

## Sharepoint Workspace Questions

I need to create around 4,000 workspaces or subsites in WSS 2.0. (Each workspace needs a document library, Photo Library, Announcemt section) How many Document workspaces or subsites can a toplevel site have?

Answer :: The only limit is the file sizes and the amount of disk space you have available on your data server.

Other than that, I've never seen any sites with more than 2,147,483,647 sites/pages, which is my theoretical limit. .... [Read More](#)

I am trying to set up a excel worksheet that can be used by multiple users. Is it possible to set up an excel worksheet (that is not a shared workbook, just a shared workspace) that multiple people can edit at the same time on a sharepoint server? (I can't use a shared workbook because I need to use VBA code.)

When multiple people try to use the same workspace right now, only the first person can write back. How do I fix it so that multiple people can write at the same time?

Note: Due to work restrictions, we have completely removed the messenger service from all of our computers.

Answer :: This is the same situation in my Dept.

We share a drive and save things on it. Sometimes we create an excel template, that when you click on it twice it opens a copy that you can work on, modify, and save... without ruining the template... which will stay there. If you are saving a worksheet, i dont believe two people can use the same one cuz one will be able to open it, the other will be on read only mode, and thus cannot modify or change anything in it! .... [Read More](#)

Hi, I have a question regarding Sharepoint document workspaces. I've uploaded several excel 2003 workbook files to a document workspace that could be worked on (at the same time) by all the employees within our department. However, I've run into a number of roadblocks – basically the system doesn't allow you and another user to have the file open at the same time and save your and the other users' changes at the same time. It's funny you can share the workbook in the way I want on a network drive, however, once on SharePoint it can be only be changed one user at a time. I've read online that this is pretty much one of the limitations. A user may only sign out a document, work on it, save changes and than Sign it back in – enabling another user to sign it out for his/her edits. Our company is currently using SharePoint 3.0 / excel 2003 – would it be at all helpful upgrading to SharePoint 2007 or using excel 2007 – is this feature available in the later versions?

Answer :: In the Enterprise version of MOSS 2007, there is afeature called "Excel Services" that allows for some of what you might be trying to do.

If you want to have multiple people make edits to the same "Excel File" then you are out of luck with any document library solution, as the file will need to be checked in and out each time someone edits it, so that people are not overwriting other people's changes.

However, maybe Excel isn't what you want after all, if you create a list based on your Excel file (assuming your Excel File just has rows of simple data, not a lot of formulas, etc), then you can convert the Excel file into a Custom List, and everyone can edit that all the time or all at once, without any problems. If you want to re-

convert it to Excel and carry the information around somewhere, you still will have the ability to 'Export List to Spreadsheet" (on the actions menu).

Anyway, there is more than one way to skin this cat. .... [Read More](#)