

Re: User identity

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the identity is the one the browser sends. you can config the browser to ask before sending id, or use a runas to have the browser default to the desired account.

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gsauns wrote:

I have an ASP.NET intranet site running off one of our servers. The app, in the Session_Start event, logs a user's currently logged-in Windows username to a session variable.

In the dev. environment, it's no problem - it gets a proper username. However, when I go to the URL for the site, it actually pulls a different username (I have one normal Active Directory account, and one Domain Admin account). It sees me as my 'username_admin' account, even though I am logged in as 'username'... I AM Remote Desktop-ed in to a few other servers, and I thought this was the problem, but even upon a reboot, and going to the site is the first thing I do, it still pulls that username.

For several other people, it pulls the correct username.

On the server, in IIS for the site, i disabled anonymous access, and checked off Integrated Windows authentication.

Here is the appropriate code in my web.config file:

```
<authentication mode="Windows"/>
<authorization>
<allow users="*" />
<deny users="?" />
</authorization>
```

Does anyone know the reason, and what I can do to change that so it pulls my currently logged in username?

Here is the variable assignment code:

```
System.Security.Principal.IPrincipal ip;
ip = System.Web.HttpContext.Current.User;

Session.Add("Username", ip.Identity.Name);
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