

Re: Multiple Password Policies

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I appreciate your responses. I guess "tricking the OS" was not the right term. What I'm trying to find out is where to start on writing those extensions. Does my policy have to check for OU membership? I guess I need some help finding a starting point. Passfilt Pro is a good filter; however, it offers only 4 password policies, but I'd like to have more...

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Thanks,
Eric.

"Joe Richards [MVP]" wrote:

> It has nothing to do with tricking the OS. The OS has a mechanism to extend the
> functionality. The built in functionality does not have the capability to have
> different policies based on attributes of the users (whether location or some
> other value) and you can't trick it into having it. You either need to buy or
> write the necessary extensions to get the added functionality.

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> Cartman wrote:

> > Hello everyone,

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> > I've seen responses from people saying that it is impossible to have more
> > than 1 password policy per domain; however, if there are products out there
> > allowing to have multiple password setups, I was wondering if someone
> > actually was able to trick it using customer adm templates or some other
> > method...

> > Possible scenario for clarity:

> > test1 OU - Strong Password Policy (10 characters or more)

> > test2 OU - Strongest Password Policy (20 characters or more)

> > test3 OU - Weak Password Policy (5 characters or more)

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> > Any help would be greatly appreciated.

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