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Threats targeting the hybrid & cloud identity platform Reconnaissance

All exercises and tasks must be done in the defined order. They build on each other, if you skip a step, you will no longer be able to continue.

You mainly use two accounts:

Red Team

Miss Red

Blue Team

Mister Blue

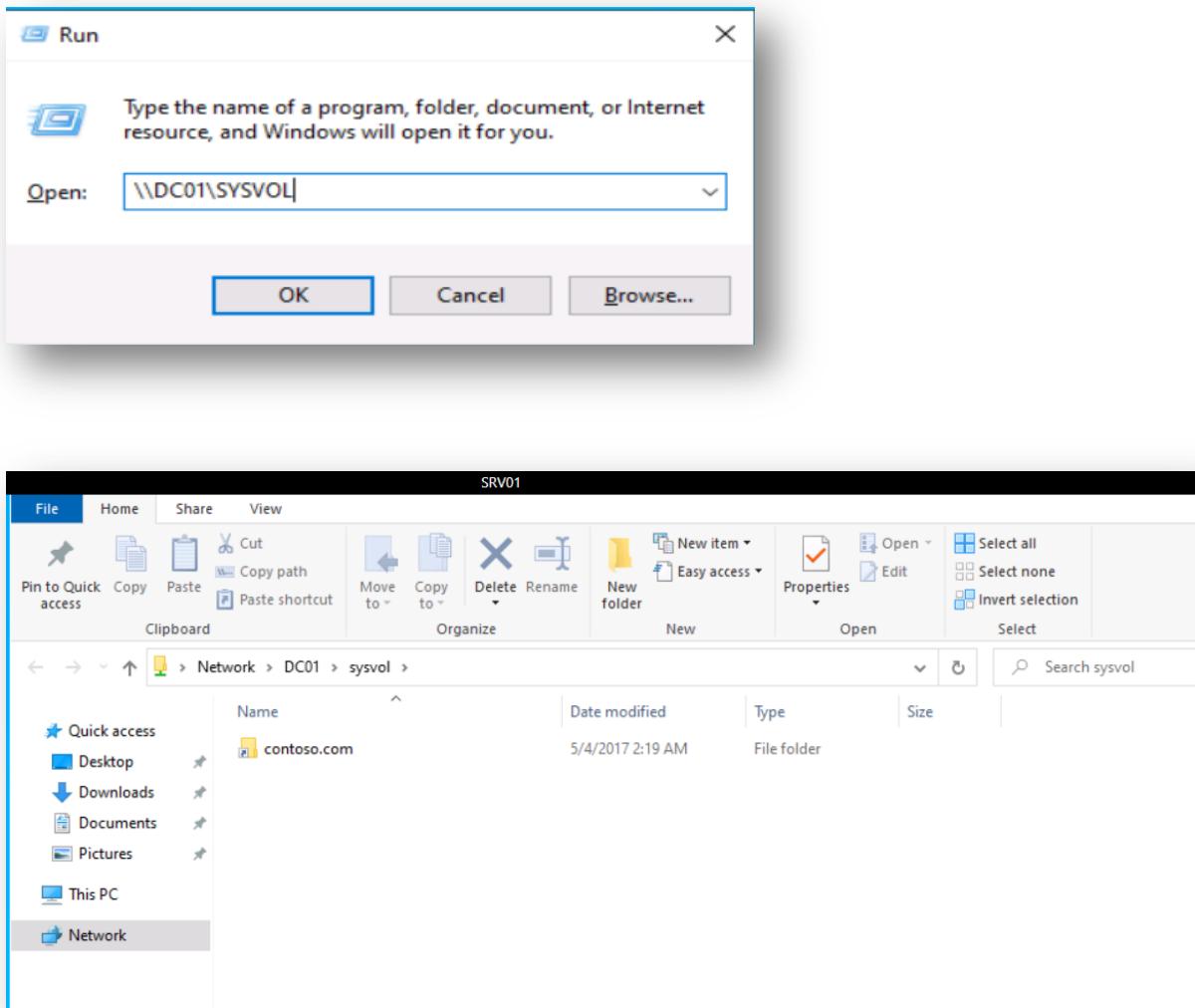
CONTOSO\red

CONTOSO\blue

CONTOSO\red is only a user of **CONTOSO\Domain Users** and does not have any privilege on the domain. However, she is a member of the local **Administrators** group on **CLI01**.

CONTOSO\blue is a domain privileged account member of the **Domain Admins** group.

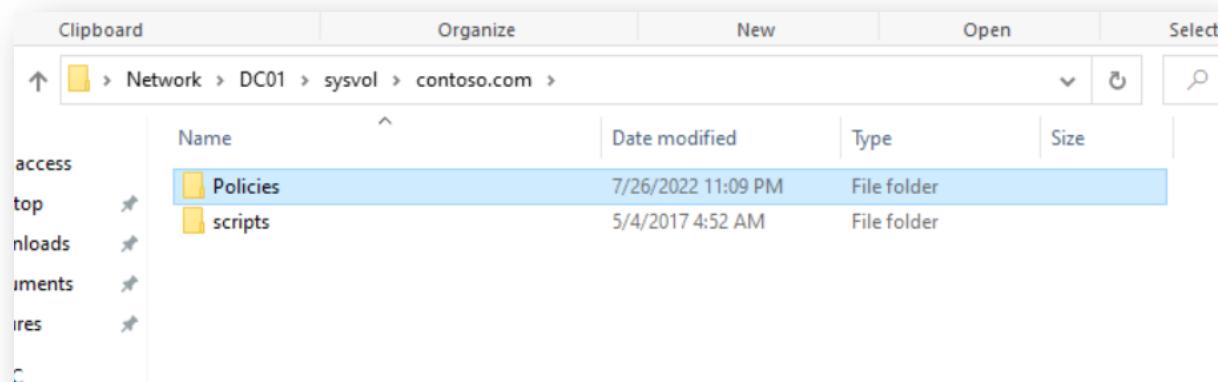
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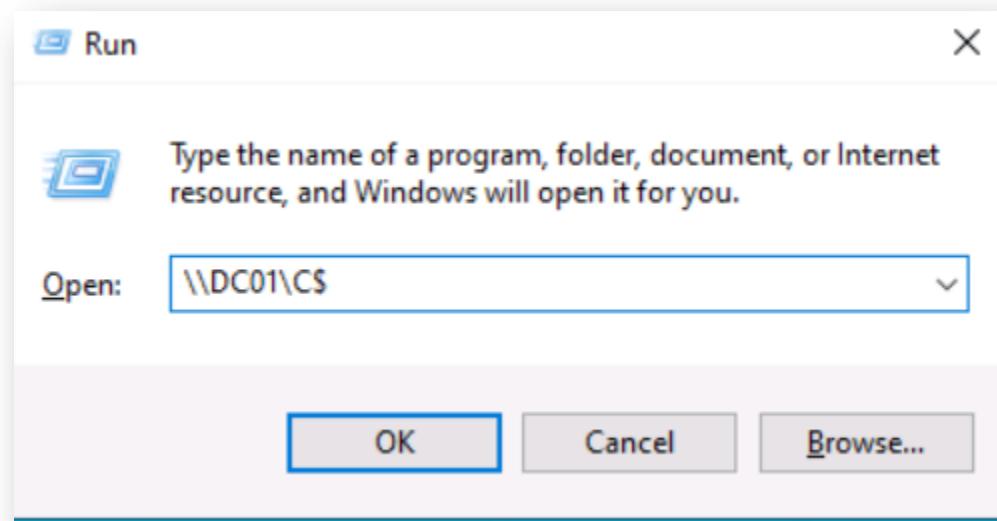
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Exercise 1 - Prepare the environment

📝 What types of files can we find in this folder?

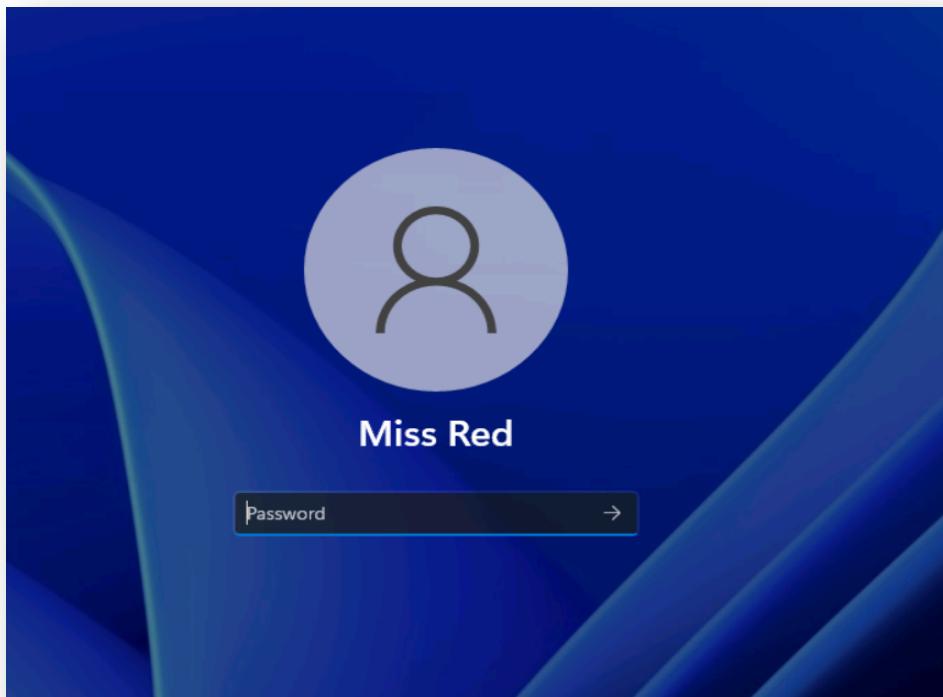


SYSVOL et Politiques de Groupe: Le dossier SYSVOL sur un contrôleur de domaine Windows inclut des fichiers de politique de groupe (GPO), qui sont utilisés pour centraliser la gestion des paramètres de configuration des ordinateurs et utilisateurs du domaine. Ces fichiers comprennent des modèles administratifs, des paramètres de sécurité, des scripts, et des fichiers de préférences. En plus, SYSVOL contient des scripts de connexion et de déconnexion qui sont exécutés lorsque les utilisateurs se connectent ou se déconnectent d'un ordinateur du domaine.

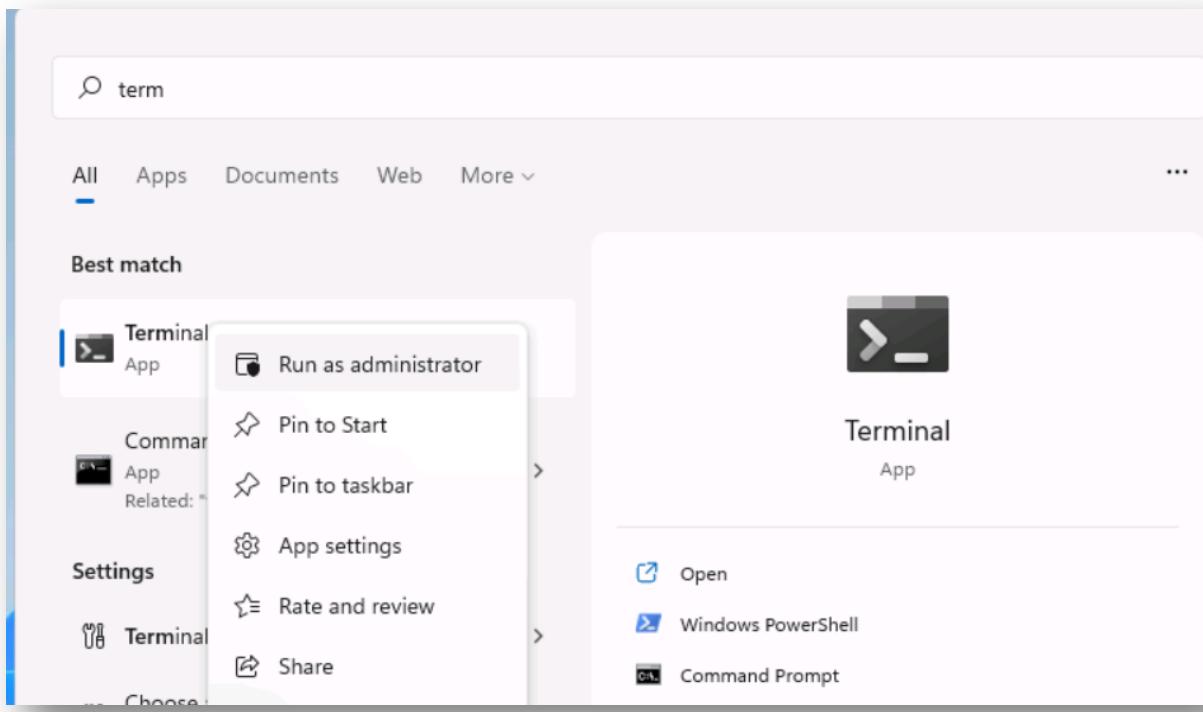


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Name	Date modified	Type	Size
ATA	10/30/2018 2:40 AM	File folder	
lala	6/26/2017 5:21 AM	File folder	
PerfLogs	7/16/2016 3:23 PM	File folder	
Program Files	9/1/2022 7:46 AM	File folder	
Program Files (x86)	7/27/2022 3:49 PM	File folder	
Tools	7/28/2022 3:00 PM	File folder	
Users	9/2/2022 11:33 PM	File folder	
Windows	8/31/2022 3:44 AM	File folder	



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Exercise 2 - Use BloodHound for recon

📝 Is is an alias for what PowerShell command?

- C'est un alias pour la commande dir.

```
--threads          (Default: 50) Number of threads to run enumeration with
--skipregistryloggedon Skip registry session enumeration
--overrideusername   Override the username to filter for NetSessionEnum
--realdnsname       Override DNS suffix for API calls
--collectallproperties Collect all LDAP properties from objects
-l, --Loop          Loop computer collection
--loopduration      Loop duration (Defaults to 2 hours)
--loopinterval       Delay between loops
--statusinterval    (Default: 30000) Interval in which to display status in milliseconds
-v                  (Default: 2) Enable verbose output
--help               Display this help screen.
--version            Display version information.

PS C:\Tools\Scripts> |
```

```
PS C:\Tools\Scripts> .\sharphound.exe --collectionmethods All --skippasswordcheck|
```

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```
PS C:\Tools\Scripts> .\sharpjhound.exe --collectionmethods All --skippasswordcheck
2024-01-25T05:00:56.2505735-08:00|INFORMATION|This version of SharpHound is compatible with the 4.2 Release of
BloodHound
2024-01-25T05:00:56.4849494-08:00|INFORMATION|Resolved Collection Methods: Group, LocalAdmin, GPOLocalGroup, S
ession, LoggedOn, Trusts, ACL, Container, RDP, ObjectProps, DCOM, SPNTTargets, PSRemote
2024-01-25T05:00:56.6099571-08:00|INFORMATION|Initializing SharpHound at 5:00 AM on 1/25/2024
2024-01-25T05:00:56.9849596-08:00|INFORMATION|Loaded cache with stats: 210 ID to type mappings.
217 name to SID mappings.
2 machine sid mappings.
4 sid to domain mappings.
0 global catalog mappings.
2024-01-25T05:00:57.0161978-08:00|INFORMATION|Flags: Group, LocalAdmin, GPOLocalGroup, Session, LoggedOn, Trus
ts, ACL, Container, RDP, ObjectProps, DCOM, SPNTTargets, PSRemote
2024-01-25T05:00:57.7818219-08:00|INFORMATION|Beginning LDAP search for contoso.com
2024-01-25T05:00:58.0786958-08:00|INFORMATION|Producer has finished, closing LDAP channel
2024-01-25T05:00:58.0786958-08:00|INFORMATION|LDAP channel closed, waiting for consumers
2024-01-25T05:01:28.1575569-08:00|INFORMATION|Status: 0 objects finished (+0 0)/s -- Using 46 MB RAM
2024-01-25T05:01:42.7678666-08:00|INFORMATION|Consumers finished, closing output channel
Closing writers
2024-01-25T05:01:42.8303697-08:00|INFORMATION|Output channel closed, waiting for output task to complete
2024-01-25T05:01:42.8928671-08:00|INFORMATION|Status: 250 objects finished (+250 5.555555)/s -- Using 51 MB RA
M
2024-01-25T05:01:42.8928671-08:00|INFORMATION|Enumeration finished in 00:00:45.1164258
2024-01-25T05:01:43.0647438-08:00|INFORMATION|Saving cache with stats: 210 ID to type mappings.
217 name to SID mappings.
2 machine sid mappings.
4 sid to domain mappings.
0 global catalog mappings.
2024-01-25T05:01:43.0647438-08:00|INFORMATION|SharpHound Enumeration Completed at 5:01 AM on 1/25/2024! Happy
Graphing!
PS C:\Tools\Scripts> |
```

```
Graphing:
PS C:\Tools\Scripts> Write-Output
    > Write-Output "SRV01.contoso.com" | Out-File computers.lst
```

```
PS C:\Tools\Scripts> .\sharpjhound.exe --collectionmethods All --computerfile computers.lst --skippasswordcheck
2024-01-25T05:05:30.3251001-08:00|INFORMATION|This version of SharpHound is compatible with the 4.2 Release of
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ession, LoggedOn, Trusts, ACL, Container, RDP, ObjectProps, DCOM, SPNTTargets, PSRemote
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2024-01-25T05:05:30.9032218-08:00|INFORMATION|Loaded cache with stats: 210 ID to type mappings.
217 name to SID mappings.
2 machine sid mappings.
4 sid to domain mappings.
0 global catalog mappings.
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ts, ACL, Container, RDP, ObjectProps, DCOM, SPNTTargets, PSRemote
2024-01-25T05:05:31.1376022-08:00|INFORMATION|Producer has finished, closing LDAP channel
2024-01-25T05:05:31.1376022-08:00|INFORMATION|LDAP channel closed, waiting for consumers
2024-01-25T05:05:31.2625994-08:00|INFORMATION|Consumers finished, closing output channel
2024-01-25T05:05:31.2938473-08:00|INFORMATION|Output channel closed, waiting for output task to complete
Closing writers
2024-01-25T05:05:31.3876507-08:00|INFORMATION|Status: 2 objects finished (+2 Infinity)/s -- Using 40 MB RAM
2024-01-25T05:05:31.3876507-08:00|INFORMATION|Enumeration finished in 00:00:00.2879884
2024-01-25T05:05:31.4500960-08:00|INFORMATION|Saving cache with stats: 210 ID to type mappings.
217 name to SID mappings.
2 machine sid mappings.
4 sid to domain mappings.
0 global catalog mappings.
2024-01-25T05:05:31.4500960-08:00|INFORMATION|SharpHound Enumeration Completed at 5:05 AM on 1/25/2024! Happy
Graphing!
```

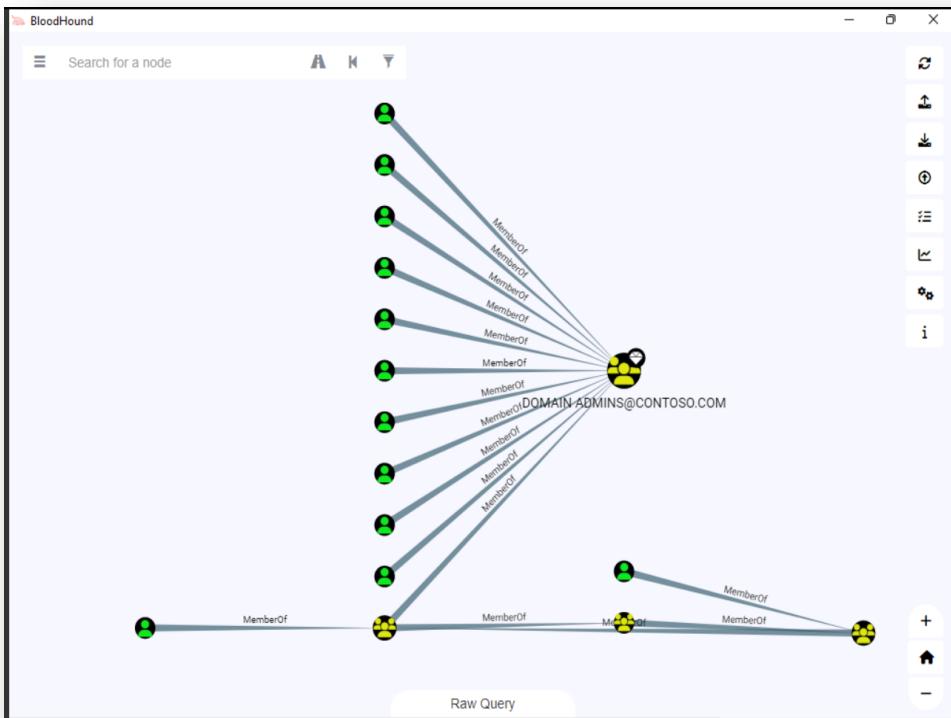
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✍ How many zip files do you see?

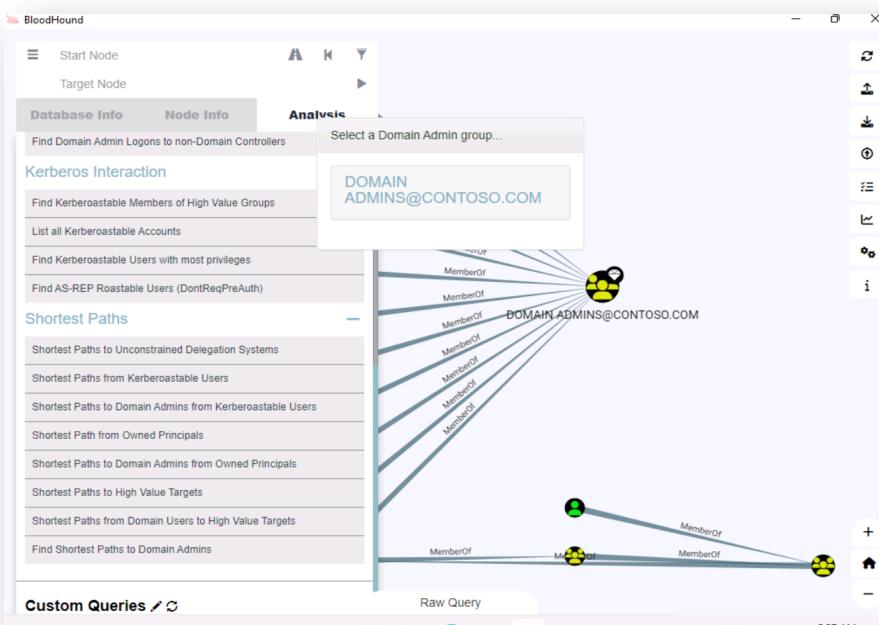
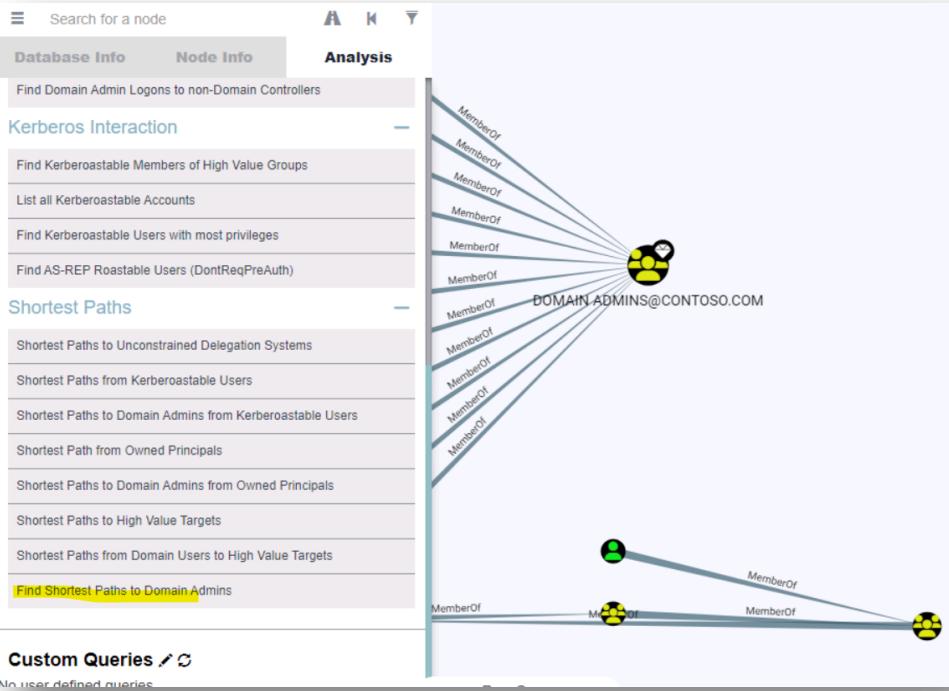
```
PS C:\Tools\Scripts> dir *.zip

      Directory: C:\Tools\Scripts

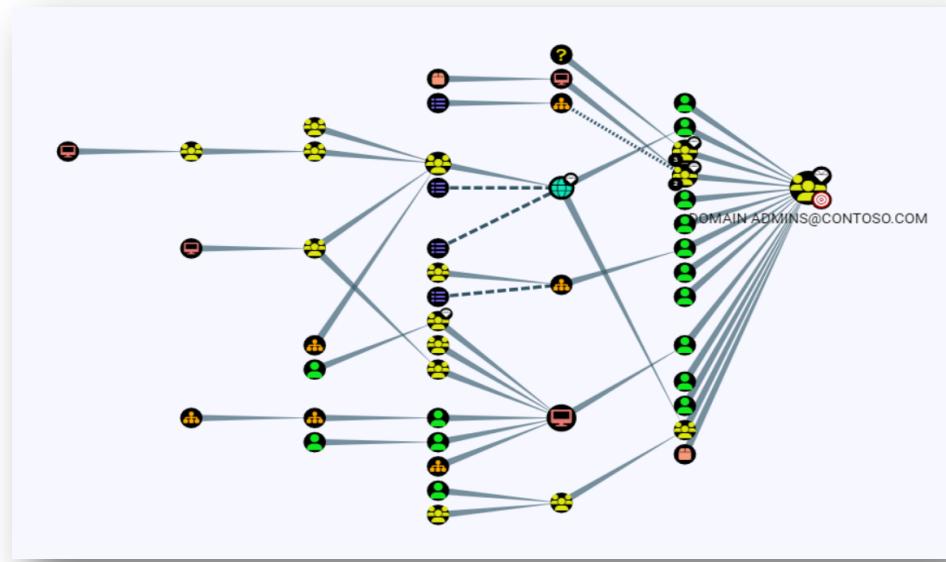
          Mode                LastWriteTime         Length Name
          ----                -              ----- 
-a----  1/25/2024  5:01 AM        27703  20240125050133_BloodHound.zip
-a----  1/25/2024  5:05 AM        1265   20240125050531_BloodHound.zip
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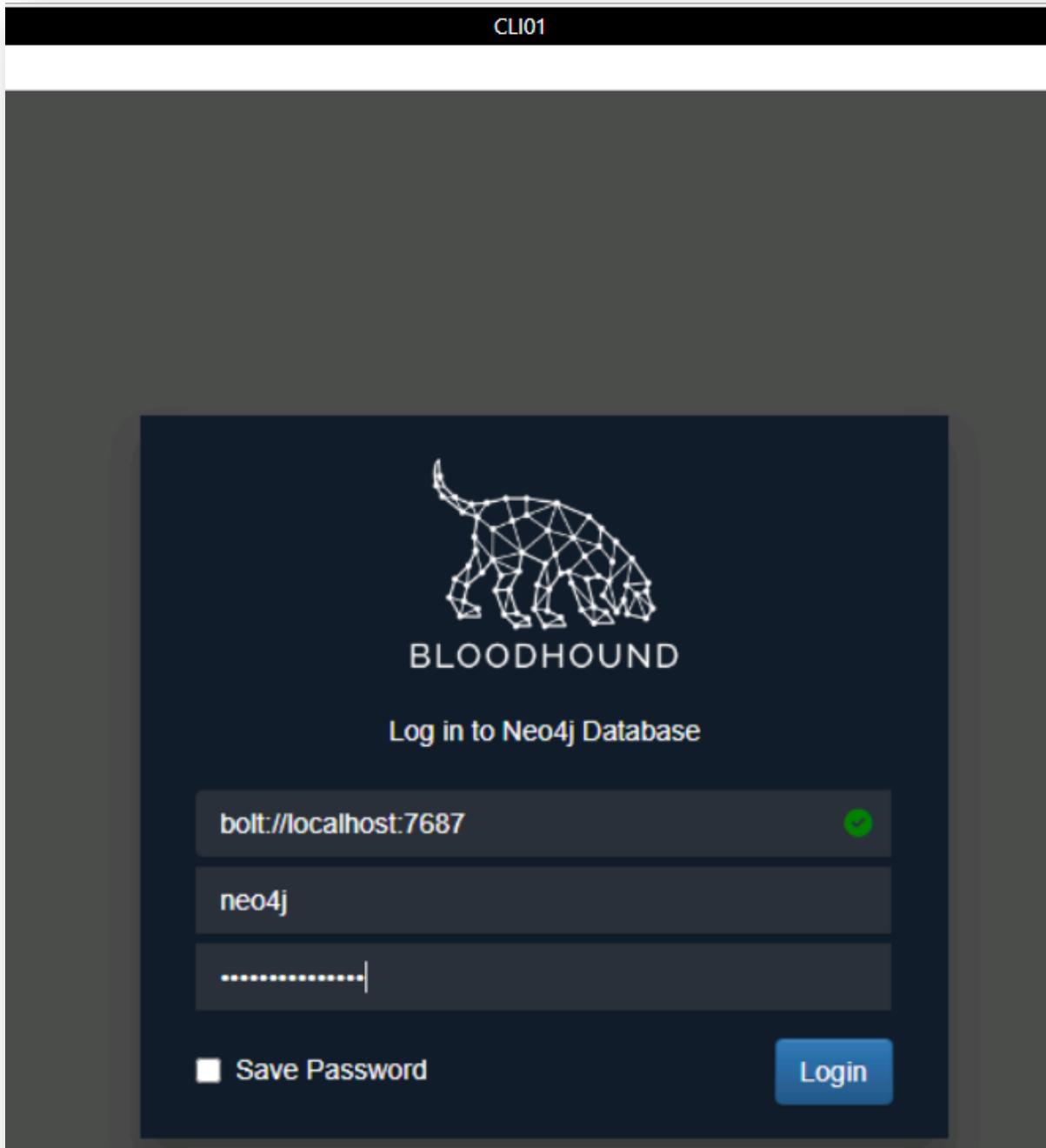


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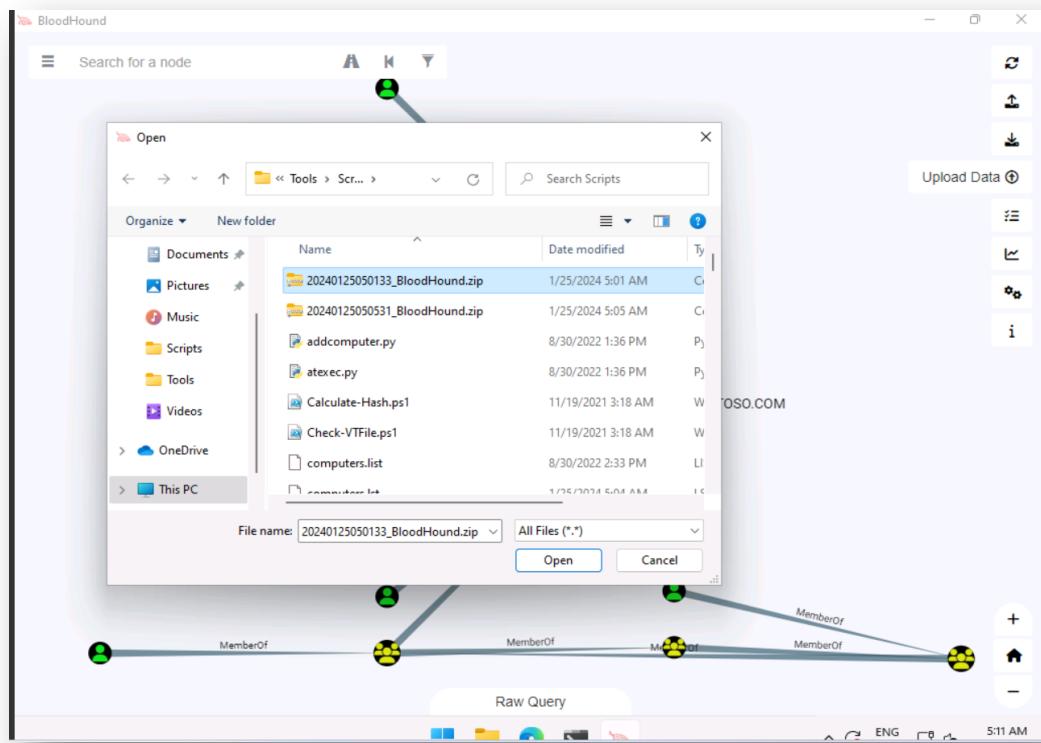
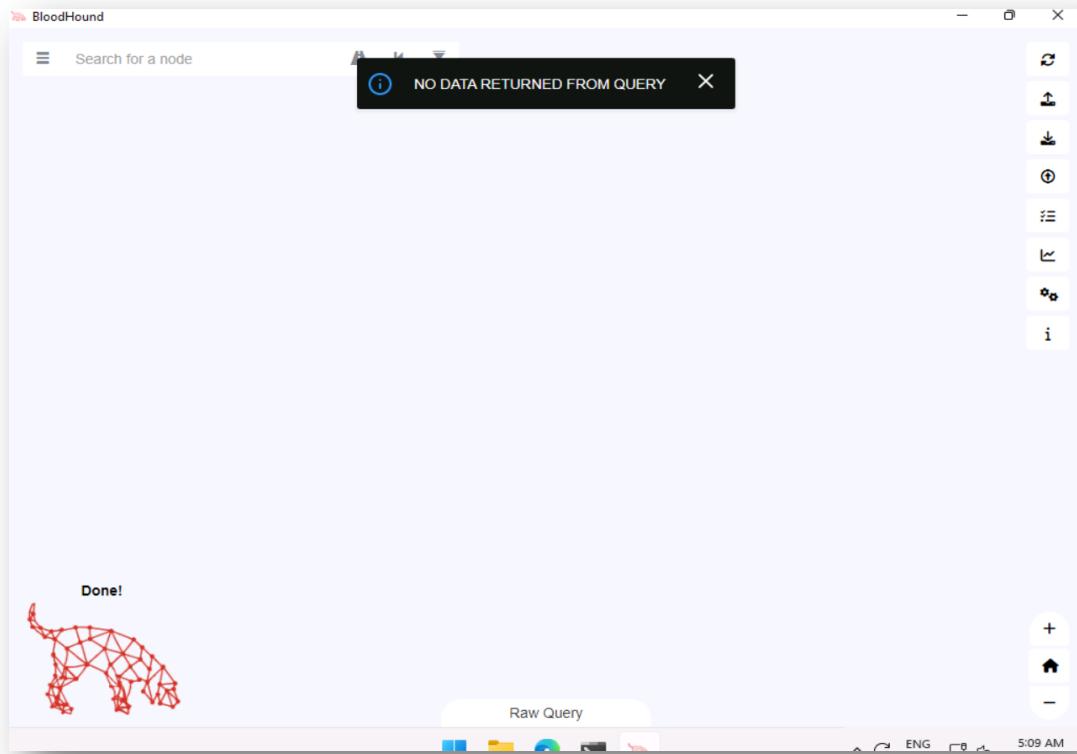


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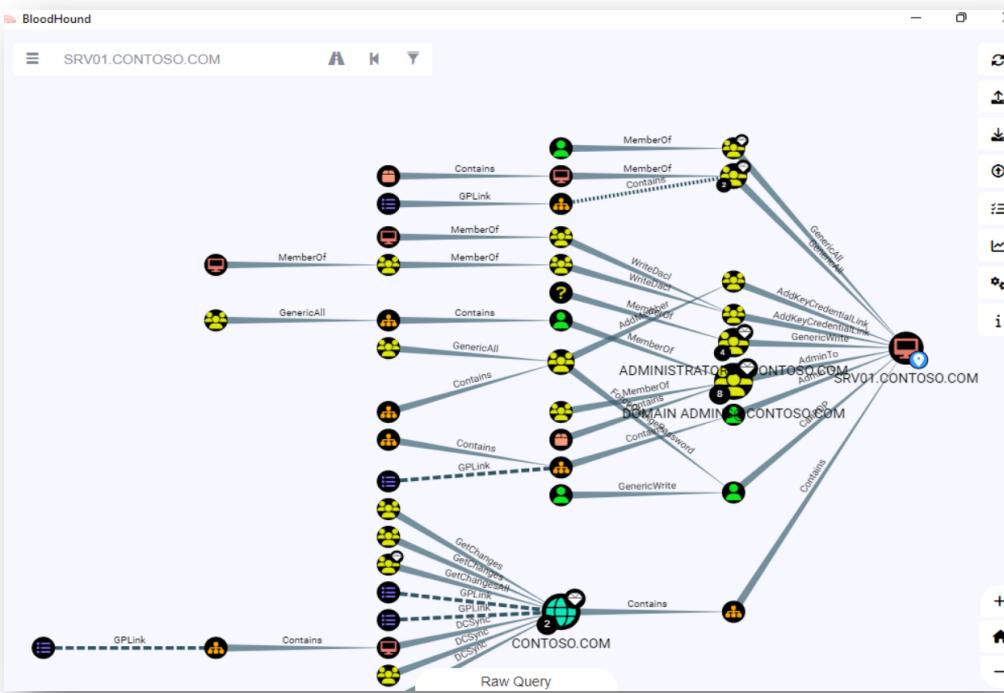
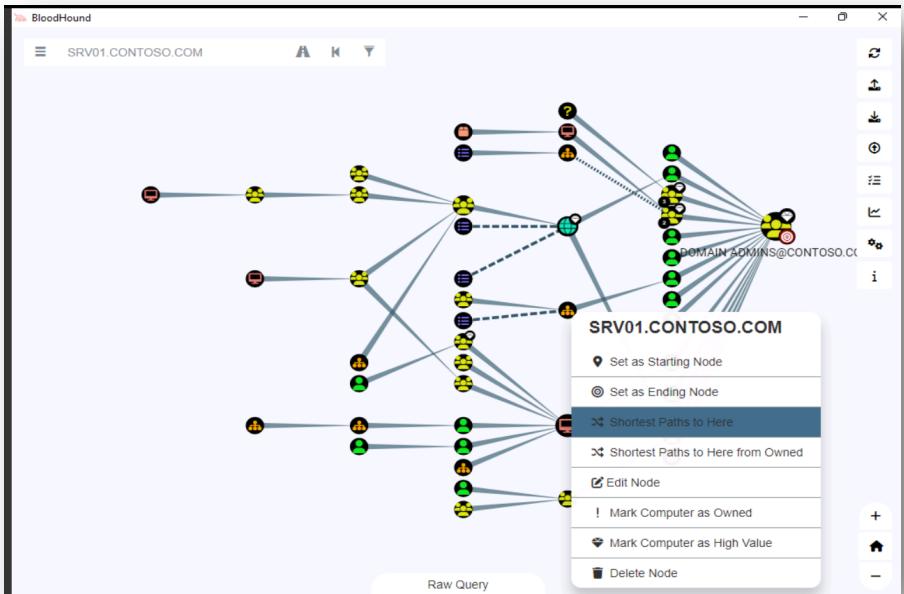
📝 Can you see who has a session and from where?



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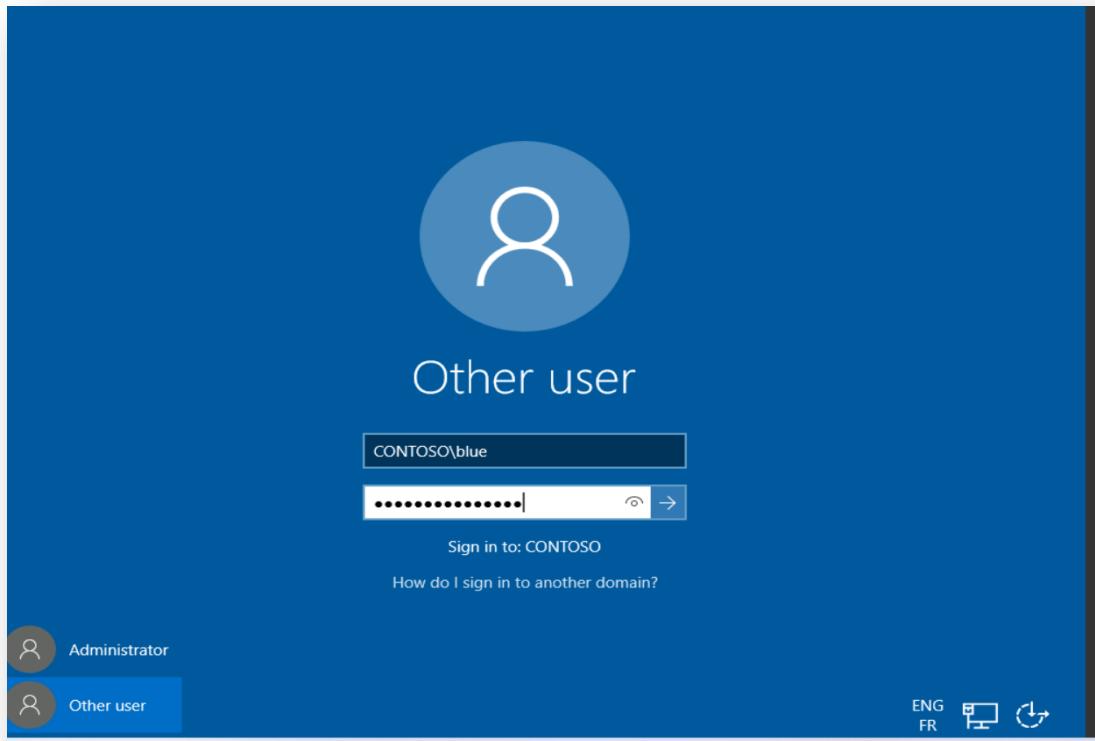
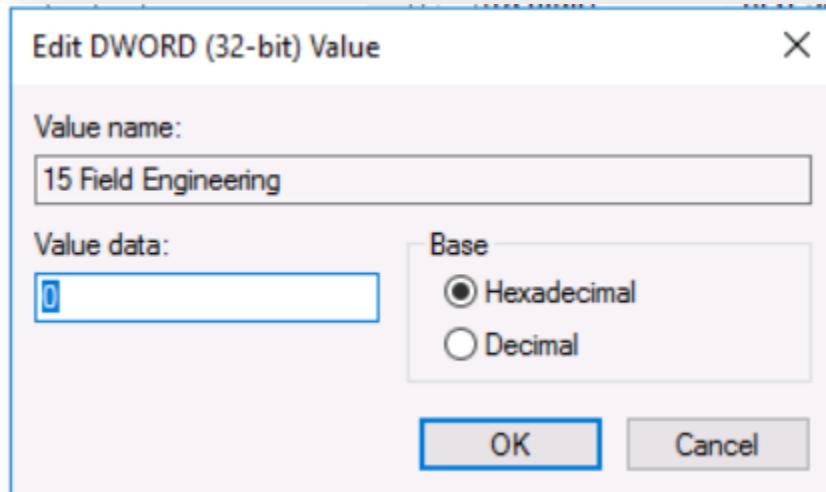


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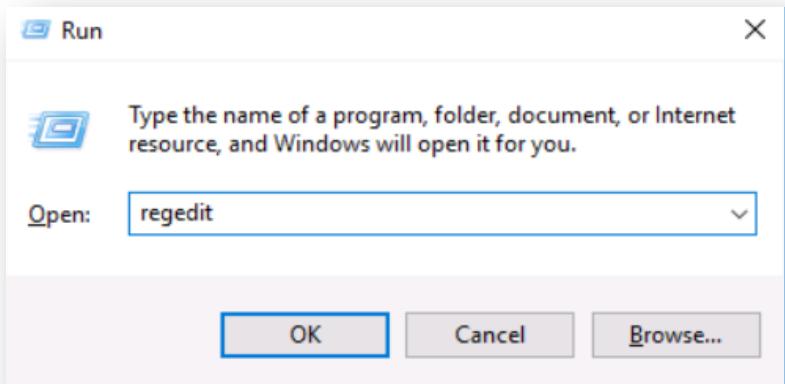
Exercise 3 - Enable LDAP logging

✍ What is the default value of all diagnostics configurations?

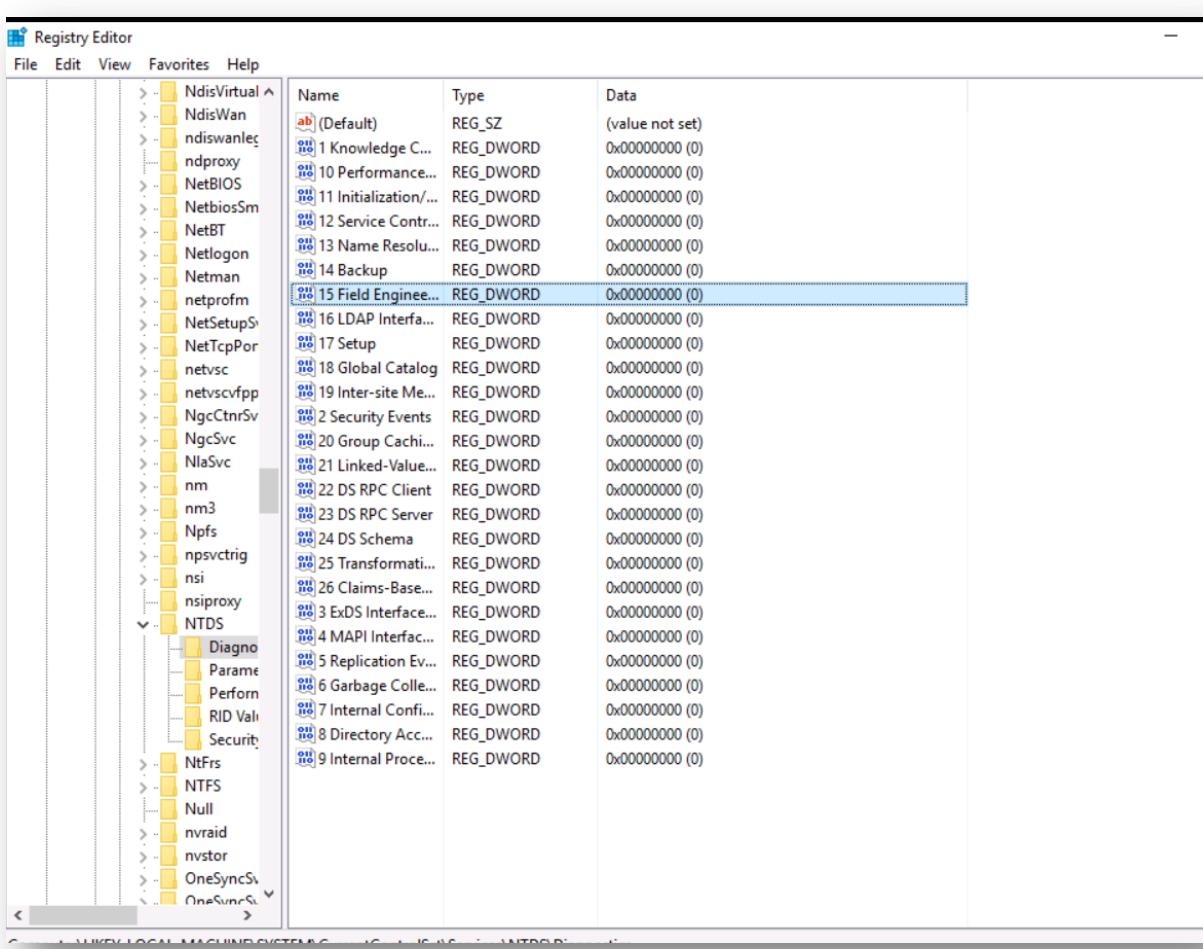
- Réponse sur la capture ci-dessous.



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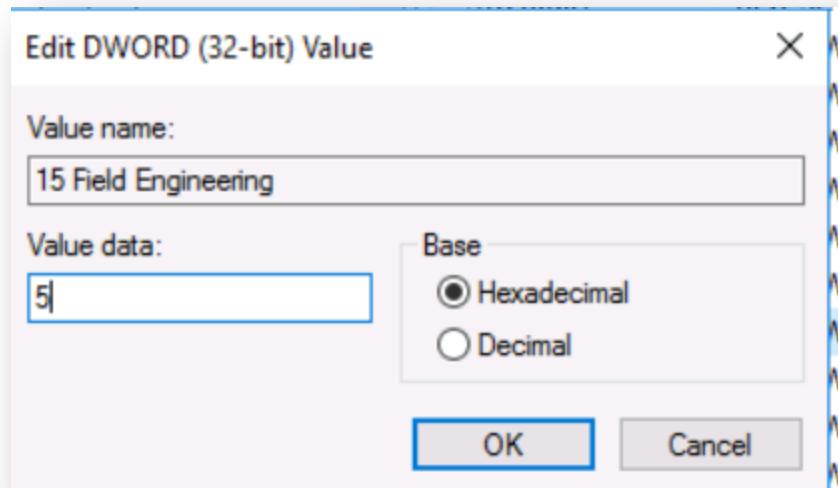


The screenshot shows the Windows Run dialog box. The title bar says "Run". The main area has a placeholder text "Type the name of a program, folder, document, or Internet resource, and Windows will open it for you." Below this, there is an "Open:" dropdown menu with "regedit" selected. At the bottom are three buttons: "OK" (highlighted in blue), "Cancel", and "Browse...".



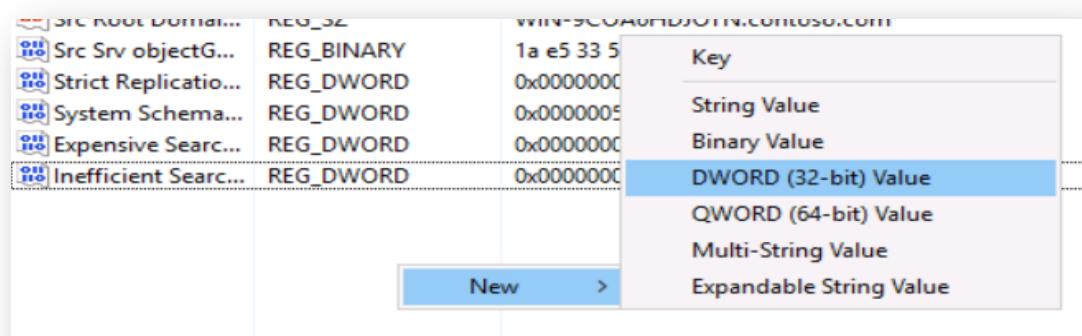
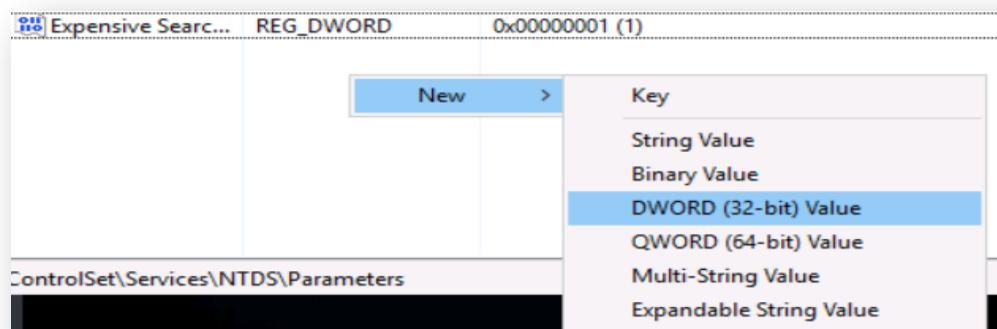
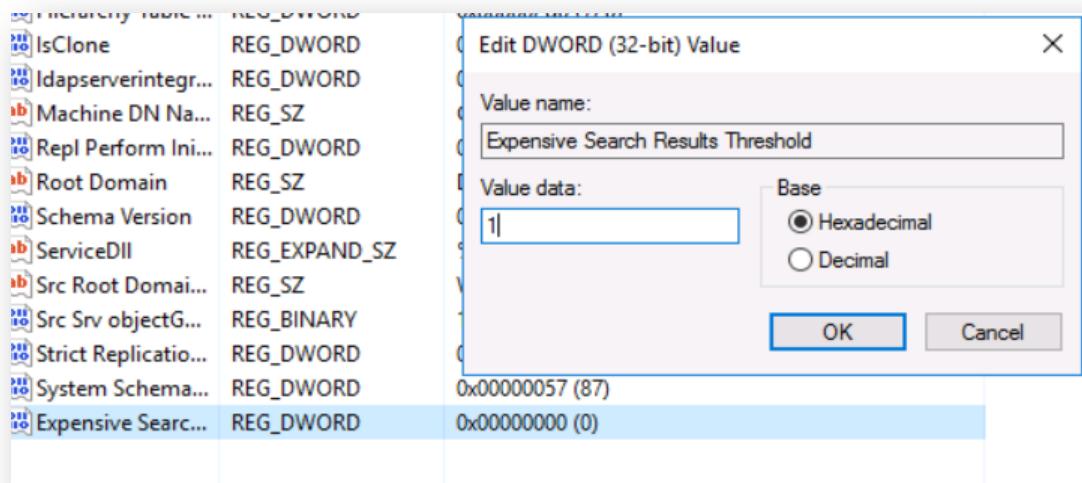
The screenshot shows the Windows Registry Editor window. The title bar says "Registry Editor". The menu bar includes File, Edit, View, Favorites, and Help. The left pane shows a tree view of registry keys under "HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SYSTEM\CurrentControlSet\Control\Network". One key, "NdisVirtual", is expanded, showing its subkeys: NdisWan, ndiswanle, ndproxy, NetBIOS, NetbiosSm, NetBT, Netlogon, Netman, netprofm, NetSetupS, NetTcpPor, netvsc, netsvcfpp, NgcCntrSrv, NgcSvc, NlaSvc, nm, nm3, Npfs, npsvctrig, nsi, nsiproxy, and NTDS. The right pane displays a table with columns "Name", "Type", and "Data". The "Name" column lists registry entries from 1 to 29, starting with "(Default)" and ending with "9 Internal Proce...". The "Type" column shows mostly REG_DWORD, with one entry being REG_SZ. The "Data" column contains values like 0x00000000 (0) and 0x00000001 (1). The status bar at the bottom shows "C:\WINDOWS\LOCAL_MACHINE\SYSTEM\CurrentControlSet\Control\Network\NdisVirtual" and "100%".

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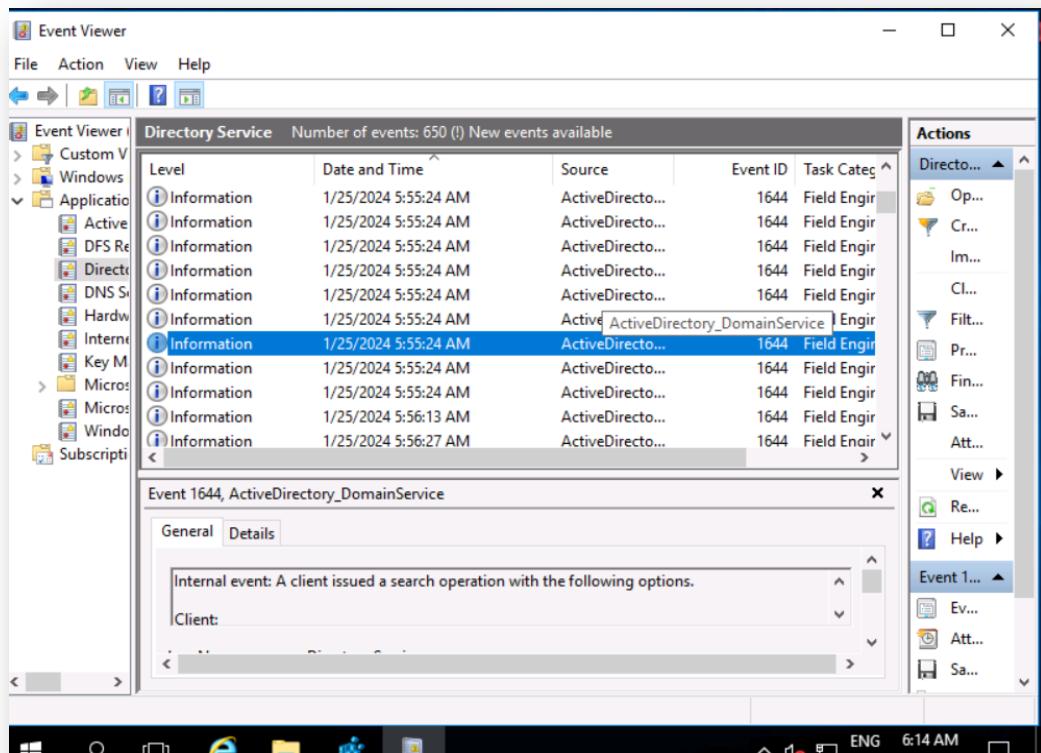
Name	Type	Data
(Default)	REG_SZ	(value not set)
Allow Replicatio...	REG_DWORD	0x00000001 (1)
Configuration NC	REG_SZ	CN=Configuration,DC=contoso,DC=com
Database backu...	REG_SZ	C:\Windows\NTDS\dsadata.bak
Database log fil...	REG_SZ	C:\Windows\NTDS
Database loggin...	REG_SZ	ON
DS Drive Mappi...	REG_MULTI_SZ	c:\=?\Volume(9a190736-0000-0000-0000-501f00...
DSA Database E...	REG_DWORD	0x000064d7 (25815)
DSA Database file	REG_SZ	C:\Windows\NTDS\ntds.dit
DSA Previous R...	REG_DWORD	0x0000000d (13)
DSA Working Di...	REG_SZ	C:\Windows\NTDS
DsaOptions	REG_SZ	1
Global Catalog ...	REG_DWORD	0x00000001 (1)
Hierarchy Table ...	REG_DWORD	0x000002d0 (720)
IsClone	REG_DWORD	0x00000000 (0)
Idapserviceintegr...	REG_DWORD	0x00000001 (1)
Machine DN Na...	REG_SZ	CN=NTDS Settings,CN=DC01,CN=Servers,CN=H...
Repl Perform Ini...	REG_DWORD	0x00000000 (0)
Root Domain	REG_SZ	DC=contoso,DC=com
Schema Version	REG_DWORD	0x00000058 (88)
ServiceDLL	REG_EXPAND_SZ	%systemroot%\system32\ntdsa.dll
Src Root Domai...	REG_SZ	WIN-9COA6HDJOTN.contoso.com
Src Srv objectG...	REG_BINARY	1a e5 33 5b 2f d4 ad 40 96 e7 8c bf 8d 39 05 11
Strict Replicatio...	REG_DWORD	0x00000000 (0)
System Schema...	REG_DWORD	0x00000057 (87)

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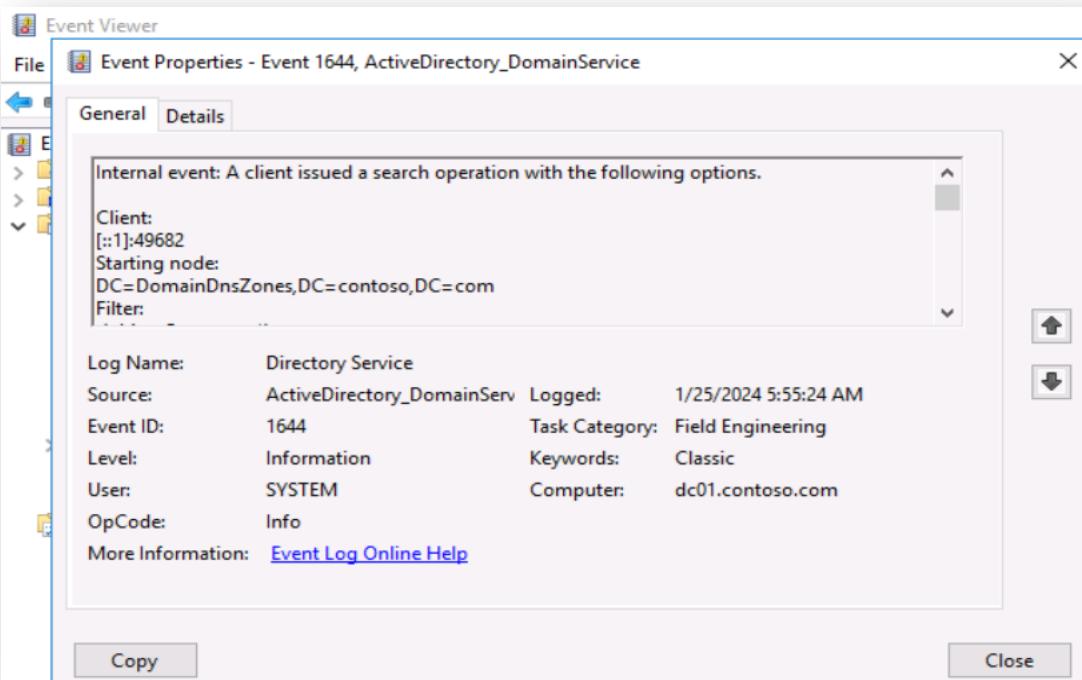


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```
PS C:\Tools\Scripts> .\sharphound.exe --collectionmethods All
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BloodHound
2024-01-25T06:08:00.3667384-08:00|INFORMATION|Resolved Collection Methods: Group, LocalAdmin, GPOLocalGroup, S
ession, LoggedOn, Trusts, ACL, Container, RDP, ObjectProps, DCOM, SPNTTargets, PSRemote
2024-01-25T06:08:00.3823636-08:00|INFORMATION|Initializing SharpHound at 6:08 AM on 1/25/2024
2024-01-25T06:08:01.9136922-08:00|INFORMATION|Loaded cache with stats: 210 ID to type mappings.
217 name to SID mappings.
2 machine sid mappings.
4 sid to domain mappings.
0 global catalog mappings.
2024-01-25T06:08:01.9136922-08:00|INFORMATION|Flags: Group, LocalAdmin, GPOLocalGroup, Session, LoggedOn, Trus
ts, ACL, Container, RDP, ObjectProps, DCOM, SPNTTargets, PSRemote
2024-01-25T06:08:02.2261939-08:00|INFORMATION|Beginning LDAP search for contoso.com
2024-01-25T06:08:02.3198628-08:00|INFORMATION|Producer has finished, closing LDAP channel
2024-01-25T06:08:02.3198628-08:00|INFORMATION|LDAP channel closed, waiting for consumers
2024-01-25T06:08:32.2584381-08:00|INFORMATION|Status: 0 objects finished (+0 0)/s -- Using 46 MB RAM
2024-01-25T06:08:50.2276744-08:00|INFORMATION|Consumers finished, closing output channel
Closing writers
2024-01-25T06:08:50.2745429-08:00|INFORMATION|Output channel closed, waiting for output task to complete
2024-01-25T06:08:50.3526698-08:00|INFORMATION|Status: 250 objects finished (+250 5.208333)/s -- Using 50 MB RA
M
2024-01-25T06:08:50.3526698-08:00|INFORMATION|Enumeration finished in 00:00:48.1250726
2024-01-25T06:08:50.4151673-08:00|INFORMATION|Saving cache with stats: 210 ID to type mappings.
217 name to SID mappings.
2 machine sid mappings.
4 sid to domain mappings.
0 global catalog mappings.
2024-01-25T06:08:50.4151673-08:00|INFORMATION|SharpHound Enumeration Completed at 6:08 AM on 1/25/2024! Happy
Graphing!
PS C:\Tools\Scripts> |
```



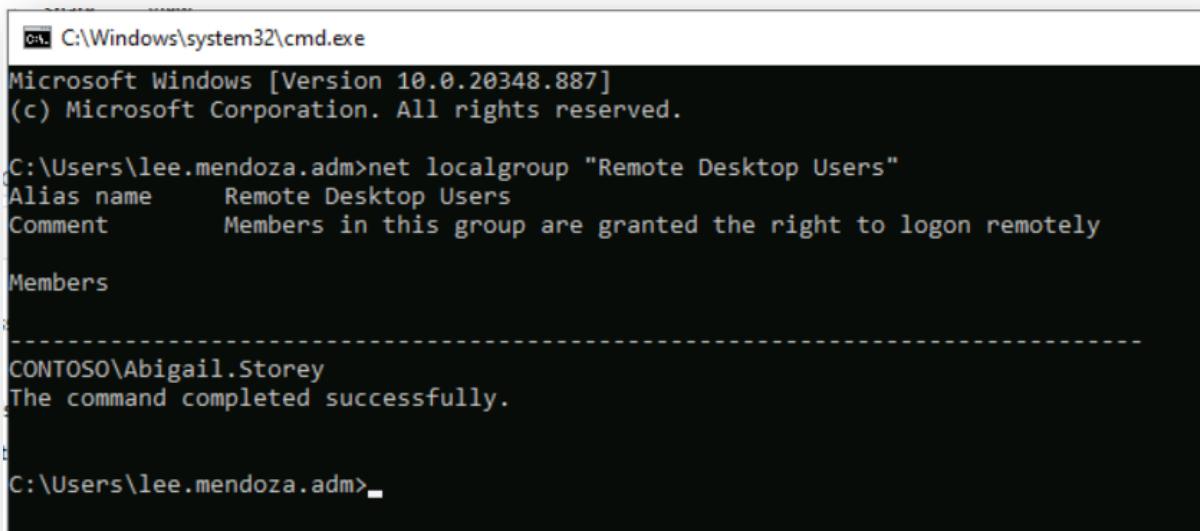
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Exercise 4 - Restrict SAM-R enumeration on a member server

📝 Who is a member of the group?



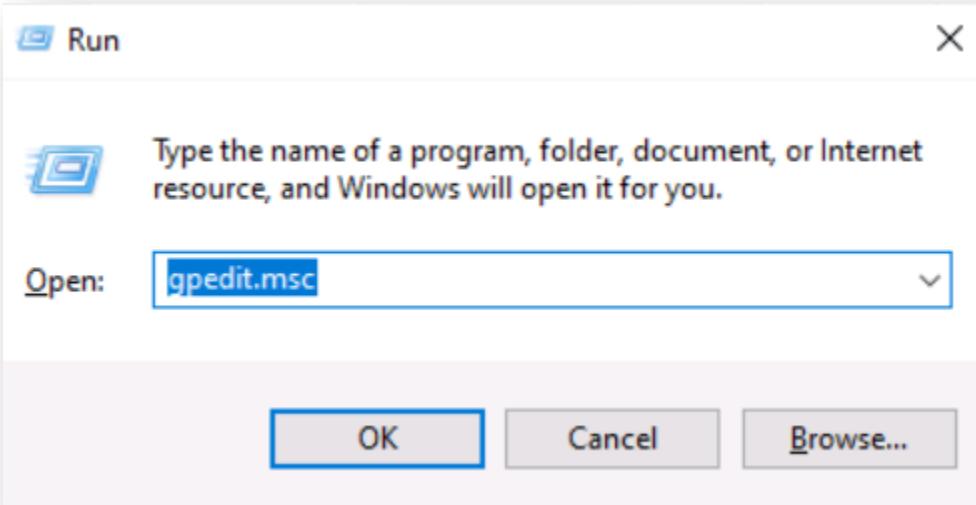
```
C:\Windows\system32\cmd.exe
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.20348.887]
(c) Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

C:\Users\lee.mendoza.adm>net localgroup "Remote Desktop Users"
Alias name      Remote Desktop Users
Comment         Members in this group are granted the right to logon remotely

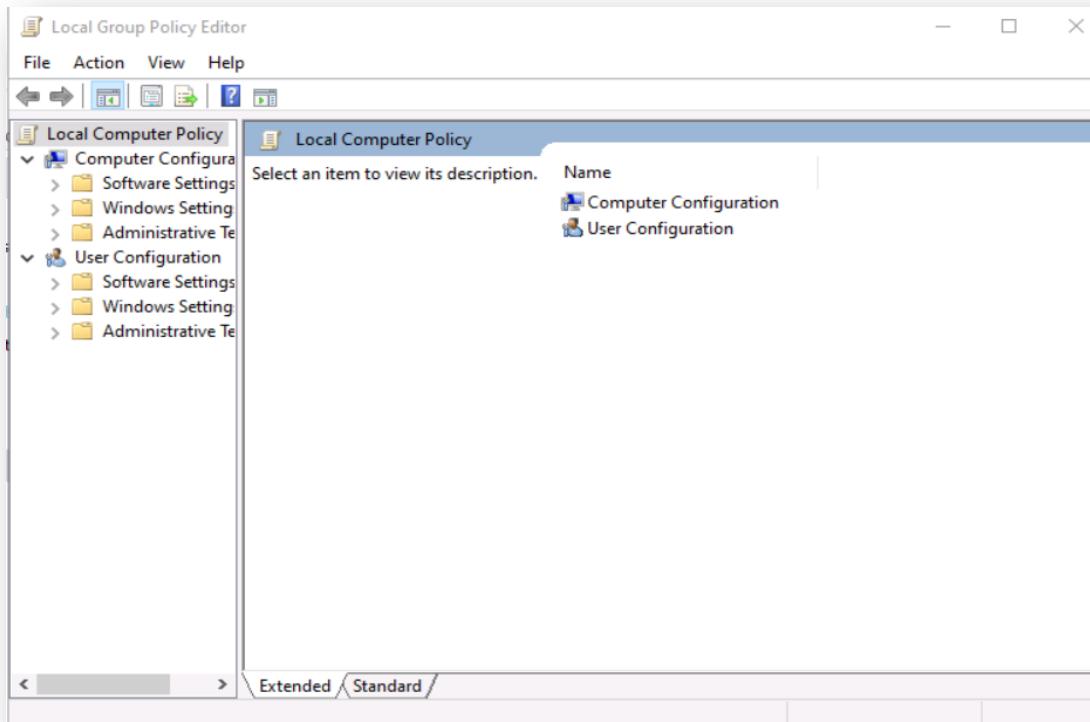
Members

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CONTOSO\Abigail.Storey
The command completed successfully.

C:\Users\lee.mendoza.adm>
```

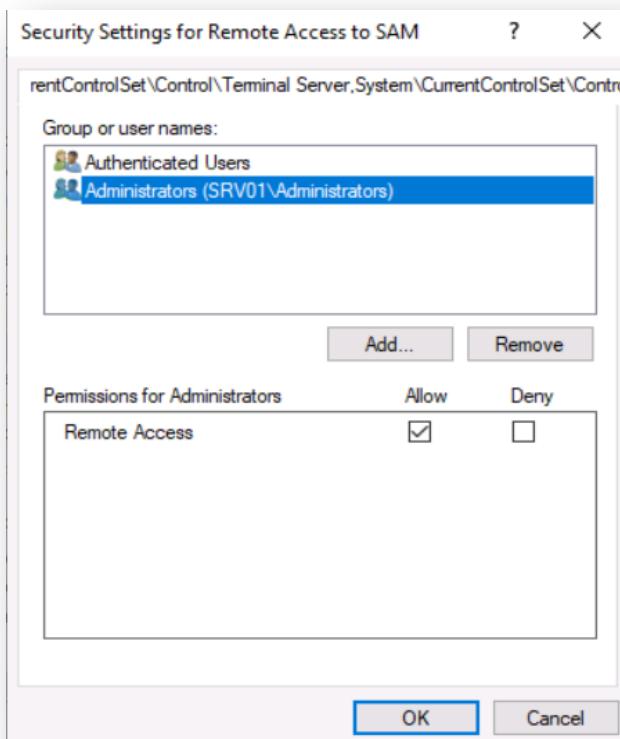
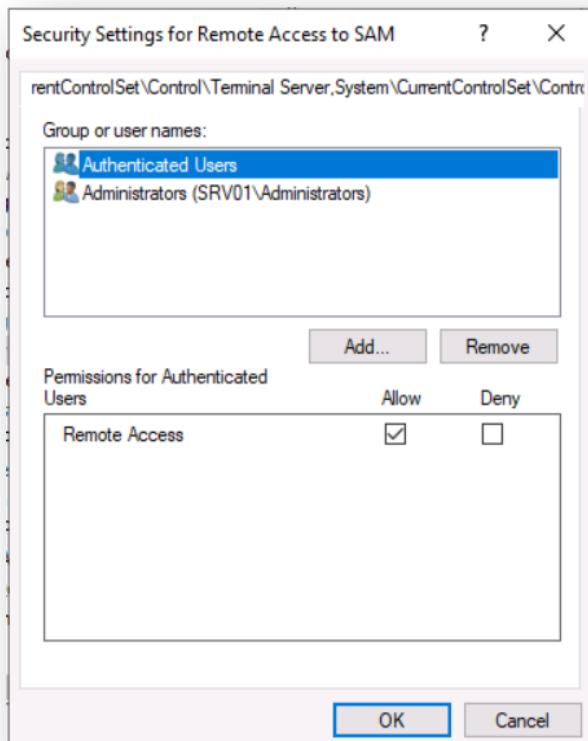


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Policy	Security Setting
Accounts: Administrator account status	Enabled
Accounts: Block Microsoft accounts	Not Defined
Accounts: Guest account status	Disabled
Accounts: Limit local account use of blank passwords to co...	Enabled
Accounts: Rename administrator account	Administrator
Accounts: Rename guest account	Guest
Audit: Audit the access of global system objects	Disabled
Audit: Audit the use of Backup and Restore privilege	Disabled
Audit: Force audit policy subcategory settings (Windows Vis...	Not Defined
Audit: Shut down system immediately if unable to log secur...	Disabled
DCOM: Machine Access Restrictions in Security Descriptor D...	Not Defined
DCOM: Machine Launch Restrictions in Security Descriptor ...	Not Defined
Devices: Allow undock without having to log on	Enabled
Devices: Allowed to format and eject removable media	Not Defined
Devices: Prevent users from installing printer drivers	Enabled
Devices: Restrict CD-ROM access to locally logged-on user ...	Not Defined
Devices: Restrict floppy access to locally logged-on user only	Not Defined
Domain controller: Allow server operators to schedule tasks	Not Defined
Domain controller: Allow vulnerable Netlogon secure chann...	Not Defined
Domain controller: LDAP server channel binding token requi...	Not Defined
Domain controller: LDAP server signing requirements	Not Defined

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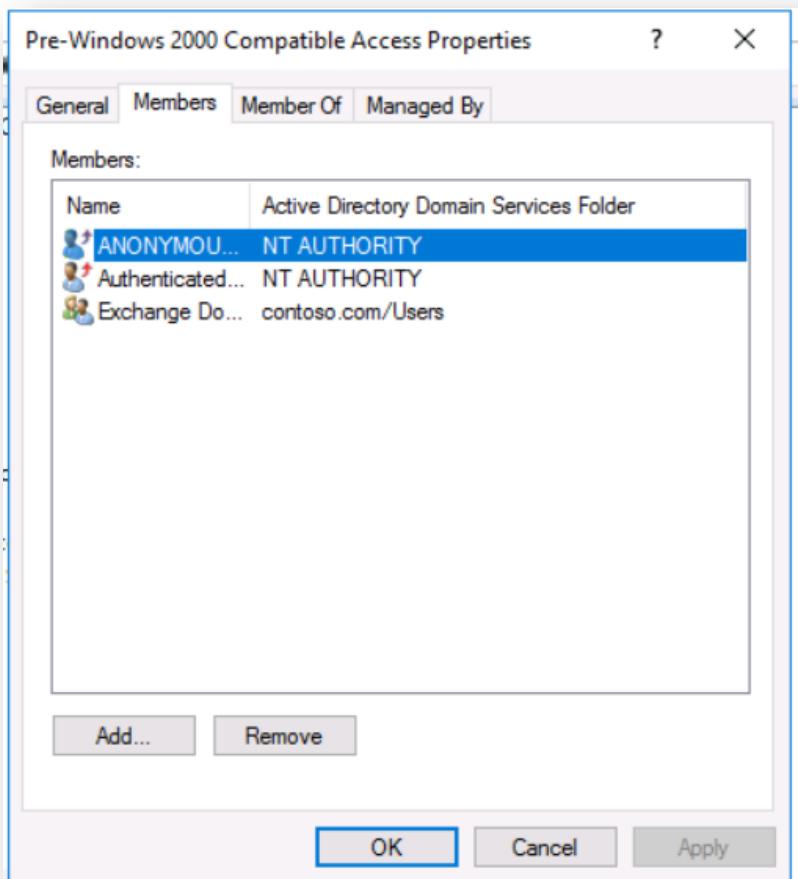
 Why is using a group policy recommended to use a group policy for these settings?

L'utilisation d'une stratégie de groupe est recommandée pour ces paramètres car elle permet une configuration centralisée et cohérente des politiques des ordinateurs et des utilisateurs à travers un réseau, améliorant ainsi la sécurité et la gestion.

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Exercise 5 - Enumerate domain users and group anonymously

📝 Who else is a member of this group in the lab?



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📝 What is the error message?

```
Host script results:
| smb-enum-users:
|_ ERROR: Access denied while trying to enumerate users; except against Windows 2000, Guest or better is typically required
Final times for host: srtt: 1000 rttvar: 3750  to: 100000

NSE: Script Post-scanning.
NSE: Starting runlevel 1 (of 1) scan.
Initiating NSE at 07:04
Completed NSE at 07:04, 0.00s elapsed
Read from C:\Program Files (x86)\Nmap: nmap-mac-prefixes nmap-payloads nmap-services.
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 5.48 seconds
      Raw packets sent: 2 (72B) | Rcvd: 2 (72B)
PS C:\Users\red> |
```

```
PS C:\Tools\Scripts> .\Invoke-NetSessionEnum.ps1 -Hostname DC01

Netapi32::NetSessionEnum Buffer Offset --> 0x00000226F26D8AC0
Result-set contains 1 session(s)!

OriginatingHost DomainUser SessionTime IdleTime
----- ----- -----
\\192.168.1.31  red          0          0

Calling NetApiBufferFree, no memleaks here!
```

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Exercise 6 - Restrict SMB enumeration [optional]

📝 Try to run the previous command without the "| Out-GridView -Title "SMB permissions". What is the difference?

📝 Do you still see connections?

```
PS C:\Tools\Scripts> .\Invoke-NetSessionEnum.ps1 -Hostname DC01

Netapi32::NetSessionEnum Buffer Offset --> 0x00000226DA2AB240
Result-set contains 1 session(s)!

OriginatingHost DomainUser SessionTime IdleTime
----- ----- ----- -----
\\192.168.1.31 red 0 0

Calling NetApiBufferFree, no memleaks here!
```