

## Re: adding sbs2003 to existing domain

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You have to transfer ALL four FMSO roles to SBS. That is a requirement.

SBS has to be a GC as well. Active Directory does allow multiple global catalog servers though, so you do \*not\* need to disable it on the other server. Should cover everything.

Oh, as far as other things you should do? Work on transferring DHCP to SBS. ;)

-Cliff

"Dagwood Bumstead" <[dbumstead@xxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:dbumstead@xxxxxxxxxxxxxx)> wrote in message <news:im3764plmokvc63ora7sk4qca6s8t7vfsp@xxxxxxxxxx>

I am adding a SBS2003 server to an existing network.

I have and will follow <http://support.microsoft.com/kb/884453>

I had an SBS on this network once before (it was at one point, the only AD)... but after another server (Server 2003 – NOT an SBS) was added a problem occurred where users couldn't connect to the network unless the SBS server was up. I had set the Server2003 was AD/GC

I need to make sure that users can login and access the other server, even if for some reason the SBS becomes unavailable.

DHCP is on the router (I know, I know...)

I'll continue to run DNS on both servers.

Do I have to disable the GC on the Server2003?

Is there anything else I should do?

FWIW, the reason is that the primary focus of the SBS is the 40 hour/week back office, whereas the Server2003 supports the 7day/18hour retail side.

Thanks,

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Dagwood