Is it absolutely necessary to manually configure IIS6 to use ASP.NET MVC?

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I have a web hosting that replied to me it was not possible to alter the IIS6 settings to set the mapping of .mvc to the Asp.Net ISAPI dll, nor enable Wildcard Application Mappings.

In short, I cannot change any IIS setting.

Is there any way to run ASP.NET Mvc in that conditions?

Note: I read a few related questions here about this, but didn't understand them in some cases, and it wasn't what I needed in others. I'd appreciate it if before closing this one as duplicate, there was an explanation as to why, and perhaps a paraphrasing of another question.
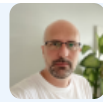
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forums.asp.net/p/1239943/2294813.aspx – Gulzar Nazim
Feb 20, 2009 at 16:14

is it possible to try adding the route specified in that post to end up in *.mvc.aspx? – Gulzar Nazim Feb 20, 2009 at 16:15

so even the mapping for .aspx does not exist and cannot be done? – Gulzar Nazim Feb 20, 2009 at 16:18

The mapping to .aspx exists, I have another site with webforms working there... I like that re-routing of .mvc.aspx thing; it looks like it doesn't require configuration at the iis level – juan Feb 20, 2009 at 16:19

I'll have to try it later, why don't you post it as a reply? :) – juan Feb 20, 2009 at 16:22

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if mapping to .aspx exist, try the solution found here to add a route to end up in *.mvc.aspx

```
routes.Add(new Route("{controller}.mvc.aspx/{action}",
{
    Defaults = new RouteValueDictionary (new{ controll
});
```

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answered Feb 20, 2009 at 16:24

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Or just .aspx routes.MapRoute("Main", "{controller}/{action}.aspx", new { controller = "Home", action = "Index" }); routes.MapRoute("Default", "", new { controller = "Home", action = "Index" }); – veggerby Feb 20, 2009 at 17:31

I could actually make it work with the mapping by veggerby for some reason the other one didn't work. Until veggerby comes back and posts as an answer, this will be the accepted one. Thanks all! – juan Feb 20, 2009 at 23:48

For what I investigated you have to ways, one is to tell IIS that all pages has to go thru ASP.NET - gif , css etc. - this way asp.net knows how to process every page. The other is to write a HttpModule, or something like this. I did the first one. I dont believe that you have any other option.

Maybe this will help: ASP.NET MVC on IIS6

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But I cannot touch IIS configuration, so #1 is not an option for me – juan Feb 20, 2009 at 16:15