

## Re: Autologon woes

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FOUND IT!!!!

I had a program on there, running as a service, that insisted on running as a user and not localsystem. In playing around with it, I used my credentials for the program to run in. I guess that program logging on as ME was interfering with the account I used for autologon.

Go figure..

Thanks to all that replied.

Danny Messano

On Tue, 13 Jul 2004 03:55:58 +0400, "Alexander Suhovey"  
<asuhovey@hotmail.com> wrote:

>Hi Danny,

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>>Win2k server doesnt have a control panel applet to set the autologon

>You can use TweakUI for this or issue following command to bring up

>corresponding UI: "control userpasswords2". Can't check right now if this

>command will work on 2k server though.

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>hth,

>Al.

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>"Danny" <nonya@nonya.com> wrote in message

>news:g866f0p0htbpmv3p7tjv0nj3hqb4otis1p@4ax.com...

>> Yep, have done that.. I have checked the keys manually, and used a

>> tool from Sysinternals to set them as well.

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>> Win2k server doesnt have a control panel applet to set the autologon.

>> Sysinternals has a utility that works similar to the other autologon

>> utilities, but actually encrypts the password, where most don't.

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>> I'm pulling my hair out over this..

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>> *Registry looks good.*  
>> *Have used sysinternals and a few other tools to unset and set the*  
>> *autologon.*  
>> *I have verified the Gina.dll registry entries remove ok, and all that.*  
>> *It's supposed to be working, but it's not.*  
>>  
>> *Danny*  
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>> *On Mon, 12 Jul 2004 19:05:34 +0100, "ptwilliams" <ptw2001@hotmail.com>*  
>> *wrote:*  
>>  
>> *>Get into the registry and navigate to:*  
>> *> -- HKEY\_LOCAL\_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows*  
>> *>NT\CurrentVersion\Winlogon*  
>> *>*  
>> *>And check that the DefaultUserName, DefaultDomainName, etc. are all OK.*  
>> *>If*  
>> *>not, reconfigure. When in a domain environment, it's much easier to*  
>> *>configure this via the registry anyway. The only plus to the control*  
>> *>panel*  
>> *>mechanism is that it hashes the password...*  
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