

# Re: Search not working

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Thanks for the suggestion but, Central Administration>Application Management>Authentication Providers>Edit Authentication, does not provide the ability to indicate whether the web application is using SSL or not.

I've played around a bit and got search working again.

This is what happened.

Previously, my remote users were having an issue. The domain name was automatically being populated before the user name, after a failed login attempt. In an attempt to fix that, in IIS, I changed IIS Authentication for the web site to Basic authentication. I was not terribly concerned using clear text authentication over SSL. And it did solve that problem.

Here's what I did.

In IIS, I changed IIS Authentication for the web site back to Integrated Windows authentication.

In WSS Central Administration>Application Management>Authentication Providers>Edit Authentication, I made sure Integrated Windows authentication and NTLM was checked.

Search works fine now.

However, the issue with the domain name automatically being populated before the user name, after a failed login attempt is back. Is there another way to fix that in a way that does not break the search feature? Should I start another post for this issue?

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Jackson5403

"callahan" wrote:

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I have seen situations where Search does not work if you are using Kerberos on the default address for a web application (it prefers NTLM). I have also read articles that stated that SSL on the default address for a web application will also mess up Search— however, I have never had it happen.

Before I tell you to extend your web application and put SSL on the extended web app instead— tell me— did you go into Central Administration after adding the SSL certificate in IIS, and indicate in Authentication Provider that that web application was using SSL? You might want to change that setting, then do an IISRESET, to see if that helps before doing anything else.

—callahan

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I am running WSS 3.0 (domain creation mode) with SQL2005 backed on another server.

I created a WSS site that originally wasn't set up to use SSL during creation.

Subsequently, I have installed an SSL certificate and required SSL communication in order to access the site.

I changed the alternative access mappings on the site and almost everything is working ok. What isn't working is Search.

I'm getting the following errors in the event viewer,

The start address  
<sts3://domainname/contentdbid={c146f633-f577-480b-a01f-c556296e2cc3}>  
cannot  
be crawled.

Context: Application 'Search index file on the search server', Catalog 'Search'  
Details:

Access is denied. Check that the Default Content Access Account has access to this content, or add a crawl rule to crawl this content. (0x80041205)

I've implemented the recommended least privileged account recommendations.  
Don't want to circumvent security but have looked at this as possible problem area. Everything seems okay. I have multiple sites and Search is working on all other WSS sites.

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This appears to be limited to and related to installing the certificate and changed the url from http – https.

Can you give me a clue how to fix this?

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Jaskson5403