

Re: What type of Server Roles to assign for Backup and Recovery

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That is weird. being a member of db_backupoperator is sufficient to do a backup. You just have to add it to the appropriate DB's within the server. It is a DB role – not a server role.

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"Aishu" <Aishu@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
<news:4F686BFE-BD24-4A72-8AAD-146C92FC6BBC@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
Hi Tom,

Thanks and I manage to do it in this manner , just to share this with other users.....

I have created a Windows acc add in the Backup Operators Group..This gives u explicit permissions to the disk drives in a way to perform recovery (accessing the disk drives).U need this acc to access the SSMS or enterprise mgr,Then creating a SQL login in servers with sysadmin server roles cause have test it with db_creator and db_backupoperator it doesnt work with it only with sysadmin server role alone it does.

Thanks,
Aishu
MCSE,MCDBA,MCSA

"Tom Moreau" wrote:

If you have a number of servers, the script it out and use SQLCMD to connect

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to each server and run the script.

Looks like you should create a Windows group that includes the logins that should have the backup privilege and then add that group as a login to

each

SQL Server. You can then grant read/write privileges to the domain group

on

the appropriate drives. be sure that the domain account(s) under which

your

SQL Server is running has read/write privileges on the drives.

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<news:9B9B82AF-7606-414A-8E4C-535D432E7FF7@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
Hi Tom,

I can do that if I have one server , how abt 20 odd serversits
kinda painstaking job...
Have figure out assigning a limited Windows Domain acc but when login
created and put into Domain Users group still cant access the disk drives

of

the servers.
So here is the questions what is the Domain Rights that I can give to the
group of user other then Domain Users and Domain Admins to access the disk
drives to not only perform sql backup but also recovery from the

device....

Thanks,
Aishu

"Tom Moreau" wrote:

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You may have to CREATE CREDENTIAL for that login, in order to use the file

system (if it's a SQL Server authenticated login). Otherwise, try granting

NTFS permissions to that Windows login.

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Hi Tom,

Using the db_backupoperator and the db_creator roles for a sql server login. Somehow when u try to perform a recovery from a device than it requires a NTFS permission on the Directory of where the backup file is located...somehow to overcome all this I had to assign a sysadmin.....Is

any

workaround solution for this

Thanks,
Aishu

"Tom Moreau" wrote:

Any member of db_backupoperator can perform backups on the same

database.

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Members of the fixed server role, dbcreator, can create databases.

Just

add

and remove logins from these roles as required.

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<news:5C2A13C5-9B9A-421A-9295-73252B3C642F@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
Hi there,

I have a question , what is the best practice to create a login
to

perform

backup and recovery, Can I just have DB role as
DB_backupoperator or I

have

to assign a sysadmin role to the user (in SQL authentication/
windows).Coming up with a secure policy , so that when
users go out

from

the

company it wont affect the practice.

Thanks,
Aishu

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