

## Re: SQL Login

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After installation, members of the local Administrators group are mapped to the sysadmin role. The sa login account is a member of that role as well. Afterwards, do please refer to the mentioned topic in Books OnLine.

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"Sanka" <loonysan@mailcity.com> wrote in message

news:0c1001c36d4d\$b0435d20\$a301280a@phx.gbl...

> Hi,

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> But how do we add the User X to the sysadmin /

> securityadmin role first.

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> Does the User X need to depend on the "SA" password or

> some other sysadmin / securityadmin personnel for that.

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> Regards,

> Sankaranarayanan M G

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> >-----Original Message-----

> >To add a login, a user must be a member of the sysadmin

> or securityadmin

> >fixed server role. So, if the Windows account is a member

> of some of those

> >two roles, a user can add a login, otherwise not. Check

> the "Adding a Member

> >to a Predefined Role" topic in Books OnLine

> >(mk:@MSITStore:C:\Program%20Files\Microsoft%20SQL%

> >20Server\80\Tools\Books\ad

> >minsql.chm::/ad\_security\_6ndx.htm).

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> >> User X is a machine administartor in the SQL Server box.
> >> By Default, when User X logs in the machine, he is not
> >> able to access any of the DTS packages / access tables
> >> present in the Databases.
> >>
> >> Guess the User X ID has to be added in the SQL Server as
> >> well. Is it possible for User X to login in the machine
> >> and add himself as the Administrator of the SQL Server
> >> without knowing the "SA" Password or with no help from
> the
> >> other SQL Server Administrators.
> >>
> >> Regards,
> >> Sanka
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