

Re: How To Make Server Close Files

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Are the files opened by the accounting application on the local filesystem
or across a network share?

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Hello All:

We are running Windows 2000 Server on a Domain Using Active Directory Services.

Our accounting application closes its files when it is done using them.

Our problem is that Windows 2000 Server appears to be keeping the files open even though the application issued a close command.

If a user runs the application, then exits entirely out of the application, Computer management shows that data files from the application are still left open from that users session. This behavior is repeated on every application we have looked at.

We have to close the session from the server for the computer management utility to close the files.

We turned OpLocks off as perscribed by the MSDN knowledgebase.

When we used Novell, the files were immediately closed. Why are they left open under windows ??? Are they cached for speed ???

How can we stop files from being kept open ???

Any areas to look into ???

Thank you very much.

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