd]:3Com
Organizational Unit Name (eg, section) []:3Com
Common Name (eg, your name or your server's hostname) []:L2TP Client
Email Address []:user@3Com.com

Please enter the following 'extra' attributes
to be sent with your certificate request
A challenge password []:
An optional company name []:
Request (and private key) is in newreq.pem
[test]:
[test]:
[test]: #####
[test]: # Sign the Windows XP Local Certificate request #
[test]: #####
[test]:
[test]: ./CA -sign
Using configuration from /usr/share/ssl/openssl.cnf
Enter pass phrase for ./demoCA/private/akey.pem:
Check that the request matches the signature
Signature ok
Certificate Details:
    Serial Number: 2 (0x2)
    Validity
```

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Not Before: Apr 10 09:56:41 2006 GMT
Not After : Apr 10 09:56:41 2007 GMT
Subject:
  countryName           = GB
  stateOrProvinceName  = Scotland
  localityName          = Edinburgh
  organizationName      = 3Com
  organizationalUnitName = 3Com
  commonName            = L2TP Client
  emailAddress          = user@3Com.com
X.509v3 extensions:
  X.509v3 Basic Constraints:
  CA:FALSE
  Netscape Comment:
  OpenSSL Generated Certificate
  X.509v3 Subject Key Identifier:
  C4:C1:ED:A8:8A:16:F9:6F:95:8F:5C:26:CC:DE:0E:9A:F0:81:95:D6
  X.509v3 Authority Key Identifier:

keyid:BF:73:F9:05:25:14:B6:B7:CC:BE:13:52:6D:C7:08:1A:03:EA:4C:34

DirName:/C=GB/ST=England/L=London/O=3Com/OU=3Com/CN=MyCA/emailAddress=test@3Com.com
      serial:00

Certificate is to be certified until Apr 10 09:56:41 2007 GMT (365 days)
Sign the certificate? [y/n]:y

1 out of 1 certificate requests certified, commit? [y/n]y
Write out database with 1 new entries
Data Base Updated
Certificate:
  Data:
    Version: 3 (0x2)
    Serial Number: 2 (0x2)
    Signature Algorithm: md5WithRSAEncryption
    Issuer: C=GB, ST=England, L=London, O=3Com, OU=3Com,
CN=MyCA/emailAddress=test@3Com.com
    Validity
      Not Before: Apr 10 09:56:41 2006 GMT
      Not After : Apr 10 09:56:41 2007 GMT
      Subject: C=GB, ST=Scotland, L=Edinburgh, O=3Com, OU=3Com,
CN=L2TP Client/emailAddress=user@3Com.com
    Subject Public Key Info:
      Public Key Algorithm: rsaEncryption
      RSA Public Key: (1024 bit)
      Modulus (1024 bit):
        00:b3:5e:65:5c:45:0f:d6:f7:ad:51:09:5f:ab:d1:
        bd:b5:28:0a:86:e0:48:82:06:4d:4a:77:5d:db:10:
```



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4c:e4:25:52:16:f2:75:98:8f:b9:2d:88:60:cb:6e:
97:56:b2:3c:e4:af:46:d6:d6:b1:1b:f6:4e:40:65:
fb:ab:92:7f:8a:9a:48:1d:28:46:e7:81:ec:85:58:
8f:1d:70:36:bf:2f:05:2d:a0:ef:7d:47:e4:9d:a7:
1f:a2:0e:76:5f:ce:60:f0:76:ae:2c:16:f6:f1:a9:
73:df:99:be:35:8c:e9:3a:10:87:e5:ae:a4:93:33:
93:5b:08:5a:76:f7:db:a4:a1
Exponent: 65537 (0x10001)
X.509v3 extensions:
  X.509v3 Basic Constraints:
    CA:FALSE
  Netscape Comment:
    OpenSSL Generated Certificate
  X.509v3 Subject Key Identifier:
    C4:C1:ED:A8:8A:16:F9:6F:95:8F:5C:26:CC:DE:0E:9A:F0:81:95:D6
  X.509v3 Authority Key Identifier:

keyid:BF:73:F9:05:25:14:B6:B7:CC:BE:13:52:6D:C7:08:1A:03:EA:4C:34

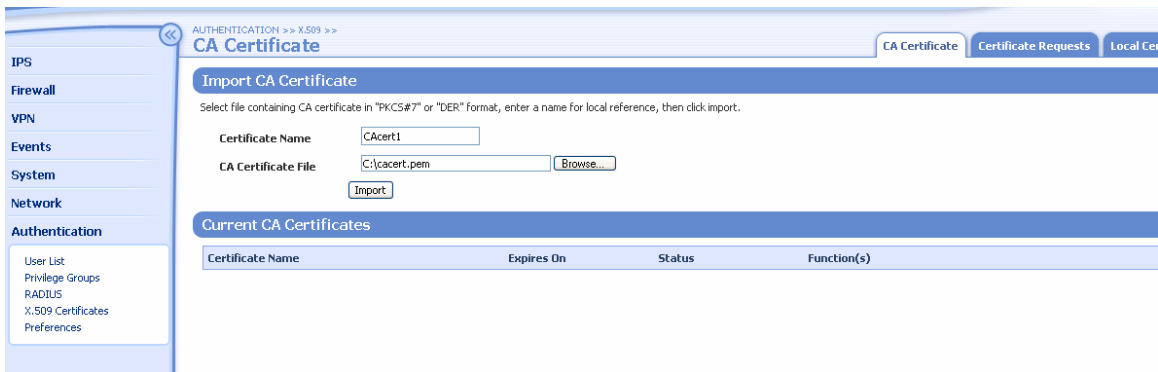
DirName:/C=GB/ST=England/L=London/O=3Com/OU=3Com/CN=MyCA/emailAddress=t
est@3Com.com
serial:00

Signature Algorithm: md5WithRSAEncryption
66:04:78:07:ee:fa:d7:b8:6c:1a:93:d1:4f:dc:b5:f0:3f:29:
0d:1c:d5:d1:ee:3d:72:77:89:6c:a4:b0:30:ff:e3:2c:a5:a9:
b6:35:82:21:05:50:8a:cb:05:6d:14:2c:12:03:e0:7a:1b:cf:
29:81:25:7b:99:bb:74:7e:88:e1:bf:1e:6a:6e:dc:4a:af:13:
32:79:bb:19:58:29:9a:f3:50:fc:10:f0:fa:aa:28:50:cf:5a:
e3:e1:ce:5b:54:3f:f3:dc:17:01:c5:eb:df:28:ee:fb:ae:53:
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e4:aa
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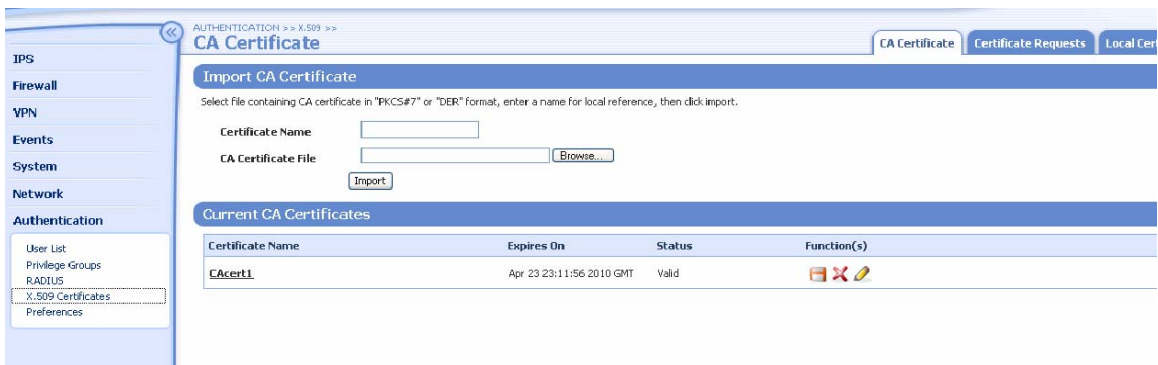
```

issFbRQsEgPgehvPKYE1e5m7dH6I4b8eam7cSq8TMnm7GVgpmvNQ/BDw+qooUM9a
4+HOW1Q/89wXAcXr3yju+65TQXjEXZ94qTdkVzc3TdbYQYF15Ko=
-----END CERTIFICATE-----
Signed certificate is in newcert.pem
[test]:
[test]:
[test]: #####
[test]: # Convert to PKCS#12 incorporating CA and Local Certificates #
[test]: #####
[test]:
[test]: openssl pkcs12 -export -in newcert.pem -inkey newreq.pem -
certfile demoCA/cacert.pem -out l2tpclient.p12
Enter pass phrase for newreq.pem:
Enter Export Password:
Verifying - Enter Export Password:
[test]:
[test]: ls *.p12
l2tpclient.p12 X505.p12
[test]:
    
```

2. Import the CA certificate onto the X-family



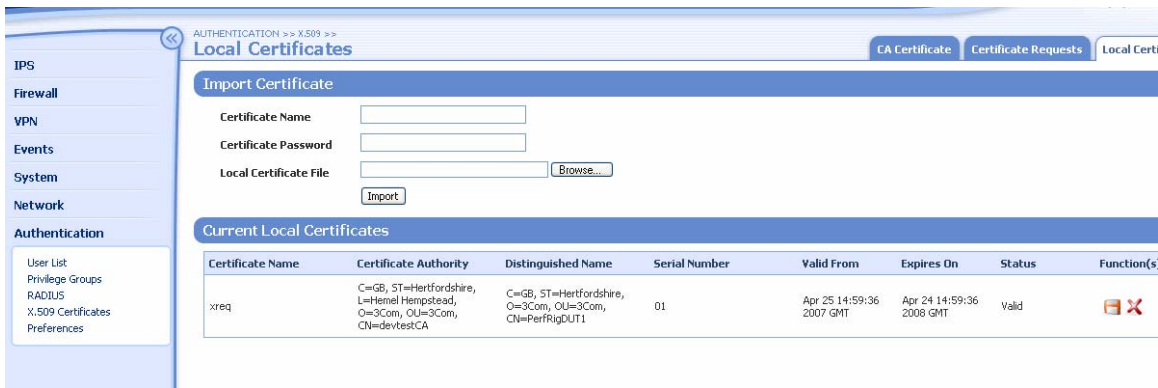
Status of imported Certificate should be "Valid".



3. Import the local certificate into the X-family.

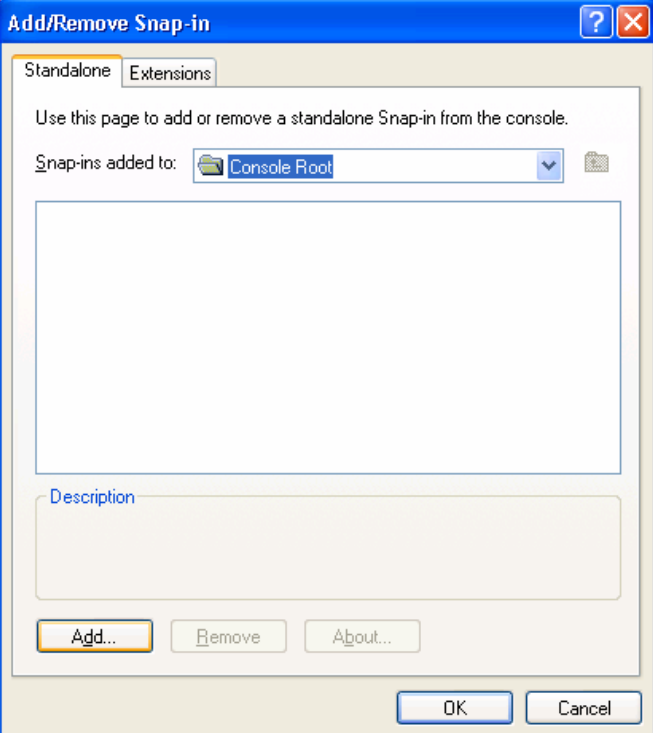
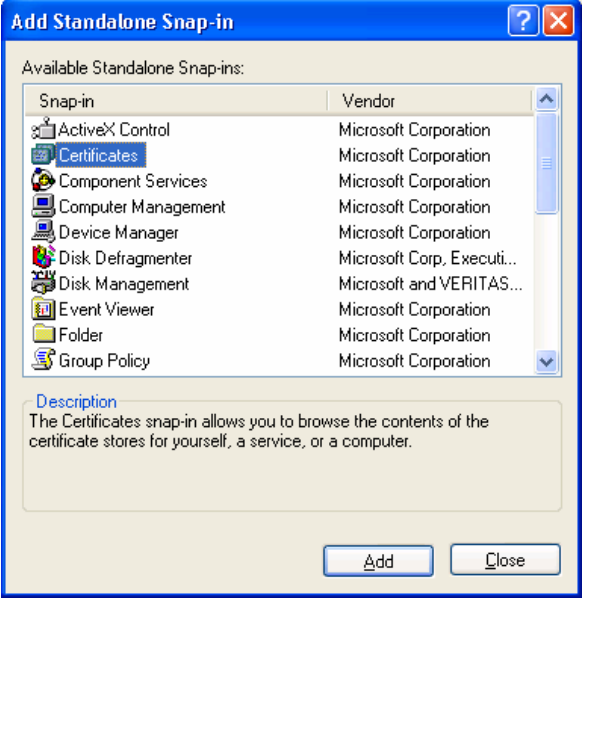
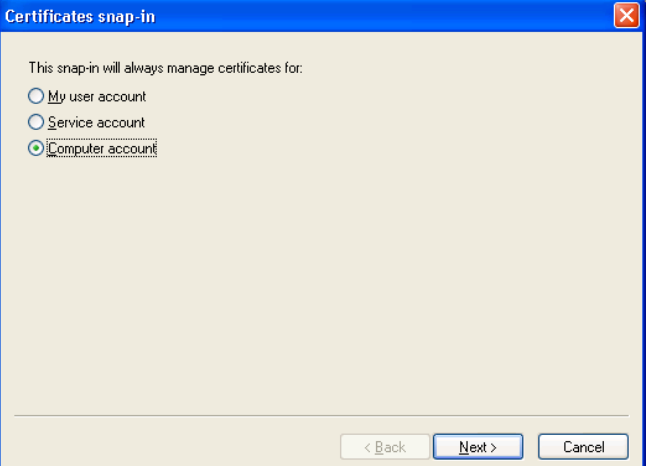
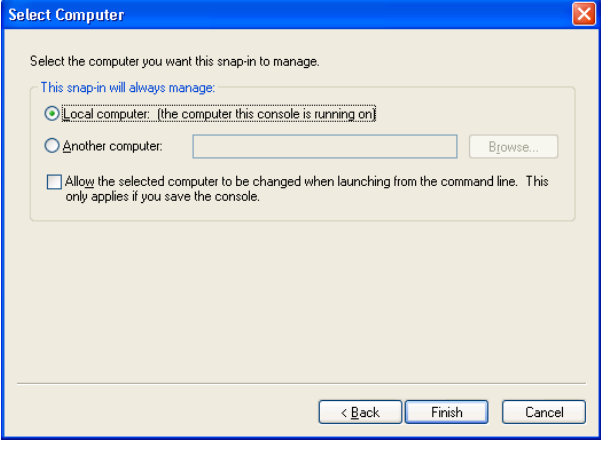


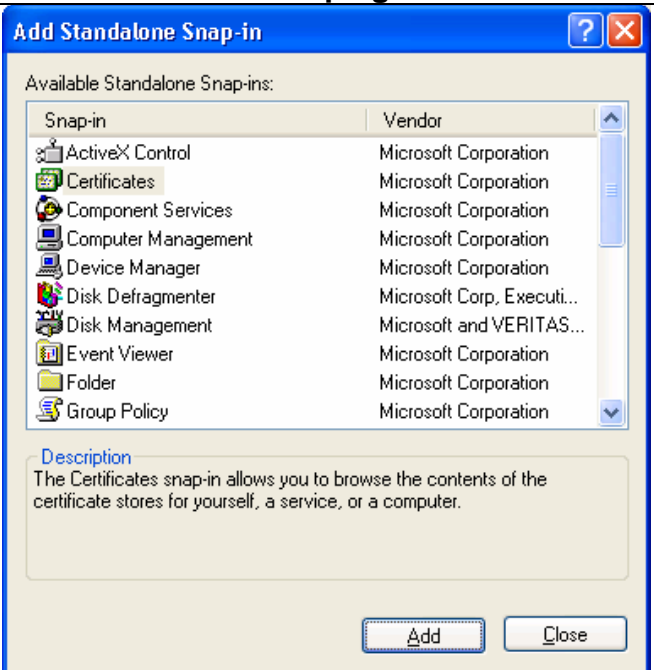
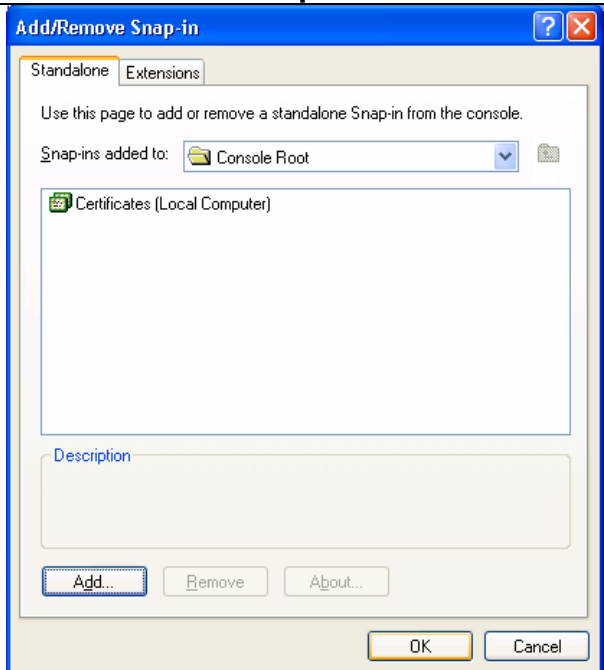
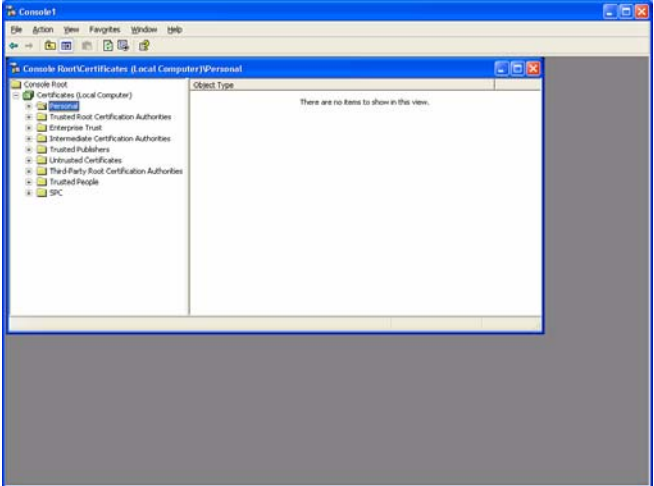
The certificate should appear in the Local Certificates tab and status should be “Valid”.



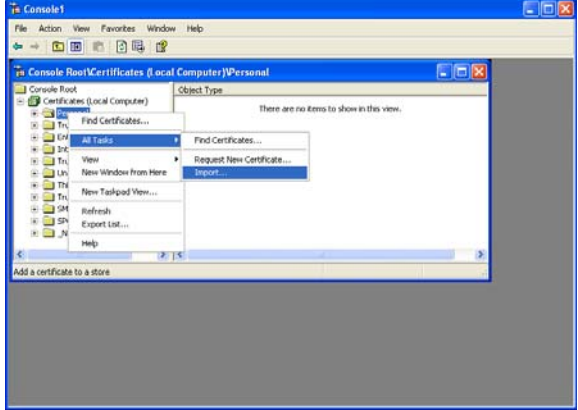

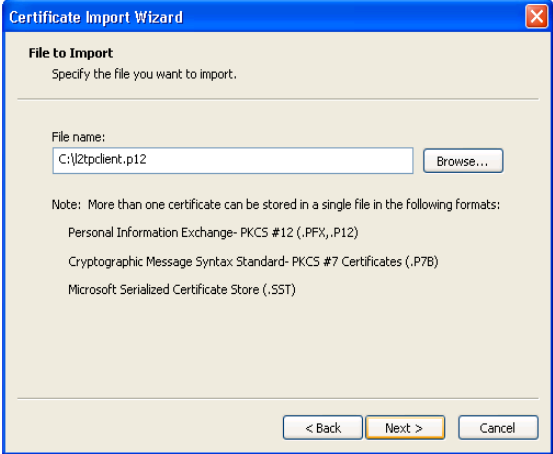

4. Setup the Windows XP PC for Certificate Import.


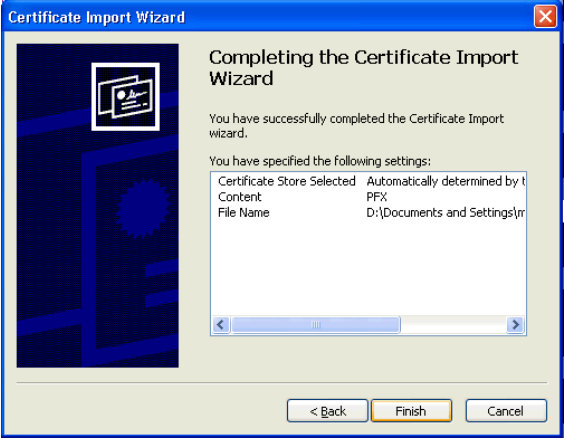
Step 8a	Step 8b
<p>Open “Run” window and type “mmc” and hit return.</p>	<p>MMC opens. Select File &gt; Add/Remove Snap-in</p>

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 8c</b></p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 8d</b></p> 
<p>Click "Add".</p>	<p>Select Certificates and click Add.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 8e</b></p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 8f</b></p> 
<p>Select Computer account and click Next.</p>	<p>Leave Local Computer selected and click Finish.</p>

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 8g</b></p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 8h</b></p> 
<p>Click Close.</p>	<p>Click OK.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 8i</b></p> 	
<p>To save this console, on the File menu, click Save.</p>	

- 1) Use the MMC Certificates Snap-in to import the CA certificate as a Trusted Root Certificate and the local certificate as a Personal certificate.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 2a</b></p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 2b</b></p> 
<p>Open the Certificates folder and right click Personal, go to All Tasks then click Import</p>	<p>The Certificate Import Wizard starts.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 2c</b></p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Step 2d</b></p> 
<p>Browse to locate the certificate file and click Next. Ensure you set the filename type mask to .p12 to see your certificate.</p>	<p>Enter the password used when the PKCS#12 certificate was created. Click Next.</p>

Step 2e	Step 2f
	
<p>Select where to store the certificate in the store and click Next. Select “Automatic” to place the CA in the Trusted Root Certificates Authority store, and the local certificate in the Personal store. This is necessary. <i>Do not</i> use "Place all certificates in the following store: Personal”.</p>	<p>Complete the Certificate Import Wizard by clicking Finish.</p>

### 5.3 Configuring the X-Family VPN to use the Certificate.

- 1) Configure the X-Family for Pre-Shared Key as shown in Section 4.
- 2) Edit the IKE proposal.
  - h) Navigate to VPN > IKE Proposals.
  - i) Click the pencil icon next to the IKE Proposal used for the Default SA.
  - j) Change the “Authentication Type” pulldown to “X.509 Certificate” and select the imported certificate name. (There will only be one certificate in the list.)

The screenshot displays the configuration interface for IKE Phase 1 and Phase 2. The left sidebar contains a navigation menu with the following items: IPS, Firewall, VPN (with sub-items: IPSec Status, IKE Proposals, L2TP Status, PPTP Status), Events, System, Network, and Authentication. The main content area is titled 'IKE Phase 1 Setup' and includes the following fields:

- Proposal Name:** DES-SHA1-PSK
- Encryption:** DES-CBC
- Integrity:** SHA-1
- Diffie-Hellman Group:** 1 (768 bits)
- Lifetime:** 28800 seconds
- Authentication Type:** X.509 Certificate
- Local Certificate:** xreq
- Options:**
  - Only accept peer certificates signed by CAcert1
  - Enable Aggressive Mode
  - Local ID Type: Distinguished Name
  - Peer ID Type: Distinguished Name
  - Enable NAT Traversal
  - Enable Dead Peer Detection
  - Automatically connect phase 1 on system start-up
  - Automatically connect phase 2
  - Delete Phase 2 SA when Phase 1 SA terminates

Below the Phase 1 setup is the 'IKE Phase 2 Setup' section with the following fields:

- Encryption:** ESP DES-CBC
- Integrity:** ESP SHA-1-HMAC
- Lifetime:** 3600 seconds
- Diffie-Hellman Group:** 1 (768 bits)
- Options:**
  - Enable Perfect Forward Secrecy
  - Enable strict ID checking of local network
  - Use ID of 0.0.0.0/0 for local and remote networks

At the bottom of the configuration area, there are 'Save' and 'Cancel' buttons.

Click “Save”.

The X-family device is now ready to use certificates.



## 5.4 Configuring the Windows XP PC to use Certificates

- 1) Configure the Windows XP PC L2TP/IPSec client as shown in Section 4, but do not perform step 3c. (i.e. Do not enable the checkbox “Use pre-shared key for authentication” nor enter the pre-shared key.)
- 2) Click OK to get back to the username/password prompt. Enter the user details configured on the X-family for the local user - this must match Step 8 where the local user name and password were configured on the X-family. **Note: Remember both username and passwords are case sensitive**



Connection to X-family should now be established.

## 6 Troubleshooting L2TP Tunnels

The following is a list of things to check if the L2TP tunnel cannot be established or does not operate correctly:

- a) On the X-family – ensure that the Strong Encryption package has been loaded (this shows on the LSM home screen as “Encryption: 256 bit” at the bottom of the Product Specification column.
- b) On the X-family - ensure that the default IPSec SA is set to:
  - SA enabled
  - Enable GRE and L2TP
  - Phase 1 and 2 encryption set to 3DES (or AES 128)
  - Phase 1 and 2 authentication set to SHA1
  - Phase 1 Diffie-Hellman set to 2
  - Phase 2 PFS **not** enabled.
- c) If using RADIUS, check the separate RADIUS Technical Note.
- d) Check the firewall policy rules allow:
  - Service IPSec from the WAN zone to this-device.
  - Service L2TP from the zone configured in L2TP Server to this-device.
  - From this-device to ANY for ANY service. (There is an implicit “hidden” rule for this so no explicit rule is required unless an explicit deny rule has been added to the table).

It is worth checking the Block Log on the X-family to see if the connection is being refused. This may require you to enable “Logging” on the Block rules in the firewall that you suspect may be blocking the request.

If you are using Pre-Shared Key:

- a) Ensure that the X-family is using exactly the same Shared-Secret/Pre-Shared Key character string as the XP PC. Shared-Secrets/Pre-shared Keys on the X-family must be at least eight characters long.

If you are using X.509 certificates:

- a) On X-family - ensure that the correct certificate name is selected on the IKE proposal.
- b) On both - ensure that the certificate is signed by a trusted CA. Failure to do this will result in Windows XP refusing to use the certificate for L2TP/IPSec connections.