PCLAB Browser and Proxy Settings

Access to Web sites outside the university of Sydney requires the correct setting of proxy information on PCLAB computers. PCLAB is a private network range an cannot access the internet directly. To access outside sites for teaching or research resources a departmental proxy server has been set up. Browser settings to use this server are as follows,

Firefox or Mozilla Proxy Settings (Manual)

HTTP: server2.aeromech.usyd.edu.au port 3128 HTTPS: server2.aeromech.usyd.edu.au port 3128 FTP: server2.aeromech.usyd.edu.au port 3128

Others are unnecessary

MS Internet Explorer Proxy Settings (Manual)

USE FOR ALL: server2.aeromech.usyd.edu.au, port 3128

You are allowed external access for teaching / research purposes. If you find that you are not allowed access to a commercial site, this is because it has not been registered as a teaching resource. If you think it should be added to the list please contact Doug Auld via the pcsupport@aeromech.usyd.edu.au email.

If you require access to a commercial site for your own purposes then this is possible by setting the proxy to be automatic and setting the server as http://www.usyd.edu.au/proxy.pac(automatic script) or www-cache.usyd.edu.au:8080(manual setting) . However you will need to have a registered ITS account (MyUni account). When accessing sites via this mode, you will be asked for your account details (username and password) and all traffic charges will be logged to your account.

A limited amount of FREE internet access is provided for all students (any site) in the LINK ACCESS LAB. Use your MyUNI account to access these machines.