

Re: Problem pushing Advanced client to WinXP SP1

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Another option would be to standardize the local administrator password on all machines and use %machinename%\administrator as the client push installation account.

If your admin accounts are not standardized at present, and you are not paid by the mile, try this.

tinyurl.com/3rblq

Kim Oppalfens

In article <MPG.1bef66605365b43f989914@msnews.microsoft.com>, kim@computacenter.nospam says...

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- > *Use the features in AD Group policies to your advantage.*
- > *There is a restricted groups feature inside a gpo. Add the*
- > *administrators group as a restricted group. Add a client*
- > *pushinstallation account, and the domain admins group.*
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- > *Beware, this will overwrite the local administrators group membership!!!*
- > *Any existing members will be kicked out.*
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- > *Kim Oppalfens*
- > *In article <392EBB85-6789-4664-8957-BCC602B4C143@microsoft.com>,*
- > *Richard@discussions.microsoft.com says...*
- > *Hi,*
- >>
- >> *Yes, I have done that. I looked at the ccm.log and it gave Error 53:*
- >> *Remote Registry is not started. I didn't see anything in the MS docs that*
- >> *mention that the Remote Registry service must be started on the desktops in*
- >> *order to push the SMS client to it. Once I started the service and set it to*
- >> *Automatic, then I was able to successfully push the client.*
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- >> *You brought up an important point. Is there an easier way to secure the*
- >> *client push account so I don't have to use a domain account that has*
- >> *administrative*

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> > *authority on the workstations? We are using Advanced Security.*
> > *The easiest thing to do would be to make an account a member of the Domain*
> > *Admins global group. When PCs join the domain, the Domain Admins. group is*
> > *made a member of the local Administrators group on each PC. But this is not*
> > *secure.*
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> > *Instead of going to each PC and adding this account directly to the local*
> > *Administrators group, is there an easier way? I might be confusing standard*
> > *security methods with advanced security methods. Please clarify.*
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> > *"Troy Olson" wrote:*
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> > > *"=?Utf-8?B?UmljaGFyZA==?" <Richard@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in*
> > > *news:A3281B77-C374-4C32-A04D-C44383465495@microsoft.com:*
> > >
> > > > *Hi,*
> > > >
> > > > *I am now in our production AD domain. We decided not to extend the*
> > > > *schema for SMS, but I registered the SLP and MP in WINS. When I use*
> > > > *the Client Push Install Wizard from the Win2003 SMS server to push to*
> > > > *an XP client, it doesn't succeed. I have tried it on a few PCs. Are*
> > > > *they some things I need to check are enabled or other?*
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> > > *Have you configured the client push properties, under the client*
> > > *installation methods folder, with a domain account that has administrative*

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Check out the SMS Technical FAQ:
<http://www.microsoft.com/technet/prodtechnol/sms/sms2003/techfaq/default.aspx>