# **RDBConnect FTP/S Connection Setup**

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### 1. Windows FTP Server Setup

Set up a FTP server on a Windows 2016 Server

- Use the IIS Manager Application
- Add FTP Site
- Specify the name of your FTP Site and Path

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### Figure 1-1

• Specify the port you would like to use and if SSL is required

Binding		
IP Address:	Port:	
	31	
Virtual Host (example: 1	nes: (tp.contoso.com):	
Start FTP site automatical	y	
No SSL		
O Allow SSL		
Require SSL		
<ul> <li>Require SSL</li> <li>SSL Certificate:</li> </ul>		 

#### Figure 1-2



• Specify Authentication type and Authorization (User ID must be created prior to this)

Add FTP Site				?	×
Authentication and Authoriz	ation Informatio	on			
Authentication Anonymous Basic					
Authorization Allow access to: Specified users FTPUser	~				
Permissions ☑ Read ☑ Write					
	Previous	Next	Finish	Cancel	

Figure 1-3

- Start the new FTP Server using Port 31 (Default Port is 21)
- Create an Inbound/Outbound Firewall rule

Protocols and	Ports	Scope	Advanced	Loca	l Principals	Remote Us
General		Program	is and Services	3	Remote	e Computers
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	RDBFTP	1				
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Action	_					
	Allow	the connec	tion			
	) Allow	the connec	ction if it is secu	ire		
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0	Block	the conne	ction			

Figure 1-4

• Restart the Microsoft FTP Service

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🔍 Services (Local)	Services (Local)					
,	Microsoft FTP Service	Name	Description	Status	Startup Type	
	Stop the service Pause the service Bestart the service	Qi Microsoft App-V Client Microsoft Edge Update Service (edgeupdate) Microsoft Edge Update Service (edgeupdatem)	Manages A Keeps your Keeps your		Disabled Automatic (Delayed Start, Manual (Trigger Start)	Trigger
	Description: Enables this server to be a File Transfer Protocol (FTP) server. If this service is stopped, the server cannot function as an FTP server. If this	Microsoft FTP Service     Microsoft SCSI initiator Service     Microsoft Passport     Microsoft Passport     Microsoft Passport Container     Microsoft Software Shadow Copy Provider     Microsoft Software Soaces SMP	Enables this Manages In Provides pr Manages Io Manages so Host service	Running	Automatic Manual Manual (Trigger Start) Manual (Trigger Start) Manual Manual	

### Figure 1-5



### 2. Create IBMi Connection to FTP server

Connection is similar to any other connection

- Create a connection on the IBMi Side
- Use Command RDBCFG -> F6=Create New Connection

Remote Server Id.:       FTP198_31         Description:       FTP Connection to 198 Server Using Port 31         Database Type:       RDBFTP (F4=Prompt)         I/P - Host Name:       10.1.1.198         Port #:       31 (F4=TestPort)         Local Directory:       /Prodata/RDBFTPFiles         Remote Directory:       C:\RDBConnectFTP         User Name:       FTPUser         Password:       E		
Description:       FTP Connection to 198 Server Using Port 31         Database Type:       RDBFTP (F4=Prompt)         I/P - Host Name:       10.1.1.198         Port #:       31 (F4=TestPort)         Local Directory:       /Prodata/RDBFTPFiles         Remote Directory:       C:\RDBConnectFTP         User Name:       FTPUser         Password:       FTPUser		
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(F4= User Name: <u>FTPUser</u> Password:	F4=Prompt)	
Password	F4=Prompt)	
F1=Help F3=Exit F4=Prompt F6=Save F12=Return		

### Figure 2-1

- Create a Firewall Inbound/outbound rule for Port 31
- Use F4=TestPort from the new RDB connection on IBMi to test your port number.

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Manage Remote Systems	
Remote Server Id.: FTP198_31	
_ Port Test Results	
Messages	
Verifying connection to port 31 serviceSuccess!	
Done	
Done	
	More
F3=Exit F12=Cancel	
F1=Help F3=Exit F4=Prompt F6=Save F12=Return	
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#### Figure 2-2

- You should see this message above if everything works or you'll get an error message if your IBMi can't get through the specified port number.
- You must stop and start the Microsoft FTP Service in order to connect from IBMi



• Test your connection from IBMi Option 9 from RDBCFG



#### Figure 2-3

- "Connection Established"
- Check your RDB tracelog file to verify any additional connection information

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Jan 6 10:59:16:379 CST 2023	Database type: RDBFTP
Jan 6 10:59:16:379 CST 2023	IP Address: 10.1.1.198
Jan 6 10:59:16:380 CST 2023	Port Number: 31
Jan 6 10:59:16:380 CST 2023	Catalog: /Prodata/RDBFTPFiles
Jan 6 10:59:16:380 CST 2023	Schema: C:\RDBConnectFTP
Jan 6 10:59:16:380 CST 2023	User: ftpuser
Jan 6 10:59:16:380 CST 2023	Password: *****
Jan 6 10:59:16:380 CST 2023	Class:
Jan 6 10:59:16:381 CST 2023	Connection String:
Jan 6 10:59:16:388 CST 2023	Loading:RDBFTP
Jan 6 10:59:16:388 CST 2023	Loading Driver.
Jan 6 10:59:16:388 CST 2023	Connecting to:10.1.1.198
Jan 6 10:59:16:388 CST 2023	FIP Connect to Client
Jan 6 10:59:16:438 UST 2023	FIP reply: ZZ0 Microsoft FIP Service
Jan 6 10:59:16:487 USI 2023	RUBFIP Properties(inCharSet=UPU3/, outCharSet=US=HSC11)
Jan 6 10:09:16:400 UST 2023	FTP Dut Character Set; UP037
Jan 6 10:09:16:400 UST 2023	FIP OUT UNAFACTOR Set: US-HSUII
Jan 6 10:03:16:012 LST 2020	FTP CONFECTED to Server; 10,1,1,130
Jan 6 18,09,16:512 UST 2823	FIP SCRUCK Repty: 200 Type Set to 1.
F3=Exit F10=Display Hex	F12=Cancel F15=Services F16=Repeat find F19=Left F29=Right
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### 3. Source Code Examples

• Example below uses all parameters available in RDBFTPPUT

```
/FREE
Id = RdbConnect('FTP198');
If Id \ge 0;
 // After the connection is established.
 vFileName = 'TestFile.txt';
 vLocDir = '/home/QPGMR/';
 vRmtDir = '\TestFTP';
 // This API will send a file over to your FTP Server.
 rc = RdbFtpPut(Id:
   vFileName:
   vLocDir:
   vRmtDir);
 //
 if rc <0;
  RdbError(@ErrId: @ErrText);
 endif;
```

• Example below does NOT use all parameters available in RDBFTPPUT

```
/FREE
Id = RdbConnect('FTP198');
If Id >= 0;
 //
 // After the connection is established.
 vFileName = 'readme.txt';
 //This API will use your connections default local and remote directories
 rc = RdbFtpPut(Id:
   %trim(vFileName));
 //
 if rc <0;
  RdbError(@ErrId: @ErrText);
 endif;
EndIf;
RdbClose(Id);
//
*Inlr = *On;
/END-FREE
```