

Re: How do I restore security only on XP Pro?

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why not just: run secedit and export your security settings to an inf, run local security policy and export your ipsec settings (if any) backup your efs keys(if any) backup your c:\documents and settings\%username% folders. export/backup the syskey, the profilelist and user keys. check/backup ms/third party programs that store user data in "other" locations – licensing info also and for original setups.

"The final aim is to avoid re-registering the computer into the domain again." humm probably need some entries from the security hive also, probably in the secrets key.

install on a new machine and import the lot. simple. :-)
just an idea, but it will probably work.

>-----Original Message-----

>ASR would be similar to just doing a backup with system state
>and then restoring after the fresh install, which you indicate you

>have reason for not wanting to do.

>Simply copying profiles is no longer an advised way of doing
>things. There is now stuff stored there that is SID sensitive as

>well as controlled by encryption based on a hash of the password.

>The Fast approach would be very tedious if there are many accounts,

>but it will handle things like Office product identities, email storage,

>etc. which is otherwise a little tricky.

>In the long run, trying for a shortcut based on simple copy out

>and copy back will probably end up being more effort (again,
>depending on how much of this you need to do)

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microsoft.public.windowsxp.security_admin: Re: How do I restore security only on XP Pro?

>Roger

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>"Vince C." <noname@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:ulxAM1YDDHA.1960@TK2MSFTNGP12.phx.gbl...

>> "Roger Abell {MVP}" <mvpNOSPAM@asu.edu> a écrit dans le
message de

>> news:eRPWbBYDDHA.2100@TK2MSFTNGP11.phx.gbl...

>> > There is no tool available to do exactly what you ask.

>> > What you can do however, is to use the Fast tool (file

>> > and settings transfer = fast) to collect together what

>> > should be transferred from an old account and restored

>> > into the new accounts.

>> > You will need to define the new accounts in the new

>> > install. For each account you need to log in before in

>> > the old system and then again in the new system, each

>> > time running Fast.

>> > You will find Fast as the fastwiz file in the CD, IIRC it

>> > its in the support folder. You will want to filter down

>> > rather severely what files are transferred, keeping things

>> > like the email software's pst pab etc files, but not

keeping

>> > things like exe files or the transfer file will become
large.

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>> > Roger

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>> Thanks Roger.

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>> If I understood there is no way to recover the machine

SID, for instance? At

>> that level it seems it's as fast to save my profiles

somewhere, logon using

>> new accounts and restore all profiles from saved

locations. I also assume

>> I'll need to set access rights on all registries

accordingly.

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>> I read a little on ASR (Automated System Recovery).

Can't it substantially

>> do what I want? I won't have both machines in the same

time, that's my

>> problem...

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>> Vince C.

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