

Re: Install Windows 2003 server in unattended mode

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On 16 Mar, 09:46, Simone <Sim...@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

Hi,

Then I describe the matter.

I have an issue an unattended installation of Win2k3 Server from a Win2k3 ISO in a clean computer.

Below the steps that I performed:

- 1) Created an unattended file with Setup Manager, with all my customized settings, especially the fully unattended mode;
- 2) Rename the file unattend.txt in WINNT.SIF and copy into a ISO;
- 3) Start the computer with the Win2k3 ISO;
- 4) The installation starts and all works fine;

Here is my winnt.sif

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;SetupMgrTag
[Data]
AutoPartition=1
MsDosInitiated="0"
UnattendedInstall="Yes"

[Unattended]
UnattendMode=FullUnattended
OemSkipEula=Yes
OemPreinstall=No
TargetPath=\WINDOWS
Repartition=Yes

[GuiUnattended]

AdminPassword=c34cb7d13ba5af1be72c57ef50f76a0514feef08610609696c7b8bafd45e0-25a
EncryptedAdminPassword=Yes
OEMSkipRegional=1
TimeZone=110
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OemSkipWelcome=1

[UserData]

ProductKey=xxxxx-xxxxx-xxxxx-xxxxx-xxxxx

FullName="xxxxx."

OrgName="xxxxx"

ComputerName=UNATTENDED-TEST1

[LicenseFilePrintData]

AutoMode=PerSeat

[TapiLocation]

CountryCode=39

AreaCode=06

[RegionalSettings]

LanguageGroup=1

Language=00000410

[Identification]

JoinWorkgroup=WORKGROUP

[Networking]

InstallDefaultComponents=Yes

The task made only one huge partition on my disk/LUN.

Is there an option that permits to sizing and partitioning my disk/LUN.

Thank You in advance.

Simone

Simone,

It depends on the make of server you are using. We use HP servers and if the array controller hasnt been configured during the initial boot up it automatically configures the array for optimal use, you have to press ESC to stop it doing this.

Hope this helps.

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