

Exam Report: 8.8.9 Practice Questions

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Individual Responses

▼ Question 1: Correct

What should you do to a user account if the user goes on an extended vacation?

- ☐ Remove all rights from the account
- ☐ Delete the account
- ➡ ☒ Disable the account
- ☐ Monitor the account more closely

Explanation

Disabling the account is the best measure to protect an inactive account. This prevents the account from being used for login.

If you delete the account or the rights assigned to the account, you will have to re-create the account or the rights when the user returns. Leaving the account active might expose it to attack, even if you regularly monitor it.

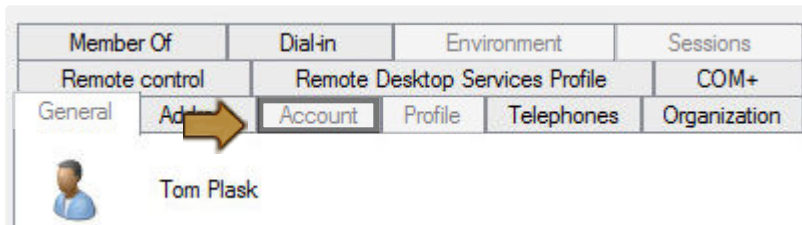
References

LabSim for Security Pro, Section 8.8.
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▼ Question 2: Correct

Tom Plask's user account has been locked because he entered too many incorrect passwords. You need to unlock the account.

Click the tab in the properties of the Tom Plask user object you would use to unlock his account.



Explanation

An account that has been locked out because too many incorrect passwords have been entered must be unlocked before the user will be allowed to authenticate. To unlock an account, go to the Account tab in the account object's Properties dialog, and then click Unlock Account.

The General tab allows you to enter information, such as the user's name, phone number, and e-mail address. The Profile tab allows you to configure the path to the user's profile folder. The Environment tab allows you to configure the user's computing environment when he or she logs in. The Sessions tab allows you to configure session limits.

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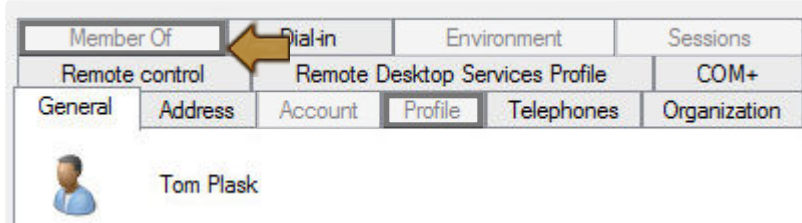
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▼ Question 3: Incorrect

Tom Plask was recently transferred to the Technical Support department. He now needs access to the network resources used by Support employees.

To grant him access, you need to add Tom Plask's user account to the Support group in the Active Directory domain.

Click the tab in the properties of the Tom Plask user object you would use to accomplish this.



Explanation

The Member of tab in the properties of a user account allows an administrator to add or remove a user from an Active Directory group. Once a member of a group, the user is automatically granted access to the network resources that are granted to the group.

The Account tab is used to manage account related settings. The Profile tab allows you to configure the path to the user's profile folder. The Environment tab allows you to configure the user's computing environment when he or she logs in. The Sessions tab allows you to configure session limits.

References

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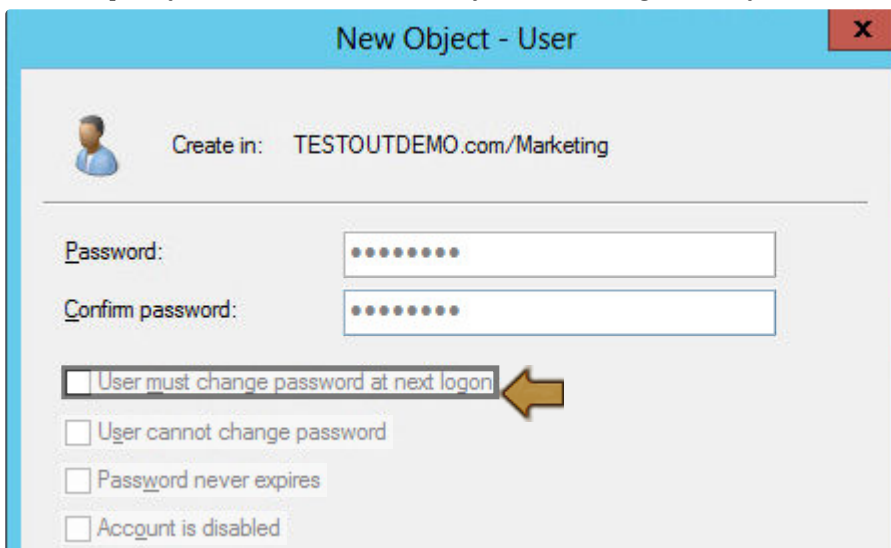
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▼ Question 4: Correct

You are creating a new Active Directory domain user account for the Rachel McGaffey user account. During the account setup process, you assigned a password to the new account.

However, you know that the system administrator should not know any user's password for security reasons. Only the user should know his or her own password—no one else.

Click the option you would use in the New Object - User dialog to remedy this situation.



Explanation

When creating a new user account or resetting a forgotten password, a common practice is to reset the user account password and select User must change password at next logon. This forces the user to reset

the password immediately following logon, ensuring the user is the only person who knows the password. Enable the User cannot change password option when you want to maintain control over a guest, service, or temporary account. For example, many applications use service accounts for performing system tasks. The application must be configured with the user account name and password. In this situation, you may also need to enable the Password never expires option. The Account is disabled option is used in situations where you want to create an account now, but the user will not actually need it until a future date.

References

LabSim for Security Pro, Section 8.8.

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▼ Question 5: Incorrect

You are the network administrator of a small nonprofit organization. Currently, an employee named Craig Jenkins handles all help desk calls for the organization.

In recent months, the volume of help desk calls has exceeded what Craig can manage alone, so an additional help desk employee has been hired to carry some of the load.

Currently, permissions to network resources are assigned directly to Craig's user object. Because the new employee needs exactly the same level of access, you decide to simply copy Craig's Active Directory domain user object and rename it with the new employee's name.

Will this strategy work?

- ☐ Yes. This strategy will be successful.
-  ☒ No. Permissions are not copied when a user account is copied.
- ☒ ~~No. Making a copy of an existing user causes both accounts to have the same security identifier (SID).~~
- ☐ No. Active Directory does not permit you to copy an existing user account.

Explanation

This strategy won't work. Permissions are not copied when a user object is copied. If the permissions had been assigned to a group that Craig Jenkins was a member of, then the strategy would work because group memberships are preserved when copied.

Active Directory allows you to make copies of existing user accounts. When you do, a new security identifier (SID) is automatically created for the new user.

References

LabSim for Security Pro, Section 8.8.

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