Enabling Remote Desktop Connection

Before you can use RDP to access a server, you must enable remote access on the server. To do that, follow these steps (on the server computer, not your desktop computer):

Open the Control Panel and click System.

This step brings up the System settings page.

2. Click the Remote Settings link.

The remote access options appear, as shown in Figure 24-5.

- 3. Select the Allow Remote Connections to This Computer radio button.
- 4. Click OK.

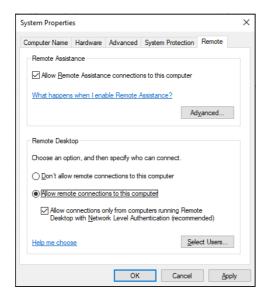


FIGURE 24-5: Configuring remote access.

You're done!

You can click the Select Users button to create a list of users who are authorized to access the computer remotely. Note that the account you're logged in with when you enable RDP is automatically granted access, so you don't have to add yourself.