

Re: Account Being Locked Somewhere

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Hi Andrew,

Just as an aside, I set TS sessions to get scrubbed after being disconnected to so long, precisely to avoid such issues and to conserve availability of, ensure sharing of the two available administrative RDP sessions. I then just advise those allowed that if they are intending to run a long process in the backbround, disconnected, that they have a time limit (and need to log in and wiggle a mouse).

Roger

"Andrew Hayes" <AndrewHayes@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message news:%23rgeB9cxGHA.980@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Turned on all the auditing and waited for it to be locked. Saw this:

Event Type: Success Audit
Event Source: Security
Event Category: Account Management
Event ID: 644
Date: 8/22/2006
Time: 4:53:39 PM
User: NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM
Computer: DOMAINCONTROLLER
Description:
User Account Locked Out:
Target Account Name: USER
Target Account ID: DOMAIN\USER
Caller Machine Name: DATABASESERVER
Caller User Name: DOMAINCONTROLLER\$\br/>Caller Domain: DOMAIN
Caller Logon ID: (0x0,0x000)

It seems he had an old Remote Desktop Connection to the database server

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that he had logged in with an old password. Rather than logging off, he had just closed the window which kept the RDC session open. It must be occasionally trying to connect using the supplied credentials for some reason.

Connected to the database server, ran Terminal Services Manager, and logged him off.

Will see if that was the only culprit.