

Creating a PPPoE Connection in Windows

For DSL connection to a single PC without a router

Start the Internet Connection Wizard by going to the Control Panel, double-clicking on Internet Options, clicking the tab at the top that says “Connections” and then clicking the Setup button.

When the wizard starts, click Next.



Select “Connect to the Internet” on the following screen. Click Next.

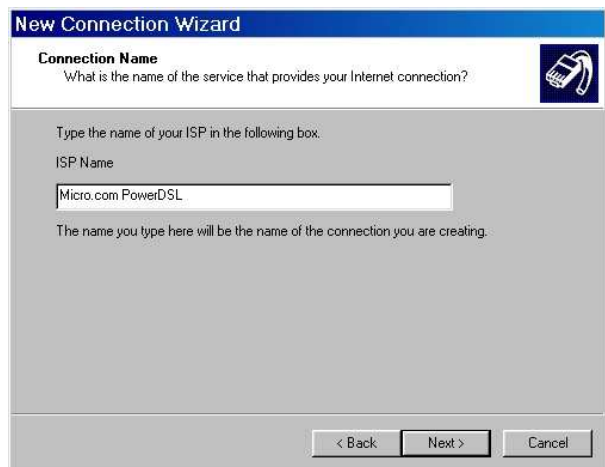
Select “Set up my connection manually” and click Next.





Select “Connect using a broadband connection that requires a username and password.” Click Next.

In the ISP Name field, type a name to refer to this connection. You can use “Micro.com PowerDSL” or some variation. It’s up to you.



On the Internet Account Information screen, your Username will be the 10-digit telephone number that your DSL service is active on @value.net (example: DSL installed on (123) 456-7890, username would be 1234567890@value.net).

Type the password as it was provided to you and confirm.

Check “Make this the default Internet connection.”

When all the information is entered correctly, click Next.



That's it! You have now created a PPPoE connection. You may add a shortcut to the desktop if you choose.

This connection will be used similar to a dial-up connection, except the use of your phone line will not be affected while you are connected. Additionally, the connection process is much quicker, and there is no need to disconnect while the service is not in use.

For more advanced connection options, or to share the DSL connection between computers, a router should be used. A router, such as the Linksys WRT54G (wireless with 4 port wired switch) will allow you to maintain an "always on" DSL connection without having to set up a connection in Windows. The connection will also be shared to each computer connected either wirelessly or wired.

For more information, or if you have questions or problems with your setup, please contact Micro.com PowerDSL support at 1-866-377-5212.