

Re: For Rebecca Chen

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See lines:

> *You said i don't need to re-join the clients. Clients are all Windows NT4
> WS CLents. Planning to install AD client support on them.
> >I believe when a trust is established between the old and new domain, the
> >clients have a drop-down box and choose which domain they log-in,
correct?
> >When after testing i remove the trust and the old domain, are the clients
> >still able to see my new domain?
> REBC: Yes, once you have created two way trusts (I like two way trusts
> ^_^), you can see two domains from the drop-down list.
----- I'll keep the old domain until its completely updated to 2003.
----- In my test envirement after ADMT, I'm able to login to both domains,
with same Profile, i removed the trust, and i'm only able to login to the
old -----domain. How do I force the clients to logon to the new domain,
where they have user and computeraccount.*

REBC: Have you migrated the computer account? if you client still in the
old domain, it can only logon to the old domain.

> *>My old domain is domain, servername s-ipm001, can i configure my new
domain
> >as newdomain, servername s-ipm001.
> >i.e. Domainnames are different, servernames are the same, during the
> migration.
> REBC: No, you cannot use the duplicate domain names as well as the
> duplicate server names. You need to give different names for two domains
> and two DCs.
----- Oke, I can change computername later, without any problems?
REBC: What is your meaning? If you put the new server in the old network,
you cannot use the same name as the old NT DC. You need give win2k3 server
a new name as well as a new domain name for the win2k3 domain.*

----- is it better to promote the bdc to pdc, (The current bdc is the server
not yet being updated)

REBC: I am a little unclear about it. You want to migrate from NT to win2k3, which means you want to use ADMT to migrate all user/computer accounts from NT to win2k3, correct? If so, it is not necessary to promote the BDC to PDC. For security reason, you can perform a full system backup for WinNT PDC.

Further questions, let us get in touch!

Best regards,

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