

# Re: Recovering from Bad Group Policy Update

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DCGPOFIX.EXE will restore the Default Domain Policy and the Default Domain Controller Policy to original default settings. Note that it does not affect other GPOs.

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In a test lab, we have a domain controller security policy that was set for the first time and obviously went very badly. The machine is seriously screwed up on reboot. What is the recommended procedure for recovery to some baseline where you can then start over?

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Will