

## Fatal error: require\_once()...common.inc.php...

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### Error message/code:

Warning: require\_once(...client/inc/common.inc.php): failed to open stream: Invalid argument in ...index.php(28)  
Fatal error: require\_once(): Failed opening required '...client/inc/common.inc.php' (include\_path='...adminlib;...adminlib/Pear') in ...index.php(28)

### Description:

You can see this error after KBPublisher installation

### Solution:

Open file kbp\_dir/admin/config.inc.php and check paths values, make sure they are correct, update if necessary.  
\$\_SERVER['DOCUMENT\_ROOT'] variable, it should look like this

```
$_SERVER['DOCUMENT_ROOT'] = '/home/www/user/www'; // linux  
$_SERVER['DOCUMENT_ROOT'] = 'c:/interpub/wwwroot'; // windows
```

Example:

```
/* PATHS */  
$_SERVER['DOCUMENT_ROOT'] = '/home/www/user/www';  
$_SERVER['HTTP_HOST'] = 'localhost';  
  
// admin path  
$conf['admin_home_dir'] = '/kb/admin'; // path to kb admin dir, relative to DOCUMENT_ROOT  
  
// client path  
$conf['client_home_dir'] = '/kb'; // path to kb dir, relative to DOCUMENT_ROOT
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