

Re: Windows/Exchange server migration

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I would suggest against doing it this way.

First off all of your permissions will be lost. Secondly by exporting and importing you are also losing single instance storage.

The best method is to install into the same org/site and then move mailboxes, public and system folders, connectors, etc. to the new E2K3 server.

You can move to a new domain using ADMT in order to retain the GUIDs for permissions.

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Hope that helps.

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"Bodo" <anonymous@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message
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> I will be migrating a small network of about 12 users from
> Windows NT/Exchange 5.5 server to Windows 2003/Exchange
> server 2003. I am thinking about setting up a new network
> that is separate from the Windows NT network with a new
> Exchange organization, then create the user accounts in
> the new domain and then export and import the users
> mailboxes into the new exchange organization. Is this the
> best method and do you think there will be any problems?
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> Thanks in advance