

Re: 2.0 distribution points to 2003 distribution points

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I am still having problems establishing the new 2003 DP. I added the site server to the domain admin group. The computers I am attempting to make a DP are Domain Controller, so I added the site server to the domain admin group. The components look like they are trying to be installed on the new DP but it fails.

In the sitecomp.log i recieve and an error

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ERROR: NAL failed to access NAL path "MSWNET:\DC-BROOKS02\admin$", probably because the machine is down, the network is down, or the Site System Connection Accounts are misconfigured. NAL INetworkObject::IsAccessible() returned 0x80070005: The operation completed successfully.
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and then it fails.

The computer is on and active and pingable

It still seems like a permisson problem but I dont know where to add permissions.

I am using advanced security and only have one site server.

There is a step before that one that looks like its using the same admin\$ share but it went thru successful, so it didnt seem like it was that particular share permisson problem. I havent added the new servers the right to write to the system management container in AD, could that be related?

Any ideas would be appreciated.

"Kim Oppalfens" wrote:

- >
- > You seem to be on the right track, once you added the site server's
- > computer account you should be fine (assuming advanced security).
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- > PS: Kim her post would be his post. Last time I checked I still had all
- > the features you would expect from a guy, but I am definitely lacking
- > some to be a woman. I am used to be referred as her though, so no
- > worries.
- > In article <F6256771-8279-49DB-A1E6-EF2E469FF0EC@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>,
- > RichardWood@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx says...

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>> I wasn't attempting to run the DP as a 2.0 and 2003 site system, I just
>> wanted to migrate the same server from being a 2.0 DP to a 2003 DP and how
>> that is accomplished. I have successfully removed the 2.0 site systems roles
>> by doing what Kim had recommended in her post. So I am closer, I go into the
>> 2.0 interface and all of the DP site systems are gone now. I went into the
>> 2003 interface and under hierarchy>Senders and added the servers I want to
>> be DP's. They now appear under the Hierarchy>Site systems and I went into
>> the properties of both and enabled them as DP's. But I am still having some
>> errors in the site components
>> under the Site component manager. I look at the errors and it says access
>> denied. It seems like a permission issue. The DP are Domain controllers so
>> I am assuming I have to add the SMS primary site computer name to the Domain
>> Admin group and everything should work. I just wanted to post the status of
>> my problem in case someone else has a similar issue.
>> "Stan White [MS]" wrote:
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>>> You cannot share DP's between sites, or share 2.0 and SMS 2003 site roles on
>>> a machine.
>>> And Kim is correct, no SMS 2003 site role automatically installs or requires
>>> the SMS client.
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>>> The other thing you may not know is that the SMS 2003 distribution point is
>>> not actually installed until the first package with content is deployed to
>>> that DP.
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>>> Stan [MSFT]
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>>> ---
>>> This posting is provided "AS IS" with no warranties, and confers no rights.
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>>> ---
>>> "Kim Oppalfens" <kim@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
>>> news:MPG.1d45d410ab59e0ed98a06d@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
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>>>>
>>>> Don't know where you got that information, but it is incorrect.
>>>> Distribution points do not need a client installed.
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>>>> As far as the logon point goes, logon points are automatically installed
>>>> on all domain controllers if you enable logon discovery OR logon client
>>>> installation.
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>>>> If you want the logon point removed you will have to disable logon
>>>> discovery & logon clients installation in sms 2.0
>>>>
>>>> Kim Oppalfens
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