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Passwordstate

Pre-installation Checklist

Prior to beginning your installation of Passwordstate, it's important to consider the pre-requisites required for your Web and Database servers.

Please use the following as a guide prior to running the Passwordstate windows installer.

Web Server

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Database Server

- Is your SQL Server configured for mixed-mode authentication (Active Directory Accounts cannot be used to authenticate against the database)? ☐
- Is your SQL Server installed using a Named Instance?
(SQL Server Expressed is installed with the named install SQLEXPRESS by default, and you will need this value during the Initial Setup Wizard of Passwordstate) ☐
- Do you have an SQL Account available to you with sufficient privileges to create a database and appropriate tables (like the 'sa' SQL Account)?
(You need to use an SQL Server account to create the database, not an Active Directory account) ☐

If you intend to use the free version of Microsoft's SQL Server (SQL Server Express), you can download it from this location - <http://www.microsoft.com/sqlserver/en/us/editions/express.aspx> and instructions for installing can be found here - http://new.clickstudios.com.au/downloads/Installing_SQLServerExpress_2012.pdf

DNS

1. Have you created a DNS entry for the URL you wish to use to access Passwordstate? ☐

There are two options to for the URL you use to access Passwordstate. During the Windows installer you can choose to simply use the web server's host name to access the site, or you can specify your own custom URL.

To specify you own custom URL, you will need to create a CNAME DNS entry which points to the host name of your web server. For example, you can create a DNS entry called Passwordstate, and point this to your host name. Then you can access the site via <http://passwordstate>