

RE: Remotely Manage Windows Service

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Hi John

The way that Microsoft would recommend you do this is by using the Security Templates snap-in for MMC. If you load the snap-in and navigate to System Services, you will see that after you 'Define this policy setting in this template' you can then set security on any Service that you like.

Services have ACLs just like other resources on your server. Obviously, it's now just a case of adding your user to the ACL on the Service and then saving the policy.

Now apply the policy using the Security Configuration and Analysis MMC snap-in.

I haven't gone into the finer detail here of click this, then that, but I'm sure you'll work it out from these pointers.

Let us know how you get on.

Kind Regards

Ross

"john d" wrote:

I've tried multiple other services using the correct syntax indicated, but no luck. Any other way to do this, perhaps a batch file?

"Erik Szewczyk [MVP]" wrote:

Your first command should have been:
sc \\server start w3svc
(hence the syntax error)

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I'd try labbing this to make sure it's not an issue with your deployment.
I'd also use a service without the complex dependancies for testing.

Good luck,
Erik

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"john d" wrote:

Not much luck with the SC command and I can't seem to find much of any resources regarding this issue on the web. The sc results are below and I have replaced the server and service names.

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C:\sc start \\server w3svc  
[SC] StartService: OpenService FAILED 123:
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The filename, directory name, or volume label syntax is incorrect