

# Re: Cookies & Profile Copying & Internet Explorer Settings

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Charles,

Thank you for continuing to look at this, it is still most aggravating. We will do some further testing.

to clarify my issue: I have many IE6 favorites that use a login, (including many routers with an http interface), I generally just enter the first character of the user name, and the auto-fill completes the rest of the username and the password. When SBS migrates my profile (when I use <http://sbsServer/ConnectComputer>) it does copy my favorites and cookies but for some reason the auto-fill user names / passwords items are not kept.

Recently I had some success in transferring these settings from one computer to another and I thought it was through IE6 Export/Import cookies, but that doesn't seem to work now. (this is really independent of the problem and does not involve SBS)

I found this:documentation about profile copying when joining an SBS 2003 domain using the add users/computers (server Manager).

Assigning Users and Migrating Profiles You can assign users to the client computer, and you can migrate user profiles.

To assign a user to a client computer

In the Available Users box, click a user name.  
Click Add.

More than one user can be assigned to a client computer.

The Domain Admins group is added by default.

To remove an assigned user, select the user name in the Users assigned to this computer box, and then click Remove.

To migrate a user profile

When you assign a user to the client computer, the user name is added to the

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Assigned User column.

In the Assigned User column, click the name of the user whose profile you want to migrate.

Click the user's previous user name.

Click Next.

2) How is auto-fill related to cookies? When I save a password in IE6 is it saved as a cookie? or something else?

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> Hi Gary,

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> After researching these days, here I would like to give you some

> suggestions:

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> 1. Could you test if this occur on other clients when you import cookies

> to

> other SBS clients, this will help us isolate the issue, as we import

> cookies on our test SBS domain, we can not reproduce this issue.

We have joined several clients to the SBS domain using the ConnectComputer wizard, the profiles (at least as far as we can tell, most of them ) do get transferred OK, but not the logon autofill entries.

> 2. Please also tell us the steps or wizard you used to transfer the

> cookies. See

See the above, at on etime we thought we could transfer this information, using IE6 Export/Import cookies, but we where unable to achieve the desired goal even with that.

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> Thanks for understanding on this issue. I will be here waiting for your

> updates.

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> Best regards,

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> Charles Yang (MSFT)

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