

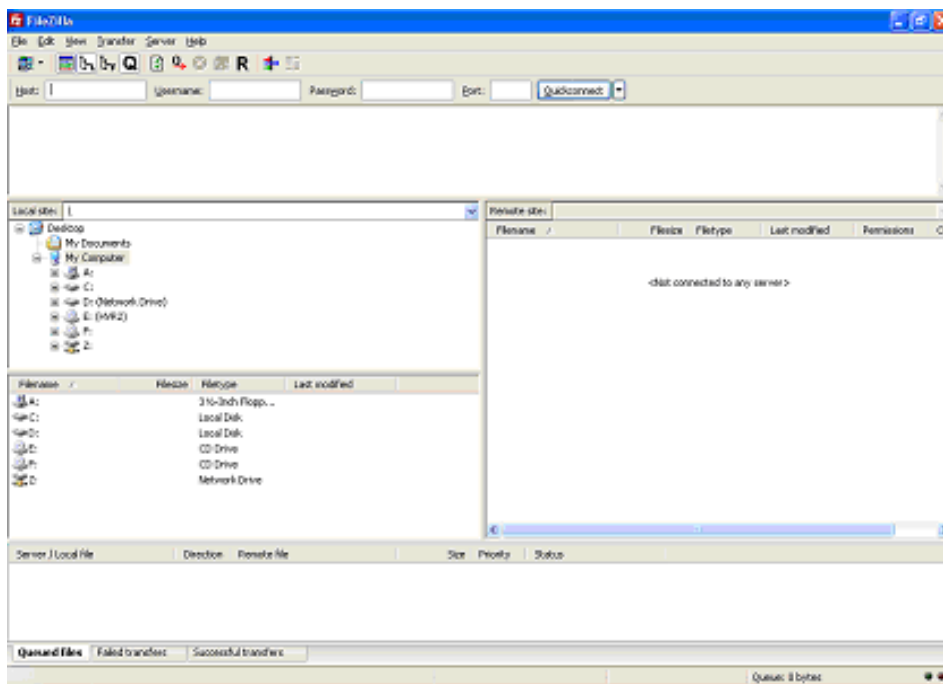
Introduction

The basics of FTP (File Transfer Protocol) have been explained in a previous tutorial. This tutorial provides a guide to transferring files with FileZilla, our recommended file transfer client.

FileZilla is a freely available open source program, the latest version is available from:
<http://filezilla-project.org/>

Transferring files

Once the application has been downloaded, installed and run you will be presented with the following screen:



FileZilla main screen

To initiate a connection to your web space, complete the input fields for Host, Username and Password. All our servers use the default ftp port (21) so the Port field may be left blank. The fields should be completed as follows:

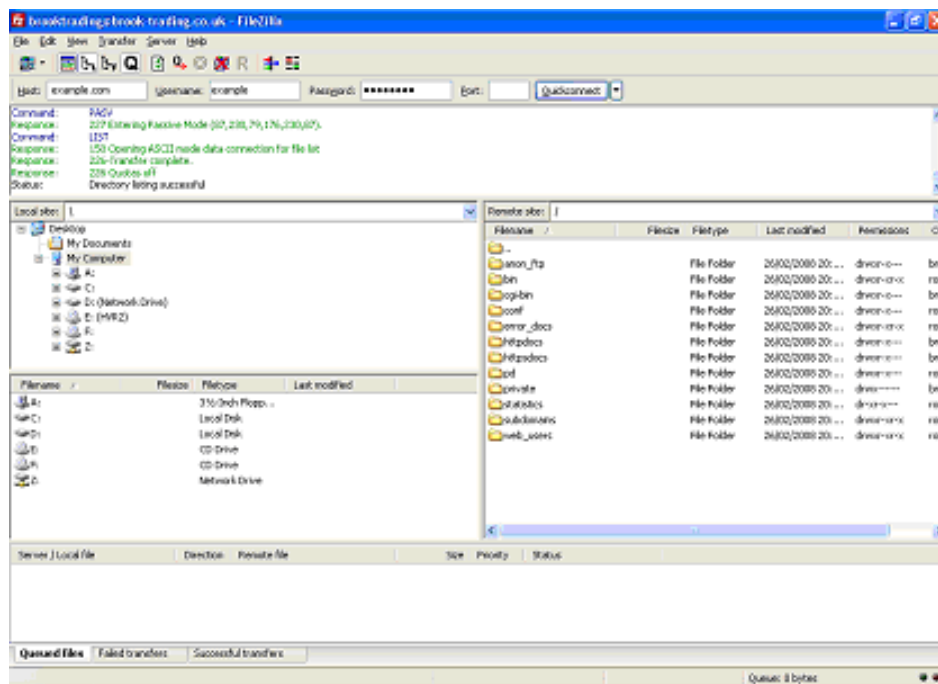
Host: ftp.example.com (where example.com is your domain)

Username: This is the user name setup for ftp access in Plesk

Password: This is the password setup for ftp access in Plesk

Port: 21 (This is the standard FTP port so may be set as default)

With the information entered click the 'Quick Connect' button. If all is correct FileZilla will connect to the server and the main screen will change to show the server directory structure in the right hand panel.



Main screen when connected to server

You are now ready to transfer files form your computer to your web space. Simply locate the file on your computer in the left hand panel and then drag to the appropriate directory in the right hand panel – this will initiate a file transfer to the server.

We also recommend that you read the general FTP transfer tutorial, which contains some important notes and a trouble shooting section.

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