

Re: Password History in SQL Server

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> *SQL Server 7.0, 2000 and 2005 do not keep password history.*

Mike, I believe SQL 2005 indirectly provides a password history policy under Windows 2003 when with the CHECK_POLICY option is ON. SQL Server calls the Windows NetValidatePasswordPolicy API to enforce local server password policies.

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Hope this helps.

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"Mike Epprecht (SQL MVP)" <mike@epprecht.net> wrote in message news:uJZeRYw5FHA.2984@TK2MSFTNGP14.phx.gbl...

> Hi

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> SQL Server 7.0, 2000 and 2005 do not keep password history.

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> If you have a need for this, use NT Integrated Security and then that is done at AD level.

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> Regards

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> "SRV" <SRV@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message

> news:CB0A689E-7AB6-47FA-AADD-8F774F390974@microsoft.com...

>>I know that there is a rule in SQL Server password naming that last n

>>number

>> of password cannot be used. Can anyone tell me how much is this n?

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>> Thanks in advance

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