

Re: Windows Services and SQL Server

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On May 4, 7:58 am, Diogo Alves <DiogoAl...@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

yes there is a reason...

Where planning in the future use more than one database type... maybe oracle and/or mysql

Since there is that option in the future we prefer to use odbc

"Peter Bromberg [C# MVP]" wrote:

If you are using managed code, is there any reason why you can't use the SqlClient class with a regular SQL Server login? e.g.,
server=myserver;database=dbname;uid=user;pwd=password;

--Peter

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"Diogo Alves" wrote:

Greetings everyone,

I am trying to access my SQL Server 2005 database with a windows service,
the problem is that I can't access it!

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It says ERROR [28000] [Microsoft][ODBC SQL Server Driver][SQL Server]Login failed for user 'ONEWORLD\N5DALVES\$'.

ONEWORLD is my domain, N5DALVES is my computer name.... the \$ appears there like magic...

in the SQL Server I don't have that user... I have ONEWORLD\DALVES... that's my username in the intranet...

How can I avoid this? I tried to use this connection string:

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DSN=MyDataSource;Uid=TimeFiveUser;Pwd=_TimeFiveUser_;
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I'm using ODBC Drivers– Hide quoted text –

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To answer your question, it looks like you need to add the oneworld\n5dalves\$, because you're running the service as local system (or local service) which will use the machine login. Your other option is to run the service under a differnt user account which does have permission to the sql server.