

Re: What is the difference between "legacy" & "windows 2000" logon scripts

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Hi,

roga schrieb:

I am looking at "run logon scripts visible" and don't understand the difference between "NT4 legacy" and "windows 2000" scripts.

Legacy:

Entry in the properties of the Userobjekt on Tab "Profile"
-> "logon script". File `_must_be_` saved inside NETLOGON

"Windows 2000" scripts (or XP/2003/Vista) can be defined in a GPO (logon/logoff = User, startup/shutdown = computer) and are not user specific. They should be saved inside the folder, that's opened by default, when adding a script to the GPO.

In both ways, you only define the name of the script, not the path because the path to it is "hardcoded", it is expected in the NETLOGON (legacy) or the logon/logoff (startup/shutdown) folder of the GPO.

To have a "single" store for all scripts, you can store GPO based scripts in the NETLOGON as well, but if you do, you have to use the DFS share name inside the GPO, not only the name of the file.

e.g. your script is called "logon.bat" (can be .vbs as well ...) and you copy it to the NETLOGON, you create a GPO. The name of your domain is: mydom.local

Entry inside the GPO: `\\mydom.local\netlogon\logon.bat`

That's the only option to give a path. All other paths are not allowed and it's the only way to have a single store for all scripts.

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