

## Re: Extended Stored PRocedures

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Thanks Jasper! Those helped a LOT!

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"Jasper Smith" <[jasper\\_smith9@hotmail.com](mailto:jasper_smith9@hotmail.com)> wrote in message  
news:uluh#LENDHA.2200@TK2MSFTNGP11.phx.gbl...

> As Service/packs security hotfixes have come out post SP2 things  
> have improved a lot from vanilla SP2 and previous. A plain SP2  
> server is horendously vulnerable I'd agree.

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> This lockdown script is a good start

> <http://www.sqlsecurity.com/DesktopDefault.aspx?tabindex=4&tabid=12>

> also the list here (about halfway down)

> <http://www.sqlsecurity.com/DesktopDefault.aspx?tabindex=3&tabid=4>

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> Be aware that some of those in the second link are used by Enterprise  
> Manager and so some functionality may be lost however this does not  
> affect the functioning of SQL Server. How far you want to take it is up  
> to you but please do test first :-)

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> HTH

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> Jasper Smith (SQL Server MVP)

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> I support PASS - the definitive, global  
> community for SQL Server professionals -

> <http://www.sqlpass.org>

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> "Stephajn Craig" <[s.craig@NOSPAMfunsunvacations.com](mailto:s.craig@NOSPAMfunsunvacations.com)> wrote in message  
> news:eNCwq2CNDHA.1072@TK2MSFTNGP11.phx.gbl...

> There are a number of stored procedures I cannot believe Microsoft enabled  
> public access to by default. Things like the xp\_readerrorlog procedure  
> allows a user to read a file of their choosing on the server!

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> So how can I know which Extended Stored Procedures are absolutely  
necessary

> and which ones I can safely disable access to or remove altogether.

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> Thanks for any pointers in advance.

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> Stephajn Craig

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