

DIY Zoning: Background

1. The Beginning

Originally, this page was a collection of links pointing to [HVAC-Talk](#) threads. Some of those threads were technical discussions, some were flame wars. The HVAC community is definitely different from Open Source community, and whenever they get close, it gets quite [hot](#) :)

Then, couple of years into existence, the threads started to expire, and some of the information is gone forever. Luckily, some backups existed, and the [HVAC-Talk maintainer](#) generously granted a permission to publish the backups, so there.

Be aware that even though the backups were edited to make them "seamless", some broken links are probably still there. Whenever you find a broken link, go to [HVAC-Talk](#) directly.

- [Funny A/C Behavior](#)
- [Zoning and Cost](#)
- [DIY Zoning](#)
- [Truly variable fan and compressor?](#)
- [Letting the steam out](#)
- [How practical is economizer?](#)
- [Zoning with automatic dampers](#)
- [A/C Capacity: Total vs. Sensible & Latent](#)
- [Thermostat wiring - is this right?](#)
- [Ducting for residential computer room?](#)
- [What you always wanted from tstat but were afraid to ask](#)

2. Update: two years later

About two years after, on February 29 2004, this site was [slashdotted](#) again. This is a big event (just one fact: 76,826 visits in *one* day), and the tidal wave is quite noticeable. It did reach HVAC-Talk, and the attitude towards this project, as it turned out, changed quite a bit:

[Look ... do it yourself zoning!](#)

I was pleasantly surprised by the fact that not only I wasn't flamed again, but even was somewhat encouraged and the work that I've done was somewhat appreciated. I would like to explicitly express my appreciation for your appreciation and tell you guys that **you** made this

possible.

Thank you.