

Re: Disabling non-Microsoft services?

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Once you're sure of the syntax, you can edit the default logon script to include the appropriate command. It's at
C:\Windows\SYSTEM32\sysvol\<domainname>\scripts\SBS_LOGIN_SCRIPT.bat. Make a backup copy before editing.

The only possible issue I can see is that if the users' permissions don't allow them to change a service startup type, it probably won't work from a login script. I'm not sure without testing, but my guess would be that if you do this logged in with domain admin rights it'll work, but if an ordinary user does it from a login script it won't.

"Sean Vreeland" <SeanVreeland@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
news:38787B6D-C599-4065-AEFF-5F768032D410@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Humm, looks like it could work.

I wonder if I could make a logon script from this somehow?

"Dave Nickason [SBS MVP]" wrote:

Just one more idea. You'll have to be the guinea pig for this tool because I've never tried it, but I'm going to now that I'm aware of it.

On your XP PC, go to a command prompt and type "SC /?" without the quotes.

Or just search Help and Support for SC. It's a cool command line tool that lets you control services remotely from a command line.

As I said, I have not tried this, but it looks like you do:

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sc \\sc \\
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I just gave this a quick look as I'm running out the door, so check the syntax before trying it on any unsuspecting victims. If it works on one PC, you can just create a quick batch file and run it.

"Sean Vreeland" <SeanVreeland@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
news:29A92C96-FD96-4499-B3A7-95DBB13D5126@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Yeah, this won't help me because this particular service isn't on the Server.
. .any more ideas?

"Dave Nickason [SBS MVP]" wrote:

You can control this in Group Policy under Computer Configuration -> Windows Settings -> Security Settings -> System Services. I've never tried it, so your mileage may vary. Also, it appears to only show services that exist on the server, so I'm not sure how you can control one that's not installed on the server. You'll want to note anything you set or change for undo purposes if you get unintended results.

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GPO that would disable
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There is a Symantec service
that is installed called
"SAVROAM" when
installing Symantec
AntiVirus 10.0 Corporate
Edition. By default,
this
service is automatically set
to AUTOMATIC. However,
this creates
problems
for me, I need it to be
disabled, however, I don't
want to go around
to
each
and every workstation and
disable it.

So, is there a way to create a
GPO that would disable this
service?