

# Re: Deny windows explorer from users

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Hi,

Raigo77@xxxxxxxxxxxxx schrieb:

> How to deny Windows Explorer from users, using AD group policy?

Change the Shell, the user is working with. So that the explorer.exe is no startet to create his user environment.

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User config\adm templ\system
"userdefined shell"
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(sounds like this if I translate it from my german version ...)

Take a look at nu2menu. It uses a selfmade startmenu in XML format. After that you can try what happens after you deny explorer.exe with a HASH based policy ... I never tried what happens to all the "file open/close" menus in office if you deny explorer.exe

But I guess, using a different shell will help a lot.

Mark

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