

Re: time service

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i am well aware that it is not recommended for a cluster node to be a dc. one of them is, and that wasn't my decision, but my consultants; probably because the only other server outside the cluster is the other dc and if that went down, we would be screwed

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Are all of the servers in the cluster DCs? see:

<http://www.microsoft.com/resources/documentation/WindowsServ/2003/all/deployguide/en-us/Default.asp?url=/resc>

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i have an issue that is getting annoying

i have a 2000 server that is used as time server (among other things)

i can't make the pdc a time server using the software i have because it is a cluster node (not my idea to make it a dc) and it disables the time service which could cause a problem since it is important that the time service runs for the cluster.

anyway, i have configured the pdc to look to the time server, but it keeps saying

This Machine is a PDC of the domain at the root of the forest. Configure to sync from External time source using the net command, 'net time /setsntp:<server name>'.

i did do that and when i do a net time /querysnTP it shows the correct server. but it still shows that error