

Re: SBS folder problem

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I was having trouble initially getting SBS to install and did try a win 2008 and vista boot disk, but once I'd established the problem was my boot media, i formatted the partition before installation. I don't understand how these folders could still exist from aborted installs after a format ?

"Merv Porter [SBS-MVP]" <mwport@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message <news:ugoqDSSqIHA.3548@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

Hmmm... It seems that the presence of a "c:\users\all users" folder and "c:\boot" folder may indicate Vista. You're not trying to set up a dual-boot system are you Aart?

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Merv Porter [SBS-MVP]
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"Aart Jansen" <aart@xxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message <news:OEvyMPOqIHA.1872@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

yes all other folders show the security tab, and the volume is NTFS. Disk is basic.

"Cliff Galiher" <cgalihier@xxxxxxxx> wrote in message <news:On47O9PqIHA.3960@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

Gah. I should've caught that in your first post. Sorry.

Is the security tab present on other files on the same drive?
Usually a missing security tab would indicate a FAT drive instead of NTFS.

-Cliff

"Aart Jansen" <aart@xxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message <news:#spnHvPqIHA.1580@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

I can't "take ownership" as the security TAB does not exist for the folder. Also using

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subinacl from the resource kit fails with a 0x0100ADA8 error, google finds nothing for this error code.

There was also a c:\boot and a c:\program files (x86) folder which is wierd (SBS is just 32bit afterall)... but I removed them after confirming their contents weren't useful.

And c:\users folder, and this folder is somehow linked to the c:\documents and settings folder, the contents alter in both simultaneously.

"Cliff Galiher" <cgalihier@xxxxxxxxxx>
wrote in message
news:%23Fu6JmOqIHA.4904@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

I've seen some third party apps screw up the permissions in a way that isn't usually detected.

It should be easy to fix though. The key is to use the "take ownership" button and make sure you are taking ownership of all subfolders.

Once you've taken ownership then you can reset permissions properly.

-Cliff

"Cris Hanna [SBS-MVP]"
<crisnospamhanna@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
wrote in message
news:#C14eFOqIHA.4912@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Did you do all other security updates prior to doing trying SP2? There is a known issue with trying

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to install
SP2 if there
are a large
number of
other
updates
installed
Did you run
the BPA as
Merv
suggested?

--
Cris Hanna
[SBS-MVP]

MVPs Do
Not Work
For
Microsoft

Please do
not contact
me directly.
Please post
only in the
newsgroup
so all can
benefit
"Aart
Jansen"
<aart@xxxxxxxxxxxx>
wrote in
message
news:C83F967A-31AF-47F6-A576-04C3C33DCA06@xxxxxxxxxx

Yes
it's
set
to
1,
the
antivirus
software
wasn't
installed
when
Sp2
failed.
(wasn't

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'live'
yet.
/
Using
trend
CSM)
Yes
the
regular
administrator
account.

I
used
cacls
to
check
and
set
the
permissions,
but
it
still
refuses
to
let
me
even
view
c:\documents
and
settings\all
users.

And
I
can't
even
understand
why
there
is
a
c:\users\all
users,
or
copies
of
administrator/default
user

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they
all
seem
ok
except
of
course
"all
users".

That
article
is
for
"users
shared
folders"
which
isn't
where
I
am
having
issues.

"Merv
Porter
[SBS-MVP]"
<mwport@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
wrote
in
message
news:emjAhhNqIHA.3408@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Check
this
registry
key:

HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\Microsoft

Then
look
at
the
ServicePackNumber
key.
Is
it
set
to

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"1"?
If
not,
SBS
2003
SP1
may
not
have
installed
correctly.

Also,
have
you
tried
turning
off
your
antivirus
software
(or
other
3rd
party
software)
on
the
server
and
then
running
Windows
2003
SP2?

Are
you
installing
Windows
2003
SP2
using
the
Domain
Administrator
account?

Check
permissions
on

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the
All
Users
folder...

Administrators:
Full
Everyone:
Read
&
Execute,
List,
Read
System:
Full
Users:
Read
&
Execute,
List,
Read

Check
Permissions
on
Users
folder...

Default
permissions
for
User
Folders
in
Small
Business
Server
2003

<http://msmvps.com/blogs/bradley/archive/2004/12/08>

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Merv
Porter
[SBS-MVP]

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"Aart
Jansen"
<aart@xxxxxxxxxxxx>

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wrote

in

message

news:326D43C0-908E-40B3-A035-7C0C2463C7F

After
installing
and
running
it,
updating
the
problems
it
highlighted,
it
had
2
issues.
#1
POP
mail
connector
(I
didn't
bother
with
this
as
it
wont
ever
be
used)
#2
SP2
for
windows
2003
which
fails
to
install.

The
crazy
magic
folders
of
nonremoval
remain

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intact.

"Merv
Porter
[SBS-MVP]"
<mwport@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
wrote
in
message
<news:%23U4O10FqIHA.4112@xxxxxxxxxxx>

Hi
Aart,

Trying
installing
and
running
the
SBS
2003
BPA
to
see
if
it
can
find
any
problems
(make
sure
you
have
the
latest
update
installed)...

Microsoft
Windows
Small
Business
Server
2003
Best
Practices
Analyzer
<http://207.46.19.190/downloads/detai>

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Small
Business
Server
2003
Best
Practices
Analyzer
Updated
(Get
the
lastest
update)
<http://blogs.technet.com/sbs/archive/>

How
to
Use
the
Windows
SBS
2003
BPA
<http://blogs.technet.com/sbs/archive/>

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Merv
Porter
[SBS-MVP]

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"Aart
Jansen"
<aart@xxxxxxxxxxxx>
wrote
in
message
<news:933FC6FB-02B6-466E-AA2>

Hi
I
have
the
oddest
problem
I
have
ever
seen,
the
c:\documents

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and
settings\all
users
is
untouchable,
as
is
c:\users\all
users

I
have
not
changed
permissions
intentionally
or
at
all.

When
logged
in
as
administrator
I
can't
browse
/
move
or
rename
the
folder,
also
a
new
all
users.windows
folder
is
created.
If
I
right
click
properties
the
folder
there
is

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no
security
tab.

I
have
run
xcaccls
/
caccls
to
try
and
veiw
/
change
permissions
on
this
folder,
it
changes
but
still
i
Can't
browse
it.

When
I
try
to
run
windows
2003
Sp2
it
fails
to
install
as
it
wants
to
write
a
bunch
of
.bmp
files

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to
the
all
users\application
data
folder.

What
should
I
do
?

Thanks
Aart