

ROX Samba Browser

A ROX app Samba/SMB (Windows) share browser

- Click on the blue Network scan icon to scan your network for shared folders. A drive icon labeled "server name"--"share name" will be created in this folder for each share you choose.
- Click on the newly created drive icon to mount the share.
- Right click on the drive icon and select "Unmount this share" when you are done. **Be sure to do this BEFORE you delete a drive icon!**
- Right click on the scan icon and select "Set options" to configure the app. The options include:

Scan on port 445 instead of port 139: Some SMB servers are configured to run on port 445.

Connect with SMB version 1 by default: Older Samba servers may only support version 1, this includes Fatdog64 prior to version 720. You will need to have this box checked if you want to scan for these servers and create working drive icons. Please note that version 1 is slower and less secure.

- **Use the utf-8 character set:** Specify utf-8 as the character set.

Specify a different subnet to scan: By default the scanner only scans the last octet of a /24 network. This lets you change the first three octets to something else.

Specify the timeout for the port scan: The default timeout is 5 seconds for the port scanner. You can make this higher if your network is very very slow, or lower to speed the scanning up.

To start sharing files from this computer, open the Control Panel, click on the System tab, and then double click on Manage Servers and Services. Click on samba and then Start to run the service. Click Enable if you want the Samba server to run at each boot. After you start the Samba server your Downloads folder will be shared on the network without any password. If you want to add a password protected folder, you will need to edit /etc/samba/smb.conf. Inside of smb.conf there is an example of a private share.