The smb worker enables you to browse the shares of a Windows® (or Samba) network.

To see the workgroups, enter smb:// .

**smb:// a_workgroup** will list the hosts in this workgroup.

To see the shares of a host, enter smb:// the_host or smb:// a_workgroup / the_host.

To access a share directly enter smb:// the_host/the_share or smb:// a_workgroup / the_host / the_share

The smb worker requires that you have libsmbclient to use this worker.

You can set your default user name and password in the System Settings category Network in Connectivity → Windows Shares. This is especially useful if you are a member of a Windows® NT domain. There you can also set your workgroup name, but in most cases this is not required. The worker will ask for your username and password if a default is not set.