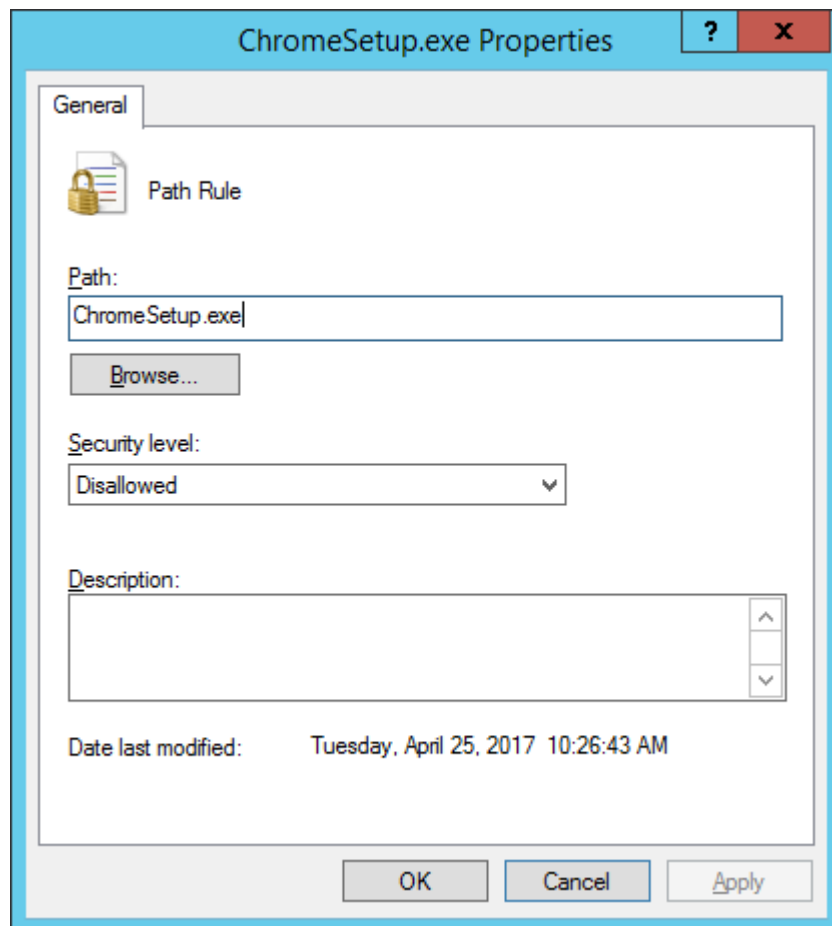# 1. Install Google chrome on a windows system

1. **Download** the **installation** file.

2. If prompted, click Run or Save.

3. If you chose Save, double-click the **download** to start **installing**.

4. Start **Chrome**: Windows 7: A **Chrome window** opens once everything is done. **Windows** 8 & 8.1: A welcome dialog appears. Click Next to select your default browser.

2. Block the usage of google chrome to all users

1. Edit or create a new GPO contain the settings to disable Chrome.

2. Navigate to User Configuration -> Windows Settings -> Security Settings

3. Right-click **Software Restriction Policies**, and select **New Software Restriction Policies**.

4. Right-click **Additional Rules**, and choose **New Path Rule**
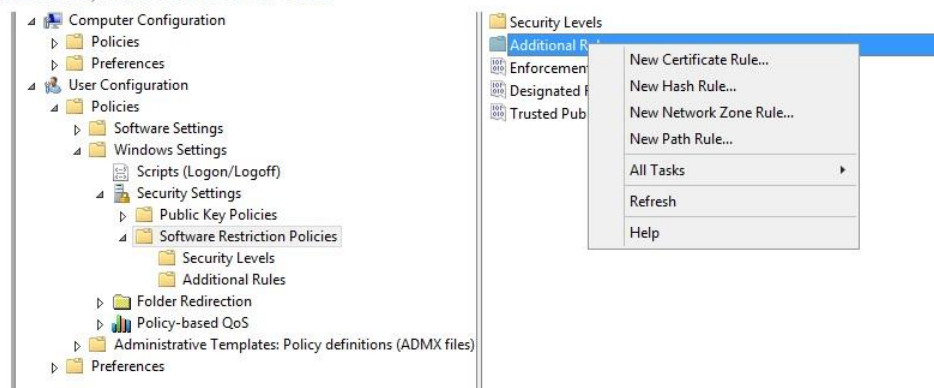
5. In the Path field, type **exe**.

6. Select **Disallowed** in the **Security level** drop down menu, and click **OK** to save the rule.

ChromeSetup.exe Properties

General

Path Rule

Path:

ChromeSetup.exe

Browse...

Security level:

Disallowed

Description:

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OK   Cancel   Apply

7. Add the following rules by repeating steps 4-6:

- Chrome.exe
- Gears-Chrome-Opt.msi
- Chrome_Installer.exe
- GoogleUpdate
- C:\Program Files\Google\Chrome\Application
- C:\Program Files (x86)\Google\Chrome\Application
- C:\Users\%username%\AppData\Local\Google\Chrome\Application\Chrome.exe

Name	Type	Security Level	Description
%HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\...	Path	Unrestricted	
%HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\...	Path	Unrestricted	
C:\Program Files (x86)\Google\Chrome\...	Path	Disallowed	
C:\Program Files\Google\Chrome\Appli...	Path	Disallowed	
C:\Users\%username%\AppData\Local\...	Path	Disallowed	
Chrome.exe	Path	Disallowed	
Chrome_Installer.exe	Path	Disallowed	
ChromeSetup.exe	Path	Disallowed	
Gears-Chrome-Opt.msi	Path	Disallowed	
GoogleUpdate.exe	Path	Disallowed	

9. Link the GPO to the domain, or for more refined restriction, to a specific OU.

10. If you should need to also block Mozilla Firefox, you'll need to create 2 rules with these Paths:

- Firefox exe

- Firefox Setup*.exe

3. Block the access of control panel to all the users in windows system

1. Use the **Windows key + R** keyboard shortcut to open the **Run** command.

2. Type **gpedit.msc** and click **OK** to open the Local Group Policy Editor.

3. Browse the following path:

   `User Configuration > Administrative Templates > Control Panel`

4. On the right side, double-click the **Prohibit access to Control Panel and PC settings** policy.

5. Select the **Enabled** option.

6. Click **Apply**.

7. Click **OK**.