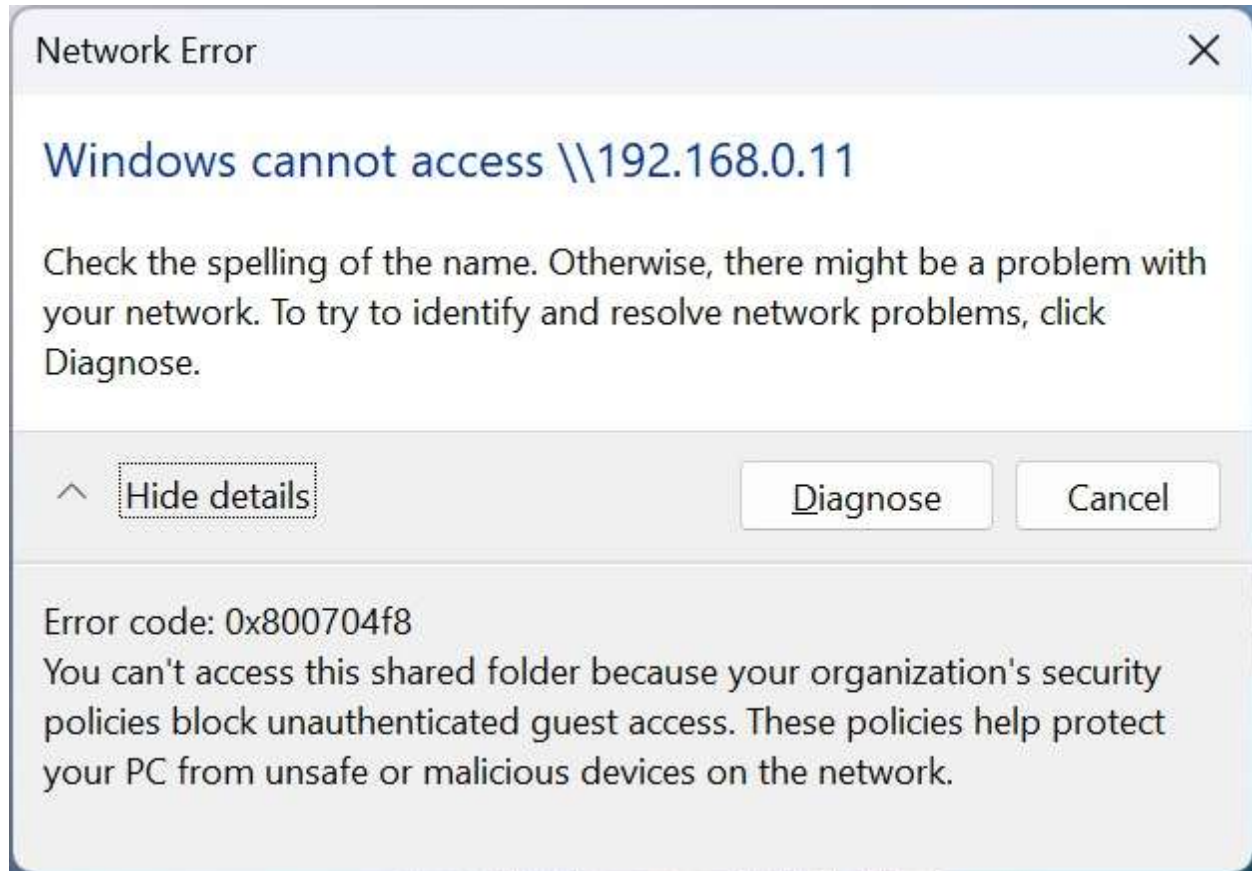


The error code 0x800704f8 explicitly means that your Windows 11 computer is blocking the connection because it thinks the Windows 10 machine is an "unauthenticated guest."



Since you turned off password protection, Windows 11 considers the connection unsecure and its built-in security policies are blocking it. You must fix this by enabling insecure guest logons on your **Windows 11 computer**.

The Fix (Run this on the Windows 11 PC)

Choose either **Method 1** (easiest) or **Method 2** based on your comfort level.

Method 1: The Quick PowerShell Command

1. Right-click the **Start Menu** button on your **Windows 11** computer.
2. Select **Terminal (Admin)** or **PowerShell (Admin)**.
3. Copy and paste this exact command, then press **Enter**:

powershell

```
Set-ItemProperty -Path  
"HKLM:\SYSTEM\CurrentControlSet\Services\LanmanWorkstation\Parameters"  
-Name "AllowInsecureGuestLogons" -Value 1 -Force  
Use code with caution.
```

4. Restart your Windows 11 computer.

Method 2: Group Policy Editor (If using Windows 11 Pro)

1. Press `Win + R` on the **Windows 11** PC, type `gpedit.msc`, and press **Enter**.
2. In the left sidebar, navigate to:
`Computer Configuration > Administrative Templates > Network > Lanman Workstation`
3. On the right side, double-click **Enable insecure guest logons**.
4. Change the setting from "Not Configured" to **Enabled**.
5. Click **Apply**, then **OK**, and restart your computer.

Let me know if **Method 1 or Method 2** successfully opens the Windows 10 shared folder after you restart the Windows 11 machine.