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Oh as for the user not having the permissions on it, does the user have inheritance enabled? If not, it is likely you are feeling the effects of the adminsdholder functionality which you can google for, tons of references to that now.

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Richard Alexander wrote:

i tried running

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dsacls cn=enduser,ou=users,ou=city,ou=dist division  
but i get an error that system cannot open device or file.
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Tried on several different account with same result. I did look at the advanced features through MMC and can see the security tab. The group that i created has access at the container(inherited from site level), but when i look at the security on the the user object it is not there.

"Joe Richards [MVP]" <humorexpress@xxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
<news:eWYBksPhGHA.4864@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

Look at the permissions on the problem account with dsacls, that should tell the story.

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Richard Alexander wrote:

I had another instance this morning of this problem. We had an account that was locked out, but the 2 admins, could not unlock. Domain admin had to unlock the account. This is in 2003, and the account was not a member of a restricted account. Any help on this would be greatly appreciated.

"Richard Alexander" wrote:

Just to clarify. I have 2 admins that are part of the account operators group and occasionally someone will call in with a locked account. They pull up the account properties and see the check there, but it is greyed account and they cannot unlock. it is not one particular userid, and it has happened several times to each one of them. I have since taken them out of account operators and tried using delegation with user manage rights to see if that resolves.

"Joe Richards [MVP]" wrote:

Dump the ACL of the user
you can't modify with dscls
and post it

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Richard Alexander wrote:

No just a
regular user
account. I
thought
maybe it
was a
replication
issue.
Domain
admins,
never have
the issue
only the
people in
account
operators
group..

"Joe
Richards
[MVP]"
wrote:

Is
the
account
the
person
trying
to
unlock
also
an
accop
or
admin
or
something
like

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that?
Is
the
ACL
on
the
object
a
little
different
from
what
you
are
used
to
seeing,
say
no
inherited
ACEs?

Google
the
term
adminSDHolder

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Richard
Alexander
wrote:

We
are
running
a
Server
2003
single
domain
structure
and
we
have
2
servers
at
our
corporate
locations
and
5
remote
DCs
at
remote
locations
all
with
a
global
catalog.
Occasionally
one
of
our
early
morning
staffers
will
need

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to
unlock
an
account,
but
the
check
box
will
be
greyed
out.
I
had
them
in
the
account
operators
group
from
our
old
NT4
domain
and
read
some
things
about
delegation.
I
setup
a
new
group
and
did
delegation
but
she
had
the
same
issue
this
morning.
I
thought
it
might

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be
something
with
replication,
but
we
have
partial
T1s
to
all
the
remotes,
so
I
don't
think
speed
is
an
issue.
Please
respond
as
I'm
out
of
ideas.

Thanks