

## Re: AD Password Change Error

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Hello Fred,

Thank you for your post. I am afraid that you may not notice my response. Generally this problem could occur if the account contains NetWare account attributes. Please check if the problem can be resolved by running the "Net user <username> /fpnw:no" command. Thanks!

Regards,

Joe Wu

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|Oddly enough the password will be changed for the AD account but we get this

|error message.

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|Windows cannot complete the password change for <username> because: The system cannot find the file specified.

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|Any Ideas?

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|Thanks,

|Fred

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|"Fred Yarbrough" <fcyarbrough@yahoo.com> wrote in message

|news:O7YPS\$Bw9DHA.1816@TK2MSFTNGP12.phx.gbl...

|> We are currently running a Windows 2003 AD domain which has a trust to our

|> NT 4.0 domain. We have started migrating users (~100 thus far) over to our

|> new AD domain using the ADMT 2.0 tool. We have run into several accounts

|> that appear to migrate over successfully but when you go to change the

|> password the following error results:

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|> Windows cannot complete the password change for <username> because: The system cannot find the file specified.

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|> No error is generated in the event logs and this only happens on ~ 1 out of

|> 20 accounts. Re-migrating the account does not resolve the issue.

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|> I have searched everywhere and have not seen another report of this problem.

|> Has anyone else seen this problem?

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|> Thanks,

|> Fred Yarbrough

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