

SLAV Remote Access Options - a quick comparison guide

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See [Introduction to Remote Access Services](#) for more information

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	IP Connectivity		Methods to Access the SLAC Internal Network (you may use this after you have established IP Connectivity)	
	Dialup The SLAC Dialup Service is scheduled to end 31 March 2008	DSL Not a service provided by SLAC.	Citrix/Windows Terminal Server farm	VPN/PPTP
Maximum Speed	56kb	up to 6.0Mbps downstream / up to 768Kbps upstream. Check with your Service Provider.	ISP speed	ISP speed
With in SLAC Firewall	No	Only if used with the Citrix/Windows Terminal Server farm or VPN/PPTP	Yes	Yes, with limitations
Encrypted Session*	No*	No*	Yes	Yes
Clients Available	Check with your Service Provider.	Check with your Service Provider.	WXP, W2K, NT, Win9x, Mac, UNIX/Linux	WXP, W2K, NT, Win98, Mac
Available Now	Check with your Service Provider.	Check with your Service Provider.	Yes	Yes
Cost	Check with your Service Provider.	Check with your Service Provider.	n/a	n/a
Comments	The SLAC Dialup Service is scheduled to end 31 March 2008	As of 30 July 2007 SLAC no longer pays for Residential High Speed Internet Service for individuals.	Recommended method for remote access to SLAC Windows resources. Provides secure tunnel to SLAC from public ISP. Works even over low bandwidth (e.g., dialup)	Provides secure tunnel to SLAC from public ISP. The recommended method for remote access to SLAC Windows resources is to connect via the Citrix/Windows Terminal Server farm rather than via VPN/PPTP.

*SSH software configured for particular applications should be used where the remote access is not encrypted.



[FAQ for Windows Remote Access](#) (security, how to access SLAC resources).

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