

RE: What permissions are needed to start a service on Windows 2003 Ser

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I found the solution to my problem here:

<http://msdn2.microsoft.com/en-us/library/ms998320.aspx#>

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<http://fleasharp.blogspot.com/>

"Flea#" wrote:

Hello,

I have a custom service that starts with a different network account. On the local server I have granted the "Log on as a service" rights to the network account in the Local Security Policy. However, when I try and start the service it fails to start. If I add the Network Account as an Administrator on the server, it will work fine and start right up, however, I would prefer not to give this network account Administrative rights just for this. I tried just adding the network account to the PowerUsers group but that still failed.

I think what is happening is, this service is set to write to the Event Viewer and it can't create its own custom Event Source without having Admin rights so I didn't know if there was a way I could give it enough rights to create its event source without giving it rights to the whole server.

Thanks for any advice,
Flea#

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