

Re: Active Directory Suggestions Help Appreciated

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"ptwilliams" <ptw2001@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:#YIelMSvEHA.1988@TK2MSFTNGP12.phx.gbl...

> *Heh heh.*

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> *By default (I believe), when you edit a GPO it will try and edit it in a
> single-master fashion (it will go to the PDCE). This behaviour can be
> changed however...*

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That is correct -- is tries to do it in a very loose single
master fashion by defaulting to the PDC Emulator for the
editable copy but allowing one to edit any copy that is
accessible if it is chosen explicitly.

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> Paul Williams

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> <http://www.msresource.net>

> <http://forums.msresource.net>

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> "rickiez" <rickiez02@yahoo.com> wrote in message

> news:sh5fd.1785\$C_6.473@trnddc04...

> Here's the odd thing.....they are all already Global Catalog

> servers.....what could they be doing every time I try and access

> AD information such as editing a GPO?

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> rickiez wrote:

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> > Greetings,

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> > I have a client who has 8 sites, but 1 domain. It seems that whenever

> > you try to access anything having to do with AD administration in any of

> > the remote locations it takes forever and the network card light is

> > flashing like crazy. This only happens when you are physically onsite

> > at a remote location. If I am at the main office where the GC is and I

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> > work in a portion of AD that pertains to a remote site or an OU that
> > contains users from that site it works fine. The issue seems to only
> > happen when the remote DC is trying to contact something. I can only
> > assume it's trying to reach the global catalog server. My understanding
> > was such that the global catalog only really needed to be contacted for
> > resources outside the domain, because each DC should have it's own full
> > copy of AD for the domain it's in.....any suggestions??
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> > Thanks!
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