

RE: NTP Rule for DC doesn't work

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Hi

Still searching for a solution to this one.

I can get the ISA to sync externally but I know that's not right – the DC should be the authoritative time source but I can't get it to talk to an external ntp server.

I need to get this working or my entire project will grind to a halt so any advice would be much appreciated...

"blueboy1894" wrote:

- > Hi
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- > I'm trying to get my win2003 dc to sync with an external time source. All
- > the other servers are set to nt5ds (sync using domain hierarchy), as per
- > default behaviour.
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- > The access rule in the firewall is as follows:
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- > To: (computer object with ip of external ntp)
- > From: (computer object representing the dc)
- > Protocol: NTP(UDP)
- > All Users
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- > The dc resolves the address of the ntp server but can't connect. I've tried
- > this all sorts of different ways including allowing 2-way comms between the
- > two hosts.
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- > The isa 2004 logging screen reports outbound traffic on NTP(UDP) to the ntp
- > server's ip and then a "Denied Connection" action, but without any rule name.
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- > The network is in a standard back-to-back DMZ with dual-homed ISA in front
- > of the servers, and a WatchGuard firebox further out sitting between the
- > Internet router and the ISA. The WG allows NTP.
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- > I've tried to solve this for 2 days and got nowhere! Any help much

> appreciated...

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• **References:**

- ◆ ***NTP Rule for DC doesn't work***

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