

Re: Disable programmatically the "Fast User Switching"

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Viv,

1st solution disables Welcome Screen as well.

2nd solution should work.

One entry of AllowMultipleTSSessions will exist anyway

HKLM\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows NT\CurrentVersion\Winlogon\AllowMultipleTSSessions
HKLM\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows\CurrentVersion\policies\system\AllowMultipleTSSessions (not present by default)

Set AllowMultipleTSSessions to 0 the FUS will be disabled. The AllowMultipleTSSessions value present under 'policies' will override the value under WinLogon. (If Winlogon\AllowMultipleTSSessions is set to 0 and policies\system\AllowMultipleTSSessions is set to 1, FUS WILL work.)

HTH

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"Viviana Vc" <vcotirlea@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:c6tumt\$fof1@ID-78102.news.uni-berlin.de:
Hi all,

I would like programmatically to disable "Fast User Switching" (FUS) (as an option for the user). As

I understood from what I read there are 2 ways for doing this:

- 1) replace the msgina.dll, as FUS doesn't work with a custom msgina.dll
- 2) set into the registry: HKLM\Software\Microsoft\Windows NT\CurrentVersion\Winlogon -> AllowMultipleTSSessions to 0

I would like to use the second way of disabling and I have some questions:

- 1) Some are saying that this entry might not be in the registry. Can this be true? If yes, if I just add it there with the 0 value will it disable the FUS?

If indeed something from this path can miss on a WinXP, is it just the string or it can be one of the keys from the paths (like for instance Winlogon)?

- 2) Is this solution an ok solution, or it can not guarantee that by just setting the AllowMultipleTSSessions to 0 the FUS will be disabled?

Thanks a lot in advance,

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