

# How to Use the net Command

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## Introduction

This document describes how to use the **net** command to perform and view Microsoft Windows NT services and configurations. You can issue the **net** command in a Telnet session in order to stop or start pcAnywhere services on a Cisco Intelligent Contact Management (ICM) remote system.

**Note:** For more information on Telnet, refer to Using Telnet to Run Utilities on Remote Cisco ICM Terminals.

## Prerequisites

### Requirements

There are no specific requirements for this document.

### Components Used

This document is not restricted to specific software and hardware versions.

### Conventions

Refer to Cisco Technical Tips Conventions for more information on document conventions.

## Use of the net Command

The two most common options for this command are **net start** and **net stop**. These options start and stop Windows NT services. This example issues **net start** in order to determine which Windows NT services run and **net stop** in order to stop the pcAnywhere service.

**Note:** Notice the open quotation marks on `pcanywhere` in the command syntax. Open quotation marks are necessary if the service contains more than one word.

```
C:\WINNT\System32\cmd.exe
C:\>net start
These Windows NT services are started:

Alerter
Ataman Telnetd Server
Computer Browser
EventLog
ICR Inspect
License Logging Service
Messenger
Net Logon
Network Associates Alert Manager
Network Associates McShield
Network Associates Task Manager
NT LM Security Support Provider
pcANYWHERE Host Service
Plug and Play
Remote Access Autodial Manager
Remote Access Connection Manager
Remote Procedure Call (RPC) Service
Schedule
Server
Spooler
TCP/IP NetBIOS Helper
Telephony Service
Workstation

The command completed successfully.

C:\>net stop "pcanywhere host service"
```

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