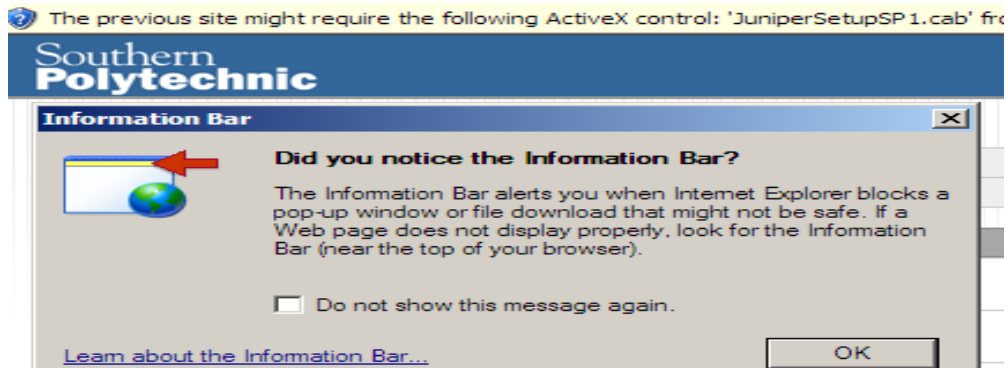
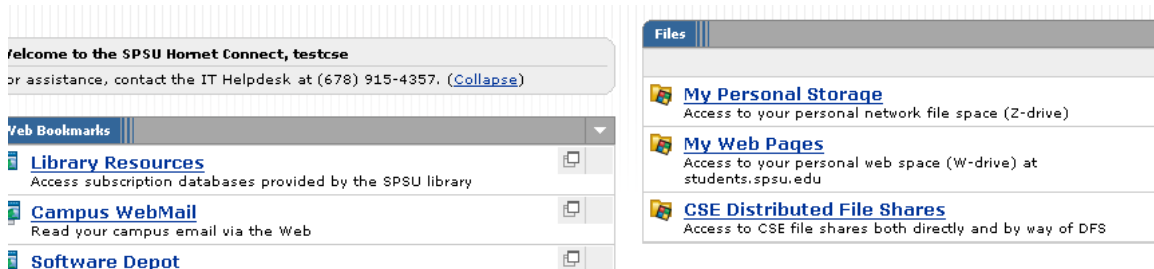


## CONNECTING TO, AND INITIALIZING, THE SPSU VPN

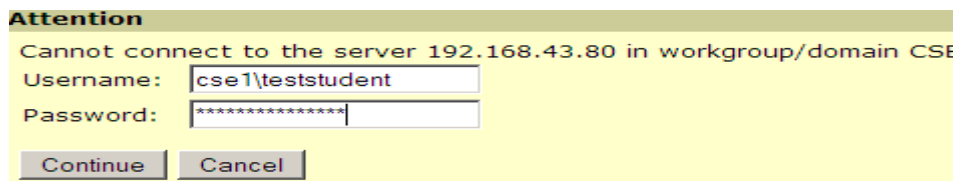
1. Use Microsoft Internet Explorer 6 or 7 to connect to <http://connect.spsu.edu>
2. Login using your SPSU email account username and password.
3. If your browser is not configured to automatically download activeX controls, you may be prompted to authorize installation of a control. In the following example (from Internet Explorer) you must click on the yellow information bar entitled “The previous site might require the following ActiveX control ...” and OK the install.



4. Installation of the control and initialization of the vpn client will take a little time and you may receive additional messages asking you to authorize various steps of the initialization. When initialization completes your browser window should look similar to the following example



5. You may now open the “CSE Distributed File Shares” Link to access your home folder and other shared folders on CSE Lab servers. When prompted, enter your CSE1 userid and password in the format shown in the following example:



6. Your browser window should now display links to folders in the CSE Lab home folder tree. After navigating to your own folder, you may use the upload and download buttons to transfer files between the CSE lab server and your own home folder.

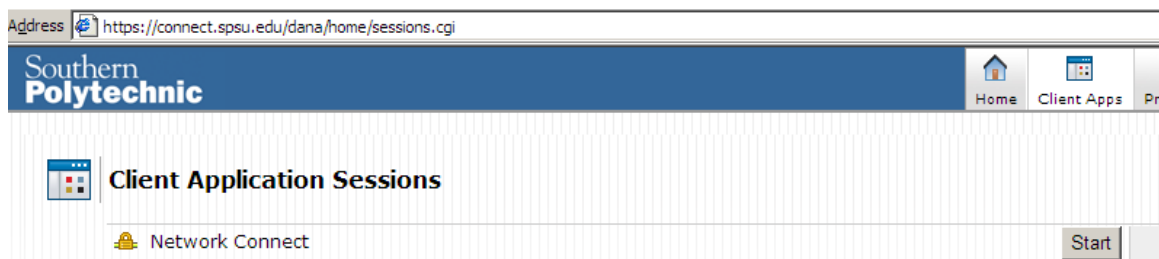



Name	Type	Size	Modified
<input type="checkbox"/> LAB-ASST	Folder		Wed Sep 20 17:45:
<input type="checkbox"/> MSQCache	Folder		Fri Aug 25 09:37:45
<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER-ACCTS	Folder		Wed Oct 11 09:54:
<input type="checkbox"/> RECYCLER	Folder		Wed Jul 19 16:14:2
<input type="checkbox"/> SHARED	Folder		Thu Oct 12 12:58:1
<input type="checkbox"/> STUDENT	Folder		Mon Oct 2 17:38:00
<input type="checkbox"/> System Volume Information	Folder		Tue Oct 10 15:05:0
<input type="checkbox"/> T-ASST	Folder		Wed Oct 11 10:48:

## **STARTING A VPN CLIENT APPLICATION SESSION TO ACCESS OTHER CSE LAB SERVERS**

Students enrolled in some courses may have VPN access to selected TCP ports (SSH, SFTP, HTTP/HTTPS and database listening ports, etc) on other CSE Lab servers. To access these servers it is necessary to start a VPN Client Session using the following procedure:


1. Connect to <http://connect.spsu.edu> as described above. When the session window opens choose the Client Apps menu button. In the Client Application Sessions window, click “Start”.



After a short delay and more initialization messages, an orange icon shaped like a padlock  should appear in the system tray on Windows Taskbar at the bottom of your desktop window.

This icon indicates your vpn session is connected giving you access to the TCP ports listed in the “CSE VPN Resource List” in the connect.spsu.edu home page menu. (Other ports on selected servers may be open in some cases).

At this point you will need to consult the instructions provided by your instructor to logon to the server you will be using for your class exercise. You may now close the connect.spsu.edu browser window if you wish to do so.

2. When you are finished with your vpn session, you will need to disconnect it. To do so, right click on the  icon and select sign out. The icon will disappear when the session has ended.

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