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Windows Admin Tasks Management Pack v1.0

Administrator tasks to augment server management from the SCOM 2007 and SCE 2010 Consoles

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Introduction

The Windows Admin Tasks Management Pack is designed to augment the Windows Base OS Management Pack by adding a number of useful and powerful tasks to the console. To make this easy, the tasks are all targeted to the **Microsoft.Windows.Computer** (Windows Computer) class, so you can use the Windows Computer view in the Default MP, which is also near the top of View tree in the Monitoring space of the console.

With that in mind, the tasks presented should work on about any OS that supports an OpsMgr agent.

Setup Instructions

The following setup instructions include the required and optional configuration steps for the Multi-Host Ping Management Pack.

Required Configuration Steps

This pack is very simple. You import the pack in to OpsMgr 2007 R2 or SCE 2010 and it's ready to use

immediately. Import the Multi-Host Ping Management Pack using the Operations Console. The file name

is **SCC.Windows.Admin.Tasks.xml.**

Optional Configuration Steps

There is only one task that requires configuration. The 'Add User to Admins' task requires you to go into task properties and edit the group name in the script, as pictured here.

Management Pack Contents

The following are the contents of the management pack.

Tasks

The MP contains the following admin tasks. All tasks are targeted to the Microsoft.Windows.Computer (Windows Computer) class.

Monitor Name	Overridable Parameter
Add User to Admins	Task that adds a user or group of your choice to the local Administrators group on target computer
Clear ARP Cache	Performs and "arp -d *" on the target computer
Display ARP Cache	Performs an 'arp -a' on the target computer
RSoP	Performs "GPResult /R" on target computer to present applied group policy.
RSoP (Verbose)	Performs "GPResult /V" on target computer to retrieve applicable group policy settings in verbose format.
Reapply Group Policy Now (Force)	Performs a "GPUpdate /force" to immediately re-apply group policies to the target computer.

WUA: Install Updates NOW!	Installs updates downloaded and ready for install on the target computer (managed through WSUS) using the undocumented wuauclt /updatenow flag
WUA: List Installed Updates	Retrieves a list of installed updates for a target computer.
Reboot NOW	Reboots the computer using Shutdown /R
SCCM: Evaluate Machine Policy	Forces the SCCM client agent to retrieve and evaluate machine policy on demand.

Discovery

This MP contains no object discoveries

Monitors

This MP contains no monitors

Rules

This MP contains no rules

Views

This MP contains no views

Reports

This MP contains no reports

Feedback and Suggestions

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