

MIGRATING YOUR COMPUTER

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Agenda

Brief presentation on obvious methods

Available migrating software

Migrating hardware

Discussion by all on methods used by members

Migration Methods

1. Move old hard drive to new computer, or
2. Reinstall applications and data, or
3. Commercial programs, transfer applications and data, or
4. Start from scratch, or
4. Other

Techniques

1. Transfer files, applications, and OS
2. Critical file transfers using intermediate storage, backup storage devices, software to facilitate the transfer
3. Computer-to-computer software and direct cable connections to populate new computer
4. Other

Netlink

- USB to USB Direct / NetLink Bridge cable provides driverless Host-to-Host linking
- USB High-Speed USB to Full-Speed USB 1.1
- Cable enables the host to run under the appropriate speed without additional drivers

ThunderBird Link

- Driverless Solution for Vista Operating System
- 6 foot USB Drag-n-Drop Data Transfer Cable
- Transfer files with a split screen application showing both Host and Remote Computer.
- OTi Chip inside DriverLess USB Transfer Link Cable is Flash Programmable to update EasySuite Software burned into Chip
- No driver installation required for Vista/XP/2000/2003/ME.

Transfer outlook express account settings from old computer to new computer

1. Attach Removable media to your computer system.
2. Open Outlook Express, click **Tools** from the menu 3. Select **Accounts** option
4. Number of mail accounts configured in Outlook Express will be displayed
5. Select account to be transferred
6. Click **Export** button from right panel of window
7. Window to save settings file on any other removable media will be displayed
8. Outlook Express mail account settings file saved in *mail.servername.IAF*
9. Saved on the removable media

Import settings from old computer to new computer

1. Attach the Removable media to drive.
2. Open Outlook Express
3. Click **Tools** from menu bar, select the **Accounts** option.
4. Click **Import** button, right panel of window
5. Select *mail.servername.IAF file*, click *Open*
6. .IAF file gets configured in Outlook Exp.

PCmover

Moves programs, files, and settings



PCMOVER

Migrating utility - moves programs, files, and settings to your new PC

Determines programs, files, settings to move

New computer will have *personality* and *functionality* of old PC

New computer will have all pre-installed software

Works with Windows operating systems 95 to Vista

Can choose which applications, folders and files to migrate

Can migrate your across a network, Laplink USB cable, Laplink parallel cable, Windows Easy Transfer Cable, or any type of removable media that can be read by both PCs.

PCmover moves programs, files, and settings:

Includes:

- Microsoft Office
- Photo Editing Software
- Design Programs
- PC Games
- Instant Messengers
- Financial and Tax Software
- Documents
- Spreadsheets
- Photos
- Videos
- Music
- Podcasts
- Desktop backgrounds
- Icons
- Shortcuts
- Browser Settings
- Favorites/Bookmarks
- Internet & Network Settings

DISCUSSION