

Re: PDC role

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I misread I thought you were asking about a NT4 BDC. sigh....

Sorry

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"Jorge de Almeida Pinto [MVP]"

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ehhh... like other OS'es, NT4 can be authenticated by any DC.

For password changes it will target the PDC, but if you install the DSCLIENT it will be able to use any DC.

Do you have WINS?

If yes, check the contents of the 1Ch <domain> record. Are all DCs listed there. if not, make sure all DCs point to the WINS server(s)

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Cheers,
(HOPEFULLY THIS INFORMATION HELPS YOU!)

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BLOG --> <http://blogs.dirteam.com/blogs/jorge/default.aspx>

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 - * Always test before implementing!
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No. NT4 talks to the PDCe.

The PDCe provides backward compatibility to down-level clients and servers allowing Windows NT4 BDC's to participate in Windows environments.

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Hello,

we have a domain with two sites. On main site we have 2
Windows 2003
DCs,
DC1 and DC2. DC1 holds all FSMO roles.

Although we successfully installed additional Windows 2003
domain
controller
(DC3) on another site, it seems that local Windows NT 4.0
machines are
authenticating only on DC1, which is on company's main
site. DC1 holds a
PDC
role, and unfortunately the role can't be transfered to DC3,
since PDC
emulator role is used on main site for some kind of IP
telephony.

Is it possible in any way to make those NT 4.0 machines
authenticate on
DC3,

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without transferring a PDC role?

Thanks.